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AUSTIN MEN MUST ANSWER KLAN QUERIES

NO OPPOSITION EXPECTED FOR NAVAL TREATY

Vote at 3 P. M. Today; 18 Articles Approved at Yesterday's Session.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Prediction that the senate would ratify the naval limitation treaty today by a unanimous vote is being made by administration leaders, in view of the complete lack of opposition to the four-power supplementary treaties. The favorable sentiment revealed during the five-hour discussion yesterday resulted in an agreement for a final vote on ratification at 3 p. m. today. Administration leaders also are hopeful that the submarine and poison gas treaties would be approved without opposition before adjournment tonight. Swiftly and unexpectedly yesterday afternoon the senate, sitting as a committee of the whole, adopted the first eighteen articles of the naval limitation treaty. Each article was adopted by a viva voce vote without roll calls. Action came at the conclusion of a speech by Senator Lodge, explaining the treaty.

Only a bare dozen senators were present and further action on the treaty was blocked temporarily when Senator King, Democrat, of Utah, suggested the absence of a quorum.

TEXAS TO FIGHT OKLAHOMA OVER CATTLE RULING

FORT WORTH, March 29.—Unless the Oklahoma board of agriculture rescinds its cattle quarantine ruling which is due to become effective on April 1 and which would prohibit the passage of much Texas stock through the state on way to market and pasturing, the Texas livestock sanitary commission will institute legal proceedings, it was announced today by Chairman Boog-Scott of the Texas board.

The new Oklahoma ruling requires that cattle from seventy-five Texas counties must be accompanied by federal certificates or be dipped before passing through the state. The ruling would bar Texas cattle from shipment through the state, as the requirements would be too expensive, Boog-Scott said.

MITCHELL COUNTY PLANS BIG OIL CELEBRATION

COLORADO, Texas, March 29.—Arrangements were completed here Tuesday night for a big celebration at Westbrook, Monday, April 3, when the first consignment of oil from the Underwriters' production leaves for the Rio Grande Oil company refinery at El Paso. The celebration was arranged by the Colorado and Westbrook chambers of commerce.

Ten thousand persons are expected at a barbecue and basket dinner. A big band, prominent speakers, races, baseball and numerous other attractions will make this one of the biggest events in the history of Mitchell county.

TWO MILLION JOBLESS IN GREAT BRITAIN

LONDON, March 29.—A lockout of 600,000 workers in the engineering trades was announced today. This swells England's unemployed to 2,000,000. The lockout was caused by failure of negotiations between the employers and forty-seven unions.

COLD IN NORTHEAST

WASHINGTON, March 29.—A springtime cold spell will strike the northeast quarter of the country tonight, weather bureau officials announce.

West Texas—Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy; cooler in extreme southern section.

OH, DOCTOR!

Dentistry Made "Painless" by Jabbing Patient With Pin.

ZION CITY, Ill., March 29.—Wilbur Glenn Voliva, discoverer of the flat earth and overseer of this religious community, has demonstrated a new method of painless dentistry. At a meeting of his congregation he had Dr. Arthur Neils, a dentist, and Carl Schnockle on the platform. He chided members of the congregation who have used anesthetics when having teeth extracted. Schnockle took his seat in a chair. The dentist took out his forceps. Voliva stood behind the chair. The experiment was spectacular. As the tongs were jerked from the patient's mouth Voliva jabbed a pin into his leg. Schnockle leaped into the air, clutching his leg. He forgot about the tooth. Voliva announced triumphantly, "Just as the dentist jerked I jabbed a pin into him. That gave him something else to think about."

'TEX' RICKARD ACQUITTED IN ASSAULT CASE

Will Not Be Tried on Three Other Charges, State Says.

NEW YORK, March 29.—Tex Rickard, sports promoter, was acquitted this morning on a charge of assault and abduction in superior court here. He probably will not be called on to answer three similar charges filed against him by the grand jury it was indicated by Assistant Attorney Pecora, who conducted the trial of Rickard on accusations made by Sarah Schoenfeld, aged 15.

NO CONTESTS FOR PLACES ON SCHOOL BOARD

So far no candidates have announced for the office of school trustees in opposition to John M. Gholson, M. H. Hagaman and V. V. Cooper, present members of the board, whose terms expire on April 1. The election will be held Saturday at the First National bank building, with C. A. Bobo as manager. All qualified voters of the Ranger Independent school district are eligible to vote.

SINN FEINERS ATTACK ULSTER BORDER GUARD

BELFAST, March 29.—Warfare broke out on the Irish border today when a large force of Sinn Feiners entered Belco and stormed the police barracks, according to reports received here.

TORNADO IN LOUISIANA

HOUSTON, March 29.—A tornado which caused considerable damage occurred this morning at Lake Charles, La., the local Western Union office reports. All wires communicating with the town were severed. New Orleans is being reached by way of Dallas, it is announced.

THREE HURT AT TENEHA

TIMPSON, Texas, March 29.—Two residences were blown away and three persons were slightly injured at Teneha, ten miles east of here, today by a high wind.

IRISH CONFERENCE BEGUN

LONDON, March 29.—The conference between representatives of North and South Ireland and the British government began here today with considerable secrecy.

Mahaney Claims Self-Defense

OIL BELT CLUBS HOST AT MODEL ROTARY LUNCH

Many Attend District Meeting at Mineral Wells; Cisco Wins Cup.

Eastland county Rotarians returned from Mineral Wells last night following a highly successful model luncheon put on at noon yesterday by the Rotary clubs of Ranger, Eastland and Cisco at the Eighteenth district conference of Rotary clubs. About twenty Ranger Rotarians and their wives were present at the conference and attended the luncheon as participants and spectators. Six model lunches were conducted at noon Monday and Tuesday by various clubs and the other delegates and members attending the conference were assigned to the various galleries as spectators.

The conference closed yesterday with the election of John B. Singleton of Waxahachie, governor, over Lester W. Dawley of Paris. Mr. Singleton will succeed George Holmgreen of San Antonio, in office on June 30. The meeting place for the 1923 conference was still undecided at the close of the conference, the convention city to be selected by a committee. It is thought, however, that Beaumont will win out over Fort Worth in the fight.

Cisco Wins Cup. Cisco was announced as the winner of the district conference attendance cup, and Orange as the winner of the Lynn Milan cup for the attendance at the International Rotary convention. Addresses were made yesterday by Ed Shurter of the University of Texas, on "Education, What Is It?" Dr. Nat Grafton of Wichita Falls, on "Rotary and Boy Problems," and John B. Singleton, the newly elected governor. The conference was declared one of the best attended since Rotary was instituted in Texas.

Ranger received considerable advertising from the luncheon conducted by the oil field clubs yesterday and from a song by the Ranger delegation at the Crazy Wells hotel, following the luncheon. The luncheon was opened by Prosper Campbell, president of the Cisco club, who introduced Lytton R. Taylor, Ranger attorney, as toastmaster. The invocation was delivered by Bob Kindred of the Eastland club. A number of songs then followed, led by Raymond Teal and during the luncheon several vocal selections were rendered by Mrs. R. C. McCoy, accompanied by Gus Coleman on the flute and Mrs. V. Wakefield on the piano. Louis Ducker also sang several selections, accompanied by Mrs. V. Wakefield.

A Ranger "Saga"

One of the hits of the luncheon was the "saga" composed by Karl E. Jones of Ranger, setting forth the victory of the city over hard times and bank failures, and sung by Mrs. McCoy. Little Miss Campbell of Cisco gave a reading. H. P. Brelsford of Eastland, talked on the oil fields. Gus Coleman on Rotary ethics and Prosper Campbell of Cisco, on Rotary functions. The entire program of the luncheon was well balanced with educational and entertainment features.

FEDERAL AUTHORITIES TO PROBE COTTON SLUMP

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Investigation by the federal trade commission into the cause of the recent depression in the price of cotton and into the operation of cotton exchanges, was ordered today in a resolution presented by Senator Dial, Democrat, of South Carolina, and passed by the senate.

ANOTHER ALABAMA FLOGGING

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 29.—B. R. Robinson, rooming house proprietor, was taken from his home shortly before midnight last night and carried away by four men to Shad mountain where he was severely flogged. Robinson told police today that he did not care to prosecute the case.

Says Starkey Hit Him First; Case Goes to Jury This Afternoon.

EASTLAND, March 29.—That he had interfered in the encounter between Sheriff Nolley and L. J. Starkey in Cisco, to "save his own and the sheriff's life," and that he had been knocked down and blinded by Starkey's blows before he started wielding his knife, was the story told yesterday afternoon by Newt Mahaney. Cisco service car man and former deputy sheriff, on trial in Eighty-eighth district court for assault to murder L. J. Starkey in the near-fatal encounter on Feb. 3, Sheriff Sam Nolley, Dr. L. C. Brown and Will Sutton were also put on the stand by the defense.

From the statement of J. Lee Cearley, defense counsel, when the argument opened this morning, it was indicated that the arguments of the defense before the jury will center around the duty of a citizen to go to the assistance of an officer in distress. "Otherwise," said Mr. Cearley, this morning, "we would have anarchy."

The defense concluded all testimony yesterday afternoon and Judge Hill charged the jury when court convened this morning. Arguments of both sides are expected to last until late this afternoon, when the case will go to the jury. Mahaney yet remains to be tried on a similar charge for the alleged cutting of Ross Marchman.

F. L. Wright of Cisco, assisting in the prosecution, opened the argument this morning. He was followed by O. N. D. Baker and J. Lee Cearley for the defense, who concluded at noon. Judge B. W. Patterson opened for the state when court reconvened and will be followed by J. D. Barker. County Attorney Ove Overson will close for the state. Forty minutes has been allotted each speaker and the arguments are not expected to be completed until 3:30 at the earliest.

Questions "Blindness"

In opening for the state F. L. Wright told the jury that it appeared strange that Sheriff Sam Nolley could wield a pistol with such precision if he had been struck blind as he testified and that it was likewise strange that Mahaney could perform so dexterously with his knife if he had been blinded, as claimed.

Attorney Cearley argued that Mahaney had got into the difficulty through his attempts to protect the sheriff, as was his duty as a citizen, and that unless the officers were upheld, anarchy would reign. In his testimony yesterday afternoon, Mahaney said that Starkey had demanded to "know about those—lies that you have been telling about Nolley was slapping my jaws," and that he (Mahaney) had denied having stated that the sheriff had slapped Starkey. Starkey then called him "the dirtiest little coward in Cisco," the witness said, but Nolley had calmed them down and Starkey had gone off.

Saw Gun "In Air"

Afterward, he declared, he had seen a "gun in the air" with three or four grasping it, including Nolley and Starkey, and that he had rushed over and grabbed Starkey, who had hold of the gun. Ross Marchman was behind Nolley with his arms around the sheriff's neck, he said. The witness thought that Marchman hit him first and then Starkey, and

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BE SURE YOUR CHILDREN ARE ON SCHOOL LIST

The Ranger school census is known to be still short several hundred names, which must be turned into the office of C. A. Love, school district tax assessor and enumerator, before April 1 if the district is to get the allotment in school funds it is entitled to from the state. The work of taking the school census has been handicapped by lack of enumerators and at present only the school teachers are at work. All parents and guardians of children of school age are therefore urged by Mr. Love to send in their names to the city offices before the first of the month.

COURT'S DECISION WILL UNMASK KLAN, DALLAS JUDGE DECLARES

DALLAS, March 29.—The decision of the court of criminal appeals at Austin today is the first step in a movement which will eventually unmask the Klan, Judge J. C. Muse declared today. "If the supreme court upholds the opinion of the lower court, it means klansmen can be questioned in open court regarding their affiliation with the organization," the judge stated, declaring the decision made it possible for a grand jury in any criminal or civil case where the Klan was an issue to question witnesses concerning it. "The next step will be to give the courts the same power as the grand jury. This would eventually lead to membership lists of the Klan becoming public property or subject at all times to the scrutiny of juries."

PHONE SERVICE STOPPED AS DRY AGENTS RAID GALVESTON RESORTS

GALVESTON, March 29.—The long threatened cleanup of Galveston island has started. Ten federal officers swooped down unheralded on the island last night and worked hard all night. Scores of resorts of doubtful character were raided and hundreds of gallons of whisky and other liquors were seized. A number of persons were detained. During the height of the raid the city telephone system became mysteriously out of order. Officers said this was done to keep news of the raid from spreading. Fred's Place, reported to have been under surveillance for some time, was the first resort raided, and headquarters were established there for the raiding force. More than fifty in the resort were detained. Such large quantities of liquors were seized that a special guard was placed over it to keep it from vanishing.

CHICAGO MEET FAILS TO AVERT MINERS' STRIKE

CHICAGO, March 29.—The meeting of Illinois mine operators and union representatives here today failed in its efforts to avert the strike of coal miners set for April 1. After being in session nearly an hour, the conference adjourned subject to call, it was stated. The meeting was merely a formal session held to complete the present contract requirements and no progress toward a separate peace was made.

LEWIS RETURNS READY FOR STRIKE AFTER SHORT REST

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 29.—Three days' rest at his home here sent John L. Lewis, international president of the United Mine Workers, back to his headquarters in Indianapolis to conduct what many miners think will be the life struggle of the union.

RUSH NEWSPAPERS, NEW POSTAL ORDER

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Expedient handling of newspapers is urged on postal employees in a statement by John H. Bartlett, new first assistant postmaster general, in the postal bulletin.

"Despite repeated instructions for the prompt handling of daily newspapers," the statement asserts, "many complaints are made of delay in the receipts of this class of mail. This condition is irritating to subscribers and inexcusable from a service standpoint. Unless received promptly a newspaper has little or no news value and the postal service reaps the criticism of delay. Postmasters therefore are urged to see that all daily papers, both outgoing and incoming, are handled immediately upon receipt in their offices to the end that we may have a satisfied public and an appreciative press."

COLLEGE EDITORS OUSTED

WILLIAMSON, Mass., March 29.—The staff of the Williams Record, chief undergraduate newspaper of Williams college, with the exception of three men, tonight were homebound under orders of Dean George E. Howes with instructions to remain away until after the spring recess, which begins April 5. What Dean Howes termed the "indecent and obscenity" of the issue of March 18 of the paper was given as the reason for the suspension.

HABEAS CORPUS IS REFUSED BY APPEALS COURT

Decision Held Vital to Probe of Klan's Alleged Illegal Activities.

AUSTIN, March 29.—J. D. Copeland, police commissioner, and F. G. Reynolds, clerk of the Austin camp, Woodmen of the World, today were ordered remanded to the custody of the sheriff of Travis county by the court of criminal appeals this morning. This order affirms the verdict of the criminal district court, citing the two witnesses in contempt of court for refusing to answer questions of the grand jury investigating the Ku Klux Klan.

Copeland and Reynolds appeared before the Travis county grand jury on March 14, and refused to answer when asked if they were members of the Ku Klux Klan, who its officers and members were, and similar questions. They were fined \$100 and remanded to jail indefinitely for contempt of court at a hearing on March 16, and the case was appealed to the court of criminal appeals on a writ of habeas corpus.

The grand jury had recessed until March 30, saying that unless witnesses could be forced to answer questions it would be impossible to continue the probe of the alleged Klan activities.

The court discussed the whipping of Jeddie Jeans, who was taken from the streets of Austin, carried into the country and whipped and a coat of tar and feathers applied, and said that the grand jury was investigating this, along with similar cases which constituted violation of the Texas laws, and that to ask such questions were material beyond question. The relators, however, have fifteen days in which to file an appeal for a new hearing and in the meantime can be released on a new bond. In case a new hearing is not granted, attorneys for the defense plan to carry the case to the federal supreme court.

DALLAS BUSINESS MEN JOIN FIGHT ON FLOGGERS

DALLAS, March 29.—A mass meeting of Dallas citizens will be held soon to consider means of putting an end to the series of whippings of Dallas men by masked and unmasked bands. This announcement follows a meeting last night of twenty-five prominent citizens, who informally discussed the situation. The petition for the meeting will be circulated among business and professional men of the city, giving them an opportunity to sign the call for the meeting, it was said.

Evidence that a large number of persons have been whipped at one particular spot in the Trinity bottoms continues to accumulate. Two trees have been stripped of small branches to a height of about six feet. The ground about the trees is littered with handkerchiefs, cigaret cartons and other rubbish. Negro and white residents nearby say they have repeatedly heard shouts and yells coming from the spot, but "it was none of our business" what was going on there, and they know nothing of what occurred.

OKLAHOMA DOCTOR IS SEIZED; NOT DAMAGED

HEAVENER, Okla., March 29.—Dr. W. C. McLain, a local physician, who was seized by masked men at a drug store here last night and taken in an automobile into the country, was back today, none the worse for his experience. He said he had not been harmed.

Dr. McLain stated that he was taken a mile and a half out of the city, where his abductors accused him of being too affectionate with a woman. He was then brought to the outskirts of town and liberated, he said. The doctor declined to discuss the details of the affair but said that he had not been whipped, tarred and feathered, or ordered to leave town.

HOUSE PASSES ARMY APPROPRIATION BILL

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Reduction of the army to 115,000 enlisted men and 11,000 officers was approved by the house today when it passed the \$275,000,000 appropriation bill. At present the enlisted strength of the army is about 150,000 men. The reduction was voted in the face of President Harding's strenuous objections to such a cut.

DANCE POSTPONED!

The benefit dance for the Ranger ball club, to have been given tonight at the Summer Garden, has been postponed until a later date on account of the weather, it was announced this morning.

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Table with 2 columns: Subscription Rates, and Amount. Includes rates for one week, one month, three months, six months, one year, and single copies.

ENUMERATORS FELL DOWN? It is again in order to call the attention of the parents to the fact that their children should be registered in the school census, which ends tomorrow.

It is true that a full enrollment in such a census is more vital to the school district than to the parents individually, because the children will be able to attend school whether or not they are enumerated. But every child missing from the list means that school district is "out" that much income, and if a sufficient number are missed, and the actual enrollment of next year should be greater than is shown in the census, then that means that the per capita expenditure must be cut, so that the school district may stay within its income.

Parents who know their children have not been enumerated should take no chances, but notify the city offices. Fortunately, through the efforts of teachers, an alleged laxness on the part of enumerators probably will be remedied. One teacher yesterday told the Times that in his district the enumerator seemingly desired only to make a few dollars for himself, and was quite indifferent to the fact that the district had not been 100 per cent covered, in sections where a scattered population would not make the effort remunerative.

Now that perhaps is not true of all the enumerators. Some of them no doubt used every possible effort to enumerate every child. But those who did not, who conceived the job to be solely for their own profit, and felt no obligation to see that the district was thoroughly covered, should be censured. Such action denotes a lack of civic interest.

A naval officer says the Patagonia monster is not a myth, notwithstanding that Secretary Daniels has made the navy personnel "dry."—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

George Bernard Shaw says a man has to live 300 years before he becomes intelligent, and he has proved 63 years of it.—Washington Post.

If congress wants to reduce the size of an army let it first try its hand on the army of unemployed.—Chicago News.

At the present rate of uplift the anti-kissing law ought to be on the books by 1926.—Charleston News and Courier.

The treaty opponents have not even a strategic position to which they may retire.—Indianapolis Star.

One trouble with prison reform is that it so signally fails to reform the prisoners.—Boston Transcript.

What are the wild waves saying? Well, if they're crime waves, they are probably saying: "Ain't we got fun?"—Buffalo News.

ORIGINAL FUN, GOOD MUSIC, ON MAJESTIC BILL

A week of fun and musical entertainment is promised Ranger at the Majestic theater this week, if the Sunshine Revue company which opened there Monday night keeps up the standard set last night before a crowded house. Two outstanding features sets apart the Sunshine Revue company from others that have appeared here since the beginning of the season—the first, a combination instrumental and vocal quartet, and the second, an original brand of fun.

The quartet, composed of Arthur Hauk, Barney Kleeber, Claude Rees and Tom Collins, was repeatedly encored last night and kept on the stage as long as they would stand for it. A violin, bass violin, mandolin and a combination stringed instrument that seems to have the qualities of a mandolin guitar and possibly something else are used by the quartet. Miss Helen Kennedy made a hit with the audience as a child imitator and proved decidedly original.

Billie Cullum, as a serious minded nut with an original line of conversation, conducted a show of his own. The cast also included a large chorus with attractive costumes.

"Duke for a Night" will be presented by the company tonight and changes of program have been announced for every night until Monday, when the company closes its engagement here.

FORD IS FOUND

The Ford touring car of George O. Williams, 454 Main street, stolen on the night of March 11 from in front of the Majestic theatre, has been recovered near Strawn, according to a message received by the police here last night from Deputy Constable Si Bradford of Palo Pinto county. The message did not state whether any arrests had been made.

CHICKEN RANCH RAIDED

The game chicken ranch of J. L. Fossett, on the Pierce Davenport place, a mile and a half southwest of the city, was raided by thieves last night and a number of game chickens carried off, according to a report received by the police. The missing chickens included twelve blue game hens and one blue game rooster.

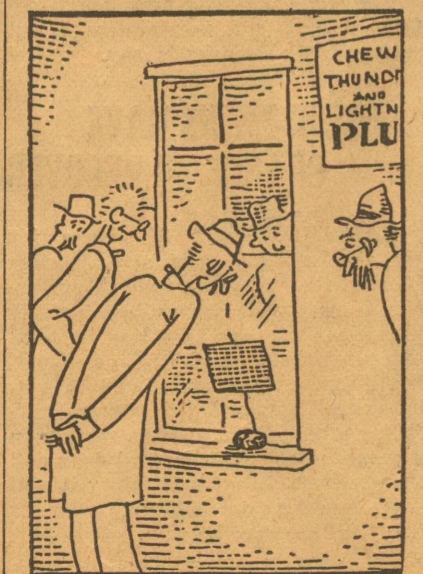
MAY LOSE EYESIGHT FROM BURNING OIL

DALLAS, March 29.—Men Parks, 21, was badly scalded about the face, neck and hands by burning oil late Monday night when he attempted to repair an automobile in his garage on the Fort Worth pike. Boiling oil from the car spilled from a bucket in which it had been drained while he was under the car. He may lose his eyesight.

NEBRASKA COUNTY HASN'T HAD DIVORCE IN LAST FIVE YEARS

LINCOLN, Neb., March 29.—Reno, Nev., attention, please! Here is a county—Banner county, Nebraska—that hasn't had a single divorce in five years. "I've written you four times telling you that we have no divorces to report," said a letter received by the chief of the bureau of vital statistics from R. D. Wilson, the county recorder. Wilson's explanation of the situation was simple enough. "We love our wives," he said.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS By GEORGE BINGHAM



The Postmaster has on display in the Postoffice window a nice looking Irish potato. This potato was raised by Clab Hancock and is the last of his crop, as he and his family ate the other five before Christmas.

The Horse Doctor of the Calf Ribs neighborhood, who has been treating Columbus Allsop's wife, reports that she is now entirely out of danger, as Columbus already owes him for about eleven visits.

Sile Kildew unthoughtedly got in a hurry this morning while pursuing a rabbit.

RICKARD ACQUITTED IN NEW YORK



Tex Rickard, NFL.

Tex Rickard, famous fight promoter and millionaire oil man, who was on trial in a New York court on serious charges made by youthful girls, anxiously awaits the verdict. During the taking of testimony Rickard has attentively watched each witness, but apparently has not been disturbed by the stories they told of how he entertained them at Madison Square Garden and his apartment.

MAN'S OBJECTION TO ARREST IS CAUSE OF ROW BETWEEN OFFICERS

N. D. Ricker, employed by the telephone company to dig the stumps of telephone poles from the sidewalk on Main street was arrested yesterday afternoon by the police on charge of violating the sanitary ordinance, following what threatened to be a personal encounter between Sanitary Inspector Wade Swift and Deputy Constable Ted Hamilton over the former's attempts to arrest Ricker. Ricker was allowed to make his own bond at police headquarters and released pending his appearance when his case is called in city court.

Several hundred people gathered during the argument between Swift and Hamilton and city and county officers, including Chief of Police Luther Davenport and Sheriff Sam Nolley, were attracted by the commotion. Swift, aided by a city fireman he had called to his assistance, started with his reluctant prisoner on his back toward police headquarters. Ricker was released, however, at the time but arrested later and carried to headquarters. Hamilton could not be seen today for a statement of his side of the

RELIGION IS LOVE, NOT DUTY, SAYS PASTOR

"The Cardinal Truths" was the subject of Rev. L. D. Coale last night at the First Methodist revival meeting, in which he developed the idea that "Every God-touched person is moved and swayed in the heart by the same mighty passion that sways the heart of God." The spirit of Christ, he said, is the spirit of compassionate anxiety that lost people may be saved.

In speaking of the methods of extending Christianity, he said: "The divine method of extending Christianity is the finding of one disciple by another," and "the chief business of Christianity is to individualize the gospel." He declared that in the church there was no place for the idler nor the drone and that to live a self-centered life is to live the most miserable of lives, as man was not created to live a self-centered life. He spoke of the Calvary Vision that would come to those who believed that Jesus died for them in a definite way and that its coming would transform life for those who so believed. He asked for service to God and the church not from a sense of duty, but from love, for God is love and the world is dying today for a "little bit of love," and manifested love is the golden key that will unlock any heart.

Increasing crowds at the revival attested to the force and eloquence of the sermons of the evangelist in delivering. Services are being conducted daily at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. with cottage prayer meeting at 3 p. m.

England's only woman traffic manager, Miss Elizabeth Hendrick, is to make an inspection tour of America for the purpose of securing trans-Pacific freight for carriage across the Atlantic to Europe. She is an expert on ocean traffic.

MAHANEY CLAIMS SELF-DEFENSE

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that he was knocked down and started using his knife. He thought that while he was down he cut Starkey in the leg. The defendant admitted that he had his knife in his hand when he rushed over where the sheriff and Starkey were fighting.

He said that he did not see Nolley hit Starkey and that after he had been knocked down, his nose broken, and left eye injured, that he was virtually blinded and could take little or no note of his surroundings and had "nearly cut Red Pennington before I saw who he was."

On cross examination the witness stated that he went to the scene of the conflict to save his own and Nolley's life. Starkey was partly leaning over when he quit cutting, the defendant said. He denied remarks and threats which prosecution witnesses claimed he made against Starkey. He admitted to having trouble with Starkey more than two years ago at the depot and drawing a gun on him, but explained that he was a deputy sheriff at the time.

Starkey preceded Mahaney on the stand. He said that, at the first meeting he had prevented the men from fighting but that a little later, in a conversation with Starkey, he had told the latter that there was no use fussing over the matter and that if he did not hush up and if Starkey made him, he would slap his jaws. The fight then started, the witness said. As described by Nolley, Starkey struck the sheriff with his fist just under his nose and almost knocked him blind. The sheriff could barely pull himself together but managed to draw his gun and strike Starkey. "I hit Starkey as hard as I could, I was trying to defend myself," he said.

Marchant then seized his arms from behind, the sheriff testified, and Starkey struck him twice. He said that he did not use Mahaney in the fight at all. The sheriff said that he had been friendly toward Mahaney just as he had toward others in the courtroom and that Mahaney had only been a deputy sheriff "two, three or four months," but not within six or seven months before the encounter on Feb. 3.

Dr. L. C. Brown of Eastland testified that he had attended Mahaney while in jail and that his nose was broken, his left eye inflamed and the left side of his face swollen.

Will Sutton, taximan, of Cisco, testified that he had told Mahaney on the morning of Feb. 3 that he ought to be careful, as he thought Starkey had a gun.

DEBS READY TO RESUME SOCIALIST LEADERSHIP

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 29.—Eugene V. Debs prepared for a comeback today. Debs, recently pardoned from the Atlanta prison, where he was sent for violation of the wartime laws, said he was ready to assume the leadership of the Socialist party. "Only my health, which has not been good of late, can prevent me from active work with the party," he said.

HEAVY RAIN AND ELECTRIC STORM DAMAGES LOCKHART

LOCKHART, March 29.—Three and a half inches of rain fell here last night and was still falling this morning. The worst electrical storm in years accompanied the downpour. The electric light plant was put out of commission and much damage was done to plowed ground and growing crops.

"WILD MAN" CAPTURED AFTER TWENTY-ONE YEARS

QUAKERTOWN, Pa., March 29.—Adam Weaver, the "wild man" who has eluded capture for twenty-one years, following his escape after being convicted of murder, was captured today. He had lived in the woods, subsisting on game and berries in season. In 1900, when three constables were trying to arrest Weaver, he shot and killed one, wounded another, poured scalding water on a third and escaped.

WICHITA GAS METERS ARE RUNNING TOO FAST

WICHITA FALLS, March 29.—In an investigation of gas meters held in Wichita Falls by representatives of the city council, 80 per cent of the meters examined were registering fast, it was announced yesterday. Thirty gas meters were investigated and twenty-two were found to be running anywhere from 6 to 13 per cent too fast. Four were within the allowed 2 per cent fast, provided by the franchise.

FEDERAL JUDGE WILL DISCUSS MOB VIOLENCE

WEATHERFORD, March 29.—Federal Judge James C. Wilson of Fort Worth will deliver an address here Monday night, April 3, before a general meeting of the Chamber of Commerce on the subject, "How to Overcome Mob Violence and the Disregard of the Law." The occasion is the annual election of officers of the Chamber of Commerce and admission will be by ticket only. Porter Whaley of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will deliver an address on the activities of his organization in West Texas.

FOUR NEARLY DROWN IN SWOLLEN CREEK

BALLINGER, Texas, March 29.—Edwin Killgore and his 1-year-old baby, and mother-in-law, Mrs. McNeill, and 12-year-old son, of Wichita Falls, came near drowning when their car ran into a swollen stream three miles north of here about 10 o'clock Sunday night.

The car was washed down stream after being turned over. Killgore broke through the curtains which were up and rescued the three. Suffering severely from cold wind which was blowing after they had been drenched in the stream, they made their way to a farm house a few hundred yards away and summoned a physician.

The car was recovered next day.

661-POUND MAN BUYS CLOTHING AT COTTON MILL

MCKINNEY, Texas, March 29.—Sam Harris, farmer living at Farmerville, who tips the scales at 661 pounds, was in McKinney and visited the big Texas cotton mill, where he purchased 150 yards of pin check and palm beach cloth which he will have made into suits. It requires thirteen yards to make a coat and a pair of trousers for Harris. His waist measure is seventy-nine inches. His knee measurement of fifty inches.

BILL MARTIN SEIZED WHEN HE PROVES TO BE HOTEL BOOZE CHAIR

WINNIPEG, Man., March 29.—"Bill Martin" the newest species of liquor law violators, was behind police doors Friday. "Bill" is a convenient chair equipped with a liquor cabinet, which opens at the back under the seat and was used, it was alleged, in a local hotel for the benefit of thirsty guests. When occasion demanded, it is charged, the chair was sent up and the room registered as occupied by "Bill Martin." William Hogan, proprietor, paid a \$500 fine for breach of the Manitoba temperance act.

AMERICAN WOMAN IS SLAIN BY KOREANS

SHANGHAI, March 29.—Mrs. W. J. Snyder of Brazil, Ind., was killed Tuesday and four other persons were wounded when two Koreans made an abortive attempt to assassinate General Kichu Tanaka, former Japanese minister of war, upon their arrival here from Manila.

FREIGHT RATES REDUCED FROM CHICAGO TO GULF

WASHINGTON, March 29.—A reduction in class and commodity rates from Chicago and related points to South Atlantic and Gulf ports on goods destined for the Pacific coast on steamship lines was ordered today by the interstate commerce commission. The commission suspended a recent order which would increase rates.

WICHITA SOUTHERN BUYS NEW ENGINES

WICHITA FALLS, March 29.—Two new oil burning locomotives and a private car have been added to the equipment of the Wichita Southern railroad by recent orders, it is announced from the local offices. This increases the number of locomotives in use by the oil belt railroad to ten, the increase being made necessary by the development of a heavy freight business over the line.

MORE STOLEN CARS FOUND AT BALLINGER

BALLINGER, March 29.—Detectives have recovered two more of the twenty-five stolen cars alleged to have been sold in this county by a gang of thieves, members of which were arrested here, at Belton and at Waco recently. Ten cars have been recovered in this county. One of the cars recovered was stolen from Mayor Black of San Antonio Dec. 2 and sold to a citizen here Dec. 22.

Majestic Hotel New Management Comfortable Rooms \$1.00 and \$1.50—Hot and Cold Water South Rusk Phone 333

IT CAN BE WELDED. Advertisement for welding services with an illustration of a welder working on a piece of machinery.

WANTED—100 RADIATORS TO REPAIR AND RECORE. We specialize on Radiators. Bring Your Auto Troubles to Us. Postoffice Garage. ELM STREET PHONE 83

WE ARE NOW IN OUR NEW LOCATION—GHOLSON HOTEL BUILDING. Victrolas, Pianos, Records, Diamonds, Jewelry, etc. Pay Us a Visit W. E. DAVIS Jewelry and Music

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ATTENTION, LADIES! Your High Shoes cut down to Oxfords and straps. Work guaranteed. Bring your shoes to BAUM'S BOOTERIE 304 Main

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HOSPITALS RANGER GENERAL HOSPITAL Third Floor Hodges-Neal Bldg. Mrs. Alice L. Dailey, Supt. Open to all reputable physicians. Graduate nurses supplied for outside cases. Telephone 190

CLINICAL HOSPITAL Miss Elizabeth Wilhelm, Supt. Open to All Physicians. Graduate Nurses Furnished for Outside Cases Phone 373 Guaranty Bank Bldg.

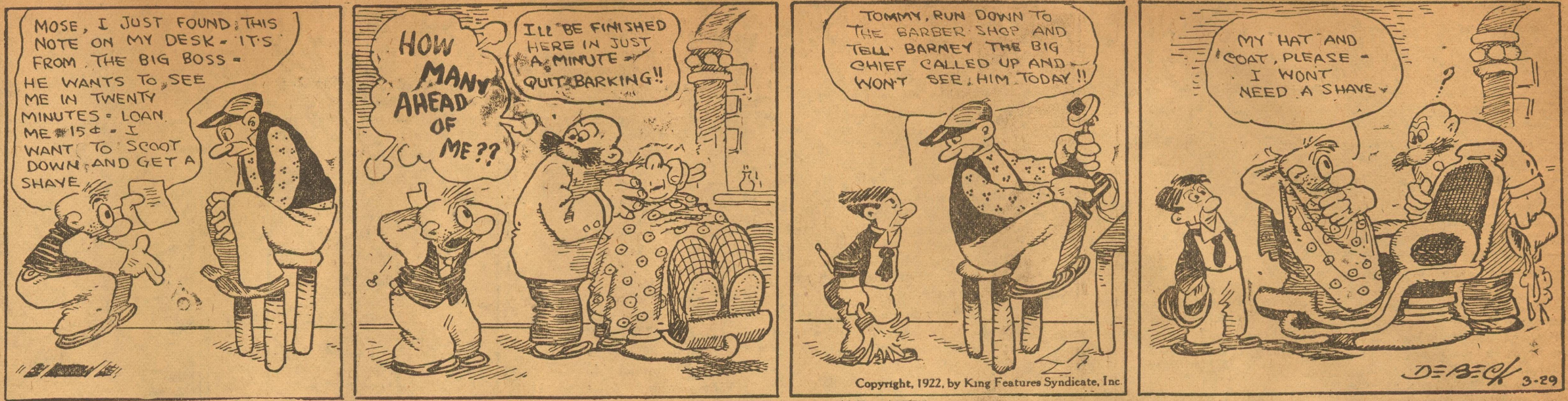
Automobile Movies--- By HUB CITY GARAGE. Advertisement for a movie showing car tires. Includes text: 'I'M THE CHAP WHO BRINGS YOU HOME WHEN EVERY BODY ELSE PASSES YOU UP! EXTRA TIRE'. Hub City Garage, \$9 AND UP, PHONE 55, RUSK AND PINE STREETS.

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.

Guess Barney'd Shave Every Day If the Boss Wanted to See Him

—By Billy De Beck



SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

Conducted By MRS. R. B. CAMPBELL Telephone 418. THURSDAY. Call meeting of the 1920 club in the afternoon. Thimble club meets with Mrs. J. C. Pullen. DRESS REHEARSAL TONIGHT FOR WOMANLESS WEDDING. Tonight at the Liberty there will be a dress rehearsal for the Womanless Wedding, which will be given Thursday night under the auspices of the Red Cross street. Out of deference to the revival at the Methodist church the program will not begin until 9 o'clock sharp. Doors will be open earlier but in order not to conflict with the hour of service the sponsors have decided to change the time from 8:45 to 9 o'clock. Several new names will appear on tomorrow's program, there will be a number of surprises and men will appear as ladies who were never suspected of "skirts." Tickets are going fast and it looks as though there will be standing room only. Better get your reservations early in the day.

1-LOST AND FOUND. STOLEN—12 blue game hens and one stag. Notify J. L. Foisset or Chief of Police. Reward. 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. 5-AGENTS AND SALESMEN. WANTED—County and local managers. Earn from \$10 to \$40 per day. For full particulars address the Elgin Tire Machine Co., 110 N. Austin, Ranger.

8-ROOMS FOR RENT. THE WEIR ROOMS, phone 470, Rusk and Elm; room and board very reasonable; good meals 50c. 9-HOUSES FOR RENT. FOR RENT—6-room house, large sleeping porch, underground cistern, flower garden; Cooper addition. See No. 5, Joseph Dry Goods Co. NICELY furnished 4-room house; \$25 in advance. 420 Mesquite St. 11-APARTMENTS FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Modern apartments, hot and cold water; with or without private bath. Phone 400. 413 Main. McElroy Apartments. APARTMENTS. Teal Hotel, 423 Main; hot water, bath, 'n'everything. 13-FOR SALE—Miscellaneous. TRADERS GROCERY & MARKET—Corner Walnut and Rusk—Why pay more? Pork chops, 1 lb. 20c; Empire bacon, 1 lb. 25c; Pork sausage, 1 lb. 20c; fresh eggs, 1 doz. 20c. ONE SET CONFECTIONERY FIXTURES—Complete, with 10 pump liquid carbonic front and back bar. Corner Austin and Elm. FRESH JERSEY MILK—10c quart. Whalen Grocery Co., 501 West Main st. 15-HOUSES FOR RENT. BARGAIN—Dandy two-room weather-boarded house, lot and furniture; will sacrifice for cash as am leaving town. P. E. Moore, 315 Stevens ave. Phone 57. 16-AUTOMOBILES. WHY put new parts in old cars? Ranger Auto wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk st., Ranger, Texas. SPRINGS, gears, gas tanks, wheels, magnetos, carburetors, 'n'everything. Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk st., Ranger, Texas. 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. 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. 21-LEGAL NOTICE. NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—The Ranger, Texas, Independent School District invites sealed proposals for the erection of a fireproof high school building.

Houston Blind Man Makes Success as Cigar Merchant

By United Press. HOUSTON, March 29.—Five years of hard labor and a continuous struggle to make both ends meet have brought a blind couple here to "near easy street." Recently they decided they had practically won their fight and would enjoy some of the comforts of life extended to persons so afflicted. Now they have been given an additional reward for their battle in the workaday world. They will soon inherit \$80,000. Five years ago, W. S. Mitchell, blind, was peddling combs and brushes. He saved \$300 and went into business, selling cigars in front of a local theatre. Today he is planning to sell the business that has put him on the road to riches. He will be a comparatively wealthy man. Joseph Levy, Galveston financier and the father of Mitchell's wife, died recently. He left the Mitchells one-fourth of his estate, which was estimated at \$320,000. Mrs. Mitchell is also blind. She does her own cooking and housework. Their only child is an adopted boy. Mitchell is a good cigar salesman. He efficiently waits upon his customers and makes necessary change. He tells the denomination of a coin by its ring when it falls upon the counter.

ROBBERY MERE TRIFLE.

By Associated Press. DALLAS, March 29.—Loss of a mustache which he had worn for eight years apparently worried a man living northeast of Dallas more than having had 26.50 taken from him by highwaymen. The man accepted a proffered ride in an automobile and robbed when a few miles from the city. In the struggle he was hit in the mouth, and doctors had to shave off his mustache to sew the wound. "I don't mind losing the money so much, but I've been eight years raising that mustache," he told the surgeon.

HOG ATTACKS WOMAN

FORT SCOTT, Kan., March 29.—Mrs. Charles Lundberg, wife of a farmer living southeast of here, was attacked by a hog that tried to eat her. The bones in her hands were crushed, her thighs and lower limbs were lacerated and her life was saved only by the appearance of five calves which ran up, curious to see the tragedy. The hog was attracted to them and left Mrs. Lundberg to pursue them. Unable to walk, Mrs. Lundberg crawled to a garage and her husband trailed her there by the blood from her body. The hog had been eating her pigs and Mrs. Lundberg entered the pen to sprinkle kerosene on the pigs. She will recover.

BRECK YOUTHS CHARGED WITH ATTACK ON GIRL

BRECKENRIDGE, March 29.—Charged with criminal assault on a 14-year-old girl, Sam Edgin and Jack Davis, two young men in the twenties, were in the county jail Tuesday afternoon unable to furnish bond. Bonds were set at \$5,000 each by Judge J. C. Castleman, before whom they appeared. The story reached the ears of Sheriff L. D. Head last week that the two men had the young girl with them at a hotel in a small town near here. Officers were sent to the place but on arriving found the trio had left. It was not until three days later the sheriff located the young men. They were arrested in Breckenridge. The grand jury is to meet Monday and will go into the matter thoroughly, it is said.

MINERAL WELLS TO PUT UP A "WELCOME" SIGN

MINERAL WELLS, March 29.—Mineral Wells will erect a large electrically illuminated "welcome" sign. The same will be erected on East Mountain, where it may be seen by all persons for many miles around.

SOME THINK SO, BUT WE KNOW IT'S PURE. —Our water is the only bacteriologically tested water in Ranger. RANGER DISTILLED WATER CO. (Under New Management) Delivered Anywhere Phone 157

RYZON BAKING POWDER. Not merely baking powder but increased leavening power. The special process of manufacture is the reason. RYZON is an improvement over old-fashioned powders. It has more raising power, is a slow, steady raiser. It retains its full strength to the last spoonful. Order a cent today. Have rich, brown, fragrant tea us RYZON biscuits for every meal. PAT OFF.

NO CRIME IN RUNNELS IN LAST THREE MONTHS

BALLINGER, Texas, March 29.—District Judge Woodward refused to call a grand jury for the coming term of district court because of a lack of crime. The last grand jury returned only one indictment and no serious crime has been reported in the county since it adjourned three months ago. Judge Woodward said the grand jury would be an expense for nothing.

S. S. S. Fills Out Hollow Cheeks, Thin Limbs!

Men and women—whether you will ever build yourself up to your normal, just-right weight depends on the number of blood-cells in your blood. That's all there is to it. It's a scientific fact. If your blood-cell factory isn't working right you will be run-down, thin, your blood will be in disorder, and perhaps your face will be broken out with pimples, blackheads and eruptions. S. S. S. keeps your blood-cell factory working full time. It helps build new blood-cells. That's why S. S. S. builds up thin, run-down people, it puts firm flesh on your bones, it rounds out your face, arms, neck, limbs, the whole body. It puts the "pink" in your cheeks. It takes the hollows from the eyes, and it fools Father Time by smoothing out wrinkles in men and women by "plumping" them up. S. S. S. is a remarkable blood-purifier. While you are getting plump, your skin eruptions, pimples, blackheads, acne, rheumatism, rash, tetter, blotches are being removed. The medicinal ingredients of S. S. S. are guaranteed purely vegetable. S. S. S. is sold at all drug stores, in two sizes. The larger size is the more economical.

LIBERTY AT THE LAMB TODAY. CHARLES RAY —in— "19 and Phyllis" And Century Comedy "Tin Cans" Tomorrow THOMAS MEIGHAN —in— "THE EASY ROAD"

PROGRAM

LIBERTY—Charles Ray in 'Nineteen and Phyllis,' and Century Comedy, "Tin Cans."

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NO ODOR—NO WEAR AND TEAR. RANGER DRY CLEANING PLANT. The Only Plant in Ranger. We do not clean for shops. You cannot get as good work or service elsewhere. Office: 103 South Rusk Street—Phone 452. Plant: 608 Tiffin Highway—Phone 327.

MAJESTIC THEATRE. ARTHUR HAUK'S SUNSHINE REVUE WITH BEAUTY CHORUS. A Wide-Awake Up-to-Date Show, and Bert Lytell in "LADYFINGERS" Extra Special Tonight: Chorus Girls' Contest. Tomorrow Night: "MORMON WIFE GIVEN AWAY" This is the Best Show Ever Seen in Ranger. Come! You'll Enjoy It.

Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR. USED CAR SALE SPECIAL THIS WEEK. CADILLAC TOOL CAR, GOOD CONDITION—CADILLAC, 7-PASS.; LIKE NEW; BARGAIN—MAXWELL, 5-PASS.; OVERHAULED—BUICK TOOL CAR; MECHANICALLY PERFECT—CHANDLER CHUMMY ROADSTER, SEE IT—DODGE TOOL CARS, ROADSTERS AND TOURINGS AT \$90 AND UP. Ford Sedans, Coupelets, Tourings, Roadsters and Trucks—each a bargain at \$25 and Up. WE WILL TAKE A FORD IN ON ANY OF THESE CARS. If you want a real bargain in a used car, see these before you buy. Look at 'em and then make your own price and your own terms. CASH OR TERMS—SCRIP OR MONEY. WE NEED THE SPACE—YOU NEED THE CARS—WE NEED THE MONEY—YOU RIDE WHILE YOU PAY. If you want to look at them at night, phone and we will arrange for a salesman to be here any time day or night for this week only. Also immediate delivery any model new Ford—Cash or Terms. WRITE, WIRE OR PHONE US. Salesmen: A. T. MCKINLAY, W. J. MCFARLAND, W. J. LONG. Leveille - Maher Motor Co. PHONE 217 P. O. BOX NO. 4 MAIN AND HODGES STS. DAILY TIMES CLASSIFIED ADS BRING RESULTS.

LEVEES CHAIN MISSISSIPPI HIGH WATERS

Floods No Longer Feared in Region Once Ravaged Almost Yearly.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 29.—Flood warnings that unusually high water would send the Mississippi river beyond the flood stage in its lower reaches gave the people of the lower Mississippi valley comparatively little concern this morning. Ten years ago such a warning by the weather bureau would have caused immediate preparations for an inevitable general overflow over an area of hundreds of square miles. The absence of fear this year is due to the great levee or embankment system which has been completed in the last few years to hold the Mississippi to its floodway.

River engineers say that the levees along both sides of the Mississippi from the mouth of the Ohio to the Gulf of Mexico are now constructed to such dimensions that they will hold the river even should it go four or five feet higher than it ever has gone.

One Weak Spot.

They say there is but one point in the entire system toward which the least anxiety is felt and that section of the embankments will hold a flood stage this year equalling the record high water of 1913. Near Helena, Ark., some sixty miles downstream from Memphis, a short link has not been completed to standard dimensions. Elsewhere, even at places where construction is comparatively new, the huge embankments have settled and are strong enough to withstand far more pressure than the Mississippi, in her most terrific rampages ever has displayed.

The last serious overflow, when a wide area was inundated and much damage done by flood waters, was in 1913 when the river climbed to the unprecedented height of 46.5 feet, Memphis gauge. At that time, however, the levee system had not been built to the standard that government engineers had mapped out as necessary for all time.

The Mississippi river now is hemmed in by a chain of levees from Missouri to Tennessee to below the city of New Orleans, embankments that are continuous and that total more than fifty feet high and their crown is as wide as an average street with the base often more than 300 feet wide.

Before the levees were built, the area of land subject to overflow was in excess of 15,000,000 acres, or an area greater than the combined areas of Delaware, Connecticut, New Jersey and Massachusetts. Since the levees have afforded more and more protection, the region has been reclaimed rapidly and put into cultivation so that it now ranks as one of the most productive areas in the entire country. Nearly 1,000,000 people, dependent mostly on agriculture, live in the region. Where there was but one banking institution in the area in 1880—that at Helena, Ark.—there now are more than 500 flourishing banks. Where there were no railroads whatever in the territory prior to the '80s, the mileage now is in excess of 3,200.

FLOOD CREST DUE AT MEMPHIS SATURDAY

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 29.—Three hundred and fifty flood fighters are at work today to prevent the steadily rising Mississippi river flood from submerging thousands of acres of land.

Although the river is well past the forty-foot mark, Perry N. Pharr, chief levee engineer, expressed the belief that the flood was in safe stages and would not go over forty-five feet. The crisis will come Saturday, Pharr believes.

MIDNIGHT AT NOON IN CHICAGO STREETS

CHICAGO, March 29.—A "pall of darkest night" descended upon Chicago at noon recently. Automobiles turned on their headlights, street signs in the downtown section were lighted and telephone exchanges and newspaper offices were deluged with thousands of queries.

The mystery was solved by the weather bureau, which reported that a sudden shifting of winds had "piled up" all of the city's smoke in one monstrous cloud blanket through which not a sunbeam could force its way.

The occurrence lasted for only a few minutes, the lifting of the cloud having the appearance of a second sunrise.

TULIA MAN KILLED BY GASOLINE ENGINE

TULIA, Texas, March 29.—Backfire of a stationary gasoline engine is believed to have caused the death of W. A. Porter, 62. Porter was found with his skull crushed near the engine, which runs a grain elevator.

The first model dairy farm in England was established by Dowager-Queen Alexandra.

SCHOOLS HAVE HOLIDAY FRIDAY; WILL SEND MANY CONTESTANTS TO COUNTYWIDE MEET AT CISCO

Friday, the opening day of the interscholastic meet at Cisco, has been declared a holiday in all of the Ranger schools and delegations will be sent from each of the schools to participate in the various literary, tennis and track events. On Friday and Saturday the High School, Central, Cooper and Young schools will all have entries in both the literary and track events. Tiffin school will enter representatives in the essay, declamation and spelling contests. Merriam entries have not been announced.

The literary and tennis events will be held Friday and the track events and girls' volley ball games will be held Saturday. Tennis singles and doubles will be on the Humbletown courts, the literary events in the High school auditorium and the track events and volley ball games at Harrell park. Loving cups will be given in debate, tennis, relay and volley ball, to the highest point winner and to the school having the highest number of points in all events. A gold medal will be offered to the first place winner in all other events.

Cisco residents, it is announced, have arranged to provide lodging for all contestants and faculty members who need to spend Friday night in that city. Noon lunch will be served at stands operated by the schools at the school building on Friday and at Harrell park on Saturday.

The following entries have been announced by the Ranger school principals:

HIGH SCHOOL.

Spelling—Junior event, Elizabeth Barrett, Fannie Lois Cox (alternate); senior event, Thelma Collins, Olivelette Cowart (alternate).

Essay Writing—Senior, Edna Clark, Beatrice Dreby and Thelma Collins (alternates); junior, Elizabeth Barrett, Fannie Lois Cox (alternate).

Debate—Senior Boys, Perry Jones, Bill Mills; senior girls, Beatrice Dreby, Mabel Tucker.

Tennis Singles, Girls—Edna Clark, Mabel Tucker (alternate).

Tennis Doubles, Girls—Edna Clark, Mabel Tucker.

Tennis Singles, Boys—Howard Gullahorn; Gordon Gullahorn and Lawrence Lonsdale (alternates).

Tennis Doubles, Boys—Howard Gullahorn, Gordon Gullahorn; Tom Yonkers, Lawrence Lonsdale, Glenn Tucker and George Henshaw (alternates).

Declamation—Senior boys, Paul Dresser; senior girls, Murkle Mills.

Girls' Volley Ball—Iris Lowe, Annie Dempsey, Murkle Mills, Cleo Bryant, Linda Baxter, Bonnie Woods and Margaret Walton.

120 Yard High Hurdles—George Henshaw, A. Huffman.

100-yard dash—C. Alworth, R. Heasley, P. Simpson; T. Rumage (alternate).

1-Mile Run—T. Alworth, H. Phillips, K. Campbell; T. Gholston (alternate).

220-Yard Hurdles—C. Henshaw, A. Huffman, T. Rumage; B. Mills, T. Gholston (alternates).

440-Yard Dash—C. Alworth, P. Simpson, T. Yonkers, L. Dupree, B. Mills.

220-Yard Dash—R. Heasley, T. Rumage, A. Huffman; T. Alworth, G. Henshaw (alternates).

880-Yard Run—J. Terry, T. Gholston, K. Campbell, L. Dupree, H. Phillips.

1-Mile Relay—B. Mills, P. Simpson, C. Alworth, T. Rumage, T. Yonkers, G. Henshaw.

Field Events.

Pole Vault—J. Zarofenitis, L. Pellerin.

Running Broad Jump—E. Schertz, R. Heasley; J. Zarofenitis; J. Terry, B. Hazard (alternates).

Discus Throw—L. Lonsdale, T. Yonkers.

Running High Jump—A. Huffman, J. Terry, R. Heasley; B. Hazard (alternate).

12-Pound Shot-put—E. Schertz, T. Yonkers, R. Pruitt.

Central School.

Junior Declamation—Aline Stroud

Essay Writing—Jack Galloway.

Junior Spelling—Margaret Galloway; sub-junior spelling, Billie Terrell.

Junior Boys' Track—Wier Hunt,

100-yard dash; Glenn Pruitt, 50-yard dash; relay team, Zarofenitis, Pruitt, Hunt and Baxter; bar chinning, Edward Stovall and Jack Galloway.

Seniors who will compete with Class B High Schools—Bob Hamilton, 440-yard dash, 12-pound shot-put; Frank Daniel, 50-yard and 100-yard dash; Luther Harrison, 220-yard dash; Jesse Searcy, 880-yard dash; Cecil Russell and Max Ratliff, mile race; Daniel, Harrison, Hamilton and Spindle, relay race.

Cooper School.

Spelling—Senior, Glenn McKinley; alternate, Homer Perry; junior, Gertrude Gregory, alternate Herman Murray; sub-junior, Billie Faircloth; alternate Charles Owens.

Essay writing—Homer Perry, William Lloyd, Lucile Long.

Declamation—Senior girls, Veda Crab; alternate, Linnie Hughes; junior girls, Lila Brazier; alternate, Vivian McCay; senior boys, Homer Perry; junior boys, Albert Blancher.

Debate—Margaret Gilmore and Hallie Long; alternates, Veda Crab and Linnie Hughes.

Tennis—Boys, Garland Hinmons, Neil Rhodes, Eugene Nourse; girls, Linnie Hughes, Veda Crab, Nettie Blackwell and Lila Brazier.

Junior Boys' Track and Field Events—Broad jump, Albert Blancher, high jump, Rayphord Faircloth and Haskell Moore; 50-yard dash, Rayphord Faircloth and Thurman T'Liver; 100-yard dash, Rayphord Faircloth, Max Pellerin and Eugene Nourse; 440-yard relay, Rayphord Faircloth, Max Pellerin, J. E. Wharton, Thurman Tolliver and Eugene Nourse.

Senior Boys' Track and Field Events—50-yard dash, Myron Ice, Luther Burnett; 100-yard dash, Myron Ice, Luther Burnett; 220-yard dash, Myron Ice, Luther Burnett; 120 high hurdles, Neil Rhodes, Elzie Wright; 440-yard dash, Homer Short, Weldon Murray; 1 mile, Joe Beard, Homer Short; 880-yard run, Weldon Murray, Homer Short, Joe Beard; 1 mile relay, Luther Burnett, Evert Smith, Kenneth Falls, Elzie Wright, Weldon Murray, Homer Short, alternates; running broad jump, Luther Burnett, Neil Rhodes; 12-lb. shot-put, Neil Rhodes, Myron Ice; Luther Burnett; Discus throw, Luther Burnett, Neil Rhodes, Myron Ice; pole vault, Myron Ice, Evert Smith, Murray; running high jump, Neil Rhodes, Luther Burnett, Evert Smith.

Girls' Volley Ball—Veda Crab, Lorena Lingle, Nettie Blackwell, Mary Beard, Myra Beard, Margaret Stuart, Glenn McKinley, Elizabeth Cooper, Ella Mae Lloyd.

Young School.

Junior Boys' Debate—Floyd Her-ring and Byron John Cox.

Girls' debate—Olga Mitchell and Maud Shaw.

Essays—Lillian Hoard and T. J. Melton.

Spelling—Junior, Eula Mae Rush; sub-junior, Mary McNeal.

Senior Declamation—Pauline Rush.

Junior Declamation—Zada Walton and Byron Reeves.

Girls' Volley Ball Team—Pauline Rush, Eula Mae Rush, Ethel Shaw,

HAND SAVES SUSPECT

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 29.—Haled into Common Pleas Judge Ritchie's court on a charge of pocket picking Emil Geith, 32 years old, of Waterville, showed his hand and was discharged.

Court attaches who saw his right hand, when he held it up at the judge's orders, said it was as "wide as a broom."

"I move this man be dismissed, your honor," said Edwin S. Barger, assistant prosecutor, "he couldn't get his hand in Vollmars park!"

Geith was accused of having picked the pocket of a fellow card player.

EX-CASHIER OF BANK AT LEERAY FORFEITS BOND

BRECKENRIDGE, March 29.—Bond to the extent of \$11,500 was declared forfeited Tuesday in district court when the case of state against A. F. Richardson was called.

Richardson was a former cashier of the Leeray Farmers & Merchants bank and, it is charged, while in that capacity, he embezzled \$68,000 of the bank's funds. Richardson's whereabouts at present is unknown to officers.

BRISCOE COUNTY WILL BUILD NEW COURTHOUSE

SILVERTON, March 29.—Briscoe county, through its commissioners' court, has issued an order for the erection of a \$70,000 new courthouse. The "Pave the Square" campaign of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is resulting here in demand to pave the courthouse square at the time the new court house is erected.

AT THE HOTELS

Gholson. E. G. Piper, Breckenridge; E. M. Chilton, Dallas, W. H. Wigley, Dallas, N. H. Murphy, St. Louis, J. P. Davis, St. Louis; Wm. E. Brill, Chicago; F. D. Gentler, New York; J. F. Williams, Dallas; J. R. Spaulding, Abilene; C. E. King, Sherman; J. M. Hartary, Cushing, Okla.; B. L. Ryan, Mexico; H. F. Goble, Oklahoma City; J. W. Harding, Houston, T. F. Everett, N. Y.; Leon R. Sanford, St. Louis; R. H. Inness, Dallas; J. A. Kinder, Dallas; T. J. Baggett, Mineral Wells; R. C. Shaw, Fort Worth; W. D. Fountain, Fort Worth; C. M. McCormick, Fort Worth; W. R. Daniels, Abilene; S. R. Bennett, Mexico; H. W. Moore, Frankell; J. L. English, Parks; Sam Wright, Dallas; J. M. Alexandria, Dallas; N. P. Lowery, Dallas; Harry Weinburger, St. Louis; W. H. Hammond, St. Louis.

REINDEER MEAT AT ABILENE BANQUET

ABILENE, March 29.—The annual meeting of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce held last night was a cold affair, gastronomically speaking, the features of the menu being a genuine Alaskan reindeer topped off with ice cream.

The reindeer was imported several days ago and had been kept on ice preparatory to the barbecuing of the meat. The skin went to a Chamber of Commerce member as an attendance prize.

TWO PANTHERS ARE SENT TO PARIS CLUB

FORT WORTH, March 29.—Reduction of the Panther brigade began Tuesday with the announcement that Pitcher George Washington Phillips and Outfielder L. A. Belcher would be sent forthwith to the Paris club in the Texas-Oklahoma league, and the announcement that Pitcher Conley would likely be turned over to Stamford in the West Texas league for further seasoning. Phillips came to the Panthers last fall from Paris in a pinch. Conley distinguished himself Saturday by pitching a one-hit game against Ardmore.

EX-CASHIER OF BANK AT LEERAY FORFEITS BOND

BRECKENRIDGE, March 29.—Bond to the extent of \$11,500 was declared forfeited Tuesday in district court when the case of state against A. F. Richardson was called. Richardson was a former cashier of the Leeray Farmers & Merchants bank and, it is charged, while in that capacity, he embezzled \$68,000 of the bank's funds. Richardson's whereabouts at present is unknown to officers.

BRISCOE COUNTY WILL BUILD NEW COURTHOUSE

SILVERTON, March 29.—Briscoe county, through its commissioners' court, has issued an order for the erection of a \$70,000 new courthouse. The "Pave the Square" campaign of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is resulting here in demand to pave the courthouse square at the time the new court house is erected.

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WADING IN PUDDLE TO TEST NEW BOOTS, TWO BOYS DROWN

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 29.—Stewart Grennell, 6 years old, and Robert Christianson, 8, drowned when they waded into a four-foot puddle to test their new rubber boots.

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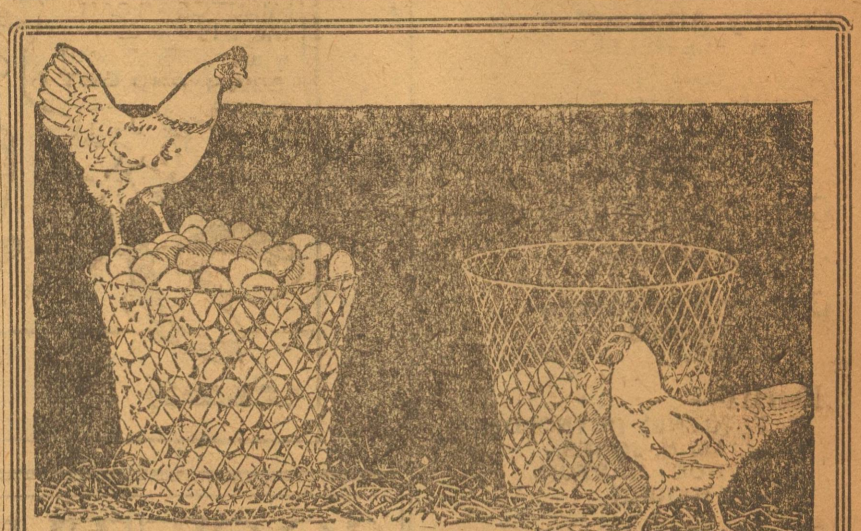
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