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THREE FIRES CAUSE \$120,000 DAMAGE

(By Associated Press)
COMANCHE, Tex., June 15.—About half of the business section of Gustine, 16 miles East of here, was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin last night. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

DALLAS, June 15.—Fire of undetermined origin today caused estimated losses of \$20,000 at Cedar Hill and Lisbon, two villages near here. The towns are only a mile apart. A garage was damaged at Lisbon and a power plant and two stores were destroyed at Cedar Hill. Dallas firemen fought the flames.

ATTEND STATE CHRISTIAN CONVENTION AT ABILENE

Among those attending the State Convention of the Christian Church of Texas, from Ballinger, that met at Abilene from the 12th to the 16th of this month we note: Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Walker, Judge and Mrs. J. W. Powell, Judge and Mrs. Alfred Crager, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Moser, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Strain, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pilcher, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Murphy, C. R. Crews and Miss Lois Crews, Mrs. I. O. Wooden, Miss Agnes Glober, the Misses Bluet, Miss Lola Eubank, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moore, Mr. Combs. Those attending from this city report about 1200 in attendance at the communion service which was held in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church in Abilene at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

LEGION MEETING TONIGHT

The American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary will meet tonight at 8:15 at the club rooms. This will be the last meeting before the big birthday celebration to be staged on June 29th, and a number of important questions will be up for discussion. Refreshments will be served to both organizations at the close of the meetings.

Committee.

SHEPHERD CASE RESUMES TRIAL

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, June 15.—Dr. Amante Rongitti was called as the first witness today in the trial of William Darling Shepherd, who is charged with the murder of his foster son, William McClintock, millionaire orphan. Dr. Rongitti said Shepherd did not resemble the man he had previously stated had come to his hospital and displayed interest in bacteriology. William Derriek, of Houston, Texas, was the next witness called.

WOULD SEVER ALL RELATIONS

(By Associated Press)
PEKING, June 15.—Chinese students, merchants, shopkeepers and workers in the largest demonstration made here during the present troubles, today went to the foreign office and demanded that the Chinese government sever relations with Great Britain and instruct Tschun of Hankow forcibly to take possession of the British concessions there.

MEXICO TEACHING CHILDREN THRIFT

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, June 15.—Under a presidential decree just published the department of public instruction is authorized to found a saving and loan bank for school children. School teachers must deposit in this institution one day's salary in each month with 31 days; but pupils' savings are voluntary, although they must not be less than five centavos a week. The bank's operations will be limited to making loans to cooperative bodies. It is estimated that savings will total 120,000 pesos a year.

PERSIA OUT OF ARMS MEETING

(By Associated Press)
GENEVA, June 15.—Persia today withdrew from the international arms conference because of the conference's decision that Persian ships in the Gulf of Persia could be searched if suspected of engaged in the forbidden arms traffic.

Charlie Snell, of Wichita Falls, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Snell, and other relatives.

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NO REPLY ON MEXICAN POLICY

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 15.—Washington officials gave no indication today that a public reply would be made to President Calles' objection to the administration's Mexican policy. It was indicated, however, that specific questions underlying Secretary Kellogg's position would be made the subject of a formal communication to the Mexican government.

Events in the Lives of Little Men



Auto Owners Told Dangers Lurking in Carbon Monoxide

(By Associated Press)
PITTSBURGH, June 15.—With hundreds of thousands of automobiles being put into use in the United States during the summer months, the United States Bureau of Mines gas experts, stationed at Pittsburgh, have again sounded a warning to the motorists to exercise caution to prevent serious sickness and death from the deadly gas from motor exhaust, carbon monoxide. The gas experts at the bureau, R. R. Sayers and W. P. Yant, point out that the widespread use of motor cars in the summer time naturally means many repair jobs on motors, and it is while working on automobile machines in closed garages that many carbon monoxide fatalities occur.

These experts, who delve into the mysteries of the deadly gas, have a list of "don'ts" for motorists, as well as a list of "remedies" when the "don'ts" are disregarded by careless automobile operators. The "don'ts" include:

Guard against running an automobile engine in a poorly ventilated or closed garage.

Do not work under a machine with the motor running, even though it is in the open air.

Sitting in a closed car with the engine running is dangerous; always have the windows open.

Persons wishing to avoid this dangerous gas must see to it that their garages are well ventilated. They should avoid exposure to carbon monoxide and, where it is necessary to come into contact with it, protective equipment should be provided.

A victim of the gas should be taken into the fresh air as soon as possible. If the breathing has stopped, artificial respiration must be supplied. For this purpose pure oxygen can be used, or oxygen with five per cent carbon dioxide, to be given for about 20 minutes. The patient's limbs should be massaged, to restore and increase circulation, and the body should be kept warm. The victim must rest, avoiding any exertion whatever.

Carbon monoxide is doubly dangerous, the experts say, because it is hard to detect in the air. It has no odor and is tasteless. Symptoms are readily found, however. A slight case finds the victim suffering from headache. As the percentage of carbon monoxide in the blood increases the headache becomes more severe. The victim's legs weaken and respiration increases. Then comes a collapse, followed by unconsciousness, and finally death.

The dangerous fallacy that the atmosphere in a closed garage is safe as long as an automobile engine continues to function, has been disproved by tests. A dog was placed on the front seat of a touring car in a closed brick garage, and the motor was allowed to idle. After 20 minutes operation the animal lost consciousness. At that time the air showed 1.3 per cent carbon monoxide. The engine was allowed to run until it

stopped from lack of air at the end of two hours, when the percentage of gas was 2.1, enough to cause instant death.

This incident the experts cited in order to impress motorists that they should not permit their motors to idle in the garage while they should not permit their some forgotten article.

Voicing a warning against the deadly effects of carbon monoxide gas, present in the exhaust of automobiles, the United States Bureau of Mines sets for the following general rules:

Never run automobile engine in closed or poorly ventilated garage.

Never work under machine with motor running even in open air.

Never close all car windows with engine running even in open air.

It is not true that the air in a closed garage is safe so long as a gas engine continues to run.

Move a victim of carbon monoxide poisoning into the open air; supply artificial respiration; give him oxygen; massage his limbs; keep him warm and quiet.

AMERICANS ARE REPORTED SAFE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 15.—Safety for all Americans and their property in Canton is reported to the state department today by Consul General Jenkins.

The consul said that the Cantonese generals who led the successful attack on the city were accompanied by Russian military advisors who directed the fighting and to whom the Cantonese victory undoubtedly is due.

Rev. H. H. Stephens, Baptist pastor of Winters, with his family, passed through Ballinger Monday en route to Dallas to spend some time visiting.

Mrs. Leslie E. Billert and children, of Dallas, are here visiting Mrs. N. S. Mullins.

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UNIVERSITY TO GET ONE-EIGHTH ROYALTY

SAYS STUDENTS MAKE CRIMINALS

(By Associated Press)
BOULDER, Colo., June 15.—Urging members of the graduating class of the University of Colorado to utilize their education for leadership, always striving for service and success in their life's work, Secretary of Interior Work, in his commencement address here today arraigned the class spirit of the present day college graduates who he said are becoming criminals in alarming numbers.

Dr. Work said this criminal tendency was due either because of meager mentality, superficial schooling or lack of moral stamina, and that thoughtful men seek the reasons.

Touching on the evolution controversy, Sec. Work said "Evolution may well be taught as a theory but not necessarily in antagonism to theology which accepts evolution as the spirit leading to a higher life nor in refutation of the teachings of the Bible prescribed in many schools."

THREE BANDITS GET \$82,000

(By Associated Press)
ST. PAUL, Minn., June 15.—While a score of passengers looked on, three men today obtained \$82,000 from George Halverson, a 17-year-old messenger for the Minnesota Transfer State Bank, when they held him up in a street car.

DR. HALE IS IMPROVING

The Ledger is in receipt of a telegram from Louis Hale, which reads as follows:

"Dr. Hale is improving but very slow, please send his paper."

This will be good news to Dr. Hale's many friends in Ballinger. He was stricken ill while on a short vacation at San Marcos and since that time has been confined to his bed at Temple, Texas, where his daughter also was operated on for appendicitis. It is hoped that he will be able to return home soon.

MISSIONARY AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Elder E. S. Jelly, who was sixteen years a missionary in India, will preach at the Church of Christ tonight. Also Elder A. B. Barrett will talk Tuesday night on "Evolution."

Everyone is invited to come and hear these lectures.

Judge A. K. Doss left Monday morning for Menard, where he was to meet with the commissioners court of that county on business.

Mrs. L. R. Tigner is visiting relatives and friends in Dallas.

RAILWAY HEAD DIES SUDDENLY

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, June 15.—Julius Kruttschnitt, former chairman of the board and directing head of the Southern Pacific Company, died here today. Death came at the Presbyterian Hospital at 3:00 o'clock this morning.

Kruttschnitt was taken to the hospital three weeks ago for a minor operation and apparently was recovering when an unexpected heart attack set in which caused his death.

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, June 15.—The University of Texas is entitled to one-eighth of the value of the gross production of casing-head gasoline extracted from oil wells on University land, the attorney general's department held today in an opinion given President Splawn, of the university.

The opinion said that the Big Lake Oil Company, owners of the largest producers in the Reagan county field had established a casing head extraction plant and intended to further develop the industry.

ENTRIES TO "MORE COTTON" CONTEST WILL CLOSE ON AUGUST 1ST

In order to afford every Texas cotton grower opportunity to enter the state-wide "More Cotton on Fewer Acres" contest the final date for entry has been set for August 1st. This will give all these farmers a chance to enter who got a late start in planting and who thought they were out of the running. Many a field which started off poorly has developed wonderfully of late and farmers are urged to select any five acres out of their cotton field and enter them in the state contest.

It does not matter what shape the field is in. If a creek or ditch runs through the field that will make no difference as land on both sides can be measured just so that there are five acres, no more, no less.

All land must be measured by August 1st. The measuring committee should consist of two farmers living in the community or county with the entrants and one merchant or business man from the nearest town. Large counties with many entrants may appoint as many measuring committees as may be necessary to divide the work. Affidavits can be obtained at all chambers of commerce and county agents or from the agricultural editor of the Dallas Morning News and the Semi-Weekly Farm News.

Millionaire Leaves Fund to Assure Better Roads

(By Associated Press)
STOCKHOLM, June 15.—In one of the most original wills ever filed for probate in Sweden, a local millionaire named Carl Smitt has directed that the bulk of his estate be devoted to the improvement of public highways and to the discovery of better methods of catching fish.

The money to be spent for the improvement of roads is to be administered by the Stockholm Automobile Club and used for such things as the construction of model highways and tests of paving materials, as well as for prizes to communities with good roads. The fishing fund is to be spent for the bettering of fishing methods so as to benefit the population of the Swedish skerries.

O. Hipscher, who has been with the First National Bank of Ballinger for the past year, left Monday for Fort Worth, where he will enter the United States navy. Mr. Hipscher served in the navy during the world war and is returning to the call of the briny deep.

12,000 ATTEND ROTARY MEET

(By Associated Press)
CLEVELAND, June 15.—Thousands of Rotarians are here today for the opening night of the 16th annual convention of the Rotary International. Every state in the union and twenty-five foreign countries are represented, and more than 12,000 persons are expected to attend the sessions. Delegates from Texas and several other states came in special trains.

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There was no band concert Sunday afternoon. Notwithstanding cars began to park about the court house lawn about one hour before the regular time, and the crowd was there even if the band was not. These concerts are presented only every other Sunday.

There are about 100 boys in Ballinger who want to join the Boy Scouts, but up to the present no one has been found to act as scoutmaster for the boys. Scout work is not only good for the boys who belong, but the Scouts themselves are a good organization for any town to foster.

Manager Wooden says he has had a challenge for a baseball game with the Original Bloomer Girls team from St. Louis. He has not accepted the challenge yet as practically all his team is composed of married men and he is afraid that his organization will be unable to play when the girls arrive.

The ole swimmin' hole is as popular today as it ever was. The editor got the fever Sunday afternoon and sought a cool, deep hole of water to get relief from the heat and while looking for a good place drove to about five or six different spots. At each hole the room was about all taken up and many people waiting on the banks to take the places of those who were in the water. Looks like a good swimming pool in Ballinger would be a payin' proposition during the summer.

A TRIBUTE TO MOTHERS IN-LAW

An agreeable contradiction of the exceedingly stale and stereotyped joke about mothers-in-law occurred in Ballinger last month. Mrs. T. S. Lankford died May 22, and the funeral was delayed for the arrival of non-resident members of the family until the 25th. Among them were nine sons-in-law, eight of whom were active pall-bearers. Cynical minds might even turn this tribute of respect into the channel of the old joke upon the theory that they were performing a pleasant duty, but in all seriousness it was an unusual demonstration of affection as well as highly complimentary to the character of the deceased. The daily papers have recognized this in presenting a group picture of the nine sons by affinity who have done themselves much credit. The incident deserves to be placed upon the permanent records of human life.—L. B. Russell in Comanche Enterprise.

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Historians generally agree that about 800 redcoats marched at Lexington.

FAIR STOCK BEING SOLD

Secretary J. D. Motley and Farm Agent C. W. Lehmburg left Monday morning for the Bethel community in the interests of the Runnels County Fair. Mr. Motley is placing for sale with the people of the county the additional \$5,000 worth of stock which was voted to be sold by the directors of the Runnels County Fair Association. Mr. Lehmburg is already getting the various communities lined up with plans for their exhibits this fall.

Mr. Motley stated Monday morning that he thought the work of selling the additional stock would be completed by July 1st, and that as soon as this is done the building committee will start on the new improvements which are to be made at Fair Park before the coming fair this fall.

The secretary further stated that the stock was selling rapidly and so far he had met with no trouble in placing same in every community where he had worked.

NORTHWEST INDIANS ADORN TRIBAL GRAVES

(By Associated Press) TACOMA, June 15.—Graded, lawned and decorated with suitable monuments, the old Indian cemetery adjoining the Cushman veterans' hospital here has been completely transformed through the efforts of local Indians, assisted by a government appropriation.

The cemetery contains the remains of some of the leading Indians of the Northwest, and about 2,000 aborigines have been buried there since it was established in 1853.

One of the graves especially sacred to the Indians is that of Chief Leschi, who was hanged in 1856 on a charge of killing an American army officer who was on his way to a parley with the Indians. The Indians have always considered Leschi a martyr, and some American historians have declared that he was innocent of

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M. E. REVIVAL GETS GOOD START

The first two services of the Methodist revival Sunday were attended by a large crowd and much interest was manifested. Dr. Hunt, who is to do the preaching, was unable to be present at the opening day's services, and Rev. Brapham, who will conduct the singing, did not arrive until Sunday afternoon.

Rev. E. W. Bridges opened the campaign by occupying the pulpit at the morning service and spoke to a large crowd. Rev. Brapham was on hand at the night service, and conducted the music and also delivering the sermon. He has a remarkable voice and those attending the meeting are assured of hearing some good music under his direction.

The crowd at the night service filled the church to its capacity in the main auditorium and many additional chairs were placed in the Sunday school rooms and were filled. The fans that have recently been installed in the church made it comfortable for the big crowd all through the service.

It was announced that Dr. Hunt would arrive Monday and would do the preaching for the remainder of the week.

Book makers at Florence Displayed Finest Wares

(By Associated Press) ROME, June 15.—Book collectors from all parts of the world flocked to Florence this month to attend the second International Book Fair, at which bibliophiles were able to examine the finest productions of nearly all the book producing nations of Europe, Australia, Asia, America and Africa.

The largest exhibits were from Italy, France, England, Germany, Switzerland, Yugoslavia, Poland and Rumania, but small nations like Siam, Lithuania and Venezuela vied with larger ones like Mexico and Czechoslovakia in rich contributions to the fair.

There were particularly interesting collections of sacred books, of Japanese books and of Hebrew books, the last named including

the charge against him. Chief Salutat, who ruled the Indians of this region from 1851 to 1860 is also buried in the cemetery. He was a great friend of the early white settlers and a convert to the Christian religion. In addition to Indian chiefs of the Nisqually, Puyallup and other tribes, the cemetery contains the bones of Tom Thompson, noted as a great Indian judge. He handled legal matters for the Indians for many years.

Bees ever alien intruders in their lives in tombs of wax.

Lowell, the poet, was foreign minister to Madrid in 1877.

France produces 700,000 metric tons of paper annually.

Psychologists consider morning hours best for work.

Rickets are due to lack of sunshine.

Italy had 700,000 visitors in 1923.

Tomatoes were once thought to be poisonous.

contributions from the United States, Poland, Italy and Egypt. Eugene Field had eight children. John L. Sullivan knocked out 165 men on his famous tour. A new stadium recently built in Chicago seats 100,000 persons. A ship's carpenter is called "Chips."

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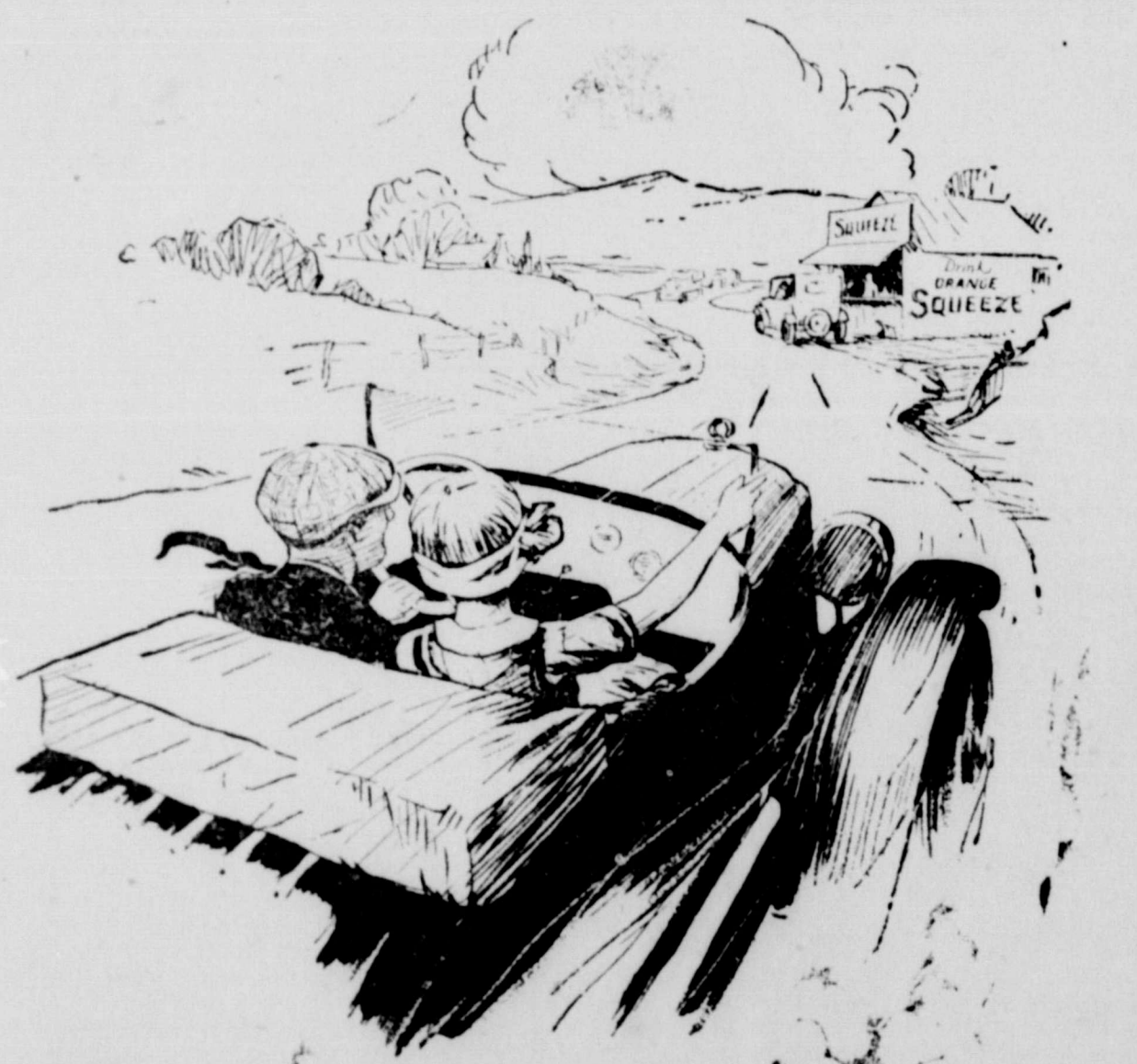
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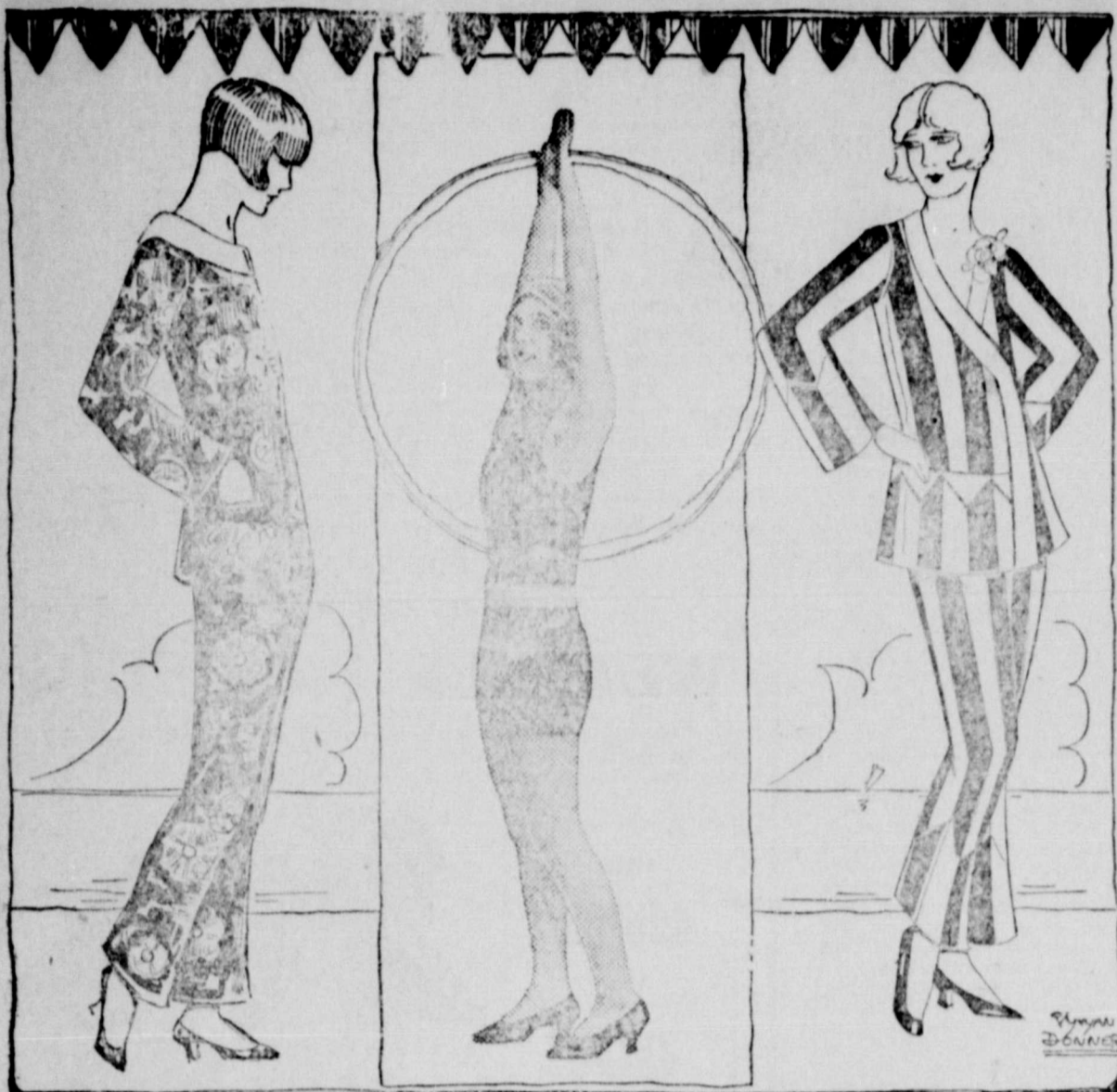
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nous beach cape, and are infinitely more modest to be around in than an abbreviated swimming suit.

Two pairs of beach pajamas are sketched above. They are typical of those seen this winter at southern resorts. The first is one of chintz. The coloring is gorgeous—deep blues and vivid greens, on a field of white, with here and there a touch of vermilion. The sleeves are wide, and so are the trousers, and there are pockets for the vanity case and other accessories so necessary to feminine comfort and peace of mind. Scarlet slippers flash off the picture.

The suit at the right is a gay affair of stripes—dazzling white, and

bright blue. A white boutonniere lends more dash to the outfit.

These pajama suits are made to go over the little one-piece, or two-piece woolen swimming suits—the sort of suit seen in the photo above on Gloria Hellar. Miss Hellar is one of the practical bathing beauties selected to appear in the new Paramount picture, "The Night Club." For this picture, girls were selected, not only for their beauty of face and form, but for the beauty and form of their swimming strokes and dives. Some of them appear in bathing suits of frills and furberelows, ruffles and laces, but even all this finery fails to prevent their aquatic activities and sports.

the production. Harry Beaumont is the director of "Recompense." Marie Prevost, Monte Blue, John Patrick, John Roche and other notables head the cast.

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MILES PERSONALS

Special to The Ledger:
MILES, June 13. Miss Ella Louise Luce left on the afternoon Santa Fe Friday for Dallas to visit her sister, Mrs. L. A. Camp. Elton Pittman and Mr. Nelson were in San Angelo Friday.

Leroy Clarke, of San Angelo, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Clarke here Friday afternoon.

F. M. Smith was in San Angelo Saturday morning attending to business.

J. A. Seidel, of Rowena, attended to business in Miles Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. Emil Listman and son, Emil Jr., have returned to their home at Alice, Texas, after visiting friends in Miles.

Miss Mary Bester Worthy and Miss Ha Ray who have been visiting Miss Clara Dean Ray, left Saturday for their home at Roscoe.

Mrs. Wesley Prinzing and daughter, June, were visitors to San Angelo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ledbetter and children left Sunday for Dallas and Stephenville, to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hale of Talpa, visited friends in Miles Thursday.

Mrs. F. Reichert and children and Neal McDonald were in San

Angelo Saturday.
Earl Lawhon and sister, Miss Beatrice, went to San Angelo Saturday. Miss Beatrice remained over for a few days to visit friends.

H. E. Jenness was called to Rockdale Friday to be at the bedside of his mother who is seriously ill.

Miss Bertha Jenness is spending the week-end with her mother, Mrs. H. E. Jenness.

Victor Murdock, an English chemist, used gas for lighting in 1792.

The armor used by Joan of Arc was especially made for her in Tours.

The bathing suits are with us again. We went down to the beach and our head started swimming.

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Mr. Keable's two books "Simon Called Peter" and "Recompense" have become such household literature that everybody knows Peter the army chaplain, and Julie, the nurse, who battle with life and their own natures with all the sincerity and intensity of two fine courageous and high-minded hearts.

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C. R. Stone is back on the job at the Hub after a two weeks' vacation. Mr. Stone spent part of his time in Fort Worth and then visited his old home at Itasca, Texas. He says Runnels county is the best in Texas and came home feeling good over the prospects out here.

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MEXICANS PLAN CELEBRATION

Mexicans of Ballinger and surrounding country have formed an organization which may produce one of the biggest gatherings ever held in West Texas if it is put over according to plans that have been initiated. A meeting was called in Ballinger among some of the Mexican leaders together with white friends the latter part of last week and officers elected and plans formed for the huge gathering.

Pablo Cavena was elected president, C. T. Grant, vice-president; and Amado Arellano, secretary. A committee was also named from the Chamber of Commerce to assist the Mexicans in putting the plans over and creating the big district meeting. The committee named was J. McGregor, E. E. King and J. D. Motley.

The proposed district would reach as far South as San Antonio and Sonora, West to Big Spring, North to Amarillo and will take in Stamford, Eastland, Cisco and Brownwood North and East. Out of the district it is expected that as many as 10,000 Mexicans would attend the celebration. The Chamber of Commerce committee plans to turn over the tourist park, which will cover seven acres, to the Mexicans for a camp grounds and let the meetings be held in the Runnels county fair grounds. The date for the convention would be September 15th and 16th, and will commemorate Mexico's independence from Spain.

Local Mexicans have already taken up with the Mexican national government the question of securing a Mexican military band here from Mexico City for the big holiday. They have had the assurance from the Calles government that in case the arrangements are made that the Second Infantry Band of 72 pieces, and one of the finest bands in the Mexican army, will be sent here for the occasion. The band would play four concerts here in two days for which a gate admission would be charged. The cost of the band to Ballinger would be just the bare expenses, which would total about \$5,000 or \$6,000.

Plans will be pushed by those in charge and definite arrangements are expected to be announced in the next few weeks.

Cane-Fibre Lumber Demonstrates Decorative Value at Gotham Show



QUINT DESIGNS ON SYNTHETIC BOARD

CHICAGO — Synthetic lumber made from cane fibre was selected by the American Institute of Architects for interior construction and decoration of the Architectural and Allied Arts Exposition in Grand Central Palace, New York according to H. C. Huggett, service counsel of the Celotex Company, manufacturers of the product.

"Thousands of feet of the new lumber have been decorated by artists under direction of Howard Greenley, architect of New York, who is official designer of the exposition," said Mr. Huggett. "Adaptability of celotex for decorative purposes in addition to its value in home construction is one of its unique features. Its surface may be artistically treated with designs, ornamental schemes and portraits. Its possibilities in home beautification are unlimited. The new building material is painted out insulating against heat and sound. It may be constructed of it heat warm in winter and a minimum of fuel is required for its construction."

and cool in summer. Tests have proved that foot for foot the lumber has all the strength of wood. The product is being manufactured now at the rate of 200,000,000 feet annually. This production, experts say, will have to be increased enormously to meet the demand for building material in view of the nation's disappearing forests. "In addition to the extensive use of the new lumber in the stage setting of the exposition the Celotex Company will have a booth at the Grand Central Palace demonstrating the adaptability of the product in building construction. Illustrating its wonderful qualities in acoustics and in fire resistance."

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Revival Continues in Interest

The Church of God revival in South Ballinger continues to grow in interest. While it was hindered the first of last week by the hail storm, causing us to miss two nights services, blowing the tent down, etc., yet as it has ever been with the people of God filled with faith and victory, "none of these things move me," we felt individually and collectively the meeting should continue, so we began last Thursday night with a larger crowd present than was at our last sermon before the storm. With a rapid growing interest in gathering of larger crowds each night, with many requests given to continue the meeting we have decided to continue the meeting

over the coming Sunday night. All Christians are urged to pray for the meeting. We are expecting many souls to be saved this week. All are invited to come and enjoy the meeting.
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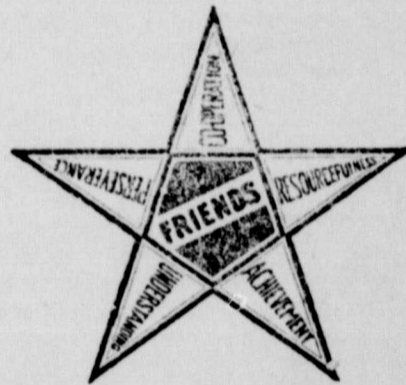
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