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WILL INVESTIGATE TAX AND PROHIBITION UNITS

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—The special Senate committee investigating the Internal Revenue Department expected to begin an inquiry into the prohibition unit as well as the administration of the tax law, when the hearings are resumed on November 18th.

PIPE LINE MAY SPLIT RUNNELS

The survey was started this week for the right-of-way for a pipe line to furnish an outlet for the oil produced in the Big Lake field. The surveying began at San Angelo and extended west towards Big Lake. E. W. Marland, of Ponca City, Oklahoma, president of the group of Marland oil companies, accompanied by his associates, visited the Reagan county field, and declared the outlook for development of one of the biggest fields in Texas to be most promising. The party, traveling in a special Pullman, passed through Ballinger Friday, en route home from a week's tour of the new oil field. In an interview with the San Angelo Standard, Mr. Marland said, "It's a great oil country out there, and we will get ready right away to take some oil out of it. In all my years in the oil business I've never seen a better looking situation than the Texas and Big Lake companies have in Reagan county." Mr. Marland said that the Big Lake field was not the only field West Texas would have. He predicted wider development here. The pipe line for which the survey was started Friday will split Runnels county about half, if the line is run on an air line from Big Lake to Pioneer, the nearest connecting pipe line point. The pipe line is to cost \$1,500,000 or \$2,000,000. Runnels county will be placed on the pipe line, and should be the means of encouraging further development here.

ANOTHER DEATH FROM CIDER

(By Associated Press) LYNCHBURG, West Virginia, Nov. 15.—W. C. Baker, a retired railroad man of Auburn, New York, died last night from the effects of poisoned cider which was served last Monday to the aged residents of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at their national home at Bedford, near here. This brings the death list of those who died from the poisoned cider up to eleven.

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TRAIN WRECK KILLS FOUR

(By Associated Press) WABASH, Florida, Nov. 15.—Four persons are dead today and eighteen others are injured, two of them seriously, as the result of a rear coach on the Florida East Coast Railway being derailed here last night. The statement was issued by officials of the road, who are today investigating the cause of the wreck. The dead are: Mrs. A. Laney, aged 30, of Detroit; Miss Lizzie Foxton, of Alpena, Mich.; Miss Ruby Stone, of Northfield, Vermont; and an unidentified baby believed to be the child of Mrs. Laney.

RETURNS THIEF AND STOLEN CAR

Sheriff Flynt went to Winters Friday afternoon where he met Deputy Sheriff Hightower, who was en route home from Tulsa, Oklahoma, where he went to get C. E. Baker, wanted here for car theft, and to return the stolen car to the owner here. Sheriff Flynt arranged to go after the thief and car about a week ago, and was at the depot ready to catch the train, when he received a phone message calling on him to work up another case, and he sent his deputy after the car and thief. J. R. Maeken, from whom the car was stolen here on the last day of the Runnels County Fair, identified the car. It had already been identified by a description when Baker was arrested for the theft. Baker, a young man with neat appearance, declared that he purchased the auto from a stranger in Abilene about the 18th of October. He says that he does not know where the man from whom he purchased the car is. Baker says that he was not in Ballinger when the car was stolen here, and when asked where he lived, he stated that he had no permanent home, but had been working in the Texas and Oklahoma oil fields.

The car was bearing a Breckenridge name plate when found in Tulsa, Oklahoma, and identified by the description which the officers traced the car down by. A complaint has been filed against Baker charging him with theft of the car.

BOYS SCOUTS ARE RUNNING NATION

(By Associated Press) ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 15.—The city government of St. Louis, from the mayor on down, was in the hands of members of the Boy Scouts organization. The Scouts will run the city government for one day, today, as a feature which is opening the Community Fund Campaign to meet its 1925 budget.

OLD MAN MAY LOSE EYE FROM STEEL SPLINTER

R. W. Perry, of Miles, who sustained an injury a week ago last Thursday which may result in the loss of his left eye, is here at the home of his son, W. A. Perry, local grocer, undergoing treatment. Mr. Perry suffered the injury while cutting wood, a splinter of steel striking and piercing the eye ball. He is 78 years old. Mrs. Perry is also here with him visiting with her son's family.—San Angelo Standard.

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STAMP COUNTERFEITER IS UNDER ARRESTED

(By Associated Press) CLEVELAND, Nov. 15.—J. V. Zottarelli, a prominent attorney here was arrested today by a federal secret service agent on a warrant charging him with possessing, altering and publishing counterfeit war savings stamps. He has been the ring leader, according to federal agents, of the Cleveland headquarters, in a nation-wide plot which had for its purpose the circulation of billions of dollars worth of securities so cleverly forged that even the treasury department officials were misled for months.

FIRE LOSS IS MILLION DOLLARS

(By Associated Press) JERSEY CITY, N. J., Nov. 15.—Doubt that the cause of yesterday's million dollar fire in the heart of the industrial section of this city, could be determined, was expressed today by Fire Chief Boyle. The flames still raged today in the ruins of the eleven story factory which was formerly used by the Atlantic Sugar Refining Company.

COMMITTEE TESTS OLD LEASE RIGHTS

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—Arguments in support of fifteen claims were presented by former Senator Gore of Oklahoma today at the interior department hearing on applications for permits and leases in the South half of the Red River oil field. The field is held under a receivership by the federal government as public land, but the applicants contend that the permits and leases they had obtained from the states of Oklahoma and Texas, entitle them to possession.

12 PRISONERS IN JAIL HERE

A visit to the Runnels county jail at this time will convince anyone of the need for a new jail. There are twelve prisoners "bunking" in the jail at this time, and conditions in the jail are bordering on the deplorable from a sanitary standpoint, as well as for the safety of the prisoners. The inmates of the jail consist of men, black, white and brown, and range in ages from teens to three score and ten and then some. A white boy about 17 or 18 years of age is confined in jail on a misdemeanor charge. An old man, giving his age as 73, is held on a charge of violating the prohibition law. He was arrested in Concho county upon advise from the sheriff of an East Texas county, and is being held here for the East Texas officer.

There is also another young white fellow in jail charged with passing a forged check. He says that he got the check from another fellow, and didn't know it was a forgery. One of the most pitiful cases is that of a white man who is confined in a little cage about six by eight, or probably smaller, and who is almost violently insane. He talks continually on many subjects just as they flicker through his deranged mind. He is not receiving the care that an insane person is entitled to all because the accommodations of the jail are not what they should be for such an inmate. In one cell of the jail—the larger cage, there are seven prisoners confined, five negroes and two Mexicans. They are charged with everything from shooting craps to rape and murder. One of the Mexicans is charged with rape and one of the negroes is charged with murder. The other charges are of less offense. The prisoners held on misdemeanors and minor charges will probably be released within a few days, while the chances are some of the felony prisoners will have to remain in jail until the grand jury and court pass on their cases.

B. F. Godwin, of the Winters country, was in Ballinger transacting business Saturday and paid The Ledger a visit. Mr. Godwin stated that he and his family would move at once to Loveland, Texas, where they would make their future home.

MRS. HARDING SLIGHTLY BETTER

(By Associated Press) MARION, Ohio, Nov. 15.—Mrs. Florence Kling Harding was holding her own this morning, Dr. Charles Sawyer, her personal physician, said in a bulletin which he issued from her bedside today. The bulletin said the former president's wife spent a critical night during which she was near death.

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AGED CITIZEN OF MILES DIES

The funeral services for Paul Ottwell Gordon, who died November 12th, at the age of 74 years, 1 month and 29 days, were held at the residence 3 1-2 miles North of Miles, Friday morning at 10:00 o'clock. Services were conducted by Rev. Rogers, pastor of the Christian Church of San Angelo. Interment was made in the Miles cemetery.

MAEROY THEATRE

MONDAY and TUESDAY

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DON'T BE MISLED

The court ruling in Baltimore, wherein a congressman was tried for making intoxicating cider and wine for his own use and keeping it in his home was acquitted of violating the Volstead Act, might be a little misleading to some enthusiastic maker of home-made booze.

Andrew J. Volstead, son of the man who drafted the Volstead Act under which national prohibition is maintained, says that the Baltimore court's ruling was "old stuff," that the New York courts ruled on the same question quite a while ago.

The Volstead Act, or national prohibition, is not the law which has teeth in it for the prohibition violator in Texas. Texas is operating under the Dean law, and if every state had such a law prohibition would not be referred to as a farce in some states.

Bootleggers charged with violating the Volstead law in Texas get off with a fine, while when prosecuted under the Dean law—the state law—they are sentenced to the pen.

Thus it behoves the bootlegger not to be misled by the Baltimore court's ruling, and get the idea that the clean bill of health for the congressman gives you the right to make booze at home for your own use in Texas. Not so; you will find yourself facing charges of manufacturing intoxicating liquor, and that means a trip over the road.

WINTERS NEWS ITEMS

Special to The Ledger:
 WINTERS, Nov. 15—Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock death claimed one of Runnels county's oldest pioneer citizens. J. S. Hall, who has made Runnels county his home for 35 years, passed away at the age of 79 years. Announcement was made early Friday morning that the services would be held at the Winters Presbyterian Church Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. Hal F. Smith officiating.

Mr. Hall came to this county in the early days and is truly a pioneer citizen of this county. He settled on Coyote Creek near what used to be known as the Bowman school house, and resided there for many years. He reared a family of boys and girls who have grown up in the county and are now making homes in the county. It is reported that all his children were with him when the end came. W. W. Hall, a son, resides in the Winters country. Rev. Jas. Hall lives at Cisco. Jim. Hall, of Winters, Mrs. Joe Vancil of Winters, and Mrs. Tom Lively are other children of the deceased.

Following the services at Winters this afternoon interment was made in the Winters cemetery. Friends all over Runnels county are made to mourn the loss of this good man, and The Ledger joins these friends in extending sympathy to the loved ones left behind.

Well, they claim a man in Vienna has 42 wives, so all we can say is he wins the loving cup.

The trouble with owning a grouchy look is you seldom get a pleasant one.

H-I safety last!



Churches

First Christian Church

(Cor. Broadway and Murrell)
 Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
 11:00 a. m., morning service.
 Christian Endeavor 6:15 p. m.
 7:15 p. m. sermon by Rev. Howard Peters of San Angelo. Everyone will want to hear this evening message.
 Prayer meeting followed by choir rehearsal, Wednesday at 7:15 p. m.
 W. E. MOORE, Pastor.

Baptist Church

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching service, 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 by the pastor.
 Will elect messengers to State Convention at morning service.
 Sunbeam Band, 3:00 p. m.
 B. Y. P. U. meetings at 6:00 p. m.
 ALVIN SWINDELL, Pastor.

First Christian Church Endeavor

Song No. 333
 Leader, Marie Blewitt
 Subject, "How Can Christian Endeavor Help Our Church?"
 Scripture: 2 Cor. 1:11. Heb. 10:23-25.
 Song, No. 410
 Benediction
 1. "What has Christian Endeavor Done for you Personally?" Edith Nicholson
 2. "How Much has Christian Endeavor Contributed to your Local Church?" Fred Atwell
 3. "How do you Think the Christian Endeavor can help the Church?" Wayne Bennett
 4. Violin solo, Dorothy Chaney
 Song No. 244
 Benediction.

Program for Intermediate Junior Epworth League

Subject, "Missions"
 Song
 Prayer
 Talk by leader
 Story, Mattie Opal McWilliams
 Story, Guy Jones
 Story, Truman Williams
 Story, Orene Arthurs
 Pentonime
 Prayer
 Story, Guy Jones
 Story, Juanice Ward
 Story, Inez Ward
 Going to school in Mexico.
 Jimmie Jewel Taylor and Katherine Barnett
 Story, Aylene Cochran
 Reading, Vera Taylor
 Prayer
 Offering
 Benediction

Senior Epworth League Program

Leader, Miss Faye Clark
 Bible lesson, "Jesus on the Mountain Praying and in the Valley Healing," (Mark 9:2-29), leader

Lord's Prayer in unison

Piano solo, Miss Evelyn Shepherd
 Song, "Sweet Hour of Prayer"
 "The Boy who Prayed Himself into a Chinese Shepherd," Mrs. Foreman
 Vocal solo, Miss Helen Williams
 Prayer, Mr. Joe Forman
 Special music
 Dialogue, Misses Wilma Straley and Eugenia Baskin
 Song, "Wha a Friend We Have in Jesus"
 Benediction
 Everybody invited.

Church of the Nazarene

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching at 11:00 a. m., pastor in charge.
 Young People's Society at 6:00 p. m.
 Evening services at 7:00 p. m.
 Ladies Missionary Society Monday afternoon at 1:00 p. m.
 Prayer service Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.
 Everyone is invited to attend.
 WILLIS FRENCH, Pastor.

8th Street Presbyterian Church

Sunday Services:

9:45 a. m., Sunday school.

11:00 a. m., morning worship.
 6:30 p. m. C. E. Society.
 7:15 p. m. evening worship.
Weekday Services:
 3:00 p. m. Missionary Society, (Monday).
 7:15 p. m., mid-week service (Wednesday).
 8:00 p. m., choir rehearsal, (Thursday).
 R. B. TWITTY, Pastor.

Church of Christ

Corner of Eighth and Bonsal Streets.
 Bible study 10:00 a. m.
 Communion service 11:00 a. m.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
 Everybody is invited to be with us.

Methodist Church

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
 Come to Sunday school and stay for church.
 Morning service at 11:00 a. m.
 Junior League 3:30 p. m.
 Intermediate League 5:30 p. m.
 Senior League 6:30 p. m.
 Evening service 7:15 p. m.
 E. W. BRIDGES, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church

9:45 a. m., Sunday school
 11:00 a. m., morning services.
 2:00 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor.
 6:15 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.
 7:15 p. m. evening services.
 A cordial invitation is extended to all who do not worship elsewhere to attend these services.
 E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor.

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J. U. G. Club

The J. U. G. Club had an enjoyable picnic at the bluff, on Tuesday, Nov. 11th—Armistice Day. There were eight in the party.

The girls arrived at the bluff at 4:00 o'clock and after taking pictures, ate lunch. They left the bluff at 6:00 o'clock and drove out on the Ballinger-Rowena road singing songs appropriate to the day.

Posted

Our pastures on Wire Hollow, Live Oak and Grape Creek slope are posted, according to law against all forms of trespassing. Individuals are urged to accept this warning and avoid prosecution.
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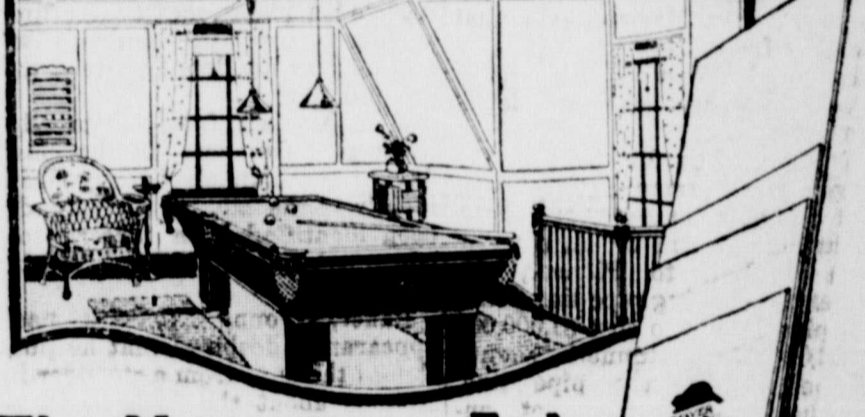
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Signal, Miss.—"For a year or longer I had indigestion, and had it bad," says Mrs. E. S. Holman, of this place. "Everything I ate hurt me. I would have burning in my stomach and smothering spells, and after meals feel right dizzy. My head would begin to ache, and I would want to lie down, but felt I couldn't for I would smother. "Unless one has had such trouble, they don't know what it is. I was talking to a neighbor one day and told her how I had been affected. She told me it was indigestion and to try Black-Draught, which I did. I took a few large doses and then a pinch after meals, and for fully four months now I haven't had indigestion. I eat whatever I please and when I please, but keep up the Black-Draught—just an occasional dose." "When you have a feeling of discomfort after meals, try the suggestion above. Thousands of people have found that Black-Draught promotes relief in indigestion by stimulating the liver and stomach to perform their normal functions. Insist on Theford's, the only genuine. Sold everywhere. NC-152

ARREST NAYLOR IN MEXICO CITY

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Nov. 15.—The arrest in Mexico of W. H. Naylor, former cashier of the First Guaranty State Bank of Collinsville, Grayson county, was announced today by the adjutant general's department. Naylor disappeared three years ago after closing of the bank due to the loss of \$20,000 for which Naylor was alleged to have been responsible for.



BILLIE DOVE SUPPORTING GEORGE O'BRIEN IN "THORNS OF PASSION" A WILLIAM FOX SPECIAL PRODUCTION

"Good-bye, Piccadilly, Hello, Hollywood!"



BLANCHE SWEET
"The Sporting Venus" had her sport in London—and incidentally in Paris, Danville, and Biarritz—and here she is snapped somewhere in the middle of the Atlantic, returning with her husband and director, Marshall Neilan, to the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios at Culver City, California. "The Sporting Venus" is Neilan's new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production from Gerald Beaumont's story, with Lew Cody and Ronald Colman appearing with Miss Sweet.

TO AMUSE

Sinclair Lewis Novel "Babbitt" Here Monday

Only such a master of characterization as Sinclair Lewis could have built up a "Babbitt," typical of the American business man of practical exterior, whose heart is young with dreams of romance. And, it is this story of "Babbitt," in all its realism and wistfulness that will be shown at the Maeroy Theatre, two days, beginning next Monday.

Sinclair Lewis, in his book, has drawn to the life, the important man of affairs, whose activities in the civic, social and business world of America has made this country what it is. He is hard-headed, shrewd, money-getting and practical, yet there is the side that never appears—that hunger for springtime with its fragrance of romance.

That is the character that Willard Louis portrays in the Warner Bros. classic of the screen, "Babbitt."

Mr. Louis, in the leading role, is ably supported by Mary Alden, Carmel Myers, Raymond McKee, Maxine Elliott Hicks, Cissy Fitzgerald, Dale Fuller and others of equal merit. The direction was done by Harry Beaumont, who it will be remembered also directed "Main Street" from the pen of Mr. Lewis.

Fo-to-sho Program for the Next Week

Monday and Tuesday—Harry Carey in "Tiger Thompson;" and Bobby Dunn in "Miners Over 21" a Universal comedy; also International News.

Wednesday and Thursday—Paramount presents "His Children's Children," with Bebe Daniels, Dorothy Mackaill, James Rennie, George Fawcett. Also Bobby Vernon in "Hold Everything," a Christie comedy.

Friday—Agnes Ayres in "A Daughter of Luxury," a Paramount picture; also Alberta Vaughn in "The Telephone Girl" No. 3 "Money to Burn."

Saturday—Luciano Albertini in "The Iron Man" chapter 5; Our Gang in "The Cobbler," a Pathe comedy; Marie Walecka in "Tempest Cody Gets Her Man," Universal Western; and Alberta Vaughn in "The Telephone Girl."

Harry Carey in Unusual Role

If you dislike the usual Western picture, you are in for a pleasant surprise.

On the other hand, if you like Westerns with action and thrills galore, here's a treat.

"Tiger Thompson," the new Hunt Stromberg production starring Harry Carey which comes to the Fo-to-sho Theatre for a two-day run next Monday is said to be as different from other Westerns as "The Lightning Rider," Carey's last picture, was different from the usual Harry Carey feature. Crammed to the brim with action and telling a story of tense dramatic interest, it offers something more in a genuine characterization by the star. As a cowboy Galahad, slow of gait and easy going by nature, Carey is given the opportunity of putting in many of the little human touches for which he is noted. When he is called upon to protect a girl whom he has never seen, however, he suffers a strange metamorphosis and assumes all the characteristics of the title.

"Tiger Thompson" is quite the

most unusual character Carey has yet portrayed.

Film Program at the Maeroy Theatre Next Week

Monday and Tuesday—Warner Bros. present a classic of the screen, "Babbitt," from the novel by Sinclair Lewis, author of "Free Air," and "Main Street." Also Fox News.

Wednesday and Thursday—Harold Lloyd in a fast-stepping comedy, "Safety Last." Also "Go Getters" No. 3.

Friday—Kenneth Harlan, Miriam Cooper and Miss Dupont in "The Broken Wing." Also "Ten Minute Egg," a Pathe comedy.

Saturday—Bill Patton in "The Smoking Trail;" Neva Gerber and Edmund Cobb in "Days of '49;" also Larry Semon in "Gall and Golf."

Scott H. Maek, president of the Y. M. B. L., and J. D. Motley, secretary of the organization, went to Coleman Friday afternoon to attend the annual banquet of the chamber of commerce of that city. They report a good banquet and a live, progressive bunch of Coleman boosters present, as well as a number of out-of-town guests. Porter Whaley, of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was present and addressed the crowd, and principal speaker of the evening was Congressman Tom Connally.

Utah woman killed her husband on their honeymoon, instead of putting up with him for a while.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger.

IF KIDNEYS BOTHER TRY DOSE OF SALTS

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Too much rich food creates acids which clog the kidney pores so that they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood. Then you get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders often come from sluggish kidneys. The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage, or attended by a sensation of scalding, begin to drink soft water in quantities; also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to help neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer cause irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and can not injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which everyone can take now and then to help keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby often preventing serious kidney complications. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

With so much rouge the order of the day, flowers are not the only things born to blush unseen.

Some people go hungry for fear of biting off more than they can chew.

SAYS BOX SUPPER AT HATCHEL A SUCCESS

C.W. Lehmborg reports that the box supper held at Hatchel Friday night was a big success and well attended. Those attending had a good time and aside from the social side, the financial benefit to the school was enough to accomplish a great deal of good. Boxes to the sum of \$131 worth were sold to the highest bidders, and following the sale of boxes a beauty contest was staged which netted \$81.90. The contest proved

to be a close race between Miss Clark of Ballinger, and Miss Mathis of Hatchel. Miss Clark received 4,170 votes and Miss Mathis 4,020. The votes sold for one cent each and the contest and sale of boxes brought in \$212.50 which will be used for school purposes.

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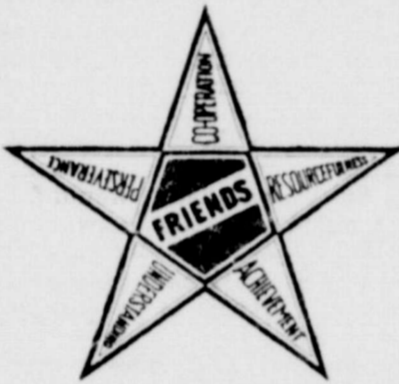
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To her amazement one afternoon she was informed by the casting director that she had been picked for a place as leading extra in Valentino's next picture. "It's a South American story and a Spanish beauty fits in perfectly

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FROGS DELAY STORKS

(By Associated Press)

ROSSITTEN, Prussia, Nov. 15.—The storks of Eastern Prussia have as yet given no indication of starting their regular Southern migration, and the time of their customary departure is well past. The abundance of frogs along the shores of the Baltic is given as the reason for the strange behavior of the birds.

POLES ILLEGALLY ESCAPE SERVICE

(By Associated Press)

WARSAW, Nov. 15.—Walter Fuchs, reputed to be a millionaire, his son and 70 others, including Col. Zaplanynski, have been arrested, charged with having unlawfully liberated young Poles from compulsory military service. It is said that more than 400 were thus enabled to escape service.

ALLIED COMMISSION HAS BEEN DISSOLVED

(By Associated Press)

BERLIN, Nov. 15.—The Inter-Allied Marine Commission has been dissolved, having completed its work. During its activity from 1919 it caused to be destroyed 300,000 tons of steel, chiefly armored plates of battleships.

The DAIRY

MORE COW-TESTING ASSOCIATION WORK

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A detailed report of cow-testing association work in the United States and of the increase in number of associations will not be due until January 1, 1925; but figures now on file in the Bureau of Dairying, United States Department of Agriculture, indicate that on July 1, 1924, there were about 730 cow-testing associations in active operation, as against 627 a year ago. This is a gain of over a hundred during the past year, or a gain within the year of a little more than 16 per cent.

Though there was some increase in the number of associations in many states, the big gains were in a few states. Those having the largest actual increases are given in the following table:

State	Number of Assn. 1923	1924 Incr.
Michigan	53	21
Minnesota	55	30
Iowa	47	31
Wisconsin	151	145
Kentucky	10	29
South Dakota	4	19

Michigan ranks first in increased number of associations with a gain of 38, but Minnesota is a close second with a gain of 35. Wisconsin still leads in the number of associations, but Michigan and Minnesota are gaining on Wisconsin. Iowa, Kentucky, and South Dakota are also making substantial gains.

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prescribed by said Board, and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said meeting.

A resolution has been adopted by the directors, subject to the approval of the stockholders, authorizing the mortgage, bonds, etc., to be submitted to the stockholders' meeting.

GEO. N. YARD, Secretary.

d-sep. 29—dec. 9

D. STECK WILL CONTEST VOTE

(By Associated Press)
DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 15.—Daniel Steck, Democratic candidate for the United States Senate against Senator Smith W. Brookhart in the recent election, announced today that he would contest the seat in the Senate.

The contest will be made on the grounds that sufficient votes were cast for Steck to overcome the senator's small majority, but apparently were not counted by the election judges.

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Walter H. Harrison, of San Marcos, notified his agent here, Judge C. P. Shepherd, Saturday, that his stone business building on Eighth Street had been sold and to notify all parties concerned of the sale. The building is known as the Katy building and is at present occupied by the Stroble meat market and the Hopper rooming house. The telegram did not state who the building was sold to or what the consideration was, but stated a letter would follow making all details known.

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