

NEW YORK SUBWAY STRIKE SPREADING

RANGER ADOPTS STONER UNIT SYSTEM FOR TAX EQUALIZATION

EASTLAND MEN INVENT 'POISON' MACHINE

NEW SPRAYER TO KILL PESTS ON ALL-ROW CROPS

Six Years Working On Exterminator Of The Boll Weevil Destroyer

Two Eastland county men completed last night a remarkable invention to poison boll weevils and all other pests of the farm after six years of work. The invention is the product of the brains of J. P. Martin of Eastland, and J. L. Coldiron. Mr. Martin is a real old timer in Texas, and came to Eastland county over forty years ago, where he has farmed most of that time. Some years ago when boll weevils were plaguing the farms of the Middle West, Mr. Martin conceived the plan for the extermination of the pest. He built one or two machines, none of which he was satisfied with, until this last invention which he showed Thursday to Ed Castlebury, one of the leading farmers in Eastland county. Castlebury expressed himself as being satisfied that the machine will accomplish all that it is claimed to do.

Easy To Manipulate
The invention is a double header affair, well built and staunch. On the front end of the machine there is mounted a large tank which is filled with the poison spray. This tank is worked from the wheels of the truck conveyor which forces compressed air into the tank. This air drives the poison spray through two taps, one on each side of the conveyor the fore of the air tending to cover several rows of cotton. The idea is unique in that a boy can manage the machine which it is claimed can cover forty to fifty acres a day and do the job well. This machine it was also claimed will also spray fruit trees and bushes with equal ease.

SUBMARINE S-51 GIVES UP HEROIC DEAD

NAVY YARDS, BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 9.—Of the bodies removed from the S-51, the following have been identified: Lt. Frederick D. Foster, Hadley N. J. John J. McCarthy, seaman, first class, New York city. Charles Carroll Thomas, fire man, El Paso, Texas.

The submarine S-51 began to give up its dead. Soon after noon a slow moving morgue wagon, with a marine guard seated by the driver, and a motorcycle policeman preceding, drew up to the naval hospital morgue and from it was carried the first body received from the wrecked submarine. The second body was brought out shortly before 1, and was carried by the same wagon and the same escort. The third body was brought out at 1 p. m. Shortly after 2 p. m., eight bodies had been brought to the morgue. The bodies were brought to the hospital in white caskets. Their features were unrecognizable and their uniforms were faded and torn.

OFFICERS FIRST TO ENTER SHIP

Armed with acetylene blow torches, navy men burned their way into the steel hull of the submarine, S-51, lying exposed above the sluggish water of the Brooklyn navy yard dry dock. Only a few feet of water remained in the basin as a crew was sent over a bridge gangway to blast open the hatch above the torpedo room, where the bodies of several of the crew were believed to lie.

COUNTER REVOLUTION IN PORTUGAL SUCCEEDS

LISBON, Portugal, July 9.—General Carmona today led a successful revolt against the revolutionary government recently installed by General Costa.

They've All Been Married More Than 50 Years



The small town of Moss Point, Miss., near Biloxi, has the distinction of having six couples, all of whom have been married more than 50 years. Left to right, they are Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Gause; Capt. and Mrs. S. D. Denny; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McLeod; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Myers; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood.

'AMERICA MUST NOW DECIDE ON FREEDOM OR IMPERIALISM,' DECLARES FILIPINO LEADER

By WILLIAM R. KUHN (United Press Staff Correspondent).
MANILA, July 9.—The whole Orient is watching the Philippines where America must inevitably choose between imperialism and her promise to set the islands free, said Manuel Quezon, president of the senate, in a remarkably frank statement today of the Philippine legislature's attitude toward the Carni Thompson mission and the rapidly changing situation in the Pacific. Since the adjournment last November, there have been important developments, vitally affecting the issue of American sovereignty in the Philippines. The department of commerce investigation disclosed the fact that great areas of land in the archipelago were admirably suited to the production of rubber. The Hoover investigation called attention to America's lack of sources for essential raw materials. The president appointed Carni Thompson to lead a mission of inquiry into the economic possibilities of the islands. Due to these and other reasons, this session of the Philippine legislature is destined to be the most momentous in its history. Governor General Wood, exponent of American sovereignty and President Quezon remain the chief figures in America's colonial drama, and indications are many that the conflict between them will be resumed with more zest than ever before. To quote President Quezon's own words:

Fight on Wood
"The attitude of the legislature toward Governor Wood will not change until the governor changes his attitude toward the legislature." Toward the Thompson economic mission President Quezon's attitude is one of "watchful waiting," more watchful than waiting. "If the Thompson's report recommends any change in the land laws of the Philippine islands which would permit the ownership and exploitation of large areas of land by private individuals or corporations," he said, "the Philippine legislature will stand squarely, unanimously and forever opposed, with or without independence. "This is not politics. It is simple economics. We do not believe in it and would fight the concentration of large estates in the hands of Filipinos, Americans or any other nationality. "The purpose of the Thompson mission is still vague, and nobody seems to know what it is all about. Among many Filipinos the belief that the mission is being sent out here to invoice our resources and ourselves on a cold business basis and determine whether we are worth exploiting or not. Others feel that the investigation is directed against the administration of Governor Wood. Co-Operate
"If Carni Thompson asks our cooperation and assistance we shall give (Continued on page three.)

Blackmail?



Mrs. Gertrude Fosnaugh, 24, a bride, formerly of Broadway and Hollywood, faces charges of attempting to extort \$5,000 from her ex-employer, F. K. Hazard, who recently inherited \$3,500,000.

Ponzi Hearing Is Postponed Until Tuesday

By United Press.
HOUSTON, July 9.—Habeas corpus proceedings hearing for Ponzi was postponed until next Tuesday, when the case was called before Judge Monteith today. Assistant Attorney General Shrigley of Massachusetts immediately filed a counter habeas corpus proceedings in which he asked that Ponzi's bond be increased to \$30,000 for the hearing which was scheduled for today. The hearing scheduled for today was for the purpose of reducing Ponzi's bond while his fight against extradition to Boston, where he is wanted by the Massachusetts authorities to serve a term in the penitentiary of from 7 to 9 years as a common thief.

'MA' BEGINS INVESTIGATION OF ARREST OF WIZARD

AUSTIN, July 9.—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson began an investigation today in the manner by which Charles Ponzi was brought into the state of Texas following his arrest by Harris county Deputy Sheriff George Lacy at New Orleans. The governor's interest was aroused because the attorneys for Ponzi will base their fight against extradition on the ground that he was illegally brought into Texas and taken from New Orleans in violation of the treaty with Italy, claiming Texas has no jurisdiction over him.

MINNEAPOLIS GETS MEET.

SCIOTO COUNTRY CLUB, CO. LUMBUS, Ohio, July 9.—The United States Golf association today voted to hold the 1927 amateur golf championship at Minneapolis, Minn.

CITY SIGNS UP CONTRACT WITH THE ORIGINATOR

All Metropolitan Towns in Texas Use This New Method

At a called meeting of the Ranger city commission this morning, a contract was made with J. Ben Stoner to install the Stoner system of tax assessment in the city of Ranger. Work of installing the system will start at once. It is believed that this new system will show a distinct gain in Ranger tax history. The broad and expert survey made by those who install the system will result in a fairer rendition of property and should preclude any feeling of fear of discrimination in setting tax values. The principal value of a unit system, such as the Stoner system is obtained through the equalization of values; something which can no longer be done by the old hit and miss practice.

The records of the city will be greatly improved and amplified and they will be available for the public through charts, records, and indexes much valuable information for those buying or selling real estate. The object of the survey and subsequent assessments, is to adjust values in Ranger, on a basis so fair there can never be a complaint of unfairness or discrimination. It is not for the purpose of raising taxes but of equalizing values. A number of Texas cities have installed unit system recently, and among these are Austin, San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Temple, Orange, Tyler, Port Arthur and Fort Worth and all report that they would not consider the old system again.

The Stoner system has been previously explained to Ranger people through this paper, as it was gone into very thoroughly when Mr. J. Ben Stoner was here in February to pave the way for the installation of his system. The announcement that the contract has been signed, coming right on the heels of the announcement of the city's intention to refund and rebond its indebtedness is taken as a most distinct portent of the upward trend of conditions in Ranger.

COURT KILLS RUM RUNNERS ALONG COAST

By United Press.
NEW YORK, July 9.—An opinion handed down by the United States court of appeals holding that American vessels suspected of carrying liquor may be searched and seized outside of the twelve mile limit, was regarded today as presaging an extended campaign against rum running. If the decision is sustained by the supreme court, it will permit enforcement of officers and coast guards to chase American vessels far and wide over the seas. All the judges of the court concurred in the decision.

Report Another Auto Stolen and Stripped on Road

Another case of auto theft was reported to the sheriff's office this morning when a man reported that he had noticed a new car stripped and in the brush on the Eastland and Cisco road. Sheriff's officers proceeded to the spot where it was ascertained that the car had been stolen at Rising Star last night. The remains of the car was brought into Eastland.

NEW CO-OPERATIVE MARKET DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Formation of the new co-operative marketing division of the agriculture department, provided for in the Jardine Bill, the only farm relief planned by the last congress, Chris L. Christensen former head of the co-operative bureau was made chief of the new division.

May Wed Wales



The Infanta Beatrice, 17, eldest daughter of King Alfonso of Spain, is the latest prospective fiancee of the Prince of Wales. King Alfonso now is in London and court gossips are busy.

ALLEGED BILL RAISER CAUGHT BY THE SHERIFF

One of the most important captures in years of alleged bill raisers was made last night when Eastland county sheriff office arrested a man after it was alleged that he had attempted to pass a spurious \$50 bill at Olden. The man who is about 55 years of age, told officers that he came from Webb City, Okla. Webb City is a small oil town that sprung up in the night a few years ago but today there is little of it left. Notifications also came to the sheriff's office from the sheriff at Abilene, where it is alleged that several of the bills had been passed.

Federals Informed
Sheriff Bob Edwards was informed of the activities of two men alleged to be passing the bills by Bailey Cooper, deputy U. S. Marshal at Abilene, from the U. S. marshal's office, western district, and Sheriff Edwards said that he was holding the man for the federal authorities, which state charges also will be filed.

Traffic Officer Frank Robason said that he had been on the look out for the men for a couple of days, and yesterday afternoon was informed that a man driving an old battered car had attempted to pass a \$50 dollar bill as part payment for an inner tube at Olden. This aroused the suspicion of a resident who telephoned the Sheriff Edwards who at once detailed deputies Robason, Hammett and Barnes to take up the chase, while Justice of the Peace Sam Day also accompanied the party.

Caught On Highway
The man who notified the officers followed the car the man was driving and after a long chase met up with the officers on the Breckenridge road, where they caught the accused.

Search of the car showed one \$50 dollar bill hidden in the cracks of the wood in the car which was a battered vehicle of the Ford type. There was also some old blankets and bedding in the car, while the man had also over \$100 in good currency in his possession. At the jail in Eastland the man was searched and officers stated that they found a complete set of instruments used for the raising of bills of any denomination.

Sheriff Edwards talked for a long time this morning with the U. S. officers at Abilene, who stated that there was another man also involved in the matter. This man was described as tall, red headed, and about 27 years of age.

Associations Busy
Miss Stevens of the Eastland Retail Merchants Association also was taking an active part in the affair, while it was also said that court action would be taken by the federal authorities at Abilene.

Further it was said that after the arrest was notified to the U. S. authorities, an officer was at once sent out from Abilene to follow the suspect and he will arrive in Eastland this morning. Mrs. Alice True, secretary of the Ranger Retail Merchants Association aided very materially in warning Ranger merchants to be on the look-out for the bill raiser, and this paper sent out a warning Thursday to its readers to beware.

NIGHT MOTIVE FORCES FAVOR JOINING STRIKE

Situation Is Serious; Federal Observer on Job Waiting for Call

By United Press.
NEW YORK, July 9.—A new confusion was added to the New York strike situation today when a group of night shift motive men employed in the power sub-stations met at Unity hall and voted to strike at 1 o'clock tomorrow morning. The day shifts of the power men are to meet tonight to take a strike vote, and James F. Walsh, head of the motive local, predicted that they, also, will strike. The 246 men that comprise the two shifts are forming a local. If the strike threat is made effective, the leader predicted a tie-up in the Interborough Rapid Transit subway lines. Should the night and day force go out, it is currently reported that the good offices of the department of labor will be invoked to secure a settlement. There seems to be no signs of weakening on the part of the strikers, despite the ultimatum issued by the transit company. The government conciliator is an observer and is closely watching the turn of events so as to be ready when called in to try and adjudicate the differences over wages.

The crisis will be reached as soon as the night and day shifts both quit. In the meantime the wage earners are having a hard time going to and from work. Every available conveyance possible is being used to get to work on time.

DEFICIENCY OF C. I. OF A. APPROVED

By United Press.
AUSTIN, July 9.—The comptroller has received the approval of deficiencies of \$45,000 allowed the College of Industrial Arts by Governor Ferguson, for enlargement and making replacement in the power plant, including light and heat. With the new item included, the total deficiencies thus far allowed by Governor Ferguson is \$1,404,320. Appropriation needs of the College of Industrial Arts were placed before the state board of control Friday by representatives of that institution and stress was laid on the fact that the requisitions covered only the actual needs of the college at this time.

Black Marander Of Tennessee Gets His Third Victim

By United Press.
MARYVILLE, Tenn., July 9.—A "black marander," who has terrorized this town for days, murdered his third victim, an aged woman, today while posing, deputies and citizens hunted for him. The fiend, who always appears in black, shot Mrs. Sarah Mason, 76, to death, when she fled screaming as he broke into her house. The marander has committed a score of robberies, in addition to his three murders.

Broadcasting Not Governed, Regulations

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, July 9.—Radio broadcasting in the United States is entirely without regulations today, Secretary of Commerce Hoover announced, making public an opinion from the department of justice, asserting that he has not the power to regulate either. He expressed a hope that there will be a voluntary regulation of the industry itself.

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FROM HOLY BOOK

The Power is God's—'And Balaam said unto Balak, Lo, I am come unto thee; I have now power at all to say anything? The word that God putteth in my mouth, that shall I speak.' Nu. 22:38.

Prayer—O God, Thou didst make man's mouth, Ever teach us what to say.

THE OUTLOOK.

Never in the history of Texas has the outlook in all lines of endeavor, and especially farming, been better. The rains of Wednesday and Wednesday night insure corn crops, will help young cotton, puts sufficient moisture in the ground to give the farmers the best yield of sorghum grains ever harvested, make it certain that there will be a good winter pasturage, fill all the water holes on the ranches, besides aiding in drilling for oil.

For the first time in a decade has every section of Texas been benefited as much as this year by ample moisture, and crop prospects bright. With comparatively little rain, the farmer who will cultivate his crops is insured a good yield. He may have some cotton pests to fight, and must prepare for that. The flea and weevil have made their appearance, a conference with the demonstration agent and the outlay of a few cents will furnish a remedy for these pests, and if the farmer will act in time, save his crop.

For the merchant, the prospects were never brighter. Good feed and food crops will give the farmer his cotton crop as a surplus and all back debts if any, can be paid. This year will put the farmer in this section on his feet again. The poultry business has proven profitable. He is making this crop at a comparatively small cost. He has his grain crop properly shocked in the field if he has not already had it threshed.

In the oil development game, the outlook is as bright as in agriculture. New pools are being developed, old pools are being extended, and old wells cleaned out to increase the flow. The demand for petroleum products has put new life in the game. All these portend prosperity for the oil man.

The auto business was never better with agents unable to get cars enough to meet the demand.

The banks show increased individual deposits. The savings departments show good gains, the building and loan associations are seeking outlets for funds. There is no reason for any one to be pessimistic over the outlook. Plenty of rain, plenty of grass, plenty of oil all insure plenty of prosperity.

KEEP OUT OF WORLD COURT.

France is beefing because of the debt funding. France wants America to give her the four billion dollars loaned her during the world war. France would be anxious to get the United States tied up in a world court or League of (notions) Nations to get the other European nations to vote with her to wipe out that debt.

The other day a deputy got up in the chamber and said France saved the world. France did her share, but it was sturdy Americans, American money as well as arms that came to the rescue of Europe when it began to look dark.

We favor giving France ample time to pay her debts. England has not beefed, Italy has not beefed, then why should France beef? The French were glad enough to get the money. England took care of the allies and borrowed money to loan them from America. The British are paying it back, so can France.

Our staying out of the League of Nations is keeping us from being involved in any European embroglios. If we attend to our own business on this side, we will have plenty to do without joining any world court. If the nations of Europe want any advice, we can give it to them, and that is enough. Stay out.

SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

SATURDAY

Public Library open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

MRS. LOGSDON ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Harry Logsdon, at her attractive new home on the Strawn Road, Wednesday afternoon, entertained the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club in her characteristically charming manner.

A salad and ice course followed the game, while myriads of garden flowers enhanced the beauty of the home.

Mrs. J. F. Champion won the high score prize and Mrs. Leona Thompson the low score. Others enjoying the afternoon were Meses. Roy Jameson, Walter Burden, R. M. Coyle, Fred Yonkers, Gus Coleman, Chas. Conley, Bob Porter, C. C. Craig, Frank Brahaney, K. C. Jones.

WATERMELON ALFRESCO PARTY TONIGHT

The members of Westminster Guild will entertain tonight on the lawn of the W. H. Cooze home, in the Tee Pee Camp, with a lawn party, and will serve as refreshments ice cold watermelon.

The lawn will be lighted extensively with electric lights and Japanese lanterns and the public will have no trouble in finding the place as these lights may be clearly seen as soon as one enters the gates of the camp.

The public is cordially invited to attend this affair and enjoy an evening of pleasure and at the same time help the ladies with their church pledge.

MORNING BRIDGE FOR TUESDAY CLUB

Mrs. R. J. Norman, was hostess to the members of the Tuesday Bridge Club and a number of other friends, Tuesday morning, at Acorn Acres tea room.

A wealth of cut flowers from home gardens added lure to the pretty tea room, and a large bowl of zinnias formed a nesting place for the tallies. This bowl was placed near the entrance and incoming guests had the pleasure of fishing out their tallies from this nest of vari-colored flowers, which proved a very happy innovation to the regular way of distributing these little determining factors of the game. A three course luncheon was served at noon—its food and appointments being typical of the service one always expects and finds at this popular resort.

Mrs. Charles Overley of Eastland, received an amber sugar and cream set as high club prize, and Mrs. Walter Cash, three Madeira handkerchiefs as second high club prize.

The guest high score prize, an amber salad plate went to Mrs. Norman's house guest, Mrs. J. A. Cordell of Fort Worth, and the cut prize, a pair of silk hose, to Mrs. T. M. Coombs.

Guests and club members enjoying the morning were Meses. C. C. Patterson, Wm. Cooke, John Meyer, Chas. Overly, Pat O'Donnell, B. A. Tunnell, D. L. Jameson, J. A. Martin, K. C. Jones, Paul Lacy, J. T. Gullaborn, L. A. Vandervoort of Tulsa, Davidson, Garvin Chastain, T. M. Coombs, Earl Brewer of Eastland, J. A. Cordell of Fort Worth, Walter Cash and the Misses Cordell of Fort Worth.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cordell, Misses Marguerite and Dorothy Cordell and Barton Cordell of Fort Worth, have been house guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Norman this week.

Miss Catherine Wood of Fort Worth is the guest of Miss Thelma Jameson at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Cash.

F. A. Maddocks and wife left Thursday for the Ozarks, where they will spend several weeks vacationing.

Lowden's Visit To President Is Significant

By CHARLES P. STEWART (NEA Service Writer)
 WASHINGTON.—Frank O. Lowden of Illinois was a caller at the White House not so very long ago. He went in through the executive offices.

There always are a good many politicians parked there and Lowden knows numerous politicians.

Consequently, as soon as he appeared in the doorway, a score or more of those in attendance recognized him, jumped up and clustered around him, shaking his hand, slapping him on the back and saying how d'ye do to him, and it obstructed traffic somewhat.

Suddenly, from outside, was heard the voice of somebody who was trying to get in but couldn't.

"Who'd have thought that Frank O. Lowden would be so slow to enter the White House?"

It may safely be predicted that he wouldn't be—to enter it as a tenant.

Moreover, Lowden is being increasingly talked about at the capitol as the next Republican presidential nominee.

Hardly six months ago hardly a whisper was to be heard of any name but that of President Coolidge for a renomination. It was accepted as a foregone conclusion that he could to have it if he wanted it, and few doubted, or doubt yet, that he will want it.

But today there is such general agreement that he can have it. The consensus of up-to-date opinion is that the presidential mandate who can win in 1928 must be a candidate acceptable to the mid-western farmers, and plenty of politicians are to be found in Washington now who believe Coolidge has antagonized them hopelessly, through sheer lack of understanding of their problems.

"Vanity Case"

GOVERNOR REPRIEVES RINGER BOY

By United Press.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 9.—Just four hours before he should have been electrocuted at the state prison, Judge Adam McMullen, early today, granted Donald Ringer, 20-year-old Hastings, Neb., youth, a reprieve until July 13. The reprieve was granted after the governor and the attorney general had conferred four hours over a message from a Doctor Cameron of Kearney.

Ringer was sentenced to die at 7 a. m. today for the murder of Carl W. Moore, Hastings automobile salesman, Oct. 16, 1924.

The doctor's telegram read: "The picture of Carl W. Moore resembles a youth I treated the night of Oct. 19, 1924."

Farmers State Rains Caused Little Damage

Very little damage was done to growing crops by the heavy rains, was reported by farmers visiting in Eastland Friday while the farmers also reported that the melon crop was greatly benefited and would be the biggest in years.

Farmers also said that the rains greatly benefited the sweet corn and was badly needed. From some sections it was stated that the creeks have overflowed this morning and that water was in the cotton and corn fields. This, however, would not harm the corn but worms might be prevalent in the cotton when the water subsided.

After the meeting George Briggs, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, left for Cisco where he attended the chamber of commerce luncheon in that city.

Mysterious "Treasure Hunt"

Send in Your Want Ads

SWEETWATER SECTION HIT BY STORMS

By United Press.

SWEETWATER, July 9.—Trees were uprooted, windmills razed and other property damaged in a series of wind and electrical storms, accompanied by rainfall, in this section during the last 24 hours, according to advices received here today.

Plate glass windows were smashed, in several buildings during the night by high winds. Lightning and hail caused some injury to communication lines, and growing crops and roads were washed out by the down-pour in many places.

First Eastland Fair Committee Meeting Friday

The entertainment committee of the Central West Texas fair met Friday morning in the offices of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce. Luther Bean, chairman, presided.

Discussion took place as to the form of entertainment to be provided this year and after a long talk it was decided to postpone all further activities until the next meeting.

Those present and members of the committee were Luther Bean, Walter Clarke, J. A. Brunson, C. E. Swearingen, Dick Gray, W. H. Massey, Ed Cox, Jack Williamson, W. Z. Bates, Jack Tindall and E. W. Rand.

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TO SURVEY TEXAS BEDS OF POTASH

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The bureau of mines will survey the potash resources of Texas, with a view of developing the production to free American consumers from the monopoly of the Franco-German sales agency.

Officials of the department of commerce charge the agency is increasing the potash bill from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 annually.

Dalton Assumes Directorship Of Merchant Fleets

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Brigadier General A. C. Dalton, war-time superintendent of the transportation of soldiers to France, went to work today on his new job as director of the huge government-owned merchant fleets, while his predecessor, E. E. Crowley, charged that he was "ousted without reason" by the United States Shipping Board.

Another of the bitter fights that has marked the shipping board ever since it was founded led up to the board's action in accepting Crowley's resignation, which was required from him when he took the job.

Safe Construction Of Oil Derricks Carefully Studied

Oil well derricks which are substantially constructed of structurally sound material by competent rig builders and kept in good repair, will not collapse when loaded, states the Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce. Derrick foundations must have sufficient bearing so they will not settle. Missing girts and braces reduce the strength of derricks and should be replaced immediately when work requiring their removal has been completed. Too few men working in and about derricks realize the importance of having each member of the structure in place, so that the forces applied at the crown will be carried down to the footings without overstressing any of the members. Derricks which have stood for some time should be inspected, and renailed and repaired if found necessary, before drilling work is done in them. All derricks should be gayed and guy wires maintained taut. Good practice calls for four guy wires to each leg of the 114 and 122 foot derrick, and the lower guy should be tied to the derrick leg at the third girt. Properly designed steel derricks are safer than wooden derricks. They withstand greater shocks and present a decreased fire hazard.

RELEASE FROM JAIL CAUSES MAN'S DEATH

By United Press.

MEXICO CITY.—When Eustaquio Garcia, awaiting trial in a Tacuba jail on a statutory charge, was informed by his son that bail had been arranged pending the calling of his case, he fell backwards as though he had fainted. His joy at approaching release had killed him.

3 Men Belong To Savings Club To Visit France

According to W. W. Housewright, of the Citizens State Bank, Ranger, which was designated as the American Expeditionary Forces Savings Depository, only three men so far have joined the savings club, in order that they may make the trip over there in September, 1927.

However, Mr. Housewright does not take this in any way as an indication that the boys won't go when the time comes, in fact he thinks that by this fall they will begin to realize that the time is just a year off and fall in with their savings.

Cases Against Wells and Stuart Are Dismissed

Charges of aggravated assault against Harve Wells and Jack Stuart

of Ranger were dismissed in county court at Eastland last night after County Attorney W. J. Barnes, had told the jury that he had no evidence to convict the men.

The charges followed an alleged quarrel between the men and Mrs. Jennie Stuart, and the evidence showed that Mrs. Stuart ran after her husband with a monkey wrench and that Wells stopped the woman and took the weapon from her.

Judge Tom Cunningham instructed the jury to find accused not guilty.

KIDNAPPED BRIDEGRROOM PROVES TO BE STRANGER

By United Press.

MEXICO CITY.—Zealous friends of Senorita Concepcion Pulido de Mendoza, of Torreon, kidnaped Rafael Torres and forced him to marry the senorita.

In the dim light in which the ceremony was performed she did not learn until too late that her partisans had captured the wrong man. She said she had never seen Torres before.

BRITISH FAIR

By United Press.

LONDON.—Another British Industries Fair, to boom English trade and attract foreign buyers to England, will be held here February 21 to March 4, 1927.

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(Continued from page one.)
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The next question brought the fiery Filipino leader to his feet. "If the Thompson report to President Coolidge should recommend a change in the Philippine land laws and Congress should proceed to carry out this recommendation over the objections of the Filipinos, what policy would be followed by the Philippine legislature in dealing with this situation?"

Change In Law
 "It is inconceivable," he said, "that any American administration would take the responsibility for such a step. The result would be more disastrous for the United States than for the Philippines. Such a bold attempt to exploit the islands over the united opposition of the Filipinos

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Dust Cotton With Sulphur To Control Pests

COLLEGE STATION, July 8.—Newspaper clippings and inquiries coming into the Extension Service, A. & M. College of Texas, indicate the presence of the cotton hopper or cotton flea over the state. While it is by no means certain that there will be a dangerous infestation, yet it is well to be prepared to fight this pest, advises R. R. Reppert, entomologist.

The hoppers or fleas, both adults and nymphs, feed principally in the buds and growing tips of the branches of cotton. The injury is done to the squares when they are very small. The hopper is a very small insect, usually greenish in color, but easily seen with the naked eye. When present in large numbers in a cotton field, the adults will readily appear like small gnats darting among the plants when they are disturbed. Before developing, wings the hoppers are small green bugs, reminding one somewhat of plant lice. They remain on the plant and may often be discovered with their beaks inserted in small squares from which they extract the sap.

The insect is in many respects a difficult one to deal with. Beginning in 1923, the Bureau of Entomology, U. S. D. A., began extensive and thorough experiments with this pest in the Delta Laboratory located at Tallulah, Louisiana, in order to determine the most effective methods of controlling it. These experiments are incomplete as yet, therefore, the recommendations here given for the control of the hopper are provisional only. They are the best that can be given in the light of present knowledge and are subject to future revision.

Dusting the cotton plants with sulphur is the best control measure found so far. There are two grades of sulphur that have been tried with good results, namely, superfine sulphur and flowers of sulphur. At present, superfine sulphur seems to be equally as effective if not more so, than the flowers of superfine sulphur seems to be equally as effective, if not more so, than the flowers of sulphur, and due to lower cost the superfine is recommended for hopper control. The ordinary type of dusting machinery used for the distribution of calcium arsenate for weevil control can be utilized for distributing sulphur. Three or four applications of superfine sulphur should be made at about five day intervals, or continued until the damage is no longer noticed. From eight to ten pounds of sulphur should be applied per acre at each application. Sulphur should be applied when the air is calm and dew is present on the plants, as in early morning or late in the afternoon, in order to secure the best results.

would bring the issue of imperialism versus democracy to a crisis. "America's detractors in South America and the Far East would have an unanswerable argument in proof of their contention that the vaunted altruism and idealism of the United States are veils covering a policy of ruthless imperialism. America's efforts to cultivate good-will in Spanish America and China would be seriously jeopardized."

President Quezon said that it would take at least ten years for congress to pass a law which would virtually annex the Philippines to the United States. He believed that there would be sufficient opposition so that advantage could be taken of the senate debating rules.

Before concluding the interview President Quezon consented for the first time to express his views on the Pan-Asiatic movement.

"What role," I asked him, "do you want the Philippines to play in the Pan-Asiatic movement against European and American domination?"

"Oriental peoples feel that they have not been getting a square deal from the western nations," he said. "With the development of national consciousness among the various races of the Far East there is also developing a subconscious sense of

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of common interest in loosening the grip of the foreigner.

"Personally I have taken part in the so-called 'Pan-Asiatic movement,' which is being sponsored by Japanese and Chinese leaders. I have been an interested observer and my observations have convinced me that the movement is growing rapidly. The peoples of the Far East are being drawn closer and closer together in defense against a common grievance."

"As to the part which Filipinos will take in this movement, that will depend entirely upon the kind of treatment they receive from the United States. If the American government continues to follow the pol-

icy announced from the first days of occupation, and repeated by every administration from President McKinley to President Harding, namely, to prepare the Filipinos for self-government, then the whole weight of my influence would be turned to make the Philippines a symbol of friendship between the west and the east. We could become the interpreters between the occident and the orient. A fair attitude on the part of America would serve to allay fears and discontent in the Philippines and would benefit American prestige enormously in China and South America.

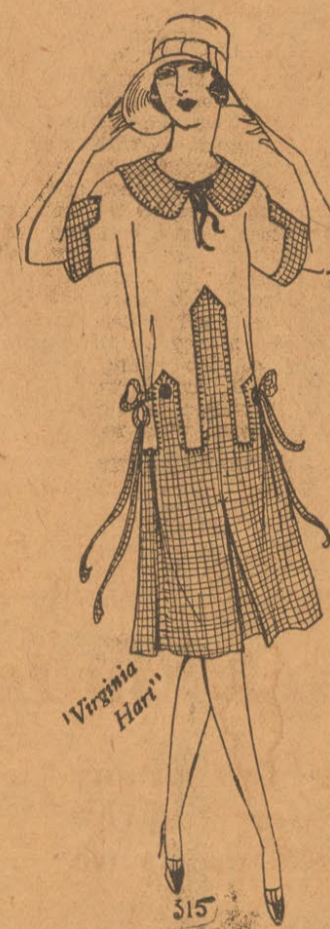
Exploitation
 "But, if the United States is preparing to hold these islands and exploit them, after promising in a million ways that we would be independent, then the attitude of the Filipinos will be entirely different. I do not know in what way exactly because I have never given the possibility of such action serious thought. It has always been inconceivable to me."

"Every member of the legislature feels that the United States is faced with the absolute necessity for making a decision. I admit that there is ground for anxiety on our part. President Coolidge appointed Carmi

Thompson to investigate our economic possibilities. He did not consult us and the mission will probably go methodically about the business of counting our trees measuring our soil as though we did not exist. Nevertheless during this session of the legislature I will caution co-operation with the sovereign authorities whenever possible. Meanwhile we await developments."

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Noel and Vera Boyd, whose marriage is strictly "modern."

Pat and Marion Forbes, who have three children and whose domestic life is unhappy because of Pat's roving tendencies. Previous chapters told how:

Nell Orme of whommfwypeppup John was fascinated, on meeting Nell Orme, of whom Pat Forbes hints that she is having trouble with her husband.

Fay took Judith, the baby, to visit her parents, and during her absence John "ran around" a good deal, mostly in company with Pat Forbes. When Fay returned gossip had retailed some of his doings and sharp quarrels between him and Fay followed, one of which drove him "out on a tear." Fay, learning he had been out again with other women, threatened to leave him if it was repeated.

John becomes aware that people are talking about him, and Nathaniel Graham, his partner, charges his actions are damaging the firm's reputation. Vera Boyd invites John to tea, and there he finds Nell Orme. He realizes the danger of this, as he is aware of Vera's propensity for promoting "affairs." Nevertheless, he goes again, and this time he madly takes Nell in his arms.

Fay, learning of it, says she is leav-



Fay, loving him, had a right to expect clean and fine things of him.

ing him. He tries to dissuade her, but she goes through with it and departs with Judith for her parents' home. John, left alone, goes to Dick Menefee, his best friend, and tells him the story. He announces to Dick that he intends leaving town.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
(The names and situations in this story are fictitious.)

Menefee regarded the speaker fixedly and then shrugged. "I understand," he said quietly, "but I think you're a stiff-necked fool. What do you intend to do?"

"Do?" John looked at him stupidly. "Oh, yes, I think I'll chuck the whole business and leave town. I've just made up my mind. Just this minute."

CHAPTER XLVII
Menefee looked at John for quite a while before replying. Finally, "That," he remarked quietly, "strikes me as a particularly asinine thing to do."

"You think so?" John challenged him. "Why?"

"Why do you want to run away? Why make a fool of yourself because you have some trouble on your hands?"

"Because," John said sharply. "I'm tired of having my affairs gossiped about. I'm sick of it all. A few more hours, and the town's tongue waggers will be holding post-mortems over the remains of the Milburn's romance. Damn it, talk is what started this whole mess. I'm sick of it. I want to get away from it. I'm sick of it—sick of it."

In his anger the man was striding violently across the room, striking his fist in his palm, banging it against Menefee's desk.

Dick looked at him pityingly. Unseen by John, he shook his head and plucked, in troubled fashion, at his

mustache. He took his watch from his pocket, opened the case and stared, as if half expecting inspiration, at the picture of Margaret he carried there.

"Look, here, John," he said finally. "Sit down and let me talk to you. You don't want anybody butting in on this thing. All right. But I am going to start butting in when you talk about leaving town. You've got a good business here—"

"And a hell of a partner," John put in bitterly.

"All right. Let that pass. If you don't like him, some day you'll probably split with him and both of you will be the better off for it. But I'm not going to sit back and see you sacrifice yourself on the altar of pride, or resentment, or whatever it is. You're going to stick. Hell! You talk as if you haven't any friends here in Jacksonville. You're crazy. What if a few people do talk about you? Most of us here know you for what you really are, don't we?"

John, his face buried in his hands, looked up to say that he was tired and weary and didn't feel equal to the task of carrying on.

"Then go off some place for a few days and take a rest," Dick told him. "No, you'd better not do that either. I don't want you alone with your thoughts. Look here, I'm your physician, am I not?"

John nodded.

"Then you do what I tell you to do. Go back to the office and work as hard as you know how. Try to forget everything but work. And report to me once every day. First thing you know you'll be going to pieces. I know you newspaper and advertising men. You're a high-strung, nervous lot. You keep in touch with me."

His words, sharply spoken, fell on

John with the effect of a whiplash and roused him to action. He rose to his feet and stared at Menefee combatively.

"I don't know whether you know what you're talking about or not," he said, "but I'll try it—for a while, at least." He struck out his hand. He ate a dinner downtown and got home late that night, and though he was not sure, he thought he detected the shadowy outlines of Mrs. Blodgett's figure at her window.

What to do about the house troubled him as he tossed fitfully on his bed. It was out of the question, of course, to remain living here, where constant reminders of Fay and Judith met him on every hand. Then there was another worry. The matter of raising the \$5000, although he had said nothing to Fay about it, had not been so easy. It had necessitated draining his savings and checking accounts at the bank and he had to ask for a heavy advance from the firm, at which Nat Graham, though he said nothing, had frowned.

As it was, he was pretty well pinched financially, with another payment on the mortgage coming due shortly. He wondered whether it wouldn't be a good idea to try borrowing some money from a bank on personal credit. He couldn't very well put the house up as security, without Fay's consent. No, it would be worth while trying, just to see if he could raise some money on the strength of his name. No telling when he would need it, and it would be something to count on, if it could be done. He wondered what red tape was neces-

sary to cut before he could negotiate such a loan.

"Think I'll try it in a day or so," he told himself as he went to sleep. In the morning he made short work of dressing and shaving, anxious to be out of the house as soon as possible. And when he passed down the street he spied Mrs. Blodgett seated calmly at her window, like some grim guardian of a forbidden portal, and he thought he saw her lip curl in a sneering smile.

"Damn her!" he cried hotly. "The old bird of prey smells blood. I'll be figuratively drawn and quartered today, all right."

For several days he grimly shut himself in with his work, never leaving the office except to snatch a hasty meal and staying late every night. During those days he was as surly as a wild beast, and even Briggs, after a few rebuffs, left him to himself. Nat Graham was watching him with curious eyes, and every now and then John would glance up to encounter a cold, questioning look from beneath those hood-like lids.

On a Saturday afternoon he went home early, packed all his necessary clothes and toilet articles and then shut up the house. He brought his things down to a hotel and later that day he found a small apartment in a quiet neighborhood, a living room, bedroom and bath, with maid service. It was not fancy, he told himself, as he surveyed the place, but it looked comfortable, and anything was better than living in that deserted house.

He decided not to do anything

about the house for the present, merely shut it up and leave it. Later, he supposed, he'd have to sell it, but Fay first would have to be consulted, and that could wait.

Such was the intensity of his concentration that at Monday noon he looked up from his desk and found himself with no work whatever on his hands. Everything had been cleaned up. He made a sudden decision, got up and left the office and made directly for his bank, determined to get that matter of a loan settled right away.

He stated his business at the first teller's cage, and presently found himself in a quiet, business-like little room, waiting. Everything was pleasant enough so far, he told himself, and then he looked up sharply at the man who was coming in the room with an inquiring smile on his face. It was Henry Blodgett. He suddenly remembered now that, after all, Blodgett was in the loan department of his bank and he shouldn't be surprised to see him.

Still, he hated to come to Blodgett with a request like this, but he supposed business was business. . . . Briefly, he outlined what he wanted. He wanted to establish his personal credit, and would the bank be willing to lend him a thousand dollars on the strength of his name?

Blodgett heard him patiently, a thin smile on his cold features. How funeral he looked, John was thinking.

"No security at all?" Blodgett was saying.

"No. I've got some, of course.

There's the house, you know—"

"But you'd have to have your wife's signature for that."

"Well," John said sharply, "what's to prevent me from getting it if I want it?"

Blodgett said nothing, but smiled mysteriously and nodded to himself, an act that for some unaccountable reason irritated John, although he tried to bring himself to speak calmly.

"What I want to do," he said, "is to see whether my credit is good without security. After all, you know, I've done business at this bank for a number of years, and I've a good solid business in town here."

"Yes, yes, I know," Blodgett was toying with his pencil. "But, of

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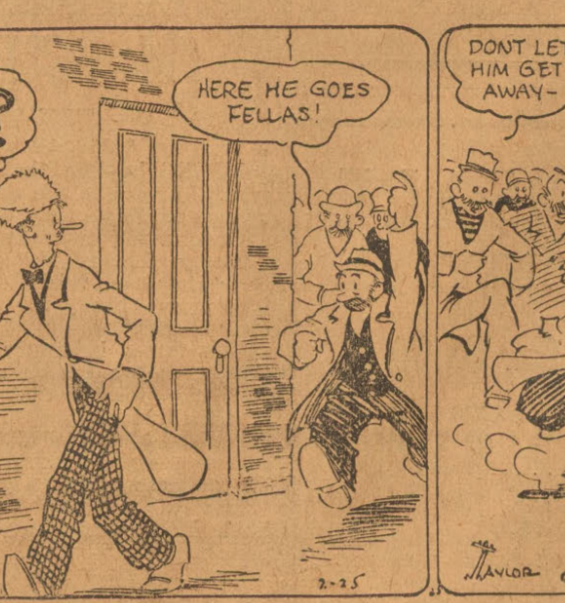
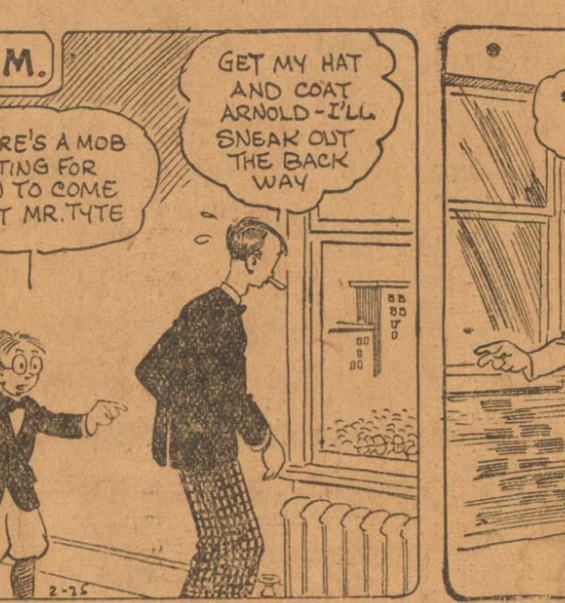
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As THE NEWS SPREADS THAT MR. TATE IS IN THE MARKET FOR OLD AUTOTIRES A DELEGATION AWAITS HIS ARRIVAL AT THE OFFICE



By Taylor

charged today in a brilliant appeal to the jury to acquit Martin J. Durkin, charged with the murder of Federal Agent Edwin C. Shanahan. This announcement came after the most impassioned plea for the prisoner, and after the eloquent attorney asked the court to pause in silent prayer for the dead officer, who was a friend of the attorney for the alleged bandit.

In his speech, McGarry said, "Gentlemen, this case has been painful to me throughout. (Here his voice broke and he wiped his eyes with a handkerchief). I have said nothing about it before, but Eddie Shanahan was a friend of mine — a dear friend. I knew him for fifteen long years.

PIGGLY WIGGLY

All Over the World

SOUTH MARSTON STREET

We are proud of our Ranger store and the good business we are enjoying.
Plenty of parking space for our customers!

Prices for Saturday and Monday Morning

CANE SUGAR

5-LB. SACK 19c With other purchases amounting to \$4.00

5-LB. SACK 24c With other purchases amounting to \$3.00

5-LB. SACK 32c With other purchases amounting to \$2.00

TOMATOES Every tomato good Basket **18c**

ROASTING EARS Good size, well selected Dozen **19c**

EL FOOD Salad Dressing and Relish **26c**

COCOANUT Dromedary 1/4-lb. package **11c**

PEACHES No. 2 1/2 can Sliced Sunkist or Del Monte (Limit 4 cans) **24c**

JELLO Package **10c**

SALTINES Package **9c**

TOMATOES No. 2 can (Limit 6 cans) **71-2c**

FLOUR 24-lb. Sack **\$1.12**

COFFEE Lady Alice 1-lb. package **43c**

NEW POTATOES 10 Lbs. **39c**

BASEBALL Neighbors Wives

HOW THEY STAND BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.	W.	L.	Pct.
American Legion	7	2	.778
Salesmen	6	3	.667
Lions	6	4	.600
Modern Woodmen	4	4	.500
Lavelle-Maher Motor	3	6	.333
Oilbelt Motor	1	8	.111

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.	W.	L.	Pct.
San Antonio	50	35	.588
Dallas	49	35	.583
Beaumont	45	39	.536
Fort Worth	39	41	.488
Houston	42	45	.483
Shreveport	40	44	.479
Wichita Falls	37	48	.435
Waco	34	49	.410

Yesterday's Results.
Wichita Falls 4, Dallas 2.
Beaumont 6-1, Waco 2-2.
San Antonio 6, Houston 1.
Shreveport 5, Fort Worth 4.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	50	27	.649
Philadelphia	44	36	.550
Chicago	44	37	.543
Cleveland	42	38	.525
Washington	38	36	.514
Detroit	38	41	.481
St. Louis	34	44	.436
Boston	23	54	.299

Yesterday's Results.
Boston 7, Detroit 3.
Cleveland 6, New York 1.
Philadelphia 8, Chicago 7.
Three games scheduled.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	47	32	.595
Pittsburgh	40	34	.541
St. Louis	41	36	.532
Brooklyn	40	35	.533
Chicago	40	37	.519
New York	37	39	.487
Philadelphia	31	45	.408
Boston	29	47	.392

Yesterday's Results.
Philadelphia 10, Pittsburgh 6.
Only game scheduled.

Today's Schedule.
Boston at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.
New York at Cincinnati.

Modern Woodmen Defeat Lions In Well Played Game

In a hotly contested game yesterday afternoon, the Modern Woodmen scored a 4 to 2 victory over the Lions. The game was fairly well attended and was one of the most interesting of the Business Men's league.

This afternoon the top notchers, the American Legion, will meet the men at the bottom of the ladder, the Oilbelts, and naturally both are going to play ball. The Legionnaires are determined to keep the top place and the Oilbelt Motor boys are determined to scale the ladder a few rounds.

Mysterious "Treasure Hunt"

turned on his heel and left the office. Blodgett, speechless with anger, was rubbing his face.

"I'm through with this bank," John stormed as he strode through the lobby. "The dog! I should have given him a real licking!"

"He walked the street for an hour before his rage had cooled down. Then he went back to the office, seated himself at his typewriter and, without knowing what he was writing, began to pound the boys.

Nat Graham came in on him to ask whether he had finished the copy for the toy layout, and John fairly snapped at him.

"Yes, of course. It's been finished two days. Where have you been?"

Graham colored, and seemed on the point of answering, but evidently

thought better of it, for he turned away without saying anything further.

Briggs stared at John in amazement. Something was wrong here surely, he thought. He had never known Milburn to act this way before. He shrugged and turned back to his drawing board. Working off a grouch, most likely.

Late that afternoon a policeman walked in, asked for John and then began fumbling in his cap.

"You Mr. Milburn?"

John, wondering what it all meant, told him he was.

"Well, I'm sorry, but you're under arrest." In his hand the officer held a slip of paper. John looked at it. It was a warrant charging him with assault and battery.

(To be continued.)

GOODYEAR TIRE SALE

AT PRICES LOWER THAN GOODYEAR QUOTES

30x3 1/2 Pathfinder Fabric now	\$7.25
30x3 1/2 Pathfinder Cord now	\$9.20
30x3 1/2 Oversize Pathfinder Cord for	\$10.45
30x3 1/2 All-Weather Tread Cords now	\$12.55
31x4 All-Weather Tread Cords now	\$18.45
31x4 Pathfinder Cord now	\$15.10
29x4.40 Pathfinder Balloon now	\$12.75
29x4.40 All-Weather Tread Balloon now	\$16.20
30x4.95 Goodyear Balloons now	\$21.15
31x5.25 Goodyear Balloons now	\$24.15
30x5.77 Goodyear Balloons now	\$27.50
33x6.00 Heavy Duty Balloons now	\$32.80

All other sizes reduced in proportion. All sizes in stock. The above prices are for cash only.

MORE PEOPLE RIDE ON GOODYEARS THAN ANY OTHER MAKE

RANGER BATTERY & TIRE COMPANY

RANGER, TEXAS

Let us tell you about

"Central" Pipe

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We solicit your inquiries for all sizes and weights of Wrought Iron Line Pipe and

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Prompt Shipment from large stocks now available.

SIMMONS & COMPANY

Stubblefield Bldg.
Phones 374-499
EASTLAND

Albany Sheriff Owns Old Bible; Printed In 1797

ALPINE, July 9.—What is believed to be the oldest bible outside of a museum in the United States is owned by Sheriff E. E. Townsend of this city.

The Bible is a King James translation and was published in the year 1797. It was printed in Boston. The book is in a fair state of preservation. Mr. Townsend has an armory containing weapons from almost every country and every description. He has spent years collecting curios and has a collection of Indian relics, including matatas, arrowheads and beads.

"Vanity Case"

Truett Delivers Opening Address Baptists Camp

By United Press. SHERMAN, July 9.—Dr. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist church of Dallas, delivered the opening address at the opening of the sixth annual North Texas Baptist encampment which opened at Woodlake today.

More than 5,000 baptists, including many prominent Baptist ministers and laymen, attended the opening meeting of the encampment which will continue through July 18.

"Vanity Case"

Birth of Twins Insurable In "Merrie" England

LONDON.—The birth of twins or arrest by mistake can now be insured against in England.

General insurance companies, particularly Lloyds, have broadened their scope of "risks coverable" to include practically every demand of their clients.

The latest insurance curiosity is the case of a rather usual looking man who, fearing that he might be arrested instead of a criminal he said resembled him, applied to Lloyds for coverage against mistaken identity. He was accepted.

Married couples expecting the birth of a child have taken out policies against twins.

Novelties have also been introduced in business insurance, covering some unusual risks. Early last winter a man whose business is river transportation insured against total loss should the Thames freeze over before the end of the year.

The general strike brought a rush to underwriting offices, and numerous claims have already arisen from policies issued against losses due to the coal strike. The usual policy issued for the coal strike is one undertaking to pay one three hundred and sixty-fifth of the sum insured for every day of the coal stoppage beyond 14 days. Like the book-maker, the underwriter alters from day to day to odds he offers in premiums against the end of stoppage at a particular time.

Some underwriters are insuring against the further decline of the French franc. Last year, underwriters made heavy profits in insuring against the franc reaching 200 to the pound sterling.

Mysterious "Treasure Hunt"

THE FOLKS BACK HOME



Drink Coca-Cola
Delicious and Refreshing

People say they like it because—

It's "the most refreshing of drinks"....
... "delicious"....
... "delightful with food, especially sandwiches"....
Buy it by the case—keep it on ice at home.

7 million a day

COCA COLA BOTTLING CO.

IT HAD TO BE GOOD TO GET WHERE IT IS

IKE H. ERVIN
WILL APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT FOR
COUNTY CLERK
EASTLAND COUNTY
Subject to Action of Democratic Primary, July 24, 1926
(Political Advertisement)

A DIFFERENT SALE FOR SATURDAY ONLY!

Good Looking Dresses for \$1.00
Saturday if you will buy one Dress for \$4.95 we will sell you another one of the same price for only **\$1.00**

Novelty Shoes for 50c
Buy one pair of pretty Shoes on sale at \$5.95 and get another pair just as good for only **50c**

Sale of Men's Shirts, 1c
Men's Grey Chambray two-pocket Work Shirt; buy the first one for 99c and get another one for only **1c**

Men's Scout Shoes, 99c
No catch to it; buy one pair at the low price of \$2.25 and get another pair just like them for **99c**

SELLING GOODS AT ANY PRICE—COME AND MAKE US AN OFFER

THE ECONOMY STORE
Ranger's Bargain House
Ranger Texas

The Buying Facilities of This House and Its Methods is a Real Safeguard to Its Patrons

The Boston Store
Joseph C. Hester
THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER
Ranger, Texas

All Mail Orders Promptly Filled
P. O. Drawer 8
Phone 50

SATURDAY AT THE DISSOLUTION

Sale

As per set date there will be through Saturday included in this sale. Last Saturday was fine and in order to make our second Saturday eclipse that record we are going to offer many additional and more tempting values.

OUR STOCK IS STILL INTACT

Notwithstanding our nine days of heavy traffic we claim to offer especially for Saturday more real meritorious, worth while bargains than can be found any where in this section of Texas.

A FEW of the MANY NOTICEABLE ITEMS OFFERED

Ladies' Silk Frocks in four big groups—\$3.95, \$6.95, \$9.85 and \$12.95.	Men's swell Gaberdine and Tropical Suits now selling at only \$12.95 and \$16.95.
Ladies' swell Pumps now selling at \$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.65 and \$4.95. All other Footwear reduced.	Nifty Straw Hats, \$1.00, \$1.45, \$1.95 and \$2.95.
Pure All-Silk Hosiery in a full range of colors, a regular \$2.00 and \$2.25 value, now selling \$1.69.	Fine Nainsook Unions, all sizes, now selling at 39c, 47c, 97c and \$1.29.
New Spring and Summer Hats 95c to \$4.95.	Jantzen and Cadet Bathing Suits, now selling at 25 to 33 1-3 per cent off.
	Men's \$6.50 to \$7.50 Oxfords selling at \$3.75.
	Nettleton—Oxfords— or Shoes now \$10.95.

Everything in ready to wear reduced in price 25 percent to 50 percent. All leather luggage, suit and hat cases and trunks reduced

STARRING IN "UP IN MABEL'S ROOM"

Marie Prevost and her compatriots in fun provide much merriment at the Lamb Theater today and Saturday. "Up In Mabel's Room" is shown for the first time here. The presentation is a huge success.

"Up In Mabel's Room" provides a delightful evening of laughs over a chemise which a young innocent husband gives his bride who later discovers him, and then holds the chemise (on which is embroidered "Mabel from Garry" over the head of Garry, who poses as an innocent beelzebub. Garry, of course, tries frantically to retrieve the elusive chemise, aided by his faithful valet.

Marie and the rest of those who at one time or another are caught "up in Mabel's room," including Harrison Ford, Phyllis Haver, Harry Myers, Sylvia Breamer, Paul Nicholson, Maud Truax, Carl Gerard, William Orlamond and Arthur Hoyt—are all kept busy demonstrating some delightful theerems in fun.

They conclusively prove that Mabel's room is the world's busiest boudoir; that doors are inventions for creating circumstantial evidence; that beds are things to hide under rather than to sleep in; that one's signature on a blank check is far less dangerous than one's signature on a chemise; that some husbands tend to business and others to monkey business, and that many a peril looms ahead for the giver of autographed lingerie. The feature is well worth while. Don't miss it!

HARRISON FORD, MARIE PREVOST
In picture "UP IN MABEL'S ROOM"
Released by PRODUCERS DISTRIBUTING CORPORATION

White Swan Tea Will Drive Imp Fatigue Away

Hot weather, fatigue being the order of the day right now, the Waples-Platter Grocer Company, the 53-year old wholesale grocery firm with houses all over the Southwest, has hit upon a new way of telling its advertising story about White Swan Tea. In this issue we begin a big advertising campaign built around an impish little character called "Fatigue."

Instead of long-winded descriptions of the wonderful quality of White Swan Tea, the ads picture ways and times that "Fatigue" gets you in hot summer. "Fatigue" is shown as a little imp of heat and weariness; face in misery, tongue panting, perspiration dripping—he makes you thirstily look at him. The ads show feverishly how "Fatigue" days are here, how he hits you three times a day and more, how he hovers over the Southwest, how he hinders housework and gets in the way generally these days.

Then in a simple striking way, the ads show how White Swan Tea "Drives Fatigue Away." White Swan Tea, as you know, is a fine quality Tea blended by Waples-Platter themselves strictly for the Southwest where ICED Tea is a necessity. It is a remarkable blend of Teas selected from the districts famous for the purity, strength and delightful flavor of their Teas; its strength, full body and rich color make it especially adapted to the making of delicious ICED Tea.

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Peavine Hay Now Is Produced In South Texas

By United Press. COLLEGE STATION, July 9.—The evolution of the cowpea, raised for making hay, from a small sprawling vine to one of upright growth resulting in easier harvesting and a finer hay, is reported by the experiment station of A. & M. College.

A & M. Specialists and county agents are instructing farmers in its growth for hay, as it was heretofore raised solely for soil breeding purposes. The cowpea is now being raised in Bee, Jim Wells and San Patricio, Kleberg and DeWitt counties.

NEW COLD STORAGE PLANT FOR WICHITA FALLS

By United Press. WICHITA FALLS, July 9.—A new cold storage plant is to be constructed by the Peoples Ice company, according to a recent announcement of the firm.

WILL R. SAUNDERS
LAWYER
Texas Guaranty Bank Bldg., Breckenridge, Texas
Compensation Insurance Specialty

All Communities Wanted to Take Part in Fair

Communities that did not take part in the Eastland county fair last year with exhibits are being asked today by Secretary George Briggs, Eastland Chamber of Commerce, to come in with exhibits this time and show that Gorman, Carbon and other small towns cannot have it all their own way. Briggs said that the prize money had been increased and that there would be two classifications, one for incorporated towns and one for unincorporated.

The following is a copy of the letter sent to leading men in the communities:

"You are interested in your community's welfare. One of the best plans to develop the co-operative spirit of your community is in having a community exhibit at the Central West Texas Fair at Eastland, Sept. 22 to 25, inclusive.

"Last year, six communities took part in the Fair, and they are all enthusiastic for this year. We are planning to erect a building for these exhibits and will have everything in fine shape for you. While it takes some planning and work to get up such an exhibit it is well worth your effort. Will you not take this up with your neighbors and talk it over. If you find that your community is interested in such an exhibit, both Mr. Bush, county agent, and I will be glad to meet with you and help you plan this exhibit."

UNLUCKY DRINKING
By United Press. MEXICO CITY.—Police here have revealed new superstition among the citizens of the underworld. Two pick-pockets fought because one of them drank from a glass from which the other had been drinking. This, it developed, is supposed to bring bad luck. Both are in jail.

Mysterious "Treasure Hunt"

Fitch takes the "Sham" out of Shampoo

Whether your hair is bobbed or long—whether you have dandruff or not—your hair and scalp should be kept clean and healthy by the regular use of the Fitch Shampoo.

No other shampoo can do what Fitch's will. The Fitch Shampoo dissolves and removes from the very first application every particle of dandruff and foreign matter, leaving the scalp clean and healthy and the hair soft and fluffy.

The Fitch Shampoo is crystal clear. Every particle is soluble in water and can easily be rinsed out. After a Fitch Shampoo there is no necessity for an acid rinse which tends to dull and discolor the hair.

Make your next shampoo a Fitch. Buy a bottle at any toilet goods counter or write direct to the F. W. Fitch Co., Des Moines, Ia., for free trial bottle. See for yourself how beautiful your hair can be—know the joy of a really clean scalp. If Fitch's isn't all we say, take it back and your money will be refunded.

"There's Beauty for You—in the Fitch Shampoo"

After the Shampoo, there is a FITCH TONIC for every hair and scalp condition!

For tender, sore, itching scalp FITCH'S IDEAL

If the hair is inclined to be oily, FITCH'S QUININE or SUPERBE

To treat the hair to stay in place, use FITCH'S LA FONIA

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AN ORDINANCE LEVYING A TAX ON DOGS; PROVIDING FOR THE VACCINATION AGAINST RABIES AND REGULATING THE RUNNING AT LARGE OF SAME, ETC.

Be it Ordained by the City Commission of the City of Eastland, Texas, Any person desiring to keep a dog or dogs within the city limits of Eastland, Texas, shall pay to the city collector the sum of One Dollar and Fifty Cents (\$1.50) for each dog owned; and the city collector shall give a license to keep dogs so paid, from first day of June of each year, and the city collector shall then deliver to the holder a plate or metal for each dog; which metal shall bear some stamp to be determined by the city manager, and the holder shall securely fasten same to a collar which shall be worn by the dog at all times; and the license issued for each year shall be numbered from one and upward, and a list of same shall be posted or kept in the office for inspection of any person interested.

No license shall be issued by the city collector of the city of Eastland until the owner has had the dog for which the license was applied vaccinated against rabies; and there shall be furnished to the city collector before any license is issued a signed certificate by a licensed veterinarian recognized by the city commission and the live stock sanitary commission, certifying that the dog for which the license is applied has been, within the past 12 months, vaccinated to prevent the dissemination of rabies; and it shall be unlawful for any person to keep a dog or dogs within the city limits of the city of Eastland, unless such dog or dogs shall have been vaccinated by a licensed veterinarian, recognized by the city commission and the live stock sanitary commission within 12 months prior to June 1 of each year.

It shall also be unlawful for any person or persons to permit any stray dog, now owned or kept by him, to remain on his premises longer than 24 hours without notifying the chief of police.

It shall be the duty of the chief of police to cause all dogs running at large, without having on their neck a collar and an appropriate medal as provided for above, to be taken up and impounded and no dogs so impounded shall be released until said tax together with 25 cents per day on such dogs impounded, has been paid. All dogs not claimed or redeemed as heretofore provided for, within three days after impounding of same, shall be disposed of by the chief of police in such manner as he deems advisable.

All persons living within the city of Eastland, who own a dog or dogs, shall be and are required to keep the same restrained and confined on their respective premises; and it is hereby made unlawful for any dog or dogs, to be permitted to run at large and unrestrained on the streets and alleys of the city of Eastland.

People visiting the city with dogs shall be required to confine the same to their vehicles while in the city, and upon failure to do so, shall be liable to all penalties imposed upon the residents of the city, and it shall be the duty of the city manager of the city to prescribe all necessary rules and regulations for the enforcement of this rule and it shall be the duty of the chief of police to see that it is enforced in all respects.

Any person violating any of the terms of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of an offense and upon conviction shall be fined in a sum not less than two dollars nor more than fifty dollars.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed insofar as they conflict with this ordinance.

In view of the existence of an imperative public necessity creating an emergency, this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Passed and approved, this 21st day of June, 1926.

Approved: G. G. HAZEL, Chairman of Commission, City of Eastland, Texas.

Passed: W. E. DAKAN, City Clerk, City of Eastland, Texas.
June 25-July 2-9.

College of I. Arts Budget Calls For About \$2,000,000

DENTON, July 8.—A budget of approximately \$2,000,000 which will be presented to the State Board of

Control for approval at Austin Friday, July 9, was compiled by the Board of Regents of the College of Industrial Arts at their meeting June 30, according to L. H. Hubbard, president of the college. The summary of the legislative budget for the biennium, 1928-1929 reads as follows: Totals, 1928, \$1,000,895; 1929, \$80,525, total \$1,810,420; compared with 1926, \$935,557; 1927, \$819,813, total \$1,755,370.

These totals are divided as follows: Salaries, 1928, \$417,820, 1929, \$350,350; Maintenance and equipment, 1926, \$100,257, 1927, \$72,463; permanent improvements, 1924, \$481,500; 1929, \$292,500; 1926, \$479,600; 1927, \$385,000. Salary increases have been asked for the entire faculty, special effort having been made to stress the need of salary increase for the second positions in the department.

AMERICA'S GREATEST GOLFERS ARE CONTESTANTS IN SCIOTO COUNTRY CLUB TOURNAMENT

By H. W. SHARPE, United Press Staff Correspondent. COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 8.—America's best known golfing figures today appeared on the newly remodeled course of the Scioto Country Club for the first day's play of the American Open tournament.

From 8:45 a. m. until 3:05 p. m., at intervals of five minutes, the stars of the links were scheduled to leave the first tee on their quest for the country's leading golf title which will not be decided until Saturday.

The entry list disclosed the names of 153 golfers, more than 100 of whom were forced to qualify in sectional rounds, and the field was but little reduced by scratches.

Probably never before in the history of American open championships have so many high ranking professionals and amateurs entered for the three days' play.

Bobby Jones Favorite. Bobby Jones, with his second overseas record topped by the annexation of the British open title, is the favorite. Bobby last year bowed to Willie McFarlane only after a heart-rending play-off in which one hole was the deciding factor, and the young Atlanta is determined to win his second American open crown.

Other amateurs who will match their skill with professionals include George Van Elm, who tied with Walter Hagen for third place in the British open; Watts Gunn, last year's runner-up in the amateur championship; Roland Mackenzie of Washington, and Max Marston.

Sweetener Absent. Jess Sweetser, the New Yorker who captured the British amateur title will be unable to compete, having failed to recover from illness suffered since he left England.

Among the professionals are such stars as Walter Hagen, Jim Barnes, J. Watrous, Bobby Chickshank, Bill McIlhenny, Willie McFarlane, Leo Diegel, Jack Hutchinson, Gene Sarazen, Cyril Walker, Emmett French, Tommy Armour and Ben Stein—each with a chance to carry off chief honors.

There are few foreigners entered. Archie Compston, the young English pro who was disqualified on the final 72 at St. Anne's on the sea for shooting from out of bounds, is the British hope. Thomas E. Howard and Peter V. O'hara are entered from Australia, while Canada will be represented by R. Cunningham of Kingston.

Tricky Course. All that is tricky in the way of golf architecture is provided at Scioto, which has been reconstructed for the championship.

The course measures 6,788 yards and par is 72, calling for 86 to each nine. There are four holes on which par is three and an equal number where five strokes are required for perfect golf.

So difficult is the course that victory may go to any player who breaks 80 for the 72 holes. Jones won the British open with 291, but Scioto is longer than St. Anne's even if not burdened with so many puzzling short holes.

George Sargent, who won the open in 1909 and is the professional at Scioto, believes it is a fair course, however. There are equal hardships with every club and the player who is particularly strong with his drive will have no advantage on another golfer powerful with his irons or putter.

First Will Test. The first nine holes offer the greatest test. Of these No. 2, 3, 6 and 8 call for a display of skill. The second hole is a "hoop-backer" that demands a straight drive of at least 200 yards

if the rough is to be avoided. A platform green on No. 3, calling for a carefully angled approach is the despair of mediocre golfers. The dog-leg nature of the 550-yard sixth hole may draw as many 6's as 5's even from the best, and the 480-yard eighth, its green sand-trapped on two sides and with water hazards at the front and rear, is nothing more or less than a "wow."

Anticipating as large a gallery as ever gathered for an open tournament, Scioto officials have appointed 18 committees to handle the play, the crowds and the scoring. Ringside seats have been provided for the close ones that end on the eighteenth and the first tee shots also will be visible to the sitting gallery.

"Jake" Is Fast Disappearing In Lone Star State

FORT WORTH, July 7.—Jamacia ginger or "Jake," is fast disappearing in Texas and his use as an intoxicant will quickly die out, according to Major Herbert H. White, federal prohibition administrator for Texas and Oklahoma.

An edict recently went into effect which places "Jake" in the same class with whiskey, with like penalties for manufacture, transportation, sales or possession, White said.

Crippled Man Is In Training For the Olympics

SEATTLE, July 6.—Practically a cripple in his childhood, but now an athlete through sheer force of will although still handicapped with a lame shoulder, Thomas W. Peirce swims three miles every day and sometimes more.

He has given up his business and is devoting his entire time to training for the 1928 American swimming team.

His work has already attracted attention and he is considered the outstanding long distance swimmer of the Pacific northwest.

When a baby, Peirce contracted an infection which required several operations, leaving him practically a cripple. Until he was seven years old he could not walk, but persistent out-of-door life brought him back to something approaching health.

Then a second catastrophe befell him. He was thrown from a horse when 11 years old and received a badly broken arm at the shoulder, which still remains a serious handicap.

In his school days, Peirce realized that he was a weakling and started a long uphill fight to overcome his physical defects. By the time he was 21 he had become a recognized amateur athlete.

He has already many cups and medals to his credit. In 1923 he came in second in the annual five-mile race at Rockaway beach, losing only to Ludy Langer, of the American Olympic team of 1920.

Peirce's trainer, Ray Daughters, says that even at the present time, there are few who can beat him in a five-mile race.

Elks Planning Entertainment For El Paso Club

Ranger Elks are planning a great 20 minutes Saturday, when the El Paso delegation bound to Chicago for the national convention of B. P. O. E. get here.

The train will stay about 20 minutes, arriving about or possibly a little before one, Saturday afternoon.

The Texican band accompany the Queen Sabe club will favor Ranger listeners with a concert and the delegates will leave their train and mix with their brother Elks and their friends.

What the local Elks will do by way of entertainment for the visitors is not yet known.

Ranger Woman On Program Of Highway Meet

At a meeting of the State Highway association, held in Galveston, July 5 and 6, Mrs. J. M. White of Ranger, state chairman of highways and memorial tree planting, of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, appeared before the commission and made an address in the interest of women's clubs and their attitude toward highways and the preservation and planting of trees.

Her address was received with much enthusiasm, for even an august body at the highway convention, know that the real power behind the thrones, and highways is the women, and what they as a whole want, is not to be ignored. Mr. White accompanied Mrs. White to Galveston.

SAFEGUARDING WORKMEN AT OIL DERRICKS

Petroleum engineers of the Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce, have completed a study of methods of safeguarding workmen at oil derricks. Safety devices in the oil fields are in a constant state of development, and each year many improvements are effected and changes made for the greater protection of the workers. It was found that progress has been especially rapid along improvements in methods of constructing derricks and safeguarding the men who work in them. The results of the Bureau's study, with recommendations on the best practices to follow, will be issued as the second of a series of technical papers on oil-field safety. The first of the series, on mechanical guards in rotary drilling, has been published.

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

GOING EAST

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

LEAVES RANGER to Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 8:20 a. m., 11:25 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 4:50 p. m., 8:20 p. m.

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1 lb. Calumet baking powder	26c
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Saltine crackers, 2 boxes for	25c
15 oz. Sunmaid seedless raisins	25c
2 packages	25c
White Swan coconut 1/2 lb., each	10c
Post Toasties, each	15c
Tall Carnation or Pet Milk, 5 for	55c
9 small for	50c
Pinto and navy beans, 3 lbs.	25c
Red Ball oranges, 2 doz. for	35c
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Secretary.

Eastland County Is Good Fruit Producing Area

That Eastland county can produce as fine fruit as any other section of the world is being demonstrated around Ranger. First a home gardener has grown some as fine cherries as can be found, another has demonstrated that Bermuda onions can be made a profitable crop, now comes E. M. Campbell, a farmer on Route 2, on the old Ranger-Stephenville Road, that as fine peaches can be grown here as anywhere in the country. Another farmer, Mr. Galloway, has demonstrated that fine tomatoes can profitably be produced. The peach brought to the editor by Mr. Campbell is more than nine inches in circumference, and but for the

MARRIAGE LICENCES

Walter W. Erdington, Ranger, and Miss Charlotte Henson, Ranger.
Carl J. Irby, Rising Star, and Miss Martha E. Angel, Rising Star.
K. L. Manuel, Big Springs, and Miss Lois Jenkins, Big Springs.
R. B. Scott, Cisco, and Miss Annie Laurie Boon, Cisco.
T. B. Daniel, Novice, and Miss Dayle W. Barber, Novice.
F. W. Rotter, Rising Star, and Miss Margaret Moonkester, Rising Star.
C. W. Walker, Gorman, and Miss Johnny Faye Maples, Gorman.
A. M. Woosely, Breckenridge, and Miss Estella Painter, Breckenridge.

Mysterious "Treasure Hunt"

freeze, the tree would have made a fine crop. The tree is 18 years old, according to the farmer.

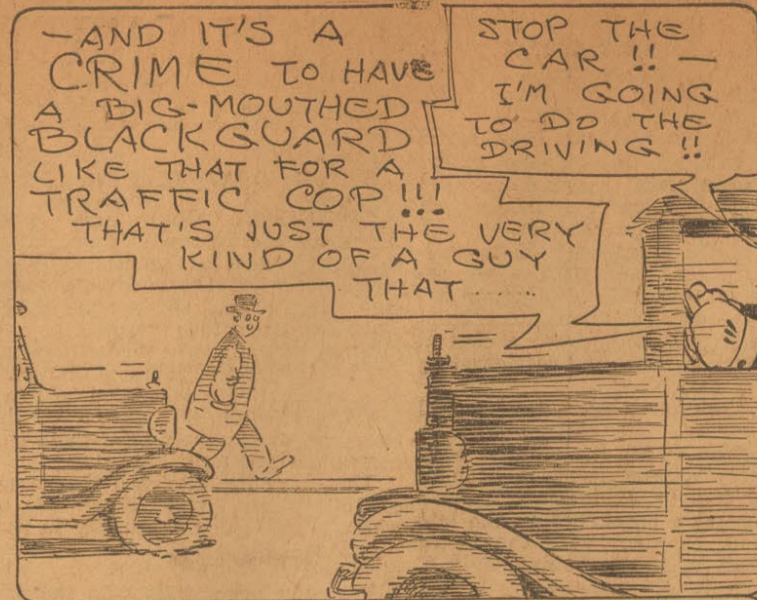
Road Building Material Is Found All Over Texas

AUSTIN, July 9.—That road building materials of unusually good quality are well distributed over Texas and in practically inexhaustible quantities is shown by the thousands of samples of such materials which have been tested by the engineering experiment station of the University of Texas. There are a great variety of these materials and they are found in nearly every part of the state. Some of the trunk highways are well favored in the matter of their building material being near at hand, while others are more or less remotely situated from the source of supply. The tests prescribed for materials for road construction are rigid and by conforming to them a much better type of highways is now obtained than was the case in former years, it is stated.

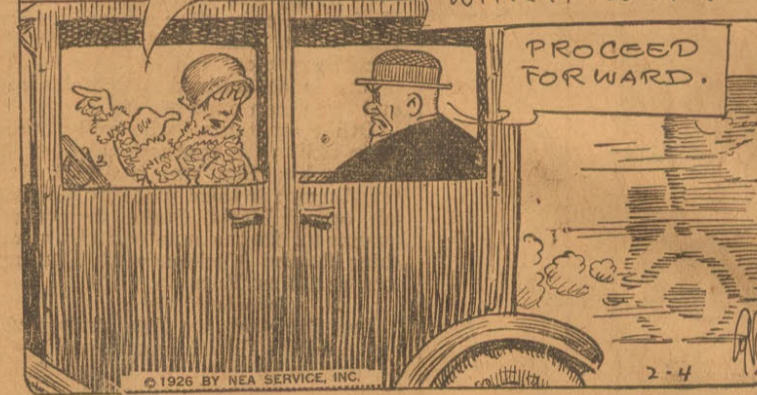
PLEASANT GROVE

PLEASANT GROVE.—We had a heavy rain here Wednesday night. The crops were needing it badly. A number of people from this community attended the automobile races at Abilene the Fourth. Miss Veta Hawkins' mother is here on an extended visit from El Paso. Miss Viola Threatt spent last weekend with friends in Cisco. Mr. Ben Lee's sister and family of Breckenridge visited Mr. Lee's family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kennedy and

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family, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Harrell and family. Miss Dorothy Watson and Miss Veta Hawkins visited Miss Elma Threatt Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Sewell and daughter, maidee, are visiting Mrs. Sewell's parents at Sherman. Miss Winnie Threatt was the Sunday guest of Miss Annie Lee Lee. Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Watson visited Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Threatt, Sunday afternoon. Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Hollis and a number of young people from this community attended the B. Y. P. U. convention at Eastland Sunday afternoon. Miss Wilma Niver visited in Eastland, Sunday afternoon.

KANSAS OIL GUSHER REDUCES STATE TAXES

By United Press.
TOPEKA, Kans., July 9.—Kansas state taxes may be reduced materially through the striking of a 750-barrel oil well on the state's property near Winfield, state officials declare. It has been announced that revenues derived from the producer will go into the general revenue fund—subtracting just that much from the general levy.

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EXPEDITION TO STUDY WHALES' POLYGAMY

LONDON.—One of the announced objects of a new English scientific expedition is to learn whether whales are polygamous. A modern whaling ship and an up-to-date trawler have set out from Hull to join Captain Scott's ship "The Discovery" at Capetown. The vessels will operate around South Georgia, a small British island in the South Atlantic, and the West African coast. If it is found that the male whale has more than one mate, measures will be taken to safeguard the male and further propagate the species.

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New Sprayer To Kill Pests On All-Raw Crops

(Continued from page one.) with startling results. On the Wright farm the machine only covered a few rows of the cotton and within a few days A. L. Wright, brother of P. G. Wright, who was a visitor, noticed that some of the cotton was much taller and better and the other, and he called the attention of his brother to this. The good cotton happened to be the stuff that had been worked over by the Martin machine.

The machine has also a smoke appliance for destroying bugs of all kinds that is harmful to crops. This machine is fitted on the back end of the conveyor, and is designed to force, by means of fans, a sulphur smoke down into the plants. What pests are not poisoned are stifled to death with the sulphur fumes, it was said.

Mr. Martin also said that he had shown the machine to R. H. Bush, county agent for Eastland county, who it was stated has also approved of the invention.

More Work More Efficient

The mechanism is all worked by cogs, wheels, and chains, connected with the wheels of the conveyor, which is drawn by a pair of mules, and the longer the machine is at work the more efficient it becomes. It is also claimed that the machine will vaporize and poison spray five acres of land while the ordinary duster will dust one. The sprayer it was claimed can be fitted with a rubber attachment and used for the destruction of rats and other destructive animals that make inroads into stored corn.

Death to Cotton Flea

The inventors said that they would give the machine a good tryout this week over, county areas where the cotton flea has made headway in the plants, and that they were sure that they will exterminate the flea with one operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin have three sons, all of whom were brought up in Eastland. One is a doctor at Austin, one at San Antonio, while the other is a druggist at Breckenridge.

Workmen Busy On the New Home Of Housewrights

W. W. Housewright, who recently purchased a home on Pine street, Ranger, from Dr. W. C. Palmer, is commencing the work of remodeling this house into a real home. Already the front porch of the present structure has been moved and mowers are ready to move the house to the side of the lot instead of the middle and as soon as this is done carpenters will begin the erection of a sleeping porch, and other rooms. When the various additions are completed it will be a most attractive home.

Mr. Housewright is another man who lives in Ranger, is in business in Ranger and wants his home in Ranger.

Exalted Ruler Heister Leaves For Convention

J. B. Heister, exalted ruler of Ranger Elks, leaves tonight for Chicago as a delegate from B. P. O. E. Lodge No. 1373, to the national convention of Elks and the dedication of their new memorial the service and sacrifice of its members during the world war. This handsome building, erected by the Elks of America, will be dedicated July 14, and in combining its two functions, that of a war memorial and executive headquarters of a great fraternity, it stands alone in its dual role. Mr. Heister will also visit his brother, in Harrisburg, Ill., whom he has not seen since the war, as well as other relatives. He will return home July 26.

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Our Brand Brown Domestic, special, 12 yards	\$1.00
25c25c Percale, on yard wide, special at	19c
Men's White Handkerchiefs, extra special	4c
One lot 50c Gingham, fast color, for only	29c
32-inch Gingham, Sale price only	19c
Underwear Voile, all colors, 35c grade for	24c
7 spools Clark's O. N. T. Thread	25c
One lot Ladies' Holeproof Silk Hose at	89c
One lot Dress Voile and Flaxon for	39c
One lot Baronet Satin on sale	99c
One lot small check Gingham, 32 inches wide, for	13c
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