

U. S. FORCED TO SEEK OIL ON OUTSIDE

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—America, with only four months' supply of oil in storage, faces the prospect of having to seek oil from foreign sources which are now showing a tendency to exclude the United States from purchasing from their fields...

George Otis Smith, director of the United States Geological survey, at the same meeting, confirmed the statement of the director of mines, and declared that the position of the United States in regard to its oil supply at the present time is "precarious."

Latin-America, Great Britain and the Netherlands, it was said, control the main potential sources, and all these countries have adopted policies tending to shut out those of other nationalities.

Director Smith, in his address on "A Foreign Oil Supply for the United States," urged a nation-wide thrift campaign in the conservation of fuel oil, gasoline and lubricating oil...

BONUSES AND TRAINING ARE LEGION'S AIMS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Bonuses for ex-service men and compulsory military training were announced as the principal aims of the legislative committee of the American Legion...

CHINESE ARE GRATEFUL FOR PERSHING'S AID IN MEXICAN CAMPAIGN

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 16.—During the visit here of General John J. Pershing, a committee of eight, representing the Chinese colony of 400 members, which Pershing brought out of Mexico, appeared uninvited at the general's hotel and presented him with a handsome snakewood walking cane.

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LEGION POSTS AID LOCATING SANATORIA

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 16.—American Legion posts throughout the country now numbering more than 7,500, are co-operating with the United States public health service in efforts to locate sanatorium accommodations for the thousands of ex-service men who have returned from the war afflicted with tuberculosis.

The old idea that tuberculosis patients must seek a high altitude and a dry climate has been found to be wrong," said Dr. Rupert Blue. "It is not generally necessary or even desirable to make a radical removal."

The United States public health service desires to provide treatment in suitable local sanatoria for such war risk patients as prefer to remain near their own homes. Patients requiring high specialized treatment, such as only large and resourceful institutions can provide, will usually be advised to enter a public health service sanatorium.

Wilson Misquoted in His Statement to Allied Leaders

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—President Wilson, it was learned today, did not say in his note to the entente premiers regarding the Fiume question, that the United States would no longer be able to concern itself in European affairs if the Fiume settlement was made without consulting America.

MORE COTTON ACREAGE IS OUT OF QUESTION, LABOR IS NOT AT HAND

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—An increased cotton acreage this year is out of the question, according to Dr. Bradford Knapp, who recently resigned as chief of the extension work in the south with the department of agriculture, and became the dean of the college of agriculture, University of Arkansas.

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TEXT BOOK CONTRACT CLOSED

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DISCOVERY OF AMERICA COST QUEEN \$7,000

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 16.—It cost \$7,000 to discover America, the United States general land office estimated following research work done in some of the ancient museums of Genoa, Italy, the port from which the memorable expedition set sail.

Employees of the surveyor general's office here have received from Washington a booklet published by the department which sheds some interesting light on the matter of financing the voyage of discovery, and which indicates that \$7,000 was the total amount Queen Isabella was compelled to secure by hypothecating her jewelry.

Columbus received a compensation of \$300 a year while on the voyage, according to the dusty records on file at Genoa, while two of his captains received \$200 per annum. The mayor of the ordinary seamen of the day was apparently nothing lavish, as the record indicates that the sailors of the expedition were paid at the rate of \$2.50 a month.

Cotton Oil Mill to Be Rebuilt on Fireproof Plans

ABILENE, Feb. 16.—Rebuilding of the Continental Oil-Cotton company's oil mill here, destroyed by fire with a loss of nearly \$500,000 some weeks ago, will be undertaken at once, it is announced. Plans for a fireproof plant on a much larger scale than the old are now being prepared and work probably will begin in the early spring.

Dutch to Agree to Intern Kaiser

THE HAGUE, Feb. 16.—The latest allied note to Holland regarding the extradition of the former German emperor reverses the original demand for his surrender and only asks his internment, with the suggestion that the former monarch be sent, perhaps, to one of the Dutch islands in the East Indies, it became known today.

Oklahoma Engineer Is Killed in Crash

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Feb. 16.—Joe Lambert of Denison, engineer on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas southbound passenger train No. 7, was instantly killed today when his train crashed into a freight train which had stopped when it struck a motor truck. His body was crushed and was uninjured. No passengers were hurt.

ROWENA ASKS ABILENE FOR NEEDED NURSES

ABILENE, Feb. 16.—A citizen of Rowena telephoned City School Superintendent R. D. Green of Abilene asking if it would be possible for getting the assistance of a large number of Abilene high school girls who recently graduated in the Red Cross home nursing course here, and was told that it would be impossible for the girls to answer calls outside their home town, as they are students.

FIRST CHINESE UNION HAS 145,000 MEMBERS

SHANGHAI, Feb. 16.—What is probably China's first labor union has just been launched here by a group of laborers returned from the war zones of France. The new organization is an outgrowth of two unions of 145,000 members that were formed overseas by Chinese workers, according to Shah Chi-fung, who heads the new body in Shanghai as president. The Shanghai organization, he said, is to be the first of a number of similar units.

DEATH ROBS JUSTICE OF INDICTED MEXICAN

BROWNSVILLE, Feb. 16.—Death has claimed Jesus Guerrero, under indictment for murder of Deputy Sheriff Frank Martin, a former Texas ranger, at Norias, in 1917, and recently released from jail here through habeas corpus proceedings. He died at his home near Raymondville from pneumonia, according to word received here.

NIGHT FIRE MAY CLAIM FATHER TOO

R. M. Gallop, who was badly burned in a gas explosion at his home near the corner of Marston and Cherry streets about two o'clock Sunday morning, is in a serious condition and little hope is held out for his recovery.

The body of Ralph Gallop, the six-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gallop, is being held at the office of the Milford Undertaking company pending completion of funeral arrangements. The body was burned so as to be unrecognizable.

According to the story of the injured couple, Mrs. Gallop got up about two o'clock Sunday morning to look after the baby. She stated that the gas was not burning in the house at the time. When she struck a match an explosion occurred and the room burst into flames.

So completely did the flames envelop the room that she and her husband were blinded by the smoke and with difficulty made their escape.

An investigation into the cause of the explosion is being made.

CRIPPLED SHIP, BATTLING GALE, EXPECTS HELP

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The American steamer Red Mountain, disabled and adrift in a heavy gale a thousand miles east of New York, is expected to receive assistance today from the steamship Elmport, according to a radio message received here from Captain Cotton of the Red Mountain. The message said that the tubs in all three boilers had been blown out. She was bound from Galveston to Havre.

Los Angeles Man Held by Mexicans for 50,000 Pesos

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Wilson Welsh Adams, American, has been captured by bandits in Zacatecas, Mexico, and is being held for 50,000 pesos ransom, the state department was advised today. Adams' home is in Los Angeles, where his wife and child live.

Movie Thriller Is Fatal to Italian

NAPLES, Feb. 16.—Signor Polidoro, actor and writer, was killed in an airplane crash here today, while making a motion picture film.

FAITHFUL DOG SEARCHES AND FINDS DEAD MASTER

BRAWLEY, Cal., Feb. 16.—Carlo, a dog, owned by D. A. Thompson, a gardener killed in an automobile accident, searched the entire town over before he located his master's body in an undertaker's establishment.

AID FOR FIRE VICTIMS

People in Ranger are asked to lend aid to provide necessities of life for Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Gallop, who lost their child, Ralph, and almost lost their lives in a fire early Sunday morning.

IMPERSONATE BUSHES TO BEAT IMMIGRATION

EL PASO, Feb. 16.—The "forest camouflage" is the latest means of attempting to violate the immigration laws here, according to federal officials. Remedios Tolles is under \$750 appearance bond charged with trying to work the "camouflage." According to the charge, Tolles brought four aliens, "not admitted by immigration officials," across the Rio Grande near El Paso and concealed them in bushes. Lester, under cover of darkness it is alleged, Tolles "camouflaged" the aliens by binding tree branches to their backs and snuggled them to a Texas ranch house. Here they were discovered by immigration officials.

R. R. CROSSING QUESTION AT AUSTIN TUES.

Among the matters which will come up before the state railroad commission at Austin Tuesday is the grade crossing question, to determine the manner of crossing of the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad over the Texas & Pacific tracks near the Sinclair camp.

After the type of crossing has been determined, a commission consisting of Ralph G. Stockman, Dr. J. A. Shackelford and G. A. Clements will determine the damages, if any, suffered by the Texas & Pacific.

No further difficulty confronts the new road in its tracklaying south of the T. & P. tracks, and with the continued good weather, the tracklaying machine is expected to make fast progress.

The temporary halt caused Friday by a land owner who had not yet come to an agreement with the company has been smoothed away. He stated today that in ordering the railroad men from his property, no shot-practice on the cans to improve his marksmanship. His sons were not aimed.

The officers were ordered from his land and the order backed by a pistol; but the track-laying machine advanced in his absence and the tracks were laid across his property.

Monday morning an agreement satisfactory to both the railroad and the owner was reached and the sale price was delivered.

Painters are at work on the freight and passenger depot of the railroad. The structure is practically completed, only a platform in front of the passenger depot remaining to be built.

Gas Grows Less and Relief Is Six Weeks Away

The gas supply of the Sammie Oil corporation is rapidly falling and no relief from a gas shortage is in sight for at least six weeks, according to a statement given out Monday morning at the office of the company.

The Sammie Oil corporation has been securing its gas supply from wells of the Texas company. A tight shut-in gas main is now being laid from Ranger west to large gas wells in the Pleasant Grove district. This will be at least six weeks before this line is completed, according to the statement made this morning.

Texas Rotarians Meet at Galveston

GALVESTON, Feb. 16.—The 1920 conference of Rotary clubs of the eighteenth district, comprising Texas, opened today for a two days' session. Representatives from every club in Texas are present.

CHILI IN MEXICO RARE AS CHOP SUEY IN CHINA

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 16.—The man who hunted all over China to no avail for a dish of chop suey and later remarked that the reason he liked the Hawaiian Islands was because there were no ukieles there, would add to his store of knowledge by coming to Mexico, because he might score the republic and never find native-made such "chili con carne" as Americans believe is a Mexican dietary dish. The soupy mixture of ground meat and beans colored with chili pepper is unknown here.

AMERICA'S PROHIBITION IS LIFE-SAVER TO NASSAU, WHERE MUCH LIQUOR WENT

NASSAU, Bahama Islands, Feb. 16. Prohibition in the United States, which has caused enormous quantities of liquor to be sent to this city, has transferred the Bahama government's financial condition from a deficit to a comparatively high surplus, provided labor for large numbers and put more money in circulation in this little British colony than for many years.

ABILENE STRIKE PICKETS HALTED BY ORDINANCE

ABILENE, Feb. 16.—Picketing of places of business in the city of Abilene by strikers is forbidden under an ordinance passed by the city commission, which provided a maximum fine of \$100 for violation of the law. It is alleged strike waiters picketed two local restaurants late Friday carrying banners. The police stopped the picketing.

MOTHERS' CLUB MEETS AT 4 O'CLOCK TUESDAY

The mothers' club of the Young school will meet at the school house Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock, instead of at the home of Mrs. J. M. White that evening, as was planned. Illness in Mrs. White's family prevents her from entertaining. All members are urged to be present at Tuesday afternoon meeting.

KOREANS EVER WILL OPPOSE JAPAN'S RULE

SHANGHAI, Feb. 16.—"The Koreans will suffer extermination before they will acquiesce in the rule of Japan," declares Baron Kim Ka-Chin, formerly one of Korea's elder statesmen and officials who have penetrated the Japanese cordon around Korea. He is now one of the members of the little community of Korean refugees who have found haven here in China.

"There can be no peace," he said. "The Koreans will never waver. They may not win for many years, but they will never yield."

He declared that the people are entirely without rights and without political representation. All special privileges are in the hands of the Japanese, he added, and they control all sources of wealth and rapidly are acquiring actual ownership of the land.

The Korean nation, he said, is without a mouthpiece, for, he asserted, not one Korean newspaper edited by Koreans is permitted to exist and public meetings are wholly forbidden.

"Not more than three people, even for social purposes, may gather and talk together," he said. "All the schools of the country are under the direction of Japanese teachers and the instruction is given in the Japanese language from Japanese text books."

He said that the history that is taught to children is garbled in such a way as to glorify Japan and discredit Korea.

"Japan's course," he declared, "has been driving the people out of Korea into Manchuria at the rate of 100,000 a year. This is because the Japanese have taken control of everything. They operate the railways, the banks, transportation lines, and customs offices and in those few places where there are Korean officials, the Japanese adviser is never far distant."

"Even the Japanese ricksha coolies are favored for they are permitted to solicit fares at exits of railway stations and other places from which the Korean ricksha men are barred."

"Japanese servants in private homes are empowered to check expenditures in these homes and to forbid any of which they do not approve and the Korean who desires to withdraw money he has deposited in the bank must first obtain permission from the police to do so by check."

"Since the revolution started," Baron Kim said, "the jails have been filled to overflowing and thousands have been put to torture. But the people have never wavered and this is why the students have thrown themselves upon bayonets with bare breasts when police and military turned upon them. The people may die. They will never yield."

Baron Kim, who is 74 years old, came to Shanghai to become a part of the officialdom of a republic that exists only in the hope and prayers of the people of Korea, for the leaders of the revolutionists, with the pattern of a government made up of officials chosen secretly last summer, have grouped themselves together here with Shanghai as their capital. The connection between this government and the people of Korea is a carefully guarded secret, and is a system not unlike the "underground railroad" by which fugitive slaves sought safety in the north in the days of the American civil war. It is effective, however, for the benefits of the exiled government are swiftly transmitted and are said to be obeyed to the letter by the masses under the Japanese rule in Korea.

Through the decade that has followed the annexation by Japan, Baron Kim has worked for Korea's independence.

He said he escaped from Korea with a party by a perilous march overland, going by devious routes through the roughest country and traveling for the most part at night. In his final dash they waded through swamps, crossed rivers in dugouts, hid through days in fields and dashed their way through underbrush before they were safe in China.

Credit Men Would Stay Old Accounts

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—A plan to close the charge accounts of customers if unpaid within sixty days after being registered, was considered by the executive committee of the Retail Credit Men's National association, which opened a three days' conference here today. Some members proposed that interest be charged on accounts after a sixty-day period.

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CONFISCATED HUN LINERS GO ON SALE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Despite efforts through court proceedings to prevent the sale, Chairman Payne of the shipping board today completed plans for receiving auction bids for the thirty former German liners taken over by the government during the war.

The auction is arranged to begin at 10 o'clock, the same hour set by the District of Columbia supreme court for hearing the answer to the court order to the board to show cause why a temporary injunction against the sale of the liners should not be issued.

The application for the injunction was filed by William Randolph Hearst of New York.

NO SECRET AGREEMENT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—President Wilson will inform the senate emphatically that there is no basis for the report of a secret agreement between the shipping board and the British interests for the sale of thirty former German passenger ships, the White House announced today.

The President's message will be a reply to the resolution adopted Saturday by the senate asking for information regarding the report.

As per the announcement, a public auction at which bids for the ships were received, began at the shipping board with a score of shipping representatives present.

ASKED TO STOP SALE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The shipping board was requested today by the senate to defer the sale of German ships for which bids have been submitted until some definite senate action is taken on the subject.

The application of William Randolph Hearst for an injunction to restrain the shipping board from selling the German liners was taken under advisement today by Justice Bailey of the District of Columbia supreme court. The decision will be rendered next Friday.

ALLIES HAND PROMPT K-O TO OBJECTION

PARIS, Feb. 16.—Prompt rejection of President Wilson's objections to the compromise agreement by which England, France and Italy hoped to settle with Jugo-Slavia the questions relative to the future status of the eastern Adriatic coast is reported today in Echo de Paris.

Premiers Lloyd George and Millerand drafted the reply to the American chief executive and insisted that Jugo-Slavia must agree to the compromise.

LCNDO MUST BUILD MORE UNDERGROUND RYS.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Prediction that a rapidly increasing number of underground railways would have to be built in London to take care of the growing traffic was made by Lord Ashfield of Southwell (Sir Albert Stanley), the Anglo-American railway magnate, in an address before the American Luncheon club.

"London today is not only the greatest aggregation of people," he said, "but it is also the greatest traveling city of the world. People who live in London have really lost all desire to walk any considerable distance. Within the next ten years I judge that London's traveling population will have increased to at least 6,000,000,000."

D'ANNUNZIO FORCES TAKE ITALIAN SHIP, 1,000 MEN

ROME, Feb. 16.—Two vessels attached to the forces of Gabriele D'Annunzio have captured an Italian transport with 1,000 regular troops aboard in the Gulf of Luernero, northwest of Fiume.

**At the Leading Amusement Houses TODAY**

**LIBERTY**—"THE MYSTERY OF THE YELLOW ROOM."  
**LONE STAR**—Billy Burke in "WANTED, A HUSBAND."  
**OPERA HOUSE**—Texas Guinan in "THE SHE WOLF."  
**HIPPODROME**—Bert Smith's "RAGTIME WONDERS," 18 people.  
**LAMB**—Robert Warwick in "THE ACCIDENTAL HONEYMOON."

**EASTSIDE.**

Louis Bennison, who plays the breezy cowboy, Johnny Burke, in "Oh Johnny!" at the Eastside theater, beginning today, while punching cattle in the west met Frederic Remington. The artist and cowboy, having many tastes in common, became great friends. Remington was a great storyteller and Mr. Bennison has a large repertoire of Remington stories and quotations. The following is one of his best:

In an argument on prohibition, Remington described a trip he made in the prohibition state of North Dakota, and told how he rode through several towns and finally landed for the week-end in the hamlet of Minnewaukie. As Remington was buying a cigar at the drug store on Saturday night, a cowboy entered, wearing a

red shirt, bearskin chaps and carrying a two-gallon demijohn. "Jack," he said to the clerk, as he swung the enormous demijohn on the counter, "fill her up. The baby's sick."  
 "Oh, Johnny" was made by the Betzwood Film company and is released through Goldwyn.

**LONE STAR.**

Billie Burke's latest picture is called "Wanted—A Husband" and is an adaptation of a magazine story by Samuel Hopkins Adams. It will be shown at the Lone Star theater for two days, commencing today. The story is said to be admirably suited

to the comedy talents of pretty Miss Burke. The heroine is Amanda Darcy Cole, a wall paper designer, who lives with two girl friends in the bohemian section of New York and is slovenly and unkempt in her appearance. Her two companions are about to be married and taunt her so much about her unattractiveness that she invents a fictitious fiancée, then goes to a training camp to beautify herself. On the train Darcy meets her honeymooning roommate and hastily induces a young man passenger to pose as her intended. Later she blossoms out as a ravishing beauty and her confession of her deception and the proposal of

her impoverished sweetheart form the climax of the picture. Miss Burke's leading man is James L. Crane, who also appeared opposite her in "The Misleading Widow" "Sadie Love." Gypsy O'Brien and Kid Broad, the ex-pugilist, are also in the cast. The film was directed by Laurence Windom and is a Paramount Artcraft.

**LAMB.**

Unusual interest will be taken in the showing of "The Accidental Honeymoon" at the Lamb theater today, for it is the last picture in which Capt. Robert Warwick appeared before he heard the call of the flag and went to the fighting front in France to serve in the interest of Uncle Sam. "The Accidental Honeymoon" is a

Harry Rapf production and was directed by Leonce Perret. Young romance is the dominating influence of the story. There is much bright comedy, some unique and amusing situations and a steady flow of interesting incidents leading up to a fixed purpose.

**LIBERTY.**

Newspaper Reporter Solves "Mystery of the Yellow Room." "The Mystery of the Yellow Room," a screen adaptation of Gaston Leroux's novel of that name and a Realart picture, which opened yesterday for a three days' run at the Liberty theater, will no doubt be extremely popular with all who like mystery melodrama. As its name implies it is

a mystery, the plot being woven intricately around the strange attacks on a girl in the "Yellow Room" of a French chateau from which there is, apparently, no other means of escape than a door which is always locked from the inside at the time of the attacks. The picture holds the interest of the spectator and defies efforts to anticipate the solution un-

til the very end. The photography is well done by Emile Chautard, under whose direction the picture was produced. The acting is excellent, especially that of Lorin Raker, who is cast as the peppy little newspaper man who solves the mystery.

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 Harry Feldman's  
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 WITH AGNES GEARY  
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 Present  
**"THE HANDY CAP"**  
 Never Shown in This City Before  
**TEXAS THEATER**

**TODAY—**  
**TEXAS GUINAN**  
 —IN—  
**"The She Wolf"**  
 COMING TOMORROW  
**H. B. WARNER**  
 —in—  
**"FUGITIVE FROM MATRIMONY"**  
 Coming  
**"UNDER SUSPICION"**  
**OPERA HOUSE**

**Lamb Theatre**  
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 "What God has put together, Let no man put asunder."  
 Life is sometimes just one blessed thing after another, sometimes it is just as Mark Twain said. At any rate, it is generally admitted that accidents play no small part in life's happenings. A series of accidents results in  
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 Written and directed by LEONCE PERRET, with  
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**ROBERT WARWICK**  
 A tingling, rollicking joy picture, sparkling and bubbling over with romance. Robert Warwick's last film production prior to his enlistment.  
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 PRICES 1st.—Adults 35c; Children 25c  
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 With the Most Pleasing and Charming Little  
**BILLIE BURKE**  
 She invented an engagement and set her wedding date. All she needed was a man!  
 Folks! This is a real-honest - to - goodness entertainment... see it!  
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**BERT SMITH**  
 Presents His  
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 Defies efforts at solution. —New York Times.  
 Decidedly baffling. —New York Journal.  
 Mysterious and baffling. —New York Telegraph.  
 Detective thriller. —New York Sun.  
 Most fascinating. —New York Journal of Commerce.  
 Upholds spectators' interest until final scene. —New York Mail.  
 All thrills caught for the screen. —New York Globe.



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**LOST**—Dark iron gray horse, six years old, 16 1/2 hands high, roached mane, wire cut scar on left shoulder, white spot on right hip; \$25 reward if found. Notify Sam Ramsey, care Model Dry Goods store, 125 S. Austin St.

**2—HELP WANTED (Female)**

**HEALTHFUL EMPLOYMENT** at good pay. Wanted men and women, boys and girls to deliver Western Union telegrams. Apply 206 Rusk.

**3—HELP WANTED (Male)**

**WANTED**—Hammersmiths, oil-country men. Permanent employment in largest Forge Shop in south. Good living and working conditions; eight-hour day, with time and a half for overtime and double time for Sundays; also bonus. Transportation. Apply giving references and experience. Lucey Manufacturing Corporation, Personnel Department, No. 409 Beech Street, Chattanooga, Tenn., or branch offices at Houston, Ft. Worth, Tulsa or Gorman.

**SITUATIONS WANTED**

**WANTED**—Tool dresser wants place in camp. Wife is a good cook. See us at Room 15, Metropolitan Hotel.

**POSITION WANTED.** A trained nurse desires private nursing. For further information address P. O. Box 642, Ranger, Texas.

**WANTED**—Position as office girl. Has had three years experience. P. O. address, Box 642, Ranger, Texas.

**CONSTRUCTION** man wants work by day or contract. Room 21, 309 So. Marston St.

**BUSINESS CHANCES**

**FOR SALE**—Small confectionery doing a good business, at a bargain. Address H. C. B., Box 1202, Ranger.

**DRESSMAKING**—Get my prices before you have that new suit or dress made. Address, directly behind 603 Hodges St., Box 656. Mrs. R. W. Nelson.

**SPECIAL NOTICES**

**STORAGE**—We are equipped to give you the best service and best rate for anything you have to store. If you see us first, you won't go further. Oak Park Apartment Bldg., 712-1-2 Pine St.

**BEDS FOR rent** at 50c per night. No. 209 Hunt St.

**STANDING FOR service**, two pedigree bulls, one Holstein and one Jersey, located on the C. S. Davis farm, Strawn road. Calves guaranteed; \$5. L. M. Gandy.

**TO ALL COMPANIES** and contractors wishing Mexican labor: Call or write Mexican Hotel, 401 Oak St. All labor furnished from Mexican Hotel.

**IF YOU want satisfactory repair work** try the Caddo Garage, 521 Marston St.

**I BUILD** four rooms and bath, \$1,600 up. R. F. Goy, 309 S. Marston St.

**8—ROOMS FOR RENT**

**NICE NEW** rooms and apartments, all modern. No. 414 Cherry St.

**FOR RENT**—Good furnished apartment, water and gas free, \$12.50 to \$15 per week. Unique rooms, 421 Mesquite St.

**FOR RENT**—Two large rooms furnished for light housekeeping; gas, water, etc. One large furnished room. Also tent space to rent. 452 Pine St.

**FOR RENT**—Nicely furnished single and double rooms; also housekeeping apartments, very reasonable. El Paso Hotel.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished housekeeping rooms, close in. Apply Mrs. T. B. Allen, 115 Hodges St.

**NEW ROOMS**, furnished or unfurnished, in private family. Garage, 208 Homer Ave., Hodges Oak Park. Red house, two blocks Eureka Tool Co.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished for housekeeping, one room, 16x16, \$40 per month. Good neighborhood. Apply Mary Atkinson, green house, No. 6, Commercial addition, 2 blocks north Ranger Steam Laundry.

**FOR RENT**—2 rooms, furnished or unfurnished, 647 N. Marston.

**ROOMS FOR RENT**

**FOR RENT**—New furnished housekeeping apartment on Pine St., back of Methodist church.

**9—HOUSES FOR RENT**

**FOR RENT**—Nice 2-room house, furnished. L. B. Compton, Boston store.

**FOR RENT**—Storefront in good theatre location. Apply Eastside Theatre.

**FOR RENT**—Two nice 2-room houses, close in. See M. S. Levenson, 105 N. Austin St.

**12—FOR SALE (Miscellaneous)**

**FOR SALE**—2-room house north of town, at \$20 per month. Phone 39.

**A BIG lot** of second hand lumber and iron for sale, cheap, if taken at once. Apply Room 1, Oak Park Apartments, 712-1-2 W. Pine St.

**FOR SALE**—Remington typewriter, first check; for \$40 gets. J. R. D. Brown, new M. E. Church.

**PIANO**  
For sale, Ellwood Apollo Electric Player Piano, practically new, only used in private home; a splendid instrument at sacrifice price for quick sale. P. O. Box 1241, Ranger, Texas.

**FOR SALE**—Tents and cots, cheap. No. 209 Hunt St.

**FOR SALE**—Shack, two rooms completely furnished; everything new last October; one block from postoffice. Must be sold this week. See J. E. Dickey, 106 Main St., or address box 662.

**FOR SALE**—Tent, 16x16, cheap. 452 Pine St., in rear.

**IF YOU want** to buy a good small horse, suitable for delivery wagon or small dray, see E. F. Vickers, laundryman at Club Barber shop, 314 Pine St.

**LARGE STOCK** galv. iron 8, 10 and 12 feet lengths; also large stock cement. Stonewall Jackson Lumber Company.

**U. S. ARMY SURPLUS GOODS.**  
Tents, all sizes; dog tents, tarpaulins, tent flies, wagon covers.  
Army shoes at \$3.50.  
Cots, mattresses, pillows.  
Blankets, O. D. comforts.  
Raiments, ponchos, slickers.  
Army clothes: O. D. overcoats, \$10 to \$12.50; coats, breeches, shirts, wool and cotton; underwear, shirts and drawers; socks, wool and cotton.  
Candleline, the only waterproofing for tents, wagon covers, auto tops etc.  
Almost everything in army goods at **ANDERSON BROS. ARMY STORE**, 211 South Austin St., opposite Georgia Hotel, 1-1-2 blocks south of McCleskey Hotel, Ranger.

**UPRIGHT piano**, almost new, sell at half cost; also new three-burner perfection cook stove with oven, one oil heater, one pedestal electric lamp, one mahogany table lamp, one day couch with outfit, 208 Homer Ave., Hodges Oak Park, two-story red house.

**13—FOR SALE (Real Estate)**

**CRAWFORD & DANIELS.**  
Room 1 Commercial Hotel.  
One apartment house, 12 rooms and all furniture. Quick sale, \$4,500. Bringing now \$120 per week.  
One confectionery store for sale.  
One 22-room hotel, with furniture, close in. Bargain if taken at once.  
One good cafe and 38 cots, doing big business. Bargain if taken at once.  
One three-room house, barn and chicken house, quick sale, \$650 cash or terms.  
Furnished house, modern, cash or terms.  
84 acres of land 3-1-2 miles southeast of Ranger must be sold in next few days. Party leaving town.  
Two wholesale groceries for sale. Must be sold at once.  
Two gent's furnishing stores, at invoice.  
One store building with grocery and meat market; price \$1,250. Can take part of goods at invoice, but not necessary to sell any part of stock.  
One lot in Oak Park addition. \$500 cash will handle.  
One 2-room modern house, furnished. Cash with terms.  
One new 4-room house, Hodges addition, never been occupied; \$1,800, no-half cash.  
Four tents, furnished, for sale.  
Three cold drink stands.  
One 6-room apartment and all furniture, on Main street, quick sale \$4,500.  
One 3-room house, good barn, good harness house, also good chicken yard; \$650, \$200 cash, balance \$450 month.  
One 10-room rooming house. Bargain if taken at once.  
One 22-room hotel for sale.  
One 2-room house, furnished; close in; \$500 cash, balance \$40 month.  
One 3-room house, Young addition; new; \$500 cash, balance \$75 month. Would consider good car on deal.  
84 acres land 3 miles southeast of Ranger. If taken at once, \$100 per acre. Oil wells all around; 60 acres in cultivation; good house and barn. Some Louisiana leases.  
**LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH US IF YOU WANT IT SOLD.**

**W. H. WARD,**  
Trustee.

**18—WANTED—MISC.**

**WANTED**—Second hand furniture. Barker's Furniture Store, next door to Western Union.

**HIGHEST cash prices** paid for second-hand furniture and stoves. Wright Furniture Co.

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**WILL BE** in Ranger Monday to sell, at a bargain, my 5-room house 425 Elm St. See me at Davenport & Overson's office. W. R. Bowden, 2232 W. Rosedale St., Fort Worth, Tex.

**A BARGAIN**—Property for sale, with furnished house and garage. Enquire 706 7th St.

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**OIL, GAS, MINERAL**

**SOUTHWESTERN ARKANSAS IS GETTING BIG PLAY**  
Well down 1200 feet in Sevier county, Arkansas. Geologists predict production at about 2,000 feet. Through an early selection, I am able to offer a few ten-acre leases within 1-1-2 miles of this well at \$10 per acre. This is a quick action 50 to 1 shot. A small investment now may make you a snug sum. Inquire at Room 11, Old Terrell Bldg., Rusk St.

**OIL MEN**  
Secure our Form 38 (Producers) Oil and Gas Lease, Form 89 Assignment of Oil and Gas Lease. Either form 50c dozen; \$2.50 per 100; can be assorted. Complete stock ledger blanks on hand.  
**THE CARGILL COMPANY,**  
409-411 Fannin St., Houston.

**LATEST geological map** of Texas, showing every drilling well, location and name. Send one dollar bill. Standard Map Co., 200 Lamar St., Ranger, Texas.

**YOU could have bought** leases in Ranger field at one time for \$2.00 per acre. NOW is your opportunity to buy at \$2.00 per acre in the NEXT big oil field—Union county, New Mexico; title perfect; abstract given with each purchase. Address Giles S. Doty, care De Soto Hotel, Daltart, Texas.

**15—AUTOMOBILES**

**FOR SALE**—New Ford roadster. Inquire John Coupe, Georgia Hotel or Postoffice garage.

**FOR SALE**—Ford delivery car; good motor and tires. Apply 647 N. Marston, Box 1264.

**FOR SALE**—10-1-2 ton Kissell truck. Good mechanical condition. Apply Castellaw's, Main St., two doors east F. & M. bank.

**FOR SALE**—5-passenger sport model Chandler, only run 2,000 miles on pike tract. Apply Castellaw's, Main St., two doors east F. & M. bank.

**FOR SALE**—Dodge roadster, well equipped; first class condition; good tires. Bargain price. P. O. Box 1241, Ranger, Texas.

**USED CARS** sold on commission. See us. Caddo Road Garage, 521 Marston.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.**  
Notice is hereby given that on March 2, 1920, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will at the court house door of Eastland county, Texas, and part of the J. O. Snie survey in Eastland county, Texas, and lying on the Eastland and Ranger road, the interest herein affected being that assigned to the Texas Crude Oil and Refining company, by assignments of records of Eastland county, Texas.

**And in connection** with a sale of the said mineral interests, I will also sell the following personal property included in the said Deed of Trust as follows: the derrick, water pipe, gas pipe, water tank, gasoline engine, now on the above described real estate, together with a certain boiler now on the said lease, or which was on the said lease on October 24, 1919.

This sale is to be held under the authority vested in me as trustee under a Deed of Trust executed by the Texas Crude Oil and Refining company in favor of Novello Wilder. Hardware Co., which is fully described in the said Deed of Trust to which reference is hereby made.

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**Building Assn. to Aid Home-Makers in Gholson Addn.**

M. H. Smith has recently purchased the Gholson addition and is now organizing a Mortgage and Building Loan association with the aid of several other prominent business men of this city. It is his purpose to assist people who have purchased or will purchase lots in this and other districts to build their own homes.

It is now planning to improve this property and the streets that run through it. He also desires to build a hard surface road to the Gholson addition and with the co-operation of other residents along the way planned will soon start construction.

**Curfew Ordinance Up at Next Council**

At the next meeting of the city commissioners an ordinance will be enacted that has been needed for some time. It is a "curfew law." The law will require every child under seventeen years of age not in the company of their parents or guardians to be off the streets of Ranger at 9:00 p. m. every night.

**19—HOUSES FOR SALE.**

**FOR SALE**—One 5-room house with front porch and sleeping porch; completely furnished; city gas; now renting at \$125 per month; ground rent \$750 per month. Good neighborhood. Terms. Also 3 furnished tent houses. Inquire at Estes Bros. grocery, North Marston.

**WE CAN SELL** your Rooming House, if priced right. Ervin Realty Company, Bank of Ranger.

**SMALL HOUSE** for sale. A bargain. W. F. Peoples, 219 N. Oak St.

**GENERAL REALTY CO.**

**L. C. MOORE E. D. WILLING**  
109 S. Austin St.

**BUSINESS CHANCES.**  
Best gas filling station in Ranger, good lease, no rent.  
Men's Furnishing Store—Best location in Ranger, doing excellent business, owner going away.  
Big Grocery business. Sell at invoice, which means you will make money on your buy.  
Grocery store building and fixtures in town close to Ranger; exclusive privilege for 1,000 people; \$500; no rent.  
Garage, building, business and tools, heart of town.  
Cold drink stand and confectionery, \$1,200. You can't beat it for the money.  
Small grocery store, guaranteed to make money.  
Small restaurant, will clear \$400 a month, \$1,800.  
Cafe, most modern in Ranger, \$1,700.

**LOCATIONS.**  
24x60, heart of business center, rent \$260. This should interest you. Good for any line of business.  
New store buildings, not completed. We have exclusive renting of these new buildings and can place you.

**BUSINESS SITES.**  
50x140—Main St., heart of business today; easy terms; party wants make building easy. Will pay itself out two years.  
Best corner in Ranger, sell easy terms or long lease.

**HOUSES.**  
New, 5 rooms, modern, east side, fine neighborhood; \$4,000; easy terms.  
Eight rooms, positively up to the minute; \$8,000.  
Four room house, on leased lot, \$1,100 furnished.

**ROOMING HOUSES AND HOTELS.**  
We have them; 15 rooms, 10, 20, 30 and 42 rooms; all sizes and for all prices.

**APARTMENTS FOR RENT.**  
Go out Sunday and see the new Greenwood Apartments in Hodges Oak Park. They are ideal for small family and will meet your requirements. Prices range from \$110 to \$125 per month, furnished.

**We are located** just back of the McCleskey Hotel, on Austin street. You can't miss us. In the new Southland Hotel building.

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For mother, father, the boys and girls. It's the sweet for all ages—at work or play.

When you're nervous or tired, see how it refreshes!

**The Flavor Lasts.**

**WRIGLEYS DOUBLEMINT CHEWING GUM**

**WRIGLEYS JUICY FRUIT CHEWING GUM**

**WRIGLEYS SPEARMINT CHEWING GUM**

**SEALED TIGHT—KEPT RIGHT**

**RED SNAPPER CATCH HEAVY**  
By Associated Press  
GALVESTON, Feb. 16.—Catches of Red Snapper during the month of January by schooners of a local fisheries company reached a total of 122,820 pounds, or 26,855 under the December record.

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**R. M. TODD, 315 Cherry Street**

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See **H. MEAD**  
North Austin Street

**Wealth Cannot Buy Health or Youth!**  
All the gold and jewels in the world will not buy back health. It may patch up the broken down machine and make it last a little longer but as an eminent physician recently said: "In the end the old machine wears out."  
The body is the most wonderful machine in the world. Its perfection is marvelous but like any delicately adjusted machine it needs intelligent care. Health is worth more than untold wealth.  
It has been demonstrated positively—that the human body is merely a collection of cells, and that health depends entirely upon the red blood cells—that carry the oxygen, which is absolutely necessary to maintain human life.  
The cells of the body contain 12 different cell-salts and the absence of these salts causes disease symptoms—just as lack of water causes a plant to droop and die.  
These cell-salts attract and retain the oxygen as it passes from the lungs into the blood, and repair, nourish, revitalize and maintain the health of the cells.  
REOLO combines these 12 cell-salts so perfectly that they are easily assimilated by the blood. It has remarkable tonic and reconstructive qualities and furnishes to the blood the invigorating, organic iron—revitalizing, life-giving oxygen and reconstructive cell-salts that nature requires to maintain health, strength and energy.  
Don't neglect your health. It's easier to "keep well" than to "get well"—and much less expensive. If you are not feeling well—take the systematic REOLO Treatment that makes rich red blood vitalized with life-giving oxygen and the cell-salts that Nature must have to keep the body strong and healthy.

**TEXAS DRUG COMPANY**  
J. T. Harness,

**ELITE ROOMS**  
102 1/2 Walnut Street  
Mrs. Fred Crosson, Prop.  
**ALL OUTSIDE ROOMS**  
Sanitary  
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Shower Baths. Best rooms in town; elegantly furnished.  
Transient Trade Solicited

**FOR SALE**—Beautiful 6-room home in Hodges Oak Park; modern in every way. This is one of Ranger's best. Price \$8,500. Terms.

**FOR SALE**—Apartment sites. Let us show you how to make from 50 per cent to 100 per cent on your investment. Why lease when you can buy the very best locations in town for a year's rent? Think it over.

**BUILDERS, ATTENTION!** Every house offered for sale in "Hodges Oak Park" has been SOLD. There's a reason. It's the location and the improvements. Build a house in this addition and make some money for yourself. We have the buyers. Come in and talk it over.

**ATTENTION, INVESTORS!** Build Apartments, Flats, Duplex Bungalows or Homes in "Hodges Oak Park." There is a big demand for buildings of this kind NOW. And the demand is becoming more insistent all the time. Let us show you some of these possibilities. Remember "Hodges Oak Park" adjoins Ranger business center. Only a few minutes walk from school, churches and stores.

**KERLEY & VAN WINKLE,**  
119 1/2 Marston St.

**FOR HARDWARE GO TO DAVENPORT HDW. CO., NEWNHAM BLDG., CHERRY & AUSTIN STS.**

Phone 187.  
121 S. AUSTIN ST.

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**CRAVEN REALTY CO. SPECIALS.**

**BUSINESS PROPERTY**  
25x140 on Walnut St., one block from Main St., best bargain in city. Ideal for furniture, grocery, auto or any like business, \$7,500. Terms \$1,500 cash, balance \$300 per month.

25x85 adjoining Lone Star theater on Austin St., across from McCleskey; no better location in city, \$16,000; good terms. A two-story brick on this lot will bring \$1,200 per month.

25x140 on Main St., with two-story brick, best business district, immediate possession, good terms, \$40,000. Income \$1,000 per month.

**TRACKAGE**—Anywhere you want it, any size tract.

**RESIDENCE PROPERTY**—5-room house in Hodges Oak Park, 4 blocks due west of P. O., nice breakfast room, built-in features, 3 large closets, bath, sink in kitchen, gas, electric lights, French doors, nice garage. Best neighborhood in town and closest in new home, never been lived in; \$5,750, \$1,500 cash, balance monthly.

\$1,350 cash \$50 per month, buys nice little bungalow. Price \$1,600 for house and lot, good neighborhood, close in.

California Bungalow—5 large rooms, never been lived in, choice and dust, fine location for your children. This is a real bargain, owner having reduced the price to \$4,250 for quick sale, and LOOK AT THE TERMS, \$500 down and \$100 per month. This will go quickly on these terms.

**ROOMING HOUSE**—In the heart of the business district, 14 rooms furnished, a money maker, the price will move it quick, \$5,000; \$2,500 cash.

**FOR EXCHANGE FOR ROYALTY OR RANGER BUSINESS PROPERTY**—640 acres near Plainview, no better land in Texas, all level, fine wheat and alfalfa land.

1,750 acres near Plainview, the garden spot of Texas, shallow everlasting water.

4,600 acres near Plainview, as good as the best, see us for particulars.

**LACKLAND ADDITION**

One house, \$2,600; \$500 down, balance monthly payments. One house, \$2,500; \$500 down, balance monthly payments. One house, \$2,250; \$300 down, balance monthly payments. One house, \$1,650; \$250 down, balance monthly payments. Fifty extra choice lots, \$300 each, \$25 down, \$15 per month. Fifty nice lots, \$200 each, \$20 down, \$15 per month. Fifty lots, \$150 each, \$15 down, \$10 per month. Fifty-five lots, \$100 each, \$10 down, \$10 per month.

Lackland addition has grown more in the past six months and is growing faster today with more new homes in actual construction than any addition in Ranger. Lackland addition is in the industrial part of Ranger and lot investments will always be good.

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### FEDERAL BUILDING SITES.

In announcing that they are ready to receive offers on sites for the proposed federal building for Ranger, members of the Chamber of Commerce committee are opening to Ranger property owners and business men, in the central district, an opportunity that combines the utmost civic and personal advantage.

That the committeemen and those who join with them in the work for a federal building may have the best argument when they take the proposition to congressional and departmental authorities, the site will be chosen offering the most advantages to the city, in its convenience and in the possibilities it holds for development of the surrounding properties.

The growth that will follow the location of such a federal building as Ranger intends to have it not a matter of conjecture. It is assured, and definite enough to be expressed in front foot valuations.

The bids will be received by Dr. W. C. Palmer, chairman of the committee, in his office in the P. & Q. building.

Those whose district already has seen good development and whose enterprises, already established, will benefit, will do well to work co-operatively in making their offer to the committee. In other sections, not as highly developed, property owners who may expect to benefit directly by such a solid improvement may be in a position to make individual offers.

The site preferred should be at least 100x140 feet, to permit of expansions that will be necessary with the growth of the office.

No time will be lost by the committee when an acceptable site has been determined.

### THE VALUE OF A JOB.

(St. Louis Times.)

A former school teacher who has become a clown in St. Louis amusement undertakings is quoted as saying that the new work is better than the old because he is earning more money now than formerly. If "money talks," the argument has force; still, there is more than the one-time pedagogue's present opinion of the matter to be considered.

Recently a St. Louis man walked off with his firm's payroll, amounting to many thousands of dollars. It was more money than any one of a majority of people in this city who work for wages can earn in a year. Yet a robber is not in better off than any of these less richly compensated workers follows. Considered merely from the matter of its financial "rewards," dishonesty might be held to be a profitable business. It is not easy to get the average individual to think merely of the money there is in outlawry, however.

Money is not a good measure of the desirability of an occupation. If it were, there would be no teachers in our ordinary schools. There would be few clergymen, few doctors, few lawyers, few editors. The majority of the toilers in these fields do not get good pay. Still, nearly all love their work. That is why they remain in it.

The former teacher who is now employed as a clown is in a calling which pays well. It has almost become a profession. Some of its adherents make fortunes at their work. Nevertheless, the former teacher will probably not long desire to be a clown. He may even take up another work later which will pay him less. He does not himself accept money as a true measure of the worth of anything.

### Christian Endeavor Executive Meeting

The officers and executive committee of the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor society will hold a business meeting at the church at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening.

### MORTUARY

**E. E. BRADBURY.**  
E. E. Bradbury, a cased, died this morning at the age of twenty-seven years. He is survived by a wife and by relatives in Oklahoma.

The body will be sent to Mavsville, Oklahoma, by the Jones-Cox Undertaking company. V. P. Gother, a friend of the deceased, will accompany the body.

**GUY C. SMITH.**  
The body of Guy C. Smith, who died here February 8, was sent to Los Angeles, California, today by the Milford Undertaking company. He is survived by relatives in California.

### Suppose Your Property Burns Tonight?

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### "The Birds Fly Southward"

to avoid the cold. And well before the coming of the snow, the thrifty squirrel lays by a store of nuts. The bee remembers that the flowers will fade. All nature seems to sense the coming need. And man, alone, of all the living things, seems blissfully content to live Today as if Tomorrow's sun would never rise. We defy the very laws of nature when we fail to provide for the future.

### FIRST NATIONAL BANK

F. W. MELVIN, PRESIDENT

## IN OR LOSE NO. 2. THE WILDCAT IS MAKING OIL. IT MAY BE A GUSHER

(Star-Telegram, Feb. 15, 1920, Part 3, Page 11, bottom Column 5.)

### No. 4 Reynolds Makes 750 Barrels Initial

Maxwell & Ertel report the completion this week of their No. 4 Reynolds well, two miles east of the town of Desdemona. The well is reported to be making 750 barrels initial.

The Comanche Oil Association is reported to have found the black lime at a depth of 3,055 feet in its Sturkie well near the town of Hasse, in Comanche County. Indications are said to be good for production.

(Star-Telegram, Feb. 15, 1920, Part 4, Page 2, top Column 7.)

### COMANCHE WELL HAS OIL SHOWING

DUBLIN, Texas, Feb. 14.—It is reported here the Sturkie well of the Comanche Oil Association, thirteen miles to the south of Dublin, has drilled twenty-one feet into the black lime and has a good showing of oil at 3,100 feet and is still drilling.

## WEALTH, RICHES, A FORTUNE may be WON OR LOST TODAY or TOMORROW. The investment a trifle.

### WHERE IT IS Comanche Oil Association Sturki Well No. 1

Located about 3 1/2 miles east of Hasse, Texas, 14 miles southeast of Dublin, in Comanche County, off the Frisco Railroad.

MONNING well No. 1 is on the opposite side of Leon River, 1 1/2 miles distant.

### ARE THEY OIL WELLS?

Determine for yourself. Ask any experienced driller or oil man who knows.

Comanche Oil Association Sturki No. 1, Partial Log of the Well Jan. 30 to Feb. 2, 1920.

3030 feet, black lime.

3034 feet, black lime.

3055 feet, gray lime.

3070 feet, gray lime.

3075 feet, black shale.

3100 feet, BLACK LIME and making less than five feet on daylight tower. Sample of black lime in this office.

MONNING well No. 1 is on receipt of wire of Saturday setting casing for shallow oil well at 615 feet.

This well struck and cased off gas at about 570 feet the last week in January. A shallow oil is expected between 600 and 700 feet. WHY? Because it was found in the deep well Sturki No. 1 and cased off in that well. This is why THERE IS OIL THERE. The drilling contractor went for a deep test. The driller wanted to plug the well at the shallow oil to be used for fuel oil. This shallow oil will be flowing again in a few days, in the shallow well.

### Two Different Oil Sands

A shallow and deep. Both wells are expected in at almost any hour or day. Both rigs and equipment are owned by a man well known in this Ranger Oil Field. Modesty and by request we cannot publish the contractor's name.

It means another new oil field, an addition to the already large Ranger Field. It is but 45 miles from Ranger, or 25 miles southeast of Desdemona, in Comanche County.

### THE WILDCAT

Is Making OIL!

It May Be A GUSHER

\$10,000

TO BE RAISED BY 7 P. M.

Tomorrow TUESDAY, Feb. 17th

The Well Is Expected to Blow In at Any Time

Oil men who have seen the lime and the log all say that the well may make a big one. They all say it is an oil well. The BLACK LIME proves it. What will it make, is the question.

# \$10,000

To Be Raised by 7 o'clock Tomorrow Afternoon

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH

to buy offset leases. The leases cost as follows:

173 acres @ \$40.00; total.....\$6,920

137 acres @ \$18.00; total.....\$2,466

For rentals, expenses, organization, etc. .... 614

Total .....\$10,000

Leases are commercial—five years; rental 173 acres at \$1.00 acre due April 20th; rental 137 acres paid in January, at \$1.00 acre.

\$4,025

HAS BEEN RAISED

\$5,975

—to come from somewhere before 7 o'clock Tuesday night, the 17th.

WHY DO WE HAVE TO HAVE THE MONEY SO QUICKLY? Because we have money up and we don't want to lose. Because we are confident that the Comanche Oil Association's Sturki No. 1 will make an oil well—a gusher perhaps, a big one possibly, maybe a small one—BUT AN OIL WELL, and we want to own acreage, and want you to own acreage, too. We haven't got enough money to buy it all—if we did you wouldn't have this chance to WIN OR LOSE with us.

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### What It May Mean to You

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10,000-barrel well . . . . . per acre, A Fortune

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Had you owned leases about the Duke-Knowles or Perkins—Roper—Norwood wells you very likely would not have read this advertisement this far.

### RICH MEN DO NOT TAKE CHANCES

They don't need to. They play their money in Wall Street, New York Stock Exchange and the Curb and many other ways, as real estate, industrial and railroad bonds, etc.

### You Must Make YOUR Money

in some manner if you haven't got it. It's your ambition.

### WIN OR LOSE NO. 2

offers the best opportunity today in the entire Ranger Oil Field to make quick money. We took in several counties when we said that. We mean it. If you knew as much as we do about it you would feel so, too.

### OIL GUSHERS MAKE RICHES

Did you come to Ranger to Work or to Try to MAKE MONEY?

THE WOMEN play the game WIN OR LOSE. Saturday, half of the men who subscribed to WIN OR LOSE NO. 2 said that their WIVES wanted them to put the money in the OPPORTUNITY to MAKE QUICK MONEY.

She said that at \$18 and \$40 an acre, with \$100—thus speculated, that if it was lost it could be made back, but if the \$100—WON, it was what she came to RANGER for. RICHES—A FORTUNE IN OIL. As it is, her chances are many to one to WIN, because there is oil there in both those wells. This is a well known fact shown by the log of both wells offset to the leases mentioned herein.

### Organization

It is proposed that a mutual company be formed to buy and own these leases, to be syndicated and controlled by a two-thirds money vote of all persons who own an interest; that an interest of \$25 minimum shall have the same and equal sharing profits as an interest of \$1,000 or more; that after the leases have been purchased, a call will be made through this office for all persons who own interest to meet, when a president, secretary and treasurer may be elected and an organization perfected to handle the leases. NO TRUSTEES will be appointed with power to do anything. YOUR MONEY SHALL VOICE your decision by a two-thirds monetary vote. It is the manner in which all laws of the states and nation are made.

### Acreage for Sale

If we should not raise the money necessary, we will sell off acreage in the 173-acre lease in 20-acre blocks, at \$800.00, each block.

We are virtually assured of all money necessary to buy and own the entire two leases. If you want to get in—don't let grass grow under your feet getting to our office.

### WIN OR LOSE NO. 2 MUST BE A WINNER

We want no man or woman to speculate with a dollar that either is not ready and willing to LOSE, with the same spirit as if they had WON. We feel confident of WINNING. We are already interested in a 30-acre lease offset to the holdings one-half mile to the Comanche Oil Association Sturki Well No. 1. The 173 acres adjoins this 30 acres. The 137 acres is one and a half miles distant. Our interest in the 30 acres cost \$50.00 an acre. We will not sell at four to one. We prefer to WIN or lose.

Out-of-town subscriptions should be wired with telegraph money orders to Bryant & Company.

L. H. Flewellen, Attorney, P. & Q. Realty Building, is retained as attorney and temporary trustee.

\$25.00 minimum interest. Buy as much as you want to.

ALL MONEY PROMPTLY REFUNDED if sufficient money is not raised by 7 o'clock p. m., Tuesday night, Feb. 17th, to buy over the two leases. All moneys, if not enough, on the return of the management of this office from Hasse, Texas, where he will go leaving Tuesday night to see the drilling wells, will be refunded not later than Saturday, Feb. 21st, 1920.

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A partial list of instruments filed  
with the county clerk:  
Burton Lingo Lumber company to  
A. H. Young, being lots 1 and 2 in  
block 2 of the city of Cisco, East-  
land county; \$750.  
C. G. Hester to M. Hill, lots 4 and  
5 in block C-2, city of Eastland; \$4,  
500.  
A. H. Ellett et al. to A. E. Spaulding,  
being lot 26 in block 15, Black  
Diamond Oil company survey; \$50.  
A. S. Cross to A. H. Johnson, lots  
11 and 12 in sub-division of lot 4 in  
block 98, Cisco; \$1350.  
R. A. Porter to A. M. Wilbern, be-  
ing undivided 1-2 interest in 11-1-2  
acres of 197 acres of John Bradley  
survey; \$1.  
A. M. Wilbern to H. N. Harris, be-  
ing the same as above described; \$1.  
J. N. Tunnell to H. S. Wilson et  
al., being 3-628 undivided royalty S.  
W. 1-4 section 28, block 2, E. T. R. R.

Co. survey containing 160 acres; \$50.  
A. S. Cross to Arthur Wickwire et  
al., being undivided 5-160 interest in  
N. W. 1-4 section 7, block 4, H. & T.  
C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county;  
\$3,000.  
G. A. Phillips to Arthur M. Wick-  
wire et al., being 5-160 undivided in-  
terest in N. W. 1-4 section 7, block 4,  
H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland  
county; mineral deed; \$3,000.  
J. E. McCord and wife to B. H.  
Lauderdale, being part of lot 1, block  
91, city of Cisco; \$2,000.  
C. C. Cox to A. M. Edmondson, be-  
ing 475 acres more or less out of the  
Thomas Mulryne survey; \$20,800.  
M. O. Hozard and wife to J. G.  
Blaine Bruce, being of block 22 in  
Daugherty addition; \$1,800.  
W. L. Andrus to T. M. Toombs,  
being undivided 1-749 interest in a  
part of A. Smeltzer survey described  
in deed from J. L. Hankins and wife  
to Mollie D. Abernathy, containing  
749 acres; \$500.  
E. J. Henyan and wife to C. C. Hes-  
ter, lot 4 in block C-2 in city of East-  
land; \$2,200.  
L. J. Starkey and wife to W. Ras-  
mussen, a part of lot 4, block O, city  
of Cisco; \$5,500.  
L. S. Warner to Humble Oil & Re-  
fining company, being the W. 1-2 of  
the N. W. 1-4 of section 12, block 1,  
H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey; \$1.

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alleges that the Best Tail-  
ors made him a suit of  
clothes last October, and  
since he has been wearing  
said suit he has had no  
rest. Everyone wants to  
know where he got a suit  
that fits and looks so well.

He further alleges that  
he cannot walk the streets,  
not only of Ranger but  
Fort Worth, St. Louis and  
other eastern cities, with-  
out the ladies flirting with  
him and trying to make  
dates.

He alleges that when he  
enters a hotel all the  
guests ask questions in re-  
gard to said suit. That his  
wife is jealous, with the  
ladies constantly flirting  
and trying to make dates.  
His wife threatens to quit  
him.

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building containing fifty rooms on the second floor  
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melted off and it was necessary to force the outer  
door open, which was done on the morning of the  
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FORT WORTH, TEXAS

# J. C. GALLOWAY MADE MANAGER RANGER TEAM

J. C. Galloway represented Ranger at the West Texas baseball league meeting in Fort Worth Sunday and reported that the league was now an organized fact. At present it consists of Ranger, Abilene, Cisco, Mineral Wells and Eastland with the towns of Thurber, Weatherford, Sweetwater and Strawn to draw from for the sixth team. San Angelo was at the meeting with their bonus and all but were refused entrance at this time owing to the fact that rain schedules could not be fixed so that San Angelo games could be played at scheduled times. If certain train schedules can be amended San Angelo will come in later on.

The next meeting of the league will be held Feb. 29 at Crazy town in Mineral Wells. At this time all arrangements for the opening of the league will be completed. The season will probably open about May 1. Walter Morris, president of the West Texas Baseball league, will tour the different towns now competing for the sixth place and will decide as to which one will be allowed entrance.

The committee in charge of the Ranger Baseball and Amusement company at a meeting held here Sunday determined to use the city park for the local ball park. This park is about one-half mile from the center of the city and adjoins the T. & P. grounds. At this meeting it was also decided to appoint Mr. Galloway as manager of the Ranger team.

Mr. Galloway has had several years experience as a big league player and is experienced in the management of a ball club. At the meeting to be held on Wednesday, Feb. 18, a board of seven directors will be elected. They will have charge of the drive which will be shortly made to raise the \$15,000 necessary for the local grandstand and park. Plans for these improvements are under way.

When it comes to news in general of the world and West Texas and its fast-growing city in particular, the Times tells 'em about it.

## PERSONALS

Miss Margaret R. Tobin of New York city and a recent arrival in Ranger has opened up a stenographic office at the McCleskey hotel.

Eugene Campbell and H. W. Hengst of Dallas were visitors in Ranger Sunday.

R. M. Lippincott of Eastland spent Sunday with friends in Ranger.

C. S. Moore of Dallas spent Sunday in Ranger with friends.

W. W. Edington, an experienced real estate man, arrived in this city Sunday from Oakland, Cal. He will be associated with the real estate firm of Kerley & Van Winkle, exclusive agents for Hodges' Oak park and owners of Erwin Heights, in the east part of the city.

Mr. Edington plans to bring his family here this spring.

Mr. Van Winkle has been in California the last three months. He is expected to return in March.

R. H. Ennis, traveling inspector for the bureau of explosives of the railroad administration, is in Ranger on a trip of inspection.

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## Prizes of \$30 Are Offered Students Aiding in Census

A member of the Chamber of Commerce will visit the schools today and tomorrow. He will give short talks to the children on the census taking and will conclude his addresses with the offer of a twenty-dollar gold piece to the student, either boy or girl, who will turn in to the Chamber of Commerce the greatest number of names of those who have not as yet been enumerated by any of the regular census enumerators.

In addition to the prize of twenty dollars for the greatest number of

names turned in, a prize of a ten-dollar gold piece will be awarded the girl or boy who takes second place in the contest. In addition to the names the boys or girls should turn in the other data required by the enumeration blanks.

All residents are expected to take an interest and aid all the children in this contest which has for its aim the listing of the many people who have not been enumerated.

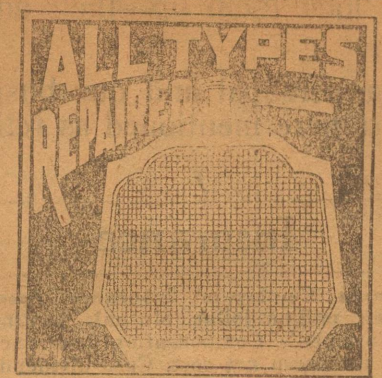
At present, about one-third of the population of this city and district have not been taken care of by the regular census enumeration.

### TENANTS PLAN TO BUILD OWN FLAT TO BEAT PROP.

CHICAGO.—Because their landlord raised their rents \$15 a month, twelve wrathful tenants of an apartment building here have decided to build a flat building of their own, which they will put up for \$147,000 and run on a co-operative basis.

## Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses issued by the county clerk Feb. 13:  
Shirley Keown and Miss Coy Rathford, Thurber.



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## FIRE DEPARTMENT SAVES RESIDENCE FROM FLAMES

The fire department had their usual gas fire run to Milwood street Sunday evening when a gas main that had been leaking badly caught fire just

before a residence of that district. The gas main burst in time and outside of a small damage to the floor, the residence was unharmed. Turn to the classified page. There is opportunity for you.

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Eczema and similar skin troubles come from a disordered, impure condition of the blood, and they can only be cured by giving the blood a thorough cleansing, and removing from it all traces of impurity. This is why S. S. S. has been used so successfully in hundreds of

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## BACKACHE AND HEAVY FEELING

Weak, Nervous, Restless Woman in Arkansas Hears of Cardui, Tries It and is Greatly Benefited. Now Recommends It to Others.

Peach Orchard, Ark.—Mrs. Nonie High, who lives near here, states: "Sometime ago I began to have trouble with my back. I would ache and I could hardly get up when down. I was so weak I would just drag around and did not feel like doing anything at all. I was so nervous I felt I could scream, and such a heavy feeling I could not rest at all. It looked like I was going to get down in bed."

I heard of Cardui and thought I would try it and see what it would do for my case. After taking a few bottles I grew stronger. The bloated, heavy feeling left me. I wasn't so nervous, in fact, felt better all over. I took twelve bottles and certainly was greatly benefited and can recommend it to any one as a tonic or builder. I often tell others how it helped and strengthened me."

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# BUILD AND FURNISH A NEW HOME

## During This February Clearance of Furniture

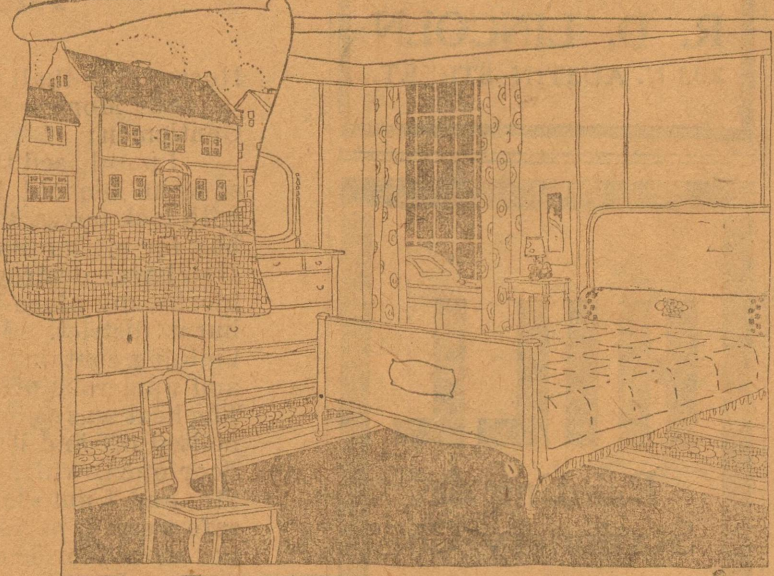
This is the time to buy. Every piece of Household Furniture we have, with a few exceptions in the Metal Bed Section, is reduced during this month. The best advice we can give anyone, who expects to buy Furniture within the next few years, is to BUY NOW—and we would also say, BUY HERE—for the selection, the amount of Furniture affected, the character of the Furniture, and the character of the reductions point out on these floors the highest sort of economy. It is impossible to give you in this advertisement the details of our ability to serve you—but we do extend to you a warm welcome to come in and talk it over.

### Suggestions for the Bed Room

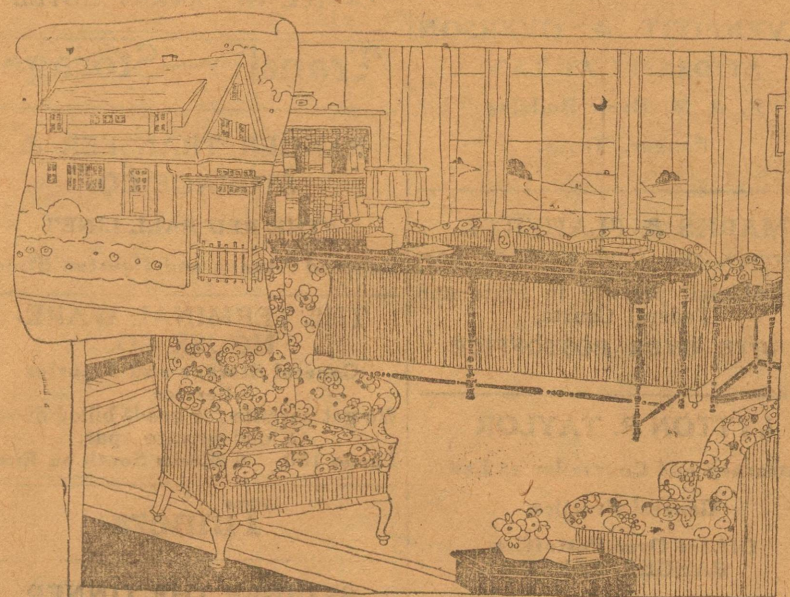
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### Suggestions for the Living Room

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Fiber Furniture is very appropriate for the many attractive new bungalows being completed in Ranger. Here you find the most comprehensive showing of FIBER UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE in the oil field district at prices so low that will astonish you.

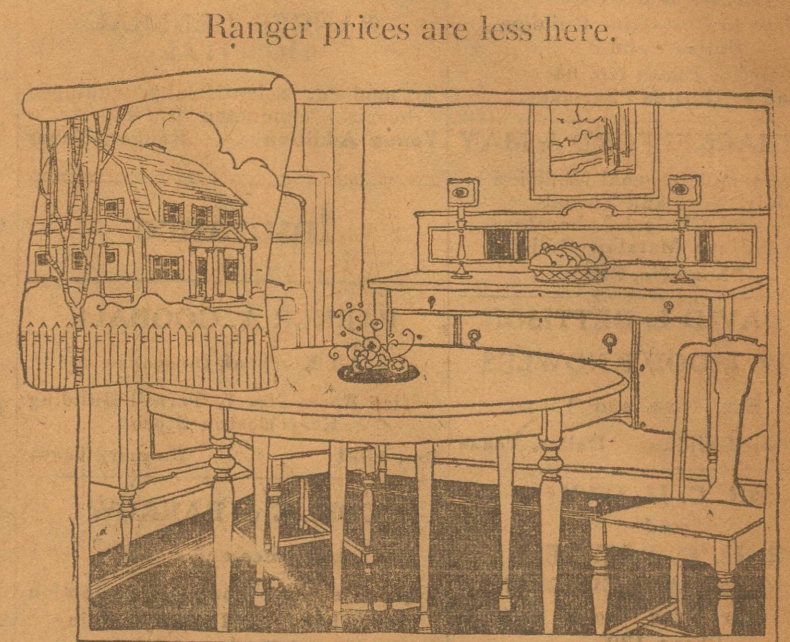
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