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**THE WEATHER.**  
West Texas—Tonight and Saturday unsettled weather, local showers in the east portion.

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## DEAD OR DYING MAN TAKEN TO SCAFFOLD

SOME MEN ARE MORE bold to their bitterest enemies than to friends who appear to be sweetly tell the truth, but the latter never.—Cato.

### THREE SCHOOL PRINCIPALS IN RANGER NAMED

**Mrs. Poe and Pettitt Re-elected for Merriman and Young Schools; Change at Tiffin.**

Principals of the Young, Tiffin and Merriman schools in the Ranger independent school district were elected and the selection of principals for the High, Central and Cooper schools were deferred by the board of trustees meeting yesterday afternoon in regular session. Principals elected are:

W. R. Pettitt, re-elected for Young school, where he has served two years, previous to which he was principal of Tiffin school.  
A. E. Pettitt, a brother of W. R. Pettitt, elected principal for Tiffin school, to succeed T. R. Wynn. Mr. Pettitt is now teaching a school near DeLeon.

Mrs. J. N. Poe, re-elected principal at Merriman school.  
It was indicated that a change would be made in the principal of Central school, although no complaints had been received from there. The selection of a principal for the high school, to succeed J. W. Overall, resigned, was deferred in order to examine further into the qualifications of a number of applicants.

J. M. Gholson and E. H. Mills were named as a committee to investigate a complaint from the Cooper school relative to the teaching of one subject and the selection of the Cooper school principal was postponed until they would have time to investigate and report.

Gholson and Mills were named also as a committee to investigate an accident in the high school manual training department several weeks ago when the instructor, Dillard Marshall, was injured in his hands seriously injured, and determine the liability of the school district for the accident.

The board was in session more than two hours, discussing school matters generally with reference to improvements in many ways. It was decided unanimously to hold summer school this year in one of the ward schools to permit students who had failed to make their grades and those kept by sickness from studies to make up their deficiencies.

The board will meet again next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock to select principals for the High, Central and Cooper schools. Superintendent also has requested that the principals of the several schools turn in their recommendations for the teaching staffs next year.

### Lions of Texas To Vote On Choice For International Head

Which of two leading Texas schools should be supported by the Texas delegations to the Lions International convention, to be held in Omaha, Neb., the latter part of June, for the office of international president was one of the most interesting features of the district meeting of Texas Lions held early this week in Paris, according to Frank A. Brown, who with Dr. H. A. Lozdon, president of the Ranger Lions, represented the Lions of Ranger at the convention.

The two Texans are: W. C. Higgins of San Antonio, a former vice president of the international, and Col. Lewis C. Perry of Terrell, representing the district governor. It was finally decided to make a vote of all Lions clubs in Texas, a committee of three being named to make the canvass, with the understanding that the man for whom a majority of the Texas Lions express the preference shall be supported by all the Texas Lions for the office.

The selection of R. D. Green of Abilene as district governor to succeed Colonel Perry, and the naming of Brownwood for the next district convention were especially pleasing to the Ranger Lions, who gave both their hearty support.

### RANGER GUN CLUB HOLDING SHOOT TODAY

The Ranger Gun club will hold its semi-weekly shoot today at the Country club. Every member is urged to attend, as this is one of the matches when the high score men will have a chance to represent Eastland county at Brownwood. The five high score men of Ranger, Eastland and Cisco gun clubs will represent Eastland county at the Commerce West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention.

Construction on the electric transmission system of the Community Power and Lighting company is making rapid progress. When completed this line will connect Mexia and Marlin plants.

### BLANTON ENGAGES IN BATTLE

**Mixes With Representative Hammer of North Carolina in House Committee Room, Using Tongue and Fists Against Tongue, Fists, Chair and Book; Bout Declared a Draw.**

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Representatives Thomas L. Blanton of Texas and William O. Hammer of North Carolina, both Democrats, late yesterday engaged in a lively tilt, verbal and physical, which ended in a draw so far as it was governed by the Dempsey-Jeffries-Corbett-Fitzsimmons-Sullivan rules, but with the Texas member slightly ahead in the use of exasperating invectives.

It was at a meeting of the house committee that deals with District of Columbia affairs. A chair was brought into play by the North Carolinian, who also flung a book at the Texan, but the latter contented himself with the use of his tongue and fists.

"You're a graulous old grand-mother," "you're a damned liar," "only a coward uses books and chairs

when fighting," and "I'll fight for my rights," were a few of the courteous expressions used by the Texan, to which the North Carolinian responded with gentle terms such as, "you haven't the courtesy of a dog," "when you talk fight it's merely bluff," and "you're a coward, you've been beaten like a dog and I'll beat you again."

The trouble started when Blanton objected to the meeting on the ground that he had not been previously notified, to which Hammer replied that Blanton had heard the meeting announced and "wilfully misunderstood." Other members of the committee and spectators kept the combatants from doing any serious injury to each other, although there was the way to decide how deeply the verbal lashes had cut.

### French Flyer Goes Down Today On His Way To Bangkok

CALCUTTA, India, May 9.—Flying eastward, Lieut. Palletier D'Oisy, French aviator, left Calcutta today for Bangkok. The aviator took off at 5:40 a. m. on what will be one of the last legs of the flight from Paris to Japan. The distance from here to Bangkok is 1,850 kilometers, but it was said the aviator might stop at Akyab, which is 650 kilometers from here.

LONDON, May 9.—A Central News dispatch from Calcutta says that Lieutenant D'Oisy, the French aviator who left there early today, had been forced to land at Rangoon, a river port of Burma.

### AMERICAN GLOBE FLYERS DELAYED YET AGAIN BY ROUGH ARTIC WEATHER

CORDOVA, Alaska, May 9.—Lieutenants Lowell Smith, Leigh Wade and Erik Nelson, American aviators flying around the world, who were unable to leave Nazan, island of Attu, yesterday for Chicago, island of Attu, were hoping for favorable weather today and were all ready to start, according to radio dispatches received here.

The search for Major Frederick L. Martin, commander of the flight, who has been lost nine days, is continuing in Behring sea and on the Alaska peninsula, but no trace has been found or word received from him or his mechanic, Alva Harvey, who was with him when the gale and snow swallowed the seaplane, "The Seattle," in which they were trying to fly from Chignik to Dutch Harbor.

### SOUTHERN METHODISTS TO CALL UNIFICATION MEETING

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 9.—The college of Bishops of the Southern Methodist church will meet here May 29 to call a special conference of the church to act on the plan to unite the northern and southern branches. That the southern branch will approve the plan is confidently expected. It was approved by the northern conference, now in session at Springfield, Mass.

### GARAGE OWNER ABANDONS IT TO CLAIM INHERITANCE

DALLAS—Otto C. Amlog bought a garage here recently but today he advertised it for sale. He received a cable from South America to the effect that a rich uncle had died and left him hundreds of thousands of acres of rich plantation lands and considerable cash. "I plan to go to South America to claim my estate," Amlog said. "I can't be bothered with this garage."

### TOMMY GIBBONS TRAINING FOR BOAT WITH CARPENTIER

CHICAGO.—Tommy Gibbons is undergoing rigid training here in preparation for his bout with Georges Carpentier at Michigan City, May 31. Gibbons came here from St. Paul, where he did his preliminary training. He appears in excellent condition, and announced he would be in top form in two weeks. Carpentier left France Wednesday.

### LANGLEY AND FLATER BEGIN DEFENSE

COVINGTON, Ky., May 9.—Prosecution was closed today in the trial of Congressman John H. Langley and A. E. Flater, charged jointly with defrauding the government through liquor deals. The defense asked that the cases be dismissed on grounds of insufficient evidence. The motion was denied.

### Vessel On Fire At Sea Racing To Port, Aid Hurrying To Her

NEW YORK, May 9.—The Merchant and Miners liner, Ontario, is racing into the port of Boston with fire in her hold, according to radio advices received here early today. The fire had been brought under control, later advices said, and it was not believed the vessel was in great danger.

The first S. O. S. call, shortly after 1 o'clock a. m., indicated the possibility of a grave disaster in the report that the ship was on fire in a heavy fog off Block Island. Several vessels rushed to her assistance. Later a general report was sent out that the flames were under control and the ship would proceed on her regular course to Boston, where she is due today. The liner plies between Baltimore, Norfolk and Boston.

### COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD CONSIDERS PROBLEM OF YELLOW MOUND DISTRICT

The county board of school trustees, which met in Eastland Wednesday and Thursday, spent considerable time considering petitions filed with them, one asking that the Yellow Mound school district be divided and the other opposing it.

### TRIAL OF DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST RAILWAY POSTPONED

Just before the case of Hudson vs. Cisco & Northeastern railroad, which was tried in the Ninety-first district court here, was submitted to the jury Thursday, plaintiffs, with the consent of the defendant, withdrew their announcement of ready for trial and the case was continued until the next term of court.

### FLOOD WATERS SWEEPING OVER WESTERN MARYLAND

BALTIMORE, Md., May 9.—Flood-water again sweeping Western Maryland have taken a toll of six lives, according to reports from Hagerston and Cumberland today.

### WINTER WHEAT FORECAST

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Average condition of winter wheat on May 1 was 84.8 per cent normal, forecasting a production of 553,113,000 bushels this year, the department of agriculture reported.

### HERO TO UNVEIL MEMORIAL

WASHINGTON—Private Dan Edwards will unveil the first division (World War) memorial here next October. He is the only American in the World War to win both the congressional medal of honor and the distinguished service cross. He lost his right arm and the use of his left leg in the service. President Coolidge will dedicate the memorial.

### Separatists In Germany Plot For Ruhr

BERLIN, May 9.—Separatists and communists are trying desperately to take advantage of the situation in the Ruhr, where 300,000 miners are either locked out or on strike.

The separatist plot mentioned today provides for the creation of a Ruhr economic state. Documents were captured showing the separatist plan embodied occupation of the mines, the products of which would then be devoted to the payment of reparations, but not wholly at the miners' expense.

It was proposed to begin negotiations with France, Belgium and Great Britain in the name of the Ruhr, once the occupation was effective. The workers would also insist on an eight-hour day.

Meanwhile the strikes and lockouts continued with the increasing prospect of a sympathy strike in Saxony. The German government is willing to try to settle the Ruhr economic question, but shies at interference, due to the political aspect of the lockout.

### Speaker Gillett Will Seek Election To the U. S. Senate

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Speaker Gillett of the house of representatives today announced himself as a candidate for the senate from Massachusetts. He will be the "administration candidate."

### FLOWERS WILL BE WORN NEXT SUNDAY IN HONOR OF MOTHERS OF MEN

Sunday will be Mother's day, a day which has been long heralded by those who would have every mother honored by her children. This might also be called flower Sunday, for on this day flowers are presented to mothers in great numbers and purchased in honor of those who are dead as well as of those who are living. It will be a busy day for the florists who will keep open as long as there are any flowers left in their supply, and flowers are plentiful this year and of great beauty.

### MOOK-TEXAS NO. ONE NORTHWEST OF RANGER COMES IN BIG GASSER

The Mook-Texas No. 1, located on the L. D. Head farm, 14 miles northwest of Ranger, came in late Wednesday night, blowing 15,000,000 cubic feet of gas and spraying oil.

### COMMISSION TO NEGOTIATE FOR DIVISION OF RIO GRANDE

WASHINGTON.—A bill authorizing President Coolidge to appoint three commissioners to negotiate with Mexican authorities an equitable division of the Rio Grande below Fort Quitman, Texas, has been passed by the house. The bill has already passed the senate and now goes to the president.

### COURT MUST ACT WITHOUT THOUGHT OF FELLOW

HOUSTON, May 9.—O. L. Pardue, oil promoter, was sentenced to two years in Leavenworth federal prison by Federal Judge Hutchinson for mail frauds, and assessed a fine of \$25,000. Pardue and Judge Hutchinson were deacons in the same local church.

### GOVERNOR NEFF SENDS GREETING TO W. G. McADOO

WELCOMES HIM TO STATE AS THE "STANDARD BEARER OF TEXAS DEMOCRACY."

AUSTIN, May 9.—"I am proud to fight for you Texans and to have you Texans fight for me, and Texas supporting me, will again elect a president of the United States as when Texas stood for Woodrow Wilson. It is the same fight as it was when Woodrow Wilson was a candidate for the presidency—a fight of progressive democracy against reactionaries."

So declared William G. McAdoo in a train platform speech during a brief stop in Austin this morning. Five hundred Austin citizens, including a sprinkling of state officials, gathered at the depot to extend greetings to the presidential candidate.

In the absence of Governor Neff from the city, a note of greetings to McAdoo from the governor was delivered by the governor's secretary, Mrs. Estta Sandford. In his message, Neff greeted McAdoo as "the standard-bearer of Texas democracy" and, as such, a cordial welcome to Texas was extended. Receiving the note from Mrs. Sandford, McAdoo said "I thank you," and placed the note unthinkingly in his pocket. Later he said that when opportunity presented he would answer the governor.

### Detective Burns Quits U. S. Bureau Of Investigation

WASHINGTON, May 9.—William J. Burns, chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, resigned today effective immediately.

Burns, in sending in his resignation to Attorney General Stone, who accepted it, said that he desired to quit his post because of ill health. He said that he had been suffering from neuritis for some time and that his family had urged him to resign.

### NATIONAL PLEBISCITE PROPOSED IN GERMANY ON PLAN OF EXPERTS

BERLIN, May 9.—The national committee of the socialist party today voted unanimously in favor of a national plebiscite to determine the German people's approval of the experts' plan for settlement of the reparations problem.

### MASTER MASON DEGREE TO BE CONFERRED IN STRAWN LODGE TONIGHT

The Eastland lodge of Masons will confer the Master Mason's degree in the Strawn lodge room tonight at 8 o'clock. Such meetings usually are attended by large numbers of Masons from Ranger, Eastland, Cisco and other Eastland county points and it is expected that many will go tonight.

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### CUBAN VIOLATES NEUTRALITY BY FLA. STUDY

COALA, Fla., May 9.—Roy Garcia, held here with two other Cubans on a charge of violating neutrality laws, has been identified as the son of General Garcia Velz, president of the Veterans and Patriots association of Cuba, and one of the leaders in the present fight against the Zayas government. Garcia was arrested when it was discovered he was receiving instructions in flying.

### Lodge Wants Action On His Suggestion For World Court

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Senator Lodge intends to ask the foreign relations committee to act promptly upon his resolution for a third Hague tribunal to establish a world court separated from the League of Nations, he said today.

### METHODISTS TO PERMIT WOMEN TO BE PASTORS

CONFERENCE NOW CONSIDERING HOW FAR TO SUSTAIN THE "BLUE LAWS."

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 9.—A limited number of women may become pastors in the Methodist church, delegates attending the thirty-fourth quadrennial convention decided today. By a large majority the report of the special commission appointed to investigate the desirability of women becoming pastors was accepted.

Among the next business to be considered was the so-called "blue laws" of the Methodist church and the ban on dancing and amusements. Another matter settled today was that persons divorced on grounds other than adultery and remarriage, may be brought before the conference and expelled. The law also applies to ministers who marry women who were divorced for any reason other than adultery.

### KENTUCKY SEATS THREE MEN IN ELECTRIC CHAIR PUNISHMENT FOR CRIME

EDDYVILLE, Ky., May 9.—Three men were electrocuted here today in the first triple execution ever staged in Kentucky. Frank Thomas, 71, whose case was taken to the supreme court in an effort to save him from the chair, was the first to die. Thomas was convicted of the murder of Lee Arbogast in Louisville.

### MAMMOTH CONFECTION TO FEATURE CANDY CONVENTION

CHICAGO, May 9.—The annual convention of the National Confectioners' association will begin here May 19, with business sessions at the Drake hotel and an exposition at the Municipal Pier.

### AUTO SALESMAN MURDERED ON HIGHWAY IN OKLAHOMA

PAWUSKA, Okla., May 9.—Osage county officers are searching this section of the country for hijackers believed to have killed George Miller, 31, auto salesman. Miller's body was found beside his automobile near Shider. He had been shot twice with a revolver. Money he had with him when he left Shider had been taken.

### GOVERNMENT DISMISSES CLAIM FOR INCOME TAX

KANSAS CITY, May 9.—The department of internal revenue has dismissed its claim against the Stewart Land company for \$3,048,546 in addition to income taxes. Notification of the dismissal was received today by Clyde Taylor, attorney for Conrad H. Mann, who is the receiver for the land company.

### SIDE ISSUE ABANDONED

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### SIX ITALIANS KILLED BY ROPE IN LOUISIANA

ONE STABS HIMSELF JUST BEFORE EXECUTION; ANOTHER PROTESTS FIVE ARE INNOCENT.

AMITE, La., May 9.—As the clock in the court house tower here tolled the hour of noon today, the death march of six Italians condemned to be hanged for the murder of Dallas Calmes was begun. The six men were executed, two by two, but one of them may have anticipated the death grip of the rope, for when the noose had been placed about his neck and the trap sprung, sending him flying down into space, there was much doubt if life had not already left the body.

An unidentified hangman, wearing a square of black silk for a mask, with two slits for his eyes and a jagged hole through which a sandy mustache protruded, took his position at the chopping block. He had a keen blade with which to sever the rope which sprung the trap of two gallews simultaneously, sending two men to death at the same time. Several official witnesses had chairs in the small walled enclosure about the scaffold. These included two doctors, two civilians and three newspaper men.

### Stab Wound Fatal

The trap was sprung and two men, Natale Deamore and Roy Leona, went to their deaths with broken necks at 12:01. While waiting the passing of 20 minutes, as required by the Louisiana law, before the bodies could be cut down, consternation was caused among officials and witnesses by a deputy who rushed from the jail and shouted that Andrea Lemantia, one of the six condemned men, had stabbed himself. Physicians rushed to his cell, and a superficial examination showed them the wound would prove fatal within a few minutes. Officials rushed him to the scaffold in a race to beat death with a dagger by death from a rope.

### THE BODIES OF LEONA AND DEAMORE WERE CUT DOWN AT 12:21, AND, AS THEY WERE BEING REMOVED, LEMANTIA WAS CARRIED TO THE SCAFFOLD. JOSEF BUCCIO, CONFESSED CHIEF OF THE BANDITS, WHO WERE ATTEMPTING TO HOLD UP A BANK WHEN CALMES WAS KILLED, WAS TAKEN TO THE OTHER SCAFFOLD. WHILE THE DEATH MASK WAS BEING ADJUSTED TO LEMANTIA'S FACE, THERE WAS NO VISIBLE sign of life in the body, nor did he respond to the prayers of the priest. His hands were covered with his cell, and a superficial examination showed them the wound would prove fatal within a few minutes. Officials rushed him to the scaffold in a race to beat death with a dagger by death from a rope.

The bodies of Leona and Deamore were cut down at 12:21, and, as they were being removed, Lemantia was carried to the scaffold. Josef Buccio, confessed chief of the bandits, who were attempting to hold up a bank when Calmes was killed, was taken to the other scaffold. While the death mask was being adjusted to Lemantia's face, there was no visible sign of life in the body, nor did he respond to the prayers of the priest. His hands were covered with his cell, and a superficial examination showed them the wound would prove fatal within a few minutes. Officials rushed him to the scaffold in a race to beat death with a dagger by death from a rope.

### Accomplished

Joseph Rini and Joe Giglo were the last two remaining for the hang man's task, and their hanging soon was accomplished.

### Protesters Innocent

"Five innocent men sacrificed," cried Rini, as he was being led to the gallows. "I am going to my death innocent of crime."

Giglo was calm: "I hope within five minutes that everybody will be satisfied," he said. He began a tirade against Governor Parker for refusing to extend clemency, but was cut short by the springing of the trap at 1:15 o'clock for the third time.

### AGED MAN HANGED IN CALIFORNIA FOR MURDER

SAN KUIENTIN, Calif., May 9.—Mariana Cafares, 60, oldest man ever to die on the gallows in California, hanged today for his part in the killing of Mike Sezanero in Imperial county, California, last January. He faced death gamely and refused to make a dying statement.

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BIBLE THOUGHT.

ALL IS WELL.—Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in me, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.—John 14:1, 2.

PRAYER.—Lord, increase our faith and then we will cast all our care on thee for thou carest for us.

NATIONALISM IN THE SADDLE.

Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbus University, and decidedly pro-British in his views and activities, made a statement in his annual report to the Carnegie endowment for International Peace to the effect that American participation in any kind of a league or association of nations is now impossible.

"Public opinion in the United States, which earnestly supported the resolution of ratification with reservations in 1919 and 1920, is now in a different mood," said Dr. Butler. "The fear of political complications and the happenings of the past four years have implanted in the minds of a large number of Americans a strong opposition to any present relationship in the form of co-operation or association with other nations, even such as the United States has heretofore strongly urged."

This is a fact to be reckoned with in framing the policies of practical statesmanship. One may or may not be in agreement with it, but the fact itself cannot be denied. A new and strongly reactionary type of intensive nationalism, both offensive and defensive, has made its appearance quite generally throughout the civilized world since the war, and the willing co-operation of nations to promote works of civilization and to substitute the rule of right for that of force has been rudely checked.

FRANCE RICHER BECAUSE OF WAR.

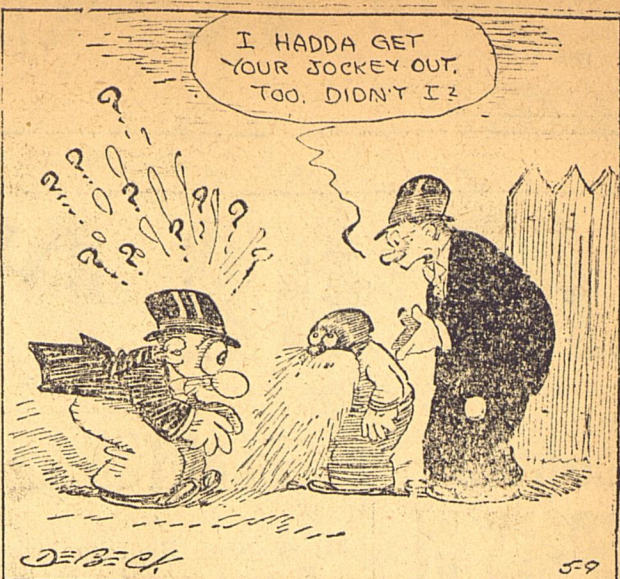
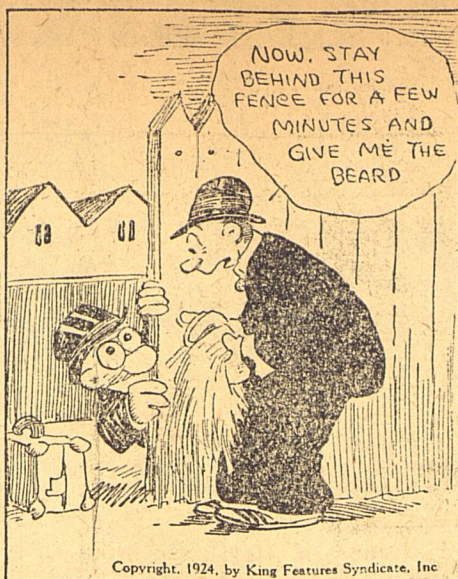
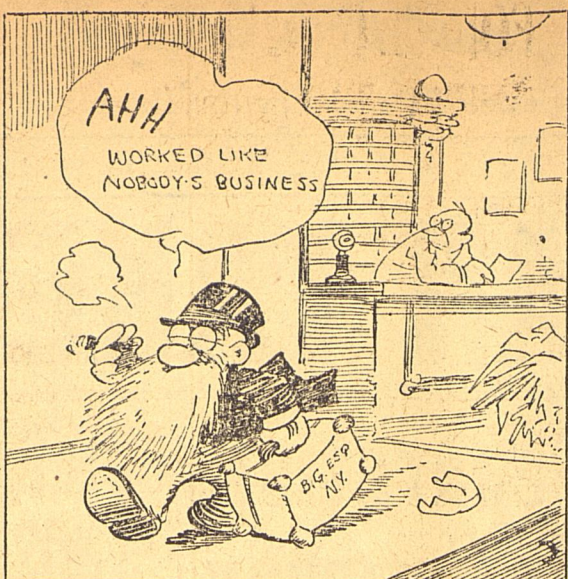
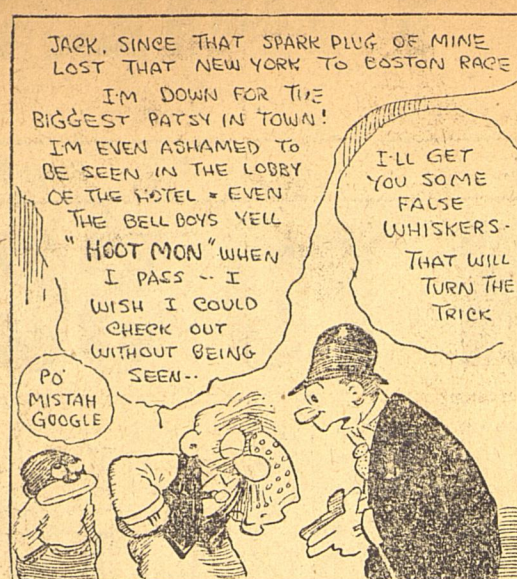
France has made a marvelous recovery from the effects of the war. According to the biggest bankers French national assets have been largely increased as a result of the war.

Alsace-Lorraine gave France the iron ore domination of Europe, a powerful steel industry, oil and vast potash reserves. It should not be overlooked that France, too, increased the size of her colonial domain through the war by more than 1,000,000 square miles to the total of 5,114,138 square miles. Compare with 1913. The national debt is less than \$21,000,000,000, and the national wealth is placed at \$60,000,000,000. Besides practically completing reconstruction of the destroyed area on much more elaborate scale. France has loaned 15,000,000,000 gold francs to allied nations. One authentic statement of the reconstruction completed is interesting:

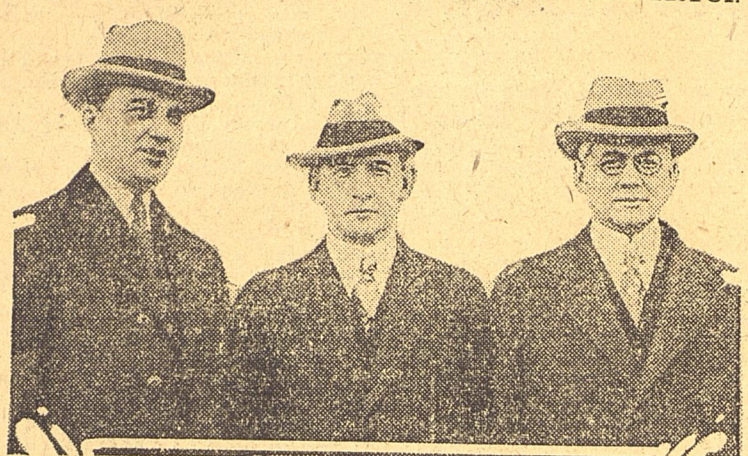
Houses—598,000 rebuilt, out of a total of 741,993 damaged.
Temporary houses built, 153,000. Reclaimed farm land, 90 per cent of devastated area.
Factories, 20,175 rebuilt out of a total of 22,900 damaged.
Railroads and canals rebuilt, 93 per cent of total damaged.
Taxes paid in the occupied area in 1922 were 2,896,000,000 francs compared with 725,000,000 francs in 1913.

One fails to discover in this statement any real reason for France to repudiate its debt to the United States for money borrowed.
December next has been designated as Golden Rule Day for the civilized world. Last year about \$1,000,000 was received, and this year it is hoped to double that amount. The money is used in supporting orphans in the Near East who are not only parentless but have no country and are therefore regarded international charges.

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG—



REPARATIONS EXPERTS BACK IN AMERICA



Owen D. Young, General Charles G. Dawes and Henry M. Robinson, the three Americans who... the committee of experts who determined how Germany should pay reparations, were pictured when they returned to New York on the liner Levathan.

BRITISH MAKING THIRD ATTEMPT TO CLIMB TO THE TOP OF MOUNT EVEREST, WORLD'S HIGHEST PEAK

By CLIFFORD L. DAY (United Press Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, May 7.—Out in the cold and wind and crags of the Himalayas, 13 explorers are pushing forward in final preparations for the third British assault on Mount Everest, the great, unconquered Goddess Mother of the Snows, whose head is the highest ascertained point on the surface of the globe.

In a race with the annual south-west monsoon, the schedule for this year's attempt was advanced nearly two months on that of the second expedition of 1922.

The party two years ago was balked by gales and rains, resulting in physical exhaustion, after it had climbed to within a half mile of the summit. Four oxygen cylinders, dumped by these climbers about 1700 feet below the top of the 29,000-foot peak, mark the greatest height ever trodden by human footprints.

The present expedition is headed by Brig. Gen. Charles Granville Bruce, who is 58 years old. Doctors' orders and his age do not permit the general himself to go higher than 16,500 feet or live in parts where the thermometer registers much below zero. He expects, therefore, to direct operations from a base camp about three-quarters of the way up.

Accompanying General Bruce are five other veterans and seven new members. The old timers are Maj. E. F. Norton, second in command; George Leigh-Mallory, Dr. T. Howard Somervell, Captain Geoffrey Bruce, transport officer, and Captain J. B. Noel, photographer and cinematographer. The three first named broke the world's climbing record two years ago by reaching 29,335 feet. Captain Bruce is a cousin of the expedition commander. The only member who has taken part in all three expeditions is Leigh-Mallory.

The remaining seven principals are Maj. Henry Treise Morshead, N. E. Odell, geologist; Bentley Beetham, ornithologist; A. C. Irvine, J. de V. Hazard, Major R. W. G. Hingston, medical officer and E. O. Shelbeare. All are experienced climbers excepting Irvine, who is the youngest member. Irvine rowed in the Oxford boat again Cambridge in 1922 and

Kellogg's Corn Flakes advertisement featuring a woman holding a box of cereal and the text: 'The heart of a kid glows warm for Kellogg's Corn Flakes—and these crisp, golden flakes repay in health. To get the genuine say it all—say "Kellogg's Corn Flakes."'

storm. Although they braved its fury and continued the climb, the battle and an insufficient supply of food weakened them so much that shortly afterwards they abandoned the assault.

Mountain Had Won
"The great mountain, with its formidable array of defensive weapons, had won," was the way George I. Finch, a member, finished his narration of the struggle. Stored oxygen, "English air," the natives called it, saved the attackers from freezing or worse on more than one occasion. The average pace of Major Norton, Leigh-Mallory and Dr. Somervell on the last stage of their record breaking climb in 1922 was about 400 feet an hour.

Several experienced members of this year's expedition were in Darjeeling as early as March 1. By the last week in March plans had been perfected for forwarding all the heavy stores and the oxygen apparatus to Phari Dzong. General Bruce expects to leave the main road to Lhasa at this point for the journey westward. Stopping places have been mapped out all the way from the grand base at Rongbuk Camp up to the Alpine base at North Col Camp.

The expedition's command officer expresses the utmost confidence in the success of this attempt. He believes it has resolved itself mainly into a race with the monsoon. Provided the march across Tibet is made without hitch, it is expected there will be a week's more time for the final preparations than was the case two years ago.

SENATOR WHEELER TAKES STAND ON OWN BEHALF

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Senator Burton K. Wheeler of Montana took the stand in his own defense before the senate committee investigating his indictment today and declared that he had never negotiated for oil permits with the interior department on behalf of Morgan Campbell, oil man, as charged in the indictment.

Straight run TEXACO Gasoline at following filling stations: West Side Garage, West Main; Home Motor Co., West Main; Hill & Hill, East Main; Better Tire Store, East Main; Green Filling Station, (North P. Camp); Quality Service Station, So. Seaman; Harwood Auto Supply Co., So. Seaman; T. J. Presler, West Commerce. Ask TEXACO JONES, Phone 123.

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MADDOO GAINS 86 VOTES FROM THREE STATES

DALLAS, May 9.—William Gibbs McAdoo gained 86 votes in the national democratic convention at Tuesday's convention in Texas, Oklahoma and the California primaries, according to Thomas B. Love, Texas national committeeman. "The 40 votes of Texas are assured for McAdoo," he said. "California has given its 26 votes to McAdoo and the 20 Oklahoma votes, while uncommitted, are for McAdoo, the state convention having endorsed him."

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7—SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE—The Bicycle & Fixit Shop has moved to 204 So. Rusk st., Ranger.
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FOR RENT—2-room house, furnished; has sleeping porch, water, lights, garage. Inquire 325 Elm st., Ranger.
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11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT.

CARRIER APARTMENTS, 325 Elm street, Phone 555-J, Ranger.
FOR RENT—All or any part of the third floor of Hodges & Neal building; reasonable to reliable party. C. E. May, Insurance, Guaranty Bank building, next door to lobby, phone 418.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

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14—REAL ESTATE

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HOUSE VOTES TO CANCEL INTEREST DUE FROM CHINA

WASHINGTON, May 9.—The house has voted to remit the remainder of China's Boxer uprising indemnity, adopting a resolution termed an "act of friendship." The resolution cancelled \$6,135,552.90 still due the United States. Of this amount, all but \$66,158 was interest on the original indebtedness.

16—AUTOMOBILES

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17—WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—To rent 5 or 6-room furnished house in Eastland; must be modern. Phone 106, Eastland.
18—WANTED—Miscellaneous
FURNITURE WANTED—Highest cash price. New and Second Hand Store, 121 No. Austin. Phone 276.
WANTED—Second-hand furniture. Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk st., Phone 154, Ranger.

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### NITROS READY FOR TWO GAMES WITH THURBER

Pitching Staff Is Strong and Team Support Throughout Appears Good.

Brady, the fast southpaw first baseman, has developed unexpectedly into a pitcher, and will probably start the Saturday game at Thurber with Tensley on the receiving end for Ranger. The Nitros have been practicing steadily all week and are rounding into first class shape. The daily workouts resemble real ball games, with every player on his toes and ready to grab the breaks if they come his way.

With the addition of Weatherford, pitcher; Hensley, catcher; and Brady, first baseman, the team has been greatly strengthened. Weatherford is capable of playing any position on the team except catcher. When not pitching, he is playing right field. His hitting is an important factor in the game, and any pitcher might as well start saying his prayers when Weatherford walks up with two on, two down and the score tied.

Brady drifted here from Arkansas, and said he was a first baseman. Subsequent workout proved that he was right, and he also showed plenty of stuff during batting practice, and, with Smith and Snodgrass laid up and Riddings suffering a sore arm, he will probably start the game Saturday.

Weatherford will pitch the Sunday contest and believes that he can garner a hard run for their money. He Nitros will probably start the game with: Lowry, 3; Dinsmore, ss; Weatherford, rf; McElreath, lf; Tensley, c; Guydas, cf; Maupin, 2nd; Jidings, 1st; Brady, p.

### PADDOCK SHOWS HE HAS ALL HIS OLD TIME SPEED

By HENRY L. FARRELL (United Press Sports Editor)  
NEW YORK, May 9.—Charles Paddock, the world's champion sprinter, has not lost any of his terrific speed, it was made apparent when he California ran 100 yards in 13.5 seconds at the recent Drake relay carnival.

Paddock clinched a place on the American Olympic team when the Amateur Athletic union showed it was big enough to admit that he was its common culprit and declared him eligible for the Olympic games.

The California star was sure of an appointment to the team on past performances, if nothing else, but it was most pleasing for him to show that he still has the speed to get out and grab himself an American shield by running faster than all the other candidates for the team.

When Lawson Robertson, head coach of the American Olympic team, was told of the Pennsylvania relay, that Paddock had equalled his record, he frowned and remarked: "That boy shouldn't be doing that. He doesn't have to make any new records to get a place on the team, and he's running the risk of hurting himself."

Other prominent eastern coaches at the Drake games expressed the same opinion and said that he ought to take it easy and train so that he would be just reaching his form in June.

Paddock, no doubt, realizes the same thing, but it is no difficult task to find the reason for his desire to now his real form at this early date in the season.

The young Californian has been rounded and heckled by the "wise guy" of the East, who said that his records on the coast were phony, that he was allowed to make his own starts in California and that they used rubber watches on him.

It was the first chance at the Drake relay he has been given in two years to show that he was a legitimate champion, that he did not have to do his running on his home track and that he wasn't particular who held the watches on him.

Nearly every reason possible has been used to belittle Paddock and his sprinting. The latest ones were that he had beaten the gun when he ran a hundred and when he was a light-year record for the 125 yards they took the times caught by five watches and split the difference. It will be illogical for any more slighting references to be made about California time keepers when five men holding the watches at the Drake meet did not agree in even two instances.

It will be interesting to wait and see by what process of reasoning the officials can say the next time he breaks or equals one of his records that it doesn't count.

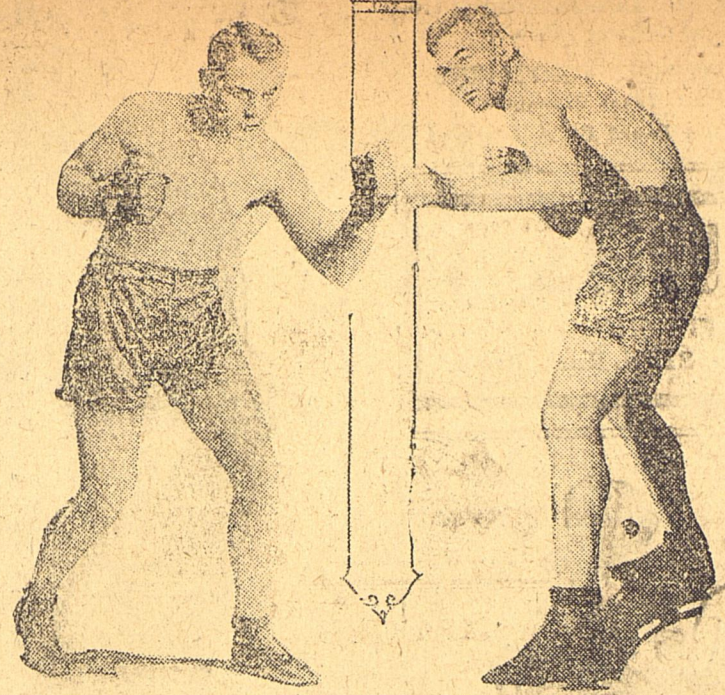
Some critics were astounded when they heard that Paddock had retained all his power and speed after nearly two years' absence from real competition. There is nothing strange in it. Paddock is still good because he is a good, clean liver and he has kept himself constantly in condition.

It is probable, now that he has indicated himself, that Paddock will pull up and do his training by degrees for the Olympic trials. It is to be hoped that when he comes to the final trials at the Harvard stadium, that he will feel like doing some of his real running and make some of his leading eastern razzers at their criticism.

SIX WORKMEN HURT WHEN ROLLER COASTER COLLAPSES

HOUSTON, May 9.—Six workmen were injured when a section of a roller coaster being constructed at Luna lake park here collapsed during a windstorm. A hundred other workmen who had taken refuge in a shed to escape the rain which accompanied the high winds, had narrowly escaped from falling timbers.

### FLOYD JOHNSON TO FIGHT ROMERO-ROJAS.



FLOYD JOHNSON QUENTIN ROMERO-ROJAS

Quentin Romero-Rojas, the Chilean heavyweight who is seeking a bout with Jack Dempsey, has been matched to fight Floyd Johnson, the Iowa heavyweight, 12 rounds to a decision. The men will meet in Madison Square Garden, New York City, on May 12. Tex Rickard has promised Romero-Rojas bouts with Jack Renault and Harry Wills if he succeeds in battering down the stout-hearted Iowa.

### Baseball Results

#### TEXAS LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	16	5	.762
San Antonio	15	7	.682
Dallas	12	10	.545
Houston	11	11	.500
Wichita Falls	10	11	.476
Beaumont	10	12	.455
Galveston	8	14	.364
Shreveport	4	16	.200

#### Yesterday's Results.

Fort Worth 6, Houston 5.  
San Antonio 6, Dallas 2.  
Galveston 10, Shreveport 5.  
Beaumont 5, Wichita Falls 3.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	13	6	.684
Detroit	11	8	.579
Boston	10	8	.556
St. Louis	11	10	.524
Chicago	9	9	.500
Washington	9	12	.429
Cleveland	7	11	.389
Philadelphia	6	12	.333

#### Today's Schedule.

Beaumont at Fort Worth, Galveston at Dallas, Houston at Wichita Falls, San Antonio at Shreveport.

#### Yesterday's Results.

St. Louis 4, Cleveland 1.  
Boston 4, Washington 2.  
Detroit-Chicago, rain.  
Philadelphia-New York, rain.

#### Today's Schedule.

St. Louis at Boston, Cleveland at Philadelphia, Washington at New York. (Only three games scheduled).

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	14	5	.737
Cincinnati	13	6	.684
Chicago	12	10	.545
Brooklyn	10	9	.526
Pittsburgh	10	11	.476
Boston	6	10	.375
Philadelphia	5	11	.313
St. Louis	5	13	.278

#### Yesterday's Results.

New York-Philadelphia, rain.  
Chicago-Pittsburgh, rain.  
Cincinnati-St. Louis, rain.  
Boston-Brooklyn, not scheduled.

#### Today's Schedule.

Cincinnati at St. Louis, Boston at Pittsburgh. (Only two games scheduled).

TYLER.—Extensions and improvements in the telephone system here that have been decided upon, will bring the service up to the needs of the immediate future of the growing city.

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**NOTICE TO ELKS**  
Regular meeting of Ranger Lodge No. 1373, B. P. O. E., Friday, May 9, at 8:30 p. m. Initiation work and important business to come before the lodge. All members are urged to be present. Visiting brothers welcome.  
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24 lbs. Light Crust Flour ..... 98c  
Calumet Baking Powder, 16 oz. . 28c  
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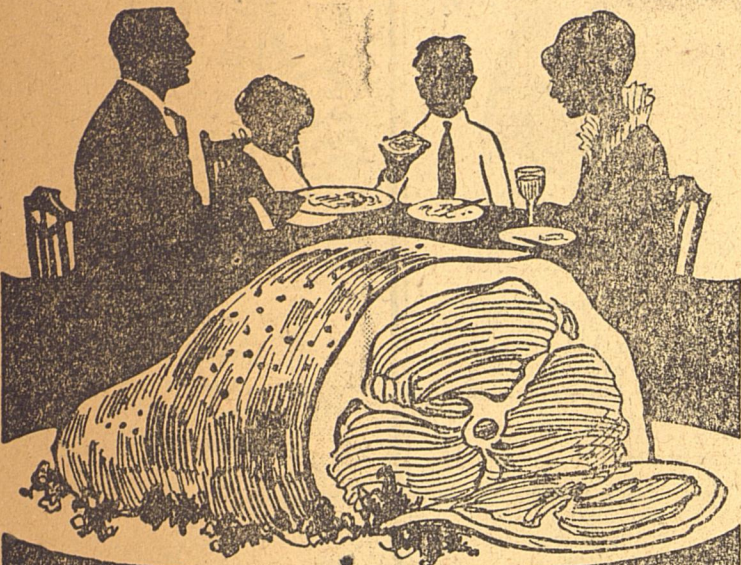
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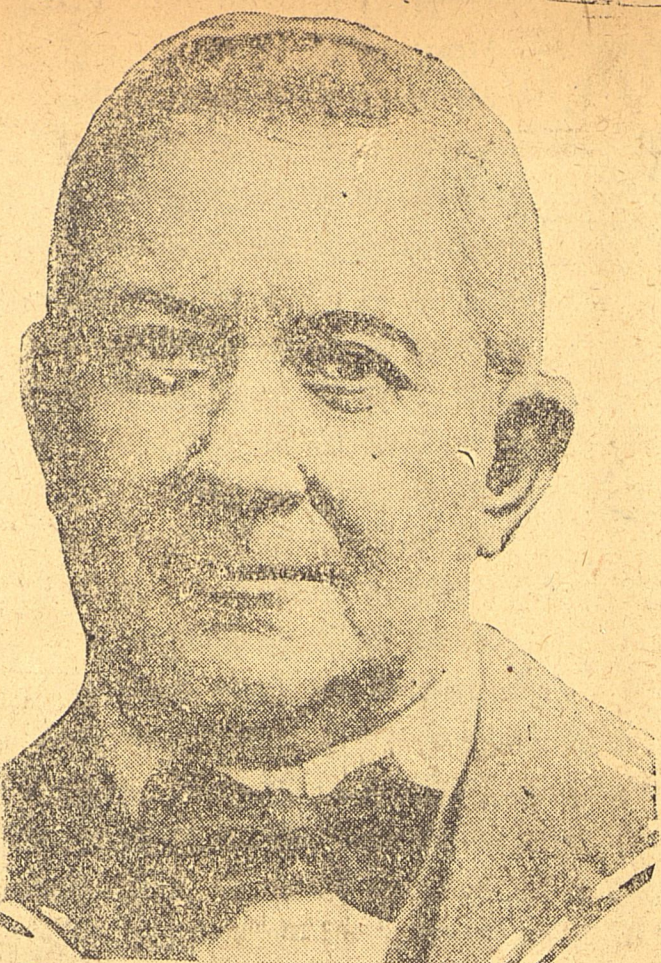
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**RANGER DAILY TIMES**

**WHO WILL BE NEW LEADER OF TAMMANY  
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**CHARLES F. MURPHY.**

The sudden death of Charles F. Murphy, leader for many years of  
Tammany Hall, New York's Democratic organization, and one of the  
most influential chieftains in national politics, will probably result in  
a free-for-all scramble for the leadership, holding, as it does, a vast  
amount of patronage.

**YOUNG ORATORS OF  
EASTLAND TO COMPETE  
TONIGHT FOR PRIZES**

Fifteen contestants from the East-  
land schools will try for the Stubble-  
field-Rosenquest prizes in an ora-  
torical contest at the Eastland High  
school auditorium this evening, be-  
ginning at 8 o'clock. Each contestant  
will deliver his own production.  
This is the first year that public  
speaking has been made a part of  
the curriculum of the Eastland High  
school. There is a large class, how-  
ever, and each member of it has  
made an enviable record.

**HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR CLASS  
PLAY PROVES BIG SUCCESS**

Spinsters of Ranger captured all  
of the eligible bachelors in town last  
night at the high school. The senior  
class play, the "Microbe of Love,"  
was voted a success by every one  
present. About 200 persons were in  
the audience. The play will be given  
again at the high school auditorium  
at 8 p. m. It is being given by the  
senior class for the benefit of the  
annual.

The principal characters, Madame  
Cupid, nee Hazel Jane Kenley, and  
Ellie Bachelor, nee R. N. Sandlin,  
acted their parts to perfection. Billie  
Bachelor was the president of the  
bachelor club and the chief opposi-  
tion in the way of the spinsters. The  
president of the old maids, Priscilla  
Prunes, nee Phyllis Williams, decided  
to call in outside help. She arrang-  
ed for Madame Cupid to distribute  
her love microbes among the men  
while they were asleep.

U. B. Careful, nee Murray White,  
and Lonie Lovey, nee Evelyn West,  
entertained the audience with a de-  
lightful love scene, the result of one  
of Madame Cupid's love microbes.  
The difficulties of married life  
were admirably demonstrated by Mr.  
Henpeck, nee Verner Mitchell, and  
Mrs. Henpeck, nee Maurine Bow-  
man.

**BURKETT ANNOUNCES  
SPEAKING DATES FOR  
LATTER PART OF WEEK**

Senator Joe Burkett of Eastland,  
candidate for governor, who is now  
on a speaking tour of West Texas,  
has announced the following speak-  
ing engagements for the latter part  
of next week:

Thursday, May 15, Bronte at 10 a.  
m.; Robert Lee at 1:30 p. m.; Ster-  
ling City at 4:30 p. m.; Garden City  
at 8 p. m.

Friday, May 16, Stiles, 10 a. m.;  
Rankin, 2 p. m.; Fort Stockton, 8:15  
p. m.

Saturday, May 17, Sanderson, 10  
a. m.; Alpine, 4 p. m.; Marfa, 8 p. m.

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A. B. Rankin, of Carbon, who is  
in Eastland this week attending court  
as a juror, is planning to go into the  
pecan business on a considerable  
scale. He owns a farm of 140 acres  
three miles south of Gorman, on  
the Sabanno river and has 75 or 80  
acres of this place either in pecans  
now or suitable for pecan planting.  
Mr. Rankin plans to improve and  
enlarge his present orchard by plant-  
ing and budding the very best va-  
rieties of paper shell pecans.

"But very little attention was paid  
to our orchard last year, yet we gath-  
ered approximately 10,000 bushels  
of pecans from it, which we sold for  
12 cents to 15 cents per pound," Mr.  
Rankin said.

Mr. Rankin plans to have experts  
to bud quite a number of trees for  
him during the present season.

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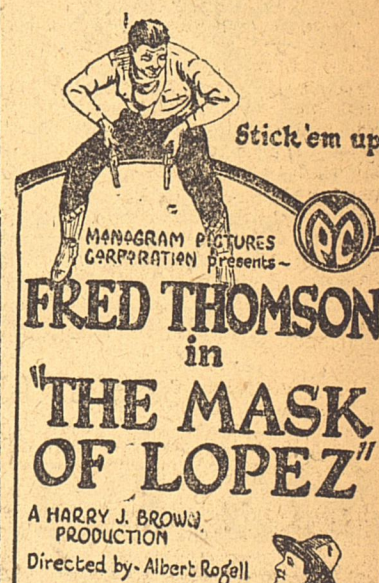
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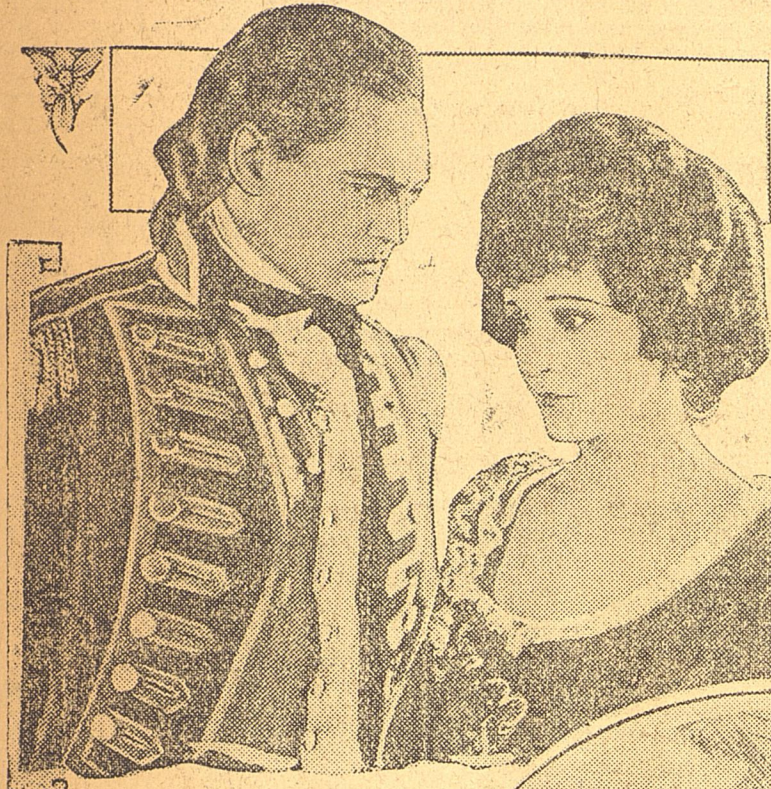
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# D. W. Griffith Makes "America" for D. A. R.

## Patriotic Societies, Historical Experts and the U. S. Army Aid In Making An Unusual Picture.



Walter Butler (Lionel Barrymore) and Nancy Montague (Carol Dempster)

**W**HEN the Daughters of the American Revolution suggested to David Wark Griffith that he make a photoplay based on the American Revolution, they started something. As a result of this suggestion Griffith is not only making the desired film, but leading historians, patriotic societies, society women, descendants of Revolutionary heroes, and the United States Army itself is helping him, and if everything goes according to schedule "America" as the new film has been named, should surpass even the "Birth of a Nation."

Probably no other film during its making ever created such widespread interest as that upon which Griffith is now working. This is due in part to its patriotic nature, which has already caused a revival of interest in Revolutionary times in the regions where the great conflicts of our first war were fought; and in part to the unusual way in which Griffith is making it.

Instead of building replicas of the historic buildings which must figure in any drama written about the Revolution, Griffith and his entire company of players, technicians and advisers, are traveling from place to place in special trains, and taking their scenes on the actual sites, with thousands of the general public as spectators, and society belles, Revolutionary descendants, and the enlisted men of the United States Army as "extras."

So far the experiment of "letting the public in" to view the actual filming of a motion picture is working out admirably, even though in several cases—namely in reproduction of big battle scenes—private movie camera men attempted to take "shots" of the scenes which Griffith staged at great expense, in order to sell them to small companies for use in mediocre pictures. A number of such attempts were stopped by State troopers in New York, and the picture cameras and films confiscated until the new Griffith picture has been released.

The magnitude of Griffith's undertaking in "America" can, perhaps, best be understood by the fact that he aims to reproduce the major battles of the War of Independence with strict fidelity to historical accuracy; that 250,000 feet of film has been used; that more than 50,000 persons have appeared in the scenes; that thousands of regular Army soldiers drafted for the purpose through the courtesy of Secretary of War Weeks' camped more than a fortnight in Putnam County to appear in a few scenes; and that when completed the picture will actually have cost more than a million dollars.

Although he had long realized the dramatic possibilities of the American Revolution as the basis for a photoplay, Griffith has been surprised, he says, at the enthusiasm which his project seems to have aroused. His New York office and his studios at Mamaronck, New York, have been literally flooded with requests from historical organizations which wish to aid with historical data or to appear in the picture; with valuable historical information from students of the Revolutionary period; with requests from municipalities which figured as the sites of Revolutionary incidents for him to bring his company and take pictures in their cities, towns and hamlets.

Indeed the production of "America" may be said to have taken on the aspect of a national revival of patriotism, and particularly of a renaissance of interest in the ideals and traditions of Revolutionary days. Whole townships have turned out to watch the rehearsing and the taking of scenes, and thousands who never saw a motion picture camera, and who had forgotten there ever was a War of Independence have had



The Minutemen Prepare To Protect Historic Buckman Tavern

An opportunity to see a dozen cameras in action, and to learn through watching a faithful reproduction of scenes in the struggle for liberty something of the stuff of which the Minutemen were made.

Some idea of the interest which the filming of "America" is being followed may be gained from the fact that historical societies and descendants of Revolutionary heroes in sections where scenes were being taken, brought forth the one from the cases and treasure chests of their museums, the other from family vaults, invaluable relics of the Revolution, ranging from pistols, spurs, and drums, to garments and costumes crumbling with age, and offered them to Griffith for use in his picture. Because of this enthusiasm it has been possible to use as "props" in "America" historical relics never before photographed, instead of present day replicas.

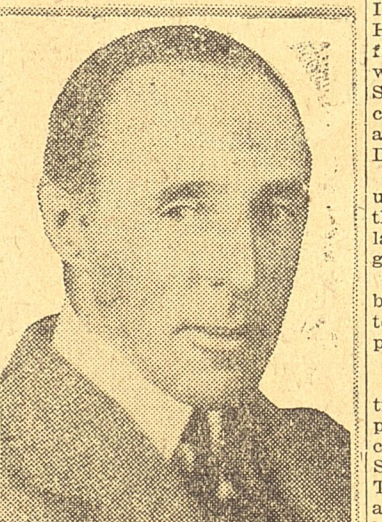
Griffith's aim in preserving historical accuracy has been achieved largely through the establishment of a special bureau of research. This innovation, which has proven successful, that the motion picture industry is contemplating establishing a similar institution under the directorship of Will H. Hays, consists of historians and scholars who were busy for months before the filming began, delving through the principal public and private collections of books, documents and prints for minute information.

Although it would seem that every detail regarding such a well known incident as Paul Revere's ride through Middlesex to warn the Minutemen of the coming of the British forces in command of Major Pitcairn, would be public property and the knowledge of every school child, the research workers found that such was not the case. Despite the fact that Revere's ride has been ably told in prose and verse, even eye-witnesses had neglected to mention what to Griffith was a very important item—the color of the nameless yet famous steed he rode.

Paintings of Revere generally show the horse as white, which the research workers, after weeks of seeking through yellowed documents, found to be incorrect. They were finally able to solve the problem. And this was but a minor incident, a petty puzzle among the many disputed points which were called upon to settle. Even with his research bureau Griffith would have found the solution of many disputed points impossible had it not been for the voluntary aid of local historians and patriotic societies, including such prominent personages as Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, president of the American Revolution, G. Watson James, national historian of the Sons of the American Revolution, Edwin B. Worthen, president of the Lexington Historical Society.

most widely known as an author of love stories, has written a number of historical novels, and is generally regarded as one of the best posted men in the country on

has made a specialty of Indian lore, and has been able to give Griffith much assistance in making the Northern Indians who appear in "America" true to life. When, for example, some one suggested an Indian raid with the Redskins on horseback, Chambers called attention to the little known fact that the original inhabitants of our eastern coast never used horses, but fought afoot. Cham-



Samuel Adams Greeted a Visitor to the Hancock-Clarke House, Lexington, Mass.

various fields where the chief engagements of the war were fought. Under the direction of regular Army officers an encampment for several thousand soldiers, with complete water supply, commissary, electric and sanitation plants was made, and a similar one for Griffith's large company of players. The whole encampment covered a neighboring hillside to the extent of a square mile.

Special trains carried the 18th Infantry from Fort Schuyler and Hamilton, and the 16th Infantry from Governor's Island, together with a 30 piece band from Fort Slocum, a commissary corps in command of Lieut. De Witt, and a medical unit under Capt. N. T. Davis into the camp at Somers.

Reserve cavalry units assembled under command of Capt. Love of the reserve forces, formed the largest such unit ever brought together outside of war manoeuvres. Other special cars and automobiles brought Griffith, his players, technicians and advisers—a company of more than a thousand.

Griffith had extended an invitation to the general public to be present. And the general public came. The roads leading into Somers were black with traffic. They came afoot, they came in automobiles; they came in ancient horse-drawn rigs; they came on bicycles—they came until at times there were 15,000 of them scattered over nearby hillsides. At times it seemed as though the whole of Putnam County had stopped work and left its farms and its firesides to watch "America" in the making. If the reader will put himself or herself in the place of one of these hurrying spectators, he will see as he passes along the road to Somers first the vast encampment, for weeks the home of Griffith and his players and of a section of the United States Army. There is a military atmosphere about the place, with its neat barracks, yet the figures moving about make it seem strangely unlike a military camp.

with Lexington Common, the famous bridge at Concord, and the ramparts hastily thrown up at Bunker Hill in the background.

From the valley to the brow of the hill, where stood a very high and very modern wooden structure, was a long stairway, and a series of telephone wires. It was from this structure, by means of field telephones, and mounted couriers, who dashed hither and thither like madmen, that D. W. Griffith and his staff of historians, military experts, and technicians, directed his players and United States Soldiers, refiguring the battles of the War of Independence.

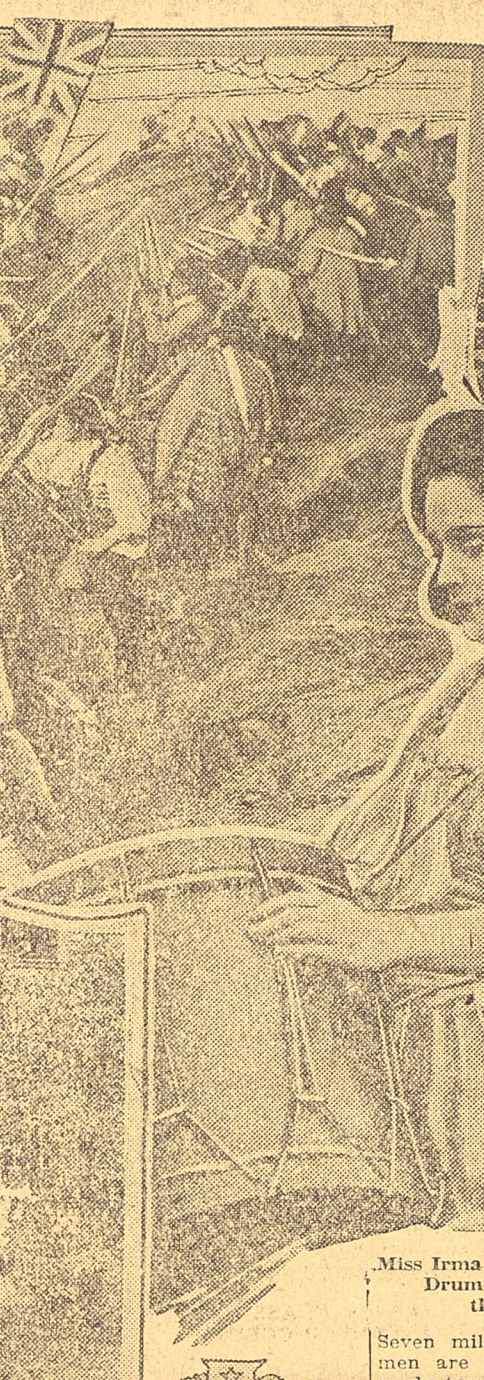
From the minute the soldiers arrived in camp they had been drilled in the manual of arms, in the tactics and strategy of Revolutionary times. During rehearsals they had doffed their modern khaki and donned the scarlet coats of grenadiers of King George the Third, and the buff and blue of Washington's Army.

Under the supervision of Army officers hundreds of Griffith players, dressed in real homespun, had learned the tactics of the Minutemen, and the workings of flintlock muskets. Coached by students of Indian lore the Redskins had learned to fight with bow, arrow and tomahawk.

Hundreds of actors had been interviewed by Griffith, in search of the best possible types for the prominent figures of the Revolution. The selection of the men to portray Prescott, Warren, Otis, Hancock, Arnold, the Adamses and the other striking figures of the

period alone had consumed weeks. Then had come the questions of make-up, dress and wigs. These questions settled had arisen the high problems of walk, posture and demeanor, and, these finally solved, had come the task of assembling the heroic figures of Lexington, Concord, Bunker Hill and the other battlefields in the proper place on the field.

But at last, as our reader climbs the grassy slope, all is ready. Twelve good men and true stand beside action waiting camera, eager for the word "shoot."



Miss Irma Harrison with the Drum Actually Used at the Battle of Lexington

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Carol Dempster and Neil Hamilton in a Love Scene

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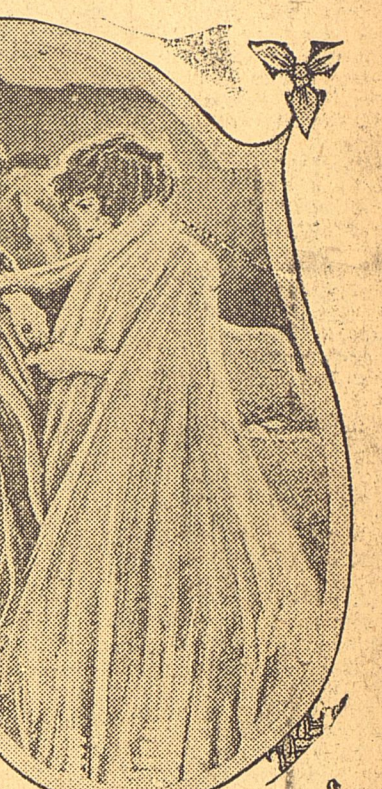
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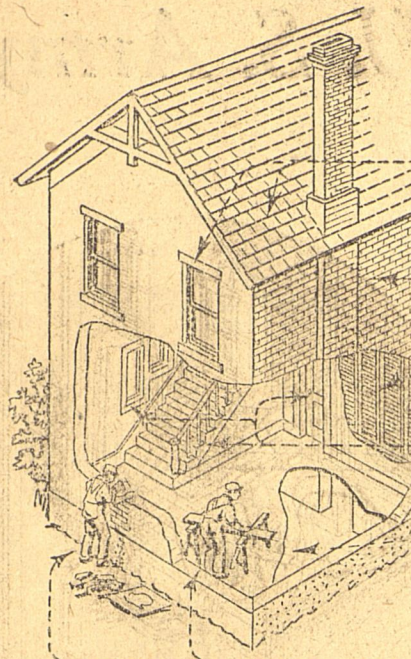
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Analysis of the cost of buildings shows that frequently brick itself represents only 8.3 per cent of the total expense



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## Flaming Oil Gusher at Sea Turns Night into Day

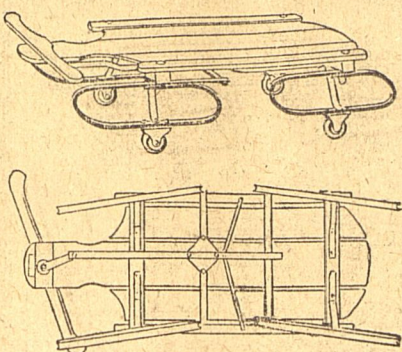
Passengers and crews of boats running between the island of Trinidad and the coast of Venezuela, in the Gulf of Paria, report having seen the surface of the water, illuminated for a great distance by a blazing column of gas and oil.

ENGINEERS AND ARCHITECTS 6.5%
OVERHEAD 11.2%
GENERAL 8.12%
PROFIT 7.48%
BRICK AND MORTAR 8.30%
LUMBER 15.12%
MILLWORK 9.66%
CONCRETE MATERIAL 5.71%
EXCAVATION 6.36%
LABOR 20.15%
INSURANCE 1.33%

such exposure is that the lines become weakened and cannot be relied upon when needed to pull in a heavy fish, as they usually break just at the critical moment. The lines should therefore be protected against effects of temperature and humidity. A good method of doing this is to wind each line on a spool and keep the spools in a tightly corked bottle. Lines have been kept in good condition in this way for 3 years. Straight olive bottles, or similar ones with the neck and body of the same diameter, are excellent to use for this purpose. The bottle is first corked and the tin cap then screwed on, with a piece of waxed paper under it.

## "Roller Skates" Fit on Sled for All-Year Coaster

Detachable rubber-tired wheels, like those on the latest type of roller skates, that can be fitted in a few moments into the runners of a "coaster," convert the sled into a smooth and silent running wagon for seasons when there is no snow. Steering is done by a convenient front rod which simultaneously turns the forward and rear runners. Sharp corners can be managed in this way, the danger of "skidding" on steep hills is lessened



and the sled is more easily controlled at high speeds. Springs and strong strips of steel are used in the gear and it is adjusted so that it cannot get "stuck." The sled weighs only fourteen pounds and is strongly built.

When overhead, profits and engineers' fees, etc. included, and 11.25 per cent when only materials and labor are used as the basis for figuring. These percentages will vary in different localities but, according to a large appraisal company, they represent typical costs. Under modern conditions, the labor bill approximates 27.5 per cent of the total expense when work and materials only are figured, millwork 13.2 per cent, and lumber 20.5 per cent. When the value of the furniture or the stock is added to other costs, the expense of the brick in the "all brick" structure is negligible.

## Preserving Fish Lines

Silk casting lines are often allowed to lie around in the tackle box on a shelf and are thus exposed to all changes of temperature and humidity. The result of

## JOHN AND F. HASSEN COME FROM SYRIA, EACH ACCOMPANIED BY BRIDE

John Hassen and his bride and F. Hassen and bride returned Wednesday night from Syria, having come over with Mr. and Mrs. D. Joseph, but remained a few days longer in New York before coming to Texas. The employees of the Joseph Dry Goods company gathered at the residence on South Hodges street Thursday night to give them a welcome.

## ADVICE ON SALESMANSHIP

"Call on 20 men a day; and you'll beat the average salesman, who calls on about eight."  
"Don't be discouraged by rebuffs; don't construe them as personal affronts. If one man throws you out, let the incident strengthen your determination to sell the next."  
"You need health and strength, physical stamina, to cover your territory; but more than that, you need moral courage. Most men are beaten, not by bodily fatigue, but by discouragement."  
"I never knew what it was to be

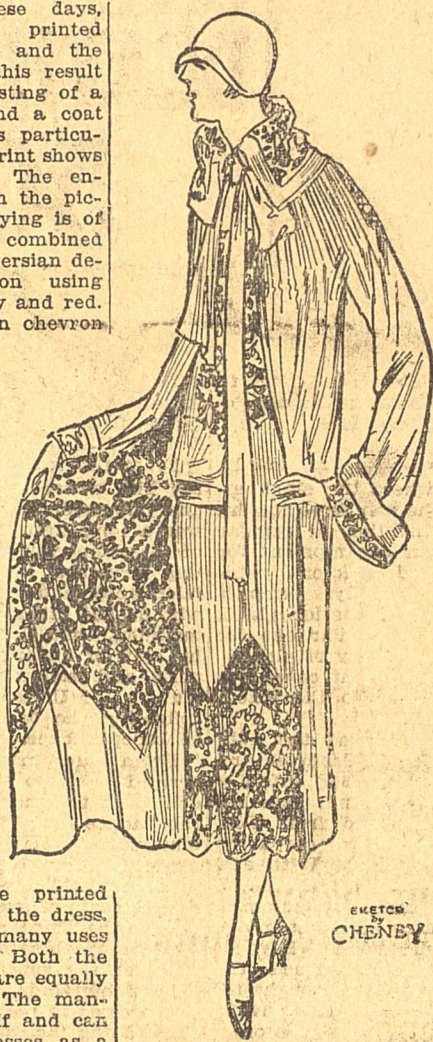
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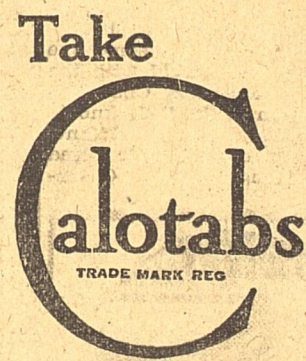
Among the most interesting careers which women have undertaken is that of Miss Grace H. Henry, one of the originators of the Junior League, the international philanthropic organization of young society women. She has attained a national reputation by her producing of Junior League plays all over the country. She has just completed a successful season in New York in which she put on two amateur performances, "The Red Mill" and a revival of "The Red Mill" and has now gone to Portland, Ore. to put on the Junior League play there. Miss Henry's talents are remarkable in that she usually writes the play, adapts the music, sets the dances, designs the scenery and directs the choruses. Miss Henry has also produced amateur plays in Kansas City, Dallas and New York.

## Fashion's Pages Are Printed

To be fashionable these days, one's costume must be printed, both inside and outside, and the easiest way to achieve this result is in the ensemble, consisting of a dress of printed silk, and a coat lined to match. This is particularly effective when the print shows very brilliant coloring. The ensemble which the lady in the picture is so proudly displaying is of rich midnight blue crepe combined with printed crepe in a Persian design of Cheney inspiration using vivid Chinese blue, yellow and red. The design is repeated in chevron bands which lend themselves to the deep points in which the printed material is joined to the plain. The dress is a straight-line affair with short sleeves barely more than an extended shoulder. The printed material is let in to the front of the bodice in the form of a vestee with a straight top forming a square neckline. There is no insert at the back.



The manteau combines the grace of the cape with the practicality of a coat. It is long and ample, the fullness being confined in the upper part of seven pleats. The large rolling collar and cuffs repeat again the printed theme of the lining and the dress. Such a costume has many uses for the Spring season. Both the frock and the manteau are equally good worn separately. The manteau is complete in itself and can be worn over light dresses as a wrap in the cooler days of summer.



for the liver  
Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

## TAKE SALTS IF STOMACH ISN'T ACTING RIGHT

Says Indigestion Results From An Excess of Hydrochloric Acid.

Undigested food delayed in the stomach decays, or rather ferments, the same as food left in the open air, says a noted authority. He also tells us that indigestion is caused by Hyperacidity meaning there is an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach which prevents complete digestion and starts food fermentation. Thus much like garbage souring in a can, forming acid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. Then we feel a heavy, lumpy misery in the chest; we belch up gas; we eructate sour food or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and drink it while it is effervescing and furthermore, to continue this for a week. While relief often follows the first dose, it is important to help neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices, stomach acids, and instead get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and drink it while it is effervescing and furthermore, to continue this for a week. 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COLORED MOVIES BIG STEP AHEAD IN STUDIO-LAND

Coming Year Expected to See Great Development in Art of Filming.

By HAROLD E. SWITZER (United Press Staff Correspondent) HOLLYWOOD, May 8.—Colored photography is coming into its own in the production of motion pictures...

The Western drama is, to a large extent, a glory of the past. The costume play, some say, is through. The crook stuff, with the regeneration in the last reel, has been overdone.

Color photography will furnish it, many say. For some years past there have been efforts to work in colored footage in infrequent pictures...

"For years the use of color in photoplay productions has been very much the exception," according to George Fitzmaurice, well-known director.

"The effect was the same as the use of soft-focus views here and there in a photoplay, which practice has now been practically discontinued for the reason that the contrast between the soft focus effects and the sharp views tended to make the production an assortment of different photographs rather than a smooth method of telling a story.

Photographic Tricks. "In other words, the illusion was interrupted. The mixed use of treatments made one conscious of photographic tricks instead of keeping one's mind on the story.

Others are devoting more time to the thought of color in productions than ever before. It is plainly evident that we must look to the use of color photography for our next great step in the progress of motion pictures...

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WIDELY KNOWN WRITER ON RELIGION IN AMERICA

For many years Dr. William T. Ellis has written for the Dallas News and more than three-score other daily newspapers in the United States and Canada...

"If I didn't have a far more important message in 'America's Way Out for the World,' I would like to lecture on 'Through Bible Lands in American Automobiles,' narrating some of my recent experiences in the new-old trouble centers of the world," said Dr. Ellis.

Farmers who have read the recent article in 'The Country Gentleman' entitled, 'All Things Pass But This,' a remarkably intimate and illuminating picture of farming in Bible lands, will want to hear the author, Dr. William T. Ellis, lecture at the Chautauqua upon 'America's Way Out for the World—A Traveler's Conclusions.'

FLAG TO BE DEDICATED IN CISCO EPISCOPAL CHURCH

All Episcopallians of Eastland are invited to attend services on Sunday at the Church of Our Saviour, 404 West Seventh street, Cisco, at 11 o'clock in the morning when a beautiful American flag, presented by the John W. Butts post, American Legion, will be dedicated.

ALPHA DELPHIAN CHAPTER MEETS SATURDAY P. M.

The Alpha Delphians meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Baker at the States Oil corporation camp, the place of meeting having been changed from the residence of Mrs. James Horton, 417 East Sadosa street.

DULIN-DANIELS POST TO HAVE MONTHLY DINNER

The Dulin-Daniels Post No. 70, Eastland, of American Legion, voted to have a regular monthly dinner for its members or those eligible for membership, on Saturday night of the second week in each month. This month it comes on May 10. Arrangements were not made in time to get the dining room for this month and the place will be announced later.

ROARING SPRINGS. — An electric lighting and ice plant is to be built here at once by J. F. McCord of Quanah.



THE PARSLEY KING OF THE UNITED STATES FOR 1924 The sprig of parsley which decorated your steak during late February and early March was grown by the central figure in the above group, H. H. Wetegrove.

JAPAN STARVES WHEN THE FISH DEALERS STRIKE

Barred by Buddha From Meat, Many of the People Depend Wholly on Fish.

By BRANK H. HEDGES, United Press Staff Correspondent. TOKIO (By mail to United Press)—For three days Tokio has been without fish. For three days the Japanese husband coming home at night has been confronted with a tasteless meal.

Many centuries ago the Buddha decreed that none of his followers should eat meat, and Buddhist Japan is still faithful to the command. Where no meat is eaten, fish naturally takes the place of importance.

Save in the port cities and the capital, where many foreigners live and where most of the Japanese who have been abroad congregate, it is virtually impossible to procure meat in Japan.

And so, a strike of the wholesale fish dealers of Tokio is a serious affair. The strike came about because the municipal council decided to charge rental on the stalls in the municipal fish market.

They had suffered loss from the earthquake and no charge was made for rental of stalls. But the municipal council finally decided it was overlooking a good source of revenue, and announced that rent would be charged.

A riot followed. The fish dealers proceeded en masse to a restaurant owned by the municipal councillor most active in levying the charge, and stormed the place of business. Eleven were arrested. The rest declared a strike, and for three days

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STUDENT CONVICTED OF MURDER GETS NEW TRIAL

AUSTIN, May 9.—Otto Nami, University of Texas student, convicted of murdering his landlady, John Ross, here, in February, 1922, and sentenced to 18 years, will have another trial. The court of criminal appeals reversed judgment of the Hays county district court.

The youth has been held in jail since his conviction nearly a year ago. Nami claims he shot Ross in self defense during a quarrel.

Shubert Theatres Won by Equity Actors.



The Shubert group of theatres in New York, headed by Lee Shubert, have broken away from the Producing Managers' Association and signed a contract with Actors' Equity Association providing for a closed shop and assuring plays in at least 43 theatres where strikes were threatened June 1.

GORMAN HOME REFINERY CASE AGAIN ON TRIAL

The Gorman Home Refinery case is again being tried in the Eighty-eighth district court. At noon today the testimony was said to be about all in and it was expected that the attorneys would make their arguments and the case be given to the jury this afternoon.

MATTHEWS-GRAY WEDDING SOLEMNIZED

Rev. W. C. Kunze, pastor of the Eastland Presbyterian church, united in marriage Mr. J. R. Matthews and Miss Grace Gray of Gorman at the Presbyterian manse, Eastland, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The young couple returned to Gorman, where they will make their home.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

No. 10555. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Eastland County, Texas, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon B. F. Cowan by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in one newspaper published in your county and ninety-first judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the Ninety-first District Court of Eastland County, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 10,855, wherein Cora Jewett is plaintiff and B. F. Cowan is defendant.

For cause of action plaintiff alleges that the said defendant lawfully married in the city of Muskogee, Oklahoma, April 3, 1919, and continued to live together until on or about March 2, 1921. She avers that the defendant disregarding his marital vow and the solemnity of the obligation to treat plaintiff with kindness and affection, about one year after said marriage, commenced a course of unkind, harsh and malicious conduct toward her which continued with slight intermission until she left plaintiff on or about March 3, 1921. That defendant has deserted and abandoned plaintiff for the past three years, which is the time provided for in the statute and plaintiff alleges that she should be entitled to a divorce from said defendant.

Premises considered, plaintiff prays the court to decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant and that she be restored her maiden name, Cora Short, and for general relief of special relief.

Herein fail not and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, in writ with your return thereon, showing you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Eastland this 17th day of April, A. D. 1924. ROY NUNNALLY, Clerk District Court, Eastland County. By WILBOURNE B. COLLIE, Deputy. May 25-May 29-16.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

No. 10854. THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Eastland County, Texas, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon M. Tompkins by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in one newspaper published in your county and 88th judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the 88th district court of Eastland county, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, on the 1st Monday in July, A. D. 1924, the same being the 7th day of July, A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 10,854, wherein Melina Tompkins is plaintiff and J. M. Tompkins is defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married in the city of Muskogee, Okla., 26th day of April, 1920; that they continued to live together until about the 20th day of July, 1922.

Plaintiff alleges that defendant became unfaithful to his marriage vows shortly after their marriage and began a course of unkind, harsh and tyrannical treatment and conduct towards her which continued until he separated from him; that during said time the defendant accused plaintiff of being untrue to him which accusation were ungrounded and not true; that defendant was of a jealous disposition and to the extent that he would continually harass and mistreat his defendant; that such conduct is of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that upon final hearing hereof she be awarded a divorce, dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and the defendant, and for costs of suit.

Herein fail not and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, in writ with your return thereon, showing you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Eastland this 6th day of May, A. D. 1924. ROY NUNNALLY, Clerk, District Court, Eastland County, Texas. By WILBOURNE B. COLLIE, Deputy. May 9-16-23-30.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

No. 10774. THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Eastland County, Texas, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Tanager, Texas Oil Company, a corporation, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in one newspaper published in your county and 88th judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the 88th district court of Eastland county, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, on the first Monday in July, A. D. 1924, the same being the 7th day of July, A. D. 1924, then and

there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court as No. 10,774, wherein Henry S. Livingston and Earl Gorman are plaintiffs, and The Tanager Texas Oil Company, a corporation, J. O. Galloway, and A. G. Carter, are defendants, and said petition alleging that herebefore, lawfully on or about Jan. 1, 1924, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, situated in Eastland county, Texas, to-wit: and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

10 acres in the form of a square out of land in the N. W. corner of the following described two tracts of land, to-wit: First tract: 191 acres out of Harrell pre-emption survey, abstract No. 1352.

Second tract: 191 acres out of the Ben Willis survey, abstract No. 1212, said 191 acres being described as follows: Beginning 1007 1/2 vrs. N. of the S. W. corner of the same; thence N. 112 1/2 vrs.; thence E. 350 vrs.; thence S. 112 1/2 vrs. thence west 950 feet, to the beginning, said lands being more particularly described by a certain instrument of record in Vol. 212 of the deed records of Eastland county, Texas, and being the same lands as are described in certain instruments of conveyance of record in Vol. 121 at page 463 and 123 at page 463 and Vol. 147 at page 220 of the deed records of Eastland county, Texas, the originals of which are in the possession of the defendants and they are hereby given notice to produce the same on the trial hereof or secondary evidence will be introduced about said lands.

That on the day and year last aforesaid, the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withheld from them the possession thereof to their damage in the sum of \$1,600.00; the annual rental thereof is the sum of \$750.00.

Wherefore, plaintiffs pray judgment of said court for the title and possession of said above described lands and premises and that a writ of restitution issue and judgment for their rents, damages, costs of suit, and for such other and lawful special relief as shall be decreed at law or in equity as the facts on the trial hereof may show them entitled to as will ever occur.

Herein fail not, and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, in writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in the city of Eastland, this 6th day of May, A. D. 1924. ROY NUNNALLY, Clerk, District Court, Eastland County, Texas. By WILBOURNE B. COLLIE, Deputy. May 9-16-23-30.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AT ABILENE.

Whereas, by virtue of order of sale issued out of the district court of the United States, Northern District of Texas, and Abilene division, on judgment rendered in said court on the 19th day of January, 1924, in favor of plaintiff, A. T. Nelson, against the defendants, McCamey, Sheerin & Dumas, individually, I, J. D. Barton, as sheriff of said county, Texas, do hereby certify that the following described tracts or parcels of land situated in the county of Eastland, Texas, are the property of the defendants, McCamey, Sheerin & Dumas, a partnership and James McCamey, John A. Sheerin and H. O. Dumas, individually, to-wit:

Being an undivided 1/2 interest in lease on G. T. Greer and C. M. G. Co. land. An undivided 1/2 interest in lease on north 92 acres, H. O'Neal survey. Lease on 50 acres in a square on S. E. corner of town owned by C. N. Morgan in A. J. McGowan survey. Lease on south 80 acres of Survey No. 900 and 901, S. M. G. Co. land. Lease on 1 and 1/2 acres of subdivision G, D. S. Richardson survey. Lots No. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

Dated at Abilene, Texas, this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1924. SAM L. GROSS, United States Marshal. By BAYLOR CRAWFORD, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

No. 10079. THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland. By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable 91st district court of Eastland county, on the 7th day of May, 1924, by Roy Nunnally, clerk of said court, against The Harris-Fisher Oil Company, a trust association for the sum of Thirty-One Thousand Ninety-nine and 40/100 (\$31,099.40) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 10079 in said court, styled Commercial State Bank of Cisco, Plaintiff, and Lawson Magruder, Receiver, Defendant, versus Harris-Fisher Oil Company, and placed in my hands for service, I, J. D. Barton, as sheriff of Eastland county, Texas, do hereby certify that on the 8th day of May, 1924, I levied on certain real estate situated in Eastland county, described as follows to-wit:

And, whereas, the said judgment is a foreclosure of a lien as it existed on Nov. 8, A. D. 1922, or any time thereafter, on all right, title and interest of the Harris-Fisher Oil Company in and to an undivided 2 1/2 in and to a certain oil and gas and mining lease covering 27 1/2 acres of the entire south side of a 60-acre tract of land located and situated in Eastland county, Texas, and described in a certain instrument of record in Vol. 218, at page 8406, located and situated in Eastland county, Texas, said lands hereinafter being described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the S. W. corner of Block No. 92 of subdivision No. 1; thence along the west boundary line of said 40-acre tract 378 feet to a point in the line of said west boundary line; thence in an easterly direction parallel with the south line of said 40-acre tract 1,302 feet to a point in the east line of said 40-acre tract 278 feet to the S. E. corner of said 40-acre tract; thence along the south line of said 40-acre tract to the place of beginning, 1,302 feet. Together with all personal property use or obtained in connection therewith, and levied upon as the property of said Harris-Fisher Oil company, a trust association, by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Ranger Daily Times, a newspaper published in Eastland county. Witness my hand, this 8th day of May, A. D. 1924. J. D. BARTON, Sheriff, Eastland County, Texas. By EDWARD C. BETTIS, Deputy. May 9-16-23-30.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

No. 10428. THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland. By virtue of a certain execution (with bill of costs), issued out of the honorable 88th district court of Eastland county, on the 20th day of April, 1924, by Roy Nunnally, clerk of said court, against W. T. Faubrough, for the sum of Two Thousand Twenty-four and 00/100 (\$2,024.00) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 10428 in said court, styled First State Bank of Eastland et al.,

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Ladies' Silk Hose, our \$1.00 value, special	85c	<b>CHILDREN'S</b>	Children's lisle Silk Sox, all colors, half or three-quarter style, 50c value, special	39c	
Ladies' Silk Hose, our \$1.50 value, special	\$1.22	Children's Silk Sox, all colors, 75c values, special	59c	Children's Silk Sox, \$1.00 value, special	79c
Ladies' Silk Hose, our \$2.00 value, special	\$1.59	Children's Silk Sox, \$1.25 value, special	\$1.00	Men's Lisle Hose, 50c value, special	39c
Ladies' full fashioned Silk Hose, our famous \$2.00 value, special	\$1.85	Men's Silk Hose, \$1.00 value, special	75c	Men's Silk Hose, \$1.25 value, special	95c
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#### Huck Towels

16x29 in. Huck Towels, 15c value, special	13c
18x36 in. Huck Towels, 25c value, special	19c
18x36 in. Huck Towels, 50c value, special	39c

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18x34 in. Turkish Towels, 25c value, special	19c
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### Gents Furnishings

Broadway Silk Shirts, beautiful patterns, full run of sizes, \$6.75 value, special	\$5.00	Little Boys' black straw hats, special price	95c and \$1.95
Garbidine Suits, excellent colors, Norfolk styles, sizes 37, 38, 40, regular price \$27.50, spec.	\$19.50	Arrow Brand Collars, special, each	15c
Swell line of ties, special \$1.00 value, Saturday,	75c	Men's Hose Supporters, 25c value, pair	19c
		Men's 25c Sox, smooth, tough stock, comes in brown, grey, black, navy, special, pair	19c

### Film Director Cuts Play TO 20 Reels, Can Cut No More

By HAROLD E. SWISHER, United Press Staff Correspondent. HOLLYWOOD, May 6.—Eric von Stroheim is the mystery man of filmdom. He is one, perhaps THE one, director in Hollywood who places his cut above his pocketbook. Von Stroheim has done this almost to his own financial ruin.

Universal let Von Stroheim out more than a year ago during the midst of his filming "Merry Go Round." It was finished by another director, whose name appeared on the billboards. But to those who know Hollywood and its picture producers, "Von's" stamp was on the film as indelibly as if his name had been there too.

Von Stroheim cared not for expenses, Universal chiefs told their intimate confidants as the reason for his dismissal. He was slow and his attention to detail was amazing.

What business had a high-priced director holding up a big scene while he went down a long line of "foreign" troops and adjusted every cap to the proper angle.

Von Stroheim did this. The impress of his Austrian military training left him with an eye for details. There must be nothing in any of his foreign scenes that his own recollection of Europe could substantiate. His "Polish Wives" was perfectly drawn. It made money, but Oy, Oy, the cost!

So "Von" left Universal, and some time later signed a contract with Goldwyn. It was a peculiar kind of a contract; one framed, Goldwyn thought, to speed the smart, military, yet femininely artistic director into faster production.

He was to receive a drawing account and expenses while he was "shooting" a film. When the filming was done, "Von's" checks stopped, too, until the celluloid was cut and out to the exhibitors. Then the director was to receive a percentage of the profits.

"McTigue," Frank Norris' novel, filmed under the title of "Greed," was picked for Von Stroheim's first Goldwyn production. Nearly a year was spent in photographing it, with many of the scenes taken in and around San Francisco, where the plot of the book is laid.

Then "Von" came back to the Goldwyn studio in Culver City, with some forty reels of film, and commenced the task of cutting it down to proper length—10 reels at the most. And when he started cutting his name went off the payroll. Without an income "Von" would speed up. Goldwyn believed; perhaps slip over the details a bit and get the film out to the exhibitors.

That was six months ago. Most directors complete a similar task in a month or less. "Greed" is now down to 20 reels. "Greed" is says he cannot cut it shorter. He hopes to show it in the larger theatres on two succeeding nights, one-half each night.

Newspaper critics and others who have seen "Greed" as it is run off, day after day, in Von Stroheim's tiny cutting room, while he looks for a chance to shorten it without ruining his artistic masterpiece, declare it a triumph. It will be a "knockout," they declare.

Von Stroheim, with no income for

six months, sitting silently with his chin in characteristic pose resting on the end of his cane, goes to the studio each day. Many times he works through the day and all the night. But "Greed" will hold all of Von Stroheim's art, no matter how slim his bankroll becomes.

### EVERY-DAY TREASURES

By EMMA GARY WALLACE In the Christian Herald

We do not need to go to the far-away fields of the frozen North, to rugged mountain fastnesses, to stand knee-deep on the pebbly beds of racing rivers searching for gold, or to dig for precious gems in the pipes of extinct volcanoes.

We have far greater wealth right within our reach and grasp—no matter where they may be located.

After all, the most precious treasures possible to win are those which are actually priceless—and the best of it all is that most of these every-day treasures are ours for the tak-

ing. We are not limited in our possession.

Sunshine, fresh air, and pure water are Nature's gifts and yet it has taken centuries of education to teach people to appreciate these things.

Every day life has many daily satisfactions, which for preciousness are not comparable with taxable treasures—the joys of friendship, the sweetness of family ties, the splendid senses of seeing, and smelling, and touching, and tasting, the ability to surmount difficulties, and the knowledge that even if our best efforts seem to fail, that in the final part of life, every thread will be picked up and woven into lines of enduring strength and beauty.

One of the richest women I have ever known did not possess a large share of this world's good, but her interest in the people about her, her fine spirit of encouraging, helpful service, her never failing appreciation of the beauties of nature, her cheerfulness and great faith, made her rich beyond all estimate.

She had deliberately turned her back upon large wealth to do the

things she loved to do. She heard the call and answered it. It was years and years ago that a timid school teacher about to fare forth for the first time sought her counsel. "Well, how does thee feel?" she asked brightly after first greetings were over.

"Rather frightened," confessed the writer, who was that girl of yesterday.

"But why?" "Oh, I am so eager to do my best," was the reply. "But the road is steep and long, and it would be so serious to make a mistake."

The lady smiled again. "There has no need to fear," she returned quietly. "For thee has thy sword and buckler to fasten on, and the path up the mountain side leads to the top. Then thee has seen the vision. There is very rich!"

One of the things that is making our American life so feverish and increasing the strain of making both ends meet is the mistake of putting the emphasis in the wrong place.

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## Shopping at Joseph's Saturday and Monday

Below we list a few of the many specials offered you for two days, Saturday and Monday. We especially invite you to shop here these two days and share in the saving.

Ladies' House Slippers, all colors and sizes	75c	Imported Colored Organdies, up to \$1.75 value	95c
9-4 Pepperell Sheeting, bleached and unbleached for	55c	Dotted Swiss Paisley pattern, 95c value, for	78c
45c value Cretonne, new spring patterns, for	35c	65c value colored Indian Head, guaranteed fast color, for	48c
35c value new spring Cretonne, pretty patterns	28c	50c value French Gingham, big assortment, for, yard	39c
Quaker Lace Curtains, 95c values for	78c	Genuine A. B. C. Silk, \$1.00 value for	78c
75c value Quaker Lace Curtains for	58c	Genuine 16 Momme Pongee, \$1.65 value,	\$1.38
36-in. Percale, our regular 25c grade, for	19c	One lot Taffeta, in solid colors, \$2.50 value, for	\$1.85
25c value Gingham, 27-in. wide, for only	19c	45c value 32-in. Gingham, all colors, for	35c
75c value Tissue Gingham, for	58c	Ladies Radio Hose, all colors for	98c
		Humming Bird Hose, \$1.75 value for only	\$1.38

## The New Silkette Dresses \$6.45

While in New York Mr. Joseph selected some new style Dresses, made of the new silkette material. These frocks are really nifty and come in either stripes or checks. Pockets are strikingly set in with a little lace or braid trimming and all have belts of the same material. Regular \$8.50 value.

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For Saturday and Monday we have picked a select lot of Ladies' Silk Dresses in the very newest styles and colors. These are real values in these dresses as the former values are up to \$32.50.

### Sale Ladies' Hats \$3.95

A select lot of the fine Martha Hats in values up to \$7.50 offered you for Saturday and Monday at this low price of \$3.95.

Also a special lot of Children's Hats on sale at \$2.95.

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### Silk Remnant Sale

Here Saturday you will find our bargain table filled with Silk Remnants of all kinds in most any desirable length.

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