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TWO MORE CASINGHEAD PLANTS GOING IN

RANGER MEN SEE BIG POOL NEAR PIONEER

Mills Davenport and Others Will Drill Big Tract to Southwest.

Possibilities of an extensive pool are seen by Ranger oil men returning from the Pioneer field, along the Eastland-Callahan county line, which was extended a mile and a half to the south Tuesday with the bringing in of the F. W. Stone and company's Eakin No. 1 from between 2,400 and 2,500 feet. Other production is located eight miles south at Mays and at Bird's store, it is stated, and the operators will endeavor to link up the pools.

The Eakin well Thursday was producing 782 barrels of oil and 1,000,000 feet of gas a day, they state, and leases in the vicinity have jumped to around \$300 an acre and up. The discovery wells in the Pioneer field, it is said, are making only 200 barrels of oil and little or no gas and it is felt that the Eakin well is therefore located further up on the dome and that the discovery wells were edge wells.

Mills Davenport, A. M. Jones and associates of Ranger, have 1,100 acres five miles southwest between production and are arranging to drill, it is stated.

Reports from Cross Plains and Rising Star state that Keough and Litzinger's Gooch No. 1 has come in from 2,490 feet with a production of 800 barrels and that Phoenix & Jackson's Webb No. 1 has touched the top of the sand.

PRAIRIE SHOOTERS ACKERS.

The Prairie Oil & Gas company will shoot the Ackers B-3 today which is down 8,256 feet. The well is located five miles west of Breckenridge.

Pay was struck at 3,228 and there is several hundred feet of oil in the hole. Most of the producers in this section come in at 300 to 500 barrels.

TWO GOVERNORS WILL DEBATE ON CANAL QUESTION

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Feb. 18.—Word was received here today that Gov. Nathan L. Miller of New York had accepted the challenge of Gov. Henry J. Allen to debate on the proposed St. Lawrence canal. The debate will be held in Washington on March 1, it was announced.

HEROIC WORK OF NUNS SAVES CHILDREN'S LIVES

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Heroic work of a dozen nuns at the Home for the Friendless is credited with saving the lives of 100 child inmates, and preventing heavy damage last night. The children, all under 12, were being tucked into bed on the third floor when the sister superior observed heavy smoke coming from the attic.

Prayers of the last curly headed tot were interrupted as the nun announced she was going to give the children an unusual treat—they were going to be allowed to go out in the yard and play again for a short time. Concealing her agitation from the children, she summoned one squad of the nuns and directed that the children be dressed and taken out. With the other half dozen, armed with axes and fire extinguishers, she then went to fight the flames.

STATE'S CONSTITUTION, DATED 1798, IS FOUND

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 18.—More than a century old, but with its copy-right script, handwritten, in an excellent state of preservation, a constitution of the state of Georgia, dated 1798, was found in a cabinet in the office of the secretary of state.

Three original copies of the state's constitution are now in possession of the state.

MRS. STILLMAN WINS POINT.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Feb. 18.—Permission to take testimony in Montreal in the divorce suit of James A. Stillman, New York banker, against Mrs. Ann Stillman was granted today by the supreme court upon the application of defense counsel.

VILLA SEEKS REVENGE

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 18.—Villa has asked permission to lead his men against General Rosalio Hernandez, who was reported several days ago in rebellion in the state of Chihuahua. Back in 1914, Hernandez was Villa's trusted aid, but went over to Carranza when Villa and the latter split. Villa now sees a chance to pay off an old score and an emissary is said to have arrived in the capital to obtain the assignment for his chief.

MORE MARTIAL LAW AT MEXIA IS PROMISED

Removal of All County Officials Next Friday, Neff's Threat.

MEXIA, Feb. 18.—Limestone county will be placed under martial law next Friday and all local civil authority abolished unless Governor Neff is given satisfactory assurance that the civil authorities have the strength to enforce the law in the future, was the outstanding statement of the conference today between Governor Neff and representative citizens.

"You don't know what martial law is. You have just had a squint at it. Unless you people can convince me the county authorities can enforce the law, on next Friday martial law will entirely displace the local authorities," Governor Neff told his audience. "We will remove the civil authorities and then we will see whether bootleggers and gamblers can run this county."

"You don't want to surrender to crooks and gamblers, do you?" Governor Neff asked.

"No," was the shout which greeted him. The governor then asked all those in favor of law enforcement to raise their hands. Practically every hand went up. At the governor's question as to whether the civil authorities were able to enforce the law, some doubt was expressed.

Citizens Meet Wednesday. The governor at the end of his address declared he wanted the people to appoint some kind of committee to confer as to the steps to be taken to enforce the laws. Neff, General Wolters, Attorney General Keeling and other state officials then left the hall to permit the citizens to discuss the situation.

The citizens of Limestone county decided to meet at Groesbeck next Wednesday at 10 o'clock to decide what action to take in complying with the governor's request.

TWO KILLED IN MINE BLAST AT M'ALESTER

MARSHALL, Texas, Feb. 18.—Men were almost instantly killed and another seriously wounded as a result of an explosion in Brewer Mine No. 3, near Savanna. The dead are Pete Viale, 34, and Martin S. Cicco, age 30. John Pistoco, who was badly lacerated and burned in a local hospital. The explosion occurred when a blasting cartridge ignited a can of powder in the shaft.

SEYMOUR MAN FATALLY HURT WHEN HOG TRIPS HIM

SEYMOUR, Texas, Feb. 18.—G. B. Morris, a prominent citizen and ranch owner of Seymour and Baylor county, while on his ranch west of here was accidentally tripped up by a hog and fell, causing a rupture of an internal nature, and died this morning at 7:30 o'clock.

He is survived by his wife and twelve children.

JAIL BREAK AT PURCELL.

PURCELL, Okla., Feb. 18.—Four prisoners, two of them negroes, escaped from the county jail here today by tearing up the floor of the jail and digging under the foundation of the building. Two of the fugitives, Joe Edwards and Herb Kaufman, were held as suspects in connection with the robbery of five stores at Stratford, Okla., Thursday night. The negroes were being held on charges of chicken thievery. Poses are searching for the four men.

DRILLER SLAYS WOMAN AND SELF IN MEXIA ROOM

Clarence Biggers and Lottie Mills the Victims said to Be From Ranger.

MEXIA, Feb. 18.—Clarence Biggers, oil driller, who late yesterday shot and killed Lottie Mills and then turned the gun on himself, died early today. Relatives of the dead woman arrived here today from the Ranger oil field and are making funeral arrangements. The cause of Biggers' action has not been determined.

Biggers appeared to be a man about 25, and the woman looked to be in the early twenties. Biggers was supposed to have come to Mexia from the Ranger oil field.

Justice Hughes held an inquest. His findings were that the woman came to her death from wounds inflicted at the hands of Biggers.

They occupied only one room of the house, which was owned by L. P. Lipton, while the rest of the building was taken by others. Mrs. Lipton stated she did not know where the couple came from. No one knew much about them. Biggers was a driller, it is understood but had not been working for two or three days. They took their meals in town.

The woman fell to the floor almost against a door, making entrance into the room difficult. Biggers was found in an unconscious condition on a bed in the same room.

It is surmised that the woman intended to leave town when Biggers shot her, for when found she had on her hat and coat. Nearby was her dress suit case, fully packed.

VICTORY BOND HOLDERS CAN CASH 'EM NOW

Reserve banks have been authorized to extend the time of purchase of victory notes at par and accrued interest until March 15, it has been announced by the governor of the Federal Reserve bank at Dallas. The notes are to be purchased by the reserve banks up to an aggregate amount of \$100,000,000. The authorization applies only to the notes of the 4 3-4 per cent series purchased direct from the holders.

Victory notes of the 3 3-4 per cent series, called for redemption on June 15, may be redeemed at any time before this date at par and accrued interest.

John W. Thurman of the Peoples State bank said this morning that the notes of both series could be handled through the local bank, explaining that the bank had been performing somewhat similar service for the holders of such notes for some time.

MISS M'CORMICK WILL GO TO EUROPE IN MAY

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Mathilde M'Cormick, 16 years old, today arranged for passage for Europe in May, tending to confirm the report that she is to marry Max Oser, Zurich riding master, three times her age. The girl will be accompanied by Mrs. Julia Mangolia, who was Oser's bookkeeper, and who came to this country with Mrs. M'Cormick and her daughters last fall.

POLICE FIND "DEAD MAN" AT HOME, MUCH ALIVE

DETROIT, Feb. 18.—When police went to the home of Paul Strogulski to notify his family he had been killed in the village railroad yards. Strogulski answered their call at the door. He identified a body as that of Albert Woeck, a boarder in the Strogulski home, who came to Detroit from Canada, recently in search of work.

DALLAS DIAMONDS STOLEN.

DALLAS, Feb. 18.—Police are searching for a man supposed to have fled to Oklahoma with diamonds valued at \$10,000, alleged to have been stolen from the home of Mrs. P. L. Camp here Tuesday, it became known today. A girl formerly a servant in the Camp home and who is now in custody, is said to have made a statement involving the man.

SASSES HOOVER

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—"Public men who stoop to playing politics over the dead and frozen forms of little children are no more to be respected than international bankers who now hold bonds against the destroyed and defunct czar's government," says a letter sent out to members of the American Relief association by Director Liggett. The letter is a reply to the attack on the commission attributed to Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce.

HIGH SENIORS WILL PRESENT SPRING PLAY

Girls Bar Cap and Gown as Graduation Garments This Year.

Practice on a high school play, which is to be given some time before school is out May 19, will commence some time in April, it was decided yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the senior class of the High school. The name of the play has not been decided but reports are that one will be selected that will please the old as well as the young. Each year a play is given by the High school seniors and the money derived therefrom is given to some worthy cause. Last year \$50 was realized from this source and the money turned over to the public library fund.

Several social functions for the graduating class are being planned for the spring, among the most important being class day on Friday, May 12. Other stunts are being planned but have not been fully worked out yet. Invitations to the graduating exercises will be ordered next month. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered at the First Baptist church. The speaker has not been selected.

The costumes to be worn by the senior class during commencement have been giving considerable controversy, especially among the boys. The boys wanted to wear the cap and gown, but the girls objected. A compromise was put into effect and boys will wear any suit of clothes to suit their taste but with a uniform black tie and stiff collar. The girls will wear white organdie dresses.

The senior class is composed of seven boys and fourteen girls. Miss Myrtle Clemmer is president.

UNION OUSTS HOWAT IN CONVENTION VOTE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 18.—Alexander Howat expelled Kansas mine leader, lost his appeal for reinstatement in the United Mine Workers of America, on the face of unofficial tabulations of the roll call of the union's convention which was completed late Friday.

The last hundred votes cast swung the majority to the administration forces, headed by President John L. Lewis and the latter won by approximately fifty votes out of the 3,900 cast.

President Lewis, although the vote was close, said he was confident that the unofficial figures would not be materially changed by the official tabulation.

MOTHER JONES QUIETS MINERS' CONVENTION

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 18.—Disorders broke out today in the convention of the United Mine Workers, but was quelled by the speech of Mother Jones, 82-year-old union organizer, permitting the completion of the vote against considering the appeal of Alexander Howat for the reinstatement of him and other expelled Kansas miners.

The official returns showed President Lewis had defeated the Howat supporters by a small majority.

BOY IN PLASTER CAST OPENS SCHOOL FOR PINOCCHIO FANS

BAKER, Ore., Feb. 18.—School for poor pinocchio players—that is the latest. Victor Hart is the faculty. This popular Baker high school boy was placed in a plaster cast, in which he must remain for six months due to spinal trouble. So he announced he'd open the school for those who aren't the expert he is at pinocchio.

PLANS UNDER WAY TO BUILD OTHERS

Comet Petroleum and Charles Terrell Plants Make Dozen Now Operating or Under Construction in Ranger Section.

Two new casinghead plants are in the course of construction in the close vicinity of Ranger and plans have about been completed for the erection of two more, bringing the total number of such plants in operation and under construction here to a dozen or more.

Work started last week on the plant of the Comet Petroleum company on the Brooks' heirs lease, seven miles west of the city, under the direction of Charles Terrell, who is associated with Fort Worth capital in the company. The plant will have capacity of 4,000,000 feet of gas daily, drawn from a number of wells in that section and will be completed within ninety days.

The marketing plans of the company have not been announced.

Two and a half miles southeast of the Comet company's plant, work has already started on the casinghead plant of Clark & Butler, West Virginia operators, located on the Williamson lease. This plant is expected to be completed within the same period and will be somewhat larger.

So far the Chestnut & Smith corporation is leading in the number of plants in operation with three. A fourth plant is being constructed by the company. Other large companies operating plants are the Gulf with one plant and the Magnolia company with two. There are two plants adjacent to Frankell.

BANDIT RING REVEALED WHEN FORT WORTH POLICEMAN WINS BLOODY DUEL WITH HIJACKERS

FORT WORTH, Feb. 18.—Police at noon today were holding seven persons as members of an alleged ring of hijackers, following the killing of one robber, the wounding of another and the wounding of Motorcycle Officer Mitchell last night.

Assistant District Attorney Tolbert was preparing to file charges of highway robbery against six of those arrested, including two women. Joe Laughry, said to be proprietor of a rooming house, was among those arrested. It is declared the rooming house was headquarters of the gang.

Confessions said to have been made by John Cornish Miller, who is in All Saints' hospital seriously wounded in last night's gun battle with the police, and his son, John Miller, now in jail, led to the wholesale arrests. The Millers were in a car with Arthur Bell when Policeman Mitchell stopped it, precipitating a gun fight.

YOUTH IS CAPTURED.

It was found that the driver, said to have been Arthur Ball, was shot through the head by one of the bullets fired by Mitchell and that the second man, giving his name as John Miller, was wounded. A dragnet was later thrown around the railroad yards and a youth said to be Miller's young son, was arrested and jailed. The entire neighborhood was awakened by the firing and many joined the police in the search for the bandits.

GARRETT TO APPEAL VERDICT OF JURY

ARDMORE, Okla., Feb. 18.—Announcement that an appeal would be taken in the case of Buck Garrett, who was found guilty in the district court here this morning on the fifth count in an ouster action and dismissed as sheriff of Carter county, was made Friday by J. B. Champion, chief defense attorney.

Mr. Champion declared Garrett was convicted as a result of his "bigness of heart," explaining that owing to sickness in their families Garrett, after investigation, had permitted certain prisoners serving thirty-day sentences to visit their homes "without awaiting authority from the governor."

Garrett declared he was "pleased" with the result of his trial, adding that "it constitutes a vindication of the efforts of my department in the enforcement of its duties." He announced he would file for re-election at the next Democratic primary.

"BLOODY NINETEENTH" WARD SCORES ANOTHER VICTIM

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—The political feud in Chicago's "bloody nineteenth" ward claimed its fourteenth victim today. Tony Pascoallo was found dead near an alley with his throat cut and a bullet wound through his heart. A razor was found by his side. No trace of the murderers has been found.

JUDGE LANDIS LEAVES BENCH FOR BASEBALL

"Not Enough Hours in Day," He Says in Announcing Resignation.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Federal Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis today announced that he had resigned from the bench and would devote his entire time to his position as baseball commissioner.

Announcement of the resignation was made formally by the judge as he took his place in court this morning.

"There are not enough hours in the day for all my activities," Judge Landis announced. "Therefore I have forwarded my resignation as federal judge to Washington, effective March 1."

The judge then called the first case on the docket and refused to discuss the matter further until court had recessed.

Judge Seventeen Years.

Judge Landis will have virtually completed seventeen years as judge of the northern district of Illinois when his resignation becomes effective. Rumors of his intended resignation have been current for the last month and intimate friends have known for a long while that he would resign.

It is understood that he would have resigned at the time but for the attack of Representative Dial of North Carolina and criticism of his handling of the case of Willis Dalton, 17-year-old bank robber. Judge Landis is quoted by friends as saying then that "he would never resign under fire."

LEAGUE HEAD PLEASED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—President John A. Heydler of the National league expressed gratification today when informed of the resignation of Judge Landis to devote his entire time to the technical control of baseball. "It means everything for baseball," he said.

RICKARD WILL OPEN ST. LOUIS SPORT PALACE

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Tex Rickard, sport promoter, who resigned yesterday as manager of the Madison Square Garden Sporting club after being indicted on a charge of assaulting two small girls, has leased the St. Louis coliseum for a period of twenty-five years and is arranging for the creation there of a modern sporting amphitheatre, similar to the Madison Square Garden in this city.

DENIES COLISEUM WAS LEASED TO TEX RICKARD

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 18.—T. P. Bates, president of the Coliseum company, this afternoon denied that Tex Rickard or anyone else had leased the Coliseum for twenty-five years.

BRECKENRIDGE TO INSTALL GAMEWELL ALARM SYSTEM

BRECKENRIDGE, Feb. 18.—Several shipments of material for use in the installation of a Gamewell automatic fire alarm system have arrived in this city and work of constructing the system will be started in a few days.

Twenty-one signal boxes will be placed in the downtown area, with a central station at the fire hall.

BIRMINGHAM BLOCK HAS FIRE LOSS OF \$250,000

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 18.—Fire which wiped out one-fourth of a city block at Twenty-first street and Fourth avenue, in the heart of the downtown business district, Friday caused a loss of more than \$250,000.

MARSHALL LETS CONTRACT TO PAVE PUBLIC SQUARE

MARSHALL, Texas, Feb. 18.—Coke & Turner of Marshall were awarded the contract Friday afternoon to pave the courthouse square for the sum of \$51,607.50. The square is to be paved with brick on a four-inch concrete foundation.

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WHY SIDEWALKS ARE DIRTY.

There are Rangerites who wonder
why the streets aren't swept these
days, and also why the sidewalks are
so dirty every morning.

For their information, it may be
stated that the sidewalks are dirty
because the streets are swept—but
not sprinkled.

It is common sense to conserve
the water supply until rains replen-
ish it, so possibly sprinkling would
be a waste that can be avoided. How-
ever, that is the cause of the sand
piles on the sidewalks.

The reason is simple, if one will
stay up after midnight to see for
himself. We have a street sweeper,
you know—a contraption of bristles
that exceedingly irritates the dirt,
and causes it to fly about like yellow
jackets pestered by small boys. And
on the principle that all goes up
comes down, it finally settles to rest
again, after the said sweeper has
done its duty and passed on.

So that's the reason the sidewalks
are dirty and the street isn't any
too clean—without water, the dirt is
not heavy enough for all to be swept
into piles.

The moral? There is none.

We are perfectly confident that
Will Hays will be able to pull his
Presbyterianish unscaathed through
the experiences which lie before him,
but more and more we incline to the
opinion that it will be worth \$150,-
000 a year to do it.—Ohio State
Journal.

We regret to report to the govern-
ment, which has charge of our in-
sides, that our liver has been cutting
up high links for several days, and
it may be necessary to put more law
to it.—Houston Post.

Every once in a while we are told
how much we spend on amusements
by some reform gang that spends all
it can to keep us from having any
amusements.—Columbia Record.

The appointment of federal probi-
tion agents will no longer be an-
nounced publicly, and bootleggers
will have to get acquainted with them
in the course of business.—Birming-
ham Age-Herald.

The Bible still heads the list of
best sellers; but even so we wouldn't
offer a great deal for the exclusive
agency for Los Angeles and vicinity.
—Columbus Dispatch.

Among those Kentucky legislators
now struggling with the Darwinian
theory probably as many as two have
read as much as a line of Darwin.—
Nashville Tennessean.

Nature abhors a vacuum so when
she finds one in a human head, she
fills it with words.—Greenville
Piedmont.

\$150,000 IN
GEMS STOLEN
FROM PULLMAN

By United Press.
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 18.—Sidney
Krengel, New York jewelry sales-
man, reported to the police today
that a satchel containing \$150,000
worth of diamonds had been stolen
from his berth on an Illinois Central
train. Krengel said he left Chicago
last night and when he awoke this
morning the gems were missing.
Krengel stated that there were
1,000 diamonds in the wallet—200
large and 800 smaller stones. He
said the wholesale price of the dia-
monds was \$79,899 and the retail
value \$150,000.
Krengel is a partner in Krengel
Bros., diamond importers of New
York. He said he came here to call
on prospective customers.

WASHINGTON JEWELRY
STORE LOSSES DIAMONDS

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Two
negro bandits staged a spectacular
robbery of a jewelry store in the
heart of the business district early to-
day. They threw a brick through a
window of the store, a short distance
from two police stations, seized \$10,-
000 worth of diamonds and escaped
after holding the crowd at bay with
revolvers.

FEWER NICKELS AND
CENTS CIRCULATING
SINCE TAX REPEAL

DALLAS, Feb. 18.—There are fewer
nickels and pennies, too, in the pockets
of those who dwell in the Eleventh
federal reserve district since the first
of the year, but possibly more dimes,
quarters and dollars.
Five million each of the humble
coins, popular in other days, have
found their way into the vaults of the
federal reserve bank of Dallas since
Jan. 1, turned in by banks which could
find no use for them.

It is all because of the repeal of
the "nuisance taxes," which formerly
made it necessary to pay 6 cents for
anything supposed to be worth a
nickle and to send along a nickle with
every quarter or half-dollar.

While the taxes were in force the
supply of pennies and nickels had to
be replenished periodically in 50,000
lots. Since the first of the year there
has been no new demand, and the
nickels and pennies have been coming
home. They are being sent to the
mints for storage until they are needed
again.

The accumulation since the first of
the year is roughly \$50,000 in pen-
nies and \$250,000 in nickels. The
grief, if there is any, over this shrink-
age in the circulating medium is in
the region where copper and nickel is
mined.

READING BUSINESS MEN
GIVE AGE PREFERENCE

READING, Pa., Feb. 18.—Youth
and beauty may be a handicap for
girls in getting jobs, if the following
advertisement, running for a week or
more in a local paper, is any sign:
"Wanted—Female Help—An ex-
perienced bookkeeper; the older the
better. Give age, salary and refer-
ences."

BEGS MONEY FROM DRY
CHIEF, THEN GETS DRUNK

TUCSON, Ariz., Feb. 18.—David
O'Connor, 71 years old, begged a dol-
lar from Federal Prohibition Director
Mike Cassidy and then spent it get-
ting drunk, according to Chief of Po-
lice Dallas S. Ford.

O'Connor was arrested a few days
ago on a charge of begging on the
streets, but was set free by Police
Judge Cowar.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS

By GEORGE BINGHAM



Jefferson Potlocks has been hardly
able to get around for the past few
weeks on account of a tack in his
shoe.

Columbus Allsop says when the
weather turns off suddenly warm in
the winter it seems as if someone had
put three or four extra quilts on the
bed; and then, when it gets sudden-
ly cold, there is a feeling that some-
body has taken off four or five.

Fletcher Hensten, whose health has
been bad for the past few weeks, has
decided he had better join the church.

BRIDE GOES TO WEDDING ON STRETCHER



Scenes of much pathos marked the wedding in London recently of Cap-
tain Cyril Newall, R. A. F., to Mrs. May Dulcie Weddell. The bride, a
handsome woman of 27, was crippled in a riding accident in Italy a year
ago and had to be carried from a West End nursing home to the reg-
ister's office.

TO CELEBRATE
BIRTHDAY OF
PYTHIANISM

The fifty-eighth anniversary of
Pythianism will be celebrated tomor-
row afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Ran-
ger Knights of Pythias with appropri-
ate ceremonies at the Christian taber-
nacle. Representatives of the East-
land, Cisco, Gorman, Thurber and
Strawn lodges will participate in the
ceremonies here.

George W. Steere, Fort Worth at-
torney, will be the principal speaker
on the occasion. Other addresses will
be made by J. W. Heister, chancellor
commander of the Ranger lodge, and
others. Mrs. R. C. McCoy will sing
several selections.
The public is invited.

WINSETT RETURNS FROM
BIG MEETING AT CADDO

"Seven Wonders of the Universe"
will be the subject of a sermon tomor-
row morning at the Christian taber-
nacle by the Rev. J. G. Winsett, who
has just returned from evangelistic
work in Caddo. The minister will go
to Caddo tomorrow afternoon to bat-
tize twelve of ninety-six persons who
announced their desire for church af-
filiation during the two weeks services
conducted by the Rev. Mr. Winsett.
He will return here in time to con-
duct the evening services.

During the co-operative services
in the Presbyterian church at
Caddo thirty-six men who had never
belonged to any church were convert-
ed. All of the ninety-six converted
were adults except three. Thirty-two
are candidates for baptism at this
time.

UNCLE OF E. J. BUNCH
DIES AT SWEETWATER

E. J. Bunch left this morning for
Sweetwater in response to a telegram
received last night, stating that his
uncle who lives at Sweetwater had
died. Cause of his uncle's death is
attributed to heart trouble and old
age. Mr. Bunch is assistant to Mr.
Ernest at the P. O. & G. company.
He will return Monday.

BANKERS PEEVED AT
FARMER HORNING IN

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The eco-
nomic policy committee of the Amer-
ican Bankers' association today pass-
ed a resolution opposing the addition
of a farmer to the federal reserve
board.

BIG REALTY DEALS
CLOSED IN DALLAS

DALLAS, Feb. 18.—Two big real
estate deals were reported here Fri-
day. The Southwestern Life Insur-
ance company purchased an adjoining
building on Main street for \$175,000
and the Elks lodge purchased the
building occupied as the Y. W. C. A.
for a like amount.

DRUG STORE SUEED FOR
SELLING BOY TOBACCO

DALLAS, Feb. 18.—A suit for dam-
ages totaling \$5,000 has been filed by
Albert Strawn against a local drug
store, alleging that the drug store sold
his son, Weldon Strawn, aged 14, to-
bacco, which was injurious to the
child's health. An injunction prevent-
ing drug stores from selling cigars,
cigarettes or tobacco in any form to
children under 18 has been asked.

BURGLAR TAKES CHURCH
FIXTURES IN OAK CLIFF

DALLAS, Feb. 18.—Burglars rob-
bed the First Baptist church of Oak
Cliff, of valuable fixtures, and threw
the hymn books all over the floor,
according to a report filed with the
police today. It is the third church
robbery reported here within the last
thirty days.

FAINT FLICKER
OF OPPOSITION
TO BONUS BILL

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The
first faint flicker of sentiment for a
postponement of the soldier bonus
legislation until early in the sum-
mer appeared in congress today.

It had its inception among con-
gressmen from the Middle West, par-
ticularly the Ohio group. However,
it has not reached the stage, where
it could be called a general move-
ment for a postponement.

SERMON IN COLORS AT
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A sermon in colors will be preach-
ed at the Presbyterian church tomor-
row night by the Rev. A. N. Stub-
blebine, who will take for his sub-
ject "A Wordless Book," with only
colors portraying the scriptures. At
the morning service the minister
will take for his subject "A Look
Into Heaven," from Rev. iii, 1-6.
The musical program will include
a duet, "God Shall Wipe Away All
Tears," by Mrs. R. C. McCoy and
Louis Ducker; "Awake, Awake," by
choir, and a solo, "Evening Prayer,"
by Mrs. McCoy.

SLUSH FUND TO FIGHT
FARM BLOC IS CHARGED

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The sen-
ate farm bloc has made public charges
that there is a plot against the farm
bloc with a \$250,000 war chest behind
it.

Before a subcommittee of the sen-
ate agricultural committee testimony
is to be taken concerning an organ-
ization said to be formed to combat
definite legislation the farm bloc
anvits and to break up the farmers'
co-operative movement.

WHOLE TOWN ROBBED

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 18.—
Robbers made a clean sweep last night
at Stratford, Okla., a town seventy
miles southwest of here, according to
word received by the police depart-
ment here Friday. According to the
message, every business house in the
town and several residences were
broken into.

C. & N. E. PLANS SHOPS

CISCO, Feb. 18.—The Cisco &
Northeastern is planning within a
short time to begin work on a modern
railroad shop building in Cisco. The
date upon which this work will be
started is yet indefinite, but the man-
agement of the road hopes to be able
to start work in the very near future.
The building will be 40x200 feet
and will be constructed of brick. There
will be engine pits, a machine shop,
blacksmith shop, and all the machin-
ery necessary for a modern railway
shop.

DON'T WANT BONOMI

By United Press.
ROME, Feb. 18.—Premier Bonomi
today presented to King Victor Em-
manuel the resignation of his cabi-
net. The chamber yesterday voted
against him 295 to 107 and Bonomi's
cabinet fell for the second time in a
month. No attempt will be made to
form a coalition government, it was
said.

CHARGE IT TO SHERIFF!

NEW PHILADELPHIA, Ohio, Feb.
18.—Louis O. Phillips purchased gro-
ceries worth \$6.95 from a store Sat-
urday and had them charged to Geo.
W. Shonk, sheriff. Mayor E. N.
Fair fined him \$20 and costs on a
charge of fraudulent misrepresenta-
tion.

TARIFF TO BE BASED
ON FOREIGN VALUATIONS

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—
Adoption of the Smoot plan for
the assessing of tariff duties on the
basis of foreign values of im-
ports was practically agreed upon
by the Republican members of the
senate finance committee.
The revision of the ad valorem
rate on this basis started today,
senators said, and since the
original rates are predicated on
American valuations, increases
have been made in many in-
stances.

TEXAS GIRL MAY BE
SLAIN IN MISSISSIPPI

By Associated Press.
JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 18.—Count-
ty authorities investigating the death
of a woman whose mutilated and
burned body was found Tuesday in a
ravine near Dentville, Miss., report
they have found near the body a bunch
of keys on a ring which showed the
name of Ada Dreur, Warsaw, Texas.
Sheriff Ramsay also declared he
had received a telegram from War-
saw asking whether "a Miss Ada
Dreur was with a party of maga-
zine agents in Hazelhurst recently."
A physician who viewed the body
found that the girl had been shot in
the head. The woman is believed to
have been about 23.

CITY AMBULANCE NOT
GOOD ENOUGH FOR NEGRO

DALLAS, Feb. 18.—A negro, seri-
ously ill here Friday refused to ride
in a common "city ambulance." He
stated that he had been paying lodge
dues and that he was going to make
his brother lodgemen see that he got
a ride in a first-class ambulance. His
request was granted—as far as the
city ambulance was concerned.

JESS HASSELL TO GO
ON TRIAL MONDAY

DALLAS, Feb. 18.—Jess Hassell,
former baseball magnate, will face a
new trial here Monday, it was an-
nounced here today. Hassell was re-
cently found guilty of aggravated as-
sault with a motor vehicle and sen-
tenced to two years in the county jail
besides having a fine of \$1,000 im-
posed. He was granted a new trial.

NEGRO IS KILLED BY
MOB OF HIS OWN RACE

By Associated Press.
VALDOSTA, Ga., Feb. 18.—John
Glover, a negro, was shot and killed
by a mob of his own race Friday at
Indianola, seven miles east of here,
after he had shot up a negro school-
house, killing a little girl and fatally
wounding a boy.

THE WEATHER.

West Texas—Tonight and Sun-
day, generally fair.

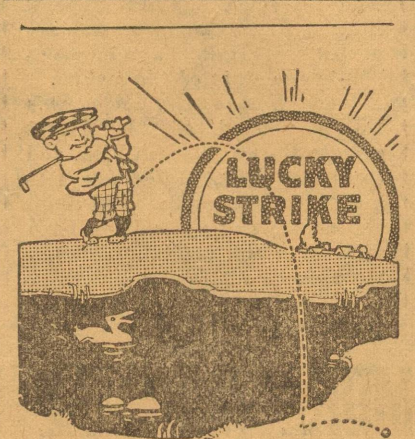
BRITISH OFFICIAL WOUNDED
BY EGYPTIAN NATIONALIST

By Associated Press.
CAIRO, Feb. 18.—An attempt was
made today to murder G. Alfred
Brown, head of the Egyptian min-
istry of education, who was wounded
by a revolver bullet.

FIRE AT K. C. STOCKYARD.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 18.—Fire to-
day in the sheds and chutes of the old
Kansas City stockyards did damage
estimated at between \$25,000 and
\$45,000. Five hundred sheep and 100
hogs were killed, and several hundred
tons of hay and feed were destroyed.
Authorities are investigating why
water in the nearby mains was found
to be turned off.

A school for automobile design has
been established in Italy.



You've done it your-
self—sometimes.

Over the pond with
your iron, and to the
green! A lucky strike
for you.

LUCKY
STRIKE!

When we discovered the
toasting process six years
ago, it was a Lucky Strike
for us.

Why? Because now
millions of smokers prefer
the special flavor of the
Lucky Strike Cigarette—
because

It's Toasted*

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delicious Burley flavor
And also because it's
Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.

C. H. DUNLAP
Watchmaker and Jeweler
306 Main St.

COLLINS REPUTATED
BY IRISH SOLDIERS

LIMERICK, Ireland, Feb. 18.—A
proclamation was issued today by the
Mid-Limerick brigade of the Irish
Republican army, repudiating the
head of the provisional government.

POSITIONS THAT PAY WELL,
AND ARE ALWAYS TO BE HAD

The perfecting of typesetting key-
boards has brought new and unusual
opportunities in the printing business.
The business that gives development
to great minds.
Positions of this kind always have
paid well and perhaps always will,
and doubtless they will always be
plentiful, because the printing busi-
ness expands as civilization develops.
Anybody who could learn to operate
a typewriter can learn to operate a
typesetting machine. If you want to
learn how to do the work of a mono-
type machinist; if you want to learn
to do the work of an intertype or a
linotype machinist; if you want to
learn to operate any of these ma-
chines; if you want to learn the work
of the business office—if you want to
get into a work that will always pay
you well, and if you can spare three
to four months for preparation, write
for Prospectus to American Publish-
ers' and Southern Publishers' TYPE-
SETTING DEPARTMENT of the
GEORGIA-ALABAMA BUSINESS
COLLEGE, Macon, Ga.—Adv.

Southland Hotel
UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT
32 Large Desirable Rooms
Special Rates by Week or Month
Phone 12
Marion E. Shaffstall, Manager.

"POPULAR FOR GENERATIONS"
PLANTEN'S
C & C OR BLACK
CAPSULES
A Preparation of
COMPOUND COPAIBA AND CUBEBS
—AT YOUR DRUGGIST—
Ask for BY NAME ONLY, avoid Substitution.

Cuticura Promotes Good Hair

Treatment: At night rub Cuticura Ointment into partings all over the scalp. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Repeat in two weeks.

Sample Book Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 886, Malden 28, Mass." Sold every-where. Some use Cuticura Ointment, Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Shaves without mug.

The convenience of a

Checking Account

Every progressive business man and up-to-date housewife pays his or her obligations by Check.

A check serves as a receipt and as a record of the transaction.

It will be to your advantage and convenience to start a Check-
ing account with us.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
RATES AND REGULATIONSin the
DAILY TIMES

Ranger, Texas

O—LODGES

NOTICE—On Sunday, Feb. 19, 1922, at 3 p. m., at the Christian church tabernacle on Main st., the Knights of Pythias will celebrate their fifty-eighth anniversary, with a program of songs and speeches. Judge George W. Steere of Fort Worth will deliver the address and Mrs. McCoy of Ranger will sing. A cordial invitation extended to the public.

J. B. HEISTER, C. C.
GEO. H. PILLING, K. R. & S.

3—FEMALE HELP

COLORED MAID WANTED—Apply 701 Morston, Burger addition.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED

EXPERIENCED grocery clerk wants position. Best of references; address Box "E," care Times.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

DOES YOUR ROOF LEAK? See Holloway and get a guaranteed job.

PIANO TUNING—O. L. Swallow of Fort Worth; thirty years' experience; leave orders Davis Jewelry store.

MEN'S SEWED SOLES \$1.00—And free postage to Majestic. Shop near postoffice.

FENCING, screen porches, alterations; estimates cheerfully given. Claud Bolen, Buell Lumber Co.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

CLOSE IN—2 housekeeping rooms; gas, water, lights; opposite laundry. 318 Cypress st.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

TWO-ROOM furnished house; close in. 506 Mesquite.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Good family milk cow with young calf. T. R. Morgan, 918 Desdemona Blvd.

FOR SALE—Good oil field team, wagon and harness, sell cheap; can be seen at Jones farm, Eastland Hill.

FOR SALE—One pair sorrel horses; one Naint wagon. Box 1047, Ranger.

TYPEWRITERS—Woodstock and Fox; cash or terms; ask for demonstration. Bring your repair work here and keep home money at home; all work guaranteed. The "FIXIT" Shop, 206 Pine st.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—3-room house and corner lot, price \$450; 3-room house and lot and furniture, price \$500. Texas Exchange, Corner Rusk and Pine.

FOR SALE—Three-room house, partly furnished; garage and fenced-in back yard; \$100. 581 So. Hodges st.

16—AUTOMOBILES

JUST STARTED—A first class radiator and vulcanizing and auto repair garage. I guarantee to stop your Ford from pumping oil. Prices reasonable. Washing crank case and towing in city limits free. Outside city, 50c per mile. I have been Humble sales department mechanic for Ranger and Breckenridge for past year. R. A. Greene, corner Hunt and Oak St.

HAYNES 7-pass.; just repainted, new top; cheap at \$500; cash or terms. Leveille-Maher Motor Co., phone 217, Main and Hodges st.

CHALMERS—Good condition, \$300. Leveille-Maher Motor Co., phone 217, Main and Hodges st.

CADILLAC—7-pass., bargain at \$1,100; cash or terms; just repainted. Leveille-Maher Motor Co., phone 217, Main and Hodges st.

FORDS—All kinds, \$45.00 and up; cash or terms. Leveille-Maher Motor Co., phone 217, Main and Hodges st.

AUTO TOPS, cushions, side curtains and seat covers built and repaired. Rhodes Bros., second door from Western Union office.

VULCANIZING

Tires and tubes—all sizes. Fabric tires at \$1 per inch. Tubes with nail hole, 25c. Tube blowouts, 50c and up. HUB CITY GARAGE
Pine and Rusk Phone 55

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

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

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED TO BUY—Three-phase three horsepower motor. Compton's Hand Laundry. Phone 6.

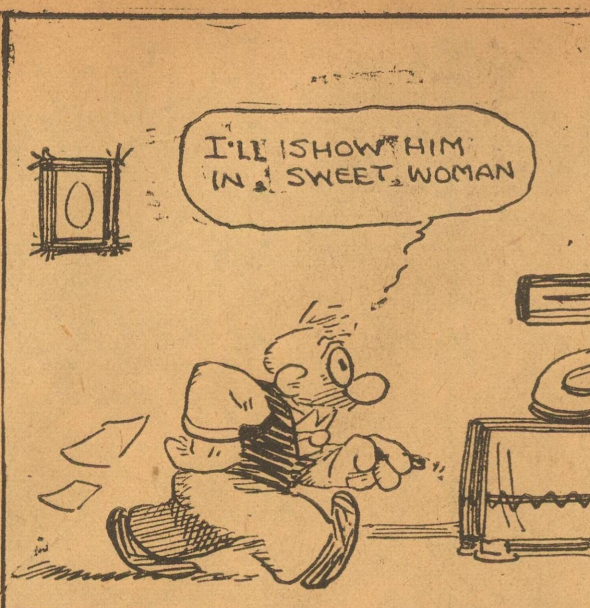
Wanted—Second-hand furniture. Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk street. Phone 154.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE—Two peacocks; J. R. Wood lease, Eastland Hill or Box 1407.

FOR SALE—Five trail-bound pigs; 6 weeks old; best stock in Texas. Call 605 Cherry st.

Barney Has a Scheme for Economizing



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PROGRAM

LIBERTY—Fred Stone in "Billy Jim," and Harold Lloyd in "Bliss," also Ruth Roland in "White Eagle."

MAJESTIC—Rose Time Co. vaudeville, featuring Jimmie Lee, with twenty people (mostly girls); picture, Hoot Gibson in "Headin' West."

TEMPLE—"Moran of the Lady Letty."

CAWN BREAD
IS NEW FOOD IN
VOLGA REGION

By Associated Press.

SAMARA, Feb. 18.—It will be a new experience for the peasants of the Volga area to be corn-fed when the famine supplies from America arrive there. While Indian corn has been generally used for bread and cassia in the Ukraine, which is as much of a corn country as Indiana or Iowa, the Volga area has confined its cultivation chiefly to small grain. It has short seasons and less precipitation than ideal corn country. So the peasants know little about cornmeal and the art of making corn bread, hominy and cornmeal mush.

Cooking School Necessary. When it became known that the American relief administration would send large quantities of corn through the Black sea for the immediate relief of the famine, Soviet officials in the Moscow food administration wired to all officials along the Volga urging them to be prepared to instruct the peasants in the use of the strange grain.

Plans were made to rush it immediately to Rostoff-on-Don and thence to famine relief central stations in the Southern Volga area and into the hands of peasants without any effort at milling. The Volga country is full of wind-driven mills which can probably be adjusted so as to grind the corn. Or in case the peasants cannot get it ground in mills, the Soviet officials say the Russians are so accustomed to pounding up grain in mortars that they will manage somehow to crack it sufficiently so that it can be boiled into a coarse mush.

Russians are fond of cassia, or mush, which is made of millet, buckwheat and other coarse grain.

BEEHIVES USED FOR
SMUGGLING ARMS TO
JEWS IN PALESTINE

HAIFA, Palestine, Feb. 18.—Accidental discovery of a consignment of several thousand automatic pistols and 25,000 rounds of ammunition, which were being smuggled into Palestine in boxes supposed to contain beehives, has aroused much comment and tended to revive the bitter feelings between the Arabs and Jews.

Sir Herbert Samuel, the high commissioner, had exempted beehives from customs duty in order to develop Palestine's industry.

Ninety-six boxes supposed to contain beehives were being unloaded at Haifa when one of them was broken revealing weapons and ammunition. The whole consignment, which had been addressed to Jews, was seized. The head of the Jewish Co-operative Workmen's association at Haifa and a noted Jewish lawyer at Jaffa were arrested and charged with being implicated in the affair.

The Zionist leaders have disavowed all responsibility and condemned the incident. The native press has warned the people to be on guard, asserting that probably this contraband business has been going on for some time and that very likely great quantities of arms and ammunition have been brought in in this way.

FIRE RATES CUT.

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Feb. 18.—On account of a good fire record, Fort Worth has been credited with 6 per cent on fire insurance policies written there. Austin was allowed the maximum credit of 15 per cent and Niles City, a suburb of Fort Worth, also was allowed the maximum.

Strawn was allowed 12 per cent a few days ago.

SEARCH MADE
FOR MISSING
DALHART BOY

DALLAS, Feb. 18.—Has Everett Henderson, 18, son of W. E. Henderson of Dalhart, Texas, been murdered since he came here to attend the Bryan High school in January?

That is what the Dallas police are trying to find out. Young Henderson apparently has disappeared from the face of the earth.

Henderson arrived here Jan. 19 and wrote his father. Since that time he has not been heard from, as far as known here. The elder Henderson today asked the detectives to locate his son. He gave a place where he said he had obtained rooms. The detectives declare that the boy had not been assigned rooms at that place; that he is not at school, and that nothing can be learned of him.

A search of the hospitals and the undertaking establishments has been made without results. Henderson has been advised of these facts, and is expected to come here for further investigations.

It was understood young Henderson had considerable funds when he reached Dallas.

ARABS IN TRIPOLI
BATTLE ITALIANS

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Italian forces fighting rebels at Misrata, Tripoli, have lost twenty-five killed and 100 wounded, says a Central News dispatch from Rome today.

Another dispatch quotes a semi-official statement as saying the enemy losses were heavy.

This dispatch adds that Arabs attempted to tamper with the railway lines between Tripoli, Azizia and Misrata. The garrison made a sortie, but the rebels resisted. The Italian government regards the trouble as an isolated demonstration.

Croatian troops attempted to capture Fiume at midnight last night, but were repulsed, said another dispatch from Rome today.

FIRE AT QUITMAN.

By Associated Press.

QUITMAN, Texas, Feb. 18.—Fire of undetermined origin early today destroyed four brick buildings here, including the F. & M. bank. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

HUBBY ANGRY AT WIFE'S
PHOTO ON CALENDAR

Mrs. J. M. Fine

Life was going along very smoothly for L. M. Fine of Chicago, and his married life was bliss and roses until one day he was confronted with the photograph of his wife on one of his office calendars. That was not enough. He saw the picture again and again smiling at him from soap wrappers, catsup bottles, cigar boxes, street car cards and the like until, well, his language could only be translated into dashes.

CARUSO'S BABY TO CHOOSE OWN CAREER



Little Gloria Caruso, daughter of the world-famous tenor who died recently, already shows an inclination to music. Mrs. Caruso says she will exert no influence to choose a career for her daughter, but will allow Gloria—that is, when she is old enough—to make her own selection.

Yields Freedom for Modesty When
Girl Pulls Away Trouser Support

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Miss Marguerite Daly of Edgewater, N. J., a tall, slender, athletic young woman, cashier in a restaurant, decided, while walking through Fourteenth street near Broadway this morning, to have her fortune told.

In front of her was a machine wherein one may drop a penny in a slot and receive a piece of pasteboard upon which is printed "the man you will marry will have gray eyes and curly black hair and be kind and true, and he will have money."

This desire of Miss Daly to have her fortune told started things on Fourteenth street right then. She reached into her coat pocket for a purse and, instead, found the hand of a man. She grabbed the hand and swung around. The man wrenched loose and Miss Daly grabbed the belt that is used to hold up the trousers of the male of the species.

The man gave a tug and the belt gave way. Leaving it in Miss Daly's hands, the man bolted while she screamed. He tossed the pocketbook away, which she recovered, and, with both hands holding up his trousers, started on the run for safety.

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Public Accountant, Auditor and Systematizer
Income Tax Specialist
Phone 356

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WM. N. McDONALD
Sanitary Plumbing, Gas Fitting and Heating
Job Work a Specialty
Display of Heaters and Enamelware
Telephone No. 344—203 N. Austin St.

HOSPITALS

RANGER GENERAL HOSPITAL
Mrs. Alice L. Dailey, Supt.
Open to all reputable physicians. Graduate nurses supplied for outside cases.
Telephone 190

CLINICAL HOSPITAL
Miss Elizabeth Wilhelm, Supt.
Open to All Physicians
Graduate Nurses Furnished for Outside Cases
Phone 373 Guaranty Bank Bldg.

CHARGES DROPPED
AGAINST ENGINEER
IN COSTLY WRECK

VALPARAISO, Ind., Feb. 18.—Charges of manslaughter against William S. Long of Jackson, Mich., and George F. Block, of Michigan City, Ind., engineer and fireman respectively, on the Michigan Central train which collided with a New York Central train at Porter, Ind., last February, causing the death of thirty-seven persons, were dismissed in circuit court here on the motion of J. S. Bartholomew, prosecutor.

Mr. Bartholomew said he had made repeated, but unsuccessful, attempts to obtain the presence of three witnesses who reside in Michigan, and upon whose testimony he relied to obtain conviction of the engineers.

U. S. Lesh, attorney-general of Indiana, had advised that the witnesses forcibly could not be brought into the state, the prosecutor said. The witnesses were railroad employees who were near the scene of the wreck, the prosecutor explained.

Long and Block were indicted upon testimony presented at the coroner's inquest to the effect that signals were set against the train they were operating.

MAN CAN'T PAY FINE;
JUDGE TAKES MORTGAGE

URBANA, Ohio, Feb. 18.—Unable to meet the fine of \$100 and costs imposed upon him by Mayor Robert H. Henderson for violation of the prohibition law, George Willert was driven to the novel expedient of giving his note for that amount.

To obtain it he gave the magistrate a chattel mortgage upon his horse and wagon.

When the paper was handed over the mayor permitted the defendant to go free, and begun hustling for the money.

Gasoline sleighs are replacing dog sleds in Alaska.

How Many Girls
Leave Home Every
Year?

Do You Know

"WHY GIRLS
LEAVE HOME?"

MAJESTIC

AFTERNOON AND NIGHT

Rose Time Co.

Featuring

JIMMIE LEE
COMEDIAN20 PEOPLE—MOSTLY GIRLS
Program Changed Daily

PICTURE FOR TODAY

HOOT GIBSON

—in—

"HEADIN' WEST"

NEWS AND COMEDY

NEW PRICES: Adults, 55c; Balcony, 35c; Children, 10c

A TALE AS SALT AS THE SEA!

JESSE LARRY A George Melford PRODUCTION

"Moran of the
Lady Letty"DOROTHY
DALTON

and

RUDOLPH
VALENTINO

—It's a long, long way
from a grand society
ball to mutiny aboard
a pirate hell-ship.



Also: "WINNERS OF THE WEST" No. 1

Tomorrow
MARY PICKFORD in
"LITTLE LORD
FAUNTLEROY"

TEMPLE
TODAY ONLY

Sport

TWO DETROIT STARS ON LIST OF HOLDOUTS

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 18.—Harry Heilmann, outfielder, and Hubert (Hub) Leonard, pitcher, have refused to sign contracts calling for \$10,000 and \$9,000, respectively, and the Detroit club has declined to meet their request for \$15,000 each for the coming season. Frank J. Navin, president of the Tigers, announces. Heilmann retained his contract which called for an advance of \$2,500 over the salary he received last the coming season, Frank J. Navin, but wrote a letter asking for the additional \$5,000. Leonard, he said, returned his contract in which the figures were the same as last year.

THE GOOD OLD DAYS

"Well," ruminated Bill Holloway, the pessimistic plumbler as he dropped in to inquire the status of the overdue bill for the flushing system. "I see where an Evangelist justice of the peace puts out a list of ten don'ts for Northwestern students. The tenth in the decalogue is 'Don't be a rowdy in an ice cream parlor.'"

"Gosh! How times have changed. Ten years back, can you imagine even a college faculty telling its young men not to cut high jinks in one of them parfait palaces? They used to put their foot on the rail then where the signs read, 'No minors, students or habitual drunkards allowed.' The guy behind the bar that was wiping the glass with his hand looked 'em in the eye and unless there was a bird in the offering that might be a deputy sheriff, there wasn't a minor or a student in the joint. Some of them looked like their wet nurse ought to be around the corner and even then fool freshmen caps, used to pass muster. And I don't guess there's an ex-bartender in the world that ever saw a habitual drunkard. It used to rile the customers though that had been around getting soda floats and different highballs, when the boy in the apron saw somebody suspicious and would not serve them."

"Why not?" Young innocence used to bluster. "You've been doing it?"

"You're a liar," responds the White Apron. "I ain't never served ye. Ye look like a minor and maybe you had ought to be a student. And if Young Innocence had any sense, that ended it for the time being."

"Along o' twelve at night—them was the days—they used to get rough. The college idea thinks it is chosen by God or somebody to bust mirrors. Many's the one I've helped turn out of the Crystal Front."

"And now they tell 'em not to be rowdy in ice cream parlors. What's the world coming to?"—Bill Ruggles in Dallas News.

BODIE BARRED.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Frank (Ping) Bodie, outfielder, was denied reinstatement in organized baseball in a decision handed down by Judge K. M. Landis today. Bodie was on the ineligible list of the Boston American league club for failure and refusal to report after being traded to the Red Sox by the New York Yankees in July, 1921.

INJUNCTION ISSUED AGAINST ANTI-DOMINO ORDINANCE

WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 18.—Judge Ed Napier of the Seventy-eighth district court here Friday granted a permanent injunction restraining the city of Burkhardt from enforcing a new ordinance in that city regulating the operation of domino parlors. Part of the regulation provided that owners were to make no charges for playing. Judge Napier, in his decision, held that this provision legislated the domino parlors out of business and therefore was a violation of property rights.

NEGOTIATIONS REPORTED BETWEEN I. & G. N. AND FRISCO

PALESTINE, Texas, Feb. 18.—There are persistent rumors here that the Fort Worth branch of the International & Great Northern railroad will be taken over by the Frisco system and the balance of its properties will go to the Missouri Pacific. Several Frisco officials have been here, but nothing authentic can be ascertained.

WOMAN BOUND; GOLD TAKEN FROM BAG TIED AT KNEE

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Two bandits bound and gagged Mrs. Antonia Melenchuk in her home in the Bronx Friday and took \$795 in gold from a bag tied at her knee.

AT THE HOTELS

GHOLSON.

C. J. Reid, Dallas; L. Wilson, Cisco; W. B. Jones, Abilene; P. E. Wade, Fort Worth; C. B. Crotsenburg, Dallas; P. Abrahamson, New York City; H. C. Cropper, Fort Worth; James Filkins, Independence, Kan.; Gaford Tobin, Independence, Kan.; J. Lord, Fort Worth; John Baham, Fort Worth; J. H. Keith, Coffeyville, Kan.; C. L. Fox, Marian, Ind.; H. C. Newby, Ranger; V. E. Furek, Austin; Geo. H. Wright, Fort Worth; D. C. Castle, Abilene; M. F. Clements, Abilene; John Tullock, Sherman.

MAID TORTURED BY DOCTOR AND SONS, SHE SAYS

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Prison terms await Dr. George V. Lipschulch and his sons, Jehill and Caesar, convicted of torturing a young negro maid servant in an attempt to force her to admit the theft of some missing jewels.

The girl, Mamie McGary, was engaged for one day as laundress in the Lipschulch home. While she was there the jewelry was missed and the doctor and his sons immediately accused her. She says they stripped her of her clothing, tied her in a chair, threw hot ashes on her breast, poked a revolver barrel down her throat and clipped her tongue with scissors.

These methods failing, she charges, they dragged an articulated skeleton from a closet and rattled its bones, saying:

"This is what's left of another girl who stole from us." She says the doctor fired his revolver into the ceiling and the boys burned her flesh with lighted cigarettes.

The defense was unable to shake her story in any particular. The doctor and his sons are charged with assault to commit murder, and the maximum penalty which the state is demanding is fourteen years in the penitentiary.

FRENCH STILL HOPE FOR END OF U. S. DROUTH

PARIS, Feb. 18.—A National Week for Wine, is the title which has been given to a convention of representatives of wine growers and sales agents that will sit in Paris under the presidency of Former Minister of Agriculture, J. H. Ricard, from March 13 to 19.

The closing of the United States markets has caused a tremendous injury to the wine trade in France. The fact that the Scandinavian states have also gone dry or on rations of intoxicants and South American vineyards are daily becoming larger and more productive thus restricting imports to the lowest ebb in years, has awakened the French wine growers to their danger.

Wine stocks have accumulated although there has been no decrease in the price of wine to the trade consumer.

One of the most important articles on the agenda of the convention is the following: "Investigate and report on the sale of wine in the United States; how public opinion in the United States is disposed toward the present dry regime; is there any reason to suppose that some modification will be adopted allowing wines to enter. What are the frauds in existence by which the present law is being evaded."

Another article reads: "Establishing closer relations between American wine buyers and French wine-selling agents in order to insure the authenticity of French wine and avoid falsification. Collaborate in attempt revert to former international agreements and internal legislation in the United States."

BURNS RIVAL'S HOME.

DALLAS, Feb. 18.—Jealousy is said to have been given as the reason for a fire here last night which destroyed a servant's house in the rear of a prominent Dallasite's home. Elsie McJunkin, negress, told the police that she set fire to a rag and then threw it on the bed of Bessie Johnson's home, because the Johnson woman loved the same man she did. Charges have been filed against Elsie.

CURED OF DESIRE TO BE FEMALE CRUSOE



A year on a lonely South Sea Island, a thousand miles from the nearest inhabited land, with coconuts and copra for breakfast, dinner and supper, has cured Mrs. William Meng of wanting to be a female Robinson Crusoe. Together with her husband and a Hawaiian boy, she went to the island to establish a trading company. Business was bad, and they went bankrupt. A heavy boat came to their rescue. "Never again!" says Mrs. Meng.

OIL

DEEP PAY STRUCK IN SHACKELFORD COUNTY

BRECKENRIDGE, Feb. 18.—Much interest in oil circles was aroused in this territory late Thursday when it was learned that a new well in the edge of Shackelford county, west of here, had come in with a big flow.

The initial gauge showed fifty-eight barrels per hour and it is estimated that the well is making 700 barrels.

It is the Lynch No. 1 of the Ithex Oil company and the depth is 3,594 feet. The drill went 138 feet in the lime and five in the pay. The near-shallow production to this well is the shallow test on the Poindexter ranch, which is 2,100 feet deep.

The Humble company has announced two new locations in this immediate territory and it is expected that many more will be announced within a few days.

OIL UNDER POOR FARM IS ENRICHING COUNTY

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 18.—The only "rich" poor farm known to exist in this part of the country is the Sapulpa institution for the poverty-stricken near Bristow, Okla., on which section a second oil well, reported to be producing 700 barrels daily, has just been drilled. The first well, which was drilled in some time ago, is making more than 1,000 barrels daily, county officials say.

This combined production has an estimated daily value of \$8,500, the officials added, one-eighth of which is paid to the county as royalty.

SMALL SHALLOW WELL DRILLED NEAR BALLINGER

BALLINGER, Feb. 18.—A twenty-five barrel oil flow was struck in Russell No. 4 at a depth of 1,795 feet, fifteen miles east of here Thursday night, and drilling was suspended after going through seventeen feet of sand. The first showing of oil was struck in the Russell No. 1 at 1,820 feet and the well went over the top at 2,275 feet, when it was drilled in 1918, and has been producing both oil and gas for four years.

The first showing in No. 4 is declared better than No. 1 has ever made and drilling will be resumed and continued to the depth of No. 1, if the present flow does not increase.

Many oil men are arriving here and there is much activity in trading. The Russell Production company has taken its acreage off the market.

SHADOW OF FAMINE REACHES FAR CORNERS OF RUSSIAN EMPIRE

BERLIN, Feb. 18.—The Russian famine has spread over such vast areas that it has been impossible to gain a complete survey of the extent of the devastated regions.

It has been learned that the Crimean peninsula also is within the famine's grasp, the Tartar element in particular being exposed to great suffering. Sixty per cent of next year's seed corn has been eaten up by peasants.

The supply of horses has been reduced by 80 per cent; that of cattle by 50 per cent, while the hog market is depleted. Mortality among the children has reached 30 per cent and on the southern coast of the peninsula children are wandering in forests, subsisting on grass and roots.

It is estimated that 370,000 persons of the urban population are starving with another 240,000 in the provinces. The Crimean government has asked the Moscow government for 4,000,000,000 rubles to buy foodstuffs in the United States.

"Thank-you-mams" have been suggested for highways in New York state as a scheme to prevent violations of the automobile speed laws.



PRINCESS MARY AND FIANCEE AT HUNT—Princess Mary, daughter of King George and Queen Mary, of England, and her fiancée, Lord Lascelles, starting off at the Hunts Meet of the West Norfolk Hounds, on Boxing Day.

BASEBALL MOGULS BLAMED FOR PLAYERS' EXORBITANT DEMANDS

(Otto Floto in Denver Post.)

Most baseball magnates are yelping about the exorbitant demands made upon them by their players for the coming season. All of which may be true, but stop and think a moment—are not the magnates themselves to blame for the existing conditions? There isn't a doubt in our mind concerning this. When they'll go out into the "ivory market" and pay \$75,000 for a youngster and admit the youngster isn't even ripe yet by allowing him to remain another year in the bushes and then hand this high-priced youngster a contract for, say \$2,500 for the season, it looks as if the magnate hasn't a foot to stand on in making his protests and complaints about the huge salary demands of the players. A \$75,000 player is at any rate worth 10 per cent of the sum his sale brings and if he isn't worth that price then he isn't worth the \$75,000 paid for his release to the majors. As Hiram Grundy would say: "It's a gosh-darn bad rule that don't work both ways."

Ruth's Demands Not Too High.

Next we come to the case of Ruth, the home run king. The famous Bambino asks the modest sum of \$60,000 for the season. The Yankees feel they cannot pay that amount or at any rate seem to think so in spite of the million-dollar profit of last year. So the "Two Colonels" who own the Yanks struck upon the idea that the other seven clubs of the American league contribute \$5,000 each towards Ruth's pay envelope, advancing the idea that Ruth draws three times that amount on the grounds as he makes the rounds with the Yanks. This would leave the colonels to pay \$35,000 towards Ruth's stipend. We have it from a pretty authentic source the Yankees received \$265,000 on the circuit last season and drew a million and a half fans at home. Ruth was responsible for a third of this attendance, hence his salary demand is not amiss. Provided, of course, he still can make good with the willow.

Part of Sale Price.

There's Joe Dugan of the Athletics.

POLITICAL Announcements

The Times is authorized to make the following announcements:

County Clerk—
E. E. (ED) LAYTON.
EARL BENDER (re-election.)

County Superintendent—
C. E. SIMS.

County Treasurer—
T. M. TOOMBS.

Sheriff—
J. D. (DUG) BARTON.

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POLITICS IN INDIANA NOT SO VERY TAME

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 18.—Mayor Lew Shank wrote a letter this afternoon to Philip Zoercher, member of the state board, in reply to statements said to have been made by Zoercher at meetings of taxpayers regarding a proposed bond issue for a new police station, asserting that Zoercher was "not running the city, and as far as I am concerned, you will not run it, now or ever."

Zoercher, at a meeting of taxpayers in Warren Township, is said to have referred to the recent demonstration against the public service commission led to the state house by Mayor Shank.

"Last summer both your candidates for mayor said they favored reduction of taxes," Zoercher is reported to have declared. "Now your mayor is talking of building a new police station. When a bond issue is approved for this expenditure, let's see ten of you good taxpayers sign a petition protecting against it, and see what the state tax board will do with it. He (Mayor Shank) may lead a parade on the state house, but he'll not get far with the state tax board."

This was the letter Shank sent to Zoercher:

"Dear Sir—Read in the papers the other day the remarks you made

about my making improvements in Indianapolis. I want to say here, you big stiff, I don't care whether there is anything done in Indianapolis, but you are not running the city, and as far as I am concerned, you will not run it, now or ever. Please answer.

"Yours truly Lew Shank, Mayor."

"P. S.—I don't believe you could be elected dog pelter if there was such an office in Indiana. I understand you are from Salem, and you had better go back. In my opinion, if you would cut off your whiskers, you wouldn't have dyspepsia so bad."

HOTEL FAMOUS IN STORY IS RAIDED

HOMER, N. Y., Feb. 18.—The David Harum hotel here, where the original of the character in the famous novel made many of his "hoss" trades, has been raided by Izzy Einstein and Moe Smith, federal prohibition agents, with headquarters in New York city, who have gained much newspaper attention by their disguises. Posing as cigar salesmen, they struck up a friendship with the hotel keeper and were shown around the place. And then, on the door to a rear room, Izzy says he spied a sign, "Quarantine." He and Moe say they were told not to go in because there was a patient with influenza inside, but in they went, nevertheless, and found liquor. The proprietor was arrested.

Java women are being taught Occidental theories of equality with men.

Special fans are used in China for the three seasons, spring, summer and autumn.

TO THE PEOPLE OF RANGER

There is a division among Ranger merchants as to the time that stores shall close in the evening. Some desire to close at 6 o'clock, which is the standard closing hour in all the larger towns. Some would compromise on 7 o'clock, while still others would keep their doors open as long as they are willing to stay themselves or can force their clerks to stay.

In staying open, of course, merchants are actuated by two motives—the making of as many sales and as much profit as possible for themselves, and the belief that a service is being rendered to the community. Neither motive is one to be condemned. The only question is: IS EITHER PURPOSE SERVED BY KEEPING OPEN AT NIGHT?

I, myself, as a believer in 6 o'clock closing, do not think so, and in a series of articles that will appear in the Times from day to day, will endeavor to convince you and the merchants who disagree with me, that my reasoning is correct. If I convince you, Mr. Consumer and Mrs. Consumer, will you help me to convince those who believe in late closing hours that they are wrong?

Otherwise, the effort to close Ranger stores at a reasonable and proper hour will meet with failure. For if one man insists on remaining open, the others must, in self-defense. In this series of articles, I will deal with the subject from various viewpoints, along the following lines:

1. Justice to employees.
2. Benefits to civil life and to other lines of business.
3. Benefits to employers and customers through employees having sufficient hours for rest and recreation.
4. Uselessness for business reasons.
5. Expense which must be added to selling prices.
6. No service is rendered to the community.

Watch what I have to say tomorrow

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