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TWO NEGROES SLAIN IN ROBBERY ATTEMPT

Body of Bridegroom Is Taken from River

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, Apr. 10.—The body of J. W. Bradshaw, bridegroom of a month, was found in the Guadalupe River near Waring today. The body was brought to the surface with grappling hooks by a searching party.

Local Teachers To Brady Meet

The faculty of the Ballinger schools met Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of ascertaining how many intended to go to Brady for the Mid-Texas Educational Association convention this week-end. After making a check up Supt. H. C. Lyon announced that the schools would take a holiday on Friday and that practically every teacher employed here would go to Brady early Friday morning in time to register and attend the opening session at 9:30 a. m.

A number of teachers here had been undecided as to whether they could attend, due to lack of transportation, but when the conference was held Wednesday it was found that enough local teachers would take cars to carry all who wished to attend.

Word from Brady Thursday stated that about 700 already had notified the committee they would attend the two-day meeting.

The same convention was held in Ballinger last year with an attendance of about 750 teachers and educational workers.

A housing committee has been active at Brady for the past ten days, making every effort to take care of the large number in hotels and homes. The committee has issued a statement that every visitor will be taken care of and that Brady citizens have been liberal in offering to entertain the educators in their homes. For teachers who will not have automobiles, a committee is arranging for a number of guest cars and drivers to carry visitors wherever they desire to go. Brady Boy Scouts will be on the job to assist in showing teachers to the homes assigned them and to act as pages at the convention.

Ballinger and Runnels county will be represented by approximately 100 teachers at this convention and with 22 counties in the district, attendance may exceed the expectations of the Brady committees.

PURE CO. BRINGS IN A WELL IN VAN FIELD

(By Associated Press)
TYLER, Tex., Apr. 10.—The twenty-first producer in the Van oil field came in today with an estimated flow of 10,000 barrels. The new gusher was drilled by the Pure Oil Company near the center of the Van field.

Moody Says Traffic Should Build Highways

(By Associated Press)
LIVINGSTON, Tex., Apr. 10.—Addressing a good roads meeting here, Governor Dan Moody today advocated placing the burden of the cost of building highways on the traffic, and relieving the ad valorem levy against farms and homes. He said he believed the people should be given a chance to vote on the proposition of issuing state bonds to build highways.

The governor was one of the speakers at the celebration held here upon opening of the airline highway from Houston to Shreveport.

Noted Army Flier Not Fatally Hurt

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, April 10.—Although one lung was punctured, two ribs broken and a slight concussion of the brain suffered, Lieutenant Lester Maitland, noted army pilot, is not considered in a critical condition today.

Maitland, given world wide recognition for his San Francisco-Honolulu flight in 1927, was injured yesterday when his automobile collided with a bus near here.

City Hall Plans Are Approved

Paul Silber, San Antonio architect, returned to Ballinger Wednesday bringing with him the revised plans for the new city hall. At a meeting of the city commission Wednesday afternoon the plans were accepted in every detail, and all blue prints, plans and specifications are in the hands of the city officials.

As soon as the plans were accepted the commission set April 30th as the day to open bids and award the contract for this building. All contractors who desire to bid on the erection of the structure may begin their estimates at any time now by making arrangements for a set of blue prints.

Bids will be received from now until April 30, when the commission will hold a meeting to tabulate the bids and make the award.

Indications are that some ten or twelve contractors will submit bids for the construction.

The plans as accepted by the commission are very similar to the original plans and the exterior view of the building will be no different from the drawing which has been on display here. The only changes made were in the floor plan of offices.

The building will be of Spanish architecture and will be erected on municipally owned lots at the corner of Ninth Street and Railroad Avenue.

In addition to housing all departments of the municipal government the structure will include a modern fire station with living quarters for the driver and his family and a dormitory for firemen.

The commission will have to purchase some extra furniture when the move is made into the new building. The offices will contain a large vault to take care of all books and valuable papers which are kept on record in the city hall.

A notice to bidders is being prepared and will be published notifying contractors to present their bids on April 30.

Be wise and advertise.

Gainesville Fire Loss is \$40,000

(By Associated Press)
GAINESVILLE, Tex., Apr. 10.—Loss estimated at \$40,000 was caused here by a fire of undetermined origin today which destroyed a building covering half a block on Market Square.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ward and daughter, of Austin, are here for a visit with Mrs. Tom Ward and other relatives.

GANDHI VIOLATES BRITISH SALT MONOPOLY 1 S



Mahatma Gandhi (right), nationalist leader of India, leaving Ahmadabad with his followers at the start of their 200-mile march to the Gulf of Cambay in their civil disobedience campaign against the British salt monopoly laws. When Gandhi and his volunteers reached Dandi they violated the laws by dipping up sea water for the manufacture of salt. Picture below shows a group of Gandhi's followers during their march to the sea.

Price of Texas Crude is Raised

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Apr. 10.—Advances on crude oil in the Texas and mid-continent fields were announced today by the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and New York, marking an end to the price cutting war against over-production begun in January.

HOUSTON, April 10.—The Humble Oil and Refining Company today advanced the price of crude oil purchased by it in Texas and New Mexico.

Senior Picnic Held Wednesday

The senior class of the Ballinger high school enjoyed a picnic Wednesday evening at the upper dam. The crowd met in town and went to the dam at 7:30 where games were played until the time for the lunch.

A menu which had been prepared by the teachers and girls was spread and everyone gathered around and enjoyed the good eats.

During the meal, Wallace Chastain acting as spokesman for the class, made a short talk in which he expressed the appreciation of the entire class for the principal, J. B. Pace. The talk carried real feeling and after the spokesman concluded others personally expressed their thanks to Mr. Pace for the many thoughtful acts shown the seniors not only this year but in all four years of their high school work.

Mr. Pace will leave the local school this year. Following the talk, Drew Dickson led a yell for "Jerry" in which every senior and teacher present took part.

Other teachers were Mrs. Besie Lowe, and Miss Hamilton, Parker and Timmons.

After a short play time the thirty odd seniors returned to town.

MASON TO VOTE ON BONDS

(By Associated Press)
MASON, Apr. 10.—Proposed issuance of \$20,000 in school improvement bonds will be voted upon by taxpayers in the Mason Independent school district on April 25. The bonds would provide for the construction of a four-room addition to the present sandstone grammar school building which was erected about 1887.

White ants have seriously damaged old San Miguel mission, near Paso Robles, Cal.

Buy your printing at home.

Bristow Anxious to Get Home and to Family

Highway, Bridge Work is Started

Chas. Cohen, engineer in charge of the work on Highway No. 4 for W. S. Thomson Company, stated Thursday that machinery was being moved here and placed on locations. When asked when he expected to start the work, he stated that he was already at work and that from now on, the work would gradually increase until all phases were being pushed at the same time.

Mr. Cohen will establish an office near the new bridge site and will direct construction on the bridge and road from there. As soon as the machinery is all in place a large crew will be placed on the job.

In addition to the construction of the bridge and the grading of the right-of-way, there will be a number of drainage structures to build. A few culverts are already in place on the new highway but the changing of the road to shorten the distance will cause several others to be necessary.

The right-of-way is already marked and fenced most of its length. Utilities companies who had poles along the original highway have completed moving them and nothing will interfere with the operations from now on.

MAN IN THE MOON HAS PUMICE CHEEKS

(By Associated Press)
DELAWARE, O., April 10.—Detecting the differences in the quality of heat reflected from the cheeks of blondes and brunettes has not been done yet, but it seems possible, judging by astronomers' heat measuring accomplishments.

The kind of stone that makes the cheeks of the man in the moon has been detected by measuring the "quality" of the heat this stone radiates.

"I has the same quality," says Dr. Harlan T. Stetson, director of Perkins Observatory of Ohio Wesleyan University, "as the heat radiated from pumice stone on earth exposed to the rays of heat from the sun."

White ants have seriously damaged old San Miguel mission, near Paso Robles, Cal.



Associated Press Photo

Man's Body Found In Corpus Channel

(By Associated Press)
CORPUS CHRISTI, Apr. 10.—Officers today investigated the death of a man whose body was taken from the ship channel here during the night.

From papers in his pockets the man was identified partially as Charles Atkey, of San Antonio.

Eight Convicts Still at Large

(By Associated Press)
HUNTSVILLE, Apr. 10.—Eight convicts who escaped from the Eastland prison farm near here by prying boards from the flooring, remained at liberty today. Three posses with bloodhounds pursued the felons after the escape was discovered yesterday.

Youth of Eleven Steals Automobile

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams was called from Rowena late Tuesday night to look for a small boy who had taken an automobile at that place and left for "parts unknown." The sheriff immediately called the chief of police at Miles to watch for the youngster and within a short time had the boy under arrest. The lad had already passed Miles but halted because a wheel on the car was broken, he was captured a short distance the other side of that town.

According to information given Sheriff McWilliams, two men, W. C. Kelly, of Brownwood, and O. McElmerry, of Waco, were coming to San Angelo from Sterling City Tuesday night. A short distance out of San Angelo they found a boy, only eleven years old, by the side of the road. The lad had gathered some wood, built a fire, and was preparing to spend the night. He told the men he was on his way from a visit to his grandfather at Corpus Christi to his parents at Lubbock and had failed to get a ride. They offered to take him back to Coleman or Ballinger and put him on a highway where they thought he would be more likely to find transportation home.

When the trio arrived at Rowena it was about 2:00 o'clock Wednesday morning and the travelers stopped at an old gin where the men got out and went to sleep on some cottonseed, leaving the boy in the car. After the men were well asleep the lad cranked up the machine and drove away.

The youth gave his name as Leonard Brando, of Lubbock, and as soon as Sheriff McWilliams talked to his relatives and learned that the lad was telling the truth, he and a number of Miles citizens made up a "pot," bought the boy some cats, a hair-cut, and put him on the noon train, home-bound.

The sheriff said the boy questioned him in regard to why he wore his badge under his coat. When told that it was to keep people from knowing he was an officer, the boy told him he could locate any officer by his "looks" and always did this as soon as he landed in a town.

The automobile was returned to its owner and all went on their way rejoicing.

WOULD RUN HIGH GEAR FROM TURKISH AUTOS

(By Associated Press)
ISTANBUL, April 10.—The wild driving of Turkish chauffeurs and the increasing number of automobile accidents have led one of the local papers to suggest to the government the removal from all cars of highspeed gears.

"Turkey will be honored throughout the world as the first nation to forbid the entry of automobiles supplied with more than low and second speed," this paper writes, "and the world will see that we have found a way to prevent our cities from becoming sanguinary race tracks."

FT. WORTH, Apr. 10.

Two negroes who attempted to rob the First State Bank of Polytechnic here were shot to death at noon today. Assistant Cashier J. M. Fry was wounded, perhaps fatally.

The police had been given a tip the robbery was planned and city detectives were stationed in the bank.

One negro was shot down in the bank by a detective, the other was slain by bank guards as he fled down a street. No loot was taken.

Student is Killed In Auto Crash

(By Associated Press)
DENTON, April 10.—August Capps, 24, of Celina, student of North Texas State Teachers College here, died today of injuries suffered in an automobile accident near here yesterday.

Mrs. J. L. Watson, of Denton, also a student at the college, sustained a fractured skull in the same accident.

SALES BARN BURNS AT MILES: LOSS IS \$2,500

(By Associated Press)
MILES, Apr. 10.—The Bob Albritton sales barn burned to the ground here shortly after noon yesterday. The barn had been remodeled and was housing several Mexican families. The blaze started in the southwest corner of the building from an unknown cause. Three dogs perished in the flames and no bedding or household goods were saved.

The building was erected here some twenty-five years ago by C. C. Culwell and was valued at about \$2,500. Mr. Albritton bought the place from Culwell about twelve years ago. The loss was covered partly by insurance.

A stiff southwest wind hindered work of the Miles volunteer fire department, and although the firemen fought the blaze valiantly, the building was totally destroyed.

Walter Taylor, banker at Tascala and Lawn, was in Ballinger Thursday attending to business.

WEATHER REPORT

(By Associated Press)
All Texas—Partly cloudy, probably showers in the south portion tonight and Friday.

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Summer is almost here and there is no indication of a municipal bathing pool yet. Many had good intentions early in the spring but when it gets right down to doing something it takes money and plenty of it to build a recreation center. At least a good start was made this year. An excellent location was found and when the city completes erection of the new dam the land will be available for such a purpose. Next year citizens may feel more inclined and final arrangements made for the park and swimming pool.

A number of citizens have been registering complaints in regard to the clean-up campaign just closed here. One citizen calling at The Ledger office Wednesday offered to take a reporter to a spot on Eighth Street not over a block from the business district where a pile of trash and filth had been left out in front. Included in the refuse was a dead cat and other repulsive things. It should be the duty of some officer to see that the filth is removed.

Ballinger has a stock law but of late it seems to be a difficult matter to enforce it. Some yards in the residential districts have suffered great damage due to horses and cows running loose in the city limits. City officers have placed many of these animals in the pound but apparently it does no good. Owners come forth with such a plausible excuse that it is hard to fine them. Just why the stock is turned out is not known unless it is to let them get a good night's grazing on green grass. Yards are an asset to a city and those who have pride enough to beautify them, spending money for shrubs, trees and water, should have the full protection of the law.

If there is a reduction of cotton acreage in Runnels county this year it means that much more feed will be planted. An estimate of 15 per cent cut has been made by some local observers. Small grain generally has failed and all this land will be placed in something this year when rains come. The acreage in cultivation will be slightly larger this year than previously and if cotton planting is reduced, maize will be raised in large quantities. Farmers now are waiting for enough moisture to plant their crops. After the planting season a safe estimate of the reduction can be made.

Germany is the leading foreign market for cotton raised in the United States.

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Says Orgatone was
What She Needed

"I Got to Where I Couldn't Eat Anything and Wasn't Able to Rest at Night, But Am Relieved Now," Says Brownwood Woman.

Mrs. L. A. Bradenburg, of 505 Melwood Street, Brownwood, Texas, in her statement regarding the benefits received from Orgatone, (Argotane) said:

"I have just taken one bottle of Orgatone (Argotane) and am greatly pleased with the results in my case. I just haven't felt like myself for several years. I scarcely had no life or energy about me, and my appetite was very poor and suffered terribly from indigestion. I just got to where I couldn't eat anything without suffering and having intense pains in my stomach afterwards. Gas would form on my stomach and I felt depressed and down-hearted and just had to force myself to do my work. I had nervous sick headaches, and at times couldn't get any sleep at night. I felt that my condition was getting worse and needed something to build me up.

"Orgatone (Argotane) was just what I needed to bring me out of it. It seemed to go right to the spot and I could tell a change in my condition after the first few doses. I'm not nervous like I was and get plenty of sound, refreshing sleep every night. I eat anything I want now, and am not bothered with the severe pains in my abdomen any more. I seldom have a headache, and feel like doing something, and have more vim and energy. Orgatone (Argotane) is a good medicine and I am glad to recommend it because it has given me relief."

Genuine Argotane may be bought in Ballinger at the Weeks Drug Store.

SUNDOWN
STORIES

THE GREAT MINE

By Mary Graham Bonner

The Little Black Clock turned the time ahead from that day when John and Peggy saw the children picking up the bright stone which turned out to be a diamond.

And now he was showing them the great diamond mine that was the result of this discovery.

As they went into the mine the Little Black Clock told John and Peggy how diamonds were to be found in some hard blue clay inside walls of still harder rocks.

John loved seeing the tunnels and the great underground work that was being done. Peggy thought how different all this was from the time when a diamond had been thought a particularly bright pebble, and when there was no mining for diamonds.

As they were not far away the Little Black Clock showed them gold mines too, and John tried to figure out how rich he would be if he owned all this gold and all the diamonds!

"Years and years and years ago," the Little Black Clock told the children, "there were probably were volcanoes around these parts, and these volcanoes were the beginnings of what have since become diamond mines."

"Do you suppose I could take one home for a souvenir?" Peggy asked.

"I'm afraid you couldn't," said the Little Black Clock. "They are no longer thought to be pretty, bright stones of no value."

"They have become a regular business and they aren't giving any away as souvenirs."

But Peggy didn't mind. She was thinking perhaps she would find a bright stone some day and it might turn out to be a diamond too!

(Tomorrow—"Indian Work and Play")

Be wise and advertise.

Matisse, Chief of Moderns
Visits U. S. for First Time

By Richard Massock
(Associated Press Staff Writer)
NEW YORK, Apr. 10.—Already possessor of a Pittsburgh prize and a Cincinnati daughter-in-law, Henri Matisse is visiting America for the first time, on his way to the South Seas.

He does not intend, however, to emulate Gauguin, who lived his last years in poverty on a tropical isle, a voluntary exile from the cafes of Parisian daubers. Rather, the 60-year-old French modernist feels there is something more there for him to paint.

Here the eminent master of contemporary painting finds that his pictures, which formerly infuriated critics, now are sought avidly by those who collect modern masterpieces. He himself tried to come over incognito, but by his beard, presumably he was known.

Matisse is to serve on the jury of award of the Carnegie Institute's exhibition of paintings next September in Pittsburgh. Matisse won the Carnegie prize in 1927.

Last December his son Pierre, over here with an exhibition of his father's various works, married "Tini" Sattler of Cincinnati. Matisse has been a prolific painter since he abandoned the study of law in 1892 to enter the Beaux Arts school in Paris and subsequently became a storm



HENRI MATISSE

center in the school of modernism.

Matisse now paints only eight or ten pictures in a year. And although his earlier paintings command prices of \$5,000 to \$25,000 apiece, he is selling none of his new ones.

A wealthy man, who has owned a stable of race horses, he prefers to keep his pictures for his own enjoyment. This despite an offer of \$100,000 Valentine Duden, New York dealer, made for five of those exhibited.

48 BUSINESS FAILURES
IN TEXAS FOR MARCH

AUSTIN, April 10.—Business mortality in Texas during March was on a much smaller scale than during February, according to the Texas Business Review, issued by the bureau of business research of the University of Texas.

In March, 48 defaults were reported as compared to 60 in February and 52 in March, 1929. During the first quarter of 1930 there were 157 business failures while for the same three months in 1929 they were 148.

Liabilities of the 48 failures in March totaled \$669,000 making a total of \$3,052,000 for the first quarter. The most discouraging item about the record failure, according to the report, is the fact that larger concerns are being forced out of business.

One Texas bank was placed in receivership during March, making three for the quarter as compared with two bank failures in 1929.

J. B. Pace, principal of the Ballinger high school, returned from Tahoka Wednesday after visiting there for several days on business. Mr. Pace will go to Tahoka this summer to take active charge of the schools in the capacity of superintendent.

HURT TO STAND

"Cardui Seemed to Build Me Up and I Was Rid of Pain," Says Virginia Lady.

Tahoka, Va.—"Some years ago, I was in a very run-down condition," writes Mrs. T. B. Akers, of 321 Jackson Street, S.E., this city. "I suffered a great deal with pains in my sides and back. Standing on my feet hurt me so much, that I would get very weak and nervous."

"I knew that if I didn't get something to help me, I would have to go to bed and stay there, which is hard to do for a woman who has small children. So I kept dragging about, until one day, when feeling unusually bad and discouraged, I happened to pick up a little book with a Cardui advertisement. I decided to try it."

"Cardui seemed to build me up at once, as I was able to do my work with ease, and was rid of the pain by the time I had taken six bottles."

"I have taken Cardui since then, whenever I feel that I needed a tonic, and it always helped me. I recommend it to my friends."

Thousands of other women have written to tell how Cardui had helped them to health.

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HOW'S your
HEALTH

CARE OF THE SKIN

There is a certain type of lump which develops fairly commonly on the scalp, face, neck, shoulders and back. When it grows large it is disfiguring and often causes the sufferer a great deal of worry.

This lump arises in the skin proper; it is usually soft to the touch and can move about with the skin. It is not what is known as a new growth; it is not cancerous and is usually without danger.

A wen is nothing more than a blocked and enlarged oil gland. The skin is studded with oil glands, known as sebaceous glands. These glands secrete a fatty substance which is poured out upon the surface of the skin. The sebum, as this fatty substance is called, protects the skin and keeps it soft.

Occasionally, however, the opening of the gland becomes blocked by dirt or because of an inflammation. Then the gland keeps on secreting sebum; but, being unable to pour it out, the gland proper must enlarge. This, then, gives rise to the lump which we term a wen.

Wens may be small or large. Usually the older it is the larger it becomes. Occasionally a wen becomes infected and forms an abscess. Again, the wen may rupture, and the fatty material in it may become, because of exposure to the air, hardened and thus form a "horn."

The prevention of wens depends upon proper care of the skin. Cleanliness here is of paramount importance. If the openings of the oil glands are kept free their secretions are not blocked, and wens will not form.

When a wen has formed it is best to have it removed. As must be self-evident, the smaller the

wen the easier it is to remove it. A wen must be removed in its entirety or it will fill up again.

EAGLE BRANCH NEWS

The Eagle Branch P-T. A. carried the play entitled "He's My Pal," to Crews Friday night, April 4th. The proceeds were \$15.00. Crews P-T. A. was given 20 per cent of the proceeds.

We are very grateful to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brevard and H. G. Bradley for the splendid music.

Mr. and Mrs. Naufleet Brown visited in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Presley.

The majority of Eagle Branch patrons attended the singing convention at Ballinger.

The dance given at J. H. Freeman's was well attended and a very enjoyable time was reported.

Jim Clayton sold his farm to J. H. Kurtz.

A little son was born to Mr. and

Mrs. R. C. Kurtz last Thursday, April 3. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

The rabbit drives of Thursday and Friday proved successful.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berry, the newlyweds, are at home now on the lower place of T. S. Berry. They will welcome the visits of any of their friends.

"REPORTER."

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Tallest Timekeeper
By Hazel Reavis

PARIS, Apr. 10.—When you see our watch by ship's time on the Atlantic Ocean you are taking the eyes of the Eiffel Tower like as not.

The world's tallest timekeeper measures 984 feet from the ground to the crown's nest which furnishes time and weather reports to ships at sea.

Up in the tiny tower room, frequently hidden from Paris by clouds and mist, a crew of busy men operate the radio sending apparatus. Their neighbors are experts of the meteorological bureau which is equipped with powerful barometers, aerometers and pluviometers.

Other World

The weather men live in a world of their own. Their pals are other weather observers at away points to the north, the east and the south. Their customers are the ships at sea and the cities which need to know to what the weather will do tomorrow.

Thousands of feet below lies Paris, just as remote from their daily life as London across the Channel. They can reach the foot of the tower by fifteen minute descent by foot and elevator. They can talk with Paris by telephone. They want something to eat. They want something to drink. The tower restaurant is a hundred feet below, halfway between earth and their perch in sky.

Entertained Shareholders

Stave Eiffel—whose name is punned in French like the word "FL"—used to live in one of the topmost apartments in the tower. He was a bridge engineer by profession but people general think of him only as the man who built the Eiffel tower.

He did it in spite of some opposition, as an attraction for the exposition. He paid for itself the first year. Receipts. Stock holders still get good dividends on their investment. Engineers say it is good for decades to come. Its slant is constantly checked and corrected by a draught apparatus which allows legs to be lifted. The tower is so constructed that it could lean at a free angle without tumbling. The center of gravity is only a few feet off the ground.

SQUILL KILL

New Powder Kills

Rats and Mice But

Nothing Else

Will Kill for Rats and Mice

Kill can be used in the kitchen with safety. Has been tested by actual test that it kills mice and does not harm other animals. Kills more mice per dollar.

A POISON—PRICE 50c

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Flower Show
Flower show at Winters and Nursery Co., Winters, on April 12 and 13. Invited. Souvenirs. 7-5td.

Amusements

Mary Nolan, Exotic Beauty, in Film at the Palace

Mary Nolan, called the most exotic beauty on the screen, plays a straight dramatic role for the first time in "Undertow," her current starring all-talking feature, which closes tonight at the Palace Theatre. She became a star by her interpretation of comedy-drama roles, but critics assert that "Undertow" definitely places her beside some of the greatest actresses of the screen.

John Mack Brown, formerly a national football hero, plays the lead opposite the beautiful blonde star, and Robert Ellis, Audrey Ferris, Churchill Ross and others have parts. Harry Pollard directed.

Film Role at Eight Started Bebe Daniels on Road to Screen Fame; Star of "Rio Rita"

Bebe Daniels was born in Dallas, Texas, and is a descendant of a royal Spanish family. Miss Daniels' mother is Spanish and her father is Scotch. Her maternal great-grandfather was governor of Colombia, and her grandfather was the American consul at Buenos Aires for a number of years.

Miss Daniels' screen career began at the age of eight when she appeared in child parts for Selig. After a brief time on the stage she again appeared in motion pictures in a series of comedies for Rolin-Pathe.

Cecil B. DeMille saw her in these comedies and immediately selected her for leading parts in his productions. He gave her the role of the court favorite in "Male and Female," and also appeared in the Paramount production of "Everywoman."

DeMille featured her in "Why Change Your Wife," and she was also a member of the all-star cast of "The Affairs of Anatol." She became a Paramount star shortly after and has made for that company "Nice People," "The Campus Flirt," "Senorita," "Swim, Girl, Swim," "She's a Sheik," "Feel My Pulse," "The Fifty-Fifty Girl," "Hot News," and "Take Me Home."

Miss Daniels is five feet, five inches tall and weighs about 120 pounds. She is very athletic, an exceptionally good rider and loves to drive a high-powered motor car.

With the advent of sound in motion pictures, Miss Daniels signed with Radio Pictures, producing unit of the vast Radio-Keith-Orpheum organization.

Her remarkable singing voice is heard for the first time in the all-talking, all-musical extravaganza, "Rio Rita," which opens a three-day run at the Palace Theatre next Sunday afternoon.

TOY BEARS MASCOTS OF SPEEDBOAT KING

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Apr. 10.—Two threadbare toy bears, attired in full dress suits, are Gar Wood's mascots.

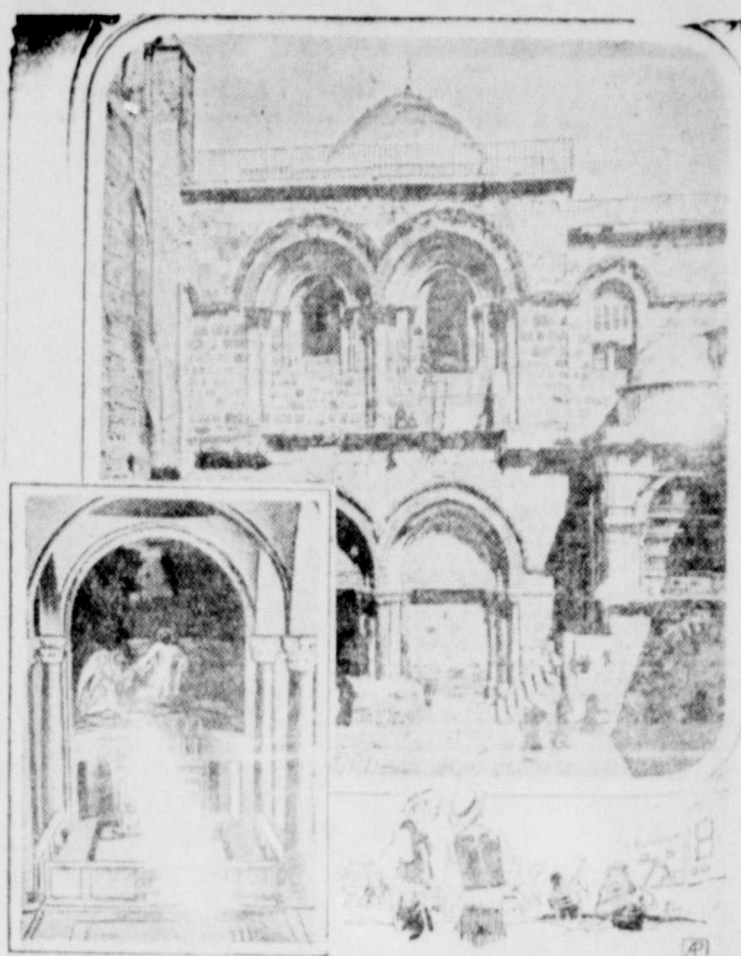
When he drives his speedboat Miss America VIII in an attempt to travel faster over water than any other human, the bears will be tied to the steering wheel.

For 18 years the frayed little bears have been carried in Wood's races, and he believes they bring him luck. Oddly enough, his few misfortunes have occurred when the bears were left behind.

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Excavations May Alter Christ Tomb Tradition



Excavations in Jerusalem may indicate Christ was not buried under Church of the Holy Sepulchre (right) as religious history says, though He is believed to have prayed at stone preserved in new Roman Catholic church (left) in Garden of Gethsemane.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Apr. 10.—Excavations may tend to show that Christ's burial place was not on the site of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, venerated at Easter as the scene of the Resurrection.

Archaeologists now at work in Jerusalem may find evidence pointing to the theory that the Saviour could not have been buried there, despite the belief handed down for 16 centuries, according to Dr. Emil Kraepling of Union Theological Seminary, authority on Palestine history.

Jewish law of the time of Christ forbade burial within the city walls of Jerusalem.

If the site of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre proves to be within the wall that existed when Christ lived, there will be ground for the belief that His tomb was not on the site of the church, for burial there would have been illegal.

Jerusalem has had a succession of city walls, each encircling a larger area than the last. Dr. Kraepling points out.

An effort now is being made to discover the wall that was in use about the year 30 A. D., when Christ was crucified on Mount Calvary, and later rose from the dead.

In 330 A. D. the Roman emperor Constantine, a Christian, decided to rediscover the place of Christ's Resurrection. Tradition asserted it was a spot where a temple to Aphrodite had been erected by pagan Romans in an effort to blot out the memory of the Saviour.

The temple was pulled down, and beneath it, tradition says, were found a tomb large enough for a single body and a cistern in which was the cross on which Christ died. Here the Church of the Holy Sepulchre was built.

Duke Has Six Diamonds
DURHAM, N. C., April 10.—(AP)—Baseball's booming at Duke University, Durham, North Carolina. Coach Jack Coombs, former big league pitcher, is laying out six new diamonds this spring.

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OIL PRODUCTION SEES LITTLE CHANGE IN MARCH

(By Associated Press)

BIG SPRING, Apr. 10.—Potential production from wells in the 2,200 feet pay horizon in Howard and Glasscock counties gained approximately 4,000 barrels during March, but the 3,000 feet pay dropped approximately 1,000 barrels to partially offset the gain, according to figures compiled and released by E. E. Andrews, production umpire.

Despite the fact that total potential output of two prorated pay levels in Howard and Glasscock counties revealed an increase of approximately 3,000 barrels, the allowed output was curtailed from 25,330 barrels daily to 24,083 barrels daily. This cut was occasioned by major pipe line concerns electing to handle a maximum of 25,150 barrels of oil during the month of April as compared with a limit of 27,000 barrels daily during March.

According to gauges made of wells prior to April 1, the 3,000 feet pay in Howard and Glasscock counties rates to total potential output of 16,716 barrels daily as compared with 17,140 barrels daily from the same horizon March 1. In the 2,200 feet pay, a total potential of 41,586 barrels daily is reflected by the gauges, a gain of 3,802 barrels

over the potential of 37,784 barrels registered on March 1.

Italy Launches Submarine

TRIESTE, Italy, April 10.—(AP)—The "Squalo" (Shark), first of a new series of small submarines, has been launched at the Monfalcone yards here. She measures

230 feet in length, is 19 feet in beam, with 875 tons displacement on the surface and 1,090 tons submerged. Three sister ships are to follow.

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Not so with the "Tramp" dollar—once spent it is gone forever.

The advantage to you of spending your dollar with a home owned store is greater than the tramp dollar can possibly buy—if it bought you one hundred cents' worth—which it cannot possibly do, because the chain stores must make a profit and send it on to Wall Street, where it shall never return.

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DO YOU KNOW THAT IT DEPENDS ON YOU MOTHERS IF YOUR BOY HAS A CHANCE

Every dollar you spend in helping your independent dealer in his fight for maintaining American ideals in business will help your son's future. Every penny you spend elsewhere is tearing down the great American plan of liberty and equal opportunity to all that has made America the mecca of the world for so many years. Keep independence in business at all costs, but strange as it may seem, it will cost you nothing if you will only about face and trade only with home owned stores.

DON'T SPEND YOUR MONEY WHERE IT NEVER RETURNS

Join the mothers who are proud of their sons, and who want them to have a real chance in the years to come. It really costs no more to trade with independent merchants, outside of the few articles used at bait, in advertising you buy just as economically in and well managed home owned store today.

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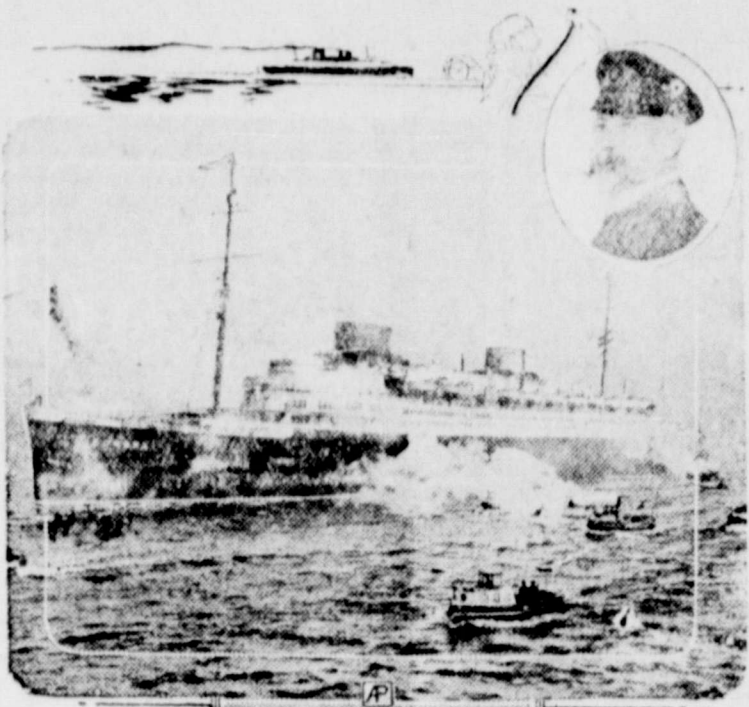
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Flower Show

Spring flower show at Winters Floral and Nursery Co., Winters, Texas, on April 12 and 13. Everyone invited. Souvenirs.

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Squat Liner's Speed Mark Seen Secure for 4 Years



Engineers of the Europa (above) say it would take four years to build a ship which might threaten her trans-Atlantic speed mark. Captain Nicholas Johnson (inset) commands the liner.

By Harry P. Kelliher
(Associated Press Staff Writer)
NEW YORK, Apr. 10.—Bon voyage has come to mean fast and snappy.

The speed spirit of the age has been extended to the once leisure business of transatlantic travel, and Germany flaps the fleetest wings.

The Bremen last summer smashed the long-standing record of the British Mauretania, and three months later bettered her own mark.

The Europa on her recent maiden trip improved by 18 minutes the best time of her giant sister. The Europa's 3,100-mile voyage from Cherbourg breakwater to Ambrose lightship outside New York harbor was accomplished in 4 days 17 hours 6 minutes, an average speed of 27.86 knots.

In the words of Captain Paul Koenig, former submarine commander and now marine superintendent for the North German Lloyd line, those 18 minutes saved the 50,000-ton Europa from being "just another boat."

Proud engineers of the Europa say that competitors would require four years to place a new fast steamship in the North Atlantic trade, and until then the Bremen or the Europa would not be forced beyond 28.5 knots, although each has done better than 29.1. Engineers have said that with engines broken in and

more moderate weather both ships would do 29 knots, more than 35 land miles an hour.

When the Bremen and the Europa set speed records, the world began to ask:

"What are the others going to do?"

The answer is nothing—for the present.

The White Star line has deferred work on the Oceanic, projected at a cost of \$25,000,000.

Other proposed vessels, save the Oceanic, are not beyond the paper stage. Meanwhile the N. G. L. claims 94 per cent of its pre-war tonnage. At that time the Leviathan was the Vaterland, the Berengaria the Imperator, and the Majestic the Bismarck—all German boats.

CONTENT NEWS

We are still hoping for rain. If it doesn't come soon things will become very gloomy around here. We may have to change the name of our community to "Dis-Content." The wind and the heat will soon take away the effects of the moisture which our last "snow" put into the soil. Some fields of grain are looking very good now, and a very few of our people have a little garden stuff up.

Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth met with the home demonstration

club Thursday afternoon. A very enjoyable and instructive discussion was had on "Dairying." Our home demonstration agent always brings us something good. About 15 ladies were present at the meeting. The ladies voted for the house dress to be entered in the clothing contest. The next meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Ray Dick and Mrs. C. C. Simmons who will demonstrate the use of the pressure cooker in preparing a whole meal. It was decided that the ladies will meet about 10 o'clock each one bringing something to be prepared for dinner, and for three or four to bring their cookers in order that we might have enough dinner for all present.

Brother King held his usual services at the church on Saturday night and Sunday. Sunday school in the morning was well attended. The Methodist Sunday school, held in the afternoon, was not so very well attended, as some of those who regularly attend went to the singing at Ballinger.

There were 45 present at the school house on Saturday afternoon to vote for three trustees. W. L. Porch and W. B. Little were reelected and Ike Ray was elected as the third member of the board.

Bro. C. A. Baskin, who was pastor of the Baptist Church here a few years ago, was present on Sunday afternoon and was very happily received by his many

friends here. Following adjournment of the Sunday school a large number went over to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Simmons, and a very pleasant hour was spent in singing and "visiting" with each other.

Miss Hattie May Dunlap, of Ballinger, who will graduate in music from Simmons University this year, was with Bro. King and his wife. She played for all the services and also gave some special piano numbers which were enjoyed by all.

The Intermediate and Junior B. Y. P. U. gave a pleasing program just before the preaching service. The pastor gave diplomas to a number of the girls and boys who did work in the training school for Junior B. Y. P. U.'s in the winter. Those receiving diplomas were: Dixie Norris, Helen Simmons, Pauline Jones, Mary Katherine Brown, Zuma Brown, Taylor B. Lockett and Orvil Lockett.

Hugh Hardgree was shaking hands with old friends here last week. Mr. Hardgree moved away from this community about thirty years ago.

Mr. Schwartz, of Winters, was in our "city" last week trying to meet the voters of this community.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Edwards are pleased to have them return to our community to live,

after having been at Haskell for the past few years. Mr. Edwards will have charge of the blacksmith shop here. His "music" on the anvil will be a pleasing sound to those who need such work, as it has been some time since the shop has been kept open more than one or two days a week.

Mrs. J. W. Dale, of Winters, and her son, M. C. Dale, were visitors here Sunday afternoon.

On Easter Sunday, Bro. Wilkerson hopes to open the Methodist revival meeting. The children of both Sunday schools will present a very pretty Sunday school pageant at the ten o'clock hour. Service will be held through the week, both day and night, and as long as interest shown justifies extended into the following week. We are hopeful for a real revival among professional Christians and that many more may enlist in the service.

Our boys and girls in the upper grades are working on a play which they will present on Wednesday evening. We are expecting something good, and hope that many will be present for the occasion.

Honor Roll

The following names are on the honor roll in the primary room: Delbert Jones, Caleb Brown, Gilbert Carter, Roy Lee Patton, Leroy Pierce, Charlie Fay Simmons, Stella Rosson, Jacquetta Jenkins, Olga Joe Hudson, Jewell McGraw.

Those perfect in oral spelling this month are:

Delbert Jones, Caleb Brown, Roy Lee Patton, Olga Joe Hudson, Bayne Miller, Stella Rosson, Jacquetta Jenkins.

Miss Blanche Johnson is teacher of this department.

Prayer meeting will be held on Tuesday night of this week, on account of the school play on Wednesday night.

Mrs. Adelle Hudson Gladden was taken to Abilene for an operation Monday afternoon. At last report she was resting as well as could be expected.

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NORTON NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Joyce Crockett of Waco, are spending several days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Price spent Sunday with friends at Bronte.

M. G. Roper, Treat Jennings and Harold Osborne, returned Saturday from Corpus Christi.

Harold Doggett, of Abilene, spent the week-end with J. M. Mackey and family.

Arlis Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith, who had the misfortune to step on a piece of broken glass and cut the leader on his foot, is in a serious condition.

Bill Smith is spending this week with his parents.

Mrs. J. R. Taylor returned Saturday from San Angelo where she spent a few days with her daughter.

Mrs. J. E. Drummond, Miss Winnie Ruth and John Drummond of Caps, spent Monday with Mrs. Henry Drummond.

LeRoy Price and Clay Griggs had business in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gleaghorn, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Florence and Joe Dismore, returned Tuesday from an outing on the Concho River.

Several of the Methodist people attended the Epworth League institute at Ballinger Tuesday night.

The Baptists are holding a meeting this week, services twice a day, every one invited to attend.

The Methodist quarterly conference will meet at the Methodist Church Sunday 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crockett and family of the Bethel community were visitors in the home of Bob Crockett, Sunday.

Miss Maggie Taylor of San Angelo spent the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. Mattie Louder, of Miles, spent last week-end with Mrs. F. Roper.

Marjory Mitchell, of Rankin, is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. Laura Harding.

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Card of Thanks
We wish to thank our many friends who were so kind to us during our recent sorrow. The true friendship shown by so many has been consoling to us and we will always remember the many kind words and acts. We appreciate the floral offerings which made beautiful the last resting place of our loved one.
Mrs. D. Reeder and Family.
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Montana's game department has stocked with trout three high snow-created lakes which never previously contained fish.

Supt. Marrs Favors 12 Month Schools

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Apr. 10.—Favoring the plan being advanced to keep all public schools of the state open the full year, S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction, stated it would entail the saving of large amounts of money to the taxpayers of Texas. The plan was advocated recently at Fort Worth by R. T. Ellis, executive secretary of the Texas State Teachers Association.

Marrs stated a large amount of money now is being wasted in having the buildings unoccupied during the summer. In addition to the money that is lost a considerable amount of time is wasted, he said.

"There are very few successful businesses that are closed during three months of the year. Since it is impractical to operate a business on a nine months basis, the same rule is applicable to the business of educating the children of Texas," Marrs stated.

The head of the state school system declared there is considerable merit in the plan advocated by Ellis, stating there is too much waste of time and property under the present system. He also made a statement that probably will arouse the ire of the majority of the pupils of the state by saying "the vacation periods now are entirely too long."

One serious objection to the plan, Marrs said, is that it would interfere with the improvement of the teaching staffs as the instructors will be required to stay on duty the full 12 months thereby preventing them from taking examination courses in the summer schools.

The adoption of the 12-month school year was given serious consideration in Texas several years ago and is being tried out in several other states at the present time. According to Ellis there are many inequalities suffered by the various classes under the present system that would be relieved by a 12-month school year. Taxpayers would be saved much money in operating costs and in bonds issues for new buildings if the present plans were operated throughout the year, he said.

Ellis proposed that the school year be divided into three terms of 17 weeks each and permit students to attend the two terms found the most convenient for them.

Marrs, however, stated the ideal plan would be to divide the school year into four terms of three months each with one-fourth of the pupils out each term.

Preparations to adopt such a plan were made several years ago at Amarillo by Superintendent M. H. Duncan, who since has become superintendent of the schools at Lubbock, Marrs said.

Under the plan worked out at that time, the county board of education would have had the power to allocate the students to the various terms but the attorney general held that the board did not have the power to tell students when they could attend school. His opinion was based on the ground that a public school should be open to all students eligible to attend whenever it is in session.

It was planned by the Amarillo board to conduct four three-months terms.

Marrs said that serious consideration of the plan was being given by several educators and that perhaps in the future a workable scheme could be perfected which would enable the schools to remain open the full year.

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"Wet Blanket" Aids Roads Three Year Test Shows

(By Associated Press)
ARLINGTON, Va., April 10.—Freshly laid concrete pavements may be "put to bed" under a blanket of wet burlap and earth. Increased wear and reduction in cracks are reported for the damp coverlet treatment by engineers of the bureau of public roads in concluding a three-year search for better curing methods for highways.

Forty slabs, made of identical mix and laid in the Arlington experimental farm under various conditions found in actual road building, were used in the study. Surface curing materials included earth, straw, burlap, tars, and chemicals and their effect observed on cracking, shrinkage and hardness.

The engineers, L. W. Teller and H. L. Bosley, described the results as "not conclusive but, all things considered, the wet burlap-wet earth curing was more effective than any other method."

A "wear" machine was used to test hardness. Three steel wheels in a circular frame were rotated over the individual slabs and the pavement resistance figured from the channels cut.

OLD INDIAN CART NOW IN MUSEUM

CANYON, April 10.—One of the most interesting objects appearing in the museum of the Pan-Handle-Plains Historical Society, is a carreta or cart constructed by the Taos Indians and presented as a token to their affection and respect of J. Evetts Haley of Austin, former field secretary of the Society.

The carreta has huge wooden wheels, the center portion of which are hewed out of a tree trunk. The wheels are held on the axle by substantial wooden pegs. The bed of the cart, which has no springs, is fastened directly to the axle, large wooden pegs being used there.

The whole cart is made just as such carts were made 500 years ago, and is representative of the means of transportation which the Pueblo Indians and early Spanish explorers used during their trips over New Mexico at the time the earliest missions were established.

The carreta will be displayed in the main corridor of the Administration Building of the West Texas State Teachers College here until after the Historical Society meeting soon.

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The experiment marks the first general attempt to improve highways through definite knowledge of curing.

Rob Russian Museum

LENINGRAD, April 10.—(AP)—A large collection of antique silver and gold coins, some of them dating back to the fourth century, also a number of other valuable articles were recently stolen from the Historical Section of the Russian Museum here. The thieves used a rope dropped through a skylight.

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AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE AT WACO ON APRIL 14 AND 15

(By Associated Press)
WACO, Apr. 10.—A state-wide land utilization conference sponsored by the A. & M. College of Texas, the State Department of Agriculture, Texas Technological College, various agencies throughout the state interested in improved agricultural conditions and outstanding representatives of the daily and farm press, has been called for Waco April 14-15.

President T. O. Walton, of A. & M. College said that the conference would not be for the purpose of proposing any new program or forming any new organization. "Its primary purpose," he added, "will be to stress the vital importance of proper utilization of the land in a well-rounded and economically wise system of agricultural development."

The meeting will be in effect something of a stock-taking of agricultural resources, both developed and potential, and a discussion of what is being done and what may be done to realize most fully on the state's agricultural possibilities.

Representative Frank Baldwin, of Waco, will preside at the opening session. Speakers will include Judge M. H. Gossett of the Federal Land Bank, Houston; C. E. S. Holland, of Houston; and Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham of New Waverly.

Rome Has Many Images

ROME, Apr. 10.—(AP)—Always attracting the American visitor in Rome are the images, statues or pictures of Christ and the Virgin erected in the corners of houses overlooking the streets. A census just completed shows that there are 1,421 such images of the Virgin and 1,318 of Christ.

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UNEARTHED BONES OF ANCIENT BEAST NEAR BALLINGER

This wee, while digging a large tank on his place west of Ballinger, E. J. Carroll found a number of bones of some large animal. The discovery was made under ledges of rock, some of the ossified remains being unearthed at a depth of about six feet.

Mr. Carroll said the bones were under rock stratas which apparently cover the whole area without a break. The bones are very brittle and are believed to have been underground for centuries.

It is not known whether the discovery has any historical value but effort will be made to determine at what era the remains belong.

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