

The average citizen is responsible for the administration of the laws of his land. Kick out grafters and elect real men.

EASTLAND COUNTY IS ON VERGE OF BOOM

BILLS TO NULLIFY EIGHTEENTH AMENDMENT KILLED IN SENATE

DEATH STALKS IN STORM IN OKLAHOMA

SIX KNOWN DEAD FIVE IN FAMILY AMONG VICTIMS

Damage To Property And Crops Mount Up In Many Thousands

By United Press.
OKLAHOMA CITY, June 3.—The toll of the storm that swept Oklahoma during the night increased to six dead. Five members of the Blocher family were drowned when their car was swept from a bridge by a head water wall four feet high. One man was killed by lightning at Drumright, Okla.

WHEAT CROP HARD HIT BY THE RAINS

By United Press.
OKLAHOMA CITY, June 3.—A terrific wind and rain storm struck Central Oklahoma last night and today, exacted a total of two known deaths, four missing and losses that mount up into the thousands in damages to crops and buildings.

DAMAGE BY FIRE IN CANADA HEAVY

By United Press.
CAMP BELTON, New Brunswick, June 3.—Reports from Riviera DuLoupe, Quebec, today estimated damage done by fire there yesterday at close to \$800,000. The fire first started in a fire house and spread rapidly through the business district.

Champagne Bath Party Gets Carroll Year In Atlanta

By United Press.
NEW YORK, June 3.—Earl Carroll, the theatrical producer today was sentenced to serve one year and one day in the Atlanta Federal penitentiary and fined \$2,000 for telling a Federal grand jury here that nobody had bathed in a bath tub of champagne at a party he gave in his theatre on the nights of Feb. 22 and 23.

SENTENCE STUNS JOYCE HAWLEY

By United Press.
NEW YORK, June 3.—Joyce Hawley, the "girl in the bathtub" at the famous Earl Carroll party, was stunned when told by the United Press today of the heavy sentence imposed on the theatrical producer by Federal Judge Goddard.

And the Old Pump Pumps Up Oil



When H. E. Lundquist of Filleco, Ariz., works the pump handle in his back yard he gets something better than well water. The short shaft that he sunk for water struck oil, and he gets about 45 gallons of this valuable liquid daily.

PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN IS NOW UNDER WAY

By PAUL R. MALLON,
United Press Staff Correspondent.
WASHINGTON, June 3.—It looks like the 1928 presidential campaign is already under way.

Governor Ritchie of Maryland, mentioned as a democratic prospect, is making speeches over the country, laying down a national platform which indicates that he is already in the field.

Former Gov. Frank O. Lowden, frequently advertised as a possible opponent of the administration for the republican nomination on a farm relief platform, has reached virtually every section of the country in an unofficial speaking tour which has brought politicians generally to forecast the strength of his candidacy.

BARBER TO TEACH AMERICAN HISTORY

By United Press.
AUSTIN, June 3.—Dr. E. C. Barber, professor of American history at the University of Texas, will be a member of the history faculty of the University of Chicago during both terms of its summer school. Dr. Barber's recent authorship of "Life of Stephen F. Austin" has brought him national fame in literary circles and among historians.

ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS SHOW GREAT RESULTS

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, June 3.—The half dozen wet bills proposed by the senate beer bloc to modify and nullify the eighteenth amendment, were killed by the senate judiciary sub-committee on prohibition.

Federal prohibition agents under the leadership of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Lincoln C. Andrews, are seizing one million gallons of intoxicating liquor a month from rum runners, moonshiners and bootleggers.

Heroes



Captain Alexander Livingston and his crew, which includes "Mickie," the ship's mascot, were hailed as heroes when the freighter West Eldara arrived in Boston after rescuing 36 officers and men of a burning French schooner just before it sank in mid-ocean.

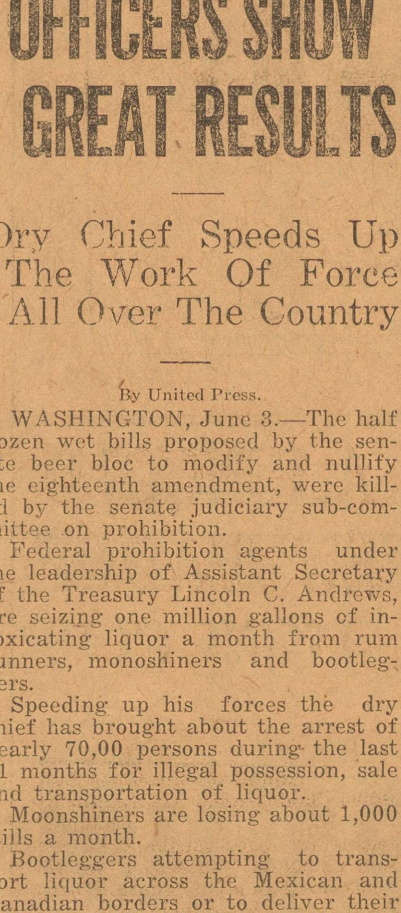
DETECTIVES WILL PROBE EVANGELIST

By United Press.
SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Capt. Herman Cline, of the Los Angeles detective force, was in San Francisco today investigating phases of the strange disappearance of Amice Sample McPherson, the evangelist.

Lost Baby Clothes Was Murder Clue In Fort Worth

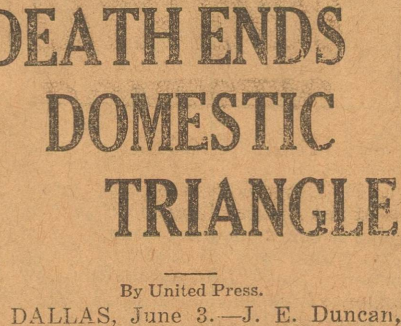
Police in Fort Worth were in a dilemma last week when they found a parcel of children's clothing in the Trinity river bottom. Things looked to them as if the clothes were a clue to a murder and for some time they kept on the scent while a medicine bottle found near the clothing contained on the label the address of an Eastland doctor.

For Love of His Absent Son



A year ago 7-year-old Lloyd Hikel disappeared with his mother from the home of his father, S. Hikel of Omaha, Neb. Search proved futile, and Hikel resolved to observe each yearly anniversary of their disappearance by playing host to orphan children. This picture shows him at the first anniversary, when he gave a dinner to 200 homeless youngsters.

Thrown Away



"Billy"—Baltimore's mystery baby—was found in a sewer by boys who heard him crying. Except for a few bruises he was unharmed, and has become a favorite with nurses at the hospital where he is being kept while police seek the woman who threw him away. He is about 10 months old.

Colorado Woman Again Heads The Women of Nation

By United Press.
ATLANTIC CITY, June 3.—Mrs. John Dickinson Sherman of Estes Park, Colorado, and Washington, D. C., was re-elected president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at its eighteenth biennial convention here. Other re-elected officers were Mrs. Ed F. White of Indianapolis, first vice president; Florence Dierck of Pennsylvania, second vice president.

PLACES MUZZLE OF GUN TO HEART AND PULLS TRIGGER

By United Press.
TENAHA, Texas, June 3.—Placing the muzzle of a shotgun against himself and pulling the trigger, A. J. Johnson, 70 years old, ended his life at his home here today. No motive for the act was known.

AGED MOTHER WEEPS AT THE TRIAL OF SON



The tears of an old broken hearted mother rent district court Thursday, at Eastland, when her boy, Frank Crotwell, appeared before Judge Elzo Peen and a jury, on a charge of burglary, it being alleged that Crotwell had broken into the home of George Wilcox on March 24, last, and stolen two rings and a shotgun. Evidence showed that the boy received less than one dollar for the stolen property.

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Tom Green Bond Case Is Argued

By United Press.
AUSTIN, June 3.—The Supreme Court Thursday heard oral argument for a petition to mandamus the attorney general to approve \$500,000 Tom Green county road bonds.

Babe Ruth Slaps Out Seventeenth Home Run

By United Press.
NEW YORK, June 3.—Babe Ruth crashed out his seventeenth home run of the season in the first inning of the game. Wiltse was pitching.

OIL OPERATORS VISION RETURN OF GREAT DAYS

Wildcatters Are Busy All Over The County Surface Is Scratched

A campaign of drilling that reminds of the boom days of a few years ago is under way, in Eastland and nearby counties; and according to Ranger oil men, 15 new locations having been made this week.

Yellow Mound Club Have Bread Making Demonstration

Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent, Eastland, held a good meeting Wednesday, at Yellow Mound, where she instructed the girls club in the art of yeast bread making.

Rosenquest Named Vice President Of Swensondale Co.

Special Correspondence.
BRECKENRIDGE, June 3.—At the annual meeting of the Swensondale Oil company held Tuesday in Caddo, N. N. Rosenquest of Eastland was named second vice president.

Price Fixing Of Petroleum To Be Probed

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, June 3.—The direction of the Federal Trade Commission to investigate fixing prices for all petroleum products of oil companies since 1922, was made today. The committee was directed to make a full report.

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THE FOLKS BACK HOME



FROM GREATEST BOOK.
 Honor and Life: "Ye shall fear every man his mother, and his father, and keep my sabbaths; I am the Lord your God."—Lev. 19:3.
 Prayer: Help us, Our God, to love our parents, and keep holy Thy Sabbaths, and live long in the land.

HAVE FAITH IN YOUR TOWN.
 "Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen." This is the definition of faith that conquers all things as given to us by the great apostle Paul in a letter to the Hebrews.

You must have faith in your town and faith in your citizenship if you would build your town and encourage the friendship of your citizenship. Faith has worked wonders spiritually, physically and industrially. Henry Ford had faith in himself when he began to work out the details for the manufacture of a vehicle that would use gasoline as a fuel to propel it. The Wright boys had faith in themselves that they would conquer the air with a machine that was heavier than air.

Faith in the town and its future, and the future of the county built the Comellee theatre and several other large buildings in Eastland. The men who build ahead for future generations have faith in the future development. The faith that the forebears had was the foundation on which Texas was builded. Men of faith and who build on faith do not believe in boycotting. They work in the open.

A Ranger woman, wife of a merchant, has faith in the future of Ranger and as a result showed her faith by investing \$4,100 in Ranger Building & Loan stock.
 R. Q. Lee of Cisco showed his faith in the future development of Eastland county in fostering the poultry and egg production. Faith goes a long ways. But people of faith never boycott because boycotters are men without faith. Boycotter are men and women who may be classed with assassins. Its never necessary to boycott. If you boycott then you have no faith in yourself, your town or your county.

Men who have faith in the future of Eastland county and the towns in the county are builders and welcome every enterprise into their midst. They know that the more enterprises they have in the town the larger will be the payroll. The more payrolls there is in a town, the more money wage earners have to spend.
 Faith in your town helps to build it. Faith in your town builds homes. Town builders like church members are men of faith. Faith is needed now more than ever in Eastland county that lead in poultry and egg production and a gain promises to lead in production of oil.

It was faith in himself that caused W. K. Gordon of the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company to drill the first well in the Ranger district that was the forerunner of adding millions to the wealth of Texas.

Eastland Church Members Held Up By Heavy Rains

Heavy rains at Eastland Wednesday night prevented many outstanding social and church events the most prominent being the church night at the Eastland Presbyterian church where only 12 persons turned up with their picnic baskets.
 The event was planned to take place just a few moments after the storm came which drenched the city, while garages were flooded, and several of the leading residents and church members hurriedly phoned to the church stating that they could not be present. Another supper will be planned at a future date it was stated.

ADLY PASHA IS NEW PREMIER OF EGYPT
 By United Press.
 CARIO, Egypt, June 3.—Zaghul Pasha, nationalist leaders today designated Adly Pasha to be new premier of Egypt.

\$10,000,000,000 CAN BE SAVED BY STANDARDIZING

By United Press.
 WASHINGTON, June 3.—American commerce and industry can save more than \$10,000,000,000 annually through development of simplification and standardization, Ray H. Hudson, Commerce Department expert, told the United Press in an exclusive interview.

"Many of our industries believe that we are suffering from too great a variety in almost every article of commerce in this country," Hudson said. "Leading men in widely different fields agree that the reduction of variety will secure many advantages."

This simplifying of industry will decrease stocks, production costs, selling expenses, misunderstandings, and reduce prices. At the same time it will increase the turnover, stability of employment, promptness of delivery, foreign commerce, quality of product and profit to producer, distributor and user.

Hudson said we like to boast that the United States has one half of the world's gold supply, two fifths of the world's railroad mileage and 63 percent of all telephones on earth. "It is also a matter of pleasure for us to consider that our savings bank deposits are double those of Europe but our annual record of failures casts a shadow over this."

"There were 21,214 failures reported last year and the concerns in bankruptcy had liabilities of \$443,744,272. Some of the reasons for this condition may be found in wastes which arise from booms and slumps, intermittent and seasonal production, strictures in transportation, wastes caused by excessive variation in products, waste from lack of efficient processes, wastes by fire and pastes of human life."

"Every one of these makes it drain on our individual lives—represents a reduction from goods and services we might all enjoy if we would work for their elimination."

Simplified practice will gather dollars instead of the goods on the shelves gathering dust, Hudson said. The government does not desire to manage business but extends its cooperation to encourage plans for eliminating as many business failures.

AGED MOTHER WEEPS AT TRIAL OF SON

(Continued from page one.)
 steal the officers' car.
 Chained in Jail
 Crotwell was returned to the hospital and placed in chains until he was able to be returned to the county jail.
 Today despite a ll the boy's alleged misdoings the old mother sat beside him at times looking appealingly to the jury as evidence mounted up against the boy. She still had faith in the lad. She also was the only woman in court.
 Wilcox on the stand stated that he was away from home when the property was taken and could not swear whether the house was broken into or not. He had employed Crotwell at his place and the lad had some clothing in the home, he said.
 Police officers gave evidence of the arrest and the recovery of the property, while the purchasers told how much they had paid for the stuff, which they swore they bought from the accused. A gold ring set with stones was held for 25 cents while the shotgun fetched accused a like sum.
 Attorney for the defense tried desperately to get from witnesses their knowledge of the age of the accused, and after a time and over the objections of the state, it was stated that at the time of the crime Crotwell was under 18 years old.

Arrest Cisco Man On Four Serious Charges Thursday

Arrested Thursday morning at Cisco by Deputy Sheriff Virgil Foster, H. G. McWhirter, of Cisco appeared in Justice of Peace Sam Day's court at Eastland, to answer two charges of obtaining money as an agent, and two charges of alleged passing worthless checks.
 Accused waived examination and will appear for trial in district court. Bond on all charges was fixed at \$1100.

BATTLESHIP IS SENT TO GUARD EGYPT

By United Press.
 LONDON, June 3.—A British battleship was enroute to Egypt today to cope with any situation that may arise here as a result of the acute political situation.
 Sir Austin Chamberlin, foreign secretary officially confirmed the report, that a battle ship had been dispatched when questioned regarding the Egyptian situation, in the house of Commons.
 Chamberlin would not comment beyond saying that the government was still in communication with Lord Lloyd, the British High Commander in Egypt.

Program Change Brings On Ire Of The Movie Fans

By WILLIAM J. FAGAN
 (United Press Radio News Editor)
 NEW YORK.—A striking example of the difference in the applause methods of the radio listener of 1923 and that of 1926 was a recent experiment by WEAFin abandoning, without notice, for one week the regular performance of the WEAF Grand Opera Company.
 The feature had drawn but a minimum of applause letters. It was being featured on a net-work of a half dozen stations each Monday evening, and costing considerable money to maintain, the WEAF management decided it was an unprofitable venture.
 A substitute program was announced at the scheduled time for the opera to commence and immediately the studio was besieged with telephone calls and telegrams expressing indignation that the aporo company was withdrawn from the air.
 George F. McClelland, director of WEAF, stated that the fans most vehement in their condemnation of the station's action were those who never would write a letter. The incident disclosed the immense popularity of the weekly presentation of grand opera, as well as demonstrating the great importance of the response of the audience in determining the most attractive features.
 In the operation of a broadcasting station, it is difficult to assume the attitude that no news is good news. A falling off in he mail response created by a program feature is interpreted in the studios in one manner only—not getting over.
 The more widespread use of prepared applause forms with everything filled in but the name of the sender is undoubtedly a more logical solution of the problem than the drug-gery of writing your own. But here again we face the fact that the listener who doesn't write now, never will do so.

Southern California Plans Big Industrial Exposition in August

By United Press.
 LOS ANGELES, June 2.—Southern California's industrial prowess will be brought to the attention of the entire west in a gigantic trade exposition here Aug. 16-22, according to announcement today by the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.
 More than 16,000 buyers, representing the retail and wholesale establishments of all states west of the Mississippi river, have been invited to attend the show.
 The exposition is designed to convince buyers from other states of the advisability of patronizing California industries.
 Southern California, known a few years ago as a resort city, now ranks with the industrial centers of the country, according to Los Angeles boosters.

E. A. RINGOLD NEW HEAD OF LIONS CLUB



E. A. Ringold was elected president of the Ranger Lions club at their regular weekly meeting today. Leslie Hagaman was elected first vice president; A. N. Larson, second vice president; Charles Moore, tail twister, and Raymond Lambert, lion tamer. Directors elected were Steve A. Lillard Jr. and R. F. Holloway.
 E. A. Ringold and Walter Murray were elected delegates from the Ranger club to attend the national convention convening at San Francisco, July 21.
 A committee composed of Lions Wilot, Tunnell and Lambert reported on progress of some grading work being done.
 Lion Ringold made a few remarks in regard to the Lions baseball team and stated that the team was functioning nicely, having lost only one game.
 The club planned to play Eastland next week, the day to be announced later.

Music Hath Charms To Kill Savage Germ, Say Medical Men

By United Press.
 MILWAUKEE.—Music also hath charms to kill the savage germ.
 According to dispensary records at Marquette University here not one student at the college of music needed medical attention during the last semester, while 194 from liberal arts, 178 engineering students, 86 business students and 86 dental students, were forced to seek attention at the dispensary.

SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

RAIDAY.
 Twentieth Century club meets with Mrs. W. D. Conway at Acorn Acres at 2:30 p. m.
 County council to hold picnic at Lancaster park, Eastland, at 3 p. m.

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR HERE.
 Mrs. J. E. Leigh of Dallas, state corresponding secretary of the Woman's Missionary union work, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. White. Mrs. Leigh is one of the most important W. M. U. workers in Texas and will be in and around Eastland county for the next 10 days, visiting different W. M. U. organizations. On Monday, an all-day meeting will be held at the Central Baptist church, at

which time Mrs. Leigh will speak on "Today's Supreme Challenge to Women."
THE "BUDDIES" PLAY HOST.
 The prodigality of the "Buddies" of the American Legion is known far and near and whenever they announce a rally or a party of any kind, it goes without saying that the eats will be all to the merry. At last night's rally given for the ex-service men and their families, they had enough food to feed a regiment—and yet one of the most entertaining parts of the program was that they fooled one into thinking it was to be doled out. A hat filled with numbers was passed among the guests and each guest drew two numbers, which was their allotment of food. Number one stood for a glass of water, number two for a two pick, number three for a sandwich, number four for a glass of lemonade, number five for a piece of cake and number six for a dish of

ice cream, so those who drew a glass of water and a tooth pick felt rather passed through the kitchens and were served two kinds of sandwiches, lemonade, cake and cream they realized the joke that had been played.
 A delightful program was given, in which the Boy Scouts took an active part under the direction of Scoutmaster Peacock. The whole assembly gathered around the pianist, Mr. Edwards, and as he played they sang the songs that will never grow old to the buddies and their friends. It was true that Mademoiselle from Armentieres said the grass was not long enough for her skirt and flunked her act—but Harry Henry filled in the gap very delightfully with a few steps as done by the Mademoiselle.
 It was a real rally—full of pep and good fellowship and all those who were not there missed a splendid good time.

WONDERS OF GREAT CITY LIKE CHICAGO THRILLS ORIENTAL LAD FROM HAWAII; MARBLE CHAMPION



FRANCIS KAN
 By United Press.
 CHICAGO, June 3.—The wonders of a great city are being unfolded to Francis Kan, 14 year old Chinese-American boy, who has won the marble shooting championship of Hawaii and now comes in quest of the American championship—to be decided at Atlantic City.
 Buildings higher than any he had ever dreamed of, crowds, larger than he had over contemplated, trains, street cars, and all the trappings of an American metropolis amazed this quiet Oriental youth from the "paradise of the Pacific" but for sheer enjoyment, he confessed nothing thrilled him as much as the big league baseball games he attended.
 Son of Grocer.
 Kan is the son of a Chinese grocer in Honolulu. He is a freshman at the McKinley High School and speaks the English language fluently. He has learned American sports through the efforts of the Y. M. C. A. but is now getting his first of how they are

player in the land of their origin.
 "It must be wonderful," he told the United Press, "to live in a country where all these things that I look at are every day matters."
 Marvelled at Trip
 Francis marvelled at the long overland trip he made from San Francisco. He had never seen a railroad train before and the fact that he ate and spent day after day and night after night aboard a train moving 50 miles an hour and faster, impressed him as much as anything he had seen since leaving his home on the Pacific.
 But Francis is mostly "boy." Aside from the customary reserve of the Oriental, he was not unlike a score of other boys when he went to one of Chicago's public playgrounds and learned a new game which is just being invented for American boys—marble golf.
 The game is played exactly like golf except that the distance between the holes is shorter and the players progress by shooting marbles instead of driving golf balls.

Americans Retain Walker Cup For Best Golf Game

By United Press.
 ST. ANDREWS, Scotland, June 3.—The Americans retained possession of the Walker cup today after a two days international team play over the famous Scottish course against leading British amateur golfers.
 The victory was assured when Von Elm of California finished all square with Major C. O. Hazlet, giving him a half point.

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ORDER OF SALE AND EXECUTION.
 THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Dallas.
 No. 43987 in the Justice Court, Precinct No. 1, Dallas County, Texas. The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Eastland County, Greeting:
 Whereas, on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1926, before me, E. John Baldwin, a justice of the peace in and for the precinct, county and state aforesaid United States Bond & Mortgage Co., a corporation, recovered a judgment against A. A. Diehl and K. J. Leach for the sum of Eighty-one & 87-100 (\$81.87) Dollars, (debt due, with interest and attorney's fees), with interest thereon from the 1st day of February, A. D. 1926, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and all costs of suit, now amounting to the further sum of Nine & 70-100 Dollars, and
 Whereas, it is further ordered and decreed that the mortgage lien given by the defendant upon the following described property, to-wit: One Earl automobile, touring, motor No. 72-189, to be sold at Westgate Tire & Battery Co. Garage, second Tuesday in June, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., to highest bidder for cash, as it existed on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1924, and now exists, be foreclosed, and that said above described property was ordered sold, as under execution, to satisfy said judgment of the goods and chattels, land and tenements of the said A. A. Diehl and K. J. Leach, you will cause to be made the sum of Eighty-one & 87-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 1st day of February, A. D. 1926, or any balance that may be due after the sale herein ordered, and the further sum of Nine & 70-100 Dollars, the costs of suit, together with the costs of executing this writ, as under execution.
 Herein fail not, but of this writ make due return, showing how you have executed the same within 60 days from the date hereof.
 Given under my hand officially this 17th day of April, A. D. 1926.
 E. JOHN BALDWIN,
 Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Dallas County, Texas.
 C. C. HAMILTON,
 Constable Precinct No. 2, Eastland County, Texas.
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 for ensuing year.
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2—MALE HELP WANTED
 WOULD like to figure with clean-cut
 elderly gentleman without family who
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3—HELP WANTED FEMALE
 WANTED—Middle aged white woman
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 family of three at Throckmorton,
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7—SPECIAL NOTICES
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 Mrs. Lon Hayden, 604 Mesquite st.,
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 house. Beign Addition. Phone 319.
 UNFURNISHED house, 4 rooms and
 bath. 419 Pine st., Ranger.

12—WANTED TO BUY
 SECOND-HAND furniture bought
 and sold at the right prices. Main
 Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main
 st., Ranger. Phone 95.

13—FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS
 DEWBERRIES for sale, 50c gallon.
 L. M. Cook, Caddo highway, Ranger.
 \$15 spectacles, \$3.98; shell rim and
 gold filled, and several pairs near;
 double lenses. Guaranteed, why pay
 more, 326 Pine st., Ranger.

16—AUTOMOBILES
 BUICK roadster, 1923; \$400. Sivalls
 Motor Co., Ranger.

BUICK touring, 1924. Sivalls Mo-
 tor Co., Ranger.

ESSEX coupe, 1923; \$275. Sivalls
 Motor Co., Ranger.

STUDEBAKER touring, 1923; \$350.
 Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.

HUDSON coach; tires good; runs
 good, \$275. Sivalls Motor Co., Ran-
 ger.

1926 NASH roadster, 2 months old;
 mechanically perfect. See this car
 at Missich Garage, Ranger. A real
 bargain.

FORD coupe, 1923; \$125. Sivalls
 Motor Co., Ranger.

BUICK roadster, 1922; \$125. Sivalls
 Motor Co., Ranger.

STUDEBAKER sedan, 1924; new
 paint; good tires; \$700. Sivalls Mo-
 tor Co., Ranger.

DODGE roadster, \$425. Sivalls Mo-
 tor Co., Ranger.

HUPMOBILE roadster, 1924; \$450.
 Sivalls Motor Co., Ranger.

DODGE touring, 1923; \$300. Sivalls
 Motor Co., Ranger.

ONE late model Ford coupe for sale
 cheap; a good buy. Phone 451. Ran-
 ger Battery & Tire Co., Ranger.

USED TIRES—All sizes, makes and
 prices. Green Filling Station, East-
 land, Texas.

1922 Light six Studebaker; good con-
 dition; good rubber; \$250. Gullahorn
 Motor Co., Ranger.

CHEVROLET Sedan, A-1 condition;
 good paint, new rubber; \$300. Gullahorn
 Motor Co., Ranger.

HUPMOBILE; good condition; new
 paint, good rubber; \$300. Gullahorn
 Motor Co., Ranger.

Justice Office In Eastland Is A Solomon Court

The only place in Eastland county
 where life in all its paths and woe
 can be witnessed is the office of
 Justice Sam Day, at Eastland.

Every day tales, that sometimes,
 are enough to make the heart bleed,
 are unfolded to the judge. On oc-
 casions it is a deserted woman with
 children clinging to her dress, who
 tells a story of a life of poverty that
 grips the heart strings of listeners,
 while it may be the wife of a boot-
 legger begging the judge to release
 her husband.

The wisdom of a modern Solomon
 is needed to deal with such cases,
 and it must be said to the credit of
 the judge, that he has never fallen
 down when a case called for prompt
 decision, within the law and temper-
 ed with mercy.

A few days ago the judge was con-
 fronted with a case that called for
 more than the average amount of
 care and at the same time protect
 the life of a girl facing the law for
 her first offense. There was also an
 enraged man who professed to be
 her sweetheart who had laid the
 charge against the girl.

The case proceeded and as the
 girl gave her name, her sobs rent
 the court, until the heart of the man
 leaped with pity. He took the girl
 in his arms and begged the judge for
 mercy and decided he was willing to
 take all the blame.

Fights between sheiks over their
 flappers are all in the course of the
 day's investigations while booze cases
 are always on hand.

The job of being a justice of peace
 is not one for old hard-boiled or
 cursty individuals, but is more for
 the man with vision while at the
 same time a little human sympathy
 for his fellow man.

Excuses Offered By Jurors To Escape Service

By United Press.
 SHERMAN, Texas, June 3—Judge
 Wilcox McKinney, of the Fifty-ninth
 district court, recently had a flood of
 excuses from his jurors who sought
 to escape from the jury service.

The jurors for the week had been
 put under oath and the judge asked
 from any man who thought he had a
 good one. Many reasons were offer-
 ed.

"I've got no teeth, judge," one
 prospect said.

"How long have you been without
 teeth?" the judge questioned.

"About three weeks."

"Will you have any more teeth?"

"Yes, sir."

"When?"

"In about three weeks more."

"You are excused. We may get
 you some other time."

After a few other men made ex-
 cuses, another man said, "Your hon-
 or, my excuse has already been used,
 but I believe it is still good. I have
 no teeth."

The judge requested the sheriff
 "grind up the brother's meat for
 him," and he served.

There was a young man who offer-
 ed, bashfully, the excuse, "Your
 honor, I have a two weeks old baby
 at home and I think I ought to be
 there."

He was allowed to return
 home to his wife and baby after ex-
 plaining that as it was their "first"
 he felt his wife needed his assistance.

"I can't hear good," a middle-aged
 man said. "I ought not to try to
 serve."

Speaking as he spoke to all others,
 the judge said, "If the lawyers speak
 to you as I am speaking now, could
 you hear them?"

"No, sir," was the startled reply.

But the court was not so sure.

**FERGUSON TO SPEAK
 AT CISCO JUNE 19**

Jim Ferguson will speak in Cisco,
 June 19 at 3 p. m., it was announced
 last night by Guy Holcomb, who re-
 ceived a telegram to that effect from
 the governor's headquarters at Aus-
 tin.

"Ma" Ferguson will only make an
 opening address, the main speech be-
 ing delivered by Jim, who it is stated
 will have some new things to say on
 behalf of his wife.

It was not decided last night where
 the meeting will be held or whether
 it will be indoors or outside.

IN THE COURTS

The following cases were filed in
 the Eastland county court house
 Wednesday for the June term:

June 7—Jury, civil.

Texas Indemnity Ins. Co. vs. Al-
 fred F. Holt, et al.

Aetna Life Ins. Co. vs. G. E.
 Glazner, et al.

C. Claude Anderson, et ux vs. W.
 C. Palmer, et al.

S. J. Sirmans vs. Home Ins. Co.

E. E. Blessing vs. McKenzie Con-
 struction Co.

Tuesday, June 8—Appearance
 docket called at 10 a. m.

Second week, June 14—Assign-
 ment of cases to be prepared by
 county attorney.

J. W. Guy vs. First State Bank of
 Carbon.

As yet the north pole explorers
 don't report a single case of an Es-
 kimo dog chasing a north pole cat.

16—AUTOMOBILES

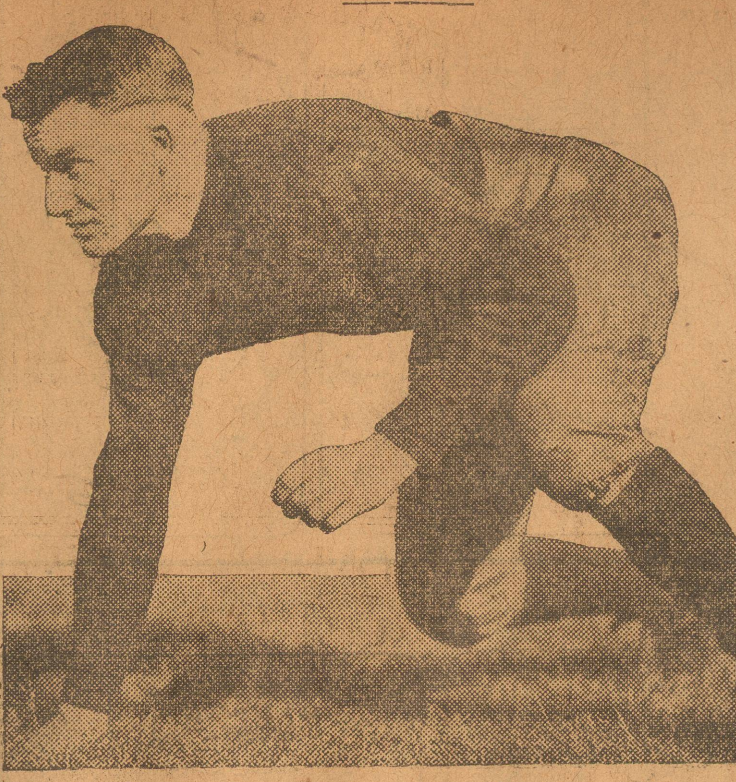
FORD COUPE—In good condition,
 and has good ruber, \$90. Gullahorn
 Motor Co., Ranger.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE—Flock pure Tom Barron
 English Leghorns. Come early and
 pick your some good ones. V. V.
 Preston, quarter mile off Spring
 road, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Three hundred and
 thirty white leghorns from same
 flock and pen as the hens in A. & M.
 College laying contest. Come and
 pick them for \$1.50 each. O. R.
 Brady, 105 N. Austin st., Phone 642
 or 19.

COLLEGIANS HOLD SWAY



Ed Weir, Greatest Tackle of All Times.
 Lecture on Character and Athletics at Premier Chautauquas.

Music such as made by the
 sphers in their course around the
 Sun, and the duty of every man to
 utilize his right of franchise to insure
 good officers and to eliminate graft
 and lawlessness were featured at the
 Chautauqua Wednesday.

Today is college day, and college
 youths in all their glory will have full
 swing on the platform. Music and
 athletics will be the feature. Col-
 lege boys in "Oh Percy" singing old
 familiar glee club songs, and Eddie
 Weir, thrice selected as tackle on the
 Walter Camp's All-American foot-
 ball team, will tell how clean living
 and athletics make men of boys.

The chautauqua this week grows
 better at every performance and
 every day. It opened with a strong bill
 and each bill is stronger than the
 predecessor.

The Garay sisters, violinist and cel-
 list together with their accompanist
 gave the audience a meal of real
 music, such as is seldom heard. The
 masters were played and the audi-
 ence was carried to other realms. At
 times, one could hear the rippling
 waters of the "Blue Danube, and the
 singing of the nightingale or mock-
 ing bird in the trees on the banks of
 the rivers in Hungary and America.
 Then again, the violins spoke in soft-
 er language and the sighing of the
 wind through the trees, and then
 again the storm would break loose
 and you could hear thunder and al-
 most see the lightning flash. Both
 had technique, and gave the music
 lover a relief from the junk that is
 usually dished up,—jazz.



Summer Fabrics

These new fabrics lend themselves beau-
 tifully to cool, dainty frocks for summer.
 Soft clinging silks and crisp cottons are
 favored in the mode.

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Hit-And-Run Car Upsets Family Coach at Crossing

E. K. Crosbie, wife and two chil-
 dren had a narrow escape from seri-
 ous injury Wednesday afternoon,
 when a passing car on the highway
 near the Prairie Crossing, side swiped
 their car with such force that it
 knocked it off the road, and down
 the embankment. The striking car
 sped on, never stopping to ask how
 seriously the occupants of the car
 were hurt. Fortunately only the car
 which was a Hudson coach suffered
 from the impact, it being pretty badly
 the worse for the crash.

Mr. Crosbie and his family while
 shaken up were not hurt, it is said.
 This is the second accident that
 had happened to Ranger people dur-
 ing the week of this nature. The
 other one was Sunday, when a big
 Hudson coach driving on the wrong
 side of the road hit the fliwver of a
 Times employee, took a cap off the
 hub of a wheel, broke a spindle, and
 otherwise damaged the car, and then
 speeded merrily on its reckless path.

Ramblin' Round' In Ranger

Dr. E. L. Williams in the course of
 his lecture last evening at the Chau-
 tauqua took a hefty rap at jazz. "It's
 time we were turning swords into
 plowshares," he said, "and jazz sym-
 peters into unconsciousness."

The postoffice has taken on the
 appearance of a modern one with
 array of new windows and the new
 system of classification. Now if they
 would just move it to town all would
 be serene.

A couple of Ranger newboys
 munching on hamburgers in the post-
 office lobby—at 8 o'clock in the
 morning and seemingly enjoying it.

About the most appealing place in
 town for the weary is the worn bench
 reposing in front of The Fountain.
 Here the T. M. M. (tired married
 man) can wait patiently while his
 wife sees the show through twice—
 and pass the time away talking to
 Raymond Teal.

While on the other hand one can
 always get the tomorrow's baseball
 results from the dopesters that fight
 out the games in front of the Oil
 City pharmacy the night before they
 are played. While the wife sits im-
 patiently figuring out the batting
 average on tomorrow's dinner.

And this morning's rain makes us
 remember that we can go swimming
 on Commerce street tonight.

We are expecting any day now
 that someone will start a straw vote.

MARIE PREVOST AS A BURGLAR HEROINE

Marie Prevost, star of "Seven Sin-
 ners," in Warner picture which is
 showing at the Lamb Theatre, is said
 to be her most delightful and amus-
 ing self in this story of crooks, writ-
 ten especially for her by Lewis Mile-
 stone and Darryl-Francis Zanuck.

Miss Prevost, who recently starred
 in the screen version of "Bobbed
 Hair," plays a hard-boiled little
 hurgar, who lets neither the law nor
 any other member of her profession
 interfere with her acquisition of any
 valuables she may desire. Through
 romance and kindness she suddenly
 reforms, and joins honest forces with
 another crook, played by Clive
 Brook. The remainder of the sup-
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Wealthy Colored Man Convicted; Suspend Sentence

Never in the history of the East-
 land county court house have so
 many negroes attended a trial of a
 colored man as the mob who swarmed
 through the court Wednesday for
 the closing hours of the case of
 Chester Johnson, charged in the 88th
 district court with the murder of
 Plomer Tyler, at Cisco, on March 18
 last. It was the case de luxe from
 the negro standpoint, the accused be-
 ing a man of wealth and property in
 the district.

Evidence was closed on Tuesday
 night, and Wednesday was devoted
 to argument by the four counsels en-
 gaged in the case which went to the
 jury late in the afternoon, who later
 with a verdict of guilty of man-
 slaughter, and a suspended sentence.

Martin, Near Ivan Now Making 75 Barrels An Hour

BRECKENRIDGE, June 3.—Acc-
 ording to reports received here from
 Ivan, the Texas Consolidated
 Oil company's O. S. Martin, No. 7,
 a mile south of Ivan is making 75 bar-
 rels of oil an hour.

The well came in a gasser several
 weeks ago and was drilled 30 feet
 deeper, making the total depth 3,955
 feet. Immediately it began spouting
 oil.

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BASEBALL

HOW THEY STAND

OIL BELT LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Ranger	5	2	.714
Breckenridge	5	2	.714
Thurber	3	4	.428
Eastland	1	6	.142

Where They Play Next Sunday.
Ranger at Eastland.
Thurber at Breckenridge.

RANGER BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
American Legion	3	1	.750
Lions	3	1	.750
Salesmen	4	2	.667
Leveille-Maher	1	2	.333
Woodmen	1	2	.333
Oilbelt Motor	0	3	.000

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Dallas	27	19	.587
San Antonio	25	20	.558
Houston	23	21	.521
Shreveport	25	22	.532
Beaumont	22	25	.468
Wichita Falls	22	26	.458
Fort Worth	19	26	.422
Waco	18	30	.375

Yesterday's Results.
Wichita Falls 6, Dallas 3.
Beaumont 10, Waco 0.
Houston 7, San Antonio 5.
Shreveport 4, Fort Worth 3.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	33	12	.733
Philadelphia	28	21	.571
Chicago	25	22	.532
Washington	24	22	.522
Detroit	24	23	.511
Cleveland	23	24	.500
St. Louis	15	31	.326
Boston	13	31	.295

Yesterday's Results.
New York 9-5, Washington 5-4.
Boston 5-1, Philadelphia 4-5.
Cleveland 13-0, Detroit 1-7.
Chicago 6, St. Louis 5.

Today's Schedule.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.
Boston at New York.
Three games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	29	16	.644
Chicago	24	18	.575
Pittsburgh	23	18	.566
Brooklyn	21	21	.500
St. Louis	24	25	.490
New York	22	23	.489
Philadelphia	17	26	.395
Boston	14	27	.341

Yesterday's Results.
Boston 12-12, Brooklyn 5-11.
New York 5-2, Philadelphia 4-7.
St. Louis 14, Chicago 6.
Only games scheduled.

Today's Schedule.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Cincinnati at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
Three games scheduled.

AROUND WORLD 24 Around World Flight Planned For The Norge

By United Press.
NOME, Alaska, June 3.—While the Norge was skimming across the wastes where the North Pole lies, Colonel Umberto Nobile, Italian commander of the dirigible, was conceiving of another special flight which should add to Italy's glory.

It is a trans-world flight, by way of the North Pole, from Rome to Tokio which he hopes to undertake at some undetermined time in the future, he said here Wednesday.

Nobile, with five of the Italian members of the Norge's crew, arrived in Nome Tuesday on the United States coast guard cutter Hazel, from Fort Clarence Bay. They embarked at Fort Clarence after a 14 mile trip over the ice from Teller.

"The Norge," declared Colonel Nobile, "was absolutely under command and control at all times. None of the Italians, including myself, had any sleep from the time we took off from Kings Bay until after we had arrived in Teller—72 hours later."

"For myself I had two hours sleep out of 100 hours."

"Italian black coffee and beef tea were our only nourishment."

"Delay in taking off from Kings Bay, effected twelve hours later than planned, added to the fatigue of the crew," Nobile said.

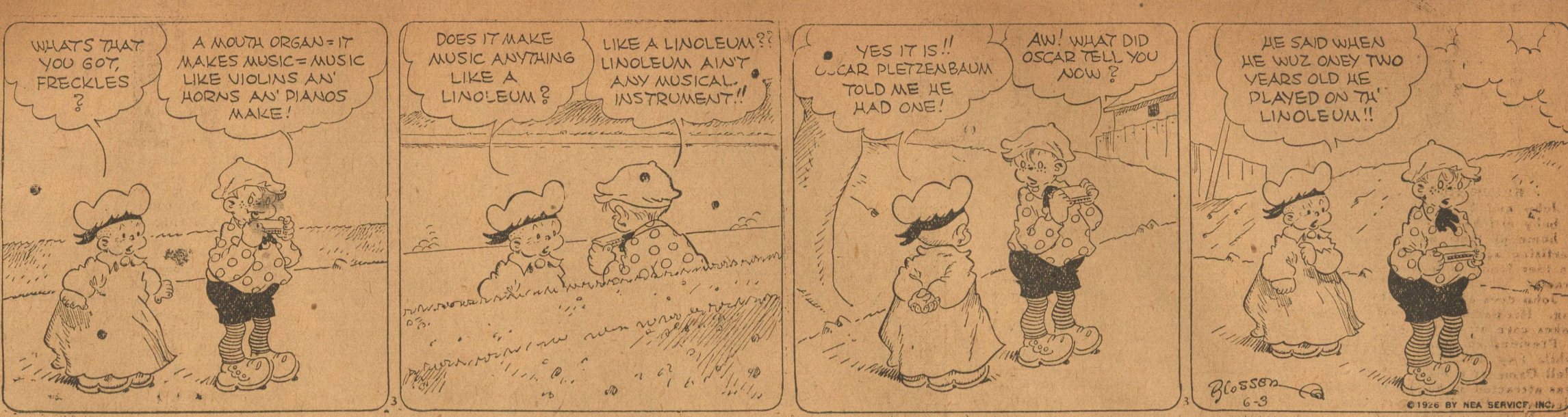
The Italian commander corrected reported inaccurate statements regarding his proposed flight across Asia from Tokyo. "These rumors arise, I understand, from the fact that in September I will be sent to Japan by the Italian Government to direct their work of assembling a new airship constructed in Rome under my direction for the Japanese navy."

CHEVROLET ROADSTER STOLEN FROM HOTEL

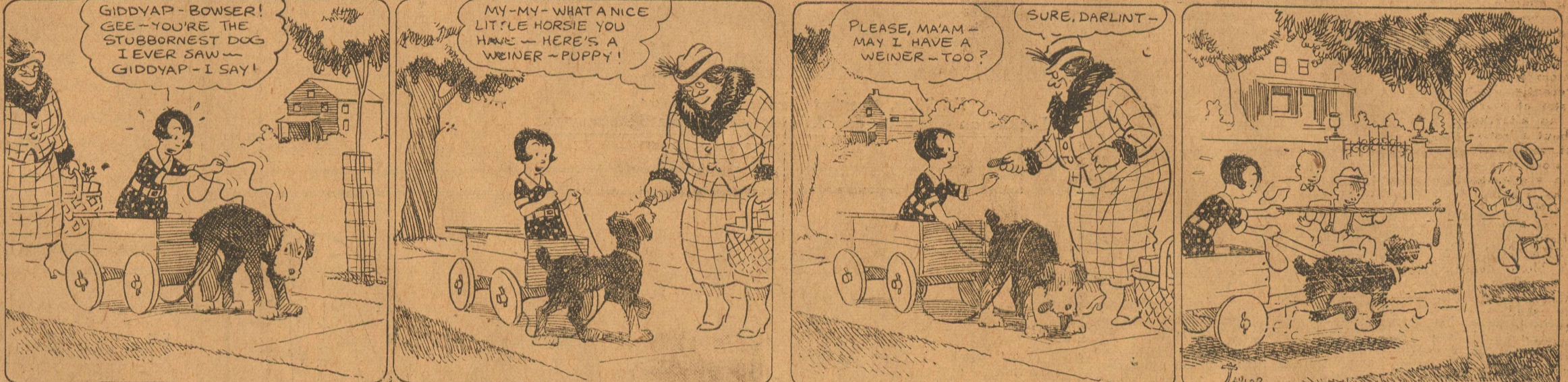
A Chevrolet roadster, belonging to H. H. Jones, was stolen last night around 10 o'clock, from in front of the Southland hotel where it was parked. The car was a 1925 model, serial number K-20619. Mr. Jones lives on the Pleasant Grove road, at the Wright lease.

What's in a name? Two army officers were arrested at Fort Crook.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Mon'n Pop



Fight Game Opens Big In Brooklyn; Delaney-Burns

United Press Staff Correspondent.
NEW YORK, June 3.—Two important bouts feature one of the first big cards of the outdoor boxing season, scheduled at Ebbets field in Brooklyn tonight.

Jack Delaney, the light heavyweight contender, is to meet Tommy Burns, Detroit youngster, and Tod Morgan, junior lightweight champion, will defend his title against Steve (Kid) Sullivan, Brooklyn fighter who has been after a bout with the Seattle youth for some time.

The Delaney-Burns bout is far from a "natural." The Connecticut boxer is believed to be stepping out of his class in meeting Burns, whose reputation is not such that it should pay Delaney to risk his position as contender. It may be that Delaney needs the purse or that he feels a conditioning bout will help him in his preparation for a titular fight with Paul Berlenbach.

Burns, of course, is not so sure that he will prove a set-up. He has been training rigidly in Yonkers and is satisfied that Delaney is going to have the fight of his life.

But on form it appears that Delaney should add another name to his list of victims and the odds favoring his doing just that are too heavy to grant Burns much comfort.

Delaney may not have to meet Berlenbach for the title after all, for "Pop-em Paul" first must hurdle the Stribling barrier before his bout with the Bridgeport boxer.

It would be tough on Jack if he should be forced to forego a chance at the light heavyweight crown because he refused to sign a contract to which Berlenbach already had affixed his name, but Jack is a square shooter and having promised to fight for Humbert Fugazy, Brooklyn promoter, he turned down Tex Rickard, who held Berlenbach's signature.

As it is, the champion, it appears now, will meet Stribling first and there are a great many ring followers who are willing to wager their shirts and neckties that Berlenbach will no longer have his title after the end of his bout with the Georgian.

The Morgan-Sullivan go is everything that the bout between the heavier boxers is not. While the westerner probably will be the favorite when he steps into the ring, Sullivan has a large local backing and there should be few dull moments in this bout.

Radcliff Brothers Sentenced Again For Bootlegging

L. J. and Marshall Radcliff of Cicero, convicted a few weeks ago at Coleman on a charge of bank robbery and given ten years each in the state penitentiary, were brought to Eastland from the penitentiary Tuesday. Both of them were under indictment in Eastland county on a charge of bootlegging and each pleaded guilty and were given one year each in the penitentiary on this charge.

Sheriff Bob Edwards went to the State farm after the prisoners and found them both at work in the cotton patch. With the added punishment heaped out to them by the jury in Judge Ben's court Wednesday, the Radcliff's have eleven years each to do for the state.

PURE AIR.

By United Press.
STOCKHOLM.—The dust particles in the air of Stockholm have been counted by the government meteorologist, Anders Angstrom, and he finds that in comparison with the air of other capitals that of the Swedish is remarkably pure containing only from 100 to 200 particles per cubic centimeter, while in some cities the figure is 11,000.

Lions Devour Lizzies, In Fast Game 12 to 1

In a game replete with thrills, fast

playing and heavy hitting on the part of the Lions Wednesday afternoon, the final count showed them the victors, score 12 to 1. A hit batter and a two-bagger by Shanks in the first inning gave the Leveille-Maher team its first and last run.

Two moundmen essayed to twirl for the Leveille-Maher team. Shanks started and was hammered in the first two frames for five runs on three

hits. Two baggers, an error and a couple of walks gave the Lions the scores. Hodges relieved Shanks and held the Lions down to one run an inning until the fourth, when an error and four hits including a two-bagger gave the Lions four more runs.

The game went full five innings, and the Lions started the sixth, but when they had played their half of the sixth, darkness began to settle

and his "Umps", Colonel George Nurus called the game.

His umps was there togged out in real ump clothes with a new shave and other paraphernalia. The hirsutes were moved off to allow him to have a keener sight to call balls and strikes.

After the Lions had the game iceed, there were several changes in the line, the youthful? Lieutenant George

Murphy took his place on bag No. 1 and Galloway gave way to another twirler, Major Cox. Cox held the "Lizzies" hitless.

Score by innings— R. H. E.
Lions 411 15-12 9 1
Leveille-Maher . 100 00-1 2 4

And it's spring in Kansas City, where a woman of 99 has had a permanent wave put in her hair.

Go ahead and roll 'em - with P.A.



IF YOU'VE never rolled a cigarette with Prince Albert, you're like a fellow standing in line on pay-day. You've got something good coming to you! Good? Well, that word's hardly strong enough. You've got more downright roll-your-own pleasure coming to you than you ever thought possible.

Because, P. A. makes the best little home-rolled cigarette ever. No better cigarette tobacco than Prince Albert ever curled up in a paper. It's crimp-cut and stays put. Doesn't flutter to the floor as you roll it. This is just a detail, of course. The taste is the big thing.

Cigarettes made with Prince Albert taste great. They smoke so cool and sweet, you'll want to make one right after the other. They're fragrant as honey-suckle. Never bite the tongue or parch the throat. The Prince Albert process attended to that little item right at the beginning.

Get a tidy red tin or a toppy red bag of P. A. today. Make yourself some wonderful cigarettes. For variety, try a load or two of this same, wonderful tobacco in the bowl of your old jimmy-pipe. No matter how you smoke it or where, Prince Albert is a grand little pal.

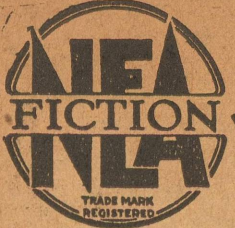
P. A. is sold everywhere in tidy red tins and toppy red bags. And always with every bit of bite and parch removed by the Prince Albert process.



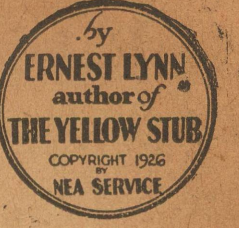
PRINCE ALBERT

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NEIGHBORS' WIVES



BEGIN HERE TODAY

John and Fay Milburn, to whom a baby girl has just been born, buy a home of their own when the advertising agency in which John is a partner lands an important new contract.

John does all the firm's copy writing. His partner, Nathaniel Graham, takes care of the business details.

Previous chapters told how John, while Fay was in the hospital, met Nell Orme at a swimming party and was attracted by her beauty and puzzled when Fat Forbes, his host, told him Nell was having trouble with her husband. Forbes, who has a wife and three children, hints to John that he is dissatisfied with his own marriage.

Dr. Dick Menefee, John's best friend, gets married to Margaret Wayne and John is best man. During the ceremony John drops the ring and suffers much embarrassment as well as the contempt of Clifton Lane, who had recently eloped with Clara Wayne, sister of Margaret.

He has an altercation with his partner about a raise in salary for their artist, and, deciding to stay down and work that evening, he encounters an acquaintance, Eleanor Mason, as he is going out to dinner. **NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY** (The names and situations in this story are fictitious.)

CHAPTER XVI

Eleanor's blond head wagged vigorously as they walked along. "What makes you work in the evenings?" she asked.

"Inability to do enough during the day, I suppose," he smiled. "How about yourself?"

"Oh, I never keep regular hours," she told him. "I work only when the spirit moves me—or I see a new hat that I like," she laughed.

John stopped in front of the States Hotel. "Well," he said, "I'm ready to eat. If I'd eaten alone I probably would have gone to some hole in the wall, but it's a real party now. Suppose we go in here?"

"Right-o," she squeezed his arm. "I suppose," she started when a waiter had found a table for them, "that your partner, Mr. Graham, was terribly disgusted with me at your nice party?"

"Disgusted? Why should he be?" he teased.

She wagged a forefinger at him. "Now, you know very well that he's told you I should be spanked or something."

In spite of himself, John laughed, and at her inquiring look he said, "As a matter of fact, that's exactly what Nat told me the day after the party."

"You see," she told him, "you mustn't try to conceal anything from me, I'm psychic."

"Of course," he explained in defense of Graham. "Nat's a teetotaler and you must make allowances for him."

She shrugged. "Oh, I can't be bothered about him. You know," she went on, "I've heard a lot lately about your advertising agency. It strikes me as odd that you and Graham ever hooked up together."

"We haven't much in common, I suppose," he confessed, "but it was a case of two of us, each equipped to do a certain job, getting together. Nat and I, you know, worked for years in the same agency. I wrote

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The next evening Fay was non-committal during dinner, and rather tart, he thought, in answering his routine questions.

The explanation was forthcoming a little later. When the dishes had been cleared away and they were sitting in the living room, Fay glanced up from the paper which she was making a pretense of reading, to remark, "I thought you were so busy yesterday evening."

"I was," he said defensively. "What makes you question me?"

"You had time, it seems, to take dinner with a woman."

"Yes," he answered. "And not only that, but the malice of it." She was silent, and he went on, rather heatedly: "It's a trivial thing, of course, and Dick and Margaret both have been mighty sweet about it. Nevertheless, it's enough to let the gossips have their fling. I've been painted variously as an awkward ass, a practical joker and a downright nincompoop. A lot of ancient superstitions have been unearthed, and I know I will be held personally responsible if anything happens to their marriage."

She looked at him curiously. "You're a sensitive soul," she said, and touched his hand for an instant with one of hers.

"Maybe," he admitted, rather pleased at her diagnosis. He switched the subject. "You're a good friend of Noel and Vera Boyd, aren't you?"

"Why, yes," she answered. "Why?"

"Nothing. I've often wondered, though, whether Noel is really as much of a cynic as he appears or whether some of it isn't a pose with him."

"All cynics are poseurs," she answered. "I don't know that Noel is any exception. Do you know him very well?"

"Not terribly well. I've known him off and on for about two years. Met him through Pat Forbes. Noel's all right, I guess, although a little odd. His wife, though, has me puzzled more than he has. I very frankly don't understand her at all."

"I've Vera you've been leading up to, isn't it?" she said, smiling sweetly. "By the way," and she studied him to observe the effect of her words, "Vera's rather keen about you."

"About me?" he laughed. "I had better keep out of Noel's way, hadn't I?"

"Oh, Noel wouldn't care. What each one does is the other's business, you know. There's a strictly modern marriage."

"I've read about such things," he said slowly, "but I never dreamed of encountering one among my friends."

"You haven't said," she told him after a pause, "what you thought of Vera's being interested in you." She was studying him.

"What am I supposed to think?" he asked. "It's all very interesting—and rather flattering. But after all, you know, my own marriage isn't quite so modern. No, I am unmoved, Miss Mason."

"Don't call me that," she said, a trifle impatiently. "Call me Eleanor."

"Well, then—Eleanor."

"Then you want me to tell Vera that you are, as you say, unmoved?"

"I'm not sure that I want you to tell Vera anything," he said half angrily. The idea of Eleanor acting as a messenger between him and Vera struck him as a schoolgirl trick.

"Oh," she bit her lip, and he added boldly. "Besides, I don't mind telling you that I find you a great deal more interesting than Vera Boyd."

A minute later he was turning his head to avoid her suddenly serious eyes.

A long silence fell on them, and she broke it finally to say, "You seem to be quite interesting to someone over there."

"What do you mean?" he asked, puzzled.

She waved a jeweled hand toward

Helen Caen Northrup Goes To Her Reward; Remains Shipped

Mrs. Helen Caen Northrup, wife of Early Northrup, died last night at 8:30 o'clock at the Gholson Hotel, where she had been critically ill for the past ten days. The body was taken to Killingsworth-Cox Mortuary parlors, where it rested until 10:30 this morning, when followed by a cortege of sorrowing friends and relatives, it was taken to the home of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gholson, where funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. A. Hall of the Methodist church, at 11:30 o'clock.

News of Mrs. Northrup's illness was not generally known until the first of this week and except to her most intimate friends her death came as a great shock. Her illness dates back many years, yet few of her friends really realized how ill she was as she always smiled a brave little smile when asked how she felt, and replied that she was alright.

Born in Austin

Helen Caen, was born in Austin in April 1885, and about two years after her birth her mother died. She was reared in San Antonio by a foster mother, Mrs. E. C. Bailey, who with Mrs. Northrup's aged father, George Caen, Jr., her husband and one brother, George Caen, Jr., are the only other surviving relatives.

In 1907 she was married to Early Northrup, about two years later became an invalid, and was never really well any more.

Her young life was spent in San Antonio, and about two years ago she joined Mr. Northrup in Ranger, where she has made many dear and enduring friendships, as was attested by the wealth of flowers that adorned her casket, and the tears that flowed so freely from the eyes of these friends who were gathered around her bier.

A quartette composed of Mmes. Dodson and Allison and Messrs. Coleman and Collie sang three sweetly solemn hymns, closing with "The Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

Rev. Hall read a beautiful scripture lesson, gave a short talk on the life of the deceased and closed his service with reading the Episcopal burial services as she was a member of that church.

Interment in San Antonio.

The funeral will be conducted Saturday afternoon in San Antonio from the home of P. E. Northrup, a brother of Early Northrup and she will be laid to rest by the side of her mother who died so many years ago. Accompanying the body to San Antonio today, were the bereaved husband, his sister, Mrs. Ryal Miller, who arrived yesterday from Sioux City Iowa, in time to have a last visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jennie Holmgreen of San Antonio, a childhood chum of Mrs. Northrup, who was here on a visit to her and Louis Fleck.

Pall bearers today were Howard Gholson, J. M. Dodson, J. F. Driehoffer, Louis Fleck, Guy Cummings and L. P. Lowton.

Mrs. Northrup was a woman known for her sweetness of character, her happy brave spirit, her unflinching courtesy and kindness to others—as in all senses of the word, a noble woman—only planned. Her death brought real genuine sorrow to all who knew and loved her.

LEAVES PORTO RICO.

By United Press.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, June 3.—Bernardo Duggan and his companions arrived here at 3:25 p. m. aboard the seaplane Buenos Aires. They will leave for Port-Au-Prince, Haiti, at 5:35 p. m. today.

At last the weather is warm enough to put sheets on the bed.

DEFENDANT GAINS POINT MURDER CASE

By United Press.

PAWHUSKA, Okla., June 3.—The defense gained a point today in the trial of Byron Burkhart when Dick Gregg admitted under cross-examination he had not seen Burkhart before last winter, at the federal building in Oklahoma City.

He told on the witness stand of numerous meetings with Hale and others alleged to have been connected with Burkhart, on trial charged with murdering W. E. Smith, during the Ossage "reign of terror."

He said he had been offered \$2,500 not to testify in the trial.

Al-a-Gator Is Dead; Rays of Texas Sun Too Much for Him

"Al-a-Gator" is dead. The little mascot of the Busy Bee, a native of Florida, succumbed to the rays of a Texas sun yesterday and his spirit has gone back to the happy hunting ground of his Florida Everglades. "Al-a-Gator" was sent to an Eastland lady some months ago by a Florida bound tourist, but some way she could not warm up to the queer little fellow, so he was passed on, and finally found a splendid home in the window of the Busy Bee Confectionary, Ranger. Here he had a little tin home of his own, filled with pretty pebbles and sand, and he basked happily in the sunlight for months, however a few days ago he was given an out door spring and the sun proved too much for the little fellow who had taken his sunlight heretofore through the window pane—and one wonders if the Texas sun is hotter than the sun of Florida or if his aligatorship just hadn't become acclimated.

ARGENTINA AVIATORS HOP OFF ON ANOTHER LEG

SAN PEDRO, DeMaoris, San Guan, June 3.—Bernardo Duggan and his two companions took off for San Pedro Portorico at 11:26 o'clock this morning.

Wife and Husband Both Ill With Gas

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Itching Eczema Is Worst Of All

Whenever you go to the theatre or whenever you are near many people and begin to scratch that eczema or itching part of your body, people become uneasy while they are around you and usually show their resentment to the annoyance.

You don't have to put up with this embarrassment because you can get rid of the trouble you are bothered with by using Black and White Ointment. It is the quickest way to relieve yourself of eczema, rash, "breaking out," boils, pimples, etc. Be sure to use Black and White Soap when you wash to keep the skin soft and smooth after that.

Black and White Ointment and Soap are economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have both the Ointment and the Soap.—(Adv.)

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Congress Approves Aviation Program Of War Department

WASHINGTON, June 3.—A \$30,000,000 a year, five years army aviation program has been approved by congress. The house today completed legislative action on the War Department bill authorizing the construction of 1,800 planes, several dirigibles, and increasing the personnel of the air service from 8,000 to 15,000 as fast as the congressional appropriation to meet the program is obtainable.

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LEAVES EASTLAND to Cisco, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Abilene, Sweetwater, 9:35 a. m., 11:40 a. m., 2:55 p. m., 6:35 p. m., 11:25 p. m.

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LEAVES EASTLAND to Ranger, Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 7:55 a. m., 10:55 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 4:25 p. m., 7:55 p. m.

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Former Ranger Lad Wins Prize In Agriculture

Special Correspondence.
COLLEGE STATION, June 3.—“You are graduating in June; don't fear December.”
With these words, Dr. Liberty Hyde Bailey, Dean of Cornell University, New York, at the conclusion of the 50th annual commencement exercises Tuesday, warned the largest class ever to graduate from A. & M. College of Texas, to have no fear of the obstacles to be met in the business world.
Degrees were conferred on approximately 285 candidates on the most notable occasion in the history of the college in celebrating its golden anniversary.
The eminent horticulturist and world-famed agricultural educator, charged the class to be physically well

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America's Golf Stars in Walker Cup Match



America's golf stars who are competing for the Walker cup and the amateur championship of the world are shown here at Woking, in Surrey, England, where they played a few matches prior to leaving for Muirfield, Scotland, where the Walker matches are being held. Bobby Jones is at the extreme left of the picture. In the back row, left to right, are Robert Gardner, George Von Elm and Jesse Guilford. Front row, left to right, Roland Mackenzie, Jesse Sweetser, Francis Ouimet and Watts Gunn.

and uncomplaining as a public duty and a social need, in conclusion and advocated the development of a philosophy strong and virile enough to carry them through life.
More outstanding records were made this year by students than ever before it was announced by President T. O. Walton. R. M. Kennedy of Dallas was awarded the \$250 cash prize offered by the West Texas Utilities Company for the senior in electrical engineering making the highest grades in specializing in public utilities management.
Two special cash prizes given by Dean E. J. Kyle, of the School of Agriculture, for architectural plans of the proposed Memorial Live Stock Building for A. & M. were won by P. G. Norton of Ranger and J. L.

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Years Between Is When Child Needs Attention

By C. W. BANNER, M. D.,
Member Gorgas Memorial Institute.
(Written for United Press.)
CHICAGO, June 3.—That thousands of children in “the years between” are actually neglected will surprise many parents because of the fact that children are receiving more attention than in any era in our history.
Before birth the mother is given attention and care. The family doctor, with periodic examinations, keeps himself informed as to her condition. After the baby is born the doctor and nurse continue their watchfulness for several months or more, until the little stranger is well started in a healthful life.
This usually lasts for about a year, when much of this watchful care seems to relax and many children are neglected until they arrive at the school age, when they are examined again, by the school physician. If defects of tonsils, teeth, heart or lungs are found he notifies the parents to take the youngster to their family physician.
One and Six.

What I am trying to do in this article is to call your attention to “those years between,” between one and six when our watchfulness seems to relax in so many cases. It is in this period that the seeming trivial indispositions of the child are dismissed, with little attention, because it is thought to be caused by something the child has eaten. A dose of purgative may be given or the indisposition is attributed to cutting teeth which actually seldom give any trouble of consequence.
These years between are the years, it seems to me, that should have our most watchful care. This is the period when so many of the organs and functions of the body are undergoing rapid changes. The first set of teeth is out and the second set in process of formation. The stomach and elementary canal are preparing for the changed diet that is soon to be required, and this is when errors of diet are so frequently disastrous.

Contagious.
This is also the period when most children contact contagious diseases of childhood such as measles, whooping cough, scarlet fever and diphtheria.
Let's get away from the idea that every fever that you detect in your child is due to something that he has eaten and only needs a physic for correction, or that any abnormality, noted, will soon be outgrown. Do not guess about such things. Expert advice is needed to save your child from some permanent injury and yours if a lifelong regret for having neglected what seemed to you a trivial ailment.

In Japan they publish a novel in 106 volumes, but many of our novels seem much longer.

Wilson, Jr., of San Antonio.
J. F. Germany of Fort Worth was presented with the deed to a 28-acre tract in the Rio Grande Valley constituting the Land Prize personally awarded by an officer of the American Rio Grande Land and Irrigation Company.

**Shriners Select
Atlantic City
Next Meeting**

**Farmers Furnish
Largest Market To
The Manufacturer**

PHILADELPHIA, June 3.—Atlantic City today was chosen as the 1927 convention city for the Fifty-third session of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine at the final session of the council here today. The dates set for the next session were June 14 to 16.

By United Press.
NEW YORK, June 3.—Dislocation of agriculture would mean dislocation of our entire national economy, Re-nick W. Dunlap, assistant secretary of agriculture, told the National Farm school in session here.
“Farmers constitute the largest single market for the product of manufacturers,” he said. “The capital investment of the average farm owner is greater than that of the average town business man with whom he trades.
“Not only must our finished product be sold to farmers, but an overwhelming proportion of the raw products on which American manufacturers are based come from the farms.
“County and city are alike essential to our national development and it is essential that they work together, not at cross purposes, for our national welfare.”
Dunlap said that it was advantageous to rural sections to have city-bred boys and girls take up farming.

**Fisher Body
Goes Over To
General Motors**

NEW YORK, June 3.—Stockholders of the Fisher Body corporation today voted to dissolve. All of its effects will be taken over by the General Motors company, and the shares will be distributed among the stockholders of the concern, on a basis of one and a half shares of General Motors stock for a share of Fisher Body stock.

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