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YOUTHS CRASH DALLAS STORE; LOSS \$5,000

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Oct. 18.—Travelling at a high rate of speed, an automobile occupied by two youths crashed into the front of a grocery store here early today. The car plowed its way into the center of the store, turning over counters and scattering groceries. The driver hurriedly backed from the wreckage and sped away.

Damage to the store is estimated at \$5,000.

THIS MAN RUNS MELTING POT FOR NEW AMERICANS

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, Oct. 18.—Making good Americans out of alien material is the job of E. C. Webner, chief clerk in the office of the business manager of Houston's public schools.

He is conducting classes for applicants for citizenship papers previous to court hearings on their petitions for citizenship. He is carrying on this work in connection with regular night classes in Houston's public schools. Mr. Webner has taught similar classes here for the last three years. Previously he had served five years in the district court here, where naturalization cases frequently were heard.

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HEALTH WEEK AT CHRIST'NCHURCH

Health and religion are being featured in a health week program at the First Christian Church this week, and two programs of unusual interest have been arranged for Tuesday and Thursday nights, according to Rev. Leslie G. Smyth, pastor of the church.

Rev. Smyth believes that in order to be a spiritual growing church the membership must be a healthy, active membership, and he preaches, practices and teaches rules for right living which make for better health, and has a large class of young men, and older men too, who are enthusiastic followers of their leader in this important work.

In keeping with health week Rev. Smyth has arranged a program for Tuesday night and Thursday night which will be presented in the auditorium of the church, and to which everyone is invited. There will be no admission charges.

In addition to other features on Tuesday night lectures on "Medicine, Health and Religion" will be delivered. Dr. J. W. Blasdel will be the principal speaker on this occasion.

Prof. Ed Weems, head of the English department of Abilene Christian College, and holder of many medals in athletics, will give a lecture Thursday night. His subject will be "A Body Sacrifice." Prof. Weems is bringing to Ballinger with him the first girl that T. C. U. ever awarded the degree of Bachelor of Music, and he is also bringing the A. C. C. male quartet.

Prof. Weems broke three state records in athletic events in one day, and will give to those who hear him some simple rules for keeping fit physically. The programs will consist of a variety which promises to be entertaining, and it is all free, and everybody invited to attend.

7 VESSELS WRECKED OFF JAPAN COAST

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Oct. 18.—A London Evening News dispatch from Tokyo says that seven vessels were reported to have been wrecked by a gale in Northern Japan. Among the ships which were wrecked was the Kaitso Maru, which foundered with many passengers aboard.

Son of Dickens Finds Name Has a Handicap

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Oct. 18.—Bearing the name of an honored celebrity is something of a handicap. When celebrating his golden wedding, Sir Henry F. Dickens, son of the novelist, said the name he bore had been an advantage to him in some ways, but in others it had been a disadvantage because people had expected so much of him.

In making a presentation, Sir E. Marshall Hall said Sir Henry combined in himself all the lovable qualities of the many lovable characters created by Charles Dickens, his father.

Misses Naomi McWilliams and Frances Trail have returned to Simmons University at Abilene after spending the week-end at home.

FAIR FOLKS HEAR LYCEUM NUMBER

Conflicting dates made it necessary to combine some of the attractions put on for the amusement of the people Saturday night, and the Wells Duo, a musical and novelty attraction brought here under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers Association, was combined with the Merchants Carnival and other grandstand numbers which were presented at Fair Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells consented to stage their program in the open air, although it forced them to work under disadvantages. The grandstand was packed and running over for the double program, and the lyceum number was offered first. The artists showing under the lyceum contract made good and their numbers added greatly to the program which closed the sixth annual fair. On account of open air difficulties and the length of the programs, it was necessary for Mr. and Mrs. Wells to cut out some of their numbers, but those presented brought applause from the large audience.

The fair association honored all season tickets for the lyceum number and paid the Parent-Teachers Association \$25 for adding the musical numbers to the fair program for the closing evening. This was probably more than the P. T. A. would have realized had the attraction been presented in the high school auditorium as scheduled.

AUTO CRUSHES MAN TO DEATH

(By Associated Press)
PORT ARTHUR, Oct. 18.—Thad Jacobs, an insurance man, was crushed to death here today when an automobile plunged across his lawn and pinned him to the steps of his home.



TEXAS GINNINGS SHOW INCREASE

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Oct. 18.—Cotton ginned in Texas prior to October 1st shows an increase of 162,094 bales over the corresponding period of 1925, despite adverse weather conditions and unfavorable prices for cotton in 1926, according to figures announced by the United States Department of Commerce today.

The total number of bales ginned for this year is 2,044,944 as compared with 1,882,850 in 1925.

Mr. and Mrs. John Patison, of Brady, visited relatives in Ballinger Sunday.

MARIE ARRIVES IN U.S. TODAY

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Queen Marie of Rumania, and her royal party stepped onto American soil at the Battery today in a drizzling rain which dampened everything except the spirits of the smiling visitors and the cheering of hundreds who crowded the great square for a glimpse of the first queen to visit America in seven years.

Two Families Exchange Sons for Education

(By Associated Press)
MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 16.—Two families, one in Minneapolis and the other in Vienna, Austria, have "exchanged" sons for a year to further their educational advantages.

Dr. Frank S. Bissell's 18-year-old son has gone to Vienna to live with Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Schuller there and attend the University of Vienna, while Franz Schuller, 19, has come to live with the Bissells here, and attend the University of Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Hayley, of Norton, were visiting friends in Ballinger Sunday.

TEXAS RAILWAY WANTS TO QUIT

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Marshall, Elysian Fields and the Southeastern Texas Railroad asked permission today of the Interstate Commerce Commission to abandon operations because the line is unprofitable.

LYNN TO ATTEND COTTON MEETING

H. W. Lynn, president of the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers' Association, and also manager of the Winters Oil Mill, left here Sunday for Memphis, Tenn., where he will attend the cotton meeting at which an effort will be made to stabilize the price of the staple.

Mr. Lynn, Chas. DuBose of San Antonio, and Ed Woodall of Dallas, are representing the Texas mills and cotton seed oil refineries at this meeting. They will voice the sentiments of the cotton industries of this state.

The three Texas representatives will return to this state after the meeting adjourns.

THRU FREIGHT STARTS NOV. 1

(By Associated Press)
BROWNSVILLE, Oct. 18.—Officials of the National Railways of Mexico have received notice from the federal government that through freight service between the United States and Mexico will be inaugurated on November 1st under an agreement with the American railroads.

Under the new ruling promulgated by the Mexican customs department, carload shipments will not be detained at the port of entry but will be inspected at the point of destination.

Mrs. Bailey has returned home with her son, John Bailey, of Ozona, who had been here visiting his sister, Mrs. Scott H. Mack.

Judge A. O. Strother, of Winters, county Democratic chairman, was in Ballinger Monday looking after business.

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(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Oct. 18.—J. H. Winder, a highway contractor of Bellville, today told the House investigating committee that for \$7,500 to be delivered in \$5 and \$10 bills, James E. Ferguson offered in April 1925, to obtain for him the maintenance contract in five counties.

Winder said that only he and Ferguson were present when the former governor made the offer, which Winder termed "an attempt to bribe me."

The first witness at the open session was W. G. Hill, public accountant, of Austin, who testified that he had given Eugene Smith, former secretary and now chairman of the State Highway Commission, \$250, after Hill had collected \$3,600 from the state which he said was due him.

AUSTIN, Oct. 18.—L. W. Kemp, who pushed the validation of \$100,000,000 worth of Texas road bonds by a recent called session of the legislature, was the first witness called before the House investigating committee at the probe of state departments.

Several other witnesses are ready to go before the committee. The committee of nine went into executive session this morning. Lee Satterwhite, speaker of the House, and chairman of the committee, said the investigating body would get down to business immediately.

The investigation will go back to the beginning of the Ferguson administration and will probe the highway department, the board of pardons, and such other departments as the committee may see fit.

As authorized by the House, the findings will be reported to the 40th legislature in January.

Tommy Hall has returned from Abilene, where he spent the week-end with his parents.

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Ballinger's vacant lot law is now in full force and effect. Just how effective it remains to be determined.

The 1926 Runnels County Fair is now a thing of history, and Texas can turn its attention to the State Fair at Dallas.

Before going on duty every night Amarillo's police force needs for a few moments of prayer. If there is any man who needs the guidance and protection of the divine power it is the man who must go out and deal with the present day hi-jacker.

After all has been said about the evils of an over-production cotton crop, it is better for some lines of business than a smaller crop at a higher price. The

bigger the crop the more money the railroads, the compress and the insurance companies get. These rates are fixed and refuse to come down with the price of cotton.

Brown county farmers are complaining about poultry thieves working overtime in that county. Poultry for the Thanksgiving market will begin to move in a few days, and it would be a wise idea for the poultry raisers to sleep with one eye open and focused on their turkey roost. Just a reminder to help you conserve your pin money.

After a big party the next task on the program is to put the house in order and get down to business. All work and no play may make Jack a dull boy, but Jack has just had his day at the Runnels County Fair, and now it is back to the school room, back to the cotton patch and a few other odd jobs which demand attention to make a well balanced program.

From October 30 to November 6 is "Pay-up Week" throughout the United States, designated as such by the Retail Merchants Association. Some people go on the "pay as you enter" plan; some pay once a month, some pay once a year and some don't pay at all. It is for the latter class that pay-up week should have a meaning. Buying on the credit is a much abused practice in the commercial world, and the man who pays must pay for the man who does not pay—the dead beat.

Rev. Leslie G. Smyth, pastor of the First Christian Church, is announcing a health week program for this week that should prove a big drawing card. Man was made perfect physically and practically all the ills of the human race are brought on by bad habits and neglect. Much is being said and more written on this subject in the present age than for centuries past, and practicing health rules and the common sense way of living is aiding science in building a better race of people for the next generation.

An hour or two spent in attending the program at the First Christian Church will help you spiritually, mentally and physically.

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Card of Thanks

May I take this method to express my appreciation of the aid of my friends during the hour of grief and sorrow in the illness and death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Laura Turner. Friends were very gracious and their many kind words and acts made the grief and sorrow easier to bear. May God bless you all.

J. H. TURNER,
C. R. SHEFFY,
A. D. SHEFFY.

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Edouard Herriot's Book Used for Opera Score

PARIS, Oct. 18.—The "Life of Madame Recamier" by former premier Edouard Herriot, now minister of education, has been used to supply a libretto for an opera. The music has been written by Charles Pons, the composer, who wrote the music for Clemenceau's "Veil of Happiness" when it was made into an opera.

Lille is to produce the new work with M. Herriot present as a guest of the municipality.

FAIR DIRECTORS IN MEETING THIS AFTERNOON

Members of the board of directors of the Runnels County Fair Association went into an executive session this afternoon to check over the receipts of the sixth annual fair which closed here Saturday.

The association does not yet know just how it is situated in regard to the financial success of the celebration, but it is assured of the success of the various departments.

Winners of prizes in the fair will be checked over in the office of the secretary, J. D. Motley, and checks will be mailed within the near future.

Saturday, the closing day of the fair, and not one of the regular scheduled days, is expected to prove the biggest day of attendance of any of the five days. Rain prevented record breaking attendance on the other days.

NOTABLES COMING TO STATE FAIR PRESS DAY

Press Day at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, which will be Monday, Oct. 11, is to be featured by a joint meeting of committees on law enforcement and court reform, from the Texas Bar Association and the Texas Press Association. Judge Marcus Kavanaugh, of the Cooke county Superior Court, Chicago, Ill., and Governor-Elect Dan Moody of Texas will both attend.

The meeting is scheduled for 2 p. m. in the auditorium, Monday, Oct. 11, and according to announcement over the signatures of all the committeemen, all citizens of Texas who are in sympathy with the movement, are invited to attend. The committee also requests that general announcements of the meeting be made by newspapers, by ministers from pulpits and on public occasions of every nature.

"The movement," according to the statement of the committee, "relates solely to the public welfare and must rely upon the support and sympathy of the citizenship which believes that something should be done to remedy conditions as they now exist."

In the wild country between the Congo and Senegal there still remain a few tribes where slavery and cannibalism still reign supreme. A white mission is en route to emancipate the last of the slaves.

A majority of Christians in Syria believe the end of the world is coming and that the final battle will be fought in the plains of Esdraelon, Damascus, in the year 1934.

Hens scratching in a sandpit on the golf links at Fleetwood, England, resulted in the discovery of 400 Roman coins.

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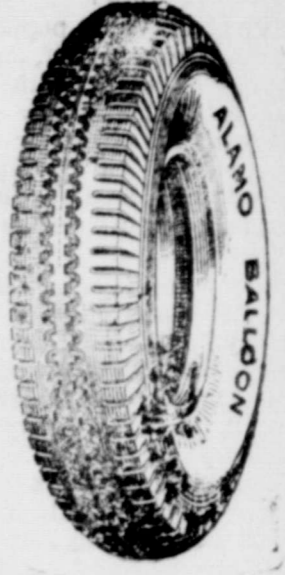
(Associated Press)
 ON, Oct. 18.—This is a what the cows are doing, as cattleman it is of in- more interest than the (ince Semple McPherson ngeles, a gangster's war, or the visit to Amer- reen Marie of Rumania. Schutz, government stat- it Houston, has told the tleman that the condi- 'exas cattle has declined ts to 92 per cent and ges have come down ts to 90 per cent. Mr. ow announces Western and range conditions, e cattleman studies for a clue to what their appli- eans to his industry. l rains over most of the states, Mr. Schutz said,

ter feed. The price of hay is reported somewhat higher as the demand has increased. No great shortage has been reported in any section. The condition of the range is 83 per cent of normal as compared with 84 per cent last month and 92 per cent a year ago.
 "Cattle and calves continue in good condition, except in West- ern North Dakota, Western Kan- sas and Idaho. Rains have re- lieved some of the dryer areas, but shipments of cattle continue to move in volume, as it is thought the food supply will not suffice for the winter's needs. Also the recent rise in market prices has stimulated a greater movement in some of the states.
 "Generally the ranges are lightly stocked and there is only a slight tendency to restock with cattle. The situation is partly caused by the fact that financial backing is difficult to secure. The general shifting from cattle to sheep continues to find favor. The condition of cattle is placed

at 90 per cent compared with 91 per cent last month and 92 per cent a year ago.
 "Sheep and lambs are in very good to excellent condition. The dry conditions have not caused any material shrinkage and all classes will start the winter in a strong condition. Shipments are getting under way and are as- suming volume. A large percent- age of the feeder has been con- tracted for fall delivery at around 10 cents or better. A large portion of these are going to corn belt feeder.
 "There is a strong tendency for range flock owners to cull aged ewes closely and replace them with ewe lambs or yearling ewes. All young ewes are selling at a premium. Aged ewes are finding a ready market in the farming sections.
 "The condition of sheep is rated at 93 per cent of normal compared with 94 per cent last month and 98 per cent a year ago."

France Not Worrying About Future of Oil
 (By Associated Press)
 PARIS, Oct. 15.—France is one of the few countries that is not worrying about the future of her petroleum supply.
 Potential petroleum sources, available to France says M. Pineau, director of the National Bureau of Combustible Liquids, if properly developed within the next decade, will furnish a supply sufficient for many years to come.
 Of purely French sources, Mad- agascar promises the largest sup- ply. The most important French source, however, M. Pineau finds is in Mosul, where French inter- ests are permitted a twenty-five per cent share in the exploitation under the treaty of San Remo. Within five years oil from this source is expected to be almost sufficient for the entire needs of the country and its colonies, leaving Madagascar, domestic and colonial fields for reserve.

Work This "Gold Mine" When the Tide is Out
 (By Associated Press)
 BANDON, Ore., Oct. 15.—This town, beside the Pacific Ocean, its business district built on piling over the tide flats, has be- come the scene of a novel gold quest.
 Indications of gold quartz were found recently while drilling for piling. Search was immediately started for gold in commercial quantities next to the First Na- tional Bank. The work has to be done when the tide is out as the "mine" is covered with water at high tide.
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| Dayton Dependable | \$25.15 |
| Dayton 8-Ply | \$28.85 |

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Virginia Valli, popular screen star and wife herself, answers the above question with an emphatic "No!" thereby disagreeing with the character she is impersonating in "Watch Your Wife," Universal feature showing today and Tuesday at the Queen Theatre.

In "Watch Your Wife" Miss Valli is co-starred with Pat O'Malley. As the wife she becomes angered by her husband's devotion to his work which, in this case, is that of a novelist. O'Malley plays the part of the husband. Little quarrels become big ones and they finally separate.

"A wife should not demand that her husband sacrifice his work for her," asserts Miss Valli. "In 'Watch Your Wife' my husband is an author who is completely wrapped up in his work. I, as his wife, become peeved because he appears to neglect me for his novel. The wife should have realized that what he was doing was for her. The result of his work provided the means for maintaining the household."

"I think that wives in real life should take all this into consideration, and should not ask too much of their husbands. Women often demand too much attention, and after all, this does not pay the rent or buy clothes."

"Watch Your Wife" is an entertaining domestic comedy-drama directed by Svend Gade. It provides an intimate picture of a home life that many may see as their own. It has been produced in a niggardly manner and by a most culpable lot of players. Among those screen artists whose work stands out are Helen Lee Worthing, Nat Carr, Albert Conti, Aggie Herring and Nora Hayden.

"Say It Again" at Palace Gives Richard Dix Lots of Action

"Say It Again," the main attraction at the Palace Theatre today and Tuesday, is the third romantic farce in a row for Richard Dix, under the direction of Gregory La Cava. And it is funnier and faster than either of the other two successes, "Let's Get Married" and "Woman-handled."

The picture has a long, colorful sequence of whole-hearted, two-fisted scuffling worked out in one of those side-splitting comedy situations which have caused such laughter and excitement in so many of Dix's features. Moreover, the fighting involves nearly one hundred people, all punching at once. The situation is funny because Dix, as the central figure in an intrigue around a throne, is not responsible for his predicament, being kept in ignorance of what all "the shooting's for."

The comedy becomes a riot when Chester Conklin, last laughed at in "A Woman of the World," and "A Social Celebrity," appears as the prince for whom Dix has been mistaken.

As a background for the story we see the quaint streets, houses and citizenry of an imaginary small European kingdom, with the pomp and spectacle of its royal court.

Running through the picture is a thread of romance with real thrills, glamour and heart-tug in it. The center of this is beautiful, blonde Alyce Mills, Dix's new leading woman, "Princess Elena." She is slender and tall—as all princesses should be—weighing just 122 pounds and being five feet five inches in height.

She will be remembered as Conway Tearle's leading woman in "Morals for Men," William Powell's in "School for Wives," and Lou Tellegen's in "With This Ring." Little more than a year ago, Miss Mills played a vampire role in Dix's Paramount picture, "Too Many Kisses."

Brunk's Comedians Open Week's Engagement Tonight

Brunk's Comedians, under the personal management of Fred G. Brunk, will open a week's engagement in Ballinger tonight, showing on the lots located next to the Coca Cola Bottling Works on Hutchings Avenue.

Mr. Brunk has a cast of over thirty people in his big company this season, including a band, some of the very best vaudeville acts, and one of the best casts of dramatic actors ever seen under canvas who present such late royalty plays as "Why Men Leave Home," "The Broken Wing," "The Red Shadow," "Goldstein and Murphy," and "The Unmarried Mother."

The opening play for tonight is Avery Hopwood's famous New York comedy dramatic success, "Why Men Leave Home."

Jerry Barnes and his eight Melody Makers will furnish the musical part of the program and all of those who attend are assured of a musical treat for the Melody Makers are all young union musicians who play the late popular music.

There will be a free concert in front of the huge tent each evening at 7:00 o'clock at which time the doors open and the show starts at 8:00 o'clock.

EASY TO DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. For only 75 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger.

The Morse code has been found too slow for telegrams in France and the government owned system will use the "teletype," similar to the ticker.

THE MORSE CODE — SORE GUMS: Your friends dare not say so, but your sore gums and foul breath don't make folks like you any better. Let's Pyorrhea Remedy will make you more welcome everywhere. Druggists return money if it fails. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. Ltd

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are obtained from the work we do on your car and when overhauled by us you can count on it—she'll take you there and back.

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Proprietors

OPEN WINDOW LETS IN CURING EFFECT OF SUN

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Sun rays as the housewife's friend, especially in the kitchen, is a new representation of medical science to the every-day world.

"The housewife who would have her home freer from the dangerous forms of germ life should let the sun in through the open window," said Dr. William Benham Snow of New York, at a conference on ultra-violet rays. "Ultra-violet rays do not penetrate glass, and they are the beneficent rays that destroy bacteria."

Certain foods may be exposed to the sun with profit of another sort, Dr. Snow added.

"Various foods exposed to ultra-violet rays are rendered vitaminic active, possessing effects which otherwise would not be present," he said.

"Flour, milk and some other foods that are subjected for periods to ultra-violet rays or to the sun's rays, receive derived properties from the radiations which cause them to become more active in the processes of body building."

Other properties of these powerful invisible light rays Dr. Snow summarized as follows: they penetrate running water and rid it of bacterial life that might cause infection; they act upon the lime salts in circulation in the blood so that it can be used in bone building, and in this way they are the specific cure for rickets.

Twin Brothers Quarrel

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, Oct. 18.—Twin brothers, 84 years old, nearly quarreled for the first time in their lives at their birthday party because an inquisitive reporter wanted to know which was the elder.

"Albert is the baby," said John Schack. "I was born 15 minutes earlier."

"Let's forget it," pouted Albert. "Whenever he wants to make me angry he calls me baby. He's right in a way, but from the time we were born I've always had to push him along."

Though both are married and have married daughters, they virtually have gone through life together. Both retired from business about 12 years ago and now they spend their time taking long walks, playing skat or reading.

What You Want In the WANT ADS
Typewriter Paper \$1.00 per ream. Ballinger Printing Co.

EXPLORER IN ARCTIC AND WIFE IN NEW YORK, CHAT VIA RADIO



George Palmer Putnam, New York Publisher, who heads American Museum Greenland Expedition, now returning to New York.

THE schooner "Morrissey," of the American Museum Greenland Expedition, was lying off Ellesmera Land, far up in the Arctic Circle, a few nights ago. The hour was 2 a. m. Arctic time, and all members of the crew save Edward Manley, radio operator, were slumbering in their bunks.

Suddenly George Palmer Putnam, director of this expedition, which has been gathering specimens of fish and animal life for the American Museum of Natural History since last June, was aroused by someone shaking vigorously his shoulder.

"Hello Greenland!"
"Mr. Putnam! Wake up! Your wife wants to talk to you!" It was Manley shouting in the explorer's ear.
For a moment, confused by the sudden awakening, Putnam feared his radio operator must have lost his mind.
"My wife wants to talk with me? What—Say, Manley—what's the matter, old fellow?"

But Manley managed to get Putnam into the radio room. There the explorer, now fully awake, realized that almost a miracle was about to happen. His wife, nearly 4,000 miles away in New York City, was trying to talk with him by radio!

It was just midnight in New York. Mrs. Putnam was seated in the radio room of the New York Times, where many of the messages throughout the summer from the expedition had been received. With her were Lieutenant Commander Fitzhugh Green, U. S. N., American adviser for the expedition. Mrs. Putnam had been advised that there was the barest possible chance that direct communication to and from the short-wave radio equipment of the Morrissey might be accomplished.

"Mrs. Putnam is here," Ralph Campbell, one of the Times' operators flashed to Manley.

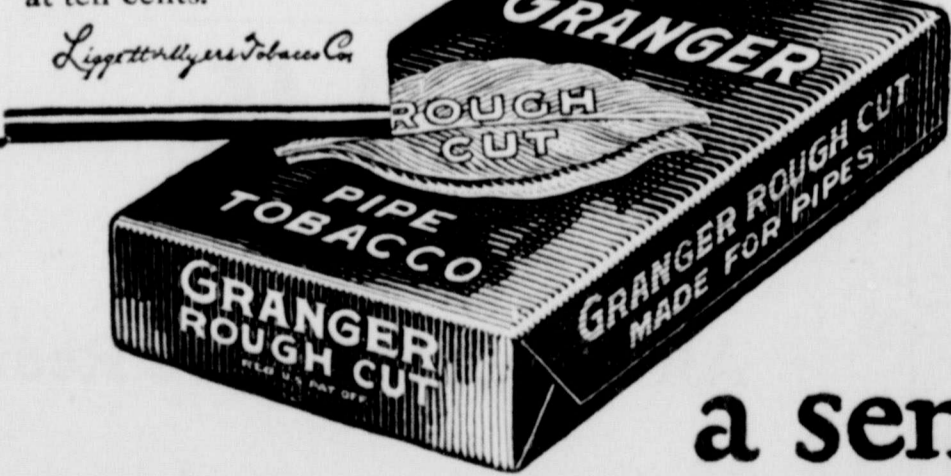
Then the following message came back to the New York Times from Manley, just as it was dictated away up in the Arctic, by Putnam: "Hello, my dear. David (Mr. and Mrs. Putnam's 13-year-old son, who is a member of the expedition) and I wish you could share with us this unsully night as we parade up and down Jones Bay in fog. Manley just now on deck clearing ice off insulators. Fog freezing icy coating over all. Temperature 27. Grand run across Baffin Bay. Bob, Art and Carl send love. Just then we crashed

against ice pan. Let's hope one has a polar bear tenant. His hide is mortgaged for a rug for June. All well. Dave has done grand job with his little book. Convey New York Times greetings and gratitude for transmitting congratulatory messages. You thank senders for me."

Then there was some more about the success of the trip and a request that Mrs. Putnam "register my appreciation to Bill Knapp and Atwater Kent, for this radio is a joy."

Scarcely had the last word been flashed by Manley when Mrs. Putnam's answer began flashing back across nearly 4,000 miles of land and sea and ice:
Mrs. Putnam Replies
"Heavenly full moon; hot night. A lug for David. My love to the whole crowd. I share your thrills and hope for you good hunting. But long to have you all home again. "DOLLY."
And for the first time in history, an explorer in the bleak Arctic had talked directly with his wife by radio—and short-wave, low-power radio at that!
The request for "appreciation to Bill Knapp and Atwater Kent" meant that Putnam wanted to extend his thanks for the short-wave, dry-battery powered transmitter and the radio receiver with which the National Carbon Company and Atwater Kent equipped the expedition, for radio investigation and experimental purposes, before it left New York last June.
"Bob," "Art" and "Carl" are Captain Bob Bartlett, skipper of the Morrissey and skipper for the late Admiral Peary on his famous North Pole expedition; Arthur Young, noted bow and arrow hunter, and Carl Durrud, Montana cowboy, who lassoed walrus and musk-oxen on the Greenland trip.

WE BELIEVE the advantages of the soft foil package are so many, and its economy so great, that we have elected to pack one of our finest pipe tobaccos in this handy form to retail at ten cents.



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IS IT CATARRH?

Oden, Ark.—About four years ago I was troubled with catarrh in the head and with indigestion. My doctor did me no good. Finally I wrote to Dr. Pierce and when I received an answer I sent for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, Pleasant Pellets, and Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, also a Nasal Irrigator. I commenced to doctor myself and had good success. I'm sure I would not have been living if I hadn't obtained relief. I am 64 years of age. I tell every one who has catarrh to consult Dr. Pierce, as he surely helped me.—J. W. Ledbetter. All dealers.

Write Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for free advice.



WEDDING BELLS

Daugherty-Pruser

Two graduates of the Ballinger high school and popular young people among a host of friends were wedded Sunday morning at 8:00 o'clock, the ceremony being performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pruser, on Bluff Creek, North of Ballinger, when Dr. Alvin Swindell spoke the words which made Garrett Daugherty and Miss Helene Pruser man and wife. The members of the families and a few friends were present to witness the impressive ceremony.

Mr. Daugherty is a Ballinger raised boy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Daugherty. He chose for his life's partner one of the county's popular young ladies. She was a member of the 1926 Senior class of the Ballinger high school. Since graduating from the Ballinger schools Mr. Daugherty has been associated with his father in the grocery business in Ballinger.

Following a visit of several days at Dallas, Fort Worth and Comanche, these popular young folks will return to Ballinger to make their home, and will occupy the J. A. Williams house on Ninth Street. They left on a honeymoon trip following the wedding Sunday morning.

Mauldin-Walker

Ballinger lost another one of her popular young ladies Saturday night when Leonard R. Mauldin, of Los Angeles, California, led to the marriage altar Miss Emma Alice Walker, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Walker.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. B. C. Mann, in Santa Rita

Heights, San Angelo, at 8:00 o'clock Saturday night. Rev. E. W. McLaurin, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Ballinger, went over and performed the ceremony.

The wedding guests included the parents and sisters of the bride, the mother, sister and other relatives of the groom, and a number of friends of Ballinger and San Angelo. The ring ceremony was carried out and the home was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

After a few days visit here and at San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Mauldin will leave for Los Angeles, California, making the trip in their automobile. Mr. Mauldin is an architect for the Universal Film Corporation, and it was while on a visit to San Angelo several months ago that the courtship which led to the happy wedding started.

Mrs. Mauldin is a graduate of the Ballinger high school, and has been living in Ballinger since babyhood. Since completing her high school work she has been specializing in music and is quite an accomplished pianist. She has a host of friends who extend best wishes, but who regret to lose her from Ballinger.

Farm for Sale

The Charles Beach farm of 234 acres located 8 miles West of Ballinger and 6 miles North of Rowena. This property can be purchased at a bargain.

R. E. JACKSON,
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Abilene, Texas.
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Real Estate Transfers

Warranty Deeds

J. J. Bedford to Winters Independent School District, part of block No. 3 of the College Heights addition to Winters, March 13, for the sum of \$300.

Mrs. Carrie M. Dale et al to Winters Independent School District, lots 5, 18, 19 and 20 of block No. 4 of University Place, an addition to the city of Winters, April 16, for the sum of \$60.

L. N. Graham et ux to Winters Independent School District, part of block No. 3 of the College Heights addition to the city of Winters, March 9, for the sum of \$300.

H. O. Jones et ux to the Winters Independent School District,

the North half of block No. 3 of the College Heights addition to the city of Winters, March 15, for the sum of \$600.

W. L. McMillan et al to Winters public school, a part of block No. 3 of the College Heights addition to the city of Winters, May 13, for the sum of \$1,500.

Assignments of Oil and Gas Leases

H. P. Nichols to the Red Bank Oil Company, 490 acres of the J. H. Wills survey No. 512, and of the B. B. B. & C. R. R. Co. survey No. 22 1-2, October 11, for the sum of \$1 and other considerations.

H. P. Nichols to the Red Bank Oil Company, 580 1-2 acres of the H. J. Warnell survey No. 105 and the Wm. F. Wilson survey No. 2, October 11, for the sum of \$1 and other valuable considerations.

H. P. Nichols to the Red Bank Oil Company, 93 1-2 acres of the B. B. B. & C. R. R. Co. survey No. 22 1-2, October 11, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

H. P. Nichols to the Red Bank Oil Company, 1,270 acres of the Balthazar Horn survey No. 119, and No. 120, J. H. Wills survey No. 514, and Wm. F. Wilson survey No. 2, October 11, for the sum of \$1 and other valuable considerations.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Edgar Charles Chick and Miss Evelyn Marie Ward.
Theodore Thomas and Miss Lillie Mae Pounds.
J. J. Hair Jr., and Mrs. Ethel Brewer.

Be wise and advertise!

CLUB WOMEN MAKE PINE NEEDLE GIFTS A TRADE

(By Associated Press)
WIGGINS, Miss., Oct. 18.—In that section of Mississippi where the tall long leaf pine casts its shadow on the hillsides, busy fingers are picking, sorting and polishing the long pine needles to be made into gift baskets and other art objects for the Christmas trade.

Vases, baskets, floor lamps, jewel caskets and boxes of various types are woven from the homely pine needles. Thousands of dollars were brought into the state last year by what has become known as the "fireside industry," and women members of county demonstration clubs who have become experts at the art were unable to fill all orders.

The demand for the woven objects has lifted the work from a pastime, furnishing club members with "pin money," into an actual commercial class. The work is distributed among members and the proceeds are divided according to the time and work put in. With materials free, all of the income is clear profit.

Weaving of native materials began during the war between the states, when manufactured articles were scarce and the need for them great. Mrs. J. M. McAfee, of West Point, Ga., who made both hats and baskets, was credited with having originated the work.

J have employed a first class horse shoer. Prompt and satisfactory service guaranteed. H. F. Demmer. 13-4td-4tw

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Scales left Sunday for Dallas to attend the State Fair of Texas.

Mrs. D. Reeder and Roy Reeder have gone to Dallas to visit for a few days with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Frank Drews.

Miss Lucille Harzog has returned to her home in Winters after spending the week-end with Miss Margaret Kirk.

Those Dainty Things



Louis Cohen

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We will prepare your Farm Bureau drafts.

We will make distribution of rents.

We will furnish change for cotton pickers.

We will care for your yard tickets.

We will accept deposits by mail.

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With Virginia Valli and Pat O'Mally

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If You Can Set a Clock

—you can set the dials on a new Freed-Eisemann Radio

If you know how to set a clock, you are mechanical enough to be able to enjoy a good radio set to the limit!

You virtually need an engineer's license to operate some sets. But since we are selling entertainment rather than puzzles, we have been careful to select none but the simplest, most practical sets offered.

Chief among these is the remarkable Freed-Eisemann—a set that is installed without fuss or trouble; one that gives you the same stations night after night for the slight effort of setting the dials at the same numbers each time.

We'd like to show you—here or in your home—without obligation to you.

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KING-HOLT

Astrid First Swedish Queen to Rule Belgians
(By Associated Press)

BRUSSELS, Oct. 18.—The Duke of Brabant, who is about to marry Princess Astrid of Sweden, will be Belgium's fourth king, if he lives to succeed his distinguished father. And the Swedish princess will be the first Scandinavian queen of little Belgium. King Albert is the third king who has sat on the Belgian throne.

Leopold I, the first king of Belgium, was originally married to Princess Charlotte of Great Britain. But that was before he became king. The wife who shared the throne with him was Louise, eldest daughter of Louis Philippe, king of France. Leopold II was married to Maria Henrietta, archduchess of Austria, and King Albert married Elizabeth, daughter of Duke Karl Theodore, of Bavaria.

Mrs. Max Wilson, who has been quite ill for several days at her home on Sixth Street, is reported to be improving.

Miss Mamie Jean Hale came down from Simmons University, Abilene, Sunday for a visit of a couple of days with home folks.

Ledger advertising pays.

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"SPECIAL DAYS" GIVEN FOR 1926 STATE FAIR

"Special days" announced for the 1926 State Fair of Texas, at Dallas, Oct. 9-24, include the following, and it is announced that several additions may be expected:

Saturday, Oct. 9.—Opening Day.—A. & M. Day, Sewanee Day, Initial and Premier performance "Princess Flavia," in the auditorium.

Sunday, Oct. 10.—International Day.

Monday, Oct. 11.—Pleas Day, Georgia Day.

Tuesday, Oct. 12.—Dallas and Dallas County Day, Baylor and T. C. U. Day, Druggists' Day, Elks' Day, Red Men's Day, Service Grocers' Day, Harrison County Day.

Wednesday, Oct. 13.—Farm Bureau Day, Swine Breeders' Day, Hunt County Day, Texas Baby Chick Association Day.

Thursday, Oct. 14.—Ft. Worth Day, Kaufman Day, "Turkey Day" (Denton County) Poultrymen's Day, Texas Jersey Cattle Club Day, Collin County Pure Bred Live Stock Day.

Friday, Oct. 15.—Franklin County Day, Children's Day, W. C. T. U. Day, Texas Welfare Association Day, Texas Music Clubs' Day, Texas League of American Pen Women's Day.

Saturday, Oct. 16.—East Texas Day, Tyler Day, Traveling Men's Day, Texas Commercial Executives' Day, Varsity and Vanderbilt Day, All-College Day.

Sunday, Oct. 17.—Luther Day, Spanish-American War Veterans' Day.

Monday, Oct. 18.—Farmers' Day, Texas Ginners' Day, Texas Manufacturers' and Wholesale Merchants' Day, G. A. R. and Women's Relief Corps Day, Texas Congress of Mothers' Day, Wiley and Langston University Day.

Tuesday, Oct. 19.—Holstein Breeders' Day, Confederate Day, Gregg County Day.

Wednesday, Oct. 20.—Kentucky Day, Texas League of Municipalities Day.

Thursday, Oct. 21.—West Texas Day, Hale County Day.

Friday, Oct. 22.—R. O. T. C. Day, Lions' Day, Insurance Day.

Saturday, Oct. 23.—S. M. U. Day, Red River Day, Tennessee Day.

Sunday, Oct. 24.—Closing Day.

Glass sand found about Ranger, Texas, is to be exhibited at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 9-24, as one of the latest industry possibilities of the Lone Star State.

A. C. Henning, one of the prominent young stockmen of Concho county, was looking after business in Ballinger Monday.

Mrs. E. A. Giesecke has gone to Dallas to visit her mother, Mrs. John I. Guion Sr.

One new hotel a month has been the rule in Detroit for the last two years.

Two cents per word first insertion and no advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents. All subsequent insertions 1c per word each insertion.

All classified advertisements must be accompanied by cash, unless advertiser has a regular account with this paper.

No classified advertisement accepted on an "until ordered out" basis. The number of times the ad is to run must be specified.

FOR RENT—Three rooms, 704 Eighth Street. See J. H. Price. 18-3td.*

LOST—Gold Sheaffer fountain pen. Return to Ledger office. Reward. 18-3td

LOST—Blue mare mule, 15 hands high and about 4 years old. Finder phone Sam Hutchinson. 18-1d-2w.*

FOR SALE—Registered female bird dog, well trained; also new pump shot gun. Mrs. H. O. Green, 608 Bonsall Avenue. Phone 81. 18-2td.*

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms, 401 Seventh Street. Phone 387. Mrs. Louise Bacon. 16-2td

FOR RENT—Two nice light housekeeping rooms. Phone 284. 15-3td

FOR SALE—New Portable Remington Typewriter. A Bargain. See Straley at Ledger office.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments. Phone 81. 5-td

GARZA COUNTY WINS AT THREE 1926 FAIRS

POST, Oct. 18.—Garza county carried away first honors for West Texas and the South Plains this week in having its agricultural exhibit adjudged the finest agricultural display of all state entries at the Dallas fair.

The display was arranged by George ("Scotty") Samson, Garza county agricultural agent, and featured small grains and grain sorghums. Garza's grain sorghums scored 193 points out of the possible 200, forage feeds 47 out of 50, and alfalfa 72 out of 75 points.

The same exhibits took first honors at Lubbock and Abilene. Randall and Hartley counties drew second and third honors to Garza. The biggest demonstration in the history of Post was given on the return of George Samson from Dallas, over 1200 people with the band meeting him upon his arrival.

Typewriter ribbons 75c, carbon paper \$2.00 per 100 sheets. Cardboard, cover papers and other items used by students and business men. Ballinger Printing Co.

Miss Ruth Holliday has returned to Abilene, where she is attending Simmons University after spending the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Holliday.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger

"NEVER ALONE" AT KING-HOLT

"Never Alone," valued at \$75,000 and the masterpiece of Herbert de Mareau Jr., is on display this week on the third floor of the King-Holt Furniture Company building on South Eighth Street.

The famous picture was brought to Ballinger last week, and Saturday it was installed in a show room of the King-Holt Co. It is an object of beauty and grace and carries out the title excellently.

The price of admission to view the picture is small, it being just what one might wish to donate. The proceeds of the showing here will go to the Ballinger Kindergarten Association.

The picture has been shown in many other towns in the United States and more than 2,000,000 saw the picture while it was on display in New York city.

The lighting is very effective and gives a wonderful color tone to the picture.

"Never Alone" will be on display all of this week at the King-Holt building and those interested in the work of the brush by one of the most widely known modern artists are urged to see the painting.

Robert Bruce has returned from Dallas, where he spent the week-end.

Edwin Clapp
SHOES

WE don't have much to say about the Edwin Clapp Shoe. It speaks for itself by what it is and what it does.

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A fixed policy of helpfulness, friendship, cooperation and accommodation, is the best advertisement in the world.

This institution is doing its best to maintain the high ideals of modern banking. We are proud of the laws of safety and service under which we operate, and we are earnestly striving to back up every one of our own published promises with willing and able service.

After all, there is no better advertisement than the character and integrity of an institution and the men behind it.

Ballinger State Bank

Mrs. Tom Ward and daughter, Miss Adda, have gone to Dallas, where they will spend the winter.

Tom Penn, C. A. Dooze Jr., and Clarence McCarver have returned to Brownwood where they are attending Howard Payne College, after spending the week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lankford have returned to Abilene after spending several days here with relatives.

Be wise and advertise.

Safe All Around

You're safe all around when you buy Goodyears. Safe when you ride—because of their dependable quality. Safe when you buy—because there isn't a better value on the market.

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While in town why not do the sensible thing and have me examine your tires? My methods are modern and my examination thorough. Experience plus a thorough knowledge of tires enables me to advise you correctly.

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