

Seeking Pair Who Stole

Japanese Cabinet Meets After Mukden is Seized

(By Associated Press) TOKYO, Sept. 19.—A Rengo news agency dispatch received here today said the heaviest fighting between Japanese and Chinese troops near Mukden occurred at Nangling, 175 miles north of Mukden.

The Chinese garrison at Nangling surrendered late today. Thirty Japanese soldiers were killed. Chinese casualties were heavy, machine guns being used.

TOKYO, Sept. 19.—Japanese troops today defeated Chinese forces and seized Mukden, capital of Manchuria, precipitating a near-crisis but the Japanese government then decided to cease the aggressive action. The cabinet is meeting in extraordinary session here today.

The trouble commenced in Peitaying, a suburb of Mukden, when the Japanese claim Chinese attempted to destroy a bridge on the South Manchurian Railway, controlled by Japan. There were few casualties.

The Japanese started reinforcements from Korea and Dairen, including airplanes. Approximately 12,000 Japanese troops are already in the Mukden area.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The state department announced today that it did not consider the Japanese-Chinese trouble a violation of the Kellogg anti-war pact since subordinates rather than the central governments were involved. The department is keeping a close watch on the situation, however.

New Heating Plant Is Bought for Jail

The Runnels county commissioners' court in session here Saturday morning decided to discontinue the use of gas in the jail here for heating and to install an oilomatic system. The matter has been under consideration for some time by the court here and after facts were gathered regarding costs it was finally decided to install the new system as a means of reducing costs.

A contract was awarded the Wendland Sheet Metal Works of San Angelo for the installation of the new equipment and the new plant will be ready for operation within the next two weeks or by the first of October. Gas burners will be removed from the present heating plant and the oil burners and other necessary equipment installed before heat will be needed in the fall here.

Commissioners' court was in session Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday until Saturday morning in order that County Clerk Trimmer and the assessors could attend the session. In San Angelo. All business was disposed of Saturday at the short session. The court adjourned for the week. A large amount of business was disposed of during the three day session.

NGER DELEGATION TO VISIT MENARD MONDAY

A delegation composed of Ballinger firemen and citizens will visit Menard Monday afternoon for an entertainment by firemen of that county. The delegation is being made to honor the Ballinger Band on this occasion.

Members of the Menard delegation are inviting Ballinger firemen to come in large numbers to Menard Monday. Ballinger firemen will discuss the city and matters of interest.

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Fliers are Granted Permit for Flight

(By Associated Press) TOKYO, Sept. 19.—The bureau of communications announced today that it had granted a permit to Clyde Pangborn and Hugh Herndon, Jr., to fly to Samushiro Beach in preparation for a non-stop flight to Seattle.

Pangborn and Herndon were recently fined by the Japanese government for photographing fortified areas. The American embassy interceded in their behalf. The authorities said under a strict interpretation of the law the fliers were not entitled to a flying permit but leniency had been decided.

The Americans plan to start for Seattle about September 26.

Firemen's Party is Enjoyed by Many

Ballinger firemen and visiting firemen from Winters, Eden and Miles enjoyed a party staged in their honor Friday evening by the honorary firemen of the Ballinger department in the city hall auditorium. About eighty persons enjoyed the social occasion proffered by the honorary members and their wives and it was late in the evening when the group finally dispersed.

Tables were arranged for progressive "42" and after slips were passed guests found places at tables and play began. About fifteen games were played before the last one was announced and the hosts served delicious ice cream and home made cake.

After the refreshments were partaken, H. W. Lynn, honorary fireman, called the house to order and asked Mayor W. C. McCarver to explain the purpose of the meeting. Mayor McCarver told of the duties of the honorary firemen and urged each to attend the sessions of the department and see what was being done for the protection of Ballinger property. He then introduced fire chiefs from Miles, Eden and Winters, and each made a brief talk, bringing greetings from their departments and expressing appreciation at being present.

Chief M. C. Atkins, of Ballinger, told something of the work of the local fire fighters and how citizens can cooperate with them. At the conclusion of these remarks he was called upon to outline the plans for Fire Prevention Week, to be observed in Ballinger from October 4 to 11. Mr. Atkins told how an educational campaign would be conducted here and other methods to be used in general prevention of the fire menace. He scored those who keep gasoline in their houses, giving statistics to show that gasoline was 82 per cent more destructive and dangerous than dynamite. He gave figures on the cost of each call the department receives and asked for cooperation of the citizens when trash is burned to prevent a general alarm.

Honorary firemen are named annually to serve for 12 months and in October the present group will be replaced by twelve others. By this means the firemen believe all business men of the city will, in the next few years, become better acquainted with the work of the department.

Judge O. L. Parish returned to Paint Rock Saturday morning to dispose of the remaining business in 119th district court for Concho county.

Rev. E. W. McLaurin has returned from Dallas where he attended a meeting of the synod committee on education this week.

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"Wind Doughnut," Whirling Like Pinwheel, Is Hurricane that Razed Honduran City

By Howard W. Blakelee (Associated Press Science Editor) NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The storm that's shaped and acts like an exploding doughnut—

That is the West Indian hurricane, the most recent of which has laid waste Belize, British Honduras, killing more than a thousand persons and injuring many more.

The doughnut metaphor and what happens to it go far to clarify the reasons why these annual hurricanes are like so much dynamite.

In the West Indies, where it forms, the hurricane is relatively small and compact, round as a doughnut, with its center a true hole, an area of calm air, almost perfectly circular in shape, walled about with winds circling like a giant pin wheel at 100 miles an hour or more.

This wind doughnut does not explode quickly. It gyrates about somewhat like the Fourth of July whizzers, which spin on an axis much faster than their motion of forward travel.

The hurricanes travel ahead at 15 to 20 miles an hour, generally at last curving off north-eastward across the Atlantic. But many wander due west and others straight north, to blow themselves out against Mexico or over the United States.

It is during the compact, doughnut-shaped form that the hurricane wrecks cities, and lays waste even entire islands.

How much force is packed in this small area appears after the doughnut has "exploded," and started to spread in all directions.

It does this by expanding. It is not unusual for one such expanded hurricane to fill about one-third of the North Atlantic Ocean. It is still a gigantic whirl, but no longer violent, no longer packing a hole at its center.

This hole—the area of almost dead calm—is from 10 to 20 miles in diameter. It is a column of air which weighs considerably less than ordinary, due to light atmospheric pressure. It is rising rapidly.

This area of lessened weight at the hurricane's surface may be one of the factors in the power of these storms to pile up sea water into tidal waves which usually take more lives than the winds always spiral inward.

The nearer the center these inward spirals get the faster they travel. Their velocity may be only 20 miles an hour at the outer edge of the doughnut, but near the center they hit it up around 100. This is an evidence of the tremendous atmospheric pressures far outside the doughnut, which squeeze it from all sides and convert it into a blow-off valve for the extra aerial energy hovering above both half an ocean and also over a fair slice of nearby continent.

Cotton Bill Compromise Now Under Discussion

Slaying at Houston Is Believed Solved

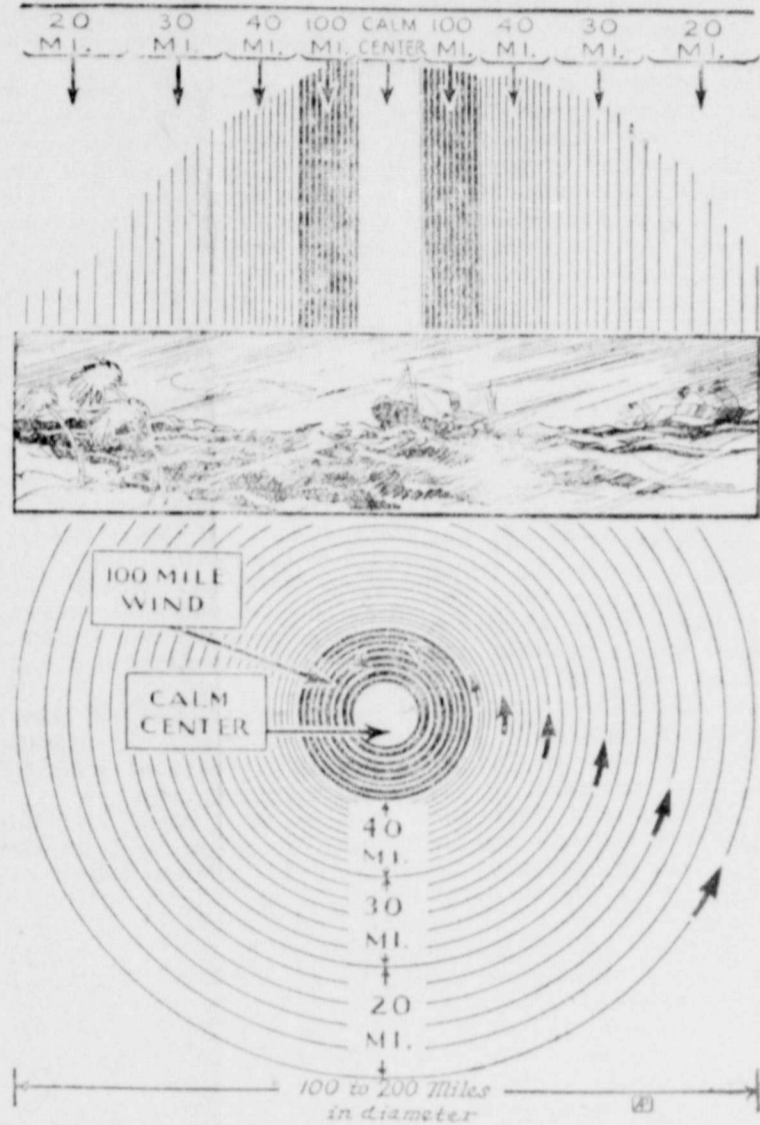
(By Associated Press) HOUSTON, Sept. 19.—The authorities today believed the gang slayings of John Cherris and Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Jones here recently are near solution. Barney McGanegal and Jack Jones were indicted in a special session of the Harris county grand jury last night for the slaying of Cherris Jones already was being held here, and McGanegal was arrested in Pueblo, Colorado, yesterday morning. Walter Shanks, of Dallas, is under charges for murdering Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Waives Trial for Cattle Rustling

(By Associated Press) ARCHER CITY, Tex., Sept. 19.—Henry Cagle, arrested with a companion recently on charges of cattle rustling, waived examining trial here today. Bond was set at \$1,500.

Judge Paul Trimmer returned Friday from San Angelo where he had been attending the convention of West Texas county judges.

Miss Kate Barker left Friday for Austin to enter the University of Texas for the coming year.



West Indian hurricanes, the latest of which devastated Belize, British Honduras, are like huge doughnuts, the "hole" of which is calm air with winds whirling around like a pinwheel. Diagram below shows how the winds near the "hole" move faster than those on the outside. Above is an up and down cross section of the "doughnut." The diameter of the hurricane sometimes reaches 200 miles.

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Car Hits Truck; Child is Killed

(By Associated Press) BREMOND, Sept. 19.—Verda Sydell Easley, 14, was killed on a highway near here last night. The automobile in which she was riding collided with a heavy truck.

Mr. and Mrs. Easley, parents of the dead girl, were slightly injured. The car was wrecked.

C. P. Shepherd went to Paint Rock Saturday morning to look after business in district court there.

Mrs. J. E. Dankworth was operated upon at the Halley & Love Sanitarium Friday and is reported to be resting well.

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(By Associated Press) DETROIT, Sept. 19.—Milberg, the third of four members of the notorious Purple gang, accused of the massacre of Joseph Sutker, Joseph Lebowitz and Herman Paul, rival gangsters, Wednesday, was arrested today.

Ray Bernstein and Harry Keywell, two other members of the Purple gang were apprehended yesterday. Harry Fleisher, the fourth man accused, has not been located.

Police said today that a new theory advanced for the wholesale murder was that the three victims and their four slayers participated in a hand-book robbery at Toledo the week before and quarreled over the spoils. Nine thousand dollars were found in the flat where Bernstein and Keywell were arrested.

David Starr Jordan Is Claimed by Death

(By Associated Press) STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Sept. 19.—Dr. David Starr Jordan, 80, chancellor emeritus of Stanford University, noted peace advocate, died today in his home on the university campus.

Dr. Jordan had been ill for a long period.

Hoover to Speak To Legionnaires

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—President Hoover decided today to accept the year-old invitation to address the national convention of the American Legion which begins next week.

A special train will pick up the president near his camp on the Rapidan River tomorrow night. He will speak Monday.

WEATHER FORECAST

(By Associated Press) West Texas—Partly cloudy, probably showers in the west and north portions tonight and Sunday. East Texas—Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday, probably showers in the southeast portion.

Ronald Colman in "The Devil to Pay" with LORETTA YOUNG PALACE Three Days Starting SUNDAY

Bransford, carried in a... ride several hours, then re... He walked into Houston about... a. m., and reported to officials.

At 2:30 a. m., Sheriff Remmert, of Bellville, 14 miles from Sealy, who had been notified of the kidnaping, chased three men in an automobile believed to be Brandt and his captors, but the suspects eluded pursuit.

Churches Plan for Promotion Day

Practically all churches in Ballinger are making plans for promotion day programs in their Sunday schools on the last Sunday in September and the first Sunday in October. A number of the churches here will observe 50th days promoting the students on the last of September and using the first Sunday in October for organization of the new departments after classes are transferred from one to another.

Practically all Ballinger churches have standard Sunday schools and classes are arranged according to ages. All have departments in the cradle roll, beginners, primary, junior, intermediate, senior, and adult departments with each meeting for separate devotional programs and class work.

Most superintendents of local Sunday schools report an increased attendance since the public schools opened here and by the time for the promotion day programs the enrollments in the churches will be about the highest of the entire year.

Each church will make definite announcement of its proposed program within the next week and also department leaders will instruct their advancing classes of the part they will take in these programs.

Check Doctors' Incomes WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—A government report on doctors' incomes shows that general practitioners net an average of \$4,128 annually, while surgeons rank highest with an average net of \$9,233.

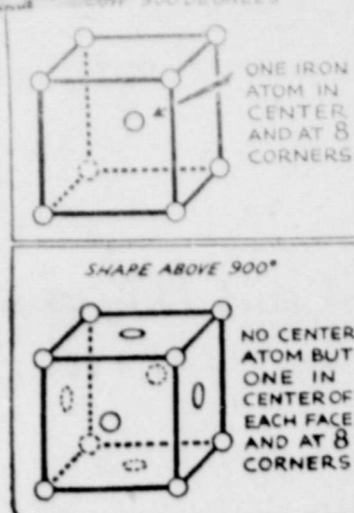
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**3 BOYS GO HUNTING,
 BRING IN 3 HORSES**

(By Associated Press)
 EL PASO, Sept. 19.—A-hunting they went for doves. Home they returned with three horses.
 Tom Barrett, Billy Robinson and Judson Rose recently loaded their guns and set out to track the dove to his lair.
 En route, they came upon three horses being taken to a rendering plant. They loaded the ponies, which were small, into two automobiles and brought them home.
 They also brought 19 doves, which they ate.
 They did not announce what they would do with the ponies.



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The trick of making good razor blades or automobile springs depends upon control of the "A-3" temperature, at which iron atoms suddenly rearrange themselves, and Dr. Wheeler P. Davey (right) of Pennsylvania State college is turning the X-ray upon this problem.

D. F. said recently the principal need of sericulturists was a market.
 "Our need is a market, first, and then more mulberry trees," he said. "Quality of raw silk produced in Mexico is comparable to the best that can be imported."
 "The work is still experimental, however. The only silk factories of any size are at San Luis Potosi and Guaymas, and they produce only small articles in small quantities."
 "The Mexican government is seriously interested in the progress of the silk industry in this country. If a market is obtained, it will send a man to Juarez to take charge of instruction and propagation."
 The first serious attempt to raise silk worms in Chihuahua was begun at Villa Ahumada, 100 miles south of Juarez, by Jose G. Matua, of the federal preparatory school, in the fall of 1929. The most extensive experimenting

MEXICAN GOVERNMENT TO AID SILK WORM RAISERS
 (By Associated Press)
 EL PASO, Sept. 19.—Steady development of sericulture, or the raising of silk worms, continues in Northern Mexico with active support of the government.
 Quintin Ocha, former professor of light industries in the federal agricultural school in San Jacinto,

The novel...
 necessary in this production of special steels, from automobile springs to razor blades.
 Iron is formed of tiny crystal cubes, and it is these which alter so suddenly at the "A-3" temperature. In pure iron this critical temperature is just under 910 degrees, Centigrade.
 Below that heat the crystals of the pure iron have atoms in each of the four corners and in the center of the cube. This is called the body-centered form, or alpha iron.

Above the "A-3" point the atoms rearrange themselves so that, in addition to one in each of the four corners, there is also an atom in the middle of the face on each side of the cube, making a more closely packed, denser, tougher metal. This named face-centered, or gamma iron.
 Millions of atoms perform this shift from alpha to gamma and back again with military precision. But the introduction into this maneuver of even a small fraction of one per cent of foreign atoms—that is, atoms of a different element—upsets the whole atom army and does strange things to the metal.

These "foreigners" spread the "A-3" point, causing the change to take place at different temperatures while heating up and cooling off.
 Steel is made by adding these foreign elements to the iron, both to increase its hardness and to control the "A-3" point.
 Ordinary steel, made by the addition of carbon to iron, is hardened by heating the metal above the "A-3" point to obtain equal distribution of the iron carbide particles and then plunging the red hot metal into water. This cools it so rapidly that some of the iron is trapped in the face-centered form, giving toughness.
 Addition of carbon to iron lowers the "A-3" point for metal that is cooling. Nickel lowers it still more, and other elements have still different effects on the iron. As the "A-3" point is lowered more iron may be kept in the

SMUGGLING STOPPED
 (By Associated Press)
 EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 19.—Smuggling of aliens from Mexico into the United States, says R. B. Mathews, assistant director of immigration for this district, has about disappeared.
 Murray W. Garson, assistant secretary of labor, recently said smuggling of aliens from Canada and Mexico was widespread and ordered a campaign to stop it.
 "Running aliens from Mexico used to be a profitable business for crooks," said Mathews, "but the immigration border patrol and the cupidry of the smugglers themselves has about destroyed the racket."
 "The smugglers got so they would take money from an alien, bring him across the river and then practically turn him over to the immigration officers. The alien would be deported."
 The smugglers expecting him to attempt to re-enter the United States, thereby giving them new revenue. Some of the aliens did, but most merely reported the difficulty of entering to others, who gave up in the attempt.
 The business depression likewise has contributed to the decline in alien smuggling. Immigration officials said they observed fewer efforts to cross the border when opportunities for employment in the United States decreased.

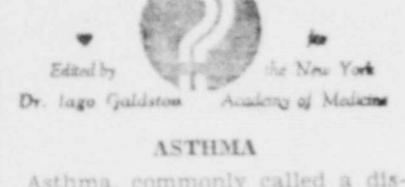
Alien smuggling once flourished in this district, however, one big ring maintaining headquarters in Juarez and agents in El Paso.
MAN SETS RECORD FOR CANNING PEAS
 (By Associated Press)
 FARWELL, Tex., Sept. 19.—O. Ford of Farwell claims a record in a new field for men, and challenges his neighbors, or anyone else for that matter, to beat it.
 Ford picked, shelled and canned 20 quarts of blackeyed peas in one day, single handed, after driving five miles to town and back for fruit jars.
 But that was not all. He cooked three meals, washed the dishes, attended the chickens and sheep, milked three cows morning and evening—and retired early.

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ASTHMA
 Asthma, commonly called a disease, more correctly is a combination of symptoms caused by a number of conditions.
 The prominent feature of asthma is difficulty in breathing, caused by spasmodic contractions of small muscles located in the bronchi of the lungs. The precise reason the bronchial muscles contract is unknown.
 One important cause of asthma is what is called an abnormal sensitiveness to foreign proteins. These foreign proteins enter the body by way of the respiratory tract or through the gastrointestinal system in the shape of foods, vegetable granules, organic dusts, etc.
 Sensitiveness to foreign proteins may cause not only asthma, but also hay fever, eczema and hives, and perhaps peculiar sudden swellings called angioneurotic edema.
 In determining to which proteins the sufferer is sensitive, he is tested by means of scratches through the skin into which are applied extracts of the suspected substances.
 If the skin shows no more redness than after an ordinary scratch it is fairly apparent that the individual is not sensitive to that protein.
 A swelling about one quarter of an inch in diameter arises at the scratch when the patient is sensitive.
 Physicians estimate as many as

VALLEY SHIPPERS FIGHT VEGETABLE FREIGHT RATES
 (By Associated Press)
 HARLINGEN, Tex., Sept. 19.—A determined fight on new freight rates on clip-top carrots and beets has been started by shippers of the Lower Rio Grande Valley.
 A suspension of the new rate is to be requested, with a public hearing in the Valley asked on the question of making the suspension permanent.
 The new rate will make straight shipments of beets and carrots almost impossible. C. D. Wallace, secretary of the Valley Shippers Association, said, and threatens 300 to 500 cars of these shipments from the Valley annually.

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 "And if I trade that for a horse I'll get one that will run."

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By Charles McManus

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The date for the opening school here has not yet been set, but if as usual will be sometime in October, unless put off until later so children can be gathered the cotton crop.

The League social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Batts Friday night was enjoyed by a large crowd. Everyone reported a very

C. A. Womack spent a part of last week seeing after his ranch near Goldthwaite in Mills county.

Misses Lois and Berna Carroll are located in Ballinger for the winter, where they will attend high school.

Miss Mary Nunnally entertained a number of her friends with a birthday social Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. McShan accompanied Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth to Winters Saturday afternoon, to attend a called meeting of the club council.

Bill Richardson, of San Antonio, recently visited home folks and friends here. His short visit was enjoyed but all hope for a longer visit next time.

Miss Mabel Bigby went to San Angelo Sunday afternoon to visit friends for a week.

Jimmy Barnett, of San Angelo, visited here the past week-end.

Mrs. John Batts has grown a champion tomato crop this year, some of the largest of which only took three to fill a gallon bucket. They are of a dark red variety with very few seeds, which makes them much better for table use. Mrs. Batts has also had a year-round garden of all kinds of vegetables. When almost everyone else was buying head lettuce she was getting it out of her garden. She has an ideal location with plenty of water to irrigate with.

Mrs. Jess Jones, Miss LaNell Jones and Miss Margaret Smith left Saturday morning for San Marcos where the two girls will enter the Southwest Texas State Teachers College. Mrs. Jones will remain in San Marcos for several days before returning home.

Mrs. William Bauer left Saturday morning for Austin to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McWilliams, for several days.

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Currie Produce Company
W. B. Currie, head of the Currie Produce Company, is a real pioneer in Ballinger business and since coming here in 1896 has served with a number of firms that did their share of trade.

His first venture in Ballinger was in the grocery business with J. F. Lusk in the early days here. Late he was connected with the Currie-Noyes Company, then with Claude Wilmet in the grocery business. In 1920 he and Willie Stephens bought the Currie Mercantile Company which they operated until 1925. The latter part of this period, however, Mr. Stephens withdrew to engage in the racket store business while Mr. Currie carried on in the retail grocery business, enjoying the very best of patronage from residents of this section of West Texas.

In January 1920 Messrs. Currie and Stephens purchased from E. A. Jeanes the feed, produce and hatchery business now known as the Currie Produce Company and have conducted same ever since. The store handles all type of field and garden seed, feed for livestock and poultry, busy produce and does individual and custom hatching of baby chicks.

The hatchery business has developed rapidly in this section. The year after the Currie company acquired this business another large hatchery was installed. The two machines have a capacity of 12,096 and 10,350 eggs and since 1926 have had an average turn-out of 700,000 baby chicks annually. The hatching season opens the second week in January and continues through May.

The Purina line of balanced feeds is featured for cattle, chickens, hogs, pigeons and rabbits.

In season this store handles much fruit for canning, preserving, etc., and practically anything needed in the way of feed or other produced can be procured there.

Both of the proprietors know the needs of their town and county and strive to serve their patrons in a helpful manner. They have both been closely associated with civic, religious and educational life of Ballinger and work hard for worthy local projects. Mr. Currie served as president of the local school board when the high school building was constructed and devoted much of his time to the business of that institu-



Close to the 20-victory mark already this year, George Earnshaw, the Philadelphia Athletics' "Big Moose" appears a cinch at the world's series. Last year in the classic, Earnshaw trimmed the St. Louis Cardinals twice, and had the fans comparing him to Mathewson, Johnson and the rest of baseball's immortal righthanders.

CONNECTICUT FINDS FEW SAFE ROADSIDE SPRINGS

(By Associated Press)
HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 19.—Of the scores of roadside springs and wells, Connecticut's health department has found less than a dozen safe for drinking water.

Motorists, campers and picnickers have been warned to drink only from places marked with an official sign of 1931 inspection.

Surrounding conditions have been found to count heavily in rating water supplies, many apparently clean springs being found to be subject to contamination.

No roadside brooks are recommended as safe water supplies.

The game was a ragged way and Davis will have to work to get the husky shape to meet the Bobcats in San Angelo next week. The material used in the game Friday, the best ever seen here but many are green and need good instructions before they will be able to take care of their positions in a hard fought game.

Three letter men from last year's squad stood out as shining lights in the first victory. They were Flynt, Reneau and McIntire. Capt. Reneau brought the crowd to their feet twice during the game, the first time in the first quarter when he went high in the air to accept a pass from Flynt good for 35 yards. Again in the last quarter he gave the fans the one big thrill of the game when he intercepted a Paint Rock pass and raced 50 yards up the side line for a touchdown and then took another pass across the line for the extra point.

The scoring was done Friday with Flynt making two touchdowns, McIntire adding two more and Reneau the last. McIntire added one extra point with a line plunge across the line and Reneau caught a pass for the other.

Ballinger substitutions were so numerous that it was almost impossible to keep up with the team. Practically thirty men played in the game with as many as four going in at one position. Straley and McWilliams as guards gave a fine showing in the first of the game and Jack Lynn at center proved to be an excellent ball passer and all his heaves were perfect and extremely good for the first game of the year.

Davis was the outstanding star on the Paint Rock eleven while all his teammates were willing fighters.

Mrs. LeRoy Nicholson and daughter went to Abilene Saturday morning to visit relatives.

monopoly, as emphasis. Gold, ginia Moore, Shekina, Sherwin, Wright are good cheap yellows. Mary Barnett is a lovely pale lavender, Jacqueline Guillot, another lavender, but different. King Karl and Vesper Gold are apricot. Ophelia is bronze, Medrano brown purple as is also Peau Rouge. The cafe-au-lait hues of Jean Chevreau, Mme. Chabaut are lovely. Gaviota is a cream. Pallida dalmatica is the old standby blue of high quality. The old Carrida is also good and should be in every garden. For pinks, a low mass effect may be had with Queen of May, Georgia, Dream and Mrs. Marion Cran are good. Among purple tones are Ambassador Asia, and Alcapar.

There are many plicatas, the best known are Ma Mie and Madam Chereau. True Charm is larger and has superseded them. Delight is a pink plicata. The white iris lovers should have Taj Mahal and Zua. I could write you of the cheap and high priced varieties at length and their merits but as there are 2,000 names, I must stop.

These are a few directions for planting iris. Do not plant bearded iris where water can stand on their roots. In the home garden iris bed should be raised about 8 inches above the surrounding soil to provide suitable drainage. The tendency with beginners is to plant the rhizome too deep. To plant spread out the fibrous roots, packing the soil well over them and leave the fleshy root exposed to the sun. Set plants 10 or 12 inches apart for they multiply rapidly. Water thoroughly at the time of planting. When it dries out stir soil lightly. Water it again in 10 days.

Wilmeth's News
Phone 267

Contractors Notice of Texas Highway Bridge Construction
Sealed proposals for constructing A & S R R Overpass and Elm Creek Bridge consisting of 13 I-beam spans at 52 ft. and 3 I-beam spans at 40 ft., 22 ft. roadway, concrete floor slabs, concrete substructure and roadway approaches on Highway No. 23, covered by F. A. P. No. 600-A in Runnels County will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, Texas, until 9 a. m. September 22nd, 1931, and then publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications available at office of G. M. Garrett, Resident Engineer, Ballinger, Texas, and State Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. d12-19

ENGLISH VICAR DENOUNCES BEACH FAJAMAS OF WOMEN

WEYMOUTH, England, Sept. 19. Scripture is being used by Rev. F. E. Coryton, vicar of St. John's church, against the wearing of beach pajamas by women.

His church is on a beach much frequented by pajamaed women visitors, and the vicar denounced the apparel in a sermon, quoting from Deuteronomy:

"The women shall not wear that which pertaineth unto a man, neither shall a man put on a woman's garment: for all that do so are abomination unto the Lord thy God."

SYNOPSIS: Sam Sherrill begins spending money and having a good time when funds gained from her stepfather's invention and the family's poverty. She has managed the family affairs since her mother's death. Fourth Aldersa, her stepfather, is an unusually poor business man. To relieve financial pressure, Sam has become engaged to a young millionaire, Fred Abbott. He reveals her motives and offers to release her when Fourth suddenly becomes wealthy. But Sam leaves her promise, although she is to leave with another man, Freddy Munson. While the family was poor, the aristocratic Fourth sold books, and thus met a rich widow who has become interested in him. He has shown the widow, Mrs. Frye, his invention. Sam fears at first that Fourth got the money from Mrs. Frye but Peak investigates and reports that business men are backing the invention.

Chapter 22

TROUBLE RETURNS

ONE afternoon more than two weeks later Eugenie Frye called at the stable.

Sam, who had just finished dressing to go out to tea, received the news with a frown of annoyance. She said to the maid: "Mrs. Frye? What on earth does she want? I can't see her, anyhow. Tell her I'm busy, Mary."

Eugenie collapsed into a chair. "It's worse than peculiar," she said. "It's terrible."



were just going out, Miss Sherrill, but she said it was important."

"All right," Sam shrugged resignedly. "Tell her I'll be down immediately."

There was something different about Eugenie Frye. Sam recognized that fact at once, even though the change lay in nothing tangible. The widow's manner had altered. She seemed subdued—that was it. Her air of bravado and of defiance to the world was gone, as was her nervousness in Sam's presence.

She shook hands and apologized for her intrusion. "I know you are very busy, Miss Sherrill, and I hate to bother you. I can't help it, but I've just a few minutes. I need your help."

"What help?" Sam was mildly surprised. "Why, of course, Mrs. Frye, there's anything I can do—"

"Thank you." The widow nodded and glanced wistfully about the room. Then she said abruptly: "How is Mr. Aldersa? Is he well?"

"Fourth? Why yes, he's well, he's quite well, thank you. Had you heard he was ill?"

"No," Eugenie took a long breath. "I hadn't heard anything. That's why I came to see you, Miss Sherrill. I haven't heard anything from Mr. Aldersa for weeks."

The fact is, Mrs. Frye, that Fourth has found someone to back his invention. They bought the patent rights and are paying him a salary to help them get the thing ready for the market. It's all very surprising, but it seems to be true. Fourth says—"

"Wait a minute!" Eugenie was on her feet, staring. "Wait a minute! I get this straight. You aren't talking about that circuit breaker thing. It can't be that!"

"But it is, Mrs. Frye," Sam shrugged. "Fourth never invented anything else, and I doubt if he ever will."

"I don't believe it!" The widow seemed shaken by something very much like excited indignation. "That circuit breaker isn't worth a nickel! It's impractical!"

"I know. That's what we all thought. The A. A. Burke Manufacturing Company, however, felt differently. They bought it."

"How could they?" Eugenie's bewilderment was complete. She made incredulous gestures. "How could they spend good money for something that isn't worth anything? I tell you, Miss Sherrill, that isn't worth a cent! I had it investigated, and I know!"

"You had it investigated?"

"Of course!" The words tumbled out breathlessly. "If there had been anything in it at all I'd have backed it myself. My agents told me that I'd just be throwing my money away, and my agents are reliable people." She was tense and grim. "There's something funny about all this."

"It's peculiar," said Sam, frowning. "I'll admit it's very peculiar." Eugenie paced the floor, her eyes flashing, and then, abruptly, there came a change. She hesitated, turned to her chair, and collapsed into it, fumbling for her handkerchief. "It's worse than peculiar," she said in a tone that had suddenly become low and hopeless. "It's much worse than that."

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are Packs Comedy Wallop novel comedy idea is revealed in the plot of "Dude Ranch," the feature attraction which ends a two-day run at the Palace Theatre tonight. The story is based on the humorous novel, "The Lone Rider of the Mojave," by Milton Krims, ex-newspaper reporter and actor.

It deals with the happenings at a big ritzy hotel in the Rockies when a group of actors are hired by the proprietor to furnish his unsuspecting guests with scenes of real Western bravado, daring and sharp-shooting.

The cast includes Jack Oakie, Mitzel Green, Eugene Pallette, Stuart Erwin, Charles Sellon, June Collyer and Cecil Weston.

Colman's Latest is "The Devil to Pay"

The Palace Theatre tomorrow, Monday and Tuesday presents Ronald Colman's latest talking picture, said to be in a vein new to the star, which bears the title "The Devil to Pay." It is an original screen story and dialogue by the famous English dramatist, Frederick Lonsdale, well known on this side of the Atlantic for his numerous stage successes, "Aren't We All?" "Spring Cleaning," "The Last of Mrs. Cheney," and others. Though several of the Lonsdale pieces have been adapted for the screen, "The Devil to Pay" is his first attempt at writing directly for screen production.

The picture, described as a sophisticated comedy drama in the modern manner, has to do with the life and loves of Willie Leeland, played by Ronald Colman, wayward son of a wealthy and unsympathetic British peer who, in an effort to make something of his adventurous son, gives him a start in South Africa. The story opens with Willie, disgusted with his exile, and longing for the lights of London, auctioning his belongings to obtain money enough for a passage home. Never having experienced real love, he decides that he will marry a wealthy girl and settle down, independent of his father. Arriving in London with twenty pounds in his pocket, he spends it all in buying a dog, and in taking an actress, an acquaintance of former years, to dinner.

Next morning he meets his fate—falling deeply in love—and with an heiress, played by Loretta Young. Marrying for money, and marrying one he loves who has money, are viewed by Willie as irreconcilable. The dialogue is bright, witty and sparkling in the true Lonsdale manner, and the part of Willie was specially written to fit the engaging Colman personality.



Camp Fire Girls of Mrs. Q. V. Miller met on the afternoon of September 3 for a business meeting and for electing officers. Officers elected were:

President, Helen Routh; vice-president, Mary Routh Reese; sec. and Treas., Ruby Shmiekle, song leader, Mary Fay Wardlaw.

Friday, September 11, the Camp Fire Girls of Ballinger took their supper down to the park, assembled for a grand council fire. Mrs. O. K. Lusater had charge of the program and it was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. R. V. Miller's group met Wednesday, September 15, for a sewing lesson. Each one present learned to darn a useful garment, and passed a requirement for their fire maker's rank. We are going to have a health lecture next meeting. Every member is urged to be present.

Merna Sue Clark, Scribe.

Red Cross Picture Here Three Days

The Palace Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday will show a motion picture sponsored by the American Red Cross. The film will conclude each regular showing at the theatre, portraying some of the very efficient operations of the organization in the drought stricken areas last year. Ballinger people are urged to see this picture on one of the three days and learn more of the great work done by the organization.

The production does not lack a plot and is made to interest as well as inform. A number of well known film players were employed in producing the picture, and scenes were photographed where relief work was being carried out.

This picture is now being released to theatres all over the nation in preparation for the annual Red Cross roll call which begins on Armistice Day, November 11. Other short pictures will follow in depicting accomplishments and aims of the great charity body.

Bunnels county received much aid from the Red Cross last year, and already plans are being formed to push the 1931 roll call. Membership in the organization is \$1 per year, one-half of which is retained by the local headquarters to conduct relief work. Every means of advertising possible will be used in this county this year to acquaint citizens with the work and help assure a membership of 990, which is the quota assigned the county. Chairmen of committees believe this goal will be easily attained.

MAY ESTABLISH CLINIC NEAR BROWNSVILLE

(By Associated Press) BROWNSVILLE, Tex.—Sept. 19.—A survey now being made by representatives of the Henschel Hills Laboratory, at St. Louis, to determine the feasibility of establishing a clinic on the shores of the Laguna Madre in this section.

The clinic would be for asthma, sinus and other similar ailments. The large quantities of iodine in the atmosphere of the Laguna Madre section make the air there beneficial to persons suffering from respiratory ailments of this nature, it is said.

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C. H. JOHNSON, Pastor.

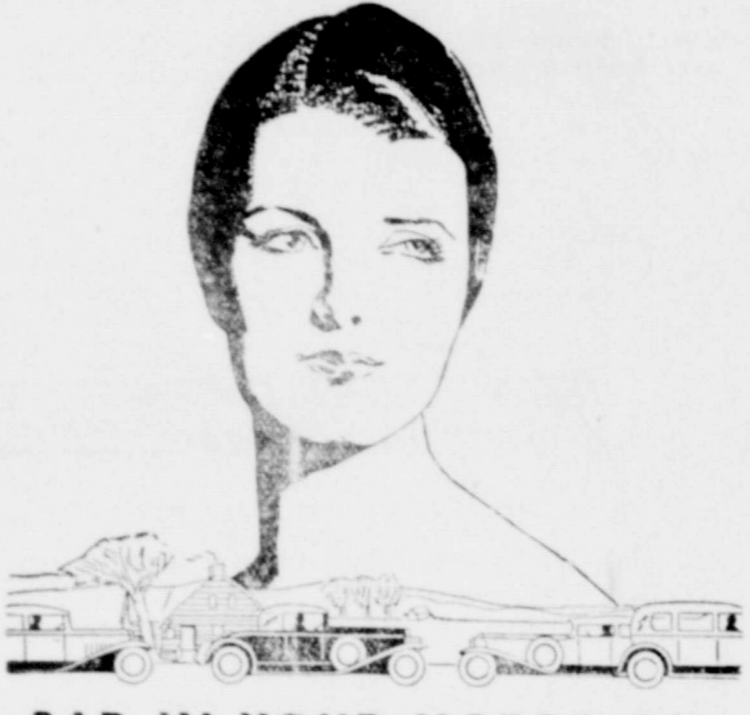
Church of Christ Eighth Street and Bousal Avenue Bible school meets at 9:45 a. m. with competent teachers for all classes.

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