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FARMERS READY FOR PLANTING CAMPAIGN

GERMAN THREATENS TO ATTACH BELLANCA PLANE

CHARGES HE IS DUE MONEY BY PLANE'S OWNER

SETTLEMENT REACHED AT CONFERENCE OF REPRESENTATIVES

(By Associated Press)

BERLIN, June 14.—A conference this afternoon between the legal representatives of Charles A. Levine and Dr. Puppe, German financial promoter, brought a satisfactory provisional compromise, definitely removing the possibility of attachment of the trans-Atlantic monoplane Columbia.

Dr. Puppe had threatened attachment if a sum, the amount of which was not made public, were not paid him for work which he claimed to have done in promoting negotiations for a loan on behalf of Levine and various steel mills in Germany two years ago.

Under the terms suggested by the lawyers, both parties will make apologies, and Levine will pay a sum to Dr. Puppe. The agreement will be tendered to Levine for his ratification upon his return tomorrow from Baden-Baden, where he went with Clarence D. Chamberlin, the Columbia's pilot, for a test.

The German government and the Puthansa (German air league) played the part of mediators in the controversy, according to American embassy circles.

Commission Is Said Withheld

BERLIN, June 14 (AP)—Charles A. Levine, who accompanied Clarence D. Chamberlin in this trans-Atlantic flight, is confronted by seizure of his monoplane Columbia as the result of a claim made by Dr. Puppe, a German financial promoter.

The German alleges that a sum is due him from Levine as a commission for promoting a loan with various steel mills in Germany two years ago.

Levine has not negotiated, as he failed to exercise his option, but Dr. Puppe claims an additional amount for services he is due him, and threatens to attach the Columbia if the claim is not settled.

The threatened seizure has been averted through the mediation of German official sources until Levine's attorney returns from Vienna.

Kidnaped Family Is Believed Safe

MARSHALL, Texas, June 14 (AP)—County Attorney John Taylor last night said he was confident he would be able to locate and return W. A. Straps and family today.

Straps and wife are two of four victims of a masked band who last Wednesday visited two homes in the western portion of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Straps and three children disappeared from their home Sunday morning.

Developments came thick and fast yesterday. An investigation of the possible peonage angle of the case has been promised by Randolph Bryant, federal district attorney.

Governor Moody has assigned two additional rangers to assist local officers in the investigation and the county attorney has stated that a special session of the grand jury will be asked for as soon as information in hand justifies the action.

Former Canton Police Chief Faces Charge Of Murdering Don Mallett



COTTON CROP REPORT GIVEN

Amount Consumed in May Shows Increase Over April and Last Year

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Cotton consumed during May totaled 623,624 bales of lint and 72,766 bales of linters, compared with 619,140 bales and 86,927 of linters in April this year and 516,376 of lint and 62,159 of linters in May last year, the census bureau announced today.

Cotton on hand May 31, was held as follows:

In consuming establishments, 1,794,254 bales of lint and 225,417 of linters, compared with 1,894,995 of lint and 229,210 of linters on April 30, this year, and 1,448,739 of lint and 165,287 of linters on May 31, last year.

Quantity in Storage

In public storage and at compresses, 2,488,947 bales of lint and 682,032 of linters, compared with 3,078,682 of lint and 71,803 of linters on April 30, this year and 2,965,447 of lint and 55,923 of linters on May 31, last year.

Cotton spindles active during May numbered 32,906,580, compared with 32,892,442 during April this year and 32,275,936 during May last year.

County Valuations Put At \$20,706,617

The valuation of taxable property in Lubbock County for this year is \$20,706,617, according to figures in the County tax assessor's office.

This is an increase over last year of \$1,800,000.

If equally divided each man, woman and child in the county would have approximately \$600 worth of property. The tax rate for this county is 80 cents per \$100 valuation.

With action toward delinquent tax payers, it becomes evident that 16 percent of the taxes of 1926 have not been collected.

Paving Program Here Moves Along

Paving work in 15th Street has reached from Texas Avenue to Avenue M, the city engineer announced this morning.

Work on this street will be completed within a short time. Workmen will soon start laying the base for the hard surface from College Avenue to connect with Avenue M.

The curb and gutter work on 16th Street will probably be finished this week, and paving will start shortly afterwards.

Well Known Author Dies In England

NORTHAMPTON, Eng., June 14 (AP)—Jerome K. Jerome, noted British author, died at a hospital here today from cerebral hemorrhage.

TWO HELD, TWO ARE SOUGHT IN FLOGGING CASE

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES SAID IDENTIFIED AS ATTACKERS

(By The Associated Press)

TUCCOCA, Ga., June 14.—With warrants issued charging them with participating in the flogging of Mrs. Ansley Bowers, 28, and her son, Floyd, 15, early Sunday, the arrest of three railroad employees, one of whom took him to a nearby house, and Charles Thomas, railroad employe was expected by authorities today.

W. J. Acree, principal of the East-coville high school near here, and T. H. Lowry, foreman of a furniture factory, were arrested last night on similar charges, and released on bonds of \$300 each pending preliminary hearing.

Four identified

The warrants for the arrest of the four men were issued yesterday, Floyd Bowers swearing that he recognized them as four of the twelve men who took him and his mother from their home near the public square here shortly before daybreak Sunday. Both Acree and Lowry declared they knew nothing of the affair.

Mrs. Bowers and Floyd were taken to six miles from town and the woman beaten into unconsciousness. Then her son was lashed. The boy told authorities that the men told him he was whipped because he "got in the way" and that his mother was used of being of "bad character."

Claimed False Report

Mrs. Bowers was quoted as telling authorities the flogging resulted from a "false report" circulated about her.

Five other floggings in recent weeks came to light following the whipping of Mrs. Bowers. Three other women and two men have been taken from their homes by masked mobs and flogged, but no action had been taken as the victims feared further punishment at the hands of the bands, it was stated.

Escaped Mexican Convicts Sought

HOUSTON, June 14 (AP)—Police here Tuesday were patrolling the haunts of the Mexican underworld in an effort to pick up 21 Mexican convicts who escaped from the Blue Ridge prison early Monday.

Other officers were searching the woods between the farm and Houston.

The "break" was made while 64 convicts were eating supper. Two dozen dropped one at a time, through a hole in the floor under the table.

A farm steward, who saw two of the convicts walking off, gave the alarm. Two packs of dogs under Dog Sergeant Ben Cayle and J. M. Gamble located three of the convicts in the grass near the farm buildings.

Lindbergh No Hero To Texarkana Man

TEXARKANA, Texas, June 14 (AP)—There is a perfectly healthy normal man residing in the corporate limits of Texarkana, a city of over thirty thousand population, who has never heard of Charles Lindbergh. He admits it. The man, whose name is intentionally omitted, operates a small suburban store. Monday, a customer made some comment on the amount of publicity given to the young flier.

"Who is this fellow Lindbergh and what did he do?" asked the storekeeper. The dumbfounded customer tried to explain with much embarrassment.

"Well, you see, I don't have much time to read the papers," said the unique American.

Portuguese Flier Arrives At Vigia

BUENOS AIRES, June 14 (AP)—The Portuguese aviator Lieutenant Sarmiento Peires, who has been missing for a week while on a return flight to Lisbon, arrived this morning at the town of Vigia on the mouth of the Amazon, says a Paris dispatch to Lanston.

The dispatch says that Peires and his companions were rescued by a fishing boat after the plane had been destroyed while flying from Vigia to Georgetown, British Guiana. No details were given.

Bids Asked For On Air Mail Routes

WASHINGTON, June 14 (AP)—Postmaster General Noah today announced that bids would be opened July 16, for four new contract air mail routes. They are:

Albany, N. Y., to Cleveland; Dallas to Galveston; Dallas to San Antonio, and Key West to Havana.

Police Court Busy With Delinquents

The police court today was busy concerned with delinquents and inebriated grown-ups.

Two small Mexicans were haled before the court charged with theft of \$150 worth of toys from the Myrick warehouse, north of town. The boys entered the building through a hole in the floor. Many of the stolen articles were hidden in the Smith and Son bin, but later recovered by police. The case was transferred to the juvenile department of County court.

A 17-year-old boy was arraigned before the judge charged with shooting a neighbor's cat. Another boy, 14, was charged with stealing chickens.

Three men charged with drunkenness were sentenced to jail and assessed fines last night.

ZEPHYR BANK ROBBED TODAY

Lone Bandit Grabs \$1,200 While Companion Sits In Car; Pair Escape

(By The Associated Press)

BROWNWOOD, Texas, June 14.—A lone masked bandit robbed the First State bank at Zephyr near here, at 11 o'clock this morning, of about \$1,200 in cash, while a companion waited outside in a small touring car, in which the pair escaped.

The bandit entered the bank while D. A. Johnston, assistant cashier, was alone and commanded him to hand over his cash. Johnston hid part of the money behind a pile of books as he appeared to obey the robber.

Johnston states that the bandit was clothed in overalls and wore a handkerchief over his face. The two outlaws escaped in the direction of Mullin, east of Zephyr, and so far have evaded possession from this section. A complete check of the amount secured by the robber has not been made.

Paving Contract On Park Is Awarded

The commissioners court which met in session yesterday afternoon awarded the paving contract for the county park at Slaton and allowed a tax cut of 5 cents on county levies, in addition to acting as an equalization board in tax complaints.

Contracts for paving six blocks of streets in the park at Slaton was awarded to L. H. Howard for \$3,500. Further improvements in the park are contemplated at a later date, it was indicated.

Bond of J. H. Phillips, recently appointed justice of the peace at Slaton, was passed on by the commissioners and a number of claims for expense items allowed.

TEXAS REALTORS TO CLOSE BEAUMONT SESSION TODAY

(By Associated Press)

BEAUMONT, June 14.—The eighth annual convention of Texas Real Estate boards will come to a close here this afternoon with the selection of officers and the convention city for 1928. Tonight the realtors and their guests will be entertained at a banquet and tomorrow will be spent in a tour of the Sabine district under the direction of the Orange and Port Arthur boards.

National President Talks

C. C. Hiest of Chicago, president of the National Association of Real Estate boards, addressed the convention session this morning. He talked of the work being done by the national association and urged a large attendance at the national convention to be held in Seattle, Washington.

This is the first Texas convention that has ever had the opportunity of entertaining a president of the national association. Mr. Hiest complimented the local realtors on the program which has been arranged and the entertainment which has been provided for the delegates and their guests. He was accompanied by Beaumont by Mrs. Hiest.

Amarillo Seeks Convention

San Antonio and Amarillo dele-

BYRD PLANNING EARLY HOP ON EUROPEAN TRIP

WEDNESDAY NIGHT OR THURSDAY SET FOR BEGINNING

(By The Associated Press)

MITCHEL FIELD, June 14.—A man close to the flying camp of Commander Richard Byrd who asked that his identity be shielded told the Associated Press today that weather permitting, Byrd will hop off either tomorrow night or Thursday morning for a round trip European flight stopping in Paris only a few hours.

This man expressed the opinion, which he said was based on personal knowledge, that the early take off would be made so that Charles Lindbergh might be present to wish luck to Byrd just as Byrd wished him luck when he took off. The round trip with brief stop off had been decided on, he stated, because it was believed Clarence Chamberlin and Charles Levine intended to fly home from Europe and that therefore a one way flight would no longer have any great value of originality.

French Fliers Are Believed Alive

QUEBEC, June 14 (AP)—The possibility that Captain Charles Nungesser and Francois Coll, missing French trans-Atlantic aviators, may be stranded in the north of the province of Quebec was raised today by receipt of a telegram at the parliament building from a forestry employe at St. Germain township, north of the Saguenay river.

The man stated that for half an hour on Sunday night distress signals in the form of flares sent up at intervals of about three minutes, were seen in the mountains north of the township. The flares were seen by four persons.

The flares used were modern ones, and it is pointed out that the Indians or trappers in that region would light only fires in case of distress.

The Quebec government is exerting every effort to obtain more information on the matter.

French Scout Flares Theory

PARIS, June 14 (AP)—The report that the missing French fliers Nungesser and Coll might be in northern Quebec, based on the sighting of flares from a mountain region there, was discounted here by the state department that they left flares behind when they hopped off from Le Bourget field on their attempted trans-Atlantic flight.

Rain Delays Park Dedication To Vets

WICKER PARK, HAMMOND, Ind., June 14 (AP)—This beautiful Sylvan spot, scene of President Coolidge's only public excursion to his summer vacation home in South Dakota, was slow to fill today for his Flag Day address of dedication.

The sky was heavily overcast and a damp wind blew out of the north off Lake Michigan.

Four fifths of the early crowd of approximately 3,000 were by women and children. Some of them faced a six hour wait, standing or sitting on the grass, before the president's appearance at about 3:45 p. m., central daylight time.

The park is designed as a memorial to Lake County's youths who failed to return from the World War.

Houston Man Sought In Wife's Slaying

HOUSTON, June 14 (AP)—Search for H. G. Franklin in connection with the killing of his wife, Mrs. Jessie Franklin, 40, Monday night in Houston and nearby cities.

Mrs. Franklin was shot three times as she stood on the porch of her home and talked to her estranged husband.

Franklin called for his wife but she would not see him, according to Mrs. Annie Doerck, neighbor of a rooming house where Mrs. Franklin lived. Two hours later he returned. After a brief conversation with his wife, Mrs. Dorick said she heard sounds of scuffling, then pistol shots.

Frenchmen Crash In Distance Flight

LE BOURGET, France, June 14 (AP)—Captain Georges Pelletier Dolsy, noted French long distance aviator, and his navigator, M. Gonnin, narrowly escaped death today when their heavily loaded plane hopping off on a flight to Karachi, India, crashed about two miles from here and was destroyed by fire.

The French plane, heavily loaded for the 4,000 mile trip by which the aviators had hoped to break the record set up by Clarence D. Chamberlin on his New York to Germany flight in the Bellanca plane Columbia, was unable to get much altitude after it had taken off and nosed downward a few minutes after leaving Le Bourget.

The moment the plane struck the ground the two aviators leaped from the cockpit unhurt. An explosion followed scarcely a moment later. The burning 5,000 litres of gasoline carried for the flight quickly destroyed the plane.

RECENT RAINS LEAVE SOIL IN FINE CONDITION

COTTON CROP OF 40,000 BALES IS PREDICTED BY ONE MAN

With clouds still hovering low over this vicinity today after pouring nearly two inches of moisture on the Plains territory in the past three days, and with intermittent showers of sunshine to warm up the soil after the drenching downpour, farmers in Lubbock and surrounding counties Tuesday were giving almost their entire attention to belated planting of crops caused by the drought of the past several weeks.

Additional Showers

Additional showers of rain fell today in scattered portions of the Plains country, with indications that still more fall may be expected. Associated Press dispatches to the Daily Journal reveal that the rain has been general over the state, with one or two places reporting as much as five and six inches during the past day or two.

The soil is now in excellent condition for planting, and farmers in all parts of the county and surrounding territory will enter the fields as soon as possible to begin their planting. Agricultural leaders here said today. Land has been prepared for some time awaiting rain, and farmers have been ready for several weeks.

Train Schedules Are Disrupted

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, June 14 (AP)—Cotton Belt train schedules were disrupted Tuesday morning because of high water near Pardon, Navarro county. Trains over the main line were routed to Hillsboro over the Cotton Belt branch and from that point to Hubbard over the T. and N. V. where connections were made with the main line again. The extent of the damage to the track has not been learned.

Cotton Belt Is Greatly Aided

DALLAS, June 14 (AP)—Rain fell over most of the Cotton Belt Monday night and Tuesday morning, bringing reports of great benefit to agriculture.

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San Angelo Banker Dies This Morning

SAN ANGELO, June 14 (AP)—Robert Percy Amacker, 47, retired automobile dealer, a vice president of the First National bank and a resident of San Angelo, succumbed to a recent illness Monday at his home here, after a brief illness. He demonstrated the first Ford car in this section of the state for fourteen months before selling it in 1911, but had handled over 5,000 Ford units when he disposed of his agency January 1, last for a round \$100,000 retaining a plant that cost \$62,000.

Barbecue Victims Greatly Improved

SAN ANTONIO, June 14 (AP)—Advices from La Costa, near here, today indicated that all of the 100 or more persons who were suddenly taken ill following a barbecue Sunday, were out of danger, although several were seriously ill for a time. The dinner was contributed by parishioners of St. Mary's Catholic church and was given as a benefit. In addition to meat, the menu consisted of a variety of salads. Physicians gave it as their opinion that the wholesale illness was induced by poisoning which resulted from leaving the salads in improper containers too long.

Justiceburg Well Seeping With Oil

The Emerald Oil Company well, four miles east of Justiceburg, where drilling operations were shut down several weeks ago, is seeping with oil, according to unofficial reports reaching the Daily Journal.

The oil-filled casing has caused a hurried call to be sent to company officials in Winfield, Kansas, W. E. Hezel, Oklahoma drilling contractor in charge of the test, is now on the ground awaiting orders as to further operations.

DAILY ALMANAC

Temperatures

Maximum... 68
Minimum... 52
Mean... 59

Evaporation... 25
WEST TEXAS
—Tonight fair, cooler in south—
—Wednesday fair warmer except in Southwest.

EAST TEXAS—Tonight and tomorrow partly cloudy; showers on west coast and in lower Rio Grande valley; cooler in east and north tonight; slightly warmer in north and west Wednesday.

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From Every Woman's Viewpoint

By BLANCHE E. BEAN

PHONES
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Two Officers Named In Baptist Y.W.C.A. Monday Night

Miss Ruby Jackson was elected secretary and Miss Gladys Tyson treasurer of the First Baptist Y. W. A. Monday evening at a meeting with Misses Ruby and Marie Jackson, 1702 Broadway. These two girls are to take the places of Misses Frances Stahl and Hera Bryant, who resigned because they are leaving the city.

Following the business meeting, which was presided over by the president, Miss Gladys Cloninger, the group studied "The Wandering Jew in Brazil," a mission study course, and enjoyed a social hour during which the hostesses served quality refreshments.

Miss Bryant, who is to be married in the morning, was presented with a souvenir tray by the organization members. Those who were in attendance were Misses Vera Bryant, Gladys and Sybil Tyson, Vivian Bryant, Edna Mae Shover, Frances Stahl, Ruby Atwood, Alice Cloninger, Mabel Gibbs, Mrs. Alfred Fry and Mrs. Otis Bryant, of Abilene.

Sorosis Class Has Meeting With Mrs. L. R. Gamble

A business and social meeting of the First Methodist Sorosis class was conducted Monday evening at the home of Mrs. L. R. Gamble, 1318 13th Street. The hostess served ice cream and cake to Mesdames A. W. Evans, Earl Hunt, Nolan Whitlow, Clayton Gammill, J. F. Heiland, John Delaney, Ed O'Sullivan, Sidney Oglesby, W. E. Simmons and Paul Hardwick.

Auxiliary Meets In R. W. Walker Home

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Walker, 1208 Avenue M, was opened last evening to members of the American Legion auxiliary, meeting in social session with Mrs. Vaughn E. Wilson as hostess. There was a short business session and games of forty-two bridge were then played. The hostess served refreshments. High card favor went to Mrs. George W. Brewer and low cut went to Mrs. H. W. Broughton. Guests were Mesdames J. O. Porter, H. L. Allen, T. H. Carter, R. W. Walker, E. W. Provencher, G. W. Brewer, H. D. Stanley, A. B. Shingle, Vernon Brown, Homer L. Pharr, E. E. Hatley, Clark Mulligan, Frank L. Wynn, H. W. Broughton, H. C. Whitley, of Dallas, N. L. Peters and Miss Frances Wilson.

Delegates To State C. E. Convention Return Today

The thirty-three Lubbock delegates who attended the State Christian Endeavor convention in Fort Worth last week, returned today about noon reporting that the next convention will be in the Panhandle at Amarillo. The local people were forced to spend last night in Snyder as they could not cross the Double mountain fork of the Brazos river at Justiceburg yesterday. More than 2,000 registered at the convention, which was considered one of the best to be held in Texas. J. E. Watson said this afternoon. There were speakers of international prominence in church work at the convention. Lubbock won three of the six pennants granted at the convention and the Panhandle district, which was the most largely represented, won five of them, he said.

Big Spring Visitor Favored With Party

Miss Chan Hill, 2402 21st Street, invited a few friends in Monday afternoon to meet her home guest, Miss Julia Bees Nowell, of Big Spring. Bridge was played during the afternoon with Miss Vera Wilson securing high. She was presented with a bridge pad and the honor guest was given a georgette hand-

Over the Plate



Betty Davis is shown dining them up, not on the plate but over it. She pitched for the Northwestern University senior co-eds against the juniors. Betty put too many over the plate, though, for the juniors won, 19 to 12.

kerchief. A salad course was served.

Life's Niceties

HINTS ON ETIQUET

1. Is it impolite for a man to read his paper at breakfast?
2. Should one speak to her hostess' servants during the serving of a meal?
3. If visiting a woman who does not keep servants, is it not an imposition to accept a breakfast tray in bed?
1. No.
2. No. It interrupts service.
3. No. The hostess may prefer this.

Brief Social Items

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Kuykendall have returned from Denver and other points where they have been on their vacation.

Miss Julia Bees Nowell and Lewis Hill left today for their home in Big Spring after visiting Miss Chan Hill, 2420 21st street.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Whitley of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pharr and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Peck and two sons of Abilene are visiting for about three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Phillips, 1624 16th street. Miss Laura Jones of Gatesville is visiting relatives here. She is contemplating entering the Technological college.

Miss Jane Rogers of Henderson is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. F. Condray, and Mr. Condray.

Miss Virginia Adair has gone to Brownwood to spend the summer. Mrs. C. H. Dunn and two daughters have gone to Marshall.

May Tom Simmons, daughter of Mrs. E. C. Simmons, is visiting in Limmit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Snyder have returned from a visit to Oklahoma City. Their three daughters remained for a visit.

Misses Thompson and Bryan Honored At Bridge Luncheon

Miss Sue Bryan, who has recently received a degree at Southern Methodist University, and her house guest, Miss Elizabeth Thompson of Honey Grove, were honor guests when Mrs. Campbell Anderson entertained at bridge this morning at her home, 2404 13th street.

A two-course luncheon was served at the close of the games, the repast consisting of fried chicken, creamed oysters, hot rolls, perfection salad, strawberry ice cream and angel food cake.

Mrs. Kenneth I. Kimbro, winner of high score in bridge, was presented with green candle holders and the honor guests were given fancy boxes of both powder.

Guests were Misses Bryan, Thompson, Virginia Conley, Novelle Hemphill, Ruth Slaton, Evelyn Posey Alma Spikes, Afton Gulkerson, Almeda Murray, Maurine Hughes, Mary Louise Middleton, Verma Wilson, Mesdames Rose A. McWhorter, Frank Jones, Kenneth Kimbro, Herbert Maxwell, M. L. Parker of El Paso, Dorrance D. Roderick, Homer Grant, Don Mitchell, Lawrence Bacon. Tea guests were Mrs. J. H. Bryan and Mrs. H. W. Stanton.

Mrs. Martin Is Again President Of Camp Fire Guardians

Mrs. R. H. Martin was re-elected president of the Camp Fire Guardians association Monday evening at a meeting of the guardians at her home, 2214 Broadway, and Mrs. Ernest Lowery was elected secretary. Plans for the summer camp at Crosbyton, beginning August 2, were discussed and it was decided to ask several local women to help as instructors in crafts and recreational activities. All Camp Fire girls are to attend a spend-the-night party at the County park soon, it was decided.

Betty Sue Crites Is Birthday Party Hostess

Betty Sue Crites, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Crites, 2112 9th Street, celebrated her eighth birthday Saturday afternoon at her home, inviting in a group of friends for out-door games. Favoring the color schemes of pink and white, the birthday cake was white surrounded with pink candles and ice cream of the two colors was served. Candy-filled baskets were favors. Guests were Kathryn Dykes, Nanette Margaret Overton, Dorothy Smith, Ruth Winn, Allen Holcomb, Evelyn Collier, Olive and Bernice Taylor, Mabel Jackson, Mary Elsie and Pink L. Parrish, Paul Howington, William Jackson, Johnnie Bowen, Billy Dykes, Erle and Betty Sue Crites.

3.31 Inches At San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO, June 14. (AP)—Continuing intermittently all Monday night San Antonio and vicinity received a total of 3.31 inches of rain. The precipitation was general over southwest Texas, Del Rio reporting three quarters of an inch.

Central Texas Is Drenched

AUSTIN, June 14. (AP)—Central Texas was thoroughly drenched by late night rains, which added to the sporadic sun showers of Monday, made a total precipitation of 2.25 inches here.

Proceeding the night's downpour, which lasted until midnight, a sharp windstorm swept the section, reaching a velocity of fifty miles an hour.

Waco Affected By River's Rise

WACO, June 14. (AP)—After a rapid rise, following 6.05 inches of rain in twenty-four hours up to seven o'clock Tuesday morning, the Brazos river began receding today. By ten o'clock it had fallen to 24 feet.

Water last night seeped into the lowlands of East Waco and lapped at Riverside Drive, scenic Cameron Park road, but principal damage was through washing of gravel from many city streets and soaking of merchandise in basements.

Bus Lines Resume Schedule Despite Slippery Roads

Lines which were idle yesterday left the Union Bus Terminal this morning over roads rendered unpleasant for travel.

The Amarillo bus left the depot this morning at 8 o'clock. A message from Pass this morning gives the information that the driver of the Snyder bus will attempt the route into Lubbock today.

The driver stranded in Sweetwater yesterday left that city this morning. A bus left Lubbock for Lamesa this morning, while another left for Brownfield.

Clovis Road Still Heavy

While traffic is resuming over many roads, the route to Clovis is still impassable, no bus leaving for that point today.

All buses are running late. A driver worked six hours in piloting passengers from Lamesa to Tahoka today. Reports of road conditions today indicate that the road to Brownfield is fair; to Spur, fair; to Amarillo, heavy; to Clovis, impassable at places; and to Lamesa, the road is washed away near O'Donnell.

RAIN

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culture from numerous points in Texas.

Precipitation in the 24 hour period ending at 7 a. m. Tuesday averaged slightly less than an inch and a half.

Dallas rainfall was 1.09 inches and at McKinney 1.85 inches were recorded. The Trinity river rose rapidly to a 15 foot level Tuesday morning and was expected to reach bankful by night.

Belton reported four inches; Abilene 5.2, Corpus Christi 3.6, Palestine 1.52 and Taylor 2.23.

Much Benefit At Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, June 14. (AP)—Fort Worth and vicinity was visited with a 1.59 inch rain Monday and early today, which damaged telephone lines temporarily and hampered traffic for a short time, but benefitting crops immeasurably, in the opinion of County Agricultural agents.

Railroad officers here reported weather along their lines as follows: Texas and Pacific: Light, steady rains from Baird to Texarkana. Rock Island: Heavy rains from Fort Worth to Graham. Frisco: Precipitation heavy from Sherman to Menard. Fort Worth and Denver: Good rains from Texline to Fort Worth.

30 BOYS ENJOY TWO DAY MEET

Livestock Judging Contests Close Session Of 4-H Club Boys Here

A course in livestock judging marked the close of the two days of training for 4-H club boys of the Lubbock district, when thirty boys of Lubbock, Hale and Scurry counties matched their judgments of stock merits.

Following the close of the instructions in stock judging, the youthful farmers had a luncheon at the College cafeteria, and later were taken through the textile building on an inspection tour Tuesday.

Last night the boys were entertained with a party at the Palace theater through the courtesy of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce. They closed the program of the day with refreshments.

James Potts, of Lubbock, with a score of 224 out of a possible 250, won first place in the grain judging contest. Joe Sealing, of Plainview, scored 198, won second place, and Clarence Brackeen, of Snyder, scored 136 to win third.

Scout Officials Give Banquet For Executive Heads

Scout officials and scoutmasters will gather at the Tech cafe tonight at 7:45 in a banquet honoring A. H. Watts, resigned executive of the South Plains area, and Hector Yates, the succeeding head of scout activities in Lubbock.

A meeting of the executive board of the South Plains area of boy scouts this afternoon discussed the camp plans for the summer, in addition to outlining a financial program.

"Mr. Watts, relating to his resignation, said, 'It has been a genuine pleasure to work with the Lubbock council and all councils of the South Plains area. The splendid co-operation given me by the officials, coupled with the hospitality of West-Texas, has appreciably augmented the pleasure of scout work.'

Mr. Yates, who arrived in Lubbock yesterday afternoon, assumed duties of his new appointment this morning. "The work of Mr. Watts has been outstanding," he said. "An inspection of the office records reveals that efficiency has been the paramount feature of the program which has placed the South Plains area in the front ranks with other divisions.

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WIN OVER GIANTS BRINGS CUBS TO GAME AND HALF OF LEAD

BATTING SPREE MAKES SPEEDY WORK OF GAME

NEW GIANT CATCHER WORKS ADMIRABLY BUT HITS FEW

(By Associated Press)

White the White Sox turned back at least temporarily in their drive to oust the Yanks from the top of the American league, their National league fellow townsmen, the Cubs, are making a spirited bid of their own.

A winning streak which has carried them to a game and a half behind the pace setting Pirates was fattened to nine games yesterday by a 6 to 2 victory over the Giants. On a furious batting attack led by Grimm the Cubs helped themselves to one of the quickest wins of the year, the game taking little more than an hour and one half to play.

Taylor Shows Well
First of the newly traded players to appear, Zack Taylor, caught the whole game for the New York club, having been transformed from a brave to a Giant in a single day. Taylor scored one of the two runs and made a brace of hits, but the team was unable to smack them when they counted.

Washington has been a Jonah for the White Sox before and proved so again yesterday in shutting out the second place tenants, 10 to 0, for the third straight win of the series. Last season it was the Senators who cost the White Sox a share of the world series players by taking fourth in the standings while the Sox were forced into fifth. Today their victory had the

Cooper, the Erratic Youth, Likely to Win at Oakmont

BY JIMMY POWERS

OAKMONT COUNTRY CLUB, Pa., June 14.—A young fellow, scarcely out of his teens—Light-horse Harry Cooper—is liable to un- away and hide from the field at the U. S. open here or else he is doomed to wallow back in the depths of the dubbing finishers.

This year Californians are on- shaken in their convictions regard- ing Harry. They figure he is one to smack the reigning favorites. At that he is a good long shot play- er. He trimmed the mighty Walter Hagen down south this spring and feed lately, he had no allies to offer either prior to or following his tasty licking by Cooper.

While Californians will be root- ing clear across the continent for their favorite, you will find a trad- ing number of feminine fans trail- ing his gallery, for it is whispered the dapper coast ball swatter has



HARRY COOPER

loads of "It." He has a pleasing personality and radiates genial good will. And if you intend to follow Harry for a hole or two, start conditioning yourself now. He's the fastest mortal on a golf course.

Flashes Of Life

(By The Associated Press)

Artists At Work

OAKMONT, Pa.—If French art sts who have founded the salon de la mode masculine could Lindy over to the national open golf tournament they would think America was following their example. The salon seeks to beautify men's clothes by "putting trousers at the knees and other means. The artistic togger of competitors in this blue ribbon event of the links breaks all records.

Speedy Action

SAN FRANCISCO.—Since an earlier says as well as it will command more attention. Shoe styles in California are six months ahead and by the time the modes have reached the Atlantic coast Californians are wearing something else, says A. H. Geuting of Philadelphia, president of the National Shoe Retailers association.

Change Of Tune

BADEN-BADEN.—When Chamberlin and Levine arrived the band could not find the music of "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." So it played "The Blue Danube."

Cupid Is Halted

NEW YORK.—Until Lindy goes into trouble he can count on an able fighter—a champion in fact—to help him out. Samuel Lazzaro, born in Italy, has a citizenship papers. He is known in the ring as Joe Dundee.

New Citizen

BALTIMORE.—If Uncle Sam gets into trouble he can count on an able fighter—a champion in fact—to help him out. Samuel Lazzaro, born in Italy, has a citizenship papers. He is known in the ring as Joe Dundee.

Some Record

NEW YORK.—Two handsome young bachelors hold the world records for photography and newspaper space. The Prince of Wales was first. He is now second.

Nice Handout

NEW YORK.—Mrs. Harry Houdini has received \$50,000 from an insurance company because a policy on her husband stipulated that indemnity would be double for accidental death. The company was satisfied that a blow struck by an athlete of McGill university was accidental. Houdini, demonstrating the strength of his abdominal muscles, told the athlete to punch him.

Times Do Change

WASHINGTON.—Consumption of medicinal whiskey is decreasing and so the treasury has no immediate intention of authorizing the manufacture of more of it. Consumption is now estimated at 1,600,000 gallons a year, a decrease from 2,000,000. The supply available is about 12,000,000.

Advice To Lindy

NEW YORK.—One piece of advice from the pulpit to Lindy is the same as Gene Tunney's, namely, cash in. The Rev. Edward C. Russell told his congregation that the memory of the American people is short and that Lindy should reap all the rewards possible, including monetary ones, while he can.

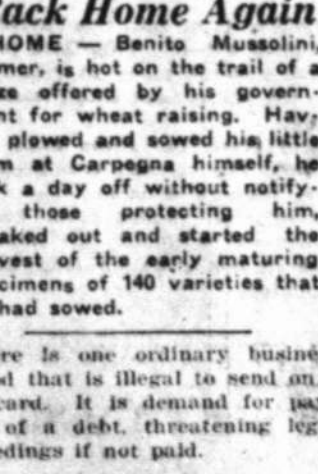
Back Home Again

HOME.—Benito Mussolini, farmer, is hot on the trail of a prize offered by his government for wheat raising. Having plowed and sowed his little farm at Carpegna himself, he took a day off without notifying those protecting him, sneaked out and started the harvest of the early maturing specimens of 140 varieties that he had sowed.

There is one ordinary business method that is illegal to send on a post card. It is demand for payment of a debt, threatening legal proceedings if not paid.

Golfers You Have Met

By Kent Strat REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



DON'T YOU THINK 72 HOLES IS ENOUGH FOR TODAY, WIFEY DEAR?

Legion Sponsors New Scout Troop To Be Organized

Allen Bros. Post, local unit of the American Legion, voted unanimously in its regular meeting Monday night to sponsor a Boy Scout troop and a new troop, to be known as No. 8 here is to be organized sometime this week under the guidance of Abe Lincoln, valued member of the Legion. A troop committee of four members of the Legion is to be named today or tomorrow by the executive committee of the Legion, and active co-operation with scout officials which has always been ap- preciated, will be intensified and in- creased interest on a troop.

The organization also voted unani- mously to accept the invitation of the Ladies Auxiliary for a July 4 picnic similar to the one conducted last year. The place has not yet been decided.

The feature of Monday night's meeting was the appearance of Col- onel Clarence R. Day, chief of staff of the artillery group at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, who spoke briefly on the national defense act and preparedness "not for active war, but to the end that war might be prevented in the future." Col- onel Day was here primarily in the interest of the organized officers' re- serve and the C. M. T. C. work, and met with the local unit of the Reserve Officers association at a banquet earlier in the evening.

150 Strikers Held In Gotham Disorder

NEW YORK, June 14. (AP)—One hundred and fifteen policemen today dispersed crowds of striking "left wing" furriers in the down town district and arrested 150 men and women. They were charged with disorderly conduct.

Long lines of the strikers paraded, despite the rain. Some of the marchers wore steel helmets, which they said were for protection from police clubs.

D.D. Degree Given To Rev. J. W. Hunt

The degree of doctor of divinity was conferred on Rev. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry college, Abilene, last Wednesday by Central college at Fayette, Mo. Dr. Hunt is a pioneer of Lubbock and Crosby counties and is a daughter of Mrs. George R. Bean, 1610 19th street.

Javelin Champ

MARGARET JENKINS



Heg's Miss Margaret Jenkins, Santa Clara (Calif.) girl who recently set a new javelin record for women. She heaved the spear 121 feet 3-14 inches, while competing in the Twin Falls, Idaho, Native Sons of the Golden West, track meet. It bested the former record more than five feet.

TEN TRACTORS GRADE ROADS

All Highways in 30 Mile Radius Of Lubbock Are Being Worked Over

Ten tractors are in operation today over the state highways within a radius of thirty miles of Lubbock reconditioning roads rendered seamy and at places almost impassable by the heavy rains yesterday, the highway office announces.

Two tractors are dragging and blading on highway No. 9, north of Lubbock, where the road was almost washed away Sunday after- noon. Two tractors are also in operation on the Slaton road.

Show Of Oil In Boles Test Found

A slight show of oil was detected on the bit at 700 feet in the Boles test well, southeast of Lubbock, the driller reports.

A depth of more than 1000 feet has been reached and drilling was resumed yesterday afternoon after a flow of water had been stopped. The past two days were spent in bailing water.

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Western League

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS (No games—off day).

HOW THEY STAND

Team	G	W	L	Pct.
Albany	57	41	16	.719
Richita	58	35	23	.608
Denver	56	23	33	.411
Albany City	55	27	28	.491
Marble	55	26	29	.473
San Molnes	53	24	29	.453
Sanaha	56	21	35	.375
Lincoln	55	20	35	.364

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Tulsa at Omaha. Amarillo at Des Moines. Wichita at Lincoln. Oklahoma City at Denver.

Texas League

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS Shreveport 2, Houston 1. (All others rained out).

HOW THEY STAND

Team	G	W	L	Pct.
Wichita Falls	58	35	23	.608
Waco	60	32	27	.550
Dallas	61	22	39	.353
San Antonio	60	20	40	.333
Houston	61	20	41	.328
Shreveport	61	28	33	.459
Shreveport	57	26	31	.454
FT. Worth	60	25	35	.417

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Dallas at Fort Worth. San Antonio at Dallas. Waco at Wichita Falls. Houston at Shreveport.

National League

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS Brooklyn 2, Pittsburgh 1. New York 2, Chicago 0. (Others rained out).

HOW THEY STAND

Team	G	W	L	Pct.
Pittsburgh	49	32	17	.655
Chicago	50	21	29	.420
St. Louis	48	28	20	.583
New York	50	26	24	.520
Brooklyn	56	25	31	.446
Boston	44	19	25	.432
Philadelphia	47	19	28	.404
Cincinnati	53	18	35	.340

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

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

American League

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS St. Louis 2, Boston 0. Cleveland 6, New York 14. Detroit 6, Philadelphia 10. Chicago 9, Washington 10.

HOW THEY STAND

Team	G	W	L	Pct.
New York	54	36	18	.667
Chicago	55	32	23	.581
Philadelphia	52	23	29	.442
Washington	50	26	24	.520
Detroit	51	25	27	.479
Boston	50	18	32	.360
St. Louis	51	24	27	.470
Cleveland	55	25	31	.446

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

St. Louis at Boston. Cleveland at New York. Chicago at Washington. (Only three scheduled.)

City League

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY Bankers and Rix at Merrill Park. Wholesalers and Po-Tailors at Tech Park.

Mrs. Hill Leads

Trans-Mississippi Golf Tournament

KANSAS CITY, June 14 (AP)—Mrs. O. S. Hill of Kansas City, Mississippian valley, women's golf champion, was five up on Mrs. S. G. Hopkins of Texarkana, Ark., at the end of their first nine holes of match play in the first round of the women's trans-Mississippi golf tournament here today.

The card: Mrs. Hill out: 441 164 554-11. Mrs. Hopkins out: 485 564 764-51. Mrs. Rosemer Kahn, St. Louis, and Mrs. J. S. Haynes, St. Louis, were all even at the end of nine holes with cards of 49 and 48 respectively.

Mrs. Miriam Burns Horn, Kansas City, former western champion, had Miss Clara Woodridge, Little Rock, Ark., one up for the first nine. They turned in cards of 46 and 48 respectively.

Accused Officers Released On Bond

DALLAS, June 14. (AP)—Fred C. Shaffer and Milton T. Shafer, under indictment here alleging kidnaping and also charged with impersonating officers, were released from county jail Tuesday under bonds totalling \$3,500.

Trial of the pair is set for 9 a. m., Wednesday. The two men, who claim they are agents of a Los Angeles bonding company, are charged with kidnaping C. C. Compton, alleged fugitive from California, out of Dallas on the night of June 6. They were taken from a train and arrested at Brownwood on advices from the Dallas county sheriff.

Mary J. Jackson, a blind girl of a Louisville, Ky., high school, stands high in her classes, using Braille system text-books.

Kenneth Pullenon of Marcus, Ia., weighs 20 pounds at the age of 8 months.

STROKE SAVERS

by BOBBY CRUICKSHANK

In bringing the club back, no matter whether it is the driver or bramate, remember this one thing: Lead with the left. You can run a shot completely by bringing the right hand strongly into play at this critical juncture.

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THIS HAS HAPPENED
LINCOLN NUNNALLY, elderly American chemist, mysteriously summoned to the queer little jungle bordered town of PORTO VERDE, in west central Brazil, to meet an old friend, VILAK, who tells him it was he who had sent for him.

Vilak's cousin, ELISE MARRBERRY, an American girl, owns a coffee plantation and other land near Porto Verde and has received mysterious warnings to get out of the country. Vilak is alarmed, because several deaths already have occurred and the superstitious natives think some supernatural force is at work.

The day Nunnally arrives another man is killed. TONY BARRBETTA, one of Elise MARRBERRY's foremen. He had been hit with a club in the hands of LIME POTTS, another foreman. Before he died a strange paralysis took hold of him, and Vilak confided to Nunnally that he is certain Lime Potts, though he may have struck the victim, was not the murderer.

That evening Vilak induces Nunnally to come with him on a visit to the house of GAYLORD PRENTISS, a reticent and forbidding man, known to be an enemy of Elise. Vilak believes Prentiss is somehow involved in the mysterious deaths.

Before going to Prentiss' place, Vilak and Nunnally call on Elise MARRBERRY. After a few minutes, Vilak demands of Elise what took place in her house that afternoon and she tells him all the rifles on her place have been stolen. Her servant, Adolf Schwartz, advises her to leave the country.

NOW BEGIN THE STORY

all your wisdom, can't seem to understand. A woman's as good as a man, as bad as a man, as brave as a man.

Vilak put a pellet of betel in his tongue and came to go. "The horns do not open wide, the foolish believe to foolish freedom stride," he quoted.

"Talk away, if sarcasm makes you feel more superior. But will all due respect to you, it won't change my intention in the light of... I'm going—must you insist on chewing that dreadful betel?"

"Sorry, I must. And with equal respect I must also announce that you shall not come with us. Seriously?" he said with finality as he opened the door. "I'm not in the slightest doubting your courage or questioning your intelligence, for which I have the highest admiration. I simply have a very strong conviction—fundamentally it may be based on prejudice, I admit—that whenever women have any connection with crime, except as a motive, trouble quickly follows."

"I can't take you with me. Try to understand! And knowing your disposition I might add that if you attempt to follow, you'll be endangering all of us, mostly yourself. I'll be compelled to send you back just as you throw rocks at your dog who insists on following you down the road. Not because you don't love your dog, and wouldn't like to have him alone, but because you know the chances are that he'll be killed by an automobile. Now please be sensible."

He pressed her hand gently, rolled to the door and returned with a bundle, part of which he gave to the old man, part of which he put on the floor at his feet. There are boots and gloves for you Nanny," he said. "Get into them. And put your rain coat on now. I know you'll tell me it's hot but put it on anyway."

He helped the old man into his saddle, leaped in himself, and waving a half amused, half troubled goodby to his cousin who stood peering after them, a delicate silhouette against the barred door, set off to the road again.

They retraced their route until they reached the bridge which crossed the road. A red glow showed a few hundred yards down the railroad track. "Queer," said Vilak. "Never saw that before. Let's have a look at it."

They stepped their horses nearer and, though the brush was five or six inches burning brightly, by the light of which some twenty or thirty men were hurrying about picking a tent. They were the customary motley of black, Indian, and half breed, with an occasional sturdy individual who appeared to be white. They were clad in the rags and tatters of the typical Brazilian laborer, heavy, once black cloth pants and hanging out over their shoulders, and a ratty, striped, striped, strip of cloth which had been manufactured as an American suit of underwear.

Most were the divers of their races, with cruel eyes and vicious, degenerate faces. The teeth of the Indian had been filed into sharp points. "Must be section hands," Vilak remarked. "Those in the States aren't the gentlest creatures in the world but they can't hold a candle to the ones they get down here. The cream of the country. Women if the rail road men show them up on account of the flood. 'Thank I'll find out'."

They dismounted, stepped through the brush and reached the open. In a little depression of the land a bright fire was burning. Nunnally looked at it. His wrinkled face became puzzled. "Yes—why have they lighted a fire—just that?" he asked in a whisper. "It's hot tonight—very hot. And there's not using it to—er—melt anything. It's—singular—yes—er—singular."

Vilak stared thoughtfully at the blaze. "Fires can be used for many things than heat," he answered. He went down and drew something out of the hot embers. This he held before the chemist. "Perhaps that, for instance, means anything to you?"

The old man's steady eyes narrowed behind his glasses. All he could see was what appeared to be a small bit of charred wood no different than the other pieces of branches which formed the glowing embers. He shook his head. "No—it—er—means nothing—er—nothing."

Vilak tossed it back into the fire. (To Be Continued)

CHAPTER VIII
 Vilak made a quick tour of the building, then closely examined the door. "Good lock, all right," he murmured. "Open it, please."

The little German obeyed, exposing a white stone interior, filled with electric wire, storage batteries, detonators, the delicate, more expensive parts of machinery which might prove too much of a temptation to the natives if left in the ordinary warehouses. The floor was bare except for the few debris of leaves inseparable in this region of superabundant vegetation. But a tiny scrap of green, which to the old man seemed just another leaf, caught Vilak's eye. He picked it up and when the German's attention was concentrated elsewhere he carefully slipped it into his pocket. They strolled outside again.

In a few moments they had left the puffing Schwartz, and were once more in side Elise's brilliant living room.

"Did you go to see Prentiss yesterday as you intended?" Vilak asked as he leaned over and caught a brilliant fly creeping dangerously close to a spider web in the corner. He tangled the insect's legs in the web an instant.

Elise watched him wonderingly. "What are you doing that for?" she asked. "The being kind, not cruel," he started. "I am trying to show it the error of its ways and by demonstrating that webs are dangerous to it, save it from crawling to an unhappy end. But it won't learn a lesson."

He lifted it from the web and set it on the floor. In a moment it was again crawling toward the web. Whether the spider had swooped down and before Vilak could prevent, slain it. "It's a cruel law, nature's law, the jungle law, or whatever you want to call it. And the closer we are to men to it, as the more cruel we are. Spider kills the frog, frog kills spider, little snake kills frog, big snake kills little snake, man kills big snake or another little man. Did you go to see Prentiss?"

She nodded. "After all, we are the only Americans here, and I felt like a beast for not trying to do something for him. As far as I am concerned he can have the land he's on for good. I won't dispute it."

"Did you see him?"

"Yes—and no." She was silent a moment. "I shall try again—alone."

Vilak granted. "Humph—what happened?"

"He came running out of his house, opened the gate and set that enormous mastiff of his on me. If I hadn't been a fairly good free climber it wouldn't have been very pleasant."

Vilak took out his cigar case and smoked thoughtfully. Nunnally and Elise talked quietly. The old man was enchanted by her firm intelligence. He added his persuasions to those of her cousin that she leave Porto Verde as quickly as possible, either to return to the United States or to take up her residence in some civilized part of Brazil. She only shook her head smilingly. The talk drifted to their plans for the night and then to Prentiss again. Elise, after hearing that the two men had been visiting his fazenda, remarked quietly that she would go with them.

Vilak heard. His grant, old-shaped head jerked forward. "Now come, I'm mumbled. 'Afrail I'll have to contradict R.'"

"I'm afraid that I'll have to contradict you in turn, esteemed cousin. I'm going."

"Haven't you had enough to happen to you when you went out there in the day time? You want more trouble?"

"That's not the question." She laughed back a few wisps of hair that had strayed over her dark olive forehead. "It's merely that I've made up my mind about a few things where I've been weak and foolish before. In the past when I have gone out on your dangerous expeditions here I've done nothing except sit on my veranda and lazily read a novel. I'm not going to do it any longer. I can't do it with a clear conscience. I'm responsible for bringing you down here. The Victorian period is over. That's the one thing that you, with

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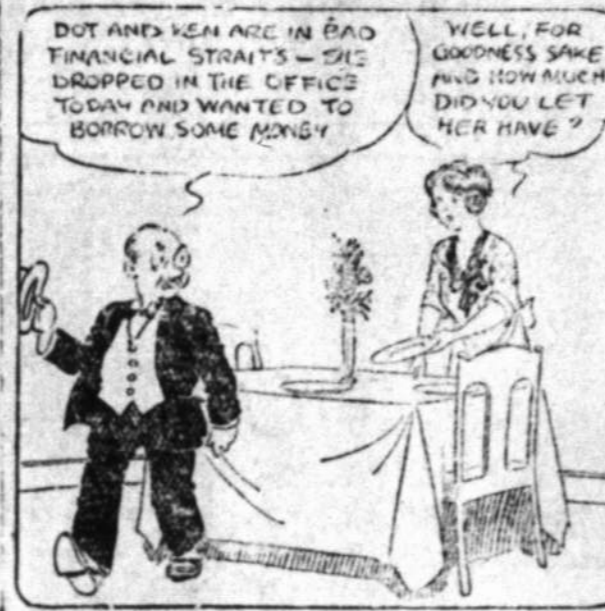


An Exception



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That's That

By Taylor

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Two Heads Are Worse Than One!

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CONVICT GANG IS WEEDED OUT

Three Of Seven Slayers Of Prison Deputy Remain Behind Bars

(By The Associated Press)
JULIET, Ill., June 14.—Of the seven convicts who slew Deputy Warder Klein in a break from Joliet prison here, three remained behind bars today under sentence to be hanged.
 One of the seven never was captured several months ago in a second escape plot and two more were eliminated yesterday in a third desperate bid for freedom—once by escape and one by death.
Rizzo Is Slain
 Gregario Rizzo, who boasted that he never would be hanged, was the man slain as he and three other condemned slayers broke out of Joliet jail after overpowering an assistant jailer and two keepers, and killing the jail officer of arms.
 One of his companions, Walter Staleski, was wounded by the fire of police and jail guards, and may die. Another, Charles Duschene, was severely beaten when he resisted capture.
 Charles Shader, barely 21, yet held responsible for three murders, escaped.
 One of the seven, one of the seven original prison breakers did not join in yesterday's dash for freedom.

CITY NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

FINIS VAUGHN, SON OF W. H. VAUGHN, has returned from Canyon where he has been attending the West Texas State Teachers school and received his degree from that institution. Mr. Vaughn plans to teach and coach next year. He was graduate of Lubbock high school in 1922.

ELMO WALL OF THE LUBBOCK Mutual Aid association is in Dallas this week attending to business transactions.

DR. M. A. HARDING OF ARKANSAS University at Fayetteville, Ark., is expected to arrive here Wednesday morning and will deliver an address to the students enrolled for the summer term at Tech. He will speak in the Texas Tech assembly hall.

S. C. ARNETT, JR. AND BROCK Brandon have returned from an extended visit to points in east Texas.

MR. AND MRS. R. F. BAYLESS and daughter, Mary Lou, will leave Thursday for an extended trip through New Mexico and Colorado.

GRADY HIGGINSDOTHAM, assistant coach of Texas Tech, is visiting in San Angelo for a few days.

J. H. JENKINS, representative of the Perkins Dry Goods company of Dallas, who makes Lubbock his headquarters, is attending to business transactions in and out of Lubbock this week.

STACY B. DORN OF FORT Worth was a Lubbock business visitor today.

C. H. WHITLOW OF CHICAGO is in Lubbock today transacting business matters.

JOHN CLMER OF WICHITA Falls is in Lubbock today on business.

MRS. HOMER HENSLEY OF Cisco is here for a few days visiting friends.

PAT FRYE OF FORT WORTH is in Lubbock today attending to business transactions.

WEDDING HAS BEEN RECEIVED by Dr. and Mrs. W. K. Ferguson, 1516 12th street, that their son, Howard, has left Syracuse, N. Y., for Fort Worth to be employed there by the city.

HAROLD BUCKINGHAM has gone to Roswell, N. M., where he is to be employed.

ELMORE ADAIR IS ILL.

J. T. EAGAN DISTRICT FARM agent, and E. M. Mitchell, Hal county agent, are here today attending the livestock judging contest.

JAMES L. GORDON OF AMARILLO is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Akard.

MR. AND MRS. J. R. PENDLETON and C. E. Madden left today for Dallas where they will transact business.

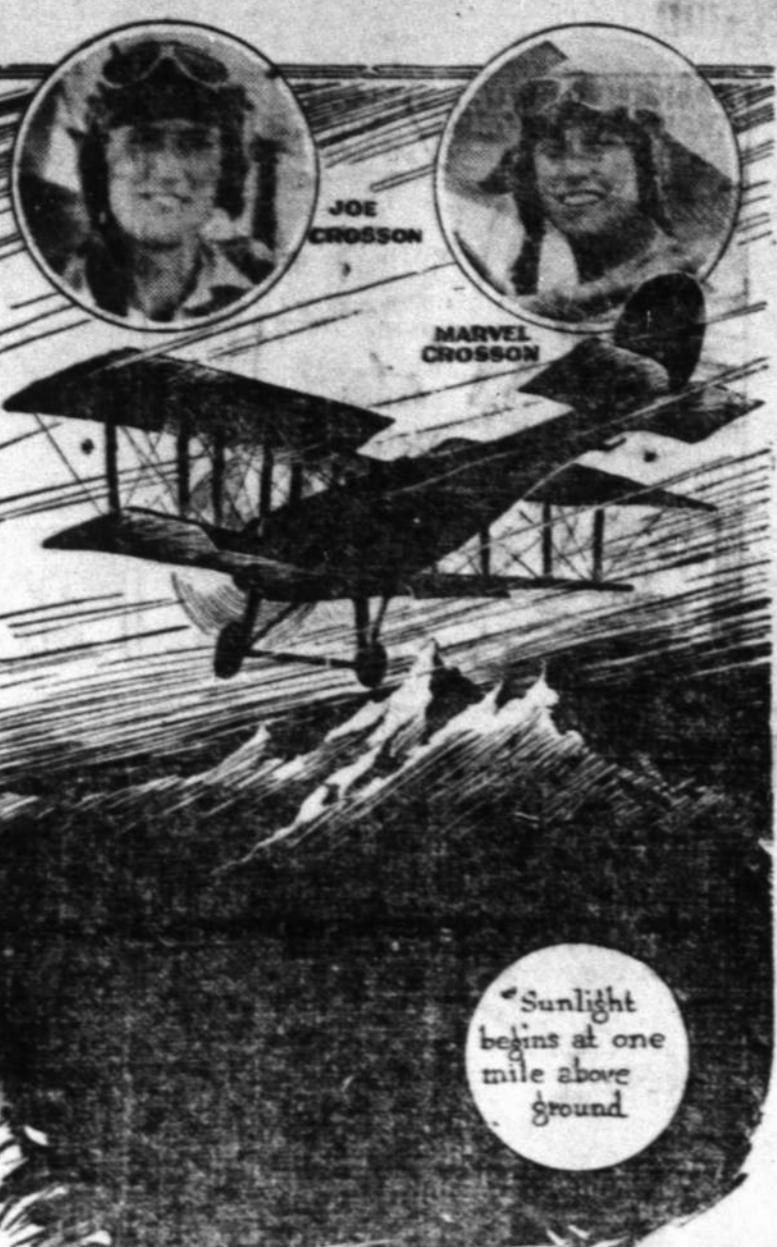
MR. AND MRS. R. W. HEY and son, Weldon, and Miss Ann Mallard have returned from Carlsbad Sanitarium where they visited. Miss Maggie Mallard, the lady, Miss Mallard is much improved in health, they reported, and expects to be able to return to Lubbock in about a month.

JOE HIGGS, SECRETARY OF THE Lubbock Building and Loan association, has been ill with the influenza for several days.

Statements concerning probable future trends in agriculture, issued by the United States department of agriculture, were right in 95 per cent of all cases during the past two years.

Japan's department of education has sanctioned a plan to solicit fifty cents from each school child for the purchase of dolls to be sent to American school children in return for their gifts to the Japanese.

She'll Join Her Brother As Pilot On Alaska Air Line



By NEA Service
SAN DIEGO, Calif., June 14.—Marvel Crosson is going to Alaska to join her brother Joe.
 Joe is Alaska's lone commercial aviator. His sturdy biplane has established dog sledging and stage coach in many parts of the United States' most northerly possession; during the past year he has flown more than 25,000 miles, carrying passengers, shipments of gold dust and supplies of all kinds.
 And now Marvel, his adventurous young sister, is going to join him and fly with him.
 Learned Flying Together
 Joe and Marvel have been interested in aviation for years. Together they learned to fly; together they studied airplane construction and design. Then, a year ago, when Joe went to Alaska, to establish his air line, Marvel stayed in the United States to act as his purchasing agent.
 Spare parts for his airplane, whose careful selection depended his life, have all been bought and forwarded to him by Marvel. Meanwhile, she has been flying her own plane, perfecting herself as a pilot in preparation for the day that now is almost at hand.
 Flying a commercial route over Alaska is more dangerous than doing the same thing in the states.
 Flying fields are few and far between—there are only 37, for example, in the whole territory—and there are less than a dozen places where an aviator can take on cases like and oil. An aviator must be his own repair man, too.
 Joe's base is at Fairbanks. He is the chief means of communication between that city and many isolated points in the interior. Often he has headed prospectors as prospectors, mounted men, his employer, a roving mining engineer or a government inspector.
 His plane bears a small fortune in gold dust, gathered in some distant spot and brought to Fairbanks in a tenth of the time that was formerly required.
 Generally Joe flies at night. For up in the dark northern latitudes it is often light 1800 feet from the ground while it is dark night below. On the average, Joe reports, flying conditions are better at night than in the daytime.
 Marvel is confident that she can make good as a commercial pilot with her brother. She makes flights nearly every day, wheeling far over the Pacific in her land plane. Once, not long ago, she had a narrow escape from death.
 Engine Stalled at Sea
 She was flying about 25 miles from land when her engine "cut

out." In the distance was a battleship. Marvel tried to glide to it. Her plane descended lower and lower. She saw that she could not make it.
 So desperately she tried to avoid the ship. The added speed gave her momentum—and the motor suddenly decided to "come in." It came in by itself with a roar, and Marvel crept and sped back to shore.
 She will be in Alaska, flying under difficult conditions, bearing death with her brother. She is eager to go, and she has not an ounce of fear.
 "Joe never has any trouble," she says. "And I guess I can do as well as my brother can."

Stock Prices Break On Heavy Selling

NEW YORK, June 14, 1927.—Stock prices broke wide open on the New York stock exchange today on heavy selling, presumably inspired by the increase of more than \$5,000,000 in "loose" money last week.
 So great was the bid to sell stocks that many ticks flew to zero points. The largest declines were recorded in high priced issues such as DuPont, Dupon, Commercial Solvents B, Delaware and Hudson, General Motors, Houston Oil, Louisville and Nashville, and South Pacific. The largest gains were recorded in such issues as American Telephone and Telegraph, and United Fruit.

Radio Commission Issues Ultimatum

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1927.—Radio stations, which vitally fail to observe the new frequency allocations of the federal radio commission which became effective at 8 a. m. tomorrow, will have their licenses revoked.
 This was announced today by the commission, which has requested the commerce department to instruct its representatives in the field to note and report immediately any apparent violations of the terms of the new licenses.
 A de luxe train being built in the United States for the president of Mexico includes an automobile car and a council chamber.

The Montreal-Canadian bond issue is 2 3/8 miles long, from Atlantic to Pacific.

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DOWNPOUR CONTINUES HEAVY IN OTHER PARTS OF STATE

With heavy skies which allow the victory gift of yesterday to effectively nullify the soil, Lubbock County, with a rainfall which ranged from 1/2 to two inches, is looking forward to the fields of fleecy white with a contemplative smile.

One banker predicted that Lubbock will have a cotton yield of 40,000 bales. Had the rain been delayed, the crop would have suffered a shortage of about 20,000 bales, he estimated.

Farmers are in a good condition as a whole, he said, in the estimation of another banker. Surprisingly few farmers have called at his office for loans, as compared to scores of applications for loans last year.

A third banker spoke encouragingly of observations he made on a survey of the eastern and northwestern portions of the county. In those districts 50 percent of the cotton was dry planted, which will be materially aided if the rainfall is sufficient throughout the territory to reach the seed.

Building should be greatly speeded up in the city, according to local realtors who can feel the pulse of activities resulting from the helpful rainfall. Many persons have been waiting the rain in contemplating the building of homes and business houses.

Spirits of '76 and '27



Common re-echoed recently to the martial tread of Continentals (above), rugged beside the modern splendor of the Governor's Foot Guards (below)—at the annual parade of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery.

Do You Know The History Of Old Glory? Here's The Story Behind American Flag

By NEA Service

An American flag was once solid red.

Another American flag was once green and white.

Still another was red and yellow.

American flags, in fact, have had a little of almost every color there is.

And though the Stars and Stripes are officially 150 years old on June 14, 1927, historians of the flag are coming more and more to the conclusion that while the stars are 150 years old on this date, the stripes go back to about 1765, or earlier, and that they are Dutch stripes which came into American ports on East India company merchandise.

The stock tale that has been handed down to school children for generations is that George Washington went to Betsy Ross and asked her to make a flag, and she did and congress approved it June 14, 1777, and that's how Old Glory was born.

More to the Story

It is a pretty story and it is not without foundation, but behind the events that took place in the back room of Mrs. Elizabeth Ross' home in Arch street, Philadelphia, there is a history of the flag that to most people is new.

From about 1765 on, Dutch merchants had been seen in New York harbor flying their flag of thirteen red and white stripes, with a red cross in a white field in the upper left corner.

In 1776 there was flown in Virginia a flag of thirteen red and white stripes. From the lower right to the upper left hand corners was entwined a rattlesnake. In the white stripe next to the bottom was

the command, "Don't Tread on Me."

When George Washington went to Boston to take command of the Continental forces, he was accompanied by Philadelphia troops which carried a flag of 13 blue and white stripes.

In January, 1776, Washington saw raised over his headquarters in Cambridge, Mass., a flag of 13 red and white stripes. In place of the blue field and the white stars, however, were the crosses of St. George and St. Andrew of England.

Had Four Predecessors

From this it can be seen that there were in America at least four flags with 13 stripes before the Betsy Ross flag appeared in 1777.

It is generally supposed that George Washington drew the rough sketch for the first Stars and stripes. Where he got the idea for the stripes is not hard to see. Where he got the idea for the stars is not definitely known, and perhaps never will be.

Used Five-Pointed Stars

It is legend, but not history, that Washington suggested six-pointed stars because they were easier to make, but that Mrs. Ross showed him how easy it was to cut a five-pointed star, and so the flag was made with five-pointed stars.

These are but a few of the bits of little known history about the United States flag. There are many others.

No two wars in which the United States has engaged have ever been fought under the same flag.

The Betsy Ross flag received its baptism of fire at Fort Stanwix, N. Y., August 2, 1777, some six weeks after it had been officially adopted, but it was little used during the revolution.

The war of 1812 was fought under a flag of 15 stripes and 15 stars, two stripes having been added after the admission to statehood of Vermont and Kentucky. These extra stripes were removed in 1818.

The Mexican war of 1846 was fought under a flag of 25 stars. Had 24 stars then

The civil war began under a flag of 34 stars and ended under a flag of 36 stars. West Virginia and Nevada having been admitted to statehood during the struggle.

The Spanish-American war was fought under a flag of 45 stars, and the world war under a flag of 48 stars.

AIRMAN VISITS HIS FRIENDS AT FLYING FIELDS

RAIN HALTS PROGRAM PLANNED BY SCHOOLS FOR LINDBERGH

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, June 14.—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh made a flying trip—by automobile—to Mitchell and Curtiss flying fields on Long Island early today to pay an informal call on his friends the pilots, mechanics and officers who helped in his preparations for his New York to Paris hop.

Shipping out of the Park avenue apartment where he and his mother spent the night, Lindbergh got away about 7 o'clock, before the first newspaper reporters had arrived. He rode in the car of "Casey" James, Curtiss' test pilot, and "Casey" himself was at the wheel.

Rain Halts Plans

A hard rain, which later necessitated abandonment of the school children's welcome celebration scheduled for Central park this afternoon, did not prevent the Colonel from carrying out his wish to thank "the fellows" of the air fields for their congenial not only at the time of his take off but on his arrival at Mitchell field from Washington yesterday.

He paid his respects to Major Davidson in charge of operations at Mitchell field and then, as "just another pilot," he chatted with members of the operating force, all of whom hurried to shake his hand. One of his acts was to autograph the funnel through which had been poured the gasoline which carried "The Spirit of St. Louis" across the Atlantic.

Returns to Apartment

Leaving Mitchell field he drove to Curtiss field, close by, where he renewed acquaintances with his buddies of less than a month ago, and then returned to his apartment.

The trip to the aviation grounds occupied about three hours of Colonel Lindbergh's time. The program for the remainder of the day, in view of the cancellation of the Central park celebration, was indefinite, but it was expected that he and his mother might take a short automobile ride in the afternoon, after luncheon at the newspaper club, returning to their temporary home in time to prepare for the dinner which is to be given the Colonel by the city of New York at the Commodore tonight.

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