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BIBLE THOUGHT. CURSING OR BLESSING?—Cursed be the man that trusteth in man, and maketh flesh his arm, and whose heart departeth from the Lord. Blessed is the man that trusteth in the Lord, and whose hope the Lord is.—Jeremiah 17:5, 7.

HOME OWNERSHIP. A guide book designed for the prospective small home owner has been issued by the United States government, the department of commerce announcing the publication of a handbook setting forth details which assert the steps necessary to acquiring such property.

Newspaper Pressmen In New York City Are Out On Strike NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Publishers of newspapers here, effected by a strike of pressmen, decided to pool their resources and get out one afternoon edition, bearing the name of all the papers effected by the strike. It will be run off at 3:30 o'clock.

Students In High School Want Work To Help Pay Way A few days past, a 15-year-old girl came to E. O. McNew, superintendent of the public schools and said she would have to quit school if she could not get work of some kind. She is a freshman in the high school, one of a large family in moderate circumstances and has helped her mother and father when not going to school, she applied to a certain place for work but has not learned if she was successful.

ITALIAN ACTION AGAIN AROUSES IRE IN BALKANS PARIS, Sept. 18.—Renewed threat of a Balkan war was seen here today following the appointment by Italy of General Geradino as virtual military dictator in the Fium territory. Dispatches from Belgrade said the Italian action had aroused the people there and that a blockade against Fiume was being planned to cut off supplies.

CITY COMMISSION TO MEET THIS AFTERNOON The city commission will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock with all members present for the first time in more than three months. Dr. C. O. Terrell, police and fire commissioner, who has been in the East taking a special course at Harvard medical college since May, arrived home late last night and will be in attendance today. Mayor Hodges has been police commissioner during Terrell's absence.

SPAIN SEEMS TO BE IN HANDS OF REVOLUTIONISTS Starting with an insurrection of the garrisons in Catalonia, who demand autonomy for that province, Spain today seems to be in the hands of the revolutionists. King Alfonso and his English Queen, Donna Victoria, are trying to bring order out of chaos. Foreign Minister Alba is said to be in the hands of the revolutionary troops. The revolt was caused by the decision of the Spanish ministry to continue the unsuccessful war against Morocco, where many thousand Spaniards already have been slain.



King Alfonso & Queen Victoria of Spain. Duke of Alba.

of our modern civilization. A husband and wife who own their own home are more apt to save. They have an interest in the advancement of a social system that permits the individual to store up the fruits of his labor. As direct taxpayers they take a more active part in local government. Above all, the love of home is one of the finest instincts and the greatest of inspirations of our people.

HUSBAND, BELIEVED DEAD ON A RUSSIAN BATTLEFIELD, RETURNING AND SECOND MARRIAGE ANNULLED SHEBOYGAN, Wis., Sept. 18.—Believing herself a widow, Mrs. Julia Richter, mother of four children, married David Schentler, an old friend of the family. She had every reason to believe that her husband, Fred Richter, had been killed while fighting with the Russian forces during the war.

STUDY OF MUD FLUIDS In a study of the use of mud-laden fluid and cement in oil and gas wells for the exclusion of encroaching waters, being made by the department of interior at the bureau of mines experiment station at Bartlesville, Okla., M. J. Kirwan, petroleum engineer, is conducting tests with a "glass well" to study the channeling of cement through mud fluid. It is planned to pump cement mixed with various proportions of water through mud of different gravities and viscosities and note the difference in channeling effect of the cement. Tests on the penetration of mud fluid of different gravities into unconsolidated sands of different textures will be conducted. Tests on the effect of adding a small quantity of cement in increasing the viscosity of mud fluid and decreasing the rate of settling of mud fluid are to be continued. Preliminary tests so far have shown that the addition of cement greatly increases the viscosity and decreases the rate and amount of settling of mud fluid.

IMPORTANT MEETING OF BUSY MEN'S BIBLE CLASS The Busy Men's Bible class of the Central Baptist church will hold a called meeting Wednesday evening after the regular prayer meeting services at 7:30. All men in Ranger are invited to attend.

PEOPLE NOT YET USED TO NEW TRAIN SCHEDULES "Some people are not wise to the morning train," said S. A. White, Ranger passenger and freight representative of the Texas and Pacific railroad, today. "They think it is a night train running late."

COULD NOT EAT OR SLEEP "I had stomach trouble so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Tried everything without results and got worse instead of better. The only way I could rest was sitting up. The second night after taking FERRASAL I had my first night's rest in two weeks. FERRASAL has done wonders for me and I keep it in the house all the time. I cannot say too much for the wonderful preparation."

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ASTRONOMERS WATCHING FOR TWO COMETS

Vagrants of the Universe Due to Pass Near Earth Very Soon.

ASTRONOMERS are on the watch for two comets, both discovered many decades ago, which speeding over their rather uncertain courses through the skies, are about due for reappearance. One of these interesting visitors is Di Vico's "long period" comet of 1846, popularly known as the Mexican war comet because just on the outbreak of that conflict, it was observed by Professor W. C. Bond, of the Harvard observatory, on Feb. 26, 1846.

The second comet that astronomers are on the lookout for this year is that discovered by and named for D'Arrest, who saw it from Leipzig June 27, 1851. It returned in 1857, 1870, 1877, 1890, 1897 and 1910. It was due in 1917 but the telescope failed to find it. Astronomical calculations showed that it might be seen, "by telescope only," on 25 or 30 dates of 1923 but the astronomers of the world who report their discoveries to the Harvard observatory as a clearing house of information, have not picked it up as yet. Its schedule calls for visibility in various parts of the heavens with the aid of high powered lenses on Sept. 3, 8, 13, 18, 23 and 28 and Oct. 3, 8, 13 and 18.

Tickets for the Ranger Style Show and vaudeville on reservation, Monday, 17th at Crawford's Pharmacy. Advertisement.

TEXAS SHOULD HAVE MORE COTTON TEXTILE MILLS, BLANTON SAYS

By Associated Press.

DALLAS, Sept. 18.—Among 14 Southern states, Texas ranks eighth in the number of cotton spindles and seventh in looms, according to statistics compiled by Burt C. Blanton, industrial engineer of the Texas Chamber of Commerce. Cotton mills in Texas represent an investment of \$25,000,000, statistics show.

"Cotton textile mills in Texas consume a small quantity of the state's cotton production, as Texas raised from one-fourth to one-third of the cotton crop of the nation," Blanton said, "and contains less than one-half of 1 per cent of the cotton spindles of the nation." "Texas contains the natural constituents for fabrication of cotton, including the following essentials: adequate finances, potential supply of labor, adequate source of power, trained operative organization, correctly designed mills, proximity to raw materials and to markets. Based upon these facts it is logical to conclude that Texas affords an attractive field for cotton textile mill development."

The Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a move for expansion of the textile industry in the state.

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NOTICE Suits for Collection on Delinquent Taxes On October 10th, the City of Ranger will begin filing suits for the collection of delinquent taxes. Any adjustment due taxpayers must be made before that date. E. A. RINGOLD Special Tax Collector 201 South Austin St.

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