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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Zeppelin Making Time in Flight

(By International News Service)
PARIS, Aug. 2.—The "Graf Zeppelin" is 600 miles west of Gibraltar out over the Atlantic Ocean this afternoon, according to a dispatch from Casa Blanca, Morocco.

The zeppelin is heading straight for the Azores it is a rumormongered here from the report of its position this afternoon.

BERLIN, Aug. 2.—The trans-Atlantic passenger dirigible "Graf Zeppelin" wireless to Zeppelin headquarters here today that Gibraltar had been passed at 3:09 o'clock this morning. Everything is going well, the message stated.

The Graf had been unheard from for ten hours before that. It was feared for a time that the big ship might be having grave trouble as the coast of Europe was being swept by storms.

The message indicated the Graf was making fair time.

Prince of Wales Made Honor Scout

(By International News Service)
BIRKENHEAD, England, August 2.—Carrying a braided leather lasso, the gift of American Boy Scouts, the Prince of Wales hopped off at Hooton airdrome this afternoon for London.

Earlier in the day the heir apparent reviewed the 50,000 Scouts encamped here and was made a "Silver Buffalo" by the American Scouts. The prince took the salute of all the Scouts as they marched past him. United States Ambassador Charles G. Dawes was also present in the reviewing stand.

Building Permits Slump During July

Building permits for the month of July slumped considerably in comparison with the early months of the year, there being very few recorded at the city hall last month.

Permits for the first seven months of 1929 show a steady level in new buildings erected, and for repair work done. There had been approximately \$115,000 in permits issued to August 1st.

PITTSBURGH FEMS ADOPT ALL MALE HABITS EXCEPT SMOKES

(By International News Service)
PITTSBURGH, Aug. 2.—Women have entered the stock market frenzy in this city, cutting their hair man fashion, some of them, scalping points like veterans and generally conducting themselves as their male prototypes, except that none have been seen smoking a Pittsburgh stogie.

Several brokers' offices have outfitted boards for feminine customers. Nor do they lack courage to ride the market for a raise or sell short in hopes of a decline, according to Mrs. Marie M. Werner, manager of the new women's department in one Pittsburgh broker's office.

"Don't let anybody tell you that women haven't the nerve to be market operators," was Mrs. Werner's advice. "They've got just as much as the men. They know when to take their profits and when to hold on for a few extra points. They've learned quickly."

You'll find the women in the same stocks that the smart operators are playing, and they play on margin, too. That day is gone when women didn't know the difference between a bearish or a bullish market.

The new departments have prospered, according to officers of the brokerage houses, and are increasing their scope daily.

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams left Friday afternoon for Corpus Christi to bring a prisoner back to Runnels county who is wanted here on a charge of embezzlement.

Leahy Dies In Electric Chair

(By International News Service)
HUNTSVILLE, Aug. 2.—Harry Leahy, ranchman and lawyer, who was not satisfied with a fifty-year prison term, was electrocuted early this morning for the murder of Dr. J. A. Ramsey, physician, of Mathis, Texas.

Leahy was pronounced dead at 12:54 o'clock this morning after the current had been turned into his body for nine minutes. He was the largest man ever to occupy the state's electric chair. Leahy protested his innocence to the last.

Bathing Revue is Big Card Tonight

Mayor W. C. McCarver will present the silver loving cup to "Little Miss Ballinger" at the Palace Theatre tonight as soon as the judges have made their selection.

The tiny tot bathing revue at the Palace Theatre is the feature attraction of the city for tonight. Many small children have been entered in the contest, and will parade before the audience tonight for judging, the winner to hold the right to be called "Little Miss Ballinger." Most of the Ballinger firms have already announced their entries in the show and are all ready for the curtain to swing open tonight. A few firms are still looking for representatives but will be ready before night to participate in the pageant.

The M. System store announced early Friday morning that they would be represented by Little Miss Wanda Beard. Little Miss Sammie Ruth Morley will represent the West Texas Utilities Company, and little Miss Anne Creasy will represent the Ballinger State Bank. Others were expected to secure bids to represent them during the day and list their firms for the revue.

The beauties will make their appearance following the first run of the picture program tonight, which will be around 9 o'clock. Seats by that time will be going at a premium and those who wish to see the performance will have to go early.

Prizes will be given to the first, second and third place winners. Judges have already been selected and will decide the winners precisely as they see it.

SILENT WELDING FOR COMING SKYSCRAPERS

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—That welding necessary to shape steel into great skyscrapers will soon be done silently is the belief of Gilbert D. Fish, Westinghouse Electric engineer. He predicts that man's nerves eventually will no longer be shattered by the machine-staccato of the engineer.

"Arc welding has proven entirely practicable and dependable," he said. "Too many structures have been erected by this method, all without failure to dispute its feasibility. But it is too noisy."

Discussing the future of buildings, he said:

"We expect them a thousand feet high. The difficulty in the way is not an engineering feat but a problem of air and light. From an engineering standpoint there is no limit."

COUNTERFEIT BILL PASSED HERE INTERESTING WORK

A ten dollar counterfeit note was placed in circulation here this week that was one of the cleverest pieces of work ever seen here. The bill had been raised from one to ten dollars, and it took careful inspection to discern the alterations. A stranger passed the bill at a local filling station and received his change and departed. The bogus bill was presented to a local bank for deposit where it was discovered to be no good.

Sierra Blanca gets a good water supply.

Kills Father With His Gun



Outthrilling the wildest fiction is the story of Catherine Crawford, right, restored to the arms of her mother after her unflinching narrative of how her quivering fingers pressed the trigger of the revolver with which she killed her father, George H. Crawford, left, in their Keyport, N. J., home, above. According to her story, the father had ordered her to his room and, after locking the door, his actions frightened her. She grabbed the pistol she saw on the dresser, thinking to stop him, but as he advanced she fired. After hearing her story Prosecutor Quinn indicated he would not ask for an indictment.

Alley Paving to Be Started Soon Stray Dog Killing Gets Results Here

A called meeting of the city commission was held Thursday morning at the city hall to discuss the proposed paving. It was decided at the meeting that the city would conduct an alley paving campaign and would hard-surface the alleys in blocks eight and nine, original.

The commission instructed City Secretary K. V. Northington to notify the property owners that the city was ready to pave and that the work would start in the near future.

BALL TEAM IS GIVEN CHICKEN SUPPER

Wednesday evening the City Cafe gave the Ballinger baseball players and their families a chicken supper, following the last game here with Midland. The spread was complimentary by L. L. Stroble, owner of the cafe. For dessert the M. System sent in ice cold watermelons for the boys and the double treat was a very enjoyable affair for the men and their wives.

CUBA IN NEW STUDY OF TRAFFIC PROBLEMS

(By International News Service)
HAVANA, Aug. 2.—Federal jurisdiction over traffic problems is provided for in a report being prepared by the national traffic committee and which, it is stated in official circles, will soon be enacted into law by virtue of a presidential decree. The report recommends that traffic regulation an enforcement be put under the jurisdiction of the department of public works which already has a corps of special motorcycle police covering the new \$85,000,000 highway. Municipalities will be deprived of all authority in traffic matters, being allowed merely to make recommendations regarding the choice of one-way streets in their city limits.

Waco—The Borden milk company is installing machinery in its plant.

Powers Settle Naval Problem

(By International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—While substantial progress has been made in the Dawes-McDonald conference in London, looking to a British-American naval agreement, negotiations have by no means been concluded, and as yet there is no agreement in sight.

This was made clear today in the highest official quarters in connection with a story published by the London Evening Standard today to the effect that preliminary negotiations had been ended and that a tentative agreement had been achieved. Such is not the case, it was stated here.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The London Evening Standard today will announce that United States Ambassador Charles G. Dawes and Prime Minister Ramsey MacDonald of England have concluded preliminary negotiations looking to naval disarmament.

The Standard declares these representatives of the United States and British governments have reached a tentative agreement on a formula for the disarmament movement.

Man Hit by Auto Is Resting Well

E. J. Keen, who was injured Wednesday evening when he was struck by a moving automobile driven by Miss Ruth Steele, was resting well Friday at noon it was reported from the Halley & Love Sanitarium where he is receiving treatment.

While crossing the street Mr. Keen was struck and knocked down, the crash breaking his left leg in several places. He was also cut and bruised about the body and head, but attending physicians said that his condition although serious is not critical, and it will be just a matter of time until he is well again.

Mr. Keen has been a resident of Ballinger for some time, coming here from Oklahoma where he resided before moving to Texas. He has lived in South Ballinger since taking residence in this section, and makes his home there at present.

Washington Youth Wins Edison Contest

(By International News Service)
WEST ORANGE, N. J., Aug. 2.—Walter B. Huston, of Port Madison, Washington, today was selected as the smartest boy in America by a distinguished jury in the Thomas A. Edison scholarship contest.

Huston won over forty-eight other scientific minded boys chosen from every state in the union. He will be educated along scientific lines by Edison.

FIVE PESTS DESTROYING CROPS IN CONNECTICUT

(By International News Service)
NEW HAVEN, Aug. 2.—Five pests are smiting Connecticut hard. They are, according to the state agricultural experiment station here, gypsy moth, Asiatic beetle, Japanese beetle, European corn borer, and Oriental peach moth.

"Serious losses will be caused if they cannot be held in check," the station entomologist, Dr. W. E. Britton says. The five pests are creeping across the state in as many different ways, and federal and state authorities are combining to overcome the things as quickly as possible. Meanwhile complete defoliation of the trees of the state, the spoliation of lawns, and the ruination of corn, fruit trees and nursery products in general are likely another summer.

Dalhousie—Local cattle men sell 292 bulls to Palomas Land & Cattle company of Old Mexico.

Another Prison Outbreak Quelled

(By International News Service)
LEAVENWORTH, Kans., Aug. 2.—Save for spasmodic outbursts of screaming and the thrashing of drug addicts in cells in block B, the wild riot in the federal prison here, one of the worst in thirty years, had all but abated today.

In the wake of the riot one prisoner is dead, and four others wounded, three dangerously.

The convicts are said to have revolted because of the food.

A majority of the 3,750 inmates took part in the rioting.

Soviet Government Rejects Settlement

(By International News Service)
MOSCOW, Aug. 2.—The Soviet government today dispatched a note to Marshal Chang Hu Laung, Manchurian war lord, rejecting the Chinese offer of a settlement of the Sino-Russian dispute. The Chinese offer involved withdrawal of the Soviet ultimatum to the Nanking government and demanded the release of all Chinese nationals arrested in Russia.

In the rejection of the Chinese offer the Moscow government expressed readiness to negotiate the dispute but only on the condition that the Chinese Eastern Railway be restored to its status quo ante, and for Marshal Chang to admit openly that the seizure of this line from the Russian operatives was in direct violation of the Peking and Mukden treaties.

American is Named To Attend Meeting

(By International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Edwin C. Wilson, first secretary of the American legation at Paris, was designated today as the unofficial American representative and observer to attend the inter-allied meeting at The Hague.

The Hague conference will discuss application of the Owen D. Young reparations plan.

NEW ASSISTANT COACH RESIGNS FROM FACULTY

Assistant Athletic Coach Fitzgerald of the Ballinger high school has been given his release from the faculty in order that he might go to a better position in another city. The board of trustees are now looking for a commercial teacher and coach. Several good applications are already before the board and no trouble is anticipated in securing a capable man.

W. W. Wiggle and daughter, of Coke county, were in Ballinger Friday looking after business. Mr. Wiggle and his family for a number of years lived in the Hatchel community.

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One month from now public schools will be open and the children who have been idle for the past three months will be back at their desks. Officials of the local school system expect all records to be broken this year for attendance on opening day. The scholastic census this year showed a large increase and many other pupils have been transferred to the higher grades from rural districts.

The move by the city commission to pave the alleys in the downtown section will meet with the approval of all citizens. Ballinger already has good streets and with clean, paved alleys it will eliminate mud holes behind the business houses and also do away with a great amount of dirt washing onto the streets. Property owners are being notified that the city is ready to begin this improvement in certain sections and it will not require much time to complete the work after the contracts are let.

County officers state that only a few cases have been filed so far for the ensuing term of district court which will open here in October. About eight or ten new cases have been filed to date but the continuances will keep the legal mill grinding for the full term. At the last session of district court Senator Walter Woodward was in a session of the Texas legislature and all cases in which he was counsel were continued to the October term. He will be ready for trial with these cases it is understood, and some ten or more important cases will be called which were on the docket at the last term. Law violations in Ballinger and Runnels county in the past few months have been scarce. Most all of the arrests made by local officers have been for minor offenses and fines paid to dispose of them.

Mrs. W. O. Walker and children, of San Antonio, are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Walker.

She Suffered from Stomach and Digestive Troubles, But Orgatone Brings Relief.

Among the many well-known Ballinger people who have given their endorsement for Orgatone, is Mrs. N. J. Allen, retired rancher's wife, living at 598 Sixth St., Ballinger, Tex. While talking with the Orgatone representative, regarding the benefits she derived, she said: "I had only been taking Orgatone a few days but I could see a big change in my condition. Several of my friends are now telling me how well I look. I tried all kinds of medicines, but Orgatone was the only medicine that ever relieved me. I'm feeling fine now."

"For several years, she continued, 'I have had stomach and digestive troubles and a severe case of gall bladder and kidney trouble. I was in a general run-down condition, weak and nervous, and was gradually getting worse all the time. I had pains around my heart caused from the gas forming, and was nervous the least noise would upset me. I was badly constipated and never got a good night's sleep. When morning came, I always felt as tired as when I went to bed, and had frequent headaches."

"Orgatone was advertised so highly and so many people were telling of the wonderful results they had received, I began taking it. I have now taken three bottles and am like a different person. All of my stomach trouble has disappeared and my kidneys are back to normal, and I haven't had any pains from gall bladder trouble. My bowels are regulated, I sleep fine every night and get up in the morning feeling refreshed and buoyant. Orgatone has proven a benefit to me, it is a wonderful medicine, and I am glad to recommend it."

Genuine Orgatone is not a so-called patent or secret remedy but a new scientific bile treatment manufactured by one of the world's greatest laboratories and sold in Ballinger exclusively by the Weeks Drug Store who are direct laboratory agents.

C. L. Baker, Dan Moser, A. J. Stobaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klechle were among Ballinger people attending the baseball game in Coleman Thursday.

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In Memory of Brother B. S. Taylor, who died April 19, 1929.

Death has again entered our Chapter Hall and called to the Eternal Home a dearly beloved brother, who has completed his faithful labor here in ministering to the cry of the orphan, to the call of want and to the piteous wail of sorrow, and as a recompense has received the welcome plaudit, "well done" from the Great Master.

And Whereas, the loving Father has called our beloved and respected Brother home, and he having been a true and faithful member of our Mystic Order, Therefore, be it

Resolved, That Ballinger Chapter No. 266, Order of the Eastern Star of Ballinger, Texas, in testimony of its loss, drape its charter in mourning for thirty days, that we tender to the family of our deceased brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

"I cannot say and I will not say that they are dead, they are just away.

With submissive smile and wave of the hand

They have entered into that Better Land.

And let us, thinking how very fair it needs must be, since they linger there;

And you, oh you, who so fondly yearn

For the welcome step and the glad return,

Think of them living on as dear, In the land of there as the land of here."

DAN MOSER
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BETHUL NEWS

The Baptist meeting closed Sunday afternoon after the baptizing. Rev. King and Rev. Bryant both

had to leave before the night service on account of other appointments.

Mrs. R. C. King, Mrs. Charlie Bryant and children and Mr. Williams of Abilene attended church at Bethel Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. S. Greenhill, Mrs. Paul Richardson, Murrell Crockett, Velma and Alma Lampy, Albert Koenig and Leon Greenhill, left for College Station Sunday morning to attend the short course.

Mr. John Widen and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Lewis White went to Paducah last week to visit relatives.

Mr. Will Koenig and family of Burkett, are here visiting Mr. Koenig's father and mother.

Mrs. W. F. McShan has purchased a new Whippet coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Rudder and children of Ballinger were at Beth-

el Sunday night to attend church.

Miss Lynnett and Evelyn Stokes were guests of Miss Ada Simmons Sunday.

Miss Ophelia Haynes went to Menard, last week to attend the encampment.

Mrs. Hall, the mother of Mr. Oscar Lee and the Misses Seals of Roaring Springs, visited the Lees last week.

Mr. Jeff Night and family of Winters, visited in the home of Mrs. H. G. Hays Sunday afternoon.

Dora Mae Smith has returned from Christoval, where she has been with her mother who is there for medical treatment. Mrs. Smith will remain in Christoval a few weeks longer.

Mr. C. A. Womack and family have moved back into the teacherage again. Mr. Womack realizes the value of a good place to live. This makes the third time he has come back to teach school in our community. The community also realizes the value of a good school teacher.

Mrs. John Batts and Maurine, were on the sick list last week.

Round Rock—Local cheese plant pays farmers of that section \$10,000 monthly for milk.

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PEACHES, Blue Ribbon, 2 lbs. 32c

PEAS, No. 2 can Le Grande 14c

COFFEE, Old Gold, 3 lbs. \$1.45

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Coleman Takes Series Opener

Ballinger dropped to a two-game lead in the West Texas League Thursday when the Bearcats were defeated by the Coleman Bobcats 8 to 2 in the opening game of the series. Harvey was touched for 3 hits, which included many extra base blows, and this coupled with five errors by his teammates was enough to win any game. While Coleman was getting all the long hits, Hinson let the Bearcats down with three singles, two by Bean and one by Fant. Four Coleman errors gave Ballinger their two runs following a hit and a walk.

Local fans who saw the game stated that it was a poor exhibition of baseball after the games that were played in Ballinger the past six days.

Skipper Hill was trying to give his pitching corps a much needed rest, and let Harvey go the full route. He will probably start a new hurler, Brendt, Friday, and will use Hanna or some other rookie Saturday. In case he can get by with such arrangement he will get home Sunday with Parker and Lybrand in good shape. The management is still looking the country over for a pitcher but at this season of the year they are hard to find.

The box score follows:

BALLINGER	AB	H	O	A
Kittrell, 1b	4	0	2	1
Sealing, 1f	5	0	0	1
Bean, 1b	4	2	12	1
E. Mueller, ss	3	0	2	5
Al Mueller, cf	3	0	2	5
Lynch, 2b	4	0	2	4
Decker, rf	4	0	2	6
Fant, c	3	1	1	1
Harvey, p	3	0	0	0
Parker	0	0	0	0
Parma	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	24	14

Parker batted for Harvey in ninth.
Parma batted for Kittrell in ninth.

COLEMAN	AB	H	O	A
Best, 1f	5	3	3	0
Carpenter, 2b	4	1	3	3
Bryan, cf	4	2	3	0
J. Moore, rf	3	1	2	0
Stebbins, 1b	4	2	8	0
Crumpton, 3b	4	2	1	2
Dawson, ss	3	0	3	4
T. Moore, c	4	2	4	0
Hinson, p	3	0	0	1
Totals	34	13	27	10

SCORE BY INNINGS:
Ballinger 000 000 020-2
Coleman 210 010 000-8

Summary—Runs: Best 3, Carpenter, Bryant, J. Moore, Stebbins, Dawson, Al Mueller, Parker. Errors: Best, Carpenter 2, Crumpton, Kittrell, Bean, E. Mueller, Fant, Harvey. Sacrifice hits: Carpenter, J. Moore, Hinson. Stolen base: Dawson. Double play: Lynch to E. Mueller to Bean. Two-base hits: Bryant, Carpenter. Three-base hits: Best, Stebbins, J. Moore. Home run: Best. Bases on balls: Hinson 4, Harvey 1. Umpires: Ballantant and Carson. Time: 1:35.

MISS EUGENIA BASKIN AN HONOR STUDENT AT T. C. U.

FT. WORTH, Aug. 2.—The name of Miss Eugenia Baskin, of Ballinger, sophomore in Texas Christian University during the long session, appears on the scholastic honor roll of the university for the spring semester, as just announced by E. R. Tucker, registrar of T. C. U.

A student to be eligible for the honor roll must be carrying at least nine hours in subjects that count toward a degree, make an index grade of 3.00, or an average of "B" and be passing in each subject carried.

Miss Baskin, who carried 15 hours of work, made an index grade of 3.40. A total of 329 students have their names on the honor roll for the spring term, 83 freshmen, 66 sophomores, 67 juniors, 88 seniors, 20 graduate students and 5 special students. Of the 329, there are 106 boys and 223 girls. Thirty students made a perfect grade of "A," only four of whom were boys and 26 were girls.

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Club	P	W	L	Pct.
Ballinger	34	20	14	.586
Coleman	34	18	16	.529
San Angelo	33	17	16	.515
Midland	33	17	16	.515
Big Spring	33	14	19	.424
Abilene	33	14	19	.424

Yesterday's Results:

Coleman 8, Ballinger 2
Midland 19, Big Spring 3

Today's Schedule:

Ballinger at Coleman
Big Spring at Midland

Playing Here Sunday:

San Angelo at Ballinger (double header)

Who They Are

Bill Bean, infielder—Bean is playing his second year of professional baseball. Last year he was with the Lubbock team and played first base for that team.

He is a heavy hitter, during the past season averaging 321 and clouting out 16 home runs. This season he has already bettered this mark and has hit over thirty-four fly bams.

Bean was manager of the Bearcats during the first half of the season, and played his regular position, having the worries of the team heaped onto his dark brown trousers.

He is twenty-five years old and lives at Snyder, Texas. He is single, but would consider a proposal and is ready to marry just any minute, he confessed to a teammate. During the winter he is a gentleman, according to his own statement.

Utility Co. 5; Garage Men 4

The West Texas Utilities Company baseball team defeated the team from the Sykes and Harwell motor companies in a five inning game Thursday by the score of 5 to 4. The game should have been a tie but for a wild decision of Umpire Bruce, who was calling bases. After Joe Huffman had hit the ball far into center field for a home run, Bruce called him out for cutting second base, when in reality the runner only missed the bag by a question of a few feet.

The fifth inning started with the score five-nothing in favor of the electrical men. The first two garage men up hit safe and Skipper A. R. Jones went in the game to pinch hit. After looking sick on a couple of strikes called by Blind Frank Dickey, Jones drove the peloty with all his might past short to score both runners. Jones stole from first base to home standing up, to show the fans a little speed on the paths. The next hitter got a clean blow and Huffman drove the ball to center for his famous home run to tie the score. "Nig" McCarver, Texas collegiate champion sprinter, was in center field and ran the ball down or Huffman would have had time to go back and touch second and score again. Manager Jones protested the game when Lefty Dooze went in to pitch for the hot wire men because he was using the wrong hand.

Playing features were numerous. "Strawberry" Brady made a perfect stop of Dooze's peg to third base with his upper lip and the game was halted for a while to allow Brady to check up on his upper teeth. Brady lost the ball

in the sun and Dooze scored a direct hit just under Brady's nose.

Huffman made a beautiful circular run after a high fly and drew a perfect circle around where the ball fell for a two-base hit.

MOVIES

"Talkies" Will Effect Screen Writers, Says Collier

William Collier, Jr., who has the featured role in "The Bachelor Girl," a Columbia picture synchronized with dialogue and music, coming to the Palace Theatre on Monday and Tuesday of next week, is one of the actors who remained perfectly calm as he heard the sound stages going up all about him. He had been trained on the legitimate stage and knew how to regulate his voice. Thus, when "talkies" made their debut, he was steps ahead of most screen stars because there are comparatively few players who had training on the legitimate stage before they branched into the movies.

Collier states that title and continuity writers have more to fear from the talking pictures than the actors. He says that in a year most stars will have mastered the art of voice control, but the writers are up against a tougher proposition. Collier points out that we do not talk the way we write. He says that while it is possible to be funny or sentimental one way when writing, the same words used in the form of dialogue would sound perfectly inane and ridiculous. According to Collier, many of our well-known title writers will be unable to bridge the gap between the two distinctly different arts.

BENOIT NEWS

Hot weather is stealthily creeping upon us, and with the coming of August we are expecting a real warm spell for the next few weeks, unless providence intervenes with a nice rain, which would be appreciated to cool off this summer air.

J. L. Green and wife have returned home, and were accompanied by Mr. Green's brother of McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stagger were visitors in the A. N. Hoffman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Horner, of San Angelo, and relatives of the writer, stopped by to see us Friday

on their way to Comanche to spend a few days.

Lee Dixon, wife and children, of Wall, were callers at Benoit Monday.

Some of the children of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Clayton surprised their parents Sunday, by gathering at the home with big baskets of eatables to celebrate with a birthday dinner honoring both their father and mother, coming as a complete surprise to Mrs. Clayton, and therefore was much more enjoyable to her. Ice cream was also served in connection with other refreshments. Those present were: O. C. Cox and family, Earl Clayton and family of Novice, Mr. and Mrs. Bates of Novice, Neal Clayton, wife and baby, of Maverick, Mrs. Walter Walker and children of San Antonio, C. M. Gibson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Clayton and mother, Misses Mary Evans and Cleo Hoffman.

Milton Gibson made a flying trip to Abilene Saturday, returning Sunday night.

Those who visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Spreen Sunday were: E. O. Lange, wife and son, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spreen, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stokes.

Miss Evelyn Hill, of Winters, is visiting her grandparents at Benoit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rumpy were visitors in the Tullos home Sunday evening.

"REPORTER"

TOKYO POLICE BAN TRANSPARENT GOWNS

(By International News Service)
TOKYO, Aug. 2.—Women's thin, transparent summer clothes will be banned by the police, according to a declaration of the Metropolitan Police Board, on the ground that they are injurious to public morals. Human models in show windows are also prohibited for a similar reason.

Some young women wear extremely thin and attractive clothes during summer, the police say and this is very undesirable as it leads men to crime. Kimonos with too attractive patterns will the police say, be banned.

Models, the police say, cannot be permitted to be seen from the streets because they attract too large crowds and interfere with traffic. Moreover, it is not desirable from a humanitarian viewpoint that girls should be exposed to public gaze like so many dolls.

The police, however, will permit the girls to be seen inside buildings

where they cannot be seen from outside.

The latest model to be banned by the police is said to be Miss Mitsuko Nitta, 24 years old, who was being shown at the show window of a drug store. Due to police interference she is now seen on the second floor of the store.

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FOREIGN NATIONS JOIN EDISON LIGHT JUBILEE

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Thirteen foreign nations have expressed a desire to join in Light's Golden Jubilee, to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of Thomas A. Edison's incandescent lamp on October 21, 1929.

Brazil, where "Edison Day" has been observed several times in the past on October 21, this year plans an occasion of importance appropriate to the world-wide tribute.

France, Italy, Sweden, Holland, China, Mexico and Germany are planning celebrations and Switzerland, Great Britain, Austria, Argentina, and Japan have signified intention of joining the tribute.

BLANTON NEWS

The majority of the farmers in this community are up with their work and all have fine prospects for a good crop.

Singing Sunday night was well attended and we must say those who missed it should have been there, for we surely had some good singing.

C. E. McMillan an dson, Troy, Misses Elva Foreman and Wilma Jones returned Saturday from California where they spent a very pleasant month with relatives. They also went to New Mexico and visited the Carlsbad Cavern.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. James spent Sunday with the Lester Dietz family, of Crews.

Mrs. T. L. Foreman and family returned Wednesday from Brownwood, where they had been visiting relatives.

Miss Anna Mae Wiltchier was a guest of Miss Lula Fowler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nunnely announce the arrival of a 10 1-2 baby boy, born July 24. He bears the name of James Alexander.

Mrs. A. W. Hill returned from a pleasant trip to Bell county last week. Her niece, Miss Katherine Walker returned with her to spend a few weeks.

Vernon James went to San Angelo Saturday. We expect to see him return in a new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lula Blocker are visiting Mrs. Blocker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Wood, this week.

Misses Maude James and Elva Foreman spent the day with Mrs. Hill Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Caffey and family, Mrs. T. L. Foreman and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blocker and C. E. McMillan visited in the S. T. Wood home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. D. C. Caffey returned from Rochelle, Texas, last Thursday where she had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Love, of San Angelo, visited J. A. Foreman and family Sunday. Miss Alice Foreman returned home with them to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brevard

visited in the Herring community Sunday.

"REPORTER"

100 Automobiles Are Sold in July

Automobile sales of new cars in Runnels county are less last month than the previous thirty days by about fifty cars. There were only 100 cars and trucks sold in July. Following is a list of new motor vehicles registered with the county tax collector:

- Fords**
Harwell Motor Co., 12
Nance-Brown Motor Co., 29
Miles Motor Co., 5
Home Motor Co., Bronte, 1
Patrick Chevrolet Co., 1
- DeSotos**
Hoover Motor Co., 1
- Pontiacs**
Alamo Auto Sales Co., 3
Ballinger Auto Co., 3
- Plymouths**
E. F. Batts, 2
- Buicks**
Rudd Motor Co., 1
Marquettes
Rudd Motor Co., 1
- Chevrolts**
Healer Chevrolet Co., 19
C. & C. Motor Co., 9
Patrick Chevrolet Co., 11
Georgetown Motor Co., 1
- Buick & Gleim, 1**
- Whippets**
Sykes Motor Co., 5
Willis-Knights
Sykes Motor Co., 5
- Dodges**
Home Motor Co., 3
- Durants**
Home Motor Co., 1
- Trucks**
Harwell Motor Co., 4
Nance-Brown Motor Co., 2
Miles Motor Co., 2
Cape Garage, 1
Healer Chevrolet Co., 5

BATTLE RAGES OVER ANCIENT ELM TREES

(By International News Service)

BOSTON, Aug. 2.—Four English elms on the Boston Common which have grown up with Boston during the past three centuries are now the center of a torrid battle being waged by the park commission against the city art commission.

A recent recommendation of the art commission, headed by Charles R. Greco, calls for the removal of four large elms surrounding the Shaw memorial. The contention of the commission is that the magnificent spread of the trees shut off the view from the state house facade to people on the Boylston Street mall. The Bullfinch architecture of the capital, the commission points out, demands a long clear avenue of approach in order to appear to best advantage. The heavy foliage of the massive elms stands between the mall and the State House, destroying the vista which would be afforded by the removal of the trees.

Cyrus Dallin, famous sculptor and member of the art commission, explained that the mall was originally designed to afford a view of the State House from Tremont Street. Here is a logical place," he said, "for a vista of unparalleled beauty. The removal of the trees is demanded by artistic standards."

The park commissioners, however, are more willing to fracture artistic standards than destroy the magnificent elms. They are in perfect condition and the commissioners are proud of them.

ANCIENT VILLAGES UNCOVERED BY WIND

(By International News Service)

WESTERLAND-ON-SYLT, Aug. 2.—The wind from the sea, which is now gradually shifting a dune on the Baltic coast in East Prussia

and uncovering an ancient village, is also doing the same thing on the North sea island of Sylt.

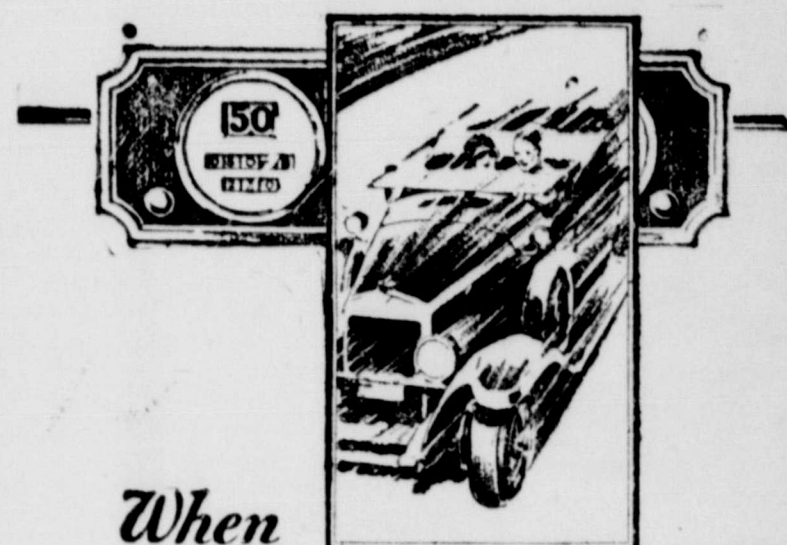
On the northing tip of the island it has laid bare part of a settlement dating from the ninth or tenth century. The finds already disclosed includes pottery of a kind manufactured by Rhenish potters in the period between 800 and 1,000, and also articles dating from the 14th century, showing that the settlement must have existed at least 500 years before being covered by the shifting sands of the dunes.

It is probable that the settlement was the medieval Lystum or List.

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NEW CONNECTICUT LAW TAKES TAX OFF TIMBER

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 2.—Connecticut now has a law which abates taxes on land that is being used to raise timber as a matter of investment, and owners, since July 1, when the law went into effect, have been registering their property as used for such specially registered land, only the land itself is to be taxed, and that at a low rate. And the owner may cut such wood and use it as he pleases without the state mulcting him therefor. The state hopes to increase the timber that its citizens raise.



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