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FLOODS THREATEN WEST TEXAS TOWN

National Legion Convention Opens In Boston

STERLING RESIGNS AS HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER

Ely Is Named As Chairman By Governor Moody

J. K. Martin of San Antonio is new member of Commission. Cone Johnson stays until 1933.

Bishop Cannon Back to Face Charges



"I have nothing to say about anything," declared Bishop James Cannon, Jr., of the Methodist Episcopal Church South when, as pictured above, he returned to New York from Brazil to answer charges made against him by members of his denomination. He kept his bride hidden from the view of an army of newspaper reporters and cameramen who met him aboard ship. He refused to pose for pictures and this one was snapped as he went under escort to show his passport and credentials to customs and immigration officials. Later, in an interview, he declared "all kinds of graft in national politics."

Hoover Pleads For Observance Of Nation's Laws

150,000 Members, Wives and Guests Are Present On Opening Day. Bodenhamer Reports Membership Increase.

BOSTON, Oct. 6.—President Hoover, former General Calvin Coolidge and General John Pershing were honor guests today as the American Legion opened its 12th national convention here. Approximately 150,000 Legionnaires, auxiliary members and guests representing every state and territory of the United States were in Boston for the formal opening of their annual get-together. Today was crowded with activities for the Legionnaires. Besides the opening of the convention at Boston arena with President Hoover as principal speaker, thousands of delegates were to attend a football game between Boston College and the Quantico Marines and tonight there was to be a parade of the "forty and eight" and the national commander's dinner with General Pershing as chief speaker.

Paulina Longworth Goes to School



Paulina Longworth, one of America's most famous children, hardly looks happy in this picture, even though it was taken on one of the big days in her life. It shows her on her first day in school, surrounded by her classmates in a private school in Cincinnati where she is enrolled in the first grade with her parents, Speaker Nicholas Longworth and Alice Roosevelt Longworth, preferred to have her photographed with the other pupils rather than alone.

Brady Reported Partly Flooded; Water Is Rising

Llano River, Pecan Bayou and San Saba Rivers Threaten to Overflow Banks.

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 6.—Steady rains over the week-end which proved a boon to fall crops, sheep and cattle ranges, were assuming flood proportions today in parts of the state. At noon today muddy waters from Brady creek were creeping into the town of Brady at the rate of one foot per hour. The Chamber of Commerce offices were flooded by six feet of water. The floor of the Brady Hotel was likewise submerged. Telegraph communication was interrupted when water flooded instruments and damaged wire connections. Llano river was reported up 25 feet. At Menard flood waters from the San Saba river were likewise creeping toward the town. Many roads throughout West Texas were reported impassable as steady rains converted highways into seas of boggy mud. Although the Rio Grande was a sullen torrent roaring its way to the Gulf five feet above its normal level, no flood damage was expected from that source. West Texas rain reports showed that the precipitation for the past 26 hours varied from 3 to 10 inches.

Two Banks Are Merged Here This Morning

A deal has been consummated by the terms of which Eastland's two banking institutions have merged into one, the Texas State Bank having taken over the Exchange National Bank. The business will be continued as the personnel of Bank with the same personnel of officers and employees. There will be no increase in the capital stock, which is \$100,000. Some of the stockholders of the Exchange National will become stockholders in the Texas State. The consolidation became effective today. A statement, signed by the directors of both institutions, was given the press this morning and was as follows: "In line with the general trend of business towards consolidation and in order to be able to serve their customers more economically and effectively, the Boards of Directors of Texas State Bank of Eastland and Exchange National Bank have effected an agreement for the consolidation of these two banking institutions. The combined assets of these two banks will give to Eastland one of the strongest banking institutions in West Texas. The books and assets of Exchange National Bank have been transferred to Texas State Bank of Eastland where the customers of Exchange National Bank will be served without interruption of their banking facilities."

Legion Post To Elect Officers Tuesday Night

The Dulin-Daniel Post of the American Legion will hold an important meeting in the county court room in the courthouse on Tuesday, October 7 at 7:30 o'clock at which time an election of officers will be held. Throughout his speech to the World War veterans he stressed the necessity of good citizenship not only by respect for the law but by using the ballot to preserve American institutions and ideals, driving out unworthy public officials. Without mentioning prohibition by name he told the Legionnaires (Continued on page 2)

Rotarians Hear Haldean Allen Tell Of Plans

HAL Dean Allen, captain of the Eastland football team, in a brief talk before the Eastland Rotary club today, told of the future plans of his team for this season. He said that notwithstanding the fact that the team had played two games and lost them both and were all but broken hearted, they were not discouraged and were fully determined to win every game they play from here on out. "If we win our games for the rest of the season we will finish second," Allen said. I. Moldave, whose classification in the Rotary club is that of shoe salesman, gave a classification talk, giving many interesting tips on the care and treatment of the feet. Mrs. Joe Gibson rendered several numbers on the piano, which were greatly appreciated by the audience. John Mouser, chairman of the Boy Scout annual membership drive, outlined the plans for the drive, which got underway today. Ralph Crouch told the club that so far the American Legion had not heard from the bids let some days ago in El Paso for the grading and draining of the American Legion Airport here. The committee to provide a program for next Monday's meeting was composed of J. M. Armstrong, Curtis Hertig and Luther Bean.

Drive For Boy Scout Fund Is Underway Today

Eastland's annual Boy Scout membership campaign was started today with a meeting of a finance committee at the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 10:00 o'clock. Last week a campaign for volunteer subscriptions was carried on through the newspaper. This week the members of the committee will make personal calls soliciting memberships in the Olbelt Council. Eastland is the headquarters city for the Olbelt Council, which includes the following towns: Crystal Falls, Breckenridge, Caddo, Gunnight, Cisco, Olden, Itanzer, Staff, Scranton, Romney, Carbon, Desdemona, Pioneer, Rising Star, Okra and Gorman. Eastland's quota is \$1,100.

Judge Hickman's Class Organizes Sunday Morning

A new men's Sunday school class has been organized at the First Methodist church. The first meeting was held Sunday with a charter membership of 51. Carl P. Springer is president of the class, and Chief Justice J. E. Hickman of the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals is teacher. No name for the class has been selected. Suggestions for a name, however, have been invited and 69 of these have been submitted. On next Sunday a name is to be selected from this number. Following is a report of last Sunday's meeting of the class: Carl P. Springer, president, present. Fred Davenport, v-pres., absent. (family sickness). Willbourne B. Collier, Secy-Treas. present. A. L. Agate, V-Secy, absent. Judge J. E. Hickman, teacher, present. Meeting opened promptly at 9:40. Two songs by class, led by director, A. E. Herringer. Mrs. B. B. Bickerstaff, class pianist, at the piano. Collection \$4.75, of which \$2.25 was paid to General Sunday School and \$2.50 retained by Secretary for Men's Class. Invocation: T. M. Johnson. President made appointment of Committees which had been directed by general class meeting on September 30th, as follows: Pianist: Mrs. B. B. Bickerstaff; assistant, Mrs. Grady Pipkin. Committee on Constitution and By-Laws: W. P. Leslie, chairman; John W. Turner, T. L. Overby. Membership Committee: Morris L. Kessler, chairman; R. E. Sikes, J. W. Maddox, Earl Bender, Jones B. Steele, S. H. Whittenberg, M. E. Lawrence, M. W. Grieger, G. H. Kinard. Entertainment Committee: V. T. Seabrey, chairman; Bert B. Bickerstaff, Joe H. Jones. Publicity Committee: N. N. Rosengust, chairman; Frank A. Jones Ben Hamner. Motion by John W. Turner that class proceed to select name for class. Second by R. B. Bickerstaff. Amendment by Judge Hickman that Secretary be instructed to read names submitted. Motion and amendment adopted and Secretary read the following names, after which motion was made by John W. Turner, seconded by Mr. Bickerstaff, that President appoint committee of five to canvass selection of the five names receiving the largest number of votes on Sunday, October 12th. Amendment by Earl Bender that all (Continued on page 2)

Foxx's Homer Scoring Cochrane Wins For The A's

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 6.—Jimmie Foxx's home run in the ninth inning won the Cardinals on base. Frick tied out to Boley. Bottomley out to Foxx unassisted. The play by innings: Athletics—Bishop fanned. Dykes out Gelbert to Bottomley. Cochrane singled to center. Simmons filed to Gelbert. No runs, one hit no errors. Cardinals—Douthitt out Foxx unassisted. Adams singled to center. Frick tied out to Boley. Bottomley out to Foxx unassisted. Second Inning Athletics—Foxx flied out to Hayfey. Miller flied out to Douthitt. Hass flied out to Douthitt. (Continued on page 2)

WEATHER

Eastland and vicinity—Cloudy. Minimum temperature yesterday 59. Rainfall Sunday 205. Wind from the south-southwest with gusts to 24.00 degrees, full operation will be resumed. It is the only plant of its kind in Texas, employs about 200 persons.

New Paper At Pampa Started

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 6.—The United Press had a new addition to its Texas clientele today—the Pampa Daily Times. Day leased wire service to the afternoon publication was strated this morning. The paper has been issued weekly since June, 1927. Twelve thousand and five hundred copies were run off on its initial day as a daily. J. D. Sugg, 27, is editor in chief. W. O. Adams, formerly with the Wichita Eagle, is his right hand man. Mrs. Sugg will be in charge of the society news.

Air Race Manager Is Recovering From Injuries

EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 6.—Cliff Henderson, manager of the recent National Air Races at Chicago, was reported greatly improved today in an El Paso hospital, where he was under treatment for injuries suffered in a plane crash. Henderson said he will fly on to his home in Los Angeles as soon as he is able to travel and not remain here until he has fully recovered. His plane fell near Almagordo, N. M., Saturday. He received lacerations of the face and throat, an injured shoulder and sprained ankle.

Dallas Starts Work On New 'Y' Building

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 6.—Ground was to be broken at noon today for a new \$350,000 Y. M. C. A. building.

Commission To Select C. of C. Board Directors

The Eastland city commission is scheduled to meet this afternoon at which time they will select five names from a list of ten names submitted to them by the board of directors of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce to be directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

Convict Escapes Before Facing Firing Squad

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Oct. 6.—Mexican officials were engaged in a manhunt today, seeking to apprehend a convict sentenced to die before a firing squad for his confessed slaying of Samuel Shong, Chinese banker. Nicholas Moran scaled the high wall surrounding the Matamoros, Mex., prison and escaped Saturday. Manuel A. Saldana, U. S. border patrolman, said Moran crept through the barbed wire surrounding the prison and was gone nearly an hour before guards knew he was missing. Jose Ramos, condemned to die for the same crime, did not attempt to escape. Farnsworth—Erection of community house started. Dalhart—Work progressing rapidly on phone lines.

Kidnaped Man Found Roaming Streets In Daze

GARY, Ind., Oct. 6.—Marion Sensenbrenner, Gary jeweler, was found wandering in a daze in Cambridge, Gray suburb, early today. Taken to a hospital, he said he had been kidnaped ten days ago. Dr. David M. White said Sensenbrenner was in a serious condition due to exhaustion and a high fever and refused to permit extensive questioning. He said the jeweler had been drugged. Sensenbrenner disappeared ten days ago. He told police he feared he had met with harm. Later he reported the receipt of a number of threatening letters, declaring his husband had been abducted and demanding \$10,000 ransom. Police were able to obtain from him only the information that he had been kidnaped and held a prisoner in a house near Gary. They were unable to learn why he had been freed. Mrs. Sensenbrenner denied that ransom had been paid. BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Oct. 6.—Plans have been completed here for the construction of a \$430,000 federal building.

Lake Eastland Has Rise Of 18 Inches Today

With a total fall of three inches of rain within the past 50 hours a rise of 18 inches was recorded in the water line at Lake Eastland at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon. A sizeable stream of water was pouring into the lake at that time. Water at the Leon lake of the Olbelt Power Company, four miles southeast of Eastland, was running over the spillway this morning. Both the north and south branches of the Leon river were running almost bank full at noon today. Dale Meredith Dies Sunday Dale Meredith, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meredith, died last night at 9:00 o'clock. Funeral arrangements had not been announced at 2:30 this afternoon and it was stated that they would not be held before sometime Tuesday. Young Meredith, a junior in Eastland High School, had been ill for some weeks.

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SPARKS FROM THE TEXAS INDUSTRIAL ANVIL.

William C. Edwards of Dallas continues to furnish the people with his weekly bulletin of building activities. There is plenty doing in the field of development in Texas. Now Texans are told:

That not in many years has there been so much activity among Texas railroads in extensions as now. With the Texas and Pacific seeking permit for a 333 mile extension into the Panhandle, with the Santa Fe's extension to Del Rio soon completed to furnish Texas with direct communication as far into Mexico as Chihuahua now and with Topobolampo on the west coast by the first of the year, the Rock Island is ready to award contract for its Vega-Forrest, New Mexico line, has about completed its line from Dalhart to Morse and the Frisco is expected soon to begin work on its line from Vernon to Seymour.

That if the Texas and Pacific gets its permit it will bring the total of new lines authorized in the Panhandle and South Plains area to about 1000 miles, including the 120 mile Denver-Burlington extension from Childress to Pampa.

That the 1000 mile 24 inch natural gas pipeline that will extend from the Texas Panhandle to Northern Illinois and will serve 50 cities will be buried below the cultivation line so that farm work will not be interfered with and the companies interested have seven trillion feet of gas available in Texas and Oklahoma and Kansas.

That development of a new deep-water port at Port Aransas, together with the creation of an industrial center, is the ultimate \$10,000,000 objective of a group of Connecticut men who have purchased the \$2,000,000 properties of the Aransas Harbor Terminal railway and Aransas Dock and Channel company.

That bids on the 450-acre 1,500,000 lake which Dallas Power & Light company will build in Mountain Creek Valley, west of Dallas, were received in September and construction will start early in the fall; that a portion of the short line will be used by the city for a park; that the first unit of the power plant on the lake will be built as soon as the demand approaches the capacity of the present 82,500 kw. station in Dallas.

That endowment of \$200,000,000 for the University of Texas from its oil royalties and bonuses alone is predicted within 40 years by the land commissioner of Texas and in little more than seven years it has received over \$13,000,000 from this source.

That Texas has one and a half times as many farms as any two other states in the union, or 455,646, and, furthermore, Texas has about 14 per cent of the farms in the United States.

That the 6,001,101 citrus trees in the Lower Rio Grande Valley represent with the land they occupy a value of \$143,000,000 an increase of \$80,000 over that of a year ago and that last year 908,853 new trees were put out in that area.

Are the builders and the developers active in Texas? Why ask? Read the daily newspapers and trade journals and then face about and march with the procession of wealth creators and wealth makers under Texas skies.

Hoover Pleads

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no man dares to call himself a faithful American and suggest any disrespect for law.

Assuring them that the peace of the nation was never more secure and that the government is providing a \$900,000,000 annual outlay for all veterans, the chief executive told them that his sworn duty is to enforce laws, to see that they are not violated and that they should have care that the demands upon the government should not exceed the measure that justice requires and self help can provide," he added.

The president pointed out briefly to the fact that the nation cannot escape "tranny" except through the ballot box and that it is the duty of every citizen to exercise that privilege.

Uphold Constitution "The first high purpose you express," he said, "is to uphold and defend the constitution and to maintain law and order in the United States. Happily your ideal is my first and most sacred duty."

As President of the United States I am sworn by the whole people to maintain the constitution and to enforce the laws. No man should dare call himself a faithful American and suggest otherwise.

"You have recognized the upholding of the constitution and the enforcement of the laws, must, however, not rest upon government officials alone. It must rise from the stern demand and the loyal cooperation of good citizenship and individual responsibility to the community."

As to his Cleveland speech last week, the president pledged himself to the ideal of abolishing poverty. He pointed that "nearly half the globe is in a state of great unrest or a state of revolution."

Democracy built up from the war in which these Legionnaires fought are tottering or toppling, he suggested. Ours can remain secure only if citizens employ the opportunities of good citizenship, he said.

Halting the Kellogg peace pact and the London naval agreement as "two momentous victories on the path of peace," he declared more is necessary.

Peace More Than Paper "Real peace in the world requires something more than documents which we sign to terminate wars," he said. "Peace requires

unremitting, courageous campaign, laid with strategy and carried on successfully on a hundred fronts and sustained in the spirit and from the hearts of every individual in every town and village in our country."

Reminiscent of his successful fight with congress, against the original war veterans' disability bill at the last session, the president spoke of what the government is now doing under substitute legislation he endorsed for the veterans. Care of 700,000 world war veterans is being provided, he said. But the veterans should have care that "the demands upon the government should not exceed the measure that justice requires and self help can provide."

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Judge Hickman's

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names submitted be printed in Eastland Telegram and members clip the list and vote their first, second, third, fourth and fifth selections and hand them in to the secretary Sunday morning, and upon receipt of which the committee will canvass the result and submit the five leading names back to the class as a whole for the selection of the name for the class. Motion and amendment adopted unanimously. The following names were submitted:

- Eastland Men's; Bible History; M. E. Auxiliary; Helpful; On Schedule; Off Tower; Morning Chorus; Every Man; All Men's; Men's Booster; Men Only; Non Partisan; Your Neighbors; Your Own; Progressive; Cheer-Up; Working Men's; Wide Awake; Our Master; The Lords'; Friendship Bible Class; Agnition Bible Class; Baromet Bible Class; Defenders Bible Class; Good Will Bible Class; Amicable Bible Class; Fraternal Bible Class; Brotherhood Bible Class; The Common Herd Bible Class; Old Glory Bible Class; Eastland Class of Man; Nine-Forty-Nine Bible Class; Men's Inspirational Class; Our Progressive Men's Class; The Touchdown; Class of Court; United Men's Class; "Spirit of Eastland"; Great Conquest Class; Worship-Minded; The Fifty Minute Bible Class; Business Men's Bible Class; Citizens Bible Class; Everybody's Bible Class;

OUT OUR WAY



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY.

Mutual Bible Class; The Master Bible Class; Common Pleas Bible Class; Magna Carta Bible Class; J. E. Hickman Bible Class; The Comrade Bible Class; On Time Bible Class; On the Dot Bible Class; 9-49 Bible Class; M. E. Church Class; Forward Men's Bible Class; Horned Frog Bible Class; Central Texas Four Square Bible Class; The Open Door; The Forty Niners; Men's Bible Class; Men's Bible Class; 949 Men's Bible Class; The Binding Link Bible Class; The Round-Up Bible Class; The Lone Star Bible Class; The Lighthouse Bible Class; The Roundabout Bible Class.

Judge J. Hickman introduced visitors and new members present and delivered splendid address on the birth and naming of John, The Baptist.

The following were present, and enrolled as charter members: A. L. Ayres; B. B. Barker; P. B. Bittler; Earl Bender; George Brogdon; Wilbourne B. Collie; Turner M. Collie; Fred Davenport; H. C. Davis; R. N. Grisham; Theodore Ferguson; J. S. Grisham; M. W. Grieger; Ed Graham; A. E. Kerrine; W. B. Harris; Myrtle T. Scabery; James B. Steele; J. A. Stover; John W. Turner; S. H. Whittenberg; H. L. Vann; W. W. Turner; J. D. Barton; P. L. Drago; D. J. Jobe; P. L. Harris; W. S. Michael; J. C. Patterson; C. H. Simmons.

Death Toll In R-101 Wreck Is Now Forty-Seven ALNONE, France, Oct. 6.—A mile of wreckage and a tangled mass of metal which has been buried for weeks lay on the fields of Alnone today—all that remained of the British dirigible R-101, largest airship in the world.

Only seven of the distinguished group which started from England Saturday on a long flight to India were alive to tell of the disaster which overtook the great ship as it battled a terrific chance storm early yesterday morning.

Of the eight who miraculously escaped when the R-101 crashed and burst into flames, one died today in the hospital at Beauvais and three others were in a serious condition.

The latest victim was engineer Wallace G. Radcliffe. The bodies of 46 others who died immediately after the tragedy have been recovered.

Rainfall by counties follows: Nolan, 4; Runnels, 6; Iron, 3; Eastland, 3; Reagan, 3; Howard, 3; Coke, 4; Brown, 4; Coleman, 7; Val Verde, 10; Concho, 8; Schleicher, 7; Sutton, 7; Edwards, 7; Crockett, 3; Upton, 3; and heavy rains in Menard and Pecos counties.

COLEMAN, Tex., Oct. 6.—One of the best rains that has fallen in this section in 42 years measured 7.41 inches this morning. Lake Seabrook, the city water supply, was running over the spillway, and all creeks were out of their banks. Showers were still falling this morning.

BROWNWOOD, Tex., Oct. 6.—As

of civil aviation; Wing Commander R. B. B. Colmore, director of airship development, who was a passenger on the recent flight of the R-101 from England to Canada and Major G. H. Scott, veteran British airman, who commanded the R-100 on the trans-Atlantic flight.

The bodies of the victims were of identification was postponed beyond recognition. Work the arrival of relatives. Meanwhile the remains were put into large wooden coffins and placed in the tiny school room of Allnone. Each bore the scribbled word, "unrecognizable."

French peasants brought white curtains to be hung on the school room walls and picked wild flowers to be placed on the rough caskets. All available coffins in the village were requisitioned and even one child's casket was offered to authorities.

The positions in which some of the charred bodies were found, with fists clenched, testified to the fearful struggle against death that the victims made. It appeared as though many of them were awakened by the lurching of the ship, and fought desperately to escape the flames.

A subscription was started among the villagers of Allnone and Beauvais to raise a memorial on the spot where the ship crashed. It was to be inscribed with the words of the French Air Minister Laurent Eynac: "to the heroes of the men who risked their lives for the grandeur of their country."

British and French flags were at half-mast on the town hall today. A drizzling rain fell over the village. The same furious winds which battered the great ship to earth whistled through the twisted and charred framework. The ruins of the once majestic craft were outlined against a dull, dripping sky.

Of the survivors, engineers Arthur V. Bell and Harry J. Leach were able to eat hearty breakfasts and take short walks. Leach indicated that he might return to London today. Church passed a good night, although he suffered terrible pain. A few sorrowful, and some times hysterical, wives and relatives began to arrive today. It was believed that the bodies would be returned to England en masse on a battleship for a national funeral to be given a common burial.

Brady Reported

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lo, Houston, Galveston, Corpus Christi and other widely scattered points today.

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Oct. 6.—Draws and creeks throughout West Texas were torrents today, after slow steady rains that averaged from three to ten inches since Saturday. Roads were impassable in many sections.

One San Angelo firm has ordered a cartload of wheat for planting while the rainfall has assured a good weed and grass crop for cattle and sheep ranges. Ranchmen were today preparing to hold their sheep for winter, and no winter sacrifice lamb sales were seen.

Eight Inning Athletics—Anlier grounded out, Gelbert to Bottomley. Haas safe on a bunt. Haas went to second when Frisch dropped the ball. Boyer hit to Frisch. Frisch gave a single. Jim Moore batted for Frisch and walked, milled the bases. Bishop grounded to Bottomley, forcing Haas at the plate. Dykes grounded to Gelbert forcing Bishop at second. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Federation Of Labor Demands 2.75 Per Cent Beer

By FRANK MURPHY United Press Staff Correspondent BOSTON, Oct. 6.—The powerful executive council of the American Federation of Labor again today demanded beer of 2.75 per cent alcoholic content.

The report, handed in at the opening session of the federation's annual convention, reaffirmed a stand taken seven years ago by labor. The report said: "The developments of the last year, as shown in the evil social conditions which had followed failure of the enforcement of the Volstead act, have confirmed the position heretofore taken by the American Federation of Labor in favor of the modification of this act so as to provide for the manufacture, sale, and distribution of beer containing 2.75 per cent alcohol by weight."

By reference to unemployment, the report said that "to provide aid in finding employment" was labor's foremost duty. It proposed an unemployment program which would embrace reduction in hours of work, stabilization of industry, efficient management in production and in sales policies, a nationwide system of employment exchanges, keeping of adequate records, use of public works to meet cyclical unemployment, vocational guidance and retaining, special study of technological unemployment, study of relief proposals, and education for life.

Poses Seek Morn Slayer Of School Boy

DUBUQUE, Ia., Oct. 6.—Authorities and citizens poses today sought the morn slayer of Earl Robert Fuller, 12-year-old school boy whose body was found in a clump of willows along the Mississippi river. He had been strangled with a 12-inch flat wire.

Police announced after the post mortem that the boy had been mistreated before being murdered.

Houston And Atlanta Fight Over Population

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Judge Frederick L. Siddons today overruled a ruling of the supreme court that the application of the city of Houston, Texas, to intervene in the suit of Atlanta, Ga., which is seeking to have its population listed as 360,692 instead of the 270,367 figure reported by the bureau.

Siddons said he did not see how

THE EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK AND TEXAS STATE BANK CONSOLIDATE

The officers of Texas State Bank of Eastland and Exchange National Bank announced this morning that these two banking institutions have been consolidated under the name of Texas State Bank of Eastland. This consolidation makes Texas State Bank of Eastland one of the strongest banks in the state.

The officers and directors of Texas State Bank of Eastland will continue unchanged. This consolidation is effective on the 6th day of October 1930.

The following statement was given to the press by the directors of both banks: "In line with the general trend of business toward consolidation and in order to be able to serve their customers more economically and effectively, the Boards of Directors of Texas State Bank of Eastland and Exchange National Bank have effected an agreement for the consolidation of these two banking institutions. The combined assets of these two banks will give to Eastland one of the strongest banking institutions in West Texas. The books and assets of Exchange National Bank have been transferred to Texas State Bank of Eastland where the customers of Exchange National Bank will be served without interruption of their banking facilities."

Jno. D. McRae, W. B. Smith, J. L. Johnson, Walter Gray, T. E. Downtain, Directors of Exchange National Bank. T. L. Overby, W. A. Martin, J. E. Butler, H. P. Brelsford, Directors of Texas State Bank.

Cardinals—Grove now pitching for A's, Adams out, Douthitt popped to Bishop, Dykes to Frisch, Frisch singled to center, Bottomley fanned. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Ninth Inning: Athletics—Cochrane walked, Simmons fled to Gelbert, Frisch hit a home run. Cochrane ahead of Miller fanned. Haas grounded out Gelbert, to Bottomley. Two runs, one hit, no errors.

Fifth Inning Athletics—Pox singled through short. Miller forced Pox at second. Gelbert to Frisch. Haas hit into a double play. Gelbert to Frisch to Bottomley. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Sixth Inning Athletics—Boley grounded out to Gelbert to Bottomley. Cochrane fanned. Simmons out Gelbert to Bottomley. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Cardinals—Bottomley fanned but Cochrane dropped the third strike and threw him out at first. Frisch walked, Watkins fanned, Wilson out on a bunt, Earnshaw to Pox. No runs, no hits, no errors.

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Houston interests could suffer in any way by census director William A. Stewart's refusal to recognize "greater Atlanta" in official census tabulations.

Houston's objection was based on the fact that Atlanta is the largest city in the south, as second city of the south.

Who are the Boy Scouts?

Pile Sufferers

You can only get quick and permanent relief by removing the cause—congestion of blood in the lower bowel and a weakening of the parts. Nothing but an internal medicine can do this—that's why cutting and salves fail. Dr. J. E. Lebnhardt discovered a real internal Pile remedy. After prescribing it for 1000 patients with success in 980 cases, he named it HEM-ROD. Druggists everywhere have sold it, and Beatty Drug Co. guarantees money-back if HEM-ROD does not end Piles in any form.

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LOANS ON REAL ESTATE Earl Bender & Co. Phone 15

Merit Sets The Pace for Progress Your Banking Business is invited on merit—alone

Exchange National Bank "Everybody's Bank" where service means co-operation renders

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing various assets and liabilities with their respective values.

State of Texas, County of Eastland, ss: J. Guy Parker, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of October, 1930. (SEAL) Russell Hill, Notary Public. Correct—Attest: W. B. Smith, Jno. D. McRae, J. H. Caton, Directors

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

Celia Mitchell, 17, faces a new life when she leaves the home in Baltimore where she has lived with her widowed mother, Margaret Mitchell, to join her father, John Mitchell, and her grandmother in a stately New York dwelling.

The girl did not even know her father was living until the day he came to the Baltimore apartment. Celia had supposed Bob Rogers, her mother's second husband, to be her father, Mitchell offers the girl a life of wealth and immediately everything changes. She leaves her mother, unaware that Mrs. Rogers is seriously ill and she leaves behind a shield, ambitious young newspaper photographer, who swears that some day he and Celia will be married.

The girl is lonely and ill at ease in her new home. Mitchell finds her a tear and is worried. He appeals to Mrs. Evelyn Parsons, beautiful widow whose husband has been Mitchell's close friend. Mrs. Parsons agrees to introduce Celia to the right set of young people though it is obvious she regards the girl as a means to gain Mitchell's affections.

To this end she invites Celia to spend a week-end at her Long Island home. Among the other guests is Tod Jordan, a handsome young man who devotes himself to Celia. Jordan fascinates the girl but she is loyal to Barney and treats him coolly. Next morning Evelyn Parsons announces she has news for Celia.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XX

"Your father's going to be here for luncheon," Mrs. Parsons said briskly. "He telephoned. I should think he'd be here almost any time now." Celia said she was glad he could come early. Privately she wondered how John Mitchell would fit into this crowd of curious, careless young people. Her father was still as distant an acquaintance as he had been the day she arrived in New York.

It was hot and Lisi Duncan, who had won the last set of tennis, declared she was "simply wrecked." She tumbled into a porch chair, calling for ice water. Kate, her sister, appeared in a French window and eyed Lisi disapprovingly. Kate wore lounging pajamas of orchid silk printed in beige and green. She looked habitually as though she had just turned from a mirror.

Eve Brooks was wearing pajamas, too, an orange and black outfit. For a wonder she was sitting beside her husband, who was reading the newspaper sports section. No one mentioned attendance at church. Celia wondered what might be next on the day's program. They heard the sound of a car coming up the drive, and Evelyn Parsons hurried out to meet her. Celia would have come, too, but Mrs. Parsons waved her aside. A few minutes later she heard Mitchell's voice in the living room. Celia went inside.

"Good morning, father," she said. "Morning, Celia. Look as though Long Island agreed with you."

"Oh, it does, indeed!" Evelyn Parsons spoke up quickly. "Really, hope you'll let this daughter of yours consider Larchwood her second home. She's been the belle of the party!" It wasn't true, of course. Kate Duncan would be the belle of any group in which she appeared, but Mitchell seemed pleased. He chuckled to Celia she had not realized before how good looking her father was. In white flannels and blue coat he appeared younger.

Celia inquired politely about her grandmother. Then Evelyn Parsons said gaily: "Run along back to your young man, Celia. I'm going to take your father to see the new lily pool. We've just time before luncheon."

Slightly resenting this dismissal, Celia went back to the porch. She did not see her father again until the meal was announced. Then he sat at Mrs. Parsons' right, at the head of the table, and Celia was at the opposite side, with several others between them.

She saw very little of Tod Jordan that afternoon. There was some discussion whether the afternoon should be spent watching tennis matches at the club (the third ranking national player was to play an exhibition match) or whether they should all drive to the big flying field, where elaborate maneuvers were to be staged.

In the end it was decided to do both. Young Carr, who had a pilot's license, Eve Brooks and Jordan set off for the aviation field. The others went to see the tennis.

from the aviation field. Celia went to her room to dress for dinner.

So far the day had been disappointing. Celia bathed leisurely, slipped into a negligee and went to the dressing table to experiment with her hair. There was a great deal of time to waste. Dinner would not be served until 7 o'clock.

She combed out her brown hair, which the hot weather had curled up rather tightly about her face. Then she tried pulling the hair severely back from the forehead as Eve Brooks did. The effect was nothing at all like Mrs. Brooks' sleep lullid coiffure. It wouldn't do at all!

Celia tried again. She had decided that her own way of twisting her hair into a little knot at the base of her neck looked childish.

When the experiment was ended Celia had achieved a becoming compromise. There were curls before each ear. The rest of the hair was brought back in a dignified effect.

She used powder, a touch of rouge, and then drew on her blue shifon frock. The dress slipped down quickly off the shoulders. It had a simply fitting waist, then bouffant skirt. Wearing it Celia could almost have passed for a girl of 40 years ago.

She inspected herself doubtfully in the mirror. Celia had no idea the old-fashioned effect was becoming. She thought of Kate Duncan's glittering necklaces. After a minute Celia opened her traveling bag and drew out a small black box. Inside was the little gold locket her mother had given her.

Celia fastened the chain about her neck, decided the locket was an improvement. Then she went downstairs.

No one was in sight in the living room. Then she saw her father standing before the window of a small room beyond.

As she entered the doorway he turned. It was the hour before sunset. There were long shadows on the lawn outside and fading light within. For an instant the girl seemed almost an apparition.

"Celia!" the man said, "you startled me."

"I didn't mean to," she came over beside Mitchell. There was something strange in his eyes, almost as though he had never seen her before.

"Do you like it?" she asked, smiling.

"The new dress. It's one of those Mrs. Parsons helped me buy. I think it makes me look older. That's why I wanted it."

John Mitchell gazed down at his daughter.

"The dress is very pretty," he said. "Blue, isn't it?" He paused and then added: "Your mother used to wear blue."

Mitchell nodded. "I've looked everywhere," she said, "and I can't understand it. I know I had them yesterday because I showed them to Celia. She saw me put case away."

Mitchell's voice cut in: "You don't mean—"

(To Be Continued)

Heads Bankers



NEA Cleveland Bureau

Rome C. Stephenson, of South Bend, Ind., was elected president of the American Bankers' Association at Cleveland. Stephenson, first vice president of the organization during the past year, is vice president of the St. Joseph County Savings Bank at South Bend.

"I guess we're alike," he said slowly. "I've never taken time enough for play either. That's over now. Over for both of us."

The little gold locket caught his eye.

"Celia—where did you get that?" Mitchell spoke sharply.

"You mean the locket? Oh, mother gave it to me. It's an old one she's had ever since I can remember. You see, I don't have her picture. It—well, it sort of makes me feel as though she weren't so far away."

The man did not seem to be listening. He had opened the tiny gold case and was looking at the picture of Celia as a baby. The other side of the locket was bare.

"Father! Is anything the matter?"

"Nothing," he said. "Nothing." Then John Mitchell really started his daughter. He slipped both arms round her and held her close. They were standing thus when Evelyn Parsons saw them.

Evelyn's sharp exclamation was stifled. She turned away. The tight line of her lips distorted some late case. Evelyn could always be interested in any man's business affairs. She formed an audience which seemed to say, "I don't quite understand, but I do think you're marvelous."

There was music again in the evening. For a time they all gathered on the veranda, but soon Mrs. Parsons slipped away. No one noticed she had gone. No one saw her go upstairs, enter her bedroom, reappear and hurry down the hall to the room Celia occupied.

Mrs. Parsons entered, closing the door softly behind her. She looked about. There in the corner she saw what she sought. She held Celia's traveling bag to the bed and opened it. The fingers of her left hand unfolded, revealing a strand of pearls. For an instant their opalescent beauty held her. Then she dropped the necklace into the traveling bag, fastened the lock and went out of the room.

It was still early in the evening that John Mitchell met his hostess in the hallway.

"I've been looking for you," he said, then added quickly, "Evelyn, what's the matter?"

She tried to smile, but her brooding look deepened.

"Oh, it doesn't really matter," she said. "I—well, I've just had a shock. Of course the others mustn't know. It's my pearls—"

"Are they missing?" Evelyn nodded. "I've looked everywhere," she said, "and I can't understand it. I know I had them yesterday because I showed them to Celia. She saw me put case away."

Mitchell's voice cut in: "You don't mean—"

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Gobbler Hatches Out Guineas

WAXAHACHIE, Tex., Oct. 4.—Found: the perfect husband. For can visitors at the Lane Ingram farm near Waxahachie say that he's hen-pecked. For he's a turkey gobbler.

Contrary to the militant struts which characterizes his species, this fowl humbly consented to do the "housework" for his mate, and set on 21 eggs which lay in the nest. He did his job warmly and well.

Came the day when the eggs were hatched, and there emerged guineas, not turkeys.

But the gobbler is unfazed and keeps an alert ear out for "put-put-put" instead of "peep-peeps."

RANGER PASTOR WILL CONDUCT MEMORIAL RITE

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Oct. 6. Dr. L. B. Gray, pastor of the Presbyterian church, U. S. A., of Ranger, will conduct a memorial service for deceased ministers at the annual meeting of the synod of Texas to be held at Seymour from Oct. 9 to Oct. 13. The memorial service is to be held Sunday afternoon.

The forthcoming dedication of T. C. U.'s new stadium, Oct. 11, caused some historically minded

County's Ginning Below Last Year

The ginnings in this county are much lower than at the same time a year ago, the figures being 271 to 1,246, according to the department of commerce figures.

Texas, however, registers a big



M. E. Daniel, coach in 1916 and 1917, is now a well known attorney of Breckenridge.

MORE FARMS THAN 10 YEARS AGO IN COUNTY

Eastland county has 497 more farms now than in 1920, according to an announcement by the United States director of the census.

There were 1,993 farms in the county on April 1, 1930, as compared to 1,499 on Jan. 1, 1920.

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 4.—Kathryn Camp, 28, shot and wounded in an altercation with Mrs. R. M. Boykin over the affections of Mr. Boykin's husband, still fought for her life in Baylor hospital Saturday where she is confined with a bullet wound in the neck. Hospital attendants held out slight hope for her recovery.

Breck Man Former Coach of T. C. U.

FORT WORTH, Oct. 6.—Texas Christian university has had 16 head coaches of football since the school first began placing gridiron teams in the intercollegiate contests, back in 1897.

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MOM'N POP



IT'S ALMOST DINNER-TIME NOW. WHO DID SHE GO OUT WITH?

By Cowan



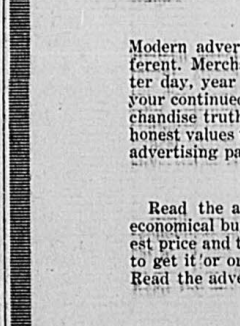
I SAW HER GOING THAT WAY WITH MRS. TYTE WHEN I CAME FROM SCHOOL.

MOM'N POP



IT'S MIGHTY FUNNY. MY WIFE NEVER STAYED AWAY THIS LATE BEFORE, WITHOUT LETTING ME KNOW.

MOM'N POP



I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT. ONE THING YOU'RE ALWAYS INSISTING ON, IS HAVING DINNER ON TIME.

MOM'N POP



MAYBE WE OUGHT TO CALL THE POLICE STATION. SOMETHING MIGHT HAVE HAPPENED.

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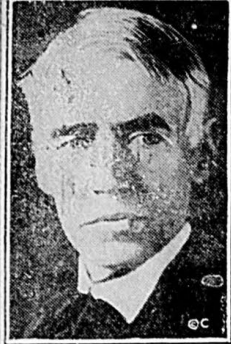
Society

BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED WITH BUFFET SUPPER

Mmes. Veon Howard and Mrs. Sherman Fehl entertained with a buffet supper at the Howard home, Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock. The occasion celebrated the birthdays of Mrs. Howard and Sherman Fehl. The hostesses served a lovely buffet supper. The evening was spent in the playing of interesting games.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fehl and daughters, Wanda and Wilda, Mrs. Willie Hastings and son Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Rourke and daughters, Betty and Peggy, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen, Mr. and Mrs. John Fehl and son, Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jarrell, Ferd Fehl, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wahl, Mr. and Mrs. Veon Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Fehl. The honorees received many attractive gifts.

4th Generation In Senate Race



Ex-Senator Thomas F. Bayard, above, Delaware Democrat, is again a candidate for the post he held from 1923 to 1929, opposing Senator Daniel O. Hastings, Republican. Bayard's father, grandfather and great-grandfather all have represented Delaware in the Senate.

headers Sunday afternoon, each of a few minutes duration.

TEXARKANA, Tex., Oct. 6.—Bigging was being placed today for drilling the new Fitzwater-Beck No. 1 test well three miles southwest of the Lenz-Johnson discovery well 16 miles east of here. This is the first test to be drilled in the territory southwest of the proven area.

New Railway Has Sites For Stations

CHILDRESS, Tex., Oct. 6.—Wellington, Shamrock, Pampa and Childress have already provided right of way and depot grounds for the Fort Worth and Denver Northern Railway. Because of conflicts between a new highway and the railroad grade at four points, grade construction has been delayed.

Actual construction of the grade and bridge across the Red river will start about Dec. 15.

Boy Scouts are "good scouts" Help them.

Silly Season In U. S. Duplicated In Great Britain

Stunts of Foolish Nature Are Also Put on Across the Atlantic Ocean.

By ROBERT C. DOWSON
United Press Staff Correspondent
LONDON, Oct. 6.—The American "silly season," with its tree-sitting, endurance bicycle riding, stunts, first auto driving, peanut pushing and the like, has a serious rival in England's crazy stunting, and endurance tests.

British newspapers while daily ridiculing the activities of American competitors in farcical stunts, have completely overlooked the numerous pointless competitions indulged in daily in various parts of Britain.

The scene for many of these stunts is the famous 32-mile stretch of road from London to Brighton, the popular holiday resort on the south coast. Much is the money that changed hands as the result of bets decided over this highway. The stunts usually take the form of walking to Brighton pushing a baby carriage with a man seated inside, trundling a wagon wheel, balancing a barrel on the head, rolling a barrel along the road or pulling a hand-cart loaded with so many pounds of vegetables.

Channel swimming comes in for a good share of criticism from many quarters where it is claimed that the long, weary plod against winds, tides and currents leads the swimmer nowhere except, perhaps, to an earlier grave.

Theater first nights always supply a good opportunity for the endurance stunts. Many seats in London theaters are not bookable in advance and the stunts take a great delight in getting their pictures in the newspapers. "Queuing up for seats at the so-and-so Theatre 48 hours before the doors open." They go well equipped with portable seats, rugs and cushions and occasionally tip a small boy to sit on the portable seat while they take a turn around the block to stretch their legs. Similar scenes are witnessed at all the big sporting meets, including the classic Wimbledon lawn tennis championships.

Six-day bicycle races are not popular here. An American tried the experiment a few years ago but he went bankrupt in the attempt. The recent final cricket test match, however, drew some 20,000 fans to sit through six days of scorching sunshine, cold, drizzling rain and disappointing scoring by the home country.

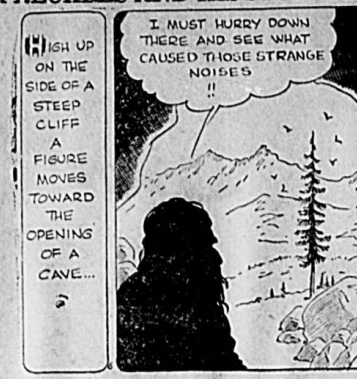
Then, of course, there are the fans who pay good money to see Phil Scott's canvas-lying exhibitions.

Corpus Cotton Receipts 500,000

By UNITED PRESS
CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., Oct. 6.—Cotton receipts at this port have passed the 500,000 bale mark, giving this port fourth place among the cotton ports of the United States.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



By Blosser



Personal

Mrs. J. C. Stephen visited Mrs. J. A. Schmale in Sweetwater the latter part of last week. Mrs. Schmale was the former Miss Ina Lee Ely.

Mrs. Mack Henry of Marietta, Ohio, formerly Miss Evelyn Smith of Eastland, is the guest of her father, J. A. Smith, of Olden.

OIL NEWS

SHREVEPORT, La., Oct. 6.—The largest well in the Zwolle east field, the Pelican Natural Gas Company Sabine No. 5, was flowing at the rate of 15,000 barrels today. The newest addition to the field came in over the week-end from the 2,200-foot level.

HENDERSON, Tex., Oct. 6.—Eight-seers converged here from all East Texas over the week-end to witness the periodical head-on to the Joiner No. 3 wildcat which proved the territory's producing capacity. The well made three

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"COMMON CLAY"
with
CONSTANCE BENNETT
LEW AYRES

Revolution In Brazil Sweeps To The North

By UNITED PRESS
Brazil, largest of the South American republics, faced a bitter civil war today.

A revolution which started Saturday—the fourth to break out on the continent in recent months—appeared gaining steady headway. It is admitted by President Washington Luis to be serious, and the government has called for volunteer troops.

Revolutionists and federals are marching against each other in increasing numbers, but severed communications are delaying details of the hostilities.

Martial laws in force in four of the principle states, including Rio de Janeiro.

The principal aim of the revolution, reports say, is to prevent the inauguration of president-elect Julio Prestes the latter part of next month. The rebels accuse the government of allying itself with wealthy coffee barons of Sao Paulo and refusing to give the distant states a voice in the country's affairs.

By GEORGE MAYER
United Press Staff Correspondent

James F. Neely Goes To Trial In 47 Year Old Case

By UNITED PRESS
GUNTERVILLE, Ala., Oct. 6.—Guntersville took a page out of history and another out of near-fiction today to write a modern court drama involving a 47-year-old man who eluded prosecution on a murder charge for nearly a half century.

It seemed almost like bringing the dead back to life to bring James F. Neely, aged former resident of Guntersville, before Circuit Judge Alfred E. Hawkins of Marshall county for the "first fight" death of Hiram Cooley on Nov. 3, 1887.

A "slurring remark" about the reputation of a girl, whose brother, James Hiburne, was summoned by the defense as a witness, was the cause of the fight, Neely said when he pleaded last week. The state's chief witness will be Jim Cooley, brother of the victim and a participant of the fight. Neely was captured at Tyler, Tex., a month ago after wander-

ing through Tennessee, Ohio and the southwest for 47 years. He and a brother, Tom Neely, who also participated in the fight, fled Guntersville when they heard Hiram Cooley, knocked unconscious during the primitive clash, had succumbed to his injuries. Tom Neely died 31 years ago, and James, named in the now costly indictment with him, made his way to Ohio where he reared a family of five, the oldest of whom is 39 years of age. There James lived until recent months when domestic troubles drove him away from home to the home of a brother in Tyler.

On arriving at Tyler the aged fugitive found a situation paralleling fiction. C. A. Cooley, 54-year-old son of the victim of the all but forgotten fight, had married the daughter of Neely's brother. The younger Cooley immediately communicated with authorities and forced the old man's arrest.

So they brought "old man Neely" back here to face the ancient charge and because he was practically destitute—he possessed but \$1.56 when arrested—the court appointed attorneys to represent him. Five lawyers sat at his table when court opened today, and two, district attorney Harold Bailey of Boaz, Ala., and county attorney Claude G. Scroggins of Guntersville handled the prosecution.

There was much speculation on the outcome, in view of Neely's plea of self defense. The state called 15 witnesses, the defense 10. Included in the list were two eye-witnesses of the fight, Jim Cooley, John Berry Walls, a farmer who lived on Georgia mountain where the fight occurred. The others included character witnesses, and deputy sheriffs of that day.

It was considered possible the aged defendant might know his fate tonight.

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No Rewards Are Claimed On School Liquor Selling

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 4.—Governor Dan Moody announced today that he has received two applications for the rewards he authorized for sales of liquor to high school or college students. One claim has come from Houston and the other from a West Texas town, where an investigation still is under way. The governor's reward offers \$150 for arrest and conviction. There is also a reward of \$25 each for the sheriff and district attorney.

Work Is Started On State Fair

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 6.—Grounds of the Texas State Fair were a

scene of bustling activity exhibitors, showmen and stonemasons prepared for the fourth exposition, which Saturday.

Georgetown — Work is topping Highway No. 74

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