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## Sherman Negro Sought for Frightening Children

(By Associated Press)  
SHERMAN, June 5.—The Sherman Democrat was informed at noon today that civilian posse and officers are searching for the negro who approached a group of children at a farm house near Bells a short time before.

### SHERIFF ARRESTS MAN FOR FEDERAL OFFICERS

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams arrested Carl Thompson here Thursday morning after receiving an order from federal agents to place the man in jail. After making the arrest the sheriff informed the federal authorities that Thompson was being held and received a telegram stating that Deputy United States Marshal A. W. Billingsley of San Angelo would arrive shortly to take charge of the prisoner.

### GREAT SERMON HEARD AT 9TH ST. CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. Charlie Watkins, well-known evangelist of West Texas, held the congregation spellbound at the Ninth Street Church of Christ as he preached on the subject of "We'll Be Like Him." The speaker pictured the glorified state of the redeemed in heaven as they don the likeness of Jesus. He also showed by the scriptures that in order to attain to such glory, bliss and happiness mortals must be like Him here in word and deed.

People have been attending the revival from adjoining counties and many from other counties are expected before the meeting closes. The local congregation extends a hearty invitation to all the services.

### TROOP 30 TO ORGANIZE A BASEBALL TEAM

Scout troop No. 30 will meet at the home of Scoutmaster K. V. Northington Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a baseball team and other important business and tests. Games will be played as part of the program.

Kyle Reed Dickinson, of Fort Chadbourne, was here Thursday attending to business and shaking hands with friends.

A farmer near Beeville, Texas, claims a net profit of \$146.59 from a flock of 273 White Leghorn hens during February.

Rosenberg—A contract has been awarded for the construction of a new warehouse for the Red & White Grocery.

## Airplanes Assist in Fighting Fires

(By Associated Press)  
PORT ARTHUR, Ont., June 5.—Preceded by three scouting planes to direct its movements, a small army of fire fighters was despatched into the forests northwest of here today to subdue the flames which have ravaged the country for a week.

Taking advantage of rains and dying winds, the forestry department planned to seek out and extinguish fires in the remote sections before they again assume menacing proportions.

Many 14-year-old boys joined their elders in the fight.

## Michigan Man is On Pardon Board

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, June 5.—Arthur Wood, commissioner of the Michigan state pardons board, has been selected as one of three members of the new federal pardon and parole board, it was announced today.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Truly and children returned Wednesday from Dallas, where they had been spending their vacation for the past ten days.

## WIFE KILLED IN LOVE TRIANGLE



Mrs. Maude Lowther (above), 22, housemaid in an Ashtabula, Ohio, home, told officials how Trilby Smith, 28, Ashtabula contractor, plotted with her to slay his 38-year-old wife, who was shot and killed on a road near Ashtabula. Both are held in Jefferson, Ohio, where first degree murder charges were filed against them.

## Ten Sherman Men Remain in Jail

(By Associated Press)  
DALLAS, June 5.—Ten men, charged as participants in the riots at Sherman on May 9th, remained in jail here today after Bill Sofy, another defendant, was released under bond. Two others, under indictments on like charges, were released on bond several days ago.

## Treaty Debate in Senate is Likely

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, June 5.—Two rumors of efforts to upset plans of Senate leaders for debating the London naval treaty at the special session of congress were being circulated around the capital today.

The first was a move to bring the pact to a vote before adjournment of the present session.

### NEW MINIATURE GOLF COURSE OPENED HERE

Rothal O'Kelly and Maek Brown have opened a miniature golf course in Ballinger. The new course is located on Hutchings Avenue near the Coca Cola Bottling Company and is ready for patrons day and night. The greens on the new course are surfaced with cottonseed hulls which have been wet and rolled for several days, making them perfectly smooth.

The course is arranged for 18 holes and many hazards that are interesting to the best golfers are to be found. The course is well lighted and is attracting many players in the evenings. A new shipment of putters has just been received by the management which will supply about as many players as the course will take care of at one time.

## City Improvements Progressing Nicely

City improvements are making rapid headway here according to the weekly report issued by City Secretary K. V. Northington. The report shows all foundations run for the city hall and these have been inspected and okehed by engineers. The consulting engineer has been here checking the work and meeting with the plumbing and electrical contractors. All future construction is being outlined so that delays will not arise.

The drain line from the settling basins into Elm Creek is about completed. Laborers have been grubbing at the dam site and this work will be finished in a few days. A big steam crane is stripping and quarrying rock from the hill side near the dam location. This stone will be used for the masonry section of the dam. New water mains have been received here and are being scattered over the city.

Four building permits were issued from the city office. This makes eight permits in the past two weeks and is stimulating after a long period of slackness.

The police department reported the arrest of six persons during the week. Most of these were suspects and after a short interrogation were given liberty.

The health department raised all quarantines in the city and at present there is not a case of contagious illness here. Three cases of smallpox were released from quarantine last week.

Regular routine work was reported from all other departments with considerable activity in the street department. Dirt streets have been dragged since rains, and drainage ditches filled with silt from recent rains were opened.

## Cannon Still Defiant; Police to Enforce Traffic Ordinance

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, June 5.—Still defiant of Senatorial authority, Bishop James Cannon Jr., of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, informed the Senate lobby committee today that he would withdraw as a voluntary witness, and would answer no more questions unless subpoenaed. Cannon asked for a hearing.

The refusal two successive days to answer questions about his expenditures in the Virginia anti-Al Smith campaign in 1928 presented the committee with a poser. The members are divided on the question of prosecuting the bishop for contempt.

## Ballinger Girls in Simmons '30 Class

Simmons University held graduation exercises at Abilene Wednesday of this week with a class of more than one hundred receiving degrees. Among the 1930 class were two Ballinger girls, Misses Evelyn Shepherd and Ruth Holliday. Both girls have been attending the institution for the past four years, completing their course with the close of the regular spring term.

Miss Shepherd returned home to prepare for her European tour this summer. She will accompany the Cowboy Band on a 55-day visit to Europe. With the band are Horace Gustavus and Wix Currie, of Ballinger, both freshmen in Simmons this year.

The party will leave Abilene Saturday night of this week. A special train will be made up in Dallas, departing there Sunday morning for New York. After arrival at the Eastern seaboard the band and party will be given a banquet by Thomas A. Edison at his Oranger, New Jersey, plant on the night before embarkation.

The group will take passage on the S. S. Leviathan Saturday, June 14th, sailing for Liverpool. From there the band will go to London for its first official engagement, where it is booked for a solid week in concerts. Ballinger members of the band and party will return home late in August.

C. A. Doose, who has been in the Halley & Love Sanitarium for several days, is reported to be resting better and is believed to be on the road to recovery. Mr. Doose was stricken suddenly ill and for a few days was believed to be in a serious condition. His many friends will be glad to learn of his improved condition.

## Soldiers Killed in Motorcycle Crash

(By Associated Press)  
SAN ANTONIO, June 5.—Dashed to the ground when their motorcycle collided with an automobile, Private Albert Whitley, 27, of Towanda, Pennsylvania, and Private Cecil Hankinson, of Mineral Wells, Texas, were killed near here during the night.

Chief of Police Lee Moreland issued a statement Thursday warning traffic violators that his department would play no favorites and that anyone caught breaking a traffic ordinance would be given a ticket to the city court.

Chief Moreland declared drivers were becoming more careless every day, especially in driving over stop signs. These spots will be closely guarded and when motorists pass without stopping their car numbers will be taken and tickets issued. All stop blocks will be placed in their regular positions. For some time the sign at the intersection of Broadway and Hutchings Avenue had been removed while construction was in progress at the new Magnolia filling station, but is now back in place.

Speeding will come in for special attention. Officers have received considerable complaint about speeders on paved streets at night. It is difficult for one or two policemen to maintain a close watch on all traffic violations in all parts of the city but with the cooperation of the citizens they feel that many infractions will be stopped.

### CLUB WOMEN HOLDING PICNIC AT BETHEL

The Bethel Home Demonstration Club acted as host to all women's clubs of Runnels county Thursday. Invitations were sent to all club women to meet with the Bethel club for an all-day picnic.

A majority of the clubs had accepted Wednesday afternoon and a large attendance was assured for the occasion. At noon well filled baskets were opened and countless good things to eat spread.

## Will Hold Pecan School At Maverick June 17th

County Agent C. W. Lehmburg is getting everything in readiness for holding the all-day pecan growers school on the Bert Fletcher farm near Maverick on June 17th. This week Mr. Lehmburg mailed the letter below to all pecan growers in this section. The letter outlines the program for the day which features a basket picnic at noon to which everyone present will take part.

Following is Mr. Lehmburg's letter:  
"Ballinger, Texas, June 4, 1930.  
"To all pecan growers and those interested in the pecan industry:  
"Gentlemen—Arrangements for an all-day Pecan Budding School on Bert Fletcher's farm at Maverick, on June 17th, have been completed.

"Some of the best known pecan specialists in Texas will be present on this occasion.  
"Mr. Burkett, of Clyde; Mr. Wolfe, of the Stephenville Pecan Nursery; a pecan specialist from the state department of agriculture; and our horticulturist of the extension service of the A & M. College, will have leading parts in the program.  
"One of the features of the pro-

## Creager, Republican Committeeman, Democratic Candidate for Governor

### Scout Drowns While Swimming

(By Associated Press)  
MILES, June 5.—Arthur Olds, 32, Boy Scout leader of Mereta, drowned just above the Julius Helwig dam across the Concho River yesterday afternoon while he was on an outing with a number of Scouts from Mereta.

The Boy Scouts were up the river a short distance from the dam while Mr. Olds donned his bathing suit to go in swimming. The site is where the old Cox dam used to be, the remaining obstruction in the flow of the water causing a whirlpool. It is said the hole in which Olds drowned is fifteen feet deep.

Some of the younger Scouts first observed that something was wrong and several went in a truck to Mereta to secure aid but when it arrived Olds was already dead.

Olds is survived by his father and mother, and Mrs. L. W. Olds, and a brother, Ruben, 34. He was unmarried. The family had resided at Mereta, for about thirty years and is well known all over this section. Decedent was one of the leading church and civic workers at Mereta.

Funeral services probably will be held this afternoon at Mereta, where interment is expected to be made.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Miller and family are visiting relatives at La Grange, where they will remain for several weeks.

### Zeppelin Completes First Leg of Trip

SEVILLE, Spain, June 5.—The Graf Zeppelin, completing the first stage of its return to Friedrichshafen, Germany, from the United States, landed here at noon today.

The dirigible was delayed for hours by storms off the European coast. For a time, landing here was thought to be impossible because of the storms, which caused a million dollars damage to the country and made fields almost inaccessible.

Less than 2,000 miles remain of the Graf's 18,000-mile journey touching three continents.

The big dirigible left for Friedrichshafen after spending half an hour here.

Approximately half the tested dairy herds of Wisconsin averaged 300 pounds of butterfat per cow during 1929.

Be wise and advertise.

### Charity Drive Set For Next Week

A local drive for charity funds will be made in Ballinger one day next week according to Willie Stephens, chairman of the board. A mass meeting was scheduled to be held at the chamber of commerce offices Wednesday morning but enough people did not attend to hold a discussion.

The meeting was called by citizens and not by the board. Mr. Stephens stated Thursday morning that he did not consider a mass meeting necessary. He said that he felt sure since no drive for local charity last fall that local people would be willing to donate enough to finish the work for this year and that all that is necessary is to set a date and afford the citizens an opportunity to give.

It was thought best not to attempt to stage the drive this week on account of the revival now in progress at the Baptist Church and a number of other matters that are demanding time of many local people. Nothing is scheduled next week, however, to hinder the drive and by the first of the week teams will be announced to canvass the town.

Mr. Stephens stated that the entire board had hoped to finish the year without having to ask for money but that so many urgent demands had been referred to the local body that it had taken all their cash. It is not expected by board members that there will be much expense in the remainder of the year but a few cases are at present worthy of help and others are sure to arise.

It is the plan of the committee to divide the town into sections and have four teams make a canvass. Others who live in the residential section and who will likely not be seen, can send their donation either to the charity board or to this paper, and it will be given to one of the teams.

The Texas state highway department has started a campaign for the preservation of trees along the right-of-way of state roads.

East Texas—Cloudy, with local thunder showers tonight and Friday; cooler in the north; portion tonight; warmer in the northwest portion Friday.

(By Associated Press)  
DALLAS, June 5.—Rene B. Creager, Republican national committeeman for Texas, has been drafted as a Democratic candidate for governor, Albert Sidney Johnson, secretary of the state Democratic executive committee, announced today.

Application for a place for the so-called Republican "boss of Texas" on the Democratic ticket was received today by Johnson from D. W. Wilcox, of Georgetown, committee chairman.

The application was mailed from Dallas to Wilcox before time for filing ended Monday. The petition carried signatures of thirty voters, five more than required by law.

Johnson said he was certain that under the recent state supreme court ruling in the Thomas B. Love case that Creager could qualify as a Democratic candidate.

"The committee has no authority to keep Creager off the ballot merely because he happens to be a Republican, and the head of that party in Texas," asserted Johnson.

### SCOUT TROOP 31 TO MEET FRIDAY

Troop 31, Ballinger Boy Scouts, will meet at national guard armory Friday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock. The meeting will open with a treasure hunt. The search for the treasures will lead the boys to all parts of the city and finally to the place where the session will be held. Supper will be cooked in the open and following this tests will be given and other Scouting activities carried on. All members of this troop are expected to be present for the beginning of the meeting at 5:00 p. m.

### WEATHER REPORT

West Texas—Fair tonight and Friday preceded by local thunder showers tonight in the southeast portion; cooler in the east and north portions.

East Texas—Cloudy, with local thunder showers tonight and Friday; cooler in the north; portion tonight; warmer in the northwest portion Friday.

## Ballinger Bread

Beginning June 5th we will start handling Mrs. Lewis' Bread at our store. We invite our patrons to try one loaf of this delicious bread, which is baked in Ballinger and delivered to our store fresh throughout the day.

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Owners of vacant rent houses  
in Ballinger will do well to see  
that they are securely locked so  
that prowlers cannot enter. A  
number of vacant places have  
been entered lately and much  
damage done. One property re-  
ported that all hydrants had been  
stolen out of his yard and that  
thieves had entered the house and  
stolen everything loose, even to  
sawing off the lead connections  
on the kitchen sink. A number of  
houses have been moving out of  
business lately without giving own-  
ers any notice. These houses re-  
mained open for several days and  
prowlers had easy entrance.

The announcement that traffic  
regulations are going to be more  
closely watched here and all vio-  
lators given a ticket to city court  
should be of interest to many  
citizens. The disregard of stop  
signs in Ballinger has become a  
warming. Many more autoists drive  
over them than come to a stop.  
There are certain streets in Bal-  
langer where these blocks are  
specially needed and where every  
one should come to a dead stop.  
It is right for one car to stop  
is right for all and everyone  
who drives over one of these  
should be fined. The signs have  
been here for more than a year  
and all are in plain sight.

Where are you going this sum-  
mer? This is a popular manner  
to greet a friend this day and  
time. Hot weather is making every-  
one begin to think about a vaca-  
tion. Some plan to stay at home,  
have a nice quiet rest and do as  
they please. Such vacations usually  
finish in the wife deciding to  
have a general house cleaning with  
the husband's help, when hubby  
gets dissatisfied and goes back to  
work. Others long for the river  
bunkers, others are planning to  
dress up and spend their time in  
a hot city hotel, some going to  
the mountains, California and  
other places. The most popular  
trip this year, however, as in all  
years, will be a visit to relatives  
somewhere. The only drawback to  
this is that these same relatives  
may repay the visit some day and  
the guest will then be placed in  
the position of host.

A movement has been inaugu-  
rated entitled "Care Will Save  
Your Car." This is not only good  
for the car but having an auto-  
mobile properly looked after will  
ultimately save lives. Many a  
wreck is caused by loose brakes  
and in an emergency the driver  
is unable to stop his machine.  
Shooting devices sometimes get  
out of adjustment and before any  
warning the car is out of control  
and overturns, generally when  
making a high rate of speed.  
Many things can go wrong with  
a car to make it unsafe to drive  
and regular visits to your garage  
and a small inspection will elim-

- ANNOUNCEMENTS
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W. A. HOLT
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  - County Clerk:  
MISS IMA McKOWN
  - Tax Assessor:  
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MRS. R. P. KIRK
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JOHN D. WHITE

Our Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

FOUR ADDITIONS IN  
BAPTIST REVIVAL

A new climax was reached in  
services of the revival meeting  
at the Ballinger Baptist Church  
Wednesday which were attended  
by large crowds and four addi-  
tions to the church. The prayer  
meetings were of unusual interest,  
the women having theirs in zone  
groups at different homes in the  
city, the men meeting at the  
Moor Cafe building.

Some things necessary for pro-  
gress or growth was the theme for  
the morning hour. Dr. Wallace  
Bassett said, we study this mat-  
ter of growth in the scientific  
world, now let us make it a study  
in the spiritual world. In the first  
place the matter of valuations  
enter into growth. The right em-  
phasis also has much to do with  
the spiritual growth. It means  
much to find the place that God  
has for us. Discontent with the  
past makes its contribution to  
growth. Progress is not possible  
to those who are wholly satisfied.  
No man is as good as he ought to  
be who is as good as he wants to  
be. It is a spiritual discontent. Be  
able to forget mistakes and suc-  
cesses. We will never be the Chris-  
tian we ought to be until we  
live the strenuous life. "I press  
on" was the motto of Paul.

A great message was brought at  
the night meeting from the fif-  
teenth chapter of Luke. The evan-  
gelist gave a picture of God as  
found in the parables of this  
chapter. As we thus look at the  
Father we see God as a permit-  
ting God. He exercises no com-  
pulsion. God will not take away  
man's will. God throws around  
man influences but he never com-  
pels man to do anything. Again  
we see God as one with absolute  
resources. He has "Plenty and to  
spare." God is here pictured as  
a Listening Father. He will hear  
every cry lifted to him. In the  
next place he is a compassionate  
Father. He looked on the people  
as "sheep having no shepherd."  
He is a watchful Father and anx-  
ious. He is a forgiving Father.  
He completely forgives. His for-  
giveness is immediate and per-  
manent, and accompanied with  
joy. God is pictured here as wel-  
coming His Son.

Just a few more days remain  
for the meeting. There will be no  
services Saturday.

Clairvoyant Reader will be here  
three days only. Come, let her  
reveal the future for you, at Bal-  
langer Courts, Room No. 3,  
Madame DeSpain. Itc.

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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mate most troubles. The careful  
man watches his health and at  
least once a year has a physical  
examination by his doctor. This  
will prevent many diseases that  
might prove fatal if neglected.  
Guard your health and see that  
the main working parts of your  
automobile are properly adjusted  
so that in an emergency they will  
function.

A ROADMAKING EVENT

Out in the Ballinger and San  
Angelo country the folks are mak-  
ing no secret of their publication  
over the completion of the hard-  
surfacing of State Highway No. 30  
from San Angelo to Abilene.  
Formal celebration of the event  
was held at Miles, which had for  
some time held up one end of a  
gap in the pavement. Now the  
motorist on business or pleasure,  
may ride from the State's east,  
north or western boundary all  
the way to San Angelo in the  
heart of Southwest Texas, with-  
out once getting into the mud  
tish.

The importance of the new pay-  
ing from Fort Worth's standpoint  
can hardly be overstated. From  
its junction with the Bankhead

IT'S SIMPLY  
INEXCUSABLE

You cannot expect to make  
friends socially or in business  
if you have halitosis (bad  
breath). Since you cannot de-  
tect it yourself, the one way  
of making sure you do not  
offend is to gargle often with  
Listerine. It instantly destroys  
odors, improves mouth hygiene,  
and checks infection. Lambert  
Pharmaceutical Company, St. Louis,  
Missouri.

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ends halitosis  
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from your grocer.

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in dealing with us are things which we consider first above  
everything.

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HOW'S your HEALTH

SUN STROKE  
Sun stroke and heat stroke are  
not the same, though their com-  
mon cause is excessive exposure  
to heat, particularly to the sun.  
The effect upon the victim is  
different, and in consequence, the  
treatment must be different.  
In heat stroke the patient is  
extremely hot, in and out.  
In sun stroke the patient is in  
a state of collapse; his tempera-  
ture both inside and out is below  
normal. The skin is wet and  
clammy. His heart beat is very  
feeble, his pulse is weak and  
rapid, and he barely breathes.  
The heat stroke victim needs  
cooling. The sunstroke victim  
needs to be warmed up.  
One suffering from sunstroke,  
or as it is sometimes called, "heat  
exhaustion," needs to be stimu-  
lated back to normal activity.  
The sunstroke victim can be  
much helped by massage and the  
applications of hot towels and  
blankets.  
Both heat stroke and sun stroke  
are serious conditions. Forty per-  
cent, or nearly half of the persons  
afflicted, die.  
Those fortunate enough to  
escape death may be permanently  
affected, both mentally and phys-  
ically. A number of those who  
completely recover, remain pecu-  
liarly sensitive to heat for the



JUNE FLOWERS  
By Mary Graham Bonner

They walked down the magic  
path until they came to a beau-  
tiful garden, and there they sat  
on a low bench to which the  
Little Black Clock pointed.  
All around them were gorgeous  
flowers. There were roses of all  
colors and peonies and tall iris  
flowers and forget-me-nots and  
bleeding-hearts and many, many  
others.  
John looked at the Little Black  
Clock, and so did Peggy.  
"Are you wondering what it is

all about?" the Little Black Clock  
whispered.  
"The flowers are lovely," Peggy  
answered.  
"They are," agreed John, "but  
what is going to happen?"  
"You'll hear right away, and  
you'll see right away," said the  
Little Black Clock.  
"I've turned the time back  
again this evening," he said, "and  
this is one of the first of the  
really beautiful gardens."  
"The flowers are so delighted  
about the fine earth in which  
they're growing, and the sun-  
shine overhead and the cool  
drinks of water they have been  
given that they have decided that  
they will always make the month  
of June one of their best flow-  
ering months."  
And as Peggy and John sat  
there more and more flowers  
burst open and bowed and smiled  
and waved their sweetest waves  
to all the others.  
Some of the peonies grew so  
large that their petals couldn't  
stay on the plants any more  
and they tumbled, laughingly,  
down to the ground.  
John liked a garden and Peggy  
was almost fonder of flowers  
than of anything else. They were  
ever so glad the Little Black  
Clock had brought them to see  
a garden making plans on how  
it would blossom and look its  
loveliest in the month of June.  
(Tomorrow—"The Birthday Rose")  
Be wise and advertise

PIGGLY WIGGLY  
All Over the World

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, JUNE 6th and 7th  
Contributing to Wealth

Wealth is but an accumulation of small  
savings. We cannot all have great wealth  
but we can all have wealth enough to be  
comfortable. A "little" thought and effort  
used in spending that which we work so  
hard to earn will result in a gradual ac-  
cumulation—wealth, comfort. As a first step  
toward exercising care in spending, buy all  
your foods at Piggly Wiggly and let those  
small but certain savings accumulate.

Fresh <b>Green Beans</b> Home grown, crisp and Tender Lb. 4c	<b>Red Potatoes</b> No. 1 Grade Lb. 3 1/2c	<b>Beets, Carrots Rad- ishes, Green Onions</b> 2 bunches for 5c
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### Biographer Says Stresemann Had Faith in America

BERLIN, June 3.—Gustav Stresemann relied strongly upon faith in America in shaping the foreign policy of the country of which he was long the international leader, says a biographical study just published by Dr. Heinrich Buer, publicist.

The work has attracted considerable attention in the press and French and English translations are pending.

Dr. Bauer depicts the late foreign minister as "the irrepresible optimist who believed in Germany's future. As a disciple of the statesman, he had unusual opportunity to study his chief under favorable conditions.

The work, of 270 pages, gives a comprehensive picture of both the public and charming private life of the German statesman. Stresemann's leadership in parliament, his creative work in putting forward a policy of conciliation with Germany's late enemies and his broad, diversified personal interests are all delineated.

Stresemann's friendship for America is emphasized by collation of pertinent quotations from public addresses. His speech before the reichstag in defense of the Kellogg pact is prominent among these as are also his remarks before Heidelberg university on May 5, 1928, when he and Jacob Gould Schurman, American ambassador, were given degrees.

#### TENNYSON TOPICS

Mrs. Tol Skinner, of Arizona, is here this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Gene Brooks and other relatives.

Mrs. Elzie Baker of Marie, visited relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Glenn and children were San Angelo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steinbaugh and daughter of Ballinger, spent the week-end here with their daughter, Mrs. Neal Baker whose baby son is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyke Snyder and children visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCain of San Angelo Saturday.

Mr. Buck Clifton and daughter Miss Meta went to Stephenville, Saturday, where Miss Meta expects to enter school for the summer.

Bud and Leonard Baker, of Canyon, came in Friday night for a few days visit.

Mrs. D. I. Gill received a message Sunday night stating her mother, Mrs. Julia Pou of Dallas, formerly of Ballinger, had died at 8:00 o'clock Sunday night. Funeral services were held in Dallas Monday afternoon after which the body was shipped to Gatesville, where burial was made Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Gill and son, Webb attended the burial.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wylie and babies of Glendale, Arizona, came in Tuesday evening on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walden and Mrs. Dollie Wylie of Bronte.

#### "REPORTER"

#### BRUNETTES ACQUIRE TAN EASIER, EXPERT DECLARES

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, June 5.—Brunettes acquire sun tan easier than do blondes, says Dr. LeRoy A. Wilkes, of the White House conference on child health.

In preparing for the summer days at the beaches, blondes, says Dr. Wilkes, must be prepared to have their skins burn but not tan readily.

Sun tan, though sometimes fashionable, has no health value save as a defense against an excessive amount of sun rays, he says.

#### WOMEN'S PRESS ASSN. WILL GO TO HOUSTON

(By Associated Press) HOUSTON, June 5.—The Texas Woman's Press Association has accepted an invitation to hold its 1931 convention in Houston.

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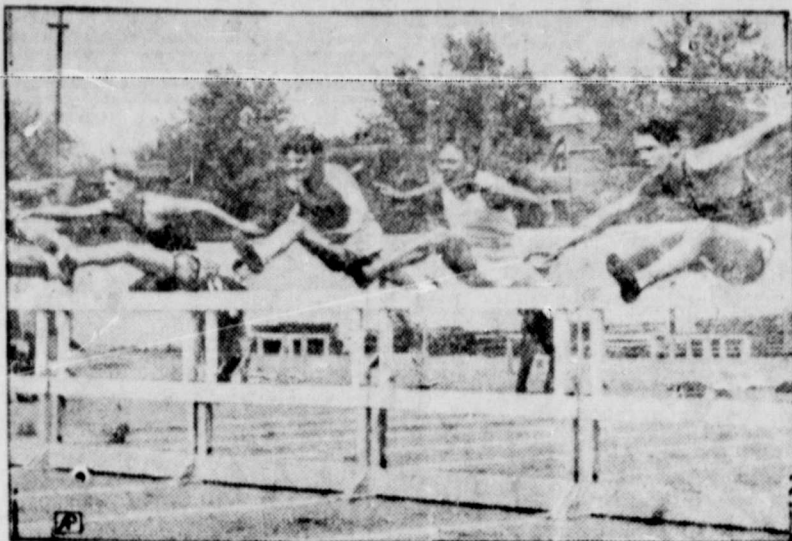
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### MOVIES

#### Cavalry Comedy Drama of Peace-Time Rookies Coming

"Troopers Three," The Tiffany all-talking production to be shown at the Palace Theatre Friday and Saturday, is not a war picture, though the story is laid in the Eleventh Cavalry Post quarters. The time is in these days of peace and the plot concerns the making of a man—three men, to be exact.

Arthur Guy Empey wrote the

story of "Troopers Three." He is himself a member of the 11th Cavalry and served in France during the late war. He knows that not every soldier is a black-guard and chock-full of blasphemy and always chasing after the fair sex.

"Troopers Three" has only one girl in the story, and the rest of the tale is woven around true soldiery.

Empey is the author of "Over the Top," "The First Call" and "A Hell of a War," besides "Troopers Three." The cast of the picture includes Rex Lease, Dorothy Guliver, Roscoe Karns, Slim Sum-

merville, Tom London, Joseph Girard and Walter Perry.

#### "This Mad World" Well Acted Adaptation of Spy Drama

The attractive Kay Johnson is seen for the last time tonight at the Palace Theatre in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's all-talking picture, "This Mad World."

Co-featured in the production with Miss Johnson are Basil Rathbone and Louise Dresser and it may be said right at the beginning that all three players give stellar performances in extremely exacting roles.

The picture which was adapted by Clara Beranger from the French drama, "Terre Inhumaine," depicts an interlude occurring behind the German lines during the World War. Paul Parisot, a French spy, returns to his home in Alsace, now occupied by German soldiers, to find that his mother had been forced to billet the young and beautiful wife of a German general who expects to meet her husband.

Despite the precautions of mother and son, Victoria, the general's wife, discovers that Paul is a spy and determines to notify her husband. The climax rapidly follows this situation, the conflict between love and patriotism being brought to a head and the results are entirely unexpected.

William de Mille, director of the production, has filmed the picture from a dramatic viewpoint even to the extent of restricting the time of action between the hours of four o'clock of

one afternoon and ten the next morning. This compression of time and action gives the picture a certain tenseness and sharpness exactly suitable to its unusual character.

#### PRESBYTERIAN ENCAMPMENT OPENS ON 16TH OF JUNE

(By Associated Press) KERRVILLE, June 5.—The Westminister Presbyterian encampment's 25th year will be celebrated beginning with the opening of the Texas Synod's annual young people's conference here June 10.

The religious summer work center was started in July, 1906, on a 42 acre tract donated by citizens of Kerrville. The first season a quarter century lasted a week, but the programs now run for three months and total registrations exceed 3,000 each summer.

"Old timers" who took part in the encampment in earlier years will be brought back to this session to tell at anniversary rallies of the events of their horse and buggy days.

The board of directors includes men from nine Texas cities. Dr. W. P. Dickey of McAllen is president; the Rev. B. L. Dickey of McAllen secretary and A. C. Schreiner, jr., of Kerrville, treasurer. Dr. W. A. Alexander of Dallas is director of the young people's conference; Dr. T. W. Currie of Austin is conference platform director.

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### Rotarians Enjoy Musical Program

The Ballinger Rotary Club enjoyed a delightful musical program Wednesday at the regular luncheon held at the Central Hotel. Attendance of local club members was short for this gathering but a number of visitors from San Angelo who came here to make up their attendance augmented the group to about usual size.

The Ernest Moody Orchestra furnished several selections. Late song hits especially were encored by the Rotarians.

A special treat was given the club when Paul Trimmer, jr., played two violin compositions. He was accompanied on the piano by Miss Ennie DeWitt. The young man is a student of violin under Miss Kelly Bowden.

Dr. J. W. Macune spoke briefly to the membership on the question of better attendance at the Wednesday luncheons. A committee on attendance is endeavoring to hold summer attendance of the club up to par. Many members are now taking vacations and it is natural that attendance lag some through the torrid months.

C. O. Harris, of San Angelo, spoke to the club, bringing greetings from the Rotary club of that city, and also personal greetings to his old friends in Ballinger. Five other visitors were present from San Angelo.

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**HATCHEL NEWS**

We are beginning to need rain very badly. It has been about three weeks since we had our last rain. Cotton and maize are still doing fine but sudan grass is beginning to show that moisture would help wonderfully. Everyone has been expecting a rain from the high winds that have been blowing so long but it don't seem to get any closer.

The ice cream supper given by the ladies of the Hatchel Club was a grand success. There was plenty of good cream and cake and it seemed that most everyone had a few nickles to spend. The cream sold for five cents a saucer, and the saucers were big ones too. Mr. Cooper, the chamber of commerce secretary from Winters, was there with others from Winters and Ballinger. They entertained with a good selection of songs and music. Everyone in our community was very glad indeed to have them with us and hope they can return more often. It seems to me if people from towns would cooperate with the country people and try to help them put over their programs the country people would feel more like taking a part in town activities. If we could work together and make us feel that everyone was interested in what the other was doing, Ballinger was well represented that nite. They sold a cake to the highest bidder and our sheriff now and who wants to be next time bought it, paying \$1.25 for it. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Brown also were there. We were glad they came and ask them back any time they feel like coming.

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Mrs. Bill Mathis has been spending the week in Winters.

Miss Dorothy McWilliams is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tucker.

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**Society**

Mmes. Flynt, Matějowsky, Jeanes Entertain for Miss Jeanes

Entertaining to compliment Miss Lloyds Jeanes, bride-elect, Mmes. Jim Flynt Jr., Clarence Matějowsky of Rowena and E. Paul Jeanes gave an outstanding party of the week in the home of the former on Sixth Street on Tuesday afternoon.

Rainbow shades were predominant in masses of early summer flowers about the entertaining rooms where eight tables were placed for bridge and forty-two. A huge rainbow, over the arch between the living and dining rooms, rainbow tinted mints, rose, amber and green glassware used for the serving of the dainty salad course, and the presentation of the shower of lovely gifts to the honoree by little Miss Frances Oteila, Flynt of Coleman in a rainbow wagon elaborately employed this effective scheme.

In the bridge games high and low awards went to Miss La Vienne Sims and Mrs. Burns Holt, in the forty-two games to Mrs. O. J. Hubbard and Miss Lee Belle Barker.

Guests were: Misses Jeanes, Frances Trail, Heien Brewer, Verda Nell Trail, Fay Clark, Sims, Vhelma and Thelma Parrish, Katrina Dooze, Maggie Herring, Blanche Yeager, Mary Lou Patterson, Bernice Stubbs, Ima McKown, Barker, Sam Padgett.

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Tea hour guests were: Mmes. E. A. Jeanes, W. T. Padgett, R. C. Malone, E. A. Jeanes Jr., W. D. Gregory, E. V. Balesman, Odie Barrington and Willie Stephens.

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(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, June 5.—Nations of the world will join with Iceland June 26-30 to celebrate the thousandth birthday of the first popular assembly.

Potentates, princes and emissaries of republican lands will meet at Thingvellir, historic plain where each year the people of the diminutive island gathered from far and wide to discharge the parliamentary duties of the nation.

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Guests of the sagaland will include King Christian X and Queen Alexandrine, rulers of Denmark and Iceland, Crown Prince and Princess Olaf, of Norway, and Crown Prince and Princess Gustaf Adolf, of Sweden.

All nations with representative forms of government will send delegates and from the United States, as personal appointees of President Hoover, will go Senator Peter Norbeck, South Dakota, Representative Olger B. Burtness.

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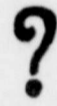
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