

## NEGRO CONFESSES DOUBLE KILLING

### Widow Sues For Billy Edwards Estate Assaulted, Slew White Woman Then Killed Daughter

#### BRIAND SAYS HIT GERMANY, DON'T WARN 'EM

Tells Lloyd George Teutons Have been Handled Too Gently.

By WEBB MILLER, United Press Correspondent. PARIS, April 25.—"Strike Germany and strike without warning," was Premier Briand's demand in his conference with Lloyd George at Hythe. It was learned today.

Briand argued that Germany had been handled too gently heretofore and that the allies should proceed now to exact penalties from her as an enemy country.

He found Lloyd George willing to proceed with occupation of the Rhineland but the British premier suggested that another note should first be sent to Berlin.

#### CONFERENCE ADJOURNS.

By United Press. HYTHE, England, April 25.—The allied conference here adjourned today without having received Germany's latest reparations offer.

The two officials had understood that copies of the German note addressed to the United States would be sent them. Unofficially they professed great disappointment that they had been unable to study the document.

The next opportunity for further conference will be at a meeting in London next Saturday. If Lloyd George has disposed of the British coal strike by that time the session will be held in Paris.

#### HARDING APPOINTS TWO DEMOCRATS ON SHIPPING BOARD

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Former Senator Chamberlain of Portland, Ore., and Frederick Thompson, Mobile, Ala., are understood to have been definitely selected by President Harding as members of the shipping board. Both are Democrats.

President Harding is said to be undecided in regard to the third Democrat to be named.

#### MEETINGS TONIGHT.

Revival meetings at Christian tabernacle and First Baptist church. Firemen's Benefit Ball at Central fire station, 8:30 p. m.

#### LOYD GEORGE SAYS BRITAIN WILL 'STAND BY'

LONDON, April 25.—Lloyd George stated in the house of commons today that if the new German reparations proposals which have not yet been received proved unsatisfactory Great Britain would support France at next Saturday's allied conference in her proposals for occupation of the Westphalian coal fields.

#### LATEST PROPOSAL.

By Associated Press. BERLIN, April 25.—The German proposal to the allies offers payment of two hundred billion gold marks in reparations, according to sources close to the government. The payments would spread over a period of thirty to forty years or less, according to Germany's economic recovery. Economic pledges in the way of goods and participation in German industries is offered as a guarantee. It is indicated that the offer inclines more toward the terms formulated by the allies at the Paris conference last winter than to the offer made by Germany at the London conference which the allies summarily rejected.

#### EDITOR PAYS FINE FOR LIBELING GOV. NEFF

WACO, April 25.—M. M. Scholl, editor of the Cooper Courier, pleaded guilty to libeling Pat M. Neff, governor of Texas, during the campaign last year. He was fined \$500 in the county court today and paid his fine.

#### ROWAN CASE SET FOR TRIAL IN ABILENE MAY 2

ABILENE, April 25.—District Judge Ely today said he had set the case of Albert Rowan, sent here from Dallas on a charge of venue, for Monday, May 2. He ordered a special venire of seventy-five men for the case.

#### HEARINGS IN LEGAL BATTLE STARTED HERE

Parents of Man Slain by Wife in Oklahoma Oppose Suit.

With the brightest legal talent of all the state of Oklahoma arrayed on the two sides the battle between Annabelle Edwards, wife of the deceased Billie Edwards, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards, for the division of his estate began Monday morning in Ranger.

Edwards, a former Ranger citizen, was shot and killed by his wife in Oklahoma City several weeks ago. She is now suing for a division of the property and the parents of the dead man are resisting the suit.

Depositions of Ranger folks who are familiar with the case are being taken today before J. E. Ingram, who was appointed to hear the witnesses' testimony by the district court of Oklahoma. Mrs. Edwards is present for the hearing, which is taking place in Judge Ingram's office.

#### Property in Diamonds.

It is thought here that the deceased's property consisted mainly in diamonds which were locked in a vault in Oklahoma City. Shortly after the shooting Mrs. Edwards asked for an injunction against the parents to restrain them from removing the gems or otherwise getting them in their possession. She then filed suit for division of the property.

The widow is being represented by Norman Pruitt, Ben Williams and his law partner, Attorney Luttrell. The defendants are represented by Giddings & Giddings, both of whom are here, and County Attorney Hughes, all of Oklahoma City. It is said that the same lawyers will be arrayed for and against Mrs. Edwards at her trial for the death of her husband. Pruitt, it is said, is one of the best criminal lawyers in Oklahoma.

Marks and Flaherty, local attorneys, are also retained in the case, representing the interests of the defendants to the suit.

Williams and Luttrell are said to be noted for their civil suits. Giddings & Giddings, it is thought, have been retained by the state to assist in the prosecution.

No Edwards' Children. The testimony now being taken will be used when the case comes to trial in Oklahoma soon. Edwards died without children and it is thought that his parents will seek to show that his wife under the law of that state has no community interest in his property.

On the other hand plaintiff's attorneys are trying to bring out the fact that she was instrumental in Edwards accumulating his estate and is therefore entitled to half of it.

Operated Hotels Here. The testimony taken this morning brought out the fact that Mrs. Edwards operated the Opera House rooms and the Commercial hotel here and the proceeds from that work went into the community fund.

It was also brought out at the hearing that at one time Edwards was cut by a knife in the hands of his wife and he refused to prosecute.

Only a short session was held this morning. However at 1:30 o'clock it was resumed and several witnesses were examined. Among the number who were summoned to appear are the vice presidents of the three banks who were also instructed to bring their books in order to show what transactions had taken place in their various institutions by Billie Edwards, his wife and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards, the parents. Other witnesses who were summoned are: W. B. Westgate, Leon Wilson, Elmer Lawrence, Bit Redford, Dr. Logsdon, J. C. Jordan, J. P. Phillips, and Joe Saunders. Miss Anne O'Donnell, public stenographer at the Gholson hotel, is transcribing the testimony.

FRENCH FORCE DEALERS TO REDUCE FOOD PRICES

PARIS, April 25.—Andre Paisant, under-secretary of food, summoned the officers of the Dolicatessen Dealers' association and told them they must reduce prices in accordance with the wholesale market. Restaurant proprietors will confer Saturday on price reductions.

Meantime, police are filing scores of charges against butchers ignoring the government's order to reduce prices.

#### Six Countries Wage Tariff War Against United States

BY RUSSELL BROWNING, United Press Correspondent. WASHINGTON, April 25.—Tariff war will be waged against American manufactured products by half a dozen countries as a protest against the Young emergency tariff bill, trade representatives here indicated today. Retaliation against the emergency measure virtually barring imports of wheat, wool, meats and other agricultural products is expected from Canada, Australia, South Africa, Argentina and other South American countries.

#### Wife and Ten Children Kneel in Prayer as Irish Slayer Is Hanged

DUBLIN, April 25.—With the sound of hymns rising about the grim walls of Mountjoy prison, Thomas Traynor was executed here today for killing a "black and tan."

Thousands of men, women and children gathered about the prison at dawn, kneeling in the open space outside the walls while British soldiers paced to and fro.

Traynor was convicted of killing the policeman on March 24. The prisoner's brother was permitted a last visit. "Thomas wants you to fight on," the brother told the crowd. "There was no disturbance and the crowd melted away when the prison bell told them Traynor was dead."

Pitying eyes were turned on the bowed and shabby figure of a woman who knelt near the prison entrance, surrounded by her brood of ten children.

The woman was Mrs. Traynor, wife of the doomed man. To the last minute she was confident of a reprieve and collapsed when she knew the execution had been carried out.

#### JONES-COX BUYS NORVILL HDW. FOR \$100,000

The largest single deal of any nature that has been made in Ranger was completed Saturday when the Jones-Cox Hardware and Furniture Company purchased the stock and goodwill of the Norvill Hardware Company from its owners, O. W. and E. G. Wright.

While an inventory has not yet been completed it is thought that the sale of the Norvill interests will involve an expenditure of \$100,000. In addition to the stock and goodwill of the firm the Jones-Cox Company will take over the lease contract of the Norvill interests and probably will combine the two stores in that location on Main street. However, this has not yet been settled.

This purchase has been in the air since about January 1, but the final deals were not wound up until last Saturday.

O. W. Wright, manager of the Norvill store, said this morning that the men employed in his store would continue with the purchasers other than himself. He will go to Breckenridge to manage the Norvill store at that place.

The Jones-Cox Company is one of the largest firms in Ranger in its line and has been established here since early days of the boom. The company also has stores at Snyder, Leary, and other West Texas towns.

In merging the two places no policies will be changed. It will continue to carry a full line of hardware, furniture and undertaking supplies.

T. B. Russell, general manager of the firm, will continue in that position after the merger and J. A. Killinsworth will continue as manager of the furniture and undertaking department.

MANY DEPOSITORS SIGN UP ON JUDGE STARNES' BANK PLAN

The largest crowd of depositors of any one day since Judge Starnes announced his reopening plan, appeared at the First National bank Monday for the purpose of signing up agreements. So numerous were the applicants that the force had to be increased more than 50 per cent.

Commissioner Sandford Dean, trustee for the depositors under the Starnes plan, expects the rush to continue in large volume for the next four days. He believes that a large percentage of Ranger people have become convinced that this plan offers the best way out and the time limit of Friday has shown them the necessity of prompt action.

MARINE ENGINEERS THREATEN TO STRIKE

NEW YORK, April 25.—Negotiations were broken today between representatives of the Marine Engineers' Beneficial association and the American Steamship Owners' association, who have been holding conferences regarding a contract.

#### Black Describes How He Committed Deed For Which Mrs. Blanche Walford's Husband Was on Trial For His Life; Is Held in Dallas Jail.

DALLAS, April 25.—Confession that he criminally assaulted and then killed Mrs. Blanche Walford, a white woman, and shot to death her 7-year-old daughter near Byarstown, some time ago was made here today by Virgil Sampson, 24, negro, brought here for safekeeping following his conviction and sentence to die May 27 for assault on a young white girl near Honeygrove, Texas, Sheriff Harston of Dallas county announced today.

The husband of the woman, Luther Walford, according to the alleged confession, was charged with the killing of his wife and child and given a preliminary hearing. At the preliminary hearing Sampson said he testified against Walford, saying he heard the two shots which killed the woman and girl.

#### VISITOR SAYS RANGER SHOULD MAKE FARMS PAY

Suggests Way Tenants Could Be Found to Fit the Land.

"In any settled community developments are given new life by the invasion of new capital and in my opinion the best method of getting more cash into the Ranger district at this time is through some organized move to again place the farms and ranches of Eastland county on a money-making basis."

This statement was made this morning by an out-of-town visitor who is close to the farming interests in this section of the state.

"It strikes me," he said, "that if the farm and ranch land that is now idle was listed through some central organization so it could be known just what each landlord had, it would not be a hard matter to find tenants to fit the land."

"He is certain that with the market that exists here for every farm product the farms could be tenanted. It is also true that the pastures contain much grass which would be attractive to dairy farmers."

"While it is only a suggestion, it seems to me that if the Chamber of Commerce or some other organization could easily secure the names of all the landowners, the nature of their land and just what they wanted in rentals, and just what they would do in the way of repairing the run-down places. With this knowledge the advantages of farming in Eastland county could be placed before the people in such a way that all the land should be taken by next year."

"Except for the years of drought that came near bankrupting the entire western part of the state, I think that it has been well demonstrated that this section is equal to any in the state for farming purposes."

#### HONOLULU WILL USE VOLCANO'S HEAT TO MAKE LIGHT CURRENT

HONOLULU, T. H., April 25.—The heat of Kiluaea volcano, whose great height of 13,677 feet, is 32 miles from Hilo on the island of Hawaii, daily provides an awe-inspiring spectacle for crowds of tourists, is to be utilized to provide electric light and power for every town, hamlet and industry on the island, if the purposes of a memorial recently addressed to the legislature of Hawaii are worked out.

The memorial asks the territory to appropriate \$25,000 to be matched by a similar amount from the Hawaiian Volcano Research association, for borings and other preliminary work.

The memorial cites the fact that volcanic heat already is being used on a large scale for the production of power in Italy. The Kiluaea project has been endorsed as feasible by the Pan-Pacific scientific congress which met here last August.

The possibility of recovering sulphur, copper and, perhaps, other materials from the craters as well as using the power generated to extract nitrogen from the air also is pointed out in the memorial.

#### JUGGLING OF STATE FUNDS BEING PROBED

AUSTIN, April 25.—A conference between state and federal authorities in regard to irregularities said to have been discovered in another state department, will be held here tomorrow, was announced today. It was the subject of a conference with a representative of the attorney general in the governor's office today. No charges have yet been filed.

Federal authorities are interested in the case because it is alleged that irregularities involve joint state and federal appropriations frequently supplemented by city money. In some instances it was said payrolls were padded in triplicate.

According to information received today an army officer is involved in the alleged padding of payrolls as well as a certain former state employee. Action by state and federal authorities is said to be contemplated against the persons involved.

#### TURKEY MAY DECIDE TO COMPEL MARRYING

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 25.—Marriage will be made an obligation in Turkey, if the law proposed by Sali Bey, deputy from Erzerum, passes the Angora parliament. The depopulation of the country is such, according to Sali Bey, that the Turkish race will shortly be inferior to the number of Greeks and Armenians. He declared that while the old-time Turk was willing to take as many as four wives, the modern one is slow in taking one.

### Josephus Daniels Tells Story of American Navy's Exploits In World War

#### ARTICLE XII. HOW A CLEVER SPY FOUND TRUTH OF BIG GERMAN CONSPIRACIES

By Josephus Daniels  
Former Secretary of the Navy—1913 to 1921.

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A real secret service story from the records of naval intelligence—The adventures of the mysterious Dr. Brecht in Brazil and Argentina—He wins applause at dinner over which Count von Luxburg of "spurious venetian" fame presided—Plans to get secret dispatches intended for Berlin—Is present when riotous mobs burn German club and Bismarck restaurant—How those "idiotic Yankees" to quote von Pape, played rings around the Teuton conspirators.

Through the windows of the brilliantly lighted German club, in Buenos Aires, one evening in 1917, came the lusty and guttural harmony of Teutonic voices joined in singing "Deutschland Uber Alles."

It was a great night for the lovers of Wilhelm Hohenzollern in the Argentine capital—the night of the annual banquet of the German "bund." Count Luxburg was the guest of honor and Count Lanburg was none other than the imperial minister to Argentina, and a most zealous servant of his august sovereign.

There were those about the banquet table who knew something of his devotion to the cause of Germany. Such matters were better not talked about, but the count was worthy of the words of congratulation and the glances of admiration which were given him. Doubtless when the great victory was won the count would be

## DUNNAM WILL ENFORCE LAW TO AID WOMEN

Serves Notice to Those in Eastland County Who Violate Statute.

Special to the Times.

EASTLAND, April 25.—Complaint has been made to W. V. Dunnam, that certain employers of female help in Eastland county have been violating that provision in what is known as the "Fifty-four-hour Law for Women," which provides that seats shall be provided for female employees, when not engaged, and that it is a violation of law to work a female more than nine hours in any one day, or more than fifty-four hours within a given week.

In this connection it is pointed out that this law was passed in defense of the female worker, and the good of the race, it being known that a girl or woman engaged in industry if overworked or caused to stand on her feet long hours at a time, cannot properly perform the functions of motherhood.

Mr. Dunnam in a statement given out to the press calls attention to the provisions of the law; and says in the event its provisions are not lived up to prosecution will follow.

"Article 1451K, of the Penal code of the State of Texas provides that every employer, owner, or operator of mines, mills, workshops, mercantile establishments, laundries, hotels, restaurants or rooming houses, theaters or moving picture shows, telephone or telegraph company, express or transportation company, or any state institution, or any other establishment where females are employed as provided in Sec. 1, 1A and 1B, shall provide and furnish seats to be used when not engaged in the active duties of their employment, and shall give notice to all such female employees by posting in a conspicuous place on the premises of such employment, in letters not less than one inch in height, that all such females shall be permitted to use such seats when not engaged.

**Must Provide Seats.**

"Article 1451L provides that any person acting as an employer, overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent, or any such employer who shall permit any female to work in any of such places mentioned above, shall fail, neglect, or refuse to provide suitable seats as above stated, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction in any court of competent jurisdiction, shall be fined in any sum not less than \$50.00 nor more than \$200.00 and each and every day of such violation constitutes a separate offense.

"Complaints have come to my department, charging violations of the above statute and in view of the fact that the people generally are not advised as to the existence of this law, and are innocently violating the same, I have decided to serve this notice before making any complaints charging violation of same.

"I feel sure that the agents, employers, and heads of institutions above mentioned, who are in business or who are engaged in business of that kind and character, would not intentionally violate this law, and I believe that the physical welfare of females, some of whom are mere girls, absolutely require that they be not permitted to remain on their feet in positions of discomfort when they are not actually engaged in the discharge of their duties as such employees.

"The provisions of the above statute does not apply in rural districts and in cities and towns of less than three thousand inhabitants.

"Believing that prosecutions under this statute will not be made necessary by neglect or otherwise after the issuance of this notice, I respectfully submit the same.

"(Signed) W. V. DUNNAM,  
County Attorney."

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET AND ELKS BALL WILL NOT CONFLICT, SAID

That the Chamber of Commerce annual banquet and the Elks' ball both set for tomorrow night, will not conflict was the statement made today by Manager Peters of the chamber.

"The dinner has been set at 7:30 and the program has been made short, and to the point, so that every Elks could be sure of attending both functions," he said.

The principal address of the banquet will be by one of the chief city builders of Fort Worth. He probably will be President Patterson of the National Bank of Commerce, who is recommended as a man who has had much experience in the very sort of problem Ranger must face.

Three or four times as many votes will be cast in the final ballot for directors as were cast in the primary it now appears from the rate at which these ballots are coming into the chamber's offices. The polls will close at noon Tuesday and the count will be made in the afternoon, in order to have the result announced at the banquet.

## NOLLEY AND BARNES SEIZE LARGE QUANTITY OF JAMAICA GINGER

Forty to fifty gallons of Jamaica ginger, contained in a variety of receptacles ranging from barrels to small bottles, was seized Saturday night by Sheriff Sam Nolley and Deputy Constable John Barnes. It was carried to the Eastland jail, and made a small truck load.

The liquor was found in an industrial plant, where it had been stored by a local druggist, who is a friend of the plant's owner. A complaint against the druggist for violation of the Dean law will be filed this afternoon, Barnes said.

## JUAREZ CHIEF OF POLICE HAS MANY DUTIES

Is Peacemaker for Warring Couples and Hands Out Justice.

EL PASO, April 25.—Family affairs, neighborly quarrels, petty thefts, slanders and divorces, when are a few of the troubles that Eduardo Rivera, "jefe de policia," or chief of police in Juarez, Mexico, is called upon to settle daily. His office in the municipal building is a court of justice as well as at star chamber for criminals.

The job of running the police force is a minor matter. The chief's secretary, Pedro Badillo, attends to that, and Mr. Rivera devotes his time to settling disputes. He is judged, as chief of police, by the decisions that he makes.

In one of Mr. Rivera's interesting cases, two women appeared before him, dragging a rather bedraggled male between them. Both were talking as fast as they could. The chief rescued the man from their clutches and after voluble explanations from each, found that they both claimed the man. When the chief quieted the women and asked the man what he had to say, the fellow could offer no explanation except that he was married to one and living with the other. The chief gave the offending woman a lecture on morals and reminded the unfaithful husband of the sanctity of the marriage vow.

Another time one Jose Mandoz ran into the police station and said that his neighbor was pushing over Mendoz' abode wall. The wall was down when the chief arrived on the scene and the neighbor could not be found. He was caught later and arraigned before the chief, who asked the reason for the unusual action. The neighbor said that Mendoz had stolen one of his chickens and he was trying to get revenge. The chief told the prisoner that if he replaced the wall he would not have to go to jail. The prisoner built the wall so strong that he could not push it down a second time.

When he was placed in office two months ago, the first official act of Chief Rivera was to assure the El Paso police of his co-operation. He cleaned out his police force, put on more mounted men, enlarged the detective force and organized a special flying squadron to operate against pickpockets.

The edict of the chief that all pickpockets and confidence men caught should have their heads shaven helped to break up the old gang.

Opium dives flourished in Juarez until a few weeks ago, when Mr. Rivera conducted a raid and drove the keepers out of the city. The police seized hundreds of opium outfits and many pounds of narcotics. Drug stores are closely inspected to prevent illegal sales of narcotics.

Criminals have flocked to Juarez from all over Mexico and the United States and the Juarez police have the hardest job of any force in the world, according to the chief.

In the past thirty days ten automobiles have been recovered by the police of Juarez after the cars were stolen on the American side of the Rio Grande and taken across. Formerly a machine was considered lost if thieves got it as far as Juarez. The stolen cars are recovered now in nine cases out of ten.

## TWENTY-TWO PERSONS JOIN BAPTIST CHURCH AT SUNDAY'S REVIVAL

Hundreds of persons made their way to the First Baptist church last night to hear the Bassett-Vom Bruch evangelistic party. The church was filled to capacity and the doors of the Sunday school rooms were thrown open to accommodate the crowd. Sunday was a great day at the church, for at the morning service here were seven persons united with the church and at the evening service fifteen more were received.

Special music by the large chorus choir under the leadership of Mr. Vom Bruch, accompanied by Mrs. Vom Bruch at the big Baldwin grand piano, and the playing of the cornet by Mr. Vom Bruch were a feature of the musical part of the service last night. The singing of hymns by both congregation and choir also was a feature of the service.

Evangelist Bassett's messages are filled with the old time gospel. They are clean cut, logical, sincere, strike at sin with telling effects and are free from sectionalism of any kind.

There will be a special service at 4:30 each afternoon this week for children.

A Kansas farmer having heard of a man who successfully raised \$2 bills wrote to his congressman for some of the seed.

## LEGION AGENT TO REORGANIZE RANGER POST

Turner E. Campe, state organizer of the American Legion, will be in Ranger Tuesday, according to a letter from Charles W. Seruggs, adjutant for the department of Texas, to R. H. Hansford, finance officer of the Carl Barnes post. It is planned to call a meeting for Tuesday afternoon or evening at which Ranger vets can meet Mr. Campe and form plans for reviving the Carl Barnes post.

Mr. Seruggs says Ranger vets will be delighted to meet Mr. Campe, as he is a live wire and in touch with all the legion's doings. A meeting at which all ex-service men are invited to be present will be held at a place and time to be announced in Tuesday's Times.

Regarding Mr. Campe, the Legionnaire, official organ of the department of Texas, says:

"Who is this man Campe? Why, man alive! He is the fellow that went through the entire Spanish-American war and the war with Germany as an enlisted man. He is the fellow who refused to accept a commission several times because he wanted to stay with the fellows who did the fighting. He is the snappiest, snappiest, liveliest, doinigest fellow you have ever seen. The only objection to him was that he was a 'top sergeant.' He could not prevent his being made that kind of a company commander.

"Tell the fellows that they will get more fun out of Campe's visit than they would out of a barrel of monkeys.

"They will learn more about what the American Legion is doing in Texas from Campe than they would get by reading the newspapers for a month.

"They will be paid several times the expenses they may incur in hearing Campe. He will make a fellow wish that he was a citizen of his own home town. You will hate to see him go when he leaves.

"Tell them to tell the world that the king bee of live wires is coming, and that he will inoculate them with the spirit that has made the American

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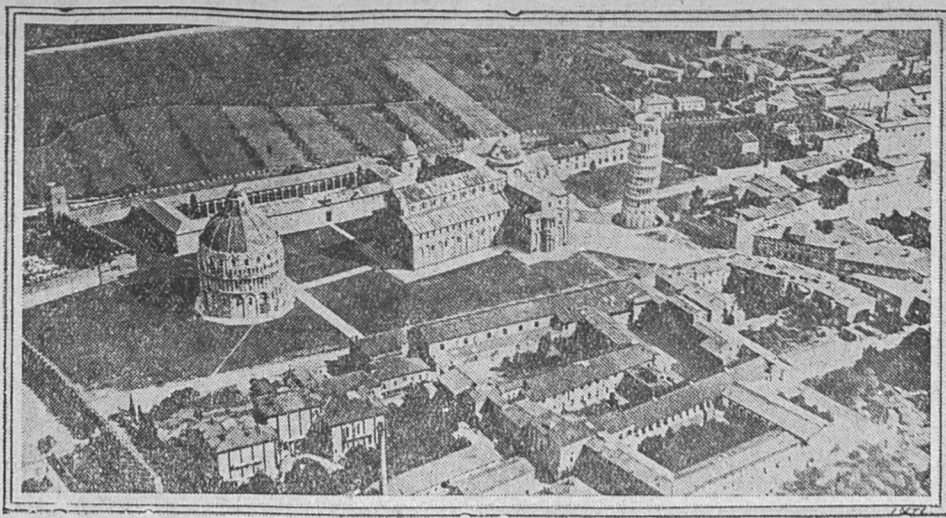
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Suit will be started for the collection of 1920 unpaid school and city taxes on June 1, 1921.  
You can save considerable expense by calling at room 211 Marston building and adjusting your delinquent taxes at once.  
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## HISTORIC ITALY FROM THE AIR.



An aerial view of a section of the historic City of Pisa, Italy, showing the famous Leaning Tower, the Cathedral and part of the wall surrounding the ancient city. This photo was made from a plane of the Italian air service.

Legion the greatest factor for good in the world."

## INSANITY CHARGES FILED AGAINST RANGER CITIZEN

H. H. Johnson, who recently drank iodine and whose life was saved by the use of a stomach pump, was arrested yesterday by the police and a complaint charging insanity was

filed against him this morning in Justice of the Peace Penlaw's court.

At the time of his arrest Johnson had a bottle containing iodine on his person.

He will be sent to Eastland for trial.

Self-made men do not show up well when compared with tailor-made women.

LONDON, April 25.—The Prince of Wales lunched at the American club, headquarters of American business men in London, the guest of L. Lanner Winslow, secretary of the American embassy. He was induced to invest a sovereign in the Club's Derby Sweepstakes.

Society women give functions for the purpose of getting even.

## DALLAS ORCHESTRA WILL MAKE MUSIC FOR BIG ELKS' DANCE

Larry Conley's orchestra of Dallas will be the main attraction tomorrow night at the Elks' dance that will be given by the lodge at the Summer Garden. The orchestra has a wide reputation for its dances, music and is being brought to Ranger at a heavy expense, it is said.

Another unusual feature of the ball will be the fact that the Elks have lifted their rule of entertaining only Elks and have invited the Shrine club to participate. All visiting Elks in the city are also invited.

The dance will be under the patronage of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dietrich, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drienhofer, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Harkrider and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Barnes.

## SHOOT, RATTLE, ROLL GAME IS BUSTED UP

Members of the police department at times have rude ways. They unconcernedly step into certain entertainments and bust them right up. This happened last night. Detective Murphy found "foh collud brethren" in an alley near the New York rooms having a wonderful time playing the ancient game of "shoot, rattle and roll."

Mr. Murphy without apology rudely interrupted the game and a part of the number paid \$20.70 in police court under a charge of gaming. Those who could not pay are still in jail.

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PROGRAM

TEMPLE—James Oliver Curwood's "Kazan," also Charlie Chaplin in "By the Sea," LAMB—"Tale of Two Worlds," featuring Wallace Beery and Leatrice Joy; also comedy "Mr. Fatima," and Bray Pictograph. LIBERTY—William Desmond in "The Blue Bandana," also Ruth Roland in "The Arving Arrow," and comedy, "Torchy Comes Through." MAJESTIC—The first edition of "The Winter Garden Revue," and picture, "The Heart of a Woman."

Oh, What a Friend Was the Mayor!

—By Billy De Beck



LAMB. Behind the noodle eating scene in Gouverneur Morris' first story written directly for the screen, "A Tale of Two Worlds," which is being shown at the Lamb theatre, lurks a tale of directorial anger.

In this story of Chinese and American life, several hundred real Chinese were employed as "extras"; that is to say—amateurs. One of the scenes was taken in a Chinese restaurant. When the "extras" were seated, waiters brought bowls of noodles. At the Chinese word for "Go!" the Oriental actors fell to and the camera began clicking.

Soon one of the "extras" held up his bowl for more. He was immediately followed by several others.

"Double up!" shouted Director Lloyd, as the empty bowls were once more filled. But the cameras had registered enough of this scene.

"Cut!" the camera man stopped, but not the diners. "That's enough," said Mr. Lloyd, ex-recting the "extras" to stop eating and to prepare for the next scene. But no such thing happened. The director shouted a little louder. "Enough!"

A yellow hand stretched a bowl above the owner's head, it was followed by a score of others. Chop sticks began to drum on the table. "Well, I'll be —" said Mr. Lloyd. "I guess we'll have to call 'time out.' All right, fill 'em up again. But the next noodle scene I run into is going to be cut out. It's worse than a pie-eating contest in an 'Edgar' comedy."

TEMPLE. One of the most thrilling scenes in "Kazan," the famous James Oliver Curwood story which is being screened at the Temple, is the race for life of a man and woman with a dog team over the snows of a Canadian woodland and their subsequent battle with a pack of wolves. Kazan, a wolf-dog, heads this pack, and when he recognizes the woman who has befriended him he turns on his companions and scatters them. In this fight all the pack dogs are killed, together with several of the attacking wolves. Jane Novak, star of the production, is the woman, and Ben Deely, in the male lead, is the man. During this skirmish Deely was slightly hurt and resumption of production was delayed for a day while he recuperated. Bertram Bracken directed this production, which is declared to be one of the most gripping picturizations of any of the Curwood stories. Others in the cast are William Ryno, Ben Haggerty and Edwin Wallock. A big wolf-dog was used for the part of Kazan.

AT THE HOTELS

THEODORE.

D. A. Dyer and wife, Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. J. Branhain, Los Angeles. S. R. Gallagher, Breckenridge. J. B. Morgan, Breckenridge. Nora Reed, Big Spring. W. W. Williams, Tulsa. H. D. Smith and wife, Breckenridge. J. H. Pelletier, San Antonio. F. W. Murphy, Cisco. W. M. Smith, Desdemona. T. P. Johnston and wife, Elliasville.

GHOLSON.

A. W. Thomas and wife, Ivan. E. M. Cato, Kansas City. E. M. Stevens, Kansas City. J. E. Phillips, Atlanta. H. G. Seitz, Atlanta. C. H. Bloodworth, Atlanta. J. H. Williams, Dallas. L. C. Harris and wife, Graham. E. R. Bagley and wife, Rising Star. Leo Hunolt, Kansas City. Emmett Teaching, Kansas City. G. D. Hallbeck, Desdemona. R. L. Griffith, Strawn. S. P. Alexander, Laredo. J. G. Johnson, Ivan.

MAJESTIC.

J. D. Goodwin, Berry, Ala. C. E. Dobson, Berry, Ala. L. E. Davis, Phoenix, Ariz. A. E. Snider, Breckenridge. Mr. and Mrs. Scott, Breckenridge. J. P. Roberts, Fort Worth. F. L. Hamon, Cisco. H. Pauks, Cisco. C. W. Wicks, South Bend. O. A. M. G. Brayer, South Bend. Mr. Panspyshy, South Bend. A. E. Martin, Cisco.

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OMAHA POLICE ARE SEEKING MAN WHO CLIPS GIRLS' HAIR

By Associated Press. OMAHA, Neb., April 25.—Authorities here are anxious to apprehend a man who has been clipping the braids of hair from young girls. Several complaints of the opera-



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tions of the thief have reached the police during the past few weeks. One girl was on her way to take a music lesson when the robber clipped off her hair and escaped.

The same man is supposed to have been responsible for a fruitless attempt to steal the hair from another young girl in the residence of her parents. He was frightened away, however, by the girl's sister.

Two theories regarding the thefts are advanced. One is that the robber is demented, and the other is that he has been stealing the hair to sell.

UNIQUE HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING WILL BE BUILT IN DETROIT

By Associated Press. DETROIT, April 25.—A community high school, unique in that the entire center of the building will be erected in such a manner that it may be used by the public without interfering with the school's opera-

tion, is to be erected here in the near future at a cost of \$1,000,000, it is announced by board of education officials.

The school building will be erected on a site adjoining that of the present Nordstrum high school and will be two stories in height except in the center, where it will rise to three stories. A swimming pool, gymnasium, a large auditorium, and two community rooms, one for men and the other for women, will be built in

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CENSORING THE NEWS.

About a month ago, the American Daily Standard suspended publication in Chicago, after a life of about three months. Lack of sufficient support and funds to run until public support came to it was the reason assigned for the suspension.

The editorial policy of the Standard was the feature that made it unique in American journalism. It proposed to suppress all stories relating to crime and violence, in the belief that that was what the public would want if it could get it. All stories of this nature were kept off the front page and handled in brief, non-sensational style.

Evidently the people prefer to do their own news censoring. Evidently they do not care for a paper whose motto is to sort out the news and present its readers with only such items as it feels "will be good for them."

Evidently, being human, they want to know about the seamy side of the world and the doings of its malcontents as well as those working under the benign mantle of conscious rectitude.

Evidently, to sum it all up, they want a newspaper something like the Times tries to be: Not sensational, but yet not too conservative; which is proud to print all stories of uplift and progress, and not only to print them but to give them prominent position. But nevertheless, a newspaper which gives all news which it feels will interest its readers, with the fullest details possible, leaving it to the judgment of its readers as to whether they want to be informed on this or that.

That is the policy of all successful newspapers of today: To print the news, be it good or bad, "elevating" or not, provided the subject will be of interest to any considerable number of persons; the articles with the main headlines being those which probably will hold the interest of the greatest number of its readers. That is the only unbiased way to run a newspaper—to remember that readers have many tastes and so far as possible to present every subject that human actions give occasion for.

THE BASES OF OUR FRIENDSHIP WITH ENGLAND.

Common sense and tolerance are the chief requisites to a friendly era between the two English-speaking nations such as has never before existed. Americans must stop trying to solve the Irish problem. It is easy for Irish-American journals on this side to rant about the oppression of Ireland, for the average American has no conception of the infinite intricacies that make the problem well-nigh insoluble, granted all the good-will in the world toward Ireland. The press is not very helpful. The London Times is the sole sheet in that country which seems to make any effort to give its readers a clear sight into American affairs and difficulties.

Other dailies print the most palpable rot about moving-picture actresses and spectacular murder cases, appearing to regard us more as a source of freak news than a grown-up international entity in trousers. The average Englishman (if there is any average man anywhere) does not for instance understand that an American President may not negotiate a treaty as independent plenipotentiary—so that our part of the Versailles debacle is still a mystery to him, which he bears rather politely under the circumstances.

As individuals the British are self-conscious, we are naive. Examine what has been said and all available data about the Englishman; watch all his movements, through them his thought, and see if every act is not rounded out by conscious, forehanded speculation. It keeps him from uncertain venture, it makes him stolid and legalistic; he has no buoyant response; no care-free pagan exultation or luxurious despair is possible to him. Self-consciousness explains him to us. Now look at us Americans, unconventional, ritual-smashing band; see how innocent we are of incidental calculations—we drive ahead with blinders on, and if we see an emotion going in our direction, we hop on and enjoy the ride. We are young and they are mature, even their landscape is minutely detailed, while our hills and fields and woods are a blurred impressionistic mass—Messiaen to the moderns. From "Reinterpreted Bygones," by Richard F. Cleveland, in the May Scribner.

There's no use speculating how Charles Evans Hughes would look clean shaven. We'll never know.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Rear Admiral Grayson is to write a book. Wouldn't he find it more profitable to write prescriptions?—Columbia Record.

"Berlin must acknowledge stupendous debt to Allies," says a headline. Berlin would acknowledge anything if she could avoid paying the debt.—Pittsburgh Gazette Times.

An efficiency expert has shown that primping is a time loser. That is the chief reason why many ladies on the shady side of thirty indulge in it.—Baltimore American.

In view of the housing situation it was considered if that Jersey City man not to put his first wife out when his second came in.—New York Herald.

The American citizens who are now in soviet dungeons have seen enough of the soviet utopia.—Boston Transcript.

Uncle Sephus' prophecy was that it was either a big navy or a League of Nations; and it is not a League of Nations.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

After Pussfoot Johnson gets chased out of a few more countries he might try his hand at making America "dry."—Indianapolis News.

Little Bennis' Note Book. Lee Pope.

Sunday afternoon my cuzin Artie came over and me and him was in the setting room thinking of something exciting to do, and pop came in with his slippers on, saying to himself, Well I think I'll take a little nap before I shave, no I think I'll shave first. To shave or not to shave, that is the question. What is the answer? I think I'll take a nap first.

Which he laid down on the sofa and started to do, snoring so he did not catch for him, and I sed to Artie, G, I tell you lets wait, if get pops shaving things and you can be the patient and I'll be a polite barber and pretend to shave you.

And I went and got pops shaving cup and brush, and Artie laid back in the morriss chair and I ran down and got a clean tablecloth and covered him all up with it except his head, and then I mixed up a hole lot of lather and smeared it on Artie's face, saying, How will you have it, sir?

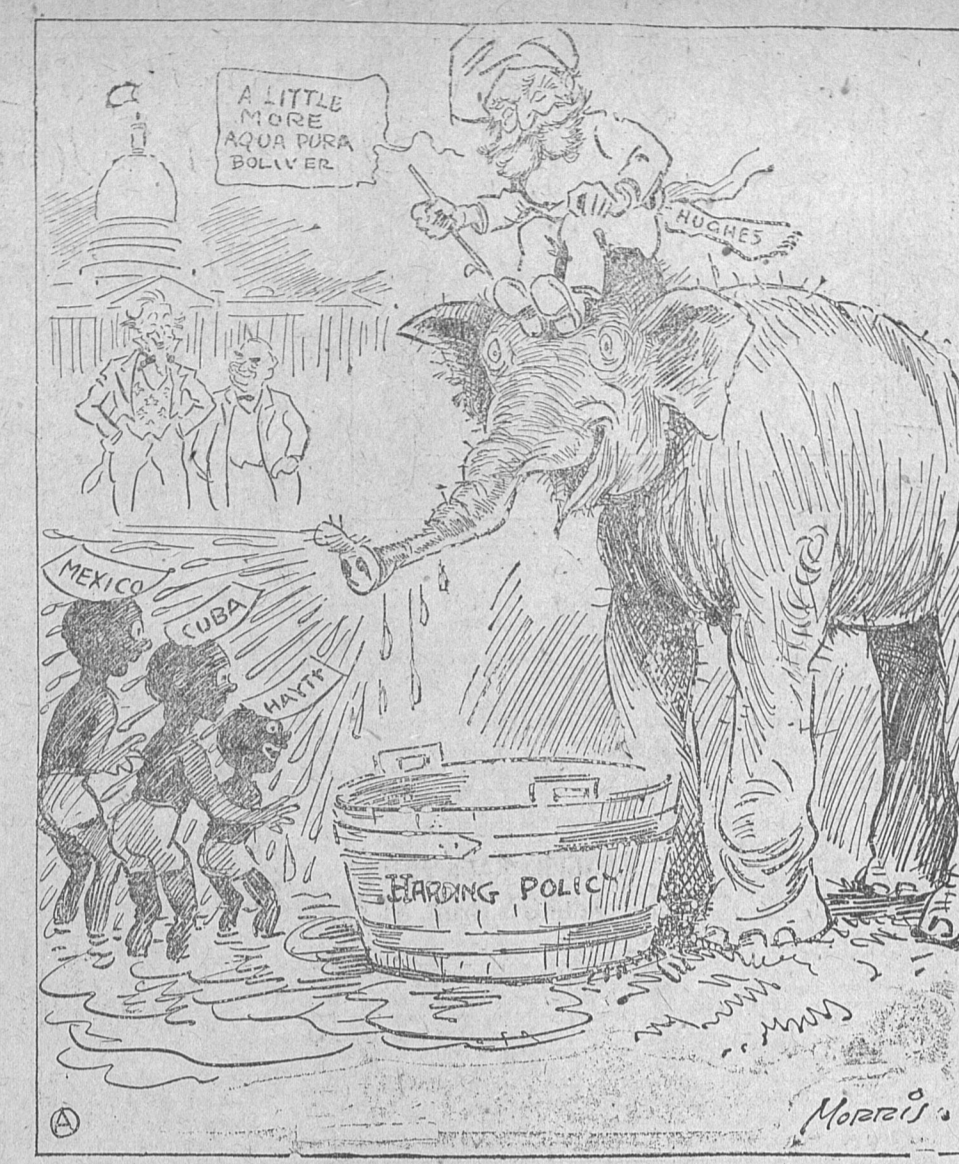
Off, sed Artie. Yes sir, I sed. And I started to pretend to shave him, Artie saying, Keep some of that lather out of my mouth, barber.

Yes sir, I'm keeping some out, I sed. And I kep on pretending to shave him, using my ruler for a razor, saying, If I cut you, sir, jest yell and I'll stop, sir.

With jest then pop woke up and stretched himself saying, To shave or not to shave, that is still the question. And he jumped up and saw me and Artie, saying, Well for Peets sake look at my shaving brush, look at my chair, look at the floor. Meaning on account of lather being spashed all over everything, and jest then ma came in, saying, Well for mercy sakes look at my clean tablecloth. Meaning on account of the same reason, and Artie had to go rite home, being a crotch for him, and I had to stay in the rest of the day and go to bed early, not being sutched a crotch for me.

"Achter Cul," as Newark Bay, N. J., was called by the Dutch, meant the "Black Bay."

At Least Some of Our Foreign Relations Will Be Cleaned Up.



TINKER BOB STORIES

By CARLYSLE H. HOLCOMBE.

BILLY THE SPARROW AND HIS SAY.

When Silky the Monkey looked around to see a very familiar fellow coming toward him, he was surprised to think that Mrs. Robin would even suggest that such a creature as this could offer any information about the funny things in the forest.



"Chip, chip, chip! Who are you talking about, anyway?" "Chip, chip, chip! Who are you talking about, anyway?" "I want to say these folks who only stay here six months in the year have no right to come back and try to steal all of the good places to build their houses. I stay here all the time and I have a right to speak!"

Sure enough Mr. Sparrow did have a right to speak and Tinker Bob knew it for he told the truth about staying in the forest the year around, but even if he did have a right to speak there was no reason for being so bold about it.

"Chip, chip, chip! Here comes the fellow now who always tries to start something when he comes back to the forest, and I'll show him."

Tomorrow—Mr. Robin Gets a Pecking.

DOG HILL PARAGRAFS

By GEORGE BINGHAM.

Josephus Daniels Tells Story of American Navy's Exploits in World War.

(Continued From Page One.)

in the confidence of his German "compatriots." When he set out for the mountainous region of the Argentine to make Takes Confidential Message.

The doctor, naturally, had many a confidential talk with the leading Germans in Argentine circles. He was able to give them a good deal of information which they thought was of great value, and, in return, he gained from them a pretty clear idea of what was going on in South America, and what they hoped would result from the plans and plots which were being made.

They all deplored the fact that by some extraordinary mischance the message of Zimmerman, German foreign minister, to the German minister in Mexico, had been intercepted and published. It was most unfortunate that the United States had discovered German intentions to promote a Mexican-Japanese alliance in war against her.

Dr. Brecht agreed it was lamentable that plans of such importance should fall into the hands of the enemy; but he congratulated the Germans of the Argentine upon having so wise and discreet and skilled a leader as Count Luxburg, who, no doubt, had been able to negotiate many a vital bit of business for the fatherland without discovery.

BY MORRIS

was to be regretted all were not so clever as he. Brecht Leaves for Berlin. On the other hand, even though it were true that the enemy had obtained some rather valuable information from them, was it not true a thousand times over that the marvelous secret service of Germany had kept the imperial authorities familiar with every thought and move of the enemy? Germany's secret agents were everywhere.

Beyond all question Dr. Brecht was a brilliant and charming man. Hence there was general regret when he announced that he must soon leave for Europe. They all expressed grief at the thought of his departure.

However, if it must be, then to make the best of it. Perhaps the suggestion came from him, or it may have originated with them; in either case the fact remains that it was presently arranged that Dr. Brecht should be bearer of certain important dispatches destined for Berlin.

"Spurios Versenk!" Message. Then came a bolt from the blue. The famous "spurios versenk!" message of the clever and gracious and devoted Count von Luxburg was given to the world.

Of course, it was never intended that the world should get that message, and least of all that it should be printed with big headlines and in black-face type in the newspapers of Buenos Aires.

If you are the guest of a government and you send word to your own government suggesting that should it have occasion to destroy any of the shipping belonging to your host it should do so "spurios versenk!"—without leaving any trace—the government of which you are a guest is likely to feel as if its hospitality were not wisely bestowed.

So, since the count had to leave even sooner than Dr. Brecht he said he would soon take the important dispatches to Berlin himself.

The regret of Dr. Brecht that he might not do this service for the fatherland was even deeper than his words betrayed. His regret that the count must leave, under such circumstances, possibly overshadowed the disappointment he felt at being denied the privilege of carrying messages to the imperial government.

The night of the day upon which Count Luxburg was given his passports Dr. Brecht dined at the Bismarck restaurant with some of his German friends. He left for his home in the company of one of them. They had not gone far before their attention was attracted by a glare on the night sky which plainly indicated that a big fire was raging not far away. Inquiry disclosed the fact that it was the German club and that a crowd of proally students and others had mobbed this Teuton stronghold and put the torch to it.

The doctor and his friend hastened back to the Bismarck to acquaint their companions with this alarming development in a serious situation. To the dismay and terror of the friend, at least, they found the restaurant had been raided by the mob and completely gutted. Tables were overturned and dishes were smashed. The patrons had fled to seek refuge in their homes.

Discretion being the better part of valor, Dr. Brecht and his friend did likewise.

Then Dr. Brecht Chuckled. When the doctor was at last home in his room, with the door securely closed and no fear of any listening ear at the keyhole, there is good reason to suspect he chuckled audibly.

He had had no share in the night's rioting, of course, but the turn events had taken plainly indicated that the Argentine of German conspiracy in Brazil, was now practically at an end.

The exposure of the charming and clever Count Luxburg had accomplished its purpose. He, as the arch-conspirator, was leaving the country.

WOMEN MAGISTRATES

and his fellow-plotters would be compelled to scatter or lie low. All of which, as the reader may have guessed, was very much to the liking of the eloquent Dr. Brecht. He had only one real regret—to wit: that the count had been exposed too soon to permit him carrying out his plan of becoming the trusted courier of important secret dispatches for Berlin. If those dispatches had been given to the doctor I have every occasion to believe that in Washington might have learned some interesting things about enemy plans.

Not the Only Secret Service. I have told this story—one of not a few that might be told about naval intelligence—in order that my readers may realize Germany's loudly advertised secret service was not the only service of its kind which operated effectively during the war.

Plot after plot was circumvented by American agents. Captain Franz Papen wrote of us as "these idiotic Yankees," little thinking that we should give his opinion of us to the world, and turn the laugh on him and his government.

The Zimmerman note to the German ambassador in Mexico was another case of catching the plotters in their own trap. Undoubtedly Bernstorff knew about it before it was transmitted. Indeed we have his admission of knowledge. He understood its tremendous importance, but, with all his money and all the facilities of his far reaching service of intrigue, he was unable to prevent its disclosure.

Dr. Brecht, who did such useful work for us in Brazil, in the Argentine, is an American of varied accomplishments. He speaks Portuguese, Spanish and German with equal ease. Although of an American colonial family, he had spent many years in Germany, was a doctor of philosophy of Leipzig university, and loved the German character and habit of thought thoroughly.

Hunts Out German Plots. When in February, 1917, war loomed as a practical certainty he was enrolled, at his own request, in naval intelligence, and on March 3, more than a month later we entered the struggle, he sailed for Brazil, from which country there had come rumors and reports of skeleton regiments of German veterans, stores of ammunition, and ever submarine parts ready for assembling when the hour for use had arrived.

Secret naval bases at wireless stations were also to be part of Germany's war effort, for a possible attack upon the United States. Dr. Brecht, whose real name was something quite different—was one of the men who in our secret service contributed greatly to America.

(Another article by former Secretary Daniels will be published tomorrow.)

ARE FEMINE MORALS ON BACKWARD TREND?

Dr. Eugene Lyman Fisk, head of the Life Extension Institute, writes on this interesting, modern subject in May Good Housekeeping. He says: "Customs have varied, but there is only one standard of womanhood that intelligent people could subscribe to in this age or any other age, and that is not a standard including lack of womanly reserve or reckless, promiscuous fraternizing on a basis of careless intimacy with comparative strangers. We have the right in this age as in any other age to expect our womanhood to make a high spiritual appeal. We have the right to expect that they will stem the tide of materialism that is always set against us and not convey the invitations to laxness and decadence."

"There is no surer test of the trend of civilization than the standards established by its womanhood." "As a corrective, therefore, and discouraging in this present age, we suggest a rallying of the forces of true womanhood—of our girls and women who are wholesome and healthy at heart, however, they may lend themselves temporarily to the psychology of the hour and assume a superficial recklessness wholly foreign to their true character. Healthful activity automatically excludes unhealthy activity."

"Perhaps there could be no better expression of the principle involved in cultivating and giving play to wholesome and healthful activities in woman's sphere than the program of the Camp Fire Girls. The slogans used by that organization are, in themselves, an inspiring appeal to the healthy-minded, and the mind and character of an individual must, be sick indeed if it can decay or condemn the call of such a program. These slogans are as follows:

- Seek Beauty. Give Service. Pursue Knowledge. Be Trustworthy. Hold on to Health. Glorify Work. Be Happy.

67,457 WOMEN IN RAIL JOBS; 1,363 AT SHOP WORK

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Women employed by the rail-roads in 1920 numbered 67,457 or 151 less than in 1919 and nearly 1,000 more than in 1918. So says a report issued today by the interstate commerce commission.

Most of them are in clerical and semi-clerical position, but 1,363 were doing shop work last year.

MOLASSES ON CHAIR SEATS SENDS TOWN COUNCIL HOME

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., April 25.—Molasses caused the postponement of the last monthly meeting of the city commission of Williamson, it became known today.

The city fathers gathered in their meeting room Saturday, only to find that some miscreant had smeared molasses on their chairs. The session was postponed.

A NATION'S LOSS.

Judge: Prisoner at the bar, have you anything to say why judgment should not be passed upon you? Prisoner: All I has to say is this, Judge—If you hangs me, you hangs the best bass singer in the United Kingdom.—London Answers.



JEAN J. NORRIS.

The theory that the legal mind is necessarily masculine in gender has been exploded in the last few years by a number of women lawyers who have made good in their chosen profession, some being elected judges of various courts. In New York City the trying task of weighing justice to the many women who are brought before her rests on the shoulders of Magistrate Jean Norris of the Women's court. Mrs. Norris is the first woman ever selected to sit on the judges' bench in a criminal or civil court in New York state. She is a widow and has been practicing law for more than fourteen years.

THE WOMAN WHO SAW

They were young and very pretty, much in love with life, too, on this particular day. They chose their salads carefully, added toasted muffins and ice cream to their order and then settled back to wait and chat. Naturally the Woman expected to hear a discussion of spring wardrobes. Instead the theme was far more enthralling. The two girls, school friends of former years, after months of separation, were comparing notes on why neither had married.

"When I look round our class, Nancy," said she of the curly blond hair, "I see a dozen girls engaged or married, none of whom, if I do say it myself, are as attractive as we are. What's the answer?"

Nancy considered a moment before replying. "Well, I figure it out this way. You see, we've both got good jobs and like them, so we won't marry just for something to do or to be taken care of. Both of us are looking for the best combination of a man we can love and at the same time respect. Most of the men I know don't stir me when they are eligible. And when they stir me they aren't eligible. It's an awful problem."

"I guess it's like that poem I read long ago in a little anthology of American verse." This from Blonde Hattie. "I can't recall it all, but it tells how two people born in different lands travel without knowing why till they meet, while two others, living side by side, never find each other at all."

Just then the salads came and the girls giggled over their philosophizing and fell to, while the Woman murmured under her breath those last lines of Susan Marr Spalding's "Fate": "They seek each other all their weary days And die unsatisfied—and this is Fate."

Respectful Mothers.

The Successful Mother and the Woman were having tea in a Fifth Avenue tea room and sat idly watching two young matrons and a small boy at the next table.

"Impertinent little youngster, isn't he?" remarked the Woman, with something of the "what-is-this-age-coming-to" air adopted by all grown-ups when 1921's impudences are forcibly brought to their attention.

The Successful Mother leaned across the table. "Of course he is, and if you watch you will understand why," she said. "At this point the child evidently made some disrespectful remark to his mother, for the third member of the group said in a scandalized tone, 'Oh Teddy what a way to talk to Mamma!'"

A moment later the child queried, "Where are we going now, Mamma?" "Oh, hush," answered mother irritably.

"You see," observed the Successful Mother, "it's all very well to teach your children to be respectful, but you can't demand respect from a child unless you show him the same courtesy." "When I think of the millions of homes where parents make a practice of deliberately 'shutting up' children I wonder that boys and girls have any sense of courtesy at all. Naturally I don't believe in letting them run the conversation but they are at least entitled to a small share of it, and they are far more amenable to diplomatic methods of silencing."

The Woman remembered the Successful Mother's harmonious household and wished that the woman at the next table knew the secret of it.

Their Debut.

The Mid-Victorian Lady was entertaining two young nieces from the suburbs—their combined ages would not make sweet sixteen—so a visit to one of the newest playhouses to see a popular play was a real treat. Like most children they wanted to explore between the acts, and upon entering the lounge the older noticed two ladies smoking. She stood against and then her childish treble announced the fact to the embarrassment of all present. With perfect sang froid the younger child retorted, "Well, why talk about it—folks will think we were never anywhere."

MISTAKEN IDENTITY.

"Mister," whined the beggar, "will you give a poor man something for a drink?" "The Dick: Been a good girl, eh? Little Bess: Oh, it isn't that, mother's been a perfect angel.—Boston Transcript.

# WORKERS IN RUSSIA LIVE IN TRAGEDY

### Freedom of Everything Is Prohibited by Bolshevik Task Masters.

By Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, April 25.—Russian industrial workers are "living through an unexampled tragedy," according to a report made to the International Metal Workers' federation by representatives of the Menshevik organizations of metal workers in Soviet Russia, which was made public here today by the American Federation of Labor.

This report, which was translated and sent to this country for the information of American workmen by the secretariat of the Metal Workers' federation, at Bern, Switzerland, described at length alleged "furious persecution" or organized labor in Russia by the Bolshevik authorities.

I. B. Strumillo, member of the Board of the Perm Metal Workers' union, who with I. G. Oopovaloff, president of the Metal Workers' union in Vodkinski (Ural), compiled the document, is now in the United States as a delegate from his union, commissioned to inform the organized workers of this country as to conditions under the soviet regime in Russia.

"The coup d'etat of November, 1917, put the Bolsheviks in power," said the document, "and from that time on the terrible fratricidal struggle continued. Those very men who only yesterday called themselves the friends of the workers, now began the furious persecution of those workers by wholesale arrests, atrocities and murder, incited by demagogism, calumnies and lies."

Under the camouflage of communism, acting in the name of the working classes, using the language and battle cries of socialism, the communist government commenced its work of destruction. In order to clear their own way, the communists declared that freedom of speech, unions, strikes and meetings was a "superstition of the bourgeoisie" and condemned all who demanded political rights as "counter-revolutionists." Many comrades perished in prison, were sentenced to hard labor or even shot for crimes of asking for freedom.

The Russian workmen, the report added, are forced to suffer under these conditions because "they are obliged to remain silent, as they are disbelieved when they speak against

those who fallaciously and insolently call themselves the representatives of the people, and who are so afraid of the workers that, in practice, they have abolished the right of voting and of free speech."

"The whole policy of the communist soviet government towards the Russian working classes and their organizations," declared the document, "can be summed up as follows:

"The freedom of the unions is abolished. The unions are established and work under the control of the soviet authorities; and can only act in the way prescribed by the soviet authorities.

"Freedom of meetings is abolished. A decree has been issued in accordance with which meetings can only be arranged by permission of the soviet authorities.

"Freedom of speech is abolished. It is a crime to utter a word against the communists.

"Strikes are declared counter-revolutionary acts. Workmen who go on strike are punished with a brutality unheard of in western countries. Strikers are not only imprisoned but deprived of their rations.

"Almost all branches of industry are under martial law. Workers cannot change from one factory or occupation to another. They are forcibly enlisted in so-called 'labor armies' and overtime is compulsory.

"Trade unions do not exist as independent bodies; they are subordinated to a central organization and thus converted into a compulsory government apparatus.

"As a result of this policy, the Russian industrial workers, being put into a desperate position, and unable to obtain help from their own organizations, desert the cities and go to the villages."

Compulsory Measures.  
Because a large number of workmen have deserted the cities and are seeking to earn their living in the country, the document declares that "in order to save the situation and to detain the workers in the towns the soviet government has had recourse to measures of compulsion."

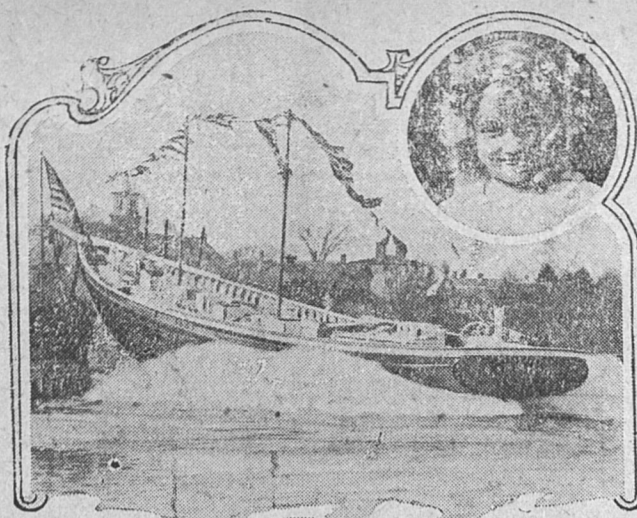
"From the beginning of 1920 militarization of the Russian industries has been introduced," continued the report. "This measure was at first applied only to the railways, but gradually it was extended over the coal mines, metal industries and finally over the timber, flour and sugar industries.

"Militarization means a complete and absolute subjection of the workmen to the works' managements. It embodies a number of stern measures, also restriction of leaves and cruel suppression of strikes.

"It is needless to say that the soviet government suppresses strikes by severe measures; the strikers are arrested, deprived of food rations, and even shot."

Overtime work is compulsory, it was stated, and the Russian metal worker, whose working day is normally eight hours and 44 hours per week, is now 12 hours a day, and 72 hours a week. Sometimes compulsory work is performed on Sundays, which

## BOSTON LAUNCHES FISHING SCHOONER RACE CHALLENGER.



Sponsored by Miss Starling Burgess, daughter of W. Starling Burgess, noted designer of racing vessels, the Mayflower, challenger in the international fishing schooner race, to be held this fall, was launched at Essex, Mass., recently. Designed by Mr. Burgess the ship has caused considerable comment, as her lines are said to be more like those of a racing yacht than a fishing craft.

makes 80 hours a week, it was stated. Pay in Clothes.

"Seeing that the remuneration in money is quite insufficient," continued the document, "the soviet government shows a tendency to pay the workmen in kind—food and clothing. However, this remuneration is equally insufficient. In Petrograd each workman has a ration card 'A,' which entitled him to from 1/4 to 1/2 pound of bread per day. This, together with the 'Nasic card' gives a pound of bread per day. Other necessities are distributed occasionally and differently in various districts.

"In Petrograd this summer card 'A' entitled the holder to five or six pounds of wheat, three or four pounds of fish, 1/4 pound of tobacco, 1/4 pound of sugar per month per head.

"Footwear and clothing are distributed irregularly and therefore it is impossible to state even approximately how much a worker gets of this kind of remuneration.

"Workmen from the Kolpinsky works (near Petrograd) announce: 'It is sad and shameful to think that the Russian workman is condemned to extinction owing to the foolish economic policy of the Bolsheviks. Half of the Russian proletariat have already perished. Outside the towns there is food in plenty; it is, however, impossible to get at it. Purchase and sale are prohibited, prices are high beyond reason.'

"A workman from the Pootiloff works (in Petrograd) says: 'In the

full sense of the word we are starving, as we exist on bread and soviet soup alone. We are completely exhausted owing to excessive overtime and insufficient nourishment.'

## RANGERS BACK FROM NEGRO'S TRIAL AT PARIS

Ranger Captain Tom Hickman, Rangers Wheatley, Weaver, Belcher and Bads, returned last night from Paris, where they were sent last week for duty at the trial of a negro accused of attacking a white woman. The negro was convicted and sentenced to hang on May 27. He was taken to the Dallas jail for safe keeping after the trial.

The rangers said there was no demonstration during the trial, though Paris citizens asked for them in the belief that there would be one.

## CAPITAL-LABOR UNITY HOLDS WORLD'S FATE, SAYS GOMPERS

TORONTO, April 25.—Samuel Gompers, before his departure for Washington said "the safety of democracy and civilization depends on the unity and practical development of the great international trades unions."

Mr. and Mrs. Gompers received congratulations on their recent marriage from many Toronto labor leaders. The Toronto council presented a Chatelaine to Mrs. Gompers.

## HAWAIIANS IN HONOLULU HEAR JAP WAR TALK

### American Newspaper Publisher Thunders Flaming Attack on Japanese Press.

BY W. K. BASSETT, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

HONOLULU, April 25.—"You are touching a match to the inflammable material which means the blaze of war between the United States and Japan. I believe it is God's word I am speaking."

Such is the statement made to the legislature of the territory of Hawaii by Lorrin A. Thurston, owner of the Honolulu Advertiser and direct descendant of one of the first American missionaries to land on the islands. It represents the first public statement referring to possible war between the two countries which has been made in Hawaii by a responsible person and one who is recognized as a leader of the conservative element here.

The statement of Thurston was made in the legislature during the debate on a proposed bill which would compel translations to be printed in

all foreign language newspapers parallel with articles and editorials in the foreign language. Although the bill strikes at Korean, Chinese, Filipino and Portuguese papers, as well as those in the Japanese language, it was inspired by the opposition to the Japanese press, represented in the islands by more daily and weekly newspapers than are published in the English language.

### Anti-Jap Press Bill Up.

Although Lorrin Thurston has repeatedly endeavored to bring about a mutual understanding between the Japanese and American residents of the islands, he has not previously in public hinted at the dangers of war. At the special session of the legislature in 1919, the newspaper publisher was successful in preventing a drastic anti-foreign language school bill being considered by the legislative body and substituted for the proposed law one which regulated the Japanese schools and which was endorsed by leading Japanese business and professional men of the community. The Thurston law, as it is called, places the foreign language schools, heretofore conducted exclusively and independently by Japanese, under the jurisdiction of the department of public instruction and provides that all teachers shall be examined in English language, history and institutions before a permit will be granted them to teach in the private schools.

Thurston's opposition to the anti-Japanese press bill has resulted in a general division of the community, and many American citizens have come to the publisher's support in expressing disfavor with the bill. The

Japanese press is publishing bitter condemnation of the proposed law, but the general attitude of the leading Japanese residents is along the line of conservatism.

## FIVE ARE BAPTIZED AT CHRISTIAN TABERNACLE

An impressive baptismal service was held last night at the Christian Tabernacle, five candidates being baptized into Christ and arising with Him in newness of life.

The baptizing followed a soul-stirring address by Rev. A. B. Kellems and a few minutes' exhortation by Rev. J. G. Winsett, the pastor, at the conclusion of which one young man took his stand for Christ.

These new members give the newly formed Christian church a membership of sixty, after only five weeks of effort. The revival meeting at the Main street tabernacle will continue indefinitely, with Rev. Mr. Kellems in charge and with Mrs. A. F. Smith leading the song service.



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BASEBALL, TRAP-SHOOTING, ALL SPORTS

NITROS' UPHILL FIGHT ENDS IN NINTH-INNING VICTORY AFTER SWATTERS RAP BOYER FROM BOX

Visitors Take Five-Run Lead in Second, but Keck Pitches Steady Game While Nitro Batsmen Work on Swatter Hurlers; Many Heroes.

The highest tribute that can be paid a ball game is that no one leaves until the final out. Such was the case yesterday. Though the Nitros were seemingly beaten from the start, their determined and untiring attack kept the crowd glued to the boards until Tommy Harding's two-ply knock sent the winning run across the pan after two were out in the ninth. The final score was Ranger 7, Sweetwater 6.

Score: SWEETWATER. Players: AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Neely, cf. 4 1 2 3 0 0...

Summary: Home runs, Neely; Singleton; two-base hits, Whitney 2, Pipkin, York, Tate, Murphy, Harding; sacrifice hit, Murphy; sacrifice fly, Mason; stolen base, Nixon; hit batsman, by Boyer 1 2-3; by Baldrige 6 (none out in seventh); hits, off Boyer 3, off Baldrige 1; struck out, by Boyer 1, by Keck 6, by Baldrige 2, by Richburg 2; bases on balls, off Boyer 3; hit by pitched ball, by Keck 1; left on bases, Sweetwater 7, Ranger 8. Time of game, 2 hours and 10 minutes. Umpire, Wakefield.

HOW THEY STAND WEST TEXAS LEAGUE. Team— Played Won Lost Pct. RANGER 5 4 1 .800...

PLAYING IT OVER

The play that ended the eighth inning left many persons in doubt as to what had actually happened. They couldn't understand how it was that both Allen and Tate were out. The rule is very plain, but the umpire and the players of both teams seemed to have a temporary mental aberration and forgot it. This rule says "if, before two hands are out, while first and second, or first, second and third bases are occupied, he (the batsman) hit a fly ball, other than a line drive, that can be handled by an infielder, the batsman is out."

Jack York being called out at first in the eighth round probably was due to his misunderstanding of the situation, in the opinion of Umpire Wakefield. "I had called Jack safe," Ray said, "and was walking back toward the box with the pitcher, when he suddenly turned and threw the ball to first. I turned and saw Johnson rubbing his all over Jack and naturally thought he had returned to the base and stepped off again."

How many heroes yesterday? Lessee, Harding put the finishing punch in the afternoon and draws the spotlight and the fadeout. But York twice led off with knocks that were turned into scores; Singleton's homer put across the first two runs which gave the Nitros a fighting chance; Lovelace pulled the star catch of the matinee when he snagged Johnson's liner; Murphy bunted perfectly in bringing across the tying run, when a miss would have meant disaster; Joey and Sled each whaled a run across the plate at a time when it was badly needed; Keck pitched a masterpiece and would have had a shut-out except for a bit of hard luck in one inning. Take your choice.

Can an outfielder miff a fly and escape without an error? He can. Singleton did it in the eighth, when he dropped Pipkin's short one but picked the ball up in time to force Whitney at second.

AN ARGUMENT. "Senator, would you mind letting me take your place on the commission to visit Cuba?" "Do you consider your self better posted on Cuban matters?" "Not at all, Senator. But what's the use of your going? You don't drink."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Wise is the girl who can tell when a man is making his final proposal.

Steady Peeking. It was no "big inning" yesterday, but the steady wearing away of the other fellow's lead, that featured the matinee.

Two runs came over in the third, after two were out. York's sizzler pulled Mason off his balance and went for a single. Singleton lined one far over the right field and the runner trotted home. That made the score 5 to 2. Tate followed with a two-bagger down the left field line, but died at second when Lovey fouled out to his great disgust.

Murphy counted in the fourth, when he doubled to left, went to third on Singleton's wild throw in an attempt to catch him off, and crossed the plate on Allen's rarp between short and third. That made it 6 to 3.

Swatters Get Another. Another Sweetwater run in the sixth on three hits and a sacrifice fly by Mason dampened the crowd's optimism for a moment, but the Nitros' two runs in the seventh again put the home nine in the running. York led off with a double to left. Singleton was safe on a Texas leaguer to right center, but York was forced to hold second. Jack scored on Tate's rarp through short. That finished E. Baldrige's day and Richburg, another lefthander, was hurled into the breach. Lovelace bunted and Richburg's throw to third pulled Mason off the bag. All hands were safe and it looked like the big inning for fair. But Murphy fanned.

Harding put a run across when he hit a bouncer over Richburg's head. Williams reached it, but fozzled the stop. Still three on and up came Sled. His first connection was a high fly in front of the plate. It was an infield fly but Wakefield didn't call it. Whitney and Richburg went after the ball and it fell between them. Both teams forgot about the infield fly and its meaning. All baserunners moved up. Whitney held the ball on the plate, thinking it was a forceout, but finally tagged Tate after Popboy Smith's urgent yells had penetrated his consciousness. That made the third out and was a sudden ending of high hopes.

The eighth promised more returns, but went for nought. Clapp walked, with one down, but was nipped at second when York hit to Mason. Jack immediately after was called out at first on a decision which the umpire said after the game probably was a mistake.

Win in Ninth. Then came the ninth, chuck full of ludicrousness and strategy and powerful punch. Singleton walked, but was cut out at second on a close play when Joey Tate attempted to touch him along with a bunt. Lovey stroled on wide ones, and was caught flatfooted off first by Richburg's toss. He trotted toward second and Tate headed for third, transferring the chase to that side of the diamond. Nixon came to the rescue with a timely baffle which sent the ball rolling into right field, and the runners were safe and sound on second and third. Up came young Mr. Murphy. He wasted no time, but dumped one in front of the plate on a squeeze play, and Joey was across the pan with the tying run before Richburg had picked up the ball. That was strategy, well timed and well executed. It made two out, put Lovey on third and Tommy Harding at the stick. Tommy's knock went far over Graham's head, and though the Swatter fly snagger raced fildly after the ball, one finger was the most he could get on it. Lovey came home and the crowd went home, highly pleased with their Nitros and the stirring afternoon they had provided.

SOUNDS LIKE EINSTEIN'S THEORY. Two gentlemen riding on a train were both very much intoxicated.

First Gent: What time is it? Second Gent (after extracting a matchbox from his pocket with much exertion and gazing at it intently): Thursday.

First Gent: My God! I've got to get off here.—Everybody's.

The older some women get the more girlish they try to act.

ABILENE TRIMS MINERAL WELLS BY EARLY LEAD

MINERAL WELLS, April 25.—Abilene won yesterday, 5 to 2. The locals were able to get only four scattered hits off Crowson. This, coupled with six errors and loose playing, was the cause of losing the game. The fielding of O'Keefe and Milam was the feature.

Score: MINERAL WELLS. Players: AB. R. H. PO. A. E. O'Keefe, rf. 4 0 0 2 1 0...

Summary: Three-base hit, Burch; two-base hit, Burch; struck out, by Cantrell 3, by Crowson 3; bases on balls, off Cantrell 1, off Crowson 4; double plays, Comstock to White to Kizziar, Umpires Hyatt and Fillman. Time of game 1:45.

It is not very often that an athlete who had reached the height of his form a quarter of a century before is represented in his field by a son equally as good. But that is just the case with Bernie Wefers Sr., and his son, Bernie Jr. Twenty-five years ago Bernie Sr. was the world's greatest sprinter.

DADDY WEFERS TEACHING SONNY WEFERS HOW TO START SPRINT.



He held records galore, including the world's mark for 220 yards, which stood the onslaughts of the world's greatest throughout the years until a few days ago Charley Paddock, the coast star, was credited with smashing it. Today Bernie Jr. is ranked with the best sprinters of the country. Under his father's experienced eye he is fast acquiring the speed and fine points of the game that made his dad famous.

HOW THEY STAND WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.

Team— Played Won Lost Pct. RANGER 5 4 1 .800. Cisco 5 3 2 .600. Sweetwater 5 2 3 .400...

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

Ranger 7, Sweetwater 6. Abilene 5, Mineral Wells 2. San Angelo 12, Cisco 10.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Sweetwater at Ranger. San Angelo at Cisco. Abilene at Mineral Wells.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams. Team— Played Won Lost Pct. Fort Worth 10 6 4 .600...

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

Wichita Falls 6, Fort Worth 5. Houston 4, Galveston 1. Shreveport 4, Dallas 1. Beaumont 4, San Antonio 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Fort Worth at Wichita Falls. Shreveport at Dallas. San Antonio at Beaumont. Galveston at Houston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams. Team— Played Won Lost Pct. Cleveland 10 7 3 .700...

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

Washington 3, New York 1. Cleveland 6, St. Louis 5. Detroit 7, Chicago 3. Only three games played.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams. Team— Played Won Lost Pct. New York 8 6 2 .750...

Results Yesterday. Chicago 8, St. Louis 7. New York 1, Philadelphia 0. Brooklyn 12, Boston 6. Cincinnati 7, Pittsburgh 2.

Where They Play Today. Boston at Philadelphia. New York at Brooklyn. Pittsburgh at St. Louis. Chicago at Cincinnati.

BRONCS TAKE SEE-SAW GAME FROM SCOUTS

CISCO, April 25.—San Angelo nosed out Cisco in the ninth inning of a very poorly played game here Sunday. Cisco hopped on Stovall and Higginbotham for five runs in the first inning and San Angelo drove three Scout heavies from the box.

Score: SAN ANGELO. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Truesdale, 2b 5 2 1 2 4 1...

Totals 44 12 16 27 11 3

CISCO. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Flagg, ss 6 1 2 3 3 1...

Totals 42 10 15 27 14 4

Two-base hits, Bratcher, Lewis, Halship; three-base hits, Beard, Earnshaw; home runs, Beard, Cronkrite, McKay, sacrifice hits, Griesenbeck 2, McKay.

BENNY LEONARD WANTS TO WIN 3 PUG CROWNS

By HENRY L. FARRELL, United Press Correspondent. NEW YORK, April 25.—Benny Leonard wants to be three champions all at the same time.

Having fought himself clean of opposition in the lightweight class, the champion would like to annex the welter and middle weight crowns.

Since the days of Bob Fitzsimmons, two and three way champions have been unknown models, but Leonard thinks he can do it.

Then as the king of three divisions, he would retire, the greatest of all modern fighters.

Leonard is not alone in thinking that the welterweight championship is his if he ever gets a chance at it, at least in a year or so.

Jack Britton, the greatest of present day boxers, reigns the king over a class that is sadly shy of strong competition. Jack is the oldest ringman in the game and although he persistently makes that adage about "youth being served" look foolish, he can't hang on forever.

But when it comes to the middleweight class, Leonard may have some elastic confidence merely on a weight proposition.

Benny works on a sliding weight scale, a welterweight normally, a lightweight when he has to be. He has shown, whenever called upon the past winter, that he can make 135 pounds, but he is too strong at that weight.

"I would have been willing to meet Mike O'Dowd when he was champion because he was made for a good boxer," Leonard says. "Johnny Wilson, with his southpaw style, would be just as easy. I'm sure I could at least point him in a decision out."

Outside of Rocky Kansas, Leonard hasn't an opponent worth consideration in the heavyweight class. Lew Tendler and Willie Jackson make exorbitant financial demands to cover their fear of the champion and Pinkey Mitchell, who is coming fast, is not ready for him.

Jack Britton and Johnny Wilson are both in the same fix. Ted Lewis spells about all there is in the middleweight

ST. LOUIS PLAYER DOCTOR BY PROFESSION; PLAYS BALL BY CHOICE



"Doc" Lavan, star shortstop of the St. Louis Cardinals, is a real, honest-to-goodness M. D. During the winter he follows his profession, but with the coming of spring heeds the call of the diamond and dons his baseball togs. Lavan, in addition to his duties as shortstop, is official physician for the St. Louis team.

Nitro Hitters

Cast the eyes over the athletes' hitting records for the first five games of the season, one discovers that four sure enough ball busters are operating in the Nitro ranks and there are two others who only lack one or two hits of going over the 300 mark.

Table with columns AB, Hits, Avg. Tate 18 7 .389. Harding 16 6 .375. Singleton 10 6 .313...

Of the pitchers, Adkins, Carter and Hill have broken into the hit column. Lefty bumped two out of three at Angelo and Carter two out of four. Red rapped one out of four here Saturday.

Clapp, it would appear, is drawing lots of walks. He has batted five times less than York, who follows him.

He admits that he has earned a fortune in the ring so that he can retire any time. "I'm not as well off financially as generally considered. The fans don't know that it costs me over \$75,000 a year to live," he says.

W. N. JONES, AGED 60, OF EASTLAND IS DEAD

Special to The Times. EASTLAND, April 25.—W. N. Jones, aged 60, died in the Baptist sanitarium in Dallas at an early hour Saturday morning and his remains were brought here for interment Sunday.

Deceased, who had been in a poor state of health for some time, leaves a wife and two sons, Frank and Mack Jones, of this city, another son in the army at Camp Meade, Md., a married daughter at Putnam, and another at Covington, all of whom were wired upon receipt of the message announcing his death.

A poor man may be a crank but a rich man is eccentric.

BASEBALL NITROS BIG GAME TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY. NITROS vs. ABILENE See them in action

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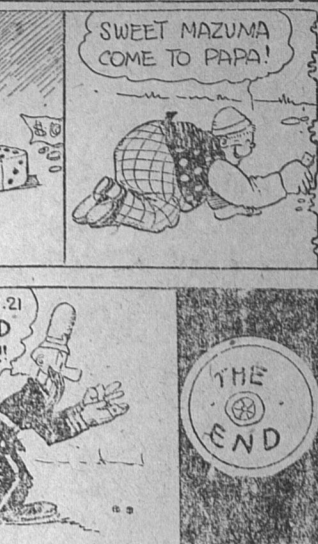
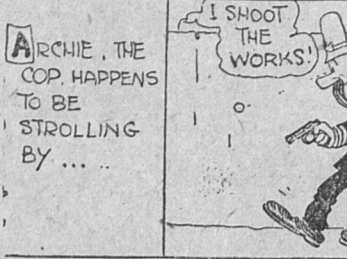
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**18—WANTED—Miscellaneous**

**HAVE Business Book,** 300x250, in Breckenridge, facing Cisco & North-eastern depot, will take set of casing or acreage in part trade. Texas California Oil Syndicate, P. O. Box 698, Breckenridge, Texas.

**19—FOR TRADE OR EXCHANGE**

**I HAVE the furnishings of 5-room apartment,** insured for \$1,500, and a good 6-passenger Overland car worth \$700; apartment now rented for \$100 a month; this property in Dallas; what have you in Ranger to exchange? W. H. Coker, S. & H. Clothing Store.

**20—LOST AND FOUND**

**STOLEN—1917 Ford touring car,** from in front Mission Garage, March 31st. Serial No. 146122, license No. 466833, engine No. 2273276. Left front fender bent, also right rear fender. Four holes on left side fender for tool box. Extra brace rod under both running boards. Equipped throughout with patent grease cups. Right front axle bent. Steel shock absorbers on all wheels. Coil box connections all soldered. \$50 reward for return of car or conviction of thief. Address P. O. box 1154, Ranger.

**DEEP MYSTERY VEILS AUTO-BRIDGE CRASH ON EAST MAIN STREET**

Some time Saturday night, an automobile crashed into the railing on the East Main street bridge and narrowly escaped going over the edge, judging from appearances. One section of the railing was knocked out and the edge of the concrete flooring is battered as if by the crankcase. Oil scattered over the sidewalk indicated that the crank case probably had been broken.

A man operating an establishment nearby said that a car ran into the railing but it "wasn't anybody else's business whether it went over or whether anybody was hurt or anything about it." Several others had heard of the accident and said they thought it was a joke excursion which came to grief. Otherwise the affair is veiled in deep secrecy.

VANCE IMPROVING.  
 Frank Vance, who several days ago drove his car off of the bridge on North Commerce street, and sustained injuries, is improving and will be discharged from the Clinical hospital shortly.

**INTEREST IN EASTLAND IS STILL ACTIVE**

*Special to The Times.*

EASTLAND, April 25.—Interest continues unabated in the Eastland fields and new wells are spudded in almost daily, north, south and west of town. Teams and trucks are leaving town daily with casing, and other oil well supplies and it is thought that with the easing up of the financial strings that development will take on added life.

North of town in the vicinity of the Ann Quiet and A. C. Bond tracts several new rigs are up, and other operations made. This shallow field is being developed by the States Oil Corporation and others. Other operations are going on on the Williamson and Brown tracts and the Okch-Ranger and Maxwell are drilling on the Matthews and one on the Matthews, adjoining the operations of P. S. Wolfe and others.

West of town the Star State Oil Company is drilling an offset to the Rust No. 1, in the shallow pool with a Star rig, Masie and associates and Masie & Maxwell are drilling on the Stubblefield farm, and these wells will prove a large scope of country between Eastland and Cisco.

South of Eastland a rig is going up on the thirty-acre tract belonging to the Chastain Oil Company. The Donley Drilling Company is drilling on the Mart Hill No. 2 and Lobough et al are drilling on the Davenport lease, adjoining and offsetting the W. A. Martin well. The operations south and west of town are within two miles of the Eastland county court house, while the operations north of town range from three to seven miles north. Should either the Mart Hill No. 2 or the well of Lobough et al hit right, it will practically prove the townsite of Eastland, and bolster up the contention of many including some noted geologists that Eastland is located over a "lake of oil."

While nothing of interest or startling has happened during the past week, several important operations are nearing the sand and others have passed the spudding stage, and are drilling ahead in search of the liquid gold.

Gabber & Brannon, on the Brown tract, north of town are down 3350 feet and making rapid progress, and the well of Lobough et al, in the Cardinal Oil Company's well which came in several months ago for 1,500 barrels flush production, and is still holding up to around 900 barrels.

Amick and others on the Owens tract, between the Eldorado Oil & Gas Company's Bobo No. 1, that made 1,000 barrels at the height of its production, and the dry hole of the Okch-Ranger on the Williamson, is now down to 3,200 feet and will soon set six inch casing. This well is being closely watched by the fraternity, as it is a little off the ridge, and should it come in, will prove that the production in this area on the ridge, at the Williamson well of the Okch-Ranger was off the ridge and proved to be dry.

Wolfe and associates on the Matthews tract, about seven miles north of town, and on the Breckenridge road, are drilling around 500 feet at the time this is written, and making fair headway. This is the second well on the Matthews tract, the first one being drilled by the Cardinal Oil Company, a John Ringling operation. This was then in strictly "wild cat" territory, and was shot into production for 1,000 barrels after it was first drilled through both the Ranger and Caddo line and thought to be dry. Mr. Wolfe paid \$20,000 for eighty acres of the Matthews lease and formed a syndicate among local men to drill a well on this lease, which is about 1,400 feet north of the Cardinal well.

It is persistently reported that three new rigs will shortly be erected on a tract west of Eastland, and within one mile of the city limits, and if this proves true these wells will be closely watched, as these and the wells in the vicinity of the Rust will be the only tests between Eastland and Cisco, which is indeed likely looking territory.

**IRVING SCHWARTZ OFF TO EL PASO ON FISHING (?) TRIP**

Irving Schwartz of the Popular Press, will be him away tonight for the "dripping streams" of El Paso on a two weeks' vacation.

When asked if he was going to fish in one mile of the city limits, and if this proves true these wells will be closely watched, as these and the wells in the vicinity of the Rust will be the only tests between Eastland and Cisco, which is indeed likely looking territory.

But on the other hand, Schwartz's parents live there. Maybe he is going to visit them.

**NOTICE OF HEARING TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS.**  
 No. 564.

Notice is hereby given to whom concerned, that the Humble Oil & Refining Company, the postoffice address of which is Houston, Texas, did on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1921, file its application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in which it applies for a permit to appropriate of the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas, from Colony Creek, a tributary of the Leon River, in Eastland County, Texas, sufficient water for manufacturing purposes, to be diverted by means of a pumping plant and intake, said pumping plant to be located on the E. Wilcox Survey No. 1 A-553, located on the East bank of the Colony Creek Branch, a tributary of the Leon River, in Eastland County, Texas, and in distant in a westerly direction from the City of Ranger approximately three miles. Location of pump house is 1503 feet south; thence 1540 feet west from the Northeast corner of the Ebenezer Wilcox Survey.

You are hereby further notified that the Humble Oil & Refining Company is to install a pumping plant, and divert therewith not to exceed one hundred acre-feet of water per annum for the purpose of manufacturing.

A hearing on the application of the said Humble Oil & Refining Company will be held by the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, at the office of the Board at Austin, Texas, on Monday, May 16th, A. D. 1921, beginning at ten o'clock A. M., at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time, and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under and by virtue of an order of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, at the office of the said Board, in Austin, Texas, this, the 14th day of April, A. D. 1921.

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

Attest:  
 A. W. McDONALD, Secretary.

**80-ACRE LEASE NEAR JIMKURN TO BE DRILLED**

*Special to The Times.*

JIMKURN, Texas, April 25.—H. H. Slaughter and company of Abilene have leased from J. J. and S. P. Robertson an eighty-acre tract adjoining Jimkurn on the west, three locations to be made on this property and tools are to be on the ground within thirty days for two of the locations.

The Texas company and the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company are now unloading oil field material here. The Simms Oil company has just purchased the Link Oil company's lease east of Jimkurn and are preparing to make all shipments here, as is the Roxana Oil company, two and a half miles southwest, who have 2,000 acres under lease, and are rapidly developing the same, and now have several good producers which are a credit to the Stephens county field.

Crystal Falls, Texas, April 25.—An oil bearing sand at 2,000 feet has been encountered in the J. J. Robertson No. 1 well of the Burkburnett Oil & Leasing company, two miles southwest of Crystal Falls. This well, which is two locations north of the Gilbert Johnson No. 1 on the west, attracted attention several weeks ago by encountering considerable gas at a depth of 750 feet. This shallow sand will be given a thorough test.

A mile southeast of the Robertson No. 1 of the Roxana company is to be given a shot of thirty barrels in the hope of increasing the gas pressure. This well is slightly different from its offsets, the Ball No. 1 and Stokes No. 1, whose production was accompanied by a strong gas pressure.

**OIL BEARING SAND AT 2000 FEET IS FOUND**

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**Ranger Firemen Are Priming Up Ready for Tonight's Dance**

The fire department this morning has set its engines in the streets and is decorating the central fire station in gay streamers for the firemen's benefit dance to be given tonight.

Red and yellow streamers of paper are being strung along the ceiling and walls. In the center of the floor potted plants are also decorated in the colors. Have been placed.

Other details for the dance are being arranged. It is the intention of the department to do their best to give their guests a real entertainment.

The funds realized will be placed in the firemen's benefit fund.

**KNOX RESOLUTION REPORTED FAVORABLY.**

By L. C. MARTIN  
 United Press Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The senate foreign relations committee today favorably reported the Knox resolution ending the state of war between the United States and the central powers.

Slight formal changes were made in the text. There were but two votes against the resolution, Pomerehne, Ohio, and Pittman, Nevada.

**HAPSBURG CRADLE IS VISITED BY KARL**

*By International News Service.*

GENEVA, April 25.—The Emperor Karl of Austria, accompanied by two priests and two detectives, yesterday visited the cradle of the Hapsburg dynasty, the ruined Chateau Hapsburg, in the Canton of Argovie.

Only the outer walls of the castle, constructed in 1920, exist. The grounds belong now to a farmer, who received Karl in a democratic fashion, serving cafe au lait in the kitchen.

The ancestors of Karl were defeated in the battle of Sempach and were finally expelled from Switzerland in 1386.

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**SOCIETY AND ORGANIZATIONS**

**CENTRAL PARENT-TEACHERS MEET.**

The Parent-Teachers' association of Central school will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3:30, at the school building. Dr. Buchanan will give a short lecture on the importance of tonsil and adenoid operations.

**YOUNG PARENT-TEACHERS.**

The Parent-Teachers' association of Young school are giving a May day party Friday evening April 29 in the school auditorium. Everybody is invited and a splendid program has been arranged. Ice cream, cake and home-made candy will be sold during the evening.

**SYMPHONY CLUB TO MEET.**

The Ranger Symphony club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Presbyterian church.

**PERSONAL.**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conley and Miss Althea Lawler visited Mrs. Conley's brother at Lepray, Sunday.

**MRS. BURKE ENTERTAINS.**

The friends entertained by Mrs. W. E. Burke at bridge last Friday expressed themselves as never having had a more charming hostess.

Mrs. Burke's home is ideally arranged for entertaining. Upon entering the reception room the color scheme of green and yellow greeted you. Nestling in each candelabra you spied cut flowers of yellow with large bows of green full. The dining room boasted a bowl of calendula on the buffet, a similar one on the table, and a window seat well filled with potted plants.

On each card table was placed a dainty yellow basket filled with the most delicious green and yellow mints. Even the table markers and the tallies carried out the color arrangement. A corsage bouquet of calendula worn by the hostess enhanced the beauty of the color scheme.

When refreshments were served, the guests appreciated the dainty manner of service as well as the delicious repast. The chicken salad rested in cupped leaves of lettuce topped with appetizing dressing. Two sandwiches and a generous slice of angel food and coffee completed the repast.

Those who enjoyed Mrs. Burke's hospitality on Friday were: Mesdames Switzer, Parr, Terrell, French, Taylor, Stucki, Hodges, Barnes, Reavis, Boone, Collie, Peters, Gholson, Hagaman, Outlaw, Axtell, Grinnell, Phillips, Champion, Moffett, Wiss, Blair, Pantan, Hedrick, Bohning and Liles.

The prize for highest score was awarded to Mrs. F. P. Hodge, and the lowest score prize to Mrs. O. L. Phillips.

The following guests were entertained on Saturday: Mesdames Stockman, Stackable, Wakefield, Jones, Burt, Harkrider, Rector, Brahmey, Street, May, Gullahorn, Craig, Taggart, Smith, Hill, Maher, Conway, Palmer, Hamilton, Conley, Burden, Jensen, Garret, Finney, Williams and Miss Taylor.

Mrs. E. R. Maher was given the prize for highest score, and Mrs. W. R. Burden received the prize for lowest score.

**AFTER LAPSE OF FOUR YEARS MAIL SERVICE TO RUSSIA RESUMED**

WASHINGTON, April 25.—After a lapse of four years, limited mail service from the United States to Russia has been resumed, it was announced at the postoffice department today.

Mail for European Russia, including the Ukraine, Republic of Georgia, and Republic of Azerbaijan, will be sent to London, whence it will be forwarded to Moscow, the central distribution point. Only fully prepaid unregistered letters and postcards will be received. The Russian postoffice has also agreed to accept mail of like character for Russia in Asia.

Mail service in Eastern Siberia and Vladivostok will be continued as usual.

**BUSINESS MEN'S TEAM PLAYS GOLF NEXT; LOST TO WATERWORKS**

Manager L. T. Summers of the Business Men's baseball team wants all aspirants for the team to be out for practice at the ball park on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons. The time will be immediately after the Nitros wallon the visitors.

He is anxious that all players be out and get limbered up as a "crucial" game will be staged Sunday with the Gulf Production nine.

The business men lost their first contest Sunday morning, the Waterworks nine walloping them by a score of 14 to 7.

**MRS. "SLED" SAYS SHE'D LIKE TO MAKE HOME IN RANGER**

Mrs. Fletcher Allen, wife of the manager of the Nitros, with "Sled" Junior, is in Ranger for a few days' visit. Mrs. Allen said she would like to make Ranger her home if she could find a suitable house or apartment.

**BUSINESS DIRECTORY**

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

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That the efficiency of the training system of the American forces in Germany, the excellence of their equipment and their faultless military bearing are generally recognized throughout Europe is shown by the fact that missions from various countries have either visited Coblenz during the past few months or have applied for permission to come to this base and get first hand knowledge of how it is done.

A few weeks ago the chief of staff of the Swiss army, accompanied by several officers, spent a week in Coblenz as the guest of General Allen, the American commander, attended inspections, visited the barracks, reviewed the troops and returned to Berne to tell the officers of the Swiss army that the American army on the Rhine was "the most up-to-date, the best equipped and the best looking military outfit of all the armies of the world."

Should circumstances require the American army on the Rhine to move against an enemy or to occupy further territory, 10,000 infantrymen composed of the First and Second brigades would furnish the bulk of the fighting force.

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One thousand artillerymen, serving eight batteries of field guns, would be on hand to supply a barrage, should it become necessary.

Three hundred men of the signal corps battalion would look after telephone and telegraph communications with the base at Coblenz. The railway engineers battalion, which is receiving constant practical training on a little branch line on the right bank of the Rhine which they are operating, would, with the assistance of the motor transport corps, attend to the service of supplies of the expeditionary force.

The engineers first battalion would throw pontoon bridges over such streams as were traversed in the advance. Six ambulance companies, assisted by a medical corps of 600, establishing field hospitals, would give first help to the wounded before

evacuation to the base hospital. Only one arm used in modern warfare is lacking—tanks. As one officer remarked facetiously: "We have no tanks of any sort in this army." There is a machine gun section with every company instead of one to every battalion as formerly. Thus while the army of occupation in Germany numbers just a little more than half the effectiveness of one American division on a war footing, it is, nevertheless, a real army in the fullest sense of the term.

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