

RANGER DAILY TIMES

A Newspaper Of and For the People

THE WEATHER
West Texas, tonight, fair and warmer. Wednesday, fair and warmer, except in southwest portions.

SENTENCE SERMON.
Let the wise man be considered as a fool, the just man as unjust, if his rigorous adherence even to virtue herself carries him beyond the proper bounds.—Horace.

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GIRL BANDIT TRIES HAND AT SHOOTING

CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING PLAN WINS APPROVAL

Poultry Raisers of Eastland and Adjoining Counties Propose to Try It.

The meeting of poultry men of Eastland and adjoining counties held at the city hall at Eastland Monday, was attended by a large number of representative men and women. The purpose of the meeting was to further consider plans for the organization of a co-operative marketing system for poultry and poultry products raised in this section. Judge N. N. Rosenquest, president of the Eastland County Poultry Raisers' association, was elected chairman and George W. Briggs, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, was chosen secretary. The body went on record as favoring a co-operative marketing association, to be perfected not later than Nov. 1.

R. H. Bush, Eastland county demonstration agent, reviewed the general situation in this part of the country with reference to the amount of poultry, poultry products and the demand for markets. Mr. Bush urged a co-operative association.

J. C. Patterson, county agent of Stephens county, also spoke in favor of a co-operative plan. He stated that at present the demand was about equal the supply in this county, but that the time was near when they would need a marketing association.

W. W. Byers, also of Breckenridge, spoke along the same lines as did Mr. Patterson.

Need Becoming Urgent
D. E. Jones of Rising Star stated that there are about 12,000 hens in Rising Star and vicinity and that his people were much in need of a marketing association right now and would need it a great deal more next year.

J. F. Robertson of Rising Star stated that the poultry industry in that section was increasing very rapidly and that they needed the association. Joe P. Haley of Rising Star agreed with Mr. Jones and Mr. Robertson that the need of a marketing association was great in Rising Star.

J. W. Cockrill of Gorman stated that the saturation point had already been reached around Gorman. "We must either expand or backward," he said. He estimated that there are at present from 10,000 to 12,000 hens in and around Gorman.

W. J. Speer of Carbon said that there is an over-supply of poultry products in his territory and that if something isn't done to assist in getting a market that they will be compelled to reduce the size of their flocks. There are now about 8,000 hens around Carbon, he said. T. J. Morris of Carbon agreed with Mr. Speer.

R. L. Poe of Cisco said that the poultry business in that section was growing very rapidly, but that the local market was fairly good. He took the position that no attempt to organize a co-operative marketing association should be made until the people felt the need of it more keenly.

Mrs. R. J. Taylor of Ranger expressed the opinion that the poultry raisers of Ranger were going to need a co-operative marketing association very soon.

At noon the meeting adjourned for an hour while the delegates attend.

MAN LOVES WIFE AND ADOPTED DAUGHTER, FACES SERIOUS CHARGE

STOCKTON, Calif., April 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Martello of Stockton and their adopted daughter, Angelina Rosta, were under arrest here today charged with contributing to the delinquency of Angelina's two babies, parentage of which Martello admitted, police said.

"We adopted Angelina when she was two years old," Mrs. Martello declared, asserting Martello loved both her and Angelina.

"When she grew up he came to love her. They told me about it. If he had left us both, we would have been perfectly happy for 13 years, first in Pennsylvania, and then here," she said, defying authorities to dissolve the strange triangle.

When Martello was under arrest he walked to jail between the two women, each carrying one of Angelina's babies.

CONGRESS MUST PASS TAX BILL BEFORE ADJOURNING

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Congress will not be permitted to adjourn until it has passed a tax reduction bill, Chairman Smoot, of the finance committee declared today. "I know there will be a tax reduction bill enacted," he said.

He told Democratic Leader Robinson that the bill will be passed before June 10, the date when the republican convention meets. Smoot also assured Robinson the committee would report the bonus bill a head of the tax bill.

Volcano Stromboli Grumbles and Spits Smoke and Cinders

ROME, April 1.—A terrific explosion occurred within the volcano Stromboli, in the Litari Island group at 3:30 a. m. today, the Royal observatory on the mountain reported. Masses of cinders were thrown out, destroying vineyards on the mountain sides. Fifteen persons are known to have been injured.

WORD WOUNDS LEAD TO BLOWS FIST TO FIST

Former Judge Starnes and Present County Judge Jones Have Short Battle.

Former County Judge C. R. Starnes and present County Judge Joe H. Jones engaged in a fist fight in the office of the county tax collector late Monday afternoon. Only a few licks were passed before friends interfered and stopped them. This morning both Jones and Starnes paid fines amounting to \$12.70 each in Justice of the Peace Day's court.

According to employes in the tax collector's office, who were present when the fight started, Judge Starnes and some friends had come into the office on business and soon after, Judge Jones entered. Jones shook hands with some of the parties and coming to Judge Starnes offered to shake hands with him, but Starnes said, "No, I'll not shake hands with you Joe, you have acted like a dirty o..."

Then Jones struck Starnes. After each had passed a few licks, Jones got hold of a heavy metal seal and Starnes drew his knife, eye-witnesses said. It was at this juncture that bystanders intervened and stopped the fight.

Neither Jones nor Starnes are said to have hurt each other. Starnes suffered a broken finger from the effects of a lick he is said to have struck Jones.

FARMER YOUTH FOUND GUILTY SECOND TIME

William Meador, Slayer of Asa Rawls, Gets Ten-Year Sentence.

SWEETWATER, April 1.—William Meador, farmer youth, was sentenced to 10 years in the state penitentiary by a jury here today for the murder of Asa Rawls. The jury's decision came after 14 hours' deliberation.

The trial, one of the most spectacular murder trials in the history of this section, lasted eight days. Meador, jointly accused with his father, Andy Meador, pleaded self-defense. The father will be tried later for the same crime.

This was William Meador's second trial, his last conviction two years ago having been reversed by the court of criminal appeals and the case brought here on a change of venue.

Former Fire Chief G. A. Murphy Made Head of Department

G. A. Murphy, third fire chief of Ranger, became head of the fire department a second time today in succession to E. A. Chapman, resigned.

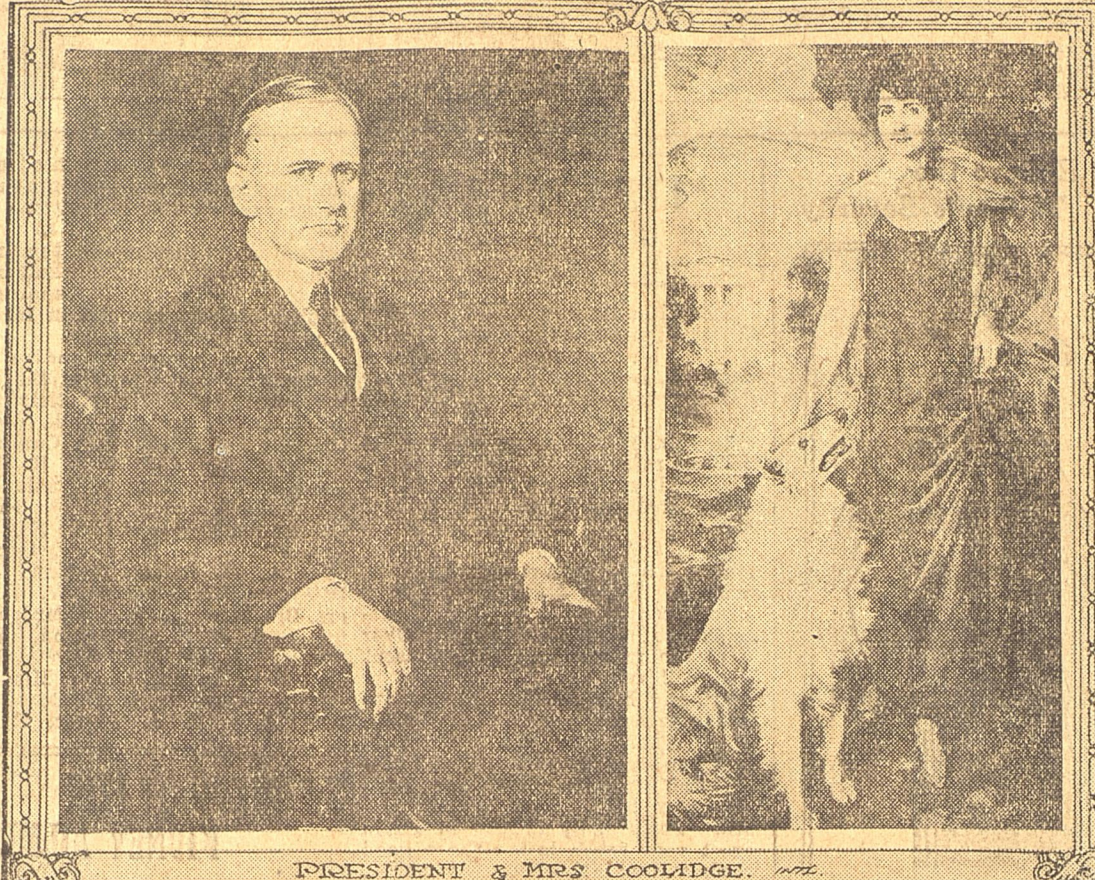
Murphy has been a salesman for the Travis Refining company of Burkburnett since quitting the Ranger department. He has traveled in and out of West Texas, selling lubricating products.

Murphy was reorganizing his department today. He is a life member of the B. P. O. E., and also a member of the National Association of Fire Chiefs.

He said the chief difference he has noted since returning to Ranger was the number of new faces on the streets.

The new fire chief succeeded Charles Buttner in 1921.

COOLIDGE PORTRAITS DONE BY CHRISTY.



Above are shown the portraits of President and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, just completed by Howard Chandler Christy. While painting the portraits Mr. and Mrs. Christy were house guests at the White House.

COAL MINERS ASK RENEWAL OF WAGE CONTRACT

Operators Insisting Upon New Agreement Calling for Lower Scale.

KANSAS CITY, April 1.—Coal miners in the southwestern states left their jobs today and will not return until an agreement has been reached in the wage negotiations between union representatives and the mine operators now in progress here.

The old wage contract expired at midnight last night. The miners today took their usual April first holiday and it is not expected that any will return to work tomorrow unless the conference between their representatives and the operators has reached an agreement. Approximately 40,000 men are affected, union heads said. Efforts to arrange a 20-day contract to keep the men at work while negotiations are progressing have been futile. The operators are demanding a wage reduction while the miners want their old wage agreement extended for a period of three years.

KU KLUX KLAN HAS INDEPENDENT TICKET IN DALLAS ELECTION

DALLAS, April 1.—The Ku Klux Klan figured today in the Dallas municipal school board election. The secret order entered a complete ticket to oppose the present board of education, which is standing for reelection. The Dallas Mothers' council endorsed the old board.

Voting, especially by the women, was especially heavy. There was no indication early this afternoon how the election was going.

DALLAS, April 1.—The anti-Ku Klux Klan ticket was leading in returns today from Dallas' municipal school board election. The count from scattered precincts throughout the city revealed the incumbent school board seeking re-election was leading generally by narrow margins.

The present school board, backed by the Dallas Mothers' council, was opposed by the Klan in a spirited pre-election campaign.

LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS ALLEGED IN GRAND JURY INDICTMENTS RETURNED

WASHINGTON, April 1.—District of Columbia authorities began tightening a net around sources of illicit liquor following the indictment of 27 persons on charges of violating the national prohibition act.

The indictments were returned, officials said, as the outgrowth of Washington's recent liquor scandal. Among those indicted were three deputy United States marshals, a lieutenant of police, a policeman, a sergeant of marines, two negro Pullman porters, a caterer and his wife with their waiters and other employes and 14 other women and three men.

Walsh Promises To Show Conspiracy In Cabinet Selection

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Senator Thomas J. Walsh declared at the senate oil committee hearing today that he expected to prove that a conspiracy led to the appointment of a secretary of the interior, and subsequently, through that appointment, of the leasing of the government's navy oil reserve.

Walsh, during a discussion in the committee, told Senator Stanfield, Oregon, Republican, that he intended to produce witnesses to bear out his charge. It was the first time Walsh had pledged himself to furnish such proof, and came after two Republicans, Stanfield and Spencer, had declared that up to this time only rumors had been brought forward to substantiate such charges.

ANDERSON WINS FIRST PLACE IN SELLING RACE

McFarland Close Second in Leveille-Maher Ford Sales Campaign.

Work was responsible for T. J. Anderson's clear-cut victory over his fellow salesmen in an automobile sales campaign that has held the interest of Ranger citizens for 30 days.

At least that was the only reason Anderson, an automobile salesman for Leveille-Maher Motor company for two years, could give to a Times reporter today. But, he added this qualification:

"We couldn't have done it without the interest Range people showed in us," Anderson said. "They have certainly been nice to us. They have telephoned us names and brought them in. They showed a spirit of 'we want you to win.'"

Anderson expressed his gratefulness to his well wishers. He is married and lives at 307 Fannin avenue. He came to Ranger five years ago and was formerly a salesman with the Boston store of Ranger.

Anderson said he didn't consider himself a winner against the other salesmen until the very last. "Mac" made me work to midnight. "Mac" or W. J. McFarland was his closest competitor.

It may be several days before the names of the 24 crack Ford salesmen of the United States are made known. The sales records must all be telephoned into the district offices and then sent into Detroit, chief headquarters for the Ford company, for checking purposes and official announcement of the winners.

The 24 salesmen will go to Detroit and be the guests of Henry Ford.

THREE THOUSAND HOMELESS FROM POTOMAC FLOOD

BALTIMORE, Md., April 1.—Three thousand persons in the town of Kitzmiller, Mr. about 40 miles from Cumberland, were reported homeless, without food and cut off from communication, as the result of the Potomac river flood.

HEFLIN STAYS ON THE TRAIL OF R. B. CREAGER

Postoffice Committee Resumes Investigation of Alleged Land Frauds.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Scores of letters from men who allege misrepresentations in the description of lands they purchased in Texas today were presented to the senate postoffice committee investigating the use of mails for alleged land frauds by James R. Page, adviser to Senator Heflin, the chief prosecutor.

Heflin also has several communications he will introduce to reveal conditions in the lower Rio Grande valley and which were expected to be read to the committee later today. The committee will also inspect all telegrams passing between R. B. Creager, Republican national executive committee man from Texas, and land companies. Hill protested yesterday against the committee inspecting telegrams between his family and Creager's family, or messages between himself and Creager. Despite this protest, Chairman Moses ordered the messages placed before the committee.

Rush D. Simmons, chief postal inspector, will be placed on the stand to further explain to the committee why he removed Postoffice Inspector Donaldson from the probe he was conducting into land operations of Creager.

Hamon Declared To Have Made Big Gift To the Republicans

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The late Jake Hamon gave former Attorney General Daugherty \$25,000 at the 1920 Republican national convention, R. H. Wilson of Oklahoma City today declared, in his testimony before the senate oil investigating committee, that Hamon told him. The money was paid over because the Republican national committee was broke, Wilson said Hamon explained.

Wilson's testimony purported to bear out the charges of Al Jennings, reformed bandit, that Hamon sent large sums to nominate Harding in the hope of receiving for himself the appointment as secretary of the interior.

GULLAHORN GETS BACK HIS STOLEN CAR, BUT THIEF YET ROAMS FREE

The new Hudson speedster, driven post haste by an alleged buyer from a gate on a supposed ranch while the owner, J. T. Gullahorn of the Gullahorn Motor company, Ranger, was closing the gate, was returned to Ranger Monday by Howell Gullahorn.

The car was abandoned in a ditch near Lynchburg. The thief has not been apprehended.

Poincare Thinking Of Dissolving the French Parliament

PARIS, April 1.—The new government underwent its first test in the chamber of deputies today. The general policies and constitution of the recently appointed cabinet were under fire in seven interpellations prepared by the opposition.

FIRE CLAIMS ONE VICTIM, TWO OTHERS HURT

Mrs. Russ Forth Dead in Houston, Husband and Little Girl May Not Live.

HOUSTON, April 1.—Mrs. Russ Forth, 24, suburbanite of the theatrical troupe of her husband, died at noon today of injuries received when she jumped from the second story of the house in which they had their apartment here, which was destroyed by fire early this morning.

Physicians hold out little hope for the recovery of her husband and their 4-year-old daughter, Becky, also forced to jump when flames cut off their escape.

Forth's troop came from Evansville, Ind. He was awakened at an early hour this morning to find flames surrounding his bed. Breaking a window with his bare hands, he jumped 15 feet to the ground and called to his wife to follow. Clinging her baby in her arms, Mrs. Forth leaped from the blazing room. Falling on a pile of bricks and broken glass, both were knocked unconscious. Six other persons in the house escaped without injuries, but lost all their belongings.

A regular epidemic of fires occurred in this city yesterday and last night, causing property damage of thousands of dollars. It has aroused suspicions that a firebug is running loose.

Beginning Sunday night with a garage fire, when three firemen were injured and property loss of about \$100,000 sustained, the red path of fire has led to all parts of Houston. While every piece of fire apparatus was fighting a fire in the south end yesterday, three alarms from widely scattered parts of the city were turned in. Finding an empty oil can in a vacant house a few blocks from one of the fires strengthened the belief that a firebug is at large in the city. The property loss is estimated at a quarter of a million dollars.

SINCLAIR'S BAIL PLACED AT \$5.00 BY COURT

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Bail for Harry F. Sinclair, indicted for contempt of the senate oil committee, was set today at \$5,000 in the district supreme court. Sinclair has not yet appeared. If he doesn't, a warrant for his arrest will be issued.

KLAN TAKING PART IN ELECTION AT TULSA

TULSA, Okla., April 1.—Herman Newblock, candidate for re-election as mayor of Tulsa and backed by the Ku Klux Klan, was leading his opponent, John R. Hadley, head of the "daylight" republicans in the state, or the anti-klan organization, by a 2 to 1 vote here at noon today.

This is the first open fight waged against the Klan in Tulsa, where the secret organization claims to have 6,000 voters.

JOY RIDERS BORROW CAR, ABANDON IT UNHARMED

Someone who wanted to enjoy an auto Sunday night but didn't have one of his own is believed by police to have driven the roadster of A. J. Hanevay away from in front of the DeGroff hotel, Ranger, and afterwards abandoned it in the Barnes pasture on the Wayland road, four miles northwest of Ranger.

The auto was found by Joe Calder, special deputy sheriff. The car was not stripped nor damaged, it was said.

SWEETWATER FOR MURDER

SWEETWATER, April 1.—The trial of T. F. Hickok, charged with the murder of Lamar Schriber, started in district court today following the disposition of the Meador case. Eighty veniremen were summoned for examination in an effort to pick a jury.

A new design of electrically run ice cream freezer has just been put on the market. With a capacity of three quarts of ice cream, it is run by a 110 volt universal motor, and has an indicator that shows when the ice cream is frozen.

BOBBED HAIR HIGHWAY THIEF TASTES BLOOD

Shoots Payroll Messenger, Perhaps Fatally, but Fails to Get Money.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., April 1.—Brooklyn's bobbed hair bandit participated in her first shooting affray today when she and her male companion held up Edward Maez, while he was carrying the payroll of the National Biscuit company.

Maez was riddled with bullets when he struggled with the girl's companion and was removed to a hospital in a critical condition. He saved the money he was carrying by his resistance.

The Amazon bandit and her companion escaped in an automobile. An abandoned sedan later was found about seven blocks from the scene of the hold-up.

FIRE DESTROYS CISCO GRAMMAR SCHOOL HOUSE

Several Hundred Children in Classes When Flames Break Out, Escape Safely.

Five hundred school children fled to safety Monday afternoon when a three-story brick grammar school building in Cisco caught fire on the third floor. The structure was completely destroyed. The children marched out orderly.

The fire was said to have been caused by a defective flue and spread rapidly. The loss is estimated at \$50,000, of which half of it is covered by insurance.

Firemen connected their line to a hydrant that had insufficient water pressure near the building and they were forced to re-lay their lines from a hydrant still further away from the burning building.

Classes will be resumed Wednesday morning at Randolph college, it was announced today by the board of education.

Daugherty Charged With Interference In Prosecutions

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Charges that former Attorney General Daugherty hampered him in the prosecution of a conspiracy case were made to the senate investigating committee today by H. M. Peck of Oklahoma, formerly United States district attorney in that state, who said he had been charged with failure to prosecute Miller Bros., owners of the famous 101 ranch, for conspiracy to defraud the government of 10,000 acres of Indian lands.

Although he telegraphed to Daugherty that Zach and Joe Miller were going to plead guilty to obtaining land through fraud, Peck said the attorney general had wired back instructing him to make no recommendations to the court. Peck testified the charges against Zach and Joe Miller were dismissed, that George Miller had been fined \$7,500, and that Victor Norton and John Nugent, employes, were fined \$1,250 each after they had pleaded guilty.

NEW YORK TODAY ELECTING DELEGATES TO CONVENTIONS

ALBANY, N. Y., April 1.—New York voters went to the polls today to elect delegates to the spring conventions of the republican and democratic parties, to be held early this month. The conventions will name delegates and alternates to the national convention.

Two contests of more than passing importance are noted in the metropolitan area. Root Lett, independent, is fighting the designation of Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, as a delegate to the republican convention.

PROBE OF THE DALLAS VETERANS' BUREAU ASKED

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The Texas delegation in the house caucus today and passed a resolution demanding an investigation of the veterans' bureau office in Dallas.

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BIBLE THOUGHT: SING FOR JOY.—Behold my servants shall sing for joy of heart.—Isaiah 65:14.

GREATEST POLITICAL CONTEST

The real political battle this year will be for control of the United States senate. The present senate is composed of 51 Republicans...

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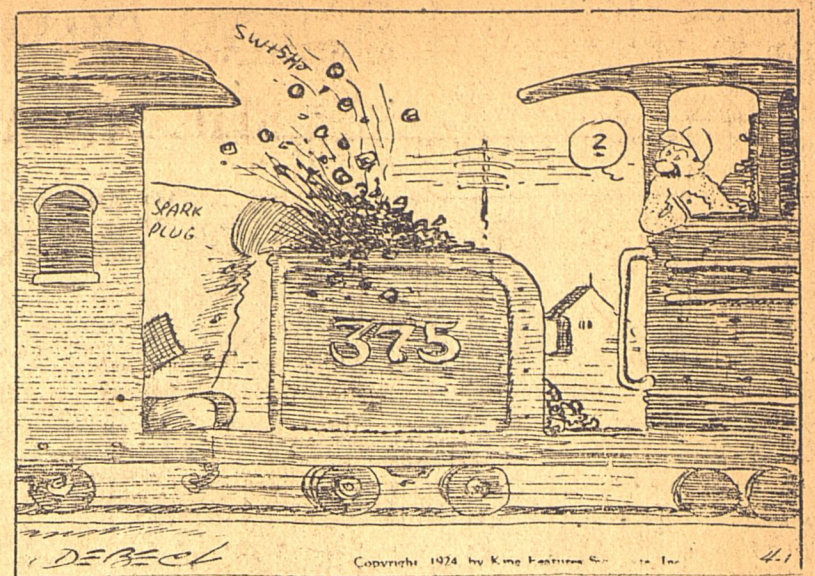
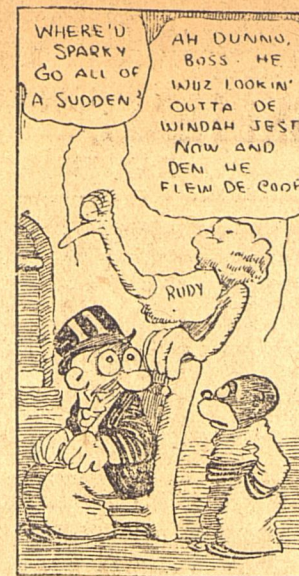
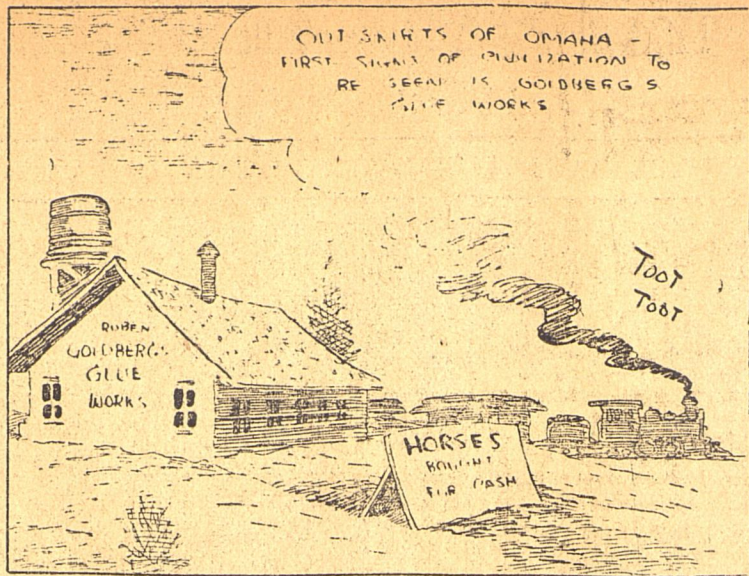
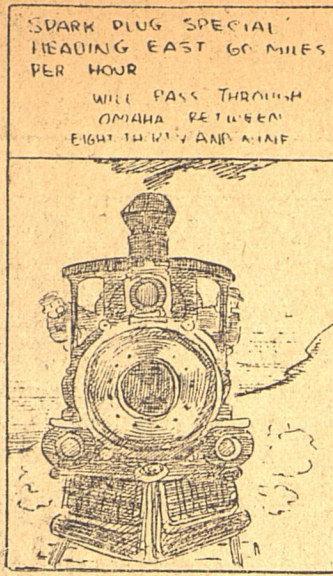
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BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG—



IMMIGRATION

Americans long have boasted that their land and the government offer free and equal opportunity to all the earth's children. They are extremely reluctant to relinquish that sentiment, although they are beginning to recognize that it isn't practical.

Fully one-third of this nation, after deducting negroes, and inmates of public charitable and penal institutions, are foreign born or children of foreign born parents, representing every nation on earth.

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Frills Relieve the Tailleur's Severity



By MARY BROOKS PICKEN.

WITH an attractive evidence to the contrary as is given by this mocha-colored charmer, one must indeed be prejudiced to say that the tailored gown lacks feminine charm.

NEW POWDER FROM ITALY MAKES RHEUMATIC PAINS GO QUICKLY

The well-known Italian physicist, Alessandro Volta, for whom the electric volt has named, has made a scientific discovery of a powder to make rheumatic pains go quickly.

WILD RABBITS, WHICH OVERRUN EASTERN WASHINGTON ARE BEING TRAPPED AND SHIPPED TO ALASKA FOR FOOD FOR FOXES.

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TIFFIN

James Hearne, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hearne, entertained friends with a birthday party Saturday, March 29, from 2 to 4 p. m., in honor of his fourth birthday.

Tiffin Sunday school is growing rapidly with the advent of spring weather. Ruby Jarvis and Junior Lowe recently received New Testaments for good attendance.

CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING PLAN MEETS APPROVAL

A resolution adopted by D. E. Jones of Rising Star was adopted after one amendment had been accepted. The resolution as adopted is as follows:

F. E. LANGSTON BARBER SHOP FOR SERVICE

We are the oldest shop in the city and try to be the best. Try us. Near the Depot, Ranger.

H. & B. BEER

COMMISSION MERCHANTS 325 Baronne St. New Orleans, La. Cotton, Stocks, Bonds, Grain, Provisions, Cotton Seed Oil, Sugar and Coffee.

Jess Taylor & Co. Cisco, Texas—Phone 93

ANNIE LAURIE ART SHOP

Dekan Bldg. Eastland

BRUNSWICK RECORD

W. E. DAVIS JEWELRY and MUSIC. Ranger.

POLITICAL Announcements

For State Senator: B. L. RUSSELL HARRY TOM KING, Abilene.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FURNITURE WANTED. Buy at cash price. New and Second Hand Store 121 No. Austin. Phone 276.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture.

Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk St., Phone 154, Ranger.

SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices.

Main Street Second-Hand Store, Marston Bldg., Ranger.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

FOR SALE or Trade for yearlings—Jersey milch cow, also heifer calf. J. A. Bronson, 1009 Spring Road.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK

HATCHING EGGS—Barré Plymouth Rocks; \$1.00 per 15. K. Wayne Bruns, 904 Blackwell.

OWEN MURRAY, RANGER; O. N. LASATER, CISCO; D. E. JONES, RISING STAR; J. J. MORRIS, CARBON; J. W. COCKRILL, GORMAN; E. E. ALEXANDER, PIONEER; B. S. DUDLEY, RANGER; G. C. RICHARDSON, CISCO; FRANK ROBESON, EASTLAND; N. L. TIERCE, CISCO; A. H. JOHNSON, EASTLAND; J. S. EBERHARDT, ROMNEY; J. B. BISHOP, GORMAN; R. L. POE, CISCO; DAN DUDLEY, RANGER; W. P. ROACH, RISING STAR; N. N. ROSENQUEST, EASTLAND; GEORGE W. BRIGGS, EASTLAND.

Delegates Attending

Among those attending the meeting were: Joe P. Haley, Rising Star; W. J. Speer, Carbon; E. L. Weaver, Carbon; Rapt. Holloway, Carbon; J. F. Tune, Rising Star; O. R. Brady, Rankers; W. S. Barber, Eastland; A. L. Duffer, Ranger; O. K. Norton, Olden; Joe Norton, Olden; Ray Warner, Olden; C. H. Grow, Gorman; Miss A. M. Baker, Eastland; J. C. Patterson Breckenridge; W. W. Beyers, Breckenridge; J. P. Bearden, Rising Star; J. F. Robertson, Rising Star; Mrs. W. B. Brenton, Olden; Mrs. J. L. Hays, Olden; Miss Ruth Ramey, Eastland; R. H. Bush, Eastland; Mrs. R. J. Taylor, Ranger.

SWAMY-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

0—LODGE NOTICES

Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M. meets Tuesday night, 7:30. Work in F. C. degree.

NOTICE—The I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 350 meets every Tuesday evening, 7:30 p. m., at new hall, 210 1/2 Elm street, Ranger.

3—HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Neat appearing fairly well educated middle age lady for saleslady in and around Ranger, Eastland and Cisco.

6—BUSINESS CHANCES

FOR PLAIN SEWING and ironing, call at 811 Young st., Ranger.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

DO YOU need money? You can borrow on your auto and pay it back in easy monthly payments. C. E. Maddocks & Co., Ranger.

8—ROOM FOR RENT

FRONT BEDROOM for rent. 303 S. Marston street, or Phone 549, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with hot and cold water.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment on ground floor. Phone 191, Ranger.

CARRIER APARTMENTS—325 Elm St., Ranger, phone 565-J.

THREE-ROOM—Furnished, with vanishing kitchen. 114 No. Marston st., Ranger.

TREMONT Apartments—311 Walnut st., Phone 458, Ranger.

12—WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To buy 1,000 good second-hand auto tires. Speagle Storage & Repair Shop, 309 Main St. Phone 421, Ranger.

WE BUY second-hand furniture.

Ranger Furniture Exchange, 128 N. Rusk st., Phone 242, Ranger.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Set of blacksmith tools, a whole or part; would consider trade for good Ford. See Eaves at postoffice, Ranger.

GET A Goodyear Coat. \$2.95; rain-proof, wind-proof. Popular Tailors, 311 Main st., Ranger.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room home with garage, including 3-room rental houses, income \$60 per month. Variety of bearing fruit trees; city water, gas, electric lights. 506 Mesquite st., Ranger, after 4 p. m.

17—AUTOMOBILES

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STIFF COMPETITION AHEAD FOR U. S. ATHLETES IN OLYMPIC GAMES; FINNS ARE THE STRONGEST TO BE FEARED

By HENRY L. FARRELL (United Press Sports Editor) NEW YORK, April 1.—It is well to prepare the American Olympic team for competition in the Olympic games at Paris next summer under conditions that would cause the athletes to feel that the games are not won when their ship pushed her nose out into the Hudson.

There is no reason to expect calamity. There are reasons to know that the United States will have a contest in Paris, but victory is empty without a real contest, and the United States never has been really pressed before.

It is wise to tell the youngsters who are getting ready for their first taste of Olympic competition that they will have to work hard, train conscientiously and be in shape to do their best.

The athletes who will be selected to go to Paris know that the American team is going to have competition, but they know also that the outlook is not as dark as it is being painted.

The American team will be composed of men, and the warning: "If you're not good the policeman will get you," will have the same effect on them it would have on a child.

Until recently it seemed that the United States was in grave danger of being defeated in the Olympic

track and field games. The power shows by Finland in 1920 at Antwerp and the Finnish athletes since then, caused a great fear to fall upon the United States.

Finland made such a good showing in Antwerp because the American team was crippled by injuries, which either removed from competition or impaired the form of such stars as Sol Butler, Joie Ray and Matt McGrath.

Apparently the American committee thought the United States had a cinch victory in sight and that it was an occasion for the manipulation of a little politics.

Potential winners, like Jake Driscoll, the quarter-miler, and Dandrow, the fine Massachusetts Tech hammer thrower, were left sitting in the stands while less competent athletes were sent in so that political whims might be satisfied.

If the committee decided to award points for five places, or six places, in each event, the United States is sure to win because there are at least four events in which the Americans will make a clean sweep of every point.

Perhaps it would be well to start telling the American youngsters that they have a good chance to win and keep them from getting a notion that they are going over just to show how they can "take it."

Every American that is called upon to answer the gun in Paris will try just as hard to win whether the team is 200 points ahead in the score or hopelessly beaten in the rear.

In the city of San Francisco in wet 1917 there were 17,470 arrests for intoxication. In the same city in 1922, dry, the number of arrests on this charge was 7,262.

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HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP AT BASKETBALL

Winning Teams From More Than 30 States Open Tournament in Chicago Tuesday.

CHICAGO, April 1.—A tournament for champions only, to decide the high school basketball championship of the United States, opened here today when the whistle blows in the first game scrap of the seventh interscholastic basketball tournament. The meet is under the auspices of the University of Chicago.

Winning teams from more than 30 states are here for the high school basketball classic. Play will continue until Saturday, April 5, when Alonzo A. Stagg, athletic director of the University of Chicago, will present the national winners with a gold-plated basketball, the first trophy.

To avoid disappointment of teams that have traveled thousands of miles only to be eliminated in the first round of the tournament, a consolation tournament is to be held for the first time this year. It will allow each of the teams entered at least two chances to show their stuff.

Interest in many communities has been so great that citizens have raised the money by popular subscription or public benefit to pay railroad fare of the team members to the meet. New Mexico, Tennessee and New York teams were sent to the tourney this way in 1923. In several instances newspapers conducted campaigns to raise the money to send their city's team.

Limited to Champions. The meet this year is limited for the first time to state champions and teams with exceptional records. Hundreds of letters have come to Chicago university athletic officials asking for invitations to the tourney.

In 1921 the tournament was won by Cedar Rapids High school, Cedar Rapids, Ia., which defeated Crosby High school, Waterbury, Conn., in the finals. In 1922 Lexington High school, Lexington, Ky., copped first honors. Forty teams competed in 1923, representing 31 states and including 29 state champions. The first four places winners were Kansas City, Kan.; Rockford, Ill.; Charleston, S. C., and Muskegon, Mich.

State and sectional tournaments have been run off during the past two months and the teams arriving here today are coached to the last notch for the big event. Fostered by the University of Chicago, the meet has given teams from every section of the country an opportunity to see the skill and ability of teams from other points.

Four Prizes Offered. Four prizes will be offered, both in the main tourney and in the consolation event. In addition, members of the four highest teams will be given individual medals. The prizes all carry in effect in the majority of state associations.

Champion teams from Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, Washington and Wyoming were arriving on every train today. Many of the teams were accompanied by enthusiastic supporters and several schools brought along the school band.

It is estimated that the big tourney will attract at least 500 playing athletes. Some schools, rated as strong by dopesters who have studied the national basketball situation, are Windy, Col.; Simpson High school, Birmingham, Ala.; Holyoke High school, Holyoke, Mass.; Manchester, N. H.; Woodrow Wilson High, Portsmouth, Va.; Uniontown, Pa.; Wilmington, Del.; Rawlins, Wyo.; Valley City, N. D.; Central High school, Houston, Texas; Charleston, S. C., and Atlanta, Ga.

LONE SCOUTS OF AMERICA JOINED TO BOY SCOUTS

At the regular monthly meeting of the executive board of the Boy Scouts of America, held March 11, formal approval was given to the plans for merging the Lone Scouts of America with the Boy Scouts of America.

The membership of the Boy Scouts of America is approximately 600,000 men and boys. Because of the unavoidable characteristics of the Lone Scouts of America, it is impossible to state the actual active membership of the Lone Scouts, but it is estimated to be between 50,000 and 100,000.

To W. D. Boyce of Chicago, belongs the credit of organizing both the Boy Scouts of America and Lone Scouts of America. Because of a "good turn" done to Mr. Boyce by a street urchin in London 15 years ago, Mr. Boyce incorporated the Boy Scouts of America, under the laws of the District of Columbia, and personally financed the expense of the movement in its early history.

He was responsible for bringing about the organization of the national council, which took over the corporate powers of the Boy Scouts of America, and has, with the aid of the choicest men of America, made the Boy Scouts of America a recognized success everywhere. Since date of organization, the president of the United States has served as honorary president of the Boy Scouts of America, the governors of the various states and leaders in the business, educational and religious life of the country are active in its local and national management.

There are 21,000 troops and 835 local councils. Since incorporation, nearly two million boys have been enrolled as members. Of the 142,000 volunteer leaders in scouting, many thousands of them started in as tenderfoot scouts.

The Lone Scouts of America was incorporated by Mr. Boyce, for reasons explained in a statement just issued, primarily to reach boys who could not have the advantages of troop organization. Accordingly, by the efforts of Mr. Boyce and those working with him, over 500,000 boys have been enrolled as Lone Scouts in various parts of the country, primarily from rural communities.

Mr. Boyce states, he has felt for some time that the management of the two groups should be the same, and all concerned have co-operated most generously to bring about this merger for the boyhood of America.

The trustees of the Lone Scouts of America, under Mr. Boyce's leadership, have elected the officers of the Boy Scouts of America as their successors. While this means two separate corporations, the management of the two corporations will be the same. For the present, the Lone Scouts of America will be administered from Chicago by the W. D. Boyce company, by methods identical with those which have been used by Mr. Boyce. Every effort will be made to give to all of the members of the Lone Scouts of America, all of the advantages and facilities of the Boy Scouts of America, and to conserve everything Mr. Boyce has done to help these boys to be scouts.

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OLDEN

OLDEN, April 1.—A large number of young people from Olden, Desdemona, Breckenridge and other places enjoyed the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews Saturday night. Those who attended and reported a nice time were: Misses Wilma Gullet, Jewell Russell, Deulah and Eula Young, Myrtle Howell, Arthur Russell, Tommie Lee Fox, Jack Wright, Emmett and Devere Britz, John Calhoun, Jack Gullet, Bud Fox, Earl Norris, W. C. Cobb, Otis Young, Roy McClellan, Pete Berto, Arvel Butterfield, Jeff and Lester Brown, Bert Cling, Fred Railback, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Iverson, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Wilkerson.

Olden came out victorious in the baseball game Sunday afternoon against Desdemona, score being 12 to 7. Three men who used to be on the Olden team played for Desdemona.

London Hartman has been very ill with the measles the past week. Robert Atkins has purchased a new Ford. Faye LeClaire spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives at Eastland. G. M. Bullard and son, Emmett, who are working at Rotan, spent the week-end here with home folks.

Lucie and Ida Mae Ford are ill with the measles this week. Mr. and Mrs. George Lumma of Ranger were visiting in Olden Sunday.

A large crowd attended the Methodist conference Saturday and Sunday and enjoyed the dinner. A number of people from Olden attended the all-day singing at Bullock Sunday.

The presiding elder preached at the Methodist church Sunday night. Roy McClellan of Desdemona was visiting in Olden Sunday.

Mrs. Scott of the Magnolia boarding house here, has bought a house in Olden.

Johnnie Fox and Beatrice Brashers are ill with the measles this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gertz are the proud parents of a nine-pound boy. Mamie Delle Fox is ill this week. Miss Floa Berman and Elydia Mitchell are visiting in the McDonald home this week.

Miss Aline Ray and Mrs. C. C. Sisson and little daughter spent the week-end at the Ray home.

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VICTORS ACCLAIMED IN INTER-CITY FOX TROT AND WALTZ DANCES

Wofford Jones and Miss Audrey Jones of Ranger were acclaimed as the best fox trotters among the 18 couples representing Eastland, Cisco, Breckenridge and Ranger in a dance contest held in Cisco last night. The award was made by a committee of judges.

The 18 couples competed last night as the result of an elimination contest held in each city the last four weeks, which was open to the general public.

Jimmy Wilder and Miss Helen Snare of Breckenridge were declared winners of the waltz contest. Wofford Jones and his sister, Miss Audrey Jones, closely competed with the Breckenridge couple for waltz honors. They were the last to leave the floor before the judges finally awarded the honor to the Breckenridge dancers.

Awards of \$50 to the Ranger couple and \$25 to the Breckenridge couple were made. Jones is with the commercial department of the Times.

KING OF BELGIANS RIDES IN STREET CAR

BRUSSELS, Belgium. (By Mail) King Albert of the Belgians has endeavored himself further, if such a thing was possible, by showing his democracy by riding in an ordinary street car and paying his 3-penny fare like a plain citizen.

The king was in the royal motor-car when ice made progress impossible. When the driver convinced himself that progress was impossible, King Albert hailed a passing street car and jumped on. He did allow the conductor to break one rule by stopping in front of the palace instead of at a crossing.

Whether the king was able to get a seat or not, the Belgian journalist failed to record.

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WEDNESDAY EVENTS

Rotary club luncheon 12:15 o'clock at Gholson.

Ad Libitum club meets at 1:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. A. Shackelford.

Wednesday Luncheon club meets at 1:30 o'clock with Mrs. Oscar Chastain in Eastland.

Cheerful Workers of Christian church meet at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Colburn.

Wednesday Bridge club meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. F. Champion.

MISS PHILLIPS AND FRIENDS ENJOY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hearn of Tiffin, who are taking up their new residence in Weatherford today, gave a dancing party for their niece, Miss Annabelle Phillips last night at their home in the Prairie camp.

Twenty persons, school and social friends of Miss Phillips, were invited and the young folks enjoyed themselves hugely. Miss Phillips, who was a student in the Ranger high school, will resume her studies in Weatherford tomorrow.

Mr. Hearn is chief inspector of boilers in Texas for the Prairie Pipe Line company, and is moving to Weatherford to be more conveniently located.

SEWING HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS PLAN CARD PARTY

The Galvez club, which is composed of the sewing class girls of the Ranger high school, are to give a bridge party Tuesday afternoon, April 8, at 2:30 o'clock on the mezzanine floor of the Gholson hotel.

The money derived from this will help pay the expenses of the girls' clothing contest to be held at Galveston April 23 and 27. Tickets are now in circulation and all are invited, whether called upon by the committee or not.

Prizes have been arranged and reservations will be made on request. Further information may be obtained from Miss Winkler at the high school or the Teacupage, phone 221-J.

MRS. LOGSDON HOSTESS TO VISITING MOTHERS.

A charming compliment was paid Monday to the mothers visiting in Ranger when Mrs. H. A. Logsdon entertained with a pretty luncheon in their honor. Plum blossoms and jonquils added a touch of spring to the table and a most delicious luncheon was served. The afternoon was spent in playing Rook, Mrs. Ralston of Oklahoma winning high score prize and Mrs. Skillern low score.

The guests were, Meses. T. M. Ralston, F. B. Frazer, A. C. Skillern, Martha Kauffman, Lawler, Gunter and Philip Palmer. The same ladies are to be guests this afternoon of Mrs. Skillern at the Lamb theatre.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH IS HOSTESS TO OTHERS

The ladies of the Christian church were hostesses on Monday for the quarterly union missionary meeting.

having prepared a delightful program for the occasion. Mrs. E. C. Shipp presided. Following devotionals and the singing of several hymns accompanied by Miss Key, individual selections were given. Mrs. G. D. Robison of the Presbyterian church gave an instructive talk about missionaries and the many things required to fit them for their high calling bringing home to the listeners the superior quality of their lives and service.

A quartet of ladies from the First Baptist church including Meses. Albert Longley, C. D. Wheeler, Miss Mittie Morris and Miss Margaret Klump, accompanied by Mrs. Jack Lyman sang an appropriate anthem. Mrs. J. H. Moyer of the Episcopal church gave several entertaining readings, and Mrs. Job of the Central Baptist church told negro dialect stories which delighted everyone. An instructive and helpful talk about the interdenominational institute of religion held each September in Dallas, was given by Mrs. A. W. Hall of the Methodist church and much appreciated by the audience. Mrs. C. F. Smith, contralto soloist of Eastland, sang "The Ninety and Nine," representing the Christian church. Following the miscellaneous program a group of ladies of the Christian church gave a playlet which brought home with force the need of giving to missions. At the close of the afternoon ice cream and cake were served. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion, foliage plants and singing birds adding a homelike touch which was most attractive. No invitation was extended for the next meeting, due announcement of which will be made later.

"MRS. WIGGS" SCORES A FINE SUCCESS

The play "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," which was given Monday night at the high school auditorium, drew only a moderate audience and was deserving of a much larger patronage, for infinite care was expended in the preparation and the presentation was most successful. The cast of characters was cleverly portrayed by those previously announced, except in the case of Lucy Olcott, which was well taken at the last moment by Cecil Black, understudy for Christina Schmuck, who was injured and unable to appear. Miss Queens Marris, as Mrs. Wiggs, made a notable success. The play was well staged and managed and thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended.

Special dances by Meses Florence Alice Palmer and Florence Kerr, and songs in costume by Miss Loetta Peery delighted the audience.

MR. AND MRS. POE GIVE APRIL FOOL PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Poe entertained the senior B. Y. P. U. of the Central Baptist church at their home on Monday evening. Many April fool jokes and games were indulged in. Everyone took a trip to college and Meses. Wiggins, Herrington, Cross and Dennis taught the other women how to train bachelors. The "bachelors" were Messrs. C. A. Strong, Joe Dennis, W. J. Herrington and Wiggins. Winners of prizes were Mrs. C. A. Strong and W. J. Herrington. Amusing imitations of various persons were given by Joe Dennis and Miss Theola Strong. Refreshments of ice cream, orangeade and cake were served. The evening was thoroughly enjoyed by Messrs. and Meses. C. A. Strong, Joe Dennis, Bill Cross, W. J. Herrington, W. H. Wiggins, Misses Theola, Tommy and Doyce

PARTY LEADERS TO BLAME FOR DERELICTIONS

E. B. McLean's Newspaper Insists Republican Party Is Not on Trial.

By WALLACE BASSFORD
WASHINGTON, April 1.—Edward B. McLean, owner of the Washington Post and the Cincinnati Enquirer, was the closest and most intimate personal friend of the late President Harding. Therefore, what he says might be read with deep interest and understanding. The following editorial from the Washington Post aptly describes the situation of the republican leaders in the capital:

"Members of the republican party through the United States are dazed and shamed by the lack of leadership in their great organization. They cannot understand why the republican party is subjected to the most humiliating and damaging charges without arousing the resentment of a single leader in congress. The leaders are not only defied, but insulted, and they take their punishment as if they deserved it. The administration is vilified and the entire republican organization brought into contempt and worse than contempt. It is even charged with protecting criminals and with being itself a participant in crime. The government is terribly injured by the wholesale accusations heaped against the party in power. Paralysis has overtaken congress. There is widespread defiance of the law. The people are beginning to suffer because the government is unable to function.

"What is the matter with the republican leaders? Can it be true that they are trembling for fear that further revelations will confirm the truth of what now seem to be infamous calumnies? Or are they craven weaklings who are afraid to stand up for truth and right, because of a selfish desire to keep their own individual names out of the current scandals? One or the other supposition seems to be the truth.

"Scoundrels or moral cowards—it is a hard alternative—and the people shrink from imposing judgment. But the people will not forever. Republicans by the millions, whose pride in their party is a part of their life, are not disposed to tolerate the cowardice of their leaders in congress when abominable allegations are made attacking the integrity of their party.

"There is beginning to be widespread belief that there is corruption back of the silence which the leaders fear to face.

"Where are the great men of the republican party? Where are the Hannas, Quays, Platts, Spooners, Aldriches, Chanders, Hales, Allison, Dillivers, Reeds, Cannons, Paynes, Dalzells, Groves, Moody, Manns, Tawneys, and scores of other champions of republicanism who regarded an assault upon the honor of their party as a personal insult, and who never failed to carry the war into the enemy's camp. Is the republican party dead? Is it so lacking in leaders that it is about to disintegrate and disappear?

"The rank and file of the republican party are true and loyal Americans. They will follow great leaders. But they will not follow men who do not have the courage to defend the party against unjust assault. The time has come when leadership in the republican party must be asserted by men who have been elected as leader, or these men will be repudiated and the party itself will run the risk of destruction.

"A presidential campaign is approaching. Through the lack of stalwart and vigilant leadership the republican party goes into the campaign as if it were a criminal on the way to execution. Senators who should have defended the republican party against insinuations are now silent and apologetic, afraid to confess that they are republicans. Not one of them has done his duty by his party, and all of them know they are recreant to their party trust.

"It is not the republican party that is on trial. It is the leaders who are on trial, but if this venality is established, the party crashes to ruin. Let them make good while there is time."

Strong, Norman Dennis, Jack and Ruby Nell.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Ella Marshall and her son D. O. Marshall drove to Fort Worth this morning with friends. Mr. Marshall will return Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fitch and family drove to Fort Worth today and will return Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil M. Firmin and two children of Fort Worth came to Fort Worth Saturday to visit Mr. Firmin's parents, Judge and Mrs. A. E. Firmin. Mr. Firmin returned to Fort Worth on Monday leaving his wife and children to remain until Thursday.

Elizabeth Valliant is the latest addition to the list of mumps patients, and Mrs. Valliant has a sympathetic case also.

Miss Genelle Woodruff of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived this morning on the Sunshine for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Palmer and family.

Mrs. L. L. Rector drove to Fort Worth with Mr. Rector on Monday and will return some time today. Mr. Rector will go on to Corsicana.

Mrs. A. L. Leake and daughter, Joy, are in Fort Worth for a few days visiting friends. They sang over the radio from the First Baptist church early in the week and will remain over Wednesday to attend the Galli-Curci concert on that night. Rev. Mr. Leake will join them on Wednesday and drive back with them Thursday.

Mrs. Kate Armin of Houston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. R. Newnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Chastain left this morning for a short trip to Dallas, expecting to be away only one night.

A TALE OF TWO SCARVES

Making two scarves appear where none were before is merely a gesture with this charming afternoon dress of printed crepe de chine from the South Manchester looms. Not content with the scarf which every self respecting little frock must wear this summer, and which here takes the form of a shawl collar, it adds to itself one of the new chapeaux with graceful throw scarf which thus becomes an integral part of the costume.

One can face with equanimity even the doggedest of the dog days in this dress, whose slim grace and abbreviated sleeves and necklines concede to the thermometer while still retaining elegance and chic in its dark background richly patterned in a Persian design. Paris still favors the tiered skirt, and at the openings, flounces of all kinds were featured. It is to be noted, however, that fashion's ornamentation is confined to the front of the skirt, giving an apron effect. The back is plain from neck to hem, depending for success on the cut of the dress and the elegance of the wearer.

The collar of the dress, the strings of the flounces and the facing and scarf of the hat are all of deep red Frostkrepe, contrasting effectively with the rich darkness of the silk. The scarf hat is one of the newest creations in millinery and will be much seen at fashionable resorts. Henri Orange, the Cheney style authority tells us that very often a scarf of the ray printed silk which fashion's dress is used on the hat to create a harmonious ensemble.



SKETCH CHENEY

by H. E. Baden, in three keys. Nothing more acceptable among many gems of song has come the facile pen of George H. Gartlan than "My Love," an exquisite gem of melody, recently published. It is written in medium key and the words, of equally delicate sentiment as the music, are by Annelu Burns. A song of cheer is "A Good Heart All the Way" by Robert Conningsby Clarke to words by Anne Page, fine for contralto and of melodious content.

"Dancing Time in Kerry" is a lilt-tune by Harold Hampson, words by Henry T. Wale. It has the joyous rhythm of the old Molloy melodies and will be an instant hit wherever sung. It comes in three keys.

"Sweet Navarro," a delightful ballad by Gerald Carne to words of Edward Loekton, is sure to be among the favorites long remembered as the refrain is the sort that will be on the lips of hundreds of the season's most pleasing additions. Published in two keys.

"The Market" by Molly Carew, words by Jean Stevenson, is another of those lovely gems by the same composer which are so singable one wants them all. This is one of Molly

Carew's best. It comes in two keys. "Love Pipes of June" by Maude Craske Day, is a gay waltz song of the sort that gains instant recognition. A taking number for any program. Words by Edward Loekton.

"Among the Willows" by Montague F. Phillips, words by Nancie Marsland is a song gem, somewhat dreamy and on the bacarolle style, very pleasing. It is published in three keys.

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CITY ELECTION IN EASTLAND IS PULLING VOTES

Balloting Heavy, With Klan and Gas Rate Being Leading Issues.

Eastland voters started voting early in the city election this morning and at noon today indications were that a heavy vote would be polled before the polls close this evening at 7 o'clock. Many women are voting. Quite a number of citizens, both women and men, are working in the interest of their favorite candidates, but everything is quiet and peaceable.

The klan question is the main issue with perhaps the question of the gas rate being next in importance. The anti-klan element has made no organized fight, having held out rallies of any kind. The klan is reported to have held a meeting last night and to be lined up for Beard and Davis for city commissioners.

As evidence of the klan's tactics of playing politics on the quiet, anti-klanmen who are supporters of Williams and Shirrell, are pointing out that the Eastland Oil Belt News, reputed organ of the Eastland county klan, yesterday, on the eve of the election, refrained from mentioning in any form the fact that a city election was to be held today.

ANTI-MELLON RESOLUTION MAY NOT BE REVIVED

WASHINGTON, April 1.—There is small likelihood that the McKellar resolution questioning the eligibility of Secretary of Treasury Mellon will be revived.

The resolution was debated for several hours yesterday but not acted upon. This left it on the calendar, whence it can be called by unanimous consent or by a motion.

Mrs. R. M. Davenport and a number of other ladies accompanied their husbands to the wolf hunt at Leeray this morning.

PRICES PAID FOR POULTRY.

FORT WORTH, April 1.—The following prices were being paid country shippers, basis delivered Fort Worth:

Guinea fowls, each	25c
Ducks, each	75c
Geese, each	1.00
Hens, heavy, per pound	17.5c
Hens, light, per pound	17.5c
Fryers, per pound	17.5c
Broilers, per pound	22c
Roosters, per pound	10c
Turkeys, per pound	17c
Eggs, per case	35.00

Gasoline production in the United States established a new high record in 1923, amounting to 7,555,945,143 gallons, of which more than six-sevenths was used domestically. Production of kerosene, fuel oils, and lubricants also showed heavy increases.

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RANGER

REVIEW OF LATE SONGS

Music lovers and singers of songs will be more than pleased with the new offerings from the house of Chappell-Harms, New York and London. Among them will be found "My Little Island Home," one of the tenderest little Irish songs ever written. It breathes the very warmth of heart of the Emerald Isle and wins the listener with the first strain. Words by Charles Roff and music

CONNELLEE
Eastland

TODAY—TOMORROW
CONSTANCE TALMADGE

—in—
"Dangerous Maid"

—with—
**Conway Tearle
Marjorie Daw
Tully Marshall**

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THURSDAY—FRIDAY
Milton Sills

—in—
"Flowing Gold"

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The Boston Store
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Autocrats of the Breakfast Table

Skilled Tasters Test Coffee Choosing Choicest Blends for Americans

AN ALL-AMERICAN waiter momentarily turns his face toward a steaming urn and bawls, "Cup o' Java," or, even more tersely and epigrammatically, "Draw one!"

Two minutes later, at a little table near the front an All-American business man smacks his lips, leans genially across the table and remarks:

"Some coffee, George! That's why I come here. They know how to make good coffee!"

The satisfaction this business man derived from his cup of coffee was by no means accidental. It did not altogether depend upon the skill of the waiter and his co-workers in that particular restaurant. Back of it all was a dignified group of professional men, a little second floor room, and a circular table filled with cups of aromatic brews.

An Odd Profession

Yes! Coffee tasters are professional men. With the departure of wine tasting, the profession of coffee tasting is probably as highly specialized a calling as exists. It is not only the business of the coffee taster to know the peculiar characteristics of the coffee bean, whatever the land of its nativity; not only to know the standard classification, or scale, of tastes, as applied to coffee; not only to know the effect, in taste, of combining coffee beans of any particular quality or kind with those of any other quality or kind; but, most important of all, to know what Seattle requires, in taste and strength, in an after-dinner coffee; what the Kansas farmer expects of his morning brew; what the New England housewife thinks is good coffee value, and what the Atlanta merchant demands to keep his middle-class trade happy and contented.

A real profession! And there isn't a university in the country that teaches it.

Coffee a Symbol

Coffee, most emphatically, is not just a drink. It is a symbol. It makes the day, or breaks it. How many family quarrels have been started by a poorly brewed cup of coffee! How much optimism has been radiated by the right coffee, rightly made!

So a considerable load rests upon the shoulders of these coffee tasters as they gather around their cups to decide which blend shall be accepted by them for coffee-loving Americans, and which shall not. Around them the streams of green coffee from all the tropical ports of the world converge; and they, in turn, direct the streams of roasted coffee which

spread out over the breakfast tables of America—which drinks more coffee than all the rest of the world combined.

The expert coffee taster requires quite an outfit for his ritual. An electric coffee roaster, an electric coffee mill, a gas stove and teakettle; a cabinet of trays, spoons, cups without handles, and most noticeable of all a circular table four or five feet across, with revolving top with a four or five inch rim lower than the rest. These are the tools of the coffee taster.

The Coffee Bean

The taster roasts his own coffee. He must be sure that it is done just right. Samples of the various roasts are chosen and ground carefully—right there. A coffee bean is split like a tiny sponge, made up of cells containing fragrant, aromatic oils, with partitions between the cells. These oils give coffee its flavor and strength and goodness. The cells must be opened if the oils are to be released, so the tasters grind the beans as fine as granulated sugar—sometimes as fine as cornmeal. Coarse grinding means wasted coffee. The side of the grinder is always banged sharply with the hand so that it will be perfectly empty for the next grinding.

And then the ground coffee is weighed. Very carefully! The testing must be accurate. Enough grounds are put on one side of duplicate scales to balance the new bulk of coffee on the other side—that is the standard of the taster.

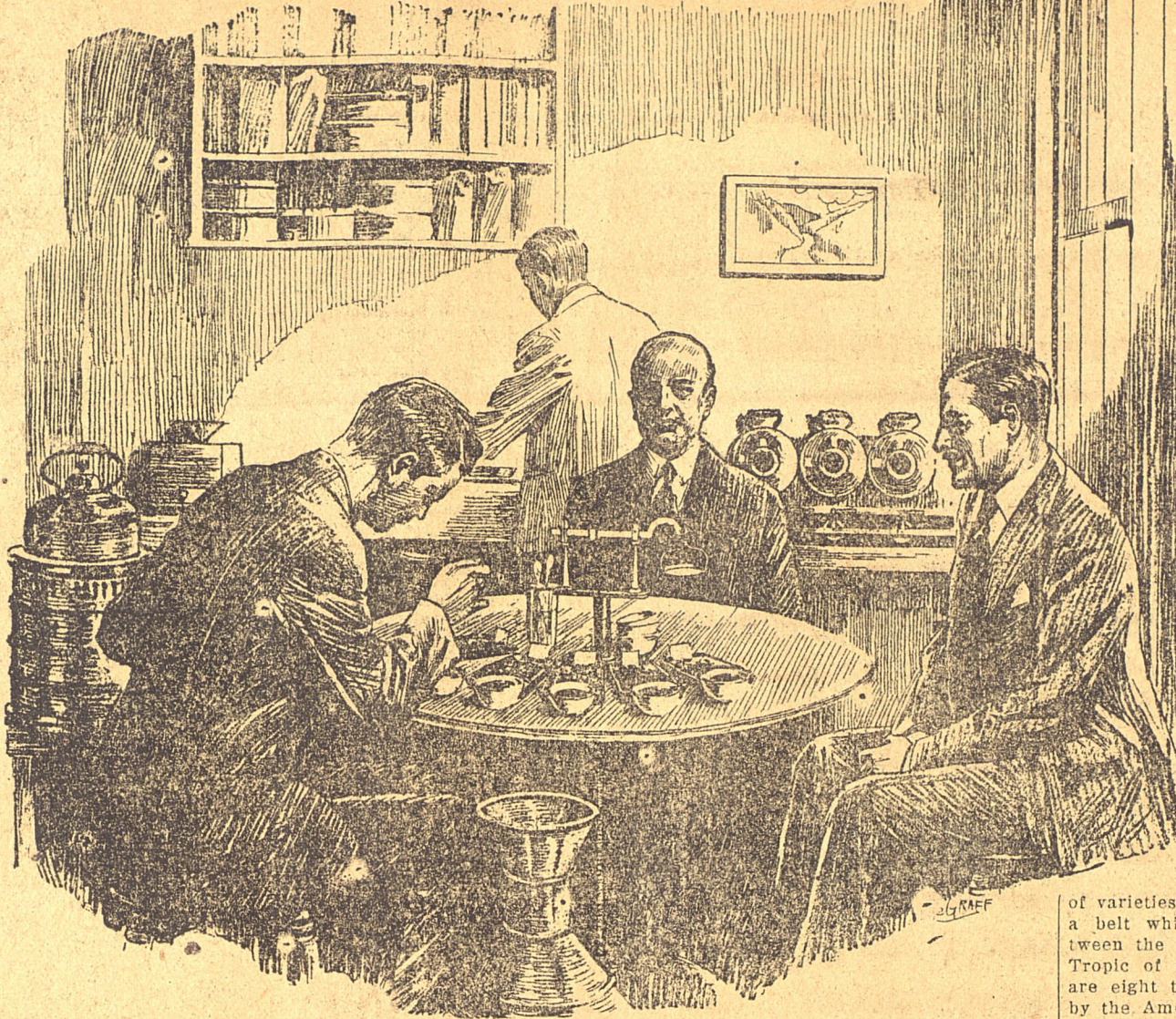
The Tester at Work

The coffee is placed in a testing cup. Enough freshly boiled water is poured in to just about fill the cup. The water must be freshly boiled, then taken off the stove, so that when it is poured it will be just below the boiling point. This is in order that all the aromatic qualities of the coffee may be extracted. Other cups around the revolving table are treated in the same way—with other samples of coffee. And then the coffee taster chooses his chair and is ready for his professional duty.

First, the smelling test! The liquid is stirred lightly with a spoon. Then the brew is sniffed, and the table revolved until the next cup is beneath the delicate nose of the expert. If there is the slightest sourness to the aroma, or any positive fault, the cup is shoved back from the edge of the table so that it is out of alignment with the others, and the cups so removed are partially or totally rejected. Each cup is carefully sniffed.

Multiple Tastes

Again the first cup reaches the taster. He dips a spoonful of the brew and sucks it into his mouth so that it is sprayed over the sides and tongue. In this way



The Coffee Tester's Taste Must Be Acute to Distinguish the Many Different Blends.

he can get the full flavor. For an instant it remains there, then he spits it out into a large brass cuspidor, and brings the next cup before him. Never does he swallow the coffee. Perhaps he will be obliged to test as many as two hundred and fifty cups before the day is over. Just a brief contact with the delicate membranes of his mouth is all he needs to pass judgment.

The expert passes judgment on each cup. It is smooth, rich, acidic, mellow, winy, neutral, or harsh; it is rank, hidey (sour), muddy or bitter. These are his standard names for those subtle characteristics which the amateur could only detect, but not classify. And each of these names, applied to a shipment of coffee, has an influence on the price which the American housewife will pay for it, or condemns it so that

it will not be offered to her at any price.

A Guide to Character

One of the best known coffee tasters in New York City insists that there is an intangible something about coffee that is as hard to explain as a personal characteristic. "Really," he added, "some coffee reminds us of certain men."

He proved his statement by brewing a cup of coffee and having it tested by five or six tasters. "Tell me what man on the street this coffee reminds you of," he said. Without speaking a word, the tasters sniffed, tasted the brew, then wrote the name of a well-known coffee dealer on slips of paper. All but one man wrote the same name—that of a man about whom no one had any particular objection, but about whom there was an intangible something that his fellow men did not like. It

was a wonderful demonstration of the ability of the professional coffee taster.

Taking It Blind

Sometimes when several tasters have worked together and there is a difference of opinion about which cup around the table holds the most delightful brew, a so-called blind test is given. Any coffee taster will take this test at any time as he is sure that he can pick his favorite brew whether "blindfolded" or not. The blind test consists in having the positions of the cups changed behind the tasters' backs and the test repeated. Almost invariably each taster will again choose the cup which first pleased him.

The average citizen over his morning cup has little conception of the care which enters into the selection of its ingredients. He probably does not realize that there are hundreds

The Virtue of the COFFEE Drink.

First published in England, by Puffin's Recipe.

The Grain or Berry called Coffee, growth upon little Trees, only in the Districts of Arabia.

It is brought from thence, and drunk generally throughout all the Grand Signior's Dominions.

It is a simple innocent thing, composed into a Drink, by being dryed in an Oven, and ground to Powder, and boiled up with Spring water, and about half a pint of it to be drunk, fasting an hour before, and not fasting an hour after, and to be taken as hot as possibly can be endured, which will never fetch the skin off the mouth, or raise any Blisters, by reason of that Heat.

The Turks drink it meals and other times, usually Water, and their Dyes consist much of this, the Creditors whetool are very much corrected by this Drink.

The quality of this Drink is cold and Dry, and though it be a Dye, yet it neither heats, nor inflames more than the Puffin's Recipe.

It is excellent to the Office of the Stomack, and fortifies the heat with a very good to help digestion, and therefore of great use to be about 3 or 4 a Clock afternoon, as well as in the morning.

It is good against the Erys, and better if you hold your Head over it, and take in the Steam that way.

It suppleth Fumes exceedingly, and therefore good against the Head-ach, and will very much stop any Fluxion of Rheum, that distill from the Head upon the Stomack, and so prevent and help Consumption, and the Cough of the Lungs.

It is excellent to prevent and cure the Dropsy, Gout, and Scoury.

It is known by experience to be better than any other Drying Drink for People of years, or Children that have any running humor upon them, as the Kings Bill. &c.

It is very good to prevent Mis-carrying in Child-bearing Women, it is a most excellent Remedy against the Spiles, Hypochondrick Winds, or the like.

It will prevent Drowsyness, and make one fit for business, if one have occasions to Watch, and therefore you are not to Drink of it after Supper, unless you intend to be watchful, for it will hinder sleep for 3 or 4 hours.

It is offered that in Turkey, where this is generally drunk, that they are not troubled with the Stone, Gout, Dropsy, or Scoury, and that their Skins are exceeding clear and white.

It is neither Lascivious nor Refreshing.

Made and Sold in St. Michaels Alley in Coventry, by Puffin's Recipe, at the Sign of his own Trade.

Three hundred years ago in London the above unique advertisement extolled the virtues of Coffee.

of varieties of green coffee, grown in a belt which girdles the globe between the Tropic of Cancer and the Tropic of Capricorn, nor that there are eight types of roasts recognized by the American trade, making each of these hundreds of varieties of blends susceptible to eight variations.

National Likes The roasts in the United States are the light, cinnamon, medium, high city, full city, French and Italian. The city roast results in a tolerably dark bean, while the full city is a shade nearer black. In the French roast the bean is cooked until the natural oil appears on the surface. In the Italian, it is roasted to the point of actual charring, so that it can be easily powdered.

Germany favors the French roast, if nothing else French. The Scandinavian countries demonstrate that preferences do not follow lines of latitude by demanding the Italian roast.

American Consumption In this country the Pacific Coast likes its coffee light roasted. Down in Dixie they take it black or at least much more nearly black. The Eastern states steer a middle course, with Boston, always different, leaning toward the cinnamon brown.

Americans, on an average, drink a hundred more cups of coffee yearly than before prohibition. With the banishing of more potent beverages coffee has become the universal drink—a drink to accompany the meal or the odd-hour snack. In addition, the mid-afternoon cup of coffee is a more common brace for the business man's zero hour, from four to five. The old time coffee house, in modernized guise, is reappearing as a center of refreshment and good fellowship, both during the day and in the evening.

Your average American—whoever he may be—is now drinking 500 cups of coffee a year, requiring over twelve pounds of beans for its preparation. In 1913 eight pounds of coffee were enough. It must be remembered that in figuring the average all the babies were counted, so somebody or other must be getting more than his 500 cups. Lucky fellow!

Practically all Americans take sugar and cream with their coffee, making it a real food as well as refreshment beverage. It is to be noted that in doing so they are following the real Oriental custom. The service in the coffee houses of Constantinople and Mecca commonly includes cream and sugar already mixed in the cup.

Racial tastes differ in many things, even in coffee.

WOMAN "WIZARD" WILL REVEAL ALL

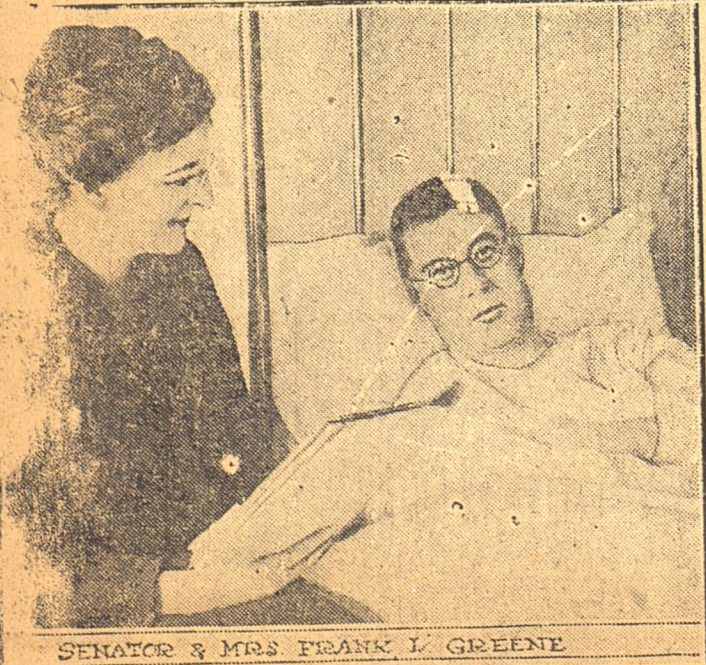


MRS. MYRTLE B. HAYES

CHARLES M. SCHWAB

The mystery in Mrs. Myrtle Bowman Hayes trading on the name of Charles M. Schwab, multi-millionaire steel magnate, in huge financial deals, and of her spectacular career in high finance, will be bare, she asserts, on her trial in New York City on the charge of forging Schwab's name to notes aggregating \$325,000. She declares she will reveal all and make startling allegations on the witness stand.

PHOTOGRAPH OF WOUNDED SENATOR



SENATOR & MRS. FRANK L. GREENE

This is the first photograph to be made of U. S. Senator Frank L. Greene, now recovering in a Washington hospital from an almost fatal bullet wound, inflicted when he crossed the path of a revenue agent who was firing wildly at supposed traitors in Washington. The photograph shows his wife reading to him the latest news of the day.

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"The American Ways"

ARTICLE ONE AMERICA IN ACTION

THIS America of ours is a great, restless multitude of more than one hundred million hurrying, energetic, busy people, scattered over more than three million square miles and living under the most widely different conditions.

We find them on three seaboard and on the prairies, lakes, mountains, deserts and forests lying between. We find them in crowded cities, as many as a thousand on a single acre, and we find them on thousand-acre farms and ranches. Each one is intent on his own particular vocation; all of them together represent nearly every variety of occupation known to man.

Thus we have a picture of a vast continent, sprinkled here and there with cities, towns and villages and peopled by self-governing, self-thinking individuals who are concerned with such a variety of personal affairs that it would be hopeless even to try to catalog them.

This may seem like a pretty loose form of structure, one that might easily fall apart in time of stress and that would hardly be able to exert any strong, united influence. So, at least, thought Germany before the War. In a geography published for use in German schools there was a map of the United States showing New England in one color, labeled "sphere of English influence," the Pacific Coast states printed in another color and labeled "sphere of Japanese influence," and the remainder of the country marked "sphere of German influence."

But the War came and found that America was a unit, capable of thinking and acting as one. Today other nations do not think of this country in terms of Boston, Oregon or the Mississippi Valley, but as the United States, with a strong emphasis on the word "United."

Under all the circumstances, this unity is a remarkable thing. What is its secret?

Have you ever seen a new swarm of bees hanging from a limb? It appears to be motionless until you look closely, when you soon discover that the individual bees are all moving about in and out of the mass and over its surface. Then if they are not hived, they will suddenly start off through the air, flying closely together. It looks as though the swarm itself were flying. What really happens is that each one of several thousand separate bees is flying separately but all are keeping together and moving in the same direction.

Americans are something like that. Usually each one is busy and intent on his own affairs, thinking mainly of himself and his family and paying little attention to public matters, beyond glancing over the daily paper and, perhaps, going to the polls on election day.

But, once in a while, some great national question begins to draw these millions into common thought. Mentally, they "swarm." In every

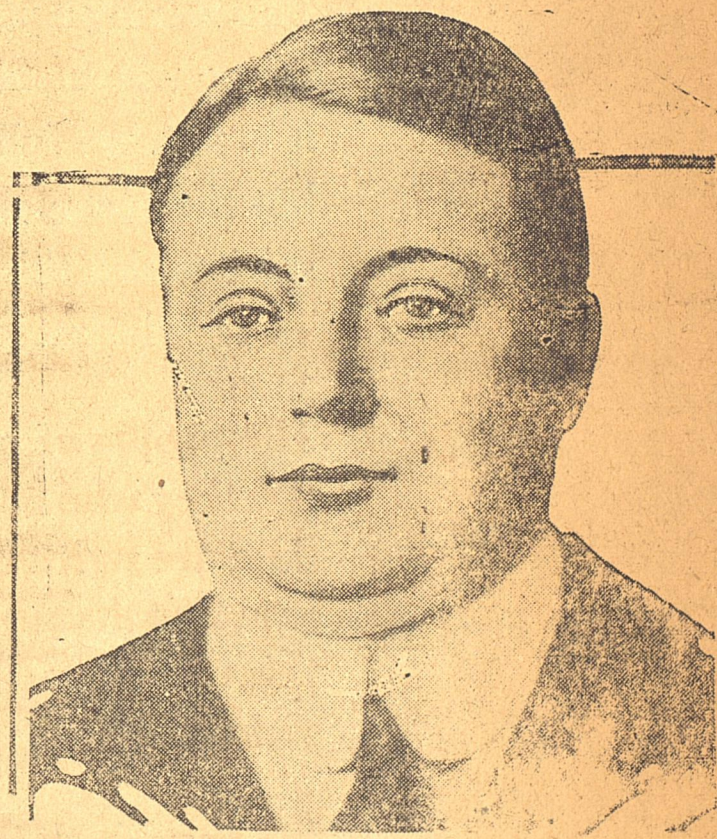


American civilization, based on voluntary cooperation, has advanced steadily and surely.

world still sees one region of sanity and soundness, made so not merely by American resources but by American ideals and methods—in short, by the "American Way."

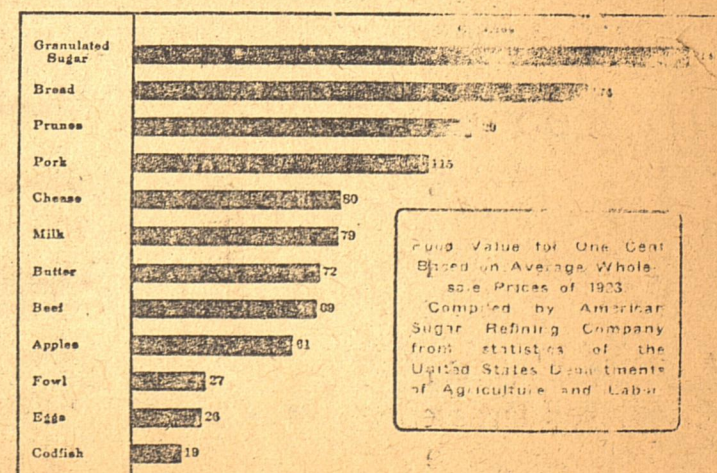
And what is the "American Way"? It can be summed up in two words—voluntary cooperation. This means that a free people has learned how to work together and to work successfully, without surrendering the individual freedom of its members. It means that the government exists for the citizen, not the citizen for the government; that an American is free to choose his own work and is protected in the enjoyment of the fruits of his labor. Our American civilization, based on the idea of voluntary cooperation through private initiative and enterprise, has advanced steadily and surely while other civilizations, based on paternalism, dictation and other forms of enforced cooperation, are going backward or have come down in ruins.

(Next Article, "The Wheel and Civilization.")



Charles A. Skiffington

Penny Spent for Sugar Brings Highest Food Value



There were more food calories in a cent's worth of sugar last year than in the amount of bread, prunes, pork, cheese, milk, butter, beef, apples, fowl, eggs or codfish that could be purchased for the same price.

The above chart, compiled by the American Sugar Refining Company from statistics secured from the United States Department of Agriculture and Labor, shows clearly

enough when the calorie value of a cent's worth of sugar is compared with that of eleven other food commodities. The comparison of calorie value on a penny basis throws a new light on the price of sugar. From the standpoint of nutrition it appears to be less expensive than any other food commodities which have long been heralded as high calorie content.

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For Ranger and Vicinity

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The people of all these parts have been loyal. It is they who have won for Ranger. And these lines are written to express in a feeble way our heartfelt thanks to our host of friends who made this record possible for us and for Ranger and vicinity.

We have faith in Ranger and its people. This record will go forth to all the country carrying

the message that Ranger is still the hustling, bustling, big-hearted, unconquerable city of West Texas. We are confident that no city of 12,000 to 20,000 population can equal this record. The final results as given us by the Ford Motor Company will be announced immediately upon their receipt, and in our faith in Ranger, we feel secure that we will be returned victorious because of your assistance and support.

Again, then, we thank you for this wonderful manifestation of good will toward us, and for the display of that wonderful community spirit, civic interest and civic pride, which once more places Ranger in the spotlight of nation-wide recognition and admiration.

Sincerely Yours,

