

RENEWED RIOTING REPORTED AT VIENNA

RELENTLESS HEAT WAVE CONTINUES THROUGHOUT THE EAST

WILL ATTEMPT TO CUT AD VALOREM TO BONE

RATE-FIXING BOARD WILL MEET NEXT TUESDAY

Hatcher Says He Will Favor Big Reduction Cites Gasoline Tax

By United Press.
AUSTIN, July 16.—An attempt to cut the ad valorem tax rate to "the bone," will be made by W. Gregory Hatcher, state treasurer and member of the automatic tax rate fixing board at the meeting of the board Tuesday, it was announced Saturday.

The board is composed of Governor Moody, Comptroller S. H. Terrell, and Treasurer Hatcher and will go into session Tuesday to fix the ad valorem tax rate for next year.

Upsetting former predictions that the board would find it necessary to raise the present tax rate from 23c to the constitutional limit of 35 cents Hatcher said he was going to cast a vote in favor of reducing the present tax to the "lowest it has been since the administration of Tom Campbell in 1909 and 1910 when it was 5 cents and 4 cents respectively."

"Since last year the legislature has raised the gasoline tax to three cents, adding more than \$10,000,000 to the state's revenue, one-fourth of which goes to the school fund," said Hatcher.

"Certainly this increase in taxes, collected from all people demands reduction of the tax burdens."

Former Chief Police Gets Life Sentence

By United Press.
CANTON, Ohio, July 16.—Seranus A. Lengel, former chief of police of Canton, today was found guilty of murder in the first degree for his part in the assassination of Don R. Mallef, editor of the Canton News.

The jury recommended clemency, which saved Lengel from the electric chair, but he will be sentenced to life imprisonment which the verdict makes compulsory under the Ohio law.

Trio Deny Any Connection With Bank Holdup

By United Press.
TONKAWA, Okla., July 16.—Giving their names as Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Coombs and "Bo" Higgins of Panhandle, Texas, a trio of suspects were held by city authorities today in connection with the \$6,000 robbery of the National Bank of Billings, Okla., Friday. All three denied any connection with the holdup and offered alibis.

Labor Day Parade In Dallas May Be Discontinued

DALLAS, July 16.—The annual Labor Day "parade" will probably not be held in Dallas this year.

The carpenters local union No. 198 voted against the practice of holding a parade this year at a recent meeting. The majority of unions affiliated with the Central Labor council have indicated that they favor abolishment of the custom.

Plans are being made, however, for a celebration to be held at one of the city parks on Sept. 1.

SOVIET COMMISSIONER AND FOUR OTHERS KILLED ON TRAIN

LONDON, July 16.—A daily Mail dispatch from Riga today reported that a group of white Russians halted a passenger train in eastern Soviet Russia and killed Soviet Commissioner Ignatovich of the Statist-mining district, his secretary and three clerks.

Eddie Gets His Reward



Eddie Stinson, veteran Detroit aviator, won first place in the Ford reliability tour, just ended. So, when he came home, Mrs. Stinson was waiting to greet him and give him his reward. And how!

REPORT SIXTY ARE KILLED IN VIENNA RIOTS

Minor Riots Continue Throughout Night, Cabinet Meets and Decides Call Parliament at Once.

By United Press.
VIENNA, July 16.—Sixty persons were killed and between 300 and 400 wounded in yesterday's riots between socialists and police, it was estimated today. The dead and wounded include many police. Some estimates place the dead as high as 80.

Except for minor rioting in Vienna and at Neustadt, it was quiet throughout the country during the night.

The general strike, called in support of the socialists' retaliatory rights over the acquittal of Austrian fascists accused of murder affected the entire country.

The cabinet met last night and decided to convolve parliament as soon as possible. The socialists were demanding a reorganization of the government. It was believed a coalition parliament might be formed with socialists participating.

Captain Erwin To Test New Gasoline For Hongkong Trip

By United Press.
DALLAS, July 16.—A new gasoline lighter in weight than ordinary gasoline, perfected at Tulsa this week will likely be used by Captain William P. Erwin, when he hops from Dallas August 12 on an attempted flight to Hongkong. Erwin said today he would make several tests of the new gasoline as soon as he receives the plane he will use in the 10,000 mile flight. The plane he will use is under construction in a Wichita, Kansas, airplane manufacturing plant.

"If this new gas weighs half a pound per gallon less than ordinary gasoline it will enable new records in long-distance flying," Erwin said.

Erwin's proposed flight will cover much the same route covered by Smith and Bronte, civilian flyers who completed a flight to Hawaii yesterday. He contemplates stops at San Francisco and at Honolulu or Manila. The flight must be completed within 144 elapsed hours with not more than two stops in order to win the \$25,000 prize offered by William E. Easterwood, Dallas millionaire.

Francis De Villard, Hollywood, California aviator also plans to hop off from Dallas August 12 on the 10,000 mile flight.

Moscow Now Has 72,000 Licensed Receiving Sets

By United Press.
MOSCOW.—There are 72,000 radio receiving sets now licensed in Moscow and it is officially estimated that many more than that number are illegally and surreptitiously enjoyed without payment of a license tax.

The city authorities maintain loud speakers in more than 20 parks and public squares, which bellow speeches and music almost without interruption from dawn to darkness. At this season of the year, dawn begins at 1 a. m. and darkness doesn't come till midnight.

HIGH WINDS SWEEP OVER KANSAS CITY

Suburban Sections and Shawnee Get Brunt of Storm, Three Reported Dead.

By United Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 16.—Accompanied by a dazzling display of lightning high winds swept suburban section of Kansas City late this afternoon, inflicting a heavy toll in property damage. Three persons were reported dead at Shawnee, Kansas near here.

The wind at Shawnee demolished a score or more of houses and office buildings and nearly 50 persons were reported injured.

Communication to the small community had not been established and it was not possible to obtain accurate information.

Highways were strewn with debris delaying traffic. The small town was apparently the most seriously affected by the wind from early reports.

LONG SKIRT IS CAUSE OF DEATH, JURY DECIDES

By United Press.
LONDON.—A verdict of death from misadventure through tripping over a long skirt was returned recently at Cambervell at the inquest on Mrs. Elizabeth Alice Cottrell, a widow, aged 87.

Her son said that although he had often warned her about wearing such long skirts her old-fashioned ideas persisted and she refused to adopt more modern dresses. The morning she caught her foot in the folds of her skirt and fell fracturing her leg. She died a few days later in the hospital.

DEATH TOTAL MOUNTS IN TORRID BELT

Report From Weather Bureau Indicates No Relief Till Monday

The east's relentless heat wave continued unabated today adding to the death toll and assuring a sultry week which will cause record crowds to go to the beaches.

Five more deaths in New York City and the same number in New England today brought the total for the four torrid days to 123.

The weather bureau said relief might come by Monday.

A tabulation of deaths as reported by the United Press follows:

New York	24
New Jersey	19
Pennsylvania	19
Ohio	14
New York state, outside of city	11
New England	13
Chicago	10
Washington, D. C.	2
Baltimore	2
Detroit	2
West Virginia	5

LOS ANGELES AQUEDUCT IS DYNAMITED

By United Press.
LOS ANGELES, Calif., July 16.—Another chapter in the bitter Owens Valley water feud was written late yesterday and today when dynamiters set off a heavy blast at two widely separated points along the Los Angeles aqueduct.

The second blast, more serious than the first occurred about 1:30 a. m., eight miles north of Independence and was reported to have torn away the water gates, wrecking the canal for some distance.

Panhandle Gets Starting Work On Road Program

By United Press.
AMARILLO, July 16.—With \$4,000,000 now available of a total of \$6,000,000 in voted bonds and a like amount to be received through federal aid, work is starting on the construction of hard-surfaced roads in eight of the 26 counties in the Panhandle.

It is estimated the work will stretch over a period of two or three years. Contracts are being let rapidly in counties where work has not already started.

Impetus was given the construction of roads in the Panhandle at the first of the year when the state set aside \$600,000 for the maintenance of state designated roads in the division.

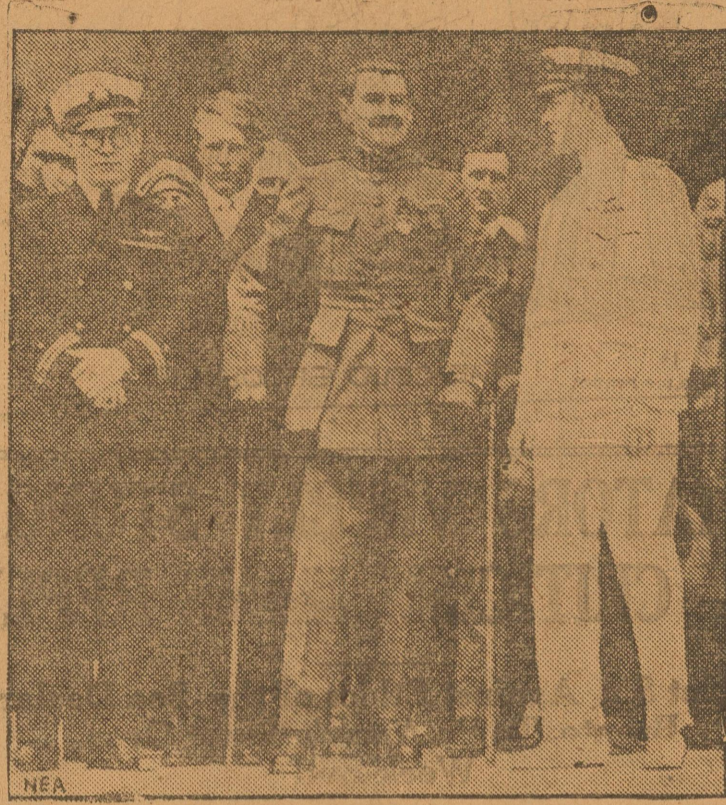
Mutilated Body Of Man Is Found Near Groesbeck

By United Press.
GROESBECK, Texas, July 16.—The body of a man identified by papers in his clothing as Eagen Beach, of Dallas, was found on the Southern Pacific railroad three miles from here early today.

The body was badly mutilated and he had evidently been dead for several hours according to officers.

The man was about 65 years old. A union card was found in his pocket dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, and bearing the name of Gray Jehnson.

The Byrd Miracle



When Commander Richard E. Byrd visited the maimed war veterans in the Invalides in Paris, Captain LeGendre, a crippled war aviator who had not walked in nine years, was so inspired that he rose from his wheel chair and strode to the Tomb of Napoleon, in the hospital grounds, 50 yards away, and back. Here you see him before the tomb, with Byrd at the right and Lieutenant George Noville, of the "America's" crew at the left. Physicians and nurses familiar with Captain LeGendre's condition considered the incident a miracle.

ITALY SENDS ULTIMATUM TO AUSTRIA

Unconfirmed Report Says Italy Demands Passage of Trains Over Austrian Border Immediately.

By United Press.
LONDON, July 16.—An Innsbruck message to the Berlin correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph reported today that Italy had sent an ultimatum to Austria, demanding passage of Italian railway trains through Austria.

If the trains are not permitted to pass the frontier tonight the reported ultimatum said Italian railway staff troops will force them through.

The message further stated that 1,000 Italian soldiers are being rushed to a point near the frontier.

The United Press is without any confirmation of the report from either its Rome or Vienna bureaus.

Navy Secretary Warns Against Calls For Help

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, July 16.—The calls for help from the trans-Pacific flyers, Ernest Smith and Emory Bronie, who radioed they were landing in the Pacific were characterized today as "a serious matter" by Secretary of the Navy, Wilbur, who issued a warning that aviators in the future must be careful in sending out distress signals.

Wilbur said he did not mean to rebuke the gallant flyers but his was a friendly suggestion.

"If they want help they should let us know of their whereabouts. It is highly important that men should realize they are imperiling the future flyers when they give out what amounts to erroneous information," he said.

Amarillo Man Is Named President Of Claim Agents

DALLAS, July 16.—Pewman Jarrett, claim agent for the Sante Fe railroad at Amarillo was elected president of the Texas Southwest Railway claim agents association at the closing session of its convention here today.

Galveston will receive the 1928 convention. Galveston defeated Texarkana.

Refuse Dental Work Tendered Their Children

By United Press.
LONDON.—The London county council's campaign in the schools, to combat bad teeth in young children, has resulted in many amusing explanations from parents who refuse free treatment offered them by the L. C. C. These are a few following examples:

"His father has had toothache all his life, so the child will have to put up with it."

"Bad teeth run in the family."

"The same Power that placed them there will make due change when necessary."

FARMER KILLS WIFE WITH HOE, TAKES POISON

After Brutally Murdering Wife He Calmly Drinks Poison, Tosses Bottle Away, Dies By Side of Wife.

By United Press.
MARIETTA, Okla., July 16.—While their 12 year old daughter looked on Ed Warren 79, tenant farmer of the Belleville community, west of here, slew his wife with a hoe and then drank poison, dying by his wife's side.

Warren, father of six children was believed to have been crazed. According to the story told by the hysterical young girl her father walked to a nearby field, wrenched a hoe from his wife's hands and struck her down.

The girl, alarmed ran to the field only to see her father slash her mother's throat with a pocket knife.

The girl then dragged her mother's body to a spot near the farm house while her father strode back to the house. He emerged from the doorway drunk contents of a bottle tossed it away, and without showing signs of pain walked to side of his wife where he died.

SAPIRO ANNOUNCES SUIT AGAINST FORD SETTLED

By United Press.
CHICAGO, July 16.—The \$1,000,000 libel suit that Aaron Sapiro, Chicago attorney instituted against Henry Ford, as a result of articles appearing in the Dearborn Independent, has been settled, Sapiro announced today.

SCATTERED FIGHTING FOLLOWS CLASH

Fifty-Two Reported Dead, Many More Are Seriously Wounded

By United Press.
BRATISLAVA, Czecho-Slovakia, July 16.—Renewed rioting was reported from Vienna late today. Information reaching Czecho-Slovakia border said that clashes had continued in the outlying districts of the Austrian capitol at 3 p. m.

Crowds were said to have attacked policemen who fired and wounded several persons, killing one woman.

The conference by which the leaders of socialist and non-socialist hope to resolve the differences which yesterday led to rioting ended only by machine gun fire from police and guards were ruptured when premier Seitel and Mayors Veitz, confessed themselves unable to agree.

Telephone and telegraph service was cut off because the workers left their posts and refused to resume their duties until the government resigned.

To file this dispatch the writer was forced to leave Austria and cross the Czecho-Slovakia frontier 30 miles from Vienna.

Casualties number 52 dead, 250 seriously wounded and several hundred slightly wounded.

Among the latter were members of the police who quelled the rioting in front of the place of justice yesterday only by turning machine guns on the surging mobs.

The heavy fighting ended at 9 o'clock last night but all through the early morning shooting could be heard.

Smackover Man Shoots Wife As She Runs Away

By United Press.
EL DORADO, Ark., July 16.—Firing as he ran after his wife, J. E. String, 50, Smackover iron worker, discharged four loads of shot from a pump gun into her body at their home here today.

The shooting occurred as Mrs. String, 36, started to enter the house after an absence of several days.

She died a few minutes later. Domestic difficulties were blamed.

Search Still On For Robbers Of Oklahoma Bank

By United Press.
ENID, Okla., July 16.—Two bandits who held up and robbed the National bank of Billings, Okla., 30 miles northeast of here late yesterday, taking \$4,000 in currency and \$2,000 in bonds have not been apprehended.

Officers of Kay and Noble counties posting lookouts on all highways in this section have reported no arrests.

Seeks Injunction To Stop Taking Of Family Flivver

By United Press.
FORT WORTH, July 16.—Instead of attempting to retain the old family homestead D. E. Green is seeking to enjoin H. C. Wallenberg and Sheriff Carl Smith from taking the "family flivver."

When the sheriff appeared to serve attachment papers on the machine for a \$126 judgment obtained by Wallenberg against Green last fall Green immediately brought injunction proceedings.

Green contends the car is a mode of conveyance for his family and is exempt from attachment.

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FROM THE BIBLE
GOD'S OPPORTUNITY—The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise. Psalm 51:17.
PRAYER—O Lord, Thou art ever standing at the door of the heart pleading for admittance and when it is opened Thou dost enter.

TREND OF THE TIMES
 The chaplain of the Texas state penitentiary handed in his resignation the other day giving as his reason that he either couldn't stand to see people killed or didn't want to see them killed. Probably, too, he reckoned that he could do more good trying to save souls than he could by trying to comfort them after the state had condemned them to death.

More and more, a greater number of people are gradually coming to the same view of capital punishment that this Texas minister has shown. The trend of the times is away from capital punishment and some day this relic of barbarism will be viewed in the proper light by everybody.
 Only a few short years ago Texas substituted the electric chair for the hangman's noose, because death by electricity was regarded as less brutal and the chair as more humane than hanging. Also it used to be that the sheriff of each county had to carry out his own executions, but that has been changed too, with all executions transferred to the state prison.

These are nothing but slow, sure stages of development away from capital punishment. It may take years yet to completely abolish capital punishment in this Christianized enlightened country, but some day it will be a reality. We who regard ourselves as highly intelligent people shudder when we look back over the pages of time at the brutality practiced in days gone by. Years from now our grand children or perhaps our own children will shudder when they are reminded of the barbarism that is being legalized today.

People submit to capital punishment today only because it has been handed down to them as a legalized form of punishment for crime and not because they regard it as morally right. If every man and woman in this country who has arrived at the age of accountability were forced today to cast a ballot either for or against capital punishment we doubt very seriously if there would be anything like a majority in favor of this method of punishment. If each of us was forced to take an active hand in the executions we sanction there would not be near so many death sentences. If we were forced even to witness all the executions that we permit in our state we would soon turn against capital punishment.

The actual executioner is not to blame for the taking of a man's life. He is the servant of the state that does our bidding. The responsibility does not rest with the judge on the bench, the attorneys in the court nor the jury in the box. They too are our servants, paid by us to do as we say. We sanction capital punishment through the government that is of our own making.
 We do not believe in being tender with criminals. We believe they should have proper punishment administered to them but we doubt the moral right of capital punishment the practice of taking the life of another.

We know too there are instances where anything short of the death penalty looks like a miscarriage of justice. But even in these rare instances it may not be the proper thing to do to take a man's life.
 The trend of the times is away from capital punishment and some day it will be entirely abolished.

A Democrat is a man who thinks that if President Coolidge were elected for a third term he would change the name of Washington to Coolidgeville.
 Three new exit gates will make it possible to empty the State Fair of Texas grounds of all automobiles in ten minutes, it is said.



AVIATORS VISIBLY STUNG BY CRITICISM, MAKE REPLY
Did Not Sin Against Ethics of the Sea Declares Bronte, To Be Army's Guest Over Week-End

By United Press.
 HONOLULU, Territory of Hawaii, July 16.—"We didn't sin against the ethics of the sea when we sent out SOS," Emory Bronte, navigator of the plan, "City of Oakland," told the United Press today.
 It was his answer to criticisms for having summoned ships to his aid with distress signals.
 "We thought we were going down. Ernie Smith pumped gas by hand for two hours before the plane finally rose. We certainly wouldn't have sent those signals if he hadn't been in danger. We were prepared to take our chances in the sea. The radio was working imperfectly. We knew we would have to get out a report of our position or we were lost."
 Bronte repeated his feeling of pain to think that his actions were criticized.
 "One last moment of terrible suspense ended the flight," Bronte said. "It was a question of landing the plane against a tree or in the mud-hole. We couldn't clear the Kiawe forest. We knew the mudhole might hold death. Smith had to make his decision fast and he took to the bush."

Open Bids On Air Mail Contracts, Start This Fall

By United Press.
 WASHINGTON, July 16.—Bids for five new sidmail contract routes which will increase the great aerial net work to nearly 15,000 miles were opened here today.
 The new routes will add to and supplement 16 already in operation and three to start within 30 days.
 The five routes bid on today, will be started by late autumn.
 From two to four bids were submitted for each line.

Sammy Mandel Retains Light Weight Title

By United Press.
 RINGSIDE, Detroit, Mich., July 16.—Sammy Mandell, lightweight boxing champion of the world tonight successfully defended his title by defeating Phil McGraw of Detroit in 10 rounds.
 The decision was easily Mandell's. The little fighter from Rockford, Ill., who won the title last summer scored repeatedly with hard right and lefts to McGraw's head.
 Lloyd George rises from obscurity to remark that not more than 200 of the 700 members of the House of Lords have sufficient mental capacity to administer government. Great Britain certainly has been playing in luck of late.

WAR CHIEFTAIN'S COLOR BECOMES WOMAN'S STYLE

By United Press.
 NEW YORK.—Abd-El-Krim, the fierce Riff chieftain who for years kept the armies of France and Spain at bay, will be the model this fall for one of the latest modes in women's wear.
 Some of the robes found in his possession at the time of his surrender have recently been shown in Paris and so rich and colorful were the embroideries that fashion designers conceived the idea of adapting them to the haute couture. According to a dispatch from the Woman's Home Companion representative in Paris, the Arab embroideries will be a fall seasonal rage.
 French Colonial officials in promising courtiers of plentiful supply of the embroidery, have turned its use into a powerful factor for peace among the desert tribes. For centuries embroidering was carried on chiefly as a pastime but following the discovery of the rich varieties by fashion designers, the government is encouraging embroidering as a trade, thus creating a lucrative industry for the natives as a reward for living at peace with the outside world.
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Miss Davenport Leads In Voting For Miss Ranger

A count of the votes for "Miss Ranger" made at 8:15 Saturday night showed the standing of the various candidates to be as follows:
 Miss Elizabeth Davenport 1120
 Miss Ella Joy Ingram 1085
 Miss Myrtle Walker 425
 Mrs. Ben Neilson 220
 Miss Hilda Andrews 220
 Miss Lula Nell Trigg 190
 Miss Bena Avery 135
 Names of Misses Norman and Stags and Mmes. Green have been withdrawn from the contest and Misses Hagaman, Mitchell and Mrs. Joe Perdue are out of town.
 In the lobby of the Lamb Theatre a score board tells the story of the standing of each candidate.
 On Monday night at 9 o'clock the contestants will appear in their bathing suits before the Lamb audience so that Ranger may have a bathing review of its own.
 Much interest is being manifested in the contest and voting is expected to be very heavy from now on until the contest closes on Tuesday night.
 Raymond Teal will act as announcer Monday night as the various candidates for "Miss Ranger" appear on the stage.

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City Secretary Of Eastland In Grave Condition

Reports from the hospital in Dallas where Ed Dakan, secretary of the city of Eastland, underwent an operation Friday, stated that Mr. Dakan's condition was very grave and that little hopes for his complete recovery was offered by the surgeons. In fact, it is stated that the operation was not completed as his condition was found to be such that it was not thought advisable to operate.
 Mr. Dakan has been in ill health for sometime. His trouble is said to be in the nature of a cancerous condition of the stomach.
 His relatives in Eastland were advised that his condition was such that he might not live but a short while, and those of them who have not already gone to Dallas will leave Eastland today for that city.
 NEWLIN—This town recently added to ranks of West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

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'Twas Surprise Long Ago But Is Necessity Now

"Last night" records one in Washington's official life of long ago, "I was bid by our President of the White House, and it was a most unusual affair. Mrs. Madison always entertains with grace and charm, but last night there was a sparkle in her eye that set astir an air of expectancy among her guests.

"When the brilliant assemblage—America's best—entered the dining room they beheld a table set with French china and English silver, laden with good things to eat, and in the center, high on a silver platter, a large, shining dome of pink and cream.

"What is it?" I asked Mistress Dolly Madison, who was standing near me.

"A surprise for this occasion," she said, "It is ice cream. The cream is from our own dairy at Montpelier, and that exquisite color and flavor is the essence of strawberries from Virginia. Is it not a tempting dish?"

"Indeed, madam! I replied, 'Its beauty is rivalled only by your own, while its flavor I am sure would have made more famous still Hebe's cup of Youth. May I express the hope that ladies everywhere will adopt your charming surprise as a custom?'"

Examinations In Masonic Work Held At Ranger

Five members of the Ranger Masonic lodge recently stood and passed the examination for Masonic work in Texas. The examinations were conducted by M. C. Vaughan of Hillsboro, who is a member of the committee on work for the Grand Lodge of Texas.

Former Resident Of Ranger Dies At Weatherford

Several Ranger people attended the funeral of N. S. (Bud) Whitson, which was held Saturday afternoon at four o'clock in Weatherford, among the number being Owen and Garland Hinman, brothers-in-law to the deceased.

Palo Pinto County Woman Sues For Injury To Her Son

Alleging that her son, Frank M. Bowman, Jr., a minor, was seriously and permanently injured in an automobile accident caused by the carelessness of Mrs. G. C. Barkley, Mrs. Elizabeth Bowman has brought suit in the 91st district court of Eastland county against G. C. Barkley and his wife in which she seeks to recover alleged damages in the sum of \$35,000.00.

GORMAN NEWS BRIEFS

GORMAN, Texas, July 16.—Luke Grove of this city lost the middle finger from his right hand when it had to be amputated because of being mangled when a string of tools was dropped on it at a drilling well at Cross Plains.

C. O. Bragg of DeLeon, coach for the Gorman football teams, has been here looking the situation over with the view to starting the local team off for a winning team.

The Gorman Chapter No. 333 Royal Arch Masons recently installed the following officers: H. P. Watkins, M. E. H. P.; O. D. Erogdon, E. K.; T. J. Fuller, E. S.; J. E. Walker, Jr., Secretary; E. D. David, treasurer; B. I. Beleyu, Guard; W. I. Hunt, R. A.; O. C. Griffith, C. H.; J. L. Locker, P. S.; W. E. McKittrick, master 1st veil; T. A. Thompson, master 2nd veil, and L. C. Underwood, master 3rd veil.

Word has been received here of the death in Los Angeles, California, of Henry Muncill, formerly a Gorman resident. Muncill was found dead by the side of his motorcycle which he rode to and from his work.

Public Records

Instruments filed: Abstract of judgment, G. W. Cutler vs. Mat Steddum et al \$305.05. Transfer of lien, E. H. Buie to Hall Walker, lots 1 and 2, block 20, Ranger, consideration \$3,000.

Warranty deed, Freek-Reid Supply Co., to Ralph W. Keeran, lot 12 block 16, Jno. M. Gholson subdivision to Ranger, consideration \$2500.

Warranty deed, H. R. Clemmer et ux to W. A. Martin, part of block E-4, Eastland, \$80.

Trust deed, Ada D. Pearce to Eastland building and loan association, part of its 14, 16 and 19 block 35, Daugherty addition to Eastland, \$1,000.

Paving contract, W. A. Martin to West Texas Construction company, block E-4, Eastland, consideration \$189.78.

Assignment, Cull C. Moorman to S. C. Kelly, W 1-2 of SE 1-4 section 456, S. P. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$1.

Assignment, Cull C. Moorman to W. C. Hetherington, 7-8th working interest in W 1-2 of SE 1-4 section 456, S. P. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$1.

Release of vendors lien, Alice L. Daily to N. O. White, lots 13 and 15 block 2, Page addition to Ranger consideration \$200.

Warranty deed, N. O. White et ux to Otto Eller, lots 13 and 15 block 2, Page addition to Ranger, consideration \$400.

Assignment, Southwest National bank to John M. Gholson, part of John York survey, consideration \$1.

Release of vendors lien, North Texas National bank to W. D. Story, part of John York survey, consideration \$5,000.

Warranty deed, R. E. Sikes et ux to A. C. Shammess, S 1-2 of N 1-2 of block F-2, Eastland, consideration \$5,000.

Warranty deed, W. C. Marlow et ux to C. F. McClelland, et al, lots 3 and 4 block 3, Hodges central addition to Ranger, consideration \$200.

Sheriff's deed, H. D. Whittington et al to Burta Chastain, lots 2 and 4 block 13, Daugherty's addition to Eastland, \$16.

Assignment, H. B. Mays to J. H. Bingham, W 1-2 of SE 1-4 section 11 block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. \$1.

Release of vendors lien, North Texas National bank to W. D. Story, part of John York survey, consideration \$5,000.

Deed of transfer, W. H. Crow to Citizens State bank, lots 14 and 15, block 27, Ranger, consideration \$400.

Abstract of judgment, B. & H. Motor Company vs. Moody corp. \$231.

Assignment, W. E. Williams to G. A. Massey, NW 1-4 of section 23, block 4 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$1.

Bad for Bandits



Elizabeth Tew (below) and Mrs. Rebecca Sanford have sweet smiles, but they're bad medicine for bandits. An ambitious youth of that popular calling walked into the French Line Steamship office in Washington where the two are employed and 'lowed' as how he'd adhere to have the ample contents of the safe. A threatening pistol indicated the ardor of his admiration. Instead of compliance, Miss Tew and Mrs. Sanford, who were alone, offered him some high-class screams, and slammed and locked the safe. Exit the gunman without his booty.

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COUNTY FILES SUITS FOR COLLECTION OF TAXES

Suits to the number of 250 or 300 for the collection of state and county taxes for 1926 have been filed by the county attorneys' department at Eastland. "The law makes it the duty of county attorney to file these suits, and it is my intention to prosecute them one and all alike," County Attorney Sparks said.

SIERRA BLANCA—Plans under way for organization of Chamber of Commerce here.

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Spuds and Buffs Have Free For All At Wichita Game

By United Press.
WICHITA FALLS, July 16.—One black eye was the total of injuries in a free for all fist fight between four members of the Wichita Falls Spudders and the Houston Buffaloes at the local ball park Friday.

Sport Odds and Ends

MANTON STABLES
By United Press.
LONDON.—After being in the real estate market for over two years the famous Manton racing stable, presided over by Alec Taylor, has been purchased by the equally famous firm of Messrs. Tattersall.

The training establishment will still be carried on by Joseph Lawson, who has been associated with Taylor for many years. Alec Taylor will still be connected with the stable in an advisory capacity.

Patrons of the stable, who include the well-known personalities of Lord Astor, Lady James Douglas, W. M. G. Singer, W. M. Cazalet, M. M. Calmann and E. S. Tattersall will still continue as patrons under the new arrangement.

The racing history of the Manton stable goes back to the early days when Taylor's father first established the stable, and quickly made a reputation for producing winners of classic events both on British and continental tracks.

The great reputation this stable has made, has been ably upheld by the present trainer who, during the past thirty years, has won a vast sum in stake money for his patrons.

After the war, Taylor, who was the owner of the stable, sold the property to Joseph Watson, who, when given a peerage, took his title from the training establishment. On the death of Lord Manton the property came into the market and now it has passed into the able hands of Messrs. Tattersall, racing fans will be assured of the old traditions being maintained.

PONY RACING
By United Press.
LONDON.—Following the successful opening of London's dog-racing track, the promoters of the pony turf club intend to make strenuous efforts to complete the model racetrack at Harrow, which will be the headquarters of pony racing in Britain.

The syndicate responsible for the promotion has a capital of \$1,000,000 and should pony racing prove successful, similar tracks will be constructed near the towns of Southampton, Maidstone, Liverpool, Manchester, Glasgow, Bradford and several Midland cities.

"The track will be the last word in comfort," an interviewer was told. "It has long been felt that racing at present is too expensive for the average working man to follow, and we are aiming at an entrance fee of 25 cents instead of 75 cents as charged at the horse-racing tracks."

"A hand will play during the racing and there will be other forms of entertainment, possibly polo."

It is hoped to have the track at Harrow completed by the end of July and the first meeting will be held in the first weeks of August.

ARMY ATHLETICS
By United Press.
LONDON.—Britain is aiming to produce an army of athletes from her military forces. A recent memorandum, issued by the army council gives the following tests that soldiers in the British army must pass in order to attain the standard of physical efficiency required:

Run 10 yards in 11 3/5 seconds.
Run 1 mile in 5 minutes, 20 seconds.
Jump 5 feet in height.
Long jump 18 feet.
"Put" a 16 pound shot 32 feet.
"Heave" a 16 pound shot 32 feet.
Soldiers gaining 85 percent of marks or over in these tests are graded as "special," 75 percent or over "first class," 60 percent or over "second class," 50 percent or over "standard."

Johnson Will Meet Herring Sunday In Final Golf Play
By United Press.
AMARILLO, July 16.—For the third time Eddie Johnson and Doug Herring will meet to determine the Panhandle open golf championship.

Johnson and Herring will play a second play-off of 18 holes here tomorrow in an effort to break their tie for the title. Last Sunday, they battled through an afternoon of choppy golf for a 75 each. The Sunday previous they finished in a tie for the championship.

Miss Fort Worth



"Miss Fort Worth" in private life Miss Juanita Gilbert of Arlington Heights, is among the entrants in the Cisco Bathing girl revue which will climax the big celebration next Friday. She lacked but a slight margin of winning the recent Galveston International Exposition of Pulchritude.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS TO ATTEND LAKE OPENING

The members of the Texas Railroad Commission will attend the dedication services of the Lake Cisco beach at Cisco on July 22nd and will have headquarters both in Cisco and at the Lake, according to Deputy Oil and Gas Supervisor, O. H. Burkett of Cisco. Headquarters at the Lake will be at the Country Club, Mr. Burkett stated.

In addition to the members of the commission Chief Supervisor R. D. Farker and the deputy supervisors of the immediate territory will attend the Cisco meeting where oil men are invited to meet the members and discuss with them any questions and problems concerning the oil industry.

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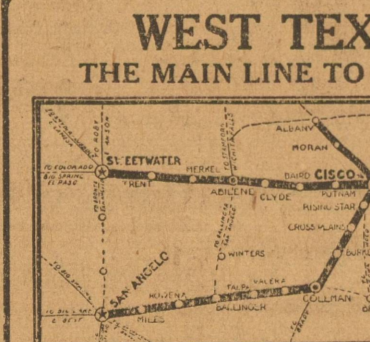
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West To Eastland, Cisco, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Abilene, Sweetwater, 9:10 a. m., 11:10 a. m., 2:05 p. m., 6:10 p. m., 7:15 p. m., 10:50 p. m.
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Philadelphia 11-11, Pittsburgh 10-9.
Cincinnati 3, Boston 2; second game, rain.
Brooklyn 3, St. Louis 0.
New York 6, Chicago 5.

Boston 6, Cleveland 3.
Chicago 7, Washington 5.
Philadelphia 9, Detroit 3.

ATHENIANS CAN'T TELL WHEN THEY HAVE FEVER

By United Press.
ATHENS.—Considerable surprise and concern have been caused here by the declaration of Professor Emmanuel of the Athens University, that most of the clinical thermometers sold on the market are incorrect.

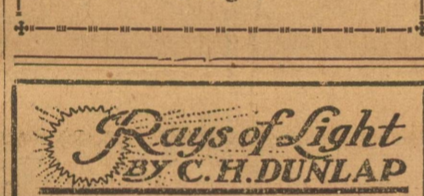
Errors varying from 5-10ths to 1 degree Centigrade have been shown he asserts, as a result of tests on more than 100 German and French thermometers.

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SUIT FOR DAMAGES RESULTS IN MISTRIAL

The case of Mrs. Jim Whitfield vs. Joseph Dry Goods company of Ranger in which the plaintiff seeks to recover \$10,000 for alleged damages to her hearing and hair as a result of injuries alleged to have been received while she was getting a permanent wave in a beauty parlor conducted by the defendant, resulted in a mistrial Friday. This is the second time the jury has failed to agree on a verdict in the case. The case was tried in the 88th district court.

SAN ANGELO—McMann Oil & Gas Company opens offices here in Mays building.

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RUSSIA TRIES NEW ROADS

By United Press.
MOSCOW—Experimental concrete and macadam roads have been built in the caucuses by the commissioner of Transport, in efforts to solve Russia's great internal need of passable highways. The severe frosts of winter make road-building in most parts of Russia particularly difficult. Most roads are now either soft dirt or cobblestone.

DEPUTY SUPERVISOR BACK FROM VACATION
Deputy oil and gas supervisor, I. J. Killough, who, with his family, has been on a fifteen day vacation, has returned to Eastland and will again resume the duties of his office in Eastland next Tuesday. Deputies O. H. Burkett of Cisco and W. J. Carden of Breckenridge, have been looking after the work in Mr. Killough's office during his absence.

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1924 TRUCW—Many trucks not half as good as this one are making their owners a good living; a little nerve and this truck will put you on easy street for	\$100
1924 TRUCK—You can't make a silk purse out of a sow's ear, but you can take this truck and make yourself a nice piece of money	\$150
1925 TRUCK—New cab, new body and motor completely overhauled; good as new but we couldn't eat a new one either; it's yours	\$350
1923 BUICK TOURING—Ego and false pride is all that has kept this car from selling; you couldn't beat it for real money's worth	\$275

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Ranger Attorney Has Three Rare Rousseau Books

In 1767, J. J. Rousseau, French philosopher and author, born in Geneva in 1712 wrote in one of his volumes "Its often the abuse we make of life, which makes it burdensome to us" but those words did not strike the eye when written as they do now, although they still are applicable to the human race. In three rare volumes of the works of Rousseau, owned by A. E. Firman, Ranger Attorney, the "s" we use today looks like an "f" only barred halfway and the "e" and "i" are combined in one letter. The three volumes came into the possession of the Ranger attorney fifty years ago, when his sister, Mrs. Annie Firman Jack, one of the famous actresses of her day, hunting through an old second hand store found five volumes of Rousseau, and knowing that her brother, then a lad of 18 was studying the History of the Republic government, bought and gave them to him. Two were borrowed and never returned. The books have had usage and are in still almost perfect condition as far as the text matter is concerned, although the bindings are somewhat worn. One volume states on its frontispiece Miscellaneous works of Mr. J. J. Rousseau. Vol. IV, London, MDCCCLVII. Volume III is "An epistle from J. J. Rousseau, citizen of Geneva, to Mr. D'Alembert, member of the French Academy, etc., concerning the article in the seventeenth volume of the Encyclopedia and particularly on the project of establishing a play house in that city." This volume also has a letter to Archbishop of Paris, one Christopher de Beaumont, to which is prefixed the mandate of the said prelate and also the proceedings of the Parliament of Paris relative to the new treatise on education, entitled "Emilius." His letter "From a Mountain" takes up political economy, an essay on music, two plays and letter to Voltaire, his contemporary.

Brigadier General William E. Murray Is Ranger Visitor

Brigadier General William E. Murray, who for the past two years has been stationed in the Philippine islands, is the guest of his brother, Walter Murray at 912 Strawn road, Ranger, today. Brig. Gen. Murray has been in the army since 1898 when he enlisted as a private for service in the Spanish American war. During the years that have intervened since that time Gen. Murray has seen coast service in the United States, opened up Fort Crockett at Galveston in 1910, was in charge of the school of fire at Fort Sill, Okla., during the world war, and has served several times in the Philippines. He is in the United States at this time and Saturday called up his brother and informed him that he would spend Sunday with him. He has been in Gainesville visiting his parents.

Eastland County Community Fair Idea Takes Well

The work of organizing community fairs in Eastland county has been going forward very successfully, County Agent J. C. Patterson, stated Saturday. Already fairs have been organized for the following communities: Cheney, September 17; Staff, September 8; Colony, September 15; Plattwoods, September 7; Qlers, (date not set); Scranton, September 14; Jan Horn, September 14; Word, September 13. No definite announcements have been made as to when the Eastland county fair, or rather the Central West Texas Fair, which is held annually at Eastland, would be held.

UTILITIES CONCERNS HOLD SAFETY MEETING AT CLUB

After Discussion of Many Safety Devices and Measures Those Present Enjoy Watermelon Feast

Last night about fifty employees of Oil Belt Power Company, Texas Electric Service Company and Crystal Ice and Cold Storage company held a get-together meeting and water melon feast at the Leon Lake Club House. At this meeting a Safety Organization was perfected, covering the entire Oil Belt territory. The purpose of this Safety Organization is three-fold; first, it is to safeguard the individual employee; second, to safeguard the public; and third, to protect the property of the Company. Instructive talks were made by J. E. Lewis, vice-president and general manager and by M. F. Gill, assistant manager, and by R. M. Moore, of the Safety Department of Texas Electric Service Company, after which talks the work of organization proceeded. Walter N. Hart, Superintendent of Crystal Ice & Cold Storage Company was elected chairman, F. S. Bird, Superintendent of Power and Construction of Oil Belt Power, was elected vice-president, and Herbert Reed, Private Secretary to J. E. Lewis, was elected Secretary. The appointment of different committees and organization of the different sectional groups was deferred until the next meeting, which will be called by the chairman.

Moore stated that a large percentage of accidents to workmen was traced to three causes, viz: lack of proper inspection and maintenance, employee doing his work in mechanical manner or lack of concentration, and doing the work in haste. When the business was over, the meeting adjourned itself into a social affair and proceeded to take care of Mr. Hart's ice cold water-melons, cigars and cigarettes. Mr. Hart stated that it is the aim of these utilities companies to put emphasis possible on safety and it is hoped to have a safety organization that will ever be on the alert in the prevention of accidents and in protecting the employees, the public and the property of the Company.

AUSTIN—Bids receiving for improvement to highways in Webb county.

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By United Press.
BONHAM, Texas, July 16.—An automobile, commonly referred to as a "small touring car" furnishes means of transportation to R. Wynne, division superintendent for the Texas and Pacific railroad here.

The machine equipped with a rigid front axle and flapper wheels instead of the usual rubber tires is capable of a speed of 40 miles an hour, according to Wynne. Wynne carries along his own turntable with the machine. When he arrives at the end of his division he jacks up the car swings it around and starts on the return trip.

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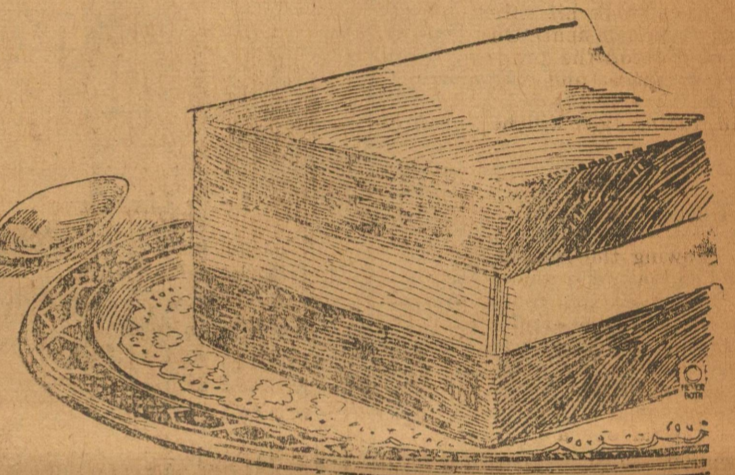
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Widths AAA to B. Sizes to 8½. Priced at \$8.50

We have plenty of black shoes in various styles pumps and straps, and in our usual wide range of sizes and priced conveniently.

Ranger May Have Large Swimming Pool Next Year

Probabilities of Ranger having a swimming pool 200 feet long and 40 feet wide with natural sandy beach, island, and everything, loomed large this week. There are a few minor details to be worked out before the site can be named, but sufficient for the time being is the fact that such a beach is possible to Ranger.

It will be connected to the city by a chatted driveway, which may be extended so as to make a perfect loop, thus offering bathers and those who enjoy bathing beaches the advantage of a serpentine drive.

The Ranger Chamber of Commerce, co-operating with the Rotary and Lions Clubs, has been working on the rejuvenation of Mirror Lake and Shamrock Park as a municipal playground. These plans will probably be gone through with as Ranger needs a close in park, but owing to the fact that a swimming pool at Shamrock Park would have to be of unusual size to take care of the crowds, it would hardly be probable that one that large would be built.

The plans drawn up for the remodeling of Shamrock Park are feasible and attractive, and do not call for such a large outlay as one might suppose.

As to the other project, which is still as it were under the hat, no estimate of cost has been made, but there is a place near Ranger that would furnish a 900 foot bathing pool—shade trees and a real beauty spot which by another summer may be opened up to the public.

Police Benefit Show Promises Big Success

Whether Ranger people are tired of identifying their policemen by their five gallon hats or whether the members of the police force are born salesmen, is hard to determine, but at any rate some cause is at the bottom of the phenomenal ticket sale they are staging for "The Unknown," benefit picture for the police department at the Lamb Theatre Tuesday night.

Advance tickets are going over big. One lot was ordered and they went like hot cakes. At noon Saturday another lot was delivered to the police department.

Saturday morning at 11 o'clock Wade Swift and Chief Jim Ingram needed an adding machine to keep track of the money that was piling in. It looks like blue uniforms and brass buttons from now on.

Something real majestic in a blue clad policeman. He looks classy and his clothes identify his profession. Strangers coming to Ranger will now have no trouble in picking out the law for his blue clothes, and brass buttons will tell the story.

The force is behind the ticket sale strong. They want their uniforms and they want the public to see one of the most gruesome pictures of the underworld ever written. Lon Chaney plays a sinister, remorseless sideshow freak in the new picture—which is a strange mystery picture with a circus in the background. He throws knives with his feet and performs other marvels while secretly ruling the underworld with his unbody power.

The police force only gets credit for the advance tickets sold, and let the tickets sold at the window so when they approach and want to sell a ticket buy one or take thirty days.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

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J. D. Adams and Miss Bernice Wadley, route 1, Cisco.

J. C. Mankin and Miss Virgie Proctor, route 7, Rising Star.

Barton Witherspoon and Miss Zola Wheeler, Cisco.

Roy Capshaw and Miss Mary Kelley, Cisco.

Eats No Candy



Frances Polson, who has reached the age of ten years and never eaten candy or drunk tea or coffee, was chosen queen of a recent health carnival at Yakima, Wash. Ten hours' sleep, two hours of recreation and plenty of vegetables are her receipts for good health.

BRIGGS WRITES ARTICLE ON CO-OPERATIVE MARKETS

A splendid article on "Co-operative Marketing" by Geo. W. Briggs, secretary of the Eastland chamber of commerce, appeared in this week's Farm & Ranch of Dallas, one of the leading farm journals of the Southwest. At least one other article on this subject from Mr. Briggs' pen will appear in the Farm & Ranch.

Officers Make Raids Saturday, Secure Much Beer

Members of the Eastland county sheriff's department Saturday made two raids in which they captured a quantity of beer and wine.

W. M. Johnson, negro, of Eastland was arrested when the officers found 140 bottles of beer in his car. The car was confiscated.

The second raid made by the officers was near Nimrod. Only a small quantity of wine was secured as a result of this raid and no arrests were made.

John D. Rockefeller was 88 the other day. Now if we can only find out when Chauncey Depew and Thomas Edison hold theirs.

The girls used to apply irons to shirt fronts. Now they use them on the links.

Well, you can't expect warm days in winter, can you?

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Phone 109**

Location Is Made For Oil Test Well At Rising Star

RISING STAR, July 16.—The location has been made and rigging will soon be underway for the first oil test to be drilled on the Rising Star townsite. It was first intended that the test would be drilled on property owned by the city, but this plan was abandoned. Contractors are to drill the well on a 50-50 basis with 28 stockholders and are to go to the Bowden sand should oil or gas in paying quantities not be found at a shallower depth. Twenty locations for wells have been made should this test prove to be a producer.

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Opening of a new radiator shop—equipped with machinery which guarantees better work. Fender straightening and welding without removing fenders. Repair work on wrecked bodies, bumpers and frames.

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This garment is made in various materials at all prices. It is unusually long with elastic inserts at the hips to take care of the diaphragm, and will also hold the garment in place, so that it will not "ride up."

It is made long enough to take care of the top of a topless corset. The shirred elastic shoulder straps give adjustability.

Sizes 32 to 48

Brassiere for the Debutante

A bandeau for the small figure. This type is ideally adopted for the young growing girl, and those of small figure, who require just a slight support over the bust. It is made in various materials in pink and black and at all prices. Many of the numbers are daintily trimmed with fine lace edges, some are made with ribbon shoulder straps and others with all narrow elastic shoulder straps. The shoulder straps on these garments can easily be removed for evening wear.



These are only two of the many styles in our stock of these fine corselettes and brassieres.

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LOT 3 In this lot you will find dozens of shoes of well known makes, well arched and snug-fitting, for \$3.85



Here is the Reason

Our annual shoe clearance sale was supposed to close Saturday but because of the influx of many patrons we are extending these many shoe values for just two more days. There are many lots of low and high heels, one-strap and various shades of footwear left on the bargain counter. We invite you to our store during these two days to prove these prices are really amazing.

Look These Over!

We have your size and the quality; prices ranging from \$1.85 to \$9.85

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REVIVAL MEETING AT RISING STAR BEGINS

Rising Star, July 16.—Elder R. H. Montgomery, minister of the local Church of Christ, assisted by Ernest Wright, singer of Haskell, will begin a revival meeting here Sunday, July 17, which will continue until August 1st. There will be services twice daily at 10:00 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

RANGER FAMILY RETURNS FROM DAVIS MOUNTAINS

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Stackable and children returned Saturday from a trip to the Davis Mountains. While away they visited Madeira Club in the Davis Mountains, which is situated some 6,000 feet above sea level and is said to be one of the coming summer resorts of Texas.

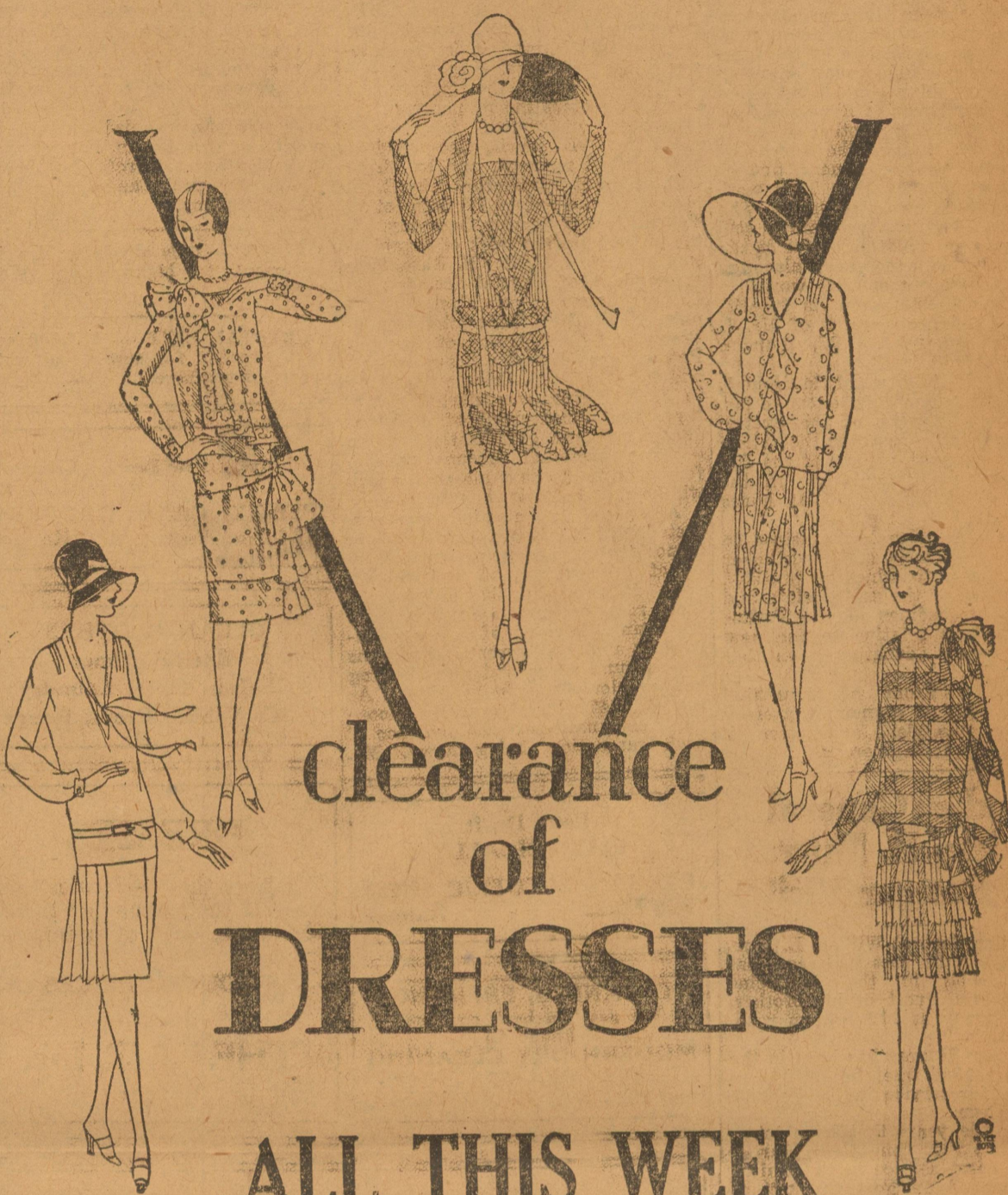
Charles A. Lindbergh—the very man to take a girl for a buggy ride along a country road some Sunday afternoon.

The apple crop forecast is excellent. Maybe the doctors had better put off their vacations until winter.

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There are five groups in this large lot of beautiful patterns. These spring and summer dresses are not old stock but have just arrived from New York. We are selling these dresses far below par—prices and every girl and woman will find "the end of the rainbow" in these splendid money-saving values.

Taffeta and georgettes in pastel shades for evening wear. These new fashions are all the go on Broadway.

Ladies of sport will delight in these new crepes of 2-piece combination for sport wear. Flat, Elizabeth and printed crepes of bright and becoming colors. These printed crepes are of one and two-piece combination.

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- Group 3—Value up to \$37.50 for \$22.50
- Group 4—Value up to \$25.00 for \$12.50
- Group 5—Value up to \$15.00 for \$ 7.85

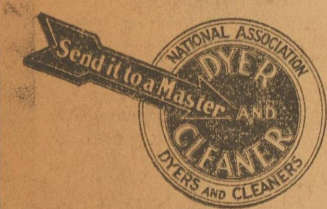
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Recently at Deauville there appeared a large number of very tall women wearing low heeled shoes.

Everybody Has a Tin God---Some Kowtow to One Kind and Others to Another

SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

MONDAY.
Eastern Star chapter meets at 8 o'clock at Masonic hall.
Circles of the Central Baptist church meet at 3 o'clock for royal service programs as follows: Circle No. 1 at the church; circle No. 2 with Mrs. George Rogers, and circle No. 3 with Mrs. N. J. McFatter.

WEDNESDAY.
Elks dance at Elks club in the evening.
Prayer meeting evening.
Ranger Rotary club luncheon at 12:15.

THURSDAY.
Thursday Bridge club meets.
Lions club luncheon at 12:15.
Scoutmasters "feed" at Country club.

FRIDAY.
Twentieth Century club meets with Mrs. J. F. Champion at her home.
Ivy Leaf Study club meets at Masonic temple at 2 p. m.

MRS. MADDOCKS TO CONDUCT TWO-DAY MEETING AT AUSTIN.
Mrs. C. E. Maddocks left Sunday for Austin where she will conduct a two-day meeting of the executive committee of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher association, of which Mrs. Maddocks is state president.

While in Austin she will visit her daughter, Miss Gladys Maddocks, who is a student at the University of Texas this summer.

MRS. HAGAMAN CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE MEETS.
Mrs. M. H. Hagaman's campaign committee met Friday night for the purpose of checking up on prospects for their candidate in the coming presidential election of the Federation of Women's Clubs. An estimate of the number who will attend from Eastland county was made and it is thought that at least 22 women would attend from Eastland county.
Reservations for the Eastland county delegation will be made at the Orndorff hotel at once.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON FOR YOUNG MATRONS' CLUB.
Mrs. E. E. Crawford, at her home on Elm street, entertained the Young Matrons' Bridge club with a bridge-luncheon on Friday afternoon. Roses were used as luncheon table decorations as well as in the living and dining room, where bridge followed the prettily appointed luncheon that was served to Meses. Ed Maher, Charles Milliken, C. C. Craig, H. A. Logsdon, John D. Chisolm, Saunders Gregg, Roy Jameson, Phillip Nicol, J. M. Ralston, John Thurman, R. J. Norman and K. C. Jones.
Mrs. Gregg made high score and was awarded a picture and Mrs. Norman carried off the low score prize, a dainty apron.
The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. C. Craig.

MARRIAGE OF RANGER GIRL ANNOUNCED.
The marriage of Miss Lela Laycock, daughter of G. J. Laycock of Bobo avenue, Ranger, to Freddie A. Plain, on July 14, at the home of the bride's sister at 1506 avenue M, Galveston, is announced.
Mrs. Plain was reared in Ranger and belongs to one of its oldest families. She has been living in Galveston with her sister for the past few years.

COLLEGIANS TO PLAY RETURN ENGAGEMENT.
The Collegians, an aggregation of college men, who appeared in Ranger a few months ago, were so well liked that they have been asked to play a return engagement here and will be in Ranger for that purpose on Wednesday night, July 20, at the Elks club.

The Elks have issued invitations for this dance and a large response from those who heard this snappy orchestra when they were in Ranger May 13 is expected on their return appearance.
Frensley Moore will be at the piano and those favorites of the University and Country club are sure to be just as pleasing on their second visit as they were on their first.

There'll be plenty of fans and ice water—great music and a congenial crowd. What else is necessary?

W. V. PASCHALL HAVES SEVERAL HOUSE GUESTS.
Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Paschall have as their guests Mrs. J. L. Daugherty of Orlando, Fla., who are Mrs. Paschall's parents. On Monday George Paschall of Ardmore, Okla., will join the house party. Mr. and Mrs. Daugherty made the trip from Florida in their car and report a pleasant trip.

PERSONALS.
Mrs. J. W. A. Cox left Saturday morning for Fort Worth where she will join Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith and go with them to Galveston, Houston and to points in East Texas.
Mrs. Chopsis Welsch and son, Billy, left Saturday morning for Big Spring to visit Mrs. Welsch's sister, Mrs. Ripp.
Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McWhirter and Mrs. McWhirter's mother left Saturday morning for a vacation trip to Galveston.

Miss Minnie Cohn, who has been with her mother, Mrs. S. Cohn in Ranger for the past several months, will return to Chicago Monday where she will again take up her duties in the Michael Reese hospital in that city.
Mrs. Frank G. Hoffman of Eastland was a visitor in Ranger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Glazner and children will leave for a vacation to South Texas today. They will be gone two weeks. Mr. Glazner is in the composition room of the Times.
Miss Cordyae Sandifer will leave

A New Style in Necklaces, Girls



Simply braid the hair and wind it around the neck, girls, fastening it in the back with hairpins and setting it off with a decorative pin in front. That's Dolores Del Rio's new style hint. The Mexican film beauty's fad has become popular in Hollywood, even though the weather's warm.

Ranger Attorney Sees Brother First Time in 30 Years

Judge and Mrs. A. E. Firman went to Dallas last Monday, where on Tuesday they spent the day with Mr. John L. E. Firman of Los Gatos, California, and for the first time in nearly thirty years the brothers met. They have only met three times in 59 years.

The elder brother is 79 years old and has just made a journey from Los Gatos to Indianapolis, Chicago, New York, New Orleans and Dallas and is en route to California now, passing through Ranger Friday afternoon on the Sunshine, at which time he had a brief visit with Judge Firman.

The elder Mr. Firman is secretary emeritus of the California Master Plumbers' Association and director emeritus of the National Association. His trip this time was on business for the association.

today for a two weeks vacation trip in Galveston. Miss Sandifer is circulation manager of the Ranger Times.
A letter received by Mrs. John McCleary states that her husband, Mr. John McCleary and daughter, Mrs. Elsie Harris and her little girl, Helen Zee, who left here a few days ago for a visit to relatives in Bellefontaine, Ohio, arrived there Tuesday and were having a great time. Mr. McCleary has not seen his brothers here for 21 years. He will stay away about two weeks, but his daughter will possibly be gone six weeks, Mrs. McCleary said.

Mrs. Frank Schafstall and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank Schafstall, Jr., left Saturday for an overland trip to San Antonio, where they will visit the Misses Schafstall. Mrs. W. M. Bollinger and sister, Mrs. Vera Mitchell of Warham will accompany them.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Nicol and son, Louis, leave today for Franklin to visit Mr. Nicol's mother, Mrs. L. M. Frazier.

Mrs. John Thurman and nephew Marvin Echols, Jr., will leave in the morning for Taylor, where they will visit Mrs. Thurman's parents for a while.
Mrs. Walter Murray, who underwent an operation at the City-County Hospital Friday, is doing nicely and will soon be able to return to her home.

Mrs. Alice Madewell attended the funeral services of N. S. Whiston in Weatherford Saturday and from there went to Galveston for a visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Firman and baby of Dallas stopped in Ranger Thursday night en route to California and spent the night with Mr. Firman's parents, Judge and Mrs. A. E. Firman.

LONDON'S "NOISE BILL"

LONDON.—Noise costs the city of London about \$5,000,000 a week, according to a declaration of Professor John Spooner, president of the Polytechnic Engineering Society.
Nerve-racking street-drills, the uproar of framers and other devastating sounds of modern streets, explained Professor Spooner, lowers efficiency in offices and causes nervous complaints. Reduction of noise in commercial and industrial work is a paying proposition.

Raymond Griffith has left Famous Players and, according to reports, is going to buy up his silk topper in the Metro-Goldwyn studios.

Tin Gods Are Not Always Fatal To Family Happiness

By RENA B. CAMPBELL

Most everybody has a tin god of some kind. It may be the way one's eggs are cooked in the morning, a favorite chair, a bird pool or a dozen other things. One does not actually say their prayers to a tin god but they often put them in the foreground to such an extent that their worship of them is obvious and odious.

Men are afflicted with tin gods just as much as women and maybe more.

Many men make their morning paper a tin god. They want to be the first one to read it and simply see red if the sections are separated by members of the family before they have an opportunity of perusing the pages. Now these men are not selfish. They'd be hurt to the core if anyone suggested such a thing, but "doggone it, I do like to keep my paper together until I get through reading it and then I don't care who reads it." Manganinuous. Sure. Just the viewpoint one observes it from.

I knew a woman once who had a pretty home; its hard wood floors were her tin gods. Now it's a fact that she had her husband trained so well to respect her god, that when he came home after a hard day's work, he pulled off his shoes before entering the sacred precincts.

Some tin gods are helpful and healthful. Golf is a nice tin god to follow. It takes men and women out into God's own sunshine and brings health and new hopes and aspirations to its followers—but it can be overdone. Lots of wives think it is overdone, especially on Sunday morning when dad can't go to church on account of a foursome.

Bridge is a pleasurable tin god but it sometimes vents its wrath on the families of its devotees—especially if they have played hard and lost, or are too well filled with rich food to care a thing about the family's dinner.

A few women make tin gods out of their husbands. They put him on a pedestal and worship at his shrine—purr when he lets them share his newspaper—but they like the Indians belong to a vanishing race. She takes him now for "bitter or for worse" and knowing his feet are of clay, does not look for perfection but accepts the man the gods have given her.

Men never make tin gods of their wives—they can't for women are goddesses—not gods.

Chaney Wears New Disguise In Lamb Picture Next Week

Lon Chaney is famous as a master of disguises. Few people stop to think the time and patience it takes to perfect the uncanny appearance he effects. In "The Penalty" Chaney learned to walk without legs, in "The Phantom of the Opera" his facial make-up struck fascinating horror into the hearts of thousands as did his white-coated eye in "The Road of Mandalay."

But in his most recent starring vehicle, "The Unknown," Chaney surpasses any skill he ever displayed in the way of disguises. In this picture Lon appears as an armless side show freak who throws knives, shoots, and performs other astounding tricks with his feet.

Joan Crawford and Norman Kerry support Chaney in this story of sunny Spain to be shown at the Lamb Theatre for two days beginning Tuesday.

CHURCHES

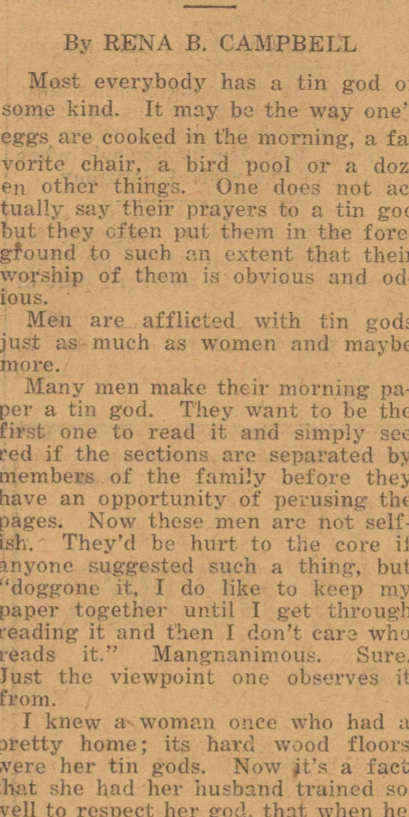
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Main near Marston, H. B. Johnson, pastor.
Sunday School at 10 a. m., E. T. Walton superintendent. Golden Rule Bible Class at Lamb Theatre. Mr. Holloway is anxious to see every member of the class on time this morning and you can't afford to miss his message. Remember the time—10 to 10:45 a. m.
Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. Mr. Connell will sing this morning.
C. E. will meet at 6:45 p. m. No worship in the church at evening hour as we all attend the tabernacle service at 8:30. The pastor has just closed a splendid meeting at Oak Ridge with ten additions to the Ranger church. Come and worship with us this morning.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Dr. W. F. Fry of Abilene, head of the Bible Department of Simmons University, will preach both morning and evening at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., S. B. Baker superintendent.
Worship, 11 a. m., sermon by pastor, M. S. Christensen will sing. Y. P. S. C. E., 7:30 p. m.
Sunday and Wednesday union services at the open air tabernacle, corner of Pine and Marston street, 8:30 p. m.
G. D. ROBISON, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Walter Murray, superintendent. Be present to get picnic announcement.
Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject "Varmet Blues."
Evening service 8:15 p. m., subject "Is Life Worth Living." (Character Series.)
Live sermons with comfortable surroundings. Come where you will be welcomed. Get ready for union. Get announcement of place and time of annual picnic.
Ladies W. M. S. at 1:30 p. m. Monday.
Picnic—Tuesday.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:15.
Choir—Friday evening.

Filmdom's Newest Star



Billie Dove in "The Tender Hour"

Billie Dove, beautiful and talented young actress who has been elevated to stardom as a result of her splendid work in the First National picture, "The Tender Hour," showing at the Lamb Theatre, Ranger, and Connellee Theatre, Eastland, Sunday.

RUSSIANS ASK FOR POISON GAS SAFEGUARD

MOSCOW.—A refuge from poison gas in every building has been asked for in a petition filed by one of the Moscow sub-district soviets.

The signers pointed out that poison gas attacks on cities will be a part of the next war offensives, against which civilians should be guarded. The petition was accompanied by an architect's drawing of a safety room ventilated through air-purifying apparatus, where inhabitants of buildings could congregate for refuge.

TELLS OF NOVEL PLACE ONE CAN "PICK" DRINK

LONDON.—A country where drink is to be had for the mere climbing of a tree was described by Dr. A. Goodier, formerly Bishop of Bombay.

"All along the coast of India," he said, "grow the toddy trees and when men are thirsty there they need only to climb them to get a good strong drink. Consequently when the people have finished their work they spend their leisure time climbing trees."

China really hasn't awakened yet, says a professor of history. But gosh, professor, what a dream she's having!

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Don't forget to vote for your Miss Ranger

Eastland County Farmers Raising Large Feed Crop



W. C. Fields has left Famous Players to join Film Booking Offices. He is signed to make three comedies for F. B. O.

ORANGE.—Moody-Seagraves Company, Inc., to establish system for natural gas distribution in this city.

At the Cool CONNELLEE Monday Only
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Fox News -- Comedy Connellee, Eastland

Coolidge Uses Poor Tactics To Get Publicity

By **RODNEY DUTCHER**
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON — Senator Boomboom McWhorter is among those elder statesmen who believe President Coolidge is not taking full advantage of his vacation opportunities for publicity.

Sooner or later, the senator remarked the other day, presidents must accept the latest trends in press-agency.

"Now the trouble with the president," he asserted, "is that he's too conservative. Mind you, I don't say that in any way, but I am second to no man in my loyalty to our president, but everybody who reads the papers must realize that the thing that gets the public these days is something sensational.

"Mr. Coolidge puts on a ten-gallon hat when he reaches South Dakota. Well, what of it? Everybody out there wears a ten-gallon hat and how does anyone expect to attract attention or get good publicity by putting on another?"

More Originality Needed

"The president of the future, up to the minute in every respect, will wear a night cap around all day—there's ten columns of newspaper type in a night cap like that to every one for a cowboy hat.

"Our present president gets his picture taken with the Indians. That's the oldest stuff in the world. Columbus and Cortez pulled that one as soon as they had landed on these shores—look at your school history books!"

"Now, if I was press-agenting this show I'd have a whole tribe of Eskimos down from the Arctic with evidence found among their Punic ruins that one of his early ancestors was one of their chiefs. The public would believe that the president had Eskimo blood in him—and wouldn't get over it for months. We could get the Eskimos cheap.

The president goes out to Squaw Creek and pulls in a few trout a few inches long. I ask you, what's novel about that? Wasn't Sir Isaac Newton fishing for trout and pickerel in the year 1066 A. D.?"

Broadway Staff Needed

"My suggestion is that we plant a man-eating shark out there—you can buy a shark cheap and sneak it out in a tank—and then let the president pull it in with his fishing rod.

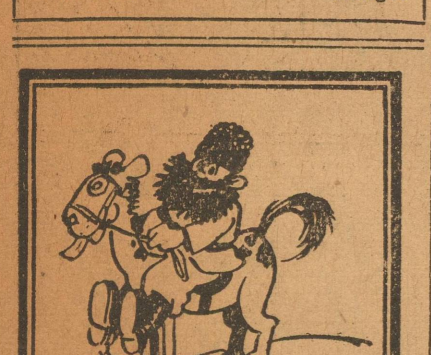
"A president's got to sacrifice himself for his party and this man Coolidge is too finicky about letting the public know intimate details of his private life. The public wants human interest—heart-throb stuff. No president is going to clope for good publicity, but he doesn't have to. Sooner or later some president's advise will fix it for him to be sued for breach of promise and he will be magnificently vindicated after a great trial and firmer than ever in the public's eye. What the party needs is a Broadway press-agent for its presidents and presidential candidates."

KOXANA—Panhandle and Santa Fe Railroad to build 21 miles railroad from White Deer to this place.

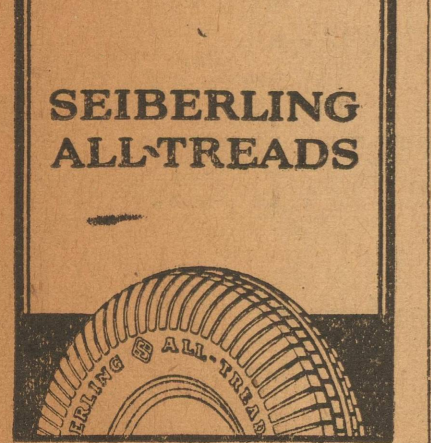
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CONFERENCE MEETS TO DISCUSS PRESERVATION PACIFIC PEACE

By United Press.

HONOLULU, T. H., July 15.—A group of 91 distinguished men and women, representing countries bordering the Pacific, gathered today at historic Punahou college for the second conference of the Institute of Pacific Relations.

The conference is headed by President Ray Lyman Wilbur of Stanford university. Other national groups in attendance represent China, New Zealand and Canada.

There are representatives from "big business" interests in the United States, officials of labor groups, experts in international law, Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. heads, sociological and economic world, practical leaders from Catholic groups, political politicians and delegates from education institutions are present at the sessions.

The program of discussion covers four general subjects. The first group will consider culture, religious, education and social institutions. The second group will discuss resources, industry, commerce and finance while the third section will give its attention to race and population. The final group will consider political institutions and functions, laws and judicial procedure and international relations.

Some of the sessions will be open to the public and formal papers will be read. In the main, however, most of the sessions will comprise "round table" meetings where privacy and frankness will prevail. The results will be gathered up in general formal sessions, it is stated.

Some of the topics announced cover such a range as resources and aspirations of Pacific countries, influence of finance and commerce on Pacific relations, present concessions and spheres of influence in China, race migration and assimilation, missions and their accomplishments, mistakes and relations to inter-racial attitudes; the Oriental view of laws, race prejudice and racial reaction in various countries, the Pacific islands, inter-pacific communication, radio and cable concessions to western powers.

Among the prominent delegates attending the sessions are Dr. George H. Blakeslee, professor of history and international relations at Clark university, Worcester, Mass.; Ivy L. Lee, publicist and economist of New York; Dr. A. Lawrence Lowell, president of Harvard university; Mrs.

William G. Hibbard, regional director, National League of Women Voters, Chicago; president A. B. Hall of the University of Oregon; Miss Grace Abbott, chief of the United States children's bureau, Washington; Wallace M. Alexander, San Francisco, president of Alexander & Baldwin, Ltd.; Fletcher S. Brockman, associate general secretary international committee Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president international Women's Suffrage Alliance; Frederick M. Davenport, professor of law and politics at Hamilton college; Dr. Stephen P. Duggan, director of the institute for international education; Alfred C. Elkinton, president Philadelphia Quartz company; Galen M. Fisher, executive secretary institute social and religious research institute of New York.

Japanese delegates in attendance are Junnosuke Inouye of the Imperial university, Tokio; Bunji Suzuki, Japanese labor leader; Dr. Tasuku Harada, Dr. Shiroshi Nasu, Taneo Taketa, Tsuchiura Tsurumi, Keiki Yabuki.

Revival Meeting In Progress At Merriman Church

A revival meeting began at Merriman church near Ranger on Friday night which is being conducted by Rev. I. W. Lawrence of Merriman and the pastor of the Merriman church, Rev. J. C. Taylor.

Services will be held each evening at 8:30 o'clock and each morning at eleven.

This afternoon at 2:30 there will be an all-county meeting and some notable singers from all over the state will take part in the singing that will feature this service.

Friends of the congregation anywhere in the county or out of it are invited to attend the services at Merriman, Rev. Mr. Taylor said when speaking of the revival Saturday.

GILMER—Contract awarded for construction of sanitarium on property of Dr. Winn in northern part of city.

LA PORTE — Cornerstone of Kirwin Memorial costing \$80,000 laid recently.

Announcement Is Made of Promotion New Plain Town

By United Press.

LOCKNEY, Tex., July 16.—The second new town within the month in this section was announced today by Art Baker, of Lockney.

Baker said he was opening a new town on his 890 acre tract, eight miles northeast of here which is located at the junction of the new extension of the Fort Worth and Denver road.

The rail extension will be completed early next year.

Baker offered \$25 for a name for the new town.

Two weeks ago development of a new town named South Plains was started.

SLATON.—Slaton Steam Laundry here makes improvements to their plant.

SAN AUGUSTINE — 13 carloads of tomatoes, shipped from here recently.

JEWELL.—\$8,000 bond issue voted for construction of school building here.

CANADIAN—Tax rate in this city reduced from \$1.15 to \$1.00 a hundred.

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For the correct naming of the "six keys" and the best answers to two simple questions, 635 cash prizes totaling \$30,000 will be awarded by The Coca-Cola Company, Atlanta, Ga. The first prize will be \$10,000. Contest closes August 25, 1927. Visit our plant and we'll be glad to give you further information about the contest.

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Eastland

Killefer Picks Chicago To Win National Flag

By BILLIE EVANS
Who will win the pennant in the National league?

At present, four clubs are strongly in the running, Chicago, Pittsburgh, St. Louis and New York.

About 100 points separate the first and fourth team, a margin that can be quickly cut down by a slump on the part of the leaders.

Bill Killefer, in going over the chances of the four clubs in the pennant fight, believes Chicago has by far the best chance to come through.

Bill Killefer, if you have forgotten for years managed the Chicago Cubs. Last season he helped Rogers Hornsby pilot the St. Louis Cardinals to a pennant and a world's championship.

All of which makes him very competent to express an opinion on the outcome of the 1927 race in the National league.

Killefer likes the Chicago Cubs best because he believes that team will get consistently good pitching throughout the season.

Pitchers Are Strong.

In my spring rating of the National league clubs, while I liked Chicago for a first division berth, at least two, possibly three clubs looked stronger, making fourth place the resting spot of the Cubs.

In discussing the National race with Killefer the other day, I commented on the fact that the Cubs didn't look overly strong on paper.

"Chicago has a good club that has the possibilities of developing into a great one," said Killefer.

"I admit the lineup isn't impressive as you peruse it in the papers but it has plenty of power, which is very necessary these days. Four or five players on the club are liable to break up any old ball game with an extra base hit.

"However, it is the pitching staff of the Cubs that I like best, considering the chances of the club to win the pennant. It is a young staff that has definitely arrived and can stand plenty of work."

When I asked him if he didn't think Pittsburgh and St. Louis had better all-around machines than Chicago, he answered by getting back to the all important feature—pitching!

Why He Likes Cubs.

"In a man for man comparison, pitching excepted, the Pittsburgh club would probably rate as strong as any club in the majors. The St. Louis Cardinals wouldn't be very far behind.

"Since pitching is the most essential asset these days, it is wrong to say these clubs are so much better than the Cubs in drawing a comparison.

"My dope is that the excellent pitching staff of the Cubs more than outweighs the advantage some of the others have over Chicago in the infield and the outfield.

"Root is one of the best pitchers in the game. Bush is not far behind. Blake is a good man and the rest of the staff is above the average. Best of all, it is a young staff that can stand work and should be good for many years.

Dissenting votes to Killefer's opinion can be heard emanating from John McGraw, Rogers Hornsby, Donie Bush and Bob O'Farrell.

Report Eastland County Crops In Good Condition

While it is reported that some boll weevils have been found in cotton fields in Eastland county, so far they have not done much damage. The hot dry weather that preceded the rains of this past week kept them down and if the same kind of weather follows the rain, very little damage is expected of them. In this territory there is not a great deal of acreage in cotton as it was cut down this year considerably over the amount planted to cotton in 1926.

Down in the Merriman community the farmers have threshed a good wheat crop, some of them getting from 18 to 20 bushels per acre.

While corn was practically made before the rain, the rain will cause it to fill out and become much better than it was prior to the past week and a fairly good crop is expected.

Soudan grass, feed, crops, small grain and milo maize are all good and promise a fair crop.

Fruits, vegetables and melons were all helped by the rains and some very fine home grown products are now on the market.

WOULD HAVE CHILDREN SIGN DRY PLEDGE EARLY

By United Press.
LONDON—The only safe way to avoid the evils of drink is to sign the pledge as soon as you can write, says Sir William Joynton-Hicks, British Home Secretary.

"It was about 48 years ago that a person caught me and made me sign the pledge," said the 62-year-old official recently.

"I do not argue," he said, "that it is necessary for every man to sign the pledge, but it is the only safe way. If a man is caught young and learns scientifically the effects of alcohol and learns that his example is better than precept, it would be a great thing for the State. It is the young man who is going to mould the political life of the future.

"Yes, and the young women, too. They might have their own ideas about prohibition, closing hours, and clubs but they could all unite in trying to induce the young to lead a life of temperance."

NACOGDOCHES—5,000 acres of land blocked out in this vicinity and oil tests begun.

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PHILIPPINES WILL RENEW INDEPENDENCE DEMANDS

Legislature Has Convened for Continuous Session of Three and Half Months

By WILLIAM R. KUHN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
MANILA, July 16.—The Philippine Legislature convened today for a continuous session of three and half months. President Quezon's personally dominated the opening session as it has for five years.

The fight against the Nationalista leader within his own party and the Democrats, or opposition party, has been waged with extraordinary vigor since the adjournment of the last legislature on November 9.

General Aguinaldo, head of the Veterans' Association, took a leading part in the attempt to overthrow Senator Quezon. His fall was frequently predicted during the last six months, but he remains firmly in the saddle and will continue his policy of fighting for "absolute and immediate independence."

For the first time in six years, the legislature met with the Governor-General absent. The customary message from the executive to the legislature was delivered by Acting Governor Eugene Gilmore, who stated that its contents had been prepared by Governor Wood or adhered strictly to the latter's recommendations. General Wood is in the United States on vacation.

The legislature meets this year in an atmosphere unusually tense with nationalistic sentiment and resentment against what is considered a "reactionary policy" in Washington.

The veto by President Coolidge of the bill passed by the legislature providing for an insular plebiscite "yes or no" on the question of independence, is particularly sore point.

The President's letter to Governor Wood, upholding the latter's veto of the plebiscite bill, includes the Washington administration's case against immediate independence. Speakers addressed the session today denouncing the veto and declaring that means would be found to hold an "unofficial" plebiscite.

In general the legislators' meeting here today feel that their movement for separation from the United States faces a serious crisis. Clear and striking signs that American capital is turning its attention to the unexploited wealth of the Philippines and unmistakable indications that this fact is influencing opinion in Washington, have combined to convince most Filipino leaders that they must act vigorously or see the independence movement crumble.

The principal problem before the present legislature is the control of \$150,000,000 worth of government owned enterprises. The dramatic fight between Senator Quezon and Governor-General Wood which has spread economic turmoil and confusion throughout the islands for more than

a year, concerning the right to vote the government's stock in these enterprises, has been settled for the time being in the governor's favor.

Under the terms of a decision by the insular supreme court, the governor was upheld in abolishing the old board of control, consisting of himself, Roxas and Quezon and in assuming the sole right to vote the government's stock and thereby control the national enterprises.

Various plans for taking this privilege away from the governor are ready for submission at this session of the legislature.

Other problems on Senator Quezon's program for consideration at this time are the development of Mindanao, Chinese immigration and whether the National Supreme Council, (a virtual consolidation of all political groups for the purpose of concentrating the fight for separation) shall continue to function or not. It has had a stormy life.

WINNIPEG, Man.—Settlers from the United States totaling 476,484 have moved into Canada since 1915, according to a compilation made here by the department immigration and colonization.

The good burgomaster of Colorado told visitors the United States was the only nation able to give Europe eternal peace. Still, it would be quite a job to kill them all off.

The Teacher



Miss Alma Link has been voted the most popular teacher in the public schools of Kenosha, Wis. She was maid of honor at the annual pageant which marked the school year's end.

Does anybody remember the good old fashioned days when girls made poets out of the men instead of rubbernecks?

Batching is that summer period which a man looks forward to and is darn glad when it's over.

FRANKELL

Special Correspondence.
Frankell, July 16.—Miss Roberta Satterwhite has returned home after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Gardner Johnson at Best.

Mona Robinson is home, after a two months visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Havens, of Seymour.

Mrs. Mollie Butts of Aquilla and Mrs. R. W. Arisman of Ranger, spent the week-end with Mrs. J. P. Fulton.

Mrs. C. A. Hines was called to the bed side of her aunt at Millsap, last Sunday.

Miss Vina Mae Rass Mussen is working at C. A. Hines' Store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burns and family left Saturday to spend fifteen days at Paris and Quannah, Texas, and Clinton, Okla.

Mrs. Gandy and Miss Fannie Gandy spent the week-end at Breckenridge with Mrs. Glen Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. King Herrington were called to Dallas Saturday evening to the bedside of the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tharp. The baby died at 6:30 a. m. Sunday. The sympathy of all go to Mr. and Mrs. Tharp at this trying time.

Mrs. Harold Mann is real sick at her home in West Frankell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gardenhire and daughters, Misses Ellen and Eva, accompanied by Mr. Turney McClusky and family left the first of the week to spend the summer in Colorado.

Mrs. J. W. Nicholas is able to be up after a two week illness.

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Jungle Breach

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THIS HAS HAPPENED

Posing at times as a barber, at others as Attorney Davis, a curious man called Vilak has come to the queer little town of Porto Verde, in west central Brazil, to help his cousin, Elise Marberry, solve a strange mystery.

Elise, a beautiful American girl, has inherited a coffee plantation and other property adjoining Porto Verde. Several mysterious deaths occur, including that of one of her foremen. She herself has been threatened and warned to leave. Vilak, learning that incoln Nunnally, a famous American chemist and once a teacher of his, is in South America, sends for him.

Vilak believes that Gaylord Prentiss, a mysterious and forbidding man, is somehow involved in the deaths. He tries to visit Prentiss but is ordered to stay away. Elise's two-year-old orphaned nephew is kidnapped and Prentiss is suspected. Vilak tracks the kidnapers, who are on horse-back, and finally he and his companions come upon the child, unharmed and being cared for by a gang of railroad laborers in the charge of one Carlos D'Albentara.

Vilak tells Elise she and the child must leave on the next boat. He and Nunnally that evening save an Indian from cruel torture at the hands of two ruffians. Vilak is stabbed in the wrist. He decides to close the barber shop and stick to the character of Attorney Davis. As he is closing up, an excited native approaches, bearing news.

NOW BEGIN THE STORY

CHAPTER XIX

The old man, glad to receive another auditor, thrust out his skinny hands. "He have escaped," he mumbled excitedly.

"Who has escaped?" Vilak's glance was puzzled.

"The English. The English." Vilak granted in surprise. "You mean Limey Potts the Englishman who was put in jail for killing Tony?"

"Yess. Yess. Leemy, Leemy."

"When did he get out?"

"Last night, the gendarme have tell me. Or thees morning early maybe. They do not know. Bad man, Leemy. He kill other man soon, too. You see, maybe. Nice Englishman, nice; bad Englishman, bad, worse more than bad Brazilian, had Italian, had anything. Kill somebody, you see maybe. You go see self, you don't believe me he escape, you go."

"Think I will go take a look," Vilak responded, and assuring the old man that his news always surpassed that of any other inhabitant of Porto Verde, hurried off. A short walk brought him to the jail where Limey had been confined to await trial before the judge who would come to Porto Verde in a month.

It was a small red brick structure consisting of two cells and a tiny room to house the gendarmes who stood before it. Both cells had windows opening into the street, protected by heavy iron bars. A glance showed Vilak which cell the Englishman had occupied; two of the thick bars at the rear had been cut with a file and bent widely to the side, affording a fairly comfortable passage even for one of as ample a build as the brawny Englishman.

Vilak turned to the huge blue and red gendarme, who, rifle at his side, stood looking gloomily up at the twisted metal.

"Do they trail the prisoner now, amigos?" he inquired politely.

"The gendarme's room deepened, "Si, senhor, they trail him," he muttered. "But will they find?" With his thick hand he pointed off the jungle. "The cascavel, the boa, and the crocodile with the hungry mouth. It is not good to chase in the jungle, senhor." He grumbled a curse. "May the fiery Satan catch this English and make him suffer. Hear, senhor. Hear and pity. Next month they were to make me a corporal. A corporal with the beautiful stripes upon the arm. And now, because this night-crawler has escaped, what will they do? Will they make me a corporal? Assuredly not. Will they give me gold stripes upon my arm? Assuredly not, senhor. Better will they give me red stripes upon my back?"

"He must have made some noise filing. Didn't you hear anything?" The gendarme's huge mouth opened wider in protest. "I am but a man, senhor, I am not the snake who creeps upon the ground and can hear a frog breathe in the pool half a mile away, so have I heard men say. My ears are sharp. But his filing was soft as the brook which flows in summer. I have heard nothing. Once during the night I have heard voices outside his window. But what are voices? Many pass here during the night. If I waked each time I hear a voice I should have no sleep and grow thin and die. No, it was the devil who has helped him, for he is the son, the father of the devil, even more, the father of the devil's father."

Vilak looked at the tiny bits of metal which covered the drifted leaves below the window. "Have you found the file?"

The other shrugged his huge shoulders. "I have not looked, senhor. Of what use, even should I find it? A file is—but a file. Is it not so?"

With an appearance of being quite casual, Vilak began kicking about the leaves to see what he could discover. Finding nothing here, in the course of conversation he gained the other's permission to visit the inside. In a dark corner of the cell, something metallic glinted. He walked over to it.

It was a file, tossed there with slight attempt at concealment after the escape had been made ready. Vilak picked it up. It was shining with the bits of metal it had cut from the bars. He glanced at the name of



"Take your hand away from your pistol, amigos. There are five soldiers in the bushes in back of you as well as the seven of us in front."

the market cut onto the triangular shaft, then at a small mark hammered into the metal a quarter of an inch from the name.

"Humph," he murmured to himself. "This comes from Elise's fazenda." The file had been manufactured by the American factory from which she bought all tools of this description and at the side of the marker's name bore hammered into the metal the swastika which was cut or painted upon all material immediately on its arrival at the fazenda. Slipping it unobtrusively into his pocket, he walked outside again, wished the gendarme the least of punishment and hurried back to his shop.

He spent a moment here, and, taking his personal possessions, locked the door and walked off in the direction of Avilios. He rode only a few miles through the tangled woods, however, and turned from the main road to take a short cut which led him back unobserved to his house behind the mango trees.

Here for what he expected would be the last time he took off the gray suit he wore as the barber, and put it inside a trunk. Ther in the fashionably cut dress of the immaculate Attorney Davis he rode up to the fazenda. There he met Elise and the old man, who at her urgent request had given up his room at the hotel and established himself in the comfortable chamber he had occupied on his first night in her house.

"I have never seen so many tiny—or lakes," the old man said, as he stood on an abrupt red cliff and looked at the watery surfaces dotting the black vista unfolded before him. "Judging by the—er—strata—I should say this had all been one huge volcanic lake no many—er—geological ages ago."

"I don't know, but I do know that as Elise said it makes it awfully dangerous here in the flood seasons, particularly when the rain comes down as hard as it is coming now." He looked at the huge drops falling with such force that their splash against the hard surfaces of the leaves sometimes attained two inches. "If this keeps up, we will have a bad one."

The chemist took a few samples of the deposits for analysis later. The two men returned to the house in the afternoon. The remainder of the afternoon and evening passed without incident.

"I could really imagine that I was up in our old summer house in New Hampshire," Elise remarked as she put down the cards after a game of double Canfield, in which Vilak as usual won. "The jungle is so quiet in the rain, and nothing has happened to upset us in the slightest. Outside of the flood threat, which is always with us, and which I am accustomed to, is really the quietest day I've known in Porto Verde for a long time. Perhaps things are through happening for a while. Perhaps I won't have to take Tinky away after all. What do you think, Vilak?"

Her cousin flicked some cards in his long fingers, then extracting the queen of spades with a few deft strokes of the pencil changed the outlines of the crowned head, and sketched in a few figures behind it. He gave the card to Elise.

"What does it mean?" she asked wonderingly. "Is that a hearse you've drawn around the queen?"

"Exactly. And the figures behind are mourners, the family of my cherished cousin. Which is merely my quiet way of telling you what will

rain continued throughout the night. The three were at breakfast when the pink-haired little negress who was serving them came out from the kitchen and approached Elise timidly.

"What is it Maria?" Elise asked. "There is something who weesh to see you. A man. He have just come or a horse. From Meester Wilson at Villapa. He say he must see you quick."

CHAPTER XX

Elise put down the fork with which she had been nibbling at an omelet. "Send him in at once, please."

The maid hurried out. In a moment the door into the kitchen opened again. A brawny half-breed Brazilian clad in thick heavy blue overalls and hip boots, stamped into the room, leaving great splashes of mud on the floor at every step. He strode up to Elise and, taking off his hat, stood awkwardly before her.

"You have news for me, amigos?" she asked politely, when he did not speak for a moment.

"Yes, senhorita," He rubbed his thick fingers along his muddy trousers. "I come from your fazenda at Villapa. Meester Wilson have sent me. Tell me ride fast as can. He say tell you flood getting very bad Villapa. Say too he very seck and can do not much, afraid much will be washed away. Wants you come quick. He not say, but he very, very seck. I, Miguel, all others, think he die."

Elise rose from the table. "You'll have to excuse me," she said to her guests. "I'll have to go out to Villapa at once. It's been criminal of me to have left poor Wilson there all alone. Criminal." She called to Maria to have her horse made ready. "Just a minute, Elise," Vilak said coolly. He gazed sharply at the mud-spattered messenger. "Are you sure this chap works on your fazenda?"

Her forehead knitted into a frown. "What do you mean? Of course he works on the fazenda?"

"You've seen him?"

She hesitated, then nodded. "I'm sure I've seen him. Several times. Anyway, even if I haven't, what difference would it make? I can't know every one of the 500 laborers at Villapa, can I, when they change so often? What on earth are you driving at?"

"Nothing, if you're sure you know your man. Only, it's faintly possible that this message may not be what it appears to be, and that you'd better let me go to Villapa in your stead."

Her black eyes flashed, her breath came quickly. "Vilak, there is one thing I won't let you do, and that is try to relieve me of what I consider my duties and responsibilities on the fazenda. I've taken orders from you in other things, but not there, that's final. My sister's husband and I used to quarrel about the same subject and merely succeeded in making matters worst for everybody. Let's don't

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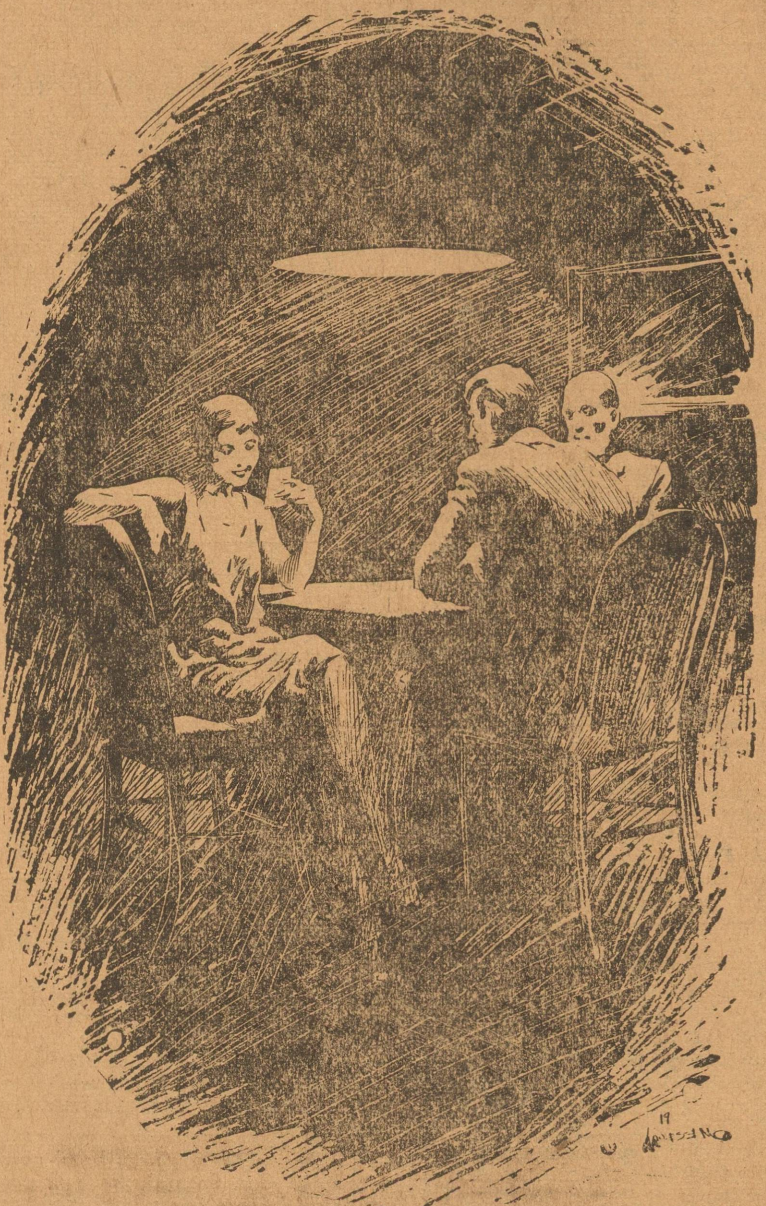
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"What does it mean," she asked wonderingly. "Is that a hearse you've drawn around the queen?"

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Vilak tranquilly munched his cereal. "Very well. I won't argue with you. But in that case I insist on going with you. Perhaps it's just as well that we do go, for possibly we can get rifles there."

She shrugged her shoulders resignedly. "All right, if you must. But I don't think it's at all necessary. You make me feel like a child."

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say it's safe, I'll do it. And besides, I'll have Schwartz come over and stay here for the five or six hours I have to be away. If I could help it, I wouldn't leave him even for a minute. But I can't let Wilson die without lifting a finger to help him."

In a few moments, Elise, Vilak and the old man were once more on their horses, the chemist, to Vilak's surprise, having doggedly insisted on accompanying them, though his weariness was manifest, in his withered face. The half-breed who had brought the message rode ahead. Vilak set the pace at a quick trot.

Elise nervously touched her horse, who was lingering to chew a choice bit of grass. "I'm glad I have— (Continued from page five.)

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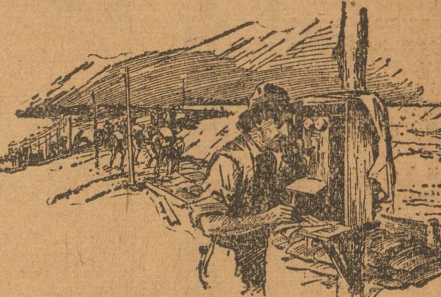
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ON a levee at a bend in the Mississippi a thousand men were building with sand-bags a second-line defense against rising waters which threatened hundreds of miles of fertile cropland. Over a telephone, housed in a wooden box nailed to a tree, an engineer was talking to headquarters—reporting on the progress of the work, asking for reinforcements and additional material, receiving Weather Bureau forecasts which would be vitally important to him in planning the strategy of this grim battle for lives and property.



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Jungle Breath

(Continued from page four)
 n't a criminologist's mind. It would drive me crazy. You suspect everything you see, a house with its windows-blinds drawn, a broken match, a rusty nail lying in the road. How you could put some hidden meaning into this message from Wilson is beyond me. If I weren't your cousin, and polite, I'd call it fantastic."

He put a pellet of betel on his tongue. "I sincerely hope you're right," he said laconically.
 He withdrew a bar of chocolate from his pocket and distributed it among his companions as a substitute for their unclean breakfast. He himself took none of it, contenting himself with a second pellet of betel. Suddenly at a point where a narrow trail crossed the road, he looked down at the ground and pulled up his horse. "Humph," he murmured.

There's that unusual hoof-mark of Premis' horse again. And there are the prints of two other horses running along with it this time." He straightened up in his saddle once more.
 They traveled on in silence. At times the chemist felt inclined to speak either to Elise or Vilak but was checked by their expressions, one nervous, impatient, worried, the other cool and grimly watchful.
 Their course for a short distance became a creek which violent rains had flooded into a small river. They plunged in and followed it with some difficulty, the water occasionally rising past their stirrups. Here and there where the red volcanic rocks of the region formed a pool of clear water they could see curious fish sporting; here and there a fat ponderous turtle plodded along the bank. Once a great alligator lifted its head as they passed, menacing them with its red jaws. Vilak stopped to kill it with a well-directed bullet, for the creek was part of a fairly frequently highway and any of the gigantic lizards who strayed there were a distinct danger.

At length they left the stream and came out onto a muddy road again. The noise of their horses frightened a family of armadillos that suddenly had been quietly reposing somewhere behind the thick palms, for they darted across the road in such panic that it was only by suddenly checking his horse that Vilak was able to avoid crushing them.

The road rose gradually up a low hill, fell to a ravine, then went up a short but fairly steep slope of another hill. As the riders rounded a bend, seven mounted soldiers came into view on the hilltop. They came slowly riding toward the Americans. Vilak's bushy, blond eyebrows lifted. As the soldiers approached, he saw that they were garbed in tattered blue and red uniforms of a design much like that of the gendarmes. They were distinguished from the latter, however, by the fact that they all seemed white men, tanned by the equatorial sun. Their faces were distinctly unpleasant, the eyes of this one's puffy with dissipation, the face of that one scarred with knife cuts or the ravages of some skin disease. Nevertheless, despite their unprepossessing appearance, they saluted the travelers amiably.

"Good day, señers, señorita," said the leader of the troopers, a tall, yellow man, with a great bristling mustache who would have looked exactly like the typical Prussian officer had his hair been blond instead of black. "You go to Villapa?"
 Vilak took out a cigar and pretended to search in his pocket for a match in order that his hand be near his pistol. "Yes, amigos," he answered, smiling. "They say at Villapa the water is very high. Do they tell the truth?"
 The officer twisted one end of his mustache around his finger.
 "Yes. The water is most high at Villapa. Take your hand away from your pistol, amigos. There are five soldiers in the bushes in back of you as well as the seven of us in front."
 (To Be Continued)

Vilak finds that the odds are overwhelming against them and that they are prisoners of murderous men.
 "PEEPING KNEES" BLAMED
 BERLIN. — "Bodded heads and short skirts with knees peeping out beneath are a sign of moral degeneration," reads the resolution passed by one of the largest provincial branches of the women's Nationalist organization known as the Empress Louise.
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If you'd succeed as a dancer, be a lowbrow, advises Margaret Harney of E. St. Louis, Ill., dance instructor and member of the National Institute of Social Dancing. Highbrow conversation bores dance partners, she says.

NEW AIR-PATH OF GLORY TO LEAD TO ICE OF SOUTH POLE

Hum of Airplane Motor Will be Strange to the Unexplored Regions of The Yet Unknown Antarctic

By HARRY W. FRANTZ
 (United Press Staff Correspondent)
 WASHINGTON, July 16.—The future air-path of greatest glory will be that leading to the South Pole. Flags dropped from the air by the hand of man are long since buried in the snow and ice at the North Pole, but the lovely baffling Antarctic region has still to learn the sound of roaring motors and whirling propellers.

Arctic aerial exploration began in earnest in 1925, and barely a year later Lt.-Commander Richard E. Byrd, piloting the triple engine Fokker airplane "Josephine Ford," went hurtling over the pole. On May 9, 9:02 a. m., 1926, he dropped the American flag, and then with his companion, Floyd Bennett, returned to the base at Spitzbergen, a round-trip flight of 1545 miles.
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A party headed by Captain Roald Amundsen attempted a Polar flight by airplane from Spitzbergen on May 21, 1925, without success. Two Dornier-Wal flying-boats larded six hours after the hop-off, at 87 degrees 44 minutes North. The party returned to North Cape, Spitzbergen, in one of the planes.
 Prior to the epochal flights of Byrd and Nobile, the MacMillan-Byrd expedition of the National Geographic Society had done pioneer air exploration in the Arctic. Three Loening amphibian planes, loaned by the Navy and commanded by Lt. Commander Byrd, had flown a total of six thousand miles, chiefly over northwestern Greenland and Ellesmere Island during the summer of 1925, and had gained valuable knowledge of arctic flying.
 Other Arctic air exploration was done in the summers of 1926 and 1927 by Captain George H. Wilkins, from a base at Point Barrow, Alaska.

Antarctic air exploration, however, is still in its earliest formative period. One of the first projects was the Pauly-Zanni Expedition, reported some months ago to be organizing at Buenos Aires. No definite reports concerning its plans have been received recently.
 Captain Wilkins, prior to his Arctic attempts, seriously considered the practicability of air exploration in the Antarctic. Commander Byrd has frequently indicated his personal interest in a future South Pole hop, and is said by his friends to have studied

the Antarctic conditions extensively. Old Story Told
 Some future hero of the air, scanning the snow-buried plateaus of the South Polar region, will be in the company of glorious memories of departed heroes. For centuries prior to the first conquest of the Pole by Roald Amundsen in 1911, the Antarctic had challenged the spirit of navigators and explorers. Rich traditions, for the most part forgotten, will be revived of starving conquering heroes.
 Sublime in its human appeal, the story will be retold of Captain L. E. G. Oates, companion of Captain Scott, second to reach the Pole. Somewhere in the icy wastes is a tablet which is inscribed: "Hereabouts lies a very gallant gentleman."

On March 17, 1912, that very gallant gentleman, knowing that his life was nearly spent from exhaustion and illness, fearing that his companions would die from lack of food, penciled a humble note, "I shall be gone for some time," and walked into the blizzard to physical death but undying fame.
 The colorful story of Antarctic exploration began with the southward drift of hapless navigators seeking to round Cape Horn, in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.
 Historically, it may be marked in the 1772, when bold Captain James Cook in the "Resolution" and Captain Tobias Furneaux in the "Adventure" were the first to sail south of the Antarctic circle. They reach latitude of 67 degrees 15 minutes South before stopped by the ice.
 The next great name in Antarctic exploration is that of James Weddell of Great Britain, who in the brig "Jane" in 1823 reached 73 degrees 15 minutes South before the lateness of the season forced him to turn North. Weddell Sea is named in his honor.

British Expedition
 In 1940 the British Antarctic Expedition, commanded by Captain James Clark Ross of the Royal Navy, made the most thorough scientific exploration in the Antarctic area yet attempted. They discovered the region known as Queen Victoria Land, and sighting twin volcanoes, named then after the vessels of the expedition, the "Trebush" and the "Terror." These volcanoes, one of which is a smoking cone, have been convenient vicinities for the basing of explorers, and may well serve as guide-posts for future air navigators.
 The first important American Antarctic exploration was that of Captain Charles Wilkes of the United States Navy, who commanded an official expedition for exploration of southern

waters in years from 1821-42. He claimed first discovery of the Antarctic Continent.
 H. M. S. "Challenger," on February 16, 1874, had the distinction to be the first steamer to cross the Antarctic Circle. It carried a scientific expedition which made extensive sounding and deep sea dredgings.
 In 1898 an important Belgian expedition, under captaincy of Georges Lecointe went to the Antarctic on the "Belgica." Aboard as mate was Roald Amundsen, a Norwegian, who thirteen years later was to conquer the South Pole, and some years afterward to organize the first trans-polar Arctic airship cruise.

Wave of Interest
 A wave of interest in Antarctic exploration following many cruises of lesser importance, led to the organization of the British National Antarctic Expedition of 1901, aboard the "Discovery," under command of Commander R. F. Scott of the Royal Navy. This expedition wintered at 77 degrees 49 minutes South latitude, and established a base from which the first extensive land exploration was undertaken.
 Captain Scott, Lieutenant Shackleton and Doctor Wilson, with dog-sledges, made a heroic polar dash of 330 miles in 59 days, reaching farthest south on December 30, 1902, at 82 degrees 17 minutes South. News of this dash afterward thrilled the world and led to the organization of numerous exploring expeditions, including German and Scottish parties.

The next great spectacular achievement in Antarctic exploration were those of an expedition headed by Lieutenant E. H. Shackleton, which left Lyttleton, New Zealand, aboard the whaler "Nimrod" in 1908. This expedition was the first to employ automotive power in the Antarctic, its use of gasoline sledges being successful chiefly at bases. It also employed hardy Manchurian ponies for exploration.
 The successes of the Shackleton party were, first, the ascension of Mount Erebus, 13,300 feet in elevation; second, the locating of the Magnetic South Pole at 72 degrees 25 minutes South latitude, 155 degrees 14 minutes East longitude; and third, the polar dash led by Shackleton in person.
 A party of four reach 38 degrees 23 minutes south, proving a great plateau existent in the polar region. Their southernmost point was at an altitude of 11,600 feet. When obliged to turn back by scanty food supplies the Shackleton party was only ninety-seven miles from the south pole.

Roald Amundsen
 Captain Roald Amundsen, improving earlier experience, passed a winter at the Bay of Whales, and then carefully arranged a series of advance depots and caches in the direction of the pole. He started from a depot at 80 degrees South in October, 1911, with five men, fifty-two dogs and four sledges. On December 14 he arrived at the pole, where he remained for about three days, making the Norwegian flag and named the region King Haakon III Plateau.
 Amundsen and party returned to Hobart, Tasmania, aboard his ship the (Continued on page 6)

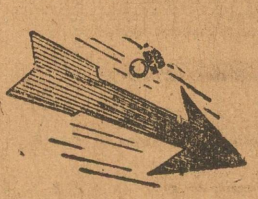


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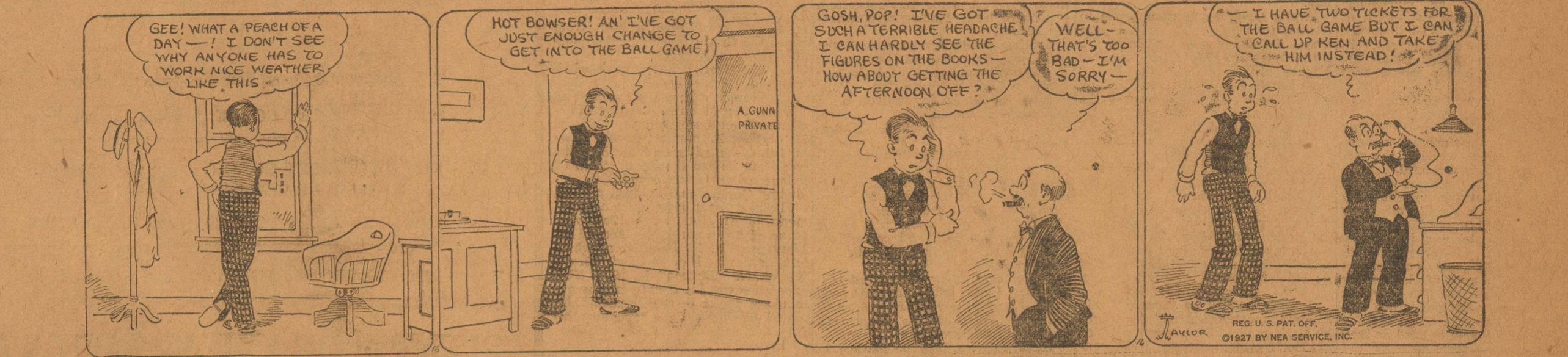
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IMPROVEMENT IN RELATIONS BETWEEN EGYPT AND ENGLAND

By J. W. T. MASON
 (Written for the United Press)

Great Britain has begun a skilful campaign for an alliance with Egypt which will permit the British to protect the Suez Canal and at the same time safeguard the independence of the new Egyptian kingdom. Egyptian radicals who have attempted to create dissensions between the two countries have met with failure and the end of the anti-British agitation in Egypt is foreseen.

The visit of King Fuad of Egypt to Great Britain is a large success for British diplomacy. It is in effect a public announcement to the Egyptian people that their ruler does not support the Anglophobe propaganda of opposition Egyptian political leaders. King Fuad, studying British civilization at first hand, will be able to discuss authoritatively in Cairo the power and efficiency of Egypt's new ally.

Fuad owes his throne to the British and so has every reason to foster friendly relations with the London foreign office. After the outbreak of the world war, when Turkey supported Germany, Great Britain as a counter measure to protect the Suez canal, established a protectorate over Egypt which was then a Turkish dependency. The Khedive, Abbas Hilmi, who supported Turkey and Germany, was deposed and Hussein Kamil, the eldest living prince of the Muhammad Ali family, was elevated to the throne. When he died in 1917, his brother Fuad succeeded him, and in 1922, the British abandoned their protectorate, recognizing Egypt as an independent kingdom with Fuad as the new nation's first king.

Owes Crown to Britain.

Had it not been for the world war and the British action in Egypt, Abbas Hilmi would have continued to rule and Fuad would have been far from the throne. It is only natural, therefore, that during the critical period of the past few years between Egypt and Great Britain, Fuad should have remembered his friends. At the same time, his position has been difficult because of the nationalist movement in Egypt, which sought to eliminate Britain's paramount influence. The cry "Egypt for the Egyptians" might have been turned into a shibboleth for rival claimants to the throne, and the forced retirement of Fuad. But, British control of the Egyptian army made such a coup impossible unless the nationalists were to succeed in getting the army into their own minority hands and expelling the British.

This dangerous situation has now been overcome, due partly to Fuad's diplomatic skill but chiefly to recognition by the Egyptian politicians of the fact that Great Britain would go to war before relinquishing her complete control of the Suez Canal. War would mean loss of Egypt's newly gained independence and so common sense has prevailed at Cairo. The Egyptians did nothing themselves to build the Panama canal nor have they executive competence adequate to operate it or the financial ability to buy it even if it were offered them. They did nothing themselves, even, to gain their independence. That was an act of grace extended to them as the result of the world war.

In this position, Egypt has still several generations to go before the mass of the people have sufficient education to be able competently to operate the democratic principle of government. The Egyptians are far superior to the Egyptian populace in educational attainments and creative force. Nevertheless, the caste spirit in Egypt has given to a group of intellectuals and aristocrats masterful desires. This along absolutist lines. Great Britain stands in the way of any such exploitation of power which would be a danger to the Suez canal and also would threaten British control of the Sudan, Egypt's southern neighbor which imperialistic Egyptians are ambitious to acquire.

Would End Trouble.

The formation of an alliance between Great Britain and Egypt would bring to an end all such disturbing movements. The great irrigation works of the British in the Sudan, which have brought prosperity to that area, threaten to curtail the irrigating power of the Nile, in Egypt. This is a matter for treaty settlement along with the protection of the Suez Canal. There are a number of other lesser Anglo-Egyptian issues all of which can be made harmless by an alliance. Once the alliance is formally established, Egypt will be able to proceed with her educational plans and accumulate a native personnel to promote the development of democracy.

A farmer in New Jersey comes forward with the news that he finished the hams which Charles Lindbergh ate on his way to Paris. What we're wondering is who furnished the ham for Lindbergh?

Tigers in India have been known to pull men out of hunting-platforms built 17 feet up in trees.

The Byrd flight turned out to be news after all—a trans-Atlantic flight that ended as a Channel swim.

NEW AIR-PATH OF GLORY TO LEAD TO ICE OF SOUTH POLE

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"Fram" and announcement of the polar discovery was heralded to the world.

Meanwhile had occurred the arch-tragedy of polar exploration, if not of human history. Thirty-five days after Amundsen had reached the pole, Captain Robert F. Scott of the British Royal Navy with four companions arrived there on January 18, 1912, and found the marks and records of their predecessors.

On the return trip Captain Scott and party encountered a terrible blizzard. Edgar Evans, petty officer, was first to die, on February 17. Captain Oates, than whom history knows no braver, left "for some time" in the singing wind and swirling snow of March 17.

Captain Scott, Doctor Wilson and Lieutenant Bowers died from exhaustion and exposure on March 29th. When the relief party found the bodies in November, it found also the brave record left by Captain Scott.

"For four days we have been unable to leave the tent, a gale blowing about us," he said in part. "We are weak; writing is difficult; but for my own sake I do not regret the journey, which has shown that Englishmen can endure hardship, help one another and meet death with as great a fortitude as ever in the past. We took risks—we knew we took them. Things have come out against us, and therefore we have no cause for complaint, but bow to the will of Providence, determined still to do our best to the last."

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