

## COURT HOUSE BOND ELECTION CARRIES STATE MAY CONSTRUCT GIGANTIC RESERVOIR IN WEST TEXAS FORT WORTH BUSINESS MAN GIVEN BEATING

### LURED FROM HOME BY 12 MEN AT NIGHT

#### Knotted Ropes Is Used By Floggers, Victim In Serious Condition

By United Press.  
FORT WORTH, July 9.—Morris S. Strauss, plumbing supply dealer, was flogged for 30 minutes by 12 men and left in the weeds on the Cleburne road, 12 miles south of here, Friday night.  
Strauss suffered from cuts caused by knotted ropes, was reported in a serious condition in his home today.  
According to the plumbing dealer, he was called from his bed about midnight by two men who told him one of his employees had been injured in front of the Strauss home.  
Dressed in his pajamas he went with the two men in an auto parked in the street.  
Then, Strauss said, the seven men riding in the car threw him in the machine and blindfolded him.  
After driving around for 15 minutes they were met by another car and then drove out on the Cleburne road.  
The beating lasted 30 minutes, the victim said. Strauss said the floggers ordered him to leave town as he was getting "too much business."  
Strauss and his business partner of Dallas came here seven months ago from Kansas City.  
They own one store here and one in Dallas.

### Administration Is Criticised By Reed in Address

By United Press.  
HOUSTON, July 9.—"Harry M. Daugherty is the foulest insect who ever crawled across the page of time," Senator James A. Reed, of Missouri, said today addressing the Texas Bar association in closing a denunciation of corruption in the republican party.  
He charged the conspiracy to debase the election in Pennsylvania was born in the cabinet of the president.  
He branded Secretary of the Treasury Mellon as the ring leader in corruption of the ballot in that state.

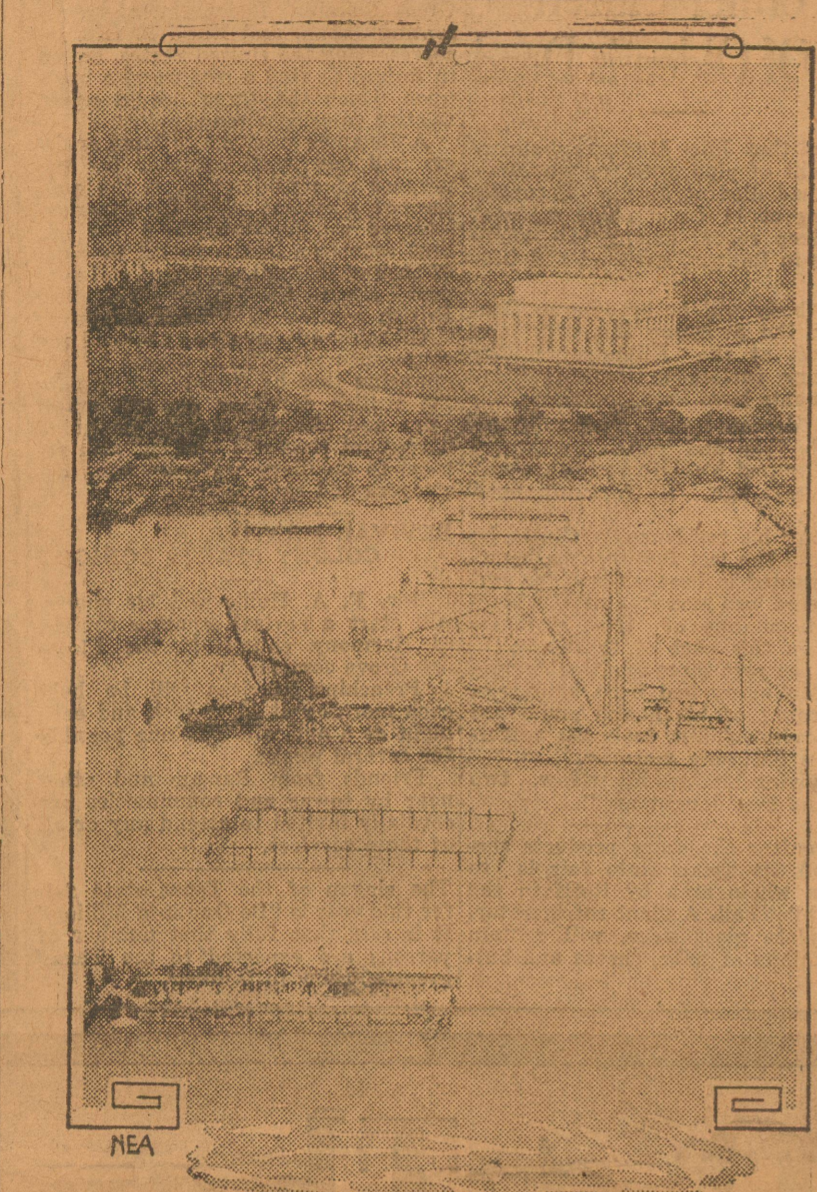
### George Hassell To Be Sentenced To Death Monday

By United Press.  
FARWELL, Texas, July 9.—George Hassell, convicted of slaying his family and alleged to have murdered 13 persons, will appear before the district court here Monday to hear the date of his execution set.  
Under the law, Hassell must be executed not later than 30 days after he appears in court for sentence. His conviction was upheld last month by the court of criminal appeals.  
Hassell has been held in jail at Plainview since his conviction in district court here.

### Fire Destroys Business Houses And Residences

By United Press.  
HILLSBORO, Texas, July 9.—Three business houses and two residences were destroyed at Aquilla, 12 miles south of here today.  
The fire was believed to have been started by an oil stove left burning by a roomer at the Pool hotel. The hotel was destroyed.  
A barber shop and vacant building adjoining were destroyed before the blaze was brought under control by fire companies from nearby towns.

### Marble Span to Cross Potomac



This graphic airplane photo shows the position of the new memorial bridge which will connect the Lincoln Memorial at Washington and Arlington, the historic Lee mansion on the Virginia hills opposite. The piers are all above water and work is progressing on the stone abutments. The picture was taken by John Thompson NEA Service staff photographer.

### John Drew's Body To Lie in State At Actors Church

By United Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—The ashes of John Drew will be started eastward Monday or Tuesday to the Philadelphia mausoleum in which the bodies of his mother and father lie.  
At the Little Church Around the Corner in New York the public may gather after interment of his ashes to pay a last tribute to the great actor.  
John Barrymore, his nephew, announced plans for the funeral before leaving for Los Angeles to resume his engagement.  
Drew's daughter, Louise Devereaux, still was in seclusion tonight.

### "Spider" Haines Wants a Bath Comes to Earth

By United Press.  
DENVER, July 9.—After 386 1-2 hours continuous sitting aboard a flag pole here "Spider" Haines came down to earth this afternoon. "Spider" sat atop the mast established a world's record. "Spider" came down despite the threat of breaking his record of "Hold 'Em Joe" Powers, who is atop a flag pole in Chicago, but the urges of his wife who has occupied a tent bungalow on the roof just below Spider's pole and the lure of a proposed fishing trip apparently got the best of him this afternoon. Suddenly without previous announcement "Spider" clambered down. "Lead me to a bath," were "Spider's" first words as he hit the roof, "that's the only reason I came down. I am so dirty I could grow."

### GENERAL CHEN HAS MET UNKNOWN FATE SAYS REPORT

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Chinese forces menacing Tsing Tao have become disorganized and the leader, General Chen, has met an unknown fate, Admiral C. S. Williams reported to the navy department today.  
No American forces have been at Tsing Tao today it was reported.

### LIGHTNING KILLS MAN IN FIELD NEAR TEMPLE

TEMPLE, July 9.—Thomas Ingram, 40, farmer, was killed by lightning while working in a field near his home, 25 miles west of here, during a rain storm today, it was reported here.

### JOHN DREW DIES IN CALIFORNIA ILL SIX WEEKS

#### Dean of American Actors Dies After Heroic Battle. Was Star of Stage For Full Half Century.

By United Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—John Drew, dean of American legitimate stage actors died at 5:55 a. m. today following a heroic battle against arthritis and rheumatic fever which lasted six weeks.  
He was stricken at Portland, Ore., while starring in the drama, "Treason of the Wells," and rushed here for treatment. His condition was grave throughout the course of the disease but by force of his own will and sunny optimistic disposition he fought off the ravages several times and doctors became hopeful of a full recovery.  
John Barrymore who has been with the noted actor many times during the illness was not present.  
Drew was known as the best dressed man on the American stage.  
For more than fifty years he starred in productions which needed for their leading man, the "society type" which he knew so well how to portray.  
"I'll never quit the stage," he was quoted as saying. "Death is the only thing which could ever make me forsake the footlights."

### Roaming Vandal Band is Believed Broken by Arrests

By United Press.  
McALLEN, Texas, July 9.—A roaming band of vandals who have looted business houses and homes of south Texas and sold the stolen articles in Mexico is believed broken up today with the arrest of 8 men.  
Police here said the men were arrested today in various towns along the border.  
Clues obtained from San Benito by police, following the robbery of a ranch house there, led to the arrests.

### REGARDED AS NECESSARY ENGINEER CLAIMS

#### Highway To Traverse Davis Mountains Is Also Very Probable

By United Press.  
AUSTIN, July 9.—Probability of the state constructing a gigantic reservoir in the extreme west part of Texas was outlined Saturday by a state highway engineer, R. A. Thompson, who has just returned from a 2,000 mile tour of the state.  
Mr. Thompson stated that he and the highway commissioners were favorably impressed with Senator Tom Love's project of constructing a state highway through the Davis mountains.  
A bill of this nature was passed during the recent called session of the legislature but Governor Moody struck out the appropriation item of \$10,000 which would be used by the commission in making a survey of the Davis mountains.  
"I am sure that the commissioners will construct a highway through the Davis mountains," said Thompson.  
"After looking over the situation I find it will be necessary to build a reservoir to store away a large quantity of water because of the dry condition of that section of the state."

### School Teacher Found Guilty In Woman Flogging

By United Press.  
TOCCOA, Ga., July 9.—W. G. Acree, high school principal and Baptist association moderator, was found guilty in superior court today of assault and battery of Mrs. Ansley Bowers, who was whipped by a band of masked floggers.  
A jury returned the verdict shortly before 11 a. m., after being out since 7 p. m. yesterday.  
Acree was exonerated on the major charge, assault with intent to murder. Had he been found guilty on that charge he would have faced a two to 10 years sentence on the chain gang.

### Girl Seven Years Old Has Record Business Career

By United Press.  
DALLAS, July 9.—Starting into business when she was 4 years old, Carol Jenkins, 7, has gained the distinction of being this city's youngest successful woman.  
Carol is the envy of all newsboys along Main street. They complain that she has almost put some of them out of business.  
"She's a peach, though, for a girl," most of them agree.  
When she was 4, Carol began assisting her father sell automobile polish. She learned to meet the buying public and a few months later opened a tiny grocery store of her own. It was located on the sidewalk and consisted of a well stocked dry goods box.  
She left the grocery business to sell newspapers, which she has found more profitable. She handles her own bank account at a savings bank and plans to spend her savings in learning to be an engineer when she grows older.

### Man Shoots Wife And Turns Gun On Self, Both May Die

By United Press.  
STAMFORD, Texas, July 9.—After probably fatally shooting his wife, J. W. Brewer, 40, shot and probably fatally wounded himself at his home at Rule, 20 miles north of here, today.  
Mrs. Brewer was shot with a revolver. He shot himself with a shotgun.  
Both were brought to a local hospital. No motive is known.

### Rosebud to Honor Coolidges



Rosebud Yellow Robe, most beautiful girl in the Sioux tribe, will assist Chief Yellow Robe in conferring upon President Coolidge the highest honors of the tribe during the Days of '76 celebration beginning Aug. 5, at Deadwood, S. D. Rosebud was chosen by movie judges as one of the five most beautiful co-eds at the University of South Dakota.

### SWEEPING ORDER ISSUED AGAINST FAMOUS PLAYERS

#### Federal Trade Commission Charges Conspiracy To Monopolize Motion Picture Industry

WASHINGTON, July 9.—A sweeping "cease and desist" order against the Famous Players Lasky corporation charging it with conspiracy to monopolize the motion picture industry was issued by the Federal Trade Commission today.  
The commission acting in the case, brought on its own motion, six years ago unanimously ordered a halt in alleged practices in the Zukor Lasky corporation, which the commission held are designed to control the moving picture industry of the nation.  
Those alleged practices included block booking of pictures and acquisition of theatres "for the purpose of intimidating or coercing an exhibitor or films to book and exhibit films of the Famous Players Lasky corporation."  
The corporation owns interest in 368 theatres including 128 in which it owns all the stock, the commission found.  
The corporation is given 60 days in which to report the manner in which it has complied with the order. The order is directed to the corporation and against Adolph Zukor and Lasky as individuals.

### Body Of Army Flyer Found On Waikiki

By United Press.  
HONOLULU, T. H., July 9.—The body of Lieutenant C. L. Williams, army flier, who was drowned Wednesday, was found off Waikiki beach today, strapped to the seat of his airplane, which crashed after he had flown out to sea over the ship that was carrying Lieutenant Lester Maitland and Albert Hagenberger home.

### Giant Airplane Is Being Made Ready For Tokio Flight

By United Press.  
LONG BEACH, Calif., July 9.—A giant tri-plane capable of carrying enough gasoline for a 42-hour cruise is being completed here and probably will hop off within 10 days in a trans-Pacific flight to Tokio, it was revealed today. W. S. Mayor, general manager of the International Aircraft corporation, told the United Press that the craft was being constructed for Captain James L. Griffin, Long Beach, who would pilot the plane, with Theodore S. Lundgren of Los Angeles, as navigator.

### MAJORITY IS SMALL AND VOTE IS LIGHT

#### Eastland Runs Up Big Vote In Support Of \$300,000 Bond Issue

Indications at a late hour last night were that the \$300,000 bond election for a new court house for Eastland county had carried by a very small majority.  
Voting over the county was apparently very light, with the exception of the city of Eastland which practically voted its full strength and gave the bond issue an overwhelming majority in that box. Had it not been for the vast majority piled up in the city of Eastland the vote in the county would have been in favor of the opposition.  
The vote in Ranger was extremely light, only a bare 200 votes having been cast in the city. The vote in Ranger was 135 for the bond issue and 73 against. The vote in Eastland was 694 for and 73 against.  
Cisco voted overwhelmingly against the proposal. The vote there stood 67 for and 284 against. About the same ratio against the bonds prevailed at Gorman where there was a vote of 52 for and 229 against. At Rising Star the vote was 77 for and 110 against.  
Early returns indicated that the western and southern portions of the county were opposing the bond issue, whereas the northern and eastern boxes were favoring the issue. Eastland, Ranger, Olden, Desdemona all voted in favor of the new courthouse, while the strongest opposition was at Cisco, Gorman, Rising Star and Plover.  
At a late hour, with the returns incomplete the vote stood 1,185 for the bond issue and 1,075 against, a majority of 110 in favor of the proposed bonds. At that time there were eight boxes yet to report, among them being Tudor, Kokomo, Fir, Sabanno, Cook and Dothan. General opinion last night was that the vote from these boxes would materially cut down the small majority that had been mustered in favor of the issue. However, those who were in position to make fairly authoritative predictions were of the opinion that the issue would still carry by a small majority.  
Following are the incomplete returns by voting precincts:

	For	Against
Prec. No. 1, Eastland	684	73
Prec. No. 2, Ranger	39	13
Prec. No. 25, Ranger	11	13
Prec. No. 28, Ranger	62	17
Prec. No. 25, Ranger	11	13
Prec. No. 27, Ranger	12	22
Prec. No. 13, Gorman	52	229
Prec. No. 18, Olden	28	15
Prec. No. 7, Rising Star	77	110
Precs. No. 5-6, Cisco	67	284
Prec. No. 8, Desdemona	36	20
Prec. No. 16, Scranton	31	92
Prec. No. 12, Carbon	36	13
Prec. No. 9, Plover	3	37
Prec. No. 23, Staff	12	14
Prec. 15, Okra	1	32
Prec. No. 14, Long Branch	15	3
Prec. No. 20, Romney	2	30
Prec. No. 17, Nimrod	7	21
Prec. No. 21, Mangum	5	17
Prec. 22, Pleas Hill	4	4

### PITTSBURGH REFUSES RELINQUISH COMPOSER

By United Press.  
PITTSBURGH, July 9.—Pittsburgh will not readily accede to a move now on foot in Kentucky for the removal from here of the remains of Stephen Collins Foster, composer of "My Old Kentucky Home."  
Foster was born in Pittsburgh, on July 4, 1826, and is buried here, but he spent much of his young manhood in Kentucky. This city considers him its own, however, and his 100th anniversary was the occasion for a big celebration here.  
The move to have Foster's remains transferred to Kentucky is led by C. F. Dunn, manager of the Lexington Bluegrass club, who suggested they be reinterred at the Old Kentucky Home near Beardstown, immortalized by the composer. Dunn points out that some time ago the Kentucky legislature arranged for the removal from Missouri of the remains of Daniel Boone, and suggests that be taken as a precedent.

### 1928 Convention Of Business Women's Clubs Goes Abilene

SAN ANTONIO, July 9.—Abilene was elected by the executive board Saturday night for next year's convention of the Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, whose annual session ended here Saturday.  
Daisy Deake of Temple was elected president of the federation.



### WEST TEXAS CHAMBER COMMERCE ANALYZES FREIGHT DECISION

SAN ANTONIO, July 9.—Traffic experts of the West Texas chamber of commerce have completed an analysis of the recent decision handed down by the Interstate Commerce Commission with reference to what is known as the common point freight case, after six weeks of intensive study on the report as received in May.

The common point case, officially designated as the Consolidated Southwestern Cases, was before the commission for more than three years, and formed one of the most important decisions which it has ever undertaken to make. The report of the ruling consists of several hundred pages, and required some time for analysis due to its extent and due to the many angles involved in the case. In summing up and taking the order as a whole, Traffic Manager U. S. Pawkett of the West Texas chamber of commerce states:

"Apparently the principal result of the order is the disruption of rate

relationships that have heretofore existed as between various communities and sections of the state, but it is not apparent that there will be any serious disturbance of trade territory limits. It is estimated that only about forty percent of our total traffic is involved in this case due to the fact that such commodities as grain, grain products, cement, brick, petroleum and its products, live stock, cotton, coal, sand, gravel, crushed stone, and kindred commodities, forest products, cotton seed, cotton seed products, are not involved in the case."

Pawkett further says: "One thing stands out clearly, and that is, the sum-total of our freight charges on traffic to and from the southwest will be very considerably reduced under the new rates, and distribution of the reductions spreads out over practically the entire territory, excepting more or less considerable increases are made to and from points in Arkansas and Louisiana." One outstanding feature of the or-

der is the sweep reductions prescribed on fruits, melons and vegetables and other produce from Texas to interstate points. This will have the effect of placing that industry in Texas on a more nearly competitive basis with producing points in other states.

In general, the order substitutes for the present blanket or common point adjustment, a new adjustment based on mileage with discretionary provision that the carriers may apply the rates based on mileage as a yardstick to destination groups. The common point boundary line is extended westward so as to include all points on the Panhandle and Santa Fe railway from Higgins through Amarillo, Canyon and Lubbock, to Fullerville where it meets the present boundary line, and Texas is divided into thirteen groups with specific rates provided to each group.

The West Texas traffic bureau cannot proceed to work out and ascertain the full effect of the order until carriers have determined their line of policy in the matter. The bureau has been advised that they are devoting practically all their time to consideration of the ruling and it is thought that the work can be completed within the next several

weeks. Until that time, a number of different cities and towns have been furnished with comparisons of the present rates with the rates which the new order provides, under reasonable interpretation. These comparisons were formulated by the West Texas chamber of commerce traffic manager.

The new order of the interstate commerce commission is scheduled to take effect December 5 next, and it is apparent that the commission will insist upon the new rates being published effective that date.

#### NEW DIRECTORS NAMED FOR RANGER MERCHANTS

The new directors of the Ranger Retail Merchants association have been selected and officers for the coming year will be selected on Monday night, when the directors meet at the Gholson hotel at 7:30 o'clock. The directors included the names of Ed R. Maher, J. C. Smith, W. W. Housewright, Col. Brashier, Morris Bendix, E. H. Mills and John Hassen.

Nineteen cables span the Atlantic ocean. The nineteenth was completed in September, 1926.

### Man Convicted On Forgery Charge, Given Two Years

C. B. Howes, arrested in Ranger on a charge of forgery, was found guilty of the charges against him by a jury in the 91st district court Friday and his punishment assessed at two years confinement in the state penitentiary.

Howes, who appears to be about 50 years of age, was arrested after he had made representations to bankers at Ranger that he had an account in a Kansas City bank which he wished to transfer to the Ranger bank. He used the name of James B. Wilson.

In a confession made to Assistant District Attorney Holloway, Howes said to have stated that he had not been in Kansas City for some years and that he did not have an account in the bank there. Howes secured nothing from the Ranger bank.

### Two Found Guilty In Liquor Cases, Suspend Sentences

Gaines Redding and Clarence Mitchell were found guilty of violations of the liquor law by a jury in the 91st district court Friday and their punishment assessed at two years in the penitentiary with suspension of sentences.

Brook Owen, who recently pleaded guilty to a number of charges, pleaded guilty Friday to four additional charges, three for theft of cars and one for theft of a cow.

With the cases tried Friday the total number of convictions secured by the district attorney's department during the week reached 17. There was one acquittal.

#### HOBOS DESERT HOME WHEN BATHS INSTALLED

LONDON.—British hoboes dislike the modern comfort provided for them in the workhouse.

The board of guardians in the Welsh city of Abergavenny recently decided to try the experiment of fitting their workhouse out with slipper and shower baths, separate cubicles with electric push-bells to call attendants in case of illness, an apparatus for fumigating clothes, and facilities for washing socks and handkerchiefs.

In a recent meeting of the committee to discuss the results of the experiment, figures showed a decrease of more than two-thirds in the number of hoboes admitted to the workhouse.

The principal objections of the hoboes, according to the committee was violent dislike of hot baths and a rooted objection to a day's task in return for free accommodation for two nights. Hoboes considered the whole system too militaristic.

### Ice Cream is Now Regarded as Very Important Food

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Ice cream is not only a food for all seasons but for all ages. Invalids, too, are often given this easily assimilated food when nothing else tempts. Frozen dishes constitute an acceptable way of serving nourishment in an attractive and easily digested form.

For children, ice cream is a nutritious, digestible and palatable food. It is rich in bone building material, supplying energy and food element that protect against disease. Ice cream should be considered as another way of getting children to eat the milk and butter fat they need.

Mothers can answer their children's desire for ice cream with confidence, knowing that it has an important place in the balanced diet on which largely depends a strong body and an alert mind—the birthright of every child.

SAN BENITO—\$150,000 bond issue to be voted on July 23 for improvements here.

#### RAT KILLING RECORD.

By United Press.

CARDIFF, England.—Claims to having killed 2,500 rats in the 18 months are laid by Charles Rees, an official at the Llanhilleth house colliery, near here.

With the help of a Sealyham, a fox terrier and a ferret, Rees started a campaign in the pit during the coal stoppage, and has now completely cleared it of rats.

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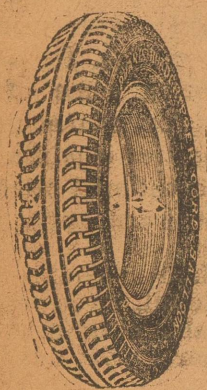
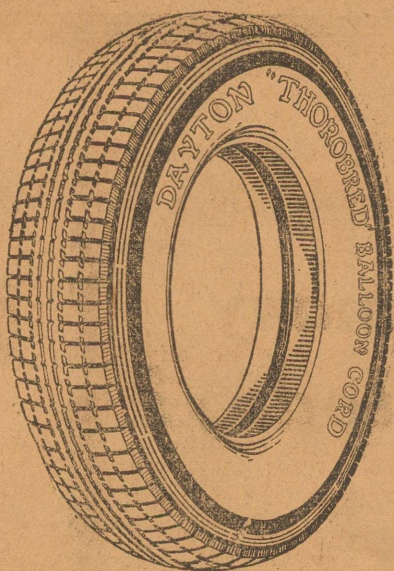
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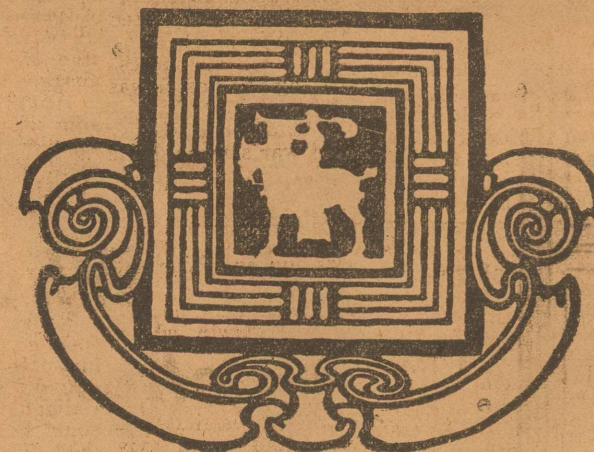
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One good result of the American demand for Mongolian ferret and such furs is that there are few stray dogs left in this section, so few in fact, that the Chinese dog hunters have commenced to make inroads in the local supply of pet barkers, especially amongst the larger, hunting dogs. A favorite plan is to toss poisoned meat over fences, wherein dogs are confined, and then, after allowing the poison time to work, to ring the doorbell and offer to buy the dead pets.

**ODESSA**—A deaf and dumb mute Ivan Sokoff, who set out for a solitary world tour four years ago, has just completed his voyage here. Most of the distance he traversed on foot.

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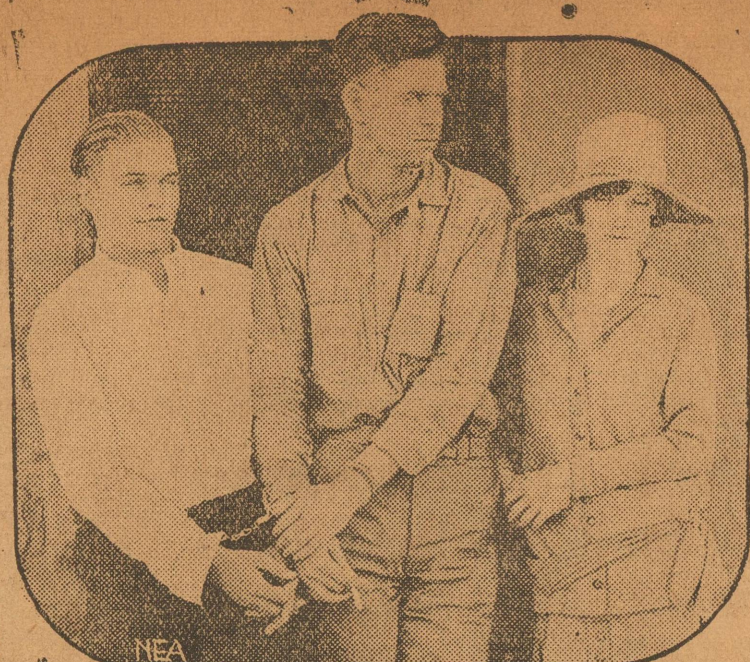
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**Seven Murders Charged to Him**



This picture of Matthew Kimes (left), most notorious of Oklahoma bandits, was taken in front of the jail in Flagstaff, Ariz., following Kimes' capture in the Grand Canyon. With the bandit are shown a couple who gave their names as Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Kady, in whose car Kimes was riding. They explained they had no knowledge that Kimes was being sought. Seven murders and a dozen bank robberies in Oklahoma are charged to Kimes, whose brother, George, is serving a life term in the Oklahoma penitentiary.

**IMPROVED CIERVA HELICOPTER SUCCESSFUL IN RECENT TESTS**

**MADRID, Spain.**—The Spanish government has ordered three Cierva autogiros since the one already constructed completed its successful trial. The second will be still larger, to develop greater speed; and the third will serve for experimental purposes.

This was the statement of Juan La Cierva in an interview to the United Press a few minutes after witnessing the trial of the first official autogiro built for Spain.

Compared with the original helicopter built with pieces of old airplanes, this autogiro shows new characteristics. With a powerful Hispano Suiza motor, its landing equipment and wings were specially designed to serve the autogiro purpose, ascending and landing nearly vertically. Though shaped like a windmill, its wings have been modified, introducing important mechanical changes as a result of persistent experiments of Cierva during the past two years. While in England where the air ministry ordered three autogiros, Cierva completed his invention.

"This apparatus appears to be simple enough," said La Cierva, "but you would need a lot of paper to explain theoretically my modifications. The wings form and their working have been altered so that the plane is now safer. Of course, I thought of these modifications before, but the experiments of the past winter induced me to put them into execution. With these improved wings, it would be impossible for

one of them to break as in London during one of Captain Courtney's experiments. True, this accident proved an imperfection, but it only served to show the safety of my plane. The accident while flying at 150 feet high would have been a disaster with an ordinary plane. But my autogiro hardly suffered and Captain Courtney came out with only a few scratches. The plane came down on its three wings nearly as well as on four."

This new autogiro with two seats has a greater carrying capacity. Its ascending speed, for the first six hundred feet, has exceeded Cierva's expectations, and in horizontal flight it reaches easily 112 miles an hour.

Cierva was congratulated during the trial by the Italian ambassador. The Italian air attaché, who had been laughing at the "quizzical" wings of the autogiro, said after his flight, "Very interesting, Magnifico. Magnifico."

The presence of the Italian ambassador was not a mere coincidence. Italy is interested in the autogiro. The French government is planning to acquire several autogiros of different types.

One of those built for Great Britain is a waterplane, with a 500 H. P. motor.

**BIG SPRING.**—Brick business building erected by Dr. T. M. Collins and corner of East Second and Ruppels Streets.

**INTERNATIONAL RADIO LAW TO BE DRAFTED AT WASHINGTON**

By HARRY W. FRANTZ (United Press Staff Correspondent)  
**WASHINGTON, July.**—The international radiotelegraphic conference to be held here in October, 1927, if entirely successful will mark the accomplishment in twenty-five years for the ether what has not been accomplished in as many centuries for the sea.

The conference is expected to adopt a modern radio agreement satisfactory to the entire world and minimizing the likelihood of serious international conflicts over radio rights. The world has not yet reached such an agreement concerning all features of maritime law. The radio discussions will be primarily technical, but indirectly of great political significance.

The extraordinary development of radio communications in recent years has not been more rapid than the national and international efforts to keep the pace with it. The United States in the last congress adopted its first comprehensive law for the regulation of radio communications, applicable to the United States and territories except the Philippines.

Now this government is to host at a world conference which will go far toward establishing the principles in the future to govern international communications.

The progress of international efforts to regulate radio communications is described in one chapter of "The Law of Radio Communication" written by Judge Stephen B. Davis, ex-solicitor of the department of commerce, radio adviser to Secretary Hoover and one of the foremost authorities on radio communications in the United States.

"Apart from a few special agreements, treaties or conventions, there is no specific international law governing radio communication, except as its general principles may be applicable," he writes.

The first international attention given to radio was the attempt in the Hague conventions (1899 to 1907) to define the status of radio stations and the rights and duties of persons operating them in time of war.

The land war neutrality convention prohibits the erection of radio stations by belligerents on neutral territory and also the use by belligerents of any radio station established on such territory before the war for purely military purposes and not previously opened for the service of public messages.

The convention concerning neutral rights and duties in maritime warfare forbade belligerents to erect radio stations in neutral ports.

The Washington Armament limitation conference in 1922 also discussed the status of radio stations in time of war, and recommendations were subsequently formulated at the Hague, but have not yet been made effective.

After an abortive conference at Berlin in 1903, the first international wireless telegraph convention

was signed at the Berlin conference of 1906. It was ratified by the United States senate in April 1912, when arrangements were being made for a further radio conference in London.

The United States was represented at the London conference, which drafted a new convention and regulations, signed in July, 1912, and later ratified by the United States senate.

The Berlin convention of 1906 remains in force only with respect to questions arising between the countries which ratified it but did not adhere to the London convention of 1912.

The general purpose of the London convention, as described in a previous article, was to regulate radio communication between vessels and the shore and between vessels on the high seas. Fifty separate regulations accompanied the convention.

The international convention on safety of life at sea, signed at London in 1924, contains provisions relative to radio equipment on vessels; the United States was a signatory, but final ratification has never been completed.

Radio communication between China and the rest of the world was the subject of a resolution approved at the Washington limitations of armament conference in 1922. Its chief provision was that all radio stations in China should be operated strictly in accordance with the terms of treaties or concessions, and also provided that if foreign stations were operating without authorization in China they should be transferred to the Chinese government upon fair compensation.

Judge Davis points out that the right of a state to forbid the passage over its territory of waves emanating from a foreign radio station has been asserted by some writers on international law, but the right is of questionable value, "there being no known method by which the complaining state can prevent signals entering and crossing it, although it might destroy their communication value, and it being equally beyond the power of the transmitting station to restrain them from traveling beyond national boundaries and in all directions, though the development of beam or directional transmission may change the situation in the latter respect."

Since the London convention of 1912, call letters for use in the adhering countries have been assigned by the Berne bureau, the United States receiving all communications beginning with N and W and those with K from KDA to KZZ.

Judge Davis discusses the practicability of international allocation of wave-lengths as follows:

"So far as concerns the efficiency of stations operating of the non-marine services, the only problem which may merit international attention is that of interference resulting from the fact that the number of available channels is limited. In the past this has caused little difficulty. There have been wave-

lengths sufficient to meet all demands. Each station operating point to point international service has been able to find unused wavelengths and has proceeded to prompt them. Newcomers have respected the possession of their predecessors. Whether this peaceful condition will continue or whether there will be ultimate conflict and confusion depends upon many factors still unknown, including the growth in the number of such stations, the rendering useful of the high frequencies and the development of beam or directional transmission.

"In a draft for an international convention made in 1920 at what is known as the Washington conference on electrical communications an attempt was made at a general allocation dividing wavelengths among the countries of the world. It has never become effective. The consensus of present informed sentiment seems to be that the time has not yet come when such a division is required."

**AWAKENED SLEEPER BUTTS LOCOMOTIVE**

**HARBIN.**—A track surveyor on his daily round felt the need for a nap and selected the track as the most convenient resting place, trusting to the humming of the rails to awaken him in case of an approaching train.

The driver of an incoming freight train noticed the man and brought the engine to a standstill a few yards away from the sleeper. An especially shrill blast of the engine whistle brought the man to his feet, and so dazed was he that he rushed headmost into the engine. He sustained heavy injuries to the head and was picked up unconscious.

**BIG SPRING.**—\$20,000 school bond issue voted on recently.

**CZAR'S DEATH CELLAR NOW A STATE MUSEUM**

**MOSCOW.**—The tragic building in the cellar of which the Czar Nicholas II, his wife, the boy czarevitch and his sisters, the grand duchesses, were executed after their dethronement, has been made into a museum by the town government of Ekaterinburg, now re-named Sverdlovsk.

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# Pittsburg and New York May Fight Out World Series

## YANKS TREAT 'EM ROUGH SAYS EVANS

By BILLIE EVANS  
Treat 'em rough when they get fresh! That seems to be the slogan of the New York Americans.

Any time an American League rival threatens the lead of the Yankees, the crew of Miller Huggins administrators a severe spanking.

On Decoration Day of this year, the Philadelphia Athletics were within hailing distance of the Yanks, only a couple of games away. In the so-called first crucial series, New York proceeded to win four out of five. The men of Mack have been more or less silent ever since.

Late in June, the Chicago White Sox went into New York for a four-game series, with just a single game separating them from the champions. Ruth and Co. proceeded to trim the Sox three out of four and started them on the toboggan.

On July Fourth, Washington, after



Here's Leo P. Flynn, who is the big boss of Jack Dempsey in the latter's comeback role. Flynn, a veteran handler of fighters, believes the ex-champion will come back and regain the world's heavyweight title from Gene Tunney.

## Gripings by Gus

The American Legion team and the Chestnut-Smith team and any other team that may happen to read this are invited to express their desires as to whether they would like to play a game with the Dallas team of the Texas league after the regular season closes.

Josh Billings writes that he will be glad to entertain offers to play on a percentage or guarantee.

Full particulars may be obtained from your club.

The M. W. A. team will play Comyn at Lillard field this afternoon. The Comyn team is said to be a strong aggregation having lost only four games out of thirteen this year. Not knowing who they won from, your guess is as good as mine.

One of the chiefest among indoor sports of this time seems to be comparisons. Comparing this with that and this person with that person, and this group with that group, and then the comparisons switch off into comparing the human race both male and female with the various families of dumb animals and plant life.

Rena Bonner Campbell has compared men with everything and has yet to find an animal of low enough order of life to classify as poor overworked and underfed husbands in such a manner that we will stay classified.

But, speaking of comparisons, did it ever dawn upon you that there is a great similarity between women and fish?

All women want to be "in the swim" and when they get caught out of their natural elements they flop around like a fish out of water.

Some women will go after any kind of bait and some don't seem to fall for any kind of bait you try to feed them.

Some live and thrive on the destruction of other women, even as a bass considers it a choice morsel if he can swoop down on a shiner minnow. It's too bad that we don't have any talking fish.

Then there's the sword-fish woman that's always got her nose into other people's business, and the shark that will follow a ship a week waiting for a man to fall overboard.

Compare the whale-woman who has enough flesh on one arm to feed an average family a week and the sardine woman who doesn't have enough meat on her bones to stuff a hot tamale.

Now the cat-fish woman has a mouth like the Mammoth Cave and is unapproachable because of her finger's having an affinity for going through one's pockets.

The sucker always gets the bait but never takes the hook, while the female of eel is the only one that ever gets hooked.

Then the flying-fish that darts around from place to place, part bird and part fish, and blind fish that do not even have a place for eyes.

Then there is the lowly craw-fish—who is always trying to back-out.

The above does not apply to any woman I know now or have ever known, or who know me, but only to women I have read about or seen in picture shows.

But merely written to keep pace with the trend of times in comparing one thing with another.

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Wichita Falls	4	9	0
Batteries—Walkup and Smith; Estell and Lapan.			
Beaumont	2	7	0
San Antonio	3	6	0
Batteries—Hanson and Robertson; Burns, Messenger and Long.			

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Brooklyn 7-0, New York 5-1.			
Philadelphia 12, Cincinnati 12.			
Pittsburgh 4, Chicago 1.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston 2-0, Chicago 1-5.			
New York 19-4, Detroit 7-14.			
Washington 6-3, Cleveland 5-2.			
St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 5.			

## SPORT ODDS AND ENDS

**MOTOR BOAT RACING**  
NEW YORK.—Entries and program of activities scheduled for the many major national speed boat races this season are rapidly rounding into shape according to word received from the American Power Boat association.

Tomorrow will take place the 18th Annual Power Boat race to Block Island for the Championship of Long Island Sound. This race will also be held for the Victory Trophy with the boats competing under the past performance handicap rules recently promulgated by the A. P. B. A. The Block Island race is open to cruisers and fast cruisers of not more than 65 and not less than 30 feet waterline length.

The approximate distance of the race will be 100 nautical miles. Time allowance will be figured in accordance with the 1927 A. P. B. A. rules. There will be a first prize, and also a second prize will be given if five boats start. A third prize will be given if seven boats start and a time prize will also be presented to the boat making the best actual time.

At Cleveland, Ohio, July 22-24, under the auspices of the city itself and the Cleveland Metropolitan Yachting Association, there will be held the Cleveland regatta, which promises to be one of the most extensive and varied ever planned for the Great Lakes region.

Headline the trophy list at this regatta will be the Governor's Cup, presented by Governor Vic Donahey. In addition there will be the Commodore's Cup, the Councilman's Cup and several other trophies as well as several cash prizes to be competed for by the various classes.

In preparation for this regatta, the city is completing a new breakwater at Edgewater Park, inside of which will be the new protected race course. There will be power boat races for every class, a complete sail race card and an elaborately worked out inshore program of entertainment. It is expected also to have an entry class for the 151 speedsters. On the opening day, celebrating the 131st Anniversary of the founding of the City of Cleveland, there will be a special program consisting of water pageants, power boat races for city officials and special music by the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra. Another of the unusual features will be a long distance championship swim comparable to the English Channel and Catalina events. Swimmers of international fame who participated in these swims will be among the Cleveland entries.

Entries announced to date for the International Regatta at Detroit September 3-6, include the following: Harry B. Greening of Hamilton, Ont., driving Rainbow VI, Dr. Etchehour of Paris with his Sord III, and two fast United States boats competing for the Carl G. Fisher International Trophy for the 12 litre class; Otto Kreuger of Berlin with his two speedsters, the Sigrid IV and the Sigrid V, and Miss Betty Carstairs of England driving her famous boat, the Newg, in the 1 1/2 litre class against which three American speed craft will compete, one to be driven by Gus Wood, another owned by James H. Rand Jr. of Buffalo, while the third will probably be Little Shadow, formerly owned by and raced in England last year

The manufacturers are giving prizes for the first four men and special intermediate prizes will be presented to the leaders at 3, 9, 12, 15, 18 and 21 hours. The pace-makers of the first three will receive rewards to the value of \$225 between them and each competitor completing the 24 hours will be given a souvenir of the event.

Eleven different clubs will be represented by the fifteen riders who will be chosen from the following: H. Grant, W. S. Almond, E. C. Pilcher, W. W. Perkins, H. H. G. Page, W. G. Stewart, H. P. P. G. S. Sibthorpe, A. A. Turner, J. E. Holdsworth, D. Marsh, E. J. Winn, V. S. Bowmar, J. P. Lee, H. Oxley, W. G. Hazel, A. G. Keen, E. G. Bowtle.

Among these Grant, Pilcher, Holdsworth and Marsh are the favorites. Grant is quite at home on the Herne Hill track, but has not previously ridden in a 24-hour contest. On the other hand, Pilcher, Holdsworth and Marsh are road racers and all three are noted long distance performers.

By way of variety during the duller stages of the race and in the hopes of attracting a larger gate, the Polytechnic Club are arranging a series of boxing bouts, running races at various distances including two championships, and a walking handicap to take place during Saturday afternoon. These will be staged on the turf inside the cycling track.

Tickets have sold well, even those for the overnight session being in great demand and the event promises to be a very profitable venture for the club if not for some of the riders.

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## Babe Ruth Out Bats His Team Mate In Double-Header

By United Press.  
DETROIT, Mich., July 9.—Babe Ruth passed his teammate Lou Gehrig, in the home run race today, batting out his 28 and 29 homers of the season in the first game of today's double header between New York Yanks and Detroit Tigers.

## Tourists Bring Prosperity To Great Britain

By United Press.  
LONDON.—Britain is feeling the benefit of the invasion of America's tourist army members of which are spending large amounts of money on expensive sports of fishing and shooting.

Real estate agents in all parts of the country are receiving high rents for partridge shootings. Scotland is having the most brilliant season for many years and agents find the shooting moors and Salmon rivers in great demand by the American visitors.

"Nearly all the fishing and shooting preserves were rented before Easter and this year was a record in the history of the firm," stated a member of a prominent sporting agency.

Sports outfitters are experiencing a steady rush for equipment. A Bond street firm of gunmakers say that they had not sold as many guns and fishing tackle in any season since the war.

This new prosperity is greatly welcomed by tradesmen, who have been experiencing a serious depression since Britain's general strike.

## Ralph Ince's Close Call



Investigation was conducted by California authorities into a mysterious attempt to murder Ralph Ince, the movie director, at Fullerton. The hotel bed in which he slept was sprayed with fluorine which had nearly snuffed out his life when friends discovered and resuscitated him. Below is a picture of Ince's wife, the former Lucile Mendez, once Broadway's favorite chorus girl.

## Soviet In Fear Of Economic War By Great Britain

By United Press.  
By VICTOR W. KNAUTH, United Press Staff Correspondent.  
MOSCOW.—The "united front against Russia" is taken very seriously in all walks of Moscow life. England is considered definitely bent on bringing about such an anti-soviet alignment and the visit of President Doumergue of France with the French foreign secretary, Aristide Briand, to London is looked on with mixed emotions.

"It would be a great mistake to consider their visit to England as nothing more than a neighborly call," warned the newspaper Pravda in an editorial. The article then plunged into an intricate description of interlocking suppositions, based on the premise that England is organizing a "united front" against the soviet union.

By this hypothesis, England is supporting fascist Italy in order to put pressure on France, prepared in time to abandon Italy and take up France for special friendship. The first victim of an Anglo-French rapprochement would be Germany, the editorial declared, supporting its prevision by observing that England is cold toward Germany's efforts to bring about an early Rhineland evacuation.

The prospect is engrossing the attention of all ranks in Russia and the newspapers are stimulating a general public interest in England's supposed diplomatic maneuvers. If England succeeds, it is widely felt that an economic blockade of the soviet union would be the first result, followed in time by some sort of hostile military action, with some nation other than England as the spear-head.

Soviet statesmen and editors have been visioning such an eventuality for months and the Russian people are thoroughly warned of the possibility of having to face an economic blockade or perhaps even another military intervention.

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# AMERICA HAD HER TEAPOT DOME GREAT BRITAIN HAS HER PEERS

By C. P. WILLIAMSON,  
United Press Staff Correspondent.  
LONDON.—Britain has no Teapot Dome scandal to bother politicians, but it has one little ripple on the otherwise smooth surface of peacetime grants, which some labor circles class as being far worse than an oil scandal.

The first intimation of the brewing storm of trouble over the matter of empire honors came recently when Lord Byng, formerly governor-general of Canada, declined to remit to the treasury the fees involved in his elevation from baron to viscount.

The promotion was conferred upon Lord Byng last October upon his retirement from the governor-generalship, which he held from 1921 to 1926. Lord Byng was granted his first title in 1919 in recognition of his war services. In addition he received the thanks of parliament and was granted 30,000 pounds. Although Lord Byng did not refuse the additional rank in the peerage, it is understood that he takes the view that many other distinguished men have taken before him—that titular rewards for services to the state should not be conditional on the payment of a substantial sum in fees for the peerage patents.

Following Lord Byng's refusal to pay for his letters of patent to the new title one half of England shuddered while the other half enjoyed reading the expose of the long list of persons—some of whom, it is alleged, received their titles for political reasons more than for services to the state—who had their titular

fees paid by the British treasury. An imposing list of personages whose fees were paid by the government gradually crept into public view during the discussions and counter-discussions over the right or wrong of such a policy. Some of Britain's most prominent politicians, diplomats and naval and military men are mentioned in the list.

It includes the following with the fees which were remitted:

Lord Birkenhead, 330 pounds; Lord Arnold, 330 pounds; Lord Thomson, 330 pounds; Lord Oliver, 330 pounds; Lord Oxford, 755 pounds; Lord Balfour, 2,255 pounds; Lord Chelmsford, 430 pounds; Lord Lowther, 430 pounds; Earl Haig, 930 pounds; Viscount Jellicoe, 755 pounds; Earl Beatty, 930 pounds; Viscount Allenby, 755 pounds; Lord Kitchener, 2,805; Lord Bryce, 330 pounds.

In the above list it is noted that both Lords Oxford and Balfour were formerly prime ministers, Lords Arnold, Thomson and Oliver were three labor peers, Lord Bryce was British ambassador to Washington, Lord Chelmsford was a former viceroy of India and a member of the cabinet, Lord Lowther was formerly a speaker of the house of commons, Lord Birkenhead is a politician—the others receive military or naval classifications.

There have been instances during past reigns when the recipient of a title has refused to pay the fees connected with it and the sovereign has ordered the treasury to remit all fees. This occurred several times during the reign of Queen Victoria.

Technical questions connected with a refusal by a newly created peer to pay for the patents have so far been shunned by constitutional lawyers here. The question, which was immediately raised, whether Lord Byng could assume his title while refusing to pay the fees, has been particularly carefully avoided. Although many experts are severely bothered with the question of "what can be done about it," no one seems to actually know, or if knowing, refuse to express an opinion.

Another bit of soiled linen which came to view for another public washing during the discussion of patent fees, was that of "the Lloyd George honors scandal," as it is described by the conservative press. The matter was first raised by Lord Rosebery in a letter to the London Times in which he raised the question of whether Lloyd George's so-called political fund, of approximately 2,000,000 pounds, was derived in whole or in part from the sale of "honors."

Lloyd George merely replied, "If Lord Rosebery will recall how he financed his own general election in 1895 (when Rosebery was prime minister) he will find a complete answer to his question."

It was later stated by Lloyd George's office that "the fund controlled by Mr. Lloyd George was raised in a way which does not differ from that followed by the conservative party or the liberal party in the days before the coalition and all along it has been devoted to legitimate party purposes."

Some labor members of parliament are now demanding a complete investigation of the whole subject of title grants.

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## Arousing His Curiosity



## Great Britain Will Broadcast In Kilocycles

By KEITH JONES  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
London.—An announcement of interest to technically-minded American radio fans has been made by officials of the British Broadcasting company, who declare that they propose forthwith to adopt the principle of stating their "wave lengths" in kilocycle figures instead of wavelength figures in connection with all the company's stations.

It is thought here that this practice may shortly be taken up in the United States as by the use of kilocycle figures the use of decimals of metres, frequently necessary in the statement of wavelengths, is avoided. Under the new plan the measurements used by the British broadcasting stations will be stated in terms of frequency, of which the unit is cycles per second, the kilocycle being equivalent to 1,000 cycles.

Support for this step, according to British radio experts, is furnished by the fact that the union Internationale de Radiophonie, Geneva, has throughout based its system of measurement on frequencies and not on wavelengths. The spacing between the exclusive wave, that is, one which is the property of a single station, and the common wave, that is, one which is used by several stations, should be uniformly maintained, under the Geneva scheme, at a frequency of ten kilocycles. If this separation is kept constant, it is claimed that interference between stations will be avoided.

Three factors, these experts point out, describe the nature of an electromagnetic wave, namely, the speed at which it travels, the frequency with which the wave is generated and the length of the wave. The third factor is dependent upon the first and second since the length of the wave must be determined by the velocity divided by the frequency. Thus, since the speed of travel is accepted as constant, the only equality which is essential is the frequency with which the waves are generated. The use of the term "wavelength," according to experts is therefore redundant.

"The question of interference is bound up with the beats between the two frequencies," says a report sent out by the British Broadcasting company. "The frequency of the two stations working on what have always been regarded as measurements of, say, 300 metres and 302 metres, is in the former case one million vibrations a second in the other, and in the latter case 995,000 vibrations a second. The two stations thus beat together and produce a frequency equal to their difference, i. e., 5,000 cycles. Because the human ear can detect easily up to 5,000 vibrations a second, a heterodyne note will be heard, denoting that the two stations are beating together. If, however, a separation of 10,000 vibrations a second or ten kilocycles, is maintained, the beating of the two frequencies will hardly be audible; hence the ten kilocycle spacing is regarded as the practicable separation in order that interference may be avoided."

It is also claimed in favor of the proposed change that the use of kilocycle figures instead of wavelengths will prove less of a tax on the listener's memory as no decimals are involved, all kilocycle measurements being in round figures.

The following list indicates how the kilocycles figures will simplify "station finding":

Daventry, present wave length, 1,604.3 proposed kilocycle 187; Bournemouth, 491.8, kilocycle 610; Glasgow 405.4, kilocycle 740; Plymouth, 400, kilocycle 750; Bradford 252.1, kilocycle 1,190.

Commander Byrd reports he found a lot of fog over Ireland. Was it fog, or smoke?

A genius is a thin lady in grand opera.

## CORRESPONDENT SUGGESTS WE NICKNAME PUBLIC OFFICIALS

NEA Service Writer.  
WASHINGTON.—The servants of the people, functioning in Washington and elsewhere as parts of the federal government, assume far more dignity than the ordinary servant, and it is very hard to find any humility among them.

Their success in persuading the multitude to take them seriously, as no doubt they should be taken, is probably responsible for the failure of the ordinary citizen to attach to them the sort of nicknames with which he tags others prominent in the public eye.

Certainly the hard-working officials down here are entitled to at least as much affection as the lady murderesses of Chicago, among whom there has been a long procession of "wolf women," "tiger women," "hyena women" and so on. New York has never been slow to nickname its Rhinelanders and its Brownings and the spirit of the entire country was demonstrated when it made Lindbergh its own "Lindy." Washington alone has lagged behind in this great popular sport.

As a matter of fact, the great men of the land as found in high office are not such awesome creatures as to be robbed of this mark of popular esteem. Probably every one of them realizes the vote-getting value of a good nickname, but how is he to nickname himself?

To fill this demand, your correspondent presents a few suggestions as follows:

Chief Justice William Howard Taft.  
Senator Earl B. "Pineapple" Mayfield.  
Senator William E. "Lone Wolf" Borah.  
Senator David A. "Fido" Reed.  
Secretary Andrew W. "Moneybags" Mellon.  
Speaker Nicholas "Baldy" Longworth.  
Senator Edward I. "Red-head" Edwards.  
Secretary Curtis D. "Holy Willie" Wilbur.  
Senator James E. "Tomatoes" Watson.  
Senator Henry F. "Hot water bags" Ashurst.  
Attorney General John G. "Tur-nips" Sargent.  
Senator Claude "Walrus" Swanson.  
Congressman Fiorello "Spaghetti" LaGuardia.  
Senator J. Thomas "Dirigibles" Heflin.  
Wayne E. "Juniper Berries" Wheeler.  
Postmaster General Harry S. "Deficit" New.  
Secretary William M. "Kid-em-alone" Jardine.  
Secretary Herbert "Mops" Hoover.  
Supreme Court Justice Oliver Wendell "Whitey" Holmes.  
Senator Hiram W. "Knitting needles" Johnson.  
Senator Robert M. "Chips" La-follette.  
Senator Arthur R. "Pudding-head" Robinson.  
Senator Burton K. "Old Hawk-eye" Wheeler.  
Senator Frank B. "Foghorn" Willis.  
Senator Thomas J. "Bull pup" Walsh.  
Congressman Emanuel "Hootch" Celler.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company will make improvements to system in Texas to cost approximately \$1,500,000.

## WHAT IS HAPPENING AT HANKOW

By RANDALL GOULD  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
HANKOW.—One sight of silver makes Hankow hens begin to lay.

But since the silver embargo was laid down here by the Nationalist government on April 18, neither hens nor tradespeople have had many glimpses of this inspiring metal.

Through the placing of this embargo, described by a leading foreign banker as "the greatest single mistake of the Nationalist government in Hankow" and by a government official as "an unfortunate but wholly necessary emergency measure," Hankow has been taking a practical course in money and banking of such intensive nature that all concerned are frankly anxious to graduate.

The reaction of the Hankow hen to this situation was described to the United Press by a foreigner who operates a wholesale supply business which is ordinarily flourishing but now decidedly in the doldrums. Said he:

"An experience of mine this morning gives the whole situation in an nutshell, so to speak. I went around to a Chinese poultry merchant to lay in some household supplies. Pulling out one of the local 'legal tender' banknotes, I asked for eggs.

"Now, you must understand that the Chinese merchants are forbidden by government mandate to refuse these notes, or to discount them. So the Chinese merchant very politely informed me that he was very sorry but his hens were not laying and he had no eggs on hand. Then I rang a silver dollar down on the counter. The hens must have heard or seen that dollar, for eggs were forthcoming a moment later."

Business is bad in Hankow today under the Nationalist regime. Everybody admits it, including the Nationalists. Differences of opinion crop up at once, of course, when the detailed discussion starts. Hankow notes of the three "legal tender" banks, notably the Bank of China and Central Bank, are in circulation among the Chinese, but foreign banks and business houses refuse them and demand either foreign bank notes or silver. Opinions differ as to whether circulation of such notes among the Chinese is due primarily to compulsion or to a measure of confidence in the stability of the Nationalist government, and foreign merchants cite such episodes as the incident of the eggs in proof of their contention that fear of decapitation is the only thing which keeps the Chinese using such money at all.

The cause of the embargo lies in difficulties of the government, primarily of the defection of General Chiang Kai-shek and his establishment of the Nanking government, which caused lack of confidence and threatened an exodus of all free silver from Hankow. Everyone seems to agree that there was such a danger, and that once an embargo has been laid down, the raising of it is a real problem.

Foreigners insist that the embargo is stifling trade and that free circulation of silver once more is the only thing which can restore trade. Eugene Chen, foreign minister, told the United Press that "silver is only a token and we must win a success in our military operations which will reopen lines of trade communication up the Yangtze and into Honan province so that goods can move in once more."

And, with the situation as it is at present, this seems to sum up the matter. Everyone is now muddling along as best he can and waiting to see how the government's several military campaigns come out. Foreign traders are bitter and depressed, Chinese merchants silent and conservative, the government at least outwardly full of hope for an early restoration of trade channels.

Several measures of relief have been tried. The most apparently constructive was the proposal of a clearing house between Hankow and Shanghai with the government willing to absorb the adverse trade balance; bankers did not support the plan, which they considered impractical,

and the traders asked for restoration of general free silver circulation, causing the government to abandon the plan. Foreigners have brought forward a plan for restricted circulation of silver between Hankow banks only; the government turned "thumbs down" on that because it feared all silver would gravitate to the foreign banks. A government scheme for remitting money to Shanghai has largely failed because it seems fairly clearly established, it was abused by certain large foreign firms which tried to use it for liquidation rather than legitimate business transactions.

An embargo of a sort has been in effect for years, but there has been no previous necessity for enforcement because Hankow has had a large favorable trade balance. Silver imports from Shanghai for 1926, for example, were Mex \$14,000,000 as against exports of only Mex \$1,900,000. Now confronted with a panic which seemed due to bring general liquidation, the government has made the embargo real, sealing all the silver stores in the various banks. Bayonets must tell the rest of the story.

GUERO.—Turner Hall at Hocheim Prairie recently destroyed by fire to be rebuilt.

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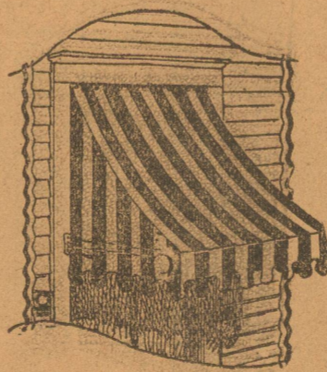
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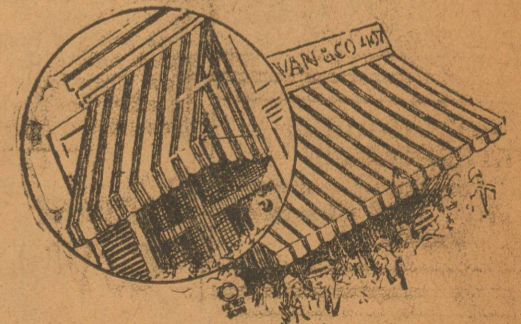
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# MRS. MEDILL McCORMICK MAY RUN FOR GOVERNOR OF ILLINOIS

By RODNEY DUTCHER  
NEA Service Writer  
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WASHINGTON, July 9.—The daughter of the most skillful political manipulator this country ever saw—Mark Hanna—will probably be a candidate for governor of the state of Illinois at the next republican primary.

This woman is Mrs. Medill McCormick, widow of the former senator from Illinois and known to republican party leaders as the best woman politician in the nation. Seated on the veranda of her home in Georgetown, Mrs. McCormick told me of her plans regarding Illinois' next gubernatorial campaign. While she has not definitely promised to run, she made it plain that if she does all other candidates had best prepare for the scrap of their lives. "It is far too early to prophesy," she said. "Great pressure is being

brought on me to run. I'm not prepared to say that I will.

"But I can conceive of an emergency in which I would." And then Mrs. McCormick disclosed that if she does run it will not be primarily to get the office for herself, but rather to take it away from that talented vote-getter, Governor Len Small. The daughter of Mark Hanna, the president-maker, is determined that Small will never win another term in the governor's mansion at Springfield.

### Her Conditions.

"Suppose Small is a candidate to succeed himself, as we assume," she went on. "Suppose Attorney General Carlstrom, who ran for attorney general as Saml's fairhaired boy four years ago with a campaign promise to cancel the suits against Small, but who now claims to be anti-Saml, should be offered as the anti-Saml candidate.

"I doubt whether Carlstrom's candidacy would entirely satisfy the anti-Saml people.

"Whatever might be said of my candidacy, it could not be said that I am not 100 per cent anti-Saml.

"Small will have his organization behind him, Carlstrom may get an organization in Cook county—but I may get a majority of the votes." In making this tentative prediction

## Next "Lady Governor"?



Mrs. Medill McCormick

Mrs. McCormick is speaking from the viewpoint of the experienced, practical politician. She knows that very strange things do happen in Illinois politics.

### Should Get Many Votes.

To begin with, she has a brilliant record of her own and is widely known. The mantle of her father and her late husband would fall on her shoulders. Many democratic women probably would vote for her in the republican primary. Labor should be sympathetic, for Mark Hanna was friendly to labor and Mrs. McCormick as an active member of the Women's Trade Union league, has vigorously supported child labor and other labor legislation.

The farmers might help, too; for not even Lowden is more of a dirt farmer than Mrs. McCormick, who runs her own 2000-acre farm, sells hogs and steers, markets 1400 quarts of milk daily and is an active director of the Holstein-Friesian association.

In addition to these elements,

there is a large floating anti-Saml vote that probably would go her way. On top of this, Mrs. McCormick would get strong newspaper support.

"If I do run I'll have the shortest platform on record," she added. She refused, however, to say just what it would be.

Mrs. McCormick's political career began before woman suffrage became a fact. When the suffrage amendment went into effect she became chairman of the republican women's executive committee, working with the republican national committee and organizing women voters through out the country.

"Women will increase in public office very slowly," she says. "They are not generally interested in educating themselves politically."

Woman President? No.

Mrs. McCormick laughs at the suggestion of certain advanced feminists that either she or Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth might be a presidential candidate next year.

"I don't expect to live to see the time when a woman can be a candidate for the presidency," she says. "Women have a long way to go in politics. It is one of the most difficult and intricate occupations.

"No, I'll not tell you what I'd do if I were president, because I'm not going to be president."

"Let's be serious!"

## Non-Communist In High Post Of War Department

MOSCOW.—Sergei Kamenev, who is not a communist, has been appointed second assistant war commissar, one of the highest official positions attained by a non-member of the communist party and in a department peculiarly responsible and powerful under the existing international conditions.

Kamenev served as an officer of high rank in the Tzarist armies and now has attained an equally exalted place in the Red army. He is not related to Leo Kamenev, partner of Leon Trotsky in opposition within the communist party of which he has long been a member. The new assistant war commissar was a liberal under the Tzars but never was included among the "reds."

When the red army was organized by Trotsky immediately after the Russian revolution, many "white" officers assisted him, moved by their loyalty as Russians to Russia rather than their harmony with the newly-established communist government. Since then, however, the red army has trained and graduated enough military experts to fill the higher commands with men inclined to favor the communist party. While Trotsky frequently compared it humorously to the raddish, red outside and white at the heart, on account of the many "white" military authorities who assisted in its formation.

The loyalty of Russians to Russia as their native land, regardless of their feelings toward the communist government of Russia, which was evident in the first days of foreign intervention in Russia and during the war against Poland, is obvious now again wherever the possibility of a foreign aggression against the Soviet Union is discussed—which is to say, practically in every corner of Russia.

Texas has one of the greatest canyons in the United States. It is the Saint Helena Canyon, also called the Grand Canyon of the Rio Grande, located near the southern tip of the Big Ben in Brewster county. If the Rio Grande cuts through the mountains forming a gorge 1000 feet deep. Its walls are almost vertical and it is very narrow. The exit of the river from the cleft in the face of the steep mountain side is one of the most marvelous sights in the natural scenery of the United States.

ALICE—Contract awarded at \$37,500 for construction of a highway from Alice to San Diego.

## 2,000 TOURING MOVIES SENT OUT BY SOVIET

By United Press.  
MOSCOW.—Two thousand portable moving picture exhibitions are "on the road" in the soviet Union this spring to introduce the movies to every village and hamlet, however remote it may be. Additional projector companies are being organized by the commissariat of education and will soon be sent out. Development of motion pictures and their popularization among the people are directly supported by special state subsidies. The profits of the traveling shows are by law invested in the towns and villages which contributed them, for construction of large halls for permanent use as moving picture theatres.

ITASCA.—Soil survey for Hill county proposed.

## POLITICAL LEADERS AWAIT PROSECUTOR'S ANNOUNCEMENT

By United Press.  
INDIANAPOLIS, July 6.—Indiana political leaders today anxiously awaited announcements of Prosecutor William Remy as to whether such heralded bombardment of those in high places by D. C. Stephenson former ku klux klan chieftain are as serious and far reaching as it had been advertised.

Barnyard golf will be introduced at the state fair of Texas in October. Many prominent Dallas men have entered the tournament. Some persons call this game "horseshoe pitching." Many prizes and trophies are to be offered.

Lone Star gas corporation purchases gas properties owned by Texas company in Central West Texas.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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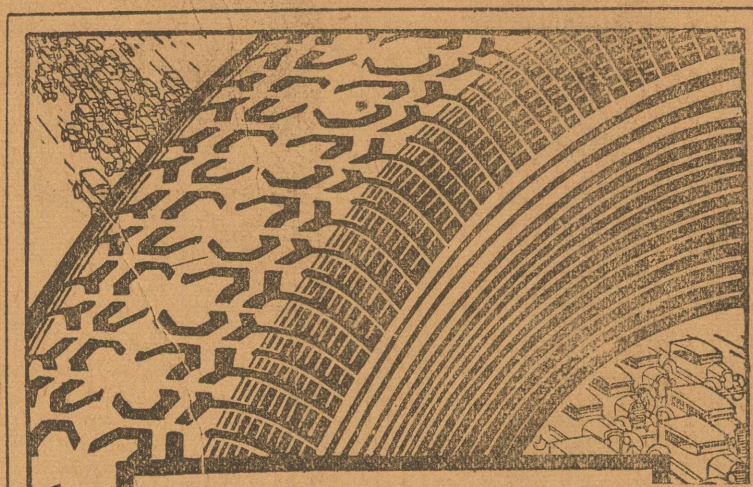
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# Looking Into Future Of Aviation In U. S.

## Navy Regards Aviation as an Important and Indispensable Part of the Naval Establishment and New Building Many Ships

Editor's Note: This is the third and last of the aviation series—United Press.

By HARRY W. FRANTZ, United Press Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, July 9.—The United States navy regards aviation as an important and indispensable part of the naval establishment, and has made aircraft an integral part of the fleet, according to a declaration of Secretary of Navy Curtis Wilbur.

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The law of 1926 also established the post of assistant secretary of the navy for aeronautics, of which Edward P. Warner is the first occupant. He has been identified with aviation development since 1916. He is regarded as one of the leading aerodynamic experts of the country and when appointed was professor of aeronautical engineering at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

In a report concerning naval air policy, Secretary Wilbur said: "Since the end of the world war the principal effort of the navy department has been directed toward the application of aircraft to fleet operation and the development of suitable aircraft for that use. It was largely pioneering work, as the experience with aviation during the war, concentrated on anti-submarine activities, had not indicated clearly the role which aircraft might fill in fleet operation, nor was there any material experience in foreign countries which could serve as a guide."

"Progress in the art of aviation continues, and the importance of the work of aviation with the fleet increases correspondingly, but sufficient experience has now been had so that the present scope of aviation with the fleet is growing to be well understood, and the navy now has reached the position of being able to lay down definite requirements for the small number of classes of aircraft to carry out the several strategic and tactical functions of naval aviation. Steady progress has been made in developing designs of aircraft to meet the special demands of each class, and research and development are being carried on with the prospect of definitely continuing this progress."

Perhaps the greatest contribution made by the navy to aeronautical development has been in the sphere of experimental and research work. Some of the navy accomplishments reported officially are:

1. Built the first wind tunnel in the United States.
2. In the construction of the Shenandoah a new and important metal was given to the trade of this country—duralumin.
3. All postwar engines, both air cooled and water cooled, have been developed principally by the navy in conjunction with the trade.
4. Reduced to five and to a great degree standardized the types of aircraft used by the navy.
5. Designed the first large rigid airship ever built in this country—the Shenandoah.
6. Designed and installed catapults on United States vessels far in advance of any other country.
7. Developed the use of the Langley arresting gear, believed to be the best in existence.
8. Developed two planes of the patrol type, one of which (the Pn type) holds the world's record for endurance of seaplanes. The other made the longest flight over water ever accomplished.
9. Established an aeronautical engine laboratory, said to be the equal of any in existence.
10. Made important contributions to radio communication and navigation.

Limitations on aircraft carriers was agreed at the Washington conference for the limitation of naval armament. The tonnage limitation for a single carrier was fixed at 27,000 tons. Total tonnage was limited as follows: Great Britain, 135,000; United States, 135,000; Japan, 81,000; France, 60,000; Italy, 60,000.

It was agreed that each of the powers might build two aircraft carriers from ships already building and designated to be scrapped. Under this treaty provision the United States built the Lexington and the Saratoga, largest ships of their class in the world.

Naval aviation won laurels also in the Hawaiian flight of Commander John Rodgers. The first flight to the north pole, although not a naval undertaking, was accomplished by Lieutenant-Commander Richard E. Byrd, a retired officer of the navy. His companion, Floyd Bennett, was an aviation chief machinist mate in the navy.

"Mr. McElvaine" the Texas horse which ran the mile in 1:59 1/4 will be one of the free attractions at the state fair this fall. He is owned in Dallas.

# UNIVERSITY BOYS HIKING FROM NEW YORK TO MEXICO AND BACK

Jiggs Finke and Harold Salhonick, Gamma Eta Sigma fraternity boys, making a wager trip from New York to the Mexican border, were in Ranger Saturday morning, the guests of F. O. Dean, who met them as they went through here last month. They had a \$1.00 bill when they blew in and left Ranger with the same one-dollar bill plus a buffalo nickel which they picked up on the streets of Ranger.

In their fraternity house about two months ago, Salhonick, who is a freshman, said that he would make a hike through the United States to the Mexican border and back to New York on a one dollar bill and return to New York without ever breaking the bill. Finke, who is a senior of the bill, Finke, a senior of the University joined Salhonick, and with their \$1.00, No. B-4951037 D, they set out from New York on June 5.

On June 24 they passed through Ranger and at Sierra Blanca, they were driven by a Ranger woman, whom they took through the missions of Juarez, to El Paso.

Not being satisfied with reaching the border, they were going on down into Mexico but were turned back by Mexican authorities at Chihuahua, on account of being American citizens and the Mexican government not caring to assume responsibility for them.

The boys do not ask for money nor have they spent any. On reaching a town or city they make the acquaintance of the mayor, fire chief, or some fraternity brother, show their unspent one-dollar bill and are fed. They have walked very little as people have been most generous in picking them up and giving them a lift in their cars.

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The mealy-bug is a serious menace to western vineyards, and it has been discovered that lady-bugs devour mealy-bugs with relish but do not eat grape leaves.

To provide a supply of lady-bugs there must first be mealy-bugs, and these are now being developed in potatoes kept in a dark room heated by electricity to 80 degrees F. Electric

heat is used because it can be automatically maintained at any desired temperature.

When the mealy-bugs have reached the proper stage, a few lady-bugs are introduced. These feast on the mealy-bugs and lay large numbers of eggs, which hatch in the warm dark. After a time light is admitted and the little lady-bugs develop wings. As soon as they can fly they seek the light and gather upon the windows. From the windows they are transferred to small boxes and distributed among the infested grapevines, where they continue to eat the destructive mealy-bugs until the latter are all gone.

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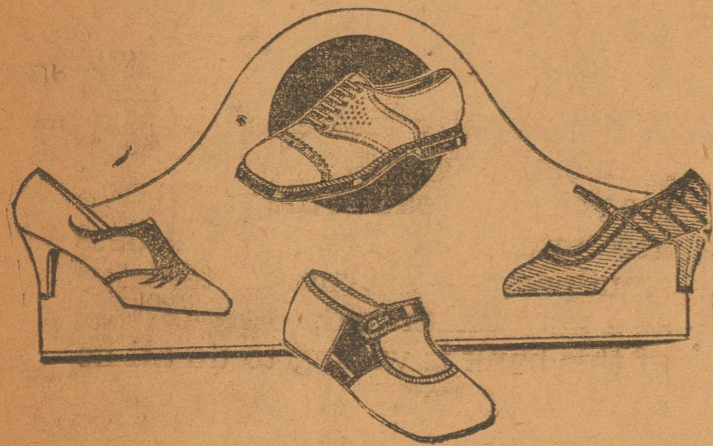
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### Lauderdale-Barnett Project to Cost \$50,000 at Main and Marston. Over \$100,000 In Building Under Way Now.

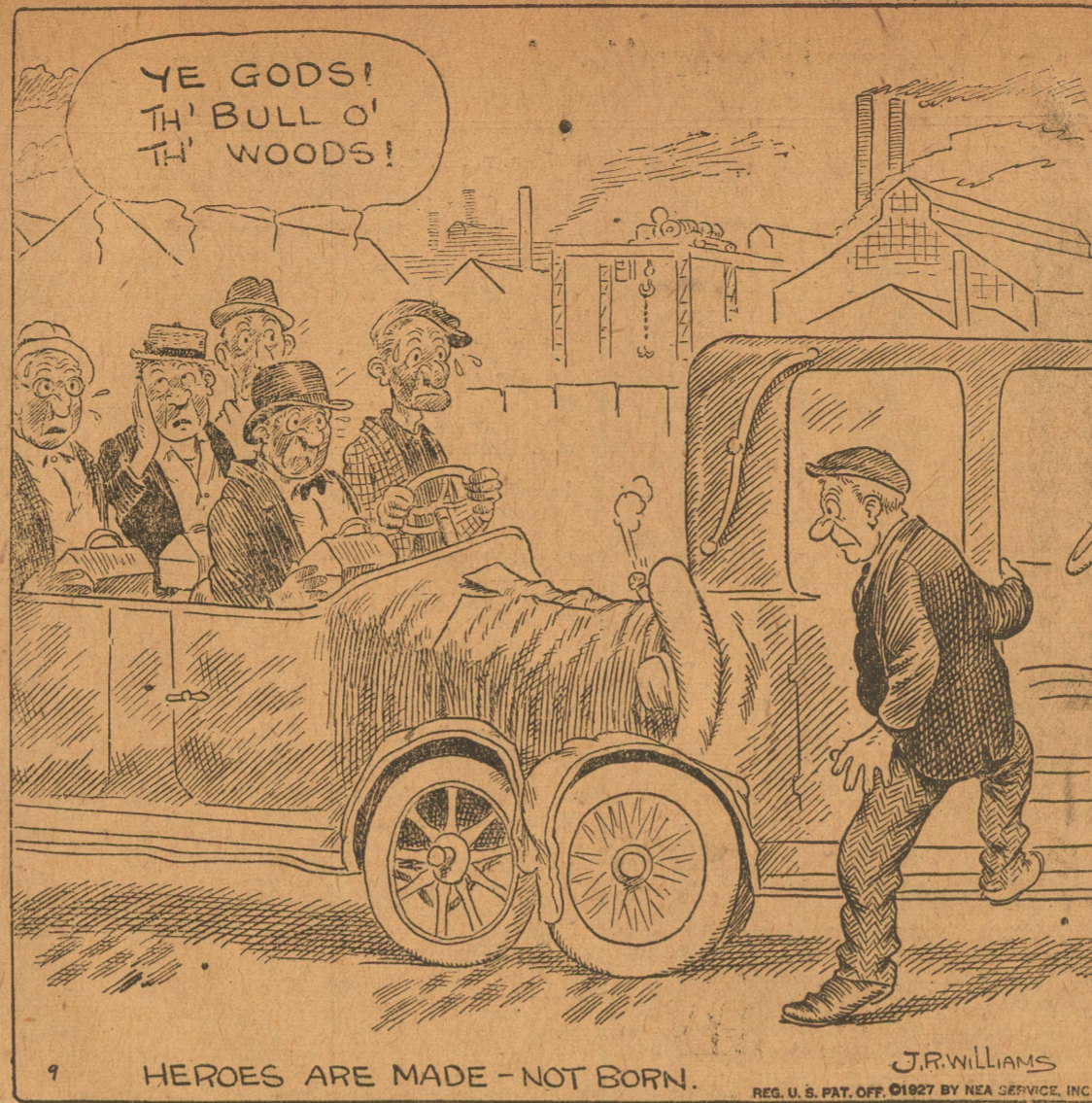
With the announcement that Drs. Lauderdale and Barnett will begin work this week on a \$50,000 fire-proof brick office building and hospital, at the corner of Main and North Marston streets, Ranger, building now underway and to start at once in Ranger went beyond the one hundred thousand dollar mark.

Adding the approximate cost of the Lauderdale-Barnett building to that of the W. D. Conway home, the R. S. Balch home, the Mrs. Chester A. Jones brick garage and storage building, repairs on the J. C. Penny and the Boston Store, as well as on the Bohning building, which are all major projects and not including the number of private homes that are being improved, it swelled the cost of building in actual progress to well over that high mark.

Rumors of the Lauderdale-Barnett clinic building have been rife for some time, but only Friday were confirmed by Dr. T. L. Lauderdale who stated that the contract would probably be given the early part of the week to a local contracting firm and that work would begin at once.

The building will be occupied by the Lauderdale and Barnett clinic consisting of Drs. Lauderdale, Barnett and Miller, a dentist, who will be named later and an interne. It will face on Main street and extend one hundred feet back on North Marston street. A reception room 27x33 will form

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A nice rain which was very much appreciated fell Thursday afternoon. Miss Roberta Satterwhite is visiting her sister Mrs. Gardner Johnson at Best.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gonzales moved to Midland last Saturday and Mr. Gonzales died Sunday night. He suffered for years. The hearts of the people of Frankell go out to Mrs. Gonzales in her bereavement.

Miss Velma Rainy visited Miss Vida Gardenhire Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hines spent the fourth in Millsap with Mr. Hine's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. King Herrington and W. H. and W. R. Burns spent the fourth in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Heavy Samuels left last Thursday for a two weeks' visit in Kansas with relatives.

Mrs. King Herrington spent Wednesday and Thursday at Breckenridge at the bedside of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. James Tharp.

Mrs. W. H. Burns and children spent Monday with Mrs. I. N. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Tharp spent the week end at Belton, with Mrs. Tharp's parents.

Mrs. W. R. Burns and children spent the week end at Denton with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Herrington and sons spent the fourth in Crystal Falls.

### DEPARTMENT ESTIMATES REDUCTION IN COTTON

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, July 9.—The agricultural department estimated today 46,683,000 acres of cotton were in cultivation on July 1. Acreage in cultivation compared with last year was 87.6 percent.

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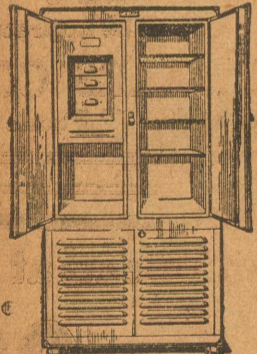
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### LEON COUNTY VOTING ON \$1,250,000 ROAD BONDS

By United Press.  
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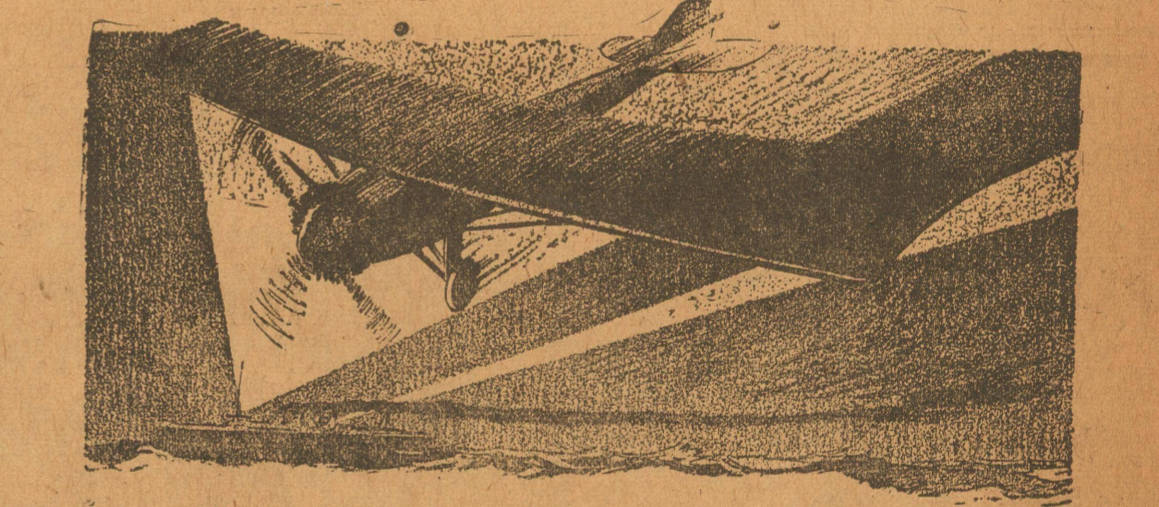
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# Jungle Breach

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**THIS HAS HAPPENED**  
Lincoln Nunnally, elderly American chemist, mysteriously summoned to the queer little jungle-bordered town of Porto Verde, in west central Brazil, encounters an old friend, Vilak, who tells him it was he who had sent for him.

Vilak's cousin, Elise Marberry, an American girl, owns a coffee plantation and other land near Porto Verde and has received mysterious warnings to get out of the country. Vilak is alarmed, because several deaths already have occurred and the superstitious natives think some supernatural force is at work.

The day Nunnally arrives another man is killed, Tony Barbetta, one of Elise Marberry's foremen. He had been hit with a club in the hands of Limey Potts, another foreman. Before he died a strange paralysis took hold of him, and Vilak confides to Nunnally that he is certain Limey Potts, though he may have struck the victim, was not the murderer.

That evening Vilak induces Nunnally to come with him on a visit to the house of Caylord Prentiss, a reticent and forbidding man, known to be an enemy of Elise.

Before going to Prentiss' place, Vilak and Nunnally call on Elise Marberry. Vilak refuses to let her go with them, and he and Nunnally continue. At Prentiss' gate, which is fortified with barbed wire, they hear a rustling in the bushes nearby.

## NOW BEGIN THE STORY

CHAPTER X  
The old man paled. Vilak put a finger warningly to his lips. His hand on his pistol, he stepped noiselessly into the shadow of some bushes. The crackling became louder; something was coming down the path they had just descended. A moment later a shadowy figure appeared on the opposite bank of the creek. Nunnally, unused to firearms, nervously fingered the trigger of his weapon. Vilak restrained him silently. The figure drew nearer. Cautiously it began to step over the slippery creek stones.

Suddenly Vilak thrust the old man's pistol into his holster. "It's Elise," he said. He bounded from his hiding place. Elise recoiled. His arms shot out and seized her. "By Jove!" flashed with bitter intensity. "I could really be pardoned for doing something desperate to you for this."

She tried to draw away. "Let go my hand. Your nails are digging into it fearfully. You're hurting me. Really. Badly."

"Why did you come? Why? Why?" "I told you I was coming—Please let go my hand."

He released her; his voice regained its customary placidity. "You might have been killed. You don't know how close you were to being killed."

She touched his hand with her smooth fingers. "I'm sorry if I upset you. You know that. I see now that it was foolish and reckless. But what I said at the house was true and I wasn't joking. I'm not a child. And I'm not going to permit you to risk your life for me with all

these sinister things hanging over us while I do nothing."

His eyes turned from her face to her dress, the same gown of yellow silk she had worn at her home. Now the edges were torn and muddied. "You came all the way in that flimsy thing?"

She nodded. "If I had taken time to change I couldn't have followed you."

"My beautiful but foolish cousin, you may congratulate yourself that the stars are obviously in your favor."

He took off boots, gloves, raincoat and gave them to her. "Put these on. What I'll do with you now that you are here, Lord only knows. I'd send you back at once only that it would probably be as dangerous for you to go back alone as to come along with me. You'll probably be safer where I can keep my hand on you. If you know how nearly you came to being shot by Nanny you'd now be trembling a little instead of trying by your most winning smile to cajole me into forgiveness. Nanny almost took his first lesson in marksmanship with you as the target and first lessons are generally fatal."

His bushy eyebrows contracted sternly. "Frankly, I don't forgive you. You've put me in a very bad situation. In the future, if you choose to disobey me in the slightest particular, fond as I am of you, I'll have to leave. I say that not because of sex prejudice, egotism or anything else. It's merely that your life and perhaps the lives of others are involved and I can't have everything imperiled by an injudicious act like this. I'm speaking to you very pleasantly. But you know that my pleasantest words have occasionally steel linings. Do you agree to do as I say?"

She nodded. "I agree. But with the reservation that I'm to be treated as an individual and not as a decoration. Is that also part of the bargain?"

"Agreed." Vilak retraced his steps to the gate and again began picking the lock. Soon it clicked open. He raised the great steel bars inside, then searched a moment in his pockets. His eyes caught the silver chain about Elise's neck. "Since you're here, I might as well make you useful. Let me have that chain you're wearing. Good of you not to have beads or something of that sort that would not conduct electricity. Otherwise I would have to go to the trouble of searching about for a piece of wire. I want to make a connection between these two copper terminals, so that when we open the gate the current won't be broken and the alarm set off."

When she had taken the chain from her neck he fastened one end to the gate knob and the other to the iron post supporting it, then swung open the gate until the chain was taut. "All right. You can both crawl through now. Careful. Lucky none of us are fat. Let me know in a second if either of you hear or see the dog."

When all three had entered, Vilak closed the gate once more and care-



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fully locked it. Then leading the way a short distance toward the house, he halted again in a clump of low trees. "We'll wait here," he whispered.

For ten minutes they stood motionless. Vilak silently chewing betel nut, the old man and the girl fascinated, watching a murrumama, the Brazilian black snake, rising in the jungle grass as it killed and began to devour what in the moonlight appeared to be a paracaca, deadliest of Brazilian vipers.

Suddenly there arose from the bowels of the house a prolonged wail, sinister, uncanny, which to the old man sounded as though it might have sprung from the throat of some unfortunate tortured on the medieval rack. Elise repressed an exclamation. The old man nervously removed his glove and put it on again. Vilak went on quietly chewing betel.

Then the wavering light of a candle appeared in one of the windows, the front door of the house opened, and Prentiss, clad in his grimy linens, appeared in the aperture. Stalking through the doorway, he hurried down a short path which led to a low water tower some feet behind the house and disappeared through the

small door which led into it.

Vilak signaled the others to wait, then crept silently toward the tower. He listened intently to the archologist moving within, then took a position in the tangled underbrush along the path the other must use to return to the house.

Shortly after, Prentiss reappeared in the doorway. In his hand he was carrying a bright glistening object, apparently some sort of glass container. Deftly Vilak tossed a loose vine across the path. Prentiss came striding down. Either the darkness or his haste would have sufficed to prevent his seeing the vine snare. His foot caught in the twisted fiber; his body jerked violently; the glass object he was carrying shot from his hand and shattered upon the ground.

Muttering a curse, Prentiss disentangled his foot, looked at the broken glass, glanced about furtively, then returned to the tower. In a moment he came out once more, carrying another similar glass container and made his way into the house.

Vilak hurried to the scene of the other's misadventure. The liquid which had been in the container, a

thick, whitish fluid, was rapidly sinking into the ground. He picked up a fragment of the glass and brought it to his nostrils. "Hum," he muttered, then focusing his attention on the house saw a candle move past four windows. An instant after a prolonged, uncanny wail again echoed into the night. A choking, gurgling sound followed. Then silence.

For a few moments Vilak stood immobile, abstracted, only his hollow jaws moving as he chewed the gummy betel. The Oriental cast of his face became more marked; his bushy eyebrows appeared those of a Tartar; a thin film like the inner eyelid possessed by birds seemed to half shroud the pupils of the brilliant eyes beneath. Then he strode to the house and knocked upon the door. The sound echoed hollowly through the interior, the candle burning before one of the windows was swiftly snuffed out.

A dog began to bay fiercely. The baying became a fury. Vilak waited, then knocked a second time. Shuffling footsteps sounded on the floor inside. The footsteps came nearer, halted.

"Who's there?" The voice was that of Prentiss, the snarling, cracked echo of a voice that once must have been deep and powerful.

"Mr. Davis, Miss Marberry's attorney. I want to talk to you."

Vilak heard the other cuss. "I don't want a thing to do with her, you hear? Or anybody that has anything to do with her. If she comes around here again, I'll—I'll fix her for good."

Vilak's face hardened. "Will you be so good as to open that door and talk to me sensibly?" he snapped.

There was a brief silence while the man inside seemed to hesitate. Then a bolt was shot, a lock grated, the door was flung open. Prentiss stood in the aperture. He was still wearing round his neck the uncomfortable high collar the chemist had noticed in the afternoon. In his trembling withered hand he was clutching a pistol. "I'll open the door all right. I'll open it," he muttered. "So you're Miss Marberry's attorney, eh? Come to try to drive me off my place, maybe? Well, try it. Try it." His eyes glittered cruelly. "How the devil did you get in here without ringing my bell?"

"When you talk to me civilly I might answer you." Vilak's eyes were darting past him to the dimly lit interior.

"Then you'll wait forever, you hear me?" His voice began to rise shrilly. "This is my property. It doesn't belong to anyone but me. You can tell Miss Marberry that, if she ever comes around here again I'll make her sorry she was born."

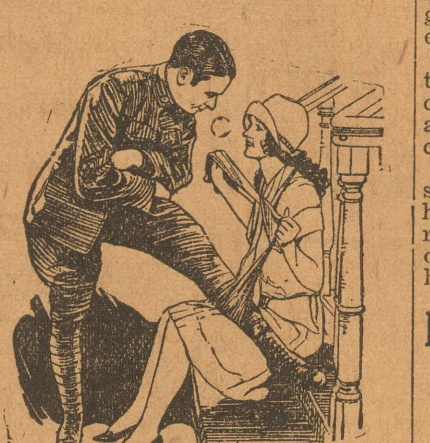
His body was trembling with passion. "Get out now! Get out! Get out!"

(To be continued)

In the next chapter Vilak rescues his companions from Prentiss' wrath.

## "Rookies" Brings New Comedy Team To Lamb Theatre

Sam Wood is a director and Byron Morgan is an author. This combination is well established, for they are responsible for the many automobile successes of Wally Reid and also for Red Grange's screen debut in "One Minute to Play." This same combina-



GEORGE K. ARTHUR and MARCELINE DAY in "ROOKIES"

tion has written and directed a new photoplay called "Rookies" which comes to the Lamb theatre on Tuesday and Wednesday. However, while the stars of this production are individually very well known, they form in this feature a new comedy combination. They are Karl Dane and George K. Arthur. Both have appeared in many productions, too numerous to mention.

Dane as a hard boiled sergeant and Arthur as an esthetic dancer are so vastly different, that even their appearances will evoke laughter from the most cynical. Besides Dane and Arthur, the feminine lead is portrayed by a very charming little miss who is one of the bright lights of the younger set. Her name is Marceline Day, and while you are not busy laughing at Dane and Arthur, you will find yourself occupied sighing over Marceline.

REVIVAL MEETING AT OAK RIDGE TO CLOSE  
Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church of Ranger, will close a most successful meeting at Oak Ridge church tonight.

Rev. Mr. Johnson who assisted by Rev. Noy, pastor of the Wayland Methodist church, reports that there were eleven conversions through Friday night.

## Farmer Demands Spooners Move On, Then Shoots

DALLAS, July 9.—Two charges of assault to murder were filed here today against L. F. Houck, farmer near here, in connection with the shooting last night of Miss Georgia Galvan, 18, and her escort, Robert Baltazar, 22.

Miss Galvan was peppered about the face and eyes with shot. Physicians say she may lose one eye. Baltazar received shot wounds in the chest.

Police said Houck made a signed statement after the shooting in which he alleged he shot after the couple refused his demand "that they drive on and quit spooning in front of my home."

## Ranger Methodist Church Has Good Half Year Record

The affairs of the Methodist church of Ranger are in good order, as will be shown at the quarterly conference this week. The half year statement in the conference year has just been passed and every department of the church has shown an increase in interest.

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12-WANTED TO BUY
SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main St., Ranger. Phone 95.
13-FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS GRAPES FOR SALE-West of Ranger Heights. Howard farm, D. S. Evans, Ranger.

USED PIANO-Unusual bargain. To save expense of shipment to Dallas we offer a good used upright piano for a genuine bargain price. We guarantee piano to be in good playing order and in good tune. Will arrange most liberal terms for payment if desired. Write quickly, Will A. Watkin company, Dallas, Texas. "Oldest Music House in North Texas."

FOR SALE-Ice cooler display case, 4 1/2 feet long. Pershing Street Grocery, Phone 103, Ranger.
BALDWIN PLAYER PIANO-Practically new, half price. Take radio part payment. 422 Pine st., Ranger.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN-In vicinity of Ranger, beautiful player piano with dual bench and scarf and selection of late music rolls. Also one upright piano, bench and scarf to match. Will sell either of these pianos cheap and on easy terms. Write Brook Mays & Co., care Ranger Times.

FOR SALE-Secondhand flooring and framing. Call 265, City Paint and Top Shop, Ranger.

FOR SALE-New beverage bottles. 50 cents per dozen, Ranger Iron & Metal Co., Hunt and Railroad avenue, Ranger.

FOR SALE-Kitchen cabinet, mattress, linoleum, square 9x12, good condition. Phone 413-W, Ranger.

15-HOUSES FOR SALE
FOR SALE-Beautiful 6 room brick home on Strawn highway. Hardwood floors and modern in every respect. Two and half acres of ground with plenty of shade. Terms. Dr. Wier, Phone 97, Ranger.

HOUSE FOR SALE-\$150. 4 rooms plastered and shingled. South Hodges street, five blocks from high school. H. H. Tyree, phone 460, Ranger.

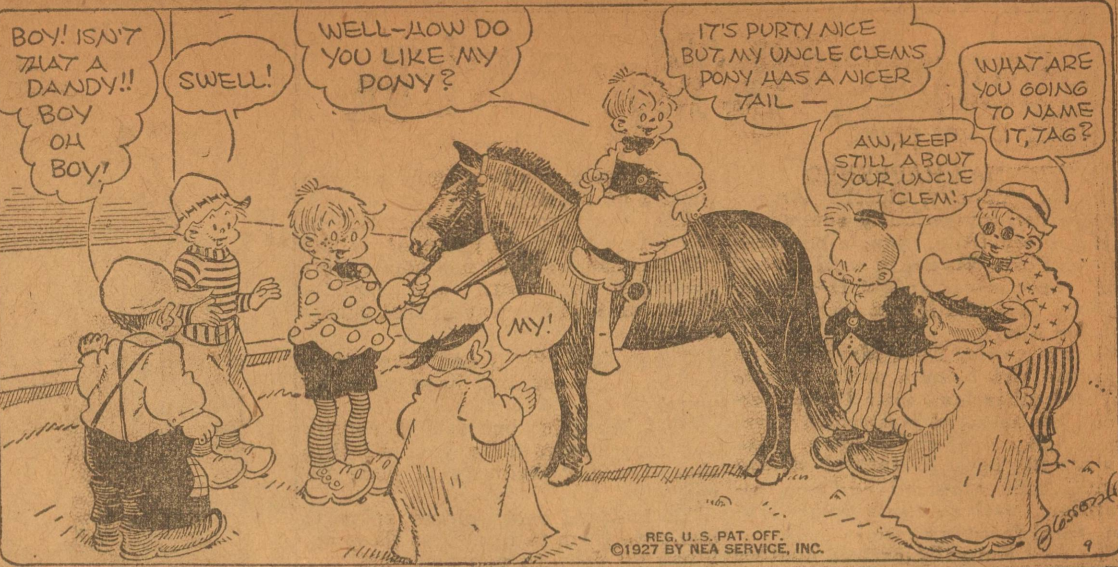
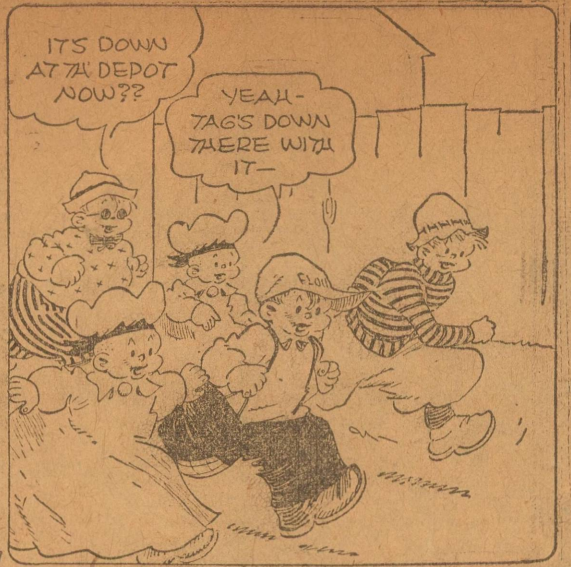
FOR SALE-Furnished 5 room modern house, double garage, servants house, storeroom and 4 lots; every convenience. Phone 328 or 57, Ranger.

22-POULTRY AND PET STOCK
FRYERS-40c each. Eggs 20c per dozen. Hatching eggs, chicks and pullets. Driskill Poultry Farm, Ranger Heights, phone 342, Ranger.

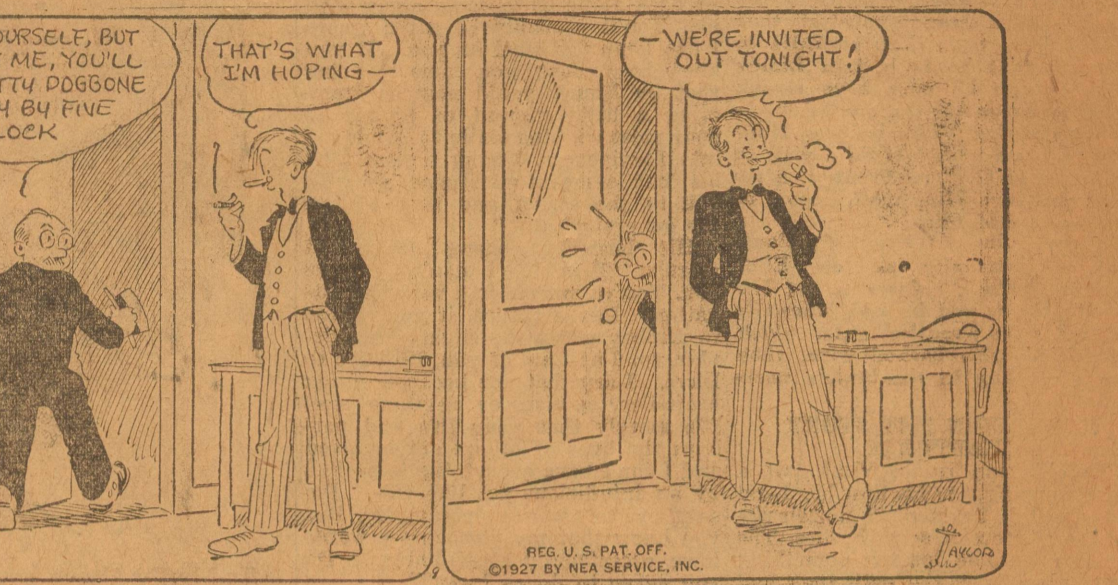
19-FOR SALE OR TRADE
TRADE-Fordson tractor, in good condition for span of mules or Ford truck worth \$300.00. See tractor at C. & B. Filling Station on Caddo highway, Ranger.

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Urges Observance Of State Highway Headlight Laws
A campaign for making night driving safe in Texas is being waged by the Automobile Headlight Division of the state highway department. In a circular letter sent out to the various chambers of commerce in the state, the Texas automobile headlight law is set forth very distinctly.

The law requires that motor vehicles traveling on the highway at night comply with the following rules: 1. Two headlights must be burning. 2. The headlights must be properly adjusted. 3. The tail light, either red or yellow, must be burning.

BRUNLOW ACTING FIRE CHIEF, MURPHY AWAY
Earnest Brunlow is acting as fire chief in the absence of Chief George Murphy of Ranger, who with Mrs. Murphy is in Kansas City, Mo., on a two weeks vacation.

HEISTER LEAVES FOR ELKS CINCINNATI CONVENTION
J. B. Heister will leave Ranger today for Cincinnati, Ohio, where he goes to attend the National Convention of the Elks, as representative for the Ranger Elks lodge.

23-AUTOMOBILES
FOR SALE-1926 Four cylinder Star Sedan, worth the money. See this car at Ranger Battery and Tire Co. Station, Ranger.

1926 HUDSON Brougham, a good buy. \$875.00. Phone 671, Ranger. White-Hampton Motor Co.

1925 HUDSON coach \$585.00. White-Hampton Motor Co., Phone 671, Ranger.

1926 FORD coupe \$285.00. White-Hampton Motor Co., Phone 671, Ranger.

SPORT MODEL BUICK roadster \$400.00. White-Hampton Motor Co., Phone 671, Ranger.

PISTON RINGS (American Hammered) for all make cars and a million other auto parts. Auto Salvage Co., 502 Melvin street, Ranger.

WHY put new parts on old cars? We tear 'em up and sell the pieces." Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422-24 N. Rusk st., Ranger. Phone 84.

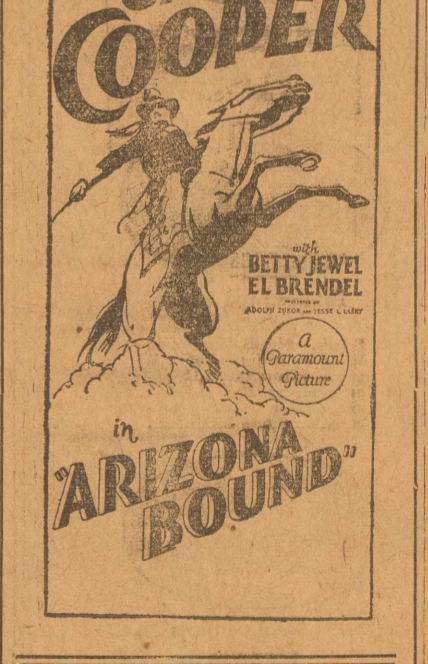
TWO and half ton Nash truck. Good condition. Good tires. Westgate Tire and Battery Co., Ranger.

DANCE HALL AT SHAMROCK PARK TAKEN BY FIRE
Located on Mirror Lake It Was One of Ranger's Boom Day Famous Pleasure Resorts

Shamrock park dance hall, one of the last dance halls of Ranger's boom days, located at the upper end of West Main street at Mirror Lake, is no more. It burned just after midnight Friday night. The cause of the fire is not known.

FLATWOODS WILL GIVE CHICKEN SUPPER SOON
A chicken supper preceded by a baseball game is being planned by the citizens of Flatwoods for some night in the immediate future, and Eastland citizens are to receive a special invitation, it was stated Saturday by a number of the representative citizens of that community in Eastland.

AT THE COOL CONNELLEE MONDAY ONLY
GARY COOPER in 'ARIZONA BOUND' starring BETTY JEWEL and EL BRENDI



TODAY ONLY "TEN MODERN COMMANDMENTS"
With Fox News and Comedy ADMISSION 10c and 35c
Coming Tuesday and Wednesday The picture for the whole family - "ROOKIES"

Oil Well Supply Company Man Is Painfully Hurt
I. A. McCaslin of the Oil Well Supply company, Ranger, was painfully hurt late Friday afternoon, when his hand went through a windshield of his car, as he was repairing it, at his home just off the Strawn road.

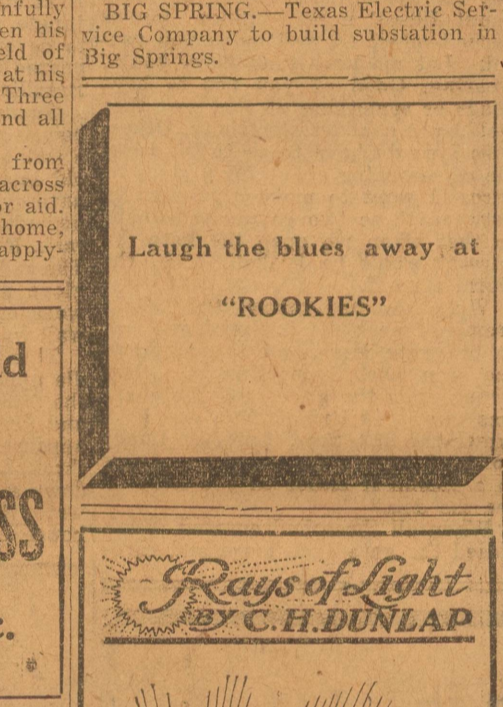
Shoes That Hold Their Last W. L. DOUGLASS THE FAIR, Inc. Ranger

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The girl with "IT" more beautiful than ever. Esther Ralston

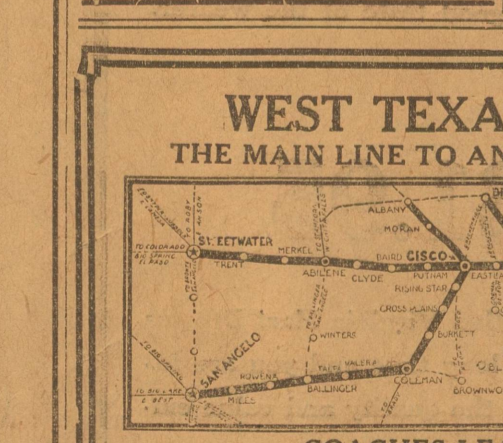


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COACHES LEAVE RANGER
East - To Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 8:25 a. m., 11:25 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 4:40 p. m., 8:20 p. m., 11 p. m.
West - To Eastland, Cisco, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Abilene, Sweetwater, 9:10 a. m., 11:10 a. m., 2:05 p. m., 6:10 p. m., 7:15 p. m., 10:50 p. m.
North - To Breckenridge at 9:15 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 5:00 p. m. "The Direct Route."



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