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HONOLULU MERCHANT EATEN BY SHARK

Texas Pacific to Spend Ten Million Dollars

ACTUAL WORK BEGINS WHEN I.C.C. AGREES

This Huge Amount Will Put Thousands of Men To Work.

DALLAS, Sept. 2.—The Texas Pacific railroad was ready today to expend nearly \$10,000,000 to lay its rails into the heart of the rich agricultural areas of West Texas.

The actual work is held up by a lack of the interstate commerce commission to grant the T. & P. permission for its projects, T. D. Graham, general attorney for the railroad, announced.

The economic situation now prevailing over the country is not permanent one. Our company looks confidently forward to the future of the country as a whole and the greater prosperity of Texas and the southwest, in particular," said Graham.

Only two-fifths of the proposed T. & P. extension was approved in a preliminary report of the I. C. C. examiner.

The portion approved would allow the company to expend between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000 in a line from Big Spring to Lubbock and from a point on that line to Brownfield. It would deny access to Amarillo, Vega and other rich grain areas.

Graham will file exceptions to the tentative report before Sept. 22 in an effort to get the I. C. C. to approve the entire West Texas project. The railroad is also prosecuting its plea for permission to extend the Abilene & Southern line into San Angelo.

Cotton Pickers Wanted in South and Central Texas

HOUSTON, Sept. 2.—Mrs. Nell Tencer, local representative of the United States department of labor, today sought 10,000 cotton pickers for South and Central Texas fields.

Farmers have advanced the rate from 40 to 50 cents per 100 pounds and are furnishing quarters and sacks, it was announced.

R. R. Commission In Session With Governor Sterling

AUSTIN, Sept. 2.—Texas Railroad Commission was in session today with Governor Sterling in regard to prorator order issued yesterday. The commission is endeavoring to issue an order of 100,000 barrels production daily in the field, and seeking to get endorsement of Governor Sterling.

RANGER COUPLE CELEBRATE 50th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Patterson were honored on the first of September, their golden wedding anniversary, with a picnic lunch which was held on the Eastland highway where B. E. Patterson is having a new home built.

DR. LOGSDON TO LEAD ELKS CISCO MONDAY

The Cisco Elks lodge will be hosts next Monday evening to the regular monthly meeting of the Oil Belt Elks association. The officials of the Cisco lodge, headed by J. A. Bearman, exalted ruler, have prepared a full program for the evening, entertainment and a barbecue dinner to follow the ritualistic program of the assembled lodge.

The association included, in addition to the Cisco lodge, those at Breckenridge, Eastland, Ranger and Sweetwater. Attendance of between 75 and 100 is expected and the Cisco Elks are making every effort to boost the figure beyond even that expectation through the participation of all members of their own unit.

Jurors Summoned Need Not Appear

Jurors summoned to appear Monday, Sept. 7, for service in the 91st district court need not appear, Judge George L. Davenport announced Wednesday morning.

WORLD CONGRESS FIGHTS USE RADIO ADVERTISING

VIENNA, Sept. 2.—The World Congress on Radio in Education, meeting here on the initiative of American educators, has declared itself overwhelmingly in favor of excluding advertising from the air.

RANGER LIONS THANK PUBLIC

Ranger's swimming pool, "The Willows," recently closed for the summer, proved to be a fine investment for the young folks of the city. This project was sponsored by the Ranger Lions club, who wish to thank everyone in Ranger for the co-operation and assistance rendered in the management of this affair.

AS "BLUEBEARD" TOLD HOW HE KILLED FIVE



AS "BLUEBEARD" CONFESSED—Harry F. Powers, suave 45-year-old West Virginian, is shown here, right, with Detective Carl Southern of Clarkburg as the confessed mass murderer of five aligned the confession in which he told how he lured his women victims through a matrimonial agency and then hanged them in his garage.



FIFTH VICTIM—Here is Mrs. Dorothy Pressler Lemke, 50, of Northboro, Mass., whose body was the fifth to be uncovered at Powers' garage.

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RANGER MERCHANTS TO CLOSE MONDAY HONOR LABOR DAY

It was announced today that Ranger merchants, as has been the custom for years, will not open for business on Monday, the same being Labor Day.

Loaded Bus Is Reported Stolen

BOSTON, Mass.—A Boston elevated motor bus, loaded with passengers, was reported stolen here. It seems that Operator Thomas Lane parked the bus in the Back Bay and entered a building. When he came out a few minutes later the vehicle was gone.

TWO KILLED, 2 OTHERS BADLY HURT

BOWLING GREEN, Ohio, Sept. 2.—Two young San Antonio police at Camp Perry rifle matches here were dead today and two others seriously injured from automobile accident.

Lieutenant A. S. Millstead, 37, captain of the San Antonio pistol company, who was married three weeks ago, and G. Goodman, 28, married three days before he departed for the matches, were killed.

Their companions, R. F. Tate and Motor Sergeant Homer E. Love, are in the hospital in a serious condition.

GOV. STERLING CAN'T DECIDE SPECIAL CALL

Gov. Ross Sterling had not made up his mind at 2:45 this afternoon as to whether he would issue call for special session of the Texas legislature. Mr. Sterling said if he did decide the people of Texas wanted a special session to convene he would in all probability call the session for Sept. 10.

BATON ROUGE, La., Sept. 1. Gov. Huey Long today wired Gov. Ross Sterling of Texas urging that executive to speed legislative action on the cotton situation, and saying that if Governor Sterling did not act at once any action he did take would "be of no avail."

Governor Long urged action by Texas to prohibit planting of cotton in 1932, asserting that the no-crop proposal was the only plan left to save the cotton farmers.

Sentiment for legislation—meaning they want a special session of the Texas legislature—continued to be overwhelming last night in the questionnaire replies received by the Abilene Reporter-News from West Texas farmers.

For Long bill, 602 For Cunningham plan, 259 For combination of two, 280 Other types of legislation, 46 Opposed to any legislation, 53

ROTARIANS HEAR TALK ON C.C. WORK

Good attendance with an interesting program marked today's meeting of the Rotary club.

COMMISSION IN REGULAR MEETING LAST EVENING

The Ranger city commission met last night at the city hall at 8:30, with all members present except Edwin George Jr., who was out of the city. Only routine matters were discussed.

Guest Tickets to Ranger Show

The Ranger Times has guest tickets for Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Moore to see "MEN OF THE SKY"

UNTERRIFIED

It is refreshing in these times of depression and pessimism in Ranger that along all lines of activity signs of progress are manifest.

Ben Whitehouse comes back from the potato belt of East Texas proposing to swap our ways for theirs, and whereas for all these years they have furnished sweet potatoes and we have furnished the oil, now we will look to them for fewer potatoes and more oil, we will furnish them with less of oil and more of potatoes, and so we are to have a potato curing plant right in Ranger.

Not only that but in the same column the story goes that we are to have a cheese factory so that every gallon of milk will find a ready market at home. Already our progressive farmers and stockmen have resolved to divide honors with Southwest Texas in supplying the country with mohair and wool and we are turning our brush and weeds into marketable products that will help to furnish clothing for the country.

It may be that a school teacher may not quite see all that he seems to see but it has long appeared that it was not very good economy to labor on the farm from day to day to raise a small amount of provender dependent the amount depending on the caprices of the weatherman when by trading off a few scrub yearlings for goats and sheep we might be able to utilize our scrub-oak brush and weed growing on our rocky hills that we have "without money and without price."

Coming now to his own task, the writer has felt very much encouraged by the interest everywhere manifest in the coming session of school. The Rotary club recently gave a most inspiring program on "Back to School" in which they presented inspiring figures, winding up with an appeal for every boy of school age to return for his further preparation for life's work.

Not only have the local students, graduates of the Ranger High school been in evidence, but many from the surrounding territory have signified that they will be in attendance upon the Ranger Junior college this fall.

No discussion of improvements at the High school and especially of the library will be given here. You will have to come and see or you won't believe it.

Mrs. S. E. Powers, Eastland County Pioneer, Died At The Home of Her Daughter At Lorenzo, Yesterday

Mrs. S. E. Powers, a resident of Eastland county from 1887 until 1919, died Tuesday, Sept. 1, at Lorenzo, Texas, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cora Anderson. Mrs. Powers was born in Henderson, Texas, May 21, 1858. She married Peyton L. Powers, to which union 14 children were born, of whom 12—six boys and six girls—are living, all being married except Otha Powers of Eastland.

Mrs. Powers was a life-long member of the Missionary Baptist church and had been an invalid for about five years. Interment will be in Howard cemetery, three miles north of Deedemona, Thursday, Sept. 3, at 2 p. m.

Roy McCollum Dies In Cisco

Roy McCollum, 49, who died Tuesday in a hospital at Cisco, will be buried this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Long Branch.

I. O. O. F. AND REBEKAH ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN RANGER TOMORROW

The Eastland County Odd Fellows and Rebekah association meets in Ranger tomorrow at 10 a. m. Prominent speakers from over the state are scheduled to make addresses.

Musical number, Blue Bonnet Trio, Cisco. Violin duet, Misses Olga Mitchell and Evelyn Long, Ranger. Reading, Mrs. Ray, Cisco. Song, Mrs. Opal Hunt, Eastland. Address, Joe Clements, district deputy grand master, Cisco. Musical numbers, furnished by Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges of Rising Star, Pioneer, Deedemona, Gorman, Stephenville, Putnam and Eastland. Noon—Lunch served in dining room, Odd Fellows hall. 1:30 p. m.—Business session. 2:30 p. m.—Address by Mrs. Maggie Jordan, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas. Address by W. D. Garwell, grand warden of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Texas. Dinner served in dining room, Odd Fellows hall, 5 p. m. Entertainment by Watson's Music Makers, Eastland. Odd Fellows quartet. Ranger Odd Fellows double quartet. 7:30 p. m.—Degree contests.

MAN'S BODY FOUND INSIDE HUGE SHARK

Honolulu Merchant Disappeared Sunday; Body Found Today.

HONOLULU, Sept. 2.—Mystery surrounding the disappearance several days ago of Sandao Nakakus, Honolulu merchant, was cleared up today when fishermen found his body inside a huge shark which they caught off Barber's Point.

Identification of the body was made through dental work. Nakakus and another merchant set out last Sunday in a skiff on a fishing expedition. When they failed to return, a destroyer, a mine sweeper and several airplanes joined in the search. The merchants' overturned skiff was found 30 miles off the point but no trace of either man was found.

Three fishermen caught two sharks in the vicinity of the point today, brought them ashore, cut them open and inside of one they found the body of Nakakus. The shark was 18-feet long and weighed 750 pounds. Two of the rival aviators who joined the search risked their lives in the shark-infested waters when their plane made a forced landing 60 miles from Honolulu.

Navy officers said they were convinced the other merchant had met a similar fate.

MAN STEALS HUGE SUM FROM BANK

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—Walter E. Wolf, 42 years old, was under arrest today on charges of embezzling \$1,500,000 from one of the largest banking houses in America.

Wolf had been years in concealing his actions and when confessing today said he would take securities from one department to replace those stolen from another. He lost the money gambling on the stock exchange.

Wolf started as office boy 20 years ago and worked his way up to manager of the coupon department. He has a wife and 13-year-old daughter. The bank was fully protected by insurance.

Former Police Com. Arrested by Police

CORPUS CHRISTI, Sept. 2.—A former police commissioner and three others were arrested here today in whiskey raids. One hundred and five gallons of alcohol were found. Charges were expected to be filed.

Reference On Bonds... Answer From York Bankers

Sept. 2.—Whether or not the committee from the city will make the trip to New York to confer with the holders of bonds...

HOW AND SLIDES Henry L. Farrell

The Fan's Dilemma WHO is going to comprise your all-star major league baseball team for 1931? And if you choose to choose one, what consideration are you going to give batting averages...

One way to get around it is to name the Athletics intact. Of course you're in wrong right away with Cardinal fans...

Breck Buckaroos Play Most Games On Home Field

Coach P. E. Shotwell's Buckaroos will play seven games on Breckaroo field and only three away from home during the 1931 season...

Sues Mickey Walker and Jack Kearns



Thirty thousand dollars from Mickey Walker and the same amount from the fighter's manager, Jack Kearns—those are the sums sought by Miss Marion Parker...

SPEAKING of SPORTS

Football Season Nears Start in Big Ten Football training in the Big Ten conference will get under way in a few more days...

BUILDING TO LOSE SUN TAN

Yale authorities have decided they don't like the heavy sun tan complexion \$15,000 worth of waterproofing material gave to the \$10,000,000 Harkness Memorial Quadrangle...

CAFE CODDERS WATCH BOAT

SAGAMORE, Mass.—A long-pole diversion at this tiny Cape Cod resort is watching the Boston-New York boat pass through the Cape Cod canal...

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Lone Star baseball team of Mr. Whitehouse will play a double-header at the Cooper school district...

Joe's Still in There

CHRONIC for shortstop? Yes, but the Cronin of 1931 isn't slapping the ball like he was last season...

BASEBALL

Table with baseball statistics for Texas League, National League, and American League, including standings and schedules.

Yesterday's Results

Washington 5, Philadelphia 1. New York 11-5, Boston 1-3. Today's Schedule. Boston at New York...

Advertisement for 'Bull' Durham Tobacco featuring an illustration of a bull and the slogan 'Roll Your Own'. Text includes 'GENUINE BULL DURHAM TOBACCO NOW 5¢ formerly 8¢ ROLL Your OWN!'.

Women Say They Believe They're Not Understood

Analysis by questionnaire of young women, in an effort to find the basic truth about modern womanhood...

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer

STRAIGHT WINS THE MARK SET BY RUBEN MARQUARD WITH THE GIANTS IN 1912, SEEMED GOOD ENOUGH TO STAND FOREVER—BUT LEFVY GROVE TIED IT AND NOW HE'S OUT TO BETTER IT...

Advertisement for Ruben Marquard featuring a portrait of the pitcher and text: 'LEFVY GROVE ALSO HAS A CHANCE TO SET A NEW RECORD FOR THE HIGHEST PITCHING PERCENTAGE FOR A SEASON...'

Advertisement for George W. Hill featuring a portrait of the man and text: 'Genuine BULL DURHAM Tobacco at 5¢ marked the entrance of my father, Percival S. Hill, into the Tobacco business. For 14 years he was President of The American Tobacco Company...'.

GUilty LIPS

by Laura Lou Brookman

Author of "Mad Marriages"
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BEGIN HERE TODAY
Pretty Norma Kent, 20-year-old secretary in a law office, sees Mark Travers for the first time when together they rescue a puppy from downtown traffic in Marlboro, middle-western metropolis. Norma declines to tell Travers her name or where he can see her again.

Bob Farrell, young lawyer, asks Norma to marry him and she refuses though she is fond of him as a friend. Norma takes the puppy to the shabby apartment she shares with Christine Saunders. She fears Chris is falling in love with her married employer, Bradley Hart, proprietor of an advertising agency. Norma inserts an advertisement about the puppy in a newspaper and found columns and the first person to answer is Mark Travers. He tries to make a date but Norma declines his invitations. A small boy comes to claim the puppy and takes it home.

Norma goes for a drive with Bob Farrell and he tells her he is leaving Marlboro. Two days later she meets Travers on the street and goes to lunch with him. This is the beginning of a whirlwind courtship. Norma finds herself head-over-heels in love but thinks she must send Travers away because of some secret of the past. Chris declares if Norma loves Travers all else is unimportant. Mark is invited to dinner at the apartment. Norma is there alone when a caller arrives. He tells her he is Mark's father and demands her affair with his son shall end. In the midst of a heated speech Mark appears. Father and son quarrel and the father threatens to disown Mark if he marries Norma. The elder Travers departs. Mark begs Norma to marry him at once and after some hesitation she agrees. The couple drive to the town of Woodbury with Chris and Bradley Hart. Norma and Mark secure a license and are married. Then Mark takes his bride to the palatial Hotel Marlboro.

**CHAPTER XIII
NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**
The glowing orb of the molten gold stirred gently and moved to the right. Norma's reflection in the mirror was not glowing metal at all but curvilinear. Norma shook her head and the bobbing tangle that had been obscuring the vision of her left eye fell back into place.

She was smiling. Not at the young man across the room. His black hair toward her, Norma saw the reflection in the mirror of the dressing table. It showed a young man, coatless, energetically brushing a shock of brown hair back from his forehead. He was an unusually good-looking man when he frowned, as he did just then, and three drops of the brush to tug at his necktie. Suddenly he caught Norma's eyes watching him in the mirror. Mark whirled.

"See here, Mrs. Travers!" he said. "Do you call yourself a helpful wife? Sitting there taking my mind off everything I try to do? Promise every minute I'm away will seem an hour! Will you do that?"

OUT OUR WAY



Instead he opened it again, drew out a collection of coins and greenbacks and looked at them. A rueful smile spread over his face. He scratched his chin meditatively. "There was exactly \$96 in that wallet yesterday," he announced. "Ninety-six dollars." Suddenly the bright grin returned. "Madame!" he declared with dramatic eloquence, "with all my worldly goods I leave you! Thirteen dollars and forty-five cents! Count the contents of the purse into the girl's lap."

He was laughing and Norma laughed, too. This was evidently a joke. She gathered the money together. "But you don't really mean it!" she protested. "Not—\$96! You couldn't have spent all that in one day. Why it's more than three weeks' salary!"

Mark came to her and put a hand on each of her shoulders. He smiled curiously. "Promise to miss me horribly," he demanded. "Promise every minute I'm away will seem an hour! Will you do that?"

"Oh, but I don't want to be alone here, Mark! Can't I come, too?"

Apparently this was not to be thought of. It was absolutely essential for Mark Travers to depart alone, but he would not be gone long. There was business to attend to and as soon as it had been settled he would come hurrying back. Norma's chagrin at this turn of events did not seem to displease young Travers.

EVENING GOWNS SHOW TREND TO STYLES OF OLD

PARIS.—The collection of Philippe et Gaston resurrected the fashion of the past for the realm of evening ensembles. Street and day-time coats, dresses and suits continued upon the straight modern and modernistic lines that began to characterize them so successfully last season.

The quaintness of the 1860 frocks, designed in robe de style fashion for the evening, used black velvet almost exclusively and accented with an admirable second material. The use of a large oval cameo, delicately carved, was an added attraction to one of the off-the-shoulder gowns done in black chiffon velvet and trimmed only with twisted cords of the velvet around the oval neckline, waist and hem of the full-cut skirt.

Muffs, of which there were several, were noticeably larger than those of the past. They resembled the very large ones carried in more recent days than the 1860 models, and was made of fluffy fur. It covered practically the entire central portion of the neck and had matching wide bands of the fur at the hem of the black broadcloth coat that accompanied it.

Extremes Decolletages.—The decolletages were two extremes, both very high and very low, and at both back and front. Wing sleeves, in some cases quite unsmooth in size, accentuated the slim line of the dress and often were only trimming. Extravagant large bell sleeves were entirely detached from the frock and slipped on above the elbow and allowed to fall almost to the finger tips. These furnished ground for much embroidery on the hands above the elbow, as well as around the full width of the bell part.

Most of the evening gowns showed jeweled straps crossing in the back like suspenders. A few featured one strap up the back from the waistline to meet a high collar formed closely around the throat that continued into the front bodice cut very low under the arms.

Another disconnected sleeve took the motif of a very long glove, close and tight and reaching almost to the shoulder. Only because it had no hand could it be worn that you should not call it a sleeve.

Girl Prepares for Pacific Flight



Juanita Burns, Los Angeles pilot who plans to fly from Tokyo to Seattle soon in the first non-stop airplane navigation from Captain T. Cameron Wilkinson, formerly of Britain's Royal Air Force, with the aid of a celestial navigation sphere. She expects to make the trip in 30 hours and capture approximately \$50,000 in prizes.

Report Shows Cattle Ranges Are In Good Condition; Cattle Being Held

The marketings of cattle from Texas during the five-months, August through December, will probably be smaller this year than last, according to the report issued by the crop reporting service, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Range and feed prospects are good, and there is a decided tendency to hold cattle. The expected movement to market this fall is estimated at 754,000 compared with 838,000 head moving last fall.

The marketings of cattle from the 17 states west of the north and south line of the Missouri river, during the five months, August through December, will probably be somewhat larger this year than last. Marketings from nearly all of the states where drought damage this year has been considerable, are expected to be larger than last year, but where severe, marketings are expected to be much larger than last year. The states from which larger marketings are expected are North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Utah, Nevada, Oregon, and California, with the largest proportional increase from the Dakotas, Nebraska, Montana, Wyoming, and Nevada.

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A New Liner Sails Into New York—From the Air



With the mightiest of skyscrapers towering in the background, the mightiest of airplanes—Germany's DO-X—is shown in this striking picture as it settled down on the waters of New York Harbor. It was journey's end for this mammoth air cruiser, for New York was the goal of the flight begun nearly two months before at Lake Constance, Switzerland. Note the immense hull of the plane, with rows of port holes giving it resemblance to a steamship. The DO-X had proceeded to New York by leisurely stages after crossing the Atlantic to South America.

PARIS STYLE

PARIS.—It isn't just the green, S-ups that come in on the style. The tiny tots have taken the C in the big game right. The C with the veteran players. The C with A Miss Kindergarten. The C with A must pay as much attention to her wardrobe requirements as her fashionable very plot Mrs. Maturity. For the time being, September school term she, Eai have plaids and flannels. The C wags tweeds made into frocks on the same line as operat day for all ages. She must at least one dress made in OLUTO Roliver Moroccan plaid in opened yellow, white and green. The C with a natural colored wool. The plaid bow pleated skirt have a deep V-shaped yoke, natural wool and the C completes the ensemble. reverse the importance of and tweed. Plaid is used collar and large labels and natural wool for the coat. The buttons near the top keep closed.

And the party dresses! And shirred yokes in short and long dresses in varieties of blue, pink, peach, cream, yellow, green. The rest of the pastel on down the line that choose is just too hard!

EMANCIPATION
All of the unnecessary MS. C. ine in the world could be filled as sane.—The Country Home.

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QUALITY
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South Marston

ELECTROL...
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Golden, Flo...
Arcadia Theatre Bldg...
Day and Night Phone...
Flowers For All Occ...
1922

PEARL DEATH KNELL
FOR 36 HENS
By United Press.
MERRIDEN, Conn.—Thirty-six chickens were doomed when one of them pecked a pearl earring from the ear of Mrs. Catherine Garlick, owner of the birds. She was unable to pick out the bird that flew at her as she was pouring grain into a pan so she ordered all to be killed and examined.

JAF MOVIE STARS PAY LOW.
By United Press.
TOKIO.—Japan's highest paid movie star—Denjire Okakichi—gets a yearly salary which is less than the weekly earnings of some of Hollywood's favorites. Income tax return reveal Denjire's wages are \$5,000 a year. Yoko Umemura, highest salaried woman star, gets only \$1,500 a year.

New Low Prices on Spectacles
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TEXAS STATE BANK
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Depository for Eastland County
and U. S. Postal Savings
Eastland, Texas

STYLE
AKAWA OF "CHEAT"
FAME IN COMEBACK

After a 12-year absence from the stage, Sessue Hayakawa, gift of the stylized thespian, who will have been remembered for his role as "The Cheat," resumes his career in the Japanese cinema. He is now seen with Anna May Wong and Ingerborg Olsson in "Daughter of the Cheate," Paramount's talkie production from another Sax Rohmer story plot. It is the chief attraction, beginning at the Lyric 1 term show, Eastland, today. Hayakawa is cast as a Scottish name line operative.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



CHURCH GIVEN WORLD'S MONEY

By United Press.
 PARIS, Sept. 2.—Perhaps no other church in the world receives such a diversity of coins and banknotes in its collection plates as does the American Church of Paris, which is to dedicate its new \$1,000,000 edifice on Sept. 6 and 7.

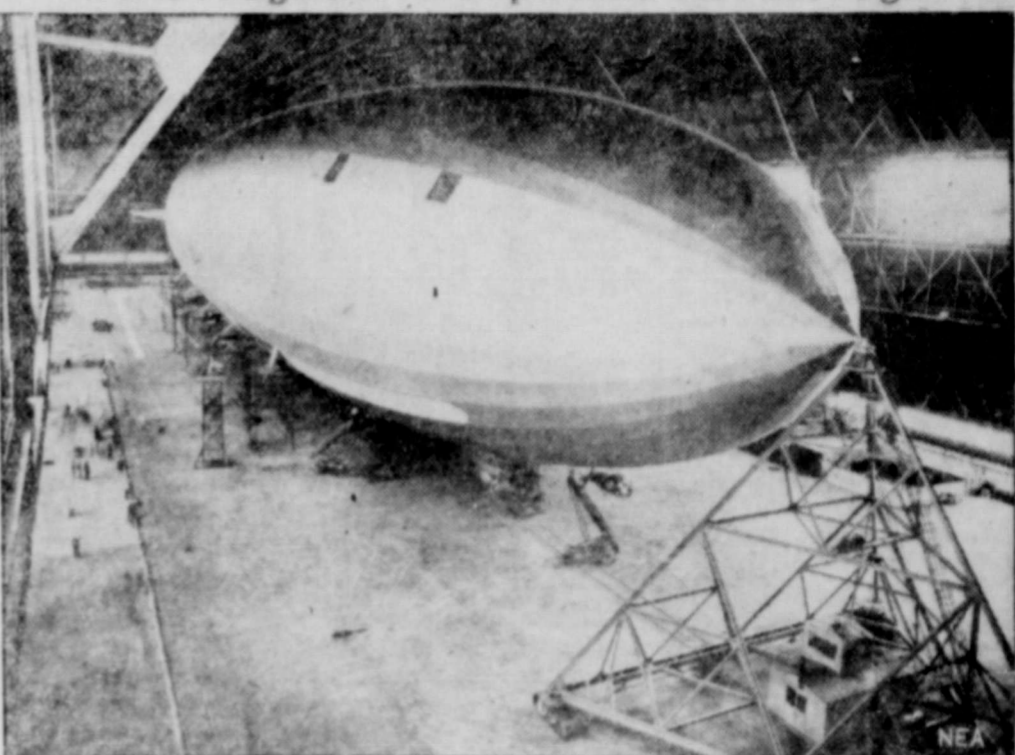
As many as 14 nations are often represented in the gold, silver, bronze, copper, and paper money found in the offering.

Naturally, most of the collection consists of French money, from coppers up to 1,000-franc notes. Five-franc notes, which are worth about 20 cents, are in the majority.

Many American coppers find their way into the collection plate, along with the nickels, dimes, quarters and dollar bills. Next to French and American banknotes those from Belgium are most numerous.

Money from England, Italy, Switzerland, and Germany is very frequent, while the currencies of Sweden, Bulgaria, Rumania and Portugal are seen, but less frequently. The explanation for this assortment of coin in the church collection is simply that the American tourist on going to church in Paris decides to get rid of all his foreign small change and the American church is the beneficiary.

World's Mightiest Airship Preens for First Flight



The U. S. S. Akron, world's largest airship, is shown here on its moorings in the huge hangar at Akron, O., being groomed for its maiden flight. This portable contrivance, electrically operated, will be used in taking the giant ship in and out of the dock.

Classified Advertising Results

Accepted after 12 noon on weekdays and 4 p. m. Saturday and Sunday.

2c per word first insertion; 1c per word each insertion thereafter. No ad taken for less than 30c.

Cash with order. No classified ad accepted on charge account.

SPECIAL NOTICES
 THURSDAY, SEPT. 3, 1931.
 Sell all household goods belonging to J. D. Stuberfeld, that he has accepted with us to satisfy a \$50 account, according to law. Following items will be sold: room suit, 1 gas cook stove, 1 barrel cooking utensils, 2 beds, 1 Victrola, 1 barrel of 1 dresser, 1 library table, 3 chairs, 1 breakfast set, 2 heat lamps. Sale will be held at 10 a. m., today, Sept. 3, Ranger Transfer & Storage Co., Ranger.

Farm Values In Eastland Gain

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Eastland County had a remarkable increase in farm acreage from 1920 to 1930, due largely to the falling off in oil development, there with the consequent return to agriculture of many former farmers.

Total number of farms in the county was 1,390 in 1920 compared with 2,012 in 1925; and with 1,490 in 1930. Acreage in these farms was 347,385 in 1920; 355,174 in 1925, and only 279,405 in 1930. Average acres per farm was 174.6 in 1920 compared with 176.5 in 1925, and with 186.4 in 1930.

Farm values also increased during the years under review, quite in contrast with the losses in most Texas counties. Total value of Eastland County farms in the three years follows:

Total value farm buildings, 1930, \$7,963,536; 1925, \$6,917,023; 1920, \$7,800,057.

Total value land alone, 1930, \$5,819,746; 1925, \$5,582,023; 1920, \$6,423,444.

Total value buildings, 1930, \$2,143,790; 1925, \$1,335,475; 1920, \$1,376,618.

Total value dwellings alone, 1930, \$1,553,110.

Total value implements and machinery, 1930, \$478,892; 1925, \$487,291; 1920, \$382,692.

Average values of farms and buildings in 1930 was \$4,002 per farm; in 1925 it was \$3,438, and in 1920 was \$5,294. Average value per acre was \$22.29 in 1930; \$19.48 in 1925, and \$27.92 in 1920.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS By Blosser



Big Gain in Tenants
 As in nearly every other Texas County, there is shown a big increase in the number of tenants operating farms in Eastland County. In 1920 there were only 654 farms operated by tenants within the county. By 1930 the number had grown to 997—nearly a 50-per cent increase.

In that 10-year period number of farms operated by owners increased from 837 to 967 while the number operated by managers grew from 8 to 26.

Acreage of 171,964 operated by owners in 1930 compares with 141,296 in 1920 while that operated by tenants increased from 88,380 in 1920 to 165,187 in 1930, and that operated by managers decreased from 49,729 to 10,234.

Total value of land and buildings constituting farms operated by owners decreased from \$4,500,296 in 1920 to \$4,143,584 in 1930. In the same period values of farms operated by managers decreased from \$309,390 to \$233,760, while value of those operated by tenants increased from \$2,960,083 to \$3,585,857.

Larger Farms the Rule
 Size of Eastland County farms increased sharply in the period under review while the number of small farms also gained. The 1930 survey found 23 farms of 1,000 acres and over as compared with 6 in 1920; 48 of 500 to 999 acres compared with 39; 182 of 260 to 499 acres compared with 149; 274 of 175 to 259 acres compared with 165; and 752 farms of 100 to 174 acres compared with 579 of that size in 1920.

As usual this survey found fewer huge farms in 1930 while other classes of livestock showed material increases. Number of swine decreased from 6,568 in 1920 to 3,387 in 1930. Increases are shown as follows:

Cattle from 11,085 to 15,958; milk cows from 2,852 to 6,226; horses from 3,285 to 3,436; mules from 2,294 to 2,792; and chickens from 67,204 to 89,698.

Where Texas Gas Wealth Disappears
 Special Correspondent.
 AUSTIN.—Texas may have started on the right track to get something out of its natural resources as they are used up, but it hasn't gone very far with natural gas.

As a result of Texas letting its natural gas go out of the state at practically no return to the original owner, and infinitesimal return to the state, the following news dispatch originates in Chicago:

"Natural gas piped from the Texas fields will bring a 3 1/2 per cent reduction in domestic and 29 per cent reduction in heating rates in Chicago, the Peoples Gas Light and Coke company announced."

Texas natural gas, a fuel supply for cook stoves, for heating and operation of industries that would serve Texas for two centuries if conserved, is being produced in excess of half a billion feet a day. Much of it is wasted out-right. That which is sold bring the owner from one to two cents per THOUSAND FEET, while Texas consumers are paying up to one dollar for it at the cook-stove.

That means the state's 2 per cent tax is giving the state FORTY-MILLIONTHS OF ONE CENT per cubic foot for this resource.

And there's no real assurance that the owner will get two cents

BOARDING HOUSE WAS POPULAR

By United Press.
 BOSTON.—The extraordinary popularity of Mrs. Maud Tallo's boarding house mystified police until they inspected the menu, which offered under "Beverages" a choice of "coffee, tea, milk or beer." She was arrested, but the case was filed when she promised to strike beer off the menu.

LIGHTNING STRIKES HIS PIPE

By United Press.
 BLYTHEVILLE, Ark.—A bolt of lightning knocked Jim Owens' pipe from his mouth and threw him across the room. He was unhurt save for a slight burn.

Spreading ordinary rosin soldering paste over threads of an electric soldering iron will prevent rust.

QUEER FLOWER PUZZLES EXPERTS

By United Press.
 TULSA, Ok.—A sunflower which is not a sunflower grows in the middle of Dr. Fred S. Clinton's flower garden. Clinton planted old-fashioned sunflower seed and from one grew this flower, some petals of which are red, others brown and still others yellow. Botanists believe the sunflower has crossed with a coreopsis.

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 60—Ranger

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RENT—Three-room modern \$6; four-room house, \$6; Cooper school. 922 Strawn, Ranger.

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RENT—Furnished apartment house; reasonable rent. 600 Commerce, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Phone 343, R. Parker, Ranger Heights.

STATE OF TEXAS
 A. F. Barnes, M. M. Barnes, Clark and husband, Tom Dupree and husband, Dupree, E. J. Barnes, Tom Georgia Brown and husband, Guy Brown, V. W. Mills and Barnes, and to all persons or having or claiming in the following described tract in the county of Eastland, Texas, for taxes, to-wit:

Tract: Years delinquent, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, and 1929; total taxes, interest, and costs due thereon the first day of July, A. D. 1930, the day Exhibit "A" of the petition was issued, \$1,088.97. Description: Lots 6 and 5 feet of 5, block 7, Original of Ranger, Texas.

Tract: Years delinquent, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1929. Total taxes, interest, and costs due thereon the first day of July, A. D. 1930, the day Exhibit "B" of plaintiff's petition was issued, \$108.97. Description: Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, Burger Second Addition of Ranger, Texas.

Tract: Years delinquent, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1929. Total taxes, interest, and costs due thereon the first day of July, 1930, the day Exhibit "C" of plaintiff's petition was issued, \$1,088.97. Description: Lots 8, Block 7, addition to the city of Texas, which said land, or delinquent for taxes for the year of \$533.80, for city taxes year above mentioned, and hereby notified that suit on brought by the city of Texas, for the collection of taxes, are commanded to appear and such suit on the first in the October term of the strict court of Eastland county state of Texas, same be 5th day of October, A. D. 1931, and show cause why judgment should not be rendered in said land, or lots, or other and foreclosure thereof taxes and costs of suit.

W. H. McDONALD, District Court, Eastland County, Texas.

under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Eastland, Texas, this 1st day of August, A. D. 1931.

W. H. McDONALD, District Court, Eastland County, Texas.

OTHY WATSON, Deputy.

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 with
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Starts
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 She Lures Men to
 Their Death!
 Dr. Fu Manchu's
 daughter carries on
 the maddest plot
 against the ill-fated
 Pezie family.

**"Daughter
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 Dragon"**
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**WARNER
 OLAND**
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 Sessue Hayakawa
 Story by
 Sax Rohmer

**SOCIETY and
 CLUB NEWS**
 MISS ARRITTA DAVENPORT
 Editor Ranger
 Phone 224

**Oklahoma Visitors Are
 Honored With Dinner.**
 Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cleveland
 and family delightfully entertained
 with a prettily arranged 6 o'clock
 dinner at their home, Prairie camp,
 Tiffin, last evening, in honor of
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Houchin and
 children, of Oklahoma, who have
 been visiting in Denver and other
 Colorado points this summer. The
 Houchin family are en route to
 their home.

**Sunrise Breakfast and Program
 Given At Trianon Pool, Olden.**
 With Mrs. Eric Holland and Mrs.
 H. C. Heath co-hostesses, one of
 the most delightful entertainments
 of the week was held this morning
 when the ladies entertained mem-
 bers of Child Study Club No. 1
 with a sunrise breakfast and pro-
 gram given at Trianon park, Olden.

Immediately after the serving of
 breakfast, the program on
 "Home" was entered into with pa-
 pers given by Mrs. E. L. Fontaine,
 Mrs. C. O. Bolen and Mrs. Tom
 Brookman. Swimming was enjoyed
 as an added feature of the hour
 with the following members pres-
 ent: Mmes. R. C. Ruffner, E. L.
 Fontaine, Tom Brookman, C. O.
 Bolen, K. C. Edmonds, Edwin
 George Jr., O. G. Lanier, G. W.
 Earp, and hostesses, with a group
 of children.

The club will meet with Mrs.
 Edwin George Jr., on next Wed-
 nesday afternoon at 2 o'clock for
 the hour to be spent in quilting.

WASKOM—S. K. Greer pur-
 chased "The Enterprise," local
 newspaper.


School Shoes
\$1.29
 pr.
for Boys or Girls

Good looking, long wearing
 shoes. High tops or oxfords.
 Black or brown calf, elk with
 trimming. Guaranteed leather
 soles or composition soles. Many
 styles. All sizes from 2 to 5 1/2.

See Our "Back-to-School"
 Window

**United Dry Goods
 Stores, Inc.**
 210 Main Ranger

**EASTLAND
 Personal**

Mrs. J. A. Beard and daughter,
 Wilma, returned Tuesday from a
 visit to Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Harris left
 Tuesday morning for a visit to
 San Angelo. They will return Sun-
 day.

Miss Joyce Quinn returned Mon-
 day from Los Angeles where she
 spent the past year attending
 school.

Mrs. Wesley Beard of Dallas is
 visiting her mother, Mrs. Mae Har-
 rison.

Mrs. C. E. Mick and daughter,
 Lucille, and Mrs. Lois Custafon,
 of Austin are visiting Mrs. A. J.
 Campbell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Martin and
 children returned Tuesday from a
 vacation spent in New Mexico.

Mrs. R. L. Parker, mother of
 Mrs. L. C. Brown, and Mrs. R. B.
 Halbower, and Miss Jessie Umber-
 boy of Fort Worth were guests of
 Mrs. Brown, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Saddy of
 Weatherford were Eastland visi-
 tors Tuesday.

Mrs. Barney Burgamy has re-
 turned from a visit with her
 daughter, Mrs. Carl Adams, in
 Oklahoma.

Miss Sarah Williams who has
 been visiting Mrs. George W.
 Belcher returned to her home in
 Wichita Falls, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlys Burgamy
 are visiting Mrs. Burgamy's moth-
 er in Lamesa.

Mrs. Tom Harrell and children
 are visiting Mr. Harrell in Tyler.
 J. Frank Dean was among those
 here Wednesday.

Henry Capers of Gorman was
 here Wednesday.

Miss Sarah Williams of Ranger
 was a business visitor in the city
 Wednesday.

Mrs. Nora Vaught has returned
 from Fort Worth where she went
 to accompany her daughter, Miss
 Ina Mae, who was en route to
 Whorton where she will teach this
 year. Miss Vaught has taught for
 three or four years at Whorton.

Joe Thomas Cook of the State
 University at Austin, and editor-
 in-chief of The Texas, the univer-
 sity daily newspaper, was a visitor
 in Eastland Wednesday.

**CUNNING OF WOMAN SPY
 MATCHED BY ENEMY**

"Men of the Sky," the First Na-
 tional mystery romances of the
 war-time systems, now at the Co-
 lumbia Theatre, Ranger, tells the
 thrilling drama of a boy and girl,
 who caught as spies are required
 to give the last full measure of
 devotion. Irene Delroy and Jack
 Whiting are featured as the il-
 fated lovers. Marvelous musical
 accompaniment adds to the power
 of the drama. Airmen in conflict,
 spies and soldiers portray a phase
 of war activities never so cleverly
 caught, as in this Kern-Harbach
 creation. It was directed by Alfred
 E. Green.

**SOCIAL AFFAIRS
 and CLUB NEWS**

MARY ELIZABETH HARRIS
 Editor
 Office Phone 500 Eastland

**Miss Wood Entertained
 Methodist League**

Miss Edith Wood entertained
 members of the Eastland Meth-
 odist League at her home Monday
 evening. An important business
 meeting was held. The league is
 planning to attend the West Cisco
 District Union which is to be held
 Friday night, in Ranger.

Following the business session
 a social hour was enjoyed.

Ice cream and cake was served
 to Misses Wanza Thomas, Shirley
 Ferrell, Opal and Frances Harrell,
 Melrose Henderson, Dorothy Day,
 and hostess Edith Wood and Wel-
 don Davis, Estee Burgamy, Truett
 Fulcher, Rob Roy Sparr, Carl Gar-
 rett and Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood.

**Primary Department of
 Methodist Church
 Enjoyed Picnic Tuesday**

Members of the primary depart-
 ment of the Methodist Sunday
 school enjoyed a picnic Tuesday
 afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at the
 city park. Many amusing and
 clever games were played by the
 children. A delicious picnic sup-
 per was spread to about 40 guests.

The teachers of the department
 chaperoned the group. Several
 mothers of the members were
 present.

**Eastland Methodist
 League Re-organized
 Sunday Evening**

The Eastland Methodist League
 re-organized Sunday evening at
 the Methodist Church. The follow-
 ing officers were elected: Edith
 Wood, president; Dorothy Day,
 vice president; Melrose Hender-
 son, secretary-treasurer. Other
 officers were appointed by the
 president. The league meets at 7
 o'clock each Sunday evening at
 the church. New members and
 visitors will be welcomed.

**Treasure Hunt
 Enjoyed**

Members of the Eastland Meth-
 odist League enjoyed a treasure
 hunt several nights ago. Clues
 were hidden in various parts of the
 city and there was a wild scam
 for the treasure. At the end of the
 hunt ice cream was served to the
 leaguers.

**Church of Christ
 Bible Class Met
 Monday Afternoon**

The Church of Christ Bible
 class met Monday afternoon at
 the church for a study lesson be-
 tween the old and new testament.
 The meeting opened with the song
 "I Want To Be More Like Jesus,"
 led by Mrs. J. R. Boggus. Mrs.
 Boggus led the opening prayer.
 The meeting closed with prayer.

**RANGER
 Personal**

Miss Lois Harmon of Nocona is
 the guest of her aunt and uncle,
 Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Roland, who
 have recently returned from a visit
 to cities of West Texas and Okla-
 homa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fry and
 daughter, Miss Mary Alice, left to-
 day for their home in Oklahoma
 City, following a visit with Mr. and
 Mrs. W. C. Fry, 535 South Oak
 street.

Clyde H. Davis is a business
 visitor in Fort Worth and Dallas
 this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Houchin and
 children, who have been visiting in
 Colorado and interesting points of
 the state during mid-summer, have
 been visiting in Ranger this week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Had-
 ley and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hadley,
 while en route to their home in Ok-
 mulgee, Okla.

Mrs. M. R. Newnam and chil-
 dren have returned home following
 a two weeks visit as guests of
 Mrs. Newnam's mother in Hous-
 ton and friends in Hallettville,
 the former home of Mrs. Newnam
 before living in Houston.

"Pud" Hammett and "Arkansas"
 McLaughlin will leave today for
 Houston, where they will enter
 Rice institute.

Miss Nell Tibbels, who has been
 visiting relatives and friends for
 the past few weeks, left yesterday
 for her home in Los Angeles.

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 bag is removed, because this re-
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 the suction. Work on the wind-
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 blown out of the car.

BROWNSVILLE—Faster air-
 mail connections between this city
 and Ohio, announced.

IT PAYS TO BE CAGEY!



Looks like Polly wants to crack 'er, doesn't it? And no wonder! If it weren't for that cage, this pair of parrots would be the victims of a cat-astrophe. You'd see 'em making a bird of a retreat, not pausing for anything, with Josephine in swift pursuit. These furred and feathered mascots aboard the Canadian National liner Lady Rodney, though old ship-mates, just never have been able to bury the hatchet.

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**Yale Man Prefers
 African Jungles To
 Taxicab Dangers**

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Home
 after darning the terrors of the Af-
 rican jungle, Donald H. Selchow,
 Yale graduate student, blanched at
 the behavior of New Haven's taxi-
 cabs.

"Darkest Africa holds nothing
 so fearful," he declared after
 bringing a consignment of animal
 specimens to the Peabody museum.
 Selchow, who went to Rhodesia in
 connection with geological re-
 search, was commissioned by the
 museum to bring back specimens
 of the smaller mammals.

*"Where
 have you been
 all my life?"*



**When the right one
 comes along . . .**

You wonder why you
 wasted time on the others!
 This been-waiting-all-my-life feeling
 has hit millions of smokers, men and
 women both . . . when they broke open
 their first Chesterfield package and
 caught its more pleasing aroma . . . when
 they lighted their first Chesterfield and
 knew, that minute, that it was milder—
 not sharp or biting.

And after a few puffs, they knew that
 the taste was better. Here were the
 cigarettes they had always hoped for,
 and looked for.

Here were the cigarettes that
 satisfy! Satisfy—that's the word
 that "fits."

The right tobaccos—the CHESTER-
 FIELD kind of tobaccos, Domestic and
 Turkish—cured and aged, blended and
 cross-blended in the right way. Every-
 thing that goes into Chesterfield is the
 best that money can buy and that science
 knows about. The paper is just right.
 Everything about them is just right.
 Notice the difference.

They Satisfy . . . and—they're milder.
 Smoke as many as you like!

GOOD . . . they've got to be good!