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Candidate Drowns When His Auto Jumps Bridge

(By Associated Press)
HUNTSVILLE, Tex., July 9.—The body of Earl R. Swanger, 37, Huntsville attorney and candidate for district attorney, former county attorney of Leon county, was found today fifty feet beneath a bridge over Harmon Creek near here where his automobile fell from the bridge last night.

Plane Capsizes; 2 Americans Die

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, July 9.—Two Americans, Miss Ruth Northrup, of Philadelphia, and John L. Burkholder, of Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania, today are believed to be among the five persons drowned yesterday in the capsizing of the German flying boat D-864.

The passengers were drowned in a rough landing on the sea off the coast of Denmark when a gale arose. The plane was being towed by the Danish ship Maja when it capsized.

Efforts at rescue proved futile.

Mail Plane Fails On Atlantic Trip

(By Associated Press)
DAKAR, Senegal, July 9.—Jean Mermoz, flying on the first west-east transatlantic air mail line between South America and Africa, was forced down at sea today when more than half way across the Atlantic, but was rescued with his companions Leopold Gimme and Jean Darby with 600 pounds of mail which was taken aboard upon departure from Natal, Brazil, yesterday.

Three hours before landing the Frenchmen discovered an oil leak which grew worse, and radioed for aid. The Pohoe, a boat which was nearby, was dispatched to the spot and rescued the crew and mail.

Trip Planned to Farmers' School; Funds are Raised

Only a few more days remain until the A. & M. College of Texas will open its doors to the citizens of Texas for the farmers' summer short course. The dates for the short course this year are July 28-August 1. A great deal of interest in this summer's session is already being manifested by the farmers of Runnels county and especially by 4-H club members.

County Agent C. W. Lehmborg is busy now lining up community meetings to start immediately after the close of the Live-at-Home Fair at Winters. Already the 4-H clubs are planning candy, cake and pie sales, Mr. Lehmborg said. Several clubs are putting on "hen sale campaigns" in order to raise funds to defray the expenses of delegates to the short course.

A number of community socials, where ice cream, cakes and soda pop will be served are being planned. The public is invited to attend these socials. "We hope that the business men and the city folk will attend these socials and mix and mingle with the rural people," said Mr. Lehmborg. "There is no better way to

Name Selected for Lindbergh's Baby

(By Associated Press)
ENGLEWOOD, New Jersey, July 9.—Born June 22, the name of the infant son of Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh was announced last night as Charles Augustus Lindbergh, Jr., and therefore entitled to be known as the "III" for his grandfather, Charles Augustus Lindbergh was United States congressman, and his father was known as "Junior" until the congressman's death.

Ft. Worth Visitors Coming Thursday

Local business men will greet the group of Fort Worth boosters here at 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the court house lawn. The visitors will arrive from San Angelo, spend about 40 minutes in this city, and proceed to Coleman to spend the night. While here the delegation will be treated to a feed of ice cold watermelons on the court house lawn.

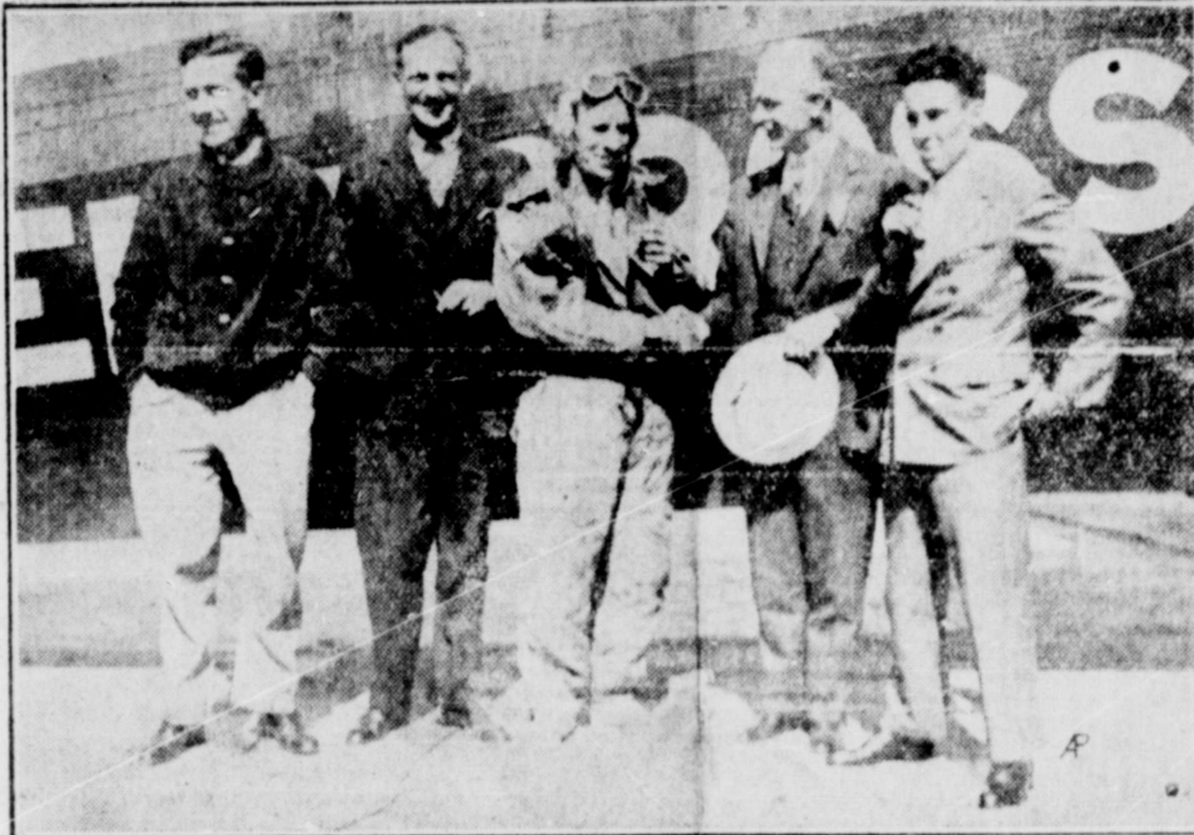
The 16 boosters, Fort Worth business men of various lines both retail and wholesale, are making the trip by bus to determine general conditions in West Texas and to become better acquainted with business men in West Texas cities. Advance reports state that they do not expect nor desire entertainment, programs for their benefit but wish to make a friendly business survey of the territory.

American motor trucks are used in the Swedish logging industry, as mild winters handicap use of sleds.

Cardinal, Age 93, Is Dead in Italy

(By Associated Press)
VATICAN CITY, July 9.—Cardinal Vannutelli, 93, dean of the sacred college, died of uremic poisoning today after several days illness.

AS ONE BIG FLYER TO ANOTHER



Capt. Charles Kingsford-Smith, commander of the Southern Cross, stopped at Chicago with his crew to salute the Hunter boys, who were trying for an air crown of their own. Left to right: J. Patrick Saul; Evert Van Dyk; Capt. King; Smith; Earl Reynolds, pres. Aeronautical Bureau; John W. Stannage.

Calhoun to Resume Private Practice

(By Associated Press)
ABILENE, July 9.—Etem Calhoun, appointed as prosecuting attorney for the 84th district after the assassination of District Attorney John A. Holmas at Borger, announced today that he would resume private legal practice in Abilene when his term expires.

Calhoun denied he was ever a candidate for reelection although friends in several counties had petitioned county chairmen to put his name on the ballot.

English Labor Rule Remains in Power

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, July 9.—By a majority of three votes the MacDonald labor government scraped through a division on the finance bill precipitated by the liberals and regarded as a crisis.

Six Youths Drown At Swim in Ocean

(By Associated Press)
BLACKPOOL, England, July 9.—Six boys of ninety-one bathing here drowned today. Several got into difficulty and two were rescued when the others came out of the sea.

Voters Apply for Absentee Ballots

A total of six applications for casting absentee ballots had been filed in the office of the county clerk by Wednesday morning and it is expected that a number more will be received by July 15, the last day for making these requests. Anyone who is to be away from home from July 16 until after the primary, may make application at the county clerk's office, and a ballot will be sent to him to be marked and returned.

A second class of absentee voting will commence on the morning of July 16, continuing until July 23, in which voters who are to be absent on the election date may go to the clerk's office to mark ballots. A poll tax receipt is to be presented by the applicant.

Read today's news in The Ledger today.

Milk Ordinance is Explained by City Dairy Inspector

Dr. R. F. Zedlitz, inspector of dairies, dairy herds and milk plants for the City of Ballinger, has prepared a report explaining the requirements which must be met to produce grade 'A' milk under the regulations of federal and state laws and a local city ordinance, and how these provisions safeguard the health of consumers.

This report has been written by Dr. Zedlitz because many local citizens are not aware of the ordinance and what it means to them.

Following is the explanation by Dr. Zedlitz:

"Grade 'A' means that the tuberculin test has been applied to the dairy herd and reactors removed; that a physician has examined the dairy personnel and that none were found to have any disease which might be transmitted through the milk to the consumer; that in constructing the barn certain sanitary arrangements have been observed providing for plenty of light, ventilation, painted or whitewashed inside walls; the cows milked on a clean and well drained concrete floor; that the milking process has been done in a clean manner by removing dirt or loose hairs from the cows flanks, cows udders clean, milkers hands clean and disinfected; milk stools and milkers clothes clean, and the milk not exposed to contamination by straining in the barn but that it has been strained, cooled, handled, and bottled in a clean, well lighted, fly proof, sanitary constructed and maintained milkhouse; bottled in a sanitary manner; that the utensils and bottles or cans have been cleaned and thoroughly sterilized; that safe water is used; toilets so constructed as to prevent access to germ carrying flies or disease transmitting agents; that the milk has been produced and handled in cleanly surroundings and all practical safeguards taken to prevent disease producing infection.

"It means further that the milk has been produced, bottled, handled and labeled under the supervision of the city and state health authority and the United States Public Health Service. The same supervision applies to the milk if it is pasteurized. No other milk regulation has the advantage of such a strict supervision by local, state and United States health authorities and this is the best guarantee the consumer

Bishop, One Time Exile, Is Dead

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, July 9.—Mon-signor Francisco Urganu y Saenz, bishop of Cuernavaca, died today. Urganu y Saenz was among the foremost churchmen in exile during the Mexican religious troubles in 1927, being the first ranking prelate of the Catholic Church. He returned to Mexico after the possibility of a solution of the religious controversy became known.

Two Robbers Take \$1,000 in Holdup

(By Associated Press)
ENID, Okla., July 9.—Two youthful gunmen held up four officials and four customers of the Bank of Hunter near here today and escaped with loot estimated at \$1,000.

Good Roads Body Names Kirkpatrick

(By Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, July 9.—T. L. Kirkpatrick, of Charlotte, North Carolina, was elected president, and Charlotte was chosen as the 1931 convention city here today at the annual convention of the United States Good Roads Association.

N. Y. Population Totals 6,958,792

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, July 9.—New York city's population was announced late yesterday as 6,958,792, gaining 24 per cent from 5,620,048 in 1920.

\$25 CHECK RECEIVED BY LOCAL FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Ballinger Volunteer Fire Department has received a check for \$25 from J. Y. Pearce in appreciation of the work done by the department in extinguishing the blaze Sunday night in the building owned by Mr. Pearce which was occupied by the American Cafe and the Woodson and Hale barber shop.

could have that grade 'A' milk is the safest and highest quality practicable to produce and that the label more nearly represents its sanitary quality on account of so many reliable check-ups.

Three Children Die in Fire; Parents at Work

Tire Sales Here Given Mention in Talk Over Radio

Radio fans here who tuned in on the Monday noon program over Station W-A-C-O last Monday were agreeably surprised to hear special mention made of the large sales of the Hicks Rubber Company in Ballinger, during the radio address by Fred Hicks, vice-president and sales manager of the Hicks Rubber Company, manufacturers and distributors of Star De Luxe tires, guaranteed 40,000 miles.

Pointing out that business is good where a concern goes after the business, Mr. Hicks said that "last week was another red letter week in sales, showing a nice increase despite the loss of a day, in some cases, due to the Fourth of July holiday.

"Glancing briefly at the report for the past week, we find especially good sales at Victoria, Thorndale, Austin, Ballinger, Waco, Dalhart, San Marcos and Wharton.

"Never in the history of the organization have we made such progress as we have made in the last three months. We find that people are eager to make good buys, more eager than ever before—that you can get their attention if you have something really good to offer, that you can do this easier now than in more prosperous times."

The radio talk by Mr. Hicks was addressed to Hicks store and associated stores, managers and employees. Discussing the problem of selling the public on "Seeing Stars," Mr. Hicks said:

"If we were making an ordinary product today, you would have a hard time convincing the public regarding price and quality, but since we make a product so superior that we can back it with a 40,000 mile guarantee on Star De Luxe tires, it is no job at all to convince the prospective purchaser—especially where you use the tests and demonstrations available for your use.

"I wonder if the managers of the stores and associated stores within the sound of my voice have made their tests and demonstrations to as many people as they should. Frankly, the public is entitled to these comparisons and demonstrations; you owe it to the people in your community to show them the comparative strength of the various tires on the market.

"In this connection, I hope that car owners everywhere, who may be tuned in on this radio station at this time, will take it upon themselves to call at any Hicks Rubber Company store or associated store and ask the simple question 'Can you prove to me that Star De Luxe tires are the finest and strongest tires that money can buy?'

"One more word to our associates throughout the southwest: you are doing a fine job in putting over the 40,000 mile guarantee. No other guarantee approaches this one, and wherever our stores and associates have been energetic and efficient in getting the message to the people in their communities, our sales have shown the greatest increase. Emphasize the 40,000 guarantee. The public has already demonstrated that this is what it wants—mileage, and more mileage—more mileage than is guaranteed on any other automobile tire." 1-d&v.

(By Associated Press)
CALGARY, Alberta, July 8.—Three children left alone while their mother asked neighbors for milk and their father sold frankfurters at a fair grounds, burned to death when fire destroyed the family home.

Will Petition for Area Water Supply

Plans to petition the state board of water engineers to create a district of 100,000 acres in Coke and Runnels counties were outlined at a week-end meeting here of W. R. Lence of Abilene, Robert Knierim, Bronie, and associates, who are pushing a project to build a great storage reservoir on the Colorado River.

WEATHER REPORT

(By Associated Press)
West Texas—Generally fair and continued warm tonight and Thursday.
East Texas—Generally fair in the north portion, partly cloudy and unsettled in the south portion with occasional showers in the extreme south tonight and Thursday.

New Band Class

will start July 21st. All instruments needed. Don't delay—give that boy or girl a chance to cultivate natural musical talent. Terms four dollars a month—results assured. Girls especially desired. Indicate with an X instrument interested in, cut out and mail to Homer Carsey, Box 233, Ballinger, Texas.

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R. S. Sterling, Candidate for Governor
Will speak on the Court House Lawn at 8:30 this evening, Wednesday, July 9th
Everyone is invited to hear Him
(Political Adv.)

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SUNDOWN STORIES



FIRE AND WATER FRIENDS

By Mary Graham Bonner

"It's odd that these two should be such friends," Old Weather Man told John and Peggy.

Before he could say another word lightning began to flash here and there in terrifying rapid streaks and then the low, deep, heavy voice of thunder could be heard.

This was certainly thrilling! A thunder and lightning storm in the air! John loved storms. They were so exciting, Peggy was a little bit "ous, but the Little Black Clock told her that no harm could come to them.

The plane moved a little irregularly but it was quite steady. They could hear the voices of Thunder and Lightning and could make out what they were saying.

"Too hot!" shouted Lightning. "Had to do something. Felt a bit of cooler air and the change set me off."

"I have to roar when there is so much of your electricity in the air. It just makes me shout and rumble," called Thunder, a little bit after Lightning had spoken.

"I let some of my electricity fall upon the raindrops in the clouds," flashed Lightning.

"I make the sound to show what you're doing. When your electricity goes from cloud to cloud it makes the air so hot that it sets me moving about—and I make such a racket when I move," pealed the Thunder.

"We won't last long," Lightning shot out, "and we won't travel far."

"Good time for a storm now. Summer is always best because then there's a lot of moisture and heat in the air," bellowed Thunder.

"Let's give them some advice," he added, and the children wondered what the advice would be.

(Thunder—Their Advice)

HATCHEL 4-H CLUB

The Hatchel 4-H Club met at Hatchel July 7. We discussed all the points in judging maize kaffir corn and negari.

We discussed the Live-at-Home Fair and banquet at Winters on July 10, 11 and 12. Every member is expected to take part in judging grain sorghums and try to win both trips to the short course.

We decided to have a social some time after the fair to raise money to send delegates to the short course again this year.

All members were present except Helen Hinkle. Those present were William Hoppe, club leader; Wilkens Hoppe, Foster Lett, Leeland Hoppe, Ruth Lett and Buster Caudle.

Club Reporter.

BENOIT 4-H CLUB

The 4-H Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lewis Thursday, July 3. Those present were: J. D. Kelly, J. D. Hoffman, Curtis Hoffman, Garland Hoffman, Grafton Brookshire, Doyle Condra, E. W. Brookshire, Vonice Lewis. Visitors include Mrs. Arch Brookshire, Miss Lurline Brookshire, Mrs. Frank Hoffman, C. W. Lehmburg, county agent, was present and gave a lesson on grain judging. Discussion was held on the Live-at-Home Fair.

Club Reporter.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For District Attorney: C. L. SOUTH, J. EDWARD JOHNSON. For Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN, E. V. BATEMAN, W. A. FORGEY.

For Sheriff: R. E. McWILLIAMS, W. A. HOLT. For District Clerk: MISS GEORGIA SINGLETARY.

For County Clerk: MISS IMA MCKOWN. For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD, T. J. McCAUGHAN.

For County Treasurer: MRS. R. P. KIRK. For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMIER.

For County Attorney: ROY L. HILL. For County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE, MISS SAMMIE PADGETT.

For Commissioner, Precinct 1: R. J. DEENS, T. J. PARRISH.

For Cotton Weigher, Precinct 1: PAT TILLERY, T. M. MARSH.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: J. C. COOK, CARL WILSON, JOHN D. WHITE.

For Constable, Precinct No. 1: J. M. (MICHEL) MOORE.

Allison Gets Aid to "Self Confidence"



The sensational victory of Wilmer Allison, member of the American Davis Cup team, over Henri Cochet of France, the world's champion tennis player, is looked upon by critics as a boon to his self-confidence he needed to rise high in the tennis world.

By Ted Vosburgh (Associated Press Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, July 9.—Wilmer Allison "is endowed with all the requirements of a champion except self-confidence," said no less an authority on the game and its players than the veteran Samuel Hardy.

The statement was made shortly before the young Texan amazed two hemispheres by beating the great Henri Cochet at Wimbledon.

If that victory has not given Allison the necessary faith in his own ability he is indeed a most extraordinary young man.

The chances are that his spectacular triumph over the little French marvel whom all the world regarded as virtually unbeatable will prove the turning point in Allison's career.

Incidentally Wilmer has the steadfast support of his bride of a few months who accompanied him to England with the Davis Cup team and appears to have helped provide the spark of inspiration that can transform a mere tournament player into a world's champion.

One victory does not make a champion and most tennis followers believe that Cochet, a notorious in-and-outer, could "take" Allison two out of three times, but probably none of the young American stars has better stroke equipment with which to undertake the climb to world title heights than Allison.

Hardy, a fine player in his day and one of the best of critics, writes in the new Spalding tennis annual that if Allison "would develop Frank Hunter's unconquerable spirit, he might very well go to the top."

"His stroke equipment is second to none, and he is a seasoned match player with an unsuspected reserve of stamina which usually brings him through his five-set matches."

"His grips are Eastern, his ground strokes sound, and his volleys are made with a punch that puts them cleanly away. He is a fair server, a tremendous

smasher, a fine doubles as well as singles player, and when confident is able to give anyone a battle."

Born in San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 8, 1904, Allison is almost exactly the same age as Bill Tilden was when he blossomed forth as one of the greatest of them all.

Allison is slim and lithe of build, weighing 155 and measuring 5 feet, 10 inches. Speed is his forte and no player, unless it be Jean Borotra of France at his best, can match him in overhead smashing at the net.

The Texan carries just the weapons that are calculated to do the most damage against Cochet and there is some chance that the captain of the Davis Cup team

may make a bold move and use him in singles as well as in doubles.

At any rate, this looks like an Allison year and the Southwest whirlwind who first gained national renown three seasons ago as intercollegiate champion of the United States from the University of Texas seems destined for a considerably higher place in his country's ranking list than his present position at No. 7.

Buses Carry Pupils

WASHINGTON, July 9.—(AP)—School buses in 1929 are estimated to have carried 1,276,427 children each school day over 425,000 miles of route to 18,518 schools.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

of Ballinger, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30 day of June, 1930, published in The Ballinger Daily Ledger, a newspaper printed and published at Ballinger, State of Texas, on the 9th day of July, 1930.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and amounts. Includes Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, Banking House, Real Estate owned, Cash in bank, etc.

Table with 2 columns: LIABILITIES and amounts. Includes Capital Stock, Surplus Fund, Individual profits, Due to banks and bankers, etc.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF RUNNELS.

We, Mrs. J. F. Currie, as president and J. L. Chastain as cashier, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, A. D. 1930.

(SEAL) W. C. McCarver, Notary Public, Runnels County, Texas.

CORRECT-ATTEST:

Fred Klechle, H. Giesecke, J. A. Zak, Directors.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and amounts. Includes Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures, Real Estate, Interest Guaranty Fund, Cash and exchange.

LIABILITIES

Table with 2 columns: LIABILITIES and amounts. Includes Capital Stock, Surplus and profits, net, Cashier's checks, Deposits.

HOW'S your HEALTH

Edited by DR. IAGO GALDSTON for the New York Academy of Medicine

MAGGOTS IN MEDICINE

In the agricultural field, man makes use of the lesser pests to fight the greater ones.

In medicine, germs either dead or alive, are used to fight other germs.

As in the case of the malarial treatment of general paralysis, a disease may be artificially produced to overcome a more serious disease.

Of late, an interesting and unusual application of these principles has been reported by Dr. Baer of the Johns Hopkins University.

Dr. Baer reports the use of maggots in osteomyelitis, an inflammation of the bone marrow. In ancient medical writings, it was often recommended that maggots should be used to "clean" the wounds of patients with broken or diseased bones.

During the war, Dr. Baer observed that soldiers left unattended on the field of battle would have their wounds invaded by maggots.

The wounds of such soldiers healed quicker than those whose wounds were treated early. Investigation revealed that the maggots destroyed the material that would otherwise have furnished "food and board" for germs.

In the pursuit of his studies, Dr.

Baer was required to artificially cultivate sterile maggots and recently he reported the successful application of this "scavenger worm" to cases of bone disease.

Dr. Baer's study, interesting in itself, is particularly illustrative of the devious paths into which the study of disease treatment may lead.

MODELS "POSE" FOR JOBS BEFORE ARTISTS IN PARIS

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, July 9.—Because modern artists paint faster, there is now a "models' market" in Paris.

Every morning hundreds of girls gather in the halls of art academies while artists survey them and choose the ones they wish.

Three sittings is about the average nowadays, at \$1 for three hours, whereas before the war a model hired to pose was assured of at least a dozen. With shorter jobs the hunt for work is keener; hence the "models' market."

There are always plenty of models. Some girls seek the work deliberately, but many more fall into it by chance, through another model's suggestion or an acquaintance with an artist.

Not even all girls with beautiful faces or figures are successful models. Remaining absolutely immobile for as long as 25 minutes is not easy.

Advertisement for Gruen watches. Text: "You want accuracy, quality, smartness—choose a GRUEN! One watch may offer you time-keeping accuracy, another quality of materials and still another style—but none can combine so completely, all three characteristics as do our Gruens..."

Advertisement for a scale. Text: "MEMO Phone Your Classified Ads to 27". Includes an illustration of a scale.

Advertisement for KC Baking Powder. Text: "Same Price for over 38 years 25 ounces for 25¢ KC Baking Powder (double acting) USE LESS than of high priced brands MILLIONS OF POUNDS USED BY OUR GOVERNMENT"

Comic strip titled "Mazie the Model". Four panels showing a man and a woman discussing bathing suits. Text in panels: "SORRY YOU CAN'T BE HERE FOR THE ADVANCE SHOWING OF BATHING SUITS, MAZIE—YOU CERTAINLY LOOK FINE IN MME. OLGA'S SPRING STYLES.", "YES, IT WILL BE THIS AFTERNOON SOMETHING NEW IN BATHING SUITS DESIGNED BY OUR OWN MME. OLGA.", "FLORA COULDN'T SUBSTITUTE FOR ME SO I HAD TO GET MR. GINSBERG A MODEL FROM THE AGENCY. I HOPE SHE LOOKS WELL IN MME. OLGA'S BATHING SUITS.", "WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME IN TIME AND I WOULD HAVE ADVERTISED IT AS AN ADVANCE SHOWING OF CIRCUS TENTS!"

Expenditures of Candidates Run High in First Expense Filing

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, July 9.—Caterers to ballyhoo whims of the eleven candidates for the Democratic nomination for governor in Texas have promised a reaping an extra rich harvest this year, with more than \$25,000 already spent to further campaigns—nearly four times as much as expended at the corresponding time two years ago.

This imposing total was reached not by excessive expenditures by the candidates, as compared to previous years, but because of the extraordinarily large number seeking to be among those present when the second heat of the race is run.

Two years ago, L. J. Wardlaw, one of the strongest starters, spent more in the first period of the campaign than has any one of the eleven in the race this year. His total topped by a few hundred the \$6,000 expenditure reported by Senator Cline Small, West Texas aspirant for executive honors.

The other three—Governor Dan Moody, W. E. Hawkins and Edith E. Wilmans—were still on their first thousand dollars when they made the first of three reports required by law.

Going back four years, a strange contrast is found between the expense accounts turned in that year and this by Miriam A. Ferguson. Fighting her young attorney general, Dan Moody, Mrs. Ferguson's campaign had cost more than \$5,000 when the first voucher was turned in. This year her expenses so far have been less than \$400 in her campaign to vindicate the Ferguson name. As an indication of what the final reports of the eleven starters may show when the last vote has been tabulated, Governor Moody's total expense four years ago were reported as \$7,883 and Mrs. Ferguson's as \$7,966. Two years ago Governor Moody spent \$6,506; Wardlaw \$7,960; W. E. Hawkins \$968, and Edith E. Wilmans approximately \$700, no total having been given on her final affidavit.

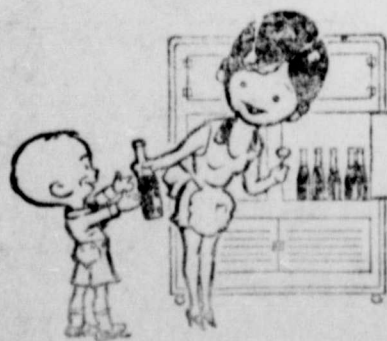
Expenditures reported by the eleven candidates of their first preliminary report this year were: Clint Small \$6,090.41; Earl B. Mayfield \$5,442.43; James Young \$5,374.52; Barry Miller \$4,366.75; R. S. Sterling \$1,746.85; Thomas B. Love \$1,604.30; Frank Putman \$385.80; Miriam Ferguson \$382.23; Dr. C. E. Walker \$172.75; C. C. Moody \$105.00 and Paul Loven \$74.00.

Amusements

John Breeden Opposite Mary Philbin in Picture
John Breeden, who plays the juvenile lead opposite Mary Philbin in "The Shannons of Broadway," Universal all-talking picture, which opened a two-day run at the Palace Theatre today, sings one of the three song hits in the production. It is "Someone to Love Me," the theme song, which he croons to Miss Philbin while James Gleason, author and star of the "Shannons," plays it on the piano. The song was written, especially for the picture by the famous team of Klages and Greer.

"Caught Short" Co-Stars Marie Dressler and Polly Moran
Marie Dressler and Polly Moran will be co-starred in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's all-talking comedy, "Caught Short," which will open at the Palace Theatre Friday with a supporting cast including Anita Page, Charles Morton, Herbert Prior, T. Roy Barnes, Edward Dillon, Alice Moe, Gwen Lee, Lee

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Miss Eula F. Hunter, Fort Worth, Texas, advocated before the National Education Association convention, Columbus, Ohio, that public school students have a voice in school government.

HERRING TOPICS

Crops in this vicinity are very pretty, however if it doesn't rain soon the feed crops will be short. We all have great hopes of rain due to the cloudy weather we are now experiencing.

The Fourth of July passed off very quietly in this community with no accidents reported.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Miller and Mrs. Florence Summers were guests of the G. C. A. vent family Sunday.

Mrs. Steve Hale and little son, J. A. were visitors in the W. A.

Hale home Wednesday night.

Those who had the pleasure of a fishing trip on the river Thursday night were: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brevard and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Faubin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allcorn and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. John Rosford and family and Vernon Bragg. They report a fine time, and quite a few fish were caught.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. A. vent enjoyed the company of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Toungett, of Oxden, and Mrs. T. L. Foreman and family of Blanton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allcorn

and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hale, of Ballinger, spent Sunday with the W. A. Hale family.

Mrs. Joe Bragg left Saturday morning by train for Los Angeles, California, to visit relatives. She probably will be gone a month.

Miss Marie Fuller was a guest of Miss Mona A. vent Saturday night.

Charles Rosner spent Saturday night with Jack Fuller.

There was good attendance at Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. last Sunday.

Marion and Arthur Kerby, S. J. Brevard and Misses Lemma and Thora Brevard were visitors in Brady the Fourth. Arthur and S. J. took an airplane ride while there.

Little Miss Lavenia Faubin is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Allcorn were visitors in Abilene on the Fourth.

Henry Fuller and son, David, of Brownwood, are here visiting John Fuller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Miller went to see their first great grandchild, Noel Leeman Brevard, of Blanton, on the Fourth of July.

"REPORTER"

CLOVER, ONCE ONLY WEED, NOW VALUED FERTILIZER

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, July 9.—A weed with a lot of punch, despised and hacked at for 2,000 years, finally has got a break.

Necessity and science met up with sweet clover only a few years ago. Necessity needed some means of supplying new fertility to American soils at low cost. Science found the former "weed" an answer to all requirements.

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corn crop from 10 to 15 bushels an acre.

Sweet clover was known to the Caesars. It reached America in 1739, where its determined growth caused disfavor.

PORT HOUSTON EARNINGS SHOW DECREASE FOR MAY

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, July 9.—The earnings of the port of Houston were lower in May than at any time for the same month since 1926.

the official report showed. Earnings for the period since January 1, however, were larger this year than in the last three years. May earnings were \$29,083; since January 1 they were \$191,720.

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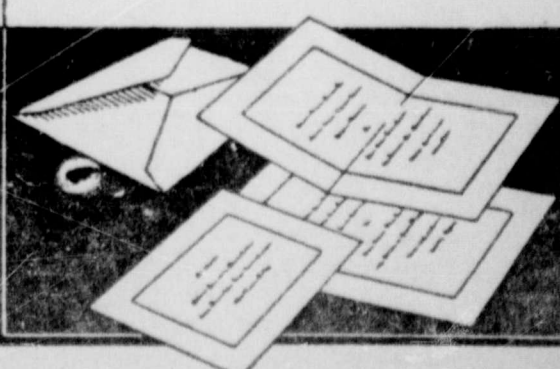
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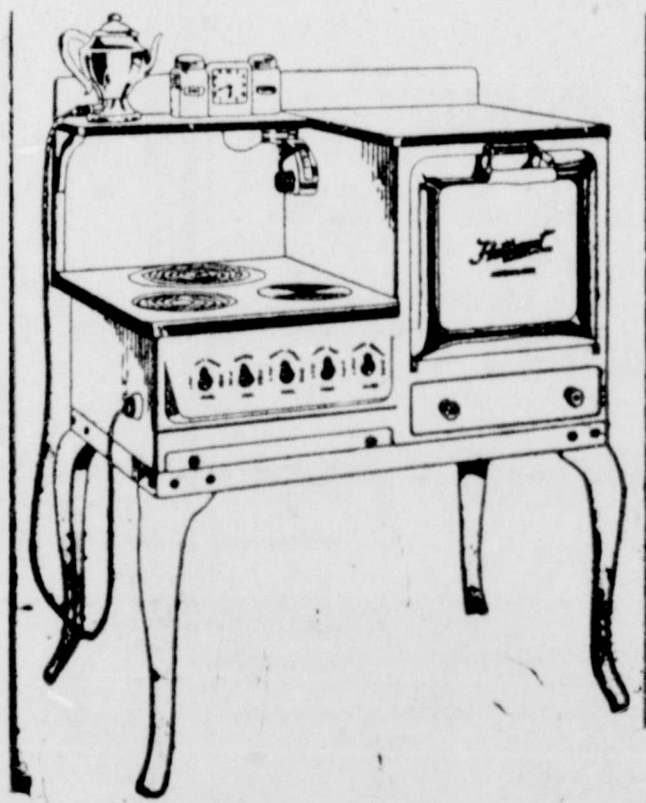


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Mrs. E. Pape, 68, Dies at Her Home

Mrs. Emilie Pape, age 68 years 7 months 8 days, pioneer resident of Ballinger and Runnels county, died at her home, 801 Broadway, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Pape had been ill for about two years.

Decedent resided in Runnels county for 39 years and was beloved and respected by all who knew her for the charitable and Christian life she lived. A member of the Methodist Church for a number of years, Mrs. Pape was a devoted, untiring worker in church activities as long as her health permitted. Her husband preceded her in death in 1907.

Four sons, Eddie, Arthur, Walter and Lawrence; and one daughter, Mrs. Luella Hollwegler, all of whom live in or near Ballinger, survive. Three brothers, August A. Flierbach, Gonzales; W. F. Afferbach, Yoakum; and L. F. Afferbach, Ballinger, also survive.

Funeral services will be conducted at the First Methodist Church Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. T. E. Bowman, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. J. H. McClain and Rev. M. C. Golden. Interment will be made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Active pallbearers are Jess Jones, Hugh Campbell, W. F. Mason, W. E. Middleton, W. A. Francis, U. E. Hartman, James E. Brewer and R. P. Tunnell.

The body was carried to Higginbotham Funeral Home, prepared for burial, and returned to the residence. Higginbotham undertakers are in charge of funeral arrangements.

TRIMMIE WILL RESPOND TO ADDRESS OF WELCOME

County Judge Paul Trimmer has accepted an invitation to respond to the address of welcome at the opening of the Live-at-Home Fair at Winters Thursday morning. Roy Mack, president of the Live-at-Home Fair Association, is scheduled to deliver the address of welcome.

Festivities will open Thursday morning at 10 o'clock with a parade which will form near the A. & S. tracks and proceed to the fair grounds. Many from Ballinger intend to be present on opening day in addition to the large delegation to attend on Friday, leaving this city at noon.

NEW BAND CLASS JULY 21; ONLY OPPORTUNITY OF YEAR

A new class of students of various musical instruments will be organized July 21 under the instruction of H. H. Carsey, director of the Ballinger Booster Band.

Mr. Carsey said Tuesday that beginners on almost every type of band instrument are needed because the organization will be greatly reduced through the loss of members who will start to college or universities at the beginning of fall sessions.

Only one class of beginners is started each year and there will not be another opportunity for 12 months for new students to enter the organization.

Society

Presbyterian Circle Entertains

The young ladies of circle B, Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, entertained on June 30th from 5 to 7 on the beautiful lawn at the home of Mrs. H. H. Halley. Miss Tama Key Coulter as chairman and hostess was assisted by Misses Mozelle and Lillian McMillan and Mary Fawn Coulter.

"Splendous Gala" of pansies in their colorful dress with shasta daisies were nodding and bowing with every breeze.
"Panscola McKay" was the greeting song of welcome—words composed for the very special occasion by the captain of the young ladies' circle.

"A Musical Romance" rendered by Mrs. H. H. Halley at the piano renewed the romance of June-time in the hearts of the mothers and grandmothers, while at the same time modernists were willing to believe that "romance is ideal and never dies."

The gorgeous colors of the pansy and daisy continued to hold sway throughout the two-course refreshment service.

Among those present were: Misses Brandon Wilke, Dewey Womack, Malone, Teague, Allen, Stroud, Lange, Bradford, Kerr, Halley, Rogers, Coulter, Younger, Ostertag, Black, Baleman, Serratt, McMillan, Miller, Stephens, McFarland, F. Allen, Woods, A. Stokes, Killingsworth; Misses Lillian McMillan, Mary Fawn Coulter, Mozelle McMillan, Marie Killingsworth, Tama Key Coulter, Eunice Lilly, Carmen Demmer, Velma Paxton, Eva Lilly, Kelly Bowden, Ada Allen and Maggie Lilly.

Contributed by Auxiliary reporter.

Winters Golfers Win Match 9-7

Winters golfers Tuesday afternoon won the tourney with Ballinger players at the Ballinger Country Club course by the narrow margin of two matches. Winters won 9 matches while Ballinger was only able to take 7. Winters has won four contests and lost one, while Ballinger won two and lost three, giving the northern neighbor city an excellent lead in the four town league of the Runnels-Coleman County Golf Association.

Players winning their matches in the tilt Tuesday afternoon were: Ballinger: Giesecke, O'Kelly, Middleton, W. A. Nance, Jr., Douglass, Bailey and Stephens. Winters: Ashburn, Hall, Jones, Cramer, Davis, Campbell, McDaniel, Owens and Burden. The Ballinger team will journey to Santa Anna in the latter half of July for their next competition.

One of the most interesting incidents reported from Tuesday's match was the payment of a wager by R. A. Cramer, Winters team member. Before play began, Mr. Cramer lustily proclaimed that if a certain Winters player beat his opponent, he (Cramer) would take a plunge in the club lake fully clad. At the conclusion of the tourney, Mr. Cramer plunged in without hesitation when it was learned that he had lost the wager.

Courts Echo Cannibal Feast
LONDON, July 9.—A cannibal feast of 1890 in the New Hebrides has had a sequel in the English courts which have been called upon to decide who was eaten first, a father or his son. The case involves their estate which amounts to \$12,500.

Ledger to Publish Late Vote Returns

The Ballinger Daily Ledger is continuing arrangements for receiving reports on the vote cast in the primary election Saturday, July 26, and in addition to up-to-the-minute dispatches to be broadcast from this office over a system of loudspeakers, will issue an extra edition of the paper on Sunday morning following the election, to be distributed without extra charge to all subscribers.

Solicitors will begin a campaign soon for advertising in this edition, which will be the only source of revenue to partly defray the expense of giving the ballot reports.

Frequent telegraph bulletins will be read from the Texas Election Bureau, while county and nearby returns are being compiled with the aid of long-distance telephone.

The special edition of The Ledger will contain the latest returns available up to an early hour Sunday morning and will offer an especially excellent advertising medium to Runnels county firms. No increase in space rates will be made although the circulation will be greatly in excess of regular distribution on this date.

Sterling Speaks Here at 8 Today

O. L. Parish and County Judge Paul Trimmer have announced plans for the speech to be delivered at the court house lawn at 8:00 o'clock this evening by Ross Sterling, candidate for governor. Mr. Sterling will be introduced by Judge Trimmer, who stated that provision has been made for the installation of loudspeakers for the benefit of the audience here.

Mr. Sterling spoke in Coleman at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon, and will go from here to San Angelo to deliver an address at 10:30 Thursday morning.

W. T. (Bill) Wheeler, former assistant manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which position he resigned to become general manager of the Texas Highway Association, was in Ballinger Tuesday in the interest of Mr. Sterling's campaign. Mr. Wheeler stated that he is doing this work as an individual citizen, and not in his official capacity.

Mrs. R. E. George returned Tuesday afternoon from Temple where she has been to visit Stanley Gray, who is ill in a hospital there. Mr. Gray is reported to be greatly improved.

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BENOIT NEWS

The club ladies are busy this week preparing for the Live-at-Home Fair which will take place at Winters this week. They met at the home of Mrs. B. O. Kelly for the judging of the products Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. A. Odom gave Miss Edith a birthday dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pullin and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Odom, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ashton and Milton Gibson were present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rumpy entertained the young people with a party Saturday night. There were seventy-six present and all reported a jolly good evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Brookshire and family visited Mr. Brookshire's brother and wife at Roscoe Saturday night and Sunday; also his sister and family.

We are very glad to report one of our community girls, Miss Evelyn Tullus, won first place in the dress contest, the award being a trip to College Station. Mrs. J. L. Green won second place.

Miss Evelyn Hill visited her parents this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brookshire visited relatives in Token Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moody, of Coleman, visited relatives here Sunday.

Paul Loven, of San Antonio, candidate for governor, was a Benoit caller Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reese and Mr.

and Mrs. Don Kennedy and family enjoyed a fish fry on the river the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Vogelsang spent Sunday in the Lewis home.

W. T. Hill and Mike Boyd went fishing Monday morning on the Colorado. They fell short of their expectations—the fish had departed for other regions—and the two fishermen came home with long faces.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Spreen and family spent Sunday in the Frank Hoffman home.

Mrs. O. C. Cox visited Mrs. A. N. Hoffman Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clayton, of Ballinger, visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Clayton Sunday.

REPORTER

FORTY-ONE TRANSFERS AMONG RUNNELS SCHOOLS

Forty-one transfers of pupils in Runnels county schools have been effected to date according to records in the office of R. E. White, county superintendent. Many more are expected before the closing date on July 31.

Eighteen of these changes were made from the Dale district to the Winters school, Ballinger schools received two, Miles one, and other transfers were between various rural schools in the county.

Name Gunboat for Sun Yat-Sen
SHANGHAI, June 14.—(AP)—China's newest gunboat has been designated the Sun Yat-Sen in honor of the founder of the republic. It is hoped to have the craft ready for launching on November 12, Dr. Sun's birthday.

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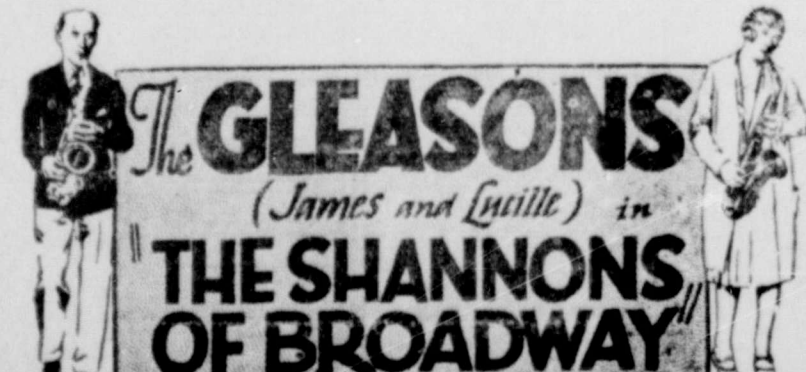
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TURKEY'S "MISS ALADDIN" AMERICAN CHARITY WORKER

(By Associated Press)
ISTANBUL, Turkey, July 9.—The "Miss Aladdin" of the Turkish Red Crescent, oriental equivalent of the Red-Cross, is an American woman, Miss Caris E. Mills, who lives here.

Thousands of refugees and derelicts in this city have received her help. She has raised large sums for her relief work by selling embroidery made by the women aided by the Red Crescent, to tourists on American ships.

Recently she persuaded a wealthy American woman to buy a pair of artificial legs for a man bedridden and legless for two years. Her own used tea leaves are distributed daily to destitute White Russian refugees, too poor to buy their favorite beverage.

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