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Tokyo-Seattle Fliers Found Safe on Island

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16.—The United States coast guard station here today received a wireless message relayed from the Russian steamer Buriat off the north side of Kamchatka peninsula saying that Don Moyle and C. A. Allen, who attempted to fly from Japan to Seattle, Monday one week ago, had been found safe on a small, uninhabited island.

Moyle sent another message to his fiancée, Frances Bresson, Riverside, California, in which he asserted he would be home by September 22.

The Buriat supplied Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh fuel at Kamchatka recently.

Details of the rescue of the two missing airmen were not received.

CLARK KILLS SNAKE WITH 22 RATTLES

Bill Clark Tuesday was displaying here a string of "rattles" taken from a snake killed in Kimble county last week that was the largest ever recorded here. The rattles numbered 22 and a button and goes better by several of the California snakes killed recently with 17 and a button. Wide publicity was given the California snake which was killed in Coyuse Gulch.

Mr. Clark stated that the snake he killed in Kimble county was not unusually large, measuring about four and one-half feet long and about the size of other full grown rattlers. He carries the rattles in his pocket to prove his snake story is true.

PRICE OF WEIGHING IN LOCAL YARD REDUCED

Pat Tillery, local cotton weigher, Monday voluntarily cut the price of weighing cotton from 25 to 20 cents a bale. Mr. Tillery explained that cheap cotton made it necessary that all those handling the staple at any stage to reduce their charges and that he was willing to do his bit to help the farmer receive a little more return for his crop.

Mr. Tillery has just received his scales from a factory where they were tested and approved and is ready to begin weighing. The new price became effective Monday, September 14.

Runge Fair Co. 9-10

RUNGE, Tex., Sept. 14.—(AP)—The Runge community fair will be held October 9 and 10, according to decision of the board of directors. J. H. Wilson has been elected grand chairman of all activities of the fair.

Fred Walter King left Monday for Kerville to enter Schreiner Military Institute for the ensuing year. Guy Jones and Corkill Motley will leave Tuesday for the same school, and Seldon Robinson is already there in the football training camp.

Federal Seed Loan Office Warns It is Firm Collector

By Frank I. Weller
(Associated Press Farm Editor)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—With only \$400,000 of the \$47,000,000 lent to farmers in the storm and drought areas to produce new crops in 1931 voluntarily repaid, the federal seed loan office has decided on an air-tight policy to insure collection of principal and interest.

Elevator men in the northwest, cotton dealers in the south and merchants and processors generally have been notified of the government's prior lien on "drought loan" crops. They also have been supplied with lists of farmer-borrowers and their amounts of indebtedness.

These agencies have been instructed to deduct and hold for the government the first proceeds of mortgaged crops to the extent of indebtedness thereon or suffer the penalty of repaying the loans and interest due out of their own funds.

To the farmer it means no pay for his produce until his debt to the government has been liquidated.

The seed loan office says prosecutions may follow where willful disregard of these instructions is

Russian Theatre Dramatizes Grain Marketing Clash

MOSCOW, Sept. 12.—So vital a question of grain marketing in Russia that it has been taken up as a controversial subject in the theatre.

A storm of animated comment has risen about the successful drama "Grain." Its author is Kirshon, who collaborated with Ouspensky on "Red Rust," produced in New York by the Theater Guild two years ago.

The play depicts grain collections by the proletarian state in the villages. The author shows the struggle for grain on the basis of the class struggle in the village, which existed until collectivization in 1929.

Showing the importance of this struggle, the dramatist depicts the role of the organized communist party of the first socialist state in the history.

Kirshon reveals the socialist mechanic of the relations between the proletarian city, led by the workers' party, and the village; shows the real face of the Soviet village with its different classes.

Another Moscow theatre, the Kamerny, is favoring foreign authors in its repertoire. Those playwrights about which its audiences are most enthusiastic are Eugene O'Neill, Bernard Shaw, Paul Claudel, Hoffmann, Racine and Lecoq.

FEEDER PLAN IS ADOPTED AT SAN ANGELO MEETING

A meeting has been called in San Angelo for next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock which will bring together bankers, business men, ranchers and feeders of livestock with the producers of the biggest feed crop ever raised in West Texas. The plan was started on Labor Day and a committee of 100 from all sections was named. Tuesday to further study the plan of using West Texas feed to fatten and market West Texas cattle and other livestock.

Those named on the committee from Ballinger are: C. P. Shepherd, Mrs. J. F. Currie and J. Y. Pearce. John Q. McAdams, of Winters, will represent that section at the meeting.

Plans of operation between the feeders and ranchmen and the matter of moving mortgaged sheep to mortgaged feeds will be worked out.

Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Walter left Sunday for Temple to accompany their daughter, Miss Edell Belle, who will enter a hospital for examination and possibly an operation. Miss Walker has been ill for the past month.

Turkey Grading School Nov. 4th

A turkey grading school will be held in Ballinger on November 4, according to an announcement made Wednesday morning by County Agent C. W. Lehmborg. This will be the first school of the year in this section and all turkey raisers and poultry dealers are invited to attend. The place for the grading school has not been selected but will be announced in a few days.

E. N. Holmgren, poultry expert of the extension service, will be the principal instructor at the school. Those who attend will be given information on U. S. grades and how the birds will be classed prior to shipment this season.

Many turkey growers are signing contracts now in the Runco Association and indications point to record shipments by the organization this year. The crop in this county appears to be less than in 1930 but more producers have signed contracts to market their turkeys through the cooperative.

Those who have inspected the turkey crop in Runnels county declare the quality is improved and few birds will be cut back on the first market because they do not grade No. 1.

Feeder Plan is Adopted at Meet

C. W. Lehmborg and H. W. Lynn, of Ballinger, attended the meeting of farmers, business men and livestock raisers in San Angelo Tuesday, which resulted in the formation of the West Texas Feeder and Breeder Exchange. The purpose of the organization is to contact farmers with a surplus of feed with stockmen who have calves and land. The home grown feed will be used to fatten the stock for the market and a fair price will be assured each product it is believed.

A large crowd attended the meeting according to the Runnels county representatives, who declared sentiment strongly favored the proposed plan. Following a vote to form an organization the following men were named as board of directors, who in turn elected officers: E. S. Mayer, president; Charles Hobbs, vice-president; Miles O'Daniels, treasurer; G. R. White, Brady, T. L. Drisdale, Del Rio; W. R. Hunton, Miles; Frank Stevens, Sweetwater; R. G. Erwin, Ballinger; J. S. Smith, Coleman; and W. B. Lee, Spur. George W. Barnes, member of the federal farm board, will serve the organization as secretary. Mr. Barnes has spent some time in this county in sponsoring the feeder plan and already a number here are using surplus feed to fatten stock.

Each county represented in the organization has been asked to make a thorough canvass through its county agent, listing all livestock for sale on the feeder plan and all surplus feed. Mr. Lehmborg has begun this work in Runnels county and will report to the next meeting of the board of directors. He asks that those having either stock or feed for sale to list same with him so it can be included in the report.

A member of the Livestock Marketing Association will be named by the directors of the exchange to serve the organization in marketing stock when fat. This work has already been commenced in practically all counties and in Runnels a number of herds will be ready for market in from 90 to 100 days.

FARMERS BUY BONES OF POLLINATING BEES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Farmers and orchardists now can buy bees to work for them as easily as they can buy a pair of horses.

Formerly wild bees and other insects were entirely depended upon to pollinate orchards, but when the supply was diminished "package bees" were introduced.

All the orchardist has to do is to place the box of bees in his orchard and pull out the crop.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harrell, who have resided in Ballinger for a number of years, left Sunday for Dalhart where they will make home in the future.

County Judges And Commissioners Meet at Angelo

The West Texas County Judges and County Commissioners Association will hold a meeting in San Angelo Thursday and Friday of this week. The initial session will be called to order at 9:45 Thursday morning by the president, Judge E. B. McClintock, of El Paso county.

The commissioners' court of Runnels county was in session here Monday and Tuesday, adjourning Tuesday afternoon to reconvene here Saturday morning and attend to unfinished business. All the four commissioners, T. J. Parrish, R. A. Perry, Joe Mapes and H. W. Poe will attend the two-day meeting at San Angelo. County Judge Paul Trimnier will speak to the convention Thursday afternoon on "County Finances, Through the Crisis." A number of county judges will address the association Thursday morning and afternoon, and Friday morning. The Friday afternoon session will be devoted to committee reports, election of officers for the ensuing year and selection of the next meeting place.

New legislation passed by the 42nd legislature will be the theme of a number of talks, and other important subjects will be discussed. Some of the subjects are: "Equalizing Values for Taxation Purposes," "The Juvenile Problem," "County Health Problems," and "County-City Hospital Proposition."

During the general discussions the commissioners will hear much regarding the building of lateral roads. This phase of their official duties is a live issue at this time in most of the West Texas counties represented in the association.

Identify Wreckage Of Cramer Plane

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—K. D. Vosler, factory manager of the Edo Aircraft Corporation here identified by the serial numbers the wreckage found in the North Sea today by the British trawler Lord Trent as part of the plane flown by Parker Cramer and Oliver Pasquette, missing since August 9.

Cramer and assistant were flying by easy stages from Detroit to Copenhagen, charting an Arctic all mail route. They had passed the Shetland Islands when the accident occurred.

The trawler, on its way to the White Sea, wireless the British admiralty at London the serial numbers on the pontoons.

H. Giesecke has returned from San Antonio and Mexico where he has been during the past ten days. He was accompanied to Mexico by his son, H. Giesecke, Jr., who is a senior at the University of Texas this year. Mr. Giesecke was accompanied to Ballinger by his brother, Albert Giesecke, of Denver, Colorado, who is visiting in Texas this month.

Runnels in Need Of Cotton Pickers

Runnels county is badly in need of several thousand cotton pickers, agricultural leaders said Wednesday morning when it was estimated that approximately 30,000 bales of the estimated 60,000 bale 1931 cotton crop was open in the fields of the county and pickers were not available to gather the crop.

It is estimated today that approximately 5,000 bales of the crop have been ginned but that the gins would be in operation longer each day if there were more cotton pickers in the fields today. The majority of the gins are being kept busy but none of them are being rushed.

Taylor, Jones and other West Texas counties are sending out calls for cotton pickers from South Texas where the crop is just about gathered.

It was reported here today that the majority of the cotton pickers headed toward West Texas during the last week-end did not get as far as Ballinger before Monday morning and that they stopped off between Ballinger and San Antonio and other places between here and South Texas to pick this week before coming in to the West Texas cotton belt.

McGregor Flays Governor Long in Bitter Speech

Polish Farmers To be Located in Webb and Zapata

LAREDO, Tex., Sept. 12.—Colonies of thrifty Polish farmers from the west and mid-west sections of the United States will probably be located in the section between Laredo and Zapata in Webb and Zapata counties along the highway and near the Rio Grande, where the land would be susceptible to irrigation, if present arrangements are carried out satisfactorily.

The Laredo Chamber of Commerce, through Secretary Malcolm R. Jones, is in correspondence with the headquarters of the Polish organization in Chicago which wrote him regarding the securing of a large tract of land to be subdivided into farms to be developed by small colonies of Polish farmers. Representatives from the Chicago headquarters will arrive in Laredo shortly to look over tracts of land in prospect along the Rio Grande in Webb and Zapata counties, or between Laredo and Lopeta proper, with a view to acquiring tracts for development purposes.

All the Polish farmers and their families who would be brought to this section are expert agriculturists and of that thrifty kind that would fully develop the irrigable land and have rotations of crops growing at all seasons of the year. Their location would mean the establishment of a Polish community at some central point to the colonies which would be located on both sides.

Polish farmers made the agricultural husbandry a success wherever they undertake it and efforts will be made to secure the location of the proposed colonies in the Laredo territory.

Russell Thompson, of Houston, who has been visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Thompson, left Wednesday for San Antonio where he is to visit for several days before returning home.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Tinkle, of Winters, were here Monday visiting their daughter, Mrs. George M. Garrett.

The garden webworm has infested some corn fields and gardens in Iowa.

The best carbon paper for typewriters at Ledger office. dtf

AUSTIN, Sept. 15.—The Senate voted fifteen to twelve today for the amendment limited the cotton acreage in 1932 to one-fourth of the cultivated land instead of one-third as in the original bill before it, reported favorably by its committee.

There was no final action on any cotton bill in either house today.

The House had refused to substitute one-fourth for one-third of the acreage. Representative Jack Keller, of Dallas, attempted vainly to stop the debate, moving the previous question.

AUSTIN, Sept. 15.—Representative T. H. McGregor, of Austin, bitterly denounced Governor Huey P. Long, of Louisiana, on the floor of the House today for insisting that Texas adopt his plan to prohibit cotton planting next year and saying that money is being spent freely here to defeat the no-cotton plan.

McGregor said Long had no regard for the truth, and was "unfit to hold any office of high public trust."

It was the bitterest speech made in the House in years.

Attacking the Louisiana executive's radio talks, McGregor said, "It is the first time in history that ignorance, impudence and insolence combined have crossed the state line, and the people of Texas have been insulted by political ambition and demagoguery."

Earlier in the day, Rev. B. J. Forbes, representative from the Weatherford district, made a caustic speech against horse racing. Letters had invited the legislators to attend the Arlington Downs meet Saturday.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 15.—Gov. Huey P. Long, upon being informed of the attack made on him by Senator T. H. McGregor of Austin in the Texas House today, said "cash money" was the only explanation of the refusal of Texas legislators to adopt his no-cotton plan.

The governor claimed huge amounts of money are being spent at Austin to defeat the Long plan.

AUSTIN, Sept. 15.—Former leaders of the movement to limit cotton acreage in Texas in 1932 to one-third the cultivated area agreed today to support Senator Archie Parr's amendment substituting one-fourth.

Definite action on the bill was still delayed today.

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Content-Tokeen To Have Exhibit At County Fair

C. W. Lehmburg and J. D. Motley Saturday night attended the first community meeting held in the county this year in interest of the Runnels County Fair which will open here October 13. Citizens of Content and Tokeen met in joint session with practically all farmers and stockmen of the two communities present to take definite action on fair work.

The entire plan of the fair was outlined by the county agent and the secretary and after listening to the talks the assembly voted to begin work at once preparing entries in all divisions of the exposition. The following committee was named and will begin immediately to gather produce not only for the community booth but for club exhibits, school booth, and individual entries in the agricultural, livestock and poultry departments: Sam Mathis, chairman; Mrs. R. B. Smith, A. L. LaFoon, R. L. Bates and Mrs. J. W. Bright. Others were named as chairmen of division committees. No time will be lost in preparing the biggest entry ever shown here from Content.

The fair officials who attended this meeting are delighted with the enthusiasm shown and expect Content-Tokeen to supply plenty of stiff competition in all departments of the exposition. Rural clubs in that vicinity are particularly strong and all will prepare displays. Very careful planning will be given the community booth which will include several individual booths as well as straight cotton entries which will be placed in the fair.

The Content school will take part in school day, striving to beat its record at previous fairs here. The school has been awarded first place for having the largest percentage of its enrollment present and taking part in the parade.

Other meetings have been scheduled in the county during the next two weeks and a number of communities are showing more interest as the fair dates approach. The fair will officially open on Tuesday, October 13, closing Saturday midnight, October 18.

PROMISE WRESTLING BOUTS FOR LOCAL FANS HERE SOON

Tommy Miller and Pete Hallas are arranging to sponsor a few boxing and wrestling bouts in Ballinger soon and if patronized sufficiently will continue the athletic program. A number of local fans have been attending matches in San Angelo and other cities and it is believed that interest in good cards here has greatly increased. Some of the headline attractions of this section will be brought here within the next week or ten days the promoters announce.

OKLAHOMA MAN WANTS NEWS OF HIS BROTHER

H. H. Smith, of Route 1, Ardmore, Oklahoma, is anxious to locate a brother believed to be living in Runnels or McCulloch counties at this time. The brother's name is W. M. Smith and formerly resided in Kaufman county before moving into this section. Anyone knowing of the whereabouts of this man is requested to communicate with H. H. Smith at Ardmore.

PEARCE DONATES VICTROLA TO DRY RIDGE SCHOOL

The J. Y. Pearce Drug Company last week gave the Dry Ridge school a victrola which will replace the machine stolen from the building a few weeks ago. Trustees found the box in which the phonograph was kept under lock broken open recently and the machine gone. Officers were notified but in the absence of a clue have not been able to track down the thieves.

Trustees, teachers and patrons of the Dry Ridge school are very thankful for the new phonograph.

Judge A. K. Doss, of Abilene, was here Tuesday morning looking after business.

Communities Plan For Fair Exhibits

The first call for assistance in preparing a community booth for the coming Runnels County Fair was received here Friday from the Tokeen community. C. W. Lehmburg received a telephone call from leaders there asking him and J. D. Motley to attend a meeting there Saturday night to select items included in the score card and plan the general arrangement of the booth which will compete with those of other communities during fair week.

The Ballinger men will attend the meeting at Tokeen, furnishing the leaders there with a complete score card. Mr. Lehmburg also will look over produce already gathered there and help in selecting the best for placing in the booth. Tokeen, one of the important community exhibitors at the last county fair, was awarded second place in 1929.

Leaders at Cochran Friday requested the aid of the county agent, stating that they were now gathering field exhibits from the entire community and would soon require his services in getting the produce ready for the fair.

The interest being shown by these communities is encouraging to officials who are working hard at this time on details of the exposition. Announcement of the preparations being made at Tokeen and Cochran will doubtless create interest in other communities, making them realize that time is pressing for the selection and planning of a good display.

Club women of the county have already announced that they would enter sixteen group exhibits in the women's department, and several schools are now working on their booths.

Charles Coombes, president of the fair association, said Saturday that he was much pleased with the interest being manifested all over the county and believed the 1931 fair would contain the finest showing of stock, poultry and field crops ever collected in West Texas.

Monday preceding the opening of the fair will be used in arranging booths getting them ready for the grand opening Tuesday noon. Those desiring, however, may commence work on their booths sooner.

SOUTH PLAINS GRAIN CROP LARGEST IN YEARS

LUBBOCK, Sept. 15.—Harvesting of the grain crop of the South Plains has begun with one of the largest yields in history.

Weather conditions have aided in the early harvesting of the crop, as hundreds of acres suffered from a lack of moisture. Droughty conditions have prevailed for some weeks in many sections of the territory east of Lubbock. Spotted rains in July and early August gave needed moisture to some areas.

West of Lubbock harvesting is just starting on the early feed. The recent rains have been of benefit to the late feed and harvesting will probably not begin until later.

No estimate of yields have been made as far. From all reports the feed should average around a ton of heads to the acre. In some sections farmers predict maize will have as much as a ton and a half to the acre.

Billie Cordill had as his visitor this week, Dallas B. Davis, of Salisbury, N. Carolina. Mr. Davis is recognized as one of the outstanding musicians of the circus and is this year with Al G. Barnes' circus as sousaphone player. Billie went to Brownwood Wednesday to visit the circus and Davis returned home with him, and Thursday, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. A. Cordill and Mrs. Ed O'Kelly, went to San Angelo where Davis rejoined the show. Billie and Davis were together in the same circus during 1928 and 1929.

R. B. Henry, of Corpus Christi, who had been in Taft buying cotton for the Farm Bureau, has been transferred to the Ballinger office of the organization and will spend the remainder of the season here.



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Ballinger Boy is Hurt in Wreck

Mrs. C. J. Lynn received a telephone call from her son Horace Gustavus late Friday night telling her of an accident in which he and Mathew Lynn of Coleman were in Friday afternoon. Gustavus and Lynn were returning to their homes from a camp near Chicago on Lake Erie when the accident occurred. According to a statement by Gustavus, after his release from the hospital at Ft. Worth, the boys were driving down a hill when their car hit a wet spot in the road and skidded into a ditch turning over.

The accident occurred one mile west of Aledo and both men were rushed to the All Saints Hospital in Ft. Worth for treatment. Gustavus was only slightly injured with a few cuts and bruises and was released as soon as treated. Lynn suffered severe chest and back injuries and was being held at the institution for further treatment. He was reported to be resting well Friday night, however.

Felton Davidson, of the Weeks Drug Store, Abilene, is spending the week in Ballinger in the absence of R. W. Earnshaw, who is in San Antonio on business.

Mrs. Joe J. Miller left Monday afternoon for her home at Temple after a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Woody.

Stockmen Begin Feeder Campaign

C. W. Lehmburg, county agent, spent all of Friday in the north part of the county working on the campaign instituted in this county for feeding livestock here this fall and winter with home-grown food. Mr. Lehmburg said the farmers and stockmen were taking to the plan fine and that some have already begun in a large way, planning to have animals ready for the market within 90 to 100 days.

The county agent will visit all entering the feeder campaign once a month. He is busy now working out balanced rations with home produced feed. Soon he will begin looking for stock suitable for feeding for those who have none but who wish to enter the movement. Most of this stock to be bought will be yearlings or calves about 8 months old, but some plan to fatten sheep and hogs.

M. H. Rogers, of the Cochran section, is now feeding 100 lambs. He plans to buy from 100 to 125 more lambs and about two carloads of cattle to complete his requirements. He has an abundance of feed and is now grazing lands where feed had been planted.

Claude Gooen, of the Wilmeth community, is feeding one car of cattle and one of hogs.

At Wingate Duncan Hensley and Tad Richards plan the feeding of about 400 head of cattle for the market. They are grazing some stock in fields now.

H. A. Mitchell and Roy Badgett, of Drasco, plan to feed one car of cattle each.

Many others expected to commence feeding within a short time using the best stock they can find. Nothing but home-grown feed will be used and in this way a good price can be had for the fat livestock and at the same time consume the surplus feed. The feed converted into flesh will be worth far more, it is pointed out, than if sold at present market prices.

Practically all those entering the feeder movement are members of the Texas Livestock Association and will have help of the organization in marketing their animals. They will be kept posted on the best time to ship to market and given other assistance.

Mr. Lehmburg stated that the feeder plan was becoming popular and many more are expected to join the movement.

Scratch Paas, 20c per pound, at Ledger office.

Officers Arrest 9 Past Week-End

Ballinger and Winters officers were kept on the jump during the past week-end, arresting and filing charges against a number of alleged violators. All cases were due to be heard some time Monday afternoon in justice court.

Two couples, both of whom reside in Ballinger, were arrested by Gerald Black at a dance in Winters Saturday night, and charges of drunkenness were filed against them. Two women were arrested here Sunday evening by Sheriff W. A. Holt and Chief of Police Lee Moreland, and were charged with disturbing the peace. It is alleged that the quarrel, in the "flat," caused neighbors to summon the officers, alleging that two participants were indulging in vociferous profanity.

Two Ballinger youths plead guilty in city court to stealing gasoline and were each fined \$1 and costs. Another was fined \$50 and costs in justice court Saturday afternoon for alleged theft of a battery.

Others were being sought by the officers but had not been arrested up to Monday afternoon.

RAISES FREAK CORN

CANYON, Texas, Sept. 14.—(AP)—A freak formation of field corn in which 23 tiny ears have grown in a mass in one husk was brought to the West Texas State Teachers' College by E. T. Price of Amarillo.

The corn is the ordinary white field variety which has reverted a long way toward the original type of corn, which had each grain enclosed in a husk, according to Professor Frank R. Phillips of the agriculture department, who examined the specimen. It will be placed in the agriculture laboratory.

Price found the unusual ear in a field near Vega, Texas.

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Weeks Drug Store

Mrs. W. C. McCarver returned Sunday from Dallas, where she had visited for the past two weeks. Otis Jacob left Sunday for Abilene, where she is to enter Abilene Christian College, which began its new term Monday morning.

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