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COM. INQUIRES OF LOCAL COURT WORK

Miss Georgia Singletary, district clerk, last week received a letter from Lee Satterwhite, chairman of the House investigating committee, in which the committee had prepared several questions to be answered in regard to the court work of the 35th Judicial District in Rannels county during the year 1925 and up to November 15, 1926.

Miss Singletary has answered the questions to the best of her knowledge and according to the records in her office. The committee asks the questions below, while Miss Singletary's answer is at the close of each question.

It is understood that similar questionnaires have been sent to other district clerks over the state. Just what the committee is after in sending out these questionnaires is not known here, but is in connection with the investigations of several departments of the state government.

Following are the questions and Miss Singletary's answers:

"Austin, Tex., Nov. 11, '26.
"Miss Georgia Singletary,
"District Clerk, Rannels Co.,
"Ballinger, Texas.
"Dear Madame:
"You will please answer the following questions propounded by the Investigating Committee appointed by the first called session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature of the State of Texas at the earliest time possible:

"(a) How many felony cases pending on the docket of your county on January 1, 1925? Eleven (11).

"(b) How many felony indictments returned in your county by the grand juries of the year 1925 and up to November 15th, 1926? Eighty-six (86).

"(c) How many convictions on trial before jury on plea of guilty? Seven (7).

"(d) How many convictions on plea of guilty? Twenty-four (24).

"(e) How many indictments quashed? None.

"(f) How many cases dismissed? Thirty-seven (37).

"(g) How many criminal cases pending on your dockets of date November 15, 1926? Eighteen (18).

"You will also answer the following questions:

"(a) How many civil cases pending on the docket of your court on January 1, 1926? Forty-five (45).

"(b) How many civil cases filed in district court of your county for the year of 1925 and up to November 15, 1926? One hundred and fifty-nine (159).

"(c) How many contested civil cases tried before a jury in your county for said time? Two (2).

"(d) How many contested cases tried before the court without a jury for said time? (Do not include divorce cases unless actually contested.) Five (5).

"(e) How many civil cases were disposed of without contest? (Include the divorce cases, tax suits and all other uncontested matters coming before the court.) One hundred and thirty-four (134).

"You will also give us the fol-

SHOOTS FIVE; YOUTH HELD

(By Associated Press)
BRIDGETOWN, N. J., Nov. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. William Gandy were shot and killed here today by Linwood Ware, aged 20.

Two of the couple's nephews were also shot as well as Ware's sister, Mrs. Madeline Maxwell, aged 26.

Ware was arrested shortly after the shooting.

H. A. HALBERT DIES AT COLEMAM

(By Associated Press)
COLEMAM, Nov. 22.—Funeral services were held here today for H. A. Halbert, age 77, known as the "Burbark of West Texas."

Mr. Halbert died yesterday of injuries received recently when he fell from a tree.

HOFFMAN CASE IS PASSED

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Nov. 22.—The House investigating committee resumed its probe of state departments today with Governor Ferguson's pardoning record under fire.

AUSTIN, Nov. 22.—The case of the State of Texas vs. the Hoffman Construction Company was passed in the district court here until tomorrow by Judge Calhoun.

Ledger advertising pays.

Following information with reference to the same time as above mentioned:

"(a) How many terms of court per year do you have in your county? Two (2).

"(b) How many weeks in each term? Four (4).

"(c) How many days has district court of your county actually been in session with the judge present and sitting to dispose of business during each term during this period? I do not know and have no record by which I can tell.

"Write your answer opposite each question of this letter and return, address your letter to Lee Satterwhite, chairman of the Investigating Committee, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas.

"Respectfully,
"LEE SATTERWHITE,
"Chairman Investigating Committee."

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D. RUTHERFORD ESCAPES JAIL

(By Associated Press)
BROWNWOOD, Nov. 22.—No trace has been found today of Dave Rutherford, under a nineteen-year sentence for murder, who escaped from the Brown county jail Sunday.

Local police are working on the theory that a woman was implicated in the escape as the prints of a woman's shoe were found under the window of Rutherford's cell.

Rutherford was convicted of killing an officer at Santa Anna during a search by officers for bootleggers.

WIFE CHARGED WITH HOMICIDE

(By Associated Press)
MT. PLEASANT, Tex., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Chess McFerrin was charged here today with homicide in connection with the death of her husband. She was released on a \$1,500 bond.

McFerrin, a merchant, was found dead yesterday in his home with two bullet wounds in his head. A bloody stick of stove wood and a pistol were found near the body.

COLD WEATHER COVERS TEXAS

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Nov. 22.—Freezing weather prevailed generally over North and West Texas today.

The minimum temperature of 22 degrees was reported at Texline.

Warmer weather, however, is the forecast for tomorrow.

MEMPHIS EDITOR, PUBLISHER DIES

(By Associated Press)
MEMPHIS, Nov. 22.—C. J. Mooney, editor of the Memphis Commercial-Appeal, died here today.

Dec. 5th Assurance Day

at
First Christian Church

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To date 1 Has Signed to Join on That Day.

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THREE PERISH IN HOTEL FIRE

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 22.—Three persons perished, several were injured, and eight women were saved from death by firemen, when a blaze of undetermined origin destroyed an apartment house here this morning.

The death are Mrs. Elizabeth Stagg and Mr. and Mrs. W. Rockwell.

HALF MAST FLAG FOR CHITWOOD

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Nov. 22.—The flag on the Texas capitol was flown at half mast today out of respect to R. M. Chitwood, business manager of the Texas Technological College, and former member of the Texas legislature.

LUBBOCK, Nov. 22.—Funeral services for R. M. Chitwood, who was found dead Sunday in his room in a Dallas hotel, will be held here tomorrow.

'PEACHES' BROWNING GETS \$300 EVERY WEEK

(By Associated Press)
WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Frances "Peaches" Browning was awarded \$300 per week alimony and counsel fees of \$8,500, pending the settlement of her suit for separation from her husband, Edward L. Browning.

The decision was made today in superior court here.



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Orchestra 7:45

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lished herein.

The 1926 cotton yield in the
United States is placed at 18,393,
000 bales, practically a two years'
supply at our present rate of
dressing.

Central Texas has its famous
"Hog Creek," Southeast Texas
its "Goose Creek," West Texas
its "Noodle Creek," and it is still
up to Rannels county to produce
an oil flowing creek.

Cold checking is getting to be
an amusement in Ballinger it
seems, and some people are be-
coming experts at the job. One
young girl succeeded in passing
sixteen bad checks in one after-
noon of last week before being
caught.

"King Ben," the leader of a
weird religious cult, and known
as "the House of David," of
Benton Harbor, Michigan, is in
the hands of the law. It is to be
regretted that the law can't
handle such cases before these
imposters get in their work.

Turkey sales in Ballinger last
week amounted to far more than
that received for cotton. Many
carloads of the birds were con-
signed to Eastern markets and
most of them brought as high as
25 cents per pound. Within the
next few days The Ledger will
give the facts and figures on the
Thanksgiving turkey crop
handled through Ballinger.

Thanksgiving Day will be ob-
served in Ballinger by all busi-
ness houses remaining closed
for the day. Services will be held
at the Methodist church in the
morning at 10:00 o'clock and
everyone is urged to attend.
Many people are planning to be
out of town, some merely visit-
ing, some away for a turkey din-
ner and many to see some college
teams play football.

The Ledger has received many
complaints about the fire alarm
being sounded for celebrations,
getting the boys together and
occasions other than fires. When
people are away from home at-
tending a show, visiting, riding
around, etc., and the fire alarm
sounds they all think it is their
home and make a mad rush for
the house, or the telephone to see
if their house on fire. It looks
like a case of "hollering" wolf.

Ether Waves



and if for no other reason the
alarm should be used for fires
only to keep from scaring people.
Ballinger has one of the best
fire departments in Texas and we
have the utmost faith in their
ability to fight fires and so has
the entire town, but the sound of
the fire siren brings terror to
every human away from home
and especially to those who have
had fires before.

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Mentho Sulphur heals eczema
right up, leaving the skin clear
and smooth. It seldom fails to
relieve the torment or disfigure-
ment. A little jar of Rowles
Mentho-Sulphur may be obtained
at any drug store.

\$250 REWARD FOR WOLF

J. H. Thompson, who runs the
shoe department at the Fashion
Shop, pocketed \$100 as his re-
ward for killing a wolf on the
Magruder ranch last Sunday and
this next Sunday will attempt to
get another wolf on the Hart-
grove ranch near Paint Rock for
which there is a reward of \$250.
He has made since the first of the
year about \$700 in the form of
awards from ranchmen for the
slaying of wolves. The wolf of
last Sunday was killed Northwest
of Mertzon after a chase lasting
five hours and a half and begin-
ning at 6:00 in the morning.

The chase occurred in a wolf
proof pasture where the animal
had slain during the thirty days

fifty head of sheep, it was re-
ported. Six Walker dogs were
used in the hunt and it took all
of them to kill the wolf which
was a mixture of a grey and a
coyote and which weighed sixty
pounds. The wolf slashed the
dogs with his fangs before he
was killed.—San Angelo Stand-
ard.

**BAD CHECKS PREVALENT
NOW IN SWEETWATER**

With the winter-buying season
at its first peak, stores crowded
often with customers, and sales
being of importance because of
the necessity for moving heavy
stocks, Sweetwater merchants
are facing an evident need for
curbing traffic in dry and forged
checks.

Shoplifting also is a problem,
although not as great.
Showing a bank deposit slip in-
dicating his check would be hon-
ored, a young man yesterday ob-
tained an overcoat and other
pieces of clothing at a local store.
The check was worthless, al-
though the man had an account in
a Sweetwater bank at one time.

Several hundred dry checks are
given in the city each month, it
was estimated today. Many of
these are redeemed, but the loss
is still great, merchants say.
There is a considerable reticence
about filing complaints and the
dry check law is having little
local effect.

According to a journal pub-
lished for county officials, the
worthless check evil has in-
creased, rather than diminished,
since the drastic law was passed.
Failure to prosecute offenders is
given as the reason. Under this
law, failure to make the checks
good within fifteen days makes
the giving of the check a misde-
meanor.—Sweetwater Reporter.

C. A. Dose returned Monday
at noon from Temple, where he
had been at the bedside of his
daughter, Miss Marguerite, who
underwent an operation at that
place.

**FALL-DOHENY
TRIALS START**

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The
trial of Albert B. Fall and Ed-
ward L. Doheny, charged with
conspiracy, got under way here
this afternoon.

The trial will go into the cir-
cumstances of Doheny's \$100,000
payment to Fall, a former cabi-
net member, and the part played
by Fall in the awarding of the
Elk Hill naval oil lease.

**STORY OF VAUDEVILLE
IS A STORY OF CYCLES**

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Vaude-
ville programs since America's
first organized variety perform-
ance a hundred years ago have
reflected, and sometimes antici-
pated, the life and fashions of the
times.

They promise for the present to
"go Spanish," the Keith-Albee
exchange reports. And there is a
French "craze" just around the
corner. The vaudeville managers
find these fads profitable, be-
cause of the theatre-goers' de-
sire for something new or novel.

The story of vaudeville from
its establishment in this country
at the old Lafayette Theater on
December 18, 1826, has been a
story of cycles. Their average
life has been about four years,
although in many instances the
best acts of a mode became more
or less standardized. Thus the
piano act, the song and dance
team, the monologist, and the
comedy sketch are familiar fea-
tures of the modern program.

Sometimes an event furnishes
the motif for a new mode in
vaudeville, and sometimes it is an

outstanding personality. Of the
former were the cycles of the
Irish, German, Jewish, Italian,
blackface and "rube" comedians.
Each type had its heyday as the
Irish, the Germans, and the
others successively became fac-
tors in American life.

Personality entered into vaude-
ville fashions when Lydia Yea-
mans Titus decided to do her
sons and impersonations in vari-
ety. She decided her husband,
Fred Titus, should play the piano
for her. For a long time the act
had the field to itself. Then came
a veritable landslide of piano
acts. Maurice Barrymore was an-
other personality who marked a
turning point in the history of
variety.

Dr. A. S. Love returned home
Saturday from a hunting trip. He
was a member of a hunting party
from Miles.

L. C. Daugherty and Lawrence
Pape left Sunday for Menard
and Ozona, where they will do a
few days hunting.

Miss Ruth Holliday returned
to Abilene where she is attending
Simmons University after a
week-end visit with her mother.

**Berlin May Soon Have
Retail Airship Store**

BERLIN, Nov. 19.—Aviation
in Germany is becoming so pop-
ular that retailing of airplanes
may soon become a well-es-
tablished business.

The department stores have not
taken them up yet, but the field
evidently appears so promising to
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Don't stay gray! Look young! Either prepare the recipe at home or get from any drug store a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," for only 75 cents. This is merely the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully, besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

Movies

Massive Sea Spectacle Heads Bill at Palace Today-Tomorrow
Those who choose their film fare on the basis of dramatic strength of story, excellent characterization, pictorial beauty and able direction should make it a point to see "Sea Horses," the new Paramount spectacle-melodrama that is to be shown at the Palace Theatre today and Tuesday. Advance reports hail it as the best production of its type the current season has produced.

Allan Dwan, producer of "Robin Hood" and many of Gloria Swanson's greatest successes, directed the picture, and showed good directorial judgment by choosing Jack Holt, Florence Vidor, George Bancroft and William Powell for the principal roles.

The story is based on Becky Gardiner's adaptation and James Hamilton's scenario of Francis Brett Young's sensational novel, which created quite a furore when it appeared serially in "Everybody's Magazine."

Something different in the way of scenery, settings, atmosphere and backgrounds may be expected, for the major part of the action takes place in an isolated port on the East African coast. However, many of the earlier scenes are laid on board a big ocean freighter, and it is here that a very realistic fist fight is staged between two of the officers for love of Miss Vidor, who is the lone woman passenger aboard. A rip-roaring storm at sea and a tropical tornado on land are other high spots in the production.

For those unfamiliar with the plot, it will suffice to say that it details the experiences of Miss Vidor en route to Africa and her adventures there, after she discovers that her husband has degenerated into a drunken beach-comber.

Real Estate Transfers

Warranty Deeds

Lon Mapes and wife to I. F. Watson, part of block No. 11 of the South Ballinger addition to the city of Ballinger, November 17, for the sum of \$257.50.

R. A. Perry et al to M. C. Cottrill, lot 5 of block No. 7 of the original town plat of Miles, October 4th, for the sum of \$75.

W. L. Morrison et ux to John J. Hood, 141 1-2 acres of the Hiram Friley survey No. 448, November 8th, for the sum of \$10 and other considerations.

Wm. Rollwitz and wife to Manuel Jaquez, 160 acres of the North half of the Daniel Letsch survey No. 114, November 9, for the sum of \$10,000.

Assignment of Oil and Gas Leases
Red Bank Oil Company to Devonian Oil Co., 88.8 acres of the Wm. F. Wilson survey No. 2, October 20, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

Red Bank Oil Company to Devonian Oil Co., the East half of the Northeast fourth of the J. H. Wills survey No. 514, containing 80 acres, October 30, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

Red Bank Oil Company to Devonian Oil Co., the East half of the Southeast fourth of the B. B. & C. R. Co. survey No. 513, containing 80 acres, October 20th, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

Red Bank Oil Company to Devonian Oil Co., the East half of North half of the H. Ramsel survey No. 125, containing 80 acres, October 20, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

Red Bank Oil Company to Devonian Oil Co., West half of Southeast fourth of the J. H. Wills survey No. 512, containing 80 acres, October 20, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

SAYS HENRY STEVENS WAS AT HIS HOME

(By Associated Press)
SOMERVILLE, Nov. 22.—Three neighbors of Henry Stevens today testified that he was in LaVallette in his home on the night of the Hall-Mills murder.

Mrs. J. G. Douglass returned home Saturday afternoon from a visit to relatives at Cleburne.

Speaks to Women

Dallas, Texas.—"I was run-down in health after the 'flu' and suffered from ailments peculiar to women. I took a small amount of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it gave me health and strength. Without going into details about my suffering, I will just say I can earnestly recommend the 'Favorite Prescription.' It is a reliable tonic for women." — Mrs. Hallie Moore, 4024 Main St.

Women, get well and strong now by obtaining this "Prescription" of Dr. Pierce's of your druggist, in tablets or liquid, send 10c to Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for a trial package of the tablets.

AUXILIARY SHOW METHODISTS GET EIGHT TONIGHT NEW PASTOR

Tonight the first American Legion Auxiliary Show will be the big attraction in Ballinger.

It will be the first attraction to be presented in the new auditorium and that fact alone will induce many people to attend on the opening night. Seats were selling fast Monday morning, and the committee was making arrangements to have 100 additional seats ready for the first performance in case of an overflow.

The curtain will open promptly at 8:00 o'clock after a 20-minute concert by the lady orchestra. The show contains four vaudeville acts and closes with the big minstrel show—using 75 women in this feature.

All money derived from the two performances will be turned over to the local post American Legion to help take care of the debt incurred in equipping the new auditorium. It is hoped that enough money can be made during the winter months to put this project in the clear and the public is urged to attend and assist in a worthy cause.

More than 150 costumes will be worn by the performers in tonight's production.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger

Word was received in Ballinger early Sunday night stating that Rev. R. B. Hooper would be the next Methodist pastor here. The new minister comes to Ballinger from Midlothian, Texas, and Rev. S. L. Culwell who has held the pastorate here, will go to Midlothian, the two exchanging places.

In a phone message from Rev. Culwell to W. L. Brown, Rev. Culwell stated that the new preacher was about his own age and had no children, and that he and his wife would arrive here the last of this week in time to fill the pulpit here next Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Culwell are expected to return to Ballinger late Monday and will get their belongings packed and ready to move as soon as possible.

Rev. Culwell came to the Ballinger church one year ago and during his stay with the local congregation has done a good work. Largely through his efforts the old church building was torn down and the first unit of a new modern church completed and paid for. The church also paid all its assessments and made a good report to the conference that has just closed. Something over 50 additions were made during the past year, making Rev.

Culwell's year's work here one of the best.

Rev. Culwell and family have made many friends here who regret to hear of his going to another field but who will wish for them every success in their new work.

including leaves, stems, buds, roots, flowers and fruits were also uncovered. Usually only leaves are found, said Professor Douglass.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger.

Insect Plague Goes Back 4,000,000 Years

(By Associated Press)
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Nov. 22.—Bees, flies, beetles, ants, dragon flies and even mosquitoes were pestering around Utah 4,000,000 years ago, the same as they are today. Prof. Earl Douglass of the University of Utah, who discovered dinosaur skeletons near Vernal a year ago, has just found fossils of insects in cocoon formation in Dinosaur National Monument.

Sixty specimens of fossil plants,

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Has been used for many years for the relief of colds and grippe, or "Flu" in a few hours. A phenomenal success. Pleasant to take. No pills. 35c at Drug Stores.

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180 Unknown Stars Found by Astronomer
(By Associated Press)
CAPE TOWN, Africa, Nov. 22—The discovery of 180 unknown stars is reported by Dr. Vandeboos, a Dutch astronomer, who has been investigating the heavens from South Africa. The astronomer also determined a group of three so-called double stars which in their aggregate form a sextuple constellation. This latter discovery Dr. Vandeboos explains by the fact that hitherto many of these double stars have been accepted as single stars.

POULTRY SHOW WINTERS, 2-3-4

Special to The Ledger:
WINTERS, Nov. 22—The Mid-West Poultry Show which is to be held in Winters December 2, 3, and 4, promises to be one of the best shows ever held in West Texas. Entries are being sent in from many sections of the West and local breeders are taking a great interest. The show is being held under the auspices of the Mid-West Poultry Producers Association and the Chamber of Commerce. The Mid-West association is made up of about one hundred producers of the Winters section who have as their aim the production of better poultry and poultry products. The premium list of this show is very attractive since more than \$1,000 is being offered in prizes. Special prizes are being offered to attract distant breeders and especially are the owners of the birds solicited to attend the show. In order to stimulate the interest of the breeders in attending the show a prize of \$10 is being offered to the exhibitor who brings his birds the greatest distance. Another novel prize is \$15 to be given to the breeder who enters the greatest number of birds, if that display is also the best he will receive also the \$10 prize to be awarded for the best display of the show. The Chamber of Commerce will be directly in charge of the show and any information such as catalogs, entry blanks, etc., may be had by writing to C. R. Robertson, secretary of the chamber.

ONLY A FEW TEACHERS MEETING IN EL PASO

J. B. Pace Jr., will be the only teacher from the Ballinger schools to attend the Texas State Teachers Association convention at El Paso. He will leave Wednesday at noon for Abilene where he will take the special to El Paso at 2:40 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. County Superintendent R. E. White stated Monday that something like eight or ten of the rural teachers would probably make the trip, however others may turn in their names before Wednesday. The special train will leave from Abilene and all teachers who go by train will have to leave their schools Wednesday in time to catch the train at that place. Low rates prevail for the round-trip. Supt. White stated Monday that teachers could leave Abilene at 2:40 p. m. or 7:35 p. m. Wednesday. To catch the 2:40 train teachers will have to leave Ballinger on the 9:15 a. m. bus. To catch the 7:35 train either the 3:00 or 5:20 p. m. bus can be taken from Ballinger. Mr. White announced that if enough teachers wanted to leave and catch the 2:40 train that by getting five or more a special bus from here could be arranged for.

Miss Miriam Steward, who has been teaching in the South Ballinger schools, left Sunday and it is understood will not return to her position here.

THIEVES ROB WARD STATION

Thieves entered the Ward Service Station some time Sunday night and stole about \$10 in change from the cash register. The thief entered from a small window in the rear of the office and pried the front of the cash register open and escaped through another window with money taken in up to Sunday evening. Nothing except the money was missing, although there were a number of articles that might have been stolen. Several guns of different kinds were stacked in one corner of the office and a good revolver was lying on a desk, as well as some flashlights, casings and tubes. The thief was evidently looking for money only as nothing else was disturbed. The officers were given the facts and are working on the case, however there was no clue left to connect anyone with the burglary.

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This Hungarian Meal Shows Food Not Short

(By Associated Press)
BUDAPEST, Nov. 22—One steer, four pigs, six calves, 400 chickens, 8,000 litres of wine, 3,000 bottles of mineral water, and 100 pounds of cakes, were consumed by the 600 guests at

the wedding of Franz Kris, the son of the burgomaster of Vaskur, a small town in the Western part of the country. Forty bridesmaids and 40 pages conducted the happy couple to the altar. The festivities lasted seven days.

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ORDERS INVESTIGATION OF ILL GANG WARFARE
(By Associated Press)
EAST ST. LOUIS, Nov. 22—United States District Attorney Baker today ordered an investigation of the fragmentary reports that the office of Deputy United States Marshal Leitch at Harrisburg was machine gunned by liquor gangsters Saturday night and again Sunday.



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