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Crops Greatly Benefited By Rain Over County

Runnels county as a whole received a fine rain Thursday night and most all sections have sufficient moisture to meet the wet ground only a few feet from the surface. Precipitation through the Benoit and Talpa section was light, and Norton and Maverick reported only about 3/8 inch.

The heaviest rainfall was at Rowena where a total of 2.75 inches fell in a very short time. Ballinger parties coming from San Angelo reported that for several hours water was running over the highway west of Rowena.

Rainfall at Ballinger amounted to one inch and indications were that farms near the city were all well watered, many of them receiving more rain than fell here. The rain south of Ballinger as far as Paint Rock was general, with Pony, Olfen and Bethel reporting more than an inch.

North of Ballinger the rain was general, Hatchel receiving almost two inches, but from there to Winters it became lighter. Winters receiving half an inch. Farmers are well satisfied with the rain. For the past week they had been looking forward to a rain as high winds had dried the ground and young cotton was crying for moisture. Stockmen were needing rain to keep grass growing on their ranches. The fall Thursday night was sufficient to keep streams running and refill all tanks and lakes in the county.

The Ballinger Country Club lake was running over the spillway Friday morning as the result of an inch and one half of rain in that vicinity.

Following is a report tabulated by the local district office of the Southwest Telephone Company:

- Abilene, 41
- Ballinger, 1.00
- Benoit, sprinkle
- Blackwell, shower
- Bradshaw, .50
- Brady, good rain
- Bronte, sprinkle
- Brownwood, 1.05
- Coleman, 2.37
- Concho, 1.00
- Crews, .50
- Eden, .50
- Ft. Chadbourne, shower
- Hatchel, 1.85
- Leaday, 1.00
- MaVerick, .37
- Menard, shower
- Miles, .50
- Norton, .37
- Millersvick, .50
- Olfen, 2.75
- Ovalo, shower
- Paint Rock, .95
- Pony, 1.25
- Rowena, 2.75
- San Angelo, shower
- Santa Anna, 1.66
- Stacy, good rain
- Talpa, .08
- Truitt, .50
- Wilmet, 2.50
- Wingate, 1.00
- Winters, .50

WORK TO START SOON ON GULF & WEST TEXAS LINE

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, June 6.—Men, prototypes of those who went singing in the early days to the task of providing transportation for a nation, will set to work soon to lay down a new short line railroad under the general direction of a pioneer builder, Edward Kennedy of Houston. An announcement said construction of the Corpus Christi, San Angelo and Roswell line would begin shortly.

The 350 mile line will begin at Corpus Christi and extend through Nueces, Live Oak, McMullen, Frio, Median, Uvalde, Real, Kerr, Kimble, Menard, Concho and Tom Green counties and eventually to Roswell, New Mexico.

The project was begun nearly 18 months ago by Captain Kennedy, who reported that he had raised the equivalent of \$2,000,000.

The line, the captain said, would "open up a section of rich agricultural territories in middle west Texas and eastern New Mexico."

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Michaels and daughter, Miss Hedwig, left Friday for San Marcos to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Schneider. Mrs. Schneider is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michaels. They will also visit Mr. Michaels' brother at Kyle.

Be wise and advertise.

Drafting Creager Regarded as Joke

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, June 6.—Republicans here regarded as a joke the petition seeking to draft Rene B. Creager, Republican national committeeman of Texas, a Democratic gubernatorial candidate.

Albert Sidney Johnson, secretary of the state Democratic executive committee, to whom the Creager petition was sent, said today that the Republican leader's name might not be placed on the ticket because the "drafters" neglected to enclose the \$100 filing fee.

Grandfather Maxwell, who resides on Strong Avenue, is much improved after a serious illness.

Mexico Produces More Lead
MEXICO CITY, June 3.—(AP)—Setting a new record, Mexico produced 248,401 tons of lead during 1929, figures compiled by the government reveal. The output put Mexico in second place in world production, United States taking the lead.

Officers Searching For Sherman Negro

(By Associated Press)
SHERMAN, June 6.—Officers continued searching today for an unidentified negro who attempted yesterday to kidnap a baby from the farm home of L. E. Elliot near here. Three children, the oldest ten years, were alone while their parents worked nearby.

A posse of twenty officers and citizens thought they had the negro surrounded in a thicket several hours afterward but the attempted kidnaper eluded them. The negro was believed to have been a tramp.

LOCAL FISHERMEN GET ELECTRIC SHOCK

W. F. Harrell and L. J. Campbell, while fishing on the Colorado River late Thursday evening, sustained a shock from a bolt of lightning. Mr. Harrell was knocked flat on the ground "flatt" tackle box was hurled, from Mr. Campbell's hand into the river. Both men decided the fish were not biting very good and came to their homes as fast as they could. They were fishing at the "Ovalo dam" a few miles west of the city, and the bolt of lightning struck only a short distance from them on the river bank.

AUSTRALIAN SHEEP GO AT 35 CENTS A DOZEN

(By Associated Press)
BRISBANE, Australia, June 6.—A sheepman in the Mungindi district of Queensland where there has been little rain for two years, made a big deal. He sold 1,700 sheep at the rate of 35 cents a dozen.

Other sheepmen in the district envy him. They cannot give their stock away.

Owing to the lack of rain the sheep are a burden rather than an asset as feed costs have risen to exorbitant levels.

E. A. Carroll, who is employed at Coleman, visited home Sunday.

Mexican Aviator Off for New York

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, June 6.—Col. Roberto Fierro, ace of Mexican army fliers, hopped off from here today in an effort to make a non-stop flight to New York. His route lay over New Orleans, Memphis, and Trenton, New Jersey.

Some time after his arrival at New York Fierro plans to make a non-stop flight from New York to Mexico City.

"MA" TO SPEAK AT MCKINNEY

MCKINNEY, Tex., June 6.—(AP)—Former Governor James E. Ferguson and wife, Mrs. Miriam Ferguson, will come to McKinney June 17, to deliver addresses at the court house.

SCENE OF LATEST CHICAGO GANG SHOOTINGS



Interior of dining room of Manning hotel at Fox Lake, Ill., where three gangsters were slain, another shot and the wife of a Chicago attorney wounded. The slayers opened fire with machine gun through the window shown in circle. State's Attorney A. V. Smith (left) and investigators are standing by victims' table. Gang war in Chicago and vicinity brought nine slayings and six persons wounded in three days.

1 Killed, 2 Hurt In Dallas Crash

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, June 6.—Azelle Pitts, 21, was killed, Mrs. Eddie Pruitt, 16, suffered a fractured skull, and Eddie Pruitt was injured slightly today when the Pitts automobile collided with a bus.

Committee Puzzled By Bishop's Action

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 6.—While awaiting the return of Chairman Caraway from Arkansas a much puzzled senate lobby committee today pondered over the disposition of Bishop James Cannon Jr. for refusing to answer questions, and ten walking out on the committee.

Senator Walsh of Montana, acting chairman, said that no action would be taken on the problem until Caraway returns.

SUNDAY MOVIE REOPENS

ROCKDALE, Texas, June 6.—Rockdale again has Sunday movies after a lapse of several years. Opposition recently was overcome through a petition which resulted in reversal of a decree of city officials which barred opening of theaters on Sunday.

Ballingerites Defeat Santa Anna Golfers

The Ballinger golf team defeated the thirteen players from Santa Anna Thursday afternoon in a scheduled match here of the Runnels-Coleman Golf Association. The final results on eighteen holes of match play showed Ballinger winning seven, Santa Anna two and four ties.

High scores were made in all matches and nothing out of the ordinary happened in any. The only sensation of the day came when R. W. Earnshaw drove over the green on the first drive. It was necessary to remove Mr. Earnshaw from the tee as no photographer was present to snap the pose.

Ballinger has met and defeated both Coleman and Santa Anna. The next tilt probably will be with Winters, however, the date for this tourney and the place have not been set.

It developed Thursday that two other towns are endeavoring to gain membership in the association. Cross Plains and Rising Star have both made applications and would enter the schedule as soon as possible. Officials of the league have not held a meeting to decide upon the request but will do so at an early date.

Ballinger players taking part in the contest Thursday were: Joe Forman, J. G. Douglass, C. L. Baker, D. C. Middleton, Arthur Giesecke, W. B. Halley, R. W. Earnshaw, "Dub" Nance, W. A. Nance, C. F. Bailey, C. R. Stephens, Alex McGregor and H. W. Lynn.

Match play will continue all through the summer between the teams holding membership in the association.

Mayor of Detroit Facing Recall in Vice Controversy

(By Associated Press)
DETROIT, June 6.—The turbulent administration of Mayor Charles Bowles, born of one of Detroit's bitterest political fights, today is faced with the threat of recall.



Five months in the city hall during which the mayor clashed repeatedly with his council, his commissioners and 2 of the city's leading newspapers came to a climax May 21 when a group of citizens started circulating petitions for his recall.

The movement followed the mayor's discharge of Police Commissioner Harold H. Emmons and appointment of Thomas C. Wilcox, former department of justice man, in his stead.

Just before the storm broke Mayor Bowles went to the Kentucky Derby. In his absence Commissioner Emmons and his men swooped down on handbooks and policy houses and arrested more than 200 persons.

Returning the mayor fired his commissioner and charged the raids were made to discredit his administration.

Mrs. W. A. Bridwell has returned from Denton, where she had been visiting her daughter, Miss Willwood, who is attending North Texas State Teachers College.

Pruitt Meets Death In Electric Chair

(By Associated Press)
HUNTSVILLE, June 6.—William Pruitt was electrocuted in the state penitentiary here after midnight for the murder of William Mann, 17-year-old high school student, at Dallas.

Pruitt denied until the end that he killed Mann, and criticized the district judge's refusal to hear his plea of insanity. The convict reiterated he had no fear of dying.

Pruitt was convicted of murder in the district court, the higher court upholding the conviction. Governor Moody refused to intervene after the board of pardons recommended that Pruitt be granted a reprieve.

Mexico's Population Is Above 16 Million

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, June 6.—The population of Mexico is 16,444,000 according to this year's federal census.

The nation-wide count on May 15th showed a gain of 2,600,000 in population since 1921.

Negro Couple is Guilty of Murder

(By Associated Press)
GUTHRIE, Okla., June 6.—John and La Tosca Young, negro couple of Cushing, Oklahoma, were convicted of assault on a government officer by a federal district court jury which returned a sealed verdict last night. The negroes, freed of murder charges by the state district court at Stillwater, are to be sentenced on June 14th.

Charges against the couple grew out of the fatal shooting of Otto Butler in a barber shop the negroes operated. Butler entering the shop on a liquor raid.

The negroes contended that the prohibition agent was killed after he had attacked them without provocation.

J. C. PENNEY EMPLOYEES ENJOY PICNIC WEDNESDAY

All employees of the J. C. Penney Company store in Ballinger went for a picnic on Elm Creek Wednesday. The party, consisting of the clerks, their wives, husbands, parents and sweethearts, left the store at closing time. The supper menu which was enjoyed by all included red beans, hot dogs, bacon, salads, and ice cream for dessert. The merry picnickers remained on the creek until about 9:00 o'clock.

WEATHER REPORT

(By Associated Press)
All Texas—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; probably local thunder showers in the south portion.

Notice

The American Cafe has Reopened under New Management

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Courtesy—Quality—Service at all times.

Water System Work Will Start on Saturday

Political Emissary Disowned by Dan

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, June 6.—Governor Moody today disowned Representative Alfred Petsch as a political emissary to Houston to confer with R. S. Sterling, chairman of the state highway commission, concerning his candidacy for governor. "I do not know anything about Mr. Petsch's trip to Houston; certainly he did not go there on any errand for me," the governor said.

Petsch was quoted as declaring that Governor Moody would withdraw from the gubernatorial race and support Sterling, and further intimated that he made the trip to Houston at Moody's request.

The governor maintained his silence about politics. He plans to attend the state Democratic executive committee meeting in Austin, at which time candidates will be certified.

Red River Crest Believed Passed

(By Associated Press)
ALEXANDRIA, La., June 6.—Barring heavy rains and the possibility of substantially higher water, the worst of the Red River flood danger is believed over today. Relief from the falling river is expected within a few days.

Levee workers reported that the occasional weak dikes continued to hold.

Despite poor economic conditions in Austria, passenger automobiles in Vienna have increased from 6,447 to 7,306.

GRAF ZEPPELIN LANDS IN HOME PORT TODAY

(By Associated Press)
FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, June 6.—The Graf Zeppelin, home from its 18,000-mile voyage to South America and the United States, landed here at noon today.

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Everybody was made to smile under the rains that fell in all parts of Bunnels county Thursday night.

The delegation leaving here for San Angelo Tuesday morning is confined to firemen alone.

A very small per cent of auto drivers in Ballinger pay any attention to stop signs.

Four men have been announced as candidates for governor by their friends and so far none have issued a statement as to whether they will run or not.

IMPROVED TRANSPORTATION IMPORTANT

According to the American Road and Builders Builders Federation, improved roads have cut automobile operation costs from ten to less than seven cents a mile during the past few years.

In addition, our thousands of miles of paved highways have facilitated social contacts, accelerated business and industry and played an appreciable part in the progress of American civilization.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- County Attorney: C. L. SOUTH
J. EDWARD JOHNSON
Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN
County Treasurer: MRS. R. P. KIRK
County Judge: PAUL TRIMMIER
County Attorney: ROY L. HILL
County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE
Commissioner, Precinct 1: R. J. DEENS
T. J. PARRISH
County Weigher, Precinct 1: PAT TILLERY
T. M. MARSH
Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: J. C. COOK
CARL WILSON
JOHN D. WHITE

Our Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Across clues include: 1. Witicism, 5. Winged, 10. Wooden bar, 14. Honeybee, 15. Baseball team, 16. A queen of England, 17. Small rags, 18. Mental images, 19. Hearing, 20. Loose blood, 22. Quivered, 23. Horn, 24. Not any law, 25. Backyard sewer, 29. Constituent parts, 34. Toward the sheltered side, 35. Baked clay, 36. Treatment of a crime, 37. Fished, 38. Finshed, 41. Malay sailing canoe, 43. First woman, 44. Deeded, 45. Turn, 46. Transported by sea, 48. Abundant, 49. He attended, 51. Native land measures, 52. A part, 53. A part of a door, 54. Term, 55. Part of a door, 56. Part of a door, 57. Part of a door, 58. Part of a door, 59. Part of a door, 60. Part of a door, 61. Part of a door, 62. Part of a door, 63. Part of a door, 64. Part of a door, 65. Part of a door, 66. Part of a door, 67. Part of a door, 68. Part of a door, 69. Part of a door, 70. Part of a door, 71. Part of a door, 72. Part of a door, 73. Part of a door, 74. Part of a door, 75. Part of a door, 76. Part of a door, 77. Part of a door, 78. Part of a door, 79. Part of a door, 80. Part of a door, 81. Part of a door, 82. Part of a door, 83. Part of a door, 84. Part of a door, 85. Part of a door, 86. Part of a door, 87. Part of a door, 88. Part of a door, 89. Part of a door, 90. Part of a door, 91. Part of a door, 92. Part of a door, 93. Part of a door, 94. Part of a door, 95. Part of a door, 96. Part of a door, 97. Part of a door, 98. Part of a door, 99. Part of a door, 100. Part of a door.

Grid for the crossword puzzle with numbers 1 through 100 indicating starting positions for clues.

TWO NEW BUILDINGS FOR TEXAS UNIVERSITY

AUSTIN, June 6.—Construction work on two new buildings at the University of Texas is being rushed in an effort to have them ready for use at the start of the 1930-31 session in September.

The number of motor vehicles registered in Canada during 1929 was 1,193,889, an increase of 117,070.

Twelve Chicago suburbs showed a population increase of more than 100 percent.

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HOW'S your HEALTH

FLIES

Familiarity with the house fly breeds an unwarranted contempt for the dangers it presents. It was well if every parent appreciated that flies and babies do not thrive well together.

The effective way to "swat the fly" is to prevent its breeding. The chief breeding place of the common house fly is in horse manure, but the fly will also breed in privies and in piles of rotting vegetable and animal matter.

In a word, the fly will breed wherever we allow the accumulation of filth. Care in the city in the handling of garbage and refuse, in the country of manure piles and privies will go far toward overcoming the fly evil.

neighborhood. The unclean and uncovered garbage pail will do the same for a city block.

The United States department of agriculture has a number of bulletins describing practical means for the control of the fly and the fly nuisance. Houses should be screened against flies and other insects. Those that gain admission should be destroyed.

Flies are thirsty insects and water attracts them. If a little formaldehyde solution be added to a saucerful of water, and a little sugar added to sweeten the solution, many flies will be attracted and killed.

This will help, but the truly effective measure against flies is to prevent their breeding. Kill the fly now—don't wait until he has developed several million descendants in August.

Claims Oldest Trousers

MAIDEN, N. C., June 5.—(AP)—G. F. Dettler of this city believes he owns the oldest pair of trousers and the oldest handkerchief in the South, if not in America.

SUNDOWN STORIES



THE BIRTHDAY ROSE

By Mary Graham Bonner

The Little Black Clock took them back to the garden they had visited the evening before and there they saw a tiny, tiny rose bush surrounded by others much larger and more filled with roses.

The tiny rose bush had just been planted. "I'll turn the time forward slowly now," the Little Black Clock said.

The Little Black Clock did as he said, and the rose bush seemed to grow lovelier and lovelier and the roses upon it were so beautiful.

They were single roses and they opened wide after they had been buds, and their fragrance was very, very sweet.

just arrived in the house beyond the garden. "It was called her rose bush and each year since then it has been growing stronger and more beautiful all the time—to keep along, so the rose bush was the girl whose birthday is the same as the birthday of the rose bush. "But every birthday the rose bush has more roses upon it than at any any other time or day of the year. That is so that the birthday girl can have a big bunch of roses from her own birthday rose bush."

"How lovely to have a birthday rose bush," Peggy said. "Isn't it nice," agreed the Little Black Clock. "But dear me, dear me, we have a very long journey we must take—so we'd better be getting back now. It's to be the 'Wait and See' adventure."



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Mazie the Model comic strip. Panel 1: Mazie is soaked from rain. Panel 2: Mazie asks for a dress. Panel 3: Mazie shows a dress. Panel 4: Mazie shows a faded dress. Panel 5: Mazie shows a dress with faded colors.

Try to Force Jews To Observe Sabbath

(By Associated Press)
 JERUSALEM, June 6.—Forceful observance of the Sabbath by Jews in the Holy Land is being tried by the Jewish National fund.

"Shomeri Shabbath," the watchmen of the Sabbath, have been organized to remind all Jews of their religious duties. Every Friday night at sunset the watchmen in long caftans, with venerable beards, earlocks and wide-brimmed fur hats, stand on the roofs of Jerusalem's two largest hotels and blow ram's horns to warn the merchants to shut their shops.

Others patrol the streets calling at 241 Jewish shops to see that their doors are closed on time.

Many of the less orthodox Jews sent the intervention of the watchmen and openly disregard their religious edicts.

Orthodox Jews recently attempted to break up a large football match between a Jewish team and a British military team on the Sabbath. Under leadership a rabbi, they posted themselves on the road leading to the grounds and pelted passing cars with sand. They were arrested and heavily fined.

CREASED AIR PRESTIGE IS SOUGHT BY ST. LOUIS

(By Associated Press)
 ST. LOUIS, June 3.—Increased prestige as an aviation center is goal of St. Louis this year.

To attain this end the air board of the chamber of commerce has opened an extensive program for remainder of 1930.

Activities will include a study of present airmail service to determine ways of extending the mail routes both east and southwest in this city; a concerted movement to develop plans for a downtown airport; a campaign in public schools to create greater interest in aviation; and drive to obtain new aviation industries.

CIFIX AT ROADSIDE TO MARK TOLERANCE SITE

(By Associated Press)
 REDERICKSBURG, Va., June 6.—Dedicated as a monument to religious freedom, a life-size cifix in bronze will be erected by the Jefferson Davis Highway 14 miles north of here by the local Woman's Club of Richmond.

The crucifix will mark the site of the first English Catholic settlement in Virginia and commemorate the first grant of religious tolerance in the state. It was issued July 10, 1686, that King Charles II in a colonists' charter granted settlers "the free exercise of religion."

IN NOAH TOOK THOUGHT BARLEY

(By Associated Press)
 WASHINGTON, June 6.—Five experts of the department of agriculture have declared grain in three jars excavated from the city of Kish to be barley. Kish, in Mesopotamia, "the first founded after the flood," was founded in 1928. One building which jars were found was in a room just above the level of traces of a flood were found.

Archaeological evidence indicates the date of this flood was about 3200 B. C. The grain is now virtually pure barley.

Work has begun on a highway leading from Sulphur Springs campus through recently opened Kokernot Springs Park north to State Highway 3.

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Australian tribal medicine men such as this one (top left) can cause their people to die by power of suggestion, says W. Lloyd Warner (top right), explorer of Harvard university. Below are two tribesmen clad chiefly in paint.

(By Associated Press)
 CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 6.—The secret of "black magic" which actually kills native men and women in Australia has been found by W. Lloyd Warner of Peabody Museum, Harvard University.

The natives are blacks, pure stone-age men and women, living, Mr. Warner says, as our ancestors probably did 10,000 to 20,000 years ago. Their home is the Crocodile Islands and nearby mainland, where Mr. Warner spent most of the last three years alone among them, as a Rockefeller Foundation research fellow in anthropology.

He whose wife is unfaithful may ask the Shaman to kill her. "But," said Mr. Warner, "I saw with black magic. A time when a woman die with absolutely

nothing the matter so far as I could determine. When she returned everyone believed her dead—her soul stolen. She believed it too.

"The wailing of the other women was dreadful. She did not eat and probably did not sleep. Her breathing grew rapid. As the tide went out, she became weak, and stronger as it came in. She died on the third day as the tide went out.

"Of course she was suggestible. I do not say that every person can be killed. But certainly all would become very ill."

Texas produced 9.9 per cent of the nation's sulphur output during last year, according to the United States Bureau of Mines in its report.

Be wise and advertise

Curb Concert



Jacques Gordon, celebrated violinist, to decide an argument, enacted a beggar role on a Chicago corner. He gave a \$1,000 concert on a \$10,000 Stradivarius. Passersby gave him \$5.61.

CITY MUNICIPAL OWNERS MEET IN BRADY IN JUNE

(By Associated Press)
 BRADY, June 6.—Brady will be the site for the annual state convention of the Municipal Utilities League June 19-20.

The session will be attended by about 60 persons, including managers of municipal light plants and state officials of the league.

It is said that there are 32 municipal light plants in the state, most of which are members of the Municipal Utilities League, according to officers. Two of the principal speakers on the Brady program will be Doctor Godfree of Southwestern University at Georgetown and Senator T. J. Holbrook of Galveston, author of the Holbrook utility bill which was introduced in the last legislature. Officers of the state association are: Joseph F. Nichols, of Greenville, president; L. A. Markham of Terrell, first vice-president; Edward Geeslin of Brady, second vice-president. Other members of the executive committee are: B. W. McKenzie of Denton, A. W. Watson of Bowie; J. Bryan Miller of Bryan; W. A. Wilderson of Hearne, and Henry Clark of Stephenville.

10 COMMUNITY CLUBS ORGANIZED BY AGENT

(By Associated Press)
 BIG SPRING, June 6.—An organization has been perfected by J. V. Bush, county agricultural agent, by which the county will have ten community clubs composed of 112 4-H boys conducting 139 demonstrations.

Among the demonstrations will be 64 5-acre pure milo demonstrations with cowpeas intertilled. Twenty-eight poultry demonstrations with a minimum of 100 pure-bred baby chicks or 30 laying hens. Twenty-seven 5-acre pure mebane cotton demonstrations and twenty baby beef feeding demonstrations of from one to five calves each.

Coal production in Chile increased 125,000 tons in 1929, partly attributed to subsidies granted coastwise vessels carrying coal by increasing duty on petroleum.

TO CAMP AT BRADY

(By Associated Press)
 AUSTIN, June 6.—The most extensive summer geology camp ever held by the University of Texas will start June 11 at Brady. Two courses, introductory and advanced field geology will be offered the first term while only the advanced course will be offered the last term.

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1927 Oldsmobile Coupe

This car is in good condition. A real bargain. Was \$436.00

Sale Price \$250.00

1928 Oakland Coupe

Good tires, clean upholstery, original price \$1,657.00. If you are looking for a bargain here it is.

Sale Price \$250.00

1926 Chrysler Coupe 70

With rumble seat. First come first served. Original price \$956.00

Sale Price \$400.00

1929 Plymouth Sedan

Looks like new, original price \$999.00

Sale Price \$350.00

1927 Chrysler Sedan 70

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FULL PINT OF

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Leaves the Mouth Clean and Fresh

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Portugal Lets Nuns Back But Bars Convents

By George Haladjian
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

LISBON, June 6.—After 20 years' exile, Portuguese nuns have been allowed to re-enter their native country, but under provisions which bar convent life, wearing of habits in public and the teaching of religion in state schools.

The restrictions, however, represent a considerable relaxation of the decrees under which all religious orders were expelled from the country by the anti-clerical government of Alfonso Costa in 1910.

Now the nuns are permitted to work in private hospitals, institutions for the blind and other charitable institutions. They are also allowed to teach religion privately.

Throughout the 20 years the only sisterhoods that have been represented in the country have been Irish nuns of the Beau Success convent and French nuns of the St. Louis hospital. Both these institutions were considered territories of the Irish and French governments and therefore beyond the reach of the anti-clerical ban.

The readmission of the native nuns for private work follows, too a change in policy which restored them to full standing in the colonies where missionary and parochial schools are run by them and by Portuguese priests. Until this step was taken the only religious education in the African possessions was given by foreign missionaries who taught the blacks different languages and various creeds.

In some instances disorders broke out between protestant and catholic converts and the government also found that the Portuguese language was making little or no headway among the blacks. So the government has authorized reopening of the Franciscan monastery of Varatogo near Torres Vedras to train missionaries for Africa and it has also restricted instruction there in anything but Portuguese.

A still further sign of improved relations between state and the church is a concession of the latter's right to own landed property. Several churches which had been turned into government offices have been restored to public worship and some observers go so far as to predict that ere long a formal concordat will be negotiated between Portugal and the Vatican.

Noted by Publication of Final Account

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any constable of Runnels County.

Greeting: M. C. Atkins, administrator of the estate of Sam Jones Nelson, deceased, having filed in our county court his final account of the condition of the estate of the said Sam Jones Nelson, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for 20 days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Runnels, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objection thereto, if any they have, on or before the August term, 1930 of said county court, commencing and to be holden at the court house of said county in the City of Ballinger, on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1930, same being the 4th day of said month, when said account and application will be considered by said court.

Witness, Ina McKown, Clerk of the County Court of Runnels County.

Given under my hand seal of said court, at my office in the city of Ballinger, this 23rd day of May, A. D. 1930.

IMA MCKOWN, Clerk County Court, Runnels County, Texas.

A true copy, I certify: R. E. McWilliams, Sheriff, Runnels County.

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TURKS CUT WEDDING FETE DOWN 6 DAYS

(By Associated Press) ADANA, Turkey, June 6.—In the interests of economy, Turkish weddings in this region are to be cut down from seven days to 24 hours under an order just issued by the governor of Adana.

The traditional seven days' ceremony has been deemed an unpatriotic extravagance in this day of Turkey's financial difficulties, but Anatolian women, to whom marriage is the one great spur of their quiet hidden lives, are plotting to see how many of the seven separate ceremonies they can still squeeze into the new limit.

Coste Plans Trip Across Over Trail On Which Many are Lost



Capt. Dieudonne Coste who plans east to west flight across Atlantic over path on which many fliers were lost.

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, June 6.—A pilot since he was 17, Capt. Dieudonne Coste will dare the dangers of the Atlantic in the most difficult feat of his 19 years of flying.

The French war ace plans to fly westward from Paris to New York, a project that has cost many lives and in which he himself failed last year.

Success will climax a flying career that had its beginning when Louis Bleriot made the first flight across the English Channel in 1909 and fired the ambition of Coste, a 16-year-old engineering student, to become an aviator.

He won his pilot's license a year later, but the war sent him into the conflict where he accounted for five enemy ships and seven balloons.

An international hero, his fame rests on exploits in the last four years, starting in 1926 when Capt. Rignot and he set a world's distance record in a 3,313-mile non-stop flight from Paris to Persia.

Late the next year, with Joseph Lebriz, he started an aerial odyssey from Paris down the west coast of Africa, across the south Atlantic to South America and eventually through North America, Asia and Europe. Except for crossing the Pacific by ship, the round-the-world tour was made in flight.

Last year, with Maurice Bel-

lonte, he attempted the Paris-New York flight, but turned back west of the Azores and landed after flying 3,100 miles. Head winds had forced them back.

Two world record performances followed, a non-stop flight of 4,948.59 miles to Manchuria and a closed circuit record of 4,987 miles in 52 1-2 hours.

Spurred by the arrangements of Capt. Kingsford-Smith, Australian war ace, to fly from Ireland to New York, Coste has hurried test flights on his tri-motored ship to race the Australian across the ocean.

There have been no successful heavier-than-air craft flights across the north Atlantic from continent to continent in a westerly direction without stop. The Bremen's flight began in Ireland and ended at Greenland Island.

FIRST FAIR OF SEASON WILL OPEN AUG. 17th

(By Associated Press) FREDERICKSBURG, June 6.—Fredericksburg will be the scene of the first fair in central Texas in 1930. The dates are Aug. 17 to 23. Other Central Texas fair dates are: Boerne, Aug. 25 to 31; New Braunfels, Sept. 14 to 20; LaGrange, Sept. 21 to 27; Seguin, Sept. 28 to Oct. 4; Gonzales, Oct. 5 to 11; Lockhart, Oct. 12 to 15.

NORTON NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Sharpes returned to their home at Happy after spending several days with relatives here.

Mrs. T. W. Sharpes, of Ballinger, spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Turner.

Miss Juanita Lollar, of Happy, spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Turner.

Elbert Harding returned to Rankin Tuesday.

Miss Cecil Pinkard, of Comanche, is spending this week with her cousin, Mrs. J. F. Steele.

Henry Drummond spent the week-end with his little son, Kenneth, who is undergoing treatment at Abilene.

Mrs. Elna Harding and little daughter, Jackie Elizabeth, left Tuesday for Lubbock, where they will spend some time with relatives.

T. J. McCaughan had business in Ballinger Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Steele attended the workers conference at Valley View Tuesday.

TRAIL OF ANTIQUE LEADS TO NEXT DOOR

(By Associated Press) MARION, O., June 6.—Dr. F. A. Stengel of this place has traced the path of "antiques" to the dim vistas of its end—and ended up next door.

The doctor picked up a rare old melodeon in New York. It was an unusually fine one. Seeking to find out whence it came, the trail led to Mansfield, Ohio.

At Mansfield the doctor learned

that the melodeon had been bought from a resident of Bucyrus. At Bucyrus he discovered that it was purchased in Marion, his home town.

Back home, the original owner was found living next door to the doctor's home.

CADDO LAKE MAY BE MADE NATIONAL PARK

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, June 6.—Steps toward launching a tri-state campaign to have Caddo Lake designated as a national park by the federal government will be taken June 13 at a meeting of officials of Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas. The conference will be held at Caddo Lake.

Governor Dan Moody of Texas, Governor Harvey Parnell of Arkansas and Governor Huey P. Long of Louisiana will either attend or be represented.

The Texas group will be made up of members of the highway commission, the board of control, the state park board, the water board and other officials.

A Texas motorcade will start June 10 from the border over the Old San Antonio road, or Camino Real, and will leave San Antonio the next day for Caddo Lake, making the trip by way of Austin, Giddings, Brennan, Navasota, Huntsville, Madisonville, Trinity, Crockett, Nacogdoches, Center, Carthage and Marshall.

Caddo Lake is said to be one of the largest bodies of fresh water in the country.

OLD CAR STILL RUNS BUT IT'S BUGGY NOW

(By Associated Press) PARIS, Ark., June 6.—The horse has the laugh on Paris' first automobile.

Ed Bartsch built it in the early 1900's, ran it for a year and then took the motor out.

Dobbin is still pulling the gasless buggy.

Skill of Two Davis Cup Players Produced by Unpaid Texas Prof

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, June 6.—Members of the American Davis Cup team are now in the spotlight, and a quiet professor of classical languages and assistant dean of the arts and science college of the University of Texas put two of them there.

The two are Berkley Bell and Wilnep Allison, who were outstanding University of Texas tennis stars. The professor who taught them tennis, while devoting his scholastic career to teaching the languages that furnish a character background for the lawn game, is Dr. D. A. Penick.

Dr. Penick has been active in University of Texas tennis circles for 31 years, and though he has coached the regular team since it was organized in 1912, he never has received a cent of pay for his work.

The highest paid professional coach would have found it difficult to duplicate Penick's record, because the Longhorn tennis teams since 1912 have an unbroken string of victories in the South west conference both in the singles and doubles.

The Longhorn teams also have reached either the finals or semifinals in the national intercollegiate tournament, since they were first entered in 1920. In four of the nine years of play, Dr. Penick's charges have won four national titles.

Bell perhaps is the greatest player Dr. Penick has developed. The Davis Cup player while coached by Penick won the national intercollegiate title and three other national championships. He now ranks ninth in national rating.

Allison, Penick's other graduate to the Davis Cup team, played against France in 1929, and with

Johnny Van Ryn of Princeton defeated the 1929 championship team of Cochet and Brugnon. He was national collegiate champion in 1927, while an undergraduate at Texas.

Dr. Penick regards Bruce Barnes, Southwest conference champion, his present greatest protégé, and predicts that Barnes in time will rank with the greatest the Southwest has produced.

The sword carried by Peter Stuyvesant, famous Dutch colonial governor of New York, has been presented to the Museum of the City of New York.

The once mighty Seminole tribe of Indians now number 468, according to the 1930 census. That is an increase of 14 since 1920.

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BOOMING BOHEMIA
By Hazel Reavis

PARIS, June 6.—Artists, who have a fondness for living on hills in Paris, have found a new perch where rents are cheap and people mind their own business.

It is called Montrouge and makes a trio of art hummocks here.

The other two are Montmartre, which is an honest-to-goodness hill and Montparnasse, called a hill by courtesy.

Montrouge on the southern edge of Paris is no more of a hill than is Montparnasse.

If there ever was a hump in it it must have been run over by a steam roller for no more than a few discontended dirt heaps are to be seen now.

Atop the bumps of Montrouge are a huddle of grubby little stone houses, anything but picturesque and some tall shoots of modern apartment houses.

In the district is the Sorbonne community campus, called University City, where several hundred students, mostly foreign, live in model dormitories. Nearby is the green and leafy Park Montsouris where the Japanese artist Foujita walks on an evening.

Cafe Critics

Down in the center of things is the cafe Terminus, also called the Courbet by a few high hat newcomers.

The Terminus takes its name from the fact that it is the end of the line for the bulk of Montrouge's hard-working commuters who come and go by subway, the street car or busline.

On spring days after the night is gone artists wander down to the Terminus in search of refreshment and conversation.

There is an almost continuous exhibition of pictures on the cafe walls for artists who make their headquarters there use it as a salon.

Their output is larger than their reputation so far. But gradually their names are becoming known.

When enough of them are celebrated Paris will wake up over night and Montrouge will be discovered as Hoboken and Harlem were not so long ago. The playboys and girls will come in.

Expert Booming

Ballyhoosers will begin whooping up Montrouge the way Montparnasse was whooped. And with such success that it now has a world-wide reputation.

When it started on its career of racketeering Montparnasse was no more inviting looking, picturesque or impressive than is Montrouge now.

Business men and boom-experts changed all that.

Artists who come back to the Quarter after wanderings look at its areas of cafes and bogus eccentricity, and gasp.

There is little semblance to the Montrouge of beginnings when

a few hard-working men, mostly unknowns, laid the groundwork of tradition and legends that flowered into Bohemianism's biggest boom.

MOVIES

Dazzling Miniature Follies is Gus Edwards' New Revue

"Climbing the Golden Stairs," Gus Edwards' latest all-talking and color picture, a dazzling miniature follies featuring specialty songs and four sets of twins, is one of the stellar attractions at the Palace Theatre today and Saturday. The new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer sound novelty, staged and costumed in elaborate detail, is in effect a miniature musical comedy, produced by a notable cast of stage talent. The music was written especially for the picture by Edwards and Jimmy Brookman, composer of "I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles" and other hits.

Charles King, famous Broadway baritone and musical comedy star, leads the singing cast which also boasts an exceptionally good operatic octette. The Aber Twins, violinists, the Pearl Twins, tap and toe dancers, and the Clute Twins, specialty dancers, are all seen in specialty dances and in original police chorus.

Sidney Jarvis, former opera singer, musical comedy star and stage character actor, is seen in the role of master of ceremonies.

Misfits Join Cavalry in "Troopers Three," New Comedy

The Palace Theatre is presenting today and Saturday the new Tiffany production, "Troopers Three," an all-dialogue picture in which the U. S. Cavalry figures conspicuously Arthur Guy Empey, World War veteran, cavalryman and author, wrote the story, which tells of three misfits who find themselves, through a trick, signed up for three years in the cavalry.

From failure as vaudeville actors to success as wild-riding, hard-fighting troopers is the achievement of Eddie, Bugs and Sunny—the three rookies played by Rex Lease, Roscoe Karns and Slim Summerville. It is Eddie's freshness that gets him into the cavalry and once there, it is that same trouble that gets him the hard knocks that finally make a man of him and worthy the love of the prettiest girl at the post, Dorothy Clark, played by Dorothy Gulliver.

A feature of "Troopers Three" is the maneuvers of cavalry troops. Various riding games and daring stunts are performed, such as a rescue race, mounted fencing, wig-wagging, pyramid riding and Roman racing.

Norman Taurog directed "Troopers Three," which is recorded by RCA Photophone. Besides Rex Lease, Dorothy Gulliver, Roscoe Karns and Slim Summerville, featured, the cast includes Tom London, Walter Perry and Joseph Girard.

Collecting bottles is the hobby of an Oak Park, Ill., woman, who has 1,200 one worth \$750

Boulder Dam's First \$10,000,000 Just Gets Labor, Tools, to Site



These precipitous grades at Boulder dam site must be conquered by engineers establishing railroads, highways and workmen's towns shown in map.

By Frank L. Weller
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The \$10,000,000 initial Boulder Dam appropriation President Hoover requested of congress on arrival of signed contracts for power, will be used primarily to get workmen and their equipment into Black canyon.

Dr. Elwood Mead, commissioner of reclamation, says the first of the eight years' work scheduled for the huge concrete wedge will be to build a highway to run to the top of the cliffs overlooking the dam site.

The five other main operations expected to start immediately after the appropriation include construction of railroads for delivering materials, a townsite for the working force, sanitation, a water system, four diversion tunnels through which the Colorado River will flow during construction of the dam and installation of power.

Because of the rough and precipitous ground, it is estimated that the three miles of highway, beginning at the townsite two miles back from the river, will cost \$300,000.

Probably the most spectacular engineering feat will be encountered in getting railroad spurs to the dam site. The summit of the plateau is several miles back from the river and can be reached without unusual difficulty by a branch line from the railway running through Las Vegas, Nevada.

But, from the summit down to the canyon, the decline is so sharp it will involve specially constructed tracks and locomotives. Once at the base of the decline one spur will run to the left around the cliffs and down

to the river, another to the right and a third sharply down the face of the canyon for 300 feet.

The first two will be used to get materials to both sides of the dam and the third to carry them when the dam starts rising to its 725 feet of height. Getting the railroad to the bottom of the canyon is expected to cost \$2,500,000.

Before anything can be done, four tunnels, 50 by 50 feet and 4,000 feet long, two on each side of the river, must be drilled through the canyon walls to divert the water from the dam site. They will cost \$17,000,000.



By Richard Masocco

NEW YORK, June 6.—(AP)—Before the last brick of Luke O'Connor's old saloon had been trucked away from its Greenwich Village corner, his most illustrious porter, John Masfield, had become England's new poet laureate.

The site of the bar-room where Masfield cleaned cuspidors just 35 years ago has been leveled off, in preparation for the rise of some new building.

Only a few scraps of the Columbian Hotel, in which O'Connor had his bar, are still strewn over the plot where Greenwich Street bumps into Sixth Avenue, under the El tracks.

But the bookstore where Masfield used to browse remains a Village landmark, and its propri-

etor, Charles S. Pratt, a character of that storied neighborhood.

Masfield Contemporary

Pratt has been there 40 years and although Masfield has written somewhere that he doesn't remember him, for the bar-room bouncer was an undistinguished wanderer of 19, just in from England.

There were other customers making their mark on the world—Mark Twain, young David Belasco and Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, the divine, among them.

There is scarcely any literate inhabitant of the Village who does not know the Pratts, "Papa" and his wife.

The beret the picturesque "Papa" always wears identifies his sparse figure and lean face, adorned by a full, gray mustache. Mrs. Pratt is equally well known for her conversational powers.

Forty-three years they have been married and every Sunday in the summer they take a walk in the suburban woods, where "Papa" reads a book aloud.

Curiosity Shop

The shop itself is a curious place, seemingly about to fall apart under the weight of hundreds of thousands of books on shelves so close together that one person can barely walk between them. How the Pratts ever find the right volume is a mystery to the customer, but they always do.

Another peculiar characteristic of the books displayed there is Pratt's written comments on the covers. "Be up to date" is penciled across a work on auction bridge and "The Story of the Bible for Young People" bears the legend "Beautiful!"

Behind the interminable stacks Mrs. Pratt keeps house, when she is not serving as her husband's sole assistant.

There she entertains her

friends, among them Mrs. Fiske, the queen of American actresses.

And she holds on to the neighborly habits of her own generation. Only a few days ago Mrs. Fiske's niece, Merle Maddern of Eva Le Gallienne's Civic Repertory troupe, brought her a couple of roses in gratitude for a visit Mrs. Pratt made when the actress was ill in a hospital.

Mrs. Pratt has pronounced opinions, which she offers freely to the customers. She often says, Izaak Walton League announced, for instance, that she thinks women's hats are ugly—the young ones' resemble cuspidors, the old ones' are like coal scuttles.

MAY RESTOCK LAKE AREA

MARSHALL, June 6.—The Texas legislature will be asked to re-stock the Caddo Lake area with wild deer and turkey and to prohibit the shooting of ducks and geese after 12 o'clock noon, the Caddo Lake chapter of the league announced.

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MINNEAPOLIS, May 20.—(AP)—While industry in the United States spends \$200,000,500 annually in research, agriculture spends but \$40,000,000—"only half enough," says Dean W. C. Coffey of the University of Minnesota.

Miss Maurine Carroll returned home Tuesday after a three weeks visit in Brady.

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A male quartet from Winters and a solo by Mrs. Henshaw were greatly enjoyed by the audience at the Ballinger Baptist Church Thursday night. Dr. Bassett brought two of his greatest spiritual messages. The rains descended and the spiritual showers from above descended. When the evening services were over the quartet offered several selections to the delight of all.

At the morning hour the subject under discussion was that of "The Christian Duty of Watchfulness." The message centered around three outstanding arguments for vigilance, the preciousness of what we possess, the dangers that surround us, and the ignorance of the future. "We possess the pearl of great price. We never know when the enemy may approach. The most useful Christian is the watchful Christian. Satan is to be watched. He is subtle in his approach. He never tempts a man to be a drunkard, a thief, a libertine, but leads them step by step into these ways. Direction has much to do with a life. Lot pitched his tent toward Sodom, not meaning to dwell there, but he did. We are to watch our ideals and the progress of good in the world. The time has come when we should read our daily papers standing up and religious papers sitting down. We ought to be conversant with the work of all religious denominations. We ought to be alert to see opportunities."

The theme for the night service was "How Shall We Escape if we Neglect so Great Salvation" with emphasis on the word great. By many this was called the greatest message that has been brought during the meeting. The evangelist said this salvation could not have come from angels. The creator must be greater than the created. Nature could not have given us so great salvation and it could not have come from man himself. It is impossible for man to lift himself higher. It takes the hand of Almighty God to lift man. In this work of salvation we see God at his best and paying the highest price possible. It did not cost God one tear or any blood to make the natural universe but it cost blood to bring salvation. Salvation comes mighty high. It is great salvation because it makes a bad man a good man.

The majority of people who do not possess salvation do not because of neglect. Most of the souls in hell are there because of neglect.

Friday night will be Dr. Bassett's last service with us. There will be no services Saturday. The meeting will close Sunday night with a baptismal service.

Water System—

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reservoir. The tower will be erected at the corner of Crosson Avenue and Fifth Street on property recently acquired by the city for this purpose. Steel for the tower will be shipped at an early date. The tower will be erected and ready for use by the time other work is completed.

Delay was experienced Friday by Brown & Root, due to wet grounds. Fire progress has been made on the dam and all preliminary work will be finished in a short time.

Fire hydrants to be installed are of new type and conform to the American Water Works standards, as well as meeting all requirements of the State Fire Insurance Commission.

R. & S. Masons Attention
Special meeting tonight, Friday, June 6th. At 8:00 p. m. For work in the R. & S. degrees. Hon. B. F. Huntsman, Grand Visitor, will confer the work with Winters degree team. Refreshments.

All members are urgently requested to be present.

By order of
J. B. PACE, T. I. M.
Attest: J. McGregor, Recorder.

HATCHEL 4-H CLUB

The Hatchel 4-H Club met June 5 at the school building. Our county agent, Mr. Lehmborg, discussed the points of judging maize and other grains. We also discussed the Live-at-Home Fair at Winters in July and the prizes they are giving.

Every member is expected to take part and try to win one or more of the prizes.

One new member has been enrolled since the last meeting.

Club Reporter.

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Instruments of School Band are Made by Pupils

(By Associated Press)

HOUSTON, June 6.—Using the most humble of instruments, two sets of which they made of cheese boxes or mixing bowls and strips of wood, 400 school children here in grades from the first to the fifth have formed a big orchestral ensemble producing music of a weird but pleasing sort.

The more accomplished in the group—those capable of handling such complexities as glass tumblers, and small, simple harps, spent less than a dollar for their equipment and the rank and file spent nothing at all. They are being trained in creative music under the direction of Miss Mildred Sage, assistant supervisor of music for city schools, and the fashioning of their instruments was part of the course.

There are drums, flageolettes, and water glasses. The drums, made by first and second graders, are old cheese boxes, candy buckets or mixing bowls stretched with drum heads furnished by a local music house from worn out drums.

The flageolettes (tin whistles), ocarinas (which look like sweet potatoes), psalteries (small harps) and tumblers, of course, were purchased at five and ten cent stores.

The making of the marimba, an all wood instrument, resembling a xylophone, was the most difficult operation the young musicians faced. First the base had to be cut and then the keys prepared. These were cut from long strips of wood and each child had to make his decisions as to how long to cut a given strip to make it productive of a given note.

When he wanted a lower note, he sliced more from the strip and he shaved it down for a higher one.

But the hardest job of all was finding the notal points—that is the points on each strip where holes should be made for holding the keys fast. This was accomplished by sprinkling sawdust on keys, tapping them lightly and boring the holes where the sawdust finally deposited itself.

Two schools—Harvard and Southmore—have bands and combined they are capable of great

volume. Numbers are substituted for notes and home made Indian rattlers are sometimes brought into play.

When they are, simple Indian folk songs are played and work in that connection is correlated. The rattler consists of a stick with a bag tied on the end and filled with navy beans from the grocery.

Experts have found the ensemble renders melodies in a pleasing though highly unorthodox way. Miss Sage, gratified at the progress her pupils have made, said she intended to have them write their own tunes next year.

TO STUDY PECAN TREES

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, June 6.—A United States government laboratory and experiment station for study of pecan trees will be established at Manana Lodhem, about 8 miles from Austin, owned by Prof. J. E. Pearce of the University of Texas anthropology department.

The government has leased the Pearce farm on which are about 50 varieties of pecan trees, for a period of 10 years. An appropriation of \$15,000 yearly will be supplied by a second appropriation of \$12,000 for maintenance of a consultation office in Austin. Prof. Pearce said. Two government experts will come to Austin and take charge of the laboratory.

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