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KING GEORGE WILL RECEIVE LINDBERGH

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, May 27.—It was officially announced tonight that King George would receive Capt. Charles A. Lindbergh at Buckingham Palace next Tuesday morning.

PARIS, May 27.—Capt. Charles A. Lindbergh flew over Paris in a French airplane for more than an hour today.
During the flight he paid homage to France's unknown soldier, flying over the tomb in graceful curves and descending at one time to within about 150 feet of the hallowed spot.

ACCIDENTS INCREASE WITH CARS IN JAPAN

(By Associated Press)
TOKYO, May 27.—With the increasing number of automobiles in Japan, it is almost as unsafe to cross a street in Tokyo or any other large city as it is in New York.

Half of the automobiles in Tokyo either killed or injured someone during the past year, according to police statistics.

There are approximately 13,000 motor cars in the Japanese capital. During 1926 there were 6,368 automobile accidents reported in which someone was killed or injured. There were 16,282 traffic accidents in which 234 persons lost their lives and 9,781 were hurt. Of the total number of accidents, bicycles were responsible for 5,752, tram cars for 1,445 and the innocent looking rickshaw for 105.

ATTENDIN GENCAMPMENT DIRECTORS MEETING

Rev. Alvin O. Rue and Kimble Wood went to Buffalo Gap Friday morning to attend a directors meeting of the Presbyterian Encampment. Plans will be made for the annual encampment which is to be held in July, and the grounds will be given a good cleaning under the supervision of the directors.

Rev. Rue and Mr. Wood were to return to Ballinger Friday night.

Misses Dovie and Frances Armstrong have gone to Corpus Christi, where they will spend the summer with their sister, Mrs. Ivan Hamilton.

James Snyder, of Winters, was in Ballinger Friday looking after business.

Six packages Theme Paper for 25c. Ballinger Printing Co.

TEXAN SHOOT SELF IN N. J.

(By Associated Press)
NEWARK, N. J., May 27.—A man shot and killed himself after sitting in an automobile parked here on the street for several hours.

He is believed to be W. E. Hartzler, writer of verse, of Bexar county, Texas.

HOUSE PASSES SCHOOL MEASURE

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, May 27.—Dragging through a morning of defeated attempts at clashes, the House engrossed the educational appropriation bill, carrying about \$70,000 more than the recommended \$16,181,000.

A non-quorum developing at noon prevented the suspension of rules and the final passage is expected to be secured this afternoon.

GREAT BRITAIN CUTS RELATIONS

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, May 27.—A note, severing relations between the Soviet Russian government and Great Britain, was delivered the Soviet legation today.

The note requested that the official Soviet representatives leave at once and specified who will be allowed to remain and wind up the affairs of the Aerost Limited, Russian trading organization.

The British diplomatic mission at Moscow will be recalled immediately.

LONDON, May 27.—Premier Stanley Baldwin made the emphatic statement today that the breaking of diplomatic relations with the Moscow government does not mean or imply war against Russia.

PARIS, May 27.—Minister of Interior Sarraut told the Chamber of Deputies today that the activities of communists in both France and abroad constitute grave danger to the national interests.

41 AT GUARD DRILL THURSDAY

"We had 41 members out for regular drill Thursday night," Captain Will C. McCarver, commander of Company C, 142nd Infantry of the Texas National Guard, said Friday morning. "It was the largest number we have had out in some time. Nine new members recruited early Thursday pepped up the entire company. We are now preparing for our annual trip to the Guard encampment at Palacios in July."

Capt. McCarver and his aides were successful in recruiting nine new members Thursday, which were among the finest youths of the city and county. Most of the new members were high school boys, the captain said.

Drills are held on Thursday night of each week from the American Legion Hall where the company has headquarters. On the last drill night they were out on the streets doing drill and the large number created much interest among those who were down town and saw the squads in action.

Recently Capt. McCarver made the rule of paying the boys every Thursday night after drill period and he expects to continue this so the members will show a little more interest in their work. Officers of the unit, however, will receive their pay every quarter as usual but enlisted men will be paid every Thursday night.

Ross Murchison is first lieutenant and Felton Wright is second lieutenant of the local company. Lieut. Wright recently became a member of the Guard upon the resignation of Lieut. John Clark, who moved from Ballinger.

"We are going to have a good delegation to go to Palacios this year," Capt. McCarver said. "We have always had a fine representation of Runnels county youth at the annual camp and this year will be no exception."

Drills will continue every Thursday night until time for the company to entrain.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Anderson, of Coolidge, Texas, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams and daughter. Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Williams are sisters.

Miss Lucille Hancock is here visiting her sister, Mrs. R. T. Williams.

Corn Belt Beauties



TOP-LEFT—E. J. JANSE
TOP-RIGHT—SUSAN HAWLEY
LOWER-LEFT—BERNICE RICHARDSON
LOWER-RIGHT—JEAN HARRISON

(By Associated Press)
IOWA CITY, Iowa, May 27.—Tall corn is not the only superior product of Iowa. Flo Ziegfeld, Follies impresario, acknowledges. He selected three blondes, three brunettes and a red-head as the seven most beautiful co-eds at the University of Iowa. One of them, Bernice Richardson of Perry, thus wins a place in the Hawkeye, Iowa, yearbook for the third successive year. She is a blonde. Elizabeth Janse of Luverne, and Susan Hawley of Fort Dodge are brunettes, and Jean Harrison of Cedar Rapids, has titian tresses. Only Miss Hawley wears her hair unbobbed.

TWO DROWN IN DALLAS

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, May 27.—Miss Hallie Gaston, 19, school teacher, of Palacios, and Lawrence Jones, 14, the son of T. W. Jones, were drowned in different parts of Dallas last night.

Miss Gaston's body was recovered from White Rock lake where she drowned when the boat in which she was riding capsized.

The youth drowned while swimming in the municipal pool at Fair Park.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

The young people of the Young Men's Brotherhood class, the Conquest class, the Young Ladies class and the C. E. of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church enjoyed one of the most pleasant picnics of the season last Tuesday evening.

Leaving town about 7:00 o'clock, we went to a pretty place on the Spreen ranch.

After a real picnic supper an hour of outdoor games was enjoyed. There were about 40 young people at the picnic.

"REPORTER."

Ledger advertising pays.

LABOR MEET CLOSE NEAR

(By Associated Press)
WICHITA FALLS, May 27.—Installation of officers and action on a flock of resolutions which failed to reach the convention floor Thursday, reports of numerous committees and adjournment, constituted the business of the 30th annual convention of the Texas State Federation of Labor here today.

FLAMING GASSER THAT TOOK 5 STILL BURNS

BABY DEAD; FIVE HURT IN ATTACK

(By Associated Press)
TAMPA, Fla., May 27.—Buddy Merrell, aged 3, was killed, and five members of his family were injured so seriously that they are not expected to live. An unidentified person entered the Merrell home some time during the night and attacked the family with a meat cleaver.

The injured were Herman Merrell, 43, the boy's father; Mrs. Herman Merrell, 35; Ralph, 11; Mildred, 5; and the three-months-old baby.

MARINE KILLS REVOLT LEADER

(By Associated Press)
CHINANDEGA, Nicaragua, May 27.—Captain William Richards, of the United States marine corps, shot and killed the Liberal leader, General Cabulla, here today. Richards is said to have shot the man in self defense.

CAL WILL LIVE IN BLACK HILLS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 27.—Definite prediction that President and Mrs. Coolidge would go to the Black Hills of South Dakota for his summer home was made today by Senator Norbeck of that state after a second call at the White House in two days.

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14 GRADUATE AT TALPA HI

Fourteen students, members of the enth grade of the Talpa high school, complete their school work there Friday night when they receive their diplomas. Two boys and twelve girls compose this class.

Dr. S. E. Chandler, president of Daniel Baker College, of Brownwood, will deliver the principal address.

H. E. Evans, president of the Talpa school board, will present the students with their diplomas.

Miss Lucile Evans will deliver the valedictory. Miss Opal Mathews is salutatorian.

It is expected that several of these students will come to Ballinger next year to complete their high school work, while some of them will enter the academic departments of various West Texas colleges.

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GUBERNATORIAL
PORTRAITS

(By Associated Press)

SACRAMENTO, May 27.—The
seismic disturbances in San Fran-
cisco in 1906 shook C. C. Young
out of a job as school teacher.After two years in the real
estate business he entered politics
as a progressive Republican and
thereafter the only shakeups affect-
ing his job were the periodic
ballot box upheavals that ele-
vated him to a higher office.
Five terms as assemblyman, three
of which he was the speaker, and
eight years as lieutenant gov-
ernor, presiding over the senate,
prepared the way for his election
as governor.

Bridegroom Kilted

GLASGOW, Scotland.—At a re-
cent fashionable wedding at Dun-
gavel Castle here even the bride-
groom, C. E. W. Macintosh, wore
kilts.The plaids of several Scottish
families were in evidence, Macin-
tosh wearing in addition to the
tartan of his clan a magnificent
Caurngorn brooch and dirk.Miss Marjorie Glasgow, of
Richmond, Va., was a bridesmaid.ODESSA, Tex.—Work has com-
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vices of the Baptist revival being
conducted by Rev. J. H. McClain,
pastor of the church, and A. G.
Nelson, Fort Worth gospel singer
and master of the marimbaphone.
The music was unexcelled and
the congregation was probably
larger than it had been any day
since the revival commenced last
Sunday morning.Rev. McClain and Mr. Nelson
conduct a prayer meeting each
afternoon at some downtown busi-
ness house, and a fair sized
crowd of business men are
usually present for these meet-
ings.Thursday night, Rev. McClain
used as his text, "Come thou and
all thy house into the Ark.""When the home life," Rev.
McClain said, "breaks down, the
nation breaks down. God has
always looked to the head of the
families to champion the best in
the world.""There are still righteous men
in the world and they are the
ones holding it together today.
Noah was laughed at in scorn as
he built the ark. You do not have
to get out of Ballinger to find
the man who will point the finger
of scorn at the truest and best of
God's men. Any father ought to
delight in the fact that he has
led his children to Christ.""In the face of all warning,
some still turn their backs on
God, but whether they believe it
or not the time will come when
they will stand face to face with
the living God."Services will continue daily
until June 5th, when the two
weeks revival will come to a
close.

Plenty of Licenses

LINCOLN, Neb.—A small boy
sauntering down the street with
two dogs was stopped by an
officer."Have both those dogs got
licenses?" he asked."The big one's all right,"
answered the youngster, "but
the little one is full of 'em."

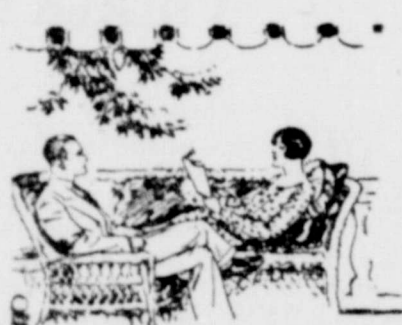
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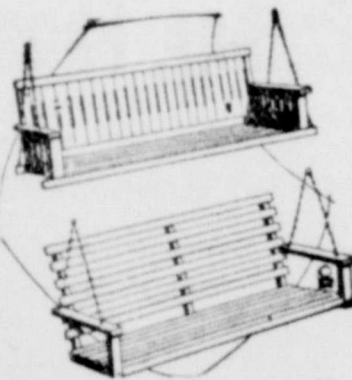
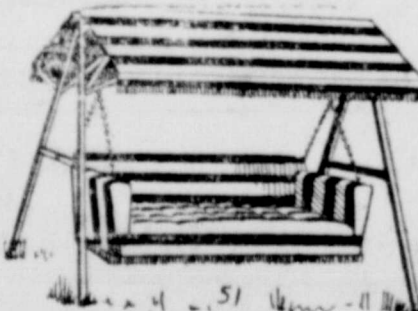
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Texas Utilities Co., had businessin Coleman and Santa Anna Fri-
day.AUSTIN—An aeronautical lab-
oratory is to be built at the Uni-
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future.LAREDO—The Rio Grande Val-
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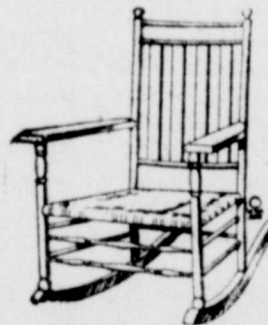
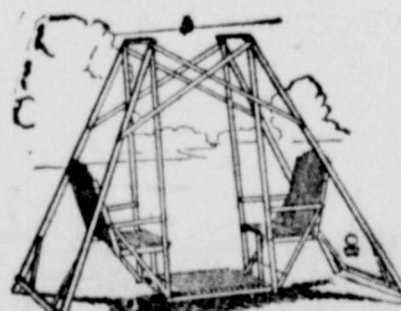
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There are women in your state—perhaps in your town—who have written letters similar to this one telling how much Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has helped them. The Pinkham Medicine Company, Lynn, Mass., will gladly furnish other women with these names upon request.

Movies

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One man and one woman, marooned, cut off from the world, fighting their way to wealth. She, with nothing but hate and fear in her heart; he, strong, stoical, wondering whether or not he really loves her. How do two such people come from the ends of the earth to meet and marry?

Nora Marsh, up to the age of twenty, had lived all her sheltered life within the confines of a London home. Suddenly, walls, seemingly secure, had crashed. Where before, she had been rich, she is destitute. So Nora sets out for the only haven she knows, her brother's farm in far Canada.

There, she meets Frank Taylor, a horny-handed tiller of the soil, temporarily working for Ed in an effort to recoup the monetary loss sustained the preceding winter. At first, Nora repulses him. Then, after quarreling with her brother's wife, she asks Tay-

lor to take her away. And now, they were leading a living death. To her, it was merely existing. But bit by bit, Taylor starts gaining her respect. The things he does and says, all for her happiness and comfort, gradually eat into her unfounded hate. Soon, she is actually looking forward to his homecoming each night.

Then, to disturb their happiness, comes tragedy, sweeping down without warning. Overnight, everything is wiped out. Failure opens the door and stalks in. What happens?

"The Canadian" is showing today and Saturday at the Palace Theatre. Thomas Meighan's newest Paramount starring vehicle is a real picture, one that should appeal to all movie lovers. William Beaudine, director of "Hold That Lion!" and "Sparrows," directed.

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INDIAN STILL FISHES BUT SQUAW CASTS NETS

(By Associated Press)

MINNEAPOLIS, May 27.—Fishing, primitive industry of the American Indian, still constitutes a principal means of livelihood for the 12,000 aborigines of Minnesota.

Almost every month in the year finds them along the creeks, employing members of their families, headed by the indispensable squaw, to raise and lower the nets and to seine under state supervision for rough fish.

One of the biggest fishing projects in the state is a packing plant supplied entirely by the red man. It is on Red Lake, in northern Minnesota, and it packs annually thousands of choice fish caught by the Indians and shipped to all parts of the country.

Flag Replaces Bell TRENTON, N. J.—The old-time practice of calling the legislature into session by ringing a bell is perpetuated in the custom today of flying the American flag on the statehouse only while the legislature is sitting, and on holidays and special occasions.

SPEAKING DATES FOR MISS LANDON

Speaking dates for Miss Susan Landon, educational representative of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association for Rannels county, from May 30th to June 11th, were announced here Friday by Lynn Stokes, president of the Rannels County Farm Bureau, and C. W. Buchanan, field service representative of the association.

Plans have been made for visiting the various communities throughout the county and points in adjoining counties during these two weeks with afternoon and night meetings, in order that everyone in this section may have an opportunity of attending at least one of these educational and interesting lectures. Miss Landon has been touring the state in recent months, giving these lectures on community co-operation and organization, rural life and rural education. Exceptionally large audiences have heard her in practically all of her meetings. She will use a stereopticon during her lectures and will show a number of pictures which she took in Denmark last year when she visited that country in a study of farm life there.

The speaking schedule as announced is:

May 30, Monday night, Hatchel school house auditorium
May 31, Tuesday night, Winters school house auditorium
June 1, Wednesday night, Wingate school house auditorium
June 2, Thursday night, Drasco Baptist church auditorium
June 3, Friday night, Eden school house auditorium
June 4, Saturday afternoon, court house, Ballinger
June 4, Saturday night, Norton tabernacle
June 6, Monday night, Maverick school house auditorium
June 7, Tuesday night, Pearce school house auditorium
June 8, Wednesday night, Crews Methodist church
June 9, Thursday night, court house, San Angelo

June 10, Friday night, Rowena, Sons of Herman Hall
June 11, Saturday afternoon, court house, Ballinger.

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QUART OF WATER A DAY HELPS KIDNEYS

When Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers, Also Take a Little Salts

Eating too much rich food may produce kidney trouble in some form, says a well-known authority, because the acids created excite the kidneys. Then they become overworked, get sluggish, clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region, rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, begin drinking lots of good water and also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity; also to neutralize the acids in the system so that they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to help keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus often avoiding serious kidney disorders.

Oran Dean, who had been here for the past few weeks visiting his parents, left Friday morning for Shreveport, La.

Patronize Ledger advertisers—

Century of Honey Ruins Farm House

GOMSHALL, Eng., May 25.—There's so much honey in the roof of a 15th century farmhouse here, called "Cole Kitchen Farm," that the ceiling of the room immediately underneath is giving way beneath the weight after 100 years service as a gigantic beehive.

T. H. English, the owner, says nobody ever tried to get the honey, because it would necessitate removing the roof.

In the swarming season the place is smothered with bees.

Killing Ostriches JOHANNESBURG, South Africa.—More than 200,000 ostriches have been killed recently by their owners because of a market depression. A revival of demand for ostrich feathers might be difficult to meet because of the wholesale slaughter.

Should Have a Meter HARBIN, Manchuria.—Monthly subscription rates for "Molva" (Talk), a Soviet newspaper, vary from 75 cents to \$2, depending on the financial status of the subscriber.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Warranty Deeds

B. B. Westbrook to Sam Shelton and wife, lot 8 and half of lot 7 of block 35, of the original town plat of Ballinger, May 25, for the sum of \$1,000.

Assignments of Oil and Gas Leases

J. A. Johnson and Noble Oil & Gas Co. to Kingwood Oil Co., 80 acres of the Jas. E. Ellis survey No. 12-1-2, April 1, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

J. A. Johnson et al to Kingwood Oil Co., west half of the northwest 1-4 of the W. C. R. Co. survey No. 1, April 1, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

J. A. Johnson et al to Sun Oil Co., 80 acres of the J. Schorre survey No. 210, April 1, for the sum of \$1,550.

J. A. Johnson et al to Sun Oil Co., 80 acres of the A.

Kussenberg survey No. 188, April 1, for the sum of \$1,550.

*Smi-Lock Petroleum Co. to Marland Oil Co., 160 acres of the T. & N. O. R. R. Co. survey, January 12, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

WANTS WATERWAY



Mrs. E. R. Latham

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterway proposal is likely to engage attention at the council meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, May 30 to June 4, at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mrs. Ernest R. Latham, of Grand Ledge, Michigan, chairman of the federation's division of conservation of natural resources, is prepared to introduce a resolution favoring immediate steps toward an agreement between the United States and Canada for construction of that route to the sea.

"Depending upon this water system is an area extending 1,000 miles east and west and 500 miles north and south," she says. "It comprises the greatest production area of agricultural staples, except cotton, with large scale and increasing manufacture and a population consuming a large volume of manufactured goods. This great region, with a population of over 40,000,000, is demanding better facilities for incoming and outgoing cargoes. Millions of acres of farm land in the United States and in Canada, now unprofitable, will be made profitable by reason of better price and lower shipping costs."

SAN ANTONIO—Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. will build a telephone line from San Antonio thru Alice and Falfurrias to points in the lower Rio Grande Valley.

Dance at Rowena

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Committee. 27-1tw-2td

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HARWELL GIVES COLLEGE TRIP

R. L. Harwell, of the Harwell Motor Co., local Ford dealers, and a director of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, Friday announced that he had authorized C. W. Lehmborg, county agricultural agent, to select either a boy or a girl from the rural clubs of Rannels county to go to the A. & M. College short course to be held at College Station in July, and that he would foot the bill.

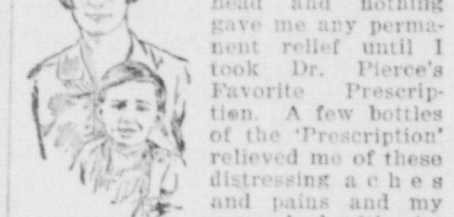
This is the fourth free trip to be given Rannels county club boys and girls this year.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce has announced it will pay the expenses of two club members, and the Winters Chamber of Commerce will pay the expenses of one.

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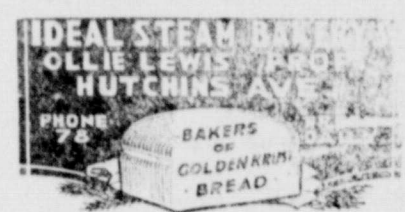
J. D. Smith, of the Wingate community, was in Ballinger Friday looking after business.

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