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Winner of Living Room Contest Tells of Work

Mrs. F. L. Webb, winner of first place in the Living Room Contest, below writes of her work and experiences in transforming her room into a modern one that was considered the best by the judges. Her room will be visited Wednesday by more than 50 club women as they tour Runnels county on a visit to all the rooms entered in the contest.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce will entertain the Runnels county club women Wednesday morning at 7:45 with a breakfast just before they leave on their tour of inspection.

Mrs. Webb remodeled, refurnished and bought new material for her living room and the total cost was \$32.83. Her letter follows:

"After I entered the living room contest I looked at my room and thought it would be impossible to fix it up with so small an amount of money. The furniture was old, very old. The springs had dropped out at bottom, the upholstering was badly worn, it would need to be made over in general.

"My shades were faded and torn. I would have to get new window screens. Eight enlarged photographs measuring from 11-2 to 3 feet across decorated the four walls.

"A table in center of room was a catch-all for books, magazines, and Kodak pictures.

"A folding bed stood in one corner. The way to begin is to clean out. So I did.

"I cleaned the windows, stained the floor and woodwork a light mahogany to match the furniture. I sunned and dusted my rug. My shades were so badly worn I replaced them with new buff colored ones, then hung my blue and gold draperies with buff glass curtains the tie-backs I bought at Woolworth's. They were blue. I painted small gold and mulberry flowers on them.

"The eight enlarged photographs I hung in a vacant room upstairs. The folding bed I removed and a desk made from my girlhood organ now occupies its place. I felt I could not part with my old organ. I could not use it as it was, so we decided to make it into more useful and modern articles.

"We took the organ apart being careful not to split any of the boards. My husband suggested a desk. Where the notes were he placed a large board for desk top. The music storage was cut into small compartments for letters and papers. He boxed up the back, cut a small door in front and this makes a roomy closet for magazines, and books. We stained it mahogany.

"The book-ends that adorn top of desk were the ornaments from the pedals of organ, which were dragons. I mounted them on a small board, bronzed it, painted the eyes and tongue red. On either side are blue and gold candles. The end table that sits by davenport was made from the legs of the organ stool, and a board from inside of organ was used for the top. My husband sawed it in three large scallops and straight across the front.

"There were some beautifully carved little boards out of organ I had not used. One day I decided to please my husband with a pretty little smoker. I went to work, now he has a smoking stand, with cabinet for games. I also stained this mahogany.

"We tore all the old upholstering from the davenport and three chairs. We went to San Angelo, selected a beautiful tapestry in blue, gold, and mulberry. Gimp, webbing, and tacks. We upholstered the sewing chair in mulberry. I took the top of the organ stool put it on small legs covered it in material of sewing chair for foot stool.

"I went over the table with mahogany stain, it now sits between davenport and pull-up chair

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P-T. A. Officers Installed Monday

A good crowd was present at the high school auditorium Monday night to be present at the installation of the Parent-Teachers Association officers. A short program had been arranged for the meeting and was carried out as advertised.

Mrs. Jas. A. Wear, retiring president of the association, was in the chair and presided over the meeting. H. C. Lyon, superintendent of city schools, offered the invocation after which two musical numbers were heard. Miss Carmen Demmer was presented in a violin number and Miss Marguerite Parish in a piano number. Both numbers were well rendered and appreciated by the crowd.

Mrs. Gilmore, of Sonora, president of the Sixth District, was presented by Mrs. Wear and had charge of the installation of the new officers. Mrs. Gilmore took cardboard letters that spell "Service" and used this work for the theme of her remarks in installing the officers. Taking one letter at a time she told what it stood for and presented one letter to each of the officers.

Mrs. Frank Pearce, the new president, was presented with the first letter, "S," after she had spoken on the meaning of the letter. Mrs. Pearce did not take the chair at the Monday night program. Mrs. H. C. Spencer is the 1st vice president, Mrs. Alfred Cramer is 2nd vice president, Mrs. G. P. Teague is 3rd vice president, Mrs. H. C. Lyon is secretary and Mrs. H. S. Strain is treasurer. This left the last letter, "E," and Mrs. Gilmore very fittingly explained this as referring to the entire organization.

Mrs. Pearce at the close of the installation, named her standing committees for the coming year. Mrs. Wear made a short talk in which she expressed her thanks for the support and co-operation given her during the past year and urged the same loyal co-operation for the incoming officers.

At the conclusion of her talk the P-T. A. song was sung by everyone present and the meeting adjourned for a social meeting. Refreshments consisting of punch and cookies were served in the dining room of the domestic science department to everyone by the refreshment committee, Mrs. R. T. Williams and Mrs. Harry Lynn.

A short business meeting was held at the beginning of the program to transact some outstanding business that needed attention. The Monday night meeting will take the place of the Wednesday afternoon meeting.

A report of the year's activities of the club will be made public within a short time and will be published in The Ledger.

Earnest Moody and wife returned home Monday afternoon from a visit to Haskell and Seymour.

The building program in Memphis is expected to set a new high record this year. Homes of both frame and permanent construction, business houses, and additions, including basements, to other business houses have been finished lately.

Hoover is Urged to Attend C. C. Meet

STAMFORD, Apr. 30.—The invitation to President Hoover to attend the eleventh annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in El Paso this spring has the signature of three governors, with the signing of Governor Phillips of Arizona, Governor Dan Moody of Arizona, and Governor Dillion of New Mexico had previously signed the invitation.

Three Questions Cause Hot Political Skirmish

\$3,000 Worth Fine Clothes is Stolen

(By International News Service)
ELECTRA, Apr. 30.—Selecting with care from the stock of a smart shop for women here recently, after first having leisurely surveyed its surroundings, accessibility from their room in the hotel adjoining the shop, two men made away with more than \$3,000 worth of merchandise. Entrance to the shop was gained by boring holes in the floor of their room, directly above the shop, and cutting away enough of the floor to lower themselves into it. Tools, left by them, and the gaping opening through the floor told the story plainly enough.

Stephenville will start work on the paving of 70,000 square yards of brick pavement to begin soon. The contract went to the Thurber Brick Company whose price on concrete was \$2.01 for six inch thickness reinforced with 40-pound steel. The paving will amount to between six and ten miles.

Senate Continues in Half-Hour Sessions

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, Apr. 30.—The senate today continued its half-hour morning meeting, remaining in session only 25 minutes before adjourning till Wednesday. Senators Wirtz and Small sent up a measure referring to judicial courts. McFarland introduced a measure regulating the sale and disposition of utilities municipally owned. Witt sent up a bill seeking to prevent discrimination in the sale of life insurance. Holbrook, sponsor of the prison administration measure, and McFarland, one of the opposition leaders, engaged in a heated tilt on the meeting committee on penitentiaries to consider the bills. The skirmish culminated in the committee as a whole voting to hold an open hearing Thursday.

Stores Close for Baseball Opening

That the business houses of Ballinger will close for the opening game tomorrow at Fair Park was evidenced by the great number of cards being displayed, or by the fact that the managers of the various firms indicating their intentions to close. Only in the rarest cases was there any opposition to the closing for the one day's game.

The following firms have either indicated their intention of closing by word or by displaying the card announcing that they will close:

D. Reeder Dry Goods Co., Gates & Nunnally, Asa Cordill, L. R. Tigner, City Cafe, Moor's Cafe, Hicks Rubber Co., Ideal Bakery, Bigby's Guaranty Title Co., E. Sheppard & Co., Ballinger State Bank, Ballinger Furniture Co., De Merville Plumbing Co., Community Natural Gas Co., Perry Brothers, Inc., Ladwig Bros., Piggly-Wigley, "M" System, The Hub, Bob's Barber Shop, Woodson Barber Shop, Ideal Barber Shop, Starr's Goodyear Shoe Shop, Elite Cafe, Higginbotham Bros. & Co., Stone's, American Cafe, Parker's Confectionery, West Texas Utilities Co., E. J. Carroll Plumbers, Hall Hardware Co., D. E. Moody Music House, McCarver & Lynn, J. Y. Pearce Drug Co., Bettis & Sturges, L. B. Rudder, Harwell Motor Co., Home Motor Co., E. F. Batts Chrysler Agency, Ben Matthiesen, Ballinger Auto Co., Farmers & Merchants Bank, King-Holt Furniture Co., and there are doubtless many others who will close who could not be seen owing to their absence.

(By International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Apr. 30.—The administration faced political skirmishes today on three widely spread battle fronts with strenuous opposition to the presidential policies. The clash over Hoover's right to maintain Mellon as secretary of the treasury was before the Senate Judiciary Committee, where another effort will be made to reach a decisive vote. The Senate Agricultural Committee met at the same time to determine whether testimony of two department of agriculture experts should be made public. These experts, Eric England and O. C. Stine, endorsed the export debenture plan of farm relief. Their advice was ignored by the president when he wrote to congress and stated that he would not approve of the plan. If the testimony is made public it would serve to indicate that the president did not follow the advice of his most qualified subordinates, a revelation which administration leaders seek to block. The third fight will be aided by numerous democrats who are fighting the president's appeal for the repeal of the National Origins Act.

Citrus Growers Want New Laws

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, Apr. 30.—Representatives of all citrus growing sections of the Rio Grande Valley will be in Austin Wednesday to confer with George B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture, in an effort to formulate policies for drafting of a new Texas quarantine law. Terrell has announced. The conference was brought about through a proposed quarantine of the Mediterranean fruit fly in Florida and which citrus fruit growers fear will spread to Texas.

WEATHER FORECAST

East Texas: Partly cloudy Thursday; showers in north and east. West Texas: Generally fair and cooler in Panhandle.

Football Player Goes to West Point

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, Apr. 30.—Tom Kilday, star fullback of St. Edwards University football team last fall, recently received notice of his appointment to the United States Military Academy at West Point. Kilday was appointed by Congressman James P. Buchanan.

Kilday is a candidate for an A. B. degree from St. Edwards in June. He expects to report for duty at West Point by July 1.

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Rebels Retreat Across Border

(By International News Service)
NOGALES, Ariz., Apr. 30.—The exodus of Mexican rebels into the United States is in full swing. General Vasto Topete, commander of the rebel army in Sonora, accompanied by his brother, Ricardo Topete, General Eduardo Garcia, J. G. Lizarraga, rebel provisional governor of Sonora and Abarra Zedner, attorney, who drew up the plan of Hermosillo, formed one party that reached the States today. Headed by Topete, they claimed immunity from United States troops as political exiles. The group crossed the line last night and went immediately to Topete's home. They refused to see newspaper men.

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Historical and Allegorical Event

(By International News Service)
HUNTSVILLE, Apr. 30.—The home coming celebration of the Sam Houston State Teachers College, May 3 and 4, will see a varied and most interesting program. It is planned to give a historical and allegorical pageant on Friday evening.

Episodes extending back to the earliest history of the college are to be presented in this program. Practically the entire student body will take part in this under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Meacham, instructor in music, and Miss Esther Rae, instructor in physical education.

Have you read the want ads?

(By International News Service)
PAINTSVILLE, Ky., Apr. 30.—Four persons are known dead, and three others are reported to have been killed in a pitched battle at a mountain moonshine still on Jennings Creek in the wild mountainous section of Johnson county, today. The dead are Lee Gibson, his wife, their son, and Wallace Hannah. Wayne Hannah, a brother to Wallace, was probably fatally shot in the battle, which was said to have followed a dispute over the operation of the still, owned jointly by the Gibson and Hannah families.

Sinclair Still Heads Company Tho in Jail

NEW YORK, Apr. 30.—Harry F. Sinclair, chairman of the board of directors of the \$500,000,000 Sinclair Oil Corporation, who will soon begin serving a 90-day jail sentence for contempt of the United States Senate in the Teapot Dome oil case, will retain complete control of his company and its subsidiaries, it was learned definitely today. Sinclair was visibly moved when informed of this fact Wednesday at a meeting of the board of directors when they enthusiastically and formally gave him a vote of confidence. He informed the directors that he was "greatly pleased at this definite expression of friendship and loyalty."

Amarillo Likely To Have College

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, Apr. 30.—The Amarillo Independent School District has filed the first application for recognition of the establishment of a junior college under the provisions of House Bill No. 10, enacted at the regular session of the Forty-first Legislature. The petition sets forth that the assessed valuation of property within the district is \$63,163,151, and that Amarillo High School has had an average daily attendance of not fewer than 400 students during the years 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928 and 1929. In compliance with the statute, this petition will be considered by the State Board of Education at its next regular meeting, May 10.

BASEBALL TOMORROW

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Indications are that Kunnels county will have the first fruit crop this year that has been had in the last six years. The crop has escaped the frost and unless destroyed by hail or storm should mature into a big yield.

A photograph will be made of the crowd on opening day at Fair Park of the baseball season of the West Texas League. This photograph will be carried in the state papers to show how Ballinger fans support their team. Help make the picture a good one by swelling the crowd with your presence.

The new officers taking over the P.-T. A. at the present time are devoting themselves to a good and worthy cause in Ballinger. There is no organization that does a greater work than the P.-T. A. and none is deserving of more support from the citizenship than they. Every act they do is for the betterment of the school and town and every one should be for them.

Rains followed by sandstorms have been in fashion this month so far. Following each rain there has been a sandstorm the next day and to people who have never lived in West Texas this may seem strange but it is possible even when the ground is muddy.

Coleman has been staging an editorial campaign for some time in regard to getting people to tear down their old fences around their houses. The campaign is now showing results and many old wooden fences are coming down. Ballinger does not have but a few of these old fences left but it would add to the beauty of the places and yards if they were torn down. A beautiful lawn and yard does not show up much to the passer-by if it has a high board fence around it so that people riding by can't see it. Sidewalks are all that is needed around a yard and with stock laws there is no necessity for fences.

IN THE REALM OF SPORT

The big axe fell and the Bearcats look better than they have at any stage this year. Only 16 men are left on the playing roster at present.

If "Speck" Dockery is as good as he has been praised at San Angelo he will add greatly to that scoring punch needed here. Dockery is praised by many fans as the best outfielder in the league.

Catcher Fant is not only a catcher but a general utility man and will be a big help to the entire club. He is a good receiver, has a good arm and is smart in the handling of pitchers.

Bressler is a lot of strength in the hitting. In 17 games in the Texas League the latter part of the season he hit close to the 400 mark and will be a help here in getting runs.

Allen, new second baseman, takes the place of C. C. Allen. There is no change in the names but the new comer is an old-timer and can hit the apple. He has played Class A ball for many years and appears to be in fine shape for a big season here.

Parham is a good right hand pitcher Monday morning in practice he showed the fans as well as the hitters that he had something.

Rogers, the 17-year-old boy from Wingate, has proved his worth to the club and has been placed on a written contract. Rogers is learning how to pitch and has a fast ball and a quick-breaking curve. He will be a mainstay of the club before long.

Bill Bean came to Ballinger Monday suffering with a sprained ankle received in a game last week. Under the care of the club's doctor he will be in shape for Wednesday's game. It is thought in case he is not, McNeely will be brought to first and Dockery sent to left field.

Booster day tickets are selling fast at \$1 each. There will be no charge for the grandstand Wednesday. One ticket takes you all the

way. After booster day Wednesday the general admission will be 50 cents with a small charge for the grandstand.

Word from San Angelo Tuesday stated that many fans would be in Ballinger Wednesday afternoon for the opening game. They are coming after the first game and local fans want to turn out in great numbers and send them home so that the Bearcats will be at the head of the percentage column on Thursday morning.

Blondy Cross, sports writer for The Standard will accompany the team to Ballinger Wednesday and local fans will enjoy reading his column Thursday. Blondy, in awarding places in the league race put Ballinger in the cellar.

BELLED BUZZARD IS BACK IN INDIANA

(By International News Service)
BROWNSTOWN, Ind., Apr. 30.—Spring has brought back the famous Indiana belled buzzard that for a number of years has been reported from various parts of the state.

Although the big carrion-eating bird was reported killed at Atlanta, Ga., it is still very much alive according to Neal Ackerman, son of Dr. Charles A. Ackerman, who with a companion has just seen it. Ackerman and his companion were cutting out crossties on his father's farm in Brown county, near Maumee, near here. Suddenly their attention was attracted by the faint tinkling of a bell which seemed to come from overhead. Looking up their saw a buzzard flying not much higher than the tree-tops and they were able plainly to discern a small bell about two or three inches in diameter attached to the bird's neck.

The latest appearance of the bird belled reports that it had been killed. The bird was reported from numerous Indiana points in 1927 but was not seen or heard in 1928, which fact probably gave rise to its death report.

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To Advertise Texas Fruits, Vegetables

(By International News Service)
STAMFORD, Apr. 30.—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been asked to co-operate with the Lower Rio Grande Valley Bankers Association in securing a slogan designed to advertise the citrus industry of that section.

The plan of the association so far, according to W. C. Baker, vice president of the Weslaco Security State Bank, is to adopt some slogan which could also be used to advertise the vegetable industry which will be inexpensive in order that its use on checks, letter-heads, drafts, etc., will be general.

Winner of--

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with a good reading lamp on it. "We went over the table with lumber yard. My husband sawed out my corner bracket, magazine stand, hanging bookshelves, all in a scallop shape. I laquered these and end table with gold edges shaded back a ways into the blue. On end table was placed a vase and small Bible. The vase was an old camphor bottle Mrs. Sam Neff gave me. Mr. Neff is a brother to ex-Governor Pat M. Neff. I bronzed this and an old silver sugar bowl my mother gave me. The old silver sugar bowl makes a beautiful bluebonnet bowl.

"Over the Brunswick I hung

'Blue Boy.' Over the davenport 'Home Is Where the Heart Is.' It breaks the plainness of the wall. On the floor sits a reed flower vase. Under one window sets a bowl of gold fish on a small reed table.

"We have enjoyed our new improved living room so much we have decided to work over the rest of the house, including the yard. MRS. F. L. WEBB.

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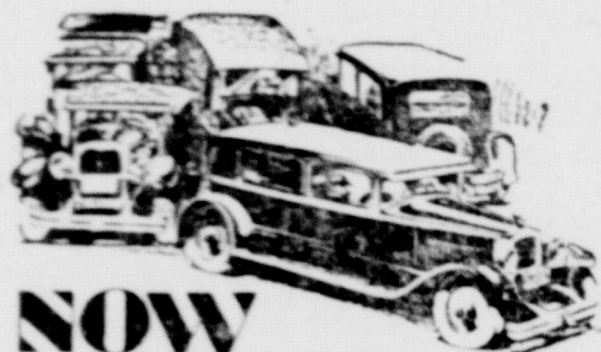
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Baseball Opener Here Tomorrow

Manager Bill Bean Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning changed the appearance and many faces on the Bearcat line-up. Bean saw the candidates for the local team in action for a short time Monday morning and Monday night went into session with the directors when the club was cut to 16 men, with one more to come on May 10. Releases were handed to Infielders Boyd, Wendler and Allen; Outfielder Sands, Catcher Baker, and Pitchers McWhirter and Smith.

New contracts were signed with Pitcher Parham, Infielders Bean and Allen, Outfielders Bressler and Dockery, and Catcher Fant. "Speck" Dockery is the newest arrival to the Bearcat line-up. He spent Monday night in Ballinger in conference and announced before returning to San Angelo that he would return with his family Tuesday afternoon and be ready for the opening day here Wednesday.

Manager Bean announced that the men now under contract will be carried with the club until May 15 at which time the roster will be cut to 14 men. That will mean that one outfielder and one pitcher will have to go at that time.

A crew of men were placed to work at Fair Park Tuesday morning getting the grounds in shape, digging dugouts and building a press box for newspaper men and the official scorer. The rain Monday noon put the grounds in bad condition and the time is too short before the opening of the season to do anything to it other than get it dry for Wednesday. The ground-keeper was burning gasoline on the wet spots Tuesday morning and unless there is more rain everything will be in fine shape for the game Wednesday.

Manager Bean gave out the starting line-up Tuesday as follows: Rabe, catcher; Hill, pitcher; Bean, 1st base; Allen, 2nd base; Mandola, 3rd base; Brown, short-stop; McNeely, left field; Kile, center field, and Dressler, right field. Dockery will likely be put in the game at some stage but not having had an opportunity to work out in the local park it was thought best to keep him from the starting line-up. Pitchers will be kept hot and ready to go. Lysle, Parham, Gladden, Tollison and Rogers will be ready for a pinch.

The game will be called promptly at 4 o'clock. Ballinger stores will close at 3:45 so that their employees will have an opportunity to witness the opening game of the West Texas League season.

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Gehrig's Inferiority Complex is The Babe's Home Run Advantage

By David J. Walsh
(INS Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, April 30.—Mr. B. Ruth undoubtedly will take himself off into the shadows before many years are done but the case is too desperate for mere homeopathies like that. They should call in Dr. Freud, meantime, to see what can be done for Henry Louis Gehrig, who is Mr. Ruth's chief assistant in the matter of hitting baseballs off the premises—and unfortunately is all too acutely aware of his status. Henry Louis is suffering today from an inferiority complex as malignant as any known to Freudian experience.

He hits the baseball almost as far and as often as does Mr. Ruth, but Henry Louis simply can't accept the evidence furnished by his own ability and, to him, Mr. Ruth is a man apart and obviously one who is not approached except in a spirit of quasi-humility. They are great friends but Ruth dominates and Gehrig expects to be dominated; in fact, asks for it. Perhaps that is the abiding reason why they are great friends.

It may be remembered that Gehrig first knew fame in 1927 when he dared to challenge Ruth's right to call himself the King of Swat. For weeks and then months, they see-sawed in the lead until each had well above 40 in his bag. Whereupon, Gehrig suddenly stop-

ped hitting them, for no apparent reason, and Ruth continued on to a new record, for every reason in the world.

I don't say that Gehrig suddenly felt that he was treading hallowed ground. I don't say it because I can't and still be sure of my facts. All I know is that Babe Ruth has slightly less of an inferiority complex than the average song plugger.

One hardly can say as much for Gehrig. There is, for example, the procedure that is followed when they go barnstorming under the auspices of Christy Walsh during their off season. On these trips, when they retire for the night in their Pullman drawing room, this is the amicable arrangement that is preserved throughout:

Ruth—lower berth.
Walsh—upper berth.
Gehrig—side seat.

It is Ruth's contention that he fears he will fall out of the upper or off the seat. Walsh often gives him an argument just for the sake of exercising his self-assertion. Gehrig accepts the situation placidly. In fact, he expects to sleep on the seat and probably would be uncomfortable if he found himself in the lower berth at Ruth's expense. This is Exhibit A.

Exhibit B comes the following morning when Gehrig and Walsh arise at a seemly hour and Ruth

sleeps until he gets enough. There is no horseplay, for Gehrig fears so. To disturb the great man's slumbers. Instead, he whispers, he tip-toes about. Then comes the question of breakfast. Walsh suggests going forward to the diner. But Gehrig is horrified.

"How about him?" pointing to the recumbent Ruth. "He won't like it if we eat without him. You go ahead. I'll wait for the Big Fellow."

Yes, it's always the Big Fellow with Gehrig. And, patiently, he waits for the Big Fellow morning after morning, unable, or at least unwilling, to take even a most casual step without first learning the other's desires.

One of these men is the product of an orphan asylum; the other was turned out by what is known as a hall of learning, with all of its advantages, implied and otherwise. But, of course, the stronger personality has won. Youth has nothing to do with it. In fact, it has never been established that undue modesty is a characteristic of youth in general. The case simply is a product of the old game of life, known as "follow the leader," and all too few of us are immune.

What, then, is to be the outcome when Ruth, the older man, takes himself off, leaving the field to the other? Is Ruth, the inspiration in every other respect, the trail blazer for Gehrig's hitting, too? Or, unfettered at last, will Gehrig go forward to greater things than ever were possible under the old order?

These are interesting questions.

The answers should be even more so.

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No more embarrassment, my friends think it wonderful. Young's Stomach Powder has removed my pimples, bad breath, excess acid, teeth not sensitive now. Druggist return money if it fails. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

BUFFALO MILK PROVES RICH IN BUTTER FAT

(By International News Service)
MISSOULA, Mont., Apr. 30.—Federal caretakers of bison herds often have unique experiences, but Frank H. Ross of the Montana National Buffalo Range claims a record.

Ross recently received an order from Salt Lake City for a pint of bison milk for laboratory use. As

he is a man who usually does what he sets about to do, he roped one of the wary cows and snubbed her into a crate.

The first attempt to milk the animal resulted in a crushed pail. After an operation of hog-tying and trussing, the task was accomplished.

Testing of the milk found that it contained 7.9 per cent butterfat and was pure white in color.

Coming—Helen Foster in "THE ROAD TO RUIN. A solemn warning to cheating fathers; an eloquent sermon to careless mothers. The picture all parents must see. Palace Thursday-Friday. 30-2d

Spearman—This city will be supplied with natural gas from fields near Stinnett through a six-inch line to be completed by August.

Be wise and advertise.

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We have moved our office next door to the Ballinger State Bank and we now feel that we are better able to serve your insurance needs.

E. Shepperd & Co.



To Reduce...

Elizabeth Arden recommends AMIRAL, famous French Reducing Soap. Absolutely harmless. Absorbed by the skin, breaks down fat by natural process. Reduction gradual, without wrinkles or flabbiness. Reduces just the part where used. Banishes fatness of neck, arms, hands, ankles, etc. Excellent for a double chin. Directions with each cake. 50c.

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The Camel blend of choice Turkish and Domestic tobaccos has never been equaled.

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You can smoke Camels freely without tiring your taste.

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Wednesday, May 1st at 4:00 p. m.

San Angelo Sheep Herders vs. Ballinger Bearcats



It's a Bearcat and All Bearcats are Winners

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Attend the Game
Opening Day
Fight Em
Bearcats
WIN
Every Game Possible

For the First
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on foreign soil we will treat
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Before and After the Game Visit

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Complete line of New Records, Sheet
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"If It's Musical We Have It"

MAY 1st, ONLY

Regular \$30.00 Portables with
Four 75c Records (You select the
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Four 75c Records for \$21.00



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Attend the Opening Game May 1st,
4:00 p. m.

To the Ballinger Player making the
first run we will give

\$2.50 CASH

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Perry Bros.
5c - 10c - 25c
Stores

Urge Your Attendance
upon the
Opening Game
May 1st

Also Visit Ballinger's New
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Store



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Open Every Day—6 a. m. to 9 p. m.
Sundays and Holidays
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Bearcats, use Ford speed while running bases
and you will always win!

We Know "Live Wires" when we see them. The Ballinger Bearcats are "Live Wires."

Give them a boost by being present at the Opening Game, May 1st.

"Let's Blow San Angelo's Fuse!"

West Texas Utilities Company



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Wednesday, May 1st

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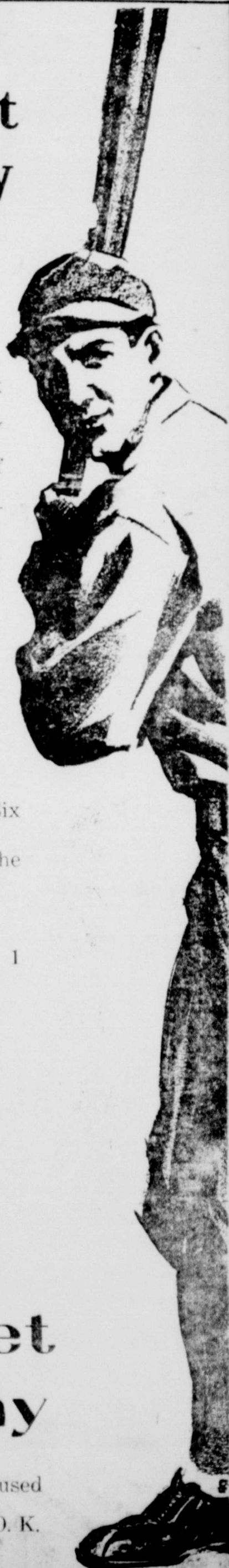
See good games and ride in good automobiles

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MAY 1ST



See the New Chevrolet Six the fastest selling car on the American market—over 300,000 SINCE JANUARY 1



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See the Bearcats Claw Those Sheep Herders
Wednesday, May 1st
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Will Give

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Sykes Motor Co.

urges you to attend the Opening Game
See the Most Automobile for the Money in America

The Whippet Six

Gas and Oil

Used Cars

Parades Bring Business Loss To Fifth Avenue

By James L. Kilgallen

(International News Staff Correspondent)
NEW YORK, Apr. 30.—Fifth Avenue, that internationally famous thoroughfare, has developed into a parade ground, and something's got to be done about it.

The merchants are agitated about the matter because the steady stream of parades is costing them money—plenty, they say. It's even worse than in 1919 when figures compiled by former Police Commissioner Enright indicated that each business day parade cost the merchants not less than \$10,000,000 in trade. There are more parades nowadays.

People can't watch a parade and shop at the same time, and, furthermore, the congregating of huge throngs prevents those who want to shop from shopping.

Fifth Avenue is one of the world's greatest shopping centers and interference with business—even when some deserving hero is being welcomed—is a serious matter, to the merchants at least.

Parades have been coming thick and fast, what with this aviator and that performing some noteworthy feat, to say nothing of the channel swimmers, visiting foreign dignitaries and what not.

Broadway, the street of the bright lights, bears the brunt of these invasions fully as much as Fifth Avenue, and the merchants on that thoroughfare feel much the same way about them.

It's not an uncommon sight to see merchants boarding up their plate glass windows the day before the big parades. Sometimes the crowds become so large and so unruly they crash into the windows, which is bad, especially when it happens to be jewelry store windows. The ubiquitous thieves and bandits usually have a field day on parade day.

Oddly enough, solution of the problem devolves to a large extent upon the debonair Grover A. Whalen, formerly the city's "official greeter" and the man who has handled practically all the parades in recent years. Time was when Mayor Jimmie Walker merely had to say: "Well, Grover, here comes another hero—you've got to get up a parade."

And, pronto! with only a few hours notice Mr. Whalen got one up and did the honors in royal style.

However, Grover Whalen is now the city's police commissioner and the squawk of the Fifth Avenue merchants has been put up to him directly. Regulation of traffic is one of his jobs—in fact, one of his hobbies.

Leaders of New York's civic and mercantile organizations are considering the calling of a general conference to discuss the problem of parades in business districts and to submit their findings to Whalen. They may ask Whalen to attend the conference.

Fifth Avenue merchants make it plain that they appreciate the fact that the parades of the past have done a great deal toward advertising their imposing street the world over. But the situation has reached the point where something's got to be done, they insist.

All kinds of suggestions have been made. One was to close the whole avenue to parades except Sundays and holidays. Another was to hold the parade after six p. m. This, of course, would interfere with that bright idea of Whalen's to hold them around noon when the working folks are out to lunch in staggering numbers. Another suggestion—which may be the solution—is to change the route of the parades to streets other than Fifth Avenue and Broadway and to make use of the expanse of Central Park as a parade ground.

The public's craze for processions and receptions has greatly increased since the World War. It isn't simply a problem of handling the real big parades of Lindbergh and Byrd type but other processions of purely local interest—parades gotten up by lodges and other organizations.

Junction's beautiful lawns this summer will be inspired partly by the contest being sponsored by the Parent-Teachers Association and other civic organizations. Kimble Courts is one of the models, and the work there is attracting the attention of all interested in landscape work.

Gordon Says He Is Like New Man

"Words cannot express the good I derived from Sargon," recently declared B. H. Gordon, Southwestern Representative of Dodd Mead & Co., one of the largest school book publishing houses in America.



B. H. GORDON

"I was in a terribly run-down condition and suffered constantly from stomach trouble. My kidneys gave me so much trouble I had to get up eight or ten times every night. I was underweight and had so little strength I could attend to no business at all that required physical exertion. Treatments and medicines consistently failed to help me.

"I talked with several people who had taken Sargon. They were so enthusiastic over the medicine I decided to try it. I was greatly surprised by the actual results. I am like a new person. I am no longer troubled with my kidneys, and I sleep like a child. I relish my meals and everything agrees with me. I have gained ten pounds and attend to my every duty now without tiring.

"Sargon is wonderful and I would tell everybody in the world about it if I could."

Mr. Gordon maintains offices in the Gunter Bldg., San Antonio. He is one of the foremost authorities on educational matters in the Southwest.

Sargon may be obtained in Ballinger from J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.; in Winters from Main Drug Co.; in Norton from Haley Drug Store; in Miles from The Crescent Drug Store, and in Rowena from Schiller Pharmacy.

STRONG MAN'S WIFE LOSES \$250 WAGER ON PROWESS

POUND RIDGE, N. Y., Apr. 30.—Harry Hahnson, local strong man, was backed by his wife to the extent of \$250 in cash for his feat of carrying a 250 pound bag of sand on his shoulders for five miles and his wife lost because Hahnson gave out when he had moved 1.6 miles. Scores of autos followed him and he declared their exhaust nauseated him so he had to quit.



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Children's stomachs sour, and need an anti-acid. Keep their systems sweet with Phillips Milk of Magnesia!

When tongue or breath tells of acid condition, correct it with a spoonful of Phillips. Most men and women have been comforted by this universal sweetener—more mothers should invoke its aid for their children. It is a pleasant thing to take, yet neutralizes more acid than the harsher things too often employed for the purpose. No household should be without it.

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Labor Situation Looks Brighter

(By International News Service)
CORPUS CHRISTI, Apr. 30.—Officials of the South Texas Chamber of Commerce have announced that as a result of telegraphic communication and conference between Congressman John N. Garner and the commissioner general of immigration, instructions have been given to the district superintendent of immigration service to change the methods employed by the service in the deportation of certain Mexican farm labor.

It is believed that this action will do much towards immediately relieving acute farm labor problems which exist in South Texas. It is stated that a number of restrictions will be removed under the new order of the commissioner general of immigration.

WEST AFRICA CENSORS UNDERWEAR CATALOGS

MANCHESTER, Eng., Apr. 30.—Following protests from Europeans in West Africa, no catalogs containing illustrations of women's underwear will be sent to that territory by Manchester textile mills unless they are satisfied that applicants for them are white women. In hundreds of huts on the Gold Coast and Nigeria pictures showing white women in various stages of deshabille from the catalogs are to be seen pasted on the walls with insulting epithets written beneath.

The matter has been brought to the notice of the British Government and drastic regulations are likely to be put into operation at once.

Health Program Thursday Morning

The program is complete for the awarding of health buttons in the Ballinger schools Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. The program will take place in the high school auditorium at the chapel exercise and only 30 minutes will be allowed for the entire program so everyone is requested to be on time so that no part of the program will be missed. Mrs. Joe Simmons, chairman of the health work for the P. T. A. stated Tuesday morning that several men who have helped with the health work here have been asked to appear on the program in short words of encouragement. Judge Paul Trimmer will give the buttons to the children; Supt. R. E. White will represent county schools; H. C. Lyon will represent the Rotary Club; R. W. Earnshaw will represent the Lions Club; M. C. Atkins and E. W. McLaurin will represent the American Legion. All these men will have a few words to say in behalf of the health program.

Miss Addie Alexander, county health nurse, will be present and will explain the health button that is to be awarded. Miss Alexander made the examination of students in all the schools of the county and it is through her work that such a program is being arranged at this time.

There will be only from 40 to 50 health buttons given away at this time, however, every child will receive one of the "I'm For Health" buttons. The small number is due to several reasons. The examinations were made just at the close of the influenza epidemic and

many children were underweight at that time. The health committee hopes to carry on the same work next year and many children will have a better chance to receive a real health button then.

Mrs. Simmons urges that all parents and others interested in health work be present Thursday morning. The presence of a large crowd will encourage the little folks in their health work and the program will be enjoyable.

Teachers will have on display some of their work in regard to health that will be interesting to inspect.

Try Harbor Grocery and Market for your meats. 28-2d

RICH ARE TRAVELLING IN SECOND CLASS CABINS

(By International News Service)
CHICAGO, Apr. 30.—Millionaires drop their aloofness on the high seas.

Wealthy travellers accustomed to the best hotels and accommodations on land, have begun to invade the second class and tourist third cabins, a survey by William Baird, steamship passenger traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, revealed.

The desire for the so-called easy-going companionship of strangers among the middle class was seen by Baird as the reason for the wealthy classes using the best accommodations less than usually.

To offset the popularity of third class cabins, the Canadian Pacific Steamships announced a new reduction of ten per cent in the rates for first class passengers upon both their transatlantic and transpacific liners, effective immediately.

"Accordingly, to such persons accustomed to refined atmosphere,"

Baird said, "the recent ten per cent reduction in round trip cabin fares is a gesture for them to continue in the environment to which they have been accustomed."

What is the shame of America? See Helen Foster in "THE ROAD TO RUIN" and decide for yourself. Palace—Thursday-Friday. 30-2d



A DOZEN different things may cause a headache, but there's just one thing you need ever do to get relief. Bayer Aspirin is an absolute antidote for such pain. Keep it at the office. Have it handy in the home. Those subject to frequent or sudden headaches should carry Bayer Aspirin in the pocket. Until you have used it for headaches, colds, neuralgia, etc., you've no idea how Bayer Aspirin can help. It means quick, complete relief to millions of men and women who use it every year. And it does not depress the heart.

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Far-sighted manufacturers are quitting the congested cities and removing their plants and factories to the unhurried, uncongested atmosphere of the small cities and towns.

Widespread distribution of electric power and the development of fast freight have given West Texas cities and towns an industrial status comparable with metropolitan cities.

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

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LOST—Four car keys. Finder leave at Ledger. Reward. 29-2d

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FOR SALE—Whole sweet milk at 12 1-2 cents per quart or 1-2 gallon at 20 cents. Phone 8709. 30-3d

NOTICE—Pasture and cotton seed to let, see J. M. Tindall, 10th Street, phone 333. 29-2d

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Phone 319. 811 Seventh Street. 25-6d

FOUND—Ten keys on a ring. Pay 50 cents for ad and get them. 29-3d

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Phone 81. 6-dtf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 179. 14-dtf

WANTED—Two girls for table work. Apply Central Coffee Shoppe. 30-3d

ORDER Mother's Day Flowers now. Ballinger Floral Company. 30-dtf

SOCIETY

San Angelo Visitor is Guest of Honor at Luncheon

In compliment to Mrs. Charles Gibbs of San Angelo, Mrs. R. L. Harwell entertained at a delightful luncheon in her home Friday of last week.

Yellow roses in a green bowl centered the luncheon table laid in file over yellow satin. Yellow candles tied with green bows of moline and yellow and green mints together with beautiful china glassware and silver completed the table appointments. A delectable turkey menu, in which the yellow and green tones appeared again and again, was served in five courses. Bridge games provided an enjoyable aftermath.

Presbyterian Sunday School Class Is Feted at Party

On last Friday evening the Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian church, of which Mrs. C. R. Stephens is teacher, entertained

for its entire membership together with the husbands and friends of members.

More than eighty were bidden to the affair. The basement of the church on Broadway presented a festive air for the clever stunts and program of music. Vocal and piano numbers were given by Mmes. Jno. I. Guion, Harry Thomson and Miss Margaret Guion. Angel and devil food cake with pineapple ice was served at the conclusion of the evening's pleasure.

Little Miss Patsy Doss is Complimented on Fourth Birthday

Mmes. Guy Middleton, Joe Huffman and Herman Herring assisted Mrs. Henry Doss in making Saturday afternoon a memorable one for Patsy and her little friends assembled to assist her in celebrating her fourth birthday.

The lawn, at the Doss home on Sharp Avenue, was the scene of games played for some time. Fishing lollipops from an immense pink bag proved very exciting for the happy children. Vari-colored balloons were favors for each lit-

tle guest. The birthday cake, a pretty pink and white confection, was cut and served with ice cream cones.

Guests of Patsy were: Mary Evelyn Ferguson, Carl and Fern Bradford, Virginia Nance, Junior Middleton, Dorothy Huffman, Betty Jo and Frances Mae Frazier, Charles Webb, Geraldine and Kenneth Jones, K. V. Northington, Jr., Jimmie and Jean Bozelle, Mary Belle and Junior Ash, Doris and Wanda Lane, Mary Simpson, Billy Butler, J. Burrus Harwell, Louise Hardin, Mary and Nell Jean Penn, Jack and Robert Herring.

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A flaming warning to the parents of America.

An astounding revelation of the moral decay of modern youth.

The awful penalty of parental negligence and youthful indiscretion.

The mantle of false modesty torn ruthlessly aside.

Childish feet dancing blithely down the heartbreak trail to nowhere. See Helen Foster in "THE ROAD TO RUIN."—Palace Thursday-Friday. 30-2d

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Members requested to attend.
Visiting companions cordially invited.

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Regular meetings Second Monday in each month at 7:30 p. m.
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