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PETERS HASN'T DECIDED ABOUT DENISON PLACE

Several Big Developments Demand His Presence Here, C. of C. Head Says.

Manager J. E. T. Peters of the Chamber of Commerce is considering an offer by the Denison chamber, tendered him Saturday, to become manager of that body, but has not yet accepted. He has until April 15 to make a reply, he said this morning. Mr. Peters was chosen by the Denison chamber to succeed W. N. King, manager there for nine years and who recently resigned to become director of the Jefferson highway, with headquarters at Joplin, Mo.

The board of directors of the Ranger organization will meet tonight and will consider the offer as affecting its activities. J. T. Gullahorn, president, said this morning that while he would not like to stand in the way of "Pete's" promotion to a larger town, there were several developments just on the eve of being consummated through his efforts, which would be of great benefit to Ranger and the board would regret to be forced to fill his shoes at this time, on that account. If the arrangements now pending are completed, Mr. Gullahorn said, the people of Ranger will find that Peters and the chamber have done very worth while work, which will be of permanent benefit, despite the depressed industrial situation.

ALL U. S. TROOPS WILL QUIT RHINE BEFORE JULY 1

WASHINGTON, March 20.—President Harding has directed a return of all American troops from Germany, Secretary of War Weeks announced today.

The American forces will be gradually withdrawn at the present rate until all are brought home. The last contingent will be in the United States before the end of the fiscal year, or July 1. The announcement was made in a formal statement.

There are now less than 4,000 Americans on the Rhine. Eleven hundred officers and men are now on shipboard between Antwerp and New York.

HARDING WON'T BUDGE FROM HIS STAND ON BONUS

WASHINGTON, March 20.—President Harding has told Republican house leaders that in view of expressions on the soldiers' bonus he had previously made he did not think it essential to offer any recommendations at this time.

Representative Mondell of Wyoming, who headed the bonus delegation, made this announcement in a formal statement and added verbally that it was planned to go ahead with the compromise bill as recommended by the house ways and means committee.

On the question of disabled soldier relief, the President feels that so much criticism, much of it unjust, as he sees it, has been launched against the present work of the government on hospitalization work and vocational education that it is time for a showdown between American Legion leaders and the government authorities on the whole work. For that reason he asked C. R. Forbes, director of the veterans' bureau; Charles G. Dawes, director of the budget and Brigadier General Sawyer to meet him, together with officials of the American Legion.

Discipline Needed.

Despite Legion objections, the President believes in disciplinary hospitalization work. Without it, according to reports given him by those observing the work in the undisciplined hospitals, there are tremendous abuses of the privileges extended.

What the President wanted to tell the Legion men through Sawyer, Dawes and Forbes, was just what the government had in mind. He then wished the Legion representatives to state what, if the government plan is objectionable, they would suggest as a substitute.

Speaker Gillett announced today that he would not entertain a motion to suspend the house rules so as to put the soldiers' bonus bill through without the liberty of debate or opportunity for amendments.

AUSTIN FAMILIES BLISTERED IN RACE AGAINST FIERY DEATH

AUSTIN, March 20.—Hemmed in by a fire in the cedar brakes, which was fanned by a high wind, J. O. Saul and J. B. Lang of this city, with their families, were forced to drive at top speed along a perilous mountain road fifteen miles west of the city, yesterday afternoon to save their lives. The enamel on the car was baked. The occupants were almost suffocated by a dense smoke and the faces of several of the children were blistered. The fire raged all night and had not subsided this morning.

SHERIFF'S TRIAL IS POSTPONED

EASTLAND, March 20.—The aggravated assault case against Sheriff Sam Nolley as the result of the encounter with L. J. Starkey on Feb. 3 was continued this morning in the county court at law on request of the defense, on the grounds that the defense counsel was out of the city.

The pistol case against Newt Mahaney was also continued. The date for the hearing will be set later. The aggravated assault cases against J. B. Ames of Ranger was continued until Thursday morning on the claim of the defendant that his counsel and witnesses were not present.

LAREDO IN ARMS TO FIGHT KU KLUX

TONIGHT.

Moose lodge meets at I. O. O. F. hall on Rusk street.

ALLIES WOULD LET GERMANY PAY U. S. DEBT

LONDON, March 20.—The British treasury has permitted it to become known that Sir Robert Home, chancellor of the exchequer, and his assistants, are considering a proposal whereby the allied debts to the United States can be turned over to Germany for payment.

The scheme provides for the transfer of \$65,000,000 gold marks of the German debt to the United States and the allies' debts would in this way be cancelled.

HENRY FORD'S FORCE INCREASED ONE-FIFTH

DETROIT, March 20.—The Ford motor company today announced an increase of 20 per cent in its forces. The increase came as a direct answer of Henry Ford to the appeal of the American Legion for jobs for ex-service men, and is made effective at once.

Ex-service men and women will be given preference in all cases, if they have the qualifications, it is announced.

BUSINESS MEN ASKED TO AID IN GETTING BETTER ROAD WORK PAY

The wage scale on the county road work will be the subject of discussion next Sunday afternoon at a mass meeting, called by the Central Labor council at its regular meeting yesterday. A committee was appointed to interview business and property owners in the interest of the movement for a wage scale on this work more approaching the cost of living, and it is planned to extend the demand to other parts of the county. It was pointed out at the meeting that common labor on casinghead plants under construction in this district is being paid \$3.50 and that the same scale is being paid by other industries.

An increase to this figure, the labor council contended, would be a benefit to every business man as well as every worker. For that reason it is not class interest that is being forwarded but the welfare of the entire community, and it is on this ground that co-operation of all elements will be sought.

The stand of the Times for adequate pay for this work was indorsed in the following letter, at the direction of the council:

CLEAN-UP TO BE CONTINUED

Trash Will Be Hauled Free, But Those Who Haven't Cleaned Up Must, Inspector Says.

The Ranger clean-up is not over, Sanitary Inspector Wade Swift announced this morning.

"In fact, it will not be over until the trash has been removed from every corner of Ranger. After that it will be kept clean," he said.

Beginning this morning, Swift will make an inspection of the city. Trash will be hauled free

of charge from any premises that were overlooked in the clean-up of March 8. Furthermore, those householders who have not cleaned up their premises will be forced to do so, if force is necessary, Mr. Swift announces.

Those who have trash ready to haul can lighten the inspector's task if they will phone the city offices, No. 78.

SMOKESTACK AT DALLAS HIT BY AIRPLANE

Pilot Is Killed and Machine Wrecked in 100-Foot Fall.

DALLAS, March 20.—One man was killed, another injured when an airplane crashed into the top of a smokestack at the Oak Cliff pumping station today. The man killed was B. F. Mahaffey. C. W. Childress was injured. Both lived in Fort Worth.

The plane fell when it hit the stack and was demolished. So far as known, no one saw the crash, but on hearing the noise, workmen at the pumping station rushed out and extricated the two men from the wreckage. Childress was taken to the emergency hospital by a passing motorist while the body of Mahaffey was taken to the morgue.

Childress was only slightly injured. He returned to Fort Worth this morning. Mahaffey was piloting the machine. The glare of the sun is supposed to have been responsible for the accident.

AVIATOR LEFT FORT WORTH WITH ONE PASSENGER

FORT WORTH, March 20.—Bryan Mahaffey, commercial aviator, who was killed this morning in a smash near Dallas, left here early this morning with one passenger, C. W. Childress, on a business trip to Central West Texas.

ARKANSAS MEN ARE BLAMED FOR VAT DYNAMITING

FORT WORTH, March 20.—Arkansas parties, who for some time have carried on an organized war against dipping of cattle, are responsible for the wholesale blowing up of dipping vats in Cass county, J. E. Boog-Scott, chairman of the state livestock sanitary commission, declared today. Rangers under Captain Tom Hickman are now in the county to run down the guilty parties and to furnish protection to the remaining vats. Last year, according to Boog-Scott, the rangers arrested a number of Arkansas residents for the destruction of vats in Cass county.

FARMERS WOULD POOL ONE HUNDRED MILLION BUSHELS OF WHEAT

CHICAGO, March 20.—Organization of the American Wheat Growers' exchange, a marketing organization, which will control the creation of a 100,000,000-bushel wheat pool in ten states, is expected to be completed here today by committees appointed by the National Wheat Growers and the Northwestern Wheat Growers' association. The states concerned include Oklahoma and Texas.

With 60,000,000 bushels of wheat already under contract, the association will be ready to begin operations early next week. Will Lanston of Salina, Kan., one of a committee of three gathered here to submit organization plans to Aaron Shapiro of San Francisco, general counsel, starter today. Outside of the northwest, organization of a 100 per cent pool has already started in Kansas, Oklahoma and North Dakota and will start soon in Nebraska, Texas and Colorado, it was stated.

DODGE DODGED!

DETROIT, Mich., March 20.—John Duval Dodge, millionaire speedster, was released from the workhouse today after serving five days for speeding. He left immediately for Kalamazoo, where tomorrow he will answer to charges of liquor law violation and infraction of the speed laws. The Kalamazoo charges grew out of an alleged joy ride which resulted in a girl student at the normal school suffering a fractured skull when she jumped from his car.

The 25-year-old son of the Detroit automobile family worked only one-half day while in the workhouse, as he was found to be suffering from a high fever.

PARRISH NEAR DEATH FROM AUTO ACCIDENT

Congressman Develops Cerebral Meningitis From Injuries to Head; Sinking Rapidly.

WICHITA FALLS, March 20.—The condition of Congressman Lucien W. Parrish, who had been thought to be improving since his injury Wednesday night in an automobile accident near Roby, took a turn for the worse last night and is now considered critical. Mrs. Parrish, who had remained in Washington when Parrish returned to Texas to open his campaign for the senate, arrived here Sunday.

A bulletin by Parrish's physician today said:

"Mr. Parrish's condition was good until 3 o'clock this morning, when he developed symptoms of cerebral meningitis, coming evidently from inflammation around the nose. Since that time his condition has become serious. The outcome is still in doubt but is very discouraging."

Parrish also is reported to have a fracture at the base of the skull.

BELL COUNTY DOESN'T WANT HORNSBY HUNG

TEMPLE, March 20.—Sam B. Snodgrass left here this morning for Austin bearing a petition to Governor Neff from 6,242 residents of Bell county asking that the death sentence of George F. Hornsby be commuted to life imprisonment. Hornsby is now in the death cell at the jail here under sentence to hang on April 14. He was convicted of killing J. N. Weatherly, automobile dealer of Brownwood, but stoutly maintains his innocence.

HUNDRED THOUSAND IN GEMS TAKEN FROM CHICAGO PAWNSHOP

CHICAGO, March 20.—Three bandits robbed the pawnshop of Marcus Nierman today and escaped with \$100,000 in jewelry.

Shortly after the shop opened for business, three men climbed out of an automobile and entered. A chauffeur stayed at the wheel. Nierman and two clerks were ordered to throw up their hands. The valuables were scooped out of the safe and from the cases into a bag, after which the robbers escaped.

ANTHRACITE SCALE CONSIDERED TOMORROW

NEW YORK, March 20.—Anthracite coal operators and miners, in convention here to discuss a new wage scale, today conferred separately, preliminary to a joint meeting tomorrow, when first attempts at wage adjustment will be made.

COTTON PRODUCTION OFF HALF, FINAL REPORT SHOWS

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Cotton production for 1921 was 7,976,066 running bales or 7,962,539 500-pound bales, according to the census bureau in the final ginning report of the season.

Production for 1920 was 13,270,970 running bales or 13,439,603 500-pound bales.

"CORN" GUZZLING CHAMP DOWNED \$2,500 WORTH IN FOURTEEN DAYS

The sequestered dell under the eating house at the Hamon depot last night offered refuge from snakes, hobboblins and other well known delirium tremens varnints, to a Memphis, Texas, citizen who arrived in Ranger yesterday afternoon at the far end of a two weeks' bat and began to look around for a safe place to hide. The fugitive found the eating house dell safe from his D. T. pursuers but not from the police. He is being held at police headquarters, where the officers have assured him that he will be safe from any varnints larger than a bed bug. According to the officers, the man claimed to have come here from Wichita Falls after drinking \$2,500 worth of corn liquor.

CO-ED DISAPPEARS

CHICAGO, March 20.—A search from Chicago to New York is under way by the police for Miss Edna Taylor, pretty 21-year-old co-ed at Chicago university, missing since Thursday. No trace of the girl has been found since she left a note at her apartment, reading:

"I am going to see friends in Pittsburgh or else I am going home."

Miss Taylor is the daughter of Alfred H. Taylor, wealthy architect and contractor. Her brother, Alfred, a student at Amherst, arrived today to assume personal charge of the search.

CITY OFFICIALS OPEN HOSPITAL BOND BIDS TODAY

Early Construction Expected to Follow Meeting Tomorrow Afternoon.

Several bond brokers will have representatives here this afternoon when bids are opened at the city offices for the \$85,000 hospital bond issue recently voted. At that time the commissioners will hold a special meeting and the bonds will be sold, it is expected, thus completing the last step in financing the project.

Tomorrow afternoon, a meeting of city officials, city officials, the architect and the contractor will be held, at which final plans for construction of the hospital will be laid, and it is expected that an early date will be set for work to start.

MILLION HOMES WILL BE BUILT IN U. S. THIS YEAR

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Two fundamental elements in industry—employment and home building—show an economic revival is approaching more rapidly each month. The department of labor and department of commerce report an increase in employment and house building plans greatly augmented. More than 1,000,000 homes will be built this year in all parts of the country, it is estimated.

Figures from twenty-seven states, containing two-thirds of the population, show a remarkable increase in house building during January, February and March, normally three of the lowest building months. Other parts of the country show relatively the same increase.

SAYS MIAMI BANKERS ARE BACKING BOOTLEGGERS

MIAMI, Fla., March 20.—Bootlegging had become so well organized here that some Miami bankers are backing the business and in several instances have acted as trustees in large sales, a representative of the internal revenue bureau reported today to Prohibition Director Haynes.

BRECK CASER TAKES POISON AT R. R. DEPOT

Swallows Draught Before Eyes of Wife From Whom He Was Separated.

John Archie Law, 38, manager of a casing crew at Breckenridge, is dead as a result of poison, believed to have been self-administered last night about 11:30 o'clock at the Hamon station. He lived about fifteen minutes after taking the draught, but was dead when the ambulance arrived.

Law had been separated from his wife since Dec. 1, and the act is believed to have resulted from his domestic troubles.

Justice McPatter rendered a verdict of poison, self-administered, this morning, after witnesses had testified that Law told them he had taken poison and Mrs. Law had told of the events leading up to the deed.

Threatened Suicide.

Mrs. Law, who is now employed at the Hamon-Lloyd lunch room, said she had left Law on Dec. 31, and on Feb. 20 filed suit for divorce at Corsicana. Since leaving him, she said, Law had written her several letters threatening to kill himself if she did not come back to him, but she had not talked to him since. The couple had been married eight months when the separation occurred.

Last night, Mrs. Law testified, her husband came to Ranger on the south-bound train and came into the lunch room, saying he wanted to talk to her. "I asked him if he would not sign my divorce papers," Mrs. Law testified she asked him, when he endeavored to get her to come back to him. "He said, no, he wouldn't do that, but would do what he had threatened."

Takes Fatal Draught.

"Then he got a glass of water from the cooler and pulled a box from his pocket. I was afraid of what he was going to do and tried to get the glass of water, but he grabbed it and went outside. A few moments later he came back in and pitched me the box, saying: 'See what I have taken?' Then he threw the glass on the floor. I asked him if I could get a doctor and he said, 'No, I am going to die.' Then he went outside.

Law after leaving the lunch room fell at the south end of the station. He died before medical assistance arrived, after suffering intensely.

The dead man's body is held at the Milford Funeral Home, awaiting word from his father, O. I. Law, of Drumright, Okla. Aside from his parents, he is survived by a divorced wife and three children in Illinois, a brother at Drumright, and a sister in Tulsa. It is presumed the body will be taken to Drumright for interment.

U. S. EMPLOYEES TAKE \$175,000 LIBERTY BONDS

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Liberty bonds worth \$175,000, recently stolen from a branch of the United States treasury, have been found in an old trunk hidden in the attic at the home of Charles A. Clevenger, the United States secret service announced.

W. H. Moran, chief of the service, said Clevenger, a 25-year-old clerk, and U. O. Wamsley, a former clerk arrested yesterday in Virginia, have confessed the robbery—one of the largest from the federal treasury in recent years.

EX-TREASURY CLERK TO BE TRIED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

AUSTIN, March 20.—For the third time the case of Lon D. Morgan, former chief clerk in the state treasury, charged with embezzlement of state funds, will be called tomorrow in the criminal district court of Travis county. The case has been continued twice.

Morgan is alleged to have embezzled approximately \$18,000 of state money.

ARKANSAS CAN'T HORN IN ON BOUNDARY DISPUTE

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The supreme court today denied the petition of the state of Arkansas to be made a party to the Red river boundary dispute between Oklahoma and Texas.

The petition set forth that Arkansas under the enabling act admitting it to the Union was not only the owner of Red River but that part of Texas west of the Oklahoma boundary and between 100 degrees longitude and 92 degrees latitude.

POLITICAL Announcements

The Times is authorized to make the following announcements:

- County Attorney—L. H. FLEWELLEN.
County Clerk—E. E. (ED) LAYTON, EARL BENDER (re-election), ERNEST JONES.
County Superintendent—C. E. SIMS, ULALA HOWARD.
County Treasurer—T. M. TOOMBS, J. T. SUE.
Sheriff—E. F. (GENE) REYNOLDS, WILLIAM N. JONES, J. D. (DUG) BARTON, WILEY HARBIN.
County Tax Assessor—W. J. (BILL) HERRINGTON.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS in the DAILY TIMES Ranger, Texas
No advertisement accepted on a "till forbidden" order; a specific number of insertions must be given.
Notice to discontinue advertisements must be given in writing, otherwise we are not responsible.

1—LOST AND FOUND
LOST—A dark brown purse, containing \$5 bill, between Methodist church and Sanford Terrell's. Mrs. C. C. Rickard, 913 Spring road.
LOST—Between ice plant and town, crank for Auburn car. Return to C. G. Powell at Ice Plant.

2—MALE HELP
WANTED—Twenty-five boys to sell papers after school. Must be hustlers and have money to pay for supply of papers. Apply Ranger Daily Times, 4 p. m.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES
WE REPAIR WATCHES and guns; wrist watches a specialty, 113 South Austin street, next door to Temple theatre.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT
CLOSE IN—Two housekeeping rooms; gas, water, lights; 318 Cypress St., opposite laundry.
THE WEIR ROOMS, phone 470, Rusk and Elm; room and board very reasonable; good meals 50c.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT
COMPLETELY FURNISHED four-room house and garage. T. L. Seitzler, 637 N. Marston.

10—STORES FOR RENT
FOR SALE OR RENT—Frame building 50x90, two-story; cheap. E. B. Reid Fur. Co., 105 N. Marston st.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT
WELL FURNISHED, Modern 2-room apartments on paved street; \$30.00. C. E. Maddocks & Co., 207 Main.

APARTMENTS
Teal Hotel, 423 Main; hot water, bath, everything.
13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous
TO SELL a mahogany console table or exchange for gateleg or tea table. Mrs. Wm. Clegg.

VISIT THE BIG SALE at 113 South Austin street, next door to Temple theatre. All kinds of jewelry and sporting goods.

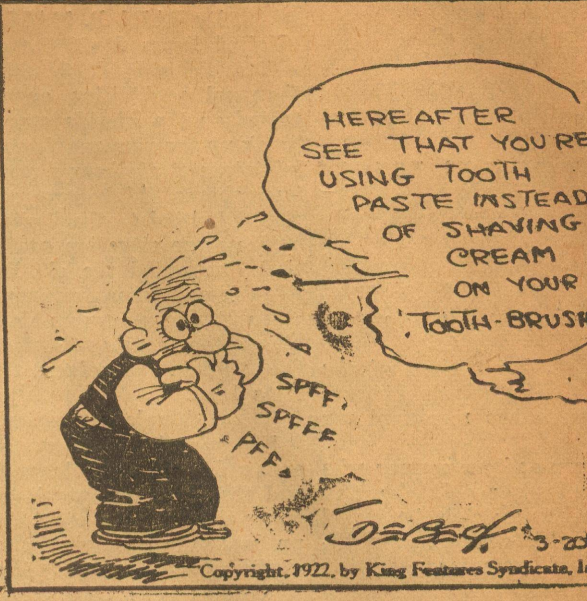
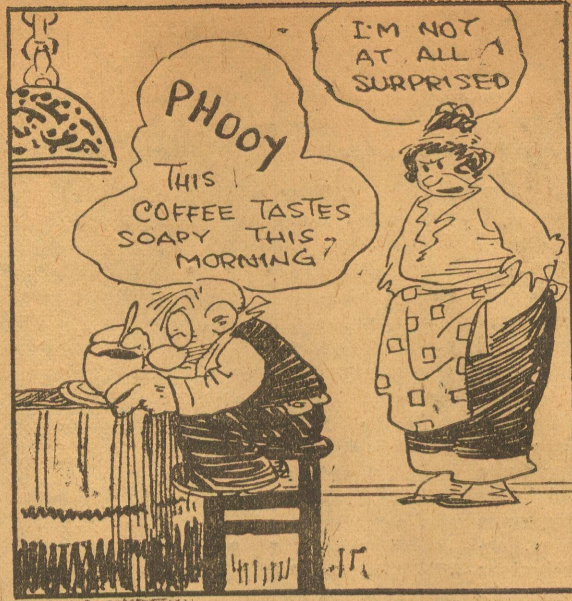
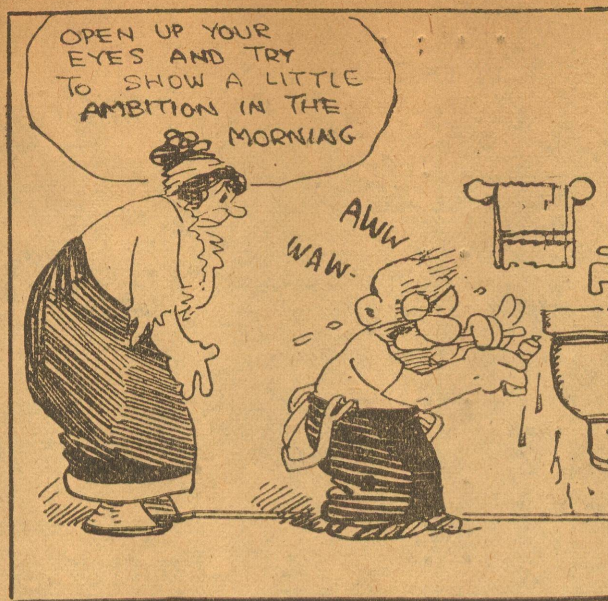
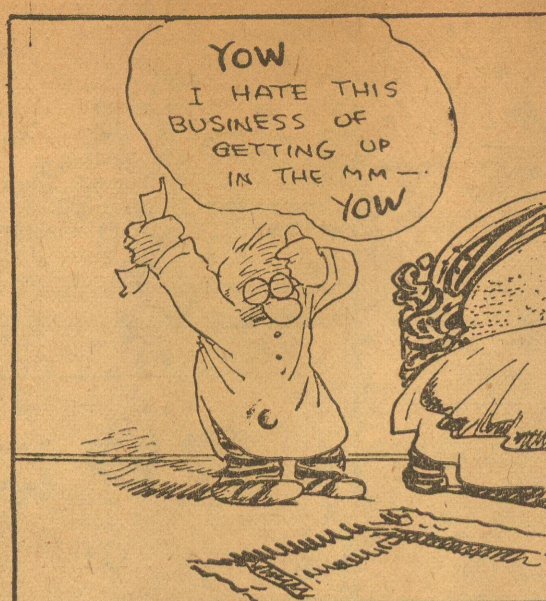
FOR SALE—Two horses and one mule; also set of harness and wagon. A. F. Mims Grocery, 327 Main, corner Marston st.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE
FOR TRADE—Good lot and house in Jennie Page addition, in B3 lot No. 8 on Morsden st., for 1920 or 21 model Ford; no debts on place. Alvin Cordes, care Sinclair Pipe Line Co., Mexia, Texas, Box 945.

16—AUTOMOBILES
SECOND-HAND CARS—All makes, at bargain prices; cash or terms. Take them at your own price. Leveille-Maher Motor Co., Phone 217; Main and Hodges streets.

FOR SALE—Buick six roadster, or trade for 5-passenger Ford. Chas. H. Weber Jr., Hazzard hotel.
SPRINGS, gears, gas tanks, wheels, magnetos, carburetors, n'everything. Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk st., Ranger, Texas.

Barney Takes Cream in His Coffee. Oh, My, Yes!



'SHORT SKIRTED WOMEN SHOULDN'T COMPLAIN OF MASCULINE EXPOSURE'

That's Plea of Carl, Arrested When He's Chided for Showing Shin and Counters by Calling Attention to Women's Knees; Judge Sympathizes, But Nicks Him \$5.

CHICAGO, March 20.—"Maybe I did wrong—but I couldn't help it. I simply intimated that they ought to go home and put on more clothes. I just tried to shame them."
This was the explanation made in the court by Carl Sattley, who had been arrested on a complaint by Mrs. Abel Wallack, who charged that Sattley took too much notice of Mrs. Wallack's two pretty daughters, Mrs. A. E. Lonston, 20 years old, and Mollie Wallack, 17.

trousers legs at the top of your shoes you should ride on the platform. I won't have these innocent girls looking at such a disgraceful exhibition."
Mr. Sattley looked down and discovered that the cuff of his trousers had crawled up about half an inch over the contact point of his "rubber-grips," and there, in all its unadorned beauty, was a patch of his shin. Mr. Sattley blushed.
"I am sorry," said he. "But if you will be kind enough to look into the case you will discover that the young women are displaying more than I am. And you must admit that I have not complained."
That ended the argument for the time being. But when he alighted the women pursued him and had him arrested.

INDIA UNABLE TO GOVERN SELF, BISHOP SAYS

TYRONE, Pa., March 20.—There will be no general revolution in India, though sporadic trouble may continue, according to an opinion expressed by Bishop E. Lester Smith, missionary to India from the Methodist Episcopal church, in an address here last night before the Central Pennsylvania annual conference of that denomination. Bishop Smith also voiced "real admiration for the sincerity" of Mahatma Gandhi, Indian nationalist agitator, "as a man, even though I cannot approve of his actions and methods."
"I believe that India will accept the reforms offered by England," said the speaker, "and will make tremendously rapid progress toward real self-government. Political unity in India today is only possible under the British flag. Over 700 native states, over 150 languages, an infinite variety of caste distinctions and all kinds of religious views cannot be brought into harmony under any Indian authority at present. If anarchy is to be avoided English control must be continued until a greater measure of fusion of Indian nationalists has been secured."

\$750,000 VERDICT AGAINST MINE UNION FOR DAMAGES IN LOCKOUT IS CARRIED TO SUPREME COURT

MUSKOGEE, Okla., March 20.—A case of interest to labor, particularly in the Southwest, that of the Coronado Coal company and six affiliated corporations against the United Mine Workers of America is to be argued before the supreme court in Washington today.
A jury in the United States court at Fort Smith, Ark. in 1917 granted the plaintiffs a judgment of \$750,000 for property alleged to have been destroyed in a lockout of union miners at the plants of corporations in the Hartford valley of Sevestian county, Ark., in 1914. The judgment was returned after thirty days were spent in introducing testimony and arguing the case. It was affirmed by the United States circuit court of appeals, who conditioned the affirmation on the acceptance of the plaintiffs to waive their claim to interest the lower court allowed on the judgment. This was accepted.
Under Anti-Trust Law.
The suit was brought under the Sherman anti-trust act, which provides that any verdict returned by a jury under the terms of this law shall be trebled by the presiding judge as was done in this instance.
The suit involves two questions. One is the liability of an unincorporated body like the mine workers for the alleged overt acts, unauthorized by one of its members. The other involves the question as to whether coal mining is an interstate commodity.
It is the contention of the defendants that they cannot be sued because they are unincorporated and that the mining of coal is purely a local business and not interstate in its character.
It is admitted by union labor authorities that should the verdict of the lower court be sustained, the decision will force a radical change in the governments of labor organizations. If the court upholds the lower court, counsel for the mine workers contends the powers of federal courts will be so extended as to give them authority over street fights.

PROGRAM
LIBERTY—Nazimova in "Camille," with Rudolph Valentino, and Christie comedy, "Stolen Glory," also Modern Centaurs, and Movie Chats.
MAJESTIC—"Shattered Dreams" with Miss Du Pont, also News Weekly and comedy.

TEXAS EXPERTS FARE BADLY AT FT. WORTH SHOW
Texas ropers, riders and bulldoggers fared badly at the rodeo during the Southwestern Exposition and Pat Stock show at Fort Worth last week, only two Texans winning places in any of the rodeo events, according to Wade Swift, who returned here Saturday night. The fastest roping time was made by De Graffenreid of Breckenridge, but he was fined twenty seconds and finished fourth. A San Antonio man managed to nose in with the winners in the riding events. The trick riding and a number of other events at the rodeo are said to have been contracted for by the show management. The majority of winners were Oklahoma men and several professional showmen, it is stated.

LIBERTY At the Lamb
TODAY—LAST CHANCE
The Springtime of Life and Tingling Love
NAZIMOVA

SLAYS HUSBAND FOR BREAKING HER NOSE
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 20.—The claim that her husband had struck her in the face with both his fists and a shoe, breaking her nose, was the reason Mrs. Lewis Wills gave the police for shooting him while he was in bed in his apartment. Wills died in the city hospital.

ABILENE BOOSTERS MAKE TRIP TO PIONEER
Special to the Times.
ABILENE, March 20.—A booster delegation will leave Abilene Thursday for Pioneer, under the auspices of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce. The trip will be made overland via Baird and a large number of automobiles have already been signed up for the occasion. The new field is only fifty miles by road from this city and considerable interest has been aroused here by the bringing in of the Lucky Thirteen, which is the Diamond Drilling company, which it is believed will start drilling on a large scale. The boosters will seek to interest the Pioneer oil men in establishing connections here.

LIBERTY Her Supreme Triumph
Adapted by June Mathis from the Dumas masterpiece
Directed by Ray C. Smallwood
Released by METRO

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

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous
WANTED TO BUY—Second-hand watches and guns; 113 South Austin, next door to Temple theatre.
WE NEED second-hand furniture. New & Second-Hand Store, 121 N. Austin, phone 276.
Wanted—Second-hand furniture. Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk street. Phone 154.

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19—FOR TRADE OR EXCHANGE
WANTED TO TRADE—3-room house and 12x14 garage for a Ford roadster or a good wagon. 154 Ansell st. Address D. B. Bullock, Box 111, Parks, Texas.

SICILIAN PRIEST IS ITALIAN POLITICAL BOSS
By Associated Press.
LONDON, March 20.—The man behind the scenes in the Italian political crisis is a Sicilian priest, Don Luigi Sturzo, 37 years old. He is the founder of the Popolari party which was responsible for proportional representation in Italy—a form of election which gained the party 100 seats in the chamber of deputies in the last election. He leads the party without a seat in parliament, says the Central News. He had three representatives in the Bonomi cabinet. The hundred members of parliament obey his dictates faithfully and he has the power to make or unmake governments. He never appears on the public platform but is the man who pulls the strings.

21—LEGAL NOTICE
ELECTION NOTICE.
STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland.
Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the First National Bank building in the City of Ranger, Texas, on Saturday, April 1, for the purpose of electing three school trustees for the Ranger Independent School district. All qualified voters residing in the district are eligible to vote in this election. Mr. C. A. Bobo is hereby appointed as manager of said election.
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FLORIDA DRY 'LAWS' HAVE AS MUCH CHANCE AS SILK SOX IN LAUNDRY

'KISSOGRAPH' TO REGISTER KISSES' KICK

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Kisses, some of them, kick up your blood pressure.

So says J. V. Breitweiser of the University of California's department of education. He has measured the "kick."

Given one man and one woman who will kiss, Breitweiser told the San Francisco Advertising club, he would measure the linear extent and millimeters of blood pressure resulting from:

The mistletoe kiss.

The stolen kiss.

The expert kiss of the finished flirt.

The soul kiss.

Breitweiser said the instrument he uses is so sensitive it will register the domestic kiss; the degree of frigidity in kisses one woman gives another she does not like and so forth throughout all grades of osculation.

Breitweiser calls his instrument the kissograph. He gets a man and woman who will kiss; he attaches wires to them; then they kiss. The machine acts automatically. He also said there is no difficulty in obtaining couples to carry on the experiments.

The instrument is an adaptation of the sphygmomanometer, which is a machine psychologists in criminology use to detect lies.

CANADIAN CENSUS REGISTERS ONE-FIFTH GAIN IN TEN YEARS

By Associated Press.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 20.—Complete census returns show Canada's population to be 8,769,489 as compared with 7,206,643 in 1911, an increase for the ten years of 1,562,846 or nearly 22 per cent, according to final figures announced by the dominion bureau of statistics.

The following is the population by provinces:

Nova Scotia, 523,837; New Brunswick, 387,839; P. E. I., 88,615; Quebec, 2,349,067; Ontario, 2,929,054; Manitoba, 613,008; Saskatchewan, 761,390; Alberta, 581,995; British Columbia, 523,353; Yukon, 4,162; N. W. T., 6,684; Canadian Navy, 485; total, 8,769,489.

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W. E. Hopper, Shreveport, La.; G. Matson, Dallas; C. H. Wells, Dallas; H. T. Conway, Hearne; R. L. Griffith, Breckenridge; J. B. Nime, Cisco; Mrs. L. A. Brown, Breckenridge; Joe Frantz and wife, Graham; B. E. Wilson, Cisco; J. T. Leach, Weatherford; J. R. Benson, Dallas; Ben G. O'Neal, Wichita Falls; Carl White Jr., Fort Worth; T. R. Mauck, Parks; H. Smith, Breckenridge; J. R. Stoovert, Breckenridge; A. B. Conway, Ranger; L. E. Moon, Cleveland; Thos. Murray, Fort Worth; W. W. Murphy, Electra; J. P. Tucker, Kansas City, Mo.

EXHIBITION GAMES

DALLAS, March 20.—Pete Donahue, former T. C. U. star, pitched Cincinnati to a 16-3 victory over Cleveland yesterday. Coveloskie and Mails were pounded hard. Tris Speaker wrenched his knee in the second inning in chasing a fly ball. He will be out of the week's exhibition games.

FORT WORTH, March 20.—The Panthers hit hard Sunday and defeated the Kansas City American association team, 7 to 5. The score was 7 to 1 until the ninth, when errors and hits gave Kansas City four runs. Kraft hit two home runs and Hoffman one.

SAN ANTONIO, March 20.—John McGraw's troubles continued here Sunday when his Giants again went down by an overwhelming score before Kid Gleason's White Sox. The fiery Giant skipper should be getting used to it by this time, for the Sox seem to have his goat good and plenty. They don't know what it is to lose to the New York club. Today's score was 12 to 6.

In an effort to win himself a game, McGraw started Art Nehf, Jess Barnes and Rube Benton, but it wasn't any use—mostly because Kid Gleason ran in Red Faber on him.

STATE FOOTBALLERS TO START PRACTICE MARCH 27

AUSTIN, March 20.—Coach Berry Whitaker has announced his plans for spring football practice of the University of Texas. Actual work will begin on March 27.

Every letter man and freshman football player is expected on the field for the first day's work and instructions. In addition every football prospect has been requested to come out for the spring work.

By PAUL R. MALLON, United Press Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, March 20.—A thousand prohibition agents concentrated on the Florida coast could not break up the rum running navy whose miniature fleets bear liquor to American shores, high government officials admitted to the United Press.

The same situation confronts them that confronted the old English and Spanish governments generations ago, when the freebooters concentrated along the coasts of Scotland and South Spain and refused to obey customs laws.

Simple Fishermen. The vast horde of smugglers now engaged in slipping liquor from Cuba and the Bahamas into isolated inlets along the southern coast line is made up largely of simple fishermen, according to the word of investigators which has been transmitted to officials here.

These fishermen look on the prohibition law in the same manner in which the fisher-folk of Valencia and the Dogger Banks of Scotland looked on the laws which prohibited them from getting good tobacco and certain clothing. They have organized a little industry bringing booze from nearby foreign possessions. They refuse to see their industry as a violation of the law.

These men know the Florida coast line as no revenue agents know it. They know every nook and crevice in the coastline. They go out apparently to fish and when night falls, they make their way to the booze port.

Welcome to Cuba.

Most of them go to Cuba. The situation there makes smuggling a pleasure—not a risk. Government officials there realize big revenue from huge liquor exportations. They are not likely to curb the traffic. Then again, cabinet officers here can find no way of appealing to Cuban authorities on a common ground to help stop the traffic. The Cuban government has no prohibition law and there is no reason why she should be asked by the American state department to enforce an American law. The British government—ruling the Bahamas—is in a similar position. Because of these conditions, the state department has refrained from asking co-operation of these governments in stifling the trade.

On the return trip, of course, the fishermen find things a bit harder—but not much. If a patrol boat—there are half a dozen of them to patrol the 1,000 miles of Florida coast line—should by some chance run across the smuggler, he is not likely to be caught.

Ocean Is Handy. The smuggler can drop his booze to the bottom of the ocean with a small surface marker and when the patrol boat comes up and searches the fishing smack—there is no evidence. As soon as the patrol boat goes away the liquor can be drawn up from the bottom of the sea and brought ashore. Investigators here say this "ocean storing" system of the smugglers is a most common practice. The sea is very shallow in many points along the coast.

Many of the smugglers instead of landing their booze, drop it overboard—if they find conditions propitious—and go back later to draw it up. Leaders here say it is a very simple matter to bring either aliens or liquor into the United States in this manner. The only danger in the traffic is encountered by those bootleggers on shore who buy the stuff from the smugglers and ship it to various parts of the country.

The use of the automobile, however, has even simplified this process.

Of course, there are great bands of smugglers who work for salaries, and their enterprises are financed by big interests, but, interested Washington officials believe that if the fishermen could be converted to prohibition the smuggling laws could be enforced—and until they are converted there seems little hope that the traffic may be stopped.

PRINCESS EXONERATED AS DIAMOND SMUGGLER

NEW YORK, March 20.—Princess Fatima, Sultan of Kaboul, who entered the United States last July with all the pomp and splendor befitting court life in her native Afghanistan, was taken to the United States attorney's office and asked to explain how her 44-karat diamond, which she values at \$125,000, passed through the port of San Francisco.

The princess, convinced authorities she was not a smuggler and will be permitted to sail with her three sons on a British steamer for Afghanistan.

Federal authorities, however, stated that the gem must remain here because the princess has authorized its sale to satisfy a debt, thereby placing it in American commerce, and making it subject to 20 per cent ad valorem duty. The purchaser, therefore, would have to pay \$25,000 duty on the valuation placed upon the jewel by its owner.

LEGION DAY INDORSED.

AUSTIN, March 20.—Governor Neff today expressed himself as being heartily in favor of the movement of the American legion setting aside March 20 as "Unemployed Ex-Servicemen's Day," in hopes that the people of Texas will co-operate with the local posts of the American Legion in bringing the unemployed ex-service men in touch with the open jobs.

SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

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TONIGHT. Eastern Star will have its third birthday party at the Masonic Temple.

TUESDAY. Thimble club meets with Mrs. J. C. Pullen. Retail Merchants' banquet in the evening.

Young School Parent-Teachers' meeting at 4 p. m. St. Mary's Guild will meet with Mrs. P. E. Nicol at Mrs. E. E. Crawford's at 2:30.

DEGREE STAFF GOES TO EASTLAND TONIGHT. The degree staff of the Rebekahs will go to Eastland tonight to put on the work. Cars will leave the Odd Fellows hall at 6 o'clock.

CHILE DINNER. Mrs. John Moyer entertained a few friends last evening with a chile con carne dinner. During the evening there was music and games for entertainment. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dean, Harry Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. "Pop" Endicott, Mr. and Mrs. Moyer.

PROGRAM FOR YOUNG SCHOOL P.-T. MEETING. The Young School Parent-Teachers' association will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with the following program:

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lowing well arranged program: Miss Deffebach's room will give a demonstration of the Palmer System of writing, and sing some songs; Mrs. George Armer will give a report on the child welfare examinations held in this school in the fall; the delegates will give reports on the recent convention.

PURELY PERSONAL. Miss Irene Wansley spent the weekend in Fort Worth with her mother.

Miss Margaret King is reported as on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Schell left Sunday for San Antonio, where they go as delegates from Ranger to attend the state convention of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

Mrs. Barney Carter and little daughter are visiting in Abilene.

Mrs. P. P. Bertholt of Stamford is visiting Mrs. Geo. Davenport.

Dewey Jones, prominent in young people's work at the East Ranger Baptist church, underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday at the Ranger General hospital. He is getting along nicely, it is reported.

A. C. Hayden, editor of the Big Spring Herald, was in Ranger yesterday and today, the guest of his old friend, J. W. Daniel.

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ELECTRIC IRON SETS MATTRESS ON FIRE

Fire starting from an electric iron yesterday afternoon destroyed a mattress and damaged a sewing machine at the home of Ed E. Albin, 713 Cypress street. The blaze was extinguished by the fire department before the building caught.

DETROIT, Mich., March 20.—Seven persons were killed near Rochester, Mich., Sunday when their automobile skidded on a slippery highway and was struck by an interurban car. The dead are Edward H. Ives, assistant general superintendent of the Detroit United railway; Mrs. Ives, their four children and a guest.

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MAINE ELECTION TODAY IS POLITICAL TEST

By Associated Press. AUGUSTA, Me., March 20.—The first test of strength between Republicans and Democrats in the congressional battles of this year came in the Third Maine district today. In this district, once the stronghold of James G. Blaine, a representative is to be chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John A. Peters early this year to become a federal district judge for Maine. The candidates are John E. Nelson, Republican, and Ernest L. McLean, Democrat, both attorneys of Augusta.

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