

HI-JACKER RUNS TO ESCAPE ELECTRIC CHAIR

Labor Day Will Be Eventful Day In Eastland

GRADE, PICNIC, BARBECUE ARE ON PROGRAM

and Contests During Afternoon Next Monday At The City Park.

Mr. Vardeman, editor of the county paper, Chicago, will be the principal speaker on the program for the big county-wide Labor Day celebration at Eastland City Park, Monday, September 3rd, according to announcements made by the Carpenters' Labor Day committee which has charge of the program.

In addition to Mr. Vardeman there will be a number of other speakers on the program.

The parade at 10 o'clock in the morning, the free barbecue, and various races in which prizes are awarded winners, are other features on the program.

All labor unions and organizations in Eastland county are cooperating in the celebration and a large crowd is expected. Preparations are being made by the committee to feed several thousand people.

The business firms of the entire county, especially those at Eastland, are cooperating with the various committees of the labor organizations to make this celebration a grand success.

Warning Given By U. S. Experts On Fall Typhoid

By United Press.
WASHINGTON.—Typhoid fever is occurring at any time during the year, but it is most prevalent in the United States in the late summer and during the autumn months, a warning issued by the United States Public Health Service.

Typhoid fever germs are taken into the body through the mouth of food or drink, or by means of direct infection with flies, which deposit upon insanitary food most likely to be eaten to infection and liable to typhoid fever are those that are raw or uncooked. Well-boiled food or properly pasteurized milk are safe from danger of conveying the disease, it was said.

The germs are living, reproducing themselves which grow in and depend upon their nourishment from the food, the typhoid continued, and are dependent upon insanitary conditions in respect to the disposal of the body wastes.

The pasteurization, on the other hand, for a few minutes, of the food and the boiling of water, which is of doubtful purity, will remove all danger from typhoid and other water-borne diseases, the bureau stated.

"The only way of inoculation against typhoid should be emphasized at this time of the year, it is especially important that the inoculation be done before the vacation begins. This is particularly true today when so many people go on automobile trips throughout the country, often visiting out-of-the-way places where precautions in regard to insanitary conditions are neglected."

The report stated that "it is an established fact that a person can be rendered comparatively safe from the disease by inoculation" and that the duration of such immunity is about three years.

Control of typhoid fever during the past 20 years has shown a marked improvement, it was said, however which only a few years ago took a toll of more than 100,000 lives annually in the United States, now causes something like 10,000 deaths each year.

GET FAMOUS ALTAR

ST. JOSEPH'S, England. (U. S. P.)—California may soon gain a famous altar from the famous Stoke Newington church. It was in the parish of this church that the late Rev. Canon Charles wrote his immortal "Elegy in a Country Churchyard." If the church council receives the final approval of the chancellor of the diocese, the altar will soon cross the Atlantic to adorn the "Church of the Little Flowers" near Los Angeles.

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Oldest and Youngest
MIAMI, Fla.—The oldest and youngest members of the American Legion, John W. Boucher, 84, and George E. MacKenzie, 23, live here.

Stolen Automobile Quickly Recovered

Stolen early Monday evening from the Whippet Sales company of Eastland, an Overland coupe was recovered by the police this morning and returned to its owner.

The chief of police at Baird telephoned early today to Police Chief Lawrence that an automobile bearing a license plate that had been issued in Eastland county had been found parked on a street in Baird and it was soon identified. The Baird police said the car had been driven into Baird late Monday night and two young men and a girl got out of it. Nothing more had been seen of the trio, but an effort to locate them is now being made. The car was left parked at the curb all night and the police took possession of it this morning.

NEW ERA OF PROSPERITY IN POULTRY LINE

Bankhead Association Enrolls New Members, Pays Highest Price and Finds New Markets.

Reorganization of the Bankhead Poultry Producers Association has been completed, new members have been enrolled, pledges have been obtained to abide by the rules for the guidance of all and the organization is starting on a new era of usefulness for the poultry and egg producers of Eastland county.

Prices being paid to members for eggs and poultry are the highest in Eastland county, according to G. H. Colvin, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce and the volume of eggs being sent to market has increased about 15 per cent. The association has located another good distributing point where the demand is said to be exceptionally good, and as soon as the supply is sufficient to supply home demands and the requirements of outside markets heretofore developed it is planned to open a branch establishment at a point west of Eastland.

The future of the Bankhead Poultry Producers' Association is said to be looking remarkable good.

Tourist Scalded To Death In Pool Of Boiling Water

By United Press.
CASPER, Wyo., Aug. 27.—Reports coming from the remote sections of Yellowstone National Park today told of three tragic deaths in the park in the last few days.

George Brown, a tourist from Lampasas, Texas, was scalded to death when he slipped and fell into a boiling pool. His two sons were badly burned in attempting to rescue him.

Another report, unconfirmed, stated that a boy whose name could not be obtained had been scalded by water from "Old Faithful" geyser and was dead. This report also said that a woman tourist whose name was not learned died from being attacked by a bear in the park.

The report of the deaths of the woman and the boy have not been confirmed.

ANTI-AL SMITH DEMOCRATS MAY ORGANIZE HERE

Dallas Sending Delegation of Speakers To Eastland For Meeting Wednesday Night.

Organization of an Eastland City and County Anti-Al Smith Democratic Club may follow a meeting to be held in Eastland Wednesday night, when a "flying squadron" from the Dallas Anti-Al Smith Democrats will be here to address local Democrats on campaign issues.

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Sergeant Boyle, Recruiting For U. S. Army, Does Good Work In Eastland



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Sergeant William J. Boyle of the Dallas army recruiting station, who has been in Eastland for several weeks interest young men in adopting the army as a profession, expects to be transferred back to Dallas at the end of this week and will be succeeded by one of his comrades, probably Sergeant Day-enport, he said. Sergeant Boyle has been doing excellent work in Eastland since he opened the sub-station here. Although he has not actually enlisted very many, he has laid a good foundation for future work.

Authority was received at the Dallas station from the War Department on August 20 to enlist ten men for cavalry from the five for field artillery. There are also vacancies in the infantry at Fort Sam Houston and at Fort D. A. Russell in Wyoming. There are also 21 vacancies in the negro field artillery school detachment: at Fort Sill and six vacancies in the negro cavalry at Fort Huachuca, Arizona.

Recently Francis Earl Rankin of Eastland enlisted here and was sent to the medical department at San Antonio. Recruits when enlisting now choose what branch of the service they prefer and the station to which they wish first to be sent.

CITY TO SUE DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS

Upwards of 500 Suits Prepared For Filing Next Saturday Unless Previous Payment Is Made.

Delinquent tax suits are to be filed on September first, according to H. O. Tatum, city manager, who said that upwards of 500 suits had been prepared against owners of property who have not paid their city taxes for last year or previous years. Those who are delinquent may save court costs by paying before next Saturday. All delinquents are to be sued, it is stated, no matter who they are.

COMANCHE GETTING READY FOR FIRST ANNUAL ROUND-UP

COMANCHE.—The white glare of electric lights will replace the glow of flickering campfires when Chief Ho-Koah-Bitty and his band of 35 full-blood Comanche Indians return to Comanche to dance the famous war dance for the entertainment of the old frontiersmen at the spot where once they danced and fought to kill those same pioneers. The occasion of this return to the old hunting grounds from which they were once driven by the white man, is the first annual Comanche Round-Up, to be held on August 31 and Sept. 1, with which the town of Comanche is celebrating her 70th anniversary.

Chief Ho-Koah-Bitty, whose name in English means "Chief Return-From-Hunting," fought around Comanche in the Indian raids, and is familiar with the reputation of the pioneers who helped drive them out of the country. Many of these old frontiersmen will be present at the round-up and are eagerly looking forward to smoking the pipe of peace with their former deadly enemies. It is said that when Chief Ho-Koah-Bitty was told by an interpreter that he was to come to Comanche, he gravely nodded his head and grunted two words: "Hard fighters."

The aged chief is in his eighties, and is the sole survivor of the famous battle of Adobe Walls. He and his band will be brought to Comanche from Craterville, Okla., by special permission from the Indian commissioner. They will set up an Indian village of tepees in the Comanche, and will go through their tribal dances, including the famous war dance, in full ceremonial costume.

EASTERN STAR MEMBERS WILL ATTEND FUNERAL

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Almela Hughes, former member of the Eastland Eastern Star chapter, will be held in Ranger, Wednesday morning. The body will arrive in Ranger from Arizona, on the 10:30 a. m. train. The Eastland chapter is requested to meet that train in Ranger.

NEW DAIRY BUILDING ON THE GROUNDS OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS IS LOCATED NEAR THE LIVE STOCK PAVILIONS IN WHICH THE LIVE STOCK OF THE FIRST ANNUAL SOUTHWESTERN DAIRY SHOW WILL BE HELD.

The new dairy building on the grounds of the State Fair of Texas is located near the live stock pavilions in which the live stock of the first annual Southwestern Dairy Show will be held.

Newest Picture of Missing Flyers



Here is a new picture of Bert Hassell (right) and Parker Cramer, missing aviators, posed in their Arctic flying clothes just before they hopped off from Rockford, Ill., for Stockholm, Sweden. Mystery surrounds the fate of their monoplane, the Greater Rockford, whose radio was last heard from off Labrador.

Shifting Sands of Sahara Desert Disclose Ruins of Ancient Cities, Pre-Historic, Big Hiatus Intervening

NEW YORK.—Ancient cities, with palaces of colored marble and semi-precious mosaic floors, which lie half-buried beneath the sands of Cyrenaica, will be explored by Miss D. Quincy Smith of Washington.

Guarded by a detachment of the Italian Camel Corps, Miss Smith will penetrate a region zealously guarded by the natives. Only three expeditions have been made into this district. The last, headed by two British explorers, was in 1816. Since then, according to Miss Smith, nothing more has been learned of the evidences of an early civilization which once flourished on the Libyan shore of the Mediterranean.

Miss Smith, who has just left New York on the Colombo of the Italia-Americana Line, is making the trek as the guest of the Italian Government. It follows an extensive photographing tour through a part of the Libyan Desert last year, and will require a minimum of four months.

Cyrenaica, the northeastern province of Libya, and Tripoli, the northwestern province, are both under Italian control. En route to the city of Tripoli, Miss Smith will be joined by Miss Lloyd Preston, now living in Paris, who was her companion last year.

"The two young women will be taken across the Tripoli Gebel (mountains) by a detachment of the Italian cavalry and then "delivered" to the camel corps for a journey of several thousand miles through the desert to Ghadames, Ghat, Meirzauk and Mizda.

During the desert journey, Miss Smith intends to make colored motion pictures of the encampment and drills of the native soldiers and to conduct some geographical research. With the completion of the desert trip, the two young women will push back to the Mediterranean coast and eastward from the Gulf of Sudra to the buried cities of which the first is near Benghazi and the most eastward and largest at Cyrene.

"Four and a half years ago the Italian Government began the excavation of the buried city of Leptis Magna," Miss Smith said. "The architecture shows it to be of the first-century Roman period, with the most elaborate and strikingly colorful palaces I have

ever seen. At its height it must have been the residence of approximately 1,250,000 persons. It was discovered when the wind shifted the huge sand dunes which covered it, revealing some of the elaborate columns which now rise above the desert.

"The architecture of these cities, judging from the sketches, is something of a puzzle. We hope, by an accurate photographic record, to make it possible for archaeologists here to draw definite conclusions as to their origin and antiquity.

Miss Smith believes that the buried cities, especially at Cyrene, will show at least traces of an early Egyptian civilization, antedating by more than 1,000 years the ruins of Leptis Magna.

Texas Youth Gets Into Tragic Mixup Touring In Kansas

By United Press.
EMPORIA, Kans., Aug. 27.—Wibur Franklin of Geary, Okla., is dead and Velton McMeMin, 19, of Olney, Texas, is in a hospital here with bruises about the head as a result of what may have been an attack. According to McMeMin, he and Franklin went to sleep near a railroad track. Sometime later he was awakened by blood on his head. His companion was dead. Police believe the men were struck by a train, but McMeMin declares he had been robbed. Chase, McClintock and V. H. Holden who were with the two earlier in the evening are held in jail for questioning.

LIONS LISTEN TO TALKS THAT ARE ENJOYABLE

McCulloch of Wichita Falls Entertains Cleverly, District Governor Erhard Heard Over Radio.

R. W. H. McCulloch of Wichita Falls entertained the members of the Eastland Lions Club with a humorous talk and sleight-of-hand performance today at noon. Mr. McCulloch was a visitor in the city and was invited by the Lions to be their guest and give them entertainment.

Through the courtesy of Lion George Harper of the Eastland Storage Battery company, who placed a radio on the roof garden of the Connelley Hotel where the Lions hold their weekly meetings, members of the club were able to hear the address of District Governor John A. Erhard delivered to the Fort Worth Lions Club today.

Guy Parker of the Exchange National Bank, recently elected to membership in the Lions Club, was initiated today.

Secretary W. H. McDonald, of the Eastland Club, read a letter from the Breckenridge club in which attention of the Eastland Club was called to the fact that the Lion Group meeting for this district would be held Sept. 4 at 7:20 p. m. in Brownwood.

Members of the Eastland club today called attention to the fact that aeronautical magazines had published accounts that Eastland had an airport, and also that Henry Ford had written Garrett Bohning of Eastland asking if Eastland had an airport and if so the dimensions, etc.

One of the Lions major activities for this year is their effort to secure an airport for Eastland.

Inmates Carve Messages Upon Walls Of Cells

By United Press.
DENVER, Colo.—Like the Babylonians of old, present day hoboes and criminals have taken to writing their thoughts in stone.

But where the Babylonians scribe took his stone tablet out in a field and chiseled his message upon it, the modern hobo does his imperishable writing upon the stone blocks which go to make up the walls of whatever jail he happens to be in.

Thus, the walls of the Denver city jail are covered with inscriptions, some tragic, some sad, some flippant and strangely enough, none obscene.

Were O. Henry alive he perhaps could base another of his masterpieces upon any one of hundreds of messages scratched in so deep on the stone walls of the jail that coat after coat of paint have failed to obliterate them. For instance: "Clair, hope to see you later. 5-6-27."

The fact that only petty criminals—vagrants, loiterers and hoboes held for investigation—found time to express their thoughts in stone while "big time" criminals such as murderers, bandits and confidence men had nothing to say upon the walls was cause for speculation until a jailer explained: "The big ones have other things than the engraving art to think about."

ONE VICTIM IS BADLY WOUNDED, LIKELY TO DIE

Hi-Jackers Rob "Spooners" In Abilene Club Grounds, Shoot One and Escape.

By United Press.
ABILENE, Aug. 28.—One man was probably fatally wounded, a half dozen persons robbed and one couple kidnaped in a series of high-jacking among "spooners" in the country club grounds here last night. The wounded man is R. H. Johnson, 30, shot three times. One bullet passed through the stomach, another through a lung and the third made a superficial wound.

Harry Benral and his young woman companion were kidnaped and held over night by the hi-jackers, to be released early this morning near Coleman, according to information received here.

The small coupe in which the two hi-jackers made their escape also was found, according to reports received by the sheriff's department.

Johnson was with a young woman. One man was holding up the occupants of one car and another came to Johnson's car. Johnson had a gun in the car and as he reached for it, he was shot three times. The hi-jacker, who had been robbing the other car, then came up.

"I hated to have to do it, 'old man,'" the hi-jacker told Johnson. "I guess I'll get the chair for this."

They then jumped into their car and fled, while other persons in the club grounds gave the alarm. Four other couples had been held up by the hi-jackers before the shooting took place.

According to victims, the hi-jackers started their work in a systematic manner and probably would have robbed a number of the occupants of other cars around the club as Johnson had not been wounded. The police departments of all neighboring cities have been asked to assist in the search for the two hi-jackers and posses have gone out from here.

Many Casualties Occur In Family Of Lowenstein

By United Press.
PARIS.—Alfred Lowenstein, the Belgian banker, belonged to a family predestined to disastrous endings, according to one of his intimate friends.

An uncle, while watching a military review on July 14, the French national holiday, was crushed beneath the wheels of a coach. Another member of the family attempted suicide at the age of twenty, and the boy's mother became insane a few days later. A cousin perished at sea while returning from a visit to the United States.

Another cousin, the wife of a diplomat who was assassinated several years ago at Rio de Janeiro, committed suicide beside her husband's bier. Her sister, the wife of a rich Amsterdam merchant, was found drowned in the Marne River a few years later.

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SOCIETY MRS. W. K. JACKSON EDITOR CALENDAR WEDNESDAY Junior Intermediate Society of Presbyterian church meets 9 a. m. in the church. Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p. m. Community Club House. Rebekah Lodge, 7:30 p. m. in O. O. F. Hall. Full attendance requested.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES RAISE IMPROVEMENT FUND The Junior department of the Methodist church Sunday school extend thanks to all who assisted in their bank sale conducted under the direction of the Departmental Superintendent, Mrs. A. F. Taylor, on election day. The sale was held for the express purpose of raising money with which to install screens in the classroom, and thereby partition the classes. These screens cost \$90. Over \$30 of this amount was realized from the bake sale. The screens have been ordered and will soon be in place.

CHURCH SOCIETIES MEET The Circles of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church, held their one-a-month meeting yesterday afternoon, having entered upon their new schedule of dates with this session. As the re-organization of circles will be made prior to the next monthly circle meetings, no hostesses were assigned for that session, which will be held on the fourth Monday in September. At that time, the study of the new Mission book will be opened. Next Monday, the W. M. S. meets in union business session in the Baptist church at 5:30 p. m., with Mrs. Clyde L. Garrett, president, in the chair.

Arrangements were made at yesterday's circle meetings for the workers' conference, a big church event to represent several counties, to be held Tuesday, September 11, in the Baptist church. An all-day session will be held, and luncheon served at noon, each circle to furnish their share of the refreshments.

The South Circle was hosted by Mrs. W. D. R. Owen, with the 15th Psalm as devotional, led by Mrs. E. L. Young, chairman, this period closing with prayer by Mrs. Gertrude Sanderford. A business session occupied the meeting exclusively, and no lesson was had, as the new mission study will be taken up at the next meeting of the circles. Mrs. W. L. Spencer was greeted as a new member, by those present: Misses J. B. Overton, W. A. Owen, Orlin, A. J. Campbell, J. A. Cross, S. C. Walker, R. L. Young, and hostess, Mrs. W. D. R. Owen, who served a dainty sandwich plate with potato flakes, and iced tea.

The West Circle met with Mrs. J. Lambert, chairman, who opened the devotional with the one hundredth and eleventh Psalm, and closed with prayer by Misses Thomas J. Pitts, and J. F. McWilliams. A card of thanks received from Mrs. Frank Lovett, was read, expressing appreciation for the many flowers and kindresses showered upon her during her recent convalescence from an operation. The sick committee reported that several in the church were ill, and that calls had been made on them.

Announcement was made that the new officers of the circles will be elected at the next meeting, which the redistricting will precede. At close of session the hostess served iced watermelon to Misses Cook, J. Mead, McWilliams, Ott Hearn, McClendon, T. J. Pitts, F. K. Davis, Bargesley, R. J. Raines, Wilbert Irons, and Mrs. C. H. Colvin who was greeted as a new member. Central Circle met with Mrs. Clyde Garrett.

PRE-SCHOOL CLINIC TO BE HELD NEXT TUESDAY Arrangements for the summer round up, or pre-school clinic, to be held Tuesday, September 4, are going on apace, and plans of the West Ward and South Ward Parents Teacher Associations are formulating for this important event, which was instituted last year and which will be conducted this year again by the trained nurse sent out

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



MOM 'N POP



by the state board of health at Austin. Mrs. R. E. Sikes, president of the West Ward P. T. A., announces her committee will assist in this pre-school clinic in various ways. They will, with the committee from the South Ward P. T. A., see that the proper furnishings are installed in the Community Club-house, where the clinic will be held, and secure the services of the physicians and specialists in Eastland, all of whom have tendered their assistance.

A schedule of hours for these appointments will be made. The committee will also notify parents to bring their children before the clinic, and will go out in the high-ways and byways to inform those mothers who have no phone or no way of knowing of the clinic, and request their children's attendance.

The committee for the morning is Misses Luther Bean, W. G. Dahl and George L. Brogdon. The committee for the afternoon will be: Misses N. N. Rosenquest, R. L. Perkins and George O. Harrell.

Mrs. Sikes said that when school is in session and one walks through the class rooms and sees the great number of little children so evidently in need of medical attention that it makes the heart sorry, and now is the time to bring these children the services of such aid as they will receive at the clinic.

It is specially desired by the trained nurse that those children who were presented at last year's clinic, be returned for a checking up at next Tuesday's clinic, and mothers are requested to bear this in mind. The committees of the South Ward P. T. A. will be announced by their president, Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold, in the near future.

FAMILY REUNION AT MINERAL WELLS A delightful family reunion was held at Mineral Wells, Sunday, by the branches of the Beard family and their connections, when a most delicious luncheon was spread at the park, and a delightful day, reunited Mr. and Mrs. James A. Beard and daughter, Miss Wilma Beard; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Beard, and Mrs. May Harrison, all of Eastland; Lee Walker of Ranger, Berry Walker of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Beard of Dallas.

THOMPSON-CASHIN WEDDING SOLEMNIZED The marriage of W. H. Thompson to Miss Ethel Cashin Saturday evening at seven o'clock, is announced, the wedding ceremony being performed at the Church of Christ, by the Rev. H. W. Wrye, the pastor. The bride was gowned in navy blue georgette, blue suede shoes, and with hose, hat and bag en suite, and carried a lovely bouquet of flowers.

PASTOR'S WIFE ILL Mrs. W. T. Turner was taken ill in the church during a funeral service being conducted and was confined to her bed yesterday. Rev. Mr. Turner said she was weak this morning, but appeared

110-YEAR-OLD NEGRO GIVES HIS OPINION

Opposes 'Tin Cans and Paper Sacks'—Wants Man to Get Back on Soil.

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Warren R. Russell, negro, who celebrated his 110th birthday, active recently, hopes the present generation will emerge from the "age of tin cans and paper bags and go back to tilling the soil." Those attending the meeting were: Mrs. L. V. Reese, Frank Crowell, W. H. Mullings, Ida Foster, F. W. Drago, J. A. Canton, S. J. Rumph, A. L. Costable, Iola Mitchell, H. O. Tatum, A. J. Elliott, E. C. Satterwhite and T. J. Haley. The society meets in business session at 4 p. m. next Monday in the church.

FAMILY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jessop of Tepeka, Kansas, and daughters, Misses Marjorie, Marguerite and Minnie-Marie, are visiting their daughter and son and families, Mr. and Mrs. James Horton and Mr. and Mrs. William Jessop of the handsome Horton home. Their hostesses entertained them with a swim-supper at Olden Saturday evening, and a supper at Bass Lake Sunday at sundown. They will be guests for the day on Thursday, of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Burkhead.

Miss Florence Perkins has returned from a delightful summer in the Ozarks, and in Arkansas. She visited the famous diamond mine, and was also a visitor to a peach orchard of thousands of acres in Arkansas, during fruit gathering season. Last year, she saw the trees in blossom, a beautiful sight. She was met in Dallas by her parents and brother Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Perkins and R. L. Jr., and motored home, arriving yesterday.

Mrs. J. A. Copeland, Wayne and Jane, have returned from a month's visit in Galveston, Corpus Christi and New Orleans. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown and children left for a two weeks' stay in Corpus Christi. Miss Geraldine Dabney is spending today in Fort Worth, the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Neil are entertaining Mrs. L. A. Neil of El Paso, who is making her first visit in the attractive new home of the Neils. Dr. Neil is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Jep F. Little, for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mahaffey are entertaining their son, J. K. Mahaffey of Los Angeles, California, his wife and four sons, Junior, Roland, Donald and Howard, who will be with them ten days or two weeks.

WED AFTER 50 YEARS. SIOUX CITY, Ia. (U.P.)—Remembering a pretty coed who almost half a century ago sat next to him in a classroom at the University of Iowa, Luther L. Cassidy, 72, of Des Moines, came here recently and married Mrs. Jessie F. Griffith, 71.

PLAYOFF BETWEEN SPUDS AND BUFFS

Fan's Theme Now

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—With only a little more than two weeks of play remaining in the Texas league interest has now centered around the two clubs heading the Texas league—Wichita Falls and Houston. The other six teams are considered as being out of the running. At this time, a play-off between Houston and Wichita Falls seems certain. That is conceding the second-half pennant to the Spudders, Houston already having won the first-half pennant.

HORSE GIVING BLOOD TO SAVE HUMAN LIVES

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ROCHESTER, Mich.—Tess, one of the world's greatest life-savers, observed her 15th birthday at Parkedale Farm here today. Tess is a mare who has never been hitched to a wagon but who has, nevertheless, pulled thousands of lives out of danger. When she was four years old she was added to the herd which is maintained by the Parke-Davis Research Laboratories to provide serums in the war against distemper. It was in May, 1917, that she came to Parkedale and she was immediately assigned to the group producing tetanus antitoxin for the protection of the American soldiers.

In the eleven years she has been on the job, Tess has produced 1,023 quarts of tetanus antitoxin.

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THIS HAS HAPPENED

BERTIE LOU WARD married ROD RYER, who had previously been engaged to LILA MARSH. Lila's shadow on the bride's happiness is Lila's habit of telling Rod that she was Rod's first love.

A position in New York is offered Rod by TOM FLASK and he accepts. Anxious to make a good impression, they live beyond their income and Bertie Lou finds it hard to resist when TOM FLASK urges her to buy more than she can afford. She and Rod go to the first quarter over her and to make matters worse Lila arrives to visit Molly and make life miserable for Bertie Lou. But they introduce her to a man named LOHRE and she surprises him by marrying him.

Lila asks Bertie Lou to forgive her past and be friends and she consents. Trying to keep up with her wealthy friends plunges her in debt. Rod becomes depressed and Lila sees her chance to persuade him to accept a higher salary from Loree. She also induces Bertie Lou to indulge in an act of spying.

Bertie Lou's absence Lila asks Rod to put her jewels in the safe vault. Later she requests him to return them and when they are the case the jewels are gone. Rod wants to notify the police but she will not let him. He finally promises to keep the jewels secret if she will let him pay the value in installments as he is able to save from his salary.



"I'm tired," he said; "worked late tonight."

HOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXV

WHEN she begged Rod not to tell Bertie Lou of the theft Lila did take into account his ineptitude for lying.

A few minutes after he left her apartment she had occasion to telephone Bertie Lou. In the course of the conversation she mentioned that Rod had just returned her jewels. And before he reached home Rod decided not to say anything about the matter to Bertie Lou.

Bertie Lou knew he had lunched with Lila on the day he took the necklace and bracelets to the office, a naturally she expected him to speak of having returned them.

As the evening wore on and Rod offered no explanation for his lateness in coming home Bertie Lou began to wonder. Oh, well, perhaps it had slipped his mind. He seemed to be deeply troubled about something.

"What's the matter with you, Rod?" she asked him finally.

"Nothing," he answered shortly and he stiffened his resistance. "I'm tired," he said; "worked late tonight."

He hardly knew he had lied. Had he been clever about it he'd have been very careful to tell Bertie Lou that he was at Lila's house.

But she'd not to stop it, she told herself. Rod wouldn't sit out there all night. And she didn't know what she was going to do. She got up, turned the pillow over and went into her dressing room. Rod had one of his own; he would not come in here.

While she tore off her pretty dinner dress—Rod liked her in soft dainty things and she dressed to please him—she was beginning to think more calmly.

It was plain to her now that Lila had wormed her way back into their good will with but one object in view—to reach Rod. That was why she had induced Cyrus to employ him, to pay him a handsome salary.

But beyond realizing that chance had exposed Lila's hand at this point Bertie Lou had no idea what had gone before. Tonight was the first time she had caught Rod in a lie, but that did not mean that it was his first lie to her.

Her impulse was to go and ask him. She threw a velvet negligee around her shoulders and started back to the living room. But another thought stopped her. Hadn't she been second choice when she married Rod? What would happen if she went to him now and taxed him with being still in love with his first choice?

A wounded soul, struggling in the dark, can conjure up many torments. Bertie Lou's mental anguish was as real and intense as though all the painful conclusions she reached were true ones.

Rod had lied to her. He had come from Lila and lied about it. Cyrus and she might step aside, but Rod could not find happiness with Lila. And then Bertie Lou knew that Cyrus never would step aside. He wasn't that kind. Rod could not have Lila.

And Bertie Lou hadn't said to herself that she was willing to give Rod up.

Oh, it was a hideous mess. Her head was aching furiously now, and

kind," Lila snapped. "I said I assumed it to be in good order."

"You had no trouble locking it?" Lila hesitated a second. "N...o," she admitted reluctantly. "But see here, Mr. Weeks," she added suddenly. "You're entirely on the wrong track if you think Mr. Bryer put that lock out of order."

Weeks frowned. "Did you discover any clues at the office?" he asked Rod. Rod said no.

"Why are you paying for the jewels?" the detective questioned, his words coming like machine gun bullets.

"Because they were in my care and I was responsible for them," he said. "Your first thought was that I had stolen them. Wouldn't everyone else think so, too? Well, I didn't do it, and when Mrs. Loree consented to let me pay the insurance on them I considered that a wiser course than trying to convince the world of my innocence."

THE detective decided to do what was asked of him, regardless of his private opinions. There was something fishy here, but as no one seemed to be crying for redress he was willing to go on with his investigations along the lines laid down for him by his employer.

Before he left they arranged a way for him to search the office. Rod would remain after the other employees were gone and admit him. Lila made up her mind to be there too, but she said nothing of her intention at the time.

When Rod got back to the office after lunching with Lila he found a memorandum of Bertie Lou's call on his desk. He tried to get her on the telephone but there was no answer.

Lila, too, tried to reach her, after standing 10 minutes in the lobby of the theater and losing her patience. She thought, when Bertie Lou did not answer, that she was on the way. It was nearly certain time, so she left Bertie Lou's ticket at the box office and went into the theater.

Bertie Lou did not arrive during the first act. Lila was setting a little worried. He called the apartment again. Still no answer.

Well, if she didn't come by the end of the second act it might be a good idea to telephone Rod. But if he couldn't get the apartment either he would go tearing off home and forget about the detective. And Bertie Lou might arrive after all, and make the upsetting of their plans a needless sacrifice.

The play ended and Bertie Lou did not come to the theater. Lila got into her car, the cabriolet that had thrilled her so the first time she rode in it, and which now she would have exchanged, on occasions only, for the old rattety hansom car that Rod and she had climbed poles and jumped fences in once upon a time.

THE detective was there ahead of her. Through the open door of Cyrus' private office she could see him moving about the safe when Rod admitted her to the bedroom. For a moment she stood leaning against Cyrus' desk and watched around the corners of her mouth. A queer smile played upon her face.

Half an hour later the detective left them. Lila turned to Rod. "Cy keeps some good stuff in his safe, doesn't he? Let's have a drink."

"I'd rather not open it again," Rod demurred. "In fact I think I'd better be getting along. Lila, Bertie Lou was trying to get me by telephone and I haven't been able to reach her. I have a feeling that something is wrong."

(To Be Continued)

Country-at-Large—Notre Dame, Princeton, with its veteran material, will be one of the hardest teams in the country to beat this season. The Tigers' backfield of Ed Wittmer, Mike Miles, Jack Norman and Bill Scarlett is one of the most promising quartets for the season.

Wisconsin has high hopes of winning the Big Ten title with a veteran team coached by Glenn Thisthwaite. Pop Warner says his squad at Stanford this season is the greatest he has ever coached. Georgia's backfield of Johnson, Hooks, Dudley and McCray may turn out to be one of the nation's best. Nebraska will have a veteran team, including Blue Howell, the great fullback, Southern Methodist, with the brilliant Redman Hume, will come east for the first time to play Army.

BASEBALL

MONDAY'S RESULTS

Texas League
San Antonio 7, Beaumont 5.
Houston 14, Waco 4.
Wichita Falls 2, Shreveport 1.
Fort Worth 7, Dallas 6.

American League
New York 4-5, Detroit 3-2.
St. Louis 8-4, Boston 4-0.
Cleveland 5, Washington 3.
Only games scheduled.

National League
Pittsburgh 9, Cincinnati 4.
St. Louis 11, Chicago 3.
Only games scheduled.

CLUB STANDINGS

Texas League			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
Wichita Falls	47	17	.734
Houston	40	24	.625
Shreveport	35	29	.547
Dallas	29	32	.475
Fort Worth	27	35	.435
Waco	27	37	.422
Beaumont	17	45	.274

American League			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
New York	84	41	.672
Philadelphia	79	44	.642
St. Louis	66	60	.524
Chicago	56	67	.455
Washington	57	69	.452
Detroit	56	69	.448
Cleveland	57	70	.449
Boston	45	80	.260

National League			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	75	48	.619
New York	68	49	.581
Chicago	75	54	.571
Cincinnati	70	54	.565
Pittsburgh	68	54	.557
Brooklyn	60	64	.484
Boston	55	77	.412
Philadelphia	33	81	.289

Family Menu

BY SISTER MARY
BREAKFAST—Orange juice, cereal, cream, bacon and potato omelet, heart of lettuce, crisp toast, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON—Stuffed cabbage, rye bread, watermelon cones, milk, tea.
DINNER—Roast duck, creamed onions, grape fruit and avocado salad, jellied rice pudding, milk, coffee.
Coffee made to be served iced should be of double strength and will be vastly improved by the addition of a dash of salt. Particularly for those who use cream and more particularly for those who use whipped cream to top their glasses.
Stuffed Cabbage
Ane medium sized cabbage, 1 cup cold left-over meat, 1 cup coarse stale bread crumbs, 1 small onion, 2 tablespoons minced parsley, 1 teaspoon minced thyme, 1 clove garlic, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-8 teaspoon pepper, 4 to 6 slices bacon.
Wash cabbage carefully and trim if necessary. Cook in boiling

Water for 30 minutes. Remove from sauce pan and turn upside down to drain. Soak bread crumbs in hot water. Add chopped meat, minced onion, parsley, thyme and garlic minced, salt and pepper. When the cabbage is well drained turn back the leaves and put the stuffing between. Bind around with bacon, keeping bacon in place with wooden toothpicks. Tie cabbage with a soft cord to keep in place and cook slowly until cabbage is tender. It will take about one and one-half hours. When ready to serve remove from pan, cut away cord and put on a hot platter. The final cooking can be done by gentle simmering closely covered in a little of the water in which the cabbage was cooked on top of the stove or by steaming.

Texan's Yacht To Make Scientific Tour of 2 Years

BEAUMONT, Aug. 27.—S. W. Parrish's yacht Esperanza will carry the pennant of the Beaumont Yacht club into scores of foreign ports in a two-year semi-scientific cruise for which the wealthy Beaumont and Tulsa oil operator is having the craft refitted.

Besides the crew and officers, Parrish plans to take with him on the cruise a small party of zoologists, botanists, anthropologists and archaeologists. Lee Parrish,

his son, will go along as geologist and first mate. The life-guard warned her not to go too deep. But she proved her ability by diving off of a spring board and swimming rapidly across the pool.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—Mrs. E. G. Guggenheim will be 86 years old in November, but she still can show younger people a few tricks about swimming. The first time

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THE first stage of the cruise will be down the Florida coast and to the West Indies, South America will next be visited and then Central America where the scientists will be put ashore to make investigations in the ruins of Mayan civilization. Going through the Panama canal the Esperanza will then run up the Pacific coast to San Francisco for refitting before continuing her cruise. It is possible the trip may be extended to Australia but that has not been determined.

The Esperanza is an 80-foot double ended ketch with 200-horsepower engines. Her masts have just been removed at Chicago, where she now is, in order that she may be passed through the Erie canal on her way to New York to start the trip.

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Books and Slides

Get Fat, Tommy!
Jack Kearns, who had plenty of fat in the heavyweight class years ago and who knows all about the business now, says next recognized champion is to come from nowheres. Kearns has a couple of young uncles, but he is frank enough to say they aren't so hot. Kearns told his old friends in Germany that Tommy Loughran is the best fighter in the country this year. He doesn't give the pounder much of a chance for the title. He said Dempsey might even stand up in Yale in a fight and that Sharkey has shown he isn't there.

The rest of the class he rates as follows:

When She Gets Older
May Sutton Bundy, who is the world's tennis champion at 25 years of age, is one of the latest of her permanent retirement. She is going to devote her time to the instruction of her children. Her little Dorothy is 11 and her little Billy is 10 and they are perhaps the best players of their age in the world.

Bundy decided this year that her children had been developed to the point where they could play the little tournament exhibitions in the east and she sent them on from California. They are arriving in the east this week and she might as well do a little playing herself for the fun of it. She had a lot of fun in the eastern sectional championship from a classy field and went into the national championships.

Sad Ending, Alas!

There are plenty of things that can happen to an athletic in the way of bad breaks, but Al Sheehy thinks he had one happen to him that was an awful smash. The future looked rosy to Sheehy when he went up to the New York Yankees this year. He talked it over with his girl friend, told her how much dough he would have after the world's series. Enough dough for a car, a little nest and all those lovelies that the smitten one can picture. And she said yes. The girl friend was sitting pretty and living for that October day when he would have the bank roll and the girl friend. And then he was traded back to St. Paul.

Or on a Street Car

James E. Butler, the New York grocery king, is one of the most popular men connected with the turf in this country. Every time one of the Butler stable wins a race at his Empire City track the band plays the "Wearin' of the Green." And they say that nine out of ten young Irishers who leave the old country to make their pile in the States are told—"You go and see that Butler. And if he don't have a job for you in his grocery you can always be a cop in New York."

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

Bib Falk says the White Sox do not like the Athletics. . . . That they like to beat the Yankees. . . . That they just love to smack the A's. . . . Phil Scott says he won't come back to the U. S. . . . Because you can't make any big dough in this country. . . . The home folks in Omaha call Ace Hudkins "Kitty." . . . Doc Jack Sutherland, Pittsburgh football coach, says Princeton and Penn are going to

Sports Matter

By George KIRKSEY
United Press Sports Writer
The annual fall hysteria, with its flying tackles, fumbled punts, triple passes and sweep runs, is only a month away.
The nation's football army will mobilize next month and a thousand and one coaches will begin a frantic search for another "Red" Grange, another Benny Hoosterbaan, and another Ernie Nevers.
From logging camp, ice wagons, steel mills and gymnasiums will come thousands and thousands of young athletes bent on making a place on the varsity eleven.
No drastic changes were made in the football rules during the winter, and the game this season will be almost identical with the game as played in 1927.
Three Minor Changes
The three minor changes, briefly, follow:
1. The backward or lateral pass must be thrown a distance of two yards before striking the ground and is dead at point of recovery.

Sports Matter

2. Either a muff or fumble of a punt may be recovered but not advanced beyond point of recovery.
3. No player on the side making a forward pass and who has crossed the line may interfere with an opponent until the ball has been touched.
A large number of schools will begin football practice the first week in September. Yale, Harvard and Princeton, the last of the eastern teams to begin training, open their camps September 17.
A few minor games are scheduled for Saturday, September 22, but the official opening will not take place until Saturday, Sept. 29, when practically all of the leading teams get into action. Yale, Harvard and Princeton do not open their season until Oct. . . . Yale plays Maine, Harvard plays Springfield and Princeton plays Vermont.
Notre Dame and the Army have two of the toughest schedules ever attempted by any football teams. Notre Dame plays Carnegie Tech, Georgia Tech, Minnesota, Southern California, Army, Navy and Penn State. The Army plays Southern Methodist, Harvard, Yale Carleton, Notre Dame, Nebraska and Stanford.
Princeton a Favorite
A few of the outstanding teams in each section for the coming season follow:
East—Princeton, Dartmouth, Pittsburgh, Army.
Big Ten—Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa.
Six Six—Missouri, Nebraska, South—Georgia, Vanderbilt, Georgia Tech, Alabama.
T. rlapars-Mind—Texas, Southwest—Southern Methodist, Texas, Texas Aegies.
Far West—Stanford, Southern California, Idaho.
Rocky Mountain Conference—Denver, Colorado Aggies.

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ROBINSON IS FACING FIGHT IN BROOKLYN

Manager Opposed By the Biggest Stockholder of the Club.

By United Press.

NEW YORK.—The last pennant hopes of the Brooklyn Robins expired before the National League had renewed the three-year contract. The Brooklyn team has little chance of finishing among the leaders of the second division and with a new war breaking out between Steve McKeever, representing fifty per cent of the stockholders of the club, and Wilbur Robinson, the manager, conditions at Flatbush cannot be termed ideal.

McKeever's latest effort to remove Robbie comes in the wake of the death of John Scholl, executor of the Ebbe's estate and representative of the Ebbe's heirs on the board of directors of the Brooklyn club. Scholl was Robinson's chief supporter and made many trips with the Dodgers.

"I have a letter signed by fifty leading citizens of Brooklyn protesting against the present situation," McKeever contends. "We have spent money right and left and have got nowhere. The trouble is not a new one. Take the situation in 1925 for example. In 1924 we barely lost to the Giants, who won by a game and a half. The next winter Robinson re-organized the club at a cost of \$235,000. What happened? We finished seventh, and not a good seventh at that."

McKeever Demands Change.

McKeever is of the opinion that something must be done to meet the demands of the Brooklyn fans for a winning team. The war between McKeever and Robbie has been going on since the deaths of Charles H. Ebbe and Edward McKeever. Steve made an effort last year to force Robbie to give up the presidency and stick to the management, but the trouble was patched up.

The Peerless Leader, as Robinson is termed, was with the team in Pittsburgh when the reports of McKeever's actions reached him. The charge of mismanagement was a source of annoyance to the pilot. He intimated surprise regarding the action, but said that he would fight to the finish.

"I have an iron-clad contract with the Brooklyn Dodgers to manage the team, and I am also the president of the organization," he said. "I intend to fulfill that contract, which does not expire for another year. Judge McKeever has no authority to oust me and I have no intentions of resigning."

Robinson's contract calls for a salary of \$15,000 a year, and he also draws \$10,000 yearly as president.

The Brooklyn manager was of the opinion that McKeever had nothing to say about the matter, and no authority to oppose his actions. He contends that he has the support of the board of directors and considers McKeever's latest move as a perfect illustration of the lack of co-operation which has handicapped his efforts to

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"If I were working for him alone I'd have resigned long ago. But I feel that I owe it to the rest of my employers to continue as manager until my contract expires, and see no reason why I should resign just because a disgruntled minority stockholder talks out of turn," declared Robbie.

McKeever's animosity toward the Brooklyn manager is no new development. "Steve" admittedly was opposed to the retention of Robbie as manager of the club in the fall of 1926, when the manager was signed to a three year contract, at a time when McKeever lay seriously ill in a New York hospital. That the contract would not have been offered Robinson had McKeever been able to carry on his campaign is reasonably certain.

The Brooklyn fans were optimistic regarding a pennant winner at the opening of the season. It is a matter of fact and record that every four years the Robins chirp their loudest and the fans thought the next outburst was due in 1928.

Running concurrently with the presidential year, the Robins have been breaking out quadrennially for the last twelve years. The vogue started back in 1916, two years after Wilbert Robinson succeeded Bill Dahlen as manager, by bringing the first National League pennant to Brooklyn since Ed Hannon's championship team in 1900. In 1920 Robinson startled the baseball world by piloting the team to another championship. True to forecast, the Robins bobbed up again in 1924. That year they didn't win the pennant, the Giants nosing them out by a game and a half, but it was close enough for the Brooklyn fans.

STANDARD FOR COUPLINGS IS FIRE MEASURE

Hose and Apparatus From One City Can Be Used In Fighting Fire In Another City.

By GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press Staff Correspondent
AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—Good roads and standard fire couplings rapidly are enabling Texas towns and cities to make a combined stand against fire losses.

Figures just completed at the fire division of the state insurance commission show that fully half the communities in Texas now have fire equipment that can be used in other places that have "standard" connections. Record progress is being made in changing the other half to "standard."

Of 36 cities that a survey showed would have to change couplings completely, 13 have completed the change and in the others work is going forward. Waco was the largest city where change was needed and it has just completed there.

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the standardization work for the state insurance commission. He explained that to be standard merely means that the fire connections must have a three and a half inch outside diameter of the coupling thread with 7 1-2 threads to the inch. That was not chosen as standard because of any mechanical advantage over couplings of other size and thread but merely because investigation showed that it was one to which most places could conform with the least expense.

To conform some places have to install entirely new couplings. Others are able to convert the

couplings they have. It has been found that successful changes can be made where the diameter ranges from 2 31-32 to 3 5-32 inches with seven to eight threads to the inch. In getting to standard 130 communities have made changes. Venus, Ballinger, Goliad, Bartlett and Pilot Point recently changed their old non-standard threads themselves. Alvarado and Milford are starting to do so now and Port Arthur is planning a similar step.

Fire history in Texas shows many examples of fires checked by interchangeable apparatus and many severe losses because apparatus was not interchangeable. The Fort Worth fire of 1912 and the Paris fire of 1916 first called attention to the need of standard couplings when equipment from surrounding places were rushed to their aid. El Campo suffered a heavy loss when equipment rushed there from Wharton Bay City and other places could not be connected. Because of standard couplings, on the other hand, Houston recently was able to assist Rosenberg and Goose Creek. A few years ago Harlingen rushed equipment down a concrete road to San Benito, coupled up and prevented a threatening spread of fire. This instance was especially notable for San Benito and Harlingen then had slightly differing couplings. The thread difference was so small, however, that connections could be made. Since then practically all places in the lower Rio Grande Valley, with the exception of Brownsville, have ordered standard equipment, this makes the combined fire fighting equipment of a dozen places available for a fire in any one of them as a concrete road connects all.

Small communities near the large cities with well equipped fire departments are benefitting especially as they can always count on aid from the big cities if a fire gets beyond local control.

MotORIZED equipment and the paved roads have eliminated the old method of loading fire engines on a special train. The equipment is rushed direct to the fire just as though the fire were in its own territory.

FRANCE HONORS GOULD

By United Press.
PARIS—Like John D. Rockefeller, Jr., who was made an honorary Frenchman for his gifts for the restoration of the Versailles royal palace and the Rheims cathedral, Frank Ja Gould has been named a citizen of France.

W. L. Keith Buys Hotel Garage and Has Management

W. L. Keith, formerly of Ranger, who moved to Eastland recently to make his home here and take over the management of the Eastland Gasoline Company, his property for some time, has added to his holdings in Eastland by buying the Hotel Garage, at West Main and Mulberry Streets, where it will continue to conduct a filling station and garage and repair cars. He has large quarters for the storage of automobiles.

Bathing Suits Not Now What They Used To Be

DEAUVILLE.—Cartoonists have been lampooning women's bathing garb, contending that they could be folded into a vanity bag, but Deauville gasped when a new freak of fashion cut away almost half of what is left of swimming gear.

The stylish bathing suits are now backless. They still have shoulder-straps and a bib but are cut lower in the back than any evening gown was ever trimmed.

For several seasons bathers retired to a comparatively quiet corner of the beach and opened the tops of their bathing costumes to let the sun play on bare backs. Practical women suddenly decided that all this was a waste of time, and if their bathing suits had no

backs the effect would be the

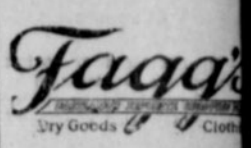


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