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**SENTENCE SERMON**  
The ablest men are always willing to learn. They do not gauge intelligence by outside appearance. Brains are not in the sample case.

**THE WEATHER.**  
West Texas—Tonight and Wednesday partly cloudy, probably showers in southeast portion; cooler in Panhandle Wednesday.

## ARMY CHIEFS PLAN TO CRUCIFY MITCHELL

### EASTLAND GUN CLUB'S SHOOT IS SUCCESSFUL

James Horton and Mrs. Horton First Prize Winners; Other Good Scores Made.

Eastland shooters were largely the winners of prizes offered at the Eastland gun club's annual shoot Labor Day. The attendance was not as large as had been anticipated, but there was much interest and the shoot was a very successful one from every standpoint.

Following are the prize winners and the scores they made:

Class A—James Horton, first prize, a gun case, score 178; L. A. Hightower, second prize, shooting coat, score 181; Beavers, Ranger, third prize, bill fold.

Class B—Mrs. Horton, second prize hunting knife, score 163; E. A. Clayton, first prize, hunting coat, score 166.

Main event—Shoemaker, prize electric iron, score 92; Mummell, prize, Coleman stove, score 105; Claude Lowe, prize, Coleman lantern, score 104; Mrs. Landon, prize thermos jug, score 102; W. A. Hackett, prize, gun scabbard, score 105.

Doubles—Delometer, Rising Star, fishing rod for prize, score 44; Len Hightower, prize camp kit, score 44; James Horton, prize thermos bottle, score 42; A. C. Simmons, prize 100 shells, score 39.

Longest run without a miss—Delometer, prize 200 shells, score 39; low score, (winner not named) score 134, prize cleaning rod.

Squad race—J. C. Harrell, Delometer, T. H. Landon, John Harrell, prizes, five pocket knives.

### COTTON CROP REPORT MAKES FAIR SHOWING

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The condition of the cotton crop, Sept. 1, was 56.2 per cent normal as compared with 62 per cent in August and 59.2 per cent in September of last year, the department of agriculture announced today.

From this condition department experts conclude the yield per acre will be about 141.5 pounds for a total production of about 13,740,000 bales of 500 pounds gross.

Production last year was 13,627,936 bales.

Cotton of the 1925 crop ginned to Sept. 1 totaled 1,892,549 running bales against 947,494 bales in 1924, and 1,142,660 bales in 1923.

### PRESIDENT TO PROCEED WITH AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE

SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., Sept. 8.—President Coolidge's agricultural conference, which he has summoned to Washington to complete its program of legislation dealing with farm problems, should meet its final report by Thanksgiving, the president believes.

The president is disregarding suggestions from Washington that it would be better to drop the commission and its mission, on account of the unpopularity of the body. Secretary of Agriculture Jardine will determine the procedure of the meeting.

### Eastland Retail Merchants Meet Today

Miss Marie Stevens, secretary of the Eastland Retail Merchants' association, announces that there will be a regular meeting of that organization in the chamber of commerce rooms in the basement of the Texas bank building this evening at 8 o'clock. This meeting will be the first one to be held since the summer vacation began and many important matters will be up for discussion.

### Filling Station at Olden is Robbed

The Hamilton filling station at Olden was entered by burglars last night, who took several hundred dollars' worth of tires, tubes, and other automobile accessories. Entrance to the building was gained by prying the lock off the back door. County officers were notified this morning of the burglary and are working on the case.

### RADIO PROGRAM

Radio programs are announced in Dallas and Fort Worth for tonight as follows:

Dallas, station WFAA, 475.9 meters.

6:30 to 7:30 p. m.—Frenley Moore and his black and gold serenaders.

8:30 to 9:30 p. m.—Anna Major Rapley, pianist, in recital.

11 to 12 midnight—Majestic theater act.

Fort Worth, station WBAF, 475.9 meters.

7:30 to 8:30 p. m.—The R. H. Cornelius quartet singing sacred selections. (C. B. L.)

9:30 to 10:45 p. m.—Concert arranged by Sam Losh. (C. B. L.)

### Mine Operators in Pittsburg County of Oklahoma Want Troops

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 8.—Operators in Pittsburg county were to ask Governor Trapp today to declare martial law in the city of Hartshorne and Dow township, according to Sheriff Will Anderson, in charge of the strike situation. Many non-union men are carrying arms for fear of their lives, according to the sheriff, and feeling is growing tense.

W. E. Gotcher, Pittsburg county attorney, and the sheriff, were to confer today with the governor, who has indicated he would send troops into the district if it appeared really necessary.

### TEACHERS HEAR TALKS ABOUT SCHOOL WORK

Second Day of Institute Devoted to Methods of Interesting The Children

Features of the program for the Eastland county teachers' institute yesterday were addresses by Judge N. N. Rosenquest, Director Evans, and Mrs. W. K. Jackson. Judge Rosenquest spoke on the "Back to the Farm" question and Mrs. Jackson along musical lines. Dr. Evans took up an elaborated on the subjects dealt with by the two former speakers.

Following the addresses a musical program was given. Jack Lewis Jr. with Mrs. B. A. Butler at the piano, gave two saxophone solos and a descriptive number, "I Love a Little Cottage." Mrs. J. B. Leonard and Mrs. Grady Pipkin sang as a duet, "Dear Old Texas," a song composed by Mrs. Leonard, words written by Mrs. Taggart of Eastland and entered in the contest for the state song.

Following is the program for today:

Tuesday Morning—9, assembly at a school, joyous singing by all, W. Z. Bates, leader; 9:10, Scripture reading, prayer; J. H. Stewart, pastor Methodist church, Eastland; 9:20, special music; 9:30, subject "Natural Laws in the Mental World," Dr. Evans; 10, intermission by singing or calisthenics; subject, the Texas survey; (a) The County Administration and Supervision of Schools, Rural Schools, R. M. Cantrell, superintendent, Desdemona; (b) The Common School District as a Unit of Administration.

Tuesday Afternoon—Assembly music; 1:30, address, S. E. Clark, representative state department of education; 1:40, address, School Management, subject Selling School to Community.

1—Through School Ground Activities and Improvements, R. L. Spear, Odessa.

2—Through Attitude Toward Pupils and Parents, G. H. Wells, Cison.

3—Through Indoor Activities, L. E. Forrest, Ranger.

4—Summary, Dr. Evans.

Tuesday Evening—After 5 p. m., supper twilight vesper amusements; plays and games; meeting of Eastland citizenship with teachers of the county; (1) plays and games; (2) story telling; Dr. Evans' other features will be brought into play; old-time songs will close recreational evening. Important: Eastland will offer tubs of ice cold lemonade.

### Heroes of the Air Who Died With Fall of the Shenandoah Buried With Honors

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The many officers who gave their lives in the crash of the Shenandoah were buried with martial honors of the nation on the heights of Arlington at 11 a. m. today as the navy department pursued its investigation to determine the scientific reason for the catastrophe. Commander Lansdowne will be buried at 3 p. m.

A simple sailor's service preceded the last salute as the bodies of Lewis Hancock, executive officer; Lieut. J. B. Lawrence, senior watch officer, and Lieut. E. W. Sheppard were lowered into the grave. The martyrs of the crash into the grave, the martyrs of the cemetery. Their bodies were borne from the receiving vault

### Legionnaire Stands Guard



Members of the American Legion paid full military honors to the 14 members of the Shenandoah killed in the wreck of the dirigible near Ava, Ohio. Here is a legionnaire standing guard over the caskets of the men who made the supreme sacrifice for their country.

### Senators Reed Flails Policy of President

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—President Coolidge and his economy program came in for a bitter denunciation in an address given by Senator James Reed, of Missouri, before 2,500 democrats at a rally on a farm near here Monday. "He tells you he wants economy," he said, "yet three years ago he recommended to congress an appropriation of \$100,000,000 more than congress was willing to appropriate and last year he recommended a hike sum over the amount that congress wanted to make."

Asked about his opinion of Vice President Dawes, he replied, "I refuse to discuss the incompetent."

He denounced the democratic convention in New York as a "dog and cat fight" and declared that those who wanted to be in favor of the democratic party would have to live up to democratic principles and return to the party.

### Flowers to Preach About Liars and About Hypocrites

"Liars and hypocrites" will be the subject that Evangelist Flowers will talk on tonight at the revival services at the Methodist church. His subject topics are: Pagans, flirting husbands and wives, mid-night auto rides, gambling, church members, and crooked business.

All of the above indicate that the service will not lag. The evangelist has a message with a moral that might apply to our own Main street.

A capacity crowd is expected at the evening service. A large crowd greeted Mrs. Flowers last night to hear a master message. Taking her text from Romans 1-16, "Am I ashamed of the Gospel of Christ," she spoke direct to every man or woman in the audience, seemingly bringing each a message just meant for their own particular need.

There was a good sized crowd present at the morning service, at 10 o'clock, which is one of the most consecrated services of the day. Every Sunday school in Ranger, or neighboring churches, is urged to meet Rev. Mr. A. J. Flowers at 7:30 this evening. He has a message to give. He can lend a helping hand.

### Search for Missing Seaplane to Continue

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The United States fleet returning to Honolulu from Australia and New Zealand is to fan out on its approach to the Hawaiian islands in hope it may find some trace of the missing seaplane PN-1, Secretary of the Navy Wilbur said today. He said the search for the missing plane would not be abandoned so long as a single thread of hope remained, and that all ships searching the waters have been ordered to go over the same course again.

### Three Turkish Villages Destroyed by Earthquake

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The Central News Constantinople correspondent reported today the earthquake destruction of three villages in the Dinar district. No details of the tragedy were given.

Dinar is in Asiatic Turkey.

### Dry Force is Swept Out for Idling on Job

Division Chief and 30 Agents Celebrate Labor Day, While Beer Runners Work.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 8.—A clean sweep of the personnel of the prohibition enforcement machinery in the third United States district was made today when Frederick C. Baird, the new administrator, fired Gus Gray Simons, division prohibition chief, and 30 dry agents.

Their dismissal is based on a charge the men rested during labor day while beer was unloaded within a stone's throw of Simons' office. Orders were issued for the entire squad to work Saturday, Sunday and Monday, and when one of the secret service men yesterday reported a carload of beer being unloaded he found the entire squad off for the day.

### Dispute of Partners Precedes Tragedy

POTEAU, Okla., Sept. 8.—L. E. Thrasher is dead, Miss Mayme Fries is seriously wounded and L. E. Carmichael is in custody of officers as a result of a quarrel today between the two men, joint owners of the Poteau, Rowe and Heavener telephone exchanges.

Carmichael arrived at the office after Thrasher is said to have renewed a quarrel over financial matters. He is alleged to have fired five shots into Thrasher, killing him instantly. Miss Fries, chief operator, was shot in body six times when she sought to interfere.

Charges of murder against Carmichael will be filed, officers said. State investigation of telephone rates has been under way for several days, it was said.

### Tom Raney's Bond Fixed at \$10,000

Tom Raney, held on an assault with intent to murder charge in connection with the shooting of Grady Daniels at Eastland Saturday night, waived examining trial before Justice of the Peace Sam Day yesterday, who set his bond at \$10,000, which was agreed to by Raney's attorney. Raney had not made bond at 10 o'clock this morning.

Grady Daniels, the man who was shot, was said by physicians this morning to be doing as well as could be expected. He is at the Eastland sanitarium, where he was taken immediately following the shooting.

### Will Set Six-Inch Casing

The Pacific Oil & Gas company will set the six-inch casing in their well on the J. M. Ware lease, Thursday. The well is 3,500 feet.

### Riffians Drive Back Spaniards Trying to Land at Alhucemas

MADRID, Spain, Sept. 8.—Spanish troops have disembarked at the bay of Alhucemas on the Mediterranean coast of Morocco and have gone into action against the Riffians.

### Attack on Him is Proceeding With Great Care; Navy's Ire Not Yet Stirred

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 8.—On his arrival at his office today, Col. William Mitchell, whose statement scoring the national aeronautics, is to be inspected, accented the probability that the probe would be made by the navy. After hearing a dispatch that Acting Secretary of War Davis has conferred with Major General J. L. Hines, who in turn has ordered Major Hemick, inspector general, to examine the flying colonel's statement, he merely smiled and said, "I'm standing pat."

### Bootleggers Blamed for Murder of Woman

VINTON, Iowa, Sept. 8.—Bootleggers' revenge against the Woman's Christian Temperance union was blamed today for the murder of Mrs. C. B. Cook, president of the Benton county chapter. Mrs. Cook died today from a bullet wound near the heart. She was shot by an unidentified assailant as she sat near a window in her home last night near midnight.

Mrs. Cook had been very active against dry law violators. In addition to speeches and articles aimed at bootleggers, she had given testimony in several important cases and helped convict a number of rum-runners.

### "Dazzzy" Vance Pitches Star Game for Brooklyn

BROOKLYN, Sept. 8.—"Dazzzy" Vance, star twirler for the Brooklyn "Robins" today pitched a one-hit game against the Boston Braves, winning 1 to 0. He struck out six men, making more than 200 strikeouts to his credit. He allowed Hawks the only hit of the game, a single in the second inning.

### Killark Manufacturing Co. Has Disastrous Fire

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 8.—One hundred women employees of the Killark Manufacturing company were forced to leave the burning building today. It burned with a \$200,000 fire loss. The girls marched out in an orderly fire drill.

### City Commission of Eastland Defers Meeting

Owing to yesterday being Labor Day, the Eastland city commission did not hold their regular meeting last night, but postponed it until Wednesday night.

### Fiery Colonel Arouses Fear in Opponents

Attack on Him is Proceeding With Great Care; Navy's Ire Not Yet Stirred.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The war department today officially began an investigation of the charges of incompetence and criminal negligence made by Col. William Mitchell, former assistant chief of the air service, in an attack on the official conduct and competence of the army and navy departments.

Major General John L. Hines, chief of staff, instructed Major General Eli A. Helmick, inspector general of the army, to obtain from Mitchell confirmation or denial of his printed statement. General Helmick, following the investigation, will make recommendations to Acting Secretary of War Davis on the action to be taken against Mitchell.

Although department officials decline to comment on the case, it is understood that a court-martial of Colonel Mitchell on charges of insubordination is inevitable.

### Council of War to Plan Attack on Mitchell

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The navy department is under bureaucratic control in ordering the secretary of the navy, Senator King, Utah, democrat, charged today in outlining his resolution calling for congressional investigation of the Shenandoah and other naval disasters.

King's resolution will go into the entire question of aircraft construction with a view similar to that of Colonel Mitchell in outlining the construction of dirigibles.

### Navy Fliers Want Another Chance to Reach Hawaii by Air

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8.—Unless the Washington authorities expressly forbid it, the navy is determined to press on in another effort to reach Hawaii by air. With all hope of finding the missing seaplane PN-9 Uo. 1, officially abandoned, the ill-fated voyage with the other two planes, will go ahead tomorrow on a 30-hour endurance test. Capt. Standorf E. Moses, flight project commander, will, if the test is successful, use the fact as an argument against too ban on the further Hawaiian flight attempt.

A desultory search for the PN-9 was still continued today by Hawaiian naval craft, Moses said, although there is scarcely any reason to hope for the discovery of even the slight records which would definitely establish how the missing airman went to their death, it was generally agreed.



### Says Her Baby Was a Suicide

After being beaten by her husband and told her 21-month-old daughter would be taken from her, Mrs. Lucile Haack, 29, Uniontown, Pa., drank poison and gave it to her child. The mother denies she forced her little daughter to drink the poison. She says the child drank it after saying she would rather die than be taken from her mother. The child died, but Mrs. Haack survived and will be tried for the baby's murder.



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**BIBLE THOUGHT**  
 Source of true help.—My help cometh from the Lord, who made heaven and earth. Psalm 121:2.  
 Prayer.—O Lord, Thy strength is made perfect in weakness, and we therefore are able to do all things through Christ who strengtheneth us.

**PROHIBITION IN INDIA.**

The legislative assembly of India, in session at Delhi, has accepted a resolution declaring that the ultimate policy of the government should be the prohibition of the production, manufacture, sale and import of foreign liquors, except for medicinal and research purposes. The amendment further recommended as a first step to the carrying out of this policy that the provincial governments should be directed immediately to grant local bodies the full right to determine the number and location of liquor shops.  
 The Hindus and Mohammedans by their religious obligations and traditions, were opposed to drink and the introduction of liquor by the English peoples has worked sad havoc among the population.  
 The resolution was opposed by the British finance director, who stated that the government could not accept, even in theory, ultimate prohibition and produced statistics to show that it meant the loss of 200,000,000 rupees now received at a minimum consumption. The prohibition movement, however, will undoubtedly be enforced in many municipalities where the Hindus and Mohammedans are now in control.

During an address at Chautauqua, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Lincoln C. Andrews asserted that "it is the liberty of government agents which makes the bootlegging business the serious menace it has become to the stability of society, business and government." Following this deplorable indictment of Americanism as represented by political officials he declared that "it is fundamental that we, as a people, have the self-confidence and character to accept the responsibility of self-government. Our country was organized on that basis. Our forefathers fought for the chance to govern themselves."

**COST OF THE STRIKE.**

The loss to mine owners, due to the anthracite coal strike, based on \$1 per ton of overhead charges, is estimated at \$5,733,000 per month. The loss to the miners in wages is estimated at \$600,000 per day. Thousands of these miners are already on their way to Florida and other southern states, where they will engage in other labor and perhaps make new homes. Meanwhile the mine operators and dealers will "clean up" many millions of dollars through advanced prices, because of "shortage." In any event the consuming public will pay the bill, regardless of how much money goes to the coal miner.

**BEST GOVERNED NATION.**

The estimated population of New Zealand is 2,324,000 the postmaster-general reports that of this number 850,000 are depositors in the post-office savings banks with an average of \$320 each. This is a world record in percentage, both in number and amount deposited. Political and economic experts assert that New Zealand is the best governed nation in the world, and as a result of their systems wealth is well diffused and conditions of life excellent.

The Wharton School of Finance of the University of Pennsylvania is conducting a "social audit" of some 2,000 men, with marks on dress, poise, social attitude, mental alertness, industry, expression, co-operation, and general range of information of value to business men as to their qualifications.

**Society**

**AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER**

Mrs. R. B. Campbell, Editor  
 Telephone 224

**WEDNESDAY.**

Wednesday Bridge club meets with Mrs. W. H. Burden at 2:30 p. m.  
 Catholic ladies meet with Mrs. Fred Yonker at 2:30 p. m.

**PERSONALS.**

Miss Beulah Bowles, superintendent of the Clinical hospital, has returned from Dallas.

Miss Nina Dahl was successfully operated on for appendicitis Saturday at the City-County hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Kribbs are rejoicing over the arrival of a 12-pound baby boy who arrived Monday at the City-County hospital. Mother and son are doing nicely.

F. D. Farquhar, local manager of the Western Union, is spending a few days in Dallas.

Mrs. Eric Holland and baby, Mary Catherine, who have been spending a month in the city with relatives, left today for her home in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Spaulding are now located in Breckenridge, where they are with the Haszen store, one of the branch houses of the Boston store.

J. M. White and children have returned from a short visit to Mrs. White's parents in Colorado City. She was accompanied home by Mrs. J. M. Herrington, formerly Miss Ruby Garber of Ranger, who will visit here and in Eastland for several weeks.

Miss Elizabeth Moffett, Miss Evelyn West of Wichita Falls and L. K. Stiles of Tulsa, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burden, and motored over to Fort Worth for Labor day.

Mrs. Esther Cherry, mother of Mrs. C. N. Ochiltree, and her daughter, Mrs. Henry Zigler and children, after spending several weeks in Ranger, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ochiltree, returned to their home in Wichita Falls Monday.

Miss John Thurman, Saunders Gregg and C. O. Terrell will motor to Fort Worth in the morning.

Mrs. Garrett of Fort Worth is the guest of Mrs. George Bohning.

Miss Beatrice Messick, of Gasville, Ark., has returned to Ranger and is stopping at the Crescent hotel. She will teach in Young school.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Schmuck and daughter, Barbara, are enjoying a fishing trip along the Llano river. They will also visit in San Antonio before returning to Ranger. Miss Christina Schmuck accompanied them as far as Mason, but met an old school mate there and stopped with her, returning to Ranger Sunday.

**FICIN AT LOVERS' RETREAT.**

Lovers' retreat, near Palo Pinto, has been a favorite spot for Ranger picnic parties this summer. It's just far enough from home to make one feel they are really going somewhere and very beautiful after one arrives. Last night it was the scene of a very happily planned picnic, when several friends motored over from here, carrying with them well filled baskets, the contents of which they spread in regular picnic fashion in a pretty spot. After partaking of the picnic lunch they drove back to Ranger and played bridge at the Coyle home. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Eldridge, Mr. and Mrs. A. Neil, Miss Marion Hunt, Al Cameron, Miss Mayne Ruth Langston, C. L. Fletcher, Stanley MacAnally, Mrs. Robert Coyle.

**RANGER GIRLS IN CHICAGO.**

Several Ranger girls will winter in Chicago this winter, each of them pursuing some line of study. Miss Laura Schmuck after an extended trip through the east and up into Canada, has settled down to hard work with her vocal and piano studies at the American Conservatory of Music. Miss Virginia Schmuck is still working for her degree and continuing her work in journalism at the Chicago university. Miss Gillian Buchanan, who taught in Ranger High school last year, left for Chicago today to continue her musical studies. She will study piano and violin at Bush conservatory.

**MRS. MADDOCKS OFF ON LECTURE TOUR.**

Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, state president of Mothers' Congress and Parent-Teacher associations, is a busy woman these days, as she hardly gets home from one lecture trip until she goes to another. Having just returned from Lubbock where she gave a course of lectures at an institute of seven counties, she leaves today for Thorp Springs to lecture before an institute composed of teachers from Hood and Somervell counties. From there she goes to Bowie to attend another institute, composed of

**OUT OUR WAY**



HEROES ARE MADE - NOT BORN

teachers of Montague and other nearby counties. Mrs. Maddocks certainly is on the job all the time, and it's evident to her friends that her office as state president of these two mighty bodies is not a mere honor, but a real job.

Otho Stubblefield of the Ranger State bank, spent Labor day in Cisco, with his mother and sister.

A family reunion is being held today at the home of Mrs. Annie Crenshaw, in Gordon. Mrs. Crenshaw's sister, Mrs. Hann Cheatham and daughter, Mrs. Jack Mayo, also another sister, Mrs. John Wallace, are among the guests from Ranger. Some of those attending the reunion have not seen one another for 18 years.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Davis spent Labor day, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dennis, at Strawn, and enjoyed a picnic there in the evening.

ties as yet unnamed, according to telegrams received by Bobby Burns, who left today for Dallas to complete arrangements for these matches which, according to present indications, will be held in Dallas.

Burns has been in Ranger for some time acting as referee in the Legion bouts, and laying plans for his athletic club in Dallas. A Times representative was shown various telegrams from Dempsey, the last of which formally accepts Sept. 22 as the date of the exhibitions. That the man or men who will meet Dempsey in the ring will be real contenders of two rounds or more duration, is stated by Burns. In all probability the bout will take place in the State fair stadium, though details in this regard are yet to be worked out, Burns said. This will be Dempsey's

first appearance in a Texas ring, it is said.

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**COLORADO.**—Mitchell county will be represented by an exhibit at the state fair this fall, according to announcement made by Dr. P. C. Coleman, president of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce, and announcement is made also that the annual Mitchell county fair will be held here the third week in September.

**HASKELL.**—New three-room school to be erected here.

**HALETTSVILLE.**—Highway between this place and Schulenburg, soon to be hardsurfaced.

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### Examination For Ranger Postmaster In the Near Future

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—To fill the vacancy in the position of postmaster in Ranger, the United States civil service commission has announced, at the request of the postmaster-general and in accordance with an order of the president, an open competitive examination. The term of Postmaster J. F. Driehof expired August 17. J. E. Moroney is civil service examiner for the Ranger district.

To be eligible for the examination, an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must reside within the delivery of this post office, must have resided for at least two years next preceding the examination date, must be in good physical condition, and within the prescribed age limits. Both men and women are admitted. Receipt of applications will close October 6. The office pays \$2,900 annually.

Under the terms of the executive order, the civil service commission will certify to the postmaster-general the names of the highest three qualified, if as many as three are qualified, and the postmaster-general will select one for nomination by the president. Confirmation by the senate is the final action.

Applications will not be required to assemble in an examination room for scholastic tests, but will be rated on their education and business training and experience. The civil service commission will make inquiry among representatives of local business and professional men and women concerning the experience, ability, and character of each applicant, and will assign ratings upon the evidence secured.

Nothing will be permitted to appear in the evidence upon which ratings are assigned, which might suggest the political affiliation of any candidate.

Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the secretary of the local board of civil service examiners at the post office in this city, or from the United States civil service commission, Washington, D. C.

**0—LODGES.**  
Royal Arch Masonic School, Instruction ends Saturday, Sept. 12. Instruction in all chapter degrees and floor work, instruction from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., Ranger Masonic hall. All Royal Arch Masons in Ranger territory are urged to take advantage of this school. Walter Griffith, instructor.

**2—MALE HELP.**  
WANTED—Elderly man without family to live and work on small poultry farm in Ranger; must be accurate with figures and be able to follow directions. Write P. O. box 642, Ranger for interview.

**3—FEMALE HELP.**  
WANTED—White girl to do general housework and go home at nights. Phone 108, Ranger.  
WANTED—White woman for general housework. 1009 Young st., or phone 532, Ranger.

**7—SPECIAL NOTICES**  
TEN per cent reduction if you enroll in Southern Business institute this week. See J. W. A. Cox, Ranger.  
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**BICYCLE AND FIXIT SHOP—**Keys fitted and duplicated; talking machines and typewriters repaired. 204 S. Rusk st., phone 592, Ranger. City Electric Co., Eastland.

**9—HOUSES FOR RENT.**  
FOR RENT—Four-room unfurnished house with garage. Mrs. Nanette Walker, Caddo highway, Ranger.

**11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT**  
WANTED—Two or three-room furnished downstairs apartment; close in. Phone 30, Ranger.  
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**12—WANTED TO BUY.**  
WANTED—To buy a two or three-room shack to move. P. O. Box 1281, Ranger.

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**13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.**  
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**14—REAL ESTATE.**  
FOR SALE or trade for Ranger property, money making proposition, one mile north of Plainview, Texas, in a 40-acre irrigated farm; two sets improvements, five windmills and a five-acre orchard, just beginning to bear. Box 702, Ranger, Texas.

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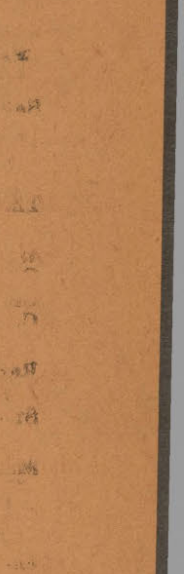
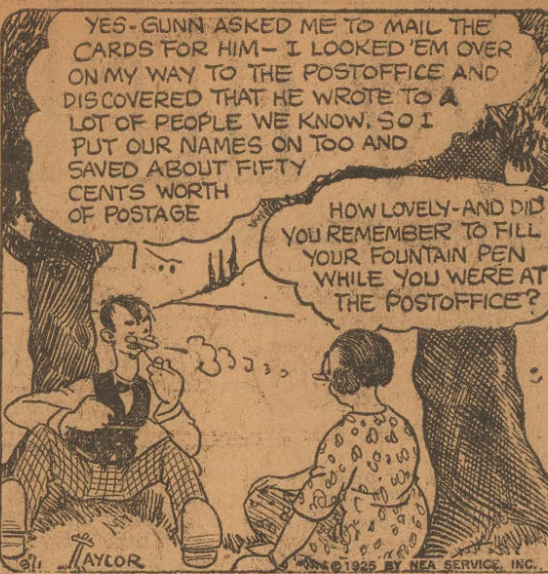
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**18—WANTED—Miscellaneous.**  
LEARN while you work. Night school begins Sept. 8. See J. W. A. Cox, 325 N. Commerce, Ranger.

**22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK.**  
LEAVING town, have two beautiful Persian cats for sale cheap. Inquire at Tackett's store, Tiffin highway.

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### Baseball Results

**TEXAS LEAGUE.**

Standing of the Teams.	W. L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	46 23	.667
Dallas	43 25	.632
San Antonio	40 28	.588
San Antonio	35 29	.547
Houston	35 34	.507
Waco	28 38	.424
Shreveport	27 41	.397
Beaumont	19 52	.268

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Fort Worth 12-5, Wichita Falls 4-8.  
Dallas 11-4, Shreveport 7-0.  
Houston 10-5, Beaumont 7-7.  
Waco at San Antonio, rain.

**Today's Schedule.**  
Fort Worth at Dallas.  
Shreveport at Wichita Falls.  
Houston at Beaumont.  
Waco at San Antonio.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

Standing of the Teams.	W. L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	83 48	.634
New York	76 58	.567
Cincinnati	69 63	.523
Brooklyn	62 67	.481
St. Louis	63 71	.470
Boston	61 73	.465
Chicago	59 77	.434
Philadelphia	55 74	.426

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Pittsburgh 8-8, Chicago 5-9.  
Cincinnati 8-1, St. Louis 6-5.  
Philadelphia at Brooklyn, rain.  
Boston at New York, rain.

**Today's Schedule.**  
Cincinnati at St. Louis.  
Chicago at Pittsburgh.  
Only games scheduled.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**

Standing of the Teams.	W. L.	Pct.
Washington	85 46	.649
Philadelphia	74 53	.583
Chicago	70 61	.534
St. Louis	69 67	.531
Detroit	67 61	.523
Cleveland	61 71	.462
New York	54 73	.425
Boston	38 92	.292

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Washington 2-7, Philadelphia 1-6.  
Boston 4, New York 1.  
Cleveland 6-0, Chicago 5-5.  
Detroit 7-3, St. Louis 6-4.

**Today's Schedule.**  
St. Louis at Detroit.  
Chicago at Cleveland.  
Washington at Philadelphia.  
New York at Boston.

### SPLIT DECISION TAKES EDGE OFF STORIE VICTORY

#### Judges, Referee, Fighters and Crowds Have Free-for-All Opinions on Ten Rounds

Whatever anyone may think of the head-on collision in which a bump opened the old scar over Tommie Storie's eye and made it look like he was being severely punished, or of St. Vicenti Aguilari's seeking shelter in the clinches during at least six rounds of the 10-round bout at the Legion arena last night, no one grudges the Mexican the three aggressive rounds which he took by strong odds and no one should grudge Storie the laurels in six rounds, one round being easily a draw—or rather so featureless as to draw down as neutral. However that may be the bout did not end at the ringside but was carried on in verbal tilts in street corner groups until a late hour. The sum total of it is two out of three of the judges gave the Mexican the edge, the referee called it a draw; the people in the crowded arena were divided; the press (or this arm of it) thought Storie had the best of it and the Mexican declined to let his hand be lifted indicating a draw, but instead, chivalrously lifted Storie bodily up to the audience's acknowledged winner, at which the crowd cheered lustily. It is a mooted question depending on whether Aguilari was severe enough in his three rounds to offset his flying to shelter and taking the punches Storie gave him in the other active intervals. "Where doctors disagree."

But on some things, all are agreed. That Storie fought and fought hard; that Edie Collins showed good grit by staying in with Roy Seale almost two rounds after his thumb was broken; that nimble Dicky Greene showed heroic stuff when after being prostrated by one of Jack Erckenbrack's Dempsey-like punches, in the fourth, he came back and stayed a whole round and a part of another before finally giving way to the undisputed superior skill and prowess of the indomitable, smiling Jackie boy; that Johnny Walker and J. Davenport of the football squad, gave a nifty exhibition for which they refused any pay, preferring to perform a civic and patriotic service for the Legion; that the two boy scrappers, Wade Palvador and Roy Beard, put up a neat entertainment for the crowds, and finally that Jack Erckenbrack is one of the cleanest, gamest, hardest-hitting, good scouts that ever came down the pike and

lacks a lot of having found his match yet out Ranger way.

Green who had asked for an eight-round bout, fought like a tiger to get the limit but finally, after actually being placed at Erckenbrack's mercy in the fourth, managed to stay until somewhere about the middle of the sixth when human endurance and grit could carry him no farther.

Red Wells, lightweight champion of Texas, was referee in all except the main bout in which Jimmy Lewis officiated. Incidentally it is stated by those in charge that both these men will appear in matches here on an early card. Lewis, formerly of Little Falls, N. Y., having taken residence in Ranger. Lewis has fought in Ranger heretofore and it is interesting to note that one of the hardest fights ever seen in the Ranger arena was between him and his brother, the names under which they fought at the time being DeLuis and Rosenberg.

The crowd was such as to tax the seating capacity of the galleries and not many ringside seats were vacant. Ladies formed a large portion of the audience. J. B. Heister, chairman of the athletic committee, American Legion, acted as official announcer for all bouts. The judges for the Legion post, J. M. White, Wade Swift, and L. J. Fleck, rendered decisions in the main bouts.

LOCKNEY.—Plans have been accepted here for the construction of a fire-proof district school building.

### University Regents To Meet Sept. 17

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 2.—When the board of regents of the University of Texas meets in Austin on Sept. 17, late faculty appointments for 1925-26 will take up most of the time, according to an announcement from the office of the President, W. M. W. Spalwin.

At present there is no dean of the School of Business Administration. E. K. McGinnis, Secretary to the faculty and associate professor of business administration, is in charge of the duties of the dean of the school, and will continue so until the Board of Regents appoint a successor to Spurgeon Bell who resigned to become head of the Bureau of Business Research at the Ohio State University.

The oil royalties from University lands, which have mounted up to nearly a quarter of a million dollars a month, will doubtless be considered. It has been stated that the regents will at this time define a policy to be followed in regard to the recent action of the legislature in transferring the oil royalties from the permanent to the available fund.

PLAINVIEW.—The annual Hale county federation fair will be held here September 25 and 26. Prizes will be awarded for various vegetables shown.

### ROSWELL, N. M.—Dates for the Chavez county cotton carnival have been set for October 8, 9, 10. It is the largest civic celebration held each year in New Mexico.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION. THE STATE OF TEXAS.

You are hereby commanded to summon E. F. Dodds, F. W. Parry, D. A. Rumbaugh and D. W. Rumbaugh, composing the partnership known as Rumbaugh Drilling Company, James Turner, Henry Brown, H. S. Livingston, Ballard Oil Corporation, a private corporation, whose agent is H. S. Livingston, M. M. Haman, E. M. Schumack, M. D. Hillier, S. B. Kress and the unknown heirs of each of said defendants, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, and 91st judicial district of this state once in each week for the 91st district court of Eastland county, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, on the first Monday in October, A. D. 1925, the same being the 5th day of October, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 11895, wherein C. L. Horn is plaintiff and Joe Shackelford, E. F. Dodds, F. W. Parry, Rumbaugh Drilling Company, a partnership composed of D. A. Rumbaugh, C. E. Morris and Mrs. C. E. Morris, Henry Brown, J. S. Grisham and wife, Mrs. J. S. Grisham, A. J. Clark, Ballard Oil Corporation, a private corporation, whose agent is H. S. Livingston, M. M. Haman, W. S. Daugherty, S. B. Kress, Jos. F. Orr, R. M. Schumack, M. D. Hillier, H. S. Livingston, C. E. Morris and Mrs. C. E. Morris are defendants, and the cause of action being alleged as follows:

Defendants are joint owners and partners in the operation and ownership of an oil and gas lease covering the lands described as follows, to-wit: The east 80 acres of the N. W. quarter and the east 80 acres of the S. W. quarter of section Number 25 and the east 40 acres of the north half of the N. W. one-fourth of section No. 24, all in block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. lands in Eastland county, Texas, and the gas well, with all its equipment, including rig, derrick, tools, machinery, casing, piping and appliances of every character located upon said lease, said property being of the probable value of \$5,000.00. That since Jan. 1, 1923, plaintiff has been employed by defendants as a laborer at an agreed wage of \$4.00 per day, for such time as he was fully employed and afterwards at the rate of \$25.00 per month for past 23 months, as witnessman. Said defendants agreed and bound themselves to pay plaintiff for his services, at said rates. That plaintiff has since January, 1923, earned as a laborer and watchman for defendants as contracted the sum of \$375.00 in wages which amount defendants refuse and fail to pay plaintiff to his great damage. Plaintiff has heretofore excepted and caused to be recorded in the records of mechanic's lien of Eastland county, an itemized and verified account of his labor, up to the sum of \$288.00, and as a direct result of his labor he has improved and rendered more valuable defendants said properties and has preserved and protected said properties and is legally and equitably entitled to a constitutional lien thereon as well as his statutory mechanic's and laborer's lien thereon. There is a gas well which has produced natural gas in paying quantities on said lease.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment against defendants, jointly and severally, for his debt in the sum of \$375.00 with all costs of this suit, and for a foreclosure of his laborer's lien and his constitutional lien, upon above described premises, real and personal, with appropriate orders of sale, for his costs of court, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on said first day of the next term, thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Eastland, Texas, this 14th day of August, A. D. 1925.

(Seal) WILLBOURNE B. COLLIE,  
Clerk District Court, Eastland County, Texas.  
By LILLIAN WOODY, Deputy.  
Aug. 25-Sept. 1-8-14.



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# The FLAPPER WIFE

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Gloria Gordon, beautiful flapper, marries Dick Gregory, a struggling young lawyer. Her idea of marriage is fun and fine clothes, but no work or children.

She refuses to cook or keep house. And she swamps Dick with debts for her clothes and a new automobile.

Gloria becomes infatuated with Stanley Wayburn, an actor. She and Wayburn, with May Seymour and Jim Carewe, make a jolly foursome.

Wayburn is offered a job on the New York stage. Gloria lends him \$200 of Dick's money to help him out.

Dick almost dies with pneumonia. When he recovers, Dr. John Seymour, husband of the flighty May, sends him away for a rest. Gloria refuses to go with him, because Mother Gregory, whom she hates, is going.

As soon as Dick and his mother leave on their trip, Gloria sets out for New York. She goes straight to Wayburn. But he spurns Gloria, and tells her that he has just married his leading woman, a Russian actress. Then Gloria tries everywhere to land a job as a chorus girl, but fails. At last she comes home to Dick. He takes her back into his house, but not as his wife.

Gloria finds that everyone in town knows about her affair with Wayburn. Her friends snub her, on every side. And Dick seems to have slipped away from her, too. One night Gloria finds him having dinner with Miss Briggs, his secretary. She goes home and waits until midnight for Dick.

### NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY:

Suddenly as Gloria stood there on the stairs, she was afraid.

The empty house seemed to be filled with strange sounds and rustlings. The pantry door creaked. And was something or somebody moving in the dark dining room?

With her heart in her mouth, Gloria dashed back upstairs to her room. She slammed and bolted the door behind her.

The lights in her room were blazing. Without stopping to turn them off, she plunged into bed and pulled the covers up over her head like a frightened child.

She lay trembling for long minutes, listening for the sound of Dick's key in the lock. Where in the world was he at this hour of the night? Why didn't he come home? He had no right to leave his wife alone in the house, had he not while he was out, doing—what? That was the question.

Surely he and Miss Briggs weren't still working in Dick's office? Where were they? Together, somewhere? The questions swarmed like bees in Gloria's brain. She forgot her fear. Anger toward Dick took its place. She swung her feet over the side of the bed and stepped out onto the rug. Then she put her head out of one of the open windows and looked up and down the street. But it lay empty and still under the hushed calm of midnight.

As Gloria stood there, she heard a sound in the house, itself! It came from downstairs—the harsh tinkle

of metal against metal. Someone was at the silver in the sideboard drawers! Burglars!

Gloria pressed one hand tight to her breast. She felt as if her heart were jumping out of her body—it beat so fast! She tiptoed across the room to the door that led into the hall. She put her ear against it and listened for a long time. But there was no further sound.

Gloria began to wonder if she really had heard a noise, downstairs or not? Perhaps her tired brain had been playing her tricks.

Well, as soon as Dick came she would find out if anyone had been in the house? She wouldn't be afraid to go downstairs to the dining room then. But why didn't he come?

Gloria got back into bed, and lay waiting for him. Oh, but wouldn't she span him when he did get home, though! The very idea! Leaving her alone as if she were Lola Hough, or any other faded, middle-aged wife! She'd let him know she wasn't going to be treated like this. She'd leave him first! That's what she'd do. She had done it once, and she'd do it again!

The next thing Gloria knew it was morning. Her room was filled with the warmth and Sunshine of early June. Through the open windows came the sound of a neighbor's lawnmower and the sweet smell of fresh-cut grass.

Gloria smiled and stretched herself like a tiger kitten. Then she remembered last night. She frowned.

Softly she went out into the hall and listened at Dick's door. No sound within! She opened the door and peeked into the room.

The bed had been slept in. Dick's pajamas lay on the rug beside it, where he had stepped out of them. There were ashes in the tray on the bedside table. He had been home part of the night at least. And he had gone that morning without even saying goodby!

Gloria closed the door of his room. "If he jiggered if I make his bed or clean up the place!" she said to herself. "He can't treat me like a servant and expect I'll be one for him! Because I won't!"

While she was waiting for her tub to fill, she went downstairs to the dining room. The drawers of the sideboard were piled one on top of each other on the floor. They were empty.

So, there had been burglars in the house last night! And they had taken every piece of the flat silver that had been Mother Gregory's wedding present! Not so much as a spoon was left!

Gloria shivered. Then it was the burglar she had heard taking the silver out of the sideboard drawers! And it must have been the burglar whom she had seen moving stealthily against the darkness of the dining room, last night! He must have been in the house when she entered it alone!

Why, she might have been shot, if she hadn't run upstairs when she did!

Gloria burst into tears of panic at the terrible thought.

Well, she'd stand no more of Dick's neglect. The very idea of his sending her home alone at 9 o'clock at night to a dark house! And then leaving her alone in it until 'way past midnight. She bet she'd never let him do a stunt like that again to her.

She bathed and dressed. She didn't stop to dust or make beds.

But, leaving the house just as it was, Gloria closed the door of it behind her, and started out. She was going to see Mother Gregory! She'd let her know whose fault it was that Dick's marriage was a fizzle!

She was through talking to Dick—through pleading with him to treat her decently, Gloria told herself.

But she knew she was only trying to bolster up her vanity. Under all her bravado, she knew that the fact of the matter was that Dick was through with her! She had seen it, in his eyes the night she had come home from New York. She had heard it in the indifferent tone he used when he talked to her. And his indifference was maddening her. She couldn't stand it!

She had always had love and indulgence from Dick. He had treated her like a beautiful, spoiled little girl. And now he hardly looked at her.

Gloria's heart was heavy as she rang the doorbell of the old Gregory homestead. Maggie opened the door for her.

She found Mother Gregory eating her substantial breakfast of ham and eggs, rolls and coffee. Her face was flushed with too much food.

"Well, Gloria!" she cried in her rich, full voice. She got up from the table.

She put her well-rounded arms about Gloria and gave her a peck on either cheek.

"Come upstairs and talk to me while I get dressed," she said, steering Gloria out of the dining room.

She nodded her head in the direction of Maggie, who was listening with all her might.

"We'll talk up here where Maggie can't hear every word we say," she told Gloria in a stage whisper as they mounted the wide stair case. "What did you come to see me about, Gloria?"

She knew that this was no friendly call the girl was making. She knew that Gloria didn't like her any more than she, herself, liked Gloria. She was sure that Gloria had come on a special errand.

The girl curled herself up in a little ball on the hard leather window seat in Mother Gregory's room. It was a room as plain as the woman who slept in it—a woman who scorned silk underwear and make-up as only Mother Gregory could scorn them! There were no cushions in that room, no ruffled curtains, no dressing table laden with perfume and powder boxes.

Mother Gregory stood before the walnut dresser and began to hook herself into an elaborate black dress, made in a style that had been popular when Dick was a baby!

"What did you come to see me

about, Glory?" she asked again.

"We—ll," Gloria began, "last night we were robbed of every bit of that lovely flat silver you gave us for a wedding present! Some one broke into the house."

Mother Gregory threw up her plump hands.

"My stars! Dick's reported it to the police, of course?" she said.

"Why, that silver has been in the family for a hundred years!"

Slowly Gloria shook her pretty head.

"No, Dick hasn't reported it to the police. Dick doesn't know anything about the burglary," she said calmly.

Mother Gregory looked at her with sharp, black eyes.

"You see," Gloria went on without flickering an eyelash, "it all happened in the middle of the night when Dick wasn't at home."

"When Dick wasn't at home?" Mother Gregory echoed in a loud, surprised tone. "Well, where on earth was he at that time of night, then?"

"That's what I want to know," Gloria answered, "but I have every reason to think that he was with Miss Briggs."

The words exploded like a bomb in the quiet room.

"With Susan Briggs?" Mother Gregory repeated. "With Susan Briggs! Oh, no, Gloria!"

Gloria shrugged her shoulders.

"Have it your own way," she said. "But I know that I found them having dinner together on the quiet, last night. I left them at 9 o'clock. They said they were going to work for a while at the office. And at 1 o'clock when I fell asleep, Dick hadn't come home!"

Mother Gregory all but fell into a chair that stood opposite Gloria. Her eyes were wide, and her mouth stood open with surprise.

"I can't believe it!" she cried at last. "And how do you know when the burglar was in the house?"

"I heard him," Gloria answered. "I thought I heard Dick come in and I ran downstairs. Then I saw some one in the dining room and I rushed back to my room and locked myself up. I was scared to death!"

"You couldn't have been so terribly frightened," Mother Gregory mused, "or you wouldn't have dropped quietly off to sleep at 1 o'clock, as you said you did."

At that Gloria flared up.

"Well, I'll tell you just how frightened I was, if you want to know, Madam Gregory!" she said, furiously. "I was so frightened that I'll never stay alone in that house again, after dark! And if your son wants to have a love affair with his office girl he'll have to work at it day-times!"

"Gloria!" exclaimed Mother Gregory in the severe tones of the vice president of the Home Women's club, "you're vulgar!"

"Vulgar nothing! I'm just telling you the truth about your beautiful son!" Gloria sneered. "When I married him I thought he was a plaster saint, too! But I've found out all about him. Look at those!"

She pulled out some of the "Roxie" and "Lucie" love letters and pictures from her handbag and threw them into Mother Gregory's lap.

Dick's mother laughed her comfortable deep laugh, as she picked them up.

"Roxie and Lucie Gilchrist!" she said. "They were both in love with Dick. First Roxie was—and then Lucie. They're both married now, though. And Lucie has a baby! Dick had a lot of girls in his day, Gloria. But that doesn't prove that he isn't what you call a 'plaster saint'!"

Gloria's lip curled.

"All right," she said. "But you can't explain his staying out most of last night with Susan Briggs!"

(To Be Continued.)

### Quarter Billion of Treasury I. O. U's Offered for Sale

The federal reserve bank of Dallas gives notice of an announcement by the treasury department in which it announces its September financing, which takes form of an offering of \$250,000,000, or thereabouts, nine months three and one-quarter per cent treasury certificates of indebtedness, dated and bearing interest from September 15, 1925, maturing June 15, 1926.

The treasury will accept in payment for the new certificates, treasury certificates of indebtedness, series TS-1925, maturing September 15, 1925, at par, but such subscription will not be given preferred allotment.

The present offering is intended, with the balances already on hand and the September tax receipts, to cover the treasury's further cash requirements until December, when further financing will be necessary. The subscription books are now open and the federal reserve bank of Dallas will receive such subscriptions in accordance with treasury department circular No. 360, dated September 8, 1925.

MEXIA.—Mexia Textile Mills to double production and erect 25 additional homes for employees.

KERRVILLE.—New \$65,000 dining hall and dormitory at Schreiner institute finished.

### MAN SHOT IN SAN ANGELO FIGHT WAS FROM RANGER

Chief of Police Willis Barbes who received a flesh wound in the left arm in a gun and dynamite battle with beleaguered Mexicans in San Angelo, Sunday night, was formerly a druggist on Rusk street, in Ranger, according to C. E. Dixon, who was in San Angelo at the time of the shooting and heard the shots very plainly. That Mr. Dixon might have seen the entire battle had he chose, was also stated, but, naturally, people did not rush into the danger zone during the fusillade.

### DALLAS.—State fair to be held here October 10-25.

### "Relieved—Pains gone" says happy user of Mother's Friend

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### ON THE RANGE AT RANGER

By THE FENCE RIDER.  
(Items for this department must be phoned in to the Fence Rider, by 12 o'clock daily in order to insure their insertion. Don't be bashful. Jingle the telephone bell.)

Fully half a million were in attendance at the legion boxing bout Monday evening and at least nine hundred and ninety-nine thousand of them gave exhibitions of their own, some of them fighting to the death. Numerous dead bodies were strewn all over the arena before the sanguinary conflict ended. The referees were unparadonably negligent of duty, not rendering decisions in some of the hardest bouts of the evening fought out between the people and the bugs. There were big bugs, little bugs, black bugs, yellow bugs, spotted bugs—bugs pinching, doodle and straddle. Nor was the conflict confined to the fighting arena. Over in the foyers of Liberty theatre where Pharaoh's plagues were being featured in the picture, a veritable plague of bugs was making life miserable for all who stayed outside in the lights to view the bills. Open shops were full of them. Street corners buzzed with them. Proud heads bowed before them. Dainty hands clutched at them as they tried to get in over the roll-your-owns or anywhere else about the dress or person of the people without regard for age, sex or previous condition of servitude. Where they came from—why they came all in one evening unless they were brought in on the shower, no one seems to be able to guess. Be that as it may, the old riddle, "When is a bed not a bed?—when it's buggy," might have been paraphrased into "When is a town not a town?" People who are said to have gone bugs on fighting, fought bugs at the fight for once, and that's no joke.

For the sake of morale and the thrill that comes with winning, the Ranger squad is getting ready to romp on the Stephensville eleven on the 13th of September, it is said. It will be an empty victory, however, so far as pennant winning goes, or an insignificant defeat from the same angle. The Stephensville team is a class B team. But those who know them say the Ranger pig skin pushers will have to be on their toes every minute of the game or quit on their backs.

Ranger got a nice cooling sprinkle out of the rain handed around by Jupiter Pluvius Monday afternoon, but at latest reports nobody had been drowned in it.

Miss Jackie McGowan, who tints photos at the Ed's studio, is the owner of a pet coon which she acquired Sunday and which she says is "ugly but cute."

### TWO SAN ANTONIO WOMEN CAPTURE HIDING BURGLAR

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 8.—When Mrs. Adella Carillo saw a burglar slide under her bed when she entered her room last night, she did not faint, but caught the intruder by a foot and pulled him from beneath his shelter, the while screaming lustily for help. Despite his resistance, she held him until her sister-in-law, who resided next door, came to her assistance, and the two women then bound the burglar and kept him safely until the police came and took him away.

### TOM SIMS SAYS

One thing about men's fashions. Don't have to join the navy to get your trousers off over your shoes.

Take a man in the moonlight. And one with moonshine in him. One's about as wild as the other.

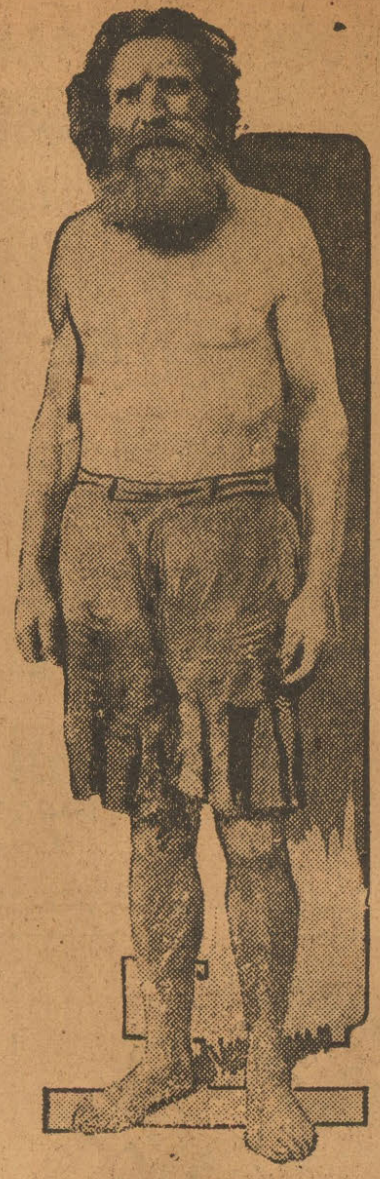
The height of many a man's ignorance is the way he lets a barber put grease on his hair.

Even if she does rouge nicely, find out if she can cook. Two can't live on rouge alone.

Distance doesn't lend much enchantment when the road is rough.

You naturally would expect a rising generation to get out of bounds. (Copyright 1925, NEA Service, Inc.)

### Wants Seclusion



Thomas Watson, California hermit, has decided to move to Mexico to obtain real seclusion. For years he lived undisturbed near Newport Beach, Calif., but a little publicity caused the curious to flock to his hut. He says they asked so many "foolish questions" he decided to

### Silent Street Cars With Rubber Wheels To Rival Motor Bus

By United Press.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—Light noiseless street cars which can be operated at half the cost of regular equipment and have the same carrying capacity are being experimented with here in an effort to meet motor bus competition.

The experiments are closely followed by the American Electrical Railway association. It is contended that if the cars prove practical, street railways will be able to operate more profitably than buses and will provide more rapid and comfortable transportation.

Three cars were built for the Grand Rapids Railway Co. by different manufacturers. They weigh only 25,000 pounds and have the same carrying capacity as cars of the old type weighing 48,000 pounds. The new cars can be operated with less than half the electric current required to run the old type.

Various types of noise-reducing apparatus are provided by the different car builders. One of the coaches has a rubber cushion between the wheel and the tire. Another has rubber filled holes drilled in the wheels to reduce noise. A hollow steel wheel filled with noise-smothering floe is also used.

In addition to economy effected in operation of the new coaches, they are built to give the operator more advantage in heavy traffic. The cars can pick up speed faster and stop more quickly than the old models.

About a third of Grand Rapids' street railway equipment was destroyed in a single fire recently. Emergency cars were borrowed from other cities but the railway company decided to try a new type of cars before replacing the equipment permanently.

Officials of the company contend that until the experimental cars were designed, little progress had been made in street railway coach construction for twenty years.

PORT ARTHUR.—Two or three-story addition to be built to Central hotel.

HASKELL.—Sander's gin being thoroughly overhauled.

### "THE TEN COMMANDMENTS" AT THE LIBERTY THEATRE

The story of "The Ten Commandments," beginning in the days of the Pharaohs and the escape of the Hebrews from the bondage of the Egyptians, and continuing down into modern times with a portrayal of character developed by the reason and understanding that has been evolved during the last two and three thousand years, was shown yesterday and last night at the Liberty theatre, Ranger, large audiences attending, and was to be shown again today and tonight.

It is a picture that awakens en-

thusiasm while inspiring thought and devotion. It shows the ancient Egyptians, Moses and the children of Israel escaping from bondage, the Lord sea rolling back to give them a passage across, and then returning to engulf the pursuing hosts.

The picture of the ancients fading into the mist, a modern mother and her two sons come into the story. The mother is deeply religious, as is one of her sons who is devoted to her; the other son is a scoffer. The second part of the picture takes up the lives of these three persons and a girl who becomes woven into their lives. The climaxes are thrilling and in the end the eternal law is vindicated. It is a picture that all should see.

### MAGAZINE FOR WRITERS NOW BEING ENLARGED

Special Correspondence.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 8.—"The Writer" (Boston), the pioneer magazine for literary workers, which has been published for nearly 40 years under the same management, is to be enlarged and developed, beginning with the October number. The staff has been reorganized, with William H. Ellis, founder of the magazine, resuming his old place as editor; Margaret Gordon as assist-

ant editor; John Gallishaw, formerly assistant dean of Harvard college, and of the English department of Harvard and the University of California, as contributing editor, conducting a department showing how the Case Method can be applied to the improvement of craftsmanship in creative writing; and William Dorsey Kennedy, assistant dean of the Harvard School of Business Administration, as managing editor.

The "Talks on Practical Authorship," by Richard Bowland Kimball will be continued, and other interesting and helpful features will be added to increase the value of "The Writer" as a magazine of practical

help for all those engaged in literary work, giving them unauthorized announcements—obtained directly from headquarters—about the manuscript market and the requirements of editors, with announcements of prize offers for manuscripts and practical suggestions from publishers and editors. The number of reading pages will be doubled.

HASKELL.—Addition being built to Haskell laundry, doubling floor space.

ELECTRA.—Two exhibition buildings being erected at fair grounds.



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### THE PALMOLIVE COMPANY

## Stewart's Washington Letter

BY CHARLES P. STEWART  
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—In the old days of the development of the west, eastern capital wasn't a bit popular with the very pioneers who strained all their powers of persuasion to get it into the enterprises they were engaged in promoting.

They had to have it, but when they got it they accused it of dishonesty.

Capital, in turn, accused the westerners of trying to play it for a sucker. There was a good deal of ill feeling between them. If the capital had been foreign the feeling would have been lots worse. It would have had its own government back of it, clamoring for justice.

The western Americans would have demanded that their government tell the other government to go to a warmer climate. Possibly it would have done so. Which would have been very unpleasant.

JUST now the United States is engaged in financing the world, as the east financed the west, here at home forty or fifty years ago.

Doesn't it stand to reason that the rest of the world is going to feel toward American capital the

same way that the west felt toward eastern capital those three or four decades back? Only more so, at least so far as Europe is concerned.

It isn't quite so bad in fields like South America. South Americans haven't got the complex that they "save civilization" and ought to be paid for it. Even so, they're suspicious of North American capital, fearing economic and perhaps political domination by it.

BUT Europeans at the same time they accept American money, because they must, are resentful of it. They're used to investing their capital, to exploit others, not to having others invest in them.

Not only do they dislike it financially, but their pride's hurt. Besides, they're exceedingly grouchy over Uncle Sam's insistence on a settlement of his war loans. Now he's buying up their industries, which they don't want to load. He's buying them up wholesale, too. His foreign investments aggregate almost as much as his war claims, and those are around 12 billions, as everybody knows. He started buying bonds Now he's buying stocks. From a creditor he's becoming owner.



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(Copyright 1925.)

The suspension bridge being built across the Delaware river to connect Philadelphia and Camden under the direction of Ralph Modjeski, son of the famous actress, Helen Modjeska, will open July 4, 1926—the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. When finished this bridge will have a 57-foot roadway, two promenades and tracks for four lines of electric rapid transit trains and trolley cars. The bridge will be in all nearly two miles long and its total cost will be about \$37,000,000. Of course it is to be equipped with the latest and most scientific electric highway illumination.

The framing of public opinion in the United States has become more or less a well-oiled machine, operated and directed by powers we know not of.

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**From Pedagogy to Successful Oil Operator Within Few Years is Record Of One Texas University Graduate**

Special Correspondence.

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 2.—From teaching in the Fort Worth High School to oil operator, with millions of dollars at his command within a period of fifteen years, is the record made by W. D. Hamilton of Wichita Falls, who delivered the baccalaureate address at the commencement exercises of the summer school of the University of Texas, a few days ago. In presenting Mr. Hamilton to the graduating class, President W. M. W. Splawn, of the University, took occasion to relate the success attained by Mr. Hamilton along commercial lines, since he left the University. When Hamilton came to the University to do graduate work, he had no thought of abandoning the pedagogical profession. It was his purpose then to obtain a masters of arts degree and in this he was successful. While at the University he majored in sociology and minored in geology. He also studied law for two years, but did not take his degree in that course.

It was in geology that he found his life work, notwithstanding the fact that when he took up that study it was not with any idea of using for practical purposes the knowledge thereby obtained. When he left the university in 1913, with his treasured Master's degree, he did not resume teaching as he had originally planned. For a time he dabbled in real estate at Fort Worth. Then, when oil was discovered and the consequent boom around Wichita Falls came on, Mr. Hamilton found play for his knowledge of geology obtained at the University. He organized the Texoma Oil and Refining Company, which is today one of the largest independent oil and refining companies in the country. As the head and principal owner of the corporation, Mr. Hamilton has directed its affairs with remarkable foresight and success. Dr. Splawn stated that Mr. Hamilton located personally eight pools of oil for his company and that he drove the stake for the discovery well in each pool.

The Texoma Oil and Refining Company during the three months ending June 30, 1925, produced a total of 474,644 barrels of oil in Texas. The value of this oil was \$1,118,717. Dr. Splawn accredited Mr. Hamilton with putting to practical use the instruction and ideals that he had received at the University. He said his success was due to the exercise of good judgment and hard work.

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By E. R. Waite, Secretary Shawnee, Okla., Board of Commerce.

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That your business men do not sob and moan and wring their hands on account of the peddlers and mail order houses. The just go ahead and offer you better quality for the price.

That local merchandise aim to re-

Half the world is half asleep

Can success in life be undermined by constipation? Indeed it can. The poisons of this disease tire you out, wear you down, make you listless and make you lose interest in things in general. Ambition is most often prompted by a thoroughly healthy body. Kellogg's ALL-BRAN brings permanent relief from constipation.



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How well they succeeded by their years of patient effort is best told by the praises of the thousands of happy women whose enthusiasm over the wonderful changes that St. Joseph's G. F. P. has brought about in their condition knows no bounds.

Through the use of G. F. P., many thin, frail and nervous women are made strong, steady and happy again; young girls who formerly suffered from irregularity, pain, sickness and embarrassment are made regular and relieved of pain; women are enabled to realize the wonderful blessings of motherhood with surprising ease; and women in later years pass through the change of life with so little difficulty as to scarcely realize that they have been through this remarkable transformation. When women realize that this great change in their former condition is brought about by this phenomenal medicine, nothing can keep them from praising the wonderful St. Joseph's G. F. P.

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