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Jazz Offensive Halted at Rio Grande Border

(By Associated Press)
LAREDO, May 25.—Mingled in the borderland where two worlds dwell and two civilizations meet are customs as old as romance and as new as jazz.

The Twentieth Century marches blaringly down to the bewitching Rio Grande del Norte and there it stops, for jazz has not yet crossed the barrier. On the other side, the Nineteenth Century flits up to the same great river of the North but does not altogether halt. The intriguing Latin tones of violin and guitar steal across to soften the din of brass and drum. The river separates two centuries but cannot bar the music of the soul.

Marriage, death, and love give a definite picture of life on the strangely moving border. These episodes become ceremonies when trimmed in Old World moods and the breath of Old World custom gives a different atmosphere to New World life.

Love-making for the young Mexicans follows a habit centuries old. He may become enamored of a fair senorita but it is only after his father has explained the situation to her father that they may become formally acquainted. Fain would every Latin hombre pick eloquence as his pater's outstanding virtue.

The wooing must be done thru the barred windows of the senorita's home until the engagement is announced. But when the moonlight filters thru the leaves, even though the formal announcement is not yet, the young man may strum his trusted guitar under the beloved one's balcony and his recompense is a rose. Each day during the weeks just before the wedding, he passes the home of the girl and places a note beneath her door.

The "gran baile" (grand ball) is the piece de resistance of the marriage, and in its amorous lilt there is no room for modern tin pan music. Even if the home have no flooring or furniture, the parents will manage to obtain lace curtains and they always will have a place for the "gran baile."

Fiestas are numerous but none rivals the "jamaica" or Mexican fete of jollity. Decorated booths are erected along the sides of the plaza which is the public square. Each booth is in charge of senoritas, bedecked in colorful "chino poblano", a long dress of many hues, a mantilla of lace, and a rose in the hair. One booth will be a temple of justice, with a senorita presiding as judge; another will have "lawyers," and a third will be the "carcel" or jail.

Then there are a number of young women "policemen," armed with beribboned hoops, and when they catch sight of a young "caballero," they slip the hoop over his head and he is brought captive to the judge, who promptly fines him, and then incarcerates him in the "carcel." At each step he pays a fine of ten cents, and must square all accounts before he is released.

There is the custom of the grand promenade, where flirtation is done by the wholesale. The girls and married couples saunter along in an outer line on the walks of the plaza, while on the inner line, going in the opposite direction, walk the young gallants. Should the eyes of two meet and should the girl cast a flower, it means that his acquaintance would be welcome, and he it once sets about to gain an introduction. These meetings frequently lead to marriage.

Plainly, jazz is not the life motif of the Latin. The classical dances of Spain predominate. The "Jarabe-Tapatia" is to be seen in homes and theatres. It is danced by a lady in a long skirted "chino poblano" and a senior in "valvet charro," which fits tightly about the legs. "La Jota," the dance of the shawl, also is a popular expression of the love for

MISS GREER IS VALEDICTORIAN

Miss Eleanore Greer, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greer, of South Ballinger, was officially announced as valedictorian Monday by J. B. Pace Jr., principal of the Ballinger high school.

Miss Greer's average grade for the past four years of high school work is 96 11-12.

Elbert Stubblefield, of Norton, is next high honor student, with an average of 94.43.

The commencement program as announced this morning by Mr. Pace is as follows:

Invocation, Rev. Alvin Swindell, pastor of the First Baptist Church

Class song, Seniors

Salutatory, Elbert Stubblefield

Violin solo, Miss Dorothy Chancy

Class address, Dr. J. Sam Barcus, president of Southwestern University, Georgetown

Chorus, high school

Valedictory, Miss Eleanore Greer

Presentation of scholarships, J. B. Pace Jr., principal of Senior high school

Presentation of diplomas, W. A. Cain, superintendent of city schools

Song, "Auld Lang Syne."

Miss Greer will also be presented with a handsome silver loving cup by John A. Weeks, a local druggist. The loving cup is about ten inches high, resting on a mahogany base. The following inscription is engraved on the cup, "Presented to Eleanore Greer, Valedictorian, Ballinger High School, 1926, by Jno. A. Weeks."

Those who will receive their diplomas are as follows:

- Crews Alexander
- Herbert Biederman
- Johnnie Bigby
- Augusta Blumentritt
- Gertrude Blumentritt
- Mildred Butler
- Clara Carr
- Dorothy Chancy
- Ethel Clark
- LaVon Coghill
- Margaret Cordill
- Mary Fawn Coulter
- Krehbiel Flanagan
- Eleanore Greer
- Henrietta Guion
- John I. Guion
- Mamie Gene Hale
- Ione Herring
- Ruth Holliday
- Herbert Kettler
- Miroslav Machotka
- Donnell Macune
- Clarence McCarver
- Althea McKissack
- Lillian McMillan
- Tom Penn
- Helene Pruser
- Maxine Russell
- Evelyn Shepherd
- Mildred Sides
- Nettie Routh Sledge
- Andra Lee Smith
- Wilma Straley
- Elbert Stubblefield
- Pauletta Tankersley
- Vember Taylor
- Jettie Thomas
- Russell Thomson
- Chester Uecker
- Hazel Walker
- Opal Walker
- Helen Williams

Small Pay to French Professors

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, May 25.—No professor at the University of Paris is paid as much as \$150 a month. The highest salary at recent exchange was \$1200 a year, which is paid only to first class professors. Second class get \$1100, and third class, \$655.

soft rhythm. These Mexican dances and customs filter across the border to flavor and modify American social life along the international boundary.

MARRIES 40 WOMEN; GETS MILLION IN JEMS

President Eulogizes Red Cross

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 25.—With President Coolidge delivering the address of welcome today, the Second Pan-American Red Cross Conference will devote the remainder of the week and all of next week to a study of the various problems encountered in carrying on the "work of mercy" throughout the Western Hemisphere.

About 250 foreign delegates have assembled for the meeting from more than thirty countries in all parts of the world.

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The Red Cross has provided a means by which the American people may express their spirit of consecration to peace and to the friendly cooperation of all nations, President Coolidge asserted today in an address welcoming the delegates to the Second Pan-American Red Cross Conference.

Speaking in Continental Memorial Hall, the president described the Red Cross as "in the truest sense a popular organization," which "springs from the people," and said that in bringing about such discussions as provided for at the conference the delegates were holding before their respective peoples "new ideals which can not but have a wider and wider reaction."

"In recent years," he added, "there has been much discussion of international relations. And, indeed, the need for such discussion is apparent. The application of scientific discovery to communications, to transportation, to industry, has bound the countries of the world together to a degree our forefathers could never have anticipated."

"Social organization seldom keeps pace with human activity in science, industry and commerce. The very complexity of modern governmental problems is appalling to those who share the responsibility. In the face of these increasing problems of international intercourse, cooperation of the peoples of the world must rest on a broad and fundamental basis. Mutual understanding, sympathy and tolerance must grow up among the peoples themselves and can not be imposed upon them."

"The ills of humanity are common to all nations and afflict us all alike. The chief factors conditioning human life and happiness are still natural rather than social in their character. Our chief problem, and the universal dilemma of the race is that of perfecting our adaptation to our natural environment; of controlling the blind forces of nature to make them serve as instruments of human happiness; of circumventing the operation of natural causes destructive of our health, our vitality, or our lives. As mankind learns to devote its efforts to these tasks, rather than to futile and internecine strife, international relationships will become increasingly cooperative and less controversial."

Our Pet Peeve



(By Associated Press)

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—Accused of having married two score or more women, and swindled them out of jewelry valued at more than a million dollars, Robert Whitman, alias Lord Beaverbrook, is being held without bail here today.

The man was arrested after a pursuit of several years and after being trailed across the continent and back again. He was awaiting extradition to New York on a specific charge in which it is alleged that he fleeced Mrs. Rose Burken out of diamonds worth more than \$125,000 in 1925. The arrest was made in a barber shop where Whitman was stopping with a girl companion.

MAY MODIFY DRY ORDER

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Coincident with a new outburst in congress against the presidential order authorizing federal employment of state officers for prohibition enforcement, it was announced from the White House today that the president was ready to modify his order if it proved to be too offensive to the law enforcement powers throughout the country.

MESSENGER IS ROBBED \$34,000

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, May 25.—Three armed men attacked a negro bank messenger today as he was leaving the Bronx branch of the Hamilton National Bank, and overpowering the negro, escaped with \$34,000.

The messenger was carrying the money in a brown paper parcel under his arm when the robbers held him up.

Mrs. Jack Holt has gone to Altus, Okla., where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Blake.

Chamber of Commerce to Help Legion Sell Bonds

100 PERISH IN JAP DISASTER

(By Associated Press)

TOKIO, May 25.—The bodies of fifty persons who perished in an eruption of the Hokkaido volcano have been recovered, says an official report from Governor Island. Two hundred buildings were swept away and about 1800 acres of farm land inundated.

Search for victims of the disaster continued today and the dead are already known to number 100, and the toll of damages and casualties is expected to increase.

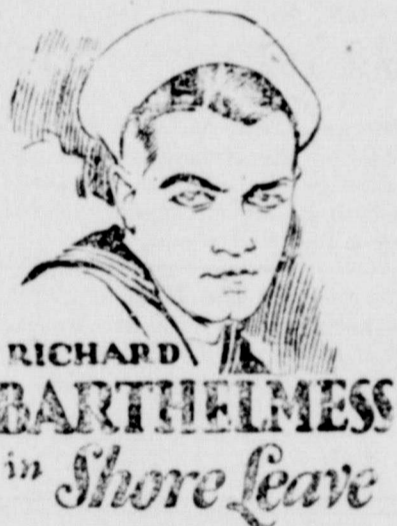
COOLIDGE SIGNS BUILDING BILL

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 25.—President Coolidge today signed the public buildings bill. The bill authorizes the expenditure of \$165,000,000 in construction of federal public buildings throughout the country, including post-offices in numerous cities.

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- "When I Was Seventeen" Soprano Marian Talley
- "The Wren"
- "Behind These Gray Walls" Vernan Dalhart
- "The Freight Wreck at Altoona"

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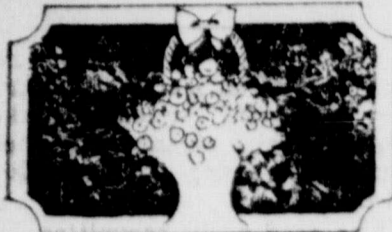
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GIFT TO VALEDICTORIAN

The more public spirited citizens in a community, the better the community. Life's object should be service and the man who does no unselfish acts soon becomes so narrow that he is not of much worth to himself or community.

Mr. Jno. A. Weeks has shown his interest in Ballinger Public Schools in a very commendable way. He is giving this year to the valedictorian a beautiful loving cup and proposes to make it an annual affair. To say that the school authorities appreciate this is to put it too mild for both the recipient of the gift, Miss Eleanor Greer, and the faculty wish to express their sincere thanks for this token of interest in our schools. It is to be hoped that many other good citizens will follow Mr. Weeks' example and get back of our schools that they may be made the very best in the state.

TWO SOLDIERS DIE IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK

Towner Dickinson returned home Saturday night from Comfort, where he has been with the West Texas Utilities Company which is building four lines out of that point.

Mr. Dickinson reports that he witnessed an auto wreck near Comfort in which one soldier was

killed and another fatally injured. The soldiers were members of a company of troopers who were on a hike out of San Antonio. They had been to San Antonio to take an army officer and were returning to Comfort and when about three miles out the government car in which they were clipping off about seventy miles per hour, hit a dip, went through the fence and turned several flips. One of the soldiers died from concussion of the brain and the other was believed to have been fatally injured. The wounded soldier and the body of the dead man were carried to San Antonio. The accident occurred Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Dickinson has been working in Comfort for some time, but will not return to that place.

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RETURN FROM FATHER'S FUNERAL

A. C. Newsom and sister, Mrs. Effie Drake, of the Valley Creek country, returned home Saturday night from New Mexico, where they were called to attend the funeral of their father, who died at the age of eighty-two years. They made the trip in an automobile, being accompanied by Mr. Newsom's son and Mrs. Drake's son.

Mr. Newsom says that they outran a rain and hail storm this side of Big Spring, or at least were in the edge of the country which he later learned was swept by a bad hail storm.

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BANKERS MEET IN GALVESTON

(By Associated Press) GALVESTON, May 25.—The agricultural problems of Texas were the paramount interests at the sessions of the 42nd annual convention of the Texas Bankers' Association, which convened here today.

"The success of the farmer determines in a large measure the success of the banker," declared Francis Welch of Taylor, president of the association.

STEADY GROWTH MARKS BALLINGER BUILDING

The steady growth of Ballinger is marked by new homes springing up here and there over the city, and by remodeling of a number of older residences. Numerous new houses are being completed, and contracts awarded for others.

J. C. Cook is building a new residence on Eighth Street. He is building the house as an investment and will rent it. Will Street, on Eleventh Street, has wrecked his old home and work has been started on a new one to take its place. K. V. Northington is making an addition to his home on Seventh Street. Mrs. E. A. Jeanes is building a new farm home on Valley Creek.

HEAVY GRAIN YIELD REPORTED AT MILES

Special to The Ledger: MILES, May 25.—Many binders began running near Miles this week, and it is estimated that oats will yield from 50 to 80 bushels per acre and wheat in some cases will yield from 30 to 50 bushels per acre. The late oats is not as heavy as the early planting. Rust is reported in many of the wheat fields.

Farmers are paying 50 cents per acre for cotton chopping and this work is getting under good headway. Rain is needed for late cotton and feed crops.

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DEAD IN MUNICH WRECK TOTAL 25

(By Associated Press) MUNICH, Bavaria, May 25.—Twenty-five persons were killed and 83 injured, many of them seriously, today, when a passenger train ran into another train which had stopped.

Notice Masons

Regular meeting tonight at 8:00 o'clock. Members urged to attend. Visitors cordially invited. M. C. Atkins, W. M. C. R. Crews, Secretary.

Bernie Ward left this morning for Dallas, where he will spend a few days and to bring his mother, Mrs. Tom Ward, back to Ballinger.

Chicago admits she has too many robbers, but doesn't say just how many would be enough.

NAMES LOCAL JUDGE ON CENTENNIAL BOARD

Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson has appointed Judge Paul Trimmer as honorary associate member of the Texas National Advisory Commission of the Sesqui-centennial Exposition, according to notice received by the local judge from the Texas chief executive.

The exhibition celebrating the signing of the Declaration of Independence 150 years ago will be held at Philadelphia and begins June 1st, closing December 1st.

Miss Georgia Singletary and Mrs. Odie Barrington have returned from San Angelo, where they visited over the week-end.

Mrs. A. S. Burris and daughter, Miss Josephine, left Tuesday morning for Stephenville, where they went to attend commencement at John Tarleton, where their son and brother, Theodore, graduates.

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- For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMIER
- For District Clerk: GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For County Attorney: C. P. SHEPHERD
- For Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN
- G. W. DUNLAP
- For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD
- For County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE
- For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1.: B. D. DUNCAN
- C. H. WILLINGHAM
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 1.: R. J. DEENS
- R. L. WHITE
- For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1: ROY HIGGINBOTHAM
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Overwork had so undermined her health that she had to give up all outside work, and when she saw this medicine advertised in the "Star" and other papers, she went to drugist and got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She took it regularly, was greatly benefited and now feels very much better.

Ethel May Snider's experience is similar to that of thousands of other women in all walks of life, who have sent testimonials to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company of Lynn, Mass.

Among those who praise the Compound are young girls who have been enabled to attend school regularly—working girls who have gained strength and endurance so necessary to them, housewives and mothers who have found that the tonic effect of the Compound has enabled them to perform their daily tasks more easily.

Movies



*MISS AMERICA (FAY LANPHIER) AS 'THE AMERICAN VENUS' A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

"The American Venus" Closes Run at Queen Tonight

If, as someone has pointed out, "a thing of beauty is a joy forever," then "The American Venus," which opened at the Queen Theatre yesterday for a two-day run, may rightfully be hailed as an enduring screen offering. It contains a richness of costume, a magnificence of setting, a sumptuousness of mounting and a super-abundance of feminine youth and loveliness that combine to make it quite the most eye-dazzling spectacle the silver-sheet has seen in months.

And yet, all these gorgeous trappings are merely the glorified trimmings for a zippy, thrill-filled story that holds the interest with its perpetual motion, exciting situations and ceaseless humor.

Esther Ralston looks lovely enough to win half a dozen beauty contests, while Lawrence Gray is the personification of vim and vigor. Ford Sterling and Fay Lanphier ("Miss America") are the other two featured players who acquit themselves with distinction.

Dick Barthelmess Here Tomorrow in "Shore Leave"

Richard Barthelmess, whose new First National picture, "Shore Leave," comes to the Queen Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday of this week, has had a distinguished series of leading women in his various productions.

Dick has always been a believer in strong casts and he has gone out of his way to secure the best possible actresses to play opposite himself. In the past Barthelmess has had such well known players as Dorothy Mackaill, Dorothy Gish, Bessie Love, May McAvoy, Pauline Garon, Louise Huff, Mary Astor and Gladys Hulette in the leading feminine roles of his productions. Many now prominent actors made their first hits in his pictures as well, for the young star believes in giving new talent a chance.

It was in Barthelmess' "Tollable David" that Ernest Torrence registered his first hit, playing the role of the brutal mountaineer. Up to that time Torrence was unknown to the films, having been a Scotch com-

edian in musical comedies. William Powell made his first hit in "The Bright Shawl." Carlotta Monterey came to pictures in "Soul-Fire."

Dorothy Mackaill is again appearing with Barthelmess in "Shore Leave." New York reviewers declare that she does the best work of her career as the little New England dressmaker in this picture.

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Impounding Notice STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels:

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of authority of Article No. 6970 Revised Civil Statutes 1925, and a certain affidavit heretofore filed with C. H. Willingham, Justice of the Peace in and for Precinct No. 1, Runnels County, Texas, wherein certain animals have been impounded by the affiant, O. L. Parish, as having been found roaming in and around his said premises, situated seven miles North of the town of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, and no woner having been found though diligent search was made, and said animals being described as follows:

One brown horse mule, about 15 hands high, smooth mouth, no marks or brands; one black mare about 15 1/2 hands high, smooth mouth, no brands, old wire cuts on hind legs.

Now, therefore, as aforesaid, I will on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1926, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock a. m. and 4:00 o'clock p. m., in front of the court house in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, sell the aforesaid stock to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy the costs of impounding and other costs, the remainder if any to be applied as directed by law in such cases made and provided.

JOHN D. WHITE, Deputy Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas, and Acting Constable of Precinct No. 1, said Runnels County, Texas. d-18-25

NAMES COMMITTEES FOR WEST TEXAS CONVENTION

R. Q. Lee, of Cisco, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, has named committeemen composing the committees to function at the annual convention which will convene at Amarillo next month. J. D. Motley, of Ballinger, is placed on the credentials committee. Jno. Q. McAdams, of Winters, was given a place on the resolutions committee. Carl S. Guin, of Dalhart, formerly of Ballinger, is chairman of the credentials committee.

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Miss Mesda Dunn, of Sweetwater, is here visiting her sister, Miss Dorris Dunn, nurse in the Halley & Love sanitarium.

Henry A. Parker, of Kansas City, is here visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Walter Parker.

Mrs. J. T. Williams is at home from a visit to different points in East Texas.

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ARCHITECT PLANS NEW HOTEL HERE

Col. G. G. Odom, one of this section's oldest settlers and holder of considerable property in Ballinger and Runnels county, has faith in Ballinger's progress for the next few years for he is making plans to have the Central Hotel worked over and remodeled until it is a modern hostelry.

Col. Odom plans to add a third story to the old two-story wing of the hotel and to equip each room with the modern conveniences of other fine hotels in West Texas.

The plans will be completed about June 15th, Col. Odom stated Monday afternoon, and the contract will be let immediately thereafter.

Roy E. Lane, architect of Waco, was in Ballinger during the past week and talked over matters with Col. Odom and went over the hotel.

Plans would have been ready some time this month but on account of an automobile accident near Brownwood several weeks ago in which Mr. Lane received serious injuries he was unable to be at his work.

Col. Odom does not know just what improvements will be made in the Central to bring it up to the standard of the best in this section of the country but he expects to spend several thousand dollars in repairing and remodeling throughout.

"Mr. Lane is now working on the plans," Col. Odom stated. "I expect to receive them about June 15th and as soon as they are approved, work will start on the construction of a much better and larger building."

It had been rumored for some time that the Central Hotel was

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to be worked over and that a number of additions and improvements were to be made, but Col. Odom only Monday afternoon officially announced that the hotel would undergo the remodeling act.

PLAINVIEW—A group of 50 students of Texas Technological College, including an orchestra and male quartette entertained Plainview high school students recently with a short program. The Tech students are touring this part of the state.

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WAR DEAD TO BE HONORED SUNDAY

Memorial services will be conducted at Evergreen Cemetery Sunday afternoon, May 30, at 5:00 o'clock with members of the Pat Williams Post No. 8, American Legion, in charge, it was announced this morning.

The Ballinger Band will open with a selection preceding a few remarks by E. W. McLaurin, post commander.

Rev. Alvin O. Rue, pastor of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, will lead in prayer.

Rev. Alvin Swindell, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will deliver the memorial address.

The closing part of the program will be "taps" with members of the local American Legion Auxiliary placing flowers on the graves of all departed veterans. The graves of the veterans of all wars will be decorated with flowers.

The public is cordially invited to be present and lend a hand in these services.

ENGLISH AUTHOR IS FOUND DEAD

(By Associated Press) LONDON, May 25.—Sir Charles Walpole, jurist and author, was found dead in his home last night. Death was due to a bullet wound. A revolver was found lying beside his body.

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Ernest Ayeock and A. L. Parr returned home Sunday from Dallas where they had been on business, and where they came near having to spend a time in the lock-up, and escaped only after resorting to various tactics in identifying themselves and getting in the clear with a Dallas policeman.

Mr. Ayeock went to Dallas to get parts for his thrasher, and Mr. Parr accompanied him to take a shipment of auto casings which the Parr garage and filling station was returning to a wholesale dealer at Dallas. The boys left Ballinger late Friday afternoon and driving down the streets of Dallas at 3:00 o'clock Saturday morning with the back end of a Ford touring car loaded with casings looked a little suspicious to the Dallas policeman, so the cop took charge of the Ballingerites and casings and headed for the temple of justice.

When the boys attempted to assure the officers that the casings were not stolen property, and tried to identify themselves, the policeman told them to "tell that to the judge." Ayeock and Parr were not given their freedom until they produced substan-



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tial evidence to convince the officers that the casings were not stolen, and that they were being returned to the dealer. The cops told the boys that 3:00 o'clock in the morning was not a good hour to be hauling casings around Dallas when there was so much stealing going on.

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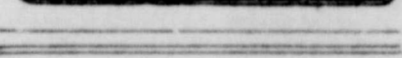
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(By Associated Press)
LA GRANGE, Tex., May 25.—A motion to continue the case of Pete Banks, negro, charged jointly with Mrs. C. P. Jones for the murder of the latter's husband, was before the court here today. The court yesterday granted Banks a separate trial. Banks' attorneys, appointed by the judge of the court, based their motion for a continuance on absence of witnesses. Jones was killed several weeks ago in his home.

TEN STUDENTS FINED \$40 EACH

(By Associated Press)
LANSING, Mich., May 25.—Ten students of the Michigan State College, seven of whom spent last night in jail, were fined \$40 each today and placed on probation as the result of celebrating a baseball victory by building a bonfire opposite the state capitol here and burning the bleachers on their campus at East Lansing, last night.

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J. D. Motley and Albert Sledge attended the Lions Club luncheon at Winters Tuesday.

TESTIFIES BATH TUB STORY TRUE

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, May 25.—Joyce Hawley testified today in the perjury trial of Earl Carroll. The actress testified that she not only occupied the bathtub on the stage of Carroll's theatre, but declared that she was drunk when she got in the bathtub, and said that she was made drunk from liquor served to her in the theatre. Carroll is on trial on a perjury charge in connection with the grand jury investigation of a "wild party" which it is alleged was staged in his theatre when champagne was served to the guests from a bath tub in which Miss Joyce was seated.

SAYS DAN FAILED TO DENY CHARGES

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, May 25.—Dan Moody failed to answer many of the charges made at Sulphur Springs where Governor Ferguson opened her campaign last Saturday. James E. Ferguson, husband of the governor, declared this afternoon. In view of Dan's failure to deny the charges, Ferguson said that they should be accepted as true.

MILES SCHOOL CLOSSES WITH 11 GRADUATES

Special to The Ledger:
MILES, May 25.—The graduation exercises of the Miles public school will be held Thursday night. Judge Frank Hargraves,

of Menard, will deliver the commencement address. There are eleven students in the graduation class. J. M. MeBard, of Simmons College, has been chosen as valedictorian, and Miss Johnnie Morgan as salutatorian. Revs. C. W. Stokes, M. S. Hill and J. M. Henkel, local pastors, assisted in the services.

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