

RANGER MECHANIC CAPTURES GUNMAN

SPARTICANS ASCENDANT SEIZE SEVERAL CITIES, BERLIN'S STREETS WILD

By Associated Press.
BRUSSELS, March 20.—A Spartan army of 100,000, equipped with 77's and armored automobiles, captured Essen Friday and have proclaimed a Soviet government, according to advices.

The manufacturing city of Dusseldorf was captured by the Sparticans Friday night, the government forces evacuating without a fight.

Mulheim, in southwest Essen, and Oberhausen, to the northwest, the important town of Elberfeld to the south and Kettwig, south of Mulheim, are reported to have been evacuated by small forces of the government troops after defeat by the Sparticans.

Government troops fled to the British zone of occupation, where they were disarmed, dispatches state. The message said that the Belgian post on the right bank of the Rhine fell back without being disturbed. Precautions are being taken to frustrate all attempts against the Rhine bridgeheads.

Officers Shot Down.

BERLIN, March 20.—Since noon firing has occurred in various parts of the city and it is reported that the security police are shooting down all officers of the Baltic troops remaining in Berlin. Under den Linden bristles with barbed wire and the Hotel Adlon is thoroughly screened by wire and guarded by troops.

The wildest rumors are afloat and magnified in circulation. The inner city streets are seething with people and disorders are occurring in the suburban districts in the conspicuous absence of the troops in the working men's districts, where agitators are feverishly busy.

LONDON, March 20.—Communists are occupying the eastern section of Berlin and refuse to permit the resumption of railroad traffic until their demands have been met, says a Berlin dispatch.

Bombs Take Toll.

Ebert troops have bombed the public buildings of Leipzig to harass the workers' forces. Several hundred persons have been killed as a result, says a Berlin dispatch. The dispatch says that 100 were killed and 200 wounded in the street fighting in Berlin Thursday.

Two thousand persons have been killed to date in the fighting incident to the German revolution, according to Berlin estimates received here.

Noske Still In.

PARIS, March 20.—Gustav Noske, who resigned yesterday as minister of finance, has decided to remain in office, the Social Democrats' national assembly having given him a vote of confidence.

LONDON, March 20.—A Cologne dispatch says that indications are that the allies are preparing to advance troops at Strassbourg and Metz further into Germany unless the country quiets, says an Amsterdam report.

EARLY AGREEMENT JUGO-SLAV PROBLEM NOW PREDICTED

WASHINGTON, March 20.—An early agreement between Jugo Slavia and Albania in settlement of the Adriatic problem is predicted in diplomatic circles. Representatives are called to two conferences in Paris this week and definite approach will soon mark the first step for the arrangement of the new Adriatic settlement. The step is made possible through the Jugo-Slav suggestion for an autonomous Albanian state in answer to the French and British ultimatum.

ASKS LAWS TO ASSIST ALASKA IN DEVELOPING

International News Service.
WASHINGTON, March 20.—Alaska, often called the national storehouse could be made a source of wealth and prosperity not only to the residents of the territory, but to the United States in general under a broad, comprehensive and sympathetic policy, declared Representative Curry, of California, chairman of the house territories committee, who has introduced a bill reorganizing the methods of administering laws regulating the development of the country.

"We have got to amend our laws so far as they apply to Alaska so as to make it possible for a man to go to Alaska with opportunity of bettering his condition," said Mr. Curry. "There is no reason for a man to leave civilization and go to Alaska when he can make more money in San Francisco or New York. I am going to present measures that will permit of the private development of Alaska."

"The land area of Alaska," continued Mr. Curry, "is 378,165,760 acres. The climate in portions of southeastern Alaska is more temperate and more equitable than that of Washington, while much of the northern portion has a milder climate than Stockholm or Petrograd. Large areas in the interior valleys have fertile soils and will produce cereals, vegetables, berries and hay. Enormous deposits of gold, copper, coal and other minerals have been discovered, and the unexplored areas probably will be found to contain other great deposits. Yet the population is less than 65,000 white inhabitants."

"There is but one railroad of any length or importance in full operation and that is a private road built primarily for the purpose of reaching and developing mineral properties held by the owners of the road. There are safe harbors and feasible passes for terminal facilities and for pushing transportation lines from the coast to the great valleys of the interior."

"There may be mentioned four primary reasons which, under existing laws and conditions, prevent the proper development of Alaska's natural resources. Lack of transportation facilities. Lack of available fuel. Lack of laws especially adapted to the peculiar conditions and public resources of Alaska. Difficulty of administering laws and expeditiously transacting business with present facilities because of the difficulty of communication with Washington, and because of the fact that most of the men who administer the laws have very limited knowledge of the territory."

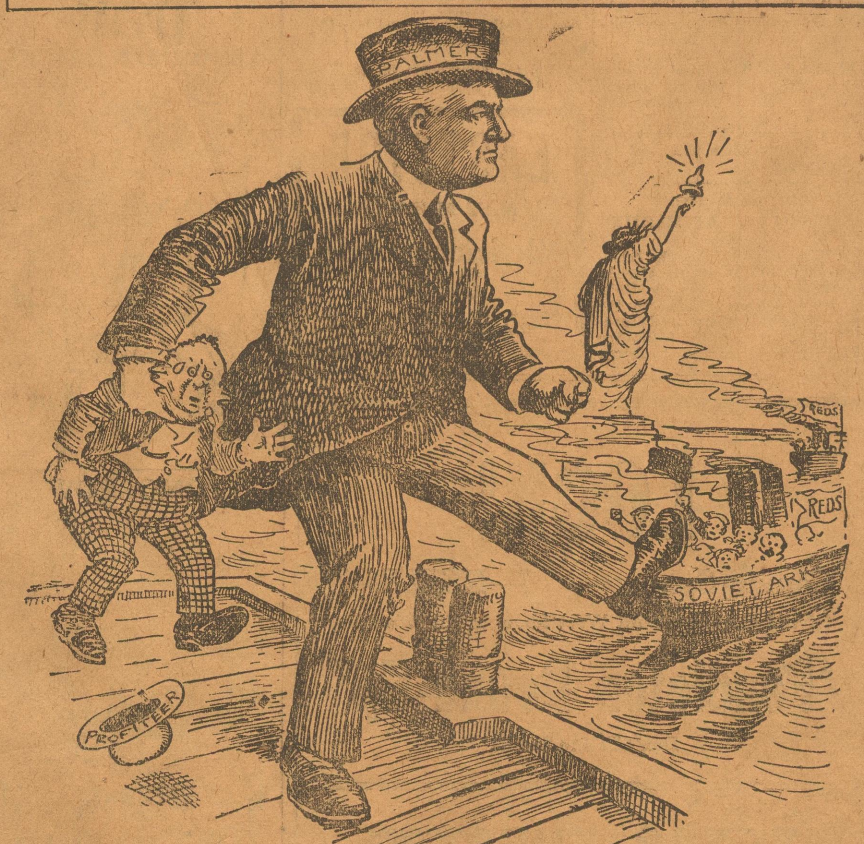
"The distance from Washington to Sitka is 4,000 miles; to Fairbanks, 4,700 miles; to Nome, 5,400 miles. Journeys into the interior with rare exceptions, must be made on foot or with a dog team. Long winters and heavy snows constitute obstacles of serious import."

"The disposition and administration of natural resources directly by a resident commission would effect an enormous saving in time and money to these citizens having to deal with public lands and resources and would remove the repeated complaints of delay. Long range government has never been a success anywhere; Alaska is no exception. So small an area of the public lands and so few of the natural resources of Alaska have been disposed of that the territory constitutes a virgin field for trial of new and improved laws and regulations governing such disposition and use. There are not present the vested and conflicting interests, the long practice and the many possessory rights which would exist in public lands of the United States proper, and which offer a barrier to change in law, administration and procedure."

STANDARD OIL COMPANY HAS 528 FEET BROADWAY

NEW YORK, March 20.—The Standard Oil company has acquired a ninety-nine-year lease on the new-story Weller building on Broadway which with its present holdings and property for which it is negotiating gives it 528 feet of Broadway frontage in the greatest financial district.

THE FIGHTING QUAKER



Between deporting "Reds" who preach dynamite for political ills and jailing profiteers, the Attorney General of the United States, A. Mitchell Palmer, is one of the busiest men in the country.

STATES FEAR TEXAS COTTON IN PEST FIGHT

DALLAS, March 20.—The severity of the pink boll worm quarantine erected against Texas by southern states within the past few days is revealed in a summary of the quarantine rules now in effect, which summary has been prepared by the Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Florida prohibits the shipment from Texas into these two states of cotton lint, linters, waste, sweepings, samples, seed cotton bolls, bagging, cotton gin and cotton mill machinery. Florida prohibits "all things or materials which have been used in connection with growing, harvesting, baling or manufacturing cotton lint or cotton seed."

Alabama prohibits the seed and cotton seed products and makes it unlawful to import them without a special permit from the state entomologist. Railway and express companies, water crafts and other common carriers are prohibited from accepting shipments for delivery in Louisiana without a signed permit.

Alabama designates Oklahoma, Arkansas and Mississippi as "permit areas," being adjacent to quarantined areas. All articles prohibited by Alabama from Texas are also prohibited from this "permit area," except by special permits, certificates of inspection or an affidavit that the shipment originated in the "permit area."

PINK BOLL WORM MENACES WEST TEXAS SAYS H. M. MEANS

FORT WORTH, March 20.—The pink boll worm danger menaces by west and northwest Texas, says H. M. Means, agricultural agent of Tarrant county. He says that a "rainload of cotton seed which brought the pest to Texas came from El Paso to Fort Worth in 1911 and was sent there by Villa after he had captured it at Chihuahua. He says he fears the seed was left in West Texas and may start the pest in that section."

BRITAIN'S CROWN JEWELS LOCKED IN BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON, March 20.—The machinery which is designed to do a trick disappearing act with Britain's crown jewels and send them skipping into some hidden vault at the first touch of a robber's hand has gone wrong.

LEGION MOVES BUREAU TO NEW CLUB QUARTERS

The American Legion Saturday moved its free employment agency into the new quarters, over the Legion hotel, on Austin street, and Secretary W. T. Cunningham will meet former service men there at all times. The employment bureau tent, given by R. H. Hansford and erected at Pine and Austin streets with the co-operation of Ranger business men will be discontinued, but the employment service, a proved success under Secretary Cunningham's direction, will be maintained at the legion clubrooms.

The legion rooms will be open to all members for meeting and recreation every day.

PEACE TREATY ONCE MORE RETURNS TO PRESIDENT UNSIGNED

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The treaty of Versailles was returned to President Wilson by the senate after it failed of ratification Friday night for the fourth time. No information has been given as to what the President will do with the treaty.

The document was delivered to the senate by President Wilson July 10 and taken to the White House today by George Anderson, secretary of the senate.

ARGENTINE WOMEN TOLD TO COPY NORTH AMERICANS

By Associated Press.
BUENOS AIRES, March 20.—Dr. Alicia Moreau, a social worker widely known in South America, who has recently returned from Washington, has been telling the Argentine women that the women of the United States enjoy more liberty than those of any other country and urging them to "awake from their lethargy and take lessons from their sisters in North America."

She declared in an address the other day that the women of the United States brought about prohibition, that "they have revolutionized their nation through work and propaganda and are now in such a strong position that they are bound to attain even greater heights of independence."

GERMAN JUNKERS HAVE BODYGUARDS AS OF OLD

By Associated Press.
BERLIN, March 20.—Some of the German junkers of Pomerania are employing bodyguards to protect them, after the example of their medieval forbears and some of these guards even have machine guns, says Vorwarts. The paper adds that for this purpose the junkers are enlisting former German Baltic troops and that recently some detachments of these troops have been marched through Jarmen and distributed over the estates of three of the aristocrats nearby.

BRITISH SHOP MEN TO LEARN U. S. METHODS

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, March 20.—Twenty-two British merchants, representing the largest department stores of the United Kingdom, will soon sail from England for a six weeks' tour of the United States to study American methods of retail store management with a view of establishing their use in England. The merchants, who will be the guests of the National Retail Dry Goods association, will visit most of the principal cities in the country.

Chambers of commerce throughout the country are joining with the national association and local merchants' organizations in preparing receptions for the visitors and giving them an opportunity to study American methods at first hand. Secretary of Commerce Alexander has promised to welcome the visitors in the name of the country and pledged the aid of the department in making their visit a successful one.

A special car will carry the visitors on their tour. The itinerary includes stops at Pittsburgh, Dayton, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Toledo, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, the Grand Canyon, Los Angeles, the Yosemite Valley, San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, Salt Lake City, Colorado Springs, Denver, Omaha, Milwaukee, Detroit, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Boston. Side trips also will be made to Washington and Baltimore.

ANTI-SALOON MEN DECLARE WAR ON SENATOR HITCHCOCK

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 20.—The Anti-Saloon League has declared war on Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, Wayne Wheeler, general counsel for the league, said that the senator's declaration in favor of the amendment of the prohibition code permitting light wines and beers "ought to defeat him not only as a candidate for the Democratic convention, but for the leadership of the senate."

"To champion the beer and wine amendment is nothing short of an attack on law enforcement. The beer and wine movement is the entering wedge to destroy prohibition," Wheeler said.

TEXAS COTTON CROP THREE MILLION, 1919

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 20.—Cotton production amounted to 11,329,755 bales, the equivalent of 500-pound bales, in the 1919 crop, the final ginning report of the census bureau announced.

The crop in 1918 amounted to 12,040,532 equivalent 500-pound bales. Texas in 1919 showed ginnings of 3,064,997 and Arkansas 882,768 bales.

MOTOR BANDITS ESCAPE BUT MIDNIGHT VISITOR MIDWAY GARAGE TAKEN

Automobile thieves were successful in holding up and stealing a 1920 model car belonging to William S. Henry and robbing Earl Martin and Drew Garden, who were in the car, at midnight Friday.

A holdup man attempting to rob the Midway Garage at about the same hour was less successful. He was captured by Mike Cadna, a mechanic in the employ of the garage.

TOM OSBORNE TRIES PRISON FROM WITHIN

By Associated Press.
PORTSMOUTH, March 20.—Lieutenant Commander Thomas Mott Osborne has resigned command of the naval prison and will spend his last days as a volunteer prisoner. He has registered as "Tom Brown." He will remain confined until he relinquishes command Tuesday, as a final test of his welfare system.

The man knocked at the door of the garage about 12 o'clock... C. D. Gallagher answered the summons. He opened the door to face a gun and the demand that he put his "hands up and shell out what money was on hand." Gallagher, under the direction of the visitor, went into the office, where the cash register is located, and began to lay out the money. Mechanic Cadna, who was standing at one side, under the eyes of the gunman advanced a step or two toward him. The man swung his gun toward Cadna and ordered him to stand still.

While he had been getting the money, Gallagher kept chaffing the visitor concerning the caliber of his pistol and whether it was loaded. His motive was to gain time.

Cadna in Action.

When the robber's attention turned toward the man at the cash register, Cadna leaped, struck him with his fist, and at the same time grasped the gun in such manner that the fleshy part of his hand, between his thumb and forefinger, came between the hammer of the gun and the cartridge. In the struggle, Cadna got the gun. He held it on his prisoner until the watchman and policeman who is on duty in that vicinity appeared a moment later.

Automobile Robbery.

In the automobile theft, Dewey Gordon, service car driver, was approached to take three men to the Humble camp on the Caddo road. When about two miles from town, Gordon was hit with a black-jack, a revolver was drawn on him and Earl Martin, who was with him, and they were left standing in the road, minus car, \$19.65 in cash and a gold watch, while the car and thieves went on toward Caddo.

For Friday night's work of holdups and petty thieves the police also have reports of two suit case thefts, which are being investigated. They also report holding John Dodson, awaiting investigation.

Awaiting investigation, the police are holding G. A. Strawn, who was stopped by Chief Parrish going at a fast run down one of the main business streets and was not able to give an explanation of his movements.

COMMUNISTS FORMING IN LONDON, REPORTED

By Associated Press.
LONDON, March 20.—Steps are being taken in England to form a Communist party affiliated with the International, the aim being to create a "revolutionary Communist party," says the Daily Herald, a labor organ.

It is hoped to form the party from the fusion of the existing left wing organizations, the newspaper says, and meantime active work for the organization of local Communist bodies, called "social Soviets," is proceeding.

SEN. NEWBERRY FOUND GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY

GRAND RAPIDS, March 20.—Senator Truman H. Newberry today was convicted of conspiracy in connection with alleged election frauds. The penalty is a fine of \$10,000 or less and two years or less in the penitentiary.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—

The conviction of Senator Newberry will not invalidate his seat in the senate, Republicans state. He will be entitled to retain his office, they declare, until the senate acts upon the charges filed by his opponent, Henry Ford.

MEXICO IN NEED OF AMERICAN CASH AND PUSH, STATED

CORPUS CHRISTI, March 20.—Mexico's greatest need today is American capital, American organization and American help, according to James L. Welch, Corpus Christi business man, who recently returned from a three weeks' trip through that country with other Texas business men.

"Our trip was a success from the start and we were accorded excellent treatment at all points," said Mr. Welch.

"After a day spent in Monterey, we went to San Luis Potosi, where we were met by a delegation of the chamber of commerce and entertained at a banquet. In Mexico City we were met by a delegation from the American Chamber of Commerce.

"Business in Mexico City seemed good. The chief difficulty of the merchants there is a scarcity of silver for change, and in the majority of business houses we found signs that no change was to be had.

"We reached Torreon just two weeks after it had been attacked by Francisco Villa, but found all business houses and industry working to capacity. Every one seemed to be busy and there was not the lack of silver noticed in Mexico City.

AMERICAN SAILORS ESCAPE SEA DEATH IN SMALL LIFEBOAT

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, March 20.—The American steamer Jeremiah Smith, with a cargo of coal was abandoned at sea at sea March 11, members of the crew reported on arrival. Members of the crew spent seven days at sea in an open boat.

At the Leading Amusement Houses TODAY

LIBERTY—"THE SHARK"
LONE STAR—Ethel Clayton in "THE THIRTEENTH COMMANDMENT"
LAMB—Rupert Hughes' story, "THE CUP OF FURY."
OPERA HOUSE—Five acts of high class vaudeville and pictures.
HIPPODROME—C. E. Baker's "CHEER-UP GIRLS," musical comedy.
QUEEN—Theda Bara in "LA BELLE RUSSE."

LONE STAR

"The 13th Commandment."

Ethel Clayton in Rupert Hughes Society Story.

What is "the thirteenth commandment?" The motion picture by that name, starring Ethel Clayton, which is being shown at the Lone Star theater today answers the question thus: "Thou shalt not spend more than thou earnest." It advances a rather stern theory of living, which is especially applicable to all and extravagant wives whose husbands are continually making financial sacrifices in order to satisfy their every whim.

In a strikingly dramatic manner "The Thirteenth Commandment" shows what is liable to happen when a wife thinks it is her sole duty to look pretty, dress lavishly

and spend her husband's money. The heroine, played by Miss Clayton, sees the light just in time and after a brave struggle against want and temptation is able to go to the man she loves with a clean slate.

The picture was adapted from Rupert Hughes' novel and is interpreted by a good cast, which, besides Miss Clayton, includes Monte Blue, Charles Meredith, Anna Q. Nilsson and Irving Cummings.

QUEEN

Rotten Political Conditions Barred.
"The Flame of Hellgate" Fascinating Study of Typical Regime of the Old Frontiers.

"The Flame of Hellgate" in which Beatriz Michelena is opening tomorrow at the Queen theater, it is an interesting study of political conditions as they existed for many years along the old frontiers. In this Robertson-Cole Superior picture one of the more important figures is the cattle king who dominates the whole region.

He is responsible for the election of a sheriff who is little more than a "ye boy," having no initiative in the more important matters. When a murder occurs for which the forces of the cattle king are responsible the sheriff refuses to make an arrest. This rotten political condition leads to the declaration of war on the part of the daughter of the murdered man, which motivates the story.

OFFICIALS EXCLUDE

"ENEMY ALIEN" PEST!

WASHINGTON, March 20.—A large number of enemy aliens recently reached New York from Europe but the vigilance of the department of agriculture prevented their admission into the country. These enemy aliens were not of the human variety but were the European corn borer secreted in 97 bales of broom corn from Venice, Italy. Interception of the corn, experts said, prevented further spread of the pest which now is known to exist in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York and Pennsylvania.

OTHER NATIONS RELUCTANT TO JOIN LEAGUE OF NATIONS

STOCKHOLM, March 20.—Sweden's recent decision to join the League of Nations was not reached without opposition in parliament. Conservatives fought the proposal on the ground that it would mean surrender of the country's independence. They declared that articles 12 to 17 would compel Sweden to take military measures against any power which the league considered to have opened hostilities with "at due cause."

The army and navy chiefs asserted that adherence to the league would not contribute to the country's military or political safety; but that it would impose responsibilities and burdens for which the guaranteed support of the league would not compensate. Apprehensions were expressed that Sweden's admission would prevent the nation from radically increasing its military budget.

Judge Hellner, the minister of foreign affairs, who introduced the government's bill, said that the league would considerably diminish the risk of wars in Europe and the rest of the world. Sweden, he added, would continue to maintain a policy of absolute neutrality.

U. S. CREDITOR NATION DISCUSSED AT MEETING

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—More than 1,200 delegates already have been accredited from the United States and from abroad to the seventh national foreign trade convention here May 12-15, 1920, the Pacific coast committee in charge

has announced. An attendance of at least twice that number is expected, it was said. Delegates will be brought to the convention from American points by three special trains routed over the northern, middle west and southern routes.

The general theme for the convention will be "The Effect of Being a Creditor Nation," according to James A. Farrell, chairman of the national foreign trade council.

All of the large cities on the Pacific coast have joined in preparing for the gathering.

"I'M THROUGH," SAYS BRIDE. AFTER HUSBY BIT HER NOSE

International News Service.
 CHICAGO.—Mrs. Annie Fabulich, nineteen-year-old bride of one month, reported to the police that while she was asleep her husband entered their bedroom through a window and bit off her nose. A physician sewed the nose on again.

"He's too affectionate for me," complained Mrs. Fabulich. "I'm through."

EASTSIDE MAY MURRAY

"Delicious Little Devil"

And a Big Keystone Comedy "HEARTS AND SPARKS"

PLAN OLYMPIC TRYOUTS.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The American Olympic committee may make the National A. A. U. track and field championship meet for this year the final tryout for the Olympics and recommend that the meet be held in the Harvard Stadium, according to a report in athletic circles here. It is believed a handsome sum to aid in

defraying the expenses of the American athletes can be raised if the meet is held at Cambridge. Several cities in the middle west and on the Pacific coast have also been suggested for the final tryout.

There will be sectional tryouts, of course, for athletes in various parts of the country. It is said on good

authority that the Olympic committee will send no athletes to Antwerp whose chances of scoring points for the American team are considered doubtful. In other years many such athletes were taken to the Olympics, but owing to the heavy expense this year only the star performers will make the trip.

QUEEN THEATRE

TODAY

"La Belle Russe"

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Also

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"The Flame of Hellgate"

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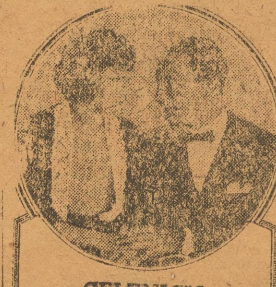
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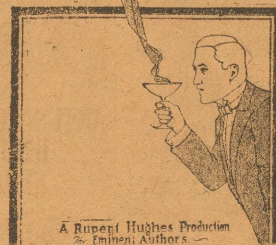
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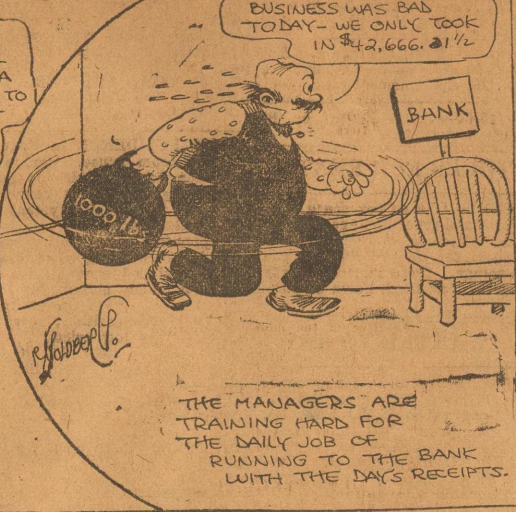
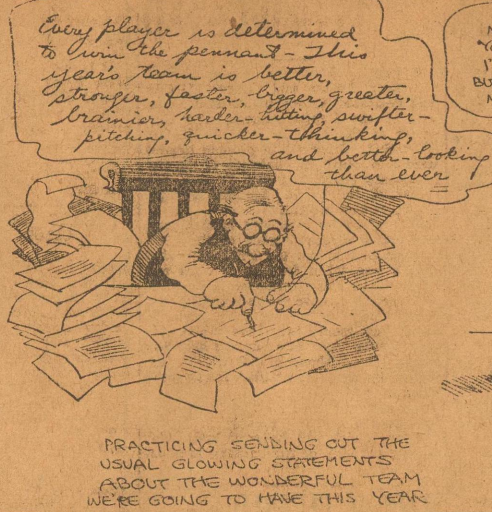
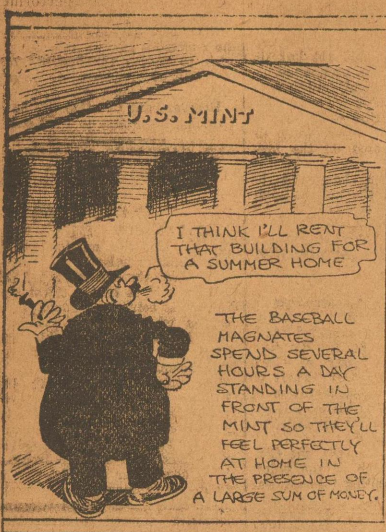
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TODAY

LIBERTY THEATRE

RUBE GOLDBERG'S BOOBS—Big League Baseball Managers Train Hard for Coming Season

—By Rube Goldberg



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THE RIGHT ROADS.

Ranger's future may be said to be divided between the development of its trade territory and its industrial and civic development within. As a trade center a city rolls to success on its system of highways, or plods to mediocrity through the dust and mud.

Now that surveys for all the highways leading from Ranger are completed, the county highway department is starting on the work preliminary to construction and already has let a contract for the clearing of the route for the road east to the Erath county line, one which it is duty bound to speed to completion.

Ranger business men, bankers and oil operators, realizing the value of the road north to the Stephens county line, there connecting up with the road which Stephens county officials have planned, have organized to push that road and are conferring with the leaders in the movement in the county north to assure that the work from that end will be carried along so that both ends may be finished at about the same time.

This is classed as a B grade road, but is one that will well meet the needs of the tremendous traffic now following the rough channels at present in use.

The B grade road specified in the election last fall is asphalt macadam and from the immediate engineering standpoint will be as satisfactory as any road that can be built. It is probable that much of the county system, including some of the roads first designated as A roads, will be built of this material.

Its adaptability to the needs of the oil territory makes it a desirable highway. It is not as high a grade as the concrete road designated as grade A, nor as durable as the brick surfaced, on concrete base, which is recommended for the roads which will be national or state highways, but it has its advantages.

Concrete roads, or brick on concrete, are not satisfactory where laid on fresh fills. Dirt used to bring the new road to the required grade will not settle completely until months of weather and traffic have passed over it. A concrete road, laid over this, will settle and crack. The asphalt macadam road, with its flexibility, can stand a three to eight inch settlement without great damage.

Under best conditions, when laid over roads that have been packed to firmness by much travel, the concrete road has a maintenance cost of but \$100 a mile a year. Laid over fresh dirt, maintenance would run as high as \$1,000 a year. The cost of keeping up asphalt macadam would perhaps be as high as \$400 yearly.

This road is capable of conversion into concrete, or concrete brick surfaced, after it has settled, by scarifying. It is then ready for concrete. The additional cost would be \$5,000 to \$6,000 a mile over the cost of the concrete road originally, but it would be a more satisfactory highway.

These are problems to be worked out by the highway department. It has given Ranger its assurance of co-operation in the project of undertaking and speeding the construction of the roads immediately needed, the money to be supplied from the sale of bonds later. Evidence of the spirit of service which actuates the highway department has been given in the promptness and engineering judgment used in the surveys.

Men who serve thus capably the interests of those they represent have basis for the support of those they have served.

HOMESTEADER DIGGING CELLAR FINDS A COAL MINE

International News Service. NEWCASTLE, Wyo.—A vein of high grade coal is nothing in the lives of John and Henry Weigher, brothers who are developing a homestead in the Plum Creek district. While digging a cellar for their shack, the brothers uncovered a coal mine on their property.

The Weigher brothers declare that they have no use for a coal mine at present, as they desire to develop the agricultural and stock raising possibilities of their ranch, and because gases from the newly located coal mine prevent them using the excavation as a cellar, they will have to dig again.

It is believed that the new coal vein is an extension of that on which the Cambria coal camp, one of the largest in Wyoming, is located.

What you want to buy, when you want to buy it. What you want to rent, when you want to rent it. The Times want ads.

AT SIXTY-TWO HE IS TO REPRESENT U. S. IN OLYMPIAD

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Brief Texas Notes

AUSTIN, March 19.—The state library now has about 100 books in New York point, which will be loaned to any person in Texas upon application.

The superintendent of the Texas school for the blind estimated that there are between 3,500 and 4,000 persons in Texas who are unable to read ordinary print because of lack of vision.

The library is composed of poetry, fiction, essays, history and technical work, and the only expense connected with borrowing them will be the postage necessary to bring the application to Austin, as the postal law allows all books printed in embossed types free passage through the mail.

AUSTIN, March 19.—Governors of Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma have been requested by the governor of Texas to send delegates to the Southwestern conference of library trustees which is to be held in Dallas March 25.

In addition, library trustees from the four states in the Southwestern conference are expected to attend. The conference will be devoted to a discussion of the enlarged program for libraries.

CORPUS CHRISTI, March 19.—A modern life saving station so constructed that it will afford a place of refuge in time of storm is to be erected by the government at Port Aransas, according to Ed Cotton, mayor of that city. The station there at the time of the hurricane last September was destroyed by the wind and water, and the coast guard has since been housed in temporary quarters.

A considerable amount of rebuilding is going on at Port Aransas now. The place was practically leveled by the September storm.

GALVESTON, March 19.—A former Galveston youth, Horace Adelson Wade, is a serious rival of Miss Daisy Ashford of Great Britain, the youthful author of "The Young Visitors."

Master Horace, who has just turned 11 years, has conceived and written a 30,000-word novel, "In the Shadow of the Great Peril," the first edition of which is already off the press.

Young Wade, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward I. Wade, formerly of this city, is an enthusiastic Boy Scout and a lover of the "movies."

GALVESTON, March 19.—Belgium rapidly is regaining her rightful place among the industrial nations of the world, according to L. A. Gaetemynek, representing an export company of Ghent. He is here in connection with the establishment of a steamship line by the Lloyd Royal Belge company.

The new line, which is expected to begin sailings within a short time, will have scheduled sailings from Galveston to Ghent and Antwerp, by way of New Orleans, Mr. Gaetemynek said.

GALVESTON, March 19.—The oil import trade through this port continues to increase.

Figures made public by the Galveston customs house show that at present ninety-seven vessels, including tugs and barges, aggregating 196,865 net tons, were engaged in coastwise and foreign oil commerce during the month of February. During January, seventy-nine vessels were in the oil carrying trade.

GALVESTON, March 19.—Compilation of the war records of Galveston youths, begun by women of this city under the leadership of Mrs. C. L. Bercaw, is well under way. City and county authorities, as well as ex-soldiers' organizations, are lending their aid in order that authentic history of the city's share in the great war may be written.

"Histories of the great war," said Mayor H. O. Sappington, in endorsing the movement, "will not carry the work done at home by individuals and organizations. And it is important that this work should be recorded so that the coming generation may know what was done by Galveston people during the national crisis."

DALLAS, March 19.—Elimination of the "floater" and an opportunity for every employee to advance will aid in dissipating the prevailing unrest, according to Dr. C. J. Crampton, director of the Dallas District Vocational Training association.

A real executive, he said, is a person who makes it possible for men working under him to advance. An office or factory should have no "blind alley" jobs, he declared.

"Create ambition by giving a wide horizon on which your employees may look," he said. "Great human resources are not being used because they are not brought into contact with resources to develop. See that you get men who are able to grow and see that your place offers opportunity for men to grow."

Mr. Crampton explained that the purpose of true vocational guidance is to conserve human resources. He said the widespread effort being made today to find a substitute for work demands the furtherance of vocational guidance.

HEREFORD, March 19.—The three-year-old son of A. L. Keeler, a ranchman living near Hereford, was frozen to death a short distance from his home during the early March cold wave.

GALVESTON, March 19.—The second month of 1920 saw a slight decrease in the number of vessels clearing for foreign ports from the Galveston district, only sixty-four ships sailing in export trade as against seventy-one in January. Flags under which they sailed were as follows: American, 47; British, 9; Danish, 1; Japanese, 1; Norwegian, 4; Spanish, 1. Thirty of the vessels departed in ballast and thirty-four with cargoes.

WICHITA FALLS, March 19.—A "club of eight members" here is confronted with the problem of deciding who shall lose \$800 one of the members is said to have paid for fifteen gallons of "A. No. 1 whiskey," which turned out to be water.

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When the "strike" was brought to Wichita Falls it proved to be water. A narrow bulb of whiskey had been capped around the inside of the faucet head, so the story goes; and the seven members charged their fellow clubman with having used bad judgment. He was still \$800 out of pocket at last accounts.

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Through these stations it is hoped more will be learned this year about the Hessian fly than in any year since the British General Howe's hired Hessians are supposed to have brought the pest to Long Island during the revolution. Exhaustive investigations are under way on parasites of the Hessian fly to determine what effect the presence or absence of any particular parasite has on periodical visitations of the fly. The last great outbreak came five or six years ago.

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1—LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A roll of bills in the Riddle addition. Owner can get same by describing. S. B. Glass, new Methodist church.

FOUND—Black Boston terrier. Owner call at 2121-2 Pecan St., Magnolia Rooms.

FOUND—Gray saddle horse, about 1100 pounds, sears across nose, shod all around. Last seen coming toward Ranger. C. A. Shaffer, box 1123; reward for return.

2—HELP WANTED (Female)

WANTED—Reliable, experienced helper for the best cafe in St. Johns county, oil field. All furnished. Would consider leasing to experienced parties. Address or apply White House Hotel, Box 47, Caddo, Texas.

WANTED—Neat, competent young woman for salad girl. Experience not necessary. Apply Coles Cafeteria.

WANTED—Table girl. Ranger Drug Co.

WANTED—Colored girl to do house work. Easy work and good pay. Box 152, Ranger, Texas.

SITUATIONS WANTED

CAPABLE BOOKKEEPER, now employed in other work, wants small set of books to handle three or four evenings a week. A. R. P., Ranger Times.

POSITION WANTED—Good, white single woman wants position with good family as cook or housekeeper. Apply C. C. Hamilton, with police department, or address Box 1294, Ranger.

POSITION WANTED by an experienced bookkeeper or an experienced stenographer. Box 1266, Ranger, Texas.

SITUATION WANTED—First-class stenographer, northerner, desires position where salary will be commensurate with ability. Address G. C. G., Box 356.

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I WILL BUILD 50-room hotel and two store buildings on Crawley Ave. and Main street, Necessity, Texas, to suit tenant. For further particulars call Mrs. Craig, phone 176, or see Mr. Cope, Terrell Bldg.

WE HAVE residences of all classes on easy terms. Ervin Realty Co., Bank of Ranger.

GROCERY STORE, also meat market, for sale. Ervin Realty Co., Bank of Ranger.

GOLD MINE, in heart of mining territory! Wanted, partner with money to purchase half interest in Hotel Baxter. Improvements needed; lady preferred. H. S. Schultz, Baxter Springs, Kansas.

FOR SALE—Cafe on Main street. Small place doing good business. Two people can run this place. Cheap, if sold this week. Kelly Realty Association, suite 9 and 10 Terrell Bldg.

FOR SALE—One-half interest in good business. Neither real estate nor restaurant. Man with \$800 to \$1,000 needed. Must be sold within two or three days. Answer A. B. C., care Times.

SPECIAL NOTICES

WE HAVE clients for rent houses. List with us. Ervin Realty Co., Bank of Ranger.

NOTICE—J. T. Eslick team and truck contractor, has office room No. 1, old Wilson hotel, and asks that all orders be turned in over phone 88. Respectfully, J. T. ESILICK.

I AM NOT responsible for any debts contracted by Mrs. E. V. F. B. or Forest B. Smith, as she is no longer my wife F. B. Smith.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. No. 422 Cherry St.

FOR RENT—Three nice front office rooms. Apply Ranger Drug Co., or P. O. Box 27.

FOR RENT—Five and 6-room houses, store buildings, and ground lease. If you want to buy or sell anything, see us. Kelly Realty Association, 9 and 10 Terrell Bldg.

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HOUSES FOR RENT

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FOR RENT—Two-room house, near Prairie Oil Co. C. P. Hall, Pine St.

FOR RENT—Furnished house. Apply Mrs. F. A. Camak, Apartment No. 10, OK Apartments.

FOR RENT—Small house. L. B. Compton, Boston Store.

STORES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One corner space suitable for hamburger and cold drink business; also one nicely furnished front room for sleeping; water, gas and sewerage. Close in, 214 North Marston St., one block north of post-office.

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HIGHEST Prices paid for second-hand suits, pants and shoes. Get our prices. Ranger Iron & Metal Co., So. Rusk at Mesquite.

WANTED TO BUY—An alto saxophone; first class condition. Apply Okay Truck Service station.

12—FOR SALE (Miscellaneous)

FOR SALE OR LEASE—Restaurant building and fixtures; 4 rooms in connection; doing a paying business. One block east of new depot, 408 Hunt St.

FOR SALE—One concrete block machine. Makes any size up to two foot; also makes flue blocks. No. 720 Pock St., Ranger.

FOR SALE—A rare opportunity, a fine, clean \$10,000 stock of merchandise. Best Main street location in Ranger. Will sell for cash or trade for Fort Worth or Dallas property. Selling reason, going into bigger business. Paul Raphael, 131 S. Austin, corner Pine.

FOR SALE—Furnishing and lease on apartments and offices over postoffice. Leaving on account of health. Inquire room No. 11, over postoffice.

FOR SALE—Dining room table, 6 chairs, buffet, writing table, two large rockers; victrola; all fumed oak. Also gas heater, stove, cooking utensils, bed, mirror, chiffonier and refrigerator; kitchen table and chairs. 321 Pershing St.

FOR SALE—Small block stock McDonald oil and Gas Co., operating on the B. L. Barnes lease; cash offers only considered. Banker, care the Times.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS for sale; also one good player piano. At Oil Well Supply Company's property, Strawn road. See W. J. Cummings at Oil Well Supply Co. Shop.

FOR SALE—One player piano and victrola. No. 421 So. Hodges; phone 123.

FOR SALE—One derrick, 5 1/2-2-inch rods; 2 1600-barrel wooden tanks; 1 60x46 Worthington pump; 1 7x3x10 Gardner pump; 300 feet 12 1/2-inch casing, R. S., 50 lbs.; 1000 feet of 10-inch casing, R. S., 40 lbs.; 1800 feet 8-inch casing, R. S., 29 lbs.; 3000 feet 6 5/8-inch casing, R. S., 24 lbs.; 6 5/8 L's T's and gas valve; 1 steam head complete; 1 bbl. 3-inch fittings; 500 feet 1-inch pipe; Nultte, Derby lease, Shellenberger tract, or address H. W. Young, Desdemona.

FOR SALE—3000 feet 2-inch line pipe, good shape; also 6 h. p. Novo gasoline engine. See owner, 411 Pine street.

FOR SALE—Five miles north of Ranger Hagaman lease on Caddo road, the following casing used once: 33 joints 12 1/2, 114 joints 10 1/2, 49 joints 6 5/8. Also one boiler, engine, Pyle generator and one control head, one set tools nearly complete; also set rig timbers never been used and about 5000 feet shiplock lumber. For further information, address H. C. Cullen, Georgia hotel.

FOR SALE—Cheap, Bradley piano; good condition; must sell. Apply 431 Byers Ave., Riddle addition.

FOR SALE—Furniture for three rooms; also house for rent. Apply 417 So. Marston.

FOR SALE—Lease and furniture on Gladys Rooms, 16 furnished rooms; \$2,000. Will make some terms. Apply Gladys Rooms, 201 1/2 North Austin.

FOR SALE—Complete string of tools, one Standard rig, Ranger pattern; 200 ft. 15 1/2 casing, 1000 12 1/2, 1600 10, 2200 8 1/4, 3500 6 5/8, 10500 2, line pipe; 250-barrel wooden tank, one 1-horse Novo gasoline engine and water pump. Scott Hancock, No. 5 O. K. Apartments, West Main St., Box 1045 Ranger, Texas.

13—FOR SALE (Real Estate)

FOR SALE OR LEASE—Business lot in Necessity near First National bank. Atwell & Townsley, Boston Store.

FOR EXCHANGE—Ft. Worth bungalow for home in Ranger. This is a beautiful brick home, modern in every respect; in best residence section. Craven Realty Co., 121 S. Austin St.

WE HAVE one of the newest 5-room bungalows on the East Side; corner lot; sidewalks on each side; garage and servants' room; gas and electric fittings; bath and all built-in conveniences; lot 50x140; neatly fenced. Priced for a few days only at \$4,000; could not be duplicated for \$5,000 today. Easy terms and small cash payment.

3-room furnished house; 2 blocks from Main St., \$500.

Two or three rooming houses at a much less price than asked 30 days ago. Come in and let us show you some good money makers. CRAVEN REALTY CO., 121 S. Austin St.

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FINE RESIDENCE in Young addition, 5-room house, garage and barn, completely furnished; gas and electric lights. Sewer connections. All for \$5,000; small payment down, balance like rent.

A pressing and tailoring shop in good location, doing good business. Fully equipped shop all for \$750. This is a money maker.

Feed store on 11.1in road; good location; no opposition; new building; at a very low price. CRAVEN REALTY CO., 121 South Austin St.

FOR LEASE—Store 18x50 next door Opera House. Apply 318 Pine St.

FOR SALE—Choice residence lots at Jukehamon. Bargain for cash. Address O. L. T. care Times.

We have some very attractive propositions in close in business rooms and vacant lots. Come in and talk it over.

5-room house in Hodges Oak Park; in walking distance of downtown business district; has garage and all modern conveniences. Very low price and easy terms. CRAVEN REALTY CO., 121 South Austin St.

FOR SALE—Business lots in Necessity; a bargain. See owner at 327 Main St.

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FOR EXCHANGE—10-acre lease in Homer, La., field, 4 miles of 30,000 bbl. well, at \$200 per acre. Consider residence or vacant lots in Ranger. Craven Realty Co., 121 S. Austin St.

PECOS VALLEY leases and placer claims in Luna county. See Baldwin & Jester, next door to Fire Station.

FOR SALE—Ten acres, form 88 five-year lease, in SW quarter of B. B. Ry. survey, No. 7, block 2, Eastland county, Texas; make me an offer. A. D. Hart, 619 So. Spring St., Los Angeles, Cal.

15—AUTOMOBILES

BARGAINS IN USED CARS 1907 Ford Light Truck; been completely overhauled. \$225

1917 Ford Touring good tires, first class mechanical condition. \$300

1918 Ford Touring, runs like new. \$375

1917 Maxwell Touring, six tires, good mechanical condition. \$290

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CADDO ROAD GARAGE 521 N. Marston

FOR SALE—One 6-cylinder National touring car. Been driven 250 miles; in as good condition as the day it was bought. As I have no use for this car, I can give a man a good deal on it. Inquire 928 Vitalious street, Blackwell addition, Ranger, Texas.

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FOR SALE—Slightly used King-8 5-passenger. Been run 1935 miles; modern equipment; will deliver or pay purchaser's expenses here. M. T. Rodgers, 416 Central Bank Bldg., San Angelo, Texas; Tel. 1385.

18—WANTED—MISC.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for second-hand furniture and stoves. Wright Furniture Co., Phone 154.

19—HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Two-room house, furnished. Also for sale, a lease; 4-room house, furnished. Apply 417 Mesquite St. Cash or terms.

FOR SALE—Two-room house, painted white; lined inside with beaverboard; gas and lights; best bargain in Ranger; must sell at once; 5 1/2 blocks south McCleskey hotel. Apply on premises.

FOR SALE—Five-room shack, close in, reasonable. Apply Oasis Confectionery.

FOR SALE—On terms, 2-room furnished house on hill north of Ranger Steam laundry, Davenport lease. Apply Mary Atkinson.

FOR SALE—Five 2-room houses and one 3-room house; rent for \$220 per month. Some furniture; one-month lease rent paid; good long lease; close in. Cheap if sold by April 1. Apply 333 N. Hodges St.

FOR SALE—Five-room bungalow, at cost, for price of a shack. Building material bought last year when prices were 25 per cent lower. Would consider automobile. H. Wray, owner, box 327; telephone, 216.

FOR SALE—New 2-room house; large closet; oak floor; nicely furnished; victrola; ice box; \$600. Inquire 542 Tiffin road.

FOR SALE—A two-room shack; gas; two blocks from Main on North Rusk; house No. 8; commercial tract. \$125 cash buys it. Apply House No. 7.

SHACKS FOR SALE, close in. Apply 318 Pine St.

FOR SALE—Cheap, house tent. Inquire Bon Ton Bakery, Horn.

FOR SALE—One 5-room house, furnished; close in, cheap ground rent, long lease. One 2-room house, furnished, close in, can be bought cheap for cash. Kelly Realty Association, suite 9 and 10, Terrell Bldg.

Ranger Elks Lodge to Move and Build Additions to Club

Ranger lodge B. P. O. E., No. 1373, at Friday night's meeting decided to move the present club bungalow to a new site on Main street, above the Teal hotel, and make extensive changes to increase the building's size. The roof will be raised and a second story added for club rooms. Fully equipped shop all for \$750. This is a money maker.

MOOSE CLUB ROOMS OFFER MEMBERSHIP MANY CONVENIENCES

The Loyal order of Moose, now located in its new quarters at 405 1-2 Main street, has clubrooms members state are "the best in the Southwest." Billiard tables, lounge rooms, reading rooms and all equipment that makes for the pleasure of its membership. Equipment of the new lodge rooms has just been completed.

KNIGHTS COLUMBUS GETTING TOGETHER: WILL FORM COUNCIL

Preliminary work toward the formation of a council of the Knights of Columbus has been started in Ranger and the forwarding of the application for a charter to District Deputy Roehl at Fort Worth will be followed shortly by a visit of the district deputy to Ranger to effect the first organization. The council will be instituted soon after and exemplification of the first, second and third degrees held. Applications may be made to E. R. Maher, at Leveille Maher Motor company, or to Denny Cawley, at Cawley Bros.

District Court

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES. EASTLAND, March 20.—Ella Myers sued Raymond W. Myers for divorce and charging cruel treatment even to the point of cursing her publicly and striking her with his closed fists.

The case of W. R. Carruth et al. vs. J. W. Carruth et al., a suit to cancel an oil and gas lease on land in the Abraham Smelzer survey, has been transferred from Stephenville in Erath county, to the district court of Eastland county, on a plea of privilege, and the papers have been received and filed.

J. Ross Morris and her husband have filed suit for the title to 25 acres of land, formerly owned by Amanda Bringer, deceased, and alleges that in a division of the estate heretofore a mistake was made in writing the partition deeds and that this twenty-five acres were omitted by mistake in the deed to the plaintiffs.

J. Howard Koon has sued Vivian Koon for divorce and for possession of lands in a few days after their marriage after having secured from him a large sum of money.

W. J. Dieckworth, and others have filed suit against W. M. Collie and fourteen other persons and their unknown heirs for title to the possession of lands in the D. & D. asylum lands, and alleges that they are also due \$10,000 damages for being unlawfully ejected from the land.

Other suits filed follow: Hughes O'Rourke Construction Co. vs. Alamo Duke Oil and Gas Co. Geo. G. Lamb vs. Guaranty State bank of Ranger. G. W. Dalton vs. C. D. Hoffmann.

PERSONALS

Misses Annie Laura Cooper and Ola Smith are in Dallas. Miss Cooper will be gone for several weeks. Miss Smith returns Sunday.

V. V. Cooper Jr. is in Fort Worth and Dallas for a few days.

19—HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—New 4-room bungalow; easy terms. For information, write James Dawson, Box 1563, city.

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20—Apartments to Let

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NEGRO CHURCH ON AUSTIN ST. IS DEDICATED

A Baptist church for negroes of Ranger, near Austin and Cypress streets, was dedicated Friday night. Rev. Johnson, of the Baptist church, and Rev. Johnson, of the Lindsay Baptist Mission, officiating. Other white presences present were J. A. Rayborn, chairman of the city missionary board, and Sam Barber, secretary of the board. Jenkins, a negro preacher, was present.

The tabernacle was built in two days. The entire carpenter gang of the First Baptist church and the First Methodist church was taken from their work and employed on the tabernacle.

Negroes here have shown a great eagerness to help in building the tabernacle. In the last month they have raised over \$800 among their own race to help pay the expense. About \$1,500 will be advanced by members of the First Baptist church.

Regular services will be held each Sunday at the negroes' tabernacle, and a Sunday school will be organized. The seating capacity of the building is about 150.

MAIN ST. CLEARED BY NEXT THURSDAY CLUB IS ASSURED

At a conference with a committee from the Business and Workmen's club, the city commission agreed to clear all obstructions from Main street by Thursday of next week, Edward Duggan, president of the club, stated Saturday. Two construction houses take up part of the street.

The club will clean the dirt from an other block of Main street Saturday night, beginning at the intersection of Marston and working down to Austin street. Last Saturday night members of the club and other volunteers cleaned a block on lower Main street.

MR. AND MRS. MELVIN BACK FROM VISITING OLD CITY OF ALAMO

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Melvin returned Friday from a two month's trip to San Antonio where they have purchased a fine residence. They took advantage of the fine warm weather which has made San Antonio a famous winter resort and visited all the historic places of interest in and around the city.

There was no cold weather there, only a slight touch of frost, Mrs. Melvin said. Mr. Melvin is president of the First National bank of Ranger.

Church Services

Episcopal church services will be held Sunday at 11 a. m., at 321 Marston street, in the old library building. Louis Duckert will read the lay service. There will be only a short service, after which plans for organizing a chapter of the Daughters of the King will be presented by Mrs. Karl Jones. Mrs. Jones is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. H. E. McCurrie, president of the state assembly of the order, who is desirous of having a chapter organized in Ranger, and a full attendance of the congregation is desired, particularly the women members, to whom the forming of the chapter is of vital interest.

BAPTIST. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. at the Baptist tabernacle. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Rev. William Johnson, pastor.

Services at 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. at the Lindsay Baptist Mission in the Riddle tract. Rev. A. H. Drury, pastor.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OCCUPIES NEW HOME MAIN AND RUSK STS.

The First National bank is planning to move into its new home on Main street Saturday afternoon. The interior decoration work is not completed yet but the structure is in shape for occupancy.

It is one of the best bank buildings in West Texas and will cost when finished around \$100,000. Routine work will be transacted on the main floor, while directors rooms are located on the mezzanine floor.

The bank has been hampered by crowded quarters, and the new building will furnish plenty of room.

GUARANTY STATE BANK, CISCO, NOW CISCO-OWNED

Special to The Times. CISCO, March 20.—The controlling interest of the Guaranty State Bank and Trust company of this city changed hands Friday morning when E. A. Blankenbecker and Wade Gallaway of Cisco purchased the stock of H. P. Paris of Clinton, Missouri, for a consideration of \$84,600. The deal is considered important here because the control has switched from foreign to local hands.

The institution was formerly the Citizens National bank, one of the oldest in the city. The controlling interest was purchased two years ago by Paris who changed the bank's name. It has resources totaling close on to half a million dollars.

BAPTIST CITY BOARD PLANS TWO MISSIONS

The city missionary board of the First Baptist church is completing plans for building two more missions. One will be located not far from the Lindsay Mission and the other in Ghoulson place.

MORTUARY

MISS JESSIE TIDWELL. Miss Jessie Alma Tidwell, sixteen years old, died at her home near the Bullock school house Friday noon. Burial will take place Saturday afternoon at the Bullock cemetery.

Deceased is survived by her father and mother. Death was due to pneumonia.

Old age appears to be no draw back to Mrs. Georgia Nathan of Savannah, Ga., for at the age of 100 years she still does the marketing for the family, making a trip to the market every day.

ILLINOIS MAN FEELS MANY YEARS YOUNGER

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"I feel thirty years younger since I got hold of Tanlac and if it was necessary I could handle a shovel and turn as much dirt as any of my men," said Charles Stenstrom, the well-known concrete and excavating contractor, living at 607 Fishgate street, Peoria, Ill.

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"My stomach was so badly upset that it nearly laid me up altogether and after every meal I took cramping spells that sometimes were so bad I couldn't leave the house for I was afraid I could not get back. I bloated up so with gas that I could not get a long breath. My legs pained me almost every minute of the day and when the weather was damp my arms hurt me so much it was agony for me to bend them. My kidneys were so badly out of order that I had pains all through my back and at night I was in such misery I could hardly sleep at all. Every morning my back was so stiff it was hard for me to

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Willie Fitz had a cracking right and Kelly, watching Britt, saw him start to time after time. Then the shrieking voice of Kelly would be heard yelling: "Della Britt! Della Britt!" All through the fight, those

Leo Donnelly Finds a Pest.
A few weeks ago at a vaudeville show Leo Donnelly was bothered by a guy sitting behind him who kept knocking every act. When the intermission came, Leo gave the guy the un and down on the way out and saw that he was a runt who seemed to have just eaten a quince. Two or three nights later Leo went to a

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fight and next to him sat the same plug. He panned the prelims, said they were stallers and all through the main event he howled about the lack of speed shown by the gladiators. He just panned the show to a turn.

Finally Leo leaned over and shaking his hand said, "How do you do? I just made you. Remember you now. You're the guy that played "Death" in "Everyman." I just got you."

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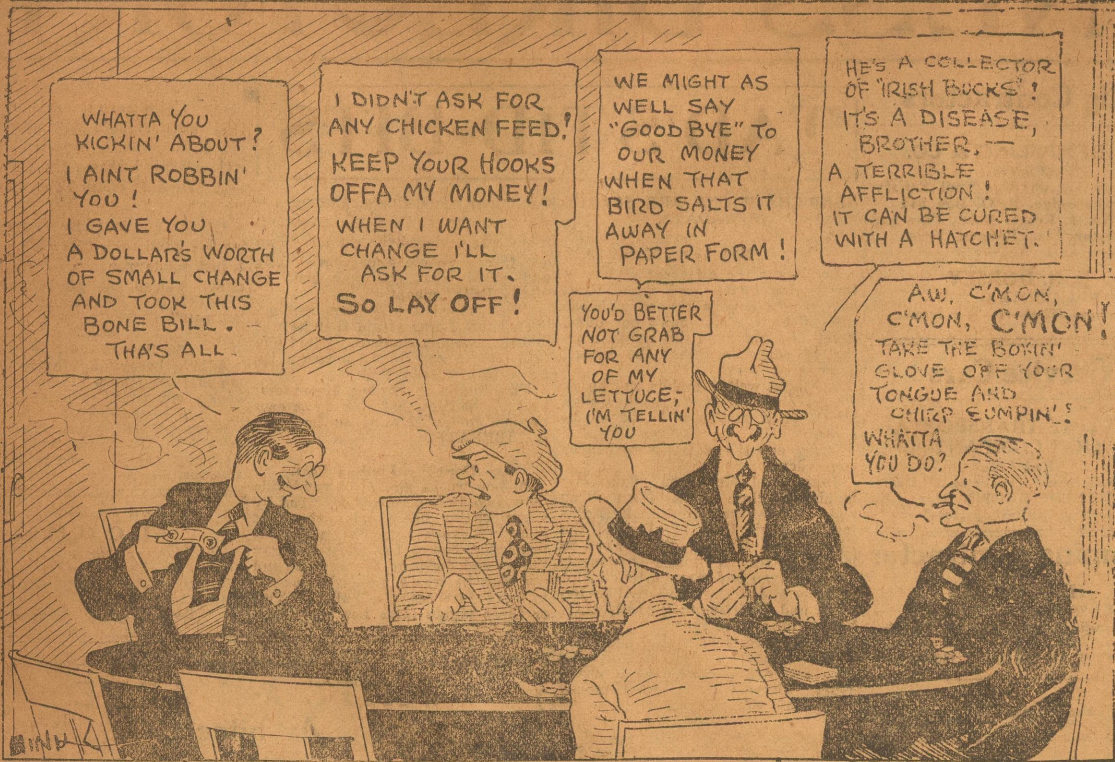
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RANGER TRIMS EASTLAND HIGH FIVE, 14 TO 8

In a tightly contested game the Ranger high school basket ball team defeated Eastland, 14-8, Friday afternoon on the Ranger high school grounds. This is the third game played with Eastland, Ranger losing the first two. During the game Perryman of Eastland had to retire with a bruised shoulder, Kinward replacing him. The line-up for Ranger was Hill and Huffman, forwards; Hubbard, center; Deffenbach and Brown, guards. For Eastland, Jones and Conway, forwards; Matthews, center; Brelsford and Brown, guards.

QUIET WORK AVERTS POSSIBLE FIRE PANIC
Quiet fire work by the fire department averted a possible panic Friday afternoon.

A fire broke out, caused by the water heater in the rear of a barber shop at 314 Pine street. The Opera House is the next door west.

A passerby brought word to the fire department. The thought came to Chief Smith's mind of what would happen if the crowd at the show in the Opera House learned of the fire. The firemen, under orders to make no noise, quietly extinguished the blaze.

AIRPLANE FARE IN LONDON 50 CENTS A MILE

LONDON, March 20.—It is now possible to hire an airplane privately for two shillings and sixpence a mile.

The cost of a journey by air to the Riviera is given as ninety-one pounds; to St. Moritz, Switzerland, sixty pounds and to Copenhagen, eighty-seven pounds.

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Trash Piles Are Menace; Warning Given Residents

Fire Chief Ed E. Smith, Chief of Police Parrish and Sanitary Inspector Stowe engaged this week in making an inspection of the sanitary conditions and the useless fire risks of the town.

The alleys and many of the back streets are in such a condition, being piled with boxes, barrels, paper and all kinds of trash, until only good luck has kept down many fires, the fire chief said. "It must all go," he continued. "I am notifying all property owners, where I find useless fire risks, that they must be removed at once and that if the order is not complied with, the law, which imposes a fine for such neglect, will be enforced. The custom of citizens burning trash must also be stopped, under penalty of fine, Chief Smith said.

The fire chief advises everybody, whether a property owner or not, to consider the trash pile, if there is one, on their premises, a menace, and remove it before drastic steps are taken.

MEAN LANDLORD SHUTS OFF HEAT AND REMOVED WINDOWS

International News Service. CHICAGO.—After shivering in their apartment for five days with the heat shut off, a window removed to let the wintery blasts in, and with no water supply, the Misses Alice and Roberta Pigot, school teacher sisters, won an injunction restraining their landlord from evicting or further molesting them. The landlord tried to evict the sisters before the period of their lease was up, and they were obliged to remain home to prevent their belongings from being thrown into the street. They withstood the siege of discomforts imposed on them by the landlord. Their winning of an injunction is expected to establish a precedent in future cases of the sort.

BOOZE LURES TREASURE HUNT OLD RIVER BED

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., March 20. The man who could secure a gallon of 100-proof whisky in these days of prohibition would have just cause to feel that he was extremely fortunate and well fortified against the "flu." But 10,000 gallons of 60-year-old whisky—just think of it!

Exactly that amount has been lying at the bottom of the Missouri river since 1856, waiting for some thirsty soul to redeem it. Don't make a wild grab for your diving suit—the place where the precious cargo lies is where the river formerly flooded, long since filled up with sediment and sand—the "Big Muddy" has cut a new channel a mile and a half away.

In August, 1856, the "side-wheeler" Elmira steamed up the river from St. Louis with a cargo of 10,000 gallons of pure Kentucky "dew," and caught fire within sight of Wray's Landing, about two miles south of what now is Council Bluffs, then known as Kanesville. Despite the frantic efforts of the Elmira's skipper to bring her to a safe landing, she struck a snag and went down—down in a bed of quicksand of depths unknown.

Although the disaster created no little excitement in Kanesville, no attempt was made to float the ill-fated Elmira because of the treacherous quicksand. The value of the cargo in 1856 was approximately \$5,000. Who would venture to appraise it today? With the advent of prohibition treasure seekers innumerable have striven to locate the priceless cargo. Surveys of the old site of Wray's Landing with subsequent plowings and diggings into the sandy soil have been made. The same result—failure—has up to this time, rewarded the efforts of all, however, rewarded the efforts of all.

POLICE SEARCH FOR PRODIGAL PIG

International News Service. CHICAGO.—Every policeman in Chicago has been given orders to watch for a prodigal pig, which, while trot-trotting to market, escaped from its owner and ran away.

Miss Mabel Hennessy, the only woman manager of a hardware company in the world, claims her success came from studying other women.



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DANCING PEST ISLE'S PENALTY FOR ITS JAZZ

International News Service. LONDON, March 20.—"Lounge lizards" and "parlor snakes"—borrowing the felicitous expressions of the Americans for "paid dancing men"—are becoming abundant in London. The sleek, well dressed dancing man, with his saponaceous, unctuous, suave manner, is an inevitable product of the dancing craze. He may be found in any of the dancing places, in night clubs, or loitering about fashionable hotels.

There is also another product of the "jazz mania"—the girl who is asked everywhere because she dances well. Some of these girls have not even good looks to recommend them, and they are obviously out of place in the clubs and hotels where dancing is conducted. However, they are taken everywhere by hopelessly jazz-mad young men because, as the Americans says they "shake a light and fantastic hoof."

In London one can see over-dressed women being helped from their cars by footmen outside the dancing places preparatory to an afternoon or night session with their pet dancers.

There are countless cases of blackmail going on in London, of which the public never hears a word, and most of the culprits are the young "dancing dandies" of the town with an occasional youth of good family who is trying to keep up the pace in the smart dancing clubs with a young lady who dances well.

The dancing pest may be found in many of the dancing clubs in London. He is usually with rather old women, who are bedecked with jewels. He can be distinguished by the easy way in which he dances about his partner, usually taking two steps to one.

Women who have had unpleasant experiences with these pests generally tell the same story. "The poor boy" told me how poor he was, how he was pressed on all sides by creditors, and how the war left his old parents penniless," they say.

English Rugby football is the latest strenuous game to be adopted by the women in France.

One hundred society girls acted as sales girls recently in a large New York department store to secure funds for the hospital social service bureau. They were allowed 10 per cent on the total sales made by them.

Lieutenant Wanda Gati, commanding officer of the Women's Legion in Poland, has been in the army for four years and served with the sanitary corps throughout the war, acting as a stretcher bearer on the battlefield.

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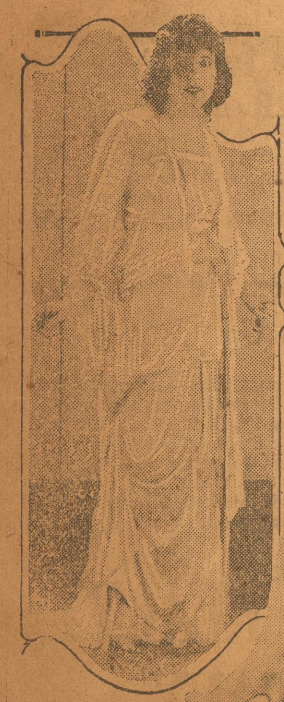
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a gown concerning the character of the wearer. For this reason she spends much time and thought on the costumes for her different plays. Black gowns made on sinuous lines are a mark of the sensual woman and the material is usually velvet, satin or some soft clinging material. Bright colors and stiffer materials, such as tulle, taffetas, organdies, dimities and the like are youthful and innocent in their effect. The

Louise Glaum wearing a frilly negligee and elaborate combination which she designed herself.

Louise Glaum, who has long been famous for her vampire roles on the screen, bids fair to become famous as a designer. Here she is shown in two informal garments which she designed for herself. She always designs her own gowns and believes that a great deal may be woven into

most alluring gown is not always the one which daringly and shockingly reveals, but is often the one that suggestively conceals, is Miss Glaum's opinion.

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