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Three Deaths Laid to Eternal Triangle

WILSON WILL NOT BE U. S. DELEGATE AT CONFERENCE

Harding Turns Thumbs Down on Proposal; Underwood Considered.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Woodrow Wilson and those who supported him most strongly in his fight for the League of Nations have been eliminated from consideration for the Democratic member of the disarmament conference. In administration circles it was made plain that Wilson, who was suggested by Senator King of Utah, would not be named. At the same time, it was regarded as unlikely that President Harding would go to the other extreme and select any Democrat who had openly opposed the league, because of the danger of eliminating the Democratic support he is now receiving on the conference.

The process of elimination has so far progressed as to make the names of Senator Underwood of Alabama, and Senator Pomerene of Ohio, stand out as the most likely Democratic candidates.

AGREE WITH LLOYD GEORGE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Lloyd George's statement in the house of commons that a settlement of Pacific affairs must precede the disarmament conference found agreement here today.

This government considers such a settlement would be in every way desirable, it was stated in authoritative quarters here today.

LIBRARY ASKS THAT CITIZENS GIVE OLD BOOKS

An appeal is being sent out by the library for more books. It is asked that those who have books which they have read to donate them to the library. If the appeal finds a ready response, it is expected many books valuable to a library will be added to the present collection of 2,800 volumes.

It is said most persons who buy books, read them and then throw them into the discard or loan them to a friend and they are never returned. It is to this class of readers that the library is appealing for their more books.

The library has been opened for several days and is becoming more and more patronized. However, many volumes inquired for are not found on the shelves because the majority of the books are from a war library and are mostly fiction popular during the war.

Donations of sets of classics would be especially welcome, those in charge say.

GULF PRODUCTION'S NORTH TEXAS OFFICES MOVED TO WICHITA

WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 19.—Announcement was made here today by officials of the Gulf Production company that the North Texas headquarters of the company and associated interests will be moved from Fort Worth to Wichita Falls in as short time as possible. The move will bring 100 men, officials and clerks, to this city.

The new offices will occupy three floors of the Bob Waggoner building.

"Mex" Gets Place in Hall of Fame; Forges Check on Closed First Nat'l, Cashes It With Yiddish Gent

To forge a check on the closed First National bank, get the money and get away with it, is one of the exploits of a dark skinned brother who came from the republic just south of us. And to make the story more strange, the check was cashed by a gentleman of a decidedly Yiddish accent.

With a sang froid which would make our best platform lecturers envious, the Mexican forged the name of a local firm of contractors to the check—drawn on the closed bank after it had been closed four months—and asked the merchant to cash it. He did, after a purchase of merchandise by the Mexican. The consideration was $15.

RAILWAY MEN WIN DECISION ON WORK RULES

Overtime Pay and Working Conditions Are Upheld By Board.

By United Press

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Rail employes of the country won a smashing victory today in a far reaching decision by the United States labor board.

The decision upheld seven of the important rulings of the national agreement, granted workers while the roads were under federal control, applying to the federated shop crafts.

The principle of the eight-hour day was upheld.

The ruling grants men time and one-half overtime for Sunday and holiday work.

The men are also given time and a half after eight hours.

The decision upheld important national agreements concerning the hours and working conditions of the workers while they are on the roads, in yards and in terminals.

Although the decision was considered one of the greatest victories ever won, an opinion dissenting from the majority statement was filed by A. O. Wharton, labor member.

DYNAMITE CAP CAUSES INJURY TO 4-YEAR-OLD

The 4-year-old son of Jim Murphy yesterday afternoon in some manner became possessed of a dynamite cap and is said to have exploded it by striking it with a stone.

The explosion painfully injured the child about the face and arms, but not seriously, according to Dr. Harry Logsdon who was called.

KU KLUX SENDS MONEY TO FORT WORTH WIDOW

FORT WORTH, Aug. 19.—A messenger boy today delivered $62.50 to a local newspaper with the instructions it be delivered in the name of the Ku Klux Klan to Mrs. Sally Roberts, a widow whose home burned recently. A similar sum was delivered to the Fort Worth Welfare association in the name of the Klan.

HELP WANTED

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 19.—"A little help would come in handy," wrote J. C. Wingard of Hammond, Ind., in a letter to Governor McCray asking if the state gave aid to the parents of triplets.

ENGLAND HAS GONE LIMIT IN TERMS TO IRISH

Parliament Told Further Concessions Would Be Impossible.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Lloyd George in the house of commons and Marquis Curzon in the house of lords today told the British parliament that the government had gone the limit in its offer to Ireland.

"The government has gone the limit in concessions to Ireland," Marquis Curzon declared. The British foreign minister continued:

"The only possible criticism of the terms is that they are too generous. We have offered all that is possible without compromising the safety of the realm, the sovereignty of the crown and the unity of the empire.

"It is inconceivable that Ireland should consent to a resumption of the quarrel," Curzon continued. "Separation would infallibly mean the economic ruin of Ireland.

Will Not Back Up.

"If the government is challenged, it will not quail before the difficult task."

While Curzon was telling the lords that the government had gone to the extreme limit in its offers, Premier Lloyd George reported to the commoners that "the government has already said all it has to say in its letters to de Valera."

The premier warned an anxious house that there was great danger of misrepresentation and misunderstanding at the present stage of negotiations.

"The Irish atmosphere is full of suspicion," he said. The British government is sincere in its desire for peace in Ireland, the premier concluded.

This was Lloyd George's final message to the house of commons before it adjourned. In the event of a final rejection of the terms by the Dail Eireann ,thereby ending hope of negotiation, he said that it would be necessary for the executive council to consult with the commons and secure its approval of steps which the government proposes to take.

RAILROADS REFUSE DEMANDS OF LABOR

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Western railroad executives refused to meet the demands of the "Big Four" brotherhoods for the withdrawal of wage reductions and overtime decreases following a conference here Thursday.

The executives announced that they could not meet the demands of the employes on the grounds that they were inimical with "the public's interest in economical operation and resultant lower freight and passenger rates."

The railroads also declined to promise that they would not ask further decrease in railroad wages.

"There is a demand on the part of the public for reductions in freight and passenger rates," it was stated, "and such reduction can not be made under present labor costs."

TWO HELD WHILE WACO OFFICERS PROBE MYSTERY

Man's Wife and Baby Die Suddenly, Woman's Husband Killed Under Suspicious Circumstances.

By United Press

WACO, Aug. 19—White Rock cemetery yielded up one of its dead today and the eternal triangle loomed again as the body of Mrs. W. T. Avens was removed from the tiny cemetery for an examination.

Mrs. Avens died on the night of July 5, after telling a sister, a resident of Fort Worth, she expected to be poisoned.

Soon after his wife's death, W. T. Avens, a section foreman for the M., K. & T. railroad at Elm Mott, invited one of his section hands, Leslie Keys, 22 years old, and his young wife to share the section house with him. They accepted. On the night of Aug. 6, Keys was killed by a train near the section house. The train crew reported he was lying on the track, apparently seriously injured, and they saw him move just before the train hit him. A bloody trail leading to the track was found. A bloodsoaked stone was another link in the evidence found by the officers.

The third death in the triangle occurred when the five-month-old baby of Mrs. Avens died, two weeks after the death of its mother. Avens declared he awoke one morning and found the child dead.

Yesterday Avens and the young woman were arrested charged with murder. The young woman was taken into custody near Wylie. Avens was found at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. L. Taylor, near McKinney. They are being brought here for trial. The warrants were issued from justice court here.

CHILD ACTORS GIVE RECEIPTS TO MILK FUND

A play was written, staged and acted Wednesday afternoon by two girls and two boys, all under ten years old. The proceeds of $5.30 were donated to the Milk and Ice fund. The theatre was the plant of the McElroy Plate Glass company. The audience consisted of four men and a crowd of small children. The actresses, stage hands, and playwrights were: Evaline McNary, Martha McNary, Tom Haifly and Sturgeon McElroy.

The curtain went up promptly at 2 o'clock.

MADELYNNE'S HUBBY WILL GET CHANCE TO TELL WHAT HE KNOWS

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 19.—Ralph E. Obenchain, the former husband of Mrs. Madelynne Obenchain, may be called before the Los Angeles county grand jury to tell what he knows, if anything, about the Kennedy murder, Asa Keyes, deputy district attorney announced today following the publication of interviews which quoted Obenchain as saying "the real criminal" will be produced in five days.

"Obenchain knows who killed Kennedy and the district attorney's office would like to know also," Keyes said.

PETTY THIEVING HERE SHOWS DAILY INCREASE

Petty thieving is becoming more and more prevalent each day. During the past two or three days several thefts of small articles and two of greater magnitude have been reported to the police.

Yesterday, some time during the daylight hours, thieves entered the home of B. F. Gilmore, on Bowie street, and stole two silk shirts and a suit of men's clothing.

On the day before a heavy set of oil field harness was stolen from the barn of J. T. Brooks. Mr. Brooks has offered a reward of $20 for the return of the harness.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19—China's formal acceptance of President Harding's invitation to participate in the discussion of Pacific and Far Eastern questions here, was received Thursday at the state department.

Pop-Eyed Folk Watch Firemen Swap Yarns While Building Burns; Action was "By Request"

Hundreds of folks today, in cars and afoot, burned the pavement of Austin street to be first to reach a blaze which at 1 o'clock was leaping high, just north of the business district. When the crowd arrived the fire department was calmly sitting around swapping yarns and watching the building burn.

"What the —ell to they mean?" was the question that passed from lip to lip.

When cornered, Fire Chief Murphy explained that the department, at the request of the insurance company, had fired the ruins of the J. R. Looney home, which burned several days ago. "It was a fire hazard," Murphy said, "and needed to be destroyed."

HAS RIVAL

United Press.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—Roy Howard alleges in a petition for divorce that his wife slept with her Persian cat, despite his protests.

DIAMONDS ARE RECOVERED FOR WICHITA OIL MAN

Hijackers Took Them From Him in Hotel Robbery; Woman Held.

DALLAS, Aug. 19—Five thousand dollars' worth of diamonds taken from A. B. Huey, oil man, in a Wichita Falls hotel several weeks ago, were expected to be recovered today by the authorities.

Diamonds valued at $3,500 have been recovered here and the remainder are said to be hidden in Houston. Detectives were in Houston today with a young woman who is being held in connection with the robbery and who has promised to reveal the hiding place of the jewels.

Three highwaymen held up Huey in his room and took the diamonds and several hundred dollars in money. The young woman is alleged to have brought the diamonds here, where some of them were pawned.

SCORES SEEK PERMISSION TO MAKE BEER

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The desk of Federal Prohibition Commissioner Haynes was flooded today with applications from scores of breweries for permission to manufacture beer for use as medicine.

Meanwhile, the house and senate conferees were deadlocked on the anti-medical beer bill, without any signs of getting together. The senate conferees insisted on the Stanley amendment to the anti-beer bill which would penalize prohibition officers who search private dwellings without a warrant, while house representatives want the amendment modified.

COOPER-HENDERSON CO. TO HAVE NEW PRESIDENT

BRECKENRIDGE, Aug. 19.—R. H. Henderson, former vice president of the Cooper-Henderson company, consolidated, succeeds C. E. Cooper, president of the company as active head and controlling stockholder, effective Monday. The Cooper-Henderson company is the largest independent producer in the Breckenridge field. It is a $10,000,000 corporation having started with a $3,600 investment, slightly more than two years ago. The board of directors, composed of many Texas men of note, as well as from California, Arizona and New York, will meet in this city Monday to formally make the appointment of Mr. Henderson as president. Both Mr. and Mrs. Cooper have been in ill health of late and are in the care of physicians at Detroit at the present, is the cause of the former senior member selling his controlling interest. It is understood that Secretary Treasurer C. J. Dexter will succeed as vice president.

MASSACHUSETTS CROWD TRIES TO LYNCH NEGROES

Citizens' Wrath Is Aroused by Assault on Girl and Escort.

BARNSTABLE, Mass., Aug. 19.—A crowd of angry citizens, armed with axes, crowbars and sledge hammers, marched on the county jail here today and demanded that the authorities hand over three negro men whom they intended to lynch for an alleged brutal attack on Miss Helen Butler and her escort, on a lonely Cape Cod road. Jail authorities refused to surrender the prisoners.

The demonstrators were about to storm the jail in the hope of dragging the men out when guards fired volleys into the air. The crowd fell back and within an hour had dispersed.

CLOUDBURST FLOODS TOWN IN NEW MEXICO

LAS CRUCES, N. M., Aug. 19.—The 500 residents of Hatch, N. M., north of here, who were forced to flee their homes yesterday morning when a wall of water formed by a cloudburst in the foothills swept down upon their town, are being cared for by the people of the surrounding country, according to word received here today.

Some of the residents have returned to their homes and have started cleaning up. Damage is believed to have been slight. No lives were lost and most of the livestock was taken to safety in the hills.

Residents familiar with the watershed had ample warning of the flood. The damage is confined largely to clothing and personal effects. After the first wall of water, the flood ran into creeks and small rivers and no damage is reported further down.

SCOTCH BOYS WIN TRIP WITH ANTARCTIC SHIP

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Two Scotch boy scouts will shortly embark on a cruise of adventure which their comrades throughout the world daily dream about, for Sir Ernest H. Shackleton, Anarctic explorer, selected them among ten competitors to accompany him in his coming Antarctic expedition as cabin boys aboard his ship, the Quest. The ship will sail about Sept. 1 and will be gone two years.

OIL GOES UP 25C BUT PRICE PAID IS NOT POSTED

All Companies Said to Have Agreed on Bonus, But no Increase Is Announced.

Several pipe line companies around Breckenridge have agreed to pay a bonus of 25 cents on oil according to reliable information. The bonus has been ranging from 10 to 25 cents, it is said, and to stop competition the companies agreed for each to pay the 25 cents additional. It is not known which companies are paying the increase, but it is said the Sinclair is numbered among the large ones.

The rumor was current in Ranger today that an increase of that amount in price had been posted but this was later denied, by the large companies which have offices in Ranger.

To many, the action of paying a bonus appears to be a rift in the oil depression. On the street it is accepted as evidence that shortly the posted price will be at $1.25—which it is now, including the bonus—and from that point it will steadily rise.

BRENHAM MAN SERIOUSLY HURT AT TAR PARTY

REWARD OFFERED FOR HODDE'S ASSAILANTS

By United Press

BRENHAM, Aug. 19—The Texas Law and Order league today stepped into the "mob justice" question. The league has offered $1,000 reward for the unmasked men who yesterday kidnapped A. W. Hodde, prominent attorney, and after beating and tarring him ordered him to leave town, according to a telegram at Houston received by Hodde today. The telegram advised Hodde to remain in Brenham and said the league had wired asking for an investigation of the case.

TWO ARE ATTACKED.

BRENHAM, Texas, Aug. 19.—Two well known Brenham citizens have been kidnapped by unmasked men.

A. W. Hodde, 30 years old, a lawyer and graduate of the Texas University, was seized in his office at 11:30 o'clock Friday morning by four unmasked men. He was taken in an automobile to a spot about four miles from Brenham and given a coat of tar and whipped. Hodde returned to Brenham at 2:30 this afternoon and said his abductors were strangers. He was told to leave town but said that he was undecided what to do.

Joe B. Guybon, 60 years old, was seized by three unmasked men about 6 o'clock Wednesday evening and taken three miles from the city, where he was administered a coat of tar and a severe beating. Guybon is in a serious condition and grave fears are felt for his recovery.

Hodde has a wife and baby. About a month ago he was warned to leave Brenham but paid no heed to the warning.

Guybon formerly was a deputy sheriff and constable and served as a peace officer in this county for a number of years. He received a warning to leave town about the middle of June. He left Brenham after receiving the warning, but returned ten days later. Guybon said his abductors were strangers to him and he had never seen them before.

TOOK THE HINT.

M'KINNEY, Aug. 19.—A second warning to leave town, alleged to bear the signature of a secret organization, received by R. L. Brooks, negro compress hand, today proved effective. Brooks left.

PIERCE GEOLOGIST PREDICTS THIRTY YEARS OF DRILLING HERE

W. T. Griswold of northeast Pennsylvania, and E. P. Hammitt of Pittsburgh, representing large oil interests of the East, were in Ranger yesterday.

Mr. Griswold, who made a favorable report upon this field for the Pierce Oil corporation before oil was discovered, was much impressed with the progress of Ranger since the time when he first came here and saw it as a quiet little village. He represented the Pierce people in passing upon leases during the oil rush in West Texas, with headquarters in Fort Worth, and also spent two years in South America to make geological reports for interests desiring holdings there.

Thirty Years Yet.

Speaking of the future of the Ranger fields and their development, he said:

"So far from this field being now drilled up and passed into the stage of a pumping proposition, it is now just about where West Virginia was twenty years ago. There will be new pools of profitable production discovered and developed in Comanche, Eastland, Stephens and adjoining counties for the next thirty years.

"In fact this field has now only reached the point where wildcat drilling can be intelligently done, for the operator, if he knows his business, can avail himself of data from wells drilled from which his deductions may be of aid to him, whereas in undeveloped territory he can have only surface indications.

"The great increase in production in Oklahoma during the past few years, and that in the discovery of new and heavy production within the area of fields that had seemed to be settled production is an illustration of what I mean in regard to the vast undeveloped oil resources yet available in this section."

COINCIDENCE BUTTS IN; OIL MAN ABOUT TO BUY OWN 'LOST' ARTICLE

Coincidence, the strong ally of fiction writers, yesterday led to the recovery of an oil well screw valued at $140 and today will probably lead to the arrest of a man to whom it had been entrusted and who said he lost it, when in reality, it is said, he hid the article and later made an offer to sell it.

The oil well appliance, among other articles, was purchased from a local supply house and given to a man to carry to Caddo. When he reached his destination, he claimed the screw had been lost from his car.

Wednesday, however, the same man approached Bob Hunt, street improvement foreman, and offered to sell him the appliance, or give him a commission if he could find a buyer.

Yesterday, purely through accident, Hunt heard the contractor say he had to buy a screw and he immediately offered to sell the one of which he knew. The conversation developed the belief that Hunt was trying to sell the contractor his own property.

Last night, in company with Deputy Sheriffs Barnes and Edmonson and Patrolman Jim Hunt, Bob Hunt went into Stephens county to buy the article, and its recovery was effected. The man alleged to have stolen it was not found, but a friend of his, who made the deal with Hunt, was placed in jail.

BASEBALL, TRAP-SHOOTING, ALL SPORTS

TIMES SPORT PAGE

ALL THE NEWS OF THE WEST TEXAS LEAGUE

WOUNDED VETS SEE FIGHT FILM

Rickard Again Under Arrest for Transporting Them; to See Landis.

By United Press

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Tex Rickard, fight promoter, is to have a little chat with Judge K. M. Landis soon.

Rickard is out on $10,000 bond for bringing here Dempsey-Carpentier fight pictures into Illinois and is subject to a fine of $1,000 or a year in jail. He was fined in New York for taking the pictures from New Jersey.

The first exhibition here was for the benefit of wounded soldiers. The public comes next.

The federal warrant for the arrest of Rickard followed his showing the Dempsey-Carpentier fight pictures to wounded service men at a government hospital here, it was stated by Edward J. Brennan, chief of the department of justice investigators here.

Rickard will be charged with transporting the films in violation of interstate commerce regulations. He brought them here from New York.

The famous promoter merely smiled when told that a warrant would be issued for his arrest.

"Let them go as far as they like," he said. The complaint was made by a woman's organization. Rickard and his attorneys went to see John W. Clinnin, first assistant district attorney.

It was believed that the famous promoter will be fined $1,000, as he was in New York, after which he will be able to show the pictures in any part of the state, as he can not be arrested twice for the same offense. He may also be liable to a $1,000 fine in every state between New York and Chicago, which he naturally had to cross in getting here.

The service men out at the Forty-seventh street hospital would like to pay Rickard's fine, they testified Thursday.

"It was the best time we have had in a year," they agreed, after the film showing Dempsey knocking the French fighter for a row of sour apple trees had flickered to a finish.

WEST TEXAS

BALLINGER, Aug. 19.—The Bearcats walloped the Bronchos, 7 to 1, Thursday, the visitors scoring only one run in the first, when Truesdale hit for a double.

Score by innings:

San Angelo .....100 000 000—1
Ballinger .....321 000 01x—7

Batteries—Cocke, Weber and Reynolds; Green and Browning.

ABILENE WINS FROM STAMFORD, SCORE 7-1

STAMFORD, Aug. 19—A home run by Carson kept the Abilene team of the West Texas league from shutting out the local independents Thursday, 7 to 1. The largest crowd of the season witnessed the locals play its first game with the leaguers. Anderson of Abilene held the independents at his mercy.

WITH EX-NITROS

Jody Tate's two-base rap put the runs across the pan that won from Paris, yesterday, 2 to 1.

Johnny Singleton played third base for Ballinger yesterday and was lead-off man in the batting order. He got no hits but appears to have drawn some passes, as he was only up twice. He stole a base, scored a run and made an error.

INJURED ATHLETIC PLAYER IMPROVED

CLEVELAND, Aug. 19.—"Johnny Walker is resting easy," said a bulletin from Lakeside hospital, where the injured Philadelphia ball player was taken after his accident at Dunn Field when he was hit on the head by a line drive from Jamieson's bat.

He suffered considerably from pains in the head during the night. An X-Ray examination disclosed that there was no fracture as was at first feared.

WASHINGTON GETS BUSH FROM TIGERS BY WAIVER

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—Donnie Bush, for thirteen years a mainstay in the Detroit infield, will go to Washington by the waiver route, Ban Johnson, president of the American league, announced here Thursday. New York also wanted Bush, but the Senators won the draw. President Johnson stopped over here en route from Chicago to Excelsior Springs, Mo.

NEW YORK GIRL FIRST TO TEST MLLE. LENGLEN



Miss Eleanor Goss, of the West Tennis club, New York, who will meet Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen in the French girl's first match in the United States. They will meet in the opening round of the Women's National Championship tournament at the West Side Tennis club, Forest Hills, L. I.

SPORT GOSSIP

By JACK VEIOCK.
International News Service.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Tristram Speaker, manager of the world's champion Cleveland Indians, deserves a world of credit for the manner in which he has built and operated his ball club.

Sir Tris is the original emergency man. He is always there in a pinch. He can dig up talent when he needs it in a way that is nothing short of uncanny. He is a builder. He is a manager who gets 100 per cent out of every player on his team. He knows how to handle men.

These are the reasons why Cleveland's champs rose above the rank and file of second division teams soon after Speaker took hold of them. And for the same reasons the 1921 Indians have been setting the pace in the American league ever since the season opened.

Two-Team Race.

Prior to the beginning of the pennant race it was apparent to the "talent" that the Indians and the New York Yankees were destined to be very much in the spotlight. They have made the race a two-team affair almost from the beginning and they are slated to fight it out tooth and nail right down to the last gasp of the season, according to present indications.

In such a fight for the pennant sustained winning power and morale are going to count heavily. In this respect the Indians have it on the Yanks. Miller Huggins' team bristles with class. It is powerful in hitting and it has great pitching strength, too. But for some reason or other the Yanks seem unable to take and hold a winning stride. They win often and by sizable scores. But they are prone to falter in the pinches and, worst of all, they have a habit of going completely to pieces before some of the weakest clubs in the league.

Eighth-Inning Rallies.

The Indians, on the other mitten, never know when they are beaten. All clubs look alike to them. They batter their way to victory in many a game that looks hopelessly lost. They have won more games with late inning rallies than any other club in the two major leagues, and through it all the fire and spirit of Tris Speaker stands out like a beacon. Tris, in himself is an inspiration to his men. In the field he performs marvels. At the bat he is a demon. He sets an example for his men by doing everything well. His nimbleness and ginger make a joke of the silver that is sprinkled through his hair and his quick brain and solid baseball sense enable him to keep a mental jump or two ahead of most of his rival managers.

Perhaps the Indians will be beaten to the wire by the Yanks. They may lose out to a club that abounds with power. But they surely will go down fighting like heroes and the team that finishes ahead of them will know it has been in a pennant race.

DUNDEE IS NO QUITTER.

Johnny Dundee is something like the brook. He doesn't seem to know when it is time to quit. He is a sort of perpetual motion man.

As far back as a year ago the fistic critics were agreed that Johnny was at the end of his rope as a fighter. He tried four or five times to whip Benny Leonard but could never succeed. Every time he met the Bronx boy he got a worse trimming, but he was always ready to come back for more and he still has hopes of standing over Leonard while the referee tolls off a fatal count of ten.

Jawn's chances of ever realizing his fondest hope are very slim but this does not detract from his qualities as a scrapper. Few tougher or more consistent lightweights have ever broke into the game in this country than Dundee and he will be fighting for a number of years to come unless present signs fail. The Scotch Wop owns several thoroughbred race horses, which are very expensive pets. Quite often he finds that the upkeep of his horses is greater than what they can win for him and he hops right into the ring to dig out enough cash to carry his stable along. It's a gay life for Dundee.

LARRY GOES TO NASHVILLE.

NASHVILLE, Aug. 19.—Larry Doyle, former second baseman and letter received from him by National league club, has signed as player-manager of the Nashville Southern association club and will take charge of the team Saturday.

HOW THEY STAND

WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Teams—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Sweetwater	39	23	16	.590
Abilene	38	20	18	.526
Ballinger	40	20	20	.500
San Angelo	39	18	21	.462

Thursday's Results.

Ballinger 7, San Angelo 1.
Only game scheduled.

Friday's Schedule.

Sweetwater at Abilene.
San Angelo at Ballinger.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Teams—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Wichita Falls	39	28	11	.718
Fort Worth	38	28	15	.651
Dallas	43	26	17	.605
Houston	42	22	20	.524
Shreveport	41	17	24	.415
Beaumont	42	17	25	.405
Galveston	40	15	25	.375
San Antonio	40	12	28	.300

Thursday's Results.

Fort Worth 5, Beaumont 1.
Wichita Falls 17, San Antonio 2.
Houston 4, Shreveport 3.
Dallas 7-4, Galveston 2-5.

Friday's Schedule.

Fort Worth at Galveston.
Wichita Falls at Houston.
Dallas at Beaumont.
Shreveport at San Antonio.

TEXAS-OKLAHOMA LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Teams—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Paris	52	36	16	.692
Ardmore	52	33	19	.635
Mineral Wells	51	25	26	.490
Sherman	50	21	29	.420
Bonham	51	20	31	.392
Cleburne	51	18	33	.353

Thursday's Results.

Cleburne 5, Mineral Wells 4.
Ardmore 2, Paris 1.
Bonham 3, Sherman 1.

Friday's Schedule.

Cleburne at Mineral Wells.
Paris at Ardmore.
Bonham at Sherman.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Teams—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	108	67	41	.621
Cleveland	113	70	43	.621
Washington	114	61	54	.530
St. Louis	112	56	56	.500
Boston	109	53	56	.486
Detroit	115	52	63	.452
Chicago	112	47	65	.420
Philadelphia	112	42	70	.375

Thursday's Results.

Boston 6-5, Detroit 5-0.
Philadelphia 6, Cleveland 4.
Chicago 7, New York 6.
Washington 13, St. Louis 1.

Friday's Schedule.

Washington at St. Louis.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Teams—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburg	112	72	40	.643
New York	115	68	46	.596
Boston	110	63	47	.572
Brooklyn	115	61	54	.530
St. Louis	111	55	56	.495
Cincinnati	113	50	63	.442
Chicago	113	46	67	.407
Philadelphia	113	37	76	.327

Thursday's Results.

Pittsburg 4-3, Philadelphia 3-2.
Brooklyn 11-4, St. Louis 5-1.
Cincinnati 4, New York 3.
Boston 9, Chicago 8. (Called in the seventh inning).

Friday's Schedule.

St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.

HOW IT HAPPENED

TEXAS LEAGUE.

The Fort Worth Panthers continued their winning streak yesterday by beating Beaumont the third straight game, 5 to 1. They made no gain in standing, however, as Wichita Falls massacred San Antonio after dropping two straight. Dallas lost a little ground by splitting a double-header with Galveston. Houston beat Shreveport for the third time by the same score, 4 to 3.

At Beaumont, Pate held the Exporters to three hits, while Scott cracked in the middle rounds. Stellbaur, recently purchased from Nashville, joined the Cats and played left field. Chink Taylor was moved over to center and Cecil Coombs drew the bench assignment. He is said to have a sore arm. Art Phelan, the Panther utility man, seems to have drawn a permanent assignment in right field, at least so long as he continues to bust the apple. He pinch-blowed for the first tally yesterday, as he did the day before.

San Antonio tried two rookie pitchers on the Spudders and they were hammered to all parts of the lot. Eighteen hits totaled twenty-nine bases and Wichita counted seventeen runs.

Dallas broke even without Ham Patterson's managing or Jim Galloway's mauling. Jim will be out of the game probably for a week, on account of a thrown ball hitting him on the arm and badly bruising it. The Marines took the first game easily, 7 to 2, but lost the second because of the terrific hitting of Dutch Schliebner. His homer was the finishing touch on a four-run rally and he also lined out two doubles.

Houston won in the eleventh, after tying the count in the ninth. Bird forced in one of the two runs needed to tie, in the ninth, and after Craft had relieved him, Eibel's error allowed another to sift across.

BABE'S FORTY-SIXTH

Babe Ruth knocked his forty-sixth homer yesterday, being the second in successive days at the White Sox park. However, Chicago nosed out the Yanks, 7 to 6. Cleveland's loss to the lowly Athletics enabled New York to hold a tie for the top. Chicago beat New York by successful use of pinch rappers in the eighth, when three runs scored. Philadelphia got an early lead by pounding Sothoron and also hit Uhle hard. They compiled sixteen hits to eleven for Cleveland. Speaker hit a three-bagger and two singles out of five trips to the plate.

The Red Sox took a double-header from Detroit, 6-5 and 5-0. They used two pinch hitters and a sub base-runner in putting across the tying run in the first game, and won out in the eleventh round. In the second game, Jones held the Tigers to seven scattered hits and no scores, while errors and passes enabled Boston to count five times on the same number of safeties.

Washington swamped the Browns, 13 to 1. Dixie Davis, who recently held the Nationals hitless for nine innings of a nineteen-inning game, was driven from the box in the first round. He was maced for a home run and three singles.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburgh forged further to the front by taking a double-header from Philadelphia while New York lost to Cincinnati. Brooklyn also took a double bill from St. Louis. Boston nosed out the Chicagoans, 9 to 8, in a game ended in the seventh by a thunderstorm. There was no outstanding features.

IT MAY NOT BE LIVELY, BUT LORDY! IT TRAVELS

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—With nearly one-third of the season yet to be played, National league sluggers already have rolled up 102 more home runs than they made during the entire season of 1920. The four homers cracked yesterday by Kelly and Bancroft of the New York Giants and Gibson and J. Scott of the Boston Braves brought the total to date up to 363. Last year's total for the entire season was 261.

The American leaguers, despite the services of Babe Ruth, are trailing the Nationals by one circuit clout, with a total to date of 362. The American total last season was 368.

Ruth, with 45 homers, is 25 ahead of his nearest rival, Kelly of the Giants, and needs only ten more to beat his last year's record. He is eighteen days ahead of his 1920 stride, and has forty-seven more games in which to garner the ten.

LUCKY DOG.

"The only friend Withers has in the whole wide world is his dog."

"Yes, and it is beginning to tell on him."

"What, on Withers?"

"No, on his dog."—Life.

EXTRA TOUGH SCHEDULE FACES BAYLOR U. BEARS

WACO, Aug. 19.—When Coach Cavanaugh invades the Dallas Fair on Oct. 15, with his Boston college football team he will go up against perhaps one of the most evenly and well-balanced teams in the south. Coach Bridges' Bears, although possessing one or two players that stand out above the average in Texas today, do not boast of stars.

This is Bridges' second year with the Bears and since all but two of last year's players will be back, the coach is well acquainted with his men and knows exactly what each can do.

Jerome K. Reid who has been a consistent player with the Bears for the last three years, will captain the team. Reid has received mention as all-state tackle. Perhaps the outstanding player and the one who will be watched with greatest care will be Quarterback Bradshaw, who displayed exceptional ability with the Cub team last year. Steinie Strickland will be back again this year, which gives the Bears two of the strongest quarterbacks in the state. With the nucleus the Baylor team has to start with this season a hard fight is promised in the Southwestern Conference.

HORSE MISSING.

A horse wearing a saddle was tied last night at sundown to a rack near Ross mule barn. Two hours later the horse was gone, leaving no trace. This morning no clew as to his disappearance had been found. The police have been notified. The supposition is that some wayfarer became tired of walking and decided to ride. However, it is considered possible the horse could have become loosed and wandered away.

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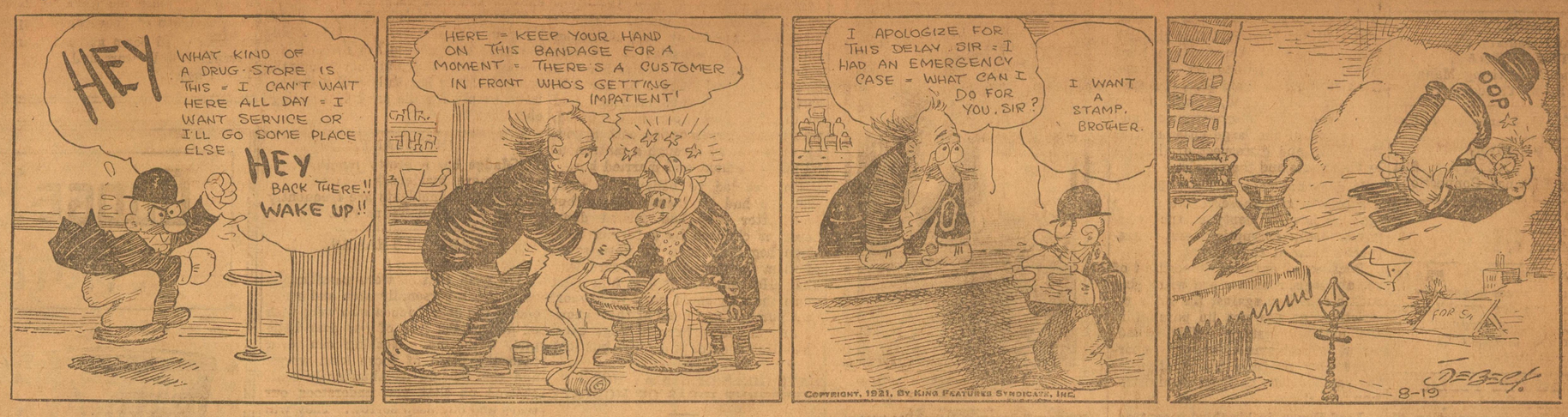
MANHATTAN—William Farnum in Zane Grey's "The Rainbow Trail," and comedy.

LIBERTY—Will Rogers in "An Unwilling Hero," also Aesop's Fables, "The Fox and the Crow," and Pathe Review.

TEMPLE—Harry Carey in "West Is West," and comedy.

Barney Gets Both Stamp and a Licking

—By Billy De Beck



LIBERTY.

The strains of the opera, "Cavalleria Rusticana" from the whistling lips of a tramp—that is the incongruity from which Will Rogers extracts some of the most delightful comic moments he has ever created. The combination appears in Mr. Rogers' latest Goldwyn picture, "An Unwilling Hero," by O. Henry, and may be seen today at the Liberty theatre. Mr. Rogers is again with us in the role of a tramp who hates work more than a prohibitionist hates a saloon. Yet, this tramp is a lovable fellow who saves the plantation of a benefactor from being robbed by some fellow hoboes.

Throughout the action of "An Unwilling Hero," Will Rogers is always the easy-going son-of-rest whose sang-froid is only disturbed enough to become a hero against his will and to bring together a pair of young lovers whom the villain of the story has done his best to keep apart. It is a distinct Will Rogers characterization, comparable to his excellent portrayal of a similar type in "Jubilo."

To give the details of the story would be to spoil the enjoyment of many who will laugh heartily through one of the cleanest, most humorous and human photoplays that has ever been produced. The Goldwyn company has surrounded Will Rogers with an excellent cast, the roles of the young lovers being taken by Molly Malone and John Bowers. The picture was directed by Clarence Badger.

MANHATTAN.

Al Doyle, a veteran of the twisting trails in the Western wilds, who had served as Theodore Roosevelt's guide on more than one trip of that intrepid traveller into little known paths, gave valuable aid to William Farnum during the making of the great Fox production "The Rainbow Trail," which is to open at the Manhattan theatre Friday.

The most picturesque scenes in this wonderful Zane Grey story were photographed in the Grand Canyon of Arizona. Farnum was determined to have reflected on the screen with accuracy the scenic beauty as described by the great novelist; and it was Al Doyle who revealed to him the splendors of the "painted desert."

"The Rainbow Trail" is one of the most striking and successful pictures in which Mr. Farnum has appeared. In it he has a dual role of immense sympathetic appeal, to the enactment of which he brings his great histrionic talent at its best.

CROOK UNCOVERS QUART OF WHISKY AT CAMP MEETING

BAY VIEW, Mich., Aug. 19.—A burglar who raided baggage at the Methodist camp meeting grounds here early Wednesday took silken finery of the women, but left a quart of whisky. The liquor taken from one of the rifled suitcases was left on the floor.

Every summer the Methodists hold a big camp meeting here and speakers admonish their audiences to "touch not, taste not, handle not." That far the bad man was reformed.

"Thou shalt not steal," was thundered with equal fervor by the speakers, but the burglar apparently was unable to heed that command.

HOOCH SHIP'S SEIZURE LEGAL UNDER OLD ACT

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Formal seizure of the schooner Henry L. Marshall, termed by the federal authorities an Atlantic coast rum runner, for violating the Maritime Act of 1799, which fixes twelve miles at sea as the limit line of approach for vessels engaged in fraudulent pursuits, is announced by the government. Invoking this act, passed shortly after the United States came into being, eliminates the "outside of the three-mile limit" defense set up by the crew of the British vessel.

The government's action came in the form of three libels filed by United States Attorney Haywood with the clerk of the federal district court against the vessel and its cargo of 1,500 cases of whisky.

The act of 1799 was fashioned after the so-called "British Hovering Act," passed in 1736, similarly extending the nation's jurisdiction to twelve miles from the shore. Both acts, it was declared by the district attorney's office, have been held consistent with the laws and usages of nations.

Colonel Haywood said Attorney General Daugherty had authorized him to proceed in the matter as his judgment dictated.

Applies in Case of Fraud.

"The seizure of this experienced and hitherto successful rum runner outside the three-mile limit has given rise to considerable comment,' declared Col. Haywood. "It is by no means a novel or unusual procedure, our law extending to twelve miles for the right of search and seizure in case of attempted fraud upon the revenue of this government.

"As to the so-called three-mile limit, it is an ancient doctrine that a nation has a right to protect itself against vessels carrying concealed a cannon, and its jurisdiction over the sea has been recognized up to the distance of a cannon shot. Of course the old smooth bore cannon of the eighteenth century could shoot no more than three miles, so by those antiquated weapons we have the origin of the three-mile limit.

"But the right of a nation to prevent its laws from being invaded is not restrained to this limit. It may watch its coast and seize ships that are approaching it with an intention to violate its laws. It is not obliged to wait until an offense is consummated before it can act. It may guard against injury as well as punish it. This is a well settled doctrine."

The libel filed against the seized vessel prays that she be sold to satisfy certain penalties against her master in the sum of $4,500 for unloading within the twelve-mile limit and for failure to carry manifests. It also asks that the vessel be forfeited for unloading without a permit within the twelve-mile limit. The libel filed against the cargo prays that the liquor be forfeited on the ground that its owner, by divers false and fraudulent practices and appliances, attempted to introduce the liquor into the commerce of the United States in violation of the Volstead act.

The seized vessel and its cargo are in the custody of United States Marshal McCarthy under these libels, and fourteen days are allowed for the claimants to appear. The owners of the vessel, according to the federal authorities, have not been identified.

YOUTH GREW "HIGHER" BY STRETCHING NECK

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 19.—Physical culture literature, describing methods of neck stretching, is believed by police and county officers to have caused the hanging of Charles N. Roberts, 15-year-old son of Dr. C. M. Roberts, a chiropractor, whose body was found hanging to a transom in his room here.

A friend, Jess Daley, 19 years old, said young Roberts had an ambition to grow big and strong and had been reading closely physical culture literature describing how the neck could be developed.

TOOK BACK THE CAR HE GAVE HER; FACES LARCENY CHARGE

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Edward A. Fries, 54, retired president of the Fries Coal company, Brooklyn, again was in the Gates avenue court yesterday before Magistrate Dale on a charge of grand larceny on complaint of Mrs. Elsie Raymond Chinnock, Brooklyn.

According to Mrs. Chinnock, who is divorced, Fries had been an admirer of hers, and had been more than generous in gifts to her, including jewelry, a sedan and later another car as a birthday present.

She alleges that while she was visiting at his residence Aug. 4, she left the sedan in front of the apartment, Mr. Fries instructed her chauffeur to take away the machine and that she has been unable to get it back.

Fries' counsel moved that the action be dismissed. This was denied by Magistrate Dale, who adjourned the case until Aug. 16. Fries is held in $500 bail.

The defendant's side is that he told Mrs. Chinnock he would buy her a new car if she turned in the sedan as part of the purchase price for the new machine, which was delivered to Mrs. Chinnock. She liked the sedan so well, he says, she decided to keep both cars and Fries had to resort to strategy to get the sedan.

Mrs. Bertha W. Fries obtained a legal separation from Fries three years ago.

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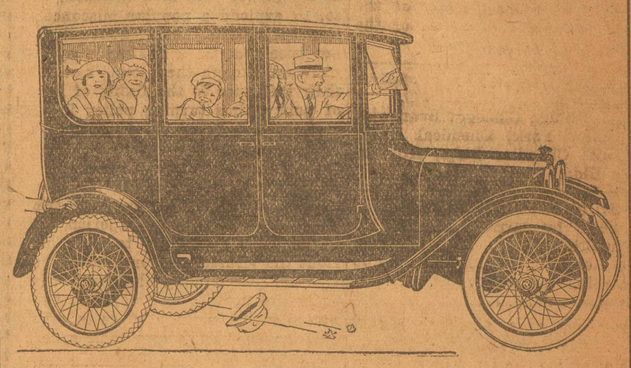
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TAXES ARE INVESTMENT.

The Fort Worth tax rate is reduced 3 cents over last year. Which fact, taken without explanation, might be cited as an example of economy. But not so. A bond issue had run its allotted course, and the 3 cents taken off is merely the assessment for interest and sinking fund on it.

There is a general idea that taxes are used solely for the operating expenses of government and that economies can be effected at any time the situation appears to demand it. As a matter of fact, such is far from being the case. The assertion can easily be sustained that it is the overhead expense that makes the tax rate—in other words, the interest and sinking fund on bond issues. Practically every city in Texas owes for its paving, its water and sewer plant, its school buildings and other things. These facilities, few citizens would care to do without, even if they could. To do so, would be to move backward and refuse to be civilized. A city, in such matters, is much like the man who buys a flivver on time. His payments on that flivver are taxes on his income until it is paid out. Then this tax can be reduced, provided he does not feel the need of a super-seven and start in making payments on it.

Any city can have a fairly low tax rate provided it issues no bonds, makes no public improvements, and asks only operating expenses from the taxpayers. But public improvements make all taxpayers property owners, to a greater extent than they realize, and in reality taxes for these are not taxes, but payments for property the citizens have purchased. The increase in values caused by paving a street, for instance, increases the value of property to an extent which shows this public improvement is really a co-operative private investment.

Tax rates vary in accordance with the progressiveness of a city. Who would want to live in a place that had a low tax rate and nothing else to commend it?

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They have found that sugar can be made from sea weed. We are suspicious that they have found it can be made from a lot of things besides sugar cane. When the family sugar has to be sweetened before using, its virtue may be suspected.—Los Angeles Times.

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The world needs more Falstaffs, says the French High Commissioner to the United States. Well, they would have a hard time getting enough to drink in this country or enough to eat anywhere else.—New York Evening Post.

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Unemployment never troubles an I. W. W. performer until nonproduction causes a scarcity which prevents contributions for his personal needs.—Washington Star.

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We have a sneaking notion that the Shipping Board could be made to pay big if it were turned over to the bootleggers.—Dallas News.

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With the farmers in the optimistic class, the pessimists will have no ground to stand on.—Atlanta Constitution.

CRITICAL OBSERVATION

It well has been said that the two fairest critics of America are Lord Bryce and the historian Ferrero. Each of them has said that, if America ever is destroyed, it will be on account of the misgovernment and corruption of the large cities and of the laxity and disrespect of the law by the courts and the people.

It does not require the ability of a scholarly critic-observer to realize that we have a plenty of such misgovernment, corruption and disrespect of law at the present.

Because of enforced imposition of certain legislation we are witnessing such a rebellion against the law's restrictions as has not its parallel in the national history. This in addition to problems of gravest importance now pressing for solution at the hands of the national administration.

Lord Bryce, in his third recent address before the Institute of Politics at Williams college, reiterates some of his former major conclusions and, indirectly, indorses President Harding's famous phrase: "More business in government, and less government in business."

The distinguished publicist averred that money can exercise as much illegitimate influence in democracies as elsewhere. He took occasion, also, to explode a popular misconception by stating that it generally is not true that wars are made by financiers, though they sometimes use their influence to the fixing of lines of policy, thus turning policy in directions not favorable to true national interests.

As little government intervention in business as possible is his clear view, a view justified by every trial and ordeal of national experience.

But it is refreshing to hear him flout the virulence of proletarian hatred by proclaiming the truth that there are upright men valuable to a nation in "high finance" as in other professions. "They have their sphere of action necessary to the world. But wherever large transactions involving governments arise the danger signal for watchfulness should be raised."

Briefly, put as much business brains and service into government as may be possible; and keep government out of business as much as possible.—Cincinnati Inquirer.

BOBBED HAIR RIGHTS

Femininity has undoubted right to hair-bobbing if the sex feels that way about it. Employers equally must be allowed to prefer another style of hirsuting in their workers if they are thus prejudiced. Why, then, any excitement over the situation?

Employment must draw the line somewhere. It cannot have its welfare face all the hazards of fashion. It takes this class of risks without doubt. Now and then, however, the wage-payer draws back from the brink to which vogue has lured him and declares against standing longer upon its crumbling edge. Who shall consider him stony-hearted for it?

The girl who is confronted by the choice of bobbed hair or job must make her decision from the individual phases of the case. If she is working for the fun of the thing, no need exists for her to bow to the tyranny of capital. But in the unhappy event of her needing the salary, why dispute with the boss over a matter so trivial? Why indeed? Doubtless she will not—particularly if no other employer within her knowledge has a vacancy to offer her right then.

So, viewed from any standpoint, the emergency arising here and there as a result of bobbed-haired girls and old-fashioned employers not being able to get their minds to go along together can readily be met. The maid can change the method of dressing her crown of glory in a jiffy—or the boss with equal celerity will be able to get another girl. We look for no eruption in the industrial world over the matter.—St. Louis Times.

MODERN PHILATELIST MUST HIRE A HALL TO STORE HIS TROPHIES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Pity the poor philatelist! By the most recent and most accurate count, he now has to recognize, assemble, classify and collect, if he wants to be a real philatelist, no fewer than 60,000 separate and distinct postage stamps issued by all the countries in the world from the beginning of 1840 to the middle of 1921!

And just to show that the troubles of the Philatelist have only begun, the stamp statisticians have figured out that in the first twenty years of the present century almost exactly the same number of postage stamps have been issued as during the entire sixty-one stamp-issuing years of the previous century—30,000! And, by the end of 1921 it is highly probable that several thousand more will be added to the grand total!

During the sixty-one years, from 1840 to 1900 inclusive, exactly 30,943 postage stamps from every civilized country under the sun were chronicled in the standard Philatelic catalogues, and during the twenty years and six months ending Thursday, exactly 30,001 were accounted for. In the old days of stamp collecting it was possible and desirable to assemble one specimen of each variety, but at the rate the new stamps appear nowadays such a plan is neither possible nor desirable; like almost every other profession, that of collecting postage stamps has become highly specialized.

NEW SPANISH PREMIER



Reports from Madrid state that former Premier Maura is forming a cabinet to succeed that of Premier de Salazar, which resigned Aug. 11. The photo shows ex-Premier Maura, who will probably again head the government.

ONE SIDE OF HEAD SHAVED BY PLAYFUL BOLT OF LIGHTNING

BOZEMAN, Mont., Aug. 19.—Steve O'Donnell, a rancher of Gallatin valley, is appearing with the right side of his head shorn, but the hair on the left side still waves. According to O'Donnell, it was no slip of the razor, but lightning that robbed him of his locks. While driving home last night, a bolt struck the hay rack on which he was riding and burned every hair off the right side of his head. The flesh was only slightly burned. O'Donnell was stunned, but soon recovered consciousness and had his injuries attended to.

IN THE DARK.

"I told him he mustn't see me any more."

"What did he do then?"

"Switched off the lights.'—Life.

MALARIA IN MANY SECTIONS OF SOUTH THIS YEAR SERIOUS

People Warned Not to Take Chances and Endanger Their Health; Peculiar Conditions Found.

Late reports from many sections of the South indicate malaria, chills and fever are serious this year. Many deaths already have occurred and it is feared the death toll will grow as the season advances.

Conditions peculiar to the South are responsible for this great loss of life annually. These are mosquitoes, stagnant water and miasmic gases caused by the decay of large masses of vegetable matter. Malaria, it is shown, gets into the blood, producing that tired, sluggish feeling, torpid liver, inactive kidneys and bowels, loss of appetite, sleeplessness and a general run-down condition.

While the body is in this condition the system is liable to be attacked by almost any disease. Chills and fever or typhoid can develop or many chronic diseases find it easy to get a grip.

If certain well-known symptoms show up, something must be done right now, or a long spell of sickness, with doctors' bills and other heavy expenses, will follow. Here is how G. H. Kyle, telegraph operator for the I. & G. N. at Jewett, Texas, staved off sickness and put himself in good condition:

"I was all run down, suffered from malaria, chills and fever, headaches, couldn't eat, just felt terrible and could hardly go. After taking two bottles of Admirine I have regained all my strength and have a fine appetite, sleep good and have gained eight pounds. I feel fine all the time now and recommend Admirine to all who are in need of a good tonic. The first few doses helped me."

Admirine is guaranteed to bring relief, or you get your money back. You take no chances whatever. Admirine is sold by:

CRAWFORD'S PHARMACY.



WIFE'S SEVEN CHILDREN NO CAUSE FOR DIVORCE

MINATARE, Neb., Aug. 19—Henry C. Biodd, well known business man, has found out that Nebraska courts do not consider it extreme cruelty for a wife to deceive her husband as to the number of her offspring by a previous marriage and to quarter them upon him. Biood, who is 53, corresponded with a widow in Maryland through a matrimonial advertisement and married her.

He was led to believe, he says, that she had no incumbrances, but soon after they had settled down here her children by a former marriage began to turn up until seven of them had appeared to board with him. He said that it cost him a lot more than he could earn to support that number, and none of them showed any desire to become wage earners. He sued for a divorce but lost.

SAYS GIRLS OF TODAY HOLD DIFFERENT IDEAS OF MODESTY

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Girls of today have a "different conception of modesty," declared Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker of Austin, Texas, former of Women's club's in an address here president of the General Federation yesterday, in which she indicated approval of the shortened skirts of present-day feminine fashion.

"The boys criticise the dress of their modish sisters," she said, "but the girls they choose are dressed in similar fashion. No mother who really understands her child will make an issue simply for the sake of exacting obedience."

INCESSANT.

"Madge has a pretty mouth,"

"A mere incident."

"Wrong! Incidents are frequently closed."—Boston Transcript.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish that it were possible for us to thank personally each and every one of the dear friends who were with us during the loss of our dear little girl, Catherine. Nothing can ever take the place of those kind words, and the flowers so abundantly sent, showed us that you understood our tears and our deep sorrow. They will perfume the years that separate us from our loved one. May God bless each of you.

MR. AND MRS. C. E. MAY.
(Advertisement.)

MAY NEED IT AGAIN!

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 19.—A motion to replace the word "bartender" with those of "beverage dispenser" was voted down at the annual convention of Waiters and Hotel employees here.

RUB NO MORE
SOFTENS HARD WATER

Two Doors North of Liberty Theatre

Specials For SATURDAY

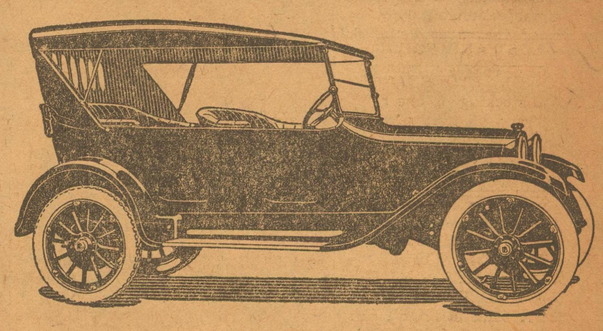
Morris Supreme Butter, fresh from the Creamery, lb.	40c
Baby Beef Chuck Roast, lb.	15c
20 lbs. Fine Irish Potatoes for	$1.00
Fresh Home Dressed Fryers, extra nice	30c
Fresh Home Dressed Hens	25c
Infertile Eggs that are Good	40c

TELEPHONE 166

Or send us your order and we will deliver it for you

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DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR



Two New Dodge Brothers
TOURING CARS

Equipped with oversize cord tires
For quick delivery at new reduced prices
CASH OR TERMS

OILBELT MOTOR CO. INC.
J. T. GULLAHORN, MGR.
Phone 232 Austin and Cherry Streets

A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT
TRY SANITARY BREAD AND PASTRY
209 South Rusk Street



THE TOGGERY GREAT 201 MAIN ST.

NOTORIETY



EVERYTHING MUST GO!

—No such prices ever heard of since Adam and Eve's time. Ranger is no more an oil boom town, the faces you see today are here tomorrow, and we, THE TOGGERY, are here to stay. We are going to give the good citizens of Ranger goods at a price so low on this sale that we can safely say that no one in this state or town can compete with us, and furthermore we guarantee it.

Sale Starts Friday, Aug. 19, Closes Sept 3

WOMEN! WOMEN! Look at these prices on piece goods, be sure and use both eyes:

MONEY TALKS

Genuine Cheviots, 35c value	11c
Genuine Zephyrs, 75c value	39c
O. N. T. Thread	5c
Taffetas, $3.50 value, every yard guaranteed, now	$2.25
Taffetas, $3 value, now	$1.95
Percales, best grades, 35c value	17½c
Galatea, 75c value	39c
Outing flannel, 35c value	15c
Ginghams, 25c value	12½c
Ladies silk lisle hose, 35c value	29c
Ladies' crepe de meteor kimonos $18.50 value	$9.85
Unbleached domestic, 25c value per yard	10c
Dress goods, dark patterns, 75c value	39c
Ladies' silk underwear	1-2 Price
Children's school shoes, one lot all sizes	$2.29
Children's $6 grade	$3.19
Ladies' fine muslin petticoats— One lot	98c
One lot	$1.49
Ladies' Oxfords, Your Choice	
One Lot—Out they go	$2.95
One Lot—Out they go	$5.95

SALE!

We Must Get Acquainted!

—So do give us the once over. Our motto is "Quick Sales and Small Profits." I want the good and kind people of Ranger and vicinity to take advantage of this big sale, new Fall goods included. Men's, women's and children's goods must go. We need the money and you need the goods. Come one, come all. We thank you. THE TOGGERY.

Sale Starts Friday, Aug. 19, Closes Sept 3

—We guarantee that you cannot buy Florsheim shoes in any state at these low prices—all new Fall Styles included.

FLORSHEIM SHOES

Florsheim oxfords, $18.50 to $22.50 values	$8.65
Shoes, $22.50 values, now	$10.95
Shoes, $18.50 values, now	$9.50
Men's athletic unions, $1.50 values	69c
Men's athletic unions, $2 and $3 value	98c
Men's fiber silk hose, 75c value	29c
Men's sox, 25c values; 8 pair	$1.00
One lot men's shoes, $12.50 values	$6.95
One lot work shoes	$2.95
Crepe de chine shirts— $10.00 values	$4.95
$12.50 values	$6.45
Panama hats, out they go	$1.49
Men's all thread silk hose, $2.50 values	98c
Men's 50c lisle hose, 1-2 price	25c
One lot work shoes, all leather	$3.95
Khaki shirts, $2 value	95c
Beautiful Line of Stetson Hats	
Fall Patterns; your choice	$6.65

—There are many other items which we cannot mention.

GOODS WALK!

The time has come when we are forced to sacrifice goods in order to clear our shelves to make room for our Fall merchandise. Folks it's our loss and your gain to take advantage of this Great NOTORIETY Sale. Hurry Folks! Crowds pouring in and goods pouring out will help us make room for Fall goods which will begin to arrive shortly.

RANGER TEXAS **THE TOGGERY** 201 Main Street

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS in the

DAILY TIMES

Ranger, Texas.

One Time.....2c per word
Four Times...For the cost of Three
Seven times...For the cost of Five

No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

The above rates are for consecutive Daily and Sunday insertions without change of copy.

No advertisement accepted on a "till forbidden" order; a specific number of insertions must be given.

Notice to discontinue advertisements must be given in writing, otherwise we are not responsible.

We reserve the right to place all classified advertisements under their proper classification and to reject unclean or objectionable copy.

1—LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED OR STOLEN — Brown horse, white stocking on one hind leg, Steeple-A brand on hip; new saddle, bridle with bright spots. Notify Jack Baker, Route 2, Box 114, Ranger, or phone Myers Camp, P. O. & G.

2—MALE HELP

WANTED—50 BOYS BETWEEN 10 and 15 YEARS OF AGE TO SELL THE DAILY TIMES. MUST BE HUSTLERS AND HAVE CASH TO PAY FOR PAPERS. REPORT DAILY TIMES OFFICE AT 3:30 P. M.

NOTICE TO WATER HAULERS—A good proposition to haul from Sanderford water wells. See A. J. Sanderford, R. F. D. No. 2.

6—BUSINESS CHANCES

FOR SALE—A few uncalled for suits. Ogden, 119 S. Rusk st.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

HOME COOKED MEALS, 50c. Weir Rooms, 303 South Rusk.

NOTICE—All persons who have valuable papers, bonds, etc., at the First National Bank of Ranger for safekeeping are notified to call for same before Sept. 1. On that date such papers as remain in the bank may be forwarded to Washington and recovery thereafter will be inconvenient to owners. E. B. Cushing, Receiver.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

ROOM AND BOARD $50.00 per month. Weir rooms, 303 South Rusk. Miss E. Clairborne, proprietor.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

OAK PARK APARTMENTS—Two rooms well furnished $6 per week or $18 per month. 721½ Pine st.

MARIAN APARTMENTS—2 rooms, cool, clean, comfortable; $25; lights, water, gas. 607 Main st.

THE GREENWOOD APARTMENTS 3-room modern furnished apartments. Summer rates.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Double spring Columbia Grafonala and 16 good records, $25. 401 Berthalee, Page addition.

HOTEL FURNITURE for sale cheap. Apply Kansas City Hotel., 315 N. Marston St., Ranger Texas.

HORSES AND WAGONS for sale, cheap, 309 North Austin St.

FOR SALE—Two roll top desks. Ogden, 119 S. Rusk st.

14—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—On the concrete paved Bankhead highway between Dallas and Fort Worth, complete country home, facing south; living, music, dining rooms, two bed rooms, breakfast room, kitchen, bath, hall, closets, large front and back porches; plastered and tinted walls, hardwood floors, reinforced concrete foundation; independent electric light, water and sewer systems; fruit, grapes, berries, soft shell pecans; chicken houses, yards, out houses. Twenty-two acres rich black land. Address F. V. Blythe, Grand Prairie, Texas, Route 2

16—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—NEW
DODGE BROTHERS
4 DOOR SEDAN
A car for fall and winter. Equipped oversize cord tires. For quick sale at the new reduced price. See Oilbelt Motor Co., Phone 232.

WHY put new parts in old cars? Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk St., Ranger, Texas.

SPRINGS, gears, gas tanks, wheels, magnetos, carbureters, n'everything. Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk St., Ranger, Texas.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Six Buick tool cars; all in good mechanical condition and are a good buy. See Campbell, Leveille-Maher Motor Co.

FOR SALE—At bargain prices, used Fords, Dodges, Buick roadsters and tool cars. Chalmers and Cadillac. Leveille-Maher Motor Co., phone 217, P. O. Box No. 4, Main and Hodges sts.

AUTOS FOR SALE.
1 Ford roadster.
1 Velie touring.
1 Reo touring.
1 Reo Speedwagon.
CHANEY REPAIR SHOP
Main St., Ranger garage bldg.

DODGE BROTHERS
MOTOR CAR
FOR SALE—Two new Dodge Brothers touring cars; equipped oversize cord tires; immediate delivery; at new reduced price. Oilbelt Motor Co., Phone 232, corner Austin and Cherry sts.

MOST YOUTHFUL ELOPERS READY FOR HOME AFTER TRIP TO FRISCO

BY W. G. CAYCE,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Another youthful romance has been shattered.

Pretty 13-year-old Helen Davis is back in the olive orchard of her father's ranch at Oroville, and 11-year-old Lawrence Mahoney, of the same town, is telling his playmates about the "sights" he saw during his and Helen's brief five-day stay in "the city," which disappearance puzzled authorities throughout the state.

Helen and Lawrence have been friends for several years—went to school together, played together and manifested a high regard for each other. The lure to see the "wild things" (as they called them) of San Francisco caused them to carefully plan a visit to the city, unbeknown to their parents. They pooled their financial resources, totaling about $20, and arrived here before they were missed from home.

Reaching San Francisco, Helen remembered some friends who lived at an elusive address, but she found they had either moved, or she had the wrong street number, for they could not be located. Their only alternative was to take an apartment.

The absence of the children from their Oroville home was reported to the police of that city, and later the search spread over the state, and every police department had been notified of their disappearance. After five days of searching police officers here found them wandering about the Ferry building watching the boats come in.

The youngsters were taken to the Juvenile Detention home and when questioned by the matron, said they had left home "because we love each other." The matron also found by interrogation they had but fifty cents when found by the officer.

"It is not so much a case of love as it is of Helen being a 'big sister'," said the matron at the detention home. "Helen has always treated Lawrence as her little brother, and, besides, Helen is a good cook."

During their stay in San Francisco the children had a "grand" time, according to pretty Helen, who said they had been to two or three moving picture shows daily and otherwise enjoyed their time.

Lawrence was serious about his trip here and tried to secure a "corner" and sell newspapers, but was told he was "too little."

Following their apprehension the parents of the children were notified and arrived in a short time to take them home.

When Helen's father arrived at the detention home with tears of gladness in her eyes she ran and threw her arms about his neck and declared she was "ready to go home to mother."

Lawrence reluctantly admitted he "guessed he had better go home also."

BATS YIELD SECRET OF FLYING IN DARK

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—British aviation scientists have solved the secret of how bats avoid objects they cannot see and are applying their discovery to aircraft in the hope of safeguarding them against collisions. Reports of the experiments, made public here today by an army aviation statement, said progress was being made with devices adapted from studies of blindfolded bats which would act as preventives against collision of aircraft.

The bats were found to emit a note, often inaudible to the ear, which would bound back from the wires and partition set up in the experiments, conveying accurate information to the bats' sensitive ears and enabling them to map out space with exactness.

Aeronautical experts believe that airplanes can do the same thing. The British are busy devising instruments to that end, and their efforts are said already to have led to the development of instruments which are expected to record for airmen sounds as they approach objects.

It is said that this information is expected to be supplied equally as well in the dark or mist as in clear atmosphere.

There is one retail store to every 2,048 persons in the United States.

16—AUTOMOBILES

DODGE AND WHITE service. Chaney Repair Shop., Main St., Ranger Garage.

FOR SALE or trade—Ford touring car; also Ford roadster; good condition. 203 Fannin st.

17—WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms, close in. Apply Crescent Confectionery, Elm and Rusk.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—Good second-hand electric iron (Hot Point). 303 Fannin street.

WE BUY, Sell and Exchange Second-hand Furniture. 121 N. Rusk street.

WANTED—Pictures to tint. Old pictures made new. Merchants Studio, 111 N. Austin.

WANTED — Second-hand furniture. New and Second-Hand Store, 201 N. Austin st. Phone 276.

21—LEGAL NOTICE

FOR SALE—At city pound, Aug. 23: Sorrel mare mule; branded "7" left jaw. L. E. Davenport, pound master.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE—White English bull pups. 423 N. Rusk.

PERSONALS

Miss Selma Goode spent last night with friends here after a visit in Marlin and Waco. She left this afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. James Nolan, near Caddo.

Sanitary Inspector Wade Swift has returned from Ballinger, where he attended the session of the Open Range Cowboys. No one is eligible to membership in this organization who did not punch cows before 1890, and their immediate families. Mr. Swift reports that it was a grand meeting, with no set program, but chuck full of happy reunions and living "round-up style." Mrs. Swift visited relatives in Carbon at the same time.

L. L. Reavis is in El Paso, where he went yesterday with H. P. Jackson, of that city, who was here on business.

R. C. McCoy returned yesterday afternoon from Wisconsin, where he spent the summer.

L. L. Summers, who had his leg broken in a baseball game several weeks ago, is still confined to his bed, but is getting along nicely. The cast on the injured limb was changed yesterday and it is said he will be able to be out within a few days.

WOMAN FORGOT FEAR OF MOUSE WHEN SHE SAW IT WEARING DIAMOND

MEMPHIS, Aug. 19.—Some women may be afraid of some mice, but when a mouse gets civilized and swagger enough to run around wearing diamonds—well, the heroine of this story tells it, and responsibility begins and ends with her.

Miss Genevieve Allen, head of the Abandonment Bureau of District Attorney Swann's office, returned yesterday from a vacation in Maine to find a mouse cavorting on the floor of her office with a diamond gleaming from its tail.

Miss Allen realizing, perhaps, that she could never get away with the story without something resembling proof, caught that mouse. Whether she did it with gas, hypnotism or a depth bomb may never be known, but she got close enough to extract a diamond earring from the mouse's tail, though she let the mouse get away without attempting to arrest it for burglary. The earring was turned over to Acting District Attorney Banton.

AGREEMENT REACHED ON RELIEF FOR RUSSIA

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Complete agreement on the question of food relief for Russia has been reached at Riga, Secretary Hoover announces.

Negotiations between Walter Lyman Brown, European director of the American relief administration, and H. Litivinoff, the Soviet representative, have been practically completed, Mr. Hoover said, although it may be a day or two before the formal document is drawn.

Preparations are now being made by the New York offices of the relief administration to start food ships to Danzig with famine supplies into Russia.

The original administration conditions for protection of its agents and control of food supplies have been agreed to by the Soviet authorities. Relief work will begin as soon as possible under the conditions of the original offer, Mr. Hoover said.

FIREMAN INJURED.

By United Press

DALLAS, Aug. 19.—L. G. Benningfield, fireman, was severely injured by falling glass this morning while fighting a fire at a local manufacturing company's plant. He was treated at the Emergency hospital and then sent to his home.

ROAD FUND REDUCED.

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—In a vote of 28 to 22 the senate today adopted an amendment to the federal aid road bill reducing from $100,000,000 to $75,000,000 the amount for available construction next year.

ANCIENTS HAD JURY TRIAL.

By International News Service

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The Temple of Solomon in modern values, said the Rev. T. E. Bird, in a lecture to the Catholic Bible association at Cambridge, cost about $4,000,000,000. Practically the entire manhood of Israel was conscripted to build it.

It was also stated at the congress that there is proof of the existence of trial by jury as early as 2,000 years before Christ.

Queen Helena of Italy is an active worker in Red Cross affairs.

In Indiana no female under 18 years of age may be employed in any manufacturing or industrial establishment.

Cemeteries in China occupy one-twentieth of the entire area of the country.

WHICH IS FRED?

United Press.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 19.—Police today were thumbing the worn pages of "Who's Who." They received a telegram from Fred Bundy at Galveston, Texas, saying his wife, Vera, had left home with another man. Police found Vera, but Fred was with her. Vera agrees that Fred is her husband!

LEGISLATIVE HOUSES WORK THIS AFTERNOON

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Aug. 19.—With both branches of the legislature without work, pending the return of the house educational substitute bill from the printers, the legislators are resting this morning. The bill is expected to be returned at 2 o'clock this afternoon, when both branches will re-convene.

The governor approved all local bills except one which was vetoed at the request of the legislators from that district.

ONE-EYED MAN HELD FOR OKLAHOMA HIJACKING

By United Press.

BARTLESVILLE, Okla., Aug. 19.—Paul Lee, bound and gagged by bandits, who knocked Felix Kugh, Ramona garage man, unconscious and stole a car and $50, picked a one-eyed man held at Skiatook as one of the bandits.

The man gave the name of John identify the car. Ramona was in Valentine. Lee went to Skiatook to the path of the two hijackers who robbed about twenty autos early Thursday.

MEDICINE TAX KILLED.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The elimination of taxes on proprietary medicines was agreed upon today by the house ways and means committee which approved more than sixty changes in the Republican tax bill.

SEER MISSED GUESS; ERRING HUBBY DEAD

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19—She could tell about the future, about love and divorce and probable wealth that is coming soon, but Mrs. Mary Vogelsang, said by police to be a fortune teller, couldn't tell a policewoman when she saw one.

It is due to that failure and to Mrs. Vogelsang's inability to foretell bad luck when it was lurking in the neighborhood that Mrs. Vogelsand is held by police to answer to a charge of fortune telling.

Yesterday she was visited in her home by Mrs. Josephine E. Bailey, widow of Patrolman Charles Bailey, who was shot and killed in a fight with a highwayman last winter, and Mrs. Margaret Haggerty, both policewomen.

Mrs. Bailey wanted her fortune told Mrs. Vogelsand is said to have been willing.

This, according to the report of the policewomen, is what Mrs. Vogelsand told the widow of the patrolman:

"You have been separated from your husband. He is planning to start proceedings for divorce. There is a dark-haired lady to whom he is very attentive. But don't you worry. You will soon meet a very charming young man with fair hair who will love you."

"That's as far as she got, according to the policewoman's report, before the arrest was made.

The Arc de Triomphe in Paris is the largest triumphal arch in the world.

The United States built 875 merchant ships of 2,941,845 gross tons during the war.

More motorcycles are used in England than automobiles.

TOOLS FOR SALE OR RENT

—I have two complete strings of standard drilling tools for sale, 40-hp. boilers, 12x12 Ajax engines, Ideal and Wilson elevators, pins and boxes on big hole equipment, size 3½x4½-in. All in first class condition. Will sell at a bargain, or rent to right parties on contract. Also have:

1 25-hp. Oil Well Supply boiler.
1 30-hp. Oil Well Supply boiler.
1 14-in. 8 ply by 100-foot new camel hair belt.
1 14-in. new belt pulley.
1 12½-in. spider ring and slips to 6 5-8 inches.

—Complete small hole tools, and various other equipment. Will sell all, or part. Cash or Terms.

F. A. BROWN, McCleskey Hotel

P. O. Box 1311 Ranger, Texas

—Satisfaction of Knowing

you are getting the best for the least money—makes you content.

WE ARE ALSO SATISFIED

For a Limited Time—Beginning August 20th You Will Be Given This Opportunity

This is not all—We will soon put on

The Rexall 1 Cent Sale

—Two Rexall Products for the price of one, plus One Cent—Can you beat It?

—Tell your neighbors and friends about these prices. All prices on patent medicines and toilet articles are being cut. Look this list over. Other items not on list cut in proportion to these listed:

FOR LADIES

Hind's H. & A. Cream	43c
Nadinola Cream	43c
Melba Greaseless Cream	43c
Melba Skin Cream	43c
Melba Face Massage Cream	43c
Woodbury's Cold Cream Jars	43c
Woodbury's Facial jars	43c
Othine	88c
Marinello Cream	43c
Pompeiian Night or Day Cream	43c
Pepsodent Tooth Paste	43c
Pebeco Tooth Paste	43c
Colgates Tooth Paste	24c
Williams Tooth Paste	15c
Woodbury's Soap	20c
Cuticura Soap	23c
Resinol Soap	23c
Packer's Tar Soap	23c
Sayman's Soap, 3 bars	35c
Nadine Face Powder	43c
Mavis Face Powder	43c
Melba Face Powder	43c
Love Me Face Powder	63c
Three Flowers Face Powder	63c
Djer Kiss Face Powder	63c
Pompeiian Face Powder	43c
Melba Toilet Water	96c
Luxer Toilet Water	96c
Djer Kiss Toilet Water	$1.25
and	$1.65
Azurea Toilet Water	$1.25

FOR MEN

Gillett Razor Blades, 6's	40c
Gem Razor Blades	40c
Durham Duplex Razor Blades	40c
Ender's Razor Blades	28c
Ever Ready Razor Blades	34c
Shaving Cream, Powder and Sticks	28c

Patent Medicines

Castoria	30c
Baby Percy	38c
Wine of Cardui	88c
Tanlac	86c
Malted Milk, 44c and	88c
Malted Milk, Hospital	$3.20
Mentholatum	18c
Syrup Pepsin	43c
Syrup of Figs	43c
S. S. S. 77c and	$1.44
Livertone	43c
Liverlax	33c
Nujal, 48c and	96c
Jad Salts	62c
Palm Olive Shampoo	57c
Elvampiro Powder, 4 boxes	28c
Grove's Chill Tonic	43c
Oxidine Chill Tonic	43c
Dyanshine	38c

—It will pay you to look these prices over—or, better come and see the specials we are offering. The first actual drug sale for Ranger.

Phillips Bros. Drug Store

Phone 15 "The Rexall Store" 204 Main

AT THE ALTAR.

Everything was in readiness. The bridegroom, best man and minister were gathered in the vestry. The organ sounded and the clergyman moved toward the door.

"Wait a minute," said the nervous bridegroom. "Is it the right or left hand the ring goes on?"

"The left," hurriedly whispered the parson.

"And sir, another minute, please," said the trembling victim. "Is it—it—er—kisstomary to cuss the bride?"

The people of Wakatimi, New Guinea, dance in their canoes.

We will buy all of your second-hand furniture; Wright Furniture company, corner Pine and Rusk Sts. —Advertisement.

HOUSTON NURSE SO UNWELL SHE HAD TO GIVE UP

"In all of my experience as practical nurse I have never known of a medicine with the merit of Tanlac," said Mrs. Viola G. McAshan, 828 Arlington st., Houston Heights, Texas.

"I have put Tanlac to a personal test. The strain of nursing the sick proved too much for me and finally after a nervous breakdown I had to give up. I was in a terribly rundown condition, my stomach was out of order and I suffered tortures with my back. Sometimes in the morning my back hurt me so I would break down and cry and my husband would have to help me out of bed. I was under treatment two or three years and tried many medicines, but nothing did me any good. I lost weight until I only weighed a hundred and one pounds, and finally I got down in bed and was discouraged and out of heart. This was my condition when I began taking Tanlac.

"It is simply wonderful the way this medicine has put me on my feet again. I have a splendid appetite, my stomach is in first-class condition, I have gained eight pounds in weight and am gaining every day and am feeling better than I have in years. I'm telling everybody what a fine medicine Tanlac is, and I hope my statement will help others who suffer as I did."

Tanlac is sold in Ranger by Phillips Bros., and in Eastland by the Palace Drug Store.—Advertisement.

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TRAINING IN SCHOOL FIRE DRILL SAVES CHILDREN AT MOVIE BLAZE

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Marching with soldierly precision in single file out of the smoke-filled Atlantic theatre, a motion picture house on West 116th street, 300 children gave a stirring example late yesterday afternoon of the benefit derived from public school fire drills.

To Miss Martha Hannerman, cashier of the theatre, goes much of the credit for averting a panic when a thick cloud of black smoke, followed by a spurt of flame, burst from the operator's booth over the heads of the audience. The theatre was filled with children and a few adults. Miss Hannerman walked down the aisles cautioning the youngsters.

"Remember your school fire drills," she called. "Go out quietly in a line. Go to the nearest exit. Don't hurry. You have plenty of time. There is no danger."

Form in Line.

As if under the coaching of their school teachers, the children formed in line and passed out of the eight exits to the street. There was no rush, and the adults in the audience marvelled at the coolness of the youngsters.

The fire occurred when Harry Braun, the operator, was threading into the machine a new 1,000-foot reel. The house was dark and the children were waiting for the show to continue.

Red hot carbons in the projector of the machine touched the dangling strip of celluloid. The film exploded. Braun jumped out of the booth and slammed the door shut. With a fire extinguisher he put out the flames. The house, however was filled with smoke, and the frightened children were on the verge of a stampede.

Eugene Schoen, manager of the theatre, ran down the aisle to the electric organ. While Miss Hannerman reassured the youngsters, Schoen started a spirited march on the instrument.

The children, many of whom had screamed and started to rush into the aisles immediately quieted, and fell in behind one another in a march to the street.

When the theatre had been cleared of smoke the children returned and remained for the rest of the performance.

Quite a stir was made recently in English society when Princess Mary danced in public with a person "of low degree."

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Men's pongee silk shirts; $6 values, at 3.45
Men's working shoes ..... $2.45 Up
Men's felt hats, velvet finish; $10 values at $3.95
Just received, new shipment of fall merchandise in ladies' shoes, in white kid high tops, black satin and suede; values as high as $17.50, for $4.95

See our new Fall Dresses, Capes and Suits now on sale

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'NOTHER AD FOR FORD

By International News Service.

ELKINS, W. Va., Aug. 19.—Here's a new Henry Ford story. It is told by Judge William E. Baker, of federal district court, and it is a new one, for it happened when Mr. Ford, H. S. Firestone and Thomas A. Edison were in Elkins the other day on their mountain camping expedition.

Two negroes were playing dice—that is, "shooting craps"—in the street and one had taken about all the money the other had. The winner played slowly and took plenty of time with the dice before he would "roll" them. The loser was impatient.

"Nigger," he said, "Ford them bones."

"What you all mean, Ford them bones?"

"I mean shake, rattle and roll, dats what I means."

CATHOLIC SISTERS ADD VARIETY TO TEXAS CAMPUS

AUSTIN, Aug. 19.—Many Catholic sisters are now studying in the summer school of the University of Texas. They have taught during the winter, and are now taking advantage of the summer courses offered to complete degree requirements or to secure state certificates. There are in attendance about fifteen Dominican Sisters, who are connected with Newman Hall, a Catholic dormitory for university students. Several orders are represented here, but the Sisters of the Immaculate Word constitute the next largest group. There are ten representing this order from Victoria and Halletsville.

PRAYERS FOR THE MAYOR.

By International News Service

MACON, Mo., Aug. 19.—Following complaints from citizens, Mayor Lacy has forced a religious camp meeting to desist from "loud lamentations" at 10 o'clock each night. Night Officer Holvey notified the revivalists.

"What did they say?" Mayor Lacy queried of Holvey.

"They thought it strange," they said. Holvey replied, "for you to force them to close at ten, when carnivals are permitted to run until midnight. They said they'd pray for you."

The Seminole Indians adopt negresses into their tribes.

AIR BLAST FROM OLD WELL KEEPS HER HOME COOL

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—A dry artesian well from which a strong blast of cold, dry air has been pouring for twenty-five years completely nonplussed George Sanzenbachere, engineer of the Newark water department, yesterday afternoon, after he had inspected the well out of curiosity, having heard reports of its unusual nature.

The owner of the well, Mrs. Jacob Lowenstein, is glad these hot days it does not produce water. She uses the air to cool her refrigerator, to dry the family wash and, above all, to cool the house in hot weather.

The well was driven thirty-seven years ago by Robert F. Maier, now dead. His house stood at what is now No. 360 South street, Newark. The well is seventy-nine feet deep. For the first ten years it produced excellent water. Then it went suddenly dry. When the water ceased flowing the air blast started. It was pouring out lustily when Mrs. Lowenstein bought the South street place several years ago.

Roar is Heard.

At one time, Mrs. Lowenstein said yesterday, the air blast was so strong that its roar could be heard for a block, and the neighbors complained of the noise. In an effort to shut off the supply sand and gravel were poured into the opening. The current was so strong, however, that the sand and small stones were immediately blown out.

In 1917 Mrs. Lowenstein had the opening capped with an iron faucet, so that she could control the supply. She had pipes run into her house, conveying part of the air to her refrigerator; then she dispensed with ice. The other pipes are at convenient places in the house. In rainy weather a blast of the dry air run through the place is enough to dispel the dampness.

Clothing hung before the pipes will dry in a very few minutes. Best of all, in summer weather, the air is a most efficient cooling element. A dozen electric fans could not compete with it. Therefore, Mrs. Lowenstein's house is most popular among her friends.

The air pours forth continuously and without variation in force. Mr. Sanzenbacher was able to offer no explanation of the phenomenon.

SWARMS OF PEOPLE READING DICTIONARY MYSTIFY LIBRARIANS

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Mystery, baffling as the facial expression on the stone lions outside, enshrouds the general reference room of the public library in Fifth avenue.

For the past fortnight men, women and children—in literal droves—have been invading the room. They have sat pouring over the big dictionaries, according to officials, "for hours at a time." To date the only explanation for this has been, "Missing word contest," but where, when, why, nobody at the library knows.

So dog's-eared have all the dictionaries become through excessive handling, however, that yesterday the authorities were compelled to adopt safety measures.

The elaborate Murray's dictionary and the Oxford dictionary have been shipped to the "book hospital" for repairs.

On the shelf which lodges the Websters and Centuries has been erected a sign: These books must not be removed! They must not be used for continuous study!"

Also, a pressing goddess has been commissioned to look after the shelf.

"It's my job to see to it that no one looks at these books longer than three minutes at a time," she confided to a reporter.

ROLLING IN WEALTH

ANDERSON, S. C., Aug. 19.—The skeleton of a miserly old rat was found today in a nest made entirely of United States currency in the roof of an ancient dwelling. The rodent had gathered bills of $5 and $10 denominations, shredded and woven them into a nest and apparently lived there in all his glory until senility overcame him.

WEST TEXAS FAIR CATALOGUE ISSUED

ABILELE, Aug. 19.—The catalogue of the West Texas Fair, to be held at Abilene, Sept. 26 to Oct. 1, has been issued and shows prizes will aggregate $5,000. A special prize of $600 will be split three ways for the best county exhibits. Plainview and Hale county will send a large agricultural exhibit. Agricultural prizes approximate $1,000.

Horses have nearly all disappeared in Hawaii, motor cars having taken their place.

"BABE RUTH'S" STOPPED

United Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 19—The "Babe Ruth Sluggers" didn't have their collective hitting eye working and they lost to another bunch of sandlot urchins here 64 to 22.

VALLIANT STOCK SOLD AGAIN; MRS. PORTER TO OPEN STORE ON AUSTIN

The Valliant & Co. stock has changed hands again. Mrs. Charles Porter has brought the stock from Mr. Wilson and will open a store on Austin street, in the rear of Texas drug store.

BURIED IN BED.

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Aug. 19.—Brown Hughlett, Howell county's pioneer settler, has been buried with a feather mattress in his crude home-hewed coffin. He was garbed in his nightshirt as he entered the "long sleep."

These oddities of his funeral were in compliance with his last request.

KANSAS CITY SEES FINANCIAL TURNING POINT AS CROPS POUR IN

By International News Service

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 19.—Carloads of golden grain leaving the wheat belt, are commencing to relieve the financial tension prevailing in this city and the general southwest since the days of the world war.

The turning point in the world of finance which is marked by the influx of dollars from grain sales, has been reached, according to Kansas City bankers.

William T. Kemper, chairman of the board of the Commerce Trust company, explained the modus operandi of financiers in connection with shipping wheat.

Much Cash Advanced.

"At the completion of harvest the country banks advanced cash to the farmers to enable them to make shipments," Mr. Kemper said: "The banks also financed the elevator men.

"During this temporary period of financing country banks called upon city banks for accommodations. But the turning point has been reached. Farmers are selling and are paying off and depositing in the country banks. The country banks in turn are taking up their obligations with the city banks; thus the financial strain in this section is eased.

"There would be a more speedy turnover of the crop if the facilities were ample to care for the output." Mr. Kemper said.

Heavy Call for Cars.

"Though the railroads have done well in the handling of shipments I receive requests every day from towns in the southwest for cars and more cars," he said.

"During the last two weeks about 8,000 cars of wheat have been cleared through here. This represents a cash value of about $1,000,000. As the days pass this and more money will begin to make its entry into Kansas City treasuries.

"And don't forget that Kansas City is the greatest garden spot in the world, surrounded with an abundance of fine wheat, hay and corn," concluded Mr. Kemper.

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Shoes, $18.50 values, now **$9.00**
All other shoes on sale at **Half Price**

SILK SHIRTS
Your choice of any silk shirt in the house; values to $12.00 now **$5.95**

MEN'S SILK HOSE
Your choice of any men's silk hose in the house for **98c**

BUNGALOW APRONS
Values to $3.00, now your choice **98c**

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—All Organdy and Voile Dresses at big reductions.

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Bookfold, amoskeag gingham, checks, plaid, **5 yards for** **95c**

Apron check gingham, checks and plaid **10 yards for** **95c**

36-in. satin, black and colors; 50c value, **3 yards for** **95c**

36-in bleached muslin; no starch **6 yards for** **95c**

36-in. figured marquisette, new patterns, 75c value, **2 yards for** **95c**

40-in. voiles, $1 and 75c values; solid and figured, **2 yards for** **95c**

EXTRA SPECIAL
—90-in. bleached sheeting
2 1-2 yards **95c**
5 yards to a customer

Play cloth or galatea, 50c value **3 yards for** **95c**

36-in. cretonne in light and dark patterns, **5 yards for** **95c**

36-in. percale; check and plaid and figured, **5 yards for** **95c**

81x90 seamless sheets; just received; good grade **Special** **95c**

36-in. kimono silk; $1.50 value, **Special** **95c**

36-in. dress linen, all leading colors; $1.50 value **Special** **95c**

Barber towels, 10c value; extra special **15 for** **95c**

16x21 Turkish towels; 25c value; extra special **7 for** **95c**

33-in. kimono crepe; new patterns; special, **3 yards for** **95c**

Stationery, pink, blue and white; 50c and 75c value **3 boxes for** **95c**

EXTRA SPECIAL
—36-in. unbleached L L muslin; good quality; extra special
11 yards for **95c**
11 yards to a customer

Ladies' gowns in crepe or nainsook; flesh and white, **Special** **95c**

Baby Jiffy rubber pants; pink, white, cream, **2 for** **95c**

Ladies' embroidery handkerchiefs; 35c value; special, **4 for** **95c**

Misses' 3-4 length sox; Phoenix brand; 75c value, **2 pair for** **95c**

Fancy beads and combs; $1.50 and $1.95 values, **Special** **95c**

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