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SHERIFF GETS BIG STILL; ONE MAN IS ARRESTED

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams brought in from Miles Saturday what appears to be one of the biggest stills that has yet been captured. This still was complete in every respect and was a finished product. It was captured in a residence at Miles occupied by B. J. ("Buster") Johnson, who was living in this house alone.

Along with the still and in the same room was found one pint of what appears to be good bootleg whiskey, a large number of empty bottles, fruit jars and other containers, 50 pounds of sugar and a quantity of rye.

At the time the raid was made, Johnson was absent, but his car was parked in front of the house.

A complaint was filed against Johnson at Ballinger and he was later arrested in Eastland and is now being held there by the sheriff of Eastland county, awaiting the arrival of Mr. McWilliams to get him.

Little is known of Johnson and his history. He has been living alone in this house for some time and it has been a mystery to the citizens there as to how he earned a livelihood, and this is now explained.

Johnson will be brought here soon to face the charges and it is not known what he will do in regard to bond.

COOLIDGE SPEAKS AT SAINT PAUL

(By Associated Press)
ST. PAUL, June 8.—President Coolidge accompanied by Mrs. Coolidge and several friends arrived here last night by special train.

The president is scheduled to deliver an address this afternoon at the Norse-American Centennial Exposition at the state fair ground, midway between St. Paul and Minneapolis.

During his stay here the president is the guest of Secretary Kellogg. The presidential party will return to Washington tonight.

C. OF C. MEETING TUESDAY MORNING

The regular meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday morning in the offices at 9:30 o'clock. Members of the board are urged to be present as some matters of particular importance will be before the board to be acted upon.

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UNIVERSITY ENDS SCHOOL TERM

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, June 8.—The 42nd year of school work will be closed at the University of Texas tonight by the graduates and faculty at the combined commencement exercises and inauguration of Dr. W. M. Splawn as president, at the memorial stadium.

Nearly six hundred graduates will receive diplomas. Dean T. U. Taylor will be master of ceremonies.

BELGIUM WILL SEND COMMISSION

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 8.—The official commission appointed by the Belgian government to negotiate with the American authorities for the settlement of the war debt owed the United States will visit this country in July.

BACTERIA AND GAS OUTLAWED

(By Associated Press)
GENEVA, June 8.—The use of bacteria in warfare was today outlawed by the international arms conference. The amendment was adopted placing disease germs with poison gas on the list of forbidden war methods.

FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKS BALLOON

(By Associated Press)
BOULOGNE, France, June 8.—The British balloon Elsie, a participant in the Gordon Bennett Cup Race was destroyed in landing today when its guide rope caught on a moving freight train crashing the bag to the tracks. The pilot was unhurt but the passenger was slightly injured.



Officers Have Busy Time; 2 Held on Serious Charge

Arrested on Pistol Charge
Lang Iden was placed in jail Saturday afternoon by Sheriff R. E. McWilliams on a charge of carrying a pistol. Mr. Iden made bond Monday and was released to appear August 3rd, the first day of the August term of the county court.

Roy Nix of the American Cafe Carried to San Angelo
Late Saturday afternoon, Roy Nix, part owner of the American Cafe of this city, was arrested by Sheriff McWilliams, and on Sunday morning was turned over to Sheriff Bob Hewitt, of Tom Green county, and was carried to San Angelo.

The arrest grew out of the capturing of 10,000 cigarettes in Coleman Saturday morning. It is alleged that Nix had something to do with these cigarettes and he is charged with receiving and concealing stolen property.

Mr. Nix came to Ballinger from Miles some time in February of this year and became associated with A. J. Carriger in the ownership and management of the American Cafe on Eighth Street. This arrest is the culmination of a lengthy investigation of stolen

cigarettes from the McCord Grocery Company of San Angelo.

B. P. Shook Held Here
B. P. Shook was arrested late Sunday night in Miles and placed in the Ballinger jail and on Monday morning a felony complaint was filed against him charging burglary and theft. This arrest grew out of the burglarizing of what is known as the Loudamy Garage at Miles, owned by O. G. Loudamy, which occurred Thursday night, June 4th. Certain evidence was found connecting the defendant with the crime and he was arrested and his bond fixed by Magistrate C. H. Willingham at \$1,000, which he will probably give.

Mr. Shook is a widower living alone in a small house about two miles from the town of Miles, over the line in Tom Green county, and has been there since last October. He has prominent relatives living in Miles.

The stolen property, amounting to something like \$200 worth was all recovered and returned to the owner after a long search by the officers. It is believed that others are connected with Shook in the commission of this offense, but no further arrests have been made.

FAIR STOCK BEING SOLD

Secretary J. D. Motley announced Monday that he would start selling the additional \$5,000 worth of Runnels County Fair Association stock at once and would push the work, trying to have it all placed at an early date. He will also push collections on that part of the stock already sold and hopes to collect all of it that is still unpaid.

The board of directors authorized the additional stock to be sold at its regular meeting in January, but the dry conditions made it advisable not to begin the sale until after rain had come. Mr. Motley will cover the entire county in this drive and it is the hope of the officers and directors that not only the amount will be subscribed, but that it will be taken by a large number of people, believing that the more stockholders the association has the more workers and boosters the fair will have in the county.

The directors hope to have the stock all sold by July 1st and the contracts let at that time for the 1925 building program. Just what new building will be done has not been definitely settled, but the secretary said that among other things it would call for another building similar to the one now being used for the agricultural exhibition and additional grandstand room in the athletic park.

The new charter for the Runnels County Fair Association has been secured, with the capital stock placed at \$15,000 and as fast as the new stock is sold, certificates will be issued to the buyers.

Word has reached The Ledger

that the Abilene & Southern Railway will continue to operate its motor car between Ballinger and Abilene. The petition now before the Texas Railroad Commission asking for a permit to curtail this service has been withdrawn and it is understood that it will not be filed in any other form.

A new schedule will be announced at an early date and the car will likely arrive in Ballinger at 8:45 a. m. and depart at 9:00 a. m. for Abilene. This will give Ballinger her mail early in the morning and it is for the benefit of the mail service largely that the motor will continue to operate.

W. O. Shackelford, General Passenger Agent of the A. & S. was in Ballinger last Friday, but at that time he felt that the car would be dropped from the schedule, at least until the fall when the freight business of the road made the mixed train run irregularly.

Ballinger and Winters have passed ordinances regulating the motor buses within the last 90 days and these ordinances are now being contested and are on appeal to the higher courts. The ordinances are in a way expected to be beneficial to the railroads, and the A. & S. has been urged to keep the car on until this matter has been finally disposed of, as it is felt that the towns along the line are trying to co-operate with the road in improving the patronage.

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LITTLE BOY LOSES LIFE IN RURAL HOME BLAZE

A tragedy that threw a gloom all over Runnels county occurred Sunday at noon when the home of John Simmons, who lives seven miles South of Ballinger, burned, and Mr. Simmons' youngest son, Fowler, was caught in the flames and perished.

The little body, burned to a char, was taken from the ruins as soon as it could be found, brought to the Higginbotham undertaking morgue and prepared for burial by Undertaker Crews. Funeral services were announced Monday morning to be held at Evergreen Cemetery Monday afternoon at 4:00 p. m. with Rev. O. M. Cole officiating.

Mr. Simmons was not feeling well Sunday morning and as the rest of the family was preparing to go to Sunday school at Bethel he declared that he would remain at home, and his youngest son asked to stay with the father. Later in the morning Mr. Simmons lit the oil stove and put on a pot of beans to cook, after which he went out on the front porch to read. His son was playing around him at that time and he asked the boy to go to the kitchen and look after the fire in the stove. The little fellow returned and told his father the fire was all right and that he was going into the South room and lie down for a while. Mr. Simmons remained on the front porch and had no idea anything was wrong until the flames began whipping around the front of the house where he was sitting.

Mr. Simmons' daughter, Miss Edna Simmons, had just returned from McMurry College at Abilene and Mr. Simmons rushed into the front room next to where he was sitting and dragged her trunk out in the yard and it was then that he noticed his son was not there. He rushed back to the South room where Fowler was and tried the door but could not get it open. He finally succeeded in pushing the door open a little bit and called to his son and says that the boy answered him two or three times but he could not get the door open. When he did push the door in a few inches the blaze hit him full in the face, causing very severe burns on Mr. Simmons' head, hand and arms.

An extremely high wind was blowing and with its assistance the blaze was only a short time in burning the house to the ground. A call was turned in to Ballinger and the fire company hurried to the scene of the fire but the house was completely destroyed when the firemen arrived. A connection was made to a windmill

and the ruins where the body was were soaked with water so the rescue work could be rushed as fast as possible. The Higginbotham ambulance also answered the call and was on the scene in a short time.

The rescuers found the little body in a crouched position against the door where the father had tried so hard to get to his son and where he heard him answer to his calls. It is the opinion of those who assisted in the rescue work that after the child entered the room the door either became locked in some way or else some heavy timber fell against it and when the boy reached the door he could not open it and becoming overcome he crouched beside the door trying to get out until he was overcome and died in the flames.

Fowler was the youngest of six children. His mother died at his birth and is buried in Evergreen Cemetery where he will be laid to rest by her side Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Other children, most of whom are at home now are John Lee, Claud, Clyde, Edna and Ada.

Mr. Simmons has made his home in Runnels county for many years and has friends all over the county who today mourn with him in this tragedy.

**SOME RELIEF IN
HEAT WAVE BELT**

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, June 8.—Relief in the Eastern and Mid-Western areas was in prospect today from the almost nation-wide heat wave which has taken a toll of 467 lives in nine days.

Although the Western temperatures were modulated to some extent yesterday by cloudiness, rains and winds, and resulted in a smaller number of deaths than the day before the continued heat in many Eastern areas added heavily to the casualty lists.

Deaths yesterday directly attributed to the heat were numbered at 143, and all but eight of these were in Eastern territory.

Mrs. H. J. Armstrong and daughter, Miss Frances, left Saturday for San Antonio and Corpus Christi, where they will spend one or two months visiting.

FLYER KILLED; CADET HURT

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, June 8.—Lieut. E. L. Searl Jr., of Brooks Field, a flying instructor, was crushed to death, and R. A. Strickland, flying cadet, suffered a broken arm and cut about the face and body injuries when their plane went into a tail spin and crashed 500 feet to earth near here today.

Searl was assigned here recently from Manila.

SEVEN DEAD IN STREET FIGHTING

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, June 8.—The Sofia correspondent of Die Manntag Morgen reports that street fights have taken place in the Bulgarian capital resulting in the deaths of seven persons including a member of parliament, and the wounding of hundreds.

FIFTEEN MEN ARE ENTOMBED

(By Associated Press)
STURGIS, Ky., June 8.—Fifteen men were entombed in an explosion which occurred in a deep shaft of Mine No. 9 of the West Kentucky Coal Company, here today.

Nearly 200 men were at work at the time but about 185 escaped through other exits, the officials of the company announced.

The extent of the damage had not been determined up to noon today.

100 PERSONS ARE DROWNED

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, June 8.—Special dispatches from Vera Cruz report more than 100 persons have been drowned and several hamlets destroyed in the isthmus region caused by the overflowing of the Tehauntepec and Peros rivers.



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With over 500 persons being killed in the East and Middle West during the last nine days by the heat wave we should remember to be thankful for our ideal West Texas climate.

A few more days of fair weather will see the weeds conquered by the Runnels county farmers and they will then be ready for another rain. The weeds got a good headway during the week of good rains which we had and since that time farmers have been staying in the fields to get their crops in good shape.

Every day at this season sees an increase in tourist travel through Ballinger. Many of these people would no doubt spend the night in Ballinger if we had a park where it was comfortable for them to camp. This is one of the things that the Chamber of Commerce is working on and is a project that should receive the full co-operation of everyone who is interested in things that are of benefit to Ballinger.

GET GAS EASY

If the talk on the streets of Ballinger Monday morning is true some of the youngsters of this city have the makings of business men or thieves—one or the other. You can decide for yourself. It is alleged the youngsters run their cars out on the country roads and drive off to one side and stop. They then hail the first passing motorist who comes along and explain that they have run out of gas, and "borrow" a gallon from him. After hitting five or six such tourists they have enough gas for a joy ride and return to town and burn it up joy riding.

FREE LECTURE ON EVOLUTION TO BE GIVEN

Elder A. B. Barrett, of Austin, Texas, will give a free lecture on Evolution next Tuesday night at the Church of Christ on Eighth Street.

Everyone is invited to come and hear the lecture.
6-2nd

All films received by 9:00 a. m. will be finished by 5:00 p. m. at Bartlett's Studio. 28-1st

H. V. Goss, of Abilene, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Troy Simpson.

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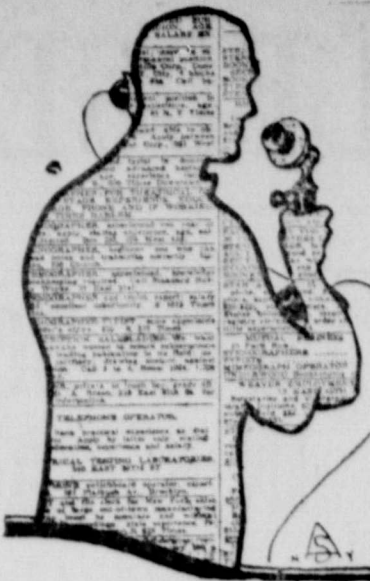
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ELEVEN TAKE
TEACHERS EXAM.

County Superintendent R. E. White announced Monday morning that examinations were given to eleven applicants for certificates at his office in the court house here Friday and Saturday. The examinations were for every kind of certificates and the papers have been sent to Austin for grading.

Other examinations had been announced for July 3rd and 4th, but the latter date falling on Independence Day and believing that a poor attendance would be had on account of the holiday they have been cancelled and set for July 10th and 11th. On these dates examinations of all classes will be given and those desiring to take the exams are requested to be present then.

Supt. White said the work of selecting teachers for the rural school was progressing nicely. Most of the teachers have been elected and only nine schools in the county are yet to be filled. Of this number four are two-teacher schools and five are one-teacher schools, the larger schools having all elected faculties.

Yellow Cab Bus—

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BOOTLEGGERS OF PACIFIC DEVELOP CRAFTY METHODS

(By Associated Press)
SPOKANE, Wash., June 6.—The latest strategy of bootleggers of this locality, the civil authorities declare, is to hire some person suffering from chronic illness to market their wares. Then when the peddler comes before a court, the plea is made that he has no money and that a jail sentence would mean sure death.

Within the last three weeks

there have been at least four cases of this kind tried before me," declared Police Justice Fred Morrill. "The defendant even had a physician take the witness stand and testify that it might mean death for the accused if he should be compelled to serve time in jail." Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Louis Bunge corroborated the judge's statement. "Bootleggers that I have prosecuted during the last month have claimed to be the victims of every disease from barber's itch to galloping consumption," he said. "The man who is caught with liquor in his possession usually is undersized, and pleads for the courts to give him a chance to get out into the country and regain his health."

But the mystifying feature of the situation is that the convicted bootlegger rarely remains in jail more than a few days, even if a heavy fine is imposed, the officers state. The money to pay his fine and effect his liberation always is forthcoming from some source, which they believe to be the employing bootlegger.

MATCH MAKING PARTY IS HELD IN TOKYO

(By Associated Press)
TOKYO, June 8.—Japanese fancies, in springtime, are very much like those of other nationalities. Recently the Women's Club in Atagocho, Shiba, gave a party for 40 young bachelors and an equal number of unmarried young women with a view of arranging nuptial contracts. Each guest was given a paper which identified every other member of the party. The girl's ages, stations in life, education and other condition were given in detail. Identification of men included the amount of monthly income they could produce to support a family.

The fee for admittance to the party was 50 sen, although no arrangement was made to refund it in case the mating plans went awry.

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SIBERIA NO PLACE FOR GOLD SEEKERS

(By Associated Press)
SEATTLE, Wash., June 8.—The present policy of the Russian government has ended foreign gold exploration work and prospecting in Kamchatka, and in the district of the Amur River of Siberia, Carl A. Anderson, old Alaska gold hunter, said on returning to Seattle after a five year stay in that region.

"I do not believe there are more than six foreign prospectors in the entire Kamchatka and Amur regions," Mr. Anderson declared. "It is a good place for foreign gold hunters to keep away from."

NEW CARD TRICK



The three figures in the photo show how a card is dealt from the bottom of the deck. The second and third fingers of the left hand are spread far apart under the deck. The second finger of the right hand is used, as in second figure, to draw the bottom card off. The left thumb is used to push the top card partly off the deck thereby camouflaging the real work, as shown in the third figure to the right. In the illustration the hands are held up to reveal the work.—Science & Invention

Credit Men to Discuss Crooks in Business

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 8.—Plans for their nation-wide campaign against "commercial criminals" will be given a place of major prominence by members of the National Association of Credit Men when they convene in Washington today for their thirtieth annual convention.

The economic and financial situation both at home and abroad will be surveyed from its broadest aspects during the program of one week, but emphasis is to be laid specifically upon credit problems, and means of preventing commercial crime.

J. H. Tregoe, executive manager and treasurer of the association predicted that when all reports were collected on the opening day of the convention, the Credit Justice Fund of \$1,000,000 being raised by the association for the prosecution of credit fraud throughout the country would be fully subscribed.

Bishop James E. Freeman, of the Episcopal diocese of Washington, a former business man, is the principal speaker for the first day's opening session this afternoon, and will deliver an address on "Religion and Business." Edward James Cattell, of Philadelphia also will speak today on "Looking Forward."

Secretary of Commerce Hoover, Senator Simeon D. Fess, and President William Mather Lewis of George Washington University, are the principal speakers for Tuesday morning, while the afternoon of Tuesday will be given over to trade group conferences.

Among the prominent speakers for the rest of the week are: William J. Donovan, assistant to the U. S. attorney general, who will discuss the subject of credit frauds and their prosecution; G.

B. Winston, under-secretary of the Treasury, who will speak on "Taxation"; and Vice-Governor Edmund Platt, of the Federal Reserve Board, who will discuss "Branch Banking as a Means of Preventing Bank Failures."

Among the important reports to be submitted to the convention during the week are those from the committee on investigation and prosecution, foreign credits, credit interchange bureaus, business service, credit co-operation and methods, business literature, business meetings, mercantile agency service, bankruptcy law, and commercial arbitration.

Attention will also be given during the week to the association's National Institute of Credit, a department which conducts a program of education in the work of the credit man, under the supervision of Dr. Frank A. Fall, formerly bursar of New York University.

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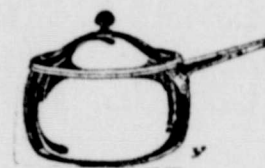
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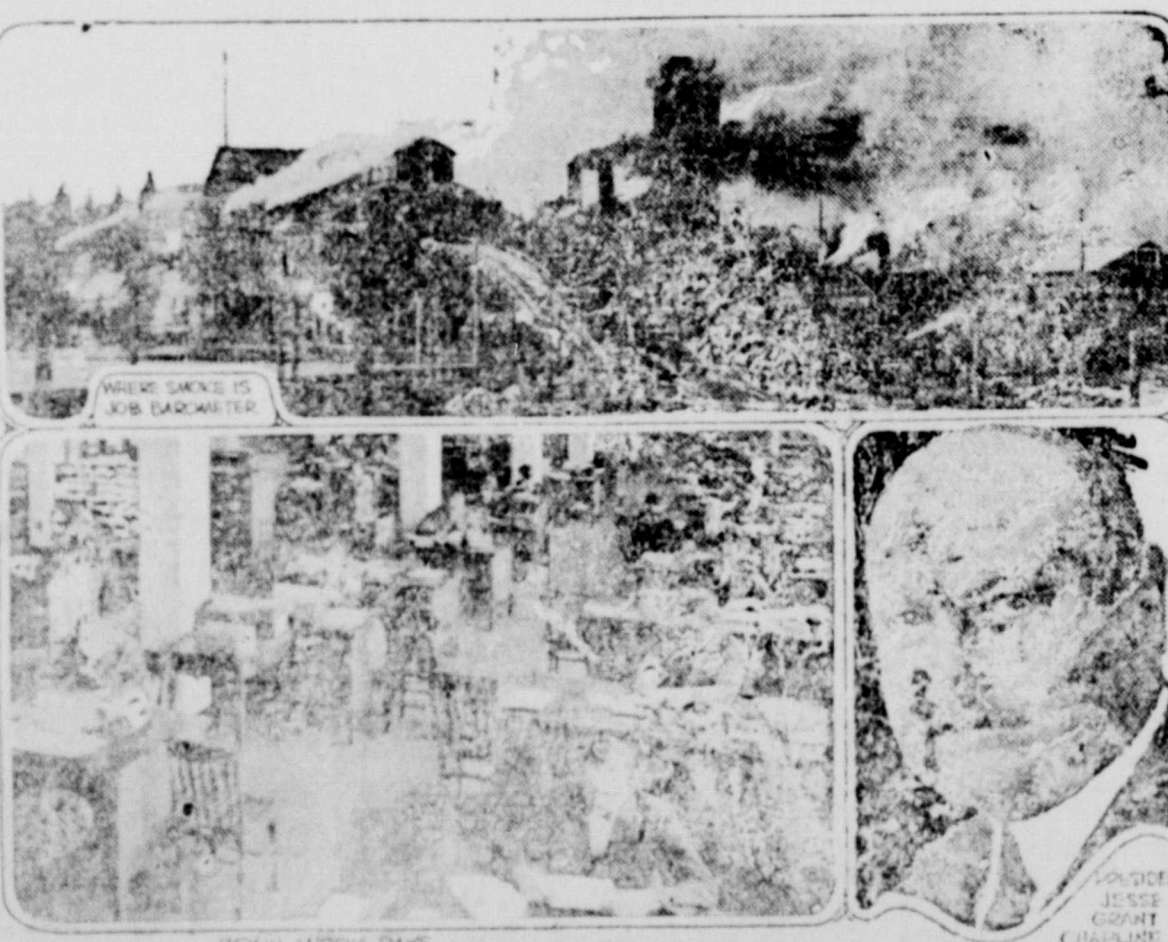
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"Of the 15,000,000 industrial workers in the United States only 1,500,000 are constantly out of work, according to U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics," said Mr. Chapline. "Unemployment runs from 5 percent of the working population in good years to 10 percent in bad years. It is this 10 percent that the Russell Sage Foundation has designated."

"On the other hand there has been a noticeable improvement of employment conditions in the class of so-called white collar workers. The white collar man always has a chance to dig himself in the necessities of business have forced every on-estate establishment to install modern business management and accounting practice and that has had the effect of opening a new field for thousands of ambitious men and women.

"Higher scale of income has been a result of the premium on trained brains. Record of LaSalle Extension University shows that during six months students reported salaries increasing from \$1,400.00 to \$1,800.00. This is the type of specialization, and this which has brought unemployment to the wage worker, has brought higher earning power to the white collar man.

"One person in 2,000 in the United States is now taking some kind of a home study course. Business has been made a science. The largest field now open to the majority of so-called white collar workers is in the higher business lines and probably 10,000,000 electric light bulbs are burning every night to illuminate the study tables of earnest students bent on the chase of success."



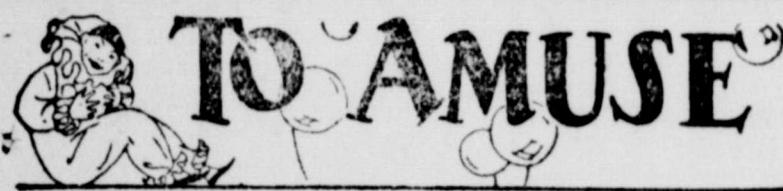
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Queen Shows tures in Alaska

A powerful story—one which not only entertains but makes folks think, is told in "School for Wives," the Victor Hugo Halperin production which comes to the Queen Theatre today for a run of two days. It's the story of a wealthy girl who marries a poor artist, renouncing her father's fortune because it is "tainted."

An excellent cast, headed by the always popular Conway Tearle, interprets the various roles. The picture is said to be a welcome combination of thrills, color, action, suspense and romance. It is admirably well directed.

Financial difficulties were not the sole cause of the rift on the matrimonial sea of Richard Keith and Betty Lynch (Conway Tearle and Sigrid Holmquist) in the early years of their union. They didn't get along happily for the reason that both had entered upon marriage with little thought and no preparation.

Hence it is, that the suggestion contained in the title of this picture is carried out in the story.

Among other favorites in the cast are: Peggy Kelly, Arthur Donaldson, Allan Simpson, Jill Lynn, Orlando Daly, Brian Dunlevy, Dick Lee, Dorothy Allen, Gerald Oliver Smith, Emily Chichester and Alysce Mills.

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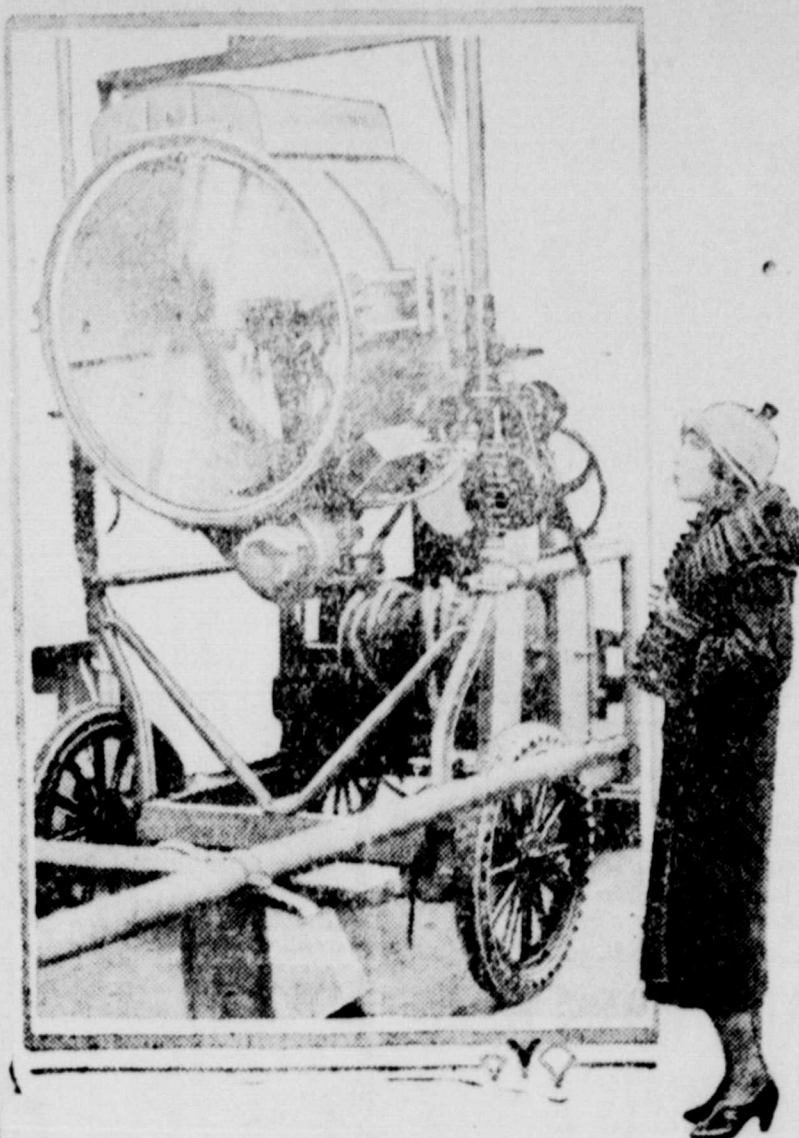
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One would naturally expect these honors and attentions to

turn the head of a seventeen year old girl.

But Miss Bronson is one of the wonders of Hollywood, because she has remained the same simple, unaffected child. Like a child, each of the manifold mechanical devices used to work magic on the screen interests her like a new toy. Here Miss Bronson is shown enrapt with one of the huge light reflectors used in her latest Paramount picture, "Are Parents People?"

Stamp Collectors Eager

for New Hungarian Issue

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, June 6.—Arrival of the first new sports postage stamps of Hungary created a stir in London philatelist circles, where very high prices were paid for several specimens. The set of

eight denominations were sold at about 100 per cent above the postal value in Budapest when they first came out, the premium going toward a fund to help the Hungarian sports associations.

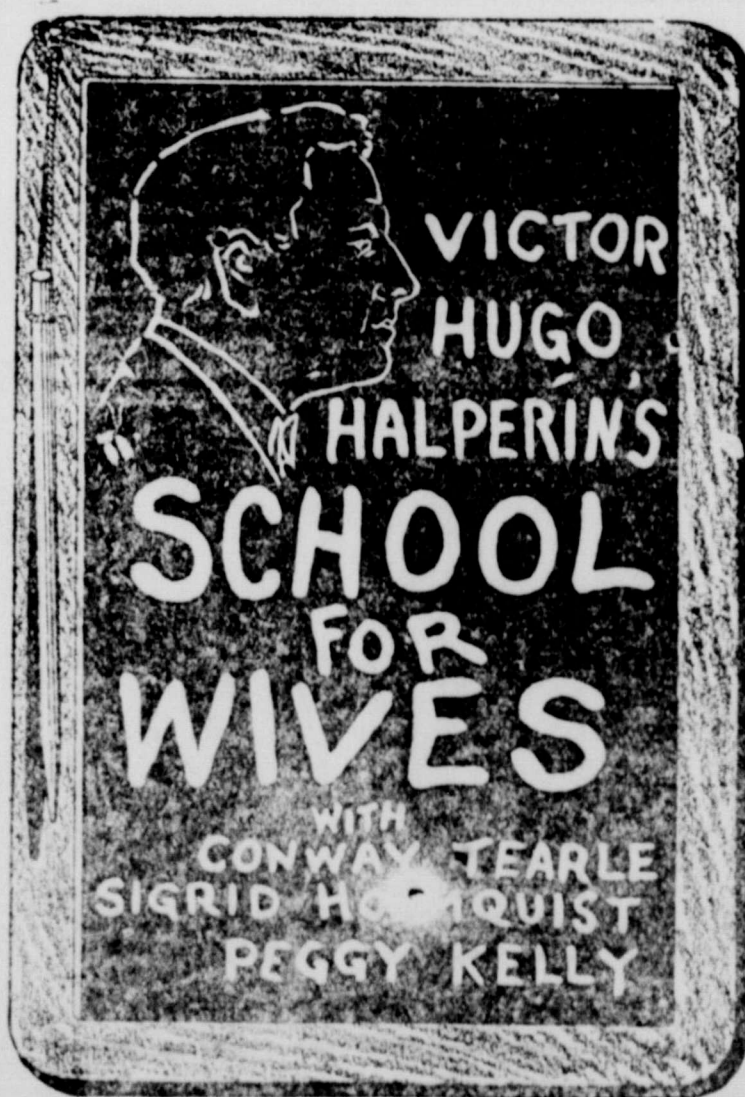
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DALLAS GETTING A HEAVY RAIN

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, June 8.—Rain began falling here this morning and is the first real moisture in several weeks. At one o'clock rain had been falling in torrents for an hour with no signs of letting up.

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ALLIES AGREE UPON REPLY

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, June 8.—An Exchange Telegraph Agency dispatch from Geneva says that Great Britain and France have reached a complete agreement on the reply to be made to Germany's proposal for a security pact for Western Europe.

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SOUTH BALLINGER REVIVAL GROWING

The revival in South Ballinger now in progress at the large tent is rapidly growing in both interest and numbers. Extra seats were placed Saturday evening to care for the large crowds. But to our great satisfaction and surprise we found that in order to seat the people more seats would be necessary, so other seats were hauled out after the services Saturday night. Notwithstanding we have the large tent seated all but to its fullest capacity we had an overflowing crowd last night numbering approximately 250 people. Souls are getting saved and all are being made to feel that the services are helpful and very scriptural. This meeting has been announced to continue at least over the coming Sunday night. Everybody is invited to attend the soul stirring services where "righteousness shall be laid to the line and judgment is the plummet." Leave your prejudices at home, take nothing second-hand—come and hear for yourselves. Bring your note books and pencils take the scriptures and study them at home. Be like the good people of Berea, "see whether these things be so or not." Let all Christians that love God and desire to see souls saved, believers sanctified, the sick healed, pray for God to have His way in the meeting.

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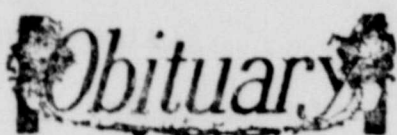
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John McCormack, Noted Tenor Pays Visit to Thomas Meighan



JOHN McCORMACK, the celebrated Irish tenor, and Thomas Meighan, the screen star, have long been admirers of each other's art, yet until a few weeks ago they had never met.

Then McCormack, with his wife and their daughter, Sheila, paid a visit to Mr. Meighan at the Paramount Long Island studio and watched the actor make scenes of his latest photoplay, "Old Home Week."



BAND BOYS NEED UNIFORMS BADLY

Mrs. M. E. Cordill

Word was received in Ballinger Sunday announcing the death of Mrs. M. E. Cordill at San Angelo. Mrs. Cordill was the mother of Asa Cordill, of this city, and for many years was a resident of Ballinger, making her home here until only a few years ago.

She was almost 80 years old, lacking only twenty days of reaching her 80th birthday. Funeral services were held at her son's home on Ninth Street Monday afternoon and interment made in Evergreen Cemetery. Her pastor from San Angelo was assisted by Rev. Alvin Swindell in conducting the services.

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and should be easy to raise.

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Notice

The Mother's Club will meet Tuesday at the Carnegie Library at 4:00 instead of 4:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be at the meeting at the time announced.

Committee.

Rev. M. C. Golden and John Golden left Sunday for Ralls, Texas, to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law.

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(By Associated Press)

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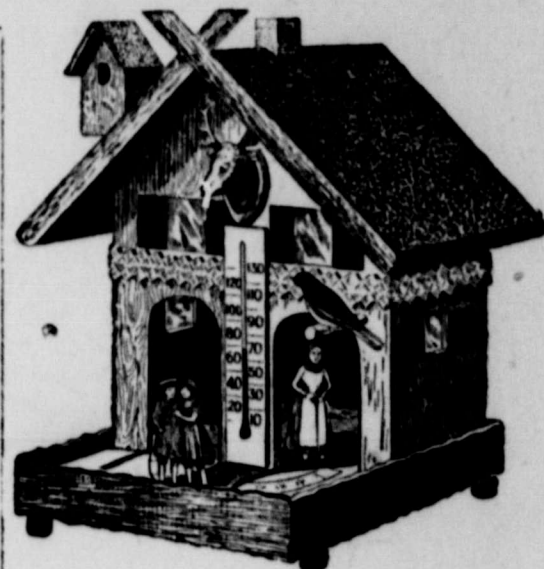
treat arriving Holy Year pilgrims in need of emergency medical attention. The doctor will be at the station from early morning until after midnight.

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