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LONE STAR CREW IS BUSY ON GAS LINES

More than seventy-five workmen started work Wednesday morning on the Lone Star Gas Company's distribution system in the downtown district while draymen were unloading pipe in residential streets east and north of Broadway.

H. F. Tickle is in charge of the construction gang.

Many laborers signed up for this company by the Chamber of Commerce were put to work and were working on the first ditches which are being dug in alleys of the downtown section. At noon more than three blocks of ditches had been dug and welders were putting the pipe together preparatory to painting and placing in the ditch.

The ditching machine was also put to work and by the end of the week several blocks of ditches will be completed and many thousands of feet of pipe will be welded together.

As far as could be learned at noon Wednesday, none of the Barney Carter material had arrived in the city to start work, however F. O. Dean, representative of Mr. Carter was still in the city.

ASKS LOWDEN BE CANDIDATE

(By Associated Press)
OREGON, Ill., July 13.—Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, today received a petition bearing the signatures of 10,000 Montana voters asking him to become a candidate for the Republican nomination for president.

NEW YORKER WINS 24-MILE SWIM MARATHON

(By Associated Press)
LAKE GEORGE, N. Y., July 13.—William Keating, New York swimming instructor, won the 24-mile swimming marathon from Hague to his village today. Keating's time was 18 hours 47 minutes and 18 seconds. Chilling water kept the other entrants from finishing.

Social position is relative. It depends on living in a town where people are less important than yourself.

400 TAKEN FROM QUAKE DERBIS

(By Associated Press)
JERUSALEM, July 13.—(By Jewish Telegraph Agency)—Four hundred bodies of victims of the earthquake in Palestine Monday had been recovered from the debris in a number of cities and villages today.

A list of the casualties compiled by the authorities places the number of injured at 450.

3 ENTER NOT GUILTY PLEAS

(By Associated Press)
FRANKLIN, La., July 13.—Pleas of not guilty were entered by Dr. Thomas Dreher, Mrs. Ada Leboeuf and James Beadle, all charged with the murder of James Leboeuf, Morgan City business man, upon their arraignment here today.

James Parkerson, attorney for the three defendants, objected to the arraignment, arguing that insufficient time had been granted him to prepare his motions.

Be wise and advertise.

Oil Well is Ablaze Again

(By Associated Press)
AMARILLO, July 13.—The Mc-Millan Oil Corporation's Stanford well, where nine men lost their lives on May 26, is on fire again.

A bolt of lightning struck the well this morning and all operations nearby have been suspended until the well is shot out.

WINTERS MAN FOUND DEAD

George Lawrence, 28, night engineer at the Winters Ice & Fuel Co. plant, died Wednesday morning at 1:00 o'clock while on duty, from heart disease, said a coroner's verdict rendered by Judge C. H. Willingham of this city, who held the inquest.

Lawrence, according to testimony of Winters physicians who examined the body about ten minutes after death, was lying down when he died, and did not fall as was first rumored. Neighbors heard shouts near the ice plant about 1 o'clock in the morning, and investigated. They found Mr. Lawrence dead and called doctors at once. Mr. Lawrence had been in the employ of the ice company about one year and had resided at Winters two years.

County Attorney C. P. Shepherd, Deputy Sheriff John White and Judge Willingham went to Winters early Wednesday morning and held the inquest.

Deceased is survived by his widow, one child, and his parents who live in Winters, and other relatives.

A hearse left Winters Wednesday morning at 9:00 o'clock for Valley Mills, Lawrence's former home, where funeral services and interment will be held Thursday afternoon.

Oscar Williams, formerly of this city, is manager of the Winters Ice & Fuel Company.

NORTON MAN HURT IN FALL

Homer Fletcher, about 32, of Norton, employed in the construction of the new school building there, received a bad fall Wednesday morning about 10:00 o'clock and was brought to the Halley & Love Sanitarium here at 12:45 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by an ambulance of Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Mr. Fletcher was not seriously hurt, hospital attendants said after an examination. He was bruised and shocked considerably but his injuries are not believed to be serious.

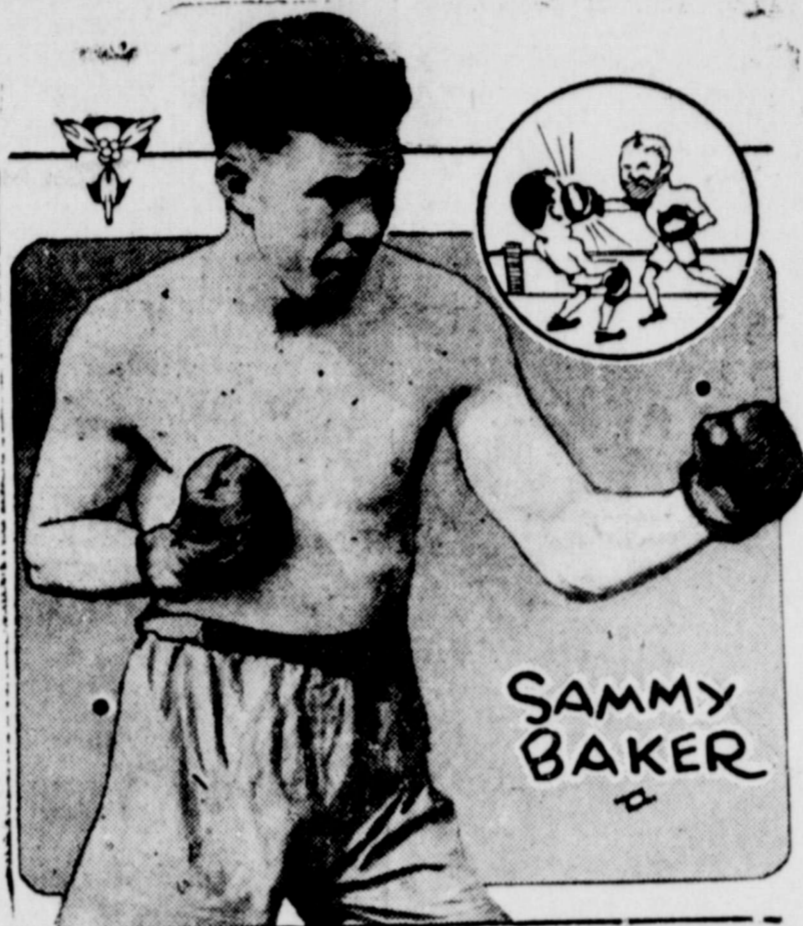
If knighthood were yet in flower, certain young men would check their shoes before dancing.

NAVAL MEET IS STILL ON

(By Associated Press)
GENEVA, July 13.—Delegates to the tripartite naval arms reduction conference today decided to convoke the plenary session tomorrow.

The session for tomorrow has been arranged, it was learned, in order that assurance can be given that negotiations are continuing under the friendliest terms.

Sammy Baker Is Rugged Rival for Joe Dundee, Welter King



(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, July 13.—Joe Dundee, the new welterweight champion of the world, has plenty of opposition in sight if he contemplates a busy campaign in defense of the crown. Not the least of the Baltimore Italian's rivals is the wallowing soldier, Sergeant Sammy Baker, who jumped into the limelight by stopping the Nebraska "Wildcat," Ace Hudkins.

Hudkins had been knocked down but never out, nor had he been stopped by any foe until he met the rushing, two-fisted Baker.

Sergeant Sammy, a youngster with lots of stamina and courage as well as punching ability, has come from the army ranks in rapid fashion to make his mark in the 147-pound division. He is a product of Mitchel Field, New York. He holds decisions over such men as "K. O. Eddie" Roberts, the Tacoma sensation, who knocked out Joe Dundee in a single round at San Francisco; Georgie Ward and Joe Simonich, the Montana miner.

FORD STOLEN HERE MONDAY POSSE CONTINUES HUNT FOR NEGRO

(By Associated Press)
FT. WORTH, July 13.—The belief that the negro sought by officers in connection with the Terrell slaying near Justin Sunday has escaped the force of officers thrown about Justin and is now hiding in Ft. Worth, was expressed today by County Attorney Elbert Hooper of Denton.

DALLAS, July 13.—Finger print experts here have identified the negro giving his name as Willie Robinson, held here in connection and charged with the slaying of J. C. Terrell, Justin farmer, as Jesse Brinkley, who escaped from a Texas prison farm near Houston, where he was serving a 75-year term upon conviction for burglary and assault to murder.

The negro yesterday signed a confession that he participated in the Terrell slaying but claimed that his confederate actually did the shooting. A posse of 100 men today continued to search for the other negro.

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Three Killed in L. A. Crash

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, July 13.—Three men were killed and four other persons, two men and two women were injured, two seriously, when an automobile driven by Miss Betty Peck, of Los Angeles, crashed into a real estate office here today.

The dead are Reuben Dietrich, Vedra Humes, and a man whose first name was Isadore, all of Los Angeles.

WTCC MOTORCADE ENDED

(By Associated Press)
CARLSBAD, N. M., July 13.—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce motorcade ended here today after an eight-day tour through Western Texas and touching in New Mexico. The motorcade disbanded today upon reaching the Carlsbad Caverns.

124 ALIENS ARE DEPORTED

(By Associated Press)
HIDALGO, July 13.—Deportation of 124 Mexican aliens was underway here today. The Mexicans were caught while on their way to cotton fields of Central Texas. The capture makes a total of approximately 350 aliens arrested in the past two weeks.

ORDERS JAPAN TO WITHDRAW

(By Associated Press)
PEKING, July 13.—The Peking government, after a verbal protest by the foreign office to the Japanese legation Monday, has sent a note to the Japanese government in which it demands an immediate withdrawal of troops from Tsinanfu and Tsingta in the province of Shantung.

(By Associated Press)

BRECKENRIDGE, July 13.—Fire and flood struck Breckenridge today, causing an unestimated amount of damage.

Half of a business block was destroyed by fire of unknown origin and did damage estimated at \$20,000, while a five-inch rain swelled Goncolos Creek, overflowing the lowlands and washing into homes in low lying districts.

Railroad officials said the roadbed north of the city was under water.

WICHITA FALLS, July 13.—Reports here today indicated that rainfall was general throughout this section but was probably heaviest south of Wichita Falls.

Showers fell along the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad through Oklahoma, with indications that it would continue.

The precipitation will benefit crops very much it was said.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Brewer and daughter, Miss Evelyn, and Miss Ollie Gene Cordill left Wednesday morning for Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they will visit the Carlsbad Caverns. They will visit other scenic points in New Mexico and return home by the way of the Davis Mountains where they will spend about ten days.

TELEGRAM SAYS DOG HAD RABIES

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Schott left Wednesday afternoon with their son, James, aged 2, for the Pasteur Institute at Austin, where the baby will receive treatment for a dog bite received Monday evening.

Dr. F. M. Hale received a telegram Wednesday afternoon stating there was positive evidence of rabies in the dog's brains.

The dog was killed Tuesday morning and his head packed in ice, and sent to Austin for an examination. The examination revealed that the dog had rabies and it is possible that other animals in the city are affected with the malady.

Citizens are warned by the health authorities to beware of dogs and to keep away from them as much as possible. Those who own fine dogs are notified to keep them tied up at home.

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**SHERIFF WADDELL GETS
AUTO THIEF HERE**

Sheriff Otis Waddell and a deputy of Brady, were in Ballinger Tuesday morning to get a man by the name of Mitchell, wanted in Brady for theft of a Ford touring car there Monday night.

Chief of Police W. L. McMillan arrested the alleged car thief here about midnight Monday and notified Sheriff Waddell he had his man.

The McCullough county officers returned to Brady Tuesday afternoon.

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**SHREVEPORT NEGRO TEAM
TO PLAY PACKARDS HERE**

The negro baseball team of Shreveport, La., comes to Ballinger Friday for a two-game series with the Ballinger Packards, local colored team, it was announced Wednesday. The Packards is one of the strongest negro baseball teams in West Texas and are expected to give the Louisiana boys a good trouncing in both games.

The games will start at 4:00 o'clock and are to be played at Fair Park.

J. T. Routh, farmer, who resides three miles down the Colorado River, was resting very well Wednesday afternoon following a serious operation in the Halley & Love Sanitarium. Mr. Routh had been suffering for several months.

**FUNERAL FOR CAD
WILLIAMS TODAY**

Cad Williams, 41, of Fort Worth, formerly of this city, who was shot and killed there Monday afternoon in an altercation at his cold drink stand, will be buried this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in Evergreen Cemetery.

The remains arrived Wednesday at noon and were taken to the home of Dick Ueckert, 1208 Seventh Street, where funeral services will be conducted by Rev. J. H. McClain, pastor of the Baptist church.

The body was accompanied from Fort Worth by Mrs. Williams, of Fort Worth, and a nephew, Chester Cad Ueckert, of this city, who is attending Texas Christian University at Fort Worth.

Details of the shooting in which Mr. Williams was killed are not known here, however, it is understood that a man is being held by police in Fort Worth in connection with the killing.

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**SOUTH BALLINGER
NEWS**

Mrs. W. H. Jackson and children left Thursday for a visit with her parents in Houston, after which they will visit relatives and friends at Beaumont and other places in Southeast Texas before returning home.

Mrs. Hugh Lewis and daughter, Miss Bernice, of Coleman, visited in the home of Mrs. Jack Carroll last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown, of Cross Plains, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Brown, and family. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

A. E. Dennis and Howard Dennis, of Snyder, came in Monday to visit some folks.

Hood May, of Cross Plains, returned to his home Monday after a few days stay with his sisters, Mrs. Jack Carroll and Miss Bertie May. Lois Carroll returned home with her uncle.

Mrs. Jack Cook and Jack Jr., of Austin, came in Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. George McMillan and little daughter, Willie Mae, returned home Saturday from a visit to Arkansas relatives.

Mrs. P. P. Holton left Thursday for Slaton to visit her sister, Mrs. Owens.

Mrs. W. S. Davis and son, J. R., have returned from San Angelo.

Miss Maxine Slaton, of Coleman, spent the week-end with Miss Bertie May.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Jones, of Oklahoma, spent Friday night with Mrs. Jones' brother, Jim Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kelsey and daughter, Miss Vera, returned home Friday from Oklahoma and other places.

Clinton and Ira Reese returned home Saturday from McCamey.

W. O. Brown left Monday morning for the Fry oil field.

Mr. and Mrs. Caswell Tuckey and baby and Mrs. Tuckey's sister of near Crews spent the day Tuesday with Mr. Tuckey's sister, Mrs. George McMillan.

Mrs. W. F. Whitaker and children, of Fabens, Texas, are visiting her brother, V. B. Jones, and other relatives.

Uncle Jim, and grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Gadberry.

H. J. Jones is spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Toungett, at Oxien.

We are glad to report Pat Murphy is doing better at this writing, after getting his arm broken last week from a fall. "BLUE BONNET."

REVIVAL YET IN PROGRESS

The revival being conducted by Rev. Sidney Smith at the Ninth Street Church of Christ is still progressing nicely, and interest is fine. The evangelist's theme last night was "Christ, His First and Second Coming." He showed when Christ comes again, all material things will pass away, and Christ then becomes subject to the Father. All the saints will go with Christ into eternal life but the wicked will be cast into hell and punished forever and ever. The theme for tonight, July 13th, will be "Religion—What is It? How Does It Affect You?" All are invited to hear this great message. The evangelist says people are losing sight of pure religion. Let us see if we can get our religion warmed up and worked over.

There will be a short service at 6:00 p. m. today. All are invited to attend this and feed on spiritual food. Service tonight at 8:30. Come and hear what pure religion will do for all. "REPORTER."

Sheriff's Sale

In the District Court, Forty-second Judicial District, Taylor County, Texas. L. S. Munger, Plaintiff, vs. E. O. Shores, and W. E. Rosson, Defendants. No. 6432.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Taylor County, Texas, Forty-second Judicial District, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1927, in favor of the said L. S. Munger, and against the said E. O. Shores and W. E. Rosson, numbered 6432, on the docket of said court, I did, on the 5th day of July, A. D. 1927, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tract of land belonging to the said E. O. Shores and W. E. Rosson, to-wit:

All that certain tract of land described in a deed recorded in

the deed records of Runnels County, Texas, in Volume 120, page 521, reference to which is hereby made for more complete description. Being all that certain tract situated in said Runnels County, Texas, out of the W. A. McGrew Survey No. 473, Patent No. 833, and more particularly described as follows.

Beginning at a stake in the west line of said Survey No. 473, 1542.4 feet south of the northwest corner of said survey, the same being 30 feet east of the southwest corner of that certain 200-acre tract deeded to D. D. Aldridge;

Thence East with the south line of the D. D. Aldridge tract for a distance of 2633 feet for the northeast corner of the tract herein conveyed;

Thence South 1985 feet; Thence West 2633 feet with the north line of the M. D. Chatham tract;

Thence North 1985 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 120 acres of land, being the same land described in deed from L. S. Munger and wife to E. O. Shores, recorded in Volume 127, page 180, deed records of Runnels County, Texas.

And on the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1927, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a. m., and 4:00 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the court house door of Runnels County, Texas, I will offer for sale, and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said E. O. Shores and W. E. Rosson in and to said property.

Dated at Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, this 5th day of July, A. D., 1927.

R. E. McWILLIAMS, Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas. By John D. White, Deputy. d-6-13-20

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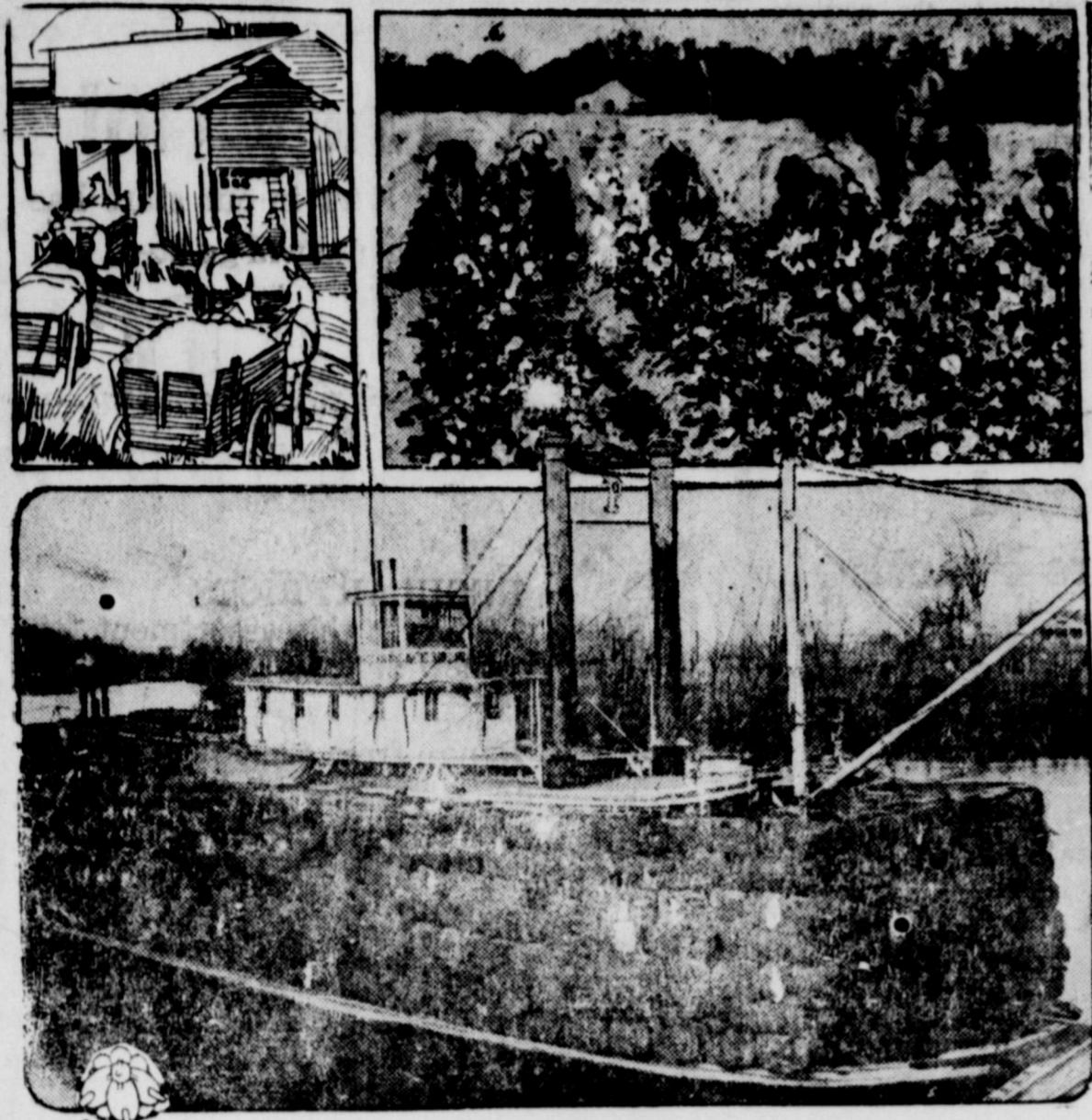
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Federal Experts Speculate On Cotton's Possible Future



Top—Typical American cotton field at picking time. Below—River steamer with cargo of baled cotton.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 13. Federal authorities admit the 1927 cotton crop is subject to interesting developments.

First, it is following a year of heaviest production in the history of America's cotton industry.

Furthermore, no one knows what degree of success will attend late planting in the Missis-

issippi delta.
O. F. Cook, United States senior botanist, questions satisfactory return from fields seeded as flood water retreated. Although farmers have learned practical cultivation methods that advance the date of maturity as much as two weeks, Cooks doubts the advisability of extensive risks on second planting.

Dr. O. C. Stine, agricultural economist, foresees crop conditions similar to those of 1911-12.

"The large 15-million bale crop of 1911," he recalls, "was followed by a 13-million bale crop in 1912. Last year this country produced 18 million bales. Naturally therefore, the trend now would be

toward a lighter crop.
"Acreage has been reduced because of the surplus cotton supply. And, as in 1912, the present crop has suffered from flood. It is probable, however, that the flood's influence on market conditions will not be so pronounced when the new crop is harvested as it was a few weeks ago.

"Unless the coming crop is heavier than anticipated, 1927 prices likely will be comparable to those of 1925, when cotton sold for 16 cents per pound. Last year's heavy supply forced quotations down to 14 cents.

"It is estimated the United States will consume more than 6,000,000 bales this year and will

export more than 10,000,000. There is a cotton surplus on hand, and if the 1927 crop were to approximate last year's, the market price likely would drop to 10 cents per pound.

"Texas and Oklahoma might produce it at that price and still make a profit, but states east of the Mississippi would lose heavily."

Present low prices for short fibre and relatively high prices for long staples have produced a definite reaction, plant industry officials say.

South Carolina, Georgia and Florida are looking forward to re-introduction of Sea Island cotton, now virtually extinct. These states could plant thousands of acres of the long-staple specie if seed were available for commercial use.

Sea Island popularly is supposed to have passed out of the South because of boll weevil damage. Economists point out that low prices for long-staple, which preceded boll weevil at-

tack, was a dominant factor in discouraging production. A re-conditioned market, and weevil control, offer an opportunity to renew the old favorite.

Recognizing the probability of a return to the fine, strong, long-fibre Sea Island, cotton experts have warned that to keep it free of contamination it will be necessary to restrict all cotton to the one type in sections growing it.

Pima, famous long-staple cotton of the Nile, holds promise for Arizona, and, because of its climatic demands, virtually for Arizona alone. Seed introduced from Egypt is declared to have been improved in Arizona to such perfection that British experts proclaim it better than the original and want Arizona seed for use in the Nile valley.

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C. J. Von Rosenberg, of LaGrange, and grandchildren, Miss Hellmuth, of Waco; and Chas. J. Granville, of LaGrange, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Q. V. Miller and family. They were accompanied here by Miss Laura Edith Miller, who had been in LaGrange visiting her grandparents. Mr. Von Rosenberg will return home the latter part of this week while the children will spend several weeks here.

Bill Dixon has returned from Waco, where he had been visiting for the past few days.

And now nothing remains of the football season except trying to get the other fellow's coach.

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1. Contest closes September 1, 1927. All lists must be mailed on or before that date.
2. Only English words will be counted. (No proper names or abbreviations.) Webster's International Dictionary will be the authority.
3. The decision of the judges will be final and non-contestable.
4. Any number of lists may be submitted by the same person.
5. The contest is open to any reader of this newspaper.
6. In case of a tie, the prize will be given to the nearest list.
7. Lists should be written in ink or on the typewriter and on only one side of the paper. Words should be in columns so as to be easily checked.

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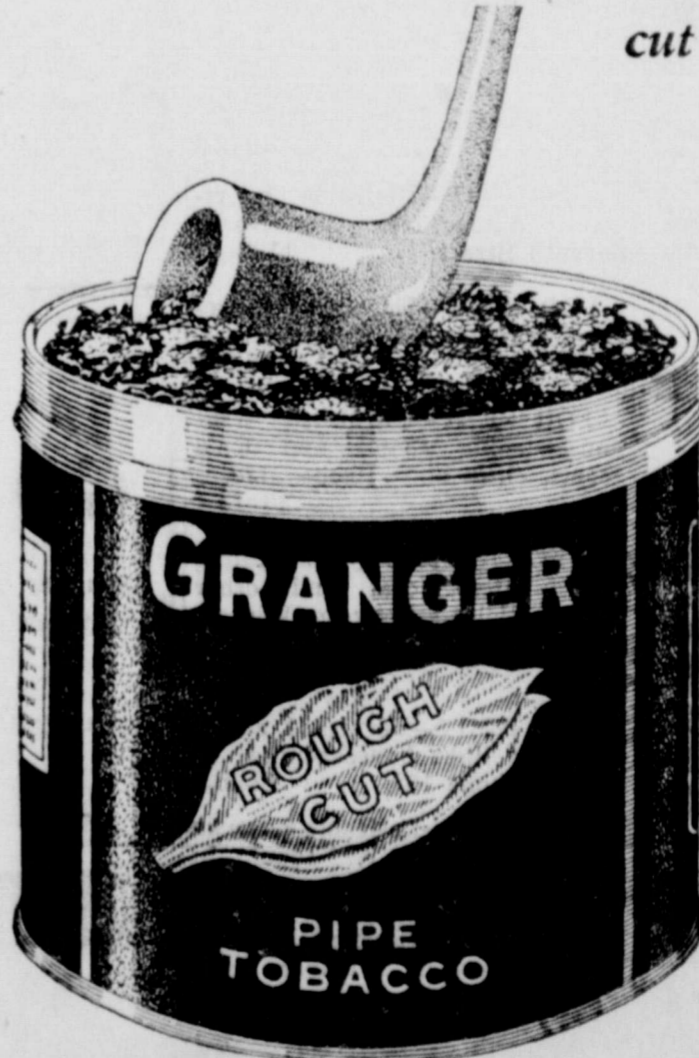
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P-T. A. SELLS CAKES FOR \$81

Several Ballinger firms and business men spent \$81 Wednesday morning in order that the Parent-Teachers Association might be benefitted that much, it was announced after the auction of twenty-five cakes at the West Texas Utilities Company office Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

John A. Weeks was auctioneer and in a short time he had sold every one of the twenty-five cakes.

The cakes were entered in a cake baking contest held by the West Texas Utilities Company Tuesday afternoon. In this contest there were twenty-five entries. Mrs. E. J. O'Kelly won \$7.50, first prize in the angel food division, and Mrs. R. E. White won \$7.50, first in the butter cakes. Second prizes of \$2.50 each were awarded Mrs. I. D. Thompson, for angel food; and Mrs. J. C. Richards, for butter cake.

Both first prize cakes sold for \$10 in the auction, while the second prize cakes sold for \$6.50.

The remainder of the cakes sold from \$1 to \$6. This money all went to the Parent-Teachers Association and will be used to purchase equipment for playgrounds at the schools and other school paraphernalia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schleyer are the proud parents of a baby boy, born to them Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. Schleyer's mother, at Hatchel. He has been christened William Henry Schleyer Jr.

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Large Crowd Here for Utility Safety Meeting

Rain postponed the monthly safety meeting of the West Texas Utilities Company, for Districts F and G, here Tuesday-night but it did not cause a postponement of the fine program and watermelon feast that had been planned for the occasion.

It was feared that rain would cause the crowd to scatter if the meeting was held at the ice plant park and it was transferred to the uptown office, but the crowd was so large that the building was not large enough to accommodate the many employees and their friends, so Earl Morley, superintendent of District G, announced that the meeting would adjourn to the ice plant park.

Large delegations were present from Mason, Menard, Junction, Paint Rock, Eden, Miles, Bronte, Robert Lee, Winters, Santa Anna, Coleman and Talpa. The largest representation was probably from Winters, which office was giving the program for the remainder of the two districts.

J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, was in charge of the program, and at the close of the regular planned affair he called Mrs. Eli Smith, one of the new members of the Women's Auxiliary, and presented her with a vacuum sweeper, the compliments of the company. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were married several weeks ago.

After this Mr. Motley adjourned the meeting, but urged all to get their part of the ice cold watermelon that had been cut for this occasion.

The crowd attending this meeting was probably one of the largest ever to attend a safety meeting here, and crowds at future meetings are expected to grow, as the West Texas Utilities Company has worked up a fine organization in Districts F and G, and the meetings are especially attractive when they are held in Ballinger at the ice factory, because of the beautiful park at the plant. This park is declared one of the most beautiful in Ballinger and also one of the best the musicians wore their summer uniforms with blue caps and white tassels.

Miss Marie Hill, of Winters, was presented in a vocal solo, and Miss Joyce Hensiee followed with a piano solo.

A skit, prepared by the local chapter of the Women's Auxiliary, was entitled "Rural Electrification." Those taking part in the playlet were: Mrs. E. E. Mc-

Elroy, Mrs. J. Waite Smith, Miss Grace Wootton and Misses Pauline and Margaret Morley. Neal Eubank was heard in a company maintains in West Texas.

In addition to the numbers presented by the Winters organization Tuesday night, several entertaining renditions were given by Ballinger members.

The Winters band played several selections which provoked encores. The band was directed by Bandmaster Shepperd. The trombone solo, with his sister, Miss Lola Eubank, at the piano.

Joe Vancil, of Winters, was presented in a vocal solo, with the band closing the evening's program.

Mr. Morley stated Wednesday morning that a date would be announced in the near future for the postponed safety meeting.

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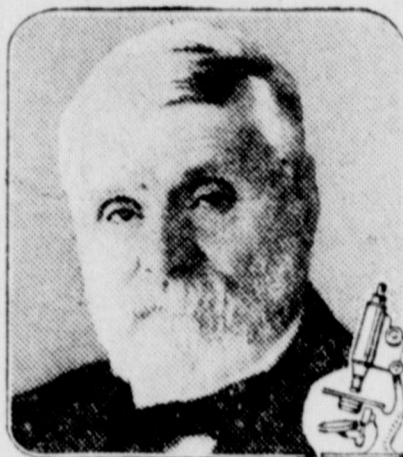
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