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BRIDGES BARRICADED BY RANGERS

Earthquake Reported to Have Destroyed Ecuador Town

THOUSANDS REPORTED TO BE HOMELESS

QUITO, Ecuador, July 17.—A sharp earthquake was believed today to have practically destroyed the town of Lagunilla, 50 miles from Quito.

The number of victims was feared large. The government planned relief measures and rescue parties were sent to the scene. President Ibañez Ayala planned to proceed to the quake zone to supervise the work. Thousands of persons were reported homeless.

The tremors were believed to have originated in the nearby Cotacachi range.

THE COST OF A HAIRCUT TO BE THEME

The congregation of the First Baptist church, together with the city, extends a special invitation to all those in Cisco who have no such affiliation to worship with them at all services Sunday. The church school will begin promptly at 9:45 a. m. Visitors will find every organized classes and departments for every age.

At 11 o'clock the pastor will bring a message on the subject, "The Cost of a Haircut." Following the morning service there will be a baptismal service for the candidates who are waiting to receive this ordinance.

The B. Y. P. U. convenes at 7:30 p. m. This is a proper place for young Christians to assemble. It might be interesting for some to hear that the greatest leaders of the church life today are those who have received their church training in this organization. Said the pastor, Rev. E. S. James, "There is a baptism for every age in this work."

Wins Prize in Big Spring Contest

Billy Price Curtis, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Curtis of Big Spring, and a nephew of a Zephania Curtis, of Cisco, was prize winner in a baby photograph contest at Big Spring recently.

The young prize-winner "likes to be mother to read to him, but he now practices on his letters," said the Big Spring Herald in presenting a picture of the youngster in the contest.

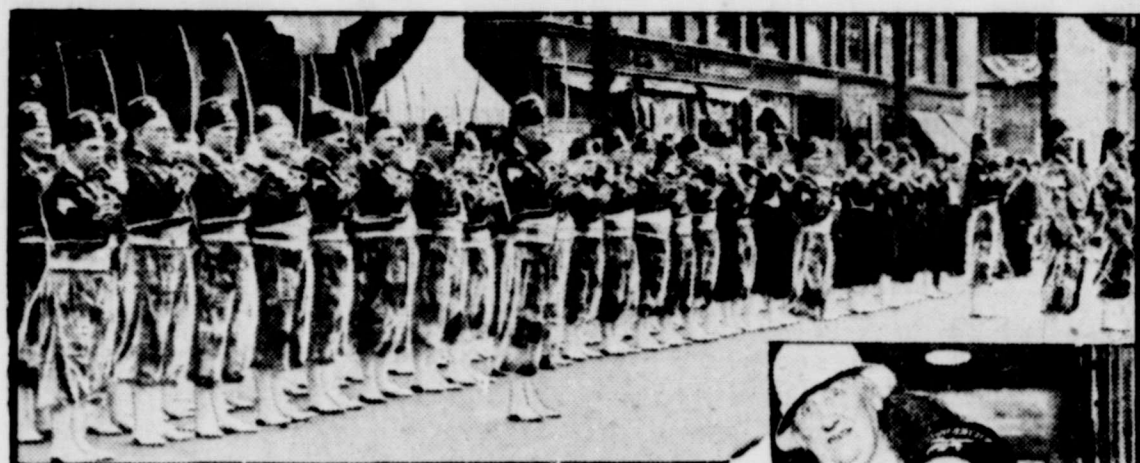
Haphazard Sea Flights Decried

PARIS, July 17.—Trans-Atlantic flights of the haphazard variety are a menace to aviation's future, according to Prince Georges Bibesco, Romanian Federation president. He protested against flights which do not serve the cause of aviation.

The prince, "Only properly equipped pilots using suitably equipped machines can be of any value to the future of aviation," added, deploring "stunt" flights by people who often have less common sense than a chicken.

As president of the Federation, he continued, "my only idea is to direct aviation." He asked if trans-Atlantic flights should be of any value to aviation if they are not of the affirmative; but, said, "they must have a competent safety suitable to the purpose of action and far above the standard of the average pilot. If proper security is insured, the machines are equipped to the distance required, trans-Atlantic flights can be of incalculable value."

Shriners Made Merry at Cleveland Conclave



MAN IS FOUND SHOT TO DEATH NEAR MARSHALL

MARSHALL, July 17.—Harold W. Cook, 35, believed to be a Longview oil man, was found dead from gunshot wounds in a lonely grove at Woodlawn, 11 miles north of here early today.

His body was found stiff on the wet ground. His arms folded across his chest. A bullet had penetrated the right side of his head. A pistol was found by his side. A few paces away members of the sheriff's department found the man's battered automobile.

Numerous lease papers and checks bearing the signature of east Texas oil firms, were scattered about the scene. No money was found on his clothing.

Officers discounted a theory of suicide. The body was discovered about 3 o'clock this morning by a Woodlawn woman who awakened the neighborhood with her frightened cries. Residents nearest the spot said they heard a shot about 10:30 last night.

Mayor Back From Trip to Valley

Mayor J. T. Berry and son, Philip, returned last night from a business trip to the Rio Grande valley. "We've got them beat on living conditions," declared the mayor.

Infant Son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Dies

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Doyle, of Cisco, died at its home here about 10 o'clock this morning after a long illness.

Funeral services have not been learned.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Henry Kleiner Thursday, July 16, at 11 a. m. at DeLeon. Mother and daughter are reported to be doing nicely. The baby is a grandchild of Mrs. J. E. Klinead of the city.

TEETH INTERFERED

HOOSICK FALLS, N. Y., July 17.—Before Joseph Wilcox, 60, committed suicide, he removed his false teeth so he could insert the barrel of a rifle in his mouth. The teeth were found beside his body.

Woman Convicted on Check Charge

Mrs. T. M. Brown, of Eastland, was convicted by a jury in justice court here yesterday on a charge of swindling by check and a fine of \$10 and costs assessed.

Complaints were filed by Gus Nelson, manager of the market department of the A. and P. store at Eastland.

The case was filed in Justice J. H. McDonald's court here because of the illness of the Eastland justice. Notice of appeal to the county court was given.

DEATHS TOP BIRTHS
JUAREZ, Mex., July 17.—For the first time in many months, deaths in Juarez exceeded births during June. Previously births had been twice the number of deaths. Births in June totaled 187, while deaths numbered 210. Sixty-five per cent of the deaths were due to intestinal disorders.

FATHER ILL

Dr. D. Ball was called to Lillian today on account of the serious illness of his father, who was reported stricken suddenly.

DAILY NEWS

SPECIAL SERVICE FOR FRIDAYS

As a special service to our advertisers and to the people of Cisco, who want to take advantage of the many specials offered on Fridays, the Daily News will be placed in every home each Friday during the summer. Any person who may be overlooked will please notify the office by calling 80 or 81 and special effort will be made to see that you get your copy regularly each Friday.

GORMAN TRIP SLATED FOR 6:45 O'CLOCK

A motorcade of Cisco automobiles is expected to accompany the Gorman band to Germany this evening for the second of the series of weekly band concerts in neighboring communities. The motorcade is due to leave the chamber of commerce at 6:45 for the drive which will require less than an hour.

Merchants who carried their families on the similar trip to Rising Star last Friday evening were delighted with the pleasant outing it proved to be. The number to go to Germany this evening was expected to be even larger than the creditable number which made the previous trip. The cool evening in the open after the heat of the day provides an excellent tonic while the association with the citizens of other communities affords recreation as well as tends to broaden the local outlook.

German citizens extended the Cisco band and visitors a cordial welcome when a committee from the Cisco chamber of commerce visited that city earlier in the week to make arrangements. The Baptist tabernacle there has been secured for the concert and a large audience was promised for the reception of the band.

Trans-Atlantic Fliers Acclaimed

BUDAPEST, Hungary, July 17.—George Endres and Alexander Magyar, trans-Atlantic fliers, were national heroes today.

Joyful, cheering throngs lauded the men who spanned the Atlantic in their monoplane. "Justice for Hungary" and narrowly escaped death when they were forced down 15 miles outside Budapest, their goal, last night.

THREE FOURTHS OF AUTOS ARE IN AMERICA

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Nearly three-fourths of the motor vehicles in the world are registered in the United States, according to the Department of Commerce figures based on a census as of Jan. 1, 1931. World registration totaled 35,805,632 of which 26,697,396 were in the United States.

If motor cars of all sorts were evenly distributed, every 54th person in the world would have one according to the census. In the United States there is one for every 4.59 persons. Per capita registration for the world outside the United States was 200.

France was second in registration, with 1,459,650; England third with 1,308,272. Then followed Canada with 1,224,060; Germany, 679,309; Australia, 563,657; Argentina, 366,324; Italy, 291,587; Brazil, 199,570; and Spain and the Canary Islands, 189,650.

First place among foreign countries in proportion of automobiles to population went to Canada and New Zealand, with 1 registration for every 8 persons. Australia was next with 1 for every 11.

Trailing the list were Yemen and Oman, in Arabia; China, Ethiopia, the Solomon Islands and Spitzbergen. Spitzbergen had one—a truck.

Despite the depression during 1930, world registrations increased by 678,234 over 1929, according to Charles F. Baldwin, assistant chief of the automotive division. He pointed out that there were 4,109,231 motor vehicles produced in the world in 1930, leaving 3,430,233 to be accounted for largely by scrapping or other withdrawal from operation.

CALIFORNIA MESA, Colo., July 17.—Smith Wagoner, a rancher, of Dry Creek, is having his troubles with wild elk. Wagoner said that elk come down and eat the hay he raises for his domestic livestock, thus increasing the probability that his horses and cows will have a hard winter.

U. S. Boy Heir to Throne?



Twelve-year-old Harvey Burrows, above, son of a Reno, Nev., divorce attorney, has something to blow about now, so he's doing it here. Harvey is the central figure in an out-cropping of political intrigue at Reno which reveals him as a potential heir to the throne of Austria. It is said he is the grandson of the late Prince Johann of Austria, who was the Archduke of Austria and brother of Emperor Franz Joseph. The boy's mother is said to be a daughter of the aged nobleman who came to America married and died in California several years ago. Harvey's father says Austrian monarchists are trying to take his son there to claim the throne, but that he won't stand for it.

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Cisco Fishermen Subdue Big Eel in Tempestuous Battle at Lake Cisco

Weird, exotic tales of tropic battles with strange sea beasts had curious reflection Wednesday afternoon in a classic struggle of five Cisco fishermen with a giant eel. The exciting combat, staged in the dusk of the boat house wharf just below the Cisco Country club, where a massive bluff lends the scene a touch of wilderness, lasted to the minds of the fishermen concerned considerably longer than in actuality. Probably it was only five minutes in duration but to W. J. "Curly" Armstrong, S. B. Wright, Guy DeBney, Frank Borman and O. P. Crimm the time was at least an hour. No doubt the eel felt the same way about it.

The eel and the episode were both strangers to the normal environments of Lake Cisco. Adventure consists not always in personal danger but in strange and unexpected. No doubt a human love of the unusual lent vigor to the excited fishermen in their wild and desperate efforts to subdue the embattled eel. Its thick, muscular body, repulsive in its reptilian resemblance, twisted and flashed with tortle agility as it sought to break through the cordons of its adversaries. The protecting waters of its habitat were but a few scant feet away lapping a welcome against the dipping timbers of the boat house. But the watery chant was a mere overture to the tumultuous clamor that raged about the startled precincts of the narrow wharf.

The deary, slippery body of the eel and its separate battle for freedom prolonged the drama. It attackers first employed bare hands. Mr. DeBney, who instantly classified the creature when it was pulled from the water and dropped off the hook, leaped astride it and grabbed it with both hands. As early as so much oil it slipped from his grasp, slithered into the planks of the wharf and wriggled for the water. Someone of the startled five kicked it back. Feet were brought into play and subsequently any object that possessed advantage.

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DEFENDANT IN MURDER TRIAL CUTS THROAT

CORSICANA, July 17.—Charles Douglas, 40, being tried here on charges of murder, slashed his throat with a razor blade in the county jail here early today, a few hours before jurors were to deliberate his guilt in the shot gun slaying of Miss Texana Hall.

Arguments in Douglas' trial due to be concluded this morning, were postponed indefinitely because of the critical condition of the defendant.

Douglas has been unable to speak since a jailer found him bleeding and moaning on the floor of his cell. Physicians say he may die.

State's attorneys had asked the death penalty in preliminary arguments yesterday.

Woman and Child Perish in Flames

RALLS, Tex., July 17.—Mrs. Etta Melton and the youngest of her eight children were burned to death today in a fire following the explosion of a coal oil stove at her home.

The baby burned to death was one of twins.

PROCEDURE OF OIL PROBE IS CONSIDERED

AUSTIN, July 17.—Faced with the self-imposed task of investigating methods of business in the oil industry, the Texas house of representatives today considered procedure it will follow in conducting the inquiry. It is scheduled to begin immediately and last eight days.

First division of ranks came over the question of who and how many should conduct the inquiry and question witnesses, and how many witnesses each member might summon. Decision was defeated until this afternoon.

One proposal is that Speaker Fred H. Minor, of Denton, be allowed to preside and pass on propriety of questions asked, admissibility of evidence and relevancy of testimony. Under this proposal representatives summoning witnesses would ask questions and develop any line of testimony they might desire.

Oil Men Appeal to White House

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 17.—H. Valdez, Mexican consul here, was charged with manufacture and possession of beer in two complaints filed in police court by former peace justice Walter Benson.

Valdez had not been served with the police warrants this afternoon. The complaints alleged the Valdez home was raided Monday night and 56 pints of beer and 10 gallons of brew were found. The police destroyed the liquor and did not arrest Valdez when he pleaded "diplomatic immunity" in his home.

MURRAY PLEA TO STERLING IS REFUSED

DENISON, July 17.—Barriers were thrown up on the Texas side of the new free Red River bridge here by Texas rangers today thwarting the attempt of Gov. W. H. Murray, of Oklahoma, to open all free spans to interstate traffic.

No rangers interfered with the traffic that streamed over the free span between Ringgold and Terrell, however, where a parallel toll bridge continued to operate despite Gov. Murray's threats to plow up the approach on the Oklahoma side. Between Galveston and Marietta motor cars crossed the river via a toll bridge, the Texas approach to the free span being incomplete.

Gov. Ross Sterling ordered the Denison bridge closed on the Texas side, declaring the Texas highway commission had been enjoined by the federal court at Houston from opening the traffic artery here.

Texas rangers under the command of Adj. Gen. W. W. Sterling and Captain Tom Hickman, guarded their barricade. Throughout the morning they diverted traffic over a 12-mile detour to the west. The toll bridge had been crippled when workmen plowed up the road bed on the Oklahoma side at Gov. Murray's order.

By noon, however, cars crossing the toll bridge from Texas were allowed to jolt on across the plowed barrier on the Oklahoma side.

To Gov. Murray's plea that "dilly-dallying over the opening of the free span be pushed to one side," Gov. Sterling replied today: "I cannot join you in attempting to make a federal court injunction operative."

"I understand your highway department has crossed into Texas and born up approaches to the bridge," Sterling's telegram continued. "I feel that you have extended your jurisdiction beyond all reach."

GERMAN LOAN CONDITIONED ON PROMISE

PARIS, France, July 17.—An international loan to Germany will be made conditional heretofore promise to renew the Young plan payments on expiration of the one-year Hoover moratorium, the United Press was informed today.

The pledges of political peace which France requires from Germany may constitute a "political moratorium" period corresponding to the term of the international loan, probably 10 years, during which Germany would have to agree not to change her present status. Thus presumably she would shelve the customs union with Austria and halt her cruiser building program.

Mexican Consul Faces Liquor Charge

WASHINGTON, July 17.—The white house received today an appeal today from the Independent Petroleum association of Texas seeking a temporary embargo against importations of crude oil.

The petition said thousands of wells had been closed in the Texas area and more would be shut down if the supply of foreign oil is not cut off.

FATAL FOR THEM

CEDARTOWN, Ga., July 17.—William and Fred Hulse, father and son, are under sentence to die in the electric chair July 24 for the murders of Lige Harper, Clifford Jones and Ernest McCollough in a poker game, in which the slain men had won heavily and the Hulseys lost.

WEATHER

West Texas—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, probably scattered showers in Rio Grande valley and panhandle. Slightly cooler in extreme north portion Saturday.

East Texas—Unsettled with scattered thunder showers tonight or Saturday.

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DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

REAL PEACE:—Wisdom's ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace.—Proverbs 3: 17.

THE BEST MEDICINE:—A merry heart doeth good like a medicine; but a broken spirit drieth the bones.—Proverbs 17: 22.

INSTALLMENT SALES MYTH EXPLODED.

C. C. Hanch of Chicago is general manager of the National Association of Finance Companies. He has all the figures. He has issued a bulletin showing that less than three per cent of the annual income of the United States "was mortgaged by installment sales—statements of popular writers and after dinner speakers to the contrary notwithstanding." He reported that the exact amount was 2.8 per cent as shown by an analysis of the installment debt of the nation. It appears that "popular writers and after dinner speakers" have been placing the figure as high as 20 per cent. Is it true that figures never lie?

SOUTH DAKOTA DEMANDS FARM RELIEF.

Governor Warren E. Green of South Dakota backed by a large number of farmers of his state adopted a resolution asking federal aid for grasshopper infested areas of the Rosebud country. First they asked assistance to fight the grasshopper outbreak now add to provide farmers with wood and coal during the winter. A federal agent who knows all about the extermination of hoppers reported that the pest could be wiped out by an organized campaign but \$500,000 would be needed to buy poison. Yes, Texas remains the big white spot on the map of America.

AMERICAN RAILWAYS ESTABLISH A NEW HIGH RECORD.

According to 1930 report made to the interstate commerce commission only seven passengers were killed in railroad accidents during the year. This establishes a new record, the total of ten deaths in 1927 having been the best thus far. As regards passengers injured, only 790 persons received hurts while riding on railway trains. Again the report shows that there were 101,581,000 passengers for every fatality and 9,000,000 for every accident during the year. Of course, the report refers only to accidents involving actual passengers on the trains. Safety first is the slogan of the rail operators.

A KANSAS FARMER AND HIS PICTURES.

Forest Kanner is a Kansas wheat farmer. He trucked a load to Bucklin, the nearest wheat buying center. Rather than sell the wheat at 27 cents a bushel, he opened the end gate of his truck and allowed the grain to spill out on the streets as it drove through Bucklin. Kanner must be a humorist. He displayed two pictures of donkeys. One was labeled "Kansas Wheat Farmer" and the other "Federal Farm Board." And that is what is the matter with Kansas, regardless of the plaintive appeals made to the president by Vice President Charles Curtis and Senator Arthur Capper imploring the chief magistrate of the republic to use his influence to stabilize the wheat market.

Presidents are not miracle makers. Presidents cannot control the production of oil, the production of wheat, the production of cotton, or the annual output of the great industrial plants of the 48 American commonwealths.

GARNER AND THE SPEAKERSHIP.

Representative Charles B. Edwards of Georgia, a democrat, pledged to John N. Garner for the speakership honor, was the seventh member of the next house to die. Republicans now have 215 members to 213 for the democrats, while there are six vacancies and one Farmer-Labor member. Three republicans and three democrats represented the six vacancies. Old Kipz Death appears to be shuffling the cards in the coming contest for the speakership prize. Maybe Texas Garner would be just as happy officiating as minority leader. Why should the democrats load their party down with responsibility and a presidential campaign year flashing its signals of approach? Why not permit President Hoover and the republicans to carry the load?

Note to girls: The easiest way to keep from being insulted in a car is to move the head from side to side when asked to climb in.

On vacation from the arduous duty of writing 200 words a day, former President Coolidge can now devote more time to his duties as an honorary Indian Chief.

A SAILLESS FRIGATE.

Widespread disappointment was caused by the decision of the government to send the old frigate Constitution, restored and reconditioned, out to sea in tow of a steel minesweeper instead of shaking her towers of canvas to the breeze and sailing the seas as a good ship should.

Of course the government had its reasons. Canvas is costly and must be renewed frequently. A crew skilled in navigating this ancient type of craft could not be found, although one might be developed in time. And the uncertainty of the winds would make it difficult for the ship to maintain its schedule on its triumphal cruise for exhibition purposes.

But were these valid excuses? Petty economy is an insult to the generosity of the thousands of men, women and children whose money saved "Old Ironsides" from decay. A capable crew could have been obtained, even from among the lineal descendants of those who built and manned the old ship. And the public would not have complained of delays. The opportunity to make the Constitution inspiring to

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the millions who will see her has been lost. She will be interesting, but hardly inspiring. In the wake of a snorting tug she will be only a floating museum, a parody of her former self. Plowing the seas under full sail, she would have made a majestic picture, a living memory of one of the proudest moments in the history of the United States and its navy.

No doubt the father of contract bridge, who died recently, was buried with simple honors.

Are the hitch-hikers organizing on the theory that a thousand thumbs are better than one?

Young Vanderbilt is what is known in vaudeville as a "flash act"—all showmanship and no talent.

The French for debt holiday is vacance des obligations. This explains why France was so long in saying it.

Unless a moratorium is declared on that summer salutation, "Is it hot enough for you?" there is going to be a bonfire.

OTHER OPINIONS

THE WORST IS OVER

Economic gains of a definite character are being registered throughout the world as the year enters upon its second half. Business leaders everywhere are heartened.

Domestic improvement has been greater than the betterment abroad, but throughout the world, the result of preparation for a business revival have begun to show. But it must not be expected that normally prosperous conditions will become evident immediately because the distress wrought by the depression left wounds too deep to be cured in a day.

Optimism and pessimism are not to be found today in the same places in which they dwelt just before the market crash. It is the little fellow who is pessimistic now; and the big fellow who is flushed with optimism and hope. The department of commerce, the federal treasury department, the department of agriculture, the federal reserve board and Roger Babson are now cast in the role of Pollyanna.

The darkest hour is just before the dawn then the dawn is due. And if conditions are always worse just before they show improvement, then the present improvement is evidence that the worst of the depression has been seen and lived through.

Will the United States be spared another winter of unemployment and poor business? It can escape. Mills that have been idle for years are seeking summer crops. The assured financial situation is improving and the government has unfolded some plans that promise immediate relief.

There is a place in the political running board just the same. Seven thousand delegates attended the international society of Christian Endeavor in convention in the city of San Francisco. A distinguished minister of the gospel from the state of Washington declared with enthusiasm when he declared the United States could not have the advanced efficient mechanical and scientific age we now have and get along with the breweries and distilleries. He should have said a machine and scientific age. The machine has revolutionized the world; it has two gears. It is possible for one man to do the work of 20 and this is admitted by the foremost economists of the age. But back to John Barleycorn and his "jack-in-the-box" performances.

During the last fiscal year Federal dry agents seized more than 1,233,650 gallons of illicit liquor and 5,599,000 gallons of beer. From July 1, 1930 to June 30, 1931, there were approximately 70,000 dry law cases in which arrests were made. From these cases were imposed 35,650 fines, aggregating \$5,511,000. In addition 29,470 violators were sentenced to jail for a total of more than 18,333 years. Incidentally, in the effort was the seizure of 21,375 bottles and stills more than 7,923 beer fermenters, and 8,260 out-mills. More than 300 dry agents have been added to the force since the adjournment of the lame duck congress. Slow run chasers, government boats have been assigned to the Gulf of Mexico with Calveston the base of operations.

"Mirrors of Washington" by anonymous contributor is said to be a very startling publication of mid-summer times. It should make interesting reading for tourists. Its unknown author returns the compliment that the national convention held by the two major political parties since the adoption of the

18th amendment and the enactment of the Volstead Act were in the nature of drunken carnivals and that the Kansas City convention where Herbert Hoover was nominated was the worst of the lot. The liquor was the best ever served, and dry platform speakers who drank were not the times of their lives.

This is a wonderful age in which we live. Incidentally and so to speak, the Houston convention where Alfred E. Smith and Joseph Taylor Robinson were named as the democratic standard bearers, was not a dry affair. Its liquor may not have been of the best but the commendations of the American world agree that it was to be had for the asking and if the quality did not appeal a motor run to Galveston led the motorists to crowded caves or caverns of all the brewer brands known to Americans and Europeans.

Locally this is the oil age as well as the solution of oil problems by governors and lawmakers and all the people are busy in the petroleum world.

Internationally it is the moratorium age and statesmen and bankers and prosperous American money lenders in foreign fields, are giving little heed to the prohibition laws or the conservation of the natural resources of the mineral producing states of the republic.

Regardless of this the whole world is juggling along just the same and, running true to form it will last time solve the problem of the hour and the civilization which came in with the finish of the World War will in the end be more marvelous, more humming, and more peace-loving than the civilization which was the forerunner when a Serbian machine snuffed out the life of a prince of the House of Hapsburg. Now most of the emperors are in the discard, most of the grand dukes and princelings have joined the vast pack of commoners and an army of a while nobles are either begging or borrowing or earning an honest livelihood.

TWELFTH STREET CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45. G. M. Mehlason, superintendent. The pastor will be in a revival at Roney and Rev. W. L. Boyd will preach at the morning hour.

Evening services at 8:15. Rev. J. Hollis Clark will speak at that hour in a special message to the young people. Come and worship with us in these services. — O. A. MORTON, pastor.

WEEK-END SESSION TRIED

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., July 17.—This city has instituted a one-hour session of police court at 11 p. m. each Saturday as an economic and humane measure. The city will be saved the cost of brooding minor offenders over Sunday, while the prisoners whose cases are cleared up in the late session can be with their families instead of in jail.

POPULATION DOWN

PARIS, July 17.—The population of France fell off 34,679 during the first four months of 1931, according to statistics by the government. The report shows 100,809 births and 225,483 deaths, with a similar decrease of marriages. Last year there was a net increase of 10,000 in population during the corresponding period.

Benavides — Work of overhauling Benavides Mill Co. plant underway.

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WEIGHS 700 LBS.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., July 17.—A negro woman, who gained 200 pounds in the last two years, and now weighs more than 700 pounds, has been reported by welfare workers at Logan. The woman is a mental defective, has an enormous appetite. She is too large to be moved out of her home.

Skidmore—Mathis gap on Highway No. 12, which has been closed and under construction for several months, now open to travel.

NEW ALLOY PROCESS

STOCKHOLM, July 17.—A new aluminum alloy, called "Cromal", which combines great hardness with tensile strength, with the lightness of aluminum, has been patented in Sweden by a metallurgist, J. Haerden. By means of a special patented process the inventor has been able to unite aluminum and chromium.

Benavides — Improvements Benavides Mill and Gin to about \$3,000.

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CISCO SOX RAISE BAT AVERAGES

Byron pushed into the lead in batting honors with a high .386. Afford is hitting .454 but has not played in as many games as Byron. Byron also leads in the number of hits with 23. Van Horn continues to be the leader in runs scored with 22. J. Fippen is next with 18 in his credit. Fippen also leads in doubles with seven and has the "doublet" distinction of striking out more than six men on the club. Van Horn is proving himself a real lead-off man with 18 walks off of opposing pitchers.

Saturday evening at 4 p. m. the Red Sox will play a strong team from Mineral Wells. Fort Worth was one here for a two game series but were unable to be here Saturday at the game with Mineral Wells. The scheduled this team has been re-organized and a new manager hired. They are expected to be one of the strongest teams in this section. Sunday the Fort Worth All-Stars featuring a line-up of professional ball players will come to Cisco. Among their stars is Chas. Lind, leading hitter in the Texas League last year. Grande, former star of the Cotton States League. Ferguson, Hooks and Moore, pitchers. This is one of the hardest hitting teams in the state and fans are promised a real battle.

ITALY TURNS TO CURRENT FOR POWER

By STEWART BROWN
United Press Staff Correspondent.
ROME, July 17.—Italy's substitution of domestic "white coal" for foreign black coal on her railroad is winning an important strategic battle of which Fascism is proud. Italy, after the United States, has the greatest mileage of electrified railroad lines in the world. The system is being rapidly extended until Switzerland, formerly the leading electrical country in Europe, has been left in third place.

Although this fact is interesting in itself, the reason behind Italy's railroad electrification is more subtle. For many years dependent upon foreign coal for her locomotives, Italy under Mussolini, woke up to its vast untapped hydro-electric possibilities.

New Industry
The development of this power has given Italy a new and important industry. But of chief interest to the government, it has permitted the government to reduce Italy's military and strategic commercial railroads from dependence upon foreign coal. In case of another serious war, Italy's railroads will not be imperiled from the lack of coal to carry food and munitions to battle points.

Work Is Costly
The electrification of the old lines is costly, and the government has been forced to proceed gradually as funds would permit. The most important and strategic lines have been electrically equipped first.

The first Italian line was electrified in 1911. Today there are more than 10 important stretches which have been completely electrified. More than one-tenth of the total mileage has been transformed from coal to electric driven motors.

Not the traffic handled over these electrified lines represents more than 20 per cent of the national total railroad freight and passenger business.

It is estimated that Italy has already saved one quarter of her foreign coal bill, as the electrified roads are generally in the mountains where the consumption of coal was heavy.

Hebbville—Work of re-tapping the section of Corpus Christi-Laredo highway now under way.

Littlefield—Old Littlefield College buildings to be converted into modern hospital.

Wellington—Old Collinsworth county court-house being razed to make way for erection of new building.

Linden—About ten cars of green tomatoes to be shipped from here, new industry for county.

Nueces Construction Co. of Corpus Christi, awarded contract for two-course surfacing of line-stone rock asphalt on 6.6 miles of Highway N. 72 from Smith Creek through Northhorn to Karnes county line, for \$22,432.

Lynn—A. T. Richardson of Fairfarms to build two miles of fence for Southern Pacific lines here.

Stratford—Panhandle Power and Light company's six-inch gas line now laid into this city.

BRUSHING UP ON SPORTS By Laufer.



TEXAS TOPICS

By THE POLITICAL ANALYST
AUSTIN, July 17.—Title of professor has been taken away from L. The Belmont, former athletic director of the University of Texas, by action of the regents this month. Mr. Belmont's salary has been cut back from the \$5,000 professor's basis to approximately \$2,600 a year. He retains the title of director of physical training, whose duties he was assumed when university regents severed him from connection with intercollegiate athletics after a historic squabble.

Athletics and intramural activities were cut back this year to absorb part of the losses in the appropriation budget.

Athletics will be paid considerably more in next year's budget. Regent Robert L. H. Holiday said while here.

Athletic activities grew to a considerable bulge in the university's money budget during recent years while football, baseball, basketball and tennis reached unprecedented popularity.

Now the regents have invited the athletic council to investigate and report back whether Mary Karow, now an assistant coach, shall be made basketball coach to succeed Fred Walker, who was not retained, or whether the university will be able to get along without a basketball coach.

Dr. W. E. Metzenthin, a professor, is director of intercollegiate athletics. Nearly half his salary is paid from athletic funds. His total compensation is that of professor.

How Dr. Metzenthin was placed at the head of athletic affairs without his knowledge has been disclosed. He had just been brought back to the university after an absence dating from the ouster of German-language teaching during the World War. He was nominated "from the floor" before any recommendation had been submitted to the regents and was unanimously elected.

State Supt. S. M. N. Marrs will ask Governor Sterling to submit to this session a corrective law to meet adverse effect a supreme court decision may have on high school attendance. That decision held that pupils when they reach 18 may not longer have free tuition. In case of transfer pupils the state will not be permitted to pay their tuition. Mr. Marrs said to prevent discrimination, he also will deal with the schools admitting tuition-free their home-district pupils of 18 or over. Question of his authority to do that may be subject to debate under the supreme court Love vs. Dallas decision but he has power to exclude from the rolls all pupils 18 or over, and thus take away \$17.50 from the high schools for each such scholar.

Brig. Gen. Jacob F. Wolters announced that a suitable home will be ready for Governor Sterling to ride in inspection of his national guard cavalry encampment at Mineral Wells. Two weeks ago Governor Sterling cracked the whip over a yoke of oxen at Temple. He is commander-in-chief of the national guard. This includes an airplane squadron. He has been the owner of several railroads at different times. He owns and runs sail boats and power boats. If he'll get a submarine, it seems his contact with transportation will cover the whole field.

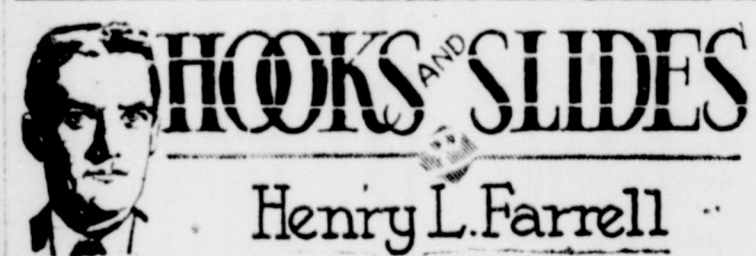
There is being wasted \$5500 a day in Reagan county, through dissipation of 110,000,000 cubic feet of "sweet" or fuel gas from five oil wells, according to University of Texas Regent Robert L. Holiday.

The wells are on university land. Four others, which were dissipating 200,000,000 cubic feet daily, have been shut down, through persuasion of the regents and the attorney general.

Another saving besides the gas, is withholding from the market 40,000 barrels of oil daily from the pure wells, on which the university is getting at present prices, less than seven cents a barrel royalty. The regents want the wells shut down until the leaseholders can find a market for the gas and can stop its waste. By that time the price of oil may be higher.

HATCHED ON DUMPS.
DAVENPORT, Ia., July 17.—There is more than one kind of incubator for chickens, according to H. S. Thompson. He discarded a dozen eggs on the city dump. A few days later as he passed the spot, he was attracted by a vigorous cheeping. Investigation disclosed that the eggs had hatched several healthy chicks.

Texas Cotton Cooperative Association expects to handle 1,000,000 bales of cotton this season, announced by B. G. Pittuck, acting general manager.



About W. L.

"DOUBLE YELL" STRIBLING never was the kind of fighter who struck my fancy. He is patterned somewhat along the lines of the Longhorn school. Dempsey spoiled boxers of that ilk for me.

There was even some doubt in my mind about Double Yell's courage—before that bout with Schmeling. The careful ringman always has himself open to suspicions such as mine.

But the fight with Schmeling changed my idea about Double Yell. In a pinch old Double Yell is dead game.

I can remember this about old Double Yell. In that fifteenth and final round, when he arose from the floor after the count of nine, with his face a gory mask, arms dangling helplessly at his sides, he walked forward to meet the Dutchman and to take the punch that he must have felt was coming.

The Tipoff
OLD DOUBLE YELL answered a lot of questions in that fifteenth round. Facing what even his benumbed brain must have known was a certain knockout, he advanced, ready to take it.

Was that pride and the wish to stay the limit? If it had been only that I think Old Double Yell would have got on a bicycle and pretended his name was Tunney.

Was it the desire to save himself the stigma of a knockout? I don't think so. I think it was native courage—instinctive brand—and that when he came up from the floor he came up still fighting.

His Fortunes
DOUBLE YELL'S share of the purse was something like \$33,000. His cut in the broadcasting, movie and other concessions brought that up to about \$90,000 in earnings.

Aside from that, he has some

1,300 MILES
HARRISBURG, Pa., July 17.—The Pennsylvania State Highway department has under construction as of July 1 about 1,300 miles of new roads. Despite the many contracts, detours have been necessary on only 13 projects, as most of the road construction includes improvement of rural roads not previously paved.

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Soothing while Teething
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CISCO AMERICAN and
ROUNDUP

Poncha—Nine carloads material arrive for use in building one and one-half miles of railroad track to Tex-Mex spur lines at sulphur mine.

Aransas Pass—Contract let for repair work to be done on Commercial St.

Wallis—Telephone company removed wires from in front of business district.

Uvalde—Texas Rock Asphalt Co. now working full shift.

Hamilton—Firemen beautifying city hall grounds for park.

Brownwood—Actual work to begin soon on new bridge over Colorado river on Highway 10, adjacent to McCulloch county line.

Goldthwaite—Local citizens procuring crude oil with which to oil streets.

Brownsville—"South Texas Statesman" is new newspaper published at this city.

Pettus—Construction of new school building to start immediately.

Rock Springs—Roads being worked.

LOOK! LAWN HOSE SPECIAL

A 50-foot section, 3/4 size corrugated good grade rubber moulded, seamless hose; complete with nickel brass couplings

Only \$3.95

A 4-inch heavy brass nozzle Free.

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SATURDAY SPECIALS

48 Lb. GOOD FLOUR	95c
8 Pounds SHORTENING	88c
10 lb NEW POTATOES	17c
9 oz. Can Crushed or Sliced PINEAPPLE	10c
15 oz. Can CALIFORNIA SARDINES	10c
6 Bars Garden Complexion SOAP	22c
1 lb. Bright and Early COFFEE	21c
No. 2 Can ENGLISH PEAS	10c
2 lb. Box SALTED CRACKERS	24c

MEAT SPECIALS

PICNIC HAMS, 4 to 6 lb. Average	19c
SLICED BACON, Rind Off	25c
DRY SALT BACON	13c
DRY SALT JOWLS	11c
BABY BEEF ROAST	17c
VEAL LOAF MEAT, Pork Added	15c
CREAMERY BUTTER	26c
VEAL STEW, Nice and Tender	14c
Homemade SAUSAGE, Pure Pork	15c
ANY CUT STEAK	24c

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"The Old Timey Home Owned Grocery"
PRICES SATURDAY

Snowdrift 3 lb. 57c
6 lb. ... \$1.05

The Perfect Shortening

SUGAR --- Pure Cane
10 lb. cloth bag 51c

BARREL VINEGAR
per gallon 30c

FLOUR --- Western Scout
guaranteed, 48 lb. sack \$1.05

Swift's Premium Sliced BACON --- 1 lb. box 35c

Spaghetti or Macaroni
per box 5c

New Crop Dried Apricots
Bright, 2 pounds 25c

Jello and Ice Cream Powder, we carry all flavors, 3 pkg. for Good Fancy Tea
1/4 pound package 15c

Carnation Milk---6 small or 3 large cans for 25c

Pink Salmon, 2 Cans for 25c

FOLGER'S COFFEE 1 lb. can **45c**

Bright and Early Coffee 1 lb. pkg 21c

News Want Ads Pay---Phone 86.

GUIDE....COUNSELLOR... FRIEND--

What is the best soap for dishes, for woolens, for the toilet? How much is rib roast today? How much for the new shoes Billy needs? Where can I get rompers and sun suits for Mary? Can I afford new linoleum for the kitchen now? What about a new chair or two for the porch? An electric fan would be nice, but how much does it cost?

In this very newspaper you will probably find the answers to these and many other questions. Questions you must answer if you are to be sure of getting the best value for your money, the most out of your weekly budget.

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Consult the advertisements before you buy

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CISCO DAILY NEWS
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ROUNDUP

"Mother-in-Law" Sermon Subject

"Mother-in-law—a Home Maker or Home Breaker" will be the subject of Rev. H. L. Tucker Sunday night at the First Methodist church. Men and women are invited to come and bring their mother-in-law and sit with them in the service. The Rev. Mr. Tucker announced at 10:30 will be "Special Providence for Hard Times". All people who are facing difficulty during the depression are invited to hear the message.

The regular choir directed by Mrs. W. B. Statham and accompanied by Mrs. E. A. Butler, will sing Sunday morning and the young people's choir will sing Sunday night. Miss Sarah Cook of Brownwood will sing a special number Sunday morning.

GO VEGETARIAN

ROME, July 17.—The Roman kitchen is becoming more and more vegetarian. Rome alone last year consumed 5,000 tons of vegetables, reaching 4,500,000 lire, a notable increase over previous years. Into salads alone went 1,258,052 kilos of salad vegetables, costing 1,230,319 lire.

IN SNAKE

MEXICO, Mo., July 17.—A five-foot-long snake and a four-week-old gosling were found inside a blacksnake which was killed recently by Mrs. Forrest Weaver. Mrs. Weaver attacked the reptile with a garden hoe when she found it disturbing her poultry flock. The snake was five feet nine inches long.

Wolfe City—Leon Devenport to reopen variety store in this city in near future.

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MONDAY and TUESDAY

July 20, 21

"SHOULD A GIRL MARRY"

Women Only

Monday

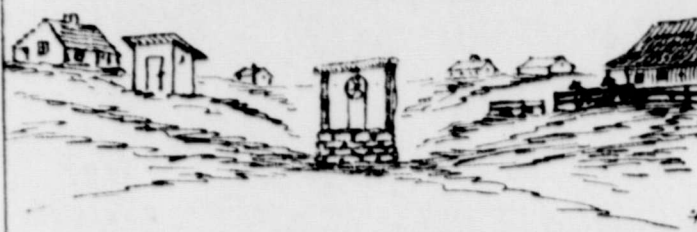
Men Only

Tuesday

None under 14 admitted. Mothers bring daughters, fathers bring sons.

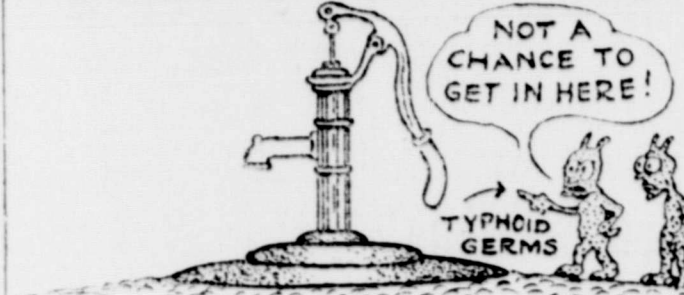
Vacationists Warned to Be Careful of Water Drunk While Away From City

**IS YOUR WELL
IN THE RIGHT PLACE?
EVERY THING IS WRONG IN
THIS PICTURE.**



FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ASK YOUR
CITY OR COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER OR WRITE
TEXAS STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
AUSTIN, TEXAS

**BE SURE YOUR WATER
SUPPLY IS PROTECTED.**



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TEXAS STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
AUSTIN, TEXAS

Be careful of the water you drink while on a vacation is Dr. F. E. Clark's warning to those leaving on vacations. Dr. Clark, who is city health officer, presents two warning drawings which present a warning of the danger of drinking water from a well which is not properly protected. He says that most city water supplies are so pure that city people have come to think of pure water as something to be taken for granted. Hence Dr. Clark's warning to those who leave on trips.

In cooperation with County Sanitarian Miller, Dr. Clark and the city health department are working on all phases of the sanitation ques-

tion in Cisco and are accomplishing excellent results. Mr. Miller, in particular, is devoting time to the betterment of conditions in the rural section around Cisco which, without a city water supply and sewage disposal system, require a great deal of individual effort in improving. Information in the solution of water and disposal problems will be gladly furnished without charge to those who apply for it. Testing of the home water supply will also be done by the state laboratories through Mr. Miller.

About Cisco Today

SOCIETY EDITOR, MISS MARJORIE NOELL—PHONE 89 OR 81

Mr. and Mrs. K. N. Greer, Mrs. Lillian Greer and Miss Joyce Greer spent yesterday in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Graham have as their guests, Mr. Graham's mother, Mrs. M. C. Graham, and his brother, Glen Graham of Pittsburg, Pa.

Cecil Hubert and C. A. Dawson were business visitors in Ranger yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Locke of Brownwood visited relatives here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Adams are spending the weekend in Breckenridge.

Mrs. Will Dorsey of Ranger, has returned to her home after a visit with Mrs. Chas. Brown.

Misses Mildred and Billie Fay Bryn of Prentiss are guests of Mrs. O. C. Lomax.

Mrs. G. P. Roubolt is visiting in Dallas.

Mrs. H. Brandon left this morning for a few days visit in Dallas and Plano.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Taylor have returned to their home in Brownwood after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Clark.

Miss Annette Dorsey, who has been visiting Mrs. Chas. Brown, has returned to her home in Midland.

A. J. Olson is expected home today from a trip to Brownwood.

Mrs. E. H. Varnell and Mrs. R. N. Clark were visitors in Abilene yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Whitkin left yesterday for Ennis.

Mrs. W. J. Foxworth left Wednesday for an extended visit in Dallas and Texas City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jenkins were visitors in Abilene yesterday.

Miss Joyce Ford of Sweetwater is spending a few days with Miss Olga Fay Ford.

Mrs. Walter Carrington of Breckenridge is visiting in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Broadfoot of Corpus Christi are guests of Mrs. J. W. Howell.

Miss Arlene Scudder of Abilene is expected in for a weekend visit in Cisco.

Mrs. W. K. Johnston and son Wade and T. J. Nabors left this morning for a visit in El Paso.

Miss Hattie May Parks of Memphis, Tenn., will arrive Sunday for

Cisco Fishermen--

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as a weapon. The struggle grew sanguinary and tempestuous. It was a strange battle that waged in the dark of the boat house, feebly illuminated by the electric light that filtered through the open door of the shed. The bluff and the opposing hills echoed and reechoed with the excited shouts of the astonished quartet, but all their frenzied efforts as yet served no better purpose than to delay the eel's progress to safety. They were beginning through the sweat and fatigue of their exertions to see defeat, the certainty of which was not so much that a three-foot eel should escape them but that failure to produce the evidence of their expedition would lay them open to accusation as floundering fishermen of the most egregious type. They wanted that eel to prove their story, a determination which doubtless has some bearing on their personal estimations of their own integrity.

It fell to the lot of Mr. Berman to end this desperate of the other lake-side afternoon. He accomplished the end by elevating a lowly "pop" bottle to the dignity of a weapon. The climax was near. The eel was out a convolution or two from its coil; just that far from a plunge into the gurgling water with a contemptuous flick of its blunt tail at its dismayed adversaries. Whether skill or luck had the most to do with Mr. Berman's decisive action cannot be determined, but the fact does stand that a terrific plunge with the "pop" bottle landed squarely upon the eel's cranium and left it physically and spiritually "hors de combat" for such a space of time as was required to secure it. Mr. Armstrong, too, a finger in the mouth of the stunned creature, liberating a knuckle on its rough teeth, but he succeeded in pushing a cord through the jaw.

The triumphant trio carried their conquest to town. Carl Lowery weighed him. The husky specimen, the first ever taken from Lake Cisco, weighed seven pounds. Leon Mauer measured him. He was 37 inches in length. The captors report these dimensions with impunity, and under the circumstances they are no doubt entitled to, because not merely their words of honor, which are admittedly ample, but the evidence of those who witnessed weighed and measured the beast as well as the cut on Mr. Armstrong's knuckle, support the story.

Incidentally, while Mr. Armstrong claims to have examined the major part of the eel with relief, speaking in high terms of its dietary excellence, there is a question of ownership involved.

The uncertainty arises from these premises. It was Mr. Armstrong's hook that caught the creature. He had baited it with a perch and dropped it at the boat house before coming to the lake to fish. It was Mr. Wright who observed the

Warm?



If the hot weather's getting the best of you, take a tip from Allen Freeman, above, who keeps cool in a breezy costume consisting of shorts and shirt of silk, shirt's head and sandals. A member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants, Freeman is shown here as he arrived by plane in Los Angeles.

peculiar action of the line and pulled the eel out of the water. It was Mr. Berman who recognized it and initiated the battle for its capture. And it was Mr. Berman who knocked the eel in the head after it had escaped the hook. It was rushing furiously about the docks.

18,000 GRADUATED

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 17.—June graduates from 835 Pennsylvania secondary schools, the high school classification totaled 48,000 boys and girls, according to the department of public instruction. The number increased 5,000 over the 1930 total graduations.

White Deer—105 cars of wheat shipped from here up to recent date.

Huntsville—New Christian church dedicated.

Closing Selected New York Stocks

By United Press	
American Can	103 3/4
Am. P. & L.	36 1/4
Am. Smelt	33 1/4
Am. T. & T.	17 3/4
Anaconda	25 1/4
Auburn Auto	16 1/4
Aviation Corp. Del.	3 1/4
Beth Steel	44 1/4
Byers A. M.	31 1/4
Canada Dry	40 1/4
Case J. I.	72 1/4
Chrysler	22 1/4
Curry Wright	3 1/4
Elect. Au. L.	40 1/4
Foster Wheel	27 1/4
Fox Film	16 1/4
Gen. Elec.	41 1/4
Gen. Mot.	37 1/4
Gillette S. R.	21 1/4
Goodyear	40 1/4
Houston Oil	42 1/4
Int. Harvester	42 1/4
Johns Manville	52 1/4
Kroger G. & B.	29 1/4
Liq. Carb.	30 1/4
Mont. Ward	20 1/4
Nat. Dairy	34 1/4
Pan. Publix	24 1/4
Phillips P.	7 1/4
Prairie O. & G.	10 1/4
Pure Oil	7 1/4
Radio	18 1/4
Sears Roebuck	55 1/4
Shell Union Oil	6 1/4
Southern Pacific	36 1/4
Stan. Oil N. Y.	17 1/4
Studebaker	16 1/4
Texas Corp.	23 1/4
Texas Gulf Sul.	35 1/4
Und. Elliott	48 1/4
U. S. Gypsum	38 1/4
U. S. Ind. Ale.	25 1/4
U. S. Steel	24 1/4
Vanadium	30 1/4
Westing. Elec.	66 1/4
Worthington	48 1/4

Winters—41 cars of grain shipped from local elevators up to late time.

Perrytown—Construction of \$65,000 Junior High school building progressing rapidly.

Thorndale—Seating capacity of St. Paul Lutheran church edifice to be increased.

Alice—Actual construction of proposed 75-room hotel to start in near future.

Alamo—M. A. Nelson opened service station in building east of Alamo hotel.

El Paso—Valley farmers plan Al-falfa Marketing Cooperative association.

Christoval—Contract will be let in future for construction of bridge here.

Alice—New well to be added to city's water system.

PIGGLY WIGGLY

SPECIAL SALE SATURDAY

BANANAS --- Nice Fruit 4 1-2c

GRAPES --- Seedless pound 10c

LETTUCE 5c

SUGAR --- 10 lb. cloth bag, limited 51c

PICKLES --- Quart Sours 21c

PRESERVES --- 1 pound jar, Apricot 13c

BORAX Washing Powder 6 pkgs. 19c

SYRUP --- Pure Cane, gallon, 63c; 1-2 gallon 33c

SALMON --- Tall Can 10c

PEAS --- Early June 3 cans 25c

MATCHES 6 boxes 13c

PEACHES --- Rosedale Table Peaches 17c

COFFEE --- Lady Alice lb. 21c

BACON --- Sliced, rind off pound 25c

Beef Roast, flat rib, lb., 12c; flesh, lb. 17c

HAMBURGER --- Fresh Ground 12c

CHEESE --- No. 1 Cream Cheese lb. 20c

Dressed Spring Fryers; Lamb Roast.

Austin—Highway department making plans for improvement of remaining 36 miles of unpaved portion of Highway No. 2, second longest highway in state.

Kenedy—Contract let for rebuilding Kenedy Poultry Co. plant, destroyed by fire short time ago. LaSara—First Texas bale of cotton for year ginned at this plant.

SPECIAL

For FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY

Our Regular 15c
JUMBO ICE CREAM SODAS

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With every 50c purchase or over, a regular 50c
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SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Fresh Load Mason County
Water Melons, pound 1 1/2c
NICE ORANGES, dozen 30c
NICE LEMONS, dozen 24c
Fresh Cucumbers, per lb. 9c
White Grapes, pound 10c
Fresh Squash, 3 pounds 10c
Fresh Cream Peas, lb. 9c
4 lbs. Strawberry Preserves 89c
1 lb. Calumet Baking Powder 24c
Sliced Breakfast Bacon, lb. 24c
Good Barbecue, lb. 35c
Fresh Eggs, Guaranteed, doz. 19c
3 lb. Wamba Coffee 89c
1 lb. Wamba Coffee 30c
Pt. size McCarty Mayonnaise 25c
1 Head Lettuce FREE.
Lots of Nice Fat Fryers, per lb. 24c

Lots of Fresh Foods—Beans, Peas, Carrots, Beef, Okra, Peppers, Squash, Cucumbers, Cauliflower, Cabbage, Tomatoes, Peaches, Plums, Apples, Pears.

FOLGER'S COFFEE
1 lb. 44c 2 lbs. 84c

Snowdrift 3 lbs. 63c
6 lbs. \$1.20

Wesson Oil Pts. 30c
Qts. 60c

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