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HEAVY LOSSES IN CHINESE WAR

(By Associated Press)
SHANGHAI, Sept. 30.—Heavy counter attacks made by the invading Kiangsu forces throughout last night in Malo and Kiating West of Shanghai, have been repulsed, according to military communiques issued from the headquarters of the troops defending Shanghai.
Upwards of five hundred wounded Chekiang soldiers were brought into Shanghai today, and it was reported that the losses on the Kiangsu side were even greater.

Rufus J. Wheeler returned home Monday night from a business trip to Brownwood and other points.

THEATRE CASE GOES TO TRIAL

After recessing for two hours Tuesday morning in order to give attorneys for plaintiff time in which to amend their petition and file further cause for action in the picture show case, court reconvened Tuesday afternoon and took up the trial of the case. It will probably be Wednesday before the case goes to the jury.

This is litigation between H. T. Hodge, of Abilene, and S. A. B. Hamilton, of Ballinger, in which Hodge is seeking to force Hamilton to carry out an alleged contract of sale in which the latter is alleged to have entered into in a trade with Hodge to sell him the Fo-to-sho and building, some two or three months ago. The plaintiff alleges that after the deal had been agreed upon, papers drawn up and executed, the defendant undertook to call off the deal.

The Fo-to-sho Theatre has been closed since the suit was filed, the matter being tied up in court pending settlement of the litigation.

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STOCK DISEASE BEING CONFINED

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Sept. 30.—Governor Neff today asked the federal government to take over complete control and full charge of the foot and mouth disease near Houston.
In a message to Henry Wallace, secretary of agriculture, Gov. Neff said that this would be the most efficient way to handle the quarantine.

TOPEKA, Kans., Sept. 30.—The quarantine order against shipment of livestock from Texas into Kansas was rescinded today and a new order issued restricting shipments from the infected area.

HOUSTON, Sept. 30.—No further spread of the foot and mouth disease was reported to the Livestock Sanitary Commission in the quarantined area near here today.

The commission confidently expects a spread of the disease, but believes that it may have it confined to a territory bounded by the ship channel and the Santa Fe Railroad on the North. There are probably 15,000 cattle within the territory under quarantine, J. E. Boog-Scott, chairman of the Livestock Sanitary Commission, said today.

SAN ANGELO, Sept. 30.—Considerable anxiety is being experienced by sheepmen in this section who are under contract to deliver about 125,000 sheep to other sections of the country, on account of the threatened quarantine against livestock movements on account of the foot and mouth disease which has developed in East Texas.

Several heavy shipments of sheep have gone out during the last few days, and at least 125,000 head are due to be moved within the next thirty days, if the quarantine does not stop shipments.

TWO MEN SHOT IN GUN FIGHT

(By Associated Press)
MURPHYSBORO, Ill., Sept. 30.—Marshal Charles McWhirter and two other men were shot in a gun fight with three bandits at Dowell, 16 miles North of here this afternoon.

The bandits entered a bank at Dowell, but the robbery was frustrated. A motor car was used by the bandits in making a getaway.

Sheriff O. E. White organized a posse and set out in hot pursuit of the outlaws.

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT VISITS REAGAN FIELD

President Walter Splawn, the recently elected president of the University of Texas, passed thru Ballinger this week en route to San Angelo and from there he will go to Big Lake to look over the oil field on the university land in Reagan county.

The big new field West of San Angelo is on university land and the oil development promises to make the University of Texas one of the richest, if not the richest, school in America.

TAX VALUES SHOW INCREASE

Tax Collector Chastain completed the tax rolls Monday and they are going to the Commissioners' Court for the court's approval and will then be placed in the hands of the tax collector and the tax payers can begin to "shell out."

The property valuations amount to \$12,092,360, which is an increase of about \$430,000 over last year. The total polls assessed for this year are 7,219 as compared with 6,900 last year, or an increase of more than 300.



2 SMOTHER TO DEATH IN GIN

(By Associated Press)
ADA, Okla., Sept. 30.—The bodies of two identified men, one a middle aged man and the other a young man, were found in a cotton gin here today. The two men apparently were asleep in the gin when cotton was thrown over them by cotton haulers who were not aware of their presence in the gin.

Ledger want ads pay.

BANKERS IN 50TH ANNUAL MEETING

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Sept. 30.—The fiftieth annual convention of the American Bankers Association opened here today with more than six thousand bankers from all sections of the United States in attendance.

The convention opened with an address by Walter Head, president of the organization. E. T. Meredith, former secretary of agriculture, also addressed the convention.

STORMY SCENE IN BRITISH COMMONS

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Sept. 30.—Stormy scenes occurred in the House of Commons today during the questioning of Attorney General Patrick Hastings with regard to the mysterious abandoning of the prosecution on a charge of sedition of the editor of a communist paper, the Workers Weekly.

Mrs. Scott H. Mack and mother, Mrs. Robert Bailey, left Monday for El Paso, where they will spend a month with their sister and daughter. Mr. Mack accompanied them as far as Abilene.

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30 COTTON OIL MILLS START

(By Associated Press)
NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 30.—Federal Judge Yunyon today authorized receivers for the Southern Cotton Oil Company, a subsidiary of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, to resume operations in thirty cotton seed crushing mills and thirty-two cotton gins and several peanut shelling plants, all owned by the cotton oil company in Southern states.

CONTESTS FOUR MILLION WILL

(By Associated Press)
BOSTON, Sept. 30.—A contest over the will of Lotta Crabtree, actress, who left approximately four million dollars to charity, cutting off her relatives with bequests totalling only \$100,000, was indicated today.

Relatives who were not mentioned in the will have either sent attorneys here to represent them or have notified counsel for the actress that they intend to contest the document and ask for a share of the estate.

RESIGNS AS ASST. ATTORNEY GENERAL

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—Albert Ottinger, of New York, today tendered his resignation to President Coolidge as assistant attorney general, effective on October 1st.

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REV. YATES READY TO RETURN TO OKLAHOMA

Rev. Joseph E. Yates, held in the Ballinger jail on a charge of abduction filed in Nowata county, Oklahoma, will not fight extradition, but will return to Oklahoma to face the charges filed against him, according to a statement made by the minister, and the Oklahoma authorities have been so advised. An officer from Nowata, Oklahoma is due to arrive tonight, and he will probably be accompanied by A. W. Fields, father of the girl in the case.

Mrs. Yates is in custody of the jailer's wife at Ballinger while Yates occupies a cell in the second story of the jail. Acting upon advice from Oklahoma, Sheriff Flynt went to Winters Monday afternoon and took the young bride in custody and brought her to Ballinger. She was at the home of Yates' father, and was in a field where members of the family were at work when the sheriff called for her.

The girl was permitted to see her husband for a time after she was brought to the Ballinger jail, and later both Rev. Yates and his pretty girl bride talked at length with newspaper men, and posed for pictures at the request of the reporters.

According to Georgia Fields, who is now Mrs. Yates, she was born in St. James, Missouri, on October 29, 1908, and will be sixteen years of age next month, instead of fourteen, as had been reported by the papers throughout the country since she left her home and eloped with Yates. The girl says she has been living in Alluwe, Oklahoma for fifteen years, and with the exception of a trip to Colorado three years ago, she had never been away from home before. She says that she and Yates were married in Nowata, Oklahoma, on Sept. 18th, which was on Thursday, that they returned to their homes in Alluwe where Yates is pastor of the Methodist church, and where he preached on Sunday following the marriage, the marriage being kept a secret, and on Monday she left home to go to school, and Yates met her on the road and they left in his car, coming to Winters. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. L. Yates, a brother of the man in jail, according to the girl. Nowata is twelve miles from Alluwe.

"I have one brother, and one sister, both younger than I am," said Mrs. Yates. She stated that she, her father and mother were all members of Yates' church, and that she and Yates carried on a secret courtship. She declared she did not fall in love with Yates until after his first wife left him, and that then she felt sorry for him.

Mrs. Yates said that she was a good church girl before her marriage, approved of her husband's calling and is willing for him to continue in the ministry. "I love his children and I am going to stay with him to the last ditch," said the girl. "I don't want to go home, and I am not going to stay if they take me back." She stated that her parents were good to her and that she had no cause to leave home further than her love for Yates, and the desire to marry him. Her father is foreman of the Wiser Oil Company at Alluwe.

The young bride stated her father and mother had always thought a great deal of Rev. Yates as their pastor and that when the preacher's first wife left him they sympathized with him in his trouble and her father accompanied Rev. Yates to Muskogee, Oklahoma, when Yates went to see if he could find his wife. Yates' children stayed with her mother while Yates was away from home looking for his first wife.

"I believe in divorce," said the young bride, "and think Mr. Yates had a right to get a divorce after his wife treated him like she did. She was mean to him and ran away with another man." The girl said she had never seen Rev. J. G. Miller, the minister whom Yates is charged with causing a separation between him and the first Mrs. Yates, and who killed himself about a month ago, but one time, but said that she heard a good deal about the case.

The girl said that she was in the ninth grade. She did not take any clothes with her when she left home and her husband had not purchased any clothes for her. When brought to jail here last night the girl was attired in clothes which she said belonged to Yates' sister.

Rev. Yates contends that he has

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Schools

The ward principals, a committee from the Parent-Teachers' Association, and myself, met at Mrs. Joe Simmons' residence Monday night and arranged plans for a drive for funds to furnish playground equipment for the ward schools. We feel that this need can be met if we all will do

our part in this drive. The plan outlined is that we divide the residence section of the city into districts, placing a captain, a member of the Parent-Teachers' Association over each division. Each captain will have a number of ward school children to canvass their particular district. A house to house canvass will be made in the forenoon, then in the afternoon those that did not buy tags will be visited again in order to see that no one gets by without having purchased a tag. The tags will cost 25 cents. They will have a string attached, so that they can be worn all day Saturday. There will be a captain located in the business district all day Saturday and enough children assigned to the business district to see that each and every man and woman may wear a tag. You just as well get your quarters ready, for the children are determined to let no one by without the purchase. The earlier you buy a tag, the better it will be for you, for unless you are wearing a tag, the children will continually ask that you buy one, but those that have a tag on their coat or dress will be passed up.

Let us adopt the slogan, "Every Body Wear a Tag."
W. A. CAIN.

Henry Brownrigg and wife, of Sweetwater, were here Monday visiting Mr. Brownrigg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brownrigg.

Judge W. A. Wright, of San Angelo, was here Tuesday attending court.

Judge W. J. Cunningham, of Abilene, had business here Monday, being interested in cases pending in district court.

Society

Parent-Teachers Notice

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet in regular session Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 in the High School auditorium.

All members and any wishing to become members are urged to be present.

The program is as follows:

Business meeting: Mrs. Joe Simmons, President

Solo: Mrs. Harry Thomson

Paper: Growth and Education as Related to the Child when he Enters School: Mrs. W. A. Bridwell

Questionnaire on the Local Schools: Mr. J. B. Pace

Entertains Missionary Society

Among the several events inaugurating the fall social meetings no affair has been more notable than the party given Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elmer Shepperd on Eighth Street, by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church.

A profusion of vari-colored fall flowers graced the attractively furnished reception rooms.

Mrs. Shepperd very graciously met each guest and in turn presented her to Mmes. B. C. Kirk and R. L. Harwell, who served delicious fruit punch.

Many interesting games and contests furnished entertainment and merriment. Mrs. C. J. Lyon proved most skillful in carrying an apple on her head and was very appropriately rewarded by being allowed to eat the apple. Each guest was given an Irish po-

tato, a paper napkin, two tooth picks and a pin, and was told to dress a baby. Mrs. Forrest Futch was the most clever and a large stick of candy was the compensation for her ingenuity.

Each member entered wholeheartedly into the spirit of the occasion and a thoroughly enjoyable time was had by all.

Angel cake with ice cream was served to more than fifty guests.

At 7:30 p. m. the Deacons of the church also met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shepperd. After a business meeting the "leavings" of the party were enjoyed by the eleven members present.

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For District Attorney:
WALTER U. EARLY

For County Superintendent:
ROBERT E. WHITE

For Tax Collector:
W. L. BROWN

For Tax Assessor:
MIKE C. BOYD

For Sheriff:
R. E. McWILLIAMS

For County Judge:
PAUL TRIMMER

For County Treasurer:
MRS. JENNIE KIRK

For County Clerk:
W. A. FORGEY

For District Clerk:
Miss GEORGIA SINGLETARY

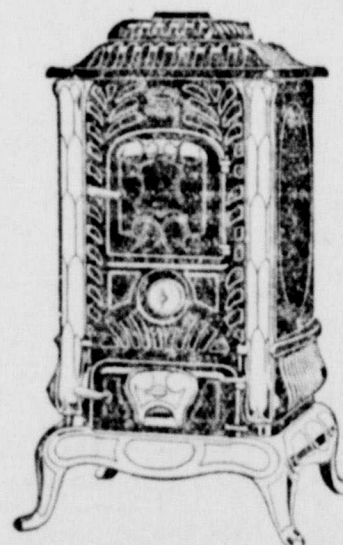
For County Attorney:
C. P. SHEPHERD

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Rev. Yates Ready to Return to Oklahoma

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done no wrong unless he swore falsely in obtaining a license with which to wed his young wife. He denies that he was in any way responsible for the suicidal death of Rev. J. G. Miller, pastor of the Durant, Oklahoma, Methodist church, about one month ago. He says that Miller broke up his home, and that he filed charges of adultery against Miller, but was kind enough to withhold his side of the case from publicity after Miller killed himself. "I did not want to tell all I knew on Miller after he was dead," said Yates, "and I refused to give the newspapers my side of the case." Yates charged that his former wife left him to follow Miller while Miller was away on a vacation. He said that Miller was tried by a church court and expelled from the church, and after that Miller's attorney tried to make a "cash settlement" with him in order to stop the charges filed in the district court against Miller.

The first Mrs. Yates is said to be now living in Houston. Yates said that he had not seen nor heard from her since she left home the second time. He claims that he obtained a divorce about a month ago.

COURT REFUSES GRANT DIVORCE

After an all day hearing Judge Woodward refused to grant a divorce in the Speer case in district court here Monday afternoon. The case was one in which Mrs. Emma Speer was suing her husband, Pete Speer, for a divorce and division of the property. The case was sensational and attracted quite a number of spectators from Winters where the parties to the suit reside.

In her petition for divorce Mrs. Speer alleged improper relations between her husband and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jack Speer, also alleging cruel treatment. The case went to trial at 9:00 o'clock and it was a few minutes before 5:00 when both sides concluded their testimony and submitted the case to the court without argument.

In his ruling Judge Woodward commented on the case, referring to it as "a most unfortunate affair," and he said "for the sake of these sweet children this man and woman should live together, and I believe they can live together in peace and happiness if the busy-bodies will let them alone."

"Jealousy is the worst thing in this world," said Judge Woodward before announcing his verdict, "and there has not been a scintilla of evidence offered to show the lack of chastity on the part of this husband."

The court stated that the unfortunate domestic trouble was due to gossiping and jealousy, and saying that he hoped that the father and mother of the children would become reconciled and live together, he declined to grant the divorce as prayed for by the plaintiff.

After court had adjourned for the day a half dozen women rushed to the judge's bench, and with her fist clenched and eyes snapping one woman addressed the judge saying, "it's a dirt deal; we voted for you, but we'll never do it again."

"Mister Sheriff," promptly called the judge, and calling the

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woman back to his desk as she whirled to leave the court room, he reprimanded her, saying "if you make another break like that I will fine you for contempt of court."

With their friends gathered around them the defendant and the plaintiff left the court room in separate groups, and departed for their homes at Winters. Judge Joe Dibrell, of Coleman, represented Mrs. Speer, and Judge Critz, of Coleman, and Judge A. K. Doss, of Ballinger, were attorneys for the defendant.

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CONCHO FAIR AT EDEN OCT. 3-4

The Concho County Fair will be held on Friday and Saturday of this week at Eden. Eden gets the fair this year under an agreement with Paint Rock that their fair alternate from year to year between the two towns.

According to reports received at Ballinger the Concho county folks will put on a fair this year which will surpass anything that county has undertaken in the exhibit line in years past. Crops are good in Concho and the agricultural displays will be unusually good at this fair. Concho county is also noted for being one of the best stock raising counties in Texas, and some fine blooded stock will be shown.

The fair committee has arranged a program of entertainment and there will be plenty to amuse the visitors during the two days. Ballinger and Runnels county will be represented at the fair, and it is probable that Ballinger will send a large delegation on one day.

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Wm. Fox sent a company under Director J. Gordon Edwards abroad to film this famous story of romance and adventure set in the shadow of the Sphinx. "The Shepherd King," which was written by Wright Lorimer and Arnold Reeves, proved to be the sensation of theatrical world when it was produced in New York. It scored an immediate popular hit and later toured the country. Virginia Tracy, who prepared "Nero" for the screen also wrote the scenario for this picture.

The picture is replete with beautiful photography. Egypt and the Holy Land formed brilliant backgrounds for the dramatic action of this tremendous spectacle. "The Shepherd King" will close tonight at the Maeroy Theatre, where it began an engagement yesterday.

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TEXAS COTTON PROGRESS GOOD

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, Sept. 30.—Progress of early cotton was unchanged for the week ending Sept. 27th, according to the report of L. H. Daingerfield, meteorologist, who adds that it was generally fair to very good in the extreme west and northwest portions of Texas and poor to only fair elsewhere.

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Lift Off—No Pain!



Doesn't hurt one bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the feet calluses, without soreness or irritation.

except in spots where it was good. Progress of late cotton, the report recites, in Central and Northwest Texas where the plants are still making new growth and are blooming, is good. Showers somewhat delayed picking and ginning and insect damage increased locally, altho this generally was very slight.

Light to moderate rainfall early in the week was common, the report says, improving pastures and late crops and conditioning the soil for fall plowing and seeding except in the Rio Grande valley where wet soil delayed truck planting.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE GULF, COLORADO AND SANTA FE RAILWAY CO.:

You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors have called a meeting of the stockholders to be held in the City of Galveston, County of Galveston, State of Texas, at the principal office of the Company on the 8th day of December, 1924, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage or deed of trust to be called "general mortgage", or by such other name as may be determined, on all of its railroad properties now owned or hereafter acquired, to secure bonds to be hereafter issued in series, so much of such bonds as may be necessary to be used from time to time in paying or exchange for the bonds and other indebtedness of the Company, other bonds to be issued to be used for the acquisition, construction or extension of railroads, additions and betterments to such railroads and properties now or hereafter owned, and for other lawful corporate purposes, each series of bonds to be issued to mature at such time and provide for the payment of such lawful rate of interest, to be tax free or not tax free, to be convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and to contain such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by said Board, and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said meeting. A resolution has been adopted by the directors, subject to the approval of the stockholders, authorizing the mortgage, bonds, etc., to be submitted to the stockholders' meeting.

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TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE GULF, COLORADO AND SANTA FE RAILWAY CO.:

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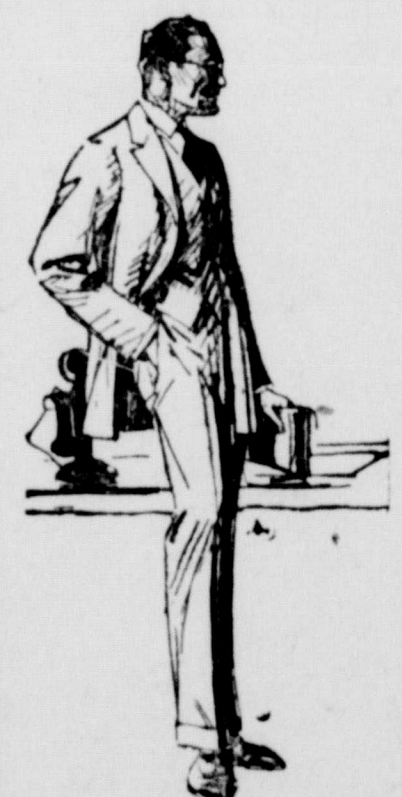
LOST—Between the school house and 500 Sixth Street, one engraved green gold Watch, Stradford-Swiss movement. Find or return to Ledger office. 29-2td

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SWEDEN TO CONTROL BROADCAST STATIONS

(By Associated Press)
STOCKHOLM, Sept. 30.—All radio broadcasting in Sweden is to be placed under government control, the government Department of Telegraphs and Telephones operating jointly with the Swedish press in this connection.

The plan calls for the erection by the government of five broadcasting stations, situated at Stockholm, Gothenburg, Malmo, Sundsvall and Boden. These facilities will at all times be available for use by the government.

Programs given in Stockholm will be transmitted by wire to each of the other four stations, at which there will also be local programs, and it is planned to provide 1,500 hours of entertainment a year. Storm warnings, messages of distress from the sea, etc., will in all cases take priority over entertainment.

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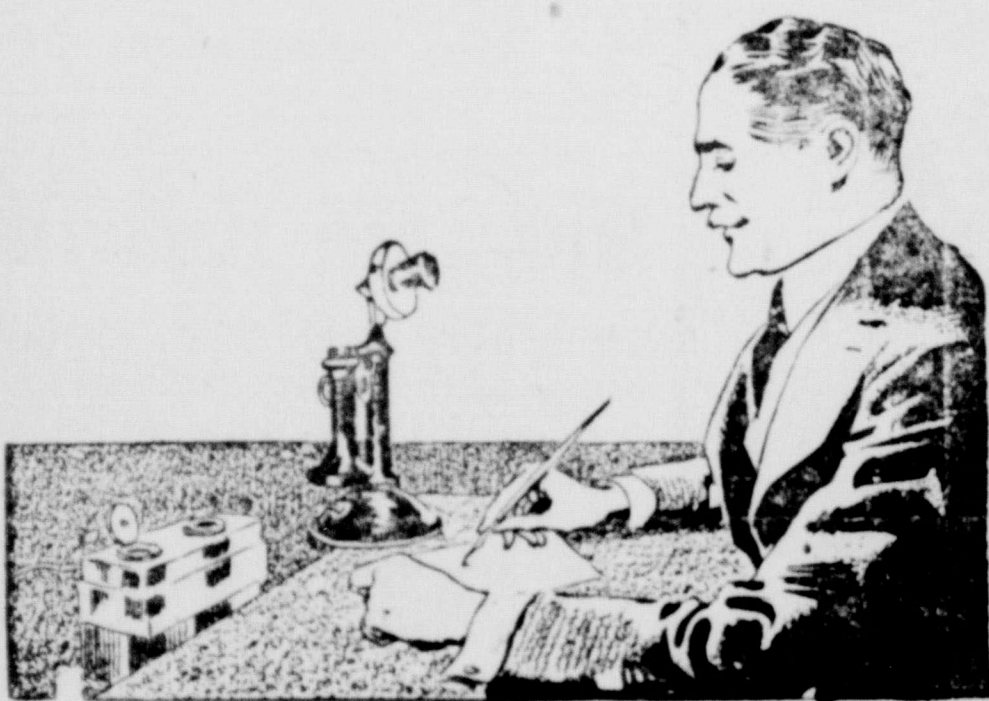
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