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Heavy Snow in Chile Causes Death of Four

(By Associated Press)
SANTIAGO, Chile, July 21.—Heavy snow storms near San Gabril, forty miles from here, has caused the death of four persons in an excursion wreck. Another was gravely injured.

Swimmers Pollute City Water Lake

Chief of Police Lee Moreland Sunday discovered a swimming pool a short distance north of town on Elm Creek in the upper reservoir of the city water supply. The pool was equipped with spring boards, cables across the creek, swings and other devices for the swimmers and signs showed that large crowds had been accustomed to using the place daily.

Chief Moreland took his stand at the pool and during the afternoon caught 23 persons either swimming or preparing to take a plunge. Most of those caught Sunday afternoon declared that they had no idea that the water was a part of the city supply and wouldn't use it in the future.

No arrests were made Sunday, however, warnings were given the 23 persons caught and Monday morning a special man was hired by the city to patrol the creek and watch for swimmers and bathers around the city water supply.

City officials state that a number of people have been allowing children to wade below the upper dam and this is also a violation of a state statute and a local ordinance.

The commission has issued orders to arrest anyone found swimming or wading in or near the city water reservoirs and they will be tried in city court. The fine for this offense as outlined in the city ordinance here is not less than \$5 or more than \$100 and costs.

All equipment will be removed from the discovered swimming pool, signs will be posted warning people not to swim there and a close watch will be kept on the place and anyone found trespassing will be arrested.

A state statute governs the pollution of city water in addition to the city ordinance and violators will be punished to the full extent of the law in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Runkles of San Angelo spent Sunday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Chastain.

Excellent Election Service Offered by Ledger Saturday

Candidates for precinct, county, district and state offices started on the home stretch Monday morning in the first primary election. Friday night will close the present campaign of solicitation for votes and next Saturday the people will flock to the 27 voting places in Runnels county and cast a ballot for the men and women who want to fill important positions.

Local candidates are planning a strenuous campaign for the week as they go to all parts of the county in their final effort to secure votes. Those who have been working in all communities believe that a record breaking vote will be polled in the county next Saturday. Some estimate the vote as high as 4,000. The last two election years in this county the total number of votes polled amounted to about 3,850 in the first primary with much less than that in the second.

The Daily Ledger expects to render the best election service to its patrons of any year. The large bulletin board has been rebuilt making it much larger than before in order to carry all candidates' names on the board. Tabulations from each box in the county will be carried on all principal offices on this board. A smaller board will be used to tabulate precinct officers for the entire county.

Arrangements have been completed to get full wire service from the Texas Election Bureau at Dallas. This is the only organization in Texas tabulating state returns. This service will be given over a loud speaker which will be

Cotton Advance Large as Possible

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 21.—Carl Williams, farm board member, representing cotton, today said that the cooperatives would advance to members the largest sums possible on the 1930 crop, at least sixty-five per cent of the market value and possibly more.

Six Killed in Taxi Airplane Crash

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, July 21.—Six persons, including Pilot Colonel G. L. P. Henderson, Sir Edward Ward and Lady Edna M., daughter-in-law of the Earl of Dudley, were killed in a wreck of a Walcot airplane plane at Meopham Kent.

The ship was an air taxi running between Cryden and the fashionable French resort Letouquet.

Villagers who witnessed the crash said an explosion occurred with the landing.

The dead also included Mrs. Henry Loeffle, and the second pilot Sharing, and an unidentified person.

Probe is Halted After Fist Fight

AUSTIN, July 21.—Investigation of leasing of oil and gas lands of the Texas University was halted temporarily today when Representative Bob Long, Wichita Falls member of the House investigating committee, argued and had a fist fight with J. O. Eargle, an employee of the state auditors department.

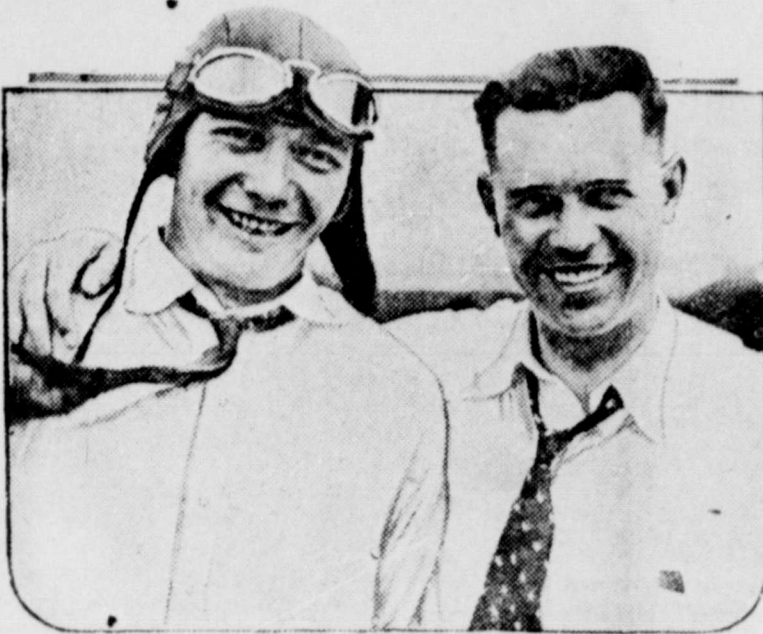
Long had charged unethical practice in auditing of the University books.

MEXICO MAKES CHANGES

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, July 21.—Changes following the appointment of General Andres Figueroa, under secretary of war were announced here today included the naming of Matis Ramos military chief of Chihuahua state.

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UP TO REGAIN FLIGHT RECORD



Dale Jackson (left) and Forrest O'Brine who took off today in a refueling endurance flight to regain their world record broken by the Hunter brothers recently.

Former Champions Off To Beat The Hunters

Bishop Cannon Weds in Europe

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, July 21.—Bishop James Cannon, Jr., of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, on last Thursday married a Mrs. McCallum at Christ Church at Mayfair, it was learned here today.

The bride and Bishop Cannon, and Bishop of Africa, Brazil, Mexico and Cuba were today enroute to Brazil via Dedria. Mrs. Helen McCallum, is reported to have been Bishop Cannon's secretary for a year and came over with him recently, living with Sir Henry and Lady Lunn.

Landowners Seek Highway Change

A petition signed by a number of Ballinger landowners and business men was recently sent to the state highway commission at Austin asking a route designation change on highway 23 from Ballinger toward the Coleman county line. A delegation from this city will appear before the commission on July 30 and 31 when the request will be considered by the body.

Three routes were originally surveyed and submitted to the state and federal commission for approval. The route approved by the state and federal boards would run eastward from Ballinger across the A. & S. tracks on an overpass and proceed most of the distance to the Coleman county line north of the Santa Fe railroad and West Texas Utilities Company highline before joining the old route.

The highway course as the petitioners would have it would leave the city on Strong Avenue by the present route, cross Elm Creek, and continue south of the Santa Fe right-of-way to about one-half mile past Long Branch where an underpass crossing is proposed.

Some reasons for the change as set forth by the petitioners are: The underpass crossing of the Santa Fe will eliminate any dangerous crossing between Coleman and San Angelo. They contend that the cost of the bridge and overpass north of the Santa Fe would be exorbitant. Another argument of the petitioners is the claim that the middle route proposed by them will eliminate one bridge, that if the northern route into town is taken it will be necessary for the present bridge over Elm Creek to remain standing.

Lions Devour 20 Natives in 3 Weeks

(By Associated Press)
NAIROBY, British East Africa, July 21.—Lions in the Ankole Maska district have devoured twenty natives in the past three weeks, causing the government to send hunters after the beasts which frequently have menaced Aganda.

Murdered Sheriff Has Sister Here

(By Associated Press)
ST. LOUIS, July 21.—Forrest O'Brine and Dale Jackson, former world endurance refueling champions, took to the air at 7:11 o'clock this morning. They are attempting to regain the title from the Hunter brothers of Chicago who flew 554 hours.

Dalhart, July 21.—Geo. Alexander, sheriff of Dallam county, veteran peace officer of the Panhandle and Lon Dillinger, for whom officers held a felony warrant, were killed, and Orrell Dillinger, Lon's brother, received fatal wounds in a gun fight near here Saturday. Arleao Boger, a woman was wounded. The shooting took place in a small house five miles south of here.

The sheriff's office had received a tip that Lon Dillinger could be found at the house and Sheriff Alexander and his chief deputy, H. D. Foust, and Earl Damron, deputy sheriff of Hartley county surrounded the place.

Sheriff Alexander was at the front door with Damron, and Foust had stationed himself at the rear of the house, officers who investigated the shooting said. Foust said he heard a shot from inside the house and kicked in the rear door. Getting inside, Foust said he saw Lon Dillinger reaching into a trunk apparently in an effort to get firearms.

Foust said he covered Dillinger but about that time he saw a woman sitting near the trunk with a shotgun in her hands, and quickly Dillinger made a lunge at him. Dillinger was shot through the head and death was instantaneous.

"During the struggle with Lon Dillinger, Orrell Dillinger rushed from the front door and opened fire," Foust said.

Orrell Dillinger was shot thru the throat and stomach. He died late that night after insisting he did not know who shot Sheriff Alexander. Orleta Boger was shot through the hips.

After the shooting Foust said he found Sheriff Alexander in the front yard mortally wounded. He had been shot through the head. He lived about 40 minutes.

Foust had a bullet hole thru his left sleeve, but he was not wounded.

Bert Dillinger, brother to Lon and Orrell, is under sentence of 25 years for kidnapping and assault in connection with a case several years ago when a man was spirited away and left bound in a small shack near the New Mexico state line.

Sheriff George Alexander who was killed Saturday in a shooting near Dalhart was a brother of Mrs. John McKay of Ballinger. He was district county clerk of Archer county from 1912 to 1918 and county judge from 1918 to 1922. He visited his sister some four or five years ago.

Funeral services for Sheriff Alexander were held Monday at 10 o'clock, the rites being conducted by the Masonic lodge.

Three of Family are Found Slain and Their House Fired

Hines is Made Veterans Head

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 21.—The Senate today confirmed Brigadier General Frank T. Hines, as administrator of the newly organized bureau of veterans affairs.

Senator Wants Wheat Conference

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 21.—Senator Elmer Thomas, Democrat, Oklahoma, in a letter today to President Hoover suggested the calling of an international conference of the wheat growing countries to consider methods of bringing about a world-wide curtailment of production.

Mob Attacks Juarez Police; 2 are Dead

EL PASO, July 21.—Encarnacion Ponce and Juan Zaldivar were killed, five others were stabbed and a policeman was seriously injured, when a mob attacked the police in fighting at Juarez, Mexico, following the elections yesterday in which Andres Ortiz, engineer contractor of Chihuahua City, conceded to be elected governor of Chihuahua state.

Virtually a state of martial law was proclaimed throughout the state today as a precaution of a recurrence of the rioting.

H. E. Fitzgerald of Albany was here Sunday visiting friends in Ballinger.

Norton Man Hurt In Car Accident

Loy Taylor, son of R. P. Taylor of Norton, was seriously injured in a car wreck Saturday evening at 10:00 o'clock three miles east of Roscoe. Mr. Taylor is employed at Big Spring and was en route to Norton to spend the week-end with his wife who was staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Taylor.

Soon after the accident occurred passerbys picked the injured man up from the road and carried him to Roscoe where he was given medical attention. Monday he was reported to be better but still in a critical condition. His doctor expressed the belief however, that he would recover.

Taylor was traveling alone in a Chevrolet coupe and it is believed that he fell asleep and ran into the curbing at the side of the road. The steering wheel was broken and a part of it stuck into his chest, tearing two ribs out of place.

His father and wife rushed to his bedside as soon as the news was received at Norton.

IMPORTANT AUXILIARY MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

Mrs. Frank Cameron, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion has called an important meeting of that organization for Monday night at 8:00 o'clock. One of the most important pieces of business will be the election of a delegate to the state convention at Austin. All members are urged to be present.

Showers Cool Off Few Sections

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, July 21.—Several Texas points reported temperatures of 100 degrees while the weather man indicated showers and cooler in many portions.

The nation east of the Mississippi River continued hot and Washington registering 100 at noon. In the Rocky Mountain region and Montana to Southern Colorado it was much cooler.

Negress Arrested For Shop-Lifting

(By Associated Press)
GENEVA, Ill., July 21.—Three people were slain with axes and the house fired were found here today. The dead are Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Anderson and their son, Willis, 18.

Police believe the woman slew the others with a long handled ax which was found beside the husband's body.

Beds of both the men in different rooms had been fired. The woman was found in the living room on the floor with her throat cut by a sharp hand-ax, which was found beside her body.

Charles Larsen, the woman's brother, said he was the only other person there and that smoke awakened him. He called neighbors who put out the fire and discovered the tragedy.

The police held Larsen for further questioning.

New Olfen Bridge Is Opened Monday

Commissioner R. J. Deen announced Monday morning that the new concrete bridge near Olfen which has been under construction for the past three months is now open for travel. The bridge is located over acreek on the Miles-Point Rock road that leads from highway 4 through Olfen.

The new cement structure replaces an old wooden bridge which was condemned this spring. Mr. Deen started work on the bridge about three months ago but experienced several delays on account of high waters during the rainy spell more than a month ago. Since that time a large crew of men have been working full time on the bridge and travelers are notified that it is now ready for use.

The bridge is 50 feet long and is set on cement piers that will remain for all time to come. The heavy traffic over this road made it imperative that a substantial bridge be constructed.

BASEBALL GAME HERE TUESDAY AFTERNOON AT 5

Troops 30 and 31 of the local Boy Scouts will engage in a red hot baseball game at Fair Park Tuesday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock. This is a regular scheduled game in the Scout league and all local baseball fans are urged to attend. The games are free but your presence will encourage the boys to play harder and you will see some good baseball.

Mrs. Elmer Simpson and son, Newby, arrived Monday for a short visit with relatives and friends here.

WEATHER REPORT

(By Associated Press)

West Texas—Cloudy in the southeast and showers in the northwest tonight and Tuesday. Cooler in the north tonight.

East Texas—Cloudy and thunder showers. Cooler in the northwest tonight. Cloudy and thunder showers and cooler in the north Tuesday.

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Activities Here Show Good Week

The city administration does not mean to be hard on their water customers but are only handling the work of collecting in a businesslike manner. Their report for Monday morning, July 21, showed a total of 92 final notices mailed to customers, 63 cut-off slips issued with 27 of these paying up. During the day the remainder were to be cut off and a penalty will be assessed against each one when they are cut back on after paying up old accounts.

By this strict businesslike manner of collecting water receipts they are able to clean the slate and not have customers riding over from month to month.

During last week the board of equalization completed their work and notices were mailed to all citizens who had valuations raised notifying them to appear before the board on July 28.

Two building permits were issued during the week totaling \$6,500. One was issued to Kirk & Mack for the building they are erecting on Ninth Street near the new city hall for \$5,000, and the other to J. Y. Pearce for repair work on the American Cafe building on Eighth Street for \$1,500.

Contractors are doing fast work on the city hall at present. Sub-floors are being run, brick work on tower and parapet walls, setting forms for cornice and ornamental balcony is being attended to at present as well as plumbing and electrical work being installed on the interior.

At the city water reservoir excavations in the borrow pit and hauling dirt to the eastern embankment is being done this week. Finished south abutment for the spillway. Quarrying stone for spillway and header course for grouted paving. Work is also begun for the north abutment.

A loop of 8-inch pipe line has been completed on Murrel, Eleventh, Phillips and Thirteenth Streets. All connections have been changed to the new line and all old pipe has been removed with the exception of one block.

Police, health and dairy inspection all showed a large amount of activity for the past week. Condemnation hearing on land to be acquired for the new city reservoir was heard during the week demanding time of the City Secretary, Mayor, City Engineer and City Attorney.

Miss Grace Murchison of Athens spent the week-end here visiting friends. She has been attending the teachers' college at Canyon this summer and will return here September 1 to begin her duties with the Ballinger school.

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There is a city ordinance in Ballinger providing that any one who spits on the sidewalk can be fined \$5. If the city court would put this into practice there would be no need of further bond issues here to finance any city need. The revenue from these fines would make it possible for the city government to operate and have money to spare. There is much talk during this political year about having so many laws on the statutes. Laws are all right but some of them are never enforced and the public gets in the habit of breaking them daily. Women do not like to walk along a sidewalk where men have been chewing tobacco and spitting, but such happens here every day. It is very insanitary and spreads disease and is one law that we believe should be enforced. Even city officials have complained lately of the violation and feel that orders must be issued to stop the filthy habit.

Complaints are coming from all sections of town in regard to drivers speeding along streets. Some living off paved streets state that automobiles frequently pass running 45 and 50 miles an hour and that it is dangerous for small children to cross the street at any time. Not only is speeding being practiced here but all traffic regulations are being violated. Stop signs are paid no attention whatever with the exception of those on Eighth Street at the intersection of Hutchings Avenue. Double parking is common any afternoon or night and other forms of recklessness make many wonder why more accidents do not occur. Warnings have been issued time and again by officers but until strict enforcement is started drivers will continue to abuse the law.

Primary election day is only five days off and many voters declare they have not made up their minds as to whom they will vote for in the governor's race. For this reason all candidates are taking to the woods this last week searching for doubtful voters who might be influenced to cast a ballot for them. It looks like every voter should be able to find a gubernatorial candidate to his liking but the selection is made confusing by the large assortment of office seekers offered in the July 26 bargain. Ferguson is offering two for one and other candidates have tried to make their propositions just as attractive by throwing in bond issues and other promises that will be eventually be left up to the same voters any way. The big point is, make up your mind, select a candidate and cast a vote next Saturday.

Ambulance drivers in Tulsa have been ordered to observe traffic lights and a 30-mile-an-hour speed limit.

- 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 TRIMMIE
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

Cheering Parade Greets Reporter In Spanish Town

By Clarence Du Bose (Associated Press Staff Writer) ANDUJAR, Spain, July 21.—A "yanqui" is a rare sight to the natives of this unspoiled old Andalusian town.

When two specimens blew in the same day and one of them was not only a North American, but a bull fighter besides, the enthusiasm of the place knew no bounds.

The first stranger to arrive was this Associated Press correspondent, trailing Sidney Franklin, the Brooklyn bullfighter. He got in on a train ahead of Franklin.

There was a procession to the one hotel. There was a big crowd, and cheers. Somebody tried to make a speech. The proprietor of the tavern embraced the reporter and made him a present of the hotel.

The reporter was accustomed to Spanish hospitality and he had heard a lot about Andalusian ebullience. But, even so, he had a hunch there was something wrong. Then the hotel man asked:

"Where are your swords?" "I haven't any" confessed the reporter. "But I brought a good portable typewriter."

"Ah," said the host, "Then you cannot deceive me. Then you are not Frank-leen, the Yanqui torero? But, perhaps, you are some other yonqui torero? There are others? No? What a pity! And you do not know how to fight bulls at all; not even a little bit? Well, that of a truth, is astonishing and regrettable. But, anyhow, you are welcome, and the town is yours, even although you cannot fight bulls."

Then Franklin arrived on another train, bringing real swords, and they presented him with the tavern and the town, and the reputation of the United States was reestablished in Andujar.

Honor Mutes' Helper PENICHE, Portugal, July 19.—A monument is to be erected to Jacob Rodrigues, the inventor of the deaf and dumb alphabet who was born in this country 200 years ago, and was deported to France because he was a Jew. Rodrigues evolved the sign language so that he might communicate with a mute girl whom he loved.

SUNDOWN STORIES



OCEAN DWELLERS

By Mary Graham Bonner The Little Black Clock had turned the time ahead so John and Peggy could travel in a very fine submarine, capable of going further down in the ocean than any other had ever been able to do.

They were seeing the creatures who lived in the ocean. The sea-anemones were like beautiful flowers but they were really living creatures. Peggy saw a star fish give one of his arms away to prevent being caught by an enemy.

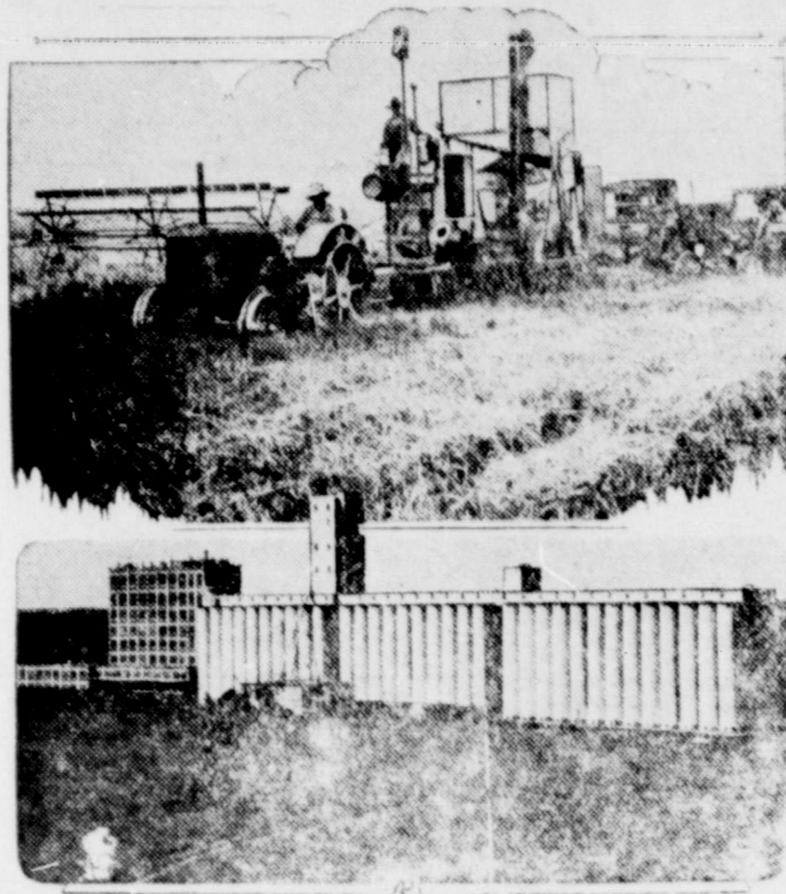
"He was afraid he was going to be captured," the Little Black Clock said, "but he will be able to grow another."

Then John saw a sea-urchin giving its spine away. "We'll see more of some of these creatures before we finish all our ocean traveling," the Little Black Clock said.

Now they traveled through warmer water and saw coral insects living in rocky bottoms. John had an idea they were covering a good deal of ocean territory for the boat would rush to one place and then to another.

What fascinating sights they did behold! There were barnacles swimming

New Wheat Crop May Tax Facilities for Storage



Increased use of combines (above) has lessened need for field workers during harvest season. Huge storage elevators, such as one below, will house much of crop.

(By Associated Press) ST. LOUIS, July 21.—The annual trek of wheat harvest hands from Texas to Canada has begun.

Increased use of combines has lowered the army of field workers, but modern machinery has not eliminated two problems of grain growers—moving the crop to market and storing it at market centers or other available points.

Railroad officials and grain firm executives, however, do not anticipate a lack of box cars for moving the grain to market, but they are concerned with terminal storage facilities. L. M. Betts, American Railway Association official, reports that more cars than ever before are ready to carry this year's crop.

Because of the heavy carry-over of hold wheat, grain dealers say storage facilities may be taxed to capacity by the 1930 crops.

They point out, however, that prospects for a smaller wheat

about and they attached themselves to floating sea-weed. John and Peggy had often seen these on rocks.

But of all the wonders they marveled most at the flowers they gazed upon—and which were really alive! Peggy loved the Portuguese man of war flowers, so delicately blue and with such long graceful streamers.

"They could poison you if they give you nasty stings if they

wished," the Little Black Clock said. "They're alive too."

"How did they ever get their name?" John asked.

"In the old days when Portuguese and Spanish sailors were trying to outdo each other, the name was given to these creatures and it has belonged to them ever since," the Little Black Clock explained. "Oh there is so much still to be seen."

Tomorrow—"More Ocean Sights"

HOW'S your HEALTH

MOUNTAIN OR SEASHORE The physician is often asked "Which is the preferable place for a vacation—mountain or seashore?" In general, the answer is "There is much that can be said in the recommendation of each." But to the healthy person, there is not enough difference to overrule personal preference. The sick person must be guided by the physician acquainted with his condition, and even there the physician usually takes the patient's preferences into account. In general, however, there is this difference between mountain and seashore. Mountain air is more pure than seashore air. It is usually not quite as humid or moisture laden. The air is colder, particularly at night, but the cold is not felt as much. The air pressure is less in the mountains than at the seashore and this promotes deeper and more frequent breathing. High altitudes are thought to stimulate the increase of both red and white blood cells in the body. In the mountains the variations in temperature during 24 hours are greater than at the seashore. The sun is usually more brilliant at the shore, and salt water bath-

ing is of special value to some. In former times climatology (the study of climates and their effects upon the human constitution) was an important part of the physician's training. More recently this science has been neglected—probably because experience has demonstrated that there are benefits to be derived at both mountain and seashore. In the treatment of tuberculosis it has been shown that most patients will be benefit from treatment at either place. Louisiana State university conducts a cotton grading school each summer.

Geo. McCulley of Austin, spent the week-end here with his wife in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skinner.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dean Swift, Eldorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Swift, San Angelo, spent the week-end in Ballinger visiting Mrs. R. A. Dickinson.

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BILLY'S UNCLE A comic strip with five panels showing a boy and an older man in a race. Billy says: 'HURRY UP BILLY, WE GOTTA CATCH THAT TRAIN FOR POINT DU BOIS!' Uncle says: 'I'M HURRYING FASTER N' YOU RIGHT NOW ONLY MY LEGS AREN'T QUITE SO LONG!' Billy says: 'WELL—WE WEREN'T MUCH TOO LATE!' Uncle says: 'ONLY ABOUT NINETY MILES—NOW WE GOTTA WALK!' Billy says: 'THE BOSS IS ON THAT TRAIN AN' IF WE DON'T GET OUT THERE IN TIME FOR TOMORROW'S STRIP WE'LL GET FIRED.' Uncle says: 'NEVER MIND UNK, WHEN OUR SHOES WEAR OUT FROM WALKING.' Billy says: 'WELL, BE ON OUR FEET AGAIN!'

Governor's Race Vote Estimated

By Lynch Davidson

In a recent speaking tour of the state I have closely canvassed the political situation and it is one that may change tomorrow. As I see it today, there will be polled between 700,000 and 750,000 votes. It is my guess these votes will be distributed among the candidates about as follows:

Name	basis	700,000 or	750,000
Ferguson	139,000	145,000	
Small	101,000	105,000	
Young	96,000	100,000	
Mayfield	92,000	98,000	
Love	87,000	96,000	
Sterling	84,000	94,000	
Miller	71,000	77,000	
Loven, Putnam			
Moody, Walker	30,000	35,000	
Total	700,000	750,000	

There may be some astonishment at the estimated vote given Small, Young and Ferguson. This is my analysis: Ferguson and Small are the only two candidates with fixed and determinable votes. Ferguson's notoriously famous "vest pocket" vote remains more or less solid and will amount to 145,000 or 150,000 votes. It is scattered and comes from many counties. Small has a minimum "block" vote of 100,000 in West Texas and the Panhandle. The Small "block" vote of 100,000 minimum comes from the area beginning at Fort Worth, north along the east line of Wise and Montague counties, to the state line, following the northernly border of the state to El Paso, along the Southern Pacific to Alpine, from Alpine along the Orient to Sweetwater and thence along the Texas & Pacific to Fort Worth. This area polled 206,000 votes in the 1928 primary. Closely gathered information gives Small about 75 per cent of the vote that will be polled in this area. A block of 150,000 votes. To be conservative, reduce it to 50 per cent of the total vote, or a "block" vote of approximately 100,000 from one section. The decrease in the state vote will not affect the area described because of the tremendous increase in population. Young has waged a most effective campaign, constantly increasing his strength. He will get a large general vote, drawing much from Mayfield and Love. Sterling and Small have also made strong inroads on the Mayfield and Love vote, and some on the Ferguson vote. Barry Miller has cut into the Ferguson and Mayfield greatly, but not enough to put him up in front. It will be seen from the tabulation above that the Love, Mayfield, Miller, Young and Sterling vote is apportioned more or less equally. These candidates are drawing their major votes from the same sources. All evidence obtainable tends to show that they will run close together. Small is increasing his strength in the Panhandle and West Texas and substantially increasing it in North, Northeast, Central and Southwest Texas, to the detriment of the other candidates. Confusion arises concerning the strength of the candidates. Men and women all over Texas are undecided as to whom they will vote for between two or three of the candidates. My investigations lead me to believe that the race is between Ferguson, Small and Young. If those in doubt would center on Small and Young it would result in putting the two best men into the runoff. There are enough voters doubtful of whom to support to the runoff together if they will resolve to vote for either of them. They are men of similar type and of unimpeachable integrity. My investigation make me believe Small, because of his "block" vote in the Panhandle and West Texas, has the best chances of winning. If the voters think it inadvisable to split their votes between Young and Small, hopeful of getting them in the runoff together, then they should make certain by centering on Small, who, with his West Texas and Panhandle "block" vote will surely get in the runoff. There is no question of course but what either Small or Young could beat Ferguson in the second primary but it is doubtful whether several of the other candidates could do so. Ferguson is undoubtedly seeking to get Sterling into the runoff with himself believing that he can outcampaign Sterling and further believing that the fallacy of the "bond issue" would enable him to defeat Sterling in the second primary—and that may be true.

SANITARIAN HIRED

(By Associated Press)
COLORADO, July 21.—C. M. Everets, a graduate of Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, whose home is in Houston, has been employed by the Colorado city council as Sanitarian, a place made necessary by adoption of a standard milk ordinance, according to Mayor H. L. Hutchinson.

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Amusements

Garbo Breaks All Talking Records In "Anna Christie"

Greta Garbo broke all long distance talking records when she made her debut in "Anna Christie," her new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring vehicle, which began a three-day run at the Palace Theatre Sunday.

Her very first scene ran almost nine minutes long, using up most of the 1,000 feet of film which is the capacity load for camera magazines. Many of the subsequent scenes ran nearly the same length, the average being four minutes but the dramatic action demanding from six to eight minutes each.

Most talking picture scenes run only two or three minutes of continuous action and dialogue and Garbo in making her entire picture on long "takes" established a new mark in the filming of sustained dialogue without "outs" to break up the reading of the lines.

Clarence Brown directed the picture of the famous Eugene O'Neill play. Charles Bickford plays opposite the star. George Marion, who created the father role on the stage, repeats his performance and Marie Dressler is seen as old Marthy, her first dramatic part.

EAST, WEST STATIONS MAY GET SAME WAVES

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Feasibility of simultaneous operation of an Atlantic and a Pacific coast station on the same clear channel way be tested soon by the federal radio commission.

The majority of the commission seems disposed to make the test, although it is understood that Dr. C. B. Jolliffe, chief engineer and other leading engineers, believe the arrangement would not prove practicable. They hold that the interference range between the stations would seriously cut down the service area.

On the other hand, members of Congress have contended that the commission is wasting radio facilities in providing for only one station at night on clear channels.

Advances made in synchronization, improvement of transmitters, use of master crystals and other developments tend to make most of the commissioners optimistic over the possibilities of such a test.

Should the experiment prove successful, it is pointed out that much congestion could be relieved, and many berths would be provided for stations now clamoring for high power.

MOTOR VIOLATION FINES ARE GREAT AID TO CITY

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, July 21.—San Antonio is in the throes of an animated merry-go-round and the city rapidly is getting rich as the result of fines paid by motorists in corporation court.

The merry-go-round works like this: The increasing amounts paid in fines will enable the city to hire more motorcycle policemen to catch more motorists to pay more fines to hire more policemen and so on.

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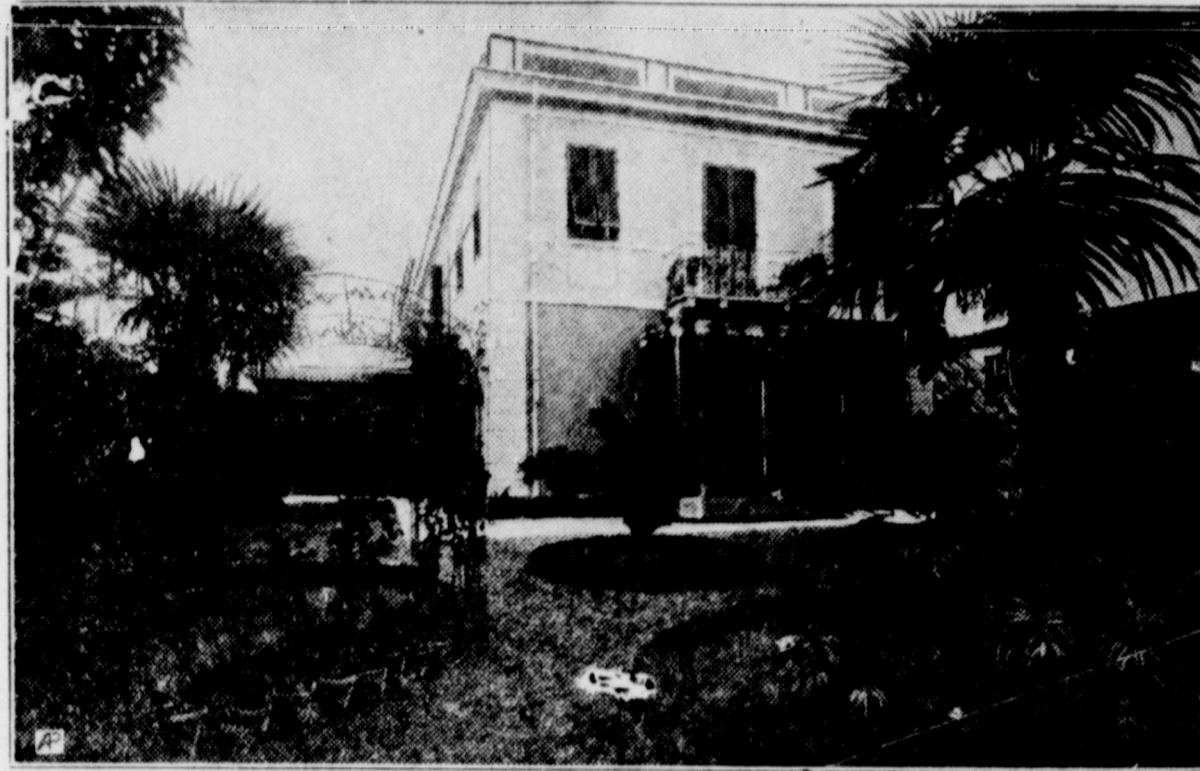
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Upright Piano Conceals Grace of Puccini in Living Room of His Villa



Giacomo Puccini, Italian operatic composer, lies buried behind his piano in the living room of this villa where he worked out masterpieces of his mature genius.

(By Associated Press)
MASSACUCCIOLI, Italy, July 21.—Behind the upright piano in the Torre del Lago, or Tower of the Lake, the grave of Giacomo Puccini, creator of Madame Butterfly, Turandot, La Tosca, and other great musical works, continues to draw a slender stream of musical pilgrims.

The grave is one of the most unusual in the world. The piano that conceals it is in the living room of the villa purchased by Puccini with proceeds from "Manon Lescaut," his first successful opera. The room is as the maestro left it when he went out and closed the door—to return borne by his friends.

At the door, "Max," the aged,

short-haired, white Scotch terrier, waits in vain for the master's step. On the table are Puccini's glasses, the last parcel of letters the mailman brought, a copy of "Vogue," a book of Indian music and songs, the unfinished score of Turandot, Act 1, dated August 1, 1921. Photos signed by Caruso, David Belasco and Gatti-Casazza are on the walls.

Opposite the upright piano and the casket inset in the wall is a chapel, with marble figures carved by Maraini. The figures represent "Madame Butterfly," "The Girl of the Golden West," and "Manon." The walls are inlaid with mosaics by de Carolis.

The villagers who used to stand

wonderingly outside the house and listen to the composer's music now come on the 29th of each month for a memorial mass by the village priest.

In adjoining rooms are trophies of the hunt; the maestro's hat hangs on the nail, his boots and shoes stand in rows, his chair is drawn to the fire-place. The windows look out on Lake Massacuciolli, where Puccini indulged his passion for duck hunting.

The house is half-an-hour ride from Viareggio. Puccini had seen it many times as a poor boy. He purchased it from the Bourbon estates with the money earned from his first success, "Manon Lescaut."

Society

Louise Hardin is Party Honoree

The wide lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hardin on Eleventh Street, provided an ideal setting for the party given Friday afternoon by Mrs. Hardin to honor her little daughter, Louise. Delicious fruit punch was dispensed from an improvised stand elegantly decorated in red and white crepe paper streamers and balloons. "Fishing" for souvenirs from the stand and other children's games were enjoyed under adult supervision for more than an hour, when iced watermelon

was served. Included were: H. L. Mills, Kathryn Bell, Jane Cheatham, Curtis Harber, Juliette and Charles Simmons, Mildred Watson, Odena Parrish, Marjorie Best, K. V. Northington, Jr., Ross Murchison, Jr., Jane and Al King of Brownwood; Burns Harwell, Mary Lou Drake, Walter Trimmer, Simeon Cottle, Jr., Jack and Jean Smith, Douglass and Ross Black, Jr., Lillian Hamilton, Louise and Dorothy McMillan, Francis Pearce, Patsy Ruth McMillan, Bobbie Bartlett, Allene and Ethel-dean Rudder, Claude R. Stone, Wanda and Doris Lane, Jimmy and Jean Bozelle, Junior Middleton, Mary Virginia Simpson, Billy Butler, Helen Speed, Billy

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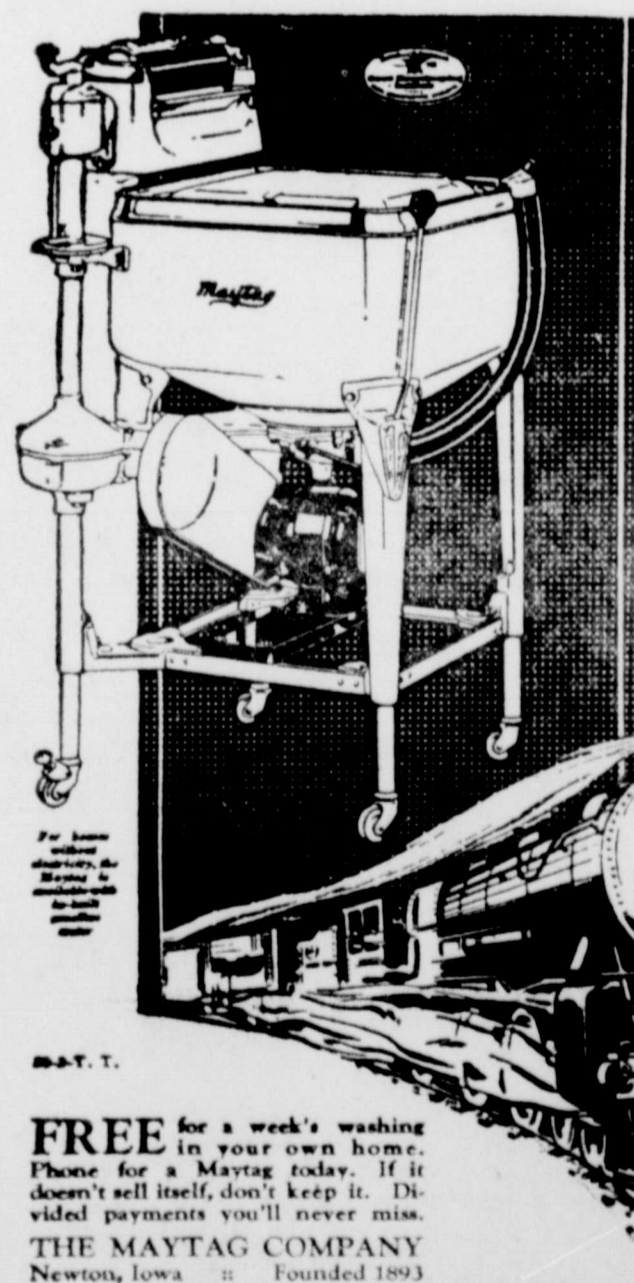
Miss Westbrook is Hostess at Party Series

Unusually enjoyable was the lovely lawn party series given by Miss Florence Westbrook on Thursday and Friday evenings of last week.

Ferns on Pedestals and summer flowers in bowls and hanging baskets gave added beauty to the brilliantly lighted shrub bordered lawn where tables were placed for the games of bridge. Delicious yellow and green brick cream was served with light and dark cake.

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On these occasions Miss Westbrook included the following: Messrs and Mmes. R. L. Harwell, L. R. Tigner, Geo. Holman, R. G. Erwin, W. R. Bogle, Will Doose, F. M. Pearce, Bruce Creasy, Estes Lynn, Joe Simmons, Victor Miller, Joe Neff, M. D. Karmany, John Weeks, H. H. Thomson, Clyde Cantrell, Ira Sims, C. L. Baker, R. G. Parks, Claude Stone, Hamer Carsey, Alex. McGregor, Chas. Bailey, Floyd Carr, C. W. Cheatham, W. B. Halley, D. C. Middle-

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BETHEL NEWS

Miss Alma Koenig returned from Stephenville after attending school there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shelburne and Clara Louise and Leslie Shelburn left for Hamlin Saturday.

Miss Sallie Shelburn has been ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Nunley and Mrs. John Nunley returned from Oklahoma City after spending several days with Perry Nunley and family.

The Bethel 4-H Club boys and girls held an ice cream supper Friday night. Enough proceeds to send two delegates to the short course at A. & M. College was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cotton and Mrs. Leonard went to Drasco Saturday to be at the bedside of their sister, Mrs. Oris Cotton.

A large crowd attended the club meeting held at Mrs. J. S. Greenhill's St. Thursday afternoon. Mrs. E. Koenig gave an interesting demonstration on the making of whole wheat bread. Mrs. I. D. Little and Mrs. M. W. McShan gave a demonstration on buttermilk and lemon pies. Delicious refreshments were served to about twenty members. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. D. Goodwin.

Rev. Doss preached at the Methodist Church Sunday.

Miss Zaza Chenoweth is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Greenhill and family. She leaves Monday for Winters where she will visit with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crockett visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crockett of Norton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moreland of Ballinger visited M. W. McShan and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hollwig, of Miles, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Richardson Sunday.

Miss Velma Lampe was a guest of Miss Isabel Richardson, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pope entertained with a party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Batts and family and Mr. and Mrs. V. L. McShan and daughter spent several days fishing on the Colorado River last week.

"REPORTER."

Local Families Attend Reunion
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wellhausen and children returned Sunday night from Comanche where they had been to attend a family reunion. Thirty-one children and grandchildren were present at the celebration. Mrs. Curtis Harber and children accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wellhausen from Ballinger. Mrs. Wellhausen met her sisters and brother, Mrs. J. A. Hoover of Belton, Mrs. F. W. Miller of San Antonio and H. L. Fields of San Antonio in Comanche.

Frank Reese is here from Austin spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reese. Their other son, Burton, of Coleman, spent the week-end here visiting.

Unskilled in Mill Work Cited as Reason for Low Pay in South

(This is the fifth of a series of articles based on a survey of "Labor in the South" made by the Institute for Research in the Social Sciences of the University of Virginia.)

(By Associated Press)
UNIVERSITY, Va., July 21.—The man behind the plow has not stepped without effort from his traditional occupation in the South into the more modern task of tending looms and spindles that has called thousands to the ranks of industrialism. Indeed, his unaccustomedness to mill work has resulted in coarse goods production which is partly responsible for the fact that the textile worker in the South receives a lower wage than is paid in the much older industries of New England, the Institute for Research in the Social Sciences of the University of Virginia has found.

And while the Southern mill worker's lot is far from ideal, it is still an improvement over life in the mountains from which many have come, was the conclusion reached by three Institute investigators—Dr. Abraham Berglund, professor of commerce and business administration; D. G. T. Starnes, associated professor of commerce and business administration, and Frank T. Devyver, research associate in labor problems.

Their task was to learn why the Southern textile worker's wage is less than is paid in New England, and why the wage of this great industry are so low that it is possible to "pick out the cotton mill cities by the low average weekly wage." In the five Southern states of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Alabama were obtained which were compared with figures on the New England states of Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

The Southern worker's unfamiliarity with his new task was assigned as one reason. While New England workers have been spinning and weaving for generations in the South the mills are being run by figures used to prying plow handles rather than to handling fine cotton thread. This lack of skill and also the different climate were said by the investigators to be partly responsible for a coarser product, a low price and consequent low wages.

Over-production was another factor. The elimination of night work with less hours per day was suggested as a remedy. But a still more important reason why textile mill wages are low in the South, said the report, is the lack of "bargaining strength" which the Southern worker has at his command. "The workers in the South do not have the choice of occupation which the workers in New England enjoy as a result of the greater activity and variety of industries in this section," it stated. "This means, of course, that the demand for industrial labor is limited, due to the small variety of workers needed to operate the present industries in the South."

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Mr. Davis is 55 years old; he has published a newspaper at Mesquite, a small town in Dallas county, for 31 years.

Mr. Davis has served several terms in the Legislature. In the last primary election he secured more than 14,000 votes over the combined votes of two opponents.

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C. R. Stephens

About New York

By Richard Massock
NEW YORK—Few if any of the young sandwich eaters who dance on an old clipper ship at a suburban amusement park recognize their host as an ex-husband of Peggy Joyce.

Count Gosta Morner and his brother, Count Hans, are the operators of the ship, which they bought last February and fitted up with a dance floor above the deck and a waxworks museum below.

The two counts are on hand every evening to count the 25-cent admissions at the pier which is at Playland, the Westchester amusement park at Rye.

The ship is a big old hulk in which, the museum barker says, were smuggled Chinese a century or so ago. The Counts Morner say it is the only clipper ship left. They acquired it from the estate of an antique collector.

Deep in the hold are wax figures showing pirates, fishermen and the like and a collection of cannibal spears and native implements which the counts' father picked up in Africa and the South Seas.

The Swedish owners keep their noble identity submerged. Count Hans lives with his wife and small daughter in an old-fashioned vine covered cottage at Rye. Count Gosta lives on the boat in the captain's cabin.

Specialist

Frank Darling, brother of the cartoonist, J. N., or "Ding," is a roller coaster architect. He has laid out amusement parks in various parts of the world since the Chicago fair of '93. Before that he studied medicine in his home state of Iowa.

Two of the most luxurious beards in town are those of Giulio Gatti-Casazza, Metropolitan opera manager, and Ernest Boyd, the author, both reddish brown.

Gluyas Williams' first name, if you care, is pronounced Gloop-yas.

Harry Richman's home at Beechhurst, Long Island, where Clara Bow went to rest after her Dallas episode, is the former house of Ed Gallagher of Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean.

And the exterior of the mansion in the talking picture version of "Holiday" is readily recognizable as Mrs. Whitlaw Reid's house on Madison avenue, which extends a whole block behind St. Patrick's cathedral and looks like a museum.

Mopping Up

An odd sight at the Battery: Coast guardsmen swabbing the deck of a captured rum runner; tied up between the docks of the Ellis Island and Governor's Island ferries.

When a ship captain brings a liner all the way into its pier, as Commodore Cunningham of the Leviathan did, he has to pay the rejected harbor pilot the regular fee.

Burlesque long has lifted ideas from the Broadway shows. But Earl Carroll's naughty "Vanities" have borrowed the old reliable gyrations of burlesque and renamed them the "bottle dance."

Those men one sees with three to a half-dozen dogs on a leash are hired exercisers for the boarding kennels that are in every residential section but the lower east side, where the poor people raise children.

The newest stunt of the fancy restaurants is to send a whole roast duck to the table to tempt the diner, then return it to the kitchen for carving.

REPUBLICANS TO HOLD PRIMARY IN COUNTY

The Republican county chairman, W. T. Crockett, has had all election supplies printed for the holding of a primary election in this county Saturday. The ticket carries a full list of state candidates and in the county E. M. Eubank and W. T. Crockett are making the race for county chairman. Billie Smith is a candidate for justice of the peace in precinct No. 1.

C. O. Harris of San Angelo, well known here and formerly a citizen of Ballinger is a candidate for the U. S. Senate with two opponents. Four men are seeking the nomination for governor of the state of Texas with Geo. C. Butts of Travis county perhaps the best known candidate.

Returns of the county race will be handled with the Democratic returns by the Daily Ledger Saturday night.

Be wise and advertise.

TREED FOR FAME AND FORTUNE



The endurance epidemic has none hard with children; tree sitting in particular has claimed its victims from coast to coast. This particular aspirant for the crown of fame or what ever it is they get is Warren Bentley of Chicago, who sits quite comfortably situated on his lofty perch.

This is Paris

FOLKS AND FAMOUS FOLK

By Hazel Reavis
PARIS.—One reason celebrities love Paris is because nobody pays any particular attention to them in their spare time.

Rachmaninoff felt so safe when he went to the opening concert of the New York Philharmonic Symphony orchestra that he took his peanuts along—or so his neighbors of the evening said.

When Rachmaninoff gives a concert, illustrious musicians who want to crunch peanuts are out of luck, for there are no covering orchestra crescendoes in a one-man show.

If you know your notables and love to pick them out the spot to do it is the short stretch of boulevard between the opera and the Madeline on a balmy spring night. Select yourself a front row chair at a sidewalk cafe on the right hand side of the street going toward the Madeline. No one, knowing Parisian would think of taking the left hand side of the street, not for a celebrity hunt.

Shopping

When the leight hearted crowd, chattering about plays and music, starts a trip toward a sandwich and a glass of some thirst quencher, it sometimes seems that Paris must have a corner on the famous folk, so many page-one people are on view.

One week's span saw these people treading Paris pavements; Willa Cather, Edna Ferber, Anita Loos, Rosa Ponselle, Gigli, Rachmaninoff, Helfetz and Kreisler; General Pershing, Giovanna Martinelli and Yehudi Menuhin.

The three writing ladies all were on their way elsewhere, with a short stopover for shopping. Rosa Ponselle and Gigli gave Paris concerts. So did Helfetz and Kreisler. Yehudi Menuhin's mother went with him wherever the boy violinist appeared.

She was along when young Yehudi, whose name means little

Jehovah, did some hand-picking in the basement of a boulevard department store.

He wandered around the china section looking for salt-cellars which measured up to his idea of what a salt shaker should be.

Fifty Years

A veteran American opera singer celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of her debut the other day at her home in Paris.

She is Emma Nevada, in private life, Mrs. Raymond Palmer.

Charles Gounod was her godfather and her musical triumphs contemporary with those of Adeline Patti, were made in London, Paris and the United States in the 1880-1900 period.

She was born in Nevada City, California.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Forson left Sunday for Clifton to visit Mrs. Forson's parents.

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Deaths

W. H. Strickland

W. H. Strickland, age 55, died at his home on North Broadway Sunday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock. He had been seriously ill for the past four months and became worse Sunday and died in a short time.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 11:00 o'clock at Old Runnels Cemetery with Rev. T. E. Bowman, pastor of the First Methodist Church in charge.

Decedent is survived by his wife and five children, Alvin, Elbert, Ardis and Ollan of Ballinger and Mrs. T. Warren. Three brothers, Eddie, Stephens and Tom Strickland, reside in Hunt county. Two sisters live in Oklahoma.

Undertakers from King-Holt Undertaking Company were in charge of funeral arrangements.

ICE CREAM SUPPER AT OLFEN TUESDAY

Clubs at Olfen will conduct an ice cream supper at the school house at that place Tuesday night. All Ballinger people and candidates especially are invited to attend. Other similar occasions will be held in the county during the week. Club members are attempting to raise money to send members to the short course at A. & M. College.

Miss Lou Moore of Baird is here this week visiting Miss McElroy.

SCOUT MEMBERS ARE GIVEN HIGH AWARDS

A Boy Scout court of honor was held here Friday night for the purpose of awarding merit badges to those deserving them in the local Scout troops. Rev. E. W. McLaurin presided over the court which was held in the First Methodist Church and the following awards were made.

Merit badges: Sam Malone, animal industry, bird study, cement work, gardening, handicraft, poultry keeping, swimming and woodwork.

Scott Strain, cycling, personal health, poultry keeping and swimming.

Wiley Stobaugh, firemanship. Sam Malone was made a Star Scout.

While the meeting was not largely attended due to other engagements Friday night, it was filled with enthusiasm and was one of the best ever held here.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wear are the proud parents of a fine baby girl. The young lady arrived Sunday morning and both mother and babe are doing fine. Papa Wear is just one big smile and son Powell also shows delight over his baby sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holliday have returned from Corpus Christi where they have been spending their vacation.

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