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Brazilian Revolution is Expected to be Quelled

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—Confidence that the Brazilian government would speedily terminate the revolution in southern Brazil was expressed in messages received here today from Rio de Janeiro.

The wide separation of the rebel forces plus the fact that they had no complete successes were cited in the official communications. The Brazilian government announced it would call out the first and second classes of the army reserves.

Reports from Montevideo, Uruguay, said the Brazilian revolutionary armies today are moving against Sao Paulo, world's greatest coffee exporting center, and Rio de Janeiro, the capital, two largest cities in Brazil. The Montevideo messages also declared the rebels were gathering forces as they traveled northward.

Local Programs Are Fun Producers

Two local programs are being arranged and rehearsed for Achievement Week here at present and both have the appearance of offering a big evening's entertainment. The Rotary club has definitely accepted the responsibility for a program on Friday evening next week and will offer a big hippodrome show in front of the grandstand. The Rotarians will not limit themselves to local talent, to present their program and Tuesday morning one number had been secured at Coleman and another from Santa Anna. The Coleman act will present two of West Texas' most clever dance artists in a group of numbers. The team is composed of two girls with a wonderful wardrobe who have already appeared before many audiences in West Texas giving satisfaction and delighting their audiences. A duo of acrobats from Santa Anna will take a fifteen minute act featuring tumbling, stacking and many other hard features.

Mexican Irrigation Project Dedicated

(By Associated Press)
LAREDO, Tex., Oct. 7.—Former president of Mexico, General Elias Plutarco Calles yesterday dedicated the \$15,000,000 Don Morton irrigation project 70 miles south of here in Mexico. Four cabinet members also were present.

The project was built to irrigate 65,000 acres. The formal opening will be held November 1st.

Southern Cities in Census Total Row

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, Oct. 7.—Defending its claim that Houston is the second city in the south in population, the local Chamber of Commerce will intervene in a suit filed on behalf of Atlanta, Ga., against the director, W. M. Steuart, to officially designate the population of Atlanta at 360,629, instead of 270,367.

The Houston chamber contends that the larger figure is not applicable to Atlanta since it includes persons allegedly residing in a large area not actually within the city limits proper, except by act of the Georgia legislature.

Commenting on the decision to intervene, President R. C. Kuldell of the Houston organization said:

"The claims of Atlanta are fast becoming a matter of national ridicule. While we have none but the most friendly feelings for Atlanta, at the same time we do not countenance such methods as her officials uphold in a futile grasp for second place.

"It means much to Houston to be called the second city of the South. Her rise to second place proved one of the great surprises in the national census. Houstonians should not for a moment condone efforts to defraud her of that position through political boundary fixing.

Coleman Wells Flow Steadily

COLEMAN, Oct. 7.—(AP)—From January 1, 1921 to October 1, 1930, Coleman county produced 4,921,710 barrels of oil. On October 1, there were 417 producing wells with a daily output of 2,902 barrels, an average of about 6 barrels per day per well. These figures were obtained from pipe line runs and do not take into consideration oil that has been sold for fuel or is held in storage awaiting pipe line connection.

"Wild Bill" May Go Again for Cards

(By Associated Press)
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 7.—The Philadelphia Athletics and St. Louis Cardinals today were en route here to resume the world baseball championship series tomorrow, today being an off-day.

The A's won two to nothing yesterday, giving them three games to the Red Birds' two.

"Wild Bill" Hallahan is considered the Cardinals' probable starting pitcher tomorrow, and either George Earnshaw or "Lefty" Grove for the Mackmen.

Twister Near Beaumont Damages Many Houses

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, Oct. 7.—A light twister last night wrecked servants' houses, broke power lines and damaged roofs over a twenty block area in South Houston. No one was reported injured.

The twister hit Latexo, a farming hamlet, injuring twenty-six persons, none seriously, and sweeping away much of the village.

Torrential downpours also did much damage in Houston and at Latexo.

Man Suffocated by Fire in His Home

(By Associated Press)
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A large number of road drags will start Tuesday afternoon on lateral roads in the county, smoothing them where it is dry enough.

Mayor's Wife is Robbed of Gems

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Oct. 7.—Three gunmen robbed Mrs. William Hale Tompson, wife of the mayor of Chicago, of \$20,000 worth of jewels as she returned home from a theatre here last night.

The robbers knocked down Mrs. Tompson's policeman-chauffeur, and relieved him of his gun and star.

Cahill is Elected Head of Railroad

(By Associated Press)
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 7.—M. M. Cahill, of New York, chairman of the board of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad, was elected president of the road today, succeeding C. Halle, retired.

Halle, however, is retained as a member of the board of directors.

F. D. George, of Corsicana, is here this week looking after business.

17 Cremated When Oil Lamp is Upset

(By Associated Press)
ASTRAKHAN, Russia, Oct. 7.—Seventeen persons, including several children, were burned to death when a kerosene lamp was upset in a workers' club house during a motion picture show.

Fourteen others were seriously burned, and many were slightly injured.

DISCUSS OIL FRAUD CHARGES



Ralph S. Kelley (left), former Denver federal land office chief, discussed his charges of improper handling of Colorado shale oil lands with Gerald P. Nye, chairman of the senate lands committee. They are shown in conference in Washington.

Two Conventions Go to San Angelo During October

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANGELO, Oct. 7.—Plans are rapidly being completed for two conventions here this month.

First, there is the West Texas County and District Attorneys' meeting which is scheduled for October 10 and 11. A complete program, featured by an address by O. S. Lattimore, judge of the court of criminal appeals at Austin, is being arranged.

Jimmie Allred, Democratic nominee for attorney general has been asked to appear on the program as has R. E. Thomason of San Angelo, district attorney of Fort Worth. Roy Hill of Ballinger is president of the organization, and Alec Young of Fredericksburg is secretary.

Between 2,000 and 3,000 delegates, most of them women, are expected here October 27 for a 4 day meeting of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of Texas. The convention will open with a banquet the evening of October 27.

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30,000 Pay Tribute To British Airmen

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Oct. 7.—The British government today ordered a public investigation of the wreck of the dirigible R-101 in France Sunday with forty-seven resultant deaths.

Thirty thousand persons at Beauvais, France, today paid tribute at the funeral cortege of the air crash victims en route from the city hall to the railroad station for shipment to Boulogne, where British warships will bring them home for interment in a single grave.

Soldier is Killed By Electricity

(By Associated Press)
BROWNSVILLE, Oct. 7.—Private Robert Melthione, 28, on guard duty at Fort Brown near here early today, was killed by electricity when he stepped into a puddle of water in which there was a live wire.

The storm here over the weekend brought four inches of rain. The Presbyterian church was hit by lightning.

Storm Wrecks Boat, 10 Drown, 6 Missing

(By Associated Press)
GUADALAJARA, Mexico, Oct. 7.—Ten persons were drowned, five are missing, and six were saved out of twenty-one picnickers whose launch foundered during a storm on Lake Chapala, near Tizapan.

The excursionists were crossing the lake when the storm began.

Flood Damage at Brady Estimated at \$300,000

Street and Road Work is Started

The city started its maintainer and grader to work Tuesday afternoon dragging streets and especially those that have been in bad shape for some time due to the laying of new water lines. City Secretary K. V. Northington stated Tuesday morning that as soon as possible all streets in the city would be put in first class shape by blading and all rocks would be hauled away.

This work has been delayed during the dry summer months as it was necessary to have a general rain on the torn up streets to settle them before much work was done. The long, slow rain of Saturday, Sunday and Monday caused all ditches where pipes were installed to settle and real street work can be done now that will be permanent.

Contractors on the dam on Elm Creek reported no damage done from rains and high waters. The rise on the creek came at a time when the work was well in hand and little if any damage could have resulted. It will be several days before work can be resumed on account of the mud and water but unless other rains come, workmen will likely be able to start some parts of the construction by Thursday at the outside.

State Engineer G. M. Garrett reported Tuesday morning that an inspection of the new grade from here to the Concho county line showed only a few places washed and no damage about the new bridge. The Colorado River had only a small rise and most of the water was kept in the first banks and no serious overflow occurred. He further stated that he expected to start a grader blading the new highway Wednesday in case the sun continued to shine and the entire eleven-mile stretch will be smoothed and put in good shape for travel.

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Rainfall for Year Amounts to 21.12

Rainfall in Runnels county for this year to date has amounted to 21.12 inches. This is a sufficient amount to have had a good crop year but the large portion of it fell in May and October. Precipitation for the entire twelve months in 1926 was less than has been received this year in ten months. The total amount in 1926 was 19.82 inches and that year the county produced 62,526 bales of cotton and a good feed crop.

Rainfall for this year has been divided as follows: January, trace; February, 0.00; March, 0.80; April, 1.25; May, 6.90; June, 3.70; July, trace; August, 0.67; September, 0.80; and October so far, 7.00.

The heaviest rainfall ever recorded in this county was in 1919 when a total of 35.25 fell during the twelve months with only two months during the entire year receiving less than two inches, and those two widely separated. The heaviest rainfall ever reported in one month was in August, 1906, when the gauge showed 11.54 inches at Ballinger. This was the year and month that the Colorado River ran through the main streets and many were made homeless in the flat. The smallest rainfall in any one year in this county came in 1917 when only 10.61 inches fell.

The largest cotton producing years have not occurred on the years showing the most rain. The three biggest crops ever raised in the county came as a result of about 20 inches of rain with good June and July registrations.

Less rain generally falls in January than for any other month—the average for the past twenty years being slightly over one inch. The greatest rain ever recorded in this month was 3.05 in 1919, the year it rained every month.

The county usually gets a good season in the fall months but the lack of summer rains sometimes makes cotton and feed uncertain. This year a large amount of small grain will be sowed as the result of the recent general rain.

Telephone Communications were Down

Telephone communications were down leading to Brady Tuesday and the Ledger was unable to get a call through during the day. Late reports from there indicated that the loss by the flood would run well over the \$250,000 mark and probably higher. Most business houses were standing Monday afternoon from two to five feet deep in water and a current from Brady Creek was running through the town hard enough to wash cultivators and farm implements down the streets.

The Brady Standard office Monday afternoon stood three and one-half feet in water with practically machinery under water and type cases filled with mud. The Brady Hotel lobby was covered with eighteen inches of water and only three business houses in the town were still above the water.

The water started receding Monday afternoon but people were afraid of another rise that would send the water higher than ever. Rumors of an approaching rise kept many men on tops of buildings watching for any indication of another rise on the creek. The new bridge recently constructed across Brady Creek served as a dam against flood waters and turned the main channel through the business streets of the town. Lumber and other drift matter coming down with the flood lodged against the piers of the bridge causing almost a solid dam.

It was estimated that fifty small houses were washed away and more than 250 people left homeless. Soup kitchens and food lines were formed on the court house lawn and local civic organizations were feeding those left without anything. Two thousand bales of cotton in the Brady cotton yard was reported washed away. One frame house used by Brady plumbers floated from its foundation and down the street until it crashed into the front of a drug store tearing out the doors and windows and letting the water flood that place.

Brady people Tuesday morning thought it would be days before the accurate loss could be estimated and that it would likely run far over the first estimate.

Water works and the light plant were both out of order and would be some time before service could be resumed. The water storage tank was full and would be sufficient for drinking purposes for several days, by which time it was thought service would be started again by all utilities.

No loss of life was reported.

Weather Report

(By Associated Press)
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This week our neighboring county Coleman is staging its big annual show. The Coleman County Fair will open Wednesday, October 8 with a big parade and pageant, and features for the remainder of the week including vaudeville and races in front of the grandstand.

One hundred and sixty-two men have been notified to do jury service in this county during the next term of district court which convenes here October 20. The first day the regular panels of 18 men summoned for grand jury service and 36 for petit jury service will appear in court and little time will be lost in getting down to business.

Next week will be show week in Ballinger. The county's best produce will be brought here and artistically arranged for the inspection of the public. Amusement programs will be given at night to take away the cares of business strain and make everyone happy again.

C. F. SHEPHERD Attorney-at-Law Will Practice in All the Courts. Office Over Ballinger State Bank

HOW'S your HEALTH

Edited by DR. LAGO GALESTON

MOTHER NATURE The idea of nature as a benevolent mother who kindly looks after her children is very widespread—and there are some who so thoroughly believe in the healing power of nature that they disparage the art of medicine.

Benjamin Rush, one of the greatest physicians in American history, on the other hand, once said with much feeling that "Nature should be turned out of doors and efficient art substituted for her."

The truth appears to be somewhere between the two. Nature will heal the cut and knit the broken bone together, but seems helpless when confronted by cancer, syphilis, lock-jaw, diabetes, hook-worm, and a host of other disease conditions.

SUNDOWN STORIES WONDER TWO By Mary Graham Bonner

"We must hurry," said the Little Black Clock, "even though we are not going forward but backward!" "Are you turning the time back ever so far?" Peggy asked.

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GOOD FOR DIZZINESS Constipation Troubles Relieved By Black-Draught, Says Kentucky Man.

DOROTHY DARNIT WILL YOU BUY ME A SODA MISTER BOTT? CANT I JUST TOOK YOUR SISTER TO A CAFE

IN LONGEVITY EXPERIMENT



Dr. Paul Kouchakoff (right), Russian bacteriologist, will participate in a longevity experiment sponsored by Park G. Hammar of St. Louis.

Bread is at discretion, which means as much as you wish. Helpings are not duplicated but the first is generous considering the whole meal costs about 25 cents.

Cellar Singers Singing in the cellars is one way students have of amusing themselves in the evening when they have a little money in their pockets.

There are two underground cabarets close to the Sorbonne where old ballads, eighteenth century and Revolutionary are sung by costumed minstrels who try to put something of the old spirit into their ditties.

Occasionally the customers, who sit around barrels and wooden tables provided with after-dinner liquors join and make the candles quiver.

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BLANTON NEWS The fine rain which fell Saturday and Sunday was appreciated very much by the farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Boothe visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dietz, of Crews, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Younget and family made a business trip to their place on the Plains last week. They reported some good

WILL PLANT GRASS ALONG STATE HIGHWAYS

AUSTIN, Oct. 7.—Prevention of deterioration to state roads from erosion through the planting of grass wherever possible is to be one of the main aims of the state highway department.

In the past, the highway department has been following this procedure to a certain extent but orders were issued to the engineers to place grass along all state roads where needed to prevent the banks from washing away.

Growing grass along the state highways, however, is not so easy as it sounds as evidenced by reports of engineers from several counties in the western part of the state and from other portions where there was only a light rainfall.

SEATTLE SEEKS TRYOUTS FOR 1932 OLYMPIC MEET SEATTLE, Oct. 7.—Seattle will seek the official tryouts for the 1932 Olympic track and field meet.

Girl students in Walla Walla, Wash., high school have voted to give up frilly dresses and wear a sort of uniform during classes.

School will begin Monday, Oct. 13. A good attendance is expected. Mrs. W. F. James visited Miss Maggie Brevard Sunday.

There was no Sunday school of B. Y. P. U. at the church Sunday due to the heavy rainfall.

Friends of Rev. J. M. Tierce will be glad to know that he is able to be home again after an operation for appendicitis and a speedy recovery is expected.

Cotton picking will soon be a thing of the past for most of the stuff around here has been gathered.

Representative, Western Mutual Life Association, of Sweetwater, Texas. Address N. P. Pollard, secretary, Sweetwater, Texas. 7-3d

MILKMAIDS TO RACE AT DAIRY EXPOSITION ST. LOUIS, Oct. 7.—The nation's best milkmaids will be selected at the National Dairy Exposition October 11 to 19.

One hundred young women between the ages of 14 and 25 are expected to enter the "milkmaids' marathon" and compete for a prize of \$200.

The champion milker will be chosen through a series of elimination contests to start the first day of the exposition. On the final day the girl who has shown the greatest speed will be proclaimed champion.



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Boy, 13, Becomes Pilot as Family Takes to Air



The whole family of Ben T. Epps (top center), Georgia's first aviator, is aerial. His son, Ben, Jr. (right), is a pilot at 13 and daughter Evelyn (left), 15 is learning. Five younger children will star tiessons when they get big enough. Below is plane Epps designed in 1907.

Cuba Sees Fuel "Alky" as Cure For Sugar Ills

By H. E. Knoblauch
(Associated Press Correspondent)
HAVANA, Oct. 7.—Cuban cane growers, with an over abundant output of sugar on their hands and a scarcity of markets for it, are again trying to find a cure for their business ills by reviving the industrial alcohol industry, once one of the most important on the island.

Although Cuba has always had plenty of potable alcohol there was a time in the World War days when it turned its energies to the production of industrial alcohol for fuel, to relieve a scarcity of gasoline, then selling as high as 60 cents a gallon. It is recalled that alcohol as a motor fuel gave more mileage than gasoline and that it sold then for 19 cents a gallon.

It is argued that these conditions could be approximated by a revival of the industry and that the surplus over domestic consumption could be sold in England, France and Spain.

The industry met a sudden death after the war when powerful American interests bought up, at prices which Cuban manufacturers could not pay, the molasses from which the alcohol was extracted. The molasses was sold to makers of clandestine alcohol in the United States and, deprived of its raw material, the Cuban industry perished.

The government is helping the movement to revive the business and congress recently passed a bill designed to protect manufacturers of alcohol fuel from a renewal of the 1919 conditions. But the whole industry is in a rather chaotic state and will need a lot of doctoring to put it on its feet.

Notice

I have taken up and placed in a pen out near the Lee Jones old place, one black Sow, weight about 250 pounds, no marks or brands. This sow was found roaming around when taken up. Let the owner come forward and claim this animal and pay for this notice and all damages. See me at the Ada Boyce place, near A & S depot.
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You should know this about oil, says mechanic

The proper oiling of household devices presents a problem different from any other form of lubrication. Sewing machines, vacuum cleaners, lawn mowers, the electric motors of washers, fans, refrigerators and similar devices have a tendency to collect dirt and rust when not in service. Consequently oil intended for general household use should clean and protect as well as lubricate.
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News Briefs from The State Capital

By Paul Bolton
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

AUSTIN, Oct. 7.—It is a far cry from zoning ordinances to cotton planting, but a decision by the supreme court of Texas on the first subject may have a vital bearing on the second.

The case in point, written several years ago, has served as a precedent in all tests of building ordinances since that time. It was reported in the Southwestern Reporter under the title "Spann vs. City of Dallas."

And the holding of the court in that case may be used in the event there is a special session of the legislature and any attempt at that session to pass a bill fixing a maximum cotton acreage for the farmers of Texas.

In that case the court said in part:

"Property is a thing that exists not merely in ownership and possession but in the unrestricted rights of use, enjoyment and disposal. Anything which destroys any of these elements to that extent destroys the property itself. The substantial value of property lies in its use. If the right of use is denied, the value of the property is annihilated. Therefore a law which forbids the use of a certain kind of property strips it of an essential attribute.

"Police power shall not be suffered to invade or impair rights of citizens. The right to own property and to deal with and use it as the owner chooses, so long as the use harms nobody, is a natural right. It is not a right over which police power is paramount.

"A law which assumes to be a police regulation but deprives a citizen of the use of property under the pretense of preserving public health, safety or comfort when it is manifest such is not the real object, will be set aside.

Although dealing with the construction of business buildings in a residence section, the tone of the opinion is unqualified. It does not refer to building, but to the "use" of property.

Whether the case is at point is a question upon which legal authorities at the capital could not agree. The court's argument, it was pointed out by one lawyer, might be regarded as what the legal fraternity calls "dictum" of the court, used by the judge as proof in his argument without laying down a law applicable in other cases.

In the event this ruling should be held applicable to the proposed law prescribing the amount of land a farmer may plant in cotton, a vast vista in yet another field is opened—regulation of the oil industry.

Drilling of oil wells is "policed" by the state railroad commission. Wells must be set a certain distance apart. A lease of a certain size is limited in the amount

of wells that may be drilled. This might be unjust police regulation of the use of property as set forth in Spann vs. City of Dallas.

Again, the railroad commission has placed the production of oil under curtailment. Here might be another violation of the "natural right" of the citizen owning oil wells.

Rule 37, under which wells are allowed to be drilled, has not been tested in the courts. The statewide proration order is now being tested.

Strangely enough, the principal objectors to the cotton reduction program who have written the governor on the subject are farmers themselves. He has received several letters asking that he decline to call the special session requested by a group of Lancaster citizens for enactment of the measure.

TEN PLANE RIDES YEARLY ALLOWED IN INSURANCE

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—An estimate that three out of four American business men have made at least one trip by airplane forms the basis on which one insurance company calculates the aviation risks of its applicants.

A rapidly growing proportion of this 75 per cent is using the airplane extensively for business and pleasure, the company's figures show. Many applicants use planes regularly for business transporta-

tion. The growing importance of aviation in the insurance field is demonstrated by the company's ruling that ten plane rides a year require no additional premium charge. Additional charges are made for those taking more than ten trips a year. In the past life insurance has been available to those frequenting the air only at considerable charge, while pilots often were unable to obtain insurance.

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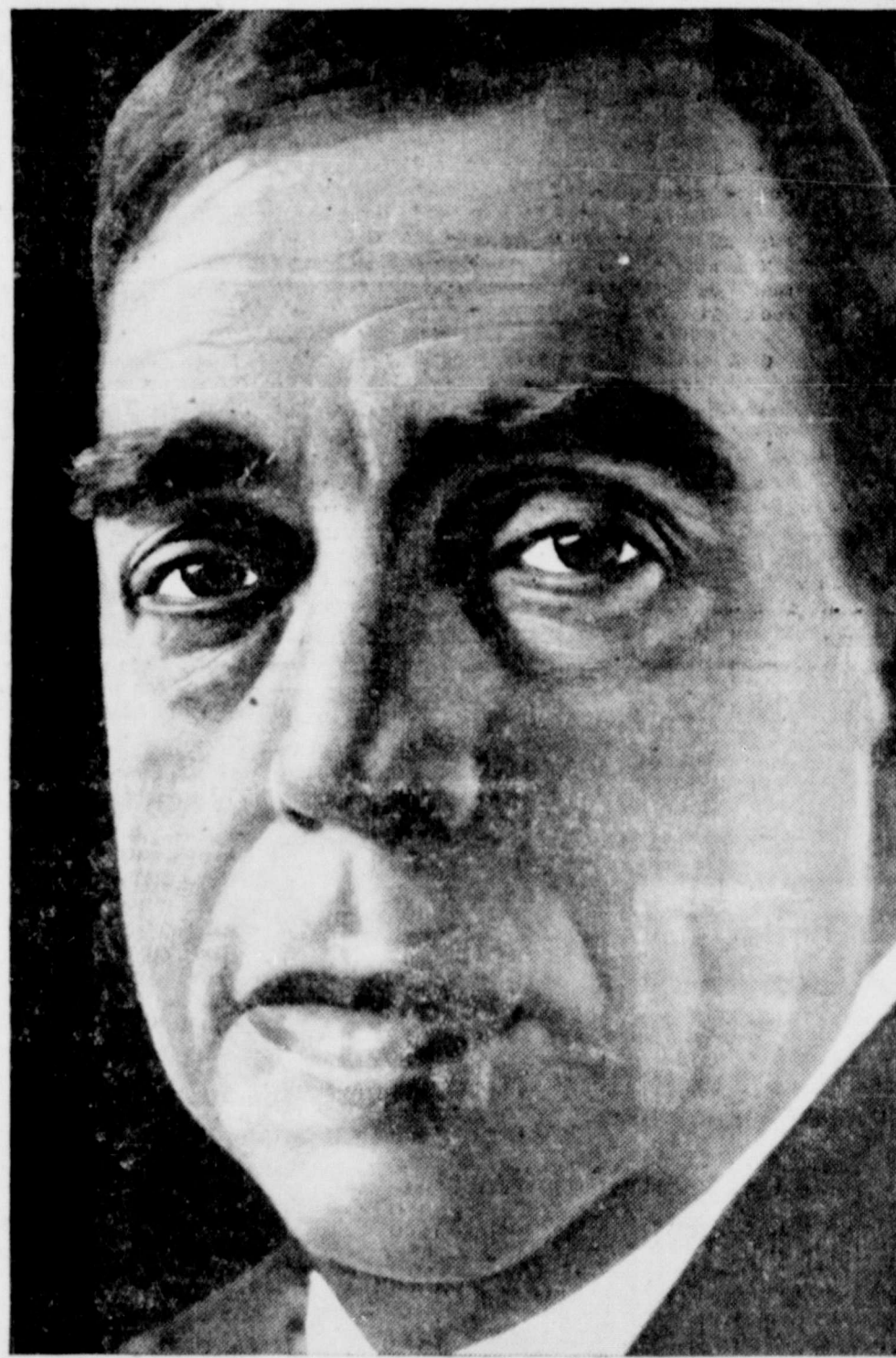
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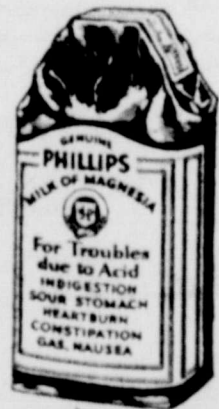


The Lonesome Cowboy (right), otherwise John White, is bringing his wild tunes back to radio. He is to be in a new feature, Death Valley Days, WIZ and NBC chain, 9:30 p. m. (EST) Tuesdays, Kate Smith (left), contralto, is soloist with the Rhythm Ramblers, CBS chain, at 7:30 p. m. each Monday.

NEGROES TO HOLD FAIR
MEXIA, Oct. 7.—The third annual Limestone County Negro Fair, one of the few negro fairs of the country, will be held at Mexia October 8-11. S. M. Merrimether, negro county agent, is manager. The fair owns its own grounds and features negro agricultural products.

Immediate Relief for INDIGESTION

WHAT most people call indigestion is usually excess acid in the stomach. Food has soured. The instant remedy is an alkali which neutralizes acids. But don't use crude helps. Use what your doctor would advise.
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NEGRO'S ALIBI PROVES FALSE

(By Associated Press) HOUSTON, Oct. 7.—If Willis Williams, negro, had been in the city jail the other day he would not be in the county jail, even if he had been discharged and interim, from the city jail. The facts briefly: Willis was on trial for misdemeanor theft. An automobile was the article allegedly stolen, but it was a misdemeanor just the same because the owner valued it at \$30, no more. Willis protested that he could not be guilty, since on the day of the theft he was safely in the city jail.

The authorities of that institution said otherwise and the court said sixty days. V. McLemore and Paul Renaud, agents for the Bill H. Hames Shows, are here this week making preliminary arrangements for the shows' opening here on Saturday for an eight-day run.

Atlanta, Ga., and Mobile, Ala., have adopted ordinances prohibiting loud operation of radio sets after 11 p. m.

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Texas Farms Show Increase Since '20; 422 Gain in County

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—The number of farms in Texas increased 59,974 or 13.8 per cent from January 1, 1920 to April 1, 1930, the director of the census has disclosed. Texas farms numbered 496,007 on April 1, the announcement said, compared with 436,033 on January 1, 1920. "A farm, for census purposes, includes all the land which is directly farmed by one person, either by his own labor alone or with the assistance of members of his household, or hired employees," the director said. "When a landowner has one or more tenants, renters, croppers, or managers, the land operated by each is considered a farm." Any tract of land less than three acres used for agricultural purposes, which produced to the value of \$250 in the preceding year, is classed a "farm."

The number of farms also increased 6.5 per cent from January 1, 1925, to April 1, 1930, the report showing that there were only 485,646 farms on the former date. The census director said the 1930 figures were preliminary and subject to correction. The greatest numerical increases in the ten-year period were registered in Hidalgo, Lamb, Dawson, Lubbock, Lynn, Hockley, Cameron and Harris counties in that order. Hockley had an increase of 7,855.6 per cent and Willy and Cochran county farms increased more than 1,000 per cent. The most marked decreases were in Brazos, Dallas, Lamar, Montague, Robertson, Wise, Wood, Cooke, Dimmit, Hays, Jack, Loving, Maverick, Parker and Titus counties. On April 1, 1930 there were 2,445 farms in Runtels county, on January 1, 1920, 2,023—an increase of 422 farms, or 20.9 per cent.

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SHERIFFS' CONVENTION TO MEET AT BRADY THURSDAY

Sheriffs from all parts of West Texas will assemble in Brady Thursday of this week for a two-day session. A program that will attract many peace officers has been arranged and invitations sent to all members of the West Texas Sheriffs' Association. Sheriff R. E. McWilliams will go from Ballinger and attend the entire meeting. He stated Tuesday morning that he intended to phone the sheriff of McCulloch county to see if the good at Brady would have any effect on plans for the convention. The officers will be in Brady all day Thursday and Friday and both day and night programs will mix business and pleasure for the officers. Mr. McWilliams did not know if any others from this section would go. Only one of 591 prisoners received at the South Dakota state prison in the last two years had a college education, according to Warden G. T. Jameson. Jodie McKenzie was in town Tuesday attending to business and rejoicing over the rain.

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Atkins-Murchison

In a ceremony marked by elegant simplicity, Miss Mary Reid Murchison, one of Athens' most beloved daughters, became the bride of Marvin C. Atkins, of Ballinger, at 7:30 o'clock this morning, at the home of the bride's father, J. A. Murchison, in the presence of the family and a few close friends, with Rev. M. L. Fuller, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. The reception hall was beautifully decorated with baskets of autumn's choicest flowers and in the living room pink radiance roses and fern were used in an artistic arrangement before which the ceremony was read. Tall floor baskets filled with pink radiance roses stood at each side of the improvised altar and old brass chandeliers with burning pink tapers. These were heirlooms of the great grandmother, Mary Reid, of whom the bride of today was named. Mrs. M. L. Fuller gave the pre-nuptial music, and accompanied Miss Grace Murchison, sister of the bride, as she sang, "Because," by d'Hardelot. The bride and groom were unattended and entered to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March. For her wedding Miss Murchison wore a brown canton crepe, Parisian model by Worth, with all brown accessories, and carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds and lilies of the valley. She is a member of one of the old families of the county and has grown from childhood into charming young womanhood in Athens. She was graduated from Athens high school, and later attended Baylor University. The groom is the son of Mrs. Hattie J. Atkins, of Ballinger. He is district manager of the Southwest Telephone Company and an outstanding man in his town in all forms of civic work. He is an active Legionnaire, chief of the Ballinger fire department, active in chamber of commerce work, a member of the Rotary Club, an active Mason, Eastern Star, and Ballinger chapter. Mr. and Mrs. Atkins left immediately after the ceremony for a honeymoon trip to San Antonio, after which they will be at home in Ballinger. Sisters of the bride who were present from out of town were Mrs. L. P. Skinner, of Silsbee; Mrs. J. Floyd Smith, of Winters; and Miss Grace Murchison, of Ballinger—Athens Daily Review.

Community Exhibits For Cotton Palace

Prizes Will Be Awarded for Best Agricultural and Home Products.

Keen interest is being shown in the prizes offered for the best community exhibit during the 1930 Cotton Palace. Rules governing community exhibits require that each community shall be confined strictly to agriculture and home products grown and produced in the community making the exhibit. A community is defined as a three-mile radius from the community center or school. One or the other must be designated. An affidavit must be made that all products shown in the exhibit were grown or produced within the community represented with the exception of edible nuts and meats which may be taken from last year's crop.

Free Shows Feature 1930 Cotton Palace

Admission Fee Will Include Hourly Free Shows.

Waco, Texas.—Arrangements have been made for a large variety of free shows daily on the Cotton Palace grounds during the Exposition October 10 to 19, inclusive. There will be no extra charge for these free acts as the paid admission of fifty cents entitles the visitors to see these as well as the many exhibits planned for this occasion. Among the acts are a number of thrillers and daredevil stunts, animal acts to amuse and delight the children and special shows that will prove amusing as well as educational. It is the plan of the Cotton Palace management to provide the best talent that can be secured in order to give the visitors more than their money's worth and to make the 1930 Cotton Palace bigger and better.

PEEWEE GOLF COURSES REIGN WHERE OPERA TITANS RULED

CHICAGO, Oct. 7.—The historic old Auditorium Theater where two generations of opera-goers were entertained is to become an indoor golf course. In fact it is to become two courses, with a club house on the stage where Mary Garden, Charles Marshall and Charles Hackett sang themselves to fame. The Chicago Civic Opera Company moved to new quarters last year.

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PRINCE OF WALES TO OPEN EXHIBITION IN ARGENTINE

(By Associated Press) LONDON, Oct. 7.—The Prince of Wales, most air-minded of British royalty, will travel to the Argentine in March for an exhibition of English aircraft. He will be present for the opening of the British Empire trade exhibition March 14-April 27, in Buenos Aires. A British aircraft carrier will be sent to the exposition, carrying a large exhibit of English military and naval machines. Be wire and advertise.

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