THE WEATHER
West Texas—Tonight and Sunday, partly cloudy, probably showers in north and east part of the state.

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THINK OF THIS:
That the fellow who is always telling tales on the other fellow is very secretive about himself and shuns the light of reason.

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CHANGES IN PRIMARY LAW ARE FAVORED

REPUBLICANS WILL MEET IN DALLAS TUESDAY

No Announcement Is Made by Moody Before Leaving For Meeting

By United Press.

DALLAS, Sept. 4.—Primary and electoral reform, a strong endorsement of President Coolidge administration; romoval of the educational system from partisan politics and its adequate support, partisan stateboard and commission; a non-partisan judiciary, validation of bonds; aid for the farmer; extension of the tariff system to protect Texas industries, cattle raisers and farmers; and the conservation of Texas resources are expected to be among the major planks in the platform to be adopted by the Republican state convention which will meet here Tuesday.

The result of the first Republican primary ever held in Texas will be canvassed Monday at special meeting of the Republican state executive committee preceding the convention.

Temporary rules and organization of the convention also will be planned by the executive committee.

DEMOCRATS WILL SEEK AMENDMENT OF LAWS

By United Press.

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 4. — The probable returne to the old convention system by the abolition of the primary election system in Texas may result from the state Democratic convention here next week, if the ideals of some are carried out.

A demand to have the primary system changed for state officers, leaving the county and district officers to be nominated through the primary system as at present will be made by R. A. Ball of San Antonio.

The convention meets in the city auditorium Tuesday.

Democratic Convention Opens Monday

By United Press.

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 6.—Delegates to the democratic state convention Monday and Tuesday are expected to begin arriving here today and tomorrow to take part in preconvention caucuses and gain early information as to plans for the meeting.

The first definite schedule of the convention will not be arranged until Monday, however, when the state democratic executive committee is to meet to recommend the temporary organization. At this meeting, the temporary chairman will be named.

The convention is expected to be overwhelmingly pro-Moody. Whether or not a fight will develop over the question of the convention adopting a resolution demanding immediate resignation of Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson can only be conjectured. A number of county delegates are known to be coming to the convention with instructions to favor such a resolution.

Moody has announced that he will not attempt to dictate who the convention officers will be and if he carries out this policy, the convention is likely to be thrown into confusion.

Pre-convention gossip indicated that resolutions will be introduced instructing the legislature to provide for an equal distribution of funds from university oil lands between the University of Texas and A. & M. college.

It is also considered likely that the Baptist church members will attempt to put a resolution before the assembly asking that the governor's inaugural ball be dispensed with.

Spain To Hold Plebecite Over Entire Nation

By United Press.

HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Frontier, Sept. 4.—Dictator De Riveria of Spain has decided to hold a national plebiscite designed to express national confidence in the government Sept. 10 to 12, according to reports received here.

A national assembly will be convoked in October, it was said.

Grand Jury That Investigated the Mellett Murder Case

After several weeks invetigation indictments were returned Friday against Louis Mazer of Canton, Ben Rudner of Canton and Patrick McDermott, a fugitive, charging them with murder. Eight women are members of the body.

Indicted

LOUIE MAZER

401 BILLS RETURNED, GRAND JURY

District Clerk W. B. Collie's report just made to the attorney general on criminal cases covering the period from Sept. 1, 1924 to Sept. 1, 1926, shows that a total of 401 indictment charging felonies were returned by the grand juries as follows:

Burglary, 35 indictments, 20 of which have been tried with the result of 19 convictions and 1 acquittal.

Embezzlement, 17 indictments with no trials.

Forgery, 27 indictments with seven convictions.

Murder, 20 indictments returned, six trials with three convictions and three acquittals.

Perjury, five indictments with no trials.

Rape, six indictments with no trials and two convictions.

Theft, 72 indictments with 20 trials, 17 convictions and three acquittals.

Other felonies, 111 indictments, 25 trials, 20 convictions and five acquittals.

Date For Trial of Harry J. Leahy Is Not Known

By United Press.

GEORGE WEST, Texas, Sept. 4.—Trial date for Harry J. Leahy, held in jail here on charges in connection with the death of Dr. J. A. Ramsey, of Mathis, has not been set and it is not known when the case is likely to go to trial.

Judge T. M. Cox, of the Thirty-sixth district court, was reported to be on the way here from Beeville. This gave rise to the belief that Leahy may sue for writ of habeas corpus and attempt to obtain release on bond.

Alleged Slayers Of Mellett Face Judge on Tuesday

By United Press.

CANTON, Ohio, Sept. 4.—Louis Mazer and Ben Rudner, two of the three men indicted Friday for the murder of Donald R. Mellett, the Canton editor, are to be arraigned next Tuesday, and the date set for trial.

McDermott, the third man named by the Stark county grand jury, has succeeded so far in eluding the authorities. More photographs and other identification pictures will be sent out in a renewed effort to recapture him.

"There will be no delay," Prosecutor C. D. McClintock promised today. "We shall ask for the death penalty for every one implicated in the murder.

Donald R. Mellett, publisher of the Canton Daily News, was slain early one Friday morning in front of the garage at his home. Mellett had just closed one of the doors of his garage when a fusillade of shots rang out.

He had been waging unrelentless war on law violators, especially dope vendors and bootleggers and others engaged in underworld occupations, when he was killed.

PRATT WELL INCREASES FLOW OF OIL

Fidelity Oil corporation's Pratt No. 1, one mile east of Lasaca, which came in Thursday with 41,000,000 cubic feet of gas, now shows all the earmarks of a real oil well, as it is authentivally stated that the oil flow is now estimated at 100 barrels a day, at 1,995 feet, with the bit still on top of the sand, as the well has been shut down since it came in, waiting tankage arrangements.

Julian Hall of Fort Worth, manager of the Texas Fidelity Oil corporation, has not yet seen their gasser, and oil well, but will be in Ranger today to go out to the field and give it the once over.

The Fidelity Oil corporation are pioneer shallow oil exploiters in this field, coming in here when only the deep pay was sought for and since 1922 have been very successful in finding the shallow pay.

However, no well that they have drilled so far has produced the volume of gas that is shown in their Pratt No. 1, which found the pay at an entirely new depth for that section of the country, and from all indications it looks as if they will bring in the biggest producer they have had the good luck to drill in since they came into the shallow fields of Eastland and Stephens counties.

PARALYSIS FOLLOWS SHOOTING AFFRAY

By United Press.

KERRVILLE, Sept. 4.—Paralysis resulted immediately after Ellis Ledbetter, veteran bureau hospital patient was shot by the patient who was held by authorities. Ledbetter was unable to control his body from his hips down. The bullet entered the neck and lodged in the shoulder He is considered to be in a serious condition.

Indicted

BEN RUDNER

AMERICAN HOSPITALS FIRED UPON

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—American hospitals at Wechang, near Hangkow, and the United States destroyer El Bano, have been fired upon by Chinese troops, the sate department was informed today by the American consul general at Hangkow.

The church hospital was struck twice by shots fired by Cantonese and forces of Wu Pei Fu, the consul reported he was informed by telephone from Wechang.

No reports of American killed or wounded has been received.

Warships and marines today were guarding American lives and property endangered in China and Nicaraugua by civil wars. The state department advices reported an important battle being fought between the forces of the radical Canton government and of Marshal Wu Pei Fu near Hankow, China, where there is an Amerncan missionary and business colony.

Daughter of Pastor J. Frank Norris Weds Boston Man

FORT WORTH, Sept. 4.—Miss Lillian Gaddy Norris, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Norris, and Charles B. Weaver, were married at the home of the bride's parents at 8 o'clock Friday night.

Only relatives and intimate friends of the couple were in attendance. Following the ceremony the couple departed for Boston, where they will make their home.

Weaver, who has just completed a course at law in the Harvard university, and comes from a long line of educators. His grandfather, the late Charles Blanchard, was president of Wheaton college for more than 40 years.

DECISION MADE BY COUNCIL AT SECRET MEETING

Three Non-Permanent Seats are Created To Eliminate Troubles

By United Press.

GENEVA, Switzerland, Sept. 4.—The League of Nations council in secret session today decided unanimously to recommend to the assembly the creation of a single permanent seat in the council for Germany, thus overcoming what was presumably the last obstacle to Germany's admittance to the league.

It also was decided to recommend the creation of three non-permanent seats.

The meeting which is the forty-first since the league was organized is under the presidency of Foreign Minister Benes of Czecho-Slovakia. In his capacity of president of the council he will laso preside at the opening of the league assembly until the latter elects its own president, who will probably be Foreign Minister Nintcitch of Serbia.

Stormy Session.

Following the stormy session of the council last March over the admission of Germany, and the critical session in June at which Brazil resigned from the league and Spain threatened to do likewise, the meeting convened today in an atmosphere of extreme reserve.

While everyone admitted that almost anything might happen, the general impression was that the meeting will be peaceful, as there is now a marked tendency on the part of virtually all members to avoid all possibilities of conflict for the time being until the league has fully recovered from the shocks already suffered this year.

England.

At some stage of the meeting the council will also be called upon to face the interesting situation created by the protest of Abyssinia against the private agreements of England and Italy splitting up for themselves the territory of an independent member of the league into "spheres of influence." This, however, like all the other thorny questions that are on the agenda, will, it is believed, be sidestepped until the question of Germany's admission is settled.

In addition the council will have before it an unusually long and important agenda, including preparations for the league's economic and disarmament conferences that are to be summoned next year.

SOVERVILLE GETS GUSHER TAFT, OKLA.

By United Press.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Sept. 4.—W. R. Somerville and associates brought in one of the largest producing wells this section has witnessed since the Jolly-Patton gusher, of a few weeks ago. The well is located in the northeast corner of the northeast corner of section 17, township 15, ranger 17, on the Ware allotment near Taft, Okla., which has been owned in fee for 17 years by Eck Brook, a well known Muskogee attorney.

Conservative oil men estimated its production at over 500 barrels hourly, while most estimates range far above that figure.

MUSICIAN DROWNED IN SHALLOW WATER

By United Press.

DALLAS, Sept. 4.—Jesse Higdon, 26, a musician, was drowned today in Backman's Dam, in water less than four feet deep. Three persons attempted to save his life but failed. Higdon could not swim.

HOUSTON DEMOCRATS HOLD PRIMARY DEC. 4

By United Press.

HOUSTON, Sept. 4.—The Democratic city primary election was set today by the Houston Democratic committee, for Dec. 4. So far three have announced for the mayor's race. Oscar Holcomb, is out for re-election, while Murray B. Jones and Tom Walker, have entered the race.

Prosecutor

C. B. McCLINTOCK

He promises no delay in the trial and the death penalty will be sought.

GREAT BOULDER CANYON DAM IN CONGRESS

By PAUL R. MALLON
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Senator Hiram Johnson, republican, California, has announced his intention of fighting at the next session of congress for action on the new bill to build a $125,000,000 dam project on the turbulent Colorado River to furnish water for cultivating arid regions, cheap power for the cities and protection against floods.

But with the crowded condition of the congressional calendar and with opposition from Senator Ashurst, democrat, Arizona, who does not believe his state receives sufficient compensation under the bill, the possibilities for successful action are now considered extremely doubtful.

The proposal which in its culmination may mean more to the southwest than the development of Muscle Shoals has meant to the south, has been discussed in Congress for several years.

Before the close of the last session, however, Johnson drew a compromise bill upon evidence obtained by the investigation of the senate irrigation and reclamation committee. He believed this bill would win sufficient favor to get it through the but was forced to delay pressure for its adoption because of the jam in the closing minutes of the session.

Under terms of the measures the government would advance $41,500,000 for construction of the dam, $31,000,000 to build a canal for users of water in the Imperial Valley and $31,500,000 for construction of a power plant to furnish cheap lectricity. This money would be repaid to the government by the beneficiaries of the project with $21,000,000 for interest during the construction.

The purpose of the project is (1) to eliminate danger of floods in the rich Imperial Valley which is 100 to 350 feet below the bed of the river without a drainage outlet, (2) to eliminate the present system whereby valley farmers get their water from a canal which flows through Mexico, (3) to conserve waters for irrigation development and for cities in southern California for their water supply and (4) to create hydro-electric power.

Ashurst believes that the dam should be built at another site further up the river so that Arizona could reclaim some of its desert. Under the present arrangement he contends, only 200,000 acres of Arizona land can be irrigated but if the dam was built at Glen Canyon 3,000,000 acres could be irrigated.

Ashurst claims that Arizona contributes 28 per cent of the waters of the river and that 97 per cent of the area of the state is within 43 per cent of the river basin.

AMERICAN FLYER NEGOTIATES ANDES

By United Press.

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 4.—Captain James Doolittle, American airman, arrived here at 3:50 p. m. today from Santiago, Chile, having made a non-stop flight over the Andes in his one-seater Curtis plane in seven hours and 27 minutes.

PROPERTY LOSS IS HEAVY, AND LIFE UNKNOWN

Manufacturing Plants And Dwellings Are In Path of Turbid Waters

By United Press.

HANNIBAL, Mo., Sept. 4.—Flood conditions reached serious proportions here tonight following the heavy rains of the last 24 hours, when Bear creek went out of its banks late this afternoon, and is doing inestimable damage to some sections of the city. Fifty blocks are under water which reached a depth of four feet in several places. Residents are fleeing to higher ground. Three hundred homes are flooded.

The flood has carried with it manufacturing plants, buildings, streets, and telephone poles. The city is without lights and is rapidly losing connections with the outside world.

So far as could be learned, no lives have been lost.

A new five-room house was carried five blocks, tearing out telephone poles and trees as it swept along the residential streets and was demolished when it struck a concrete building. The occupants of the house have not been accounted for.

In the flood area, boats have been mustered into service to assist in the rescue work.

MIDDLE WEST HARD HIT BY WINDS AND RAIN

By United Press.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Rains continued falling over many sections of the middle west today following the deluge in the past three days, which have brought a total of from three to nine inches of moisture.

In some sections, the rains have been accompanied by high winds of nearly cyclonic propensities, and electric storms have done considerable damages in other sections.

It was impossible today to estimate the damage from the week's storms.

Nebraska today reported damage estimated at approximately $200,000 from high winds. The Illinois damage from storms probably will exceed $500,00 and in addition there has been considerable damage in Iowa.

PART OF JAPAN STORM-SWEPT; LIVES ARE LOST

By United Press.

TOKIO, Japan, Sept. 4.—A severe storm broke over Uisunomiya, 72 miles northeast of here, today, and early reports indicated that 40 persons had been killed.

Good Response From First Call For Membership

Mr. Hogg made his first call for church members in Ranger last night, there was a good response even though the wind and sand filled the eyes of those who tried to be attentive. The ministers expressed themselves as being pleased with th first fruits of the campaign. The blustery weather had seemingly no effect on the attendance. Extra seats were placed in the tabernacle Saturday in preparation for the Sunday crowds.

Much stress is being placed on the Ranger men and boys meeting Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. It was explained last night that nothing would be said that a lady or girl should not hear. Men of all walks of life are invited to come and bring their boys. Mrs. S. J. T. Williams of Abilene will address women and girls at the Christian Church at 3 p. m.

Many stores and places of business have agreed to close five days next week for the day service.

Employer of Bottle Works at Orange Is Electrocuted

By United Press.

ORANGE, Sept. 4.—W. J. Franks, 38, bottle works employe, was electrocuted here early today while repairing an automobile truck at the plant.

Franks had hooked up an electric light under the truck, when he was heard to call for help. He was dead when he was pulled from underneath the machine.

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LABOR DAY.

The first Monday in September has been dedicated to labor. On that day all laboring men in practically every vocation takes a holiday.

It is a day spent in pleasure. It is always observed, and quite often, with a program of a feast of reason, a feast of food and play. It is a day that dull care is forgotten by the man who makes his bread by the sweat of his brow and with his brawn.

It is well that labor do a bit of retrospection on the day set apart by the laws of the nation and the states of the union for its holiday. Labor has made rapid progress in the past 30 years. The old day-light until dark hours are no more for the laboring man. Labor has had to fight for its rights and to gain what it enjoys today. The Bible says, eight hours for work, eight hours for play and devotional exercises, and eight hours for rest.

Labor has had to strike quite often to gain what it has. Although strikes have been lost, yet each defeat was a step toward victory. No one would go back to the old hours of labor. Labor has demonstrated since being granted the eight-hour day that more can be accomplished than under the old 10 to 12 hour method. The editor remembers when the first fight was made for the eight-hour day by organized labor, by the typographical and machinists' union. The hue and cry was put up by the employer that bankruptcy would result.

After several defeats for that principle, labor won. There has been no bankruptcy and instead both the employer and employe have enjoyed prosperity. The writer aided the machinists' union in its fight in his old home town in South Carolina. The first fight was lost, but the defeat brought a victory at last.

The great steel trust finally came to the conclusion that the eight-hour day was best, and since the adoption of it, that gigantic corporation has continued to pay dividends. The headway for higher standards of living made by labor was obtained through organization. Organization is the father of co-operation. We do not favor strikes, only as a last resort. Both sides should avoid striking, if possible, but we do not believe in sweatshops, nor anything that bodes of the sweatshop evil. Large corporations also have learned that co-operative bargaining brings the best results. The responsibility can be placed where there is a contract.

In his address, broadcasted over the nation, L. G. Grifffing, acting president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and its co-operative bank, has the following to say:

"We can do no worthier thing on this Labor day than to make our chief aim the cultivation of true brotherhood within the ranks of our respective organizations as well as between all other labor bodies striving for the same end. Our interests as intelligent workers must be even broader than this—they must include not only industry, finance and politics, but the whole scope of our national life in an unselfish desire to increase the welfare of all humanity. Indeed, within the past few days we have demonstrated, by our response to the appeals for aid sent out by the hard-pressed British miners, that the fraternal bond of labor is world-wide.

"The spirit of labor is essentially the spirit of progress. Bit by bit we seek to build a better world, not merely for ourselves but for our children and for our fellowmen. We want nothing for labor that will not also benefit the whole community. For ours is no narrow patriotism; we are citizens of both the political and the industrial state. Behind our loyalty to America stands our loyalty to the universal brotherhood of labor. Let us therefore make this labor day another milestone in the upward journey as the growing forces of organized labor gain an increasing abundance of life for those who toil."

Will Conduct Cooking School

MRS. IDA M. CHITWOOD

During the week beginning Monday, Sept. 27, Mrs. Chitwood will conduct a cooking school in the City Hall of Eastland under the auspices of the Eastland Telegram.

Jews to Observe Their Holy Day On Thursday

When the sun begins to sink behind the horizon Wednesday evening and the stars begin to pin back the curtains of night, Jews, the world over, will cease following their usual avocations of life and prepare to celebrate with devotional exercises to God, the Jewish new year, Roshashanan. While there is no Jewish house of worship in either Ranger or Eastland, yet the Jewish citizens of the two cities will join in religious worship in the American Legion hall.

The Reform branch of the Jewish church observes but one day, while the orthodox observe two days. M. Starr will conduct the services in Ranger which will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening and at 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

Creation Anniversary

In the Jewish tradition, the Rosh Hashanah marks the anniversary of the creation of the world, supposed to have taken place 5,687 years ago. The present Rosh Hashanah, therefore, will mark the beginning of the year 5,687.

The sacred character of this day is implied in the two other names by which it is known—the Day of Memorial and the Day of the Blowing of the Trumpets. In the first place, it is the Day of the Memorial, or remembrance. As such, it calls upon the Jew to remember the divine purpose of his life. Secondly, it is the Day of the Blowing of the Trumpets. Its purpose is to rouse Israel from his self-complacency and stir him to high resolves and nobler deeds.

The Rosh Hashanah derives it significance from the fact that it is but the introduction to the Day of Atonement which follows 10 days later. Before one can realize the need of atonement, it is necessary that he become conscious of his shortcomings. Hence Jews celebrate Rosh Hashanah which is also designated as Yom Hadin—the Day of Judgment—that the atonement may be possible.

Trumpet Blowing Commanded

The essential ceremony of the services in the synagague on Rosh Hashanah is the blowing of the trumpet, in accordance with the injunction in Leviticus 23:24, which reads: "In the seventh month, on the first day of the month shall ye have a Sabbath, a memorial of blowing of trumpets and holy convocation."

In the Reform Synagogue, Rosh Hashanah is celebrated from sunset of Sept. 8 to sunset of Sept. 9, whereas among Orthodox Jews the holiday does not end until sunset of Sept. 10.

Truck and Ford Collide; Pioneer Man Injured

Joe Reeves of Pioneer was severely cut and bruised about the head Friday afternoon when the Ford car he was driving was struck by a heavier car as he was coming onto the highway from a by-road a few miles west of Rising Star. Reeves' car was turned completely over while in the air, landing in a ditch at the side of the road. The driver of the other car was not injured. The Ford had a broken wheel. Deputy Sheriff Virge Foster of Eastland saw the accident and took Reeves to his home in Pioneer where a physician was summoned to dress his wounds.

AVIATORS LOST EN ROUTE TO THE AIR RACES

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 4.—Four aviators flying to the national air races in the "On-to-the-Sesqui-Centennial races" today had not reached the model farms flying field, where the races were to start this afternoon because of bad weather forcing them down in various sections of the country.

Lloyd Spearman and George Weis, West Kansas, reported lost in the Aleghaney Mountains the last two days wired the air race headquarters here that they had landed at Moundsville, W. Va., and would hop off to the races today.

Investigaton of Prison Blaze Now Underway

By United Press.

WALLA-WALLA, Wash., Sept. 4. While the 962 convicts slept in the prison yard without bed, two companies of national guardsmen stood guard around the state penitentiary during the night after a fire of incendiary origin which destroyed the cell house. The institution was in darkness, and the prison guards, sheriff, deputies, and city police reinforced the guardsmen. A triple line was maintained.

The fire was the third mysterious blaze at the penitentiary in three weeks, it started in a ventilator shaft near the dining room while 400 convicts were at dinner.

Two new fires broke out during the night at the state prison, authorities announced today. The blazes are believed to have been set by convicts now being guarded by the state militia, prison employes, sheriff deputies and deputy marshals from eastern Washington.

The new fire was discovered in the plate mill where auto licenses are manufactured. It was extinguished with a nominal loss.

An official investigation was launched today. Prisoners in the yard were reported to be orderly, but the prison resembled an armed camp. Guards and troops were instructed to shoot to kill at the first indication of a break for liberty.

Hoped to Attend Institute But Death Prevents

Miss Fannye Shipp, former Ranger school teacher who was killed by a train in Abilene early Thursday morning and buried Friday at her old home at Lorena, Texas, had written Miss Beulah Speer, a long time acquaintance, that she was expecting to be in Eastland to attend the Eastland County Teachers' Institute which will convene in Eastland Monday, and that she would come a few days ahead of time as she desired to meet some of her old friends in and near Eastland.

Miss Shipp, according to Miss Speer, was one of the faculty of the Pioneer public school. No less than fifteen applications for the place she was to fill has been received by Miss Speer, county school superintendent.

Race With Train For Crossing, One Dead, 3 Injured

By United Press.

HOUSTON, Sept. 4.—Carl Glover, 16, of Humble, was instantly killed and three other persons were seriously injured late today when a Southern Pacific passenger train struck their coupe in which they were riding, at a grade crossing here.

The injured are Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Glover, Carl's parents, and Mary McGee, 6, a niece of the Glover's.

The injured were all taken to the Southern Pacific hospital.

Senator McKinley Takes Turn For Worse, No Hopes

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 4.—Senator William B. McKinley of Illinois, took a turn for the worse late today and little hope is held for his recovery. It was the third relapse suffered by the Illinois statesman, since he was brought to the hospital here about a week ago. Doctors at the hospital said tonight that he had again lost consciousness and that his condition was "very low."

KUKLUX KLAN BANNED BY OKLAHOMANS

By United Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.. Sept. 4. Oklahoma democrats tonight were on record as "unalterably opposed to any attempt of domination of any branch of the American government by the Ku Klux Klan, or any other secret order, class, society, or combine," following a bitter fight in the resolution committee which almost threatened a deadlock, as to wording of the declaration. The 1,500 delegates to the democratic state convention unanimously passed an anti-klan pronouncement parelleling the republican resolve of Monday.

Business Good Throughout The Nation; Report

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Statements from government investigating bureau tonight heralded an improving condition of business and industry throughout the county.

The department of commerce in a general survey declared the barometer of trade fortnight car loadingspatments and building contracts, showed a healthy increase, the last two weeks in August over the previous few weeks and a much higher average than the same period a year ago.

The bureau of railway economics reported an increase of more than seventeen million dollars in the net operating income in all lines during July for a month's total of $117,895,311.

The commerce department issued a statement showing the heaviest movement of grain in August over inland water ways, in the history of the development of this mode of transportation.

Farmers in Kansas, Oklahoma and Nebraska reaped the largest benefit, revealing that 998,000 bushels of grain moved from St. Louis to New Orleans and 155,000 tons of freight were handled on the Mississippi Warrior lines.

Superior Mine Yelds Its Dead; Eleven Recovered

By United Press.

TAHONA, Okla., Sept. 4. — The Superior Coal mine today was yielding up its dead. At noon eleven bodies of the sixteen men trapped in the mine yesterday by two successive gas explosions, had been taken from the shaft.

Seven bodies had been recovered earlier in the day. Four more had been taken out at noon, last of whom was Dennis James, fire boss, who led the miners into the fatal level yesterday.

MOODY AND BRIDE WILL ATTEND THE CONVENTION

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Sept. 4.—Attorney General Dan Moody, accompanied by Mrs. Moody will eave Sunday night for San Antonio, to attend the meeting of the state Democratic executive committee on Monday and the state convention on Tuesday, when he will formally be declared nominee of the Democratic party for governor.

No announcement has come from Governor Ferguson or James E. Ferguson as to whether they wil lattend the San Antonio meetings.

Final Count Made Of Vote in Aug. Second Primary

By United Press.

DALLAS, Sept. 4.—Final tabulations of returns from the democratic run-off primary of Aug. 28 was made by the Texas Election bureau tonight.

Complete returns were received from 242 counties, and incomplete returns from seven counties; two counties, Moore and Terrell, held no election. No report was received from Huitchison, and it is not known whether an election was held there.

The total vote tabulated was 766,707.

Final figures of the bureau follow:

For governor: Ferguson, 273,256; Moody, 492,451.

Attorney general: Allred, 345,333; Pollard, 360,121.

Treasurer: Ball 279,237; Hatcher, 410,461.

Returns from 19 counties out of 19 counties in the eleventh district, 17 counties complete, associate justice of the court of civil appeals: Davenport, 25,580; Hickman, 27,663. Borden and Stonewall are the incomplete counties in the civil appellate court race.

Official Count Of Vote Cast In Eastland County

Following is the vote cast for candidates for office in Eastland county at the run-off election Aug. 28, according to the canvas made by the county democratic executive committee Saturday.

Governor—Ferguson, 1,949; Moody 4,043. Majority, 2,094.

Attorney General—Allred, 3,630 Pollard, 2,088. Majority, 1,542.

State Treasurer — Ball, 2,240; Hatcher, 3,222. Majority. 982.

Associate Justice Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals—Davenport, 3,615; Hickman, 2,265. Majority, 1,350.

County Clerk—Jones, 3,441; Wood, 2,491. Majority, 950.

Tax Assessor—Herrington, 3,081; Bryant, 2,899. Majority, 185.

County Treasurer — Sue, 2,544; Cooper, 3,419. Majority, 875.

County Attorney—Lawrence, 2,536; Sparks, 3,327. Majority, 791.

Constable, Precinct No. 7—Turner, 80; Carrall, 556. Majority, 476.

Public Weigher, Precinct No. 7 — Crownover, 323; Williams, 344. Majority, 21.

Public Weigher, Precinct No. 8—Robert, 53; Jackson, 66, Browning 30.

SIXTEEN INJURED IN TRAIN COLLISION

By United Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 4.—Sixteen persons were injured when a Baltimore & Ohio local passenger train running three hours behind schedule, on account of washouts, crashed head-on into a freight two miles west of here last night.

Kiwanians Vanguard Are At Muskogee

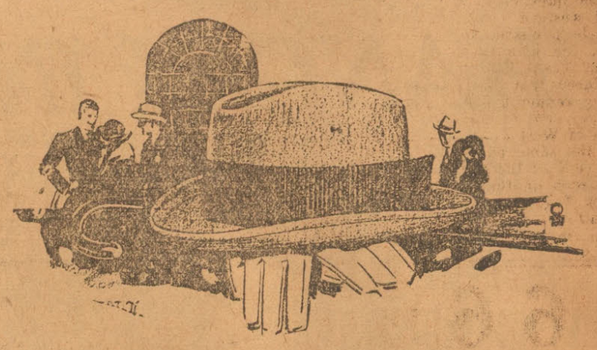
By United Press.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Sept. 4.—The vanguard of the international officers and delegates to the Texas-Oklahoma district Kiwanis convention, which opens Monday, arrived in Muskogee today and were greeted by a city that was transformed for the event.

The international officers, George Kimball, assistant international secretary; J. E. Vandershot, field representative, both of Chicago, after making a careful survey of the convention arrangements and program, announced that the parent organization is looking toward the Muskogee convention as the model for the convention of the other 29 districts of the organization this fall.

7 MARRIAGE LICENSES IN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

A total of seven marriage license were issued from the Eastland county clerk's office from closing time Friday night to the same time Saturday night. Deputy Clerk Ed Layton stated that they were trying to issue as many marriage license as the district clerk filed divorce suits.



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Duggan to Speak on Equalization of Taxes in Texas

A. P. Duggan, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will deliver an address on the subject of "Equalization of Taxes," in Eastland Wednesday night at which time the Eastland Chamber of Commerce will tender him a banquet. Secretary Briggs states that the place and particulars concerning the banquet have not been definitely decided, but that announcements will be made soon.

Mr. Duggan is devoting much time to the question of taxation in eastern and western Texas and in a recent article published in West Texas Today, the official publication of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, declared that East Texas lands are being rendered to the state at about 10 per cent of their value while the land of West Texas is being rendered for the same purpose at at least 50 per cent of their value. This places a burden on the property owners of West Texas, that is unjust and unequal, it is claimed.

In view of the fact that the question to be discussed is one of vital importance to each and every citizen of this section, and the further fact of the prominence of the speaker, it is expected that a large crowd will be present Wednesday night.

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IN THE COURTS

Warranty Deeds

Cisco Oil Mill to Mortin A. Parmer, part of section 84, block 4, H. & T. C. Railway Company survey. Consideration $300.

T. P. Taylor el ux to A. M. Swindle, lot 1, subdivision of lot 3, block 127, Cisco. Consideration $50.

R. G. Moody et ux to Sid McEntire, part of lot 2, block 114, Cisco.

A. R. Wood et ux to Mrs. M. J. Cannon, lots 4 and 5, section 28, B. B. B. & C. Railway Co. survey, block 7, Rising Star.

J. W. Pulley to E. L. Reid, certain Eastland county. Consideration $300.

J. R. Ervin et ux to T. B. Langston, part of the Nancy A. Moore survey. Consideration $150.

Estelle Davenport to R. C. Myers, certain land in Ranger. Consideration $200.

C. C. Cox et ux to F. W. Leach, 100 acres out of section 8, block 1, H. & T. C. Railway Co.

A. D. Anderson, independent executor of the estate of Elbert Blease Jr., deceased to C. N. clifton, lot 10, block 74, Cisco.

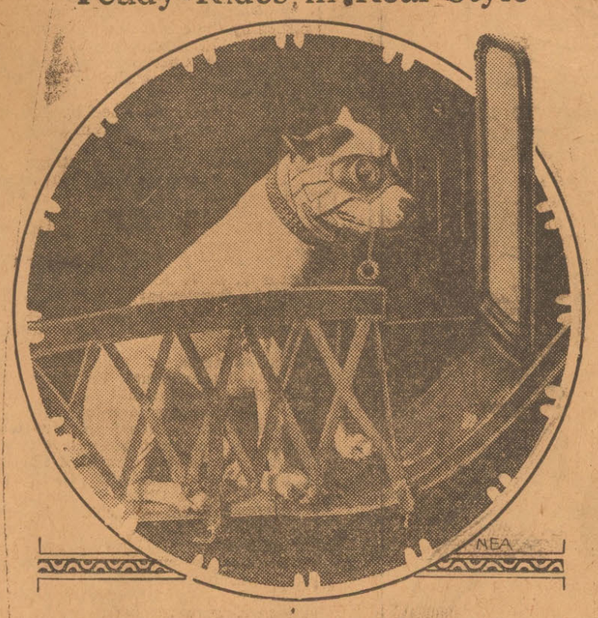
Marriage License

Gilford R. Looney and Miss Mary Christian, Cisco.

J. J. Cotchings and Miss May Williams, Breckenridge.

J. C. Lilfrey and Miss Silma Bishop, Cisco, Rt. 2.

Teddy Rides in Real Style



Teddy, husky bull terrier owned by C. R. Myer of Beaumont, Tex., wouldn't think of riding on his master's running board without his goggles properly adjusted and his pipe drawing right. Furthermore, he insists on having his own private windshield set up for him.

District Courts To Resume Work During the Week

The Eastland county courthouse will be a busy place this week, both the ninety-first and eighty-eighth district courts will be in session. The summer vacation having closed, the accumulated business will be handled with dispatch. The eighty-eighth court grand jury will also convene Monday.

At present there are more than 450 civil cases pending on the dockets of the two Eastland county district courts. There are also a large number of criminal cases, including more than a dozen murder cases, pending. Of the criminal cases, only two, that of Jim Franklin, charged with a statutory offense, and that of Charlie Basham, charged with murder, have been set for trial. The Franklin case is set for Sept. 16 and the Basham case for Sept. 29.

In the ninety-first district court, Judge George L. Davenport will call the entire civil docket Monday morning at 10 o'clock, at which time all lawyers and litigants interested will be expected to be present. All cases not ready for trial, will be assigned for a time certain during the present term or the October term of this court.

The week beginning Monday, Sept. 13, and Monday, Sept. 27, have been set aside by Judge Davenport for the trial of jury cases, and jurors have been summoned for these dates.

Judge Elzo Been closed his july term of court Saturday and will open the September term Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Following is the personnel of the grand jury that will be empaneled at that time:

Lee Owen, Cisco; J. T. Berry, Cisco; Clyde Garret, Eastland; H. O. Satterwhite, Eastland; M. K. Collie, Ranger; Hall Walker, Ranger; R. L. Cooner, Gorman; R. V. Nabors Desdemona; Elbert Trimble, Carbon; H. S. Childress, Rising Star; E. F. Alton, Cisco, Rt. 3; T. L. Lasater, Nimrod; W. H. White, Gorman, Rt. L. C. Cash, Pioneer; Tom Scott, Ranger.

FAIR SEASON TICKETS GO ON SALE MONDAY

Sason tickets for the Central West Texas Fair, to be held at Eastland, Sept. 22 to 26, inclusive, will be placed on sale next Monday at $1.50. This reduced rate will be on for one week after which the regular price will prevail.

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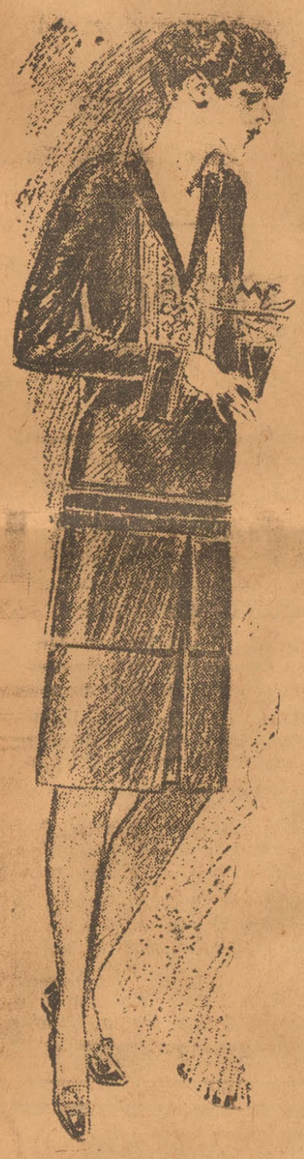

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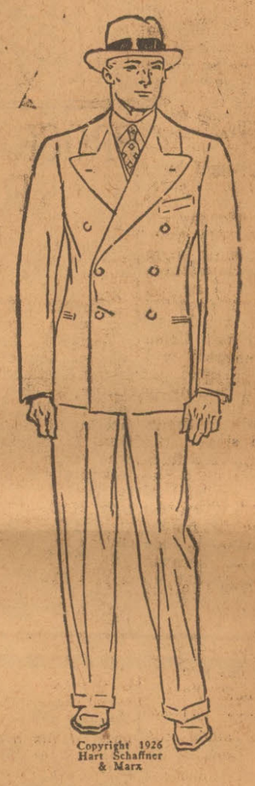

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The big parade will form at the Central Fire Station at 2 p. m. and start at 230 p. m. the order of march is as follows:

Grand Marshal, Wade Swift.

Ranger Fire Department.

Ranger High School Band.

President Coleman, Mayor and City Commossioners.

Manager Teal, Captain Davis and North Side team.

Manager Chaplin, Captain Renshaw and the South Side team.

The route will be down Elm street to Commerce street to Main street and up Main street to Nitro Park. This will be a treat to see the sturdy ball players, and the handsome managers on parade.

Final Statements

Following are the final statements given out from the two opposing camps.

Manager Teal of the North Side:

Men, women and children, of the North Side: We have a good team, a good captain and some say, a good manager. We are going to win the game, and I am going to win the cup for having the most medals. After this game, I expect to retire from baseball forever. But I do want to win the Attendance cup. It will be something for me to treasure in future years. I hope every Northsider will come out and help us get a lot of money for the "Pep Squad" and help us win the Attendance cup.

Captain Davis of the North Side:

The North Side team is in first class shape in every way. Our men have a few plays that will make everyone take notice. I have informed all big league scouts that under no circumstances can they have any of my men until after the big game Monday. We are going to put up the best game of our careers, and we expect to win. Nothing can stop us.

Manager Chaplain of the South Side:

Captain Renshaw and myself have selected our lineup with great care. We expect to make history and bring glory to the South Side Monday. I know I will win the medal cup given by President Coleman, and it is up to the Southsiders to win the attendance cup for me. Let us all be out Monday afternoon, ready to root for the South Side, and show the North Side how many fans we have. Come out and help the "Pep Squad" and see a fine game. We will meet the enemy on the field of battle Monday afternoon.

Captain Renshaw of the South Side:

I am only a ball player, not a talker. However, I will say that the South Side team will put up the battle of our lives Monday. When the last man is out in the ninth inning of Monday's game, the North Side team will have a surprise, because we expect to and will win what we think will be the hardest fought game in Texas this year.

His Favorite Sport

PROGRAM IS COMPLETE FOR EASTLAND COUNTY TEACHERS INSTITUTE

More than 300 school teachers, as well as a large number of others, are expected in Eastland Monday on the occasion of the annual meeting of the Eastland county Teachers' Institute, which will be held in the high school building on the site of the first meeting of the organization held more than 20 years ago. Among those who were present when the first institute was organized in the county were J. E. T. Peters, now secretary of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce; Miss Beulah Speer, Eastland county superintendent of schools; and "Dutch" Evans formerly of Ranger.

The institute will be formally opened at 8:30 o'clock Monday morning with a devotional service lead by P. W. Walthall, pastor of the First Christian Church of Eastland. The music pupils of Mrs. L. K. Hogan will then give a short educational program, which will be followed by an address welcoming the teachers to Eastland delivered by Judge Virgil T. Seaberry of Eastland. Response to the welcome address will be given by R. F. Holloway, superintendent of the Ranger schools.

Miss Beulah Speer, county superintendent of schools, will introduce Dr. Charles Evans, LL. D., director of education extension of the Oklahoma A. and M. College, director of the institute with Eastland county Outlook. Then will come a brief educational survey by Dr. Evans. Following this will be the enrollment of teachers and adjournment for the noon hour.

A number of entertainments for the teachers have been planned for the week but these have not been announced.

Following is the program for the institute, which will be in session until Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the hour for final adjournment:

Monday Afternoon

1:15—Call to order—Song led by C. M. Berry.

1:30—Some Educational Efforts to be taken in Eastland County. —(a)—A Hundred Point School for Every Child: Grounds—size of site sit well drained; fence entirely around the grounds; gate or stile; gate for vehicles; walks to well and outhouses; good well, cistern or equivalent.—A. M. Limmer, superintendent, Desdemona schools.

(b)—Well or cistern covered and 150 feet from stable or other source of contamination; roof over well pump in good repair; dry storm cave; grounds free from weeds and rubbish; basket ball court; baseball diamond; basket ball outfit; baseball and bat; croquet set; growing trees on site.—J. C. Carter, rural teacher.

(c)—Ornamental shrubs; roses; flower beds; hotbed or cold frame; school garden; bermuda on yard; teachers' home; fruit trees for teacherage, etc.—Mr. Singleton, superintendent Carbon schols.

(d)—Sand pile for primary; swings; teeters; seesaws; horizontal bars; giant strides; many other features of play apparatus.—Mrs. J. N. Poe, Ranger.

2:50—Summary—Dr. Evans.

3:00—Departmental meetings.

4:15—Adojurnment.

Tuesday Morning

8:30—Call to order—program furnished by the committee. Devotional led by W. J. Nelson, pastor First Baptist Church.

9:00—Address—A Teacher as a leader—Dr. Evans.

9:15—Address—Mrs. W. K. Jackson.

9:30—Our State Educational Campaign—B. E. McGlammery, superintendent of Gorman schools.

10:20—Recess.

10:20—City superintendents with their respective teachers; County superintendent with the rural teachers.

10:50—Adjournment.

Tuesday Afternoon

1:15—Call to order—Song.

1:25—State chairman Congress of Mothers.—Mrs. C. E. Maddox, Ranger.

2:00—A Hundred Point School for Every Child; The Building:—(a)—Name of school in neat letters above the door, window guards, solid foundation, steps in good repair, platform at front door, roof over platform, enclosed entrance hall, building painted, separate cloak rooms for girls and boys, hooks for clothes room for home economics, manual training, library, rest room corner.—Mr. E. E. Layton, Eastland, ward prinicipal.

(b)—Plastered or ceiled walls, papering and tinting in pleasing color, windows arranged well for light, window panes in sashes, windows opening easily both top and bottom, window glass surface equal to one-fifth of floor space, locks in good repair, doors swung so they open and close easily and open outward, window screens easily detached, etc.—J. D. Conner, superintendent Rising Star schools.

(c)—Blackborad not over 26 inches from floor for primary grades, at least 25 linear feet of board in every room, space above board prepared for exhibit work, bulletin board, place for lunch baskets, at least 15 square feet floor space for each pupil, 240 cubic feet of air space per pupil, ceiling at least 12 feet high, built-in closets for supplies, basement, dry and clean, roof in repair, all chimneys and flues in good repair.—Mrs. R. H. Bush, Eastland.

(d)—Outbuildings repaired and sanitary, two substantial sanitary toilets and widely separated, all the buildings free from markings, all outbuildings painted or white washed, and kept in repair.—W. H. Collins, superintendent, Pioneer.

(e) The teacher's home, a separate teacherage, owned by district, five desirable features of buildings.—Mr. Lewis Smtih, Olden.

2:50—Summary—Dr. Evans.

3:00—Recess.

3:10—Departmental meetings.

4:15—Adjournment.

Wednesday Morning

8:30—Call to order; program furnished by the committee. Devotional led by L. K. Hogan, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Eastland.

9:00—Address—"The Child Imperative."

8:40—Devotional—Led by L. R. Hogan, pastor Presbyterian church.

10:30—Recess.

10:30—Departmental meetings.

11:30—Resume led by instructor

12:00—Adjournment.

Wednesday Afternoon

1:15—Call to order; song led by C. M. Berry.

1:30—Ray M. Camp, publicity director T. S. T. A.

2:15—Enrollment Teachers T. S. T. A.—W. Z. Bates, Eastland; R. F. Holloway, Ranger; B. E. McGlammery.

3:00—Recess.

3:10—Departmental meetings.

4:15—Adjourment.

Thursday Morning

8:30—Call to order; program furnished by the committee. Devotional led by O. G. Lanier, Church of Christ.

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9:15—Address—Teachers and Self Culture.—Dr. Evans.

9:30—Recess.

10:40—City superintendents meet with their teachers.

10:40 — County superintendents meet with rural teachers.

12:00—Adjournment.

Thursday Afternoon

1:15—Call to order; song led by C. M. Berry.

1 25—L. D. Borden, chief supervisor rural schools.

2:00—A Hundred Point School for Every Child: Organization:—(a)—Lates sate course of study on every teacher's desk, teacher properly qualifield, a member of the State Teachers' Association, daily program in sight, pupils assisting with janitor and cleaning work, attendance register, teacher promptly reporting to county superintendent.—R. L. Speer, principal high school, Eastland.

(b)—Attendance at least 90 per cent for year, tardiness none or not more than 10 per cent, compulsory attendance law enforced, length of term, salary of teacher, pupils use of library books, participation in county contests, school at least twenty days of school term, literary society, Sunday school organized in community. —Joe B. Preston, principal high school, Ranger.

(c)—Parents clubs, moonlight schools, visitation by school board members, active boys and girls in demonstration club work, weekly news letter to county paper, community work days, musical entertainments etc.—S. M. Glazner, principal high school, Desdemona.

2:50—One Hundred Points for Every Child: Organization. — Dr. Evans.

3:00—Recess.

3:10—Departmental meetings.

4:15—Adjournment.

Friday Morning

8:30—Call to order; program furnished by the committee. Devotional led by Frank E. Singleton, pastor Methodist Church, Eastland.

9:00—Local P.-T. A. organibation. —Mrs. Outward, Eastland.

9:30—Address—There is no bad Child.—Dr. Evans.

10:30—Recess.

10:40—Departmental meetings.

11:45—Resume—Instructor.

12:00—Adjournment.

Friday Afternoon

1:15Assembly with music.

1:30—Essential business.

(b)—Election of officers of interscholastic League.

(c)—The county superintendent desires.

(d)—Report of committees.

2:30—Resume of Week's Work by Teachers and Dr. Evans.

3:00—Good-Bye and Adjaurnment.

Car Recovered Charges Filed Man Arrested

An attmpt to get away with a Buick car, owned by Gallagher and Lawson, of Desdemona, was frustrated by the Ranger police and a Breckenridge speed cop Saturday and charges were filed by L. E. Davenport, against E. R. Thurman, with the theft of a Buick car.

The car was parked on North Austin street, Ranger, near the Paramount Drug Store, on Friday night and as soon as the owners discovered it was missing they immediately notified Ranger police who notified various police headquarters nearby and a speed cop at Breckenridge left for Ranger at once, thinking the thief or thieves might have started toward Breckenridge. His surmises were correct as he caught two men driving the car eight miles from Breckenridge, arrested them and drove alongside of them into Breckenridge, but in the traffic they gave him the slip, and he gave chase again. After he had fired some shots, at the car, the two men abandoned the car and took to their heels, escaping the motor cop.

He rececovered the car and Saturday morning, Assistant Chief of Police L. E. Davenport, and Floyd Ingram saw some men entering a local hotel who looked suspicious. They arrested them and phoned to the Breckenridge officers to come down and identify the thieves, as he said one of them was identified as one of them was identified as one of the men driving the Buick and charges for theft of the car was filed against him. The other suspect is still at large.

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LEAVES EASTLAND to Cisco, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Abilene, Sweetwater, 9:35 a. m., 11:40 a. m., 2:55 p. m., 6:35 p. m., 11:25 p. m.

GOING EAST

LEAVES EASTLAND to Ranger, Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 7:55 a. m., 10:55 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 4:25 p. m., 7:55 p.m.

LEAVES RANGER to Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 8:20 a. m., 11:25 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 4:50 p. m., 8:20 p. m.

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League President Coleman Is Sore; Issues Challenge

To The Editor:

I notice by your most excellent paper that someone has been encroaching, as it were, upon the duties and authorities of the president of the Ranger Business Men's Baseball League, and I therefore take this method of filing protest on the game either way it goes on account of the fact that there will be ineligible players in the game.

Furthermore, there is serious dissension in the ranks of the players because some of them were not picked among the chosen few to represent the league in this encounter. This ill feeling has assumed the proportions of a rebellion and pressure has been brought to bear upon me to issue a challenge to the winner of the purported contest and play them immediately after the game, making a double-header.

For purely political reasons they have omitted some of the best players in the league from their respective line-ups and from this list of so-called cast-offs I have selected a combination of players that I feel sure can easily force the bitter dregs down the parched throats of either team, be they northside, south, or all-around-the-towners. So I make you this challenge (Mr. Moody). I dislike to engage in such literary duels as Manager Teal and Manager Chaplin has been doing and will therefore save any slanderous remarks, but I do crave the opportunity to let my team of picked players vindicate me on the field of play.

Raymond Teal is inelegible to appear in uniform for the reason that he is not a Ranger business man. Nobody does any business with him except when they want their road fixed out in front of their house. Besides he never gets up before 10 a. m. and no business man sleeps that late.

This old bird Chaplin is all right. He has been the brains of the Salesmen's team all season. I don't know why they call themselves salesmen. The way they hustle in a ball game they could not wait on three customers a day, but that's not the question.

When they left my battery out they thought they were smart. My pitcher has to pitch from second base so the umpire can see what to call it and then it's mostly a guess. My catcher has a deadly peg. When he was a kid and had to help provide for a large family his dad used to hand him three rocks and tell him to come back with three rabbits—no foolin'. All the rest of the players in proportion.

In case this challenge is accepted I will be there in person to see that my managers manage my assistant managers. Rip Galloway is my team captain and will accept full responsibility for anything I say. Red Neil is chief adviser and head coach besides being the official adviser to the umpire and auditor of gate receipts.

And unless this goes through and is accepted by both purported managers I have authority from Judge Landis to call in all uniforms or have the umpire declare it too dark for play.

Now if you guys are game you'll have to show it, because it will show itself if you are not.

Yours very indignantly,
GUS COLEMAN,
President.

Oil Belt Towns May Organize Football League

With rumors that Mineral Wells, Breckenridge, Thurber and other oil field towns are contemplating the organization of independent football teams, there is some talk that Ranger may follow their lead in the matter.

"Happy" Shertz, who formerly figured very spectacularly on the Ranger Bulldog team is in Ranger and says that he has been offered a position on several teams, but that he prefers to say at home and if Ranger should organize an independent team he would be glad to do his part towards making it a success.

SUZANNE'S OPPONENT TO BE NAMED SOON

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Within a few days the name of the American woman tennis player who is to appear as opponent of Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen on her exhibition tour will be announced by C. C. Pyle, her manager and also the manager of "Red" Grange.

Labor Day Baseball Game Program Is Announced

At a meeting held Saturday attended by Manager Teal and Captain Davis of the North Side team, and Manager Chaplin and Captain Renshaw of the South Side team, President Gus Coleman and others, the following officials of the game were picked. "Red" Neil, umpire of balls and strikes; Sanford Dean, chief George Murphy and Charles Hocker umpires on bases.

Rev. Will Hogg will pitch the first ball which will be caught by Mayor R. H. Hodges. President Coleman will present the loving cup given by a prominent citizen to the manager that has the most "fans" from his side of town at the game. Paul Lacy and an able corps of assistants will sell the tickets at the game.

A very large attendance is expected, as the game is for the benefit of the of the Ranger high pep squad uniforms. Leo Underwood, director of the High School Band, assures that that organization will be out in full strength to help make the day a big one, by furnishing the music during the game.

The announcements of the batteries will be made by Manager Chaplin of the South Side, and Manager Teal of the North Side will introduce the umpires, and honored guests.

Manager Teal, at great expense bought Pitcher Hodges from the South Side, and Captain Davis of the North Side announces the following players that will be on his team, in addition to the list published, due to the fact that several of his men have already been signed by the big league, and are out of the city, Henry, Abney, Gallagher, and Rip Galloway.

President Coleman announces that he will give a prize to the manager wearing on his uniform the most medals that was won for excellent ball playing. Everything has been arranged and a large crowd is expected, both to see the parade which will start from the Central Fire Station at 2:30 p. m. and the big game, which will start at Nitro Park at 3 p. m. Large delegations are expected from nearby towns, as a lot of interest has been shown. Be sure and come early enough to get a seat.

Mineral Wells Golfers Coming Strong Sunday

Mineral Wells golfers will be in Ranger at least a dozen strong this afternoon for a golf tournament with the Ranger Country Club golfers. It is rumored that the Ranger champions of the greens have been seen out on the links often this keew improving their game, so as to defeat the visitors.

The links are in fine condition and the weather bids fair to be ideal for the trounament. The Country Club is a pleasant place to spend a late summer afternoon, so those who wish to watch the game instead of participating in i, may have the opportunity to do so.

BASEBALL

BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Legion	6	2	.750
Leveille-Maher	6	4	.600
Lions	4	4	.500
Oilbelt	3	6	.333
Salesmen	4	3	.571
Woodmen	4	6	.400

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Dallas	82	62	.569
San Antonio	78	66	.542
Fort Worth	76	69	.521
Shreveport	71	72	.497
Beaumont	72	74	.493
Houston	70	74	.486
Wichita Falls	67	76	.472
Waco	61	84	.421

Yesterday's Results.
Dallas 7, Waco 4.
Wichita Falls 5-5, Houston 7-4.
San Antonio 4, Shreveport 3.
Beaumont 9, Fort Worth 3.

Today's Schedule.
Dallas at Waco.
Wichita Falls at Houston.
Shreveport at San Antonio.
Fort Worth at Beaumont.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	76	54	.585
St. Louis	78	56	.582
Pittsburgh	72	55	.575
Chicago	71	61	.537
New York	61	66	.480
Brooklyn	62	70	.470
Boston	50	79	.491
Philadelphia	48	77	.350

Yesterday's Results.
Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 0.
Chicago 11-3, Pittsburgh 2-2.
Boston 6-9, New York 2-5.
Brooklyn 7, Philadelphia 2.

Today's Schedule.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
Boston at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia at New York.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	82	50	.621
Cleveland	75	55	.577
Philadelphia	72	60	.545
Washington	70	60	.538
Detroit	68	63	.493
Chicago	64	67	.489
St. Louis	53	78	.405
Boston	42	93	.313

Yesterday's Results.
St. Louis 5, Chicago 3.
Detroit at Cleveland, rain.
Washington 5, Boston 1.
New York 3, Philadelphia 0.

League Insures Peace In Europe, Briand's Opinion

By ARISTIDE BRIAND
(French Foreign Minister and Delegate to the League of Nations)

(Written for the United Press)

PARIS, Sept. 4.—The League of Nations at the present moment constitutes the surest guarantee of peace in the world.

It has already demonstrated its value as an instrument of peace in Europe. It is sufficient to recall the efficency of its intervention in one of the gravest cases when it brought about the peaceful settlement of a conflict between nations which might have caused a rupture of the European equilibrium.

Everbody Anxious

Everbody sincerely attached to the work for peace and convinced of the necessity of a common effort for the safeguard of an identical civilization and an identical idea of humanity owe it to themselves to demonstrate very cleary their solidarity and service to this task by defending at any cost the future of the league and by sacrificing to it, if need be, their momentary preoccupations of self esteem and self interest.

As for me, I declare emphaticaliy that the defense of the league is the defense of peace itself. I have firmly decided to place at its service the best of my intelligence and of my strength. I look on the road we have travelled and find in the results acquired reasons for confidence and faith. I am leaving Paris more than ever filled with the sentiment which have always guided me on the way to Geneva.

Their loyalty and their courage are the best guarantee of victory at a time when for the defense of an identical cause, all must show sincerity, good will and interest.

Bulldogs Are Down To Real Work and Skull Practice

Football is a study.

If you doubt it—if you think that it is simply a matter of brawn and of brains—you should hear Coach Blair Cherry shoot questions at the ambitious lads who aspire to places on the Ranger High School eleven.

Practice, which has been in progress for several days, has centered around implanting in the minds of the boys the fundamentals of the game. They are drilled in what they are supposed to do under almost any situation that can arise in a game. If this knowledge is so thoroughly learned that it can be instantly put into effect, then the Bulldogs will be a team of thinkers—in other words, a "smart eleven."

Shoot Questions

And not only is the coach shooting the questions at the boys but they are shooting the answers back.

Cherry has arranged an "exam"—He has assigned each boy the task of writing as many of the fifteen fundamentals that have so far been given as he can recall.

But by no means is all of the work confined to lectures, with questions and answers.

For instance, there is a contraption known as a "charging machine." Seven boys line up two paces behind this device which is built of heavy timber and looks somewhat like a drag, then at the word "charge," the lads hit the "machine" with outstretched hands and shove it violently along. This exercise gives them the "drive" that is necessary to stop the opposing line or rip holes into it, depending on whether the team is on defense or offense.

Simple Plays

The lads went through several simple plays yesterday and showed lots of pep. Practice in passing was also given. Signal practice will start next week and scrimmaging will begin on Sept. 14. The first game will be played four days later, the Strawn Greyhounds furnishing the opposition.

Monday being Labor Day, the Bulldogs will have their next workout Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Nitro Park. Quite a few fans were present yesterday afternoon.

NOTICE!
Apartments in the Marston Building for rent.
See J. N. McFATTER,
Room 272, Marston Building
RANGER

Corinth News

CORINTH, Sept. 4.—The Corinth revival meeting has been going on for almost two weeks. We have had some wonderful preaching and several convertions. Bro. Nugent Baldree has been doing the preaching at night and Bro. Tennyson in the day services.

Rev. Roy O'Brien attended church here Sunday and was the dinner guest of Mrs. Matthews and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Owens of Colorado City, and Elsie and Homer Hazel of Idalow are visitors in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pelmer of [illegible] visiting Mrs. Pelmer's mother and sister, Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. Broomfield.

Mrs. Joe Matthews of Amarillo who is visting friends and relatives here has been kept away from church on account of her baby being very ill

Bro. Johnnie Richardson of Hanley, Texas, has been attending the meeting here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas have gone on a short vacation to Concha county.

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1924 Touring, A-1 motor	$286	1920 Touring yours for only	$35
1926 Roadster, 5 balloon tires	$325	1923 Truck, well worth	$85
1923 Touring, now priced	$75	1924 Tractor, A bargain	$300

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LABORS RECORD, 184 YEARS, NOT A STRIKE

New Jersey Steel Mill Sets Unique Record for Employer and Worker, Harmony

A New Era for American Labor

News Item—Wage earners in the United States today own more than $700,000,000 worth of stocks in the industries in which they are employed.

By NEA Service.

HIGH BRIDGE, N. J., Sept. 6.—The oldest steel mill in America is rounding out the 184th year of its existence here—and in all those 184 years it has never had a strike or a lockout!

Furthermore, the man who is now president and principal owner is a direct descendant of the man who founded it, away back in 1742.

And most of its employes are descendants of the first workmen in the mill.

The mill is known as the Taylor-Wharton Iron & Steel Co. Robert Taylor established it to build horse shoes. It gained a foothold and brought to the town a number of workingmen—sturdy Dutchmen, the Apgars and the Allers, strong Irish Burkes, German Struggles and so on.

Family Traditions.

Those men took root in the town. They brought up their sons to enter the mill. Their great-great-grandsons are still on the mill's roster. In several cases father, son and grandson work side by side.

It has been the same in the management. President Percival Christie is a direct descendant of Robert Taylor. There has been an unbroken succession.

"What's the secret?" President Christie repeats, when asked how the concern has gone through 184 years without any labor trouble. "Friendliness, I guess, and fair play.

"We try to make each man interested in his job and in the job of the company as a whole.

"We try to explain our executive problems to him. It usually results in t he workman's saying, 'You get the orders and we'll turn out the work. We don't want to know how you run your job.' But it creates a feeling of trust.

"Every change is talked over with the workers and agreed to before it goes into effect. This includes changes in wages—and remember, that wages have gone down as well as up, at times.

"This extends down to everybody in the plant—a spirit of fellowship, the pride and heritage of a tradition.

"Our men are well paid, each on the basis of the work he does."

Nine of the 700 employes in the mill have been on the payroll for 50 years or more. Each is given a gold medal on the fiftieth anniversary of his starting at his job. And the dean of them all is David L. Apgar, who is 87 and who first came to work 60 years ago this month. He is now employed as a gateman.

As a symbol of his patriarchal estate he carries a gold-headed cane, engraved with the words, "Standing together, we have stood the test of time." This cane is the gift of the company; on his death it will go to the next oldest employe in length of service.

"We don't pension men," President Christie explains. "We find jobs for them as long as they want to work. The Half Century club doesn't really run the plant, but"—he added with a smile—"it thinks it does."

Here are two sets of the father-son-and-grandson combination that work in the Taylor-Wharton Iron and Steel Co. Above (left to right) are L. N. Aller; H. F. Aller; H. F. Aller, his son, and T. O. Aller, his father. Below, left to right, are Clifford Apgar; his father, Harold Apgar, and his granfather, M. F. Apgar, who has been 53 years in the service of the company.

Oberlin College Football Coach Worked in China

By United Press.

OBERLIN, Ohio—As far as known the only football coach in the United States with Chinese experience got into action for the 1926 season when Paul MacEachron returned to college and called out the squad for practice.

MacEachron was football coach at the Oberlin Shansi School in China for six years after leaving Grinnell, where he was graduated. He says you do not know what a college yell is until you have heard a winning Chinese team cut loose after a hard battle.

The Oberlin College schedule is: Baldwin-Wallace at Oberlin, Sept. 25; Marietta at Oberlin, Oct. 2; Mount Union at Alliance, Oct. 9; Western Reserve at Cleveland, Oct. 16; Rochester at Rochester, Oct. 26; Case at Oberlin, Oct. 30; Miami at Oberlin, Nov. 13; Wooster at Oberlin, Nov. 20.

Capt. Bill Zwick of East Cleveland, has returned as has Johnny Fleming of Springfield, O., and Chuck and Jack Wilder of North Holston, Va. Thomas, Burr and Hansbury are others of last year's team who are working out.

About every ten years the Oberlin College lineup shows brothers. The Fauver family, famous to all old grads began the thing in the last years of the murderous "Flying V" formation. John Wise of Honolulu and "Jumbo" Teeters, two of the biggest men ever seen on a football field, were on that team. The swins, Edgar and Edwin Fauver made the lineup in '97 and '98, when Thompson of Princeton was the coach. In 1900 and 1901 Dwight and Clarence Bradley made the team. In '13 and '14 the Dunn brothers placed their names in the lineup. Now come the Wilder brothers, Jack and Chuck, from the western tip of old Virginia.

LONDON'S WATER PLANT NOW LARGEST IN ENGLAND

By United Press.

LONDON. — London now has the largest plant in Europe for the pumping and purification of water.

The Minister of Health, Neville Chamberlain, has formally opened the new gigantic pumping station at Walton-on-Thames, built for a normal daily capacity of 17,500,000 gallons, which can be doubled in an emergency.

The water supply is run through 18 primary filters and is afterward run through six secondary filters having a total area of live acres. The plant, in cludnig 18 miles of direct pipeline, cost nearly $8,000,000.

Find Turkey Bells Sleigh Tinklers are All in the North

By United Press.

DALLAS, Sept. 4.—They may be sleigh bells in the north but in this section of the United States they're known as turbey bells, discovered an employee of a local hotel.

The employee had been sent out by the manager to get some sleigh bells to be hung in one of the diming rooms of the hotel.

Various merchants offered turkey bells to the buyer but being a northerner he turned them down. Unable to find any bells of the variety desired an investigation was started and it was discovered that the bells called turkey bells here were similar to those used in the colder sections of the country on sleighs.

AUTHORITIES ARREST JAP CHAIN LETTER FAN

TOYKO. — Japanese authorities brought bad luck, in the shape of a four yen police-court fine, to Yorihasa Murakami in place of the good luck he expected to receive for starting a "chain letter" to nine of his friends.

Murakami had been told he would fall heir to great good fortune within nine days if he started a chain letter; likewise, if the letter spread to include all Japan, the postal officials would profit to the extent of 1,600,000 yen. Government officials frowned on the idea and arrested him just nine days after he started his chain.

Texas Band Men Meeting Opens In Spur Saturday

By United Press.

SPUR, Sept. 4.—Work of individual bands and plans for the organization as a unit is on the program for today of the WestDivision of the Texas Band Teachers Association which opened its meeting here this morning.

Important business of the organization will occupy this afternoon's session which will include discussion of the outcome of the band contest held at Amarillo under the auspices of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce during its convention there.

G. C. Collum, secretary of the organization said the work of band masters for the coming year will be outlined during this meeting.

Building and Loan Drive To Be Handled By Bert Griffith

Bert Griffith, formerly with the Citizens Building and Loan Association, Fort Worth, has connected with the Ranger Building and Loan Association and will manage a drive to increase the membership of the assotion in Ranger.

The association is enjoying a steady growth, and Secretary Jones reports he is securing a few new members every week, but the demand for loans is also growing and to meet this demand a campaign is being put on to secure sufficient investment members to take care of the demand for loans.

The association now has completed loans of $42,000,00 and the goal that has been set is to increase this to $100,000 within the next ninety days, all for the good of Ranger.

That an investment in buolding and loan stock is safe, is not questioned. Statistics show that the average loss from such institutions has been only seven-thousandths of one per cent. There are more than ten thousand building and loan associations operating in the United States, with nearly 8,000,000 members and with assets of more than four billion dollars.

Former Western Union Manager Is Ranger Visitor

"Friday" Farguhar, formerly manager of the Western Union in Ranger, accompanied by Mrs. Farquhar and daughter Yreba, is in Ranger for a few days, visiting with old friends.

The Farguhars went to Florida a year ago, after having lived here since the early days of the boom and this summer motored to California and are now on the way back to Florida.

"Friday" did not say whether he had made a million or not, but his friends think he must have as he can winter in Florida and summer in California.

Osborne Wood In Hospital In Evansville, Ind.

By United Press.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 4.—Osborn Wood, son of General Leonard Wood, governor-general of the Philippine Islands is ill in a hospital here. Dr. J. F. Wynn, his physician, said his condition was not serious, and he would be out of the hospital in about a week.

Wood a been here for about two months enrolled as a student in a sales course conducted by an electric refrigerator company.

Blame Placed For Sinking Of Submarine S-51

By United Press.

BOSTON, Sept. 4.—Captain John Diehl of Everette, Mass., and Third Mate Tim L. Dreyer of Savannah, Ga., of the steamship City of Rome, were held partly responsible for the collision between the vessel and the United States submarine S-61, which cost thirty-four lives, in the report of the steamship inspection officials made public this afternoon.

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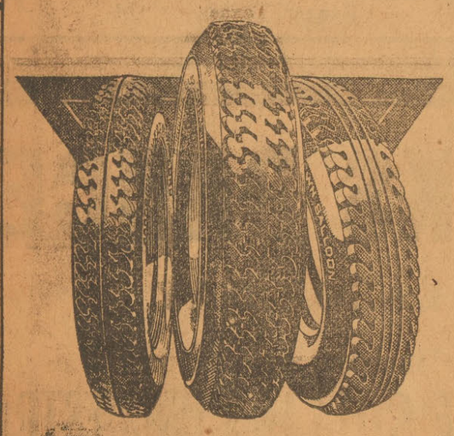

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LOST—Saturday afternoon, three five dollar bills rolled together. Finder please return to A. D. Bowen, Butler lease, or notify Times office; suitable reward.

2—MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Two men, must be neat in appearance and have some knowledge of salesmanship; prefer one with Ford roadster. Apply in person, 213 N. Oak st., Ranger.

3—HELP WANTED FEMALE

LADIES—We pay $15 per 100 to gild greeting cards; free particulars for addressed envelope. Yorkville Card, Dept. KC, 864 Lexington ave., N. Y.

LADIES—We pay $12 per 100 gilding cards; pleasant work; no selling; self-addressed envelope brings particulars. Greylock Art Co., 42 Broadway, New York.

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WANTED — Girl for cooking and general housework, phone 532, Ranger.

5—AGENTS AND SALESMEN

MAKE $1,000 before Christmas taking orders for our distinctive line of steel engraved personal Christmas cards; new exclusive designs; expensive sample book free. Wetmore Janes & Sugden, Rochester, N. Y.

AGENTS, salesmen, saleswomen; silks, woolens, cottons and semi-made dresses direct to consumer; particulars free. Princess Silk Mills, 244-T Fifth ave., N. Y.

A WONDERFUL opportunity; "sell Christmas greeting cards"; beautiful sample album free; make $500 before Christmas. Write Rochester Art Co., Rochester, N. Y.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

MONEY to loan on Ranger homes; terms liberal; must be well located. C. E. May, agent, 216 Main, Ranger.

ELECTROZONE and Purity Water; Mineral Wells, Crazy Water; modern equipment. Phone 157, Ranger Distilled water Co., Ranger.

PILES CURED—No knife, no pain, no detention from work. Dr. E. E. Cockrell, rectal and skin specialist of Abilene will be in Ranger at the Gholson Hotel every Thursday from 12:30 to 5:30 p. m.

ROGERS BROS. TAILORING CO.—Suits cleaned and pressed $1.00; ladies' dresses $1.00 and up. The best for less. Phone 541.

FURNITURE refinished, repaired, upholstering, stoves fixed. Rob Lee, 116 N. Austin, Ranger, formerly with Tharpe Furniture Co.

SECOND-HAND goods bought and sold; stove repairing. W. H. Trescott, 209 N. Austin st., Ranger.

BOARDERS wanted by the week, day or meal; special weekly rates on rooms. Mrs. Jordan, Bankhead hotel, Eastland.

MRS. M. R. NEWNHAM, teacher of Dunning system music study; enroll children now; fall terms opens Sept. 13. Phone 286, Ranger.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Good 5 and 6-room house; one furnished. C. E. May, 216 Main st., Ranger.

FIVE-ROOM modern house for rent. 708 S. Austin st., Ranger.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENTS for rent. 323 Pine st.; also large front room. Phone 311, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Two-room apartments; everything furnished. Jordan apartments, 418 Hodge st., Ranger.

TWO-ROOM apartment, unfurnished, or two bed rooms. 1201 Blackwell road, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment; private bath. Cole Apartments, Ranger.

TWO-room furnished apartment, $18. Marion Aparements, 607 West Main st., Ranger.

Furnished apartment for rent.—Carter Apartments, 325 Elm, Ranger.

APARTMENTS and rooms at Tremont hotel, Ranger.

12—WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To buy a good second-hand wardrobe trunk. Phone 43, Ranger.

SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main st., Ranger. Phone 95.

13—FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Selling out of radios; a few fine new 5-tube sets at less than one-half price. The Electric shop, 305 Main st., Ranger.

FINE player piano in excellent shape. Will sell it cheap. See it at 500 S. Oak st., Ranger.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE — Five-room modern house, Berger Addition. Phone 319, Ranger.

FOR SALE—At 1011 Oddie street, 4-room houst and lot, sleeping porch, garage, checken house, garden, five bearing cherry trees, five bearing grape; near Catholic and Cooper schools. Mrs. Herrington, 607 West Main st., Ranger.

FOR SALE—Well improved, modern home with all conveniences, just off Burkett boulevard and S. Seaman; bargain for quick cash sale. 1306 Mulberry, phone 669, Eastland.

16—AUTOMOBILES

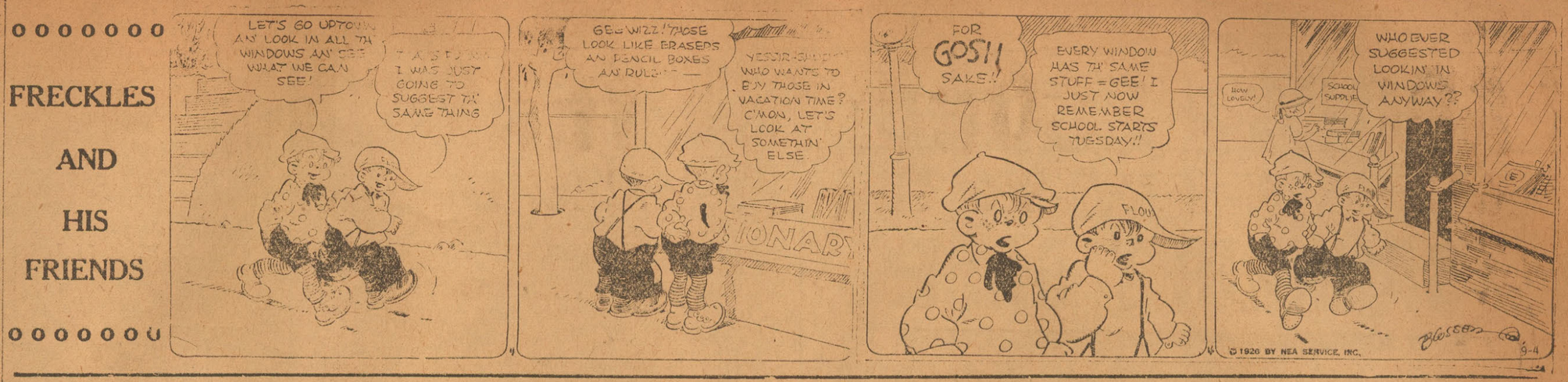
FORD ROADSTER — 1924; new paint, balloon tires, seat covers. Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.

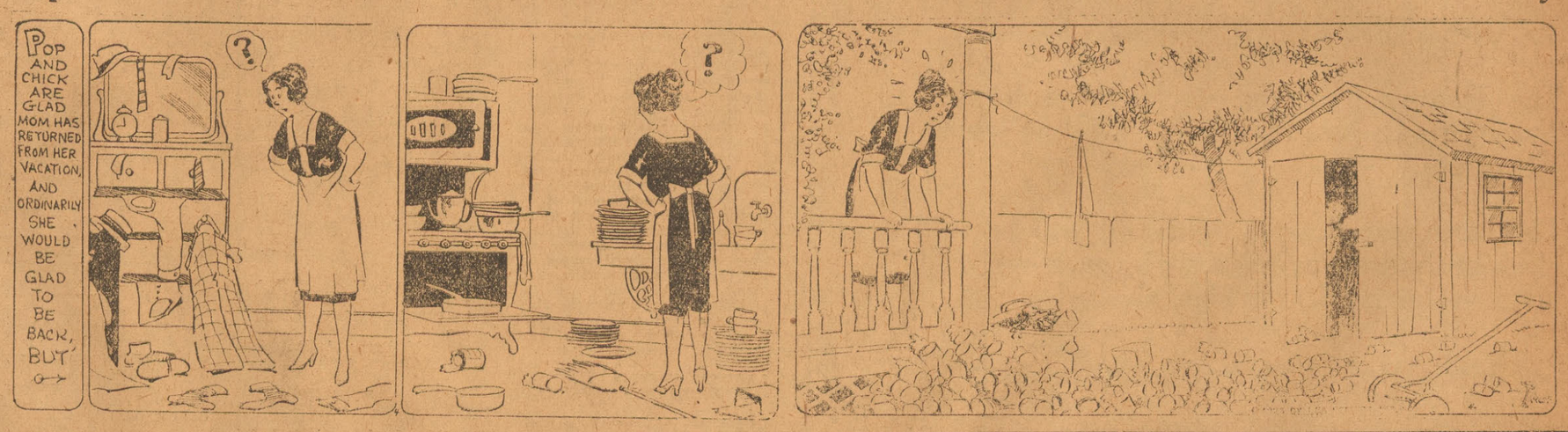
STUDEBAKER Touring, 1923; new Duco paint; new tires, $450. Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.

BUICK Roadster, 1924, six tires, runs good; a bargain. Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.

CHEVROLET Touring, 1924; in fair shape, $150. Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.

CHEVROLET Coupe, 1926; about 6,000 miles on speedometer; new tires. Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.





Ranger Stores Close For Hour For the Revival

More than 40 Ranger firms have signed a petition being circulated through the business district of Ranger to close their places of business from 10 to 11 a. m., from Monday to Friday, so that they and their forces may attend the Hogg revival services.

It is reported that no one has refused to sign the petition and that signs will be placed in the windows of the places of business that will close each day, to indicate the co-operation of Ranger merchants in the revival services.

Calvin Coolidge Owes Dime To Town of Enfeld

By United Press.

THOMPSONVILLE, Conn., Sept. 4—Calvin Coolidge, lawyer of Northhampton, Mass., calculated a tax bill wrong some 20 years ago and today the president of the United States owes the town of Enfield, 10 cents.

Enfield is an unique town adjoining Thompsonville and the slight debt the Northhampton lawyer—then a struggling small town attorney—owed, was forgotten. The town fathers decided it was not worth the stamps to send the letter. But when the defalcations of a former tax collector came to light—involving sums of more than $50,000, the account books for 50 years were scanned carefully.

And in among the mass of bills today was found Coolidge's calculation, in his Yankee plain handwriting.

Coolidge was acting as a trustee of the estate of a fellow citizen at the time. The man owned taxable property in Enfield, and it was on this property that Coolidge had attempted to figure and pay the taxes.

16—AUTOMOBILES

FORD Coupe, 1925, with tool rack. Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.

FOR Coupe, 1924, $250. Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.

HAVE several 1922 and 1923 Fords and Dodges in fair shape; will sell cheap. Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.

AUTO SALVAGE CO.—A million auto parts, new and used; wholesale and retail. 502 Melvin st. Phone 195, Ranger.

WANTED—To trade Ford roadster body (in good condition) for 1925 model coupe body in good condition. Powell, 905 Halbryan, or at Eastland laundry.

USED TIRES—All sizes, makes and prices. Green Filling Station, Eastland, Texas.

WHY PUT new parts on old cars? "We tear 'em up and sell the pieces." Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422-24 N. Rusk st., Ranger. Phone 84.

18—WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED paperhanging and painting. For bids phone 561-W, Eastland, 518 Madara.

21—LEGAL NOTICES

POUND SALE—On Thursday, Sept. 9, 3 p. m., at 615 W. Main, there will be sold one brown horse about 16 hands high; slightly sagged back, has scars on left ribs. O. V. Davenport, chief of police, Ranger.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FALL FRYERS—If you expect to raise fall fryers it is time to set your eggs; custom hatching $4 per tray of 132 eggs. Driskill Poultry farm, Ranger heights, phone 342, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Canary birds, price reasonable. Telephone 145. 418 Hodge st., Ranger.

FRYERS—50 cents each; 12 good eggs, 45 cents; hatching eggs, 5 cents each; come and get them. O. S. Driskill, Ranger heights. Phone 342, Ranger.

Two Deep Tests Completed In The Olney Pool

Special Correspondence.

OLNEY, Texas, Sept. 4.—Drilling for oil in the Olney district has been stimulated during the past week with the completion of two deep tests and a number of pool wells, all good for commercial producers.

The Morrison et al. No. 1, two miles east of Graham, came in a gusher from a depth of 2,260 feet, and is now flowing 500 barrels of oil per day in heads, while the Security Drilling company's "cat" near the town of Bryson in Jack county, completed earlier in the week with a rich oil sand found at more than 2,400 feet, has been put on the pump and is making about 50 barrels per day.

Among the foremost pool completions for the week was that of the Roberts Oil company's No. 1 Stewart, on the Dawson survey. Young county, reported to be making 130 barrels of oil from a 25-foot sand found at 804 feet, and the Chenault and Lee No. 7, Ranching, Young county, now swabbing 100 barrels from an 1,158-66 sand.

Wells of less importance include the Gates et al. No. 9, Thomas, Nathan Thomas survey, block 6, Archer county, pumping 25 barrels from an 1,111-foot sand; the Marland Oil company's No. 1, located in the same block and survey on the Thomas land, now making 75 barrels per day; the Roxana Petroleum company's No. 4, Abercrombie and Taylor, S. P. R. R. survey, Archer county, which is pumping 32 barrels, and the J. J. Moran et al. No. 4, Stewart, estimated to be making 40 barrels from a 774-804-foot oil sand.

Olney Farmers Are Harvesting Big Cotton Crop

Special Correspondence.

OLNEY, Texas, Sept. 4.—Farmers in this district are preparing to gather one of the heaviest cotton crops in years.

According to estimates from farmers living within a radius of 10 miles from here the production will amount to about one-half bale per acre. The effort to exterminate the cotton pests that have been ravishing fields throughout the state has apparently been successful.

The Olney Chamber of Commerce is endeavoring to supply cotton pickers and farm laborers for this district through the Fort Worth office of the United States farm labor division and already has orders for more than 250 men at the beginning of the cotton picking season. A number of cotton pickers have been placed and work on many farms is under way.

Merchants of Olney recently made up a premium of $45 for the first bale of cotton to be ginned here, which was brought to Olney last week by J. C. Thompson. The bale weighed 556 pounds.

An association of cotton growers in this district, for the purpose of regulating the sale of cotton and fixing a standard price for cotton pickers, will be organized here Monday night. A number of prominent cotton buyers have been invited to attend the meeting. This is the first attempt of farmers here to form an organization.

There are 365 days in a year. This gives you 365 times when you can start upon the road to success.

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Ranger, Texas

Legislator Pays Election Bet By Playing the Mule

By United Press.

HENRIETTA, Texas, Sept. 6.—Citizens from every part of Clay county assembled at Henrietta today to witness Representative Ruben Loflin pay an election bet to Attorney Frank Holliday, former legislator.

Loflin, floor manager for Governor Ferguson in the house of the thirty-ninth legislature, made a bet with Holliday that the woman governor would be re-elected. The terms of the bet were like this: If Mrs. Ferguson won over Moody, Holliday, attired in his B. V. D.'s, was to push Loflin in a wheelbarrow around the courthouse square Henrietta.

But if Moody was the victor, Loflin, "harnessed like a mule," was to draw Holliday in a little red wagon for the courthouse circuit.

This morning Holliday was gathering together all the collars and trace chains he could carry. He declared that he would hobble Loflin so that there would be no danger of his running away.

A brass band was scheduled to lead a parade just previous to the paying of the debt and a Moody rally will culminate the paying off of the bet.

"It's one of the most exciting days in the history of Henrietta," Holliday said.

Consolidation Of Libraries In Ranger Perfected

A library of 5,300 for Ranger comes as a result of a consolidation of the Ranger public library and the High school library, which was consummated Friday and the books moved to the cafeteria room of the Ranger High school.

The combined libraries will be open to the general public as well as to the pupils of the High school, but will be operated so as not to make any conflict between pupils of the school and the public. It being in the basement, will facilitate its usé by the public patrons, without contact or interference with the High school program, except as pupils are there for the use of the library.

The former library room on the main floor has been converted into a recitation room, thus adding to the High school's facilities for taking care of its pupils.

Campaign.

As soon as the work of the college and the High school gets under way a campaign for the sale of library memberships will be put on. The latest books, magazines and publications will be supplied to the patrons of the library.

Mrs. J. F. Dreinhofer, who has been in charge of the Ranger public library for several years as its formation dates back to 1917, deserves much credit for her untiring efforts to keep the library open and afunctioning enterprise in Ranger. It was through her co-operation that the consolidation was effected, which shows how Ranger people are determined not to be like a house that is divided against itself, but stand at all times ready to pull together.

Credits Obtained.

Last year it was made necessary to launch a library drive to increase the small library at the High school in order to get certain state credits, so when this drive was completed the High school library stood equipped with some 2,000 books of reference and other books, thus complying with state board of education requirements. This library has 2,000 volumes.

The consolidation is regarded with much satisfaciton by Ranger people as a whole, who feel that the combined libraries will be much more far reaching in their effect than either could be alone.

Drillers Strike Hard Formation Near Deep Pay

When only five feet can be drilled in ten days, it can be said without fear of successful contradiction that the formation is hard.

The Chastain-Donnelly well, seven miles northeast of Ranger, is only 35 feet from the bottom of the deepest pay but at the rate drilling is progressing, considerable time will be consumed in going from 3,635 feet—the present depth—to 3,670, as only five feet has been drilled in the past ten days due to hard formation and the great depth.

If production is not found at the deep level, the well has two chances for production as two good showings have been obtained in upper strata.

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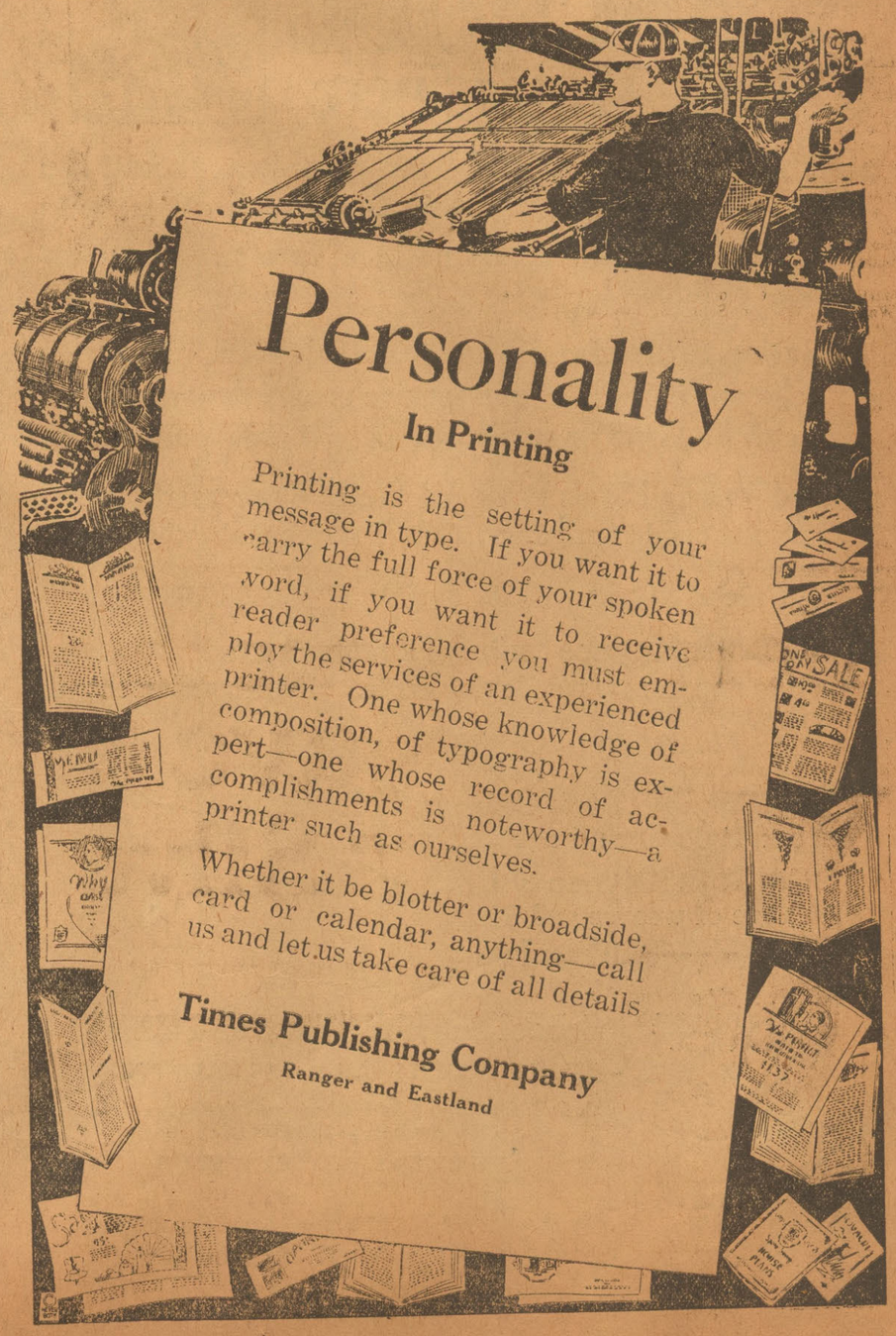

Merriman Cemetery Will Be Improved

The committee appointed by the Merriman Cemetery Association to solicit funds with which to build a fence around the cemetery, met Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at Merriman. There was a good attendance present. Carl Butler was named secretary-treasurer.

The committee reported that about $550 had been subscribed and that several parties had not been seen. Those who are interested are requested to see some of the committee and make their pledges, which will be payable Sept. 15. It is desired to build a fence that will be of a permanent nature.

The committee will meet again at Merriman, Sept. 18. At this time bids will be received on clearing the cemetery and building the fence. Anyone desiring to build the fence or build concrete curbs, are requested to be present at this meeting.

It is stated that if $750 is raised by the committee an equal amount will be available from another source, making a total of $1,500 which will be sufficient to erect a permanent fence.

The personal of the committee is as follows:

E. H. Webb and Floyd Brewer, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Davenport, Miss Ethel Horton, Lee Williams, Ranger; Will McCleskey, Weatherford; Walter Duncan, Staff; P. G. Wright, Union; J. W. Fox and P. T. Falls, Merriman.

Ranger Junior College Issues First Bulletin

A bulletin of information regarding the Junior College of Ranger has been completed and is being mailed out to prospective students and others who may be interested now or later in Ranger's latest educational acquisition.

The book is very attractive. The front cover bears a picture of Ranger's high school building, where the Junior college will occupy one floor, and the dates 1926-27.

The third page carries a full roster of the faculty; the fourth page, the members of the board of education, the college council and the college calendar for 1926-27, while the location, organization, advantages, purpose, scope of work, history of the faculty, entrance requirements, graduation, board and room and college expenses fill the next five pages.

On the tenth and eleventh pages, the outline of the course of study is given in full. Courses outlined are business administration, education, English, history, mathematics, foreign languages and science.

The bulletin is most comprehensive, explaining as it does the history and plans of the Junior College of Ranger, in a brief but convincing way.

LILLARD TO ATTEND DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Steve A. Lillard Jr. of Ranger will leave today for Decatur, accompanied by his wife and children and his brother, J. Warren Lillard, who has been a week-end guest at the Lillard home.

Mrs. Lillard and children will remain in Decatur while Mr. Lillard attends the state democratic convention in San Antonio Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Lillard is one of the delegates to the convention from Eastland county.

Price Disparities Have Caused Farmer Trouble

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—In the last five years, American agriculture has been harrassed as never before, says a statement by Secretary of Agriculture Jardine made public today coincidently with publication of the 1925 year-book of the department.

"Farmers have been handicapped by disparities between the prices of things that they have to buy," he said, "and the things they have had to sell." They have been faced with urgent crop readjustment problems and with overstocked and demoralized markets."

METHODIST CHURCH.

A most cordial invitation is given to all who will to worship at the Methodist church today. Sunday school from 9:45 to 10:45. At the 11 o'clock hour the pastor will preach. At the close of the service opportunity will be given for church membership.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all men and boys are invited to hear Evangelist Will Hogg speak on "The Devil's Cash Register." At the same hour Mrs. Williams of Abilene will speak to the women and girls at the Christian church. At 8 o'clock all are invited to attend the co-operative services held on the High school grounds. Thank you. A. W. Hall, pastor.

Ranger Teachers Are Assigned To Various Schools

It is a pleasure to present to the city of Ranger and the nearby towns, the men and women who are to serve in the management and direction of the school system during the session of 1926-27. It will be noted that in addition to their work as heads of departments, and college teaching, the college faculty will also teach in the high school as far as time will permit, thus strengthening the high school teaching with better equipped teaching force.

For the respective departments are the following:

College Faculty.

Joe B. Preston, M. A., dean, history.
J. N. Moseley, M. A., education.
Mildred Mihills, M. A., English.
E. C. Kennedy, M. A., mathematics.
Mrs. H. M. Nichols, M. A., Spanish.
Maurice Halperin, A. B., French.
Norma Woodie Graham, A. B., Latin.
Mattie G. Roberts, B. S., science.
O. G. Lanier, B. A., and C. P. A., business administration.

Additional high school teachers are:

Miss Gladys Pinson, A. B., history.
Mrs. Wallace Wagner, A. B., history.
Mrs. A. Neil, A. B., English.
Mrs. Billie Jean Fletcher, A. B., English.
Wallace Davis, B. S., manual training.
Mrs. Bonnie Goodman, B. S., home economics, foods.
Miss Hill, B. S., home economics, clothing.
Charles M. Berry, A. B., science.
J. Blair Cherry, mathematics.

Central Ward.

Teachers who will direct the destinies of the Central Ward school are:

Miss Mae Healer, principal; Miss Etna Simer, Miss Helen Howdeshell, Miss Edith Fletcher, Miss Christina Schmuck, Miss Kathryn Long, Miss Hortense Ross, Miss Lucille Davesnport, Miss Sue Dean, Mrs. W. M. Jones, Mrs. A. W. Hall, Mrs. Bell Rutledge, Leslie Davenport.

Young School.

Young school will have for its principal A. A. Pearce, and the following teachers:

Miss Eva Long, Miss Virginia Brookes, Miss Mae Pettitt. Miss Norine Maxey, Mrs. L. M. Baze, Mrs. Rex Outlaw, Mrs. F. C. Lewis.

Cooper School.

H. L. Baskin will be principal at Cooper with the following teachers: Miss Dora Baskin, Miss Lillian Strain, Miss Mamie Ruth Langston, Miss Irma Kennamer, Miss Elizabeth Cotton.

Merriman.

At Merriman, Mrs. J. N. Poe will be principal and Miss Nell Lovett of Eastland her assistant.

Tiffin.

At Tiffin, B. H. Pettitt will be principal with Mrs. B. H. Pettitt, assistant.

Habeas Corpus Proceedings Halt Lee Satterwhite

AMARILLO, Sept. 6.—Departure of Lee Satterwhite, speaker of the Texas house, for Austin was delayed today by summons of the district court for Mr. and Mrs. Satterwhite to appear in court on a habeas corpus proceedings instituted by their step-daughter, Mrs. J. H. Pegus.

Mrs. Pegus is seeking to locate and obtain the custody of her child which it is charged was taken by Pegues from his sister-in-law's automobile recently in Eastland.

Pegues, who is Mrs. Satterwhite's son, is charged with keeping the son here.

Mrs. Pegues, it is said, attempted to find the child yesterday and upon failing, asked assistance of the court.

No information of the child's whereabouts was revealed at the brief hearing today.

GRASS FIRE CALLS DEPARTMENT TO ACTION

A grass fire burning in the rear of the L. H. Flewellen home in the Gholson addition, Ranger, was promptly extinguished by the Ranger fire department before it reacsed any of the buildings on the premises, Saturday afternoon.

The department made a run out there and quickly had the flames under control.

FORT WORTH WOMAN VISITS OIL FIELDS

In honor of Mrs. Wilkerson of Fort Worth, the Eastland hostesses, Mrs. Allen D. Dabney and Mrs. Earle Johnson, were the guests of Mrs. C. H. Carter on a motor trip over the oil fields Saturday, entertaining with luncheon at Breckenridge.

EXPECTED HOME

Milburn McCarty, who has been visiting in St. Louis and places in Oklahoma during the past ten days, is expected home next Monday.

10c Lamb today 35c

TOMORROW
Lon Chaney in
"THE ROAD TO MANDALAY"

10c LIBERTY—today 25c

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He saved her life then fell promptly in love with her, all in ten seconds because that was the way he did things.

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—Sizes and styles for all ages, all prices

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—THAT WILL WITHSTAND THE HARD KNOCKS
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A PRICE TO FIT EVERY PURSE

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Watch this space for announcements later.

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—A large stock to choose from and a worthwhile saving at the beginning of the season.

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RANGER DAILY TIMES

RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 5, 1926

DANGEROUS TERRITORY.

"What's Simpson so scared about?
"He just got Detroit on the radio and he owes a guy there $10.
—Good Hardware.

NOT SO SIMPLE.

Woman: "How can I drive a nail without hitting my fingers?"
Clerk: "Hold the hammer in both hands."—Good Hardware.

Woman Can't Come Between Man and His Love for a Dog

By RENA B. CAMPBELL

A woman may come between a man and his family, but she should never attempt to come between a man and his dog. A winsome widow near here who was wise in the way of a maid with a man, recently lost her future meal ticket when she attempted to do that stunt.

No matter how ornery a man's dog is, its his dog, and in his sight is beautiful. He can look into the eyes of his faithful friend, and dream dreams and see visions, not of the dog. When a man wants to be alone, he whistles to his dog and hikes, never realizing the solace he gets from the dumb creature that follows his stride. A man's dog is a good deal of his other self, perhaps his better self, with all the bad rubbed out. But back to the story of the matrimonial bark that went on the ships.

It was the lady and the dog finally. She was clever, and alluring and he was not so old—just old enough to be bewitched by her manner of the world thoroughly mixed with the appeal of her widowhood—and he fell, just as man has been falling to the wiles of women since the beginning of time. He had a mother, and the widow did not include mother in any of her plans, although her fiance was an only son.

"You have your life to live—she has lived hers," and so forth, until he had about decided that mother could play second fiddle in his life from now on. The lady wanted the family home, the antiques, bric-a-brac and quite a few other things and was on the road to getting them, when she made a slip.

"What about Boots," she asked him one day, while they were planning their future. "You know we can't have that old hound around—he'd chase my cat, and tear up my flower beds, and just be a general nuisance." The young man saw red. He might live without his mother—but not without old faithful "Boots" so the sparkling gem that adorned the widow's prety finger is "to let" once more to some girl who lives up to the gospel of "love me, love my dog."

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Monday

Ball game at Nitro Park in the afternoon.
Elks dance at 9 p. m. at Elks Hall.
Eastern Star meets at 8 p. m.

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Tuesday

Mrs. D. W. Johnson entertains at Acorn Acres at 2:30 p. m.
Pastime Club meets.

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Wednesday

"The Unknown Soldier" at the Liberty Theater, benefit American Legion.
Rotary luncheon at 12:15 at the Gholson.

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Thursday

"The Unknown Soldier" at the Liberty, benefit American Legion.
Delphia Club meets at 2:30 at the Gholson.
Lions Club luncheon at the Gholson at 12:15.

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Friday

Mothers Self Culture Club mets at the Gholson at 3 p. m.

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1920 YEAR BOOKS SOON READY

In answers to the inquiries from various members of the 1920 Club as to when the year books will be ready, Mrs. Bob Hodges said Saturday that they were in the hands of the printer and would be ready for distribution in about two weeks. There have been a number of meetings of the year book committee since the compiling of the book was started, in an endeavor to make it one of the best year books the club has ever issued. American literature will be studied.

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AD LIBITUM CLUB ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. W. C. Palmer will entertain the Ad Libitum Club this week in place of Mrs. Walter Murray, however, the hostess will announce the time and place at a later day in the week.

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MOTHER'S SELF CULTURE CLUB PROGRAM

The Mothers Self Culture Club, the very newest club in Ranger's clubdom, will make its initial bow to that part of Ranger's life, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Gholson hotel. Mrs. Cull Moorman, president of the club, will preside and the following program will be carried out:

Modern Goood Mother's Success, Mrs. R. S. Balch.

Reading, "The Calf Path," Mrs. L. H. Flewellen.

The Boy Who Was Not Ashamed of His Mother, Mrs. J. L. Chance.

Marriage, Mrs. B. D. Clark.

Reading, "She Was a Phantom of Delight," Mrs. W. H. Clapp.

The College Woman, Mrs. C. C. Craig.

Introduction to Mother's Diet Book, Mrs. L. L. Davidson.

How to Create Interest, Mrs. A. L. Duffer.

Music, Mrs. M. R. Newnham.

This club was organized late last spring and its meetings at that time were for organization and plans for the fall and winter work.

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FIRST BAPTIST W. M. U. WON'T MEET.

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist church won't meet this Monday. They have just finished their examination in their mission study and feel that they are entitled to a vacation. On Monday, Sept. 13, they will start their week of prayer program.

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MR. AND MRS. F. C. LEWIS RETURN TO RANGER.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lewis have returned to Ranger after a vacation spent at their home in Waxahachie. Mrs. Lewis will teach at Young as heretofore but Mr. Lewis will enter some other line of business, he stated. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis expressed themselves as being very happy over the establishment of the Junior College of Ranger.

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COMING EVENT.

Mrs. D. W. Johnson has issued invitations to a number of friends for a bridge party on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at Acorn Acres tea room.

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DELPHIANS TO MEET THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

The Delphian club will meet Thursday afternoon at the Gholson. Their program which was briefly outlined last Sunday centers on current events and embodies a number of the most pertinent questions of the day, will be led by Mrs. George Bohning.

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ELKS DANCE MONDAY EVENING.

The premier event of the week will be the Elks dance, which begins at 9 o'clock Monday evening and continues until Artie Collins' musicians swing into the last waltz of the evening, "Home, Sweet Home." This dance will come as a fitting close to the holiday and gives promise of being well attended, as responses to invitations assure this.

This will be the first dance of the fall season, the Elks as usual setting the pace for future affairs, and will doubtless add another successful score to their role as hosts.

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PERSONALS.

S. B. Baker and son, Allan, left Friday for a 10 days visit with relatives in Amarillo.

Dr. A. N. Harkrider will return early Monday from Houston where he was called Wednesday on account of the tragic death of his brother, Carl Harkrider. Mrs. Harkrider and daughter, Diane, are spending the week-end with relatives in Breckenridge.

Mmes. John D. Gholson, Albert Riddle and W. R. Bowden motored to San Angelo Tuesday for a short visit with Misses Overlie and Innes, who are at present with Miss Innes' sister, Mrs. John Six.

Miss Margaret Butler of Sweetwater arrived in aRnger Friday night for a week-end visit with her sister, Mrs. Con Hartnett.

Mrs. Lena Hight took advantage of the excursion to El Paso and will spend the week-end there with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Conner, who have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Harry Logsdon, have returned to their home in Clinton, Okla.

Mrs. J. T. Arrant is ill at the City-County hospital, which she entered

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Smith and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Turner are spending the week-end in Fort Worth with Mrs. Turner's family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Durham are spending the week with Mr. Durham's parents in Sterling City.

Miss Mittie Morris will spend Sunday and Labor day in Breckenridge with her mother and sisters.

Miss Lula Bell Trigg, stenographer at the Texas & Pacific railroad, will spend the week-end and Labor day in El Paso.

ACTIVE INTEREST IN EIGHTH ANNUAL FLOWER SHOW

Plans for the eighth annual flower show of the Civic League of Eastland are rapidly formulating, and those already in operation presage a successful exhibit, despite the paucity of flowers, due to the excessive, unusual weather which obtained this summer, and was devastating to many rose bushes and heartbreaking to their fair owners.

In order to facilitate the work of handling the crowds, it is anticipated will visit the flower show building, the general chairman, Mrs. W. K. Jackson, will have the assistance of several league officers and members each day and friends of the league actively associated in the enterprise.

Mrs. W. C. Baker has accepted the post of chairman for the art loan department, and will be assisted by Mrs. W. Z. Bates, Mrs. M. B. Collie has been added to this committee group, composed of the chairman and Mmes. Fred L. Dragoo, Alex Clarke, L. E. Edwards, A. C. Simmons, George W. Briggs, Luther Bean, C. A. Martin, and Allen G. Barnard. This will be a new department for the flower show, but should be of singular interest and beauty.

Articles acceptable include paintings or steel engravings, foreign treasures, work in brass, porcelain or glass of qaint or artistic nature, and other artistic ornaments.

The curio or relic department was one of the most popular in last year's flower show, and will be featured this year, under the able chairmanship of Mrs. H. B. Tanner, assisted by Mmes. K. B. Tanner, E. E. Freyschlag, C. Corzelius, A. H. Johnuson, R. J. Bates, L. D. Bowen, J. F. Little, and John M. Knox Jr.

Glass show cases will be provided for these two departments, and the chairman or a committee woman will be on duty each day of the fair.

The general chairman offers a prize in each department for the most unusual exhibit and the most interesting one.

Three electric musical machines will be furnished by Harper, and this cheerful feature of the flower show, will be directed by Mrs. Donald L. Kinnaird, and her committee.

Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite will, assisted by several ladies of her committee be on duty during the flower show, superivising the care of electric fans, lights, and furnishing of ice water.

Mrs. James A. Beard will assist as chairman of the free will offering, and will appoint her own committees to relieve her at intervals. There will be no entrance tickets sold to the flower show, the league adhering to the established custom obtaining through the past seven years, of a free-will offering at the entrance.

The list of hostesses for each day to assist the general chairman will be published later.

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LOOKING FORWARD TO MRS. CHITWOOD

The coming of Mrs. Ida Chitwood is enquired about, showing that Eastland appreciates this class of attraction, and welcomes a return.

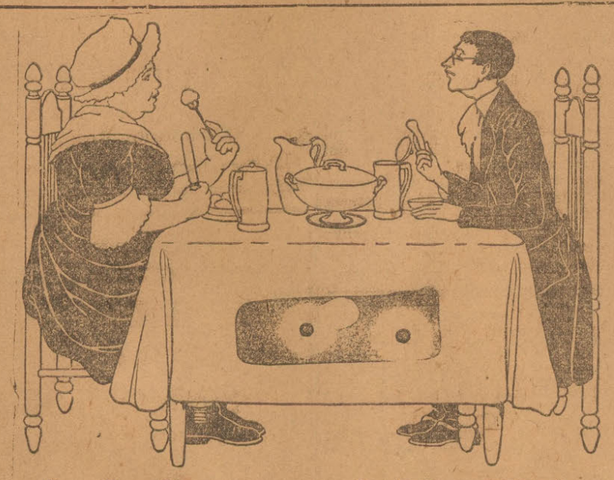
Mrs. Chitwood who made many warm personal friends during her visit and demonstration last year, will be greeted by an audience of friends on Sept. 27, instead of one of strangers, formerly the case.

Mrs. Chitwood has an easy and rapid way of illustrating the subject in hand, deftly mixing and baking, and demonstratign three or four kind of foods all at the same; for while one choice is cooking, another is in preparation with instructions pertaining to each.

Note books and pencils are kept busy, while she works for her tongue is as facile as her fingers.

Arrange your club and other dates, ladies' so that you may have the advantage of these lectures, for Eastland is indeed lucky in having this class of instruction tendered.

—Eastland Telegram.



Jack Sprat and His Wife

"Jack Sprat could eat no fat,
His wife could eat no lean;—"

NO one ever heard of what became of Jack Sprat and his wife, but it's likely enough that Jack became thinner and thinner as his wife grew fatter and fatter. They seem to have disappeared for everyone nowadays seems to be making a courageous and sensible attempt to eat sanely. Over-indulgence in fattening foods is looked upon with general distaste and women in particular abhor the thought of becoming too stout. Thin people and especially thin men make desperate attempts to lay on weight in order to retain a youthful and healthful appearance.

In the vast assortment of healthful foods that come in tin cans there are many fattening ones and many thinning ones. The housewife who knows what foods reduce and what tend to increase weight keeps on her supply shelf a variety of cans of both kinds. Practically all of them come in tins of different sizes easily suited to the limited needs of a small family of two or three.

Here are special luncheon menus from the shelf of canned foods that will suit the highly individualized tastes of a modern Jack Sprat and his wife, but which also represent a balanced food plan:

Tomato Soup
Corn Sauté Spinach Salad
Pineapple Sherbet
Cheese

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Cream of Corn Soup
Stringless Beans on Toast
with Potatoes
Fruit Salad
Nuts

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Main near Marston
H. B. Johnson, pastor

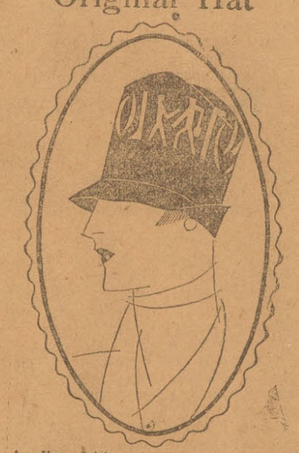
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. E. T. Walton, superintendent.

Golden Rule Bible Class in Lamb Theater at 10 a. m. Let all the men read the eighth chapter of Mark. Mr. Holloway is very anxious to have every member of the class present this morning. Pearching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Mrs. Williams of Abilene will speak to the women of the city in the First Christian Church at 3 p. m. Mrs. Williams is a very forceful speaker and you should hear her. At the same hour, Brother Hogg will preach to men only at the Methodist Church and he will bring a message that will be worth while. Be sure and hear him. Come and worship with us this morning. Bring your church membership and become identified with the church. Special music.

FORMER PRIMA DONNA WITH CIRCUS

It's a far cry from the glare and glitter of the grand opera stage to the sawdust and tinsel of the circus. Yet the experience belongs to Miss Andrews is prima donna of Lee Bros. four-ring wild animal show which is coming to Ranger on Sept. 11, for afternon and night performances. She is the star of the spectacle. Cindellella in Jungleland, which will open the show's program and be followed by 101 animal acts in rapid succession. Lee Bros. claim to be the only show of its kind in the world inasmuch as every act presented in the elaborate program has an animal background. A forenoon street parade will be followed by free acts at the show grounds.

Original Hat



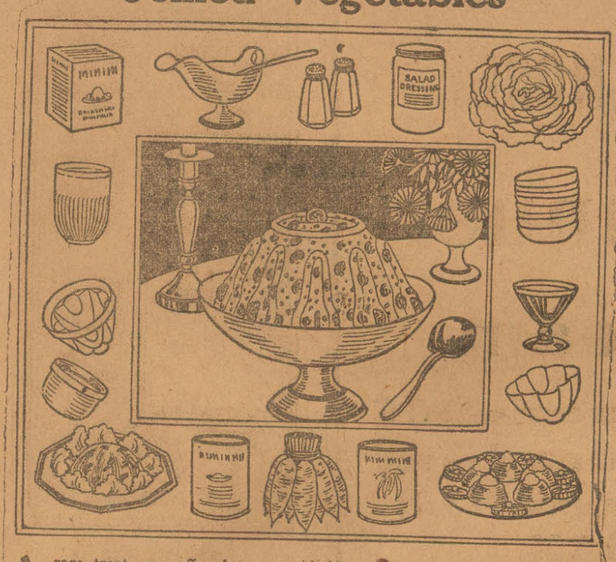
Appliqued hieroglyphs in light green felt on darker felt make this French hat original.

Lying about your age is like setting the clock back to keep the hour from being so late.

Sets High Jump Record

This 14-year-old girl set a world record for the hunning high jump by leaping 5 feet one-half inch in a recent track and field meet at Chicago. The previous mark of 4 feet 11 7-8 inches was set in the Philadelphia games a few weeks ago. The youthful record-holder in Miss Viola Edwards, a comparatively newcomer in women's athletics.

Jellied Vegetables



A rare treat was offered to some American visitors by a Venetian host who gave a dinner in their honor one summer evening on a barge afloat in the Grand Canal not far from the Doge's Palace. Every dish served was cold, and prominent on the menu were jellied meats and vegetables.

These are excellent summer foods, whether one eats them on the Grand Canal or in an American home. Here are suggestions, simplified by the use of canned foods.

Chicken in Tomato Jelly

Bring one can chicken soup and two cans tomato sauce to boiling point, pour onto two envelopes gelatin softened in one cup of cold water. Add three diced cucumbers, two small cans of chicken, two tablespoons sugar, half teaspoon each of salt and pepper. Pour in mould. When cold, serve with mayonnaise. A decorative effect is secured by putting sliced hard cooked egg and strips of red pimiento into the mould before pouring the jelly in.

Jellied Peas

Soften two and a half tablespoons gelatin in two-thirds cup cold water, add two and a half cups boiling water, two-thirds cup sugar, two-thirds cup vinegar, two and a half tablespoons lemon juice, salt. Strain and cool. When almost congealed, add a can of drained peas and a can of carrots. Pour in mould and serve sliced. This dish serves as a meat substitute. Mayonnaise or a boiled dressing should be served with this dish.

Why Blame All Women When One Won't Play Fair

Letters come in to me from all over the country. A few are constructive, others pathetic, and some downright ridiculous. I leave you to draw your own conclusions from the following:

Dear Mr. Greer:

The other evening I was in a hurry to get to the theater and was going as fast as the law would allow. I soon overhauled an automobile that insisted on hogging the trolley tracks. Now the driver of that car seemed in no hurry to get anywhere, but still paid no attention to my horn—wouldn't pull over to the right despite the fact that there was nothing between that car and the curb. Being obliged to get past I pulled away out on the opposite side of the street, and as I passed a woman's voice yelled at me in derision. What kind of money business was that? I have repeatedly noticed that women drivers won't play fair. They won't obey the rules and they seem "ornery" about it. And you Mr. Greer, are the fellow that is boosting women drivers, claiming that they are better than men drivers. Bah!

Yours truly,
JIM ETTINGE.

My dear Jim:

Because one woman driver is a wee bit dizzy you blame the whole tribe of females. But about the mean drivers you meet in a day's work, how many of them attain your ideas of what a good driver should do? Most certainly you can't blame the majority of motorists just because one of them doesn't play the game, nor can you judge others by yourself. Who knows but what this particular woman driver had a fight with hubby the night you tried to make her pull over and was out to get back at men in general? Surely, you could have put a finger on your horn button and held it there until she did get over. I've seen a number of men and women drivers shamed in this manner—the idea being to attract everybody's attention to their hoggishness.

Despite your claims, I am for the ladies—God bless 'em—because it has been proved by A. A. A. tests that they are far more intelligent than men when it comes to handling automobiles. Be fair, Jim, give the law of averages a chance to work before you pick on any more women.

Australia Holds Referendum On The Constitution

By A. W. V. KING
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

SYDNEY, Sept. 4. — Australians went to the polls today to vote upon proposed amendments to the Commonwealth constitution which would vest in the federal government wider powers over the activities of labor organizations and corporations and relations between the two.

The campaign which came to a close today was hard fought and has divided both of the principal parties, National and Labor. The vote was expected to approximate the total 3,000,000 legal voters of Australia since apart from the extraordinary interest in the issue the Commonwealth's compulsory voting law provides for a fine for all authorized voters who fail to vote.

The pooposed constitutional amendments submitted to the voters today are championed by S. M. Bruce, the prime minister. The first amendment would extend the federal parliament present conciliation and arbitration powers over industrial disputes involving omer than one state to intrastate disputes as well.

Three other amendments would further increase the industrial regulatory powers of the federal government previously allowed only to the respecment by vesting it in jurisdiction tive state governments.

While one wing of Bruce's National party has heartily supported his proposals, a more conservative section of the party has objected to the regulatory powers over trusts and associations of employers which would be bestowed upon the federal government. A minority of the Labor party is willing to support some phases of the proposed amendments but the more militant wing of trade unionism has bitterly fought the whole program.

To adopt the amendments it will be necessary to have not only a favorable majority of all voters but a favorable majority within four of the six states.

Membership Drive Puts Two Cities On Edge

AMARILLO, Sept. 4.—Which city will lead in Northwest Texas — Wichita Falls or Amarillo? Friendly rivalry, which has been manifested in all developments and improvements of these two oil cities, will play a large part in the membership campaigns for the West Texas Chamber of Comemrce which were launched in both cities this week. O. C. Goodwon, manager of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, is in receipt of a challenge issued by telegram from Hubert H. Harrison, manager of the Wichita Falls chamber.

Last year, Amarillo led all cities in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce district, with the exception of Fort Worth, in the membership campaign, bringing in a total of 404 members. This year Wichita Falls plans to jump to first place in the race, in securing the largest number of memberships by Oct. 1.

Manager Harrison's message to Goodwin follows: "Membership campaign for West Texas Chamber of Commerce now in progress here. Great interest shown by business men. Wichita Falls, convention city for 1927, extends greetings and issues friendly challenge to secure most memberships by Oct. 1. Answer immediately upon receipt of telegram."

Manager Goodwin sent the following reply: "Amarillo accepts your challenge to secure most memberships in West Texas Chamber of Commerce by Oct. 1. We recognize invaluable service rendered by this organization to our respective cities and sections. It must carry on."

Ray Leeman, assistant manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, is in Wichita Falls at present to conduct the membership campaign in that city. B. Frank Bennett, assistant manager of the West Texas organization, whose headquarters are at Amarillo, is conducting the campaign there. Manager Homer D. Wade was in Wichita Falls Tuesday, and in Amarillo, Wednesday, when the campaigns were launched. According to Mr. Wade the campaigns got away to a good start. More than 250 members have already signed up in the Wichita Falls drive.

CHEVROLET STARTED IN 1912.

Chevrolet production started with the "Little Four" in 1912. That year 2,999 were built. Production doubled in 1913, when "model H" was produced. In 1915, the first "model 490" was marketed and within 12 months the production of these models jumped from 6,800 a year to 60,000. Up to December, 1920, Chevrolet produced about 550,000 cars and since that date more than a million Chevrolets have been built and marketed.

England Installs World's Largest Wireless Plant

By United Press.

RUGBY, Eng.—When England's next war breaks out, this new government-owned wireless station —the most powerful radio plant in the world—will flash to every British wireless station and to every British ship at sea the follow message:

MM MM MM CQD CQD CQD GRB YUDX YUDX—which, translated into English means:

MM MM MM Get ready to use the international code of signals herewith.

CQD CQD CQD—All stations urgent; all stations urgent; all stations urgent!

GRB—Rugby calling.

YUDX YUDX—War is declared! War is declared!

Singapore

That signal will reach ships as far away as Singapore and Tasmania, to send them scuttling to the nearest point of shelter.

Of course, the hostle power might attempt to "jam the air" and thus prevent Great Britain from spreading the information abroad to its nationals, but this is rather unlikely, on the whole, since the enemy would pressumably be busy on a similar errand, using such wireless facilities as it has.

At any rate, Great Britain may sleep in peace for it has at least outdistanced Germany in powerful radio transmission.

Tube System

This new station has threefold capacities. It is the only long-distance radio station using the tube system of transmission. secondly, it has a move installation for trans-Atlantic telephony, more powerful than any other in existence. And finally, it is also a short-wave transmitting station.

It places the British Admiralty in constant touch with every vessel in the navy and the merchant marine. It can broadcast messages in Morse at the rate of 400 words a minute. When the necessary receiving stations are ready, it will be in touch, both ways, wtih Australia, South Africa and other far-off places.

Unilateral

Thus far it is unilateral. That is to say, there is no far distant station which can reciprocate although when the various "beam stations" being set up for the imperial wireless chain are completed, this disadvantage will be overcome.

It is a one-man show. One man can control everything in the station. If anything electrical goes wrong the doors will not open and the current automatically cuts itself off. Messages filed in London reach Rugby by underground cable and are relayed through Rugby to the uttermost parts of the world without the intervention of human aid.

The valves or tubes cost $500 each and have a life of about 2,500 hours. The full complement of fifty-four can be used, if necessary.

The wave length used is 18,200 meters.

Incidentally, the cost of operating the Rugby station is $2.50 per minute.

Navy Expert Works Out New System of Identification

By CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON.—Despite all the finger print experts' bragging about the infallibility of their method of indentification, J. Robert Taylor of the identification division of the navy, is working out a new system.

If a set of prints are handed to an expert, with the information. "This is John Doe; see if you have him on file," the expert can find out very quickly. But if the prints are those of an unknown individual, the expert has to do a deal of searching through his records to determine whether or not he has a corresponding set.

Furthermore, though all experts agree that there are no two sets of prints just alike, there are some pretty strong resemblances.

Finally, suppose a question arises concerning the identity of someone who has been a long time dead—is nothing but a skeleton, perhaps—or who perished in a fire or an explosion. The impossibility of taking prints is obvious in such a case.

But where a body, or even a skeleton, is available at all, the skull is almost certain to be available with it. The features may be multilated, the bone may be crushed or it may be charred by fire, but less it has been destroyed completely, enough of it will be left to permit an examination of the teeth.

When a recruit joins the navy his teeth always are thoroughly overhauled. After that the dentist sees them again at least once a year.

It is upon this dental record that Expert Taylor depends.

Expert Taylor does not expect his system to supplant finger prints, but he does believe it will prove an invaluable supplement to the latter.

A dental identification is a matter of minutes, while an identification by finger prints sometimes is a matter of days. Having accomplished it by the former method, it can be verified by the latter without the necessity for an examination of perhaps thousands of prints.

R. E. Huff of Queen City, Texas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ab Pitcock at her home on Homer street.

Reed Moffett, a cousin of Mrs. Walter Burden, and his friend, James Nelson, both from Union, Ind., are stopping with the Burdens for a few days, as they make a tour of the West.

LON CHANEY PLAYS ONE-EYED VILLIAN

Girls—imagine a shivery, creepy play—so mysterious and so full of shocks that it keeps you breathless—and still such a beautiful love story you almost forget the thrills!

Thats' what Lon Chaney's new picture, "The Road to Mandalay" is! It's a story that brings a sob into your throat sometimes — and other times it brings your heart there, when a big thrill happens. And through it all there's a beautiful story of the love of a prety girl and a man—and the love of a father for his daughter that is as pathetic as it is beautiful.

The new picture, playing at Lamb Theater Monday and Tuesday has everything that goes to make what every girl wants to see. It has mystery and weird happenings—and Lon Chaney is positively grewsome in the strange make-up he wears. That one eyle of his almost gives you the creeps. And—you have to sympathize with him just the same. He does a wonderful piece of acting.

BOYS SHE SHOOTS TO HIT

The young woman of a neighboring state is an expert with the bow and arrow—she has never tried the darts of Dan Cupid—yet.

Two Jays—Walker and Driver Are Today Abroad in the Land

Behold the Jay Walker. He strolleth into the trick of traffic.

He zigzaggeth across intersections, looking neither to the right nor to the left. Nor behind nor before him.

His path is lined with the shrieks of brakes. Horns herald his approach and the curses of motormen, drivers and cops follow ever after him.

Nor does Jay Walker stand alone.

Behold the car that swingeth suddenly into the main way, turning the corner on two wheels.

Look you, and mark you well that man behind the wheel. For he is Jay Driver.

Shun well his path, for Sudden Death rides with him.

He driveth with one hand on the wheel. His other caresseth the cutie beside him.

He careeneth from left to right and turneth suddenly at the corner. He has not a speedometer or if he has he knoweth not its purpose.

Arise, then, and wipe out these pests. Speak you to Jay Walker and kindly but firmly point out to him the error of his ways.

Command you Jay Driver to cease in his wild pursuits and if he persist, case him then into the lockup.

For verily it is better that he make little stones from big rocks than that he cut big people into little pieces.

New Carburetor On Hudson-Essex Proves a Winner

A new carbuetor and manifold which result in better gasoline mileage, announced by the Hudson Motor Car Company in its latest super-six series, meeting with wide public interest, according to White-Hampton Motor Company, Hudson-Essex dealers on Ranger.

This improvement is of particular interest, said Mr. Hampton, because all the familiar power and smoothness of the Super-Six motor is retained; in fact certain phases of performance are actually bettered. A considerable number of tests have been made with the new cars, it is said, all with the result that added reason has been found for enthusiasm among Hudson Super-Six fans. Still further tests are being made, results of which will be made public.

Together with the new bodies in attractive colors, the Hudson motor improvement is attracting a record-breaking number of buyers. Every indication is present, it is said, that the present autumn season will be the most active that Hudson ever has known in this vicinity.

"Now that all announcements of new models are out," said Mr. Hampton, "an outstanding fact is the number of so-called 'new' things which have been regular Hudson Super-Six features for many years. I suppose the most important step forward this year has been a widespread attempt to gain greater motor smoothness. Yet Hudson has used a patented and exclusive design of crankshaft for 11 years which is inherently balanced in itself, and which also cares for the other forces in a motor which otherwise would set up vibration.

"In other words, the Hudson design prevents vibration before it is ever set up. There is a vast difference between that and 'dampening' vibration once it is under way. Hudson owners have enjoyed this smoothness for many years. Each season has seen this effect improved with better manufacturing methods in the industry. Our new cars are no exception to this general law of progress.

"Hudson results are obtained by, and founded on simplicity. A gasoline strainer is built in; air is warmed and cleaned before it ever reaches the carburetor; the design of the oiling system keeps down oil-dilution. These effects are all obtained as a matter of course without the use of added accessories. They always have been fundamental features of Hudson Super-Six design."

United State Rubber Helps Local Agents

How one of the largest manufacturing concerns in the country cooperates with their dealers to keep local business in the hands of local concerns, was interestingly brought out in a talk with one of our leading tire merchants last week.

The company to which he pointed particularly for its work in this direction is The United States Rubber Company, which has perhaps gone further along these lines than any other tire concern.

There are several reasons, aside from the very good point of keeping home money at home, why our own local tire stores are the logical place to buy tires rather than the mail order houses.

Tires need looking after by an experienced tire man. He must have a well equipped and well stocked shop and be able to tell whether a tire is doing its work properly, and if not, why not.

For instance, an expert tire man can tell whether tires are wearing unduly because of the wheels being out of alignment and can correct the trouble in time.

If improperly equalized brakes are causing tire wear, the tire man can tell that and warn the owner.

This sort of service you cannot expect when you buy tires from mail order houses.

The United States Tire Company started eleven years ago to educate people to their interest in supporting the legitimate home town tire dealer.

In addition to running its own educational campaign in local papers without interruption for eleven consecutive years, the company encourages the dealer to supplement it with advertising of his own and helps him do it. Under certain conditions it even shares the expense of the dealer's own advertising.

Recent improvements in production methods of enable the United States Rubber Company to market, through the local dealers, tires of known quality, bearing the company's trade mark and full warranty, for as little money or even less than the cost of mail order tires or off-brand tires of uncertain value.

Interallied Vets Discuss Debts Settlements

By United Press.

WARSAW, Sept. 4.—Proposals to open a discussion of interallied debts before the congress of the Interallied Veterans Association, starting here tomorrow, have caused concern among members of the American delegates gathered here.

The Federation Interalliee des Anciens Combattants, commonly known as the Fidac, is composed of the World War veterans of the nations allied against the central powers, the countries represented including England, France, Belgium, Italy, Poland, Czecho-Slovakia Roumania, Jugoslavia and the United States.

"The gravest problem on the agenda of Fidac," said Lemuel Bolles, American vice president of Fidac and chairman of the American delegation here, "is that of debt settlement. It is causing the members of our delegation the greatest concern. What will transpire I cannot forecast. All I can say is that the Fidac is composed of ten millions of men and women who bore the brunt of sacrifice and suffering in the World War. It is an organization that has functioned for five years. I sincerely hope and believe that the spirit of that battlefield comradeship will pervade the session with this vexing question."

The member veteran societies which requested that the debt question be brought before the congress did so without the official sanction of their respective governments, it is understood here.

CARD OF THANKS

In our great bereavement we wish to extend our thanks and gratitude to our friends, who so much showed their great sympathy and kindness to us in the sickness and death of our dear baby, June, may God bless you all.—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Courtney and children, Jacob, Juanita and Jack.

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No Pellagra After Three Treatments

Dr. W. C. Rountree,
Texarkana, Texas.

Dear Doctor:—I had Pellagra five years. I was nervous, had stomach trouble, rash on hands and arms, skin itched and turn brown, sore mouth, could not eat or sleep, lost weight and got awful weak. I tried many treatments. Took Hypodermics six months, got no relief. I took 3 of your treatments and was well of Pellagra. I wish I could influence every one who has this terrible disease to write you.

W. W. FOUST, Hico, Texas, Rt. 1.

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COMPETITION IN WORDS

One who goes into the market to buy a motor car today is naturally confused.

He has read the words *best* and *greatest* so often that they have ceased to be convincing. Where *all* is best, he reflects, there can *be* no best.

Thousand-dollar cars have been described to him in ten-thousand dollar language. And vice versa.

He finds himself the target in a war of adjectives; the helpless victim in a gigantic competition of words.

And so he is forced to rely on chance—the advice of friends—or his own limited experience.

Dodge Brothers, Inc., have never participated in this verbal competition.

They are content with the position they have long maintained in the far more vital competition of *honest value.*

They have continued steadily to improve their product, not only in comfort and beauty, but *basically*—beneath the body and hood where fundamental values lie.

Yet they have not unduly stressed each betterment that has marked the steady progress of their motor car toward a higher perfection.

And when economic conditions or greater sales have permitted them to reduce prices without reducing quality, they have announced the fact without excessive emphasis.

Unexaggerated truth is not spectacular. But in the long run, implicit public confidence has been Dodge Brothers reward, and this they propose to preserve *forever* by continuing to build just a little better than they tell

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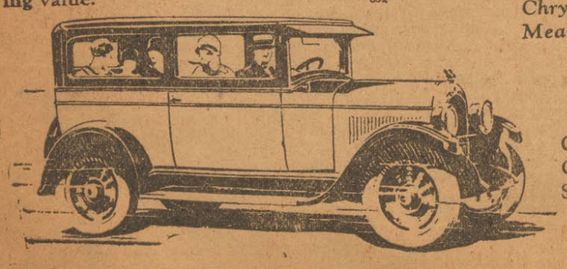

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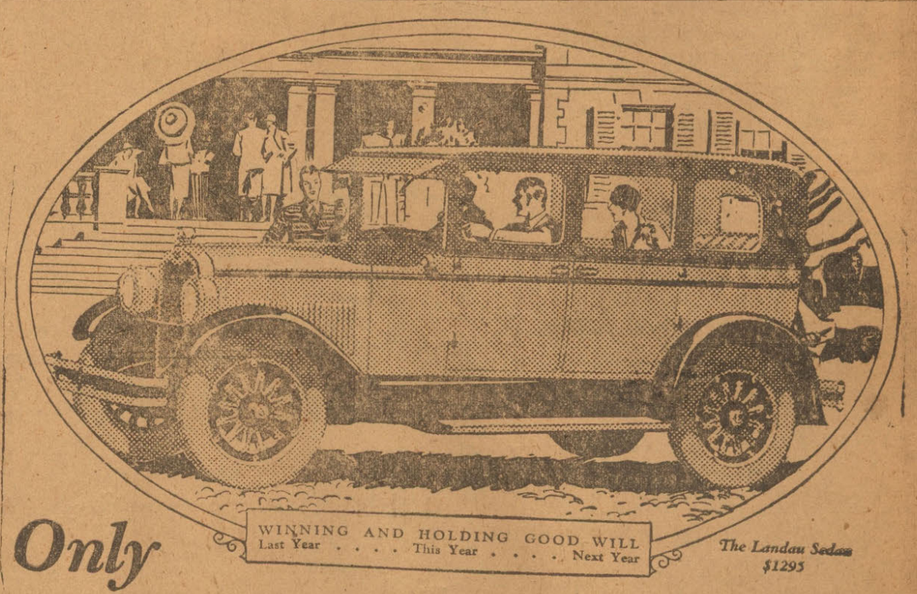

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CHAPTER I

Weed was called "Jimp" cause he was short. He money. He was short

and a few inches elapsed top of his head and the is feet.

ut this head of Jimp's— de of it one found as large ears, one large rown eyes, one mouth 2 teeth, one hat and one

were in fairly god shape n they listened daily to the soothing syllables of Parl Handle, the cookie counter girl.

Pearl and Jimp worked in The Dirty Pan Bakery, situated in the heart of the beautiful little town of Omeomy, Ohio.

Attached to his body by two legs and a couple of ankles were a pair of feet. These feet had gone thousands and thousands of miles but were in fairly good shape as feet go.

And they are going to take our Jimp on some wild adventures, awfully wild adventures. Honest, they are. If you don't believe it, just read the account of the adventures in this great novel.

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One day, as he was going about his regular job of killing flies and killing time in the Dirty Pan Bakery, the adventures began.

"Jimp! Jimp! Jimp!"

The screams continued. Pearl, the cookie girl, was crying for assistance.

Our Jimp grasped his fly swatter in his right hand and rushed to the rescue. He would save the screaming girl.

"Jimp! Jimp! Jimp!"

It was no false alarm. There, perched on top of a cookie, trying to look as much like a raisin as possible, was a fly.

The swatter swished through the air and all was over. The fly gasped its last gasp. Alone and unsung it went to its death in the Dirty Pan Bakery.

Yet, who can say an injustice was done? Who, ever among the fly lovers and sympathizers, could arise and take the fly's part?

Every one knows flys enter houses without wiping their feet.

Flies know no eliquette. Take a fly in and be friendly with him and he will invite all his friends to spend the summer with you.

So who was there to mourn the departed?

Not our Jimpson Weed. He didn't give a dern. He killed flies daily. Killed flies and did other odd jobs.

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"Jimp! Jimp! Jimp!" called Mr. Etaoin, the bakery owner.

"Yes, Mr. Etaoin," shouted our Jimp.

"I want you to run out to my farm. We are cooking dougnuts today and have run out of holes.

"You'll find an old well right back of the house. Bring it to the bakery and we'll cut it up into doughnut holes."

Our Jimp was quite familiar with the manner in which the Dirty Pan Bakery secured its doughnut holes. Only the day before he had been sent to steal all the knot holes out of the baseball park fence.

Taking the hole puller, our Jimp started for the farm. He found two wells, a large one and a small one.

"I'll take the large well," he said to himself. "Then perhaps Mr. Etaoin will raise my pay so I can marry my darling Pearl."

Jimpson Weed was called "Jimp" for short

Wells are very light. Even a large one weights nothing if the water is drained out first. They are light, but cumbersome.

This well was about sixty feet long and four feet in diameter.

Have you ever tried to carry such a large well?

If you have, then you know how troublesome it was for Jimp.

Turning a corner with the well he bumped into a portly gent.

"Jimp! Jimp! Jimp!" screamed Mr. Etaoin, who saw the accident. But the warning came too late.

Jimp slipped and fell into the well he was carrying.

Slightly stunned by his sixty-foot fall, he looked up and saw Mr. Etaoin at the top of the well.

"You are fired," yelled Mr. Etaoin.

"Oh!" sobbed our Jimp. "Please, don't fire me, Mr. Etaoin!"

"Too late to cry now," yelled the bakery owner. "Why didn't you bring the small well. You should have let well enough alone.

The fire department pulled him out of the well. He went to his boarding house to change clothes.

Dinner was ready, but he had no appetite because he wasn't hungry.

What should he tell Pearl? Would she believe he had gotten fired while trying to earn a raise?

Our Jimp's knees trembled as our Jimp sat down to dinner, Mrs. Take, the boarding house lady, passed the steak.

"Will you have some steak?" she asked our Jimp.

Automatically, he took his regular piece of steak. It was good steak. He had tried to eat this same piece for dinner every evening for the past seventeen years.

But the steak held up well. It was in perfect condition. There was not one dent in the steak.

Placing it in his plate our Jimp seized his fork and struck. He had done so every evening for seventeen years.

Now, however, he was nervous. The fork struck the side of the plate and the steak fell to the floor.

Mrs. Take's dog grabbed the steak and ran out the front door. He frequently played with the steak between meals. So he couldn't understand why Jimp and Mrs. Take were chasing him.

"Toot! Toot! Toot!"

It was a train whistle. The pup ran beneath the engine and was killed. Sixty-three cars passed over steak as it lay upon the rails.

When Mrs. Take reached its side she found it badly bent from the whels of the 63 cars.

Really, it was almost beyond repair. It never would be a first class steak again, not for years. Not for no matter how many years.

Folding the small steak in her arms the boarding house lady returned home, weeping and wailing and sobbing and crying.

Our Jimp followed her. He, too, was heart-broken. Besides losing such an old friend, he realized he was partly to blame.

Entering the house Mrs. Take turned and saw Jimp. A flood of anger seized her. She kicked our Jimp right out into the middle of the street.

He landed upon his head with a dull thud and lay there, absolutely unconscious.

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Strange things happen in strange ways, sometimes. You may get bright ideas from gazing at the stars. Jimp did, as he lay in the street.

"Whee-e-e-e!" shouted Jimp.

A brilliant idea had come to him while he was unconscious, a veritable stroke of genius. It was a new way to kill flies. No more would man or beast be troubled by the pests.

He would paint one fly red, white and blue, and the others would cheer themselves to death. That was the idea.

Rushing to the Dirty Pan Bakery he saw Mr. Etaoin inside. Pearl however, was not behind the cookie counter.

"What is it?" shouted the bakery owner, seeing our Jimp excited.

"A new way to kill flies," sputtered Jimp. "You paint one fly red, white and blue, and the others will cheer themselves to death.'

"Whe-e-e-e!" yelled Mr. Etaoin, slapping Jimp on the back. "I'll give you $500 for the idea."

"Make it a million dollars and I'll take it," cried Jimp.

"Sold," screamed Mr. Etaoin. "Sold to me for one million dollars." Dashing to the cash register he took out a million dollars in bills and paid our Jimp.

"Thanks," smiled Jimp, counting the million. He was rich and could marry Pearl.

"You're welcome," said Mr. Etaoin. "Watch the bakery for me a minute. I am going out and buy a can of stripped red, white and blue paint."

Jimp was alone in the bakery. He usually was alone when no one else was around.

But where was Pearl? Perhaps she was at the drug store next door. He would see.

As he entered the drug store his glance happened to strike a window. It was only a glancing blow, so the window was not broken.

What did he see in the drug store window? What, or what? Why, one is liable to see anything in a drug store window, anything except drugs.

Jimp saw a mirror in that drug store window.

So he paused to reflect.

Footsteps aproached. Someone was walking. This someone whose footsteps approached stoped by our Jimp and gazed into the mirror.

It was Pearl Handle, the cookie counter girl, in person, shoes, dress, stockings, etc.

There she stood in her tracks. There stood Jimp in dismay.

A casual observer would have noticed only this and nothing more. An interested spectator would have seen a little figure step out from behind a telephone pole.

This little figure was Stupid, the god of love.

Stupid strung his bow and away went the arrow to finish stringing our Jimp and our Pearl.

"What was that?' 'asked Jimp, as the arrow pierced his heart.

"Don't you know?" 'smiled Pearl.

"No," said Jimp. "But I feel funny."

"We are in love," laughed Pearl. "Buy me a box of candy."

"I'm broke," wailed the fond lover, forgetting the million.

So Pearl kicked Jimp in the eye, right eyle. So Jimp poked Pearl one on the jaw, left jaw.

Our Pearl started running down the street. She ran faster than the colors i na cheap dress.

That's the way with love. It makes you want to run away.

Jimp ran in one direction. Pearl ran in the opposite direction. Jimp saw someone runing toward him. Pearl saw someone running toward her.

It was Pearl. It was Jimp. It certainly was. The two fond lovers had run around the block.

Pearl ran into Jimp. Jimp ran into Pearl. They ran into each other. "Well," sighed Jimp, wrapping his arms partly around his darling, "You are the nicest person I have run into in quite a while."

"Thanks," said she. "I certainly do appreciate your being in love with me."

"You are welcome," said he. "When can we be married?' '

"Not today," giggled Pearl. "You haven't made love to me yet. And this chapter is almost over."

Jimp looked ahead a few paragraphs. The girl was right. The first chapter of this great novel was drawing to a close.

"Well," said Jimp, "I'll meet you here tomorrow. I'll be runing up and down the columns of this newspaper."

"Jimp! Jimp! Jimp!" cried a stern masculine voice.

Jimp and Pearl opened their eyes. There stood Pearl's father.

"You think you'll see her tomorrow? You wont. I'll kill you now."

Jimp could say nothing. Pearl could say nthing. Before either could finish saying nothing the father drew a pistol and fired at Jimp.

Our Jimp threw up his hands as he was continued until tomorrow.

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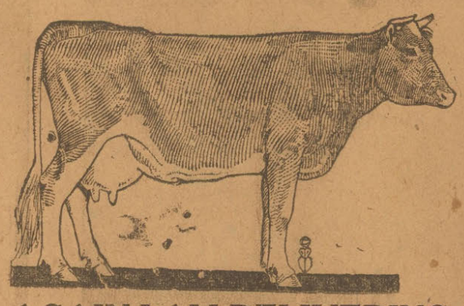

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17 NEW BUSINESS ENTERPRISES MADE THEIR DEBUT IN RANGER DURING THE PAST FEW MONTHS

Seventeen new business enterprises have come into Ranger since Jan. 1, 1926. Practically all of them have been established in new brick building that have been constructed during the past year. The United Cigar Stores are hunting a location here and two or three other entrants into Ranger's commercial life, one of them a large corporation, may be announced in the next few weeks. The sixteen firms are "issers" and not in any sense of the word "going to bees," they are here, and come so gradually that Ranger folks unless they take time to tabulate them hardly realize just how steady the expansion of the business life of Ranger has been going on in the last nine months.

List of Mercantile Firms

The roster of new entrants into business in Ranger, include, the Piggly Wiggly Store, Great Atlantic & Pacific Store, Street Motor Company, Thomas Tire Company, Speagle Filling Station and Storage Company, Texas Company Filling Station, Oil Field Battery & Ignition Company, Ranger Shoe Company, under new management, as is the Paramount Drug Company, and the Electric Shop, Woolworths, White-Hampton Motor Company, Boyd Motor Company, Star-Durant Motor Company, Ranger Creamery Company, Ranger Building & Loan Company and the Wagner Filling Station.

Practically everyone of these firms brought from one to three new families to Ranger, has very few of the men who are owners or managers of the seventeen firms were Ranger citizens prior to the time their firms opened up in Ranger.

Home Development

While the business life has been expanding, the home development has been keeping pace with it, and in the last nine months more homes have been bought, built or remodeled in Ranger than since the days of its mushroom growth back in 1918-1920.

Walter Murray, publisher of the Ranger Daily Times, is among the latest to join the ranks of home owners in Ranger, as he and his family moved into the Dr. M. L. Holland home on the Strawn Road, which he purchased last Thursday. This is one of the prettiest cottages in the city. It faces the Strawn highway, and a "S" shaped drive from the street makes the front lawn very attractive. The interior of the home, all newly decorated is very charming.

Mrs. N. J. Terry, who lost a large part of her home on North Commerce stret by fire early in the summer, claims the distinction of having the only Oriental Stucco home in Ranger. This attractive little cottage of six roms, with bath and closed-in porch, has just been completed. Its exterior looks almost like a marble house, as the Oriental stucco differs from the regular stucco in its formation, which includes ground marble. The house is equipped with all modern conviences and much built-in cabinet work. Its location in a grove of mesquite trees further enhances its attractiveness.

The Texas Flats

Ranger now has its first flats. "The Texas Flats," with John Dunkle, as part owner and proprietor, are about the last word in flats in this part of the country. Messrs Dunkle and Pat O'Donnell have recently purchased the two warehouses, bunk rooms, garages and four acres of land, a block about the Banner Ice Cream Company, on North Commerce street, which were formerly headquarters of the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Company.

This property cost the oil company $90,000 and while the present owners did not pay any where in the neighborhood for the property they are spending something like $4,000 in making it over into flats. A fence which cost $7,000 encircles the four acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunkle and their daughters occupy one flat, and there are three others ready now for occupanycy. A force of carpenters and cabinet makers are busy arranging that many more.

Four Rooms Each

The flats consist of four rooms each, with private bath. Each flat has its private front and rear entrance, and is beautifully finished with tinted walls, splendid floors, prety light fixtures, hot and cold water, hot water heaters, clothes closets, and built-in cabinets. The unstairs flats have their own entrance, private back and front stairway and back and front porches. A garage goes with each flat. The rooms are all large, and have many windows which afford light and air. The property is approached by a god gravel drive and when the work of dismantling some of the old warehouses is done, the yard sown with grass and laid off in flower beds, it will be one of the most attractive pieces of property in Ranger.

This property has stood vacant for many years and it took some nerve to make the investment required for the purchase price and the subsequent remodeling, as the lower floors of the two large buildings were arranged for offices and the upper ones for bunk houses. The Texas Flats stand for just another example of faith of Ranger men in Ranger property, and of men who believe in construction rather than destruction.

Dick Barkley Home.

Another Ranger citizen who is making his home more comfortable is Dick Barkley, who is remodeling his home at 608 Young street in a most extensive and expensive way.

The cottage which has housed the Barkley family for several years is being transformed into a house de luxe. Thousands of dollars are being spent in convertiag this home into an airplane bungalow, equipped with tile baths, beautiful bath fixtures, handsome floors, charming light fixtures, and many built-in features, which will eventually evolve this home into one of the most commodious and best appointed homes in Ranger.

THE FOLKS BACK HOME

O'BRIEN AND JORDAN HAVE FAST MILL IN "RUSTLING FOR CUPID"

George O'Brien, who has the masculine lead in "Rustling for Cupid," Fox Films latest release which will show at the Lamb Theatre from Wednesday, was light heavy weight champion of the Pacific fleet while he was in the navy during the war, and in selecting the cast for this Peter B. Kyne drama of New Mexico ranch life, especial attention was given to the character of Jack Mason.

O'Brien has the role of Brad Blatchford and Blatchford has a terrific fight with Mason. Sid Jordan, who has given practically every star in the films a battle during his Hollywood career, was finally selected to take the part of Mason. This insured a real battle.

When the fight was staged on location it was the "main event" and every man along that section of the border assembled to watch the mill.

The battle proved all that the "advance agents" had claimed for it and both O'Brien and Jordan had to take a day off to recover.

New Dodge Cars Are Equipped With Regulators

In line with Dodge Brothers' stated policy of constantly improving their cars, but with no yearly models, the Dodge Brothers car, in addition to many other vital improvements, is now equipped with an air temperature regulator.

"The air temperature regulator is a necessity that has been long needed to separate abrasive substances from the air leading into the cylinders," says a bulletin from Dodge Brothers.

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Okland Adopts New Harmonic Balancer for Cars

The Oakland Motor Car Company, which has pioneered many important developments in the automobile industry, has taken another forward step through the refinement and improvement of the Harmonic Balancer which Oakland first adopted in its original form more than a year ago.

The Harmonic Balancer is a device attached to the crank shaft which counter-acts and absorbs all tendency toward torsional vibration. Its principle is best compared to a pedestrian's action in automatically and unconsciously swinging his arm in a direction opposite to that in which his leg is swinging. A small bar, pivoted at right angles to the crank shaft and with its ends held by tension springs, sets up a counter-acting force in the crankshaft opposite and equal to the forces created by torsional vibration. The crankshaft, like the body of the pedestrian, thus is freed from vibration or sway.

Oakland first adopted the Harmonic Balancer in July, 1925. This original type of balancer since has been adopted by several other motor car manufacturers.

In the new type recently pioneered by Oakland, two important changes have been made. First, the flat leaf springs which supported the ends of the original Harmonic Balancer have been replaced by coil springs which balance the arm more effectively. Second, the action of these new springs has permitted the use of a lighter and much more sensitive balancer arm.

The lighter Harmonic Balancer now used on the greater Oakland six has been found to excel greatly the performance of the old balancer because its light weight renders it more quickly responsive to any suggestion of torsional vibration. In other words, the slightest tendency of the shaft to whip or vibrate instantly sets the new Harmonic Balancer into action and the shaft remains quietly rigid.

Like the original Harmonic Balancer first adopted by Oakland, the present improved type requires no attention or adjustment.

Greater St. Lous Exposition Is Opened Saturday

By United Press.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 4.—The Greater St. Louis Exposition, commemomorating 150 years of American Independence and industrial progress, opened here today.

Those fostering the Exposition which will continue until Sept. 19, have bent every effort to place it on a par with the 1904 World's Fair here. The scene of the Exposition is Forest Park, close to the World' Fair site.

With elaborate dedicatory ceremonies the exposition was thrown open to the public today. There are more than 600 industrial displays on the grounds.

A corps of artists has been working for months to prepare the grou for the exposition. Distinguished v tors who have been invited to be pr ent include President Coolidge, Pr dent Calles of Mexico, and Gene Willmingdon on Canada, as well the governors of 12 states in the M sissippi Valley.

Secretary of Labor James J. Da will participate in the expositio Labor Day program on Sept. 6th, a Secretary of War Dwight Davis w be the principal guest on Milita Day.

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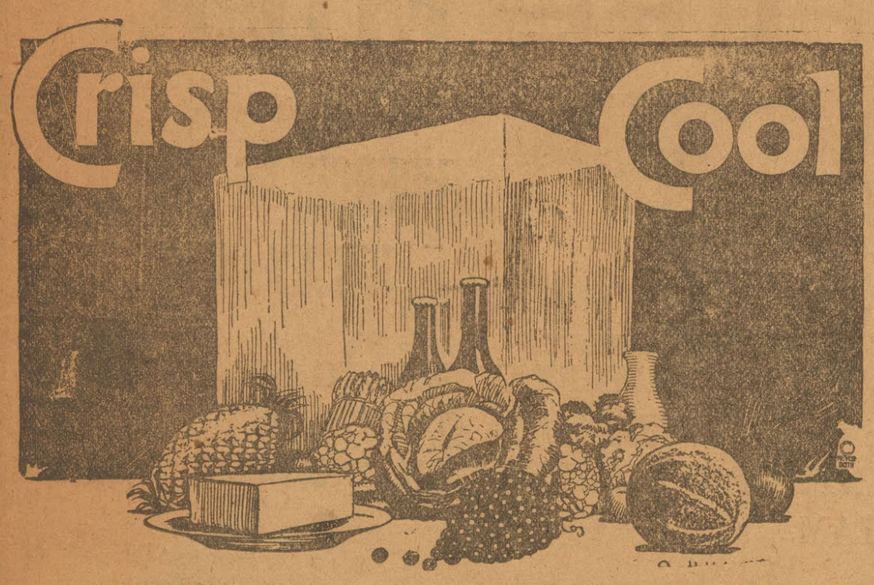

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Organized Car Owners Would Aid In Strike

Special Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4. — If the United States should at any time be faced with an emergency similar to that with which the British government was confronted during the recent general strike, the organized car owners of this country would unquestionably play a very important role, according to a statement issued from the national headquarters of the American Automobile Association Saturday.

The A. A. A. statement was based on reports received here regarding the part played by British motorists in relieving the transportation crisis during the general strike.

"The fact that complete paralysis of transportation was forestalled was largely due to the timely aid of the British car owners organized under the Automobile Association of Great Britain," Thomas P. Henry, president of the A. A. A., declared.

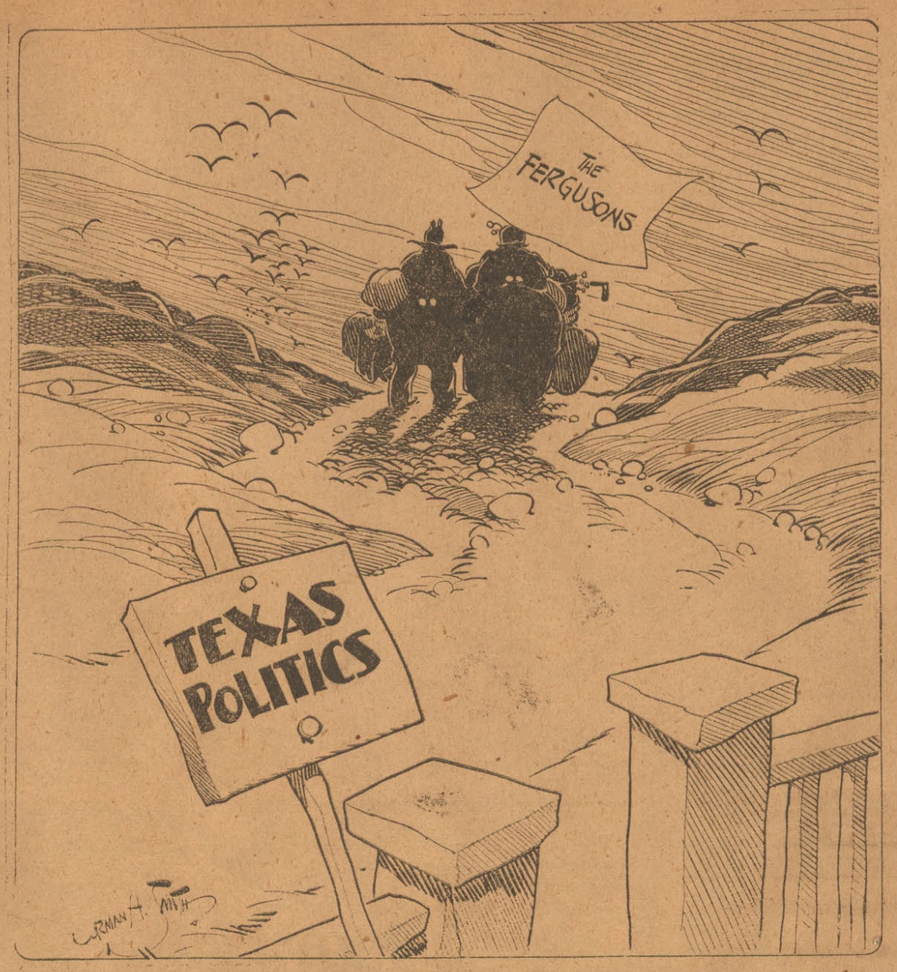
Mr. Henry stressed the fact that the services of organized motorists in Great Britain at this crucial moment was the most striking demonstration ever afforded of the claim that motor clubs are today public utilities as well as vital service institutions.

President Henry quoted the following tribute from one of the leading London newspapers relative to the part taken by the organized motorists of the United Kingdom:

Because of their larger membership and greater resources, the 835 clubs constituting the American Automobile association could be depended on to play every bit as important a role as that played by the British club in the event of an emergency in transportation.

"Of course," said Mr. Henry, "it is to be understood that the clubs and the members thereof would play their part without taking sides in an economic or industrial controversy. But such controversies invariably afford opportunities for public-spirited citizens to maintain order and confidence in the ability of the masses of the population to protect themselves from some of the worst consequences of economic struggle. It is to be sincerely hoped that the A. A. A. and its clubs will never be called to act a part similar to that played by the Automobile Association of Great Britain. On the other hand, there can be no question that in these clubs the United States possesses a very fine asset of citizen preparedness."

The Fade-Out



Denton To Vote On Bond Issue For New City Hall

DENTON, Sept. 1.—Election is to be held in Denton in the near future to vote for a bond issue of $125,000 to be used in erecting a new city hall and the construction of several new bridges needed in the county.

IN THE COURTS

Marriage License

F. A. Lloyd and Miss Jimmie Louise Carter, College Station.

Irby McIntosh and Miss Jackoluline Stephens, Baird.

S. B. Wright and Miss Lula Timmins, Breckenridge.

Suits Filed In District Courts

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Thelma Brown vs Arnold Brown, divorce.

Warranty Deeds

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L. King et ux to J. C. Plumlee et ux, part of the F. W. A. Doyl preemption. Consideration $840.

Fay T. Taylor and Johnnie Hightower to Eastland Free School, Inc., lot 14, block 2, E. L. Woods subdivision, block minus H-2, Eastland. Consideration $200.

32,000,000 Tires Manufactured in Akron 1926

It is estimated that the Akron tire factories will turn out 32 million tires in 1926, and the tire statisticians are busy figuring out what that means in various ways, according to a statement issued by the General Tire & Rubber Company.

One man has estimated that if the 32 million were rolled out at the rate of one a minute it would require fifty-eight years for them to roll away. Another has it that they would contain, if built to General Tire Standards, the enormous total of 640 billion tire miles—enough miles to encircle the earth 2,560,000 times at the rate of 20,000 miles per tire.

Another mathematician and geographer arrives at the conclusion that if Akron's 1926 tires were to be stacked in one heap, tire on tire, at Akron, and the pile weer then tipped over, the peak would fall at Miami Fla.

Time was—not so many years ago, either — when it was figured that every car required six tires a year. That was in the days of cross-woven fabrics, when 3,500 was considered good mileage and tires cost twice what they do today. Cord tires have brightened the picture remarkably. It was in Akron that the multiple-ply cord casing was developed, which is the standard now.

To go back to statistics for a moment. The 32 million Akron tires of 1926, will have 242,000 miles of tread surface. When it is remembered that this tread rubber, all high-grade rubber, in fact, has for its base a liquid that issues slowly drop by drop, from a wounded tree (average yield per tree is 3½ pounds of rubber a year) some estimate of the immensity of crude rubber horticulture can be made.

Since tires—good tires—have been so greatly improved the estimated requirement now is a little over one tire per car per year. Thus it will be seen that Akron's mammoth production for 1926 will easily be absorbed especially when one remembers that several million new cars are being turned out by the car factories each year, some millions of which will take four and even five tires each.

AUTO FIRST AID KITS URGED BY RED CROSS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4. — Hundreds of persons killed in automobile accidents every year could have been saved from death had first aid been given the victims, according to the American Red Cross.

Fifty-two lives a day is the toll automobiles are taking in the United States. Tourists are urged to carry in their cars a Red Cross first aid kit as a regular part of their emergency equipment.

President of Fisher Body Corporation Makes Statement

William A. Fisher, president of the Fisher Body Corporation, announced Saturday the following changes in officials of both the Fisher Hurd Lumber Company and Pritchard Wheeler Lumber Company.

Edward F. Fisher has been elected president of both companies to fill vacancies created by the resignation of O. P. Hurd.

James M. Clement of Memphis, Tenn., has been elected vice president of both companies to fill vacancies created by the resignation of Charles T. Fisher.

At the same time Mr. Fisher stated that through subsidiaries, the Fisher Body corporation had recently acquired timber in Louisiana and Arkansas, which additional holdings, together with the extensive holdings previously acquired by Fisher Hurd and Pritchard Wheeler and the sawmill and body plant at Memphis would be presently merged into a new company, to be known as Fisher Lumber Corporation, the officers of which would be Edward F. Fisher, president; James M. Clements, vice president; Keith M. Spurrier, treasurer; Thomas S. Merrill, secretary; the directors being the foregoing and William A. Fisher, Alfred J. Risher and Clarence R. Bitting.

In answer to a question Mr. Fisher stated that the corporation now owned over one and one-half billion feet of standing timber in both the northern and southern hardwood forests, all of which had been acquired during the last three years.

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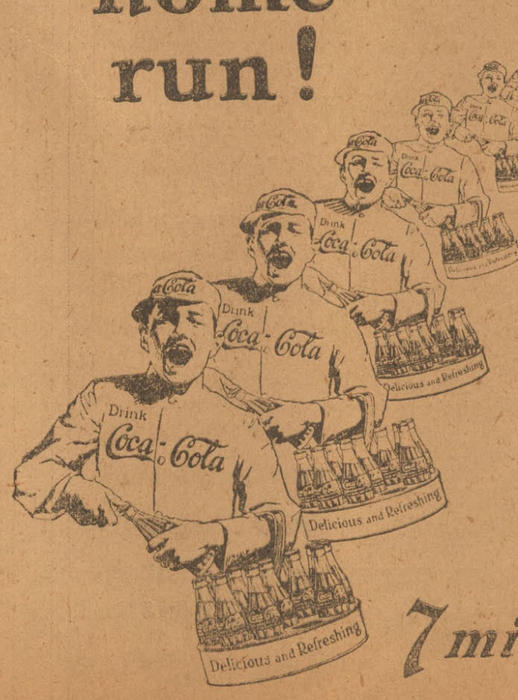

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The VANITY CASE

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

Mysterious lights flash one night from the Heath household and the next day Harbor Gardens, Long Island, is agog over the murder of Myra Heath and the disappearance of her husband, Perry.

House guests of the Heaths are Lawrence Inman, heir to Myra's fortune, and beautiful Bunny Moore, to whom suspicion points because of her queer actions.

Myra Heath never used cosmetics, yet when her body was found she was heavily rouged. A rare old bottle from her collection of glass had been used to kill her. Candles were burning at her head and feet.

At the Country Club the murder is discussed by Sam Anderson, Heath's rival for the club presidency; Al Cunningham, who is trying to solve the crime, and others.

Bunny is amazed to get a phone call from Heath, saying Inman is the murderer. Inman confides to Todhunter Buck, who is in love with Bunny, that he saw her ascending the stairs after the murder. One of the Heath servants says the same thing.

Cunningham goes to Anderson's house and there, while waiting for his host, is suddenly confronted by Perry Heath, who then vanishes in the darkness. Anderson arrives soon after and upbraids Cunningham for letting Heath get away.

Todhunter Buck, puzzling as to the best way to clear Bunny, is sitting in the dark when Bunny slips out of the house of his aunt, where she is now a guest, and joins a man at the edge of a wood. Buck doesn't recognize him, but when Bunny leaves, Buck follows the man and recognizes Perry Heath. Heath, however, gets away and Buck returns home.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXXIX

Todhunter Buck came down to breakfast next morning with what is popularly called a long face.

It didn't set well on him, his face being usually rounded out with smiles, and Mrs. Prentiss looked at him with an air of solicitude.

"Whattamatter Toddy?" she said, reverting to a childhood phrase.

But the young man looked at her with unseeing eyes.

"Where's Bunny?" he said abruptly.

"Not up yet. She sent word she wasn't feeling well and would like breakfast in her room. I shan't ask her to get up until she chooses."

"She's got to get up—I've got to see her."

Toddy frowned and shook his tawny forelock like an irate terrier.

"You can wait," returned his aunt, placidly. "I won't have the little girl disturbed. She needs rest."

"Yes, she would—after skylarking about all night!"

"Todhunter Buck! What do you mean?"

"Hello," she said, putting out a little and rathe limp hand. "Glad to see you."

"What I say! Bunny went out last night, very late, and came in very much later."

"I don't believe it!" and Mrs. Prentiss stared in astonishment.

"Well, you'll have to," and thinking frankness the wisest course, Tod told his aunt all the strange happenings of the night before.

Mrs. Prentiss listened in silence until he had finihed the tale and then said:

"I don't care, Tod, I believe in that girl. If she went to meet Perry Heath — if that man was Perry Heath, then there's some right and proper explanation. Perhaps he has some hold on the poor child—"

"Well, she wasn't afraid of him, at any rate," and Buck scowled at the recollection of the meeting of the pair.

"You go up and see her, Aunt Em," he said. "Don't tell her I told you about it, but ask her please to see me. She can put on a dressing gown or something but I must see her—I must."

"You're not to bother her, Tod—"

"Of course not. But, auntie, you don't seem to see how serious it all it. The funeral of Mrs. Heath will be held this afternoon, and I happen to know that after that Mott means to get busy. He has a hunch that Heath will turn up for his wife's funeral. I am sure he won't, and that, when the services are over, Mott will make a dash after Bunny."

"Does Mott think Bunny killed Mrs. Heath?" The fire in Mrs. Prentiss' eyes would have daunted even the intrepid Mott could he have seen it.

"Oh, I don't know what he thinks! He doesn't know himself. But I do know that a lot of people over in the Park suspect Bunny, because they think she was or i sin love with Heath. On the other hand, the Gardens people rather seem to suspect Inman, because of his well-known affair with Mrs. Heath."

"But, Tod, a man isn't going to kill the woman he loves."

"Oh, yes, he is—if she angers him sufficiently. Larry's a queer Dick, he's so quiet and taciturn, you can't tell what he's done or will do. Why, he put up a most plausible yarn to me, to make me believe Bunny did kill the lady!"

"Do you believe him?"

"That's the devil of it. I don't know whether I do or not. But I must see Bunny. A few moments' straight talk with that girl will tell me a lot. Do get her to let me see her, Aunt Em."

"All right, Tod, I will if I can. But no ballragging, mind—"

"Lord, Aunt Em, I love her! Get that? And whatever I do or say will be only and solely for her interests and her alone. I'll eliminate myself and my affection for her until I can dig up the truth and set her free from all taint of suspicion. And, to do that, auntie, I'm going to send for old Steve. He'll come if I yell for him and I'm about ready to yell."

At Mrs. Prentiss' insistence, Bunny consented to see Tod, and he entered her pretty boudoir to find a lovely little figure in a blue chiffon negligee, seated in the depths of a huge armchair.

"Hello," she said, putting out a little and rather limp hand. "Glad to see you."

"You don't look it," Toddy growled, sitting down beside her. "Now see here, Bunny—I'm not going to ballyrag you, because I promised Aunt Em I wouldn't. But, in a few well chosen words, what were you doing chasing out in the woods last night?"

Bunny's face went dead white. She sat upright on the edge of the big chair and clasped her hands tightly on her knees.

"What do you mean?" she breathed, "how do you know?"

"Of course I know. I know where you went, whom you met and when you returned. Now explain."

But to his surprise the little figure took on an air of dignity and even resentment.

"Mr. Todhunter Buck," she said "I have no reason that I know of, and certainly no intention of explaining to you why I do anything."

"There's a reason, all right," he returned, grimly, "and it's just this. If you don't let me help you you'll very shortly find yourself in need of legal help, and that, even at its best, may not be of as much assistance as I can give you. Because, Bunny dear—dearest—I love you so, and I believe in you so, that I can work for your interests far better than a stranger and a suspicious lawyer."

"Why should a lawyer be suspicious?"

"Because Mott and his crowd would make him so before he came to talk with you. He would be biased, prejudiced, by their opinions and insinuations, and more than that, he would scare you into fits—"

"He would not!" and the scarlet lips closed in a mutinous line.

"Yes, he would. You don't know what inquisitors they are. If you are suspected, Bunny—there's no use mincing words—you will be heckled and tormented until you can't say your soul's your own! You'll be tricked into admissions that you don't mean, and that may not even be true. You'll be forced to confess and declare and agree, until you won't even know what you're saying. Now, this isn't fairy tales, it's true talk, and I beg you, dear, to be advised by me. I've nothing in my mind but your interests, nothing in my heart but love for you. Please, Bunny, see reason—or, if you can't do that, then see and realize my devotion, and give yourself up to my advice."

She looked him straight in the eyes for a moment.

Then she said: "Toddy, if you had to keep silent or else incriminate a friend—which would you do?"

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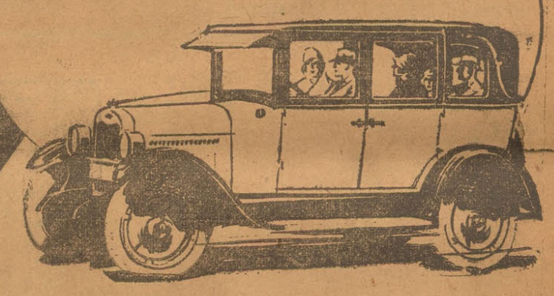

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