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POLYTECHNIC BANK ROBBERS REMAIN FREE

No Trace of Men Who Obtained Nearly $5,000 in Daylight Holdup.

Special Leased Wire.

FORT WORTH, Nov. 24.—The hunt for two robbers who held up the First State Bank of Polytechnic, a Fort Worth suburb, at noon yesterday and escaped with $4,900 in currency and silver has spread into adjoining counties. The constable at Burleson reported firing on a suspicious automobile which passed through that place and ignored the command to stop.

White Wire Wheels.

A Chandler car with white wire wheels and in other respects answering the description of the car which was used yesterday by bandits who robbed the Polytechnic bank was found covered with mud at Pennsylvania and Travis avenues about 8:30 o'clock Tuesday night. The car was deserted. It was later identified by Dr. K. H. Beall of Fort Worth as one stolen from him in front of a local sanitarium early Tuesday morning.

Although Tarrant county has been thoroughly combed for the highwaymen, no traces or encouraging clues have been found.

The robbery was one of the boldest ever committed in the city environs. The cashier of the bank, James R. Jackson, was the only person in the bank at the time and was busy on an adding machine when he was given the command "Stick 'em up!" by someone who had approached from the rear. Turning about, he saw a man of medium height and heavy set with a six-shooter in his hand.

Threat to "Puncture."

The stick up man promptly commanded, "Don't yell or I'll puncture you." The cashier was made to lie down with his hands under him. The robber told his companion to remain outside and himself started to empty the silver and currency into a sack. Having secured the money, he locked Jackson in the vault.

A man whose identity cannot now be learned, and whom the cashier did not know, came in the bank and heard the noise inside the vault and tried without success to free the imprisoned man. The visitor then telephoned the police. Henry Lee Stout, son of the president of Polytchnic, came to the bank on business and was able to work the combination and effect the cashier's release.

ANGLO-FRENCH BREAK IS NEAR, PARIS THINKS

Too Much Difference on Serious Issues for Unity to Continue.

By International News Service.

PARIS, Nov. 24.—Despite official statement that Anglo-French diplomatic relations are not strained to a possible breaking point, prominent newspaper men and leading business men of the nation openly declare that such a condition does exist. The chief issues are upon the German indemnity, the allied attitude toward Soviet Russia and the disposition of Turkish territory.

Former President Poincaire, in an open letter to the public, stated today that if England continues to resist upon the revision of the treaty in Germany's favor, it is but right that she should return the German fleet and former German colonies.

CONSTANTINE'S RETURN WILL MEAN ECONOMIC BLOCKADE

By International News Service.

PARIS, Nov. 24.—Financial and commercial reprisals will probably be taken against Greece by the allies in the event that Constantine is allowed to re-ascend the throne in defiance of their wishes, it was learned in French government circles today. The British and French premiers will meet here Monday to decide the policy that will be pursued against Greece, if she persists in the matter.

'HIPPO' VAUGHN IN HOSPITAL, STABBED, FATHER-IN-LAW HELD

International News Service.

KENOSHA, Wis., Nov. 24.—James "Hippo" Vaughan, star lefthander of the Chicago club, is in the hospital suffering from the effects of severe knife wounds, said to have been inflicted by his father-in-law during a quarrel in a saloon here last night. The doctor said that although the wounds are serious, they will not prove fatal.

The stabbing is said to be the outcome of recent domestic troubles in the Vaughn family. Suit for divorce, charging the pitcher with cruelty and false accusations that she had paid attentions to other men, was withdrawn by Vaughn's wife yesterday.

...ORIC BUILDING DAMAGED.

...YORK, Nov. 24.—The annex of ... Plymouth hall in Brooklyn, ...late Henry Ward Beecher ...s swept by fire early this ... damaged to the extent of

Mayor's Proclamation

It is fitting that Ranger should observe Thanksgiving day with a spirit of gratification to the Creator for the many material things that He has given us. All fears of the city's future have passed with the fly-by-night oil operator and it has emerged on a foundation of solid growth that will make it greater in all the years that are to come.

Paved streets have replaced seas of mud.

Towering buildings line the horizon where only shacks stood before.

Those who broke the law and spread terror among the citizenship have given away before the advance of the city's greatness.

Hundreds of material assets have come and become a part of the growth.

For all these and other blessings the people of Ranger should give thanks, and therefore I join with the President and the Governor in proclaiming Thursday, Nov. 25, as a day set aside for this purpose.

M. H. HAGAMAN,
Mayor of Ranger.

Drive Sixty Miles to Buy in Ranger

The value of Ranger's Trade Carnival and publicity was well illustrated yesterday when a couple drove by automobile from Lipan, 60 miles away, and purchased their winter outfits. The couple stated they were first attracted to Ranger by the low prices and the carnival ticket feature. They were well pleased with the results of the excursion and asserted that everything was found as represented and they proposed to repeat the expedition.

Since Lapan is twelve miles closer to Fort Worth than it is to Ranger, the pulling power of the Retail Merchants' plan is exceptionally well illustrated. Dozens of residents come here daily from places within a nearer distance, it is said.

'FREE BORNED' VAGS MAY STAGE HUNGER STRIKE

The city jail is in the midst of a strike. Two prisoners having fines assessed against them who were placed on the street force have refused to work. "Naw," they said, "we are free borned, and we won't work on a street gang."

To break the strike it has been suggested that they be fed on bread and water—and not much bread. If this suggestion is adopted it may bring on a hunger strike.

COAL MINERS' SCALE TO BE AGAIN REOPENED

International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—Secretary of Labor Wilson today issued a call for a meeting in Washington of the joint scale committee of the miners and operators of anthracite coal fields for Dec. 1 at 2 o'clock to adjust the wage scale. The secretary's decision to call a joint meeting of the two scale committees was made following a conference between Mr. Wilson, the chairman of the sub-committee of the miners, Thomas Kennedy of Hazletown, Pa.

It is expected that the conference to be important as Mr. Wilson, will probably outline the government's attitude toward the reopening of the award of the United States anthracite coal commission.

RED OUTBREAK IN ITALY

International News Service.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—"Rebellion has broken out in Tuscany," says a news dispatch to the London Daily Times. The Red sympathizers have armed themselves at Monte Darchia. Troops are being rushed to the scene to restore order and many arrests have been made.



BIG OIL STRIKE AT MEXIA, RUMOR AT SAN ANTONIO

Well Said to Be Good for 3,000 Barrels a Day Causes Stampede.

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 24.—"Oil has been struck at Mexia," is the message on the tongue of every San Antonian today. Trains are leaving this city crowded with hundreds of people bound for the new Eldorado near Waco.

Scores of others are rushing to the field in automobiles.

Yesterday Mexia was a typical Texas town of 4,000 souls, until a wild cat well broke over the derrick yesterday and knocked it down. Today there are over 6,000 people there and hundreds of others are arriving fast. No estimates of the well's production have been made, but it is said that it will approximate at least 3,000 barrels.

Cannibalism Stalks in China Famine Districts

International News Service.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—One million Chinese in the famine stricken district of northern China will die of hunger before assistance can reach them, according to information received from the board of missions of the Methodist church at Shanghai today. Cannibalism has already broken out and the Chinese government has decreed that the death penalty shall be inflicted upon any merchants who profiteer on food that is to be sent to the afflicted district.

GREAT LAKES TOWN TAKES TOLL OF SHIPS

KINGSTON, Ont., Nov. 24.—Search is being made on Lake Ontario for the steamship John Randell, which is believed to have foundered last night in a severe gale off Point Peninsula. She was en route between Chicago and Bellville with a cargo of coal.

The steamship Sheadle, another victim of the storm, was run aground on the shoals off Marquette and pounded to pieces by the waves, but the crew was saved by coast guardsmen.

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—The ore carrying steamship of the Pittsburg Steamship company, which ran aground on a sand bar, two and one-half miles out of this city, was given a new lease on life this morning when she worked herself clear of the bar. The crew of thirty men was endangered.

FORMER KAISERIN IS NEAR DEATH, REPORT

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 24.—The former Kaiserin, who is ill at Doorn and suffering from heart failure, was much weaker this morning and has suddenly taken a turn for the worse, according to Exchange Telegraph dispatches received here. The former crown prince has again been summoned to her bed side.

VICTORY MEDALS ARE UNCLAIMED

Mrs. Bob Hansford, 121 Austin street, desires that members of the Carl Barnes post, American Legion, and other ex-service men who directed that their Victory Medals be sent to the local legion post and who have not called to claim them should do so at once. It is announced that 15 medals are yet uncalled for by their owners, who are out of the fields, and their addresses are unknown to Mrs. Hansford.

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION TO BE CALLED SOON

Trustees Want Money Available When Conditions Permit Building.

A petition will be presented to the school board within the next day or two and as quickly as it is passed on an election will be called to vote $250,000 in school bonds to build a high school building. The election will be within forty days.

In the meantime the board has secured five additional rooms for use at the high school in order that the half-day sessions now in vogue may be dispensed with. This action was decided upon at a meeting of the trustees yesterday afternoon, as was the decision to hold the bond election as quickly as the legal formalities can be met. The petition will probably be circulated today and presented in a few days.

The board was in favor of getting the bonds voted and sold as soon as possible in order to have the cash at the time building conditions had adjusted themselves. It is believed that by the time all details of the issue have been cared for labor and other conditions involved will have become normal and construction can start.

Ample Facilities.

It is thought that $250,000 will build a high school building that will fill the city's needs for many years to come, and with its completion educators say that Ranger will have a school system equal to the best in the state.

People who are in touch with the situation are certain that the issue will carry with very few dissenting votes. In support of this assertion it is pointed out that no additional taxes will have to be paid, and that every person with children to educate realizes the real need of the new building.

FUNERAL OF OFFICERS SLAIN IN IRELAND WILL ECLIPSE MACSWINEY'S

International News Service.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—A gigantic public funeral, possibly eclipsing that of MacSwiney in Ireland will be held in honor of the fourteen British officers killed in the recent rioting in Ireland, according to information obtained today. The bodies will be brought from Holy Head by a British destroyer to Liverpool where an enormous public funeral and military honors will be given them.

THESE TOTS HAVE NEVER SEEN SANTA

Total received to date	$35.00
H. H. Robert	2.00
Total	$37.00

There is in Ranger a golden-haired little girl and a chubby, rosy-cheeked little boy, brother and sister and aged 3 and 5 years respectively, who have never seen Santa Claus.

They have heard of him, "Oh, yes," but he has never, never brought any presents for them, "'cause Santa Claus doesn't visit poor folks," they said. "'Nen, too, we ain't got no chimney for him to come down. We use gas, whenever mamma has enough money to pay the bill."

"But, you know," continued the little girl, "that my rag dolly's the sweetest lil' thing. She can sit alone and talk an' "—at this juncture she propped up the little bundle of greasy cloth between two blocks of wood, which she said were chairs—"well, just look!" she exclaimed, "her nose has gone and got crooked again," and she snatched her dolly up quickly and made as if she was going to spank it. "Her mamma has to put a new charcoal nose on her every fifteen minutes and she just goes ahead and smears it ev'ry time."

At this moment the representative of the Times, to whom she had been talking, heard a noisy commotion behind him and looked back. There was the boy, chubby little rascal, astride a stick and pretending that he was riding a horse.

"And what do you want Santa to bring you?" the Times Christmas Cheer man asked.

"I—want—a rocking horse, an' a gun, an' a pair of riding chaps, an' a—an' a—?" he said, as his horse began prancing and it was absolutely necessary that he guide the steed out into the back yard until it was content to quiet down. "Cause," he shouted back, "I'm a-goin' to be a regular cowboy."

The father of the children has consumption and has been bedfast for over a year. The mother is a frail, weak little woman and not capable of taking care of the family.

The Times thinks that it is but fitting that these little folks and many others like them be given an opportunity to enjoy a little of the Christmas cheer that will be provided the needy folks of the community. In order to put it over effectively, however, the Times feels that the public should respond readily and generously. Thirty-seven dollars have already been collected towards the fund. All donations will be handled efficiently by the Times.

THANKSGIVING DINNER UP $1 OVER LAST YEAR

International News Service.

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—In spite of the recent drop in some prices of foodstuffs, Thanksgiving dinner will cost approximately $1 more this year than last, according to estimates made by local grocers. Turkeys are 57 cents a pound, as compared with 50 cents a pound last year.

FATE OF NEGRO RESTS ON COLOR OF HIS SWEATER

Jury Is Now Deliberating on Arlington Assault on Young Girl.

Special Leased Wire.

FORT WORTH, Nov. 24.—The fate of Robert Lowe, negro, charged with having criminally assaulted Aletha Shipper, 11-year-old Arlington girl, now rests with the jury. The rest of the testimony was given yesterday evening and the attorneys for both the defense and the state were given an hour and one-half for testimony and rebuttal.

The state undertook to prove that Lowe did have a brown sweater and that he was seen wearing it late on the evening of the day that the crime was committed.

Aletha Shipper stated that the negro who assaulted her, had on a brown sweater and a pair of blue overalls. Three prominent business men of Arlington testified that they saw Lowe with both a brown sweater and blue overalls the same evening that the crime was committed.

Lowe declared that he had never owned a brown sweater in his life.

Rate for Current Biggest Obstacle to White Way Plans

While no definite action was taken yesterday, the "white way" committee of the Retail Merchants' association visited many property holders along Main street and in every case—except one—the project met with approval. In the one refusal it is believed that the difficulty may be overcome. Beyond arousing interest in the move, action will be withheld until it has received an offer from the Oil Cities Electric company what its rate will be for current provided the property holders and merchants pay the entire cost of installing the system for fifteen blocks.

Under an offer that has been made, the light company agreed to pay half the cost of the installation provided the city would enter a contract to pay for the current consumed for five years at a flat rate of $54 for 250 candle-power lamp. This, it is thought, would create a greater burden than the city would care to assume. However, it is believed that it will pay half of this amount if it can be arranged to have the "white way" installed upon that basis. In addition, the city will consider placing the lights now in use in the more important side streets.

SENATOR HARDING INSPECTS WORKINGS OF PANAMA CANAL

By Associated Press

CRISTOBAL, Nov. 24.—Harding gave up his golf and a motoring trip this morning to make a personal study of the practical working of the Panama canal. He has planned to leave at 8:30 o'clock this morning aboard a government mine sweeper for a leisurely trip through the water ways.

His trip will be more than a sight seeing expedition and stops have been arranged so as to permit a close study of the problems of the canal maintenance management. Inspection is only one of the big reasons for his trip to the canal zone. He has taken a keen interest in the canal and believes it to be one of the greatest national assets regardless of foreign commerce. During the recent debate in Congress relative to the canal problem, tolls for American ships received his particular attention.

FINGER PRINTS ONLY CLEW TO BANK ROBBERS

By International News Service.

CLIFTON, Ill., Nov. 24.—Finger prints left by robbers who looted the safe of the First National bank here yesterday will be compared with those of well-known bank robbers. The sum of $50,000 was secured by the yeggmen, who, the police believe are experts.

ARKANSAS COMPRESS BURNS.

By Associated Press

LITTLE ROCK, Nov. 24.—Fire of an unknown origin today destroyed the Columbia Compress Cotton company's plant and 2,500 bales of cotton at Magnolia, Ark., according to word received this morning from the Arkansas agricultural bureau. Most of the cotton belonged to buyers and was fully insured, as was the building and machinery.

Crisis in Jake Hamon's Condition Will Come Tonight, Doctors Say

Business Manager Maintains Shooting Was Entirely Accidental and Any Who Say Otherwise "Deliberately Lied"

Special to the Times.

ARDMORE, Okla., Nov. 24.—The crisis in the condition of Jake L. Hamon, Oklahoma national Republican committeeman and wealthy oil operator, will be reached some time tonight, according to advices given out by Dr. Walter Hardy, attending physician.

Hamon is in a hospital here suffering from a gunshot wound which his business manager, Frank L. Ketch, maintains was accidental and was not inflicted by Clara Smith, for whom officers are searching with a warrant for her arrest. Ketch declared that any assertion to the contrary is a "deliberate falsehood." He stated that he had investigated the matter and knows beyond a doubt that Hamon was wounded when a pistol he was cleaning was accidently fired. However, he admits that the wounded oil man and a woman did have a quarrel in an Ardmore hotel.

Suffered Much Pain.

Dr. Hardy said Hamon was "resting comparatively easy," and that as yet there have been no outward appearances of complications. His pulse is normal, temperature low and respiration good, according to the physician, who said his patient suffered much pain today because of the operation Sunday night when the bullet was removed. Mr. Hamon's condition continues the same as at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Hamon and her daughter, who have been in Chicago, will arrive in Ardmore early this morning, it was learned, and will go immediately to the sanitarium.

Opiates were administered on one or two occasions, Dr. Hardy said, to relieve Hamon's suffering and to promote sleep.

No Trace of Girl.

At the sheriff's office it was said that no word had been received as to the whereabouts of Clara Smith, said to have formerly been Hamon's stenographer, who is charged in a warrant filed by Russell Brown, county attorney, with assault with intent to kill in connection with the Hamon case.

The warrant against Hamon, which charges Hamon and Miss Smith with a statutory offense, remained unserved last night, according to announcement at the county attorney's office, and it was reiterated that the warrant will not be served until Hamon's condition improves.

Hamon has taken no nourishment since he was shot. After absolute rest last night, Dr. Hardy said, he believes Hamon will be able to receive his family and a few friends at his bedside today.

The oil man first came into prominence when he allied himself with the late John Ringling, millionaire circus man, in promoting railroads and oil properties in Oklahoma.

Investigation of the recent career of Clara Smith Hamon showed she had lived recently as Clara Smith in Oklahoma City, but at one time was married to a Hamon living in Fort Worth, Texas. She was a former clerk to Hamon.

MILDRED NOT MUCH WORRIED ABOUT FUTURE

If She Can Manage on $50,000 for Next Year, She'll Get By.

By International News Service.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Mildred Harris, motion picture actress and divorcee of Charley Chaplin, is worried about how she is going to be able to get along on $50,000 a year for the next year.

"If I can manage next year," she said, "I will be all right, for then I shall have received a divorce settlement for $250,000."

She asserted that she would not use the name of Chaplin.

"If I thought for a moment that Charley would object to my using his name, I would use it just to spite him. It was my wish, not his, that the name of Chaplin was dropped."

POLICE SEARCH FOR MISSING MILLIONAIRE'S MISSING BONDS

By International News Service.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 24.—Search for $100,000 worth of bonds, the property of Ambrose J. Small, the missing millionaire of Toronto, is being continued by police officials here today.

Dispatches from Portland, Ore. declare that John Doughty, private secretary to Small, has been arrested in that city and has confessed to having taken the money and hidden it in Chicago.

PRETTY BLONDE MIXED UP IN PHILADELPHIA MURDER

By Associated Press

WHEELING, West Va., Nov. 24.—Early today the two men and the pretty blonde, who left the automobile belonging to Henry T. Pierce, murdered Philadelphia business man, in a garage here, were still at large. The car was left at the grage to be repaired, when W. D. Clant, manager of the establishment, noticed that the license number of the car corresponded with that of the car wanted and immdiately notified the police. Both license plates had been bent almost doubl to prvent anyone's being able to read them without a close inspection.

LEVER ACT CONSTITUTIONAL

International News Service.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 24.—The Lever act was held constitutional here today in a decision rendered by Judge Van Valkenberg of the federal district court in the case of eighteen Kansas coal companies now under investigation for alleged profiteering.

BANDITS CAPTURED.

NORWOOD, Mass., Nov. 24.—Four alleged post office bandits were arrested at the point of a gun today, when they attempted to break into the rear of the Norwood post office.

NO COMMA, NO WATCH.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 24.—The "Road to Riches" was somewhat misleading to a young woman who sold twenty volumes of it, says W. J. Burke, legal aid attorney, recently, and a matter of punctuation cost her a good watch.

A Chicago concern, according to Mr. Burke, offered a "watch chain and charm" as a premium to anyone who would sell 20 volumes of the late get-rich-quick edition, "The Road to Riches." A young woman who called at the free legal aid bureau sold them, but only a chain and charm were sent after she requested the premium.

"How come?" she asked Mr. Burke.

"Very simple," responded Burke, as he scanned the advertisement of the mail order house. "There is a comma missing in 'watch chain and charm.' You had better be glad their wasn't a question mark after the ad."

CLEBURNE MAN GIVEN 25 YEARS FOR MURDER

FORT WORTH, Texas, Nov. 24.—The Cleburne jury returned a verdict, recommending twenty-five years in the state penitentiary for W. T. Willingham, farmer near Alvarado, who is accused of killing A. C. Wells last September.

Attorney General's Aid Sought in Obtaining Quick Transfer of Commerce St. Strip to T. & P.

The attorney general will be asked for an opinion as to how the city can amend its charter so as to wipe out the section objected to by the Texas & Pacific Railroad company. This section, according to the legal counsel of the company, does not permit the city to deed the railroad fifteen feet of Commerce street for the purpose of building a new passenger station. It sets forth that the city is to control the removal of all buildings in public streets.

Under the state law a city can amend its charter but once every two years. An opinion has been given that no city may amend its charter until the charter has been in effect two years. Ranger lacks several months of being chartered for the required time. Under the conditions the city commission decided yesterday afternoon to appeal to the attorney general for an opinion as to how it might remove the objectionable section and deed a part of Commerce street to the railroad. Until this is done the new station that has been promised will not become a reality.

It is hoped that arrangements may be made that will overcome the legal difficulty within a s...

Ready Sympathy for Unfortunate Brings Wearable Clothing; Can Use More

Human kindness is not dead—not in Ranger at least. Other towns and cities may be free of the warmth of neighborly feelings, but here every appeal is responded to with ready sympathy, and with material things filling a greater need than sympathy.

Two days ago the Times printed a story, that many folks who were being cared for by the county needed clothing. In the afternoon of the same day a large bundle was left at the Red Cross rooms, the following morning another bundle was left. In each were found many serviceable garments that will fill a real need for those who, through circumstances, are not in a position to care for themselves.

One of the bundles contained a pair of lady's shoes almost new and a lady's coat suit that showed no sign of wear. Other than this, in the two bundles were many articles of underclothing that can be utilized in its present condition or made over for children. Two men's overcoats have also been received. All the gifts were spontaneous and followed closely the printing of the story in the Times.

The clothing will be distributed among a hundred families that are being provided with groceries by the county. However, as welcome as they are, the need has not yet been filled. The county does not furnish wearing apparel.

If there are others who have clothing that can be used for this purpose, they would be really "doing something for humanity" if they would arrange so that the Red Cross could secure it.

It is explained by the local order, however, that none of the indigent families live in Ranger. Nevertheless, it is said that they must be clothed.

It is a matter of pride to the relief organizations and the citizens of the city that such help as has been necessary has been provided for by the local organizations that are supported by public subscriptions.

POCKETS, NOT SWAMP, FILLED BY TAX LEVY

Turks Say Collectors Are Relentless; Text Books Alone Escape Taxation.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Turkish tax collectors spare nothing from levies except schoolbooks, and the assessments run so high that 10 cents a pound is exacted on all sugar, while a tax of $229 recently was demanded on an automobile that sells for $595 in the United States.

These unterrified tax collectors have hoisted the rates to such an altitude that the Near East Relief injected a protest, its headquarters here was informed in a letter from one of their workers in Samsoun, Armenia, about 300 miles from Constantinople.

Liquor, blighted by prohibition since Oct. 1, is taxed a certain sum per bottle, irrespective of quality, the latter said. The time limit for exporting all intoxicants from the country terminates December 1. After that the Kemal government will confiscate the balance of stocks.

For thirty years special taxation has been exercised to fill a swamp that has caused malaria to blossom and flourish constantly, but, the writer said, "These hundreds of thousands of Turkish pounds have filled official pockets while the marsh still remains unfilled." The Near East relief has a hospital only a mile away, and has persistently requested that this "plague-spot be removed."

Dr. K. J. Marden, head of the Near East hospital at Marsovan, has "performed many minor operations to remove tattoo marks from Armenian girls," continued the letter. "These girls are tattooed on the hands, forehead, cheek bones, chin and on or between the breasts. Many girls are deeply shamed of this mark of their slavehood.

"Some of these girls will vanish sooner or later from the protecting home, as some have done before them, to find their way back to the Turkish or Kurdish harem which contains their child. One cannot blame them. They are mothers first and Armenians afterwards. There is tragedy there, for the Armenian men will never understand this thing. To them the child is a Turkish child. To the mother, it is her child."

The annual pay of a sergeant, 1st class, is $376.96, and a private, 1st class $74.88, in the national guard. As a course of training forty-nine drills and fifteen days field service are listed.

C. C. Directors Indorse Purchase of City Cemetery

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce held a luncheon meeting at the Lone Star banquet hall Tuesday and had as guests Messrs. Mitchell, Burke and Sheppard of the Texas & Pacific railway's general offices, who detailed matters relating to Ranger's new depot and A. B. Poe.

Mr. Mitchell, the Texas & Pacific's chief engineer, confirmed the report that bids for the new station would be opened on Nov. 30. He said, however, that actual construction would be delayed until the minor defects in the city's charter which tangle a transfer of legal title to the 15-foot strip of land along Commerce street had been rectified. This question has been submitted to the state attorney general. Mr. Burke, land commissioner, and Mr. Sheppard of the legal department, pledged their utmost co-operation in expediting the transfer.

Mr. Sheppard said that this was his first visit to Ranger and the strides it had made were amazing to him. The newness of the building emphasized the rapidity of the city's growth, and the permanent quality of their construction is a guarantee of the citys' future, he said.

Endorse Cemetery Purchase.

Mr. Poe presented to the directors his plan whereby the city would be able to obtain title to Evergreen cemetery, the city's show burial place, together with all improvements, for $8,500, and also agreed to provide shrubbery to complete the work of beautification. He will accept payment in ten annual installments, if desired.

The board endorsed Mr. Poe's offer as one worthy of acceptance by the city commission, and thanked him for the proffered gift of the shrubbery.

W. C. Palmer, chairman of the public forum, announced that on Dec. 2 the forum will inaugurate its plan of gathering at a noon luncheon. Efforts are being made to have Judge W. F. Ramsey, chairman of the federal reserve bank at Dallas, address the meeting on the subject of "The Business Outlook."

Four million acres of agricultural soil in France, which was pitted and scarred, are already under cultivation.

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION CLOSES TOWN

"Do your shaving early" is the advice of your barber today for he doesn't work tomorrow. However for the convenience of patrons the shops will remain open until a later hour tonight. All stores over the city will also be closed as will be the banks. Thanksgiving day will be generally observed. Over the city, churches will hold special services for the occasion.

Housewives are today purchasing the final frills for the spreads that will be laid tomorrow. Baskets filled with red apples, nuts, celery and the other things that make the day memorable are met on the downtown streets.

Society events are also being planned, invitations to partake of Thanksgiving dinners and possible dances afterwards are crowding the mails.

BRECKENRIDGE QUOTATIONS

(By Bryant & Co., of Texas)

	Bid	Ask
Breck Oil & Gas	$ 80.00	$ 85.00
Guaranty O. & G.	125.00	150.00
Block 34	140.00	140.00
Block 41	460.00	480.00
Block 43	115.00	115.00
Block 44	110.00	120.00
Block 60	70.00	85.00
Block 62	97.50	97.50
CH & RC	400.00	500.00
Lucky Walker	115.00	115.00
Rex Oil & Gas	10.50	11.50
Triangle	125.00	125.00
Walker Caldwell	80.00	80.00
Y. M. C. A.	325.00	365.00

SEEK BROTHER OF HARRY OBERLY, NOW IN RANGER HOSPITAL

In a delirious condition, a man supposed to be Harry Oberly was found wandering around a residence several nights ago. The police were called and the man sent to the hospital.

He continues to have a high fever and is not clear in his mind. Physicians say that his affliction is not serious.

In his talk he has said that he has a brother living two miles from Ranger. At another time the brother, he said, lived at Port Arthur.

COUNTY WILL ELECT DELEGATES TO RED CROSS NATIONAL CONFERENCE

A National Conference of Red Cross workers will be held at the national headquarters of the organization at Washington December 8, 9 and 10. Chapters from the entire country will be represented in proportion to their membership.

At the conference plans of the Red Cross for its enlarged program for 1921 will be discussed and an opportunity will be presented to the representatives of the chapters to assist the officials of national headquarters in formulating those.

The Eastland County Chapter has received an official invitation from the southwestern division headquarters to send delegates to this meeting, and immediately following the roll call plans for representation of this chapter will be made.

ELEPHANTINE GOBBLER ON DISPLAY AT LOCAL STORE

Forty-two pounds of delectable Thanksgiving turkey which a few days ago was strutting and gobbling about the coop at the Fulton market is now dressed and garnished and waiting to grace the festive board of the person lucky enough to acquire him through a raffle which is to decide his possession.

This bird is more than twice the size of the average Thanksgiving victim, and its weight is four pounds in excess of that which will be the centerpiece of the White House table in Washington tomorrow.

STATE POOL HALL LAW IS CONSTITUTIONAL COURT RULES

International News Service.

AUSTIN, Nov. 24.—The constitutionality of the Texas Pool Hall act was held constitutional in district criminal court here today in the case of the state vs. J. A. Davis of Bell county. The court held that there was nothing in the act that was obnoxious to the constitution nor were there any reversible passages in it.

Wireless Waves Replace Compasses Aboard Ships

By Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 24.—Admiral W. H. Bullard, director of naval communication service, in a paper read before the Franklin Institute here, said wireless telegraphy is making navigation simple and safe.

"There will be a time when ships will be without chronometers and will be in constant wireless touch with New York until they reach the British channel," said Admiral Bullard. "This is not a dream; it is near at hand.

"By means of the radio compass a ship can get her bearings when she calls for it, anywhere along the coast of the United States. This instrument has already saved ships which were headed straight for the shore.

"The depth of water under the ship can now be accurately determined by the hydro-phone, which works on the reflection from the ocean bottom of the sound of the ship's propeller. By this device shallow water can be avoided and even the proximity of icebergs detected. Ships also can comunicate with each other by unwerwater waves, sent out by oscillators.

"By means of a cable laid along the bottom of New York channel and energized with current, a pilot, blindfolded, guided a destroyer safely to port, never getting more than 50 yards from the cable. The waves sent out by the cable were detected in telephone receivers, one in each car, telling him whether he was to right or left of the guiding cable.

"Hurricanes can be detected by sensive radio telephones and even the general direction of storms, are felt on wireless receiving apparatus. The time is now sent broadcast by coastal stations and by the time for certain longitudes the ship can tell its location. Weather warnings and location of wrecks, derelicts and icebergs are given out."

ARGENTINE SENATE VOTES MUNICIPAL PENSIONS

By Associated Press.

BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 23.—Employes of private companies performing public utility service, such as street car, telephone, telegraph, gas and electric supply concerns, would receive government pensions under a measure just sanctioned by the Argentine senate. The measure is based on a similar project passed by the Chamber of Deputies, but as it is different, it will require the sanction of the lower house before it becomes a law.

TAKES THREE FIFTY A MONTH TO ATTRACT THESE FAIR COEDS

LAWRENCE, Kan., Nov. 24.—Men must be nearing a comfortable income before they can marry Kansas University women, if the answers to questionnaires sent to 500 co-eds, can be depended on.

The average income demanded is $350 to $450 a month.

Some of the freshmen women declined to fall for anything less than $3,000 a year, but the older ones were less exacting.

The men also received a questionnaire asking their choice of qualities in a mate, and one hundred answers emphasized the importance of companionship in the wife.

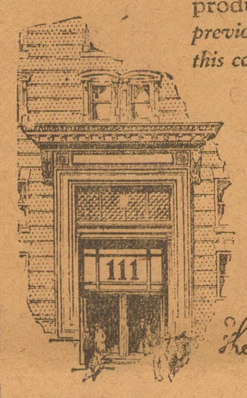
The men gave the ideal age for a woman at marriage at twenty, and seem to think the husband ought to be able to earn around $300 a month.

The men placed little emphasis on the cooking abilities of their prospective spouses.

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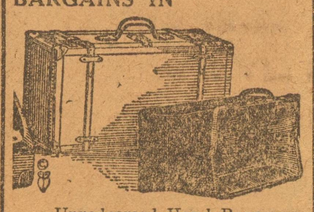
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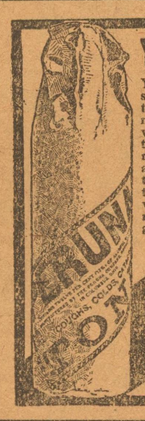
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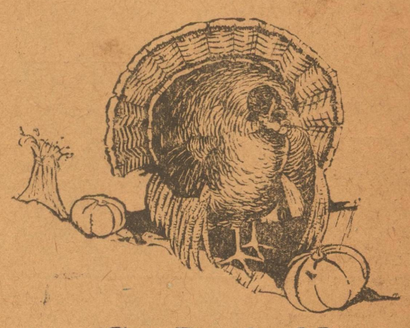
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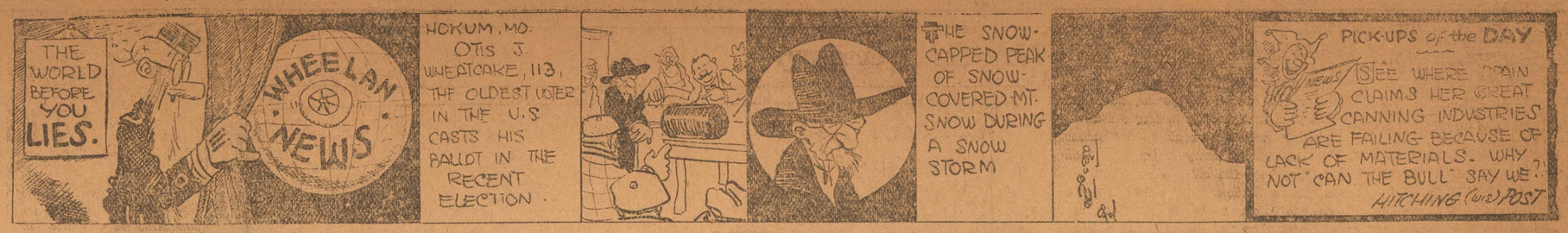
PROGRAM

LIBERTY—"Bride 13" serial and Tom Mix in "Three Gold Coins."

TEMPLE—"Behold My Wife."

MAJESTIC—The Dixie Darlings Musical Revue, also picture, "Girls Don't Gamble.

MINUTE MOVIES



DIXIE DARLINGS HAVE MIRTHFUL AND MELODIOUS OFFERINGS AT MAJESTIC

The Dixie Darlings, opening today at the Majestic for a four-day run are the main attraction on the bill. This musical revue, mingling mirth with melody, has made a big hit on the road and no doubt will appeal to the theatre-goers of Ranger. The little leading lady wearing the latest styles in gowns, singing the popular hits and dancing the latest steps is a big attraction all by herself. The chorus is made up of a bevy of pretty girls with baby-doll faces 'n'everything. There is a blackface comedian with all kinds of jazz dances and jokes, "the slow and easy kind" with the skill of the African. There are other attractions too, that you will enjoy.

TEMPLE.

A picture that is distinguished by its breadth of theme and background came to the Temple theater today for a two days' run. It is "Behold My Wife", George Melford's latest production, based upon Sir Gilbert Parker's thrilling story of the Canadian Northwest, "The Translation of a Savage."

The central characters are an Indian girl and the aristocratic young Englishman who marries her in a moment of rage because of word that his fiancee back in England has thrown him over, due largely to his family's efforts. Determining to humiliate them, he sends his redskin bride overseas to them. Then he proceeds to go to the devil in his own way. However, dramatic events bring about the regeneration of the man and the translation of the girl into a beautiful, cultured woman, and the ending is a happy one.

"Behold My Wife!" has the rare good fortune to have a cast of players that interprets each role with rare sympathy. Mabel Julienne Scott is the heorine and Milton Sills portrays the part of the young Englishman. Elliott Dexter and Ann Forrest also have important roles. The picture is a Paramount and was adapted to the screen by Frank Condon.

MORTUARY

MRS. W. L. TAYLOR.

Mrs. W. L. Taylor, 52 years old, died at the family home on the Eastland road. She was buried this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Evergreen cemetery, the Rev. E. H. Webb officiating.

The deceased is survived by one son, T. K. Taylor. The Mallord Undertaking company directed funeral arrangements.

INFANT POLLACK.

Carl Pollack, the 7-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pollack died yesterday and was buried this afternoon in the city cemetery. Funeral arrangements were made by the Jones-Cox Undertaking company.

THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND NEVER SUSPECT IT

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Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

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Santa Tries Out Airplane; Bumps Into North Pole

SECRETARY SEAL MUCH WORRIED ABOUT CHILDRENS' FRIEND

NORTH POLE, Nov. 24.—Complex and mysterious actions on the part of Santa Claus have kept I. C. Seal, private secretary to the old gentleman, in a constant flurry of wild excitement the live-long day, according to a stray radiogram picked up and forwarded to the Times at noon today.

Evidence of the unusual became manifest at the breakfast table, when Santa nearly swept Mr. Seal off his feet with the proposal that he dine with him. The latter was so surprised that he lost his unusually good appetite and could only sit leaning on the table with his short little flappers folded, while Santa was deeply preoccupied and ate in silence.

Matters became more complicated a moment later when the door bell rang and Penquin—sedate and dignified butler that he was—brought in the card of I. Am. Hearse of the Guarantee-An-Accident Insurance company, which gentleman was immediately admitted and lost no time in selling Santa a good-sized policy.

Upon the withdrawal of Mr. Hearse, Penquin brought in the card of Mr. Ease-'Er-Down of the Hummingway Motors company.

"Penquin," said Santa Claus, "tell Mr. Ease-'Er-Down to make himself comfortable at the door and that I'll be with him in a few minutes." Then, turning to his secretary, he said, "You are free to do whatever you please for the day, Mr. Seal. I shall not attempt to bother with my correspondence," whereupon he disappeared in the general direction of Mr. Ease-'Er-Down.

Drone of Airplane.

I. C. Seal was so overcome with surprise that he sank down in the nearest chair to figure the matter out. It seemed to him that he had just settled down, but in reality it had been about an hour, when he was startled from his reverie by the buzzing drone of an airplane which dashed past the window.

Seated in it were Santa Claus and Mr. Ease-'Er-Down. Undoubtedly Santa had decided to use an airplane to deliver his toys with now, since his reindeer team had all got busted up.

The next three hours were spent by Mr. Seal in the most abject fear lest his genial old employer should sustain some mishap, but at the end of that time the merry little man returned home, safe and sound, but mad as a hornet.

"I certainly do not admire the gall of that gol-dinged Aurora Borealis!" exploded Santa.

"What's he done now," inquired his secretary?

Aurora Borealis in Bed.

"Well, he's done enough, all right—all right! What—with his 'hoggin'' all the light in the country, pullin' his shades down, just when I needed it the most, and then 'sicin'' a traffic cop on me because I ain't got no tail light—it's enough to drive a fellow mad. There ain't no justice in it!"

"But you knew the Arctic regulations, didn't you," asked Mr. Seal.

"Yes, but didn't I try to get one, and he wouldn't sell it? Anyway, that's no excuse for his having me pinched for speeding, too. I'll get even with him, if it takes a thousand years!" and the old fellow dashed hurriedly out of the house.

A few moments later Mr. Seal heard the droning of his motor as Santa sailed away into the night. Still later in the day he heard the newsboys crying at the top of their lungs, "Wuxtra! Wuxtra!" and, sensing something wrong, he hurried out into the street to buy a paper.

Spread clear across the front page of the Mind Telepathy Dispatch, a publication of the Canadian Woods, were these glaring headlines:

"Amateur Flyer Crashes Into the North Pole! Santa Not Expected to Live!"

The Arctic Snail Ambulance company brought him tenderly home. In the distance could be heard the rattle and bang of Undertaker Arti-Coke's hearse, coming at top speed, in the hopes that Santa would die.

It was just before this notice of Santa's accident that the following two letters from Ranger children were forwarded by wireless to the dear old fellow:

"Dear Old Santa:—"I want a walking doll and a machine and dresser, a set of dishes and a stove and a pair of shoes with heels and a blackboard."—Yours truly,

"IRENE MERCER.
"611 Pershing street."

SOCIETY

LOISE GELINE CASTELLAW CELEBRATES 4TH BIRTHDAY

Little Miss Loise Gelipe Castellaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Castellaw, celebrated her fourth birthday yesterday afternoon at the family home, 719 Cypress street. It was a great occasion for the little miss, being, as she stated, the first time she had had a fourth birthday. A number of her playmates gathered and helped her enjoy the occasion and refreshments. All brought presents to the proud hostess and all were given souvenirs of the occasion.

Those present were: Little Misses Lucille Hodges, Edna Ruth Fair, Madaline Wright, Anna Pear Hodges and the little hostess; Masters Mastee Langston, Garvin Chastain and Edward Wright. Chaperones were Mmes. Vashti Roberts, H. Fair, Garvin Chastain, Langston, Fred Hodges, Wright, and Castellaw.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Richard Jones is now at her home in Cooper addition after a successful operation for appendicitis at the Ranger hospital.

Bob Taylor, formerly of Castellaw's and the Opera House, is convalescing from a serious attack of typhoid fever which endangered his life for several weeks.

Leslie Hagaman and Cary West of Breckenridge left today for Austin to attend the annual Thanksgiving day football game between A. & M. college and Texas univerity. Both men are graduates of the A. & M.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hemmingson left this morning to spend the Thanksgiving holiday with friends in Waco. They expect to be away for several days.

MOROCCAN INLAND VILLAGE RECEIVES FIRST WHITE MAN

By Associated Press

LONDON, Nov. 24.—The Morocco correspondent of the Times claims to be "almost with certainty" the only living European who has hitherto visited Sheshawan, the mysterious "secret" Moroccan inland city which is officially stated to be occupied by a Spanish expeditionary force.

Sheshawan, or more correctly, Shefshoan, he writes, is a small town of a few thousand inhabitants, situated in the tribeland of the Beni Begel, about 40 miles to the south of Tetuan. The Times man says he visited it in Moorish disguise, in 1888 and only escaped with difficulty.

He adds that the town is small, built along a sort of terrace on the high mountain side, and is renowned for its springs and streams. With the exception of its picturesque situation among mountains, its aloofness, and its surroundings gardens, Sheshawan presents no very particular features.

are renowned for their meanness, and

Its inhabitants are poor. Their industries are the making of furniture in Moslem merchant from Fez weeping, it native proverb states: "If you see a painted wood—brackets and tables—and is only a Moor of Sheshawan who could the weaving of woollen stuffs. They have got the better of him."

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FARM MOVE WORTH WHILE.

It has been said that the ideal community from an economic viewpoint was one that depended equally upon agriculture and industrial plants. Ranger has not yet reached that idealistic condition but it is fast moving in that direction.

In another year every available farm in this trade area will have a tenant, according to the Chamber of Commerce. The credit for this is given the movement of the Chamber of Commerce in making an effort to repopulate the farms at the present time. If this effort had not been made it seems certain that years would have elapsed before the "back to the farm movement" gained in momentum, due to the fact that in the minds of everyone except a few old inhabitants it is the belief that Eastland county is not a farming community.

Unless the impression had been removed through the Chamber and the newspapers, it would have grown instead of diminished. Through the work that has been done along this line many tenants have been secured for farms, perhaps 150. Other farmers have come here—farmers who know soil and other conditions surrounding the occupation—and who have gone away with the distinct impression that around Ranger would be a good place to follow agricultural pursuits. This will go a long way towards counteracting the impression that crops cannot be profitably raised here, and next year the farming immigration is expected to reach a considerable magnitude.

The repopulation move which is under way at present by the Chamber is still getting results. Every few days a landowner and tenant are brought together and arrange satisfactory terms. This work has all been placed in the hands of Assistant Manager Hammons.

THE OPEN SHOP.

When William H. Barr, president of the National Founders' association, describes the progress of the open-shop campaign as "a stimulant to the patriotism of every one," he is dealing in snivelling hypocrisy at a time when honesty and frankness in all economic matters were never more necessary.

The champions of the open shop are not actuated by any patriotic impulse whatever. They believe that the open shop is more profitable to themselves than the closed shop and that to destroy the unions would put money in their pockets. That is all there is to the controversy. The open shop advocates wear a mask of patriotism because they are afraid to meet the economic issue.

A nation-wide campaign has been inaugurated against organized labor. The plans were all laid during the presidential contest, and the Harding majority was interpreted as evidence that public opinion has swung wholly to the side of reaction. Associations of manufacturers and their professional walking delegates have been boasting that the Harding administration would be an open-shop administration, and, curiously enough, union labor helped to furnish the votes that provided the Harding majority.

Undoubtedly public sentiment is not at the present overfriendly to organized labor, and organized labor itself is largely to blame. To say that it has behaved badly during the last two years is to state the case with extreme moderation. In many industries it has been a bold and shameless profiteer, arbitrarily raising wages beyond any reasonable limit and deliberately stifling production. In other instances it has followed such corrupt and venal leadership as the Lockwood committee investigation has disclosed in the building trades of New York, where crooked labor bosses were in partnership with crooked contractors to plunder builders and rent-payers.

It cannot be said that all organized labor has abused its power, but there has been enough of it to create a strong popular prejudice against the unions. The attitude of many of the labor leaders has been the old familiar public-be-damned attitude that Wall Street used to assume before it learned its lesson, and the open-shop propagandists are now engaged in capitalizing for their own pockets the public reaction against trades union despotism.

As a matter of principle, there is much to be said in favor of the open shop, but we should prefer to have it come from the non-union men themselves. The organized employer advocates of the open shop are not concerned at all with principle, however vociferously they profess to be. What they want is a labor market in which they can dictate wages, hours of employment and working conditions, regardless of the social consequences of such economic tyranny. They want to treat labor as part of the raw materials of their factories, to be bought at their own price and used as they see fit. That is all there is to the organized campaign in behalf of the open shop, which increases in confidence as industrial conditions become more unsettled.—New York World.

A report showing that deer hunters are swarming to the woods indicates that coroners in the northern part of the state had better keep within call.—Detroit Free Press.

Advocates of the Wilson League of Nations are still talking. This is all minorities can do. The acting is done by the majorities.—Toledo Blade.

Fiume being settled, nothing seems to remain for Colonel D'Annunzio but to come to the United States and lecture about it.—Boston Transcript.

Although the voice of the political spellbinder is no longer heard the professional uplifter is always with us.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Presidency is especially desirable just now because a house goes with it.—Pittsburg Gazette Times.

The boy chess player, Rzeschewski, probably learned to concentrate while learning to write his own name.—New York Telegraph.

The President didn't mention the solemn referendum among the things we have to be thankful for.—Knoxville Journal and Tribune.

Whatever the state of President Wilson's health may be his opinions are most vigorous.—Washington Star.

Judge Landis displays true judicial poise in deciding to hold both jobs.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Every man can find some cause for Thanksgiving.—Baltimore American.

Now for a Cleanup—



REDS WOULD WELCOME CHANGES IN AMERICAN PASSPORT RULES, WHICH NOW STOP AGITATORS

By Associated Press.

THE HAGUE, Nov. 23.—American diplomatic officials abroad who are in possession of evidence of propaganda schemes originating in Moscow are opposed to any attempt to abandon the United States passports and visa systems now in operation. This is because they are convinced that the Russian Soviet government has been attempting to send hundreds of dangerous agitators to the United States.

Wartime passport regulations have been considerably modified, both for Americans and foreigners seeking American visas, in the past few months and every attempt will be made, it was said to make travel as easy as possible abroad next summer. But, in face of the evidence which has accumulated during the past few months, believe to indicate a determined effort by the Bolshevik government to spread its jurisdiction to America, the diplomatic officials do not wish to surrender their potent safeguard against it—passport control.

"So far as the would-be emigrant is concerned," one American official said "things have just been so simplified for him that in ten minutes time, providing his own government considers him a worthy subject and has so evidenced this by giving him a passport, he can answer all the questions we want to know about him. If he is satisfactory, he can get his visa the same day and be on his way to the United States speedily.

"The American traveling abroad will get all the assistance possible to give him. If he frets because of the necessity of securing visas from various other consulates if he wishes to visit several countries and objects to frontier inspections—he must remember that perhaps the man who sat next to him in the railway car was a Bolshevik or an anarchist, en route some place with a bomb, who might be stopped at the frontier before he could throw the bomb.

"Americans coming abroad will save themselves much difficulty if, just as they go to the bank before leaving to get a letter of credit, they will secure at foreign consulates in America visas permitting them to enter all the countries they wish to visit."

While most of the bolshevik agents en route to America seek to get through on false seamen's certificates or by other surreptitious means, according to American officials here, there are a number of nervy ones who appear at American passport bureaus, from time to time, and request legitimate visas.

During a recent week at an American passport bureau in Holland, out of 25 persons refused visas four were known to be revolutionary agitators, and three were international criminals.

The United States Surgeon General's office has recently established at some of the big embarkation ports in Europe bureaus of sanitary inspection and quarantine, which, cooperating with the local medical authorities, seek to prevent diseased emigrants from going to the United States.

"The whole effort," one official said, "is, by passport control and medical inspection, to control the situation on this side, thus relieving Ellis Island and the other immigrant stations at home of much work.

SUB. CHASER NOW BANE OF BOOZE RUNNERS

By Associated Press.

DULUTH, Minn., Nov. 24.—Operations of whiskey smugglers, who have been reported as running rum into the United States from Canada via the water route, are believed to have been curtailed by the presence in Lake Superior of one of Uncle Sam's war vessels.

Although the ship—a submarine chaser—was assigned to Lake Superior principally to assist the coast guard in safeguarding the lives of seamen and in giving help to other ships in distress, according to N. A. Linderberg, deputy collector of customs here, she has been asked by customs authorities to keep a lookout for violators of the country's customs laws. The vessel carries no guns, according to Mr. Linderberg.

Last summer the chaser caught a band of whiskey runners on Isle Royal, taking a small motor boat carrying 30 cases of Canadian-made liquor and arresting three men who will be tried at the January term of federal court, according to Linderberg. This was the only seizure by the vessel reported to customs officials here, he said. This capture, however, along with unverified reports that the vessel's first duty is to stop illegal liquor traffic between Canada and the United States is believed to have had the effect of making whiskey runners less ambitious.

The vessel is not confining its operations to any particular part of the international waters, according to the coast guard officer here, but ranges from Duluth as far as Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., where she reports to Lieut. Commander P. H. Uberroth.

Just before the close of navigation last year the small craft rendered valuable service in its line of duty, assisting in rescuing the crew of the steamer H. E. Runnels, which stranded near Grand Marais, Mich. The crew of the chaser, working in conjunction with the coast guard, battled a storm for five perilous hours in removing the crew from the stranded steamer.

The subchaser spent the winter at White Fish point and made her appearance at Duluth last spring. From time to time the boat has reappeared here, and recently was reported at Ashland. The coast guard office here refuses to give out details of her movements.

Captain Benjamin Trudell, in command of the ship, is said to have denied that his vessel is engaged in running down whiskey smugglers.

AUTO SMASH KILLS TWO.

International News Service.

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—James Highland and Frank Laller were killed and Joseph Bogel and James McNeal were badly injured this morning when the automobile in which they were riding skidded and went into a ditch at Nitus Centers, a suburb of this city.

"Tinker Bob" Stories

by Carlysle H. Holcomb

MR SNAKE MEETS MR. BEE.

Tinker Bob knew that Mr. Black Snake would be well paid for having been so bold to try to capture young Sammy Squirrel by casting a spell over him. So he said to Sammy: "Young fellow, we'll see whether you are to have a Black Snake cast a spell over you without his being punished! You shall go with me, and we will see if that wiggling Snake is anywhere in the Forest. He is afraid to come to see the King."

Young Sammy was glad to have the King talk like that, and so happy to have the King break the spell that he could not speak, but just listened and watched to see what was going to be done about it all. Tinker Bob knew what was going to be done, for he was going to find that Snake if it took him a whole day in the Forest!

"I know he passes the place where Mr. Mole lives every day," said Tinker. "And we will go to that place and see if he dares to go that way today. If he does, we will call him to ask him why he did this terrible thing."

They went to the place where Mr. Black Snake traveled every day on his way to obtain food. Then Tinker Bob watched from a log nearby.

Did I hear you ask about the path of a snake? Well, let me tell you Mr. Black Snake and all of his other Snake friends have paths through the Forest just like other Forest Dwellers, only they are smaller and much harder to see. King Tinker knew all about this.

He and young Sammy waited till it was past time for Mr. Snake to appear. Then a thought came to Tinker Bob. It was something like this—Mr. Snake has gone another way, and will not be here today. Well, when this thought came to the King he soon hit on a way to find where Mr. Snake was trying to hide himself.

"I'll show that fellow," said Tinker to Sammy. "We will find where he is in a short time." After the King had said this he tapped the Stone of Knowledge, and the Beautiful Creature of his Desire was by his side at once with the magic basket and the King took Sammy under his arm and climbed in.



What Did He Do But Run Right Into Mr. Bee.

It was only a moment till the King and Sammy stood side by side of a new path and the sight they saw was strange and startling. In this path Mr. Bumble Bee had built his nest and he had a large family.

Now, Mr. Black Snake had tried to get away from the King of the Forest by taking this new path and what did he do but run right into Mr. Bee and his whole family! This made Mr. Bee angry, and when Tinker Bob and Sammy arrived Mr. Bee and his family were stinging Mr. Black Snake on the nose and around the eyes till he couldn't see. Now when Sammy saw this he laughed till his sides were sore.

And the King knew Mr. Snake would be well paid for casting a spell over Sammy Squirrel.

Tomorrow—A Voice in the Air.

THE WOMAN WHO SAW

At the Top of the Stairs.

She was told that the Smiths lived at the top of the house. Up the dreary stairs she went, flight after flight. The same noncommital cheap tenement doors, numbered hastily, unmindful of joy or sorrow, speaking of rent, of values and of business only.

The settlement worker was weary. The only consolation in the climb was that as she went higher the darkness broke little by little to give way to perfect sunshine flooding fearlessly through the open roof door, where Mrs. Smith stood revealed, hanging out the wash.

"Have you seen the people at the corner house?" said Mrs. Smith, when the call was ended. "You can go right along these roofs," she continued, "until you come to the end. Then go down one flight and you will find them where the bulldog is."

The settlement worker started to walk half a long city block from roof to roof. Below her the city lay stretched in beautiful and endless detail, from river to river. Above, clouds serenely floated in an endless and uninterrupted sky. The free air poured about her in great eddies. Weariness fell from her. Herslf was merged into the world's entity.

Between the buildings were tilled parapets. She sat n one and swung off on to the roof next door. So she progressed to the corner house. Then she sighed, for she must get to earth again. A staircase swallowed her, gloomy beyond description.

Once again dark garbage-scented halls. Many doors to choose from to find the one behind which the bulldog lived. She knocked at the one where light shown through cheap blue curtains. "Come in," said a man's voice, and refined at that. Sure enough it was the bulldog's house. There was the dog himself, old and wheezing, and very fat. There was his master, too, young and refined, very frail looking, sitting at a table strewn with orderly little sticks. An invalid, evidently. But, oh, what a happy invalid. His room was the barest of workshops, no mats on the floor save an old coat for the dog, no furniture more than the table and chair he occupied. But on one side were all windows streaming with sunlight, and on the other, from floor to ceiling, were dozens of neat little cages, complete from the little manger of hair for nests, to the feathered architects of the same. A canary bird ranch on the top floor of a Bronx tenement house!

Once more the woman stood in the bare hall. Once more human beings and their destinies were enclosed behind flimsy and careless doors. But there was a something there, and again the things that do not perish.

No Adding Machine.

The real estate man, who specializes in Jersey and Pennsylvania property, was telling the Woman about some of his recent deals.

"Way up in the northeastern corner of Pennsylvania," he said, "the natives are a most difficult crew to handle because they're so unlearned. One woman claimed she had quite a 'stretch to sell.'

"'How many acres?" I questioned.

"'Well, there's 72 o' cleared land.'

"'Any more?'

"'How much altogether?'

"'Yes. There's a 110 o' timber.'

"'Well, I never did cal'calate,' she said wearily."

A Question of Cash.

The engaged girl had rung up the linen department of her favorite shop to ask:

"Does a bride use her maiden name initials on her linen or does she use the initials of her fiance's name?—which sounded a bit complicated even to her. But a rich voice, full of Ireland's old tongue, answered promptly: "Sure now, it all depends. If the lady is payin' for thim, it's her own initials shee'll be usin. But if he's payin' for thim, well, then it's his"

Getting Into Society.

They were talking together during the intermission at the theater and the Woman listened. "But Bill," one of them said, "I shouldn't of thought you'd like it there. They say that awful swells go there."

"They do," Bill agreed, "but the wife was set on going. At first I thought I couldn't abide it. They all snubbed me so, 'cause they'd had more advantages. But you know we had a swell Englishman there for a while—he's noted for his good sportsmanship, so I just tried him out. I fixed it so I saw him as he was arriving and I told him just how things was and how wretched we was and yet how the wife did want to meet the swells.

"So he entered into it. He pretended that he'd known us abroad and that I'd visited him. And, say, the rest of the summer was easy going after that. And the wife had the best time in the world and I had a goodly number of laughs. And when they say that chap is a good sport they've said a mouthful."

RIPPLING RHYMES

WEARY OF VIRTUE.

For months I save the dollars with energy sublime, and wear old shoes and collars to save another dime. For months I am a student of thrift in every guise; I am so beastly prudent I make men blink their eyes. I preach on self denial beneath my own rooftree, till life becomes a trial to all who live with me. For months I keep on raving about the penny gained; then I get sick of saving, by thrift my soul is pained. And so I blow my money as though I had no sense, and live on milk and honey, regardless of expense; I patronize the tailor and buy a fordmobile and like a jingled sailor I burn the hard earned wheel. Then, tired of misbehaving, I gently simmer down, and once again I'm saving the guilder and the crown. And such a course seems dotty to people safe and sane, who think such orgies naughty, and villainous and vain. But saving though a virtue, may soon become a fault that's bound to badly hurt you, unless you call a halt before the shining dollar to you seems so immense that all the world looks smaller than its circumference. The thrifty man is wiser than is the spendthrift jake; but oh, the greedy miser! He makes my innards ache.

More than 400 officers and men in the United States navy are to receive the Distinguished Service Medal, and 1,500 will be honored with the Navy Cross for their exceptional sehrvice during the world war.

Bill Slow and Henry Dash

Bill Slow's stock is all out of date, his business in an awful state—no trade comes to his store. His ribbons, dress goods, coats and hats would scare a belfry full of bats, and cobwebs frame his door. Bill thinks to advertise would cost just twice as much as he has lost in waiting for a buyer. But Henry Dash across the way, knows advertising's sure to pay—it draws crowds like fire. So to our office he comes down, for cuts and ads of Bonnet-Brown, announcing special offers. He gives his trade a chance to save; his profits he can closely shave—the volume fills his coffers.

Have our advertising manager call and show you this remarkable Sales Service.

Ranger Daily Times

Denver Woman Was Wedded to Two Brothers

DENVER, Nov. 24.—With two living husbands, brothers, Mrs. Charlotte Hawkins, 28 years old and comely, fell in unconsciousness in the district court room at Littleton Wednesday afternoon when convicted of bigamy, she was sentenced by Judge Bouck to one day in the penitentiary and a fine of $5.

When the clerk of the court and other attaches had revived her, she was told the sentence really was no sentence at

First Husband in Pen for Bootlegging.

the law would be served before she could be taken to Canon city. Then, on her knees, clasping her small child to her breast, she prayed with streaming eyes for the happiness of the kindly judge. Paying her fine, she walked out of the court house a free woman, with two husbands, enemies because of the love they bore her, both in the penitentiary.

Mrs. Hawkins has been married three times. All three husbands are in the big state prison at Canon City.

First Husband in Pen for Bootlegging.

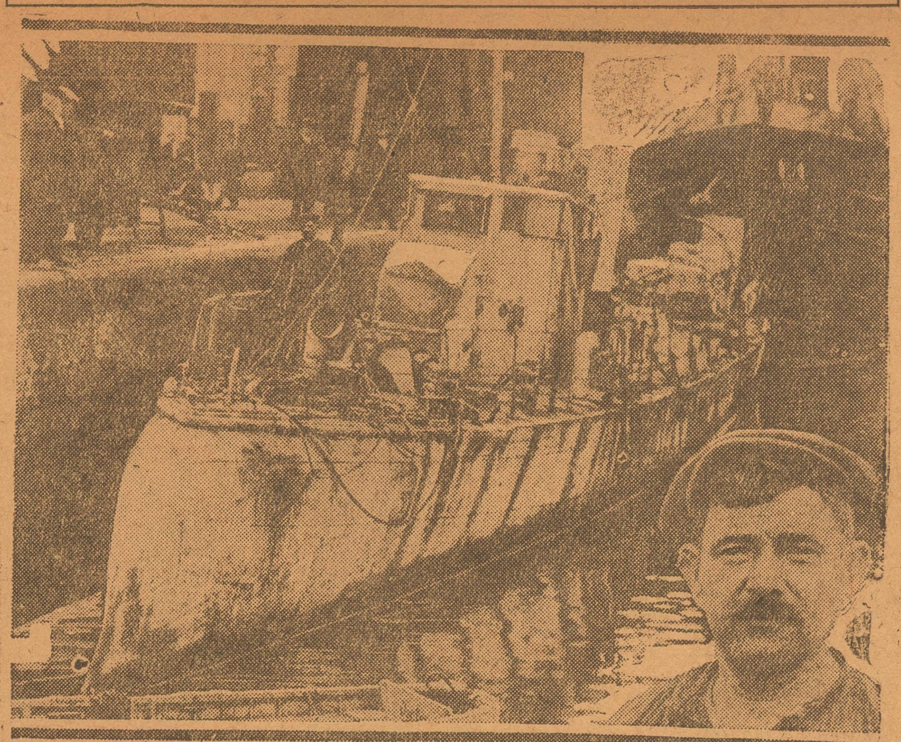
It was brought out in the court room where she was arraigned on the charge of bigamy, brought by her second husband, that her first husband, named Franklin, is serving a sentence for bootlegging and larceny. She divorced him the grounds of non-support in 1911. She married her second husband, Andrew Hawkins, in May, 1912. She was wooed and won by his young brother, Royal Hawkins, about her own age. They were married June 1, 1919. She swore that Andrew had told her before this that he had obtained a divorce. After the war Andrew was convicted on a statutory charge and now is serving a sentence.

She said Andrew had made no trouble regarding her mariage to his brother until recently, when he stated he had told what was not true about a divorce. Mrs. Hawkins, originally from Fort Morgan, married Andrew in Cheyanne, Wyo., and Royal in Littleton. She was thunderstruck, she said, when, at their happy home at 824 Twenty-fifth street, Denver, she and Royal were arrested. Her husband is a state ranger.

Royal Hawkins Gets Term in Prison.

Royal Hawkins pleaded guilty to the charge of marrying Charlotte, knowing she was already married, and was sentenced by Judge Bouck to serve a term in the penitentiary of not less than three months nor more than one year.

CREWLESS BRITISH TORPEDO BOAT PICKED UP BY FRENCH BOAT



The British torpedo boat O-76 at the dock, and J. Copping. The man on the torpedo boat's deck is also Copping.

The French trawler Wagram, on a recent trip across the English channel, picked up the British torpedo boat O-76, which was floundering about without a crew. No trace could be found of the crew. The trawler towed the craft to Plymouth, England. J. Copping, mate on the Wagram, occasioned a thrill when he found himself in charge of a British war vessel for the first time.

AT THE HOTELS

PARAMOUNUT.

A. M. Jones, Fort Worth.
Lee Glasscock, El Paso.
M. B. Sullivan, Dallas.
M. Lewis, Houston.
L. A. Blust, Oklahoma City.
M. B. Sweeney, Dallas.
Mrs. L. L. Cox, Santa Fe, N. M.
T. R. Watkins, Indianapolis.
G. W. Beavers, Oklahoma City.
E. M. Vernon, Fort Worth.
W. W. Powell, Paris.
E. H. Porter, Phoenix, Ariz.
John T. Tucker, Springfield, Ohio.
J. D. Beggs, Wichita Falls.
Mrs. M. Brown, Tulsa.
Thos. W. Guthrie, Fort Worth.
E. H. Lathrop, Abilene.

M'CLESKEY

J. E. Rogers, Stamford.
G. W. Echols, Fort Worth.
A. M. Harris, Fort Worth.
J. D. Dolan, Caddo.
M. E. Dolan, Caddo.
D. L. Tandy, Temple.
C. O. Huyge, Fort Worth.
C. W. Griffin, Dallas.
C. C. Beaulien, Breckenridge.
Jas. A. Johnson, Fort Worth.
Louis Pollard, Dallas.
Leonard Woodruff, San Francisco.

In Germany there are 16,000 men in the American Army of Occupation, and 9,000 of these are quartered around and near Coblenz.

In Great Britain approximately 240,000 claims to pensions have been refused on the ground that the disability is not connected with service in the late war.

EXTENSIVE COAL BEDS BELIEVED TO LIE DEEP UNDER THE PANHANDLE

CHILDRESS, Nov. 24.—That a gigantic coal field lies hundreds of feet beneath the surface of many Panhandle counties is further substantiated by the recent penetration of a five-foot coal stratum at a depth of 2,000 feet in the Bugbee oil well fifty miles northwest of here, according to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. A surface deposit of coal found in Motley county several years ago was so denaturized by elemental decompositoin as to be unfit for commercial purposes. Logs of oil wells in this territory invariably indicate that strata of coal were encountered elsewhere at this relative depth. While generally accepted as being a herculean task to extract coal from such a depth as 2,000 feet, local men consider that if the supply is as inexhaustible as indications seem to show, the sinking of a deep shaft would be an economic gain for the Panhandle, which is more than 500 miles from the nearest large colliery.

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Thirty-Two Bullet Holes in Body.

International News Service.

CLEARFIELD, Pa., Nov. 24.—The body of a man, who evidently had been used as a shooting target by the persons who had killed him, was found in a small stream near here by John Higby while making the rounds of his traps. The body had been in the water some time, and when the coroner examined it he found thirty-two bullet holes. Identity of the man is a mystery.

The battleships Iowa and Indiana, which cost millions of dollars to construct, are being used as targets for the big guns of the new fleet and the bombs of seaplanes.

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clashing with other members of the herd in deadly earnest. When the jag is over the deer bound over a seven-foot fence on the Buchanan ranch as easily as if it were a fallen limb, and race back into the hills for a cruise on the water wagon.

Elks have also discovered the delights of the natural "still," with its frappe apple jag and this fall many of these monarchs of the hills have joined the deer in their revelries.

AMERICAN CANNING UNIT WINS MEDAL

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Nov. 24.—The canning unit of the American committee for devastated France won the gold medal at the horticultural exhibition just held under the auspices of the Horticultural Society of France at the Jardin d'Acclimatation in the Bois du Boulogne.

The award was made on a collection of 1,000 jars of fruit and vegetables prepared this summer under the supervision of Mrs. Bernice Davis, director of the unit, who visited twenty-six departments and gave demonstrations in home canning.

Last June the unit was awarded the "Medal Vermille" at the horticultural exhibition.

If a woman refuses to vote in Czecho-Slovakia she is sentenced to prison.

CAN'T BLUFF AMERICA; HERE TO STAY UNTIL I AM BLOWN OUT OF WATER'

International News Service.

BERLIN, Nov. 24.—Curious, indeed, is the story of the experience of the United States torpedo boat destroyer Broom at Kiel.

The Broom received a wireless message instructing her to proceed to the Baltic in order to render assistance to the United States cruiser Pittsburgh, which was ashore.

When she arrived at the end of the Kiel canal another wireless was received, stating that the Pittsburgh was afloat again, and instructing the Broom to remain at Kiel.

The officer commanding the torpedo boat destroyer applied to the German naval authority at Kiel for berthing accommodation in the harbor.

The German admiral in command refused to grant this, pointing out that the United States was still at war with Germany.

The American officer replied that he had orders to stay there.

"If you do I shall open fire!" was the German admirals response.

"Open fire if you like," the American retorted, "but here I stay until I am blown out of the water."

The Broom stayed, but has not yet been blown out of the water.

Women constitute approximately one-fourth of the idle people in Germany.

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APPLE JUICE SOUSE PARTIES LATEST THING WITH COLORADO DEER

By International News Service.

DURANGO, Colo., Nov. 24.—County deer havent an iota of respect for the Volstead act. It doesn't make a particle of difference to these graceful animals whether Colorado is wet or dry. They don't give a whoop about jags going out of fashion, and so long as nature continues to prepare the forbidden joy juice the deer are going to imbibe to their heart's content and enjoy their periodical spree.

That is the story Edgar Buchanan, lawyer-ranchman, brings to Durango from his ranch a few miles west of here on Hermosa creek.

The Buchanan ranch, including a large orchard, is tucked up against the hills over which roam large herds of deer. Every fall after the first frosts, these animals have made it a practice to come down to the Buchanan ranch and get "soused" on decaying apples lying on the ground after the harvest. This year Jack Frost caught more apples than usual, and the deer have poisoned their spree.

Apparently the frosted apple that has started to decay contains a kick as delightful to the deer family as was the old-fashioned 100-proof Kentucky dew to the red-nosed fraternity in the days of yore. The animals munch the fruit for a time, then go on ecstasies, romping through the orchard, bantering one another good naturedly, and occasionally

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SEA FOOD
Filet of Spanish Mackerel with Crevette Sauce
Parisienne Pommes

ENTREES
Braised Beef Tongue, Spinach Puree
French Peas a la Creme

ROASTS
Roast Young Turkey with Walnut Dressing, Cranberry Sauce

VEGETABLES
Asparagus Vinaigrette — Creamed Mashed Potatoes — Buttered Beets

SALAD
Waldorf Salad

DESSERTS
English Plum Pudding with Brandy and Hard Sauce
or Strawberry Sundae

BEVERAGES
Coffee — Tea — Chocolate — Milk

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CUPID WINS IN RIFLE RANGE ROMANCE



Miss Mary Washington Bond Morosini.

Miss Mary Washington Bond Morosini, great-great-grandniece of George Washington, a famous markswoman, and Capt. William Lafayette Crabbe, U. S. marines, have both been hit by the fatal arrows of Cupid. The result will be a wedding on January 19. The romance is said to have started when the two met last summer at the U. S. rifle range at Caldwell, N. J.

WASHINGTON GIRL TO WED COUNSEL OF RESERVE BANK





Miss Frances Newbold Noyes.

Miss Noyes, writer and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frark Brett Noyes of Washington, is to be married next January to Edward Hart of New York. Miss Noyes' father was formerly president of a Washington newspaper. Among the stories from Miss Noyes' pen is "My A. E. F." Mr. Hart is general counsel for the New York federal reserve bank.

The quaint neckline of this embroidered collar is taken from one of Botticelli's paintings. It is made of cream batiste and is very effective on either brown or black satin or velvet gowns.

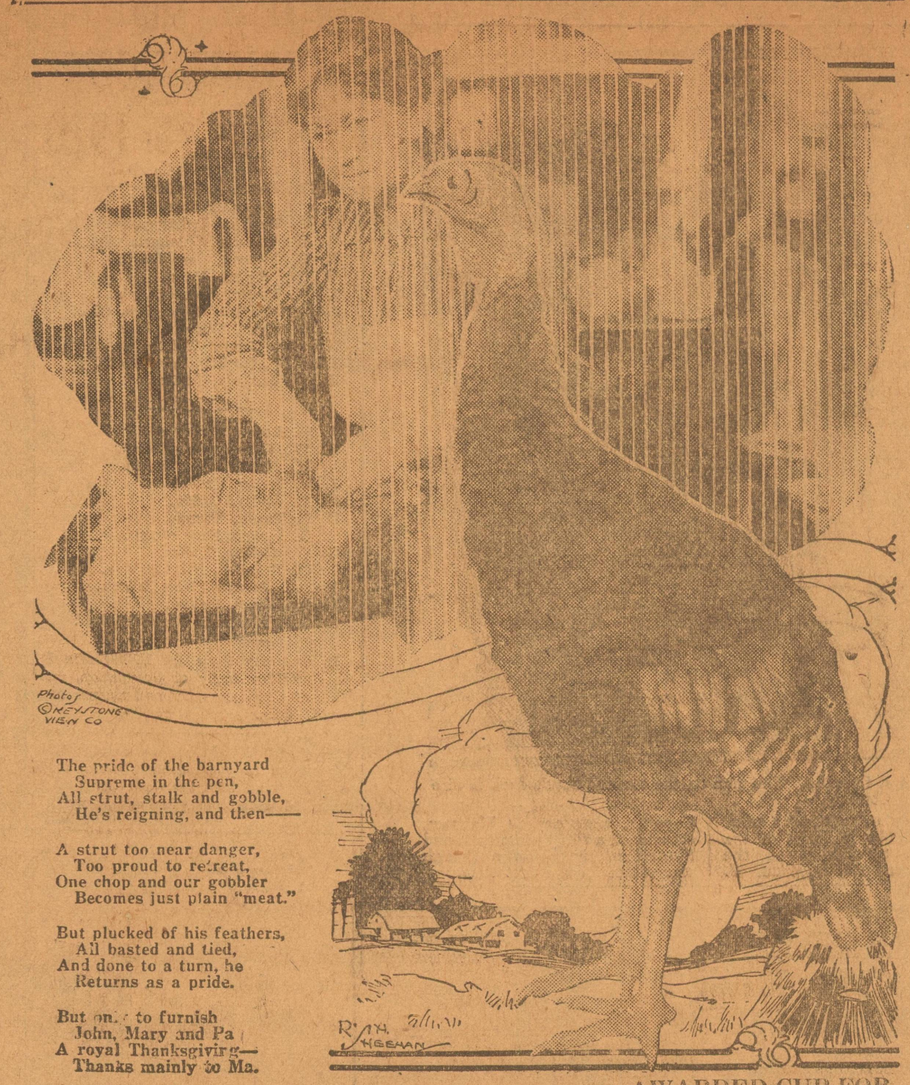
GOOD FISHING REPAID HARDING FOR STAY IN TEXAS TOWN DESPITE POOR WEATHER



President-elect Harding, at right, and Senator David Elkins of West Virginia holding tarpon caught by the new chief executive at Point Isabel, Tex., and glimpse of Harding preparing for fishing trip. Mrs. Harding and Mrs. R. B. Creager, at whose cottage the Hardings staid, are between Harding and Elkins.

Although unusual storms forced President-elect Harding and his party to cut short their stay at Point Isabel, Texas, the first stop on their vacation trip, the tarpon fishing enjoyed by the newly elected executive repaid him for his visit there.

PROUD TURKEY REIGNS TWICE, THANKS TO MA



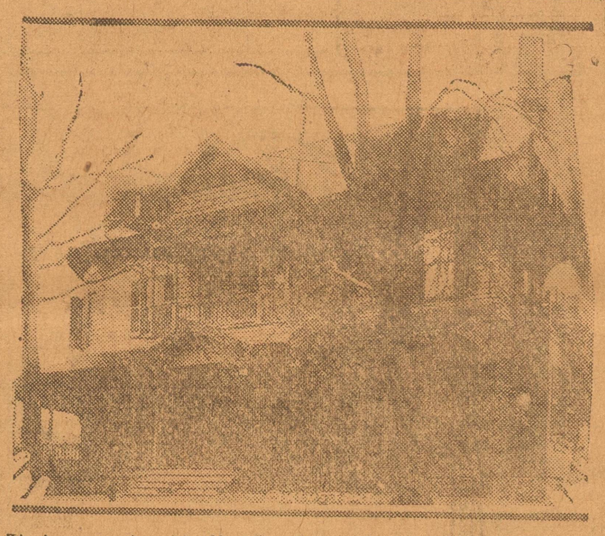
The pride of the barnyard
Supreme in the pen,
All strut, stalk and gobble,
He's reigning, and then——

A strut too near danger,
Too proud to retreat,
One chop and our gobbler
Becomes just plain "meat."

But plucked of his feathers,
All basted and tied,
And done to a turn, he
Returns as a pride.

But on. to furnish
John, Mary and Pa
A royal Thanksgiving—
Thanks mainly to Ma.

WHERE WILSON MAY LIVE AFTER MARCH 4



The house purchased by Mrs. Tumulty, which, it is believed, will become the Wilson home.

Gossip at Washington has it that when President and Mrs. Wilson leave the White House March they will move into the above house, located at Twentieth street and Kalorama road, Washington. The house, which formerly was the home of Alexander Shepherd, first governor of the District of Columbia, was purchased recently by Mrs. Joseph Tumulty, wife of Wilson's secretary. Rumors at the time were that the house had been bought for the president, but that the president did not care to announce his future plans at the time.

AWARDED CUP FOR PERFECT PHYSIQUE



Miss Dorothy E. Kellogg.

Miss Dorothy E. Kellogg of Buffalo, N. Y., has won the Sarah Streeter cup at Mount Holyoke college. This cup has been given each year since 1914 to the senior found to be in the best physical condition at the time of her final physical examination. Its purpose is to stimulate interest in gymnastic work and athletics. Miss Kellogg, like winners of the cup in former years, is an all-around ath-

IT'S A TOUGH JOB TO COP THIRTY GAMES IN BIG LEAGUES



Some of the hurlers who hung up thirty or more victories in a season. Above, left to right: Grover Alexander, Cy Young and Jack Coombs. Below: Christy Mathewson, Walter Johnson and Joe McGinnity.

When Jim Bagby, Indian hurler, hung up thirty-one victories for his club in the 1920 campaign he turned a neat trick—and a fairly rare one. Few modern day pitchers have accomplished that feat. Cy Young leads this exclusive set. He scored that many five different seasons. "Big Six" Mathewson rang that many four times for McGraw. Joe McGinnity, the iron man, won thirty two of those four years, pitching with Matty. Alexander, Johnson, Coombs and Joe Wood also are in the select list.



The December Girl is the cheery maiden who loves the keen, cool air of the twelfth month. Bundled up in her furs she revels in the winter snows, and glowing cheeks are her reward.

PRINCE OF WALES IS SUGGESTED AS MEDIATOR TO SETTLE IRISH PROBLEM



Prince of Wales, at left; J. H. Thomas, at right, and, below, Sir Edward Carson.

The Prince of Wales is now suggested as head of a commission of three to be sent to Ireland by the British government to settle the Irish problem. The other members suggested are Sir Edward Carson and J. H. Thomas, labor leader. The suggestion is that they be given full powers in the matter.

FINDING BANK MESSENGER'S BODY HELPS CLEAR MYSTERY SURROUNDING HIS DEATH



Burlington, N. J., officials at grave of murdered David S. Paul.

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of David S. Paul, runner for a bank at Camden, N. J., was partially cleared up recently with the finding of Paul's body in a grave in the Jersey pines in Burlington county. Duncan and Tustin, the officials who found the body, are shown at the extreme left and right, respectively, of the picture above. Two salesmen of Camden are held for the messenger's murder. Paul had $95,000 in cash and checks with him when he disappeared.

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LOST—Female Boston bull, bob-tail, answers to Trixie, $25 reward, Dr. Stucki, Poe bldg., phone 241.

LOST—Between cemetery and Hodges Oak Park, ladies leather purse containing cards and currency. Liberal reward, Mrs. [illegible]cki, phone 241.

LOST—Cameo dinner ring, green gold setting. Reward if returned to Times office.

$10.00 REWARD for return of sorrel mare, roached mane, flax mane and tail, left with check line on neck, Bird Ashburn; Rock 30, 1 1-2 mile west of Ranger.

2—HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—A salesman to demonstrate and sell an automobile accessory, big money. Call 406 Main st.

3—HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—At once, boys and girls 15 years or over, to deliver telegrams. Apply Western Union Telegraph Co.

WANTED—Woman to do washing and general housework. Apply Simpson-Alexander Clothing Co.

WANTED—Girl to do housework, no washing, $15.00 per week. Apply Ranger Steam Laundry.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED

LADY wants position as housekeeper in small family, write Box 679, Abilene, Texas.

YOUNG MAN wants position as clerk in grocery store or driving truck, eleven months experience with army trucks, write Fort F. Felker, P. O. Box 885, Ranger.

WANTED—Position as nightwatchman, 3 years experience, best of references, J. D. M., Box 194, Ranger.

MAN AND WIFE want work, man cook and wife helper or will do anything, go anywhere, have car willing to use. Call at 418 Bozeman ave., Lackland addition.

6—BUSINESS CHANCES

FOR QUICK SALE

Oasis Confectionary, 322 Pine street. Have other business out of city demands attention.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

SPIRITUAL MEDIUM—Madam Osborn, Ranger's pioneer medium. Messages from loved ones. Advice on all affairs. Madam Osborn is a born clairvoyant. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. 319 Pine st., opposite Opera House.

CANCERS, tumors, sores, goitre, piles, fistula. Write for testimonials of cures. Box 244 Troup, Texas.

VOICE TEACHER—Miss Mildred Betzer, 205 S. Marston.

MADAM ODUS, Phrenologist, palmist and clairvoyntist, on all afairs of life. Don't fail to see her. 217 1-2 Rusk st.

GET YOUR Building and Repair work done by C. C. Spence, contractor and builder, corner Pine and Hodges st., Ranger, Texas.

TURKEY DINNER
Tomorrow, 85c. Nice place to bring your family. If you are not satisfied with the dinner your money will be refunded. Metropolitan Hotel, cor. Austin and [illegible]

YOUNG [illegible] from LaSalle county, desires to [illegible] hunting party there. Deer, turkey and quail galore. Let's talk it over. J. V. Williams, 705 S. Rusk st.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

WIER ROOMS—Clean and warm, reasonable rates. 303 So. Rusk.

FOR RENT—2 nice rooms, furnished for light housekeeping, with water, gas and bath; $10 per week or $30 per month. 712½ Pine st.

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ROOM FOR RENT—In private home, all modern conveniences, 321 Hill, close to Ranger Boiler Works.

FOR RENT—Nice clean rooms. Electricity and bath. $6 to $8 per week. 315 N. Martson St.

Two light housekeeping rooms, everything furnished, $12.00; Sleeping rooms $6 to $8 a week, 115 1-2 N. Marston, paved street.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

HOUSE FOR RENT and furniture for sale. Complete furnishings including china, linen, silver, etc., of 5-room and bath strictly modern house, at a bargain. 1100 Strawn Road, Berger addition.

FOR RENT—One 2-room, one 3-room nicely furnished houses, with all modern conveniences, close in, apply 223 N. Marston st care Travis rooms.

FOR RENT—5-room house furnished, large living room, fireplace, gas and electric lights; front porch and sleeping porch. Call Gifford Clegg, Oil Cities Electric Co.

11—APARTMENTS

—3-ROOM Kitchenette Apartments, hot water, gas and lights. Have one furnished and one unfurnished; Greenwood Apartments, Hodges Oak Park.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, electric lights, gas and city water. Apply 421 Mesquite st.

12—WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To buy good second hand roll-top desk. Price must be right, apply 315 Main st.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

BARGAIN.
FOR SALE. Rig and rig iron, 250-lb. tank, 500-bbl tank on scaffold, 1600-bbl. tank, fittings for 6 5-8" "T-L" plugs, nipples, 3 high-pressure gate casing-head control well, 2 joints 15 1-2" casing, one string 8 1-4, 32-lb., one string 6 5-8, one portable boiler, new belt, 2-inch pipe line. Inquire Simpson-Alexander.

WHEN needing lumber and shingles, straight or mixed cars; pine, cypress, hardwood, cedar or redwood, wire us, extra star cedars, transits $5.20 delivered. Louisiana Lumber & Shingle Co., Dallas, Texas.

FOR SALE—Shoats and pigs; some blooded stock; all in good shape. R. L. Smith, 105½ Main St.

FOR SALE—Army blankets, $5 each. Steigelmaris house, 150 feet back of Estes Bros. Store, N. Marston st.

POUND SALE—6 heifer yearlings, 1 plug horse, 1 plug mule, 1 good bay horse, sale will be Wednesday, Nov. 24, 2 o'clock.

TURKEY—CHICKEN
We are carrying a complete line of fat fowls for Thanksgiving, arriving fresh every day. Get them now while they last. Next door to old express office, facing T. & P. freight platform. Buffalo Wholesale Produce Co.

POP CORN and peanut machine for $100.00, cost $425.00 new. Theatre Confectionery, 323 Strawn Road.

FOR SALE—Cheap, new Hoosier enameled kitchen cabinet, Phone 133.

FOR SALE—Nice dining table and six chairs, less than half cost, Rothwell hotel, Walnut st.

14—FOR SALE—Real Estate

RIO GRANDE VALLEY—120 acres finest irrigated valley land for trucking, farming or citrus fruit; price right; reasonable terms. D. E. Allen, owner, Donna, Texas.

FIFTY-ACRE truck farm for sale, one and one-fourth miles from town of 1,800 people; 6 room house, bath, outhouses, etc; 2 good wells, windmill, large storage tank for irrigation; 800 to 1,500 gallons blackberries made per year. Price $90.00 per acre if sold at once; will give immediate possession. One-third cash, balance easy payments; would consider some property in trade located in Ranger. For further information see O. E. Tomlinson, 705 Young St., Ranger, Texas.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two room house with sleeping porch, furnished, block from central school. Apply 305 Hodges st.

FOR SALE—Good four-room house, front and back porches, 338 Riddle ave., between Ranger Tool Co., and Hamon shops. Terms.

FOR SALE—One lot 50x134 ft; one 6-room house, two store rooms, two 2-room house on it, all furnished, will sell small cash payment down, balance on easy terms. Just 3 bocks from main part of town, close to high school. Apply 421 Mesquite st.

FOR SALE—Nicely furnished 5 room house near Hamon & Kell machine shops in Lackland addition. Cash or terms. Also one of the nicest suburban grocery stores in Ranger; good trade and good location. I have a good cleaning and pressing business to sell cheap. O. P. Collum, 1126 Tiffin Road.

FOR SALE—Five houses, large garage and tool house, nicely situated on two acre lease, 1 1-2 miles north and east on Tiffin road. City water, gas, phone and a No. 1 water well. Bargain if taken at once, phone 151.

FOR SALE—2-room shack, $275, well furnished. Beyond Cooper Addition Stovall Bros., 211 Elm st.

OIL

FUTURE OF OIL INDUSTRY IN MEXICO HINGES ON LAWS TO AID DEVELOPMENT OF NEW FIELDS

As Salt Water Gradually Encroaches on Wells in the Tampico Pool Government Considers New Laws Which Will Encourage Development Work in New Places.

By LOUIS P. KIRBY,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 24.—Reduced production of oil in the Tampico district and the need of encouraging development work in new places are believed to be the chief reasons for the new Mexican oil laws which are in many ways more favorable to the companies than seemed possible in the course of recent debate here. Although publications here have said nothing about the encroachment of salt water upon the oil wells, the situation in the Tampico fields is well known, especially among government officials.

It is known that the future of Mexico's oil industry hinges upon the development of promising new fields such as Zacamixtle, and the finding of new pools. This calls for the hazarding of large sums of money in the gamble for oil.

While the oil wells are gushing forth their streams of petroeum many persons thought that the flow would never cease and were loud in calling for the "nationalization" of the oil fields. This plan meant the, taking over of the oil property by the government, and few of the agitators were in favor of paying anything for the wells. They professed to think that Mexico was being robbed by the oil companies and could justly claim ownership of the producing fields.

But "nationalization" of fields filled with wells choked by salt water was not as attractive a proposition and a still less attractive proposition was the prospecting and development of new fields.

Reduce Oil Taxes.

The proposed new law reduced the government tax on refined oil. This is to encourage the building of refineries in Mexico as these industries give numerous Mexicans steady employment at good wages and under pleasant conditions. The reduction in the tax is about 1 per cent. The tax will average about 9 per cent of the value of the refined oil. The tax on crude oil is fixed by the proposed new law at about 19 cents a barrel.

It is expected that numerous changes in the new law will be made before it is passed by the Mexican congress. Manuel Padres, assistant secretary of the treasury, intimated when the proposed law was announced that objections and suggestions for changes by the oil producers would receive the attention of the government.

Persons coming from Tampico say that the situation in the oil fields is growing more serious, because of the continued enforced shutting down of wells due to the encroachments of salt water.

M'CLUSKEY NO. 3 FLOWS 1,000 AT BIG BEND

The Panhandle Oil & Refining company's McCluskey No. 3, in the heart of the South Bend district, 18 in with 1,000 barrels from a depth of 2,110, only six inches in the sand.

The No. 2 well is making 300 barrels on the same tract and No. 3 has struck 5,000,000 feet of gas at 2,118.

Receiver of Red River Oil Lands Makes Report

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—More than 7,000,000 barrels of oil have been taken from wells in the receivership district of the Red river boundary litigation for the six months ending Sept. 30, as shown by the third report of the receiver, Frederick A. Delano, filed a few days ago with the supreme court. The grand total of the proceeds for the period amounted to $3,873,488.93. There was returned to operators a total of 115 wells, under the court's order.

Many of the smaller operators would have been glad to leave their properties with the receiver, the report shows, but it was apparent that with the larger properties returned it would have been costly and difficult for the receiver to operate the remainder.

TEXAS COMPANY'S GUSHER AT COLUMBIA THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND

The Texas company's Hogg No. 49, in the West Columbia field is reported making 35,000 barrels, and the Abrahams No. 1 is gauging 8,000 barrels. The present production of the Columbia field is given at 53,400. The excessive price of acreage, it is thought, will serve as a handicap to the small operator.

President-elect Harding's favorite name for his wife is "the dutchess."

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Rooming House, centrally located, 23 rooms nicely furnished; filled with permanent roomers. Will sell reasonable on account of other business. If you are looking for a real income investment, answer C. J. B., Ranger Times.

16—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—1919 Overland 83, light delivery car in good condition; five new tires. Make offer. See owner at Ranger cafe.

1920 MODEL Overland roadster, $300, A-1 condition, Stovall Bros., 211 Elm st.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

FURNITURE bought, sold and exchanged J. M. Wilson, corner Austin and Walnut

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HEMSTITCHING at the Agnes Dillard Millinery, at 405 Main st.

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312 Pine St.

Local Oil Co. Sued for $5,000 a Day by State

Railroad Commission Asks Penalty for Violation of Regulations.

AUSTIN, Nov. 24.—Suit for penalties at the rate of $5,000 a day has been filed in the Fifty-third court of Travis county by the state of Texas on behalf of the railroad commission against the Wichita-Ranger Oil company, a joint stock association, with headquarters at Ranger, for alleged violation of the rules and regulations of the commission. The rules, which require notice of the intention to drill and also notify the commission of proposed pipe line connections, are alleged to have been violated.

Brannon Well May Open New Area, Report

The Brannon Drilling company's wildcat about eight miles northwest of Leeray is nearing the top of the lime with a good show of oil. This well is going down in an undrilled section and its prospects have occasioned other drilling preparations.

The Watson No. 1, on the Leeray townsite, an offset to the Tomlinson well, is reported making considerable salt water and to have resorted to swabbing. The well came in natural with 200 barrels last week.

Rock Island Best Well of Week at Breck.

BRECKENRIDGE, Nov. 24.—The Rock Island well on block 1 of the Ward addition is now making 1,500 barrels and is the best completion of the week. Five 500-barrel steel tanks are on the lot and more are going up. Connection has been made with the Prairie Pipe line. The well will not be drilled in until the pipe line connection is able to take care of the expected increase.

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Chicken Broth with Rice and Tomato Salad
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Mexico's Total Is 140,000,000 Barrels in 1920

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—The gross production for Mexico in 1920 will amount to 140,000,000 barrels, or about one-fifth of the world's total, according to official estimates given out by the Mexican embassy here. This compares with 88,000,000 barrels for 1919 and is more than twice as much as was taken from the fields in 1918 and 1917, the statement added.

Oklahoma's First Oil Came From a Twelve-Foot Well

FAIRLAND, Okla., Nov. 24.—Old residents here recall that the first barrel of oil shipped from Oklahoma was shipped from this city and was taken from a 12-foot well. It was skimmed off and sent to a laboratory to find what it was. Nearly all the shallow water wells of this neighborhood have a trace of oil but no oil sand.

It is expected that a thorough test will be made to find the oil which is thought to seep from a deeper sand.

NATIONAL RESEARCH BUREAU'S NEW SERVICE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—The National Research council has established a research information service. This service, on request, supplies information on research problems, progress, laboratories, equipment, methods, etc. Ordinarily information is supplied without charge. When this is impossible because of unusual difficulties in securing data, the inquirer is notified and furnished with an estimate of the charges. Most of the information is published in the bulletin, obtained on request. Address inquiries to Research Information Service, 1701 Mass. ave., Wash., D. C.

NEW INSURANCE RULING ON OIL RISKS

The state insurance commission last week issued a new schedule for rating oil properties. Under these orders insurance companies will be permitted to place under binder, pending an inspection and rating by the commission, any part or all of any oil property risks upon which insurance is desired, the binder to remain in force not to exceed 60 days from date of issuance, copies of all binders to be filed with the State Fire Insurance commission at the time they are issued. The policy, when written, is to be dated and become effective from the inception of the binder.

DIVORCE SUIT REVEALS SPANISH-AMERICAN IDEAS OF MORALS AND ROMANCE

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—A strange mixture of romance, religion and Spanish American ideas of marital fidelity are exposed in papers filed in the county clerk's office in connection with the suit for separation brought by Mrs. Otilit I. Veranes against Guilermo Veranes, a prosperous Havana business man. Supreme court Justice McAvoy denied the wife's application for $500 a month alimony and $5,000 counsel fees, but gave her the custody of her two children pending the outcome of the suit and directed her husband to pay her $50 a week for their support. Veranes, in answer to his wife's action, counter-claims for divorce, naming an Enrique Chaple and "divers other men."

Mrs. Veranes, living with her two boys, Gillermo jr., 8 and Richard John, 6, alleges that she met Veranes in New York in 1910 and entered into a common law marriage with him. They went to Havana in 1914, where he prospered. In 1918 they owned their own home, and two automobiles, employed a cook, maid and chauffeur. She claims his income is $23,000 a year.

Last March she alleges she confessed to her husband that she had had a little flirtation with Chaple, but had done nothing wrong," that she had met Chaple on two occasions "in a small private house."

According to the Spanish, American custom, she says her actions constituted "a great offense" against her husband and that acting upon her husband's demand, that she "atone for her foolishness" she had come to New York last March and confessed to a priest here. Her husband sent her the children in August and promised to follow, but has not done so. She also charges he has not supported her since she came here.

Veranes denies her charges of non-support and says he sent the children to her because she threatened to kill herself if he didn't. Replying to his charges of misconduct in counter-claim, Mrs. Veranes accuses her husband of misconduct with Rosario Gutterez, an actress.

The total strength of the United States army is now 208,781 officers and men, of whom 158,466 are in this country.

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One Calotab on the tongue at bed time, with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, pleasure or work. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified, and you are feeling fine, with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Druggists sell Calotabs only in original sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. Your money will be cheerfully refunded if you do not find them delightful.—Adv.

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Chicago Teacher Finds Cities in Far East, Unknown to Science; Relics Verify Old Testament

By Associated Press

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—Fresh from the Near East, 37 big boxes of relics of ancient Egypt and Babylonia are now being unpacked at the University of Chicago. They were brought recently after an adventuresome trip by Dr. J. H. Breasted, professor of oriental history and Egyptology. In the judgment of museum officials here, they make the oriental museum at the University of Chicago the finest of its kind in the United States.

The university professor and his staff of four were the first white men to cross the Arab state after it was proclaimed, going from Bagdad to Aleppo. At times the expedition traveled at great personal risk.

The aim of the party was to survey the most important buried cities of the Near East in regard to the work of excavation. Dr. Breasted said he saw ancient cities, now merely mounds of ruins, that were not on the map and were totally unknown to science.

Because of his knowledge of conditions in the country behind Syria, Dr. Breasted was asked by the British government at Cairo to go on a diplomatic mission to the British foreign office at London and at the expense of changing his plans for returning home, he did so, Dr. Breasted disclosed here.

Arabs Now Hate English.

The traditional friendship of the Arabs for the English has now turned to hatred, Dr. Breasted reported. This, he said, was due to the British giving over Syria to the French after they had promised the Arabs their own kingdom in recompense for the help they gave the British against the Turks.

British political agents were being murdered by the Arabs in Mesopotamia while the University of Chicago expedition was in that country Dr. Breasted said. He related that a British colonel who knew the Arabs intimately was later killed at the identical camping place the university party had stopped at a short time before.

"The English rule in Mesopotamia is, however, the greatest blessing that ever came to the country," Dr. Breasted said. "It is accomplishing wonders in quieting the turbulent Arabs and in bringing in civilized conditions. Anyone who knows the Near East cannot fail to rejoice at the British occupation, and most of all the archeologist."

Notwithstanding this hostility to the British, the party determined to push on without protection across the deserts to the Mediterranean. They fortunately found the Arabs friendly to Americans.

Assyrian Prism.

One of the prizes brought back to the Chicago oriental museum is an Assyrian prism chronicling the destruction of Sennecharib's army before Jerusalem. This great Assyrian king had carried a host against Jerusalem and sorely troubled Hezekiah, king of Judah. It is related in the Book of Isaiah that Hezekiah sent for the prophet Isaiah, that Isaiah prophesied that Sennacharib would not enter Jerusalem but would return to Assyria by the way that he came, and that the Assyrians army suffered a great destruction.

"This is a sixsided prism containing the royal annals of Sennacherib," Dr. Breasted said. "It relates the chief campaigns of his western wars and chronicles this incident told of in Isaiah. There is a similar prism in the British Musetum, but ours is three years older, and it is the first in the United States."

A flint knife blade with a sharp edge, which Dr. Breasted characterized as the finest piece of chipped stone known to man, is another of the prizes of the collection. Still another is a small blue vase from Egypt, where glass was first used, which the professor said showed the first artistic use made of glass.

A picture of early Egyptian home life is afforded by a group of twenty-five figures found in an Egyptian tomb. Servants making bread, washing, making music on a drum and doing other familiar things about the house 4,000 or 5,000 years ago, go to make up the most complete group of the kind, it is said, that has ever been uncovered in one tomb.

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AUSTIN, Nov. 24.—Turkey dinner will be served free on Thanksgiving day to regular patrons of the University of Texas cafeteria, following the custom of several years, according to announcement made by F. F. Veazey, manager. Last year, it was stated, the cafeteria served about 600 pounds of turkey to its patrons, and it is preparing to serve from 1,000 to 1,200 pounds in this way this year.

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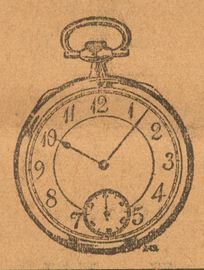
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LOUVAIN, Belgium, Nov. 24.—Personal libraries of German savants are being purchased to restock the shelves of the Louvain Library looted by the Germans in the war. The German professors are hard hit by heavy taxation and the high cost of living and many rare and valuable volumes have thus come into the market.

M. Louis Stainier, director of the library restoration committee, told a correspondent of the London Daily News here that Louvain was very grateful for the consignment of books from American well wishers although, as he put it, the American collection being an essentially modern one, had more of a "universal" than a "university" character.

No building yet exists in Louvain adequate to receive the new library and the books thus far obtained, including 35,000 volumes from England, are scattered wherever temporary accommodation can be found for them.

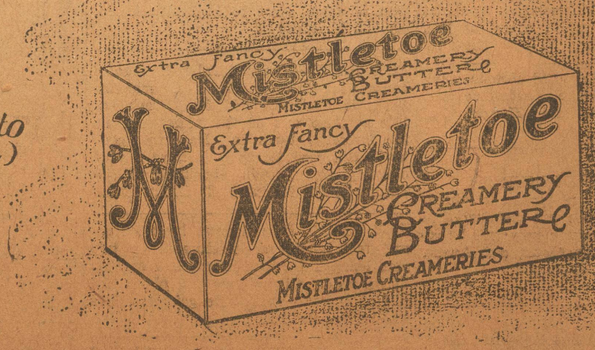
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