

WACO MAN ADMITS DOUBLE MURDER

TURBULENT SCENES' AS TAX BILL PASSES

Democrats Pan Harding and Verbal War Resounds in Halls.

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—The tax revision bill of 1921, estimated to cut \$818,000,000 from the nation's tax burden by 1923, was passed late today by the house, 274 to 125, on an almost straight party vote.

Three Democrats supported the measure and nine Republicans voted against it. Compared with this number of Republicans were fifty who voted for a Democratic motion to recommit the bill for elimination of the provision repealing the income surtax rates above 32 per cent. The vote on the motion was 169 to 230, with one Democrat, Campbell of Pennsylvania, voting against it.

The bill will be sent Monday to the senate where it will be brought up after the end of the recess on Sept. 23. Meanwhile the senate finance committee will hold additional public hearings on the whole tax question and probably revise the measure in a number of details. As finally passed by the house, with nearly 100 committee amendments the bill provides a total of \$3,347,000,000 revenue this fiscal year, or approximately \$221,000,000 less than the estimate under the existing law.

Effective Jan. 1.

As repeal of the excess profits tax and higher income surtax rates would not become effective until Jan. 1, the full force of the measure will not be reflected in government receipts until the calendar year 1923. House leaders say that through repeal of the transportation and other taxes, the reduction in the tax bill in the next fiscal year will be \$512,000,000.

The Democrats who voted for the bill were Campbell, Pennsylvania; and Dupree and Lazare, both of Louisiana.

Republicans voting against it were Beck, Wisconsin; Sprague, Minnesota; Keller, Minnesota; Lambert, Wisconsin; Michaelson, Illinois; John M. Nelson, Wisconsin; Sinclair, North Dakota; Voight, Wisconsin; and Woodruff, Michigan.

Representative London, socialist, N. Y., voted against the bill.

Big Fuss.

Before the bill was brought to a final vote there was a turbulent scene with the result that one committee amendment—that proposing a "tax investigation commissioner," was left at the post. It is understood that an effort will be made to have the senate committee insert it in the bill.

The house was thrown into disorder when Representative Connally of Texas undertook to reply to a prepared address by Representative Mondell of Wyoming, the Republican leader. There were jeers and calls from the Republican side and protests from the Democrat side that Mr. Mondell was interrupting the speaker without obtaining recognition from the chair.

Order finally was restored but when it came time to vote on the bill the Democrats sprung a surprise.

Representative Cochran of New York rising a question of the highest privilege introduced and had read a resolution criticizing President Harding for delivering a message to the senate on July 12, urging postponement of action on the soldiers' bonus bill without having representatives of the house present.

Representative Mondell tried to shut off the introduction of the measure but after a debate Speaker Gillette ruled it was privileged. The Republicans countered with a motion to lay it on the table, which prevailed and then the house went into a vote on the Democratic motion to recommit, offered by Representative Garner of Texas.

MOTHERS TO BE JAILED IF CHILDREN STEAL

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 20.—Two Columbus mothers are to spend thirty days in jail if their children again steal coal.

This unique decree has been announced by Judge Homer Bostwick, of the juvenile court.

Admission that she sent her children into local railway yards for coal was made by Mrs. Ella Smith when her children and those of Mrs. Jennie Miller, of 538 Yarnan street, were arraigned before Judge Bostwick on charges of stealing coal from railroad yards.

Judge Bostwick decreed that if the children again appear in juvenile court on similar charges he will sentence the mothers to spend the following thirty days in jail.

CHIEF OF NAVAL BUREAU OF AERONAUTICS



Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, who was recently appointed by President Harding chief of the naval bureau of aeronautics, a new department authorized by congress. Admiral Moffett was formerly a captain in the navy.

GOVERNOR NEFF OKAYS SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION

Merriman Finally Joined to Ranger District; to Erect Building.

With the governor signing a special bill yesterday, the Merriman school district, which heretofore has been under the jurisdiction of the county school board, becomes a part of the Ranger independent district. It adds \$3,000,000 in taxable valuations to the Ranger district and with its addition the school district embraces 31.7 square miles.

It is announced by the Ranger school board that a \$20,000 school building will be erected at Merriman at once and be of fire-proof construction, of a type similar to the Tiffin school. Seven grades will be taught in the school, which will employ three teachers. High school students will come to Ranger in a motor truck line to be put into service by the board.

Owens Eastland Bonds.

The Merriman district which begins near the plant of Chestnut & Smith, to the south of the city and extends a mile beyond Colony creek, embraces some of the best oil property in the county. Its cash assets are \$40,000 in Eastland independent school bonds, \$38,000 in Liberty bonds, \$12,000 in collectable judgments and \$6,000 in cash. With Merriman becoming a part of the Ranger district, Eastland in future will pay interest on school bonds to the Ranger board.

Information that the bill had been signed by the governor came in a telegram received yesterday by M. H. Smith from Representative Russell. It said: "School bill approved by governor and is now in effect."

Smith's Efforts.

M. H. Smith, president of the board, was instrumental in having the bill become a law. It was through his efforts, with the support of Representative Russell and Senator Burkett, that the bill was passed. However, Burkett last week wired Mr. Smith that he would probably ask the governor to veto the bill because of opposition in Eastland. Mr. Smith answered by having about thirty Merriman folks wire the governor that they wanted the bill passed. Whether Burkett did ask the governor to veto the bill, is not known here.

K. C. WOMAN, 67, WALKING 700 MILES TO JOIN BROTHER

DENVER, Aug. 20.—Mrs. Anna Davis, 67, of Kansas City, is resting for the second leg of her journey by foot from her home city to a small town in Southern New Mexico, where she will visit her only relative, a brother.

Mrs. Davis, showing signs of fatigue, but confident that she would be able to reach her brother's ranch, arrived last night after walking 400 miles from Kansas City in a little less than two months. She averaged about seven miles per day.

HOMES MADE SAFE BUT GRIPS AND AUTOS LIABLE TO SEARCH

New Prohibition Enforcement Measure Makes Warrant Necessary to Enter Houses, But Other Property Can Be Inspected for "Reasonable Cause"; Penalty for Breach, \$1,000.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—The conference report on the anti-beer bill, definitely agreed upon today, and presented to the senate, excepts a man's home from search without warrants obtained in due process of law, but requires no warrant to search other properties, provided an officer acts without malice and has reasonable cause to suspect the presence of liquor.

Forcing along the presentation of the report was the senate sentiment that pro leaders of the senate had declared there would be no recess until the bill was passed.

Senate leaders on the other hand, announced it was hopeless to expect senate conferees to reject the Stanley amendment, passed unanimously and designed to protect the home and other property from indiscriminate search through imposition of heavy penalties. Senator Ashurst, of Arizona, and Representative Dyer, of Missouri, failed to sign the report. It was approved however by Senators Sterling and Nelson and Representatives Volstead of Minnesota and Summers of Texas, a Democrat.

The only point at issue in the final deliberations was the searching provision. In reaching a compromise both the senate and house amendments

were discarded. In their place the conferees adopted the following:

"Any officer, agent or employe of the United States engaged in the enforcement of this act or the national prohibition act or any other law of the United States who shall search any private dwelling as defined in the national prohibition act and occupied as such a dwelling, without a warrant and shall while so engaged and without a search warrant maliciously and without reasonable cause shall search any other building, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined on first offense not more than \$1,000, and for a subsequent offense not more than \$1,000 or imprisonment of not more than one year or both.

"Any person, not an officer, agent or employe of the United States, who shall falsely represent himself to be such officer, agent or employe, and in such assumed character shall arrest or detain any persons or shall in any manner search the persons, buildings or property of any other persons, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both such fine and imprisonment."

TRIP 'EM COWBOY! FARM AID BILL TO RESOUND AT RANGER RODEO WORKED OVER BY CONGRESSMEN

"Yip, Yip" and "Ride 'em cowboy!" will resound from the baseball park where in other days the war cry of "Hit 'em, Charlie," has so often rose to bring an echo from the welkin as the grandstand waited breathlessly for Charlie to get on.

The occasion will be Ranger's Fall Rodeo; the dates will be Sept. 3-4-5. The promoters are Joe Harness, W. R. Kelly and W. R. Fleming. The cowboys are coming from all necks of the woods, both professional and those boys who love the sport for its own sake.

There will be steer riding, calf and goat roping, cigar race, bulldogging and other events that one time was the Sunday and idle-time pleasures of the cow men on Texas' broad ranches.

Bob Malone is going to bring a herd of Brahma steers according to Mr. Harness, which will certainly make the cowboys ride 'em if they stay on their backs. Many prizes will be hung up to coax forth the best efforts of the entrants.

CALIFORNIA SHERIFF KILLED IN GUN BATTLE

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 20.—Sheriff A. D. McMartin of Ventura county, was shot and killed today and Under-sheriff William E. Kelly of Ventura was dangerously wounded by a man they attempted to arrest at Owensmouth, Los Angeles county. According to the sheriff's office here, the man who shot them was later shot and killed in a battle with a posse.

FERGUSON'S BANK AT TEMPLE REORGANIZED

TEMPLE, Texas, Aug. 20.—The Guaranty State bank of Temple was organized today to succeed the Temple State bank, which closed its doors last May and which was headed by former Governor James E. Ferguson.

E. W. Moore, president of the new bank, announced that the bank would open its doors in a few weeks and that all depositors of the former Temple State bank would be paid in full.

WOMAN WITH PISTOL DEFIES 23 POLICEMEN

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 20.—After firing five ineffectual shots at her husband and terrorizing a thickly populated neighborhood, Mrs. Daniel Hertz late yesterday held Police Superintendent Maloney and thirty-two policemen at bay for ten minutes. Finally the revolver was knocked from her hand by an 18-year-old youth.

NO DOMESTIC DISCORD IN LIFE OF MOST BEAUTIFUL MATRON AT DEAUVILLE



Mrs. Peter Cooper Hewitt, of New York, the most beautiful American matron, at fashionable Deauville, France, is now in Paris with her husband, the eminent American scientist. She will soon depart for Deauville. Some time ago it was reported that Mrs. Hewitt went abroad planning a permanent residence there. It is said that the recent rumors of a rift in their domestic affairs have never had any foundation, being merely based on gossip.

MELLON TO GET BROAD POWERS WITH U. S. LOANS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—The administration's bill for funding the allied debts was reported to the senate today by the finance committee with a majority recommendation so that the treasury secretary may have broad powers in adjusting the question at issue. An amendment requiring the funding to be completed within five years was added by the majority.

The freedom and broad powers with which the majority said the secretary must be empowered were attacked by Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin and five Democratic members of the committee, who declared in a minority statement that this contained basis sufficient for rejection of the measure. The secretary, they contended, has now sufficient authority to negotiate the settlements and they suggest that the obligations be held in their present form until our government shall have sufficiently crystallized its policy to know exactly to what use they can best be put.

The best and most perfect method of handling the question is afforded by the measure, the majority said, adding that it was necessary for someone to be authorized to deal promptly with the situation.

ONE TRAIN EACH WAY DAILY BETWEEN BRECK AND WICHITA FALLS

BRECKENRIDGE, Aug. 20.—Direct communication between Wichita Falls and Breckenridge was established today with arrival of the first passenger train here over the Wichita Falls & Southern railway. One passenger train each way daily will be operated.

43-DAY FAST KILLS INDIGESTION VICTIM

LEWISTOWN, Idaho, Aug. 20.—Death ended yesterday the forty-three-day fast of Charles M. King of Grangeville, Idaho. King undertook the fast in an effort to cure attacks of indigestion to which he was subject.

Poisoned His Own Wife, Got Accomplice's Spouse Drunk, Put Him On R. R.

Woman Confesses Knowledge of Crimes Which Authorities Believe Were to Smooth Path of Couple's Illicit Love.

WACO, Aug. 20.—W. T. Avens late this afternoon made a signed confession to the county attorney to the murder of his wife, who died July 5. He said he poisoned her.

He also confessed to contributing to the death of Leslie Keyes by getting him drunk and leaving him on the railroad tracks.

Avens and Mrs. Keyes were arrested Thursday and brought here from Collin county. The arrests were made after officers had probed the suspicious circumstances surrounding the sudden death of the man's wife and the "accidental" killing of the woman's husband a few weeks later.

Aroused Inquiry.

Keyes was killed by a train near the section house which Avens had invited the young couple to share with him after his wife's death. The train crew said he moved before being struck and appeared to have been previously injured. A bloody stone and bloody trail to the track also were found.

Avens' infant child also was found dead one morning two weeks after its mother's funeral.

The fatal coincidences, coupled with an intimation that there was a liaison between Avens and Mrs. Keyes, put officers on the trail of what is alleged to be one of the most complete murder plots ever framed in Texas.

Avens also is Mrs. Keyes' uncle by marriage, it is said. She is a young woman, while he is middle-aged.

MASONS' PICNIC LABOR DAY HAS MANY FEATURES

Everybody Has Chance to Win Prize; Ball Game and Boxing Bout.

One of the most extensive entertainments ever attempted by a single organization will be staged Labor day by Ranger Shriners at Shamrock park. Masons from all over the county and West Texas have been invited by placards announcing the affair, by word of mouth and by special invitations. All Masons and their families are invited. It is arranged to give a large free barbecue, cooked on the grounds under supervision of "Jim" who has had thirty-five years of experience. Speeches will be made by prominent Masons, who have been invited from points in the state. In the afternoon, events calculated to promote laughter and skill have been arranged. In addition there will be a ball game between the Ranger Shriners and the team of the Fort Worth Shrine club.

A lightweight boxing match will also be staged between Jimmy Bibb of Fort Worth, and Bobby Greer of San Antonio, lightweights. Both boys have a statewide reputation.

Following is a list of prizes for the events of the day, which follow speaking, to begin at 9:30:

The Prizes. Stetson hat for the largest Mason on the hoof. Aluminum roaster for the wife of the largest Mason, scales weights to be accepted as they are read. Pair of ladies shoes for the wife of the oldest Mason. Shaving set for the Mason winning a fifty-yard dash. Hat for the fat Mason winning in a fifty-yard dash. Waist for the fastest lady in a fifty-yard dash. Five dollars (cash) for the fastest.

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MEXICO TO HAVE PUBLIC HEARING ON ARTICLE 27

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 20.—Possible solution of the difficulties between Mexico and the United States relative to Article 27 of the constitution, which has to do with petroleum deposits in Mexico, is seen by representatives of oil companies here in the announcement that the supreme court intends to hold public hearings on temporary injunction suits brought against the government, some of which have been pending since 1918.

The oil men stated today that if the court's decision is far reaching enough it doubtless would be accepted as the law of the land, as representing the judicial interpretation of controversial clauses of the famous article. It is understood that approximately 180 of the suits, most of them dating back to the Carranza regime, will be called up for hearing.

SALARY CUTS FOR TEACHERS AGREED UPON

Conference Committee Lops 20 Per Cent From Excess Over \$2,000.

AUSTIN, Aug. 20.—Free conference committees appointed by the house and senate to confer on the educational appropriation bill came to an agreement late today. The report of the committee provides for a 20 per cent reduction of the excess of all salaries in all state institutions above \$2,000. That is, \$3,000 per annum salary is reduced 20 per cent of \$1,000.

The heads of the state institutions are included in the reduction move. The salaries of the presidents of Texas university and Texas A. & M. are cut from \$7,500 to \$7,000 yearly, while the president of the College of Industrial Arts is reduced from \$6,500 to \$6,000. The heads of the state normals are reduced from \$4,500 to \$4,200. The head of the Grubbs Vocational college and the John Tarleton Agricultural college are reduced from \$4,000 to \$3,750.

The house adjourned until 10 a. m. Tuesday and the report will be submitted when it reconvenes. Don't Want Job. When Speaker Thomas announced the house committee Representative Beasley of McCullough was a member. Gaining the floor, he tendered his resignation, pointing out that the opponents of the salary reduction were in the majority of the committee. Representative Wallace, also a member of the original committee, resigned for the same reason. Representatives Henderson and Beasley of Hopkins, were appointed to the committee in place of the resigning members, but both refused to act, stating that they could not serve with the majority opposing the salary reductions. All of the members who resigned are strong proponents of the salary reductions.

The vote on adjournment until Tuesday showed that the "People's club" or salary reduction proponents are in the majority.

The vote was 55 to 49, the nine members of the house for whom warrants were issued late last night were in the bar of the house.

HOUSE ON WHEELS COLLECTS NINE DOLLARS FOR MILK AND ICE FUND

"Look and see what is inside," has been a familiar sign on the front of a house built on a new Ford car, seen on the streets during the past few days. Many folks did look and they found a contribution box, among

other things, in which they were to drop coins for the Milk and Ice fund. By this method \$9 was realized for the fund.

The house on wheels is owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Patterson, who tomorrow will start on a long tour over the country. It is a regular little cottage, with everything handy for comfort and easy living. It even contains windows to let in the breeze.

TITLED ENGLISH WOMAN SEEKS JOB AS PAINTER.



Lady Elizabeth Hope, unable to carry on her social and philanthropic activities and rebelling at the enforced idleness brought on by illness, is advertising for a contract to do interior painting. She is the widow of Sir James Hope, late admiral of the English fleet, and has lived in Los Angeles, where this photo was made during the past year.

COUNTY TO HAVE SAME RATE BUT MORE REVENUE

Edward C. Bettis of the tax assessors office, was in Ranger yesterday afternoon. The county tax rate is not expected to be set, Mr. Bettis

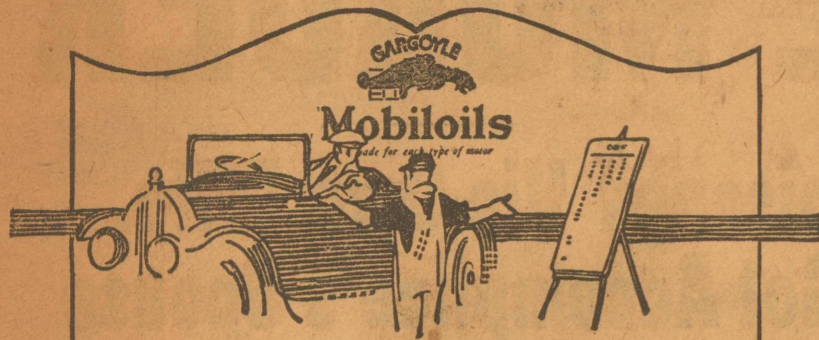
said, until after the legislature has adjourned, owing to uncertainty as to the state rate.

The county rate probably will remain the same, but the county's revenues should be increased, as the valuations have been raised this year about \$6,000,000 over last. This increase Mr. Bettis lays to the methods of Tax Assessor Collins, as there has been no increase in tax valuations, but rather, that much property was discovered which had not previously been assessed.

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Today in Ranger a woman is paying. It is the same old sordid story. Love that burned deep into her soul and which will never be eradicated; trust for a man whose affection was shallow promises. Motherhood to be faced; and all the years in which she will be paying.

And the man? His debt is a short moment of remorse. Like his promised affection, it is fleeting.

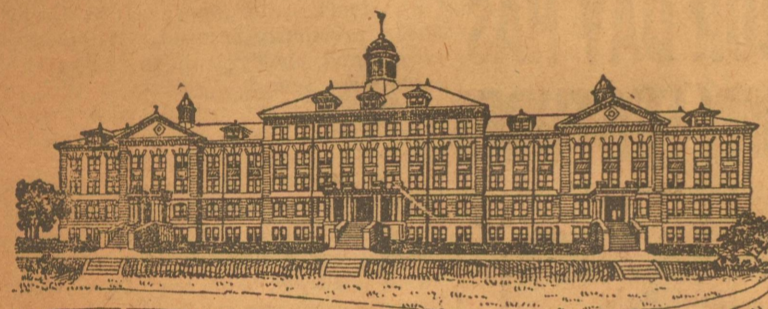
The story goes back two years ago. A girl sweet in her youth met the man. He found her desirable. The youth of her thrilled to youth of him. Even then the woman paid in icy fear of losing that sweetest thing which had yet come into her life. They became sweethearts, remained so for months. Much of their time was spent in the pure joy of being together.

Then he bought a wedding ring—

but there was no wedding. Two days ago the end came, and the woman began to pay, in the coin of tears and vain regrets. She is paying in the coin of losing the thing she cherished most in the world. Soon she will be paying in the coin of motherhood.

The woman pays. So it has been written and so it is.

DAVENPORT, Iowa, Aug. 20.—Lieutenant Jim Ingram, pilot with a "flying circus," showing here this week at the Mississippi Valley fair, and A. S. Hall, staff photographer for the Davenport Democrat, were arrested on a charge of flying over the city within 2,000 feet above the business section yesterday. This is the first arrest here for alleged violation of the aerial traffic laws.



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- Unbleached domestic, 25c value, 10 yds. for **98c**
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- Ribbon, 50c value; 4 yards for **98c**
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- Men's Chalmers underwear, \$2 values, for **98c**
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SHALL NEWBERRY STAY OR GO, IS POINT FOR SENATE FIGHT

Progressives' Alliance With Democrats May Force Harding to Speak.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Is President Harding going to keep Senator Newberry in the senate?

This question is brought to the fore by the concentration of the Progressive Republicans in a drive to unseat the Michigan senator who spent too much on his election. These are determined to support the minority report on Newberry. They say they have thirteen votes lined

up—thirteen is neither a large or a lucky number but if you add it to thirty-five Democrats you have enough to vote Mr. Newberry back to Michigan.

It might be asked why the president should be concerned, considering that his party has twenty-four more votes than the other fellows in the chamber. He could spare a dozen—incidentally he would be very happy to spare about that number if he could pick them—so why should he exert himself to the extent of making thirteen Republicans sore by trying to whip them back into line? The answer from the Newberry

end is quite simple. If the Progressives are able to form a bloc with the Democrats to defeat one of the holy purposes of Republicanism they are likely to get the habit.

What They Might Do.
If they can send Newberry back to private life, in defiance of the majority of the committee that has reported him immaculate, they can do the same thing with the president's railroad project; with Secretary Mellon's bill for the refunding of the foreign debts; even with the prospective German peace treaty, and what they might do in the matter of the removal of the excess profit taxes is enough to give a raiser of Republican campaign funds the blind staggers.

Curiously enough the evidence adduced at the hearings convinced the eight Republicans of the committee that Senator Newberry was a misunderstood and maligned patriot, while it is satisfied the five Democrats that the whole moral being of the senate was threatened with contamination by his presence. Translate that strict party vote into terms of the whole senate and there would be fifty-nine for Newberry and thirty-six against him, but if you deduct thirteen from the fifty-nine Republicans—Newberry himself could not vote—the sum reads:

For Newberry, 46; for Newberry's exclusion, 49.

And the simplest arithmetic makes forty-nine one more than a majority of the whole membership of the senate, and forty-eight would be enough to declare his seat vacant. The word "exclusion" is employed in canvassing the possibilities of the situation because it takes a mere majority to exclude while it takes a two-thirds vote to expel.

As to the possibility of an absolutely Democratic vote against him that is not as unlikely as it sounds. The evidence that convinced a Michigan jury is ample basis for the same sort of verdict at the hands of thirty-six Democrats. There are Wilson and anti-Wilson Democrats in the senate; there may be even tariff and anti-tariff Democrats, and they split

SPENT 100,000,000 RUBLES TO CROSS RUSSIA

Charles R. Crane, former United States minister to China, who has arrived in Riga, Latvia, after a 7,000-mile journey



from Pekin, which took him and his party across Siberia and Soviet Russia. During the journey Mr. Crane spent 100,000,000 rubles, or about \$3,000 in real money. This was in addition to a carload of pins, needles, tooth brushes, soap and other merchandise Mr. Crane carried to pay his way in lieu of money. The party traveled in private cars under a special permit from Lenine.

ODD FELLOWS WILL HOLD ENCAMPMENT HERE IN SEPTEMBER

A delegation of local Odd Fellows went to Gorman last night to enlist the aid of the lodge at that place for assistance when the county encampment is held in Ranger, some time in September. At the encampment, which is for lodge members only, the officers of the grand lodge will be present.

The delegation consisted of S. M. Shell, G. B. Barrington, R. H. Cunningham, Ray Todd, Joe Lesco and Dan Hall.

MISS NICHOLS IN COLORADO

Miss Jean Nichols has gone to Denver for a two weeks' visit with her sister. During her absence Miss Sartory will be in charge of the Marinello Beauty shop.

Miss Nichols expects to bring her sister's daughter home with her to place her in the Ranger school.

on a lot of other things, but on the question of getting rid of a Republican who was convicted by a jury and only saved by a supreme court decision on a legal technicality, the crowd are as much of a unit as a ten-dollar bill.

Ford Factor Changes Case.
If excluding Newberry meant the seating of Henry Ford it would be another story. The flivver king has enemies on both sides of the senate. Some of them are against him because of his attack on the Jews, notably those who have a large Hebrew constituency; others don't like the way he butted into politics without serving an apprenticeship.

What will happen if President Harding steps in with a plea for Newberry is a matter of doubt. The old liners among the Republicans think the president can pull down a progressive or two—and that would be enough with the argument that Republican loyalty demands that the Democrats should not be furnished with such a campaign weapon as the ruling out of a Republican senator would give them.

The Newberry baiters answer that if anything would make it certain that he would lose his seat it would be the attempt of the president to dictate to the senate in as intimate a matter as a decision of the eligibility of one of its own members.

Harding in Dilemma.
The president's own complication would be that he would mortally offend the anti-Newberry Republicans if he licked them and so promote a breach that would plague him during his whole term.

If Newberry had testified he would not have been in such trouble now. To be sure, he would have had an uncomfortable time with Pomerene, Reed, Walsh of Montana, King and Ashurst pumping questions at him, but it would not have made any difference in the result before the committee. The eight Republicans would have voted him in and the five Democrats would have voted him out just the same.

But he did not appear and the majority of the committee likewise refused to compel the attendance of B. F. Emery, bursar-in-chief of the campaign, whose continued illness during the committee hearings and wonderful recovery with their close is a medical marvel.

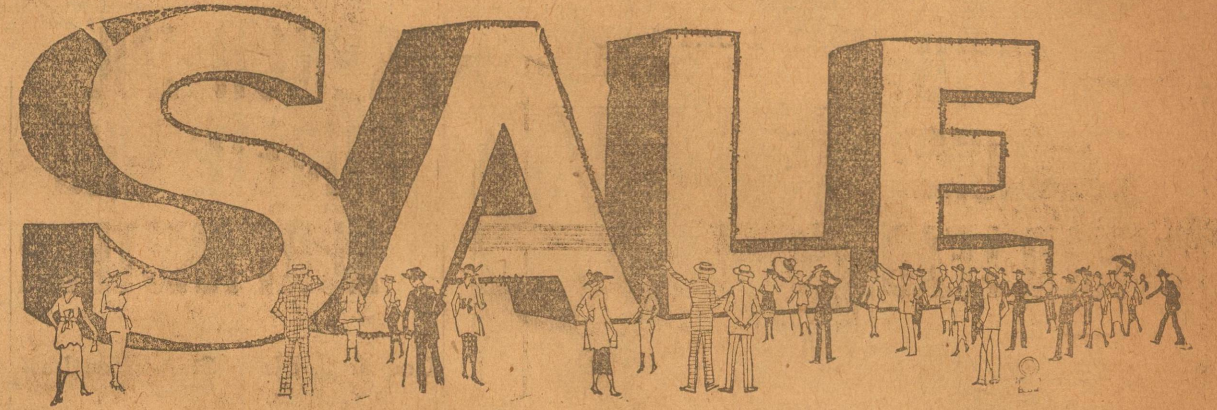
That made the progressives mad. Some of them were willing to keep their hands out of Newberry's hair if they could square it with their consciences, but to have it put up to them raw was more than they could stand for.

They say around the senate that Newberry has just one chance; that is to follow the precedent of Lorimer—which, however, was a vain effort in that case—and make his own defense in a speech on the floor.

If he can tell his story convincingly enough he may give some sympathetic Progressive the excuse he is looking for and so get by. But there is danger even in this course. Newberry will be listened to respectfully and attentively, but the time will come when somebody like Reed will arise and with the prosecutor's glare in his eye and the transcript of testimony in his hand will ask coldly: "Will the senator yield for a question?"

And if the senator yields the floor it will be worse than had he taken his questioning in the seclusion of the committee room, and if he does not he might better not have spoken. Verily, the life of Newberry is not without tribulation.

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TIMES SPORT PAGE

ALL THE NEWS OF THE WEST TEXAS LEAGUE

HEILMANN AND HORNSBY SLUMP BUT HOLD LEAD

Former Hitting .407, Latter .404, With No One Even Close.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—Babe Ruth, the Yankee slugger who registered his 46th home run of the season in the second game of the farewell series between New York and the White Sox in Chicago, has batted himself to third place among the batters of the American league with an average of .374, according to figures released today and which include games of last Wednesday.

The big southpaw also increased his lead as a run getter, having registered 126 times, and boosted his total base marks to 320. Beside his circuit drive record, Ruth has cracked out twenty-eight doubles and eight triples.

Harry Heilmann, the Detroit outfielder, suffered a slight slump in hitting but continues to top the list of players who have participated in sixty or more games, with a mark of .407. Ty Cobb is the runner-up with .381.

S. Harris of Washington added a brace of stolen bases to his string and is showing the way to the base stealers with twenty-two thefts.

Other leading batters: Sisler, St. Louis, .366; Tobin, St. Louis, .365; Speaker, Cleveland, .361; Williams, St. Louis, .350; E. Collins, Chicago, .347; Veach, Detroit, .345; Severeid, St. Louis, .340.

Bancroft Best Scorer. Rogers Hornsby, the St. Louis star, suffered a drop in his batting average during the past week and also lost the honor of leading in runs scored.

Bancroft of New York, is leading the run getters, having counted ninety-five times, while Hornsby scored ninety-two runs. The St. Louis favorite, however, increased his lead in total bases along the National leaguers, and continues to top the batters with an average of .404. His 172 hits have given him a total of 274 bases, which include twenty-eight doubles, thirteen triples and sixteen homers.

George Kelly, the slugging Giant first baseman, cracked out his twentieth circuit drive, and Frank Frisch, a teammate, added five stolen bases to his string, bringing his total thefts for the season to thirty-nine.

Twombly of Chicago is the runner-up to Hornsby for batting honors with an average of .371, while Cruise of Boston batted himself up to third position with .352.

Other leading batters: Cuthaw, Pittsburgh, .351; Young, New York, .346; McHenry, St. Louis, .341; Mann, St. Louis, .341; Bigbee, Pittsburgh, .339; Fournier, St. Louis, .339; Nicholson, Boston, .337.

FEAR CARPENTIER IS INTERNALLY INJURED FROM DEMPSEY BOUT

PARIS, Aug. 20.—Internal injuries, which resulted from the body blows of Jack Dempsey, may cause Georges Carpentier to retire from the ring without another battle.

The European champion admits that he is going to undergo a general physical examination to determine the exact nature of the injury to his thumb and ascertain the condition of his heart and interior organs.

While Carpentier did not admit it, it was learned from his friends that he has been having trouble with his heart since he was defeated by Dempsey.

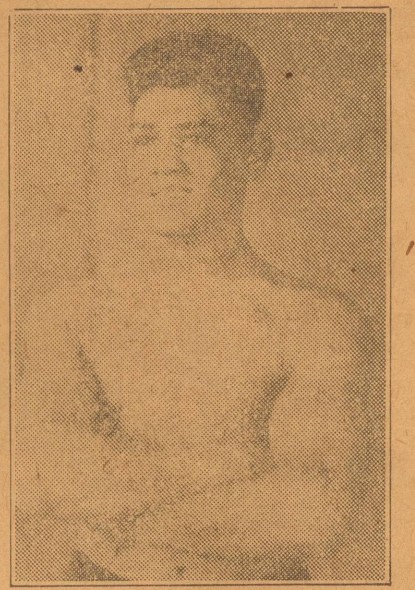
Asked about the conflicting reports that he would not return to the United States to meet Tommy Gibbons, the American light-heavyweight, the Frenchman said he would not be able to announce his future plans until after the examination in two weeks.

MRS. MOLLA MALLORY WINS WOMAN'S TENNIS TITLE FOR FIFTH TIME

FOREST HILL, N. Y., Aug. 20.—For the fifth time in a period of seven years, Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory, a native of Norway, now a resident of New York city, won the national woman's singles championship when she defeated Miss Mary K. Browne of Santa Monica, Cal., two sets out of three, by scores of 4-6, 6-4, 6-2. The defeat established a new record in the history of the American woman's singles championship.

As a young woman Mrs. Mallory won her first United States honors in 1915, following the voluntary retirement of Miss Browne, who had won the title the three preceding years and who staged such a valiant comeback today.

FORT WORTH BOY IS CLEVER BOXER



JIMMY BIBB.

When Jimmy Bibb of Fort Worth, holder of the Southwestern lightweight championship, and Bobby Greer of San Antonio, tangle up here Labor day, it will be the classic fight exhibition ever staged in Ranger. The bout will be staged Monday night, Sept. 5, at the ball park, in connection with the big Masonic picnic on that day.

HOW THEY STAND

WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include Sweetwater, Abilene, Ballinger, San Angelo.

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TEXAS LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include Wichita Falls, Fort Worth, Dallas, Houston, Beaumont, Shreveport, Galveston, San Antonio.

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Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include Fort Worth at Galveston, Wichita Falls at Houston, Dallas at Beaumont, Shreveport at San Antonio.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include Cleveland, New York, Washington, St. Louis, Boston, Detroit, Chicago, Philadelphia.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include New York 5, St. Louis 2, Cleveland 7, Boston 3, Washington 1, Chicago 0, Detroit 3, Philadelphia 2.

Sunday's Schedule.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include New York at St. Louis, Boston at Cleveland, Washington at Chicago, Philadelphia at Detroit.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include Pittsburgh, New York, Boston, Brooklyn, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Chicago, Philadelphia.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include St. Louis 10, New York 1, Cincinnati 12, Brooklyn 5, Pittsburgh 6, Boston 5, Chicago 5, Philadelphia 2.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include St. Louis at New York, Cincinnati at Brooklyn.

"OIL STARS" CANCEL GAMES WITH GALVESTON; NO MORE THIS YEAR

All games scheduled by the Ranger Oil Stars for the rest of the season have been canceled, according to Manager Strawder. And Mistah Strawder wishes it to be announced he has a job in a barber shop. Games scheduled with Galveston and Dublin for tomorrow and next day are among those which will not be played.

The cotton boll weevil appeared in the United States in 1892.

FRENCH JAIL ATHLETE WHO HURT ANOTHER

Decision May Stop Football Games, as Risk Is Too Great.

PARIS, Aug. 20.—A Rouen court has condemned a football player to four months in prison and to pay a fine of 6,000 francs for injuring another player during a match. This is the first time such a sentence has been delivered in France and if the judgment is held on appeal, it is believed in sporting circles that it will have a lasting effect on sports, as players will hesitate to risk going to prison for a game.

The Olympic club of Paris was playing the Rouen club (Association) and during the first half Aymard (Rouen) had to leave the ground on account of an injury to his eye after a collision with the international player, Langenove (Olympic). The day was very foggy and only two or three players could see what really happened.

Maximum Penalty. The Rouen club lodged a complaint with the French Football federation which found it impossible to obtain proof of misconduct against Langenove. Aymard then sued Langenove before the Rouen courts and the foregoing judgment was given by default. French courts always give the maximum penalty when they condemn any one who does not appear for trial, but the sentence may be changed if the condemned man takes the case to appeal.

Langenove says he never received a summons to appear before the court. He was a student at St. Cyr Military college when the match was played, and was in garrison at Mayence when the case was heard. When he charged Mayard, the latter said: "It wasn't decent to charge me like that." Langenove said, "There is no truth in the accusation that I struck him with my fist."

WITH EX-NITROS

"Cactus" Keck is the name Ranger's side-arm hurler goes by in the Southwestern league, where he is now doing boxwork for Springfield, Mo. "Cactus," in a letter to a friend enclosed an account of a 3 to 2 victory he recently took from Drumright. He allowed only five hits and one earned run. Incidentally, he struck out twelve men, which shows he was mystifying them some. The league record is fifteen strikeouts, and for a time, according to the write-up, it looked as if Frank might break it.

"Spuds" Murphy, ex-Nitro second baseman, was in the same game, playing right field, for Drumright. He went there immediately after the demise of the Nitros. Murphy shows four trips to the pan and no hits, but maybe it was his off day.

Johnny Singleton laced the ball Friday at Ballinger, getting two saeties out of three tries.

JAPS MAKE CLEAN SWEEP IN TENNIS PLAY WITH INDIA

LAKE FOREST, Ill., Aug. 20.—Japan swept all five tennis matches of the Davis cup semi-final series with India on the turf courts of Owentsia club here today. Ichi Yakumaga defeated Dr. A. H. Fyzee of India in the first of the day's program of two single contests 3-6, 6-6, 6-3, 9-7.

In the second match Shimidzu defeated Sleem of India, 7-5, 2-6, 6-0, 6-2. The matches were witnessed by a fashionable gallery of 3,000 which gradually melted away as a cold wind from Lake Michigan swept up in late afternoon. Shimidzu and Sleem finished to stands that were almost deserted.

Spain has introduced old age pensions for workers.

VICTOR AND VANQUISHED



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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include At Houston, Wichita Falls, Batteries—Goodwin and Griffith; Knabler, Ramsey and Kitchens.

At San Antonio.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include San Antonio, Shreveport, Batteries—Williams and Brock; Gleason and Henry.

At Beaumont.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include Beaumont, Dallas, Batteries—Jacobus and Alexander; Conley and Robertson.

At Galveston.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include Galveston, Fort Worth, Batteries—Glenn and O'Brien; Whittaker and Haworth.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include At New York, New York, St. Louis, Batteries—Nehf, Ryan, Salee, Douglas and Smith; Deak and Clemens.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include At Brooklyn, Brooklyn, Cincinnati, Batteries—Grimes, Smith and Miller; Marquard, Markle and Hargraves.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include At Boston, Boston, Pittsburgh, (Thirteen innings), Batteries—Oesgher, Fillingim and O'Neill, Gowdy; Cooper and Schmidt.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include At Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Chicago, Batteries—Smith, Sedgwick and Henline; Martin and O'Farrell.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include At St. Louis, St. Louis, New York, Batteries—Davis, Burnwell and Severeid; Hayt and Schang.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include At Cleveland, Cleveland, Boston, Batteries—Coveleskie and O'Neil; Pennock and Ruel.

Table with columns: Teams, R. H. E. Rows include At Chicago, Chicago, Washington, Batteries—Russell and Schalk;

AMERICAN WINS RIO TRACK MEET WITH SIX FIRSTS

By MILES W. VAUGHN (United Press Staff Correspondent).

RIO DE JANEIRO, (By Mail).—Participating under the colors of the Fluminense Football Club, Fred Nabor, Wabash college '20, took six first places in the inter-club meet for the Federal district, having previously established new national records in the shot-put and javelin throw during the club meet a few weeks ago.

Beside the javelin and shot-put, Nabor won the following events: High hurdles, 100 meters and pole vault. He was not entered in additional events, the six first insuring a victory for his club.

The American athlete has attained great popularity in Brazilian circles, the fact that he wears a Phi Kappa key contributing to his prestige. The Brazilian appreciates a good scholar even more than a good athlete.

Nabor is employed by the Standard Oil company, recently having been transferred to Santos, and coming from that city to participate in today's meet.

Athletics of all kind have received tremendous impulse from the interest aroused by Brazilian participation in the Olympic games. The Fluminense Club has completed one of the finest athletic homes in South America at a cost of nearly \$2,000,000. There is a large and luxuriously furnished modern club house with the finest appointments; a football field that compares favorably with any of the eastern college "bowls" in the United States; a shooting gallery with ranges up to 250 meters; a big covered swimming tank with salt water, and a number of outdoor pergola tea rooms and dancing pavilions, tennis courts, and other accessories.

SANTA FE INCREASES CLEBURNE SHOP FORCE

CLEBURNE, Texas, Aug. 20.—The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe will increase the working force in local shops about 200 men, according to announcement by railroad officials today. The additional men will be distributed in various departments of the shops here.

AMERICANS CAN BUY IN CANADA BY LETTER, BUT NOT IN PERSON

By Associated Press. WINDSOR, Ont., Aug. 20.—Citizens of the United States who want to purchase liquor from Canadian sources must remain away from Ontario during purchase negotiations, if they would avoid conflict with the Ontario temperance act, according to a ruling today by Police Magistrate Grundy of Windsor.

In a test case an American named Refelai lost 100 cases of beer from the British-American Brewing company, the beer being subsequently seized by the Ontario court, which fined the brewer \$200 and ordered the confiscation made permanent.

The purchase had been closed on Canadian soil and it was held that the brewer had therefore violated the law.

Had Refelai made his order by letter from the American side, the transaction would have been valid.

In Japan the loading of ships is done principally by women.

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WHAT'S COLOR OF HAIR IF BEAU WANTS IT CHANGED, SHE QUERIES

Kiddo Tells K. J. She's Changed It Three Times Within Three Months; Men Fight Beauty Parlors, Too, Says Boss Maceuse, as She Lapses Into Cynicism.

"These darn men are darn hard to please," one drug store pink said to the other yesterday as they consumed an ice cream soda at the drug store. "I have had three sweeties in the past three months, and believe me or not, kid, I have had to change myself for every darn one of 'em. But believe me or not, kid, they pay the bill. When I met Red I was a brunette. My hair was wavy brown. Red didn't like brown hair and I had it blonded. Gee, kid, I made some dashing blonde, too. But Red, he got fresh and I told him where to head in at. He didn't never want me to go out with any of the other fellows and all that stuff. Gosh, I told him quick he wasn't making no living for me; that I was going to get a free feed where ever I could. You bet I am, too. I will play around with almost any Johnny who will buy often enough.

"After Red give me the merry goodbye I hooked up with Mac. And believe me or not, kid, Mac wouldn't have me blonde. Said a blonde woman ruin his life once. She must a too, because he sure is some spoiled baby. To please him, I had my hair made brown again. But to make it short, Mac got tired of being my meal ticket and he went his way.

when her hair is red why we can make her red headed and it is the logical step to take.

"If he likes it brown, or corn colored, we are ready to aid her to that end. We are also ready to give her as near a perfect complexion as possible and help her in keeping it so.

"However, it is not always women who come here. Among our regular patrons are many men—and 'he-men' at that. They believe in looking their best; perhaps to please some woman, who knows. At any rate, they come here for facials, shampoos and other things."

The lady was asked what type made up the bulk of her patronage. "They no longer run to type," she said. The women of the homes, the business girls and other class all come.

"But, speaking of men and beauty parlor work, while it has not yet reached Ranger, it is said back East the men are now going in for marcel waves, and they are becoming all the fad. However, I cannot vouch for the truth of the statement, but I can't doubt it, being well acquainted with the dear, unvain things."

With the lady electing to grow cynical, the reporter went his way.

Pleased the Sucker.

And Bill, when he came along, had no use for anything but red-headed women. So to please the sucker, I had my hair made red, as it is now."

The reporter remembering how a friend of his had suddenly turned red headed, almost over night, and not understanding it at all, listened to the talk of the drug store pinks with a great deal of curiosity, which drove him to seek the advice of the lady who runs a beauty parlor.

"Tell me," he asked, "how the heck a woman who is not red headed becomes red headed?"

"Sure, that is easy. It is henna that does it. Egyptian henna, and it is harmless."

The reporter puzzled over that for a while and then in his ignorance asked, "whada you mean henna? Has that anything to do with chickens?"

"Sure," the lady replied, "it will turn a chicken's hair red," or even that of a tough old hen."

"Gosh," the reporter opined, "the brown-hair wife of breakfast may be the red-headed wife of supper.

"We do quite a few other things around here, the beauty parlor lady took up the conversation. "The quest for beauty has been one of woman's privileges throughout the ages. It is not termed vanity but rather a worthy desire to make the most of one natural endowments."

"If a woman is more pleasing to the man she is seeking to please

MASONS' PICNIC LABOR DAY HAS MANY FEATURES

(Continued from page 1.)

boy who is the son of a Mason, in a fifty-yard dash, with the same prize for the fastest girl.

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Box of cigars for the smallest Mason.

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Shriners' Ball.

In the evening a dance will be given. However, it will be confined to Shriners because it is doubted if any dance hall could accommodate the crowd, if it were not.

The following committees have been appointed to care for the details of the entertainment:

Dr. A. N. Harkrider, general chairman.

Athletics, Ben A. Owens, Frank Champion; music, wood and chairs, Paul Lacy; nauling, C. I. Spencer; baseball, C. J. Dietrich; bread, pickles and onions, Lloyd Clem; dance, James A. Davenport, Fred Driehof, C. E. Davis; food at the grounds, A. F. Hartman, J. W. Elliot, A. H. Kinard, Frank Hall, Charley Bobo, Ross Hodges, E. J. Weiss; bartender, H. R. Gholson; publicity, E. V. Galloway, R. B. Waggoman; ticket seller, E. E. Crawford; ticket taker, Charles Surbrook.

CHIEF AND MRS. REYNOLDS BACK FROM GALVESTON

Chief of Police and Mrs. Eugene Reynolds returned yesterday afternoon from a two weeks' visit with friends in various South Texas cities. While away they visited in Austin, Houston and Galveston. They had a wonderful time, according to Chief Reynolds, but personally, he was glad to get back to Ranger.

Naturally he investigated road conditions in the cities visited, and he was certain that if Ranger was judged alongside Galveston and Houston it would take a blue ribbon, for moral conditions. Liquor flows freely, he says, but unfortunately, he isn't a drinking man.

NEW BUSINESS.

C. H. Dunlap, who has been the watchmaker at W. E. Davis' for the past ten months, has opened a repair shop in the building formerly occupied by the Julianna Shop, at 302 Main street, where he is now ready for business.—(Advertisement)

A world conference of the Irish race is being planned.

WHITE MAN ATTACKS WOMAN AT HER HOME IN FORT WORT SUBURB

FORT WORTH, Aug. 20.—Mrs. J. W. Burdell, 18, a bride of five months, was attacked, bound and gagged in her home on the western outskirts of Handley about 10:30 Saturday morning by a white man. She was left lying unconscious in a back room of the house with her hands tied behind her and a soft cloth cap stuffed in her mouth. She in this condition for probably an hour and a half before she was discovered by her husband, who returned home about noon.

The woman had been roughly handled by the assailant. Her clothing was partly torn from her body and she showed bruises. She bore a long scratch on the right side of her neck which she said was caused by a pin in the man's clothing as she fought with him.

Mrs. Burdell had been to Fort Worth early Saturday morning and returned to her home about 10:30, finding the man in the house when she entered. She said the man

ELKS' VARIETY SHOW GUARANTEED TO MAKE CARKING CARE BEGONE

The most elaborate home talent play ever staged in Eastland county will be given by the Elks at the Majestic theater on the nights of Sept. 3-4. Many local artists and those who make no pretense at being artists have been pressed into service. Of the latter there are a dozen of the handsomest business men who will disport themselves in the chorus and in a specially prepared Russian ballet.

ALLEGED MAIL BANDIT TAKEN AFTER BATTLE

CHEYENNE, Wyo, Aug. 20.—Ed F. Hurst, alias Jack Cress, was captured here last night charged with complicity in the Toledo mail robbery.

In a chase through the main streets of Cheyenne two men were wounded by stray bullets fired by the police. Sam Buttgenback was hit in the right hand and another unidentified victim was shot in one hip.

Hurst was traced here from Colorado Springs, Colo, where a gun fight took place Thursday night between Hurst, the alleged bandit, and police who attempted to arrest him.

She broke loose from him and ran into another room and got a revolver from a dresser drawer, but before she could make use of the weapon the man had grabbed her again and wrenched or knocked the pistol from her hand. The loaded gun was still lying on the bedroom floor when her husband entered the house an hour and a half later.

The proceeds of the play will go into the Elks' charity fund, upon which more and more calls are being made.

Among the artists Raymond Teal will appear in a monologue and also in a vaudeville skit with Dr. Harry Owens and Dr. C. C. Craig. Mr. Teal as is well known was in the show business for years and is a black face artist par excellence.

Music will be furnished by the Dallas Conservatory of Music and will be without cost to the Elks beyond the

actual expenses of the musicians.

Among offerings which will be staged will be a minstrel show of twelve persons. Another number will be a classic Apache dance by Miss Campbell. Several burlesque acts which are said by their promoters to produce real merriment are promised.

And there is Pop Endicott, who formerly played the piano at the Majestic. Pop is not as graceful as he once was, 'tis said, but he has not forgotten how to get cheers from the bald-headed row when he takes the lead in the Russian ballet, with twelve handsome chorus Johnnies behind him.

The charity committee appointed by the Elks is composed of Irving Schwartz, C. R. Walts and R. W. Hill. The committee on arranging the show is composed of Raymond Teal, Ben Ruyle and Pop Endicott.

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Most Ranger people knew Albert Marks, formerly Land Commissioner for the Hamon railroad—knew him for the excellent gentleman that he was. He was killed by "hi-jackers" at South Bend, on June 13.

Mr. Marks bought an accident and health policy from this office on May 25, 1920, paid one year's premium, and we renewed the policy for him shortly before his death. We were able to secure final proofs of death on July 27, forwarded them to the Company in Chicago, and check as shown above was mailed on August 3.

Money is tight—of course it is. But HOW TIGHT would it be for YOUR wife and family, if YOU "passed in your checks" without providing for them?

Rates for accident and health insurance are cheap, compared with the protection secured. It pays as high as \$125 a week while you are sick or suffering from injuries.

Stockman & Collie, General Agents
LONDON GUARANTEE & ACCIDENT COMPANY
Phone 98 Ranger, Texas 222 Marston Bldg.

Notice of Removal—

—We have moved to 207 Main street (next door to Manhattan theatre) where we have larger and more convenient store to serve you. We appreciate the business you have given us in the past and hope to merit your business in the future.

—A complete line of Fall Hats are ready for your inspection.

Mrs. Cohn's Millinery
207 Main Street

ENGLISH GYPSIES TO REVOLT AGAINST RESERVATION LAW

LONDON, Aug. 20.—Something like the echoes of the old Wild West has been brought into English country life by the threat of a new law which it is proposed to pass creating reservations for the Gypsies, similar to those of the Indians. In fact England's Indians are on the warpath.

London knows little of these things, but in every part of the country where there still are open spaces—and there are thousands of acres of woodland and commons and moors still uncultivated among the 30,000,000 acres not under cultivation in these islands—the one subject of country talk is the revolt of the Romany, who declare that they are going to resist the law. In one bit of woodland within forty miles of London 1,000 Gypsies assembled—said to be a record meeting of the English tribe—to protest against the proposed law. According to the old men of the tribe similar meetings are being held all over the country.

Romany More Than 20,000.
Nobody knows exactly how many Gypsies there are in England, but estimates run well above 20,000. They live a typically nomadic life, which has changed in hardly anything at all from that of the earliest known records of the tribe which are to be found in the oldest folk songs of the country. Everyone knows the old song about the lord who returned home to find that his lady had run away with "the raggle-taggle Gypsies, oh." Through good and ill report they have kept up their ancient traditions of a wandering life. You can see them on any English country road in the summer. Sometimes they will be a single family with one caravan, sometimes they will be a whole procession, looking like a traveling circus on the move.

In summer they often gather in camps, which vary from a few families to as many as 500 or 600 persons, on the moors of the north, or in the forest lands of the south. There is no formal organization about these gatherings, they spring up in a night and grow into small towns within a few weeks; families come and go during the summer months; and then towards winter the little town begins to decrease in population until all that is left of it is the hard beaten ground and the marks of the campfires. These temporary settlements are not planned beforehand, yet a regular system of civic discipline grows up in them; and, on the whole, little objection is taken to them by the farmers and peasants of the countryside. But if things go missing on any of the farms in the neighborhood, or other unpleasantness arises, a feud will spring up between the Gypsies and the people of the locality, which will only end when the Gypsies move on or are constrained to do so by the permanent inhabitants. Usually a word is enough; they can pick up and be off at an hour's notice, and very frequently they do so without even so much of one of their fellows "gets into trouble."

Sometimes Welcome.
So it happens that in some localities the Gypsies have a good name and in others a bad name; in one place you will be told that they are a lot of horse thieves, in another nobody will have anything to say against them. Sometimes they are really welcome in the district. For example, in this year of great heat and drought the south of England has suffered considerably from forest fires. In the city papers they like to ascribe the origin of those fires to the Gypsies; in the countries they say the fires are due to holiday makers from the cities dropping cigarette ends or lighting campfires care-

lessly or ignorantly, and that actually thousands of acres of forests have been saved with the aid of Gypsies who are naturally interested in preserving their own haunts.

The Gypsies of course say that it is these immigrants to Gypsydom, men not of Gypsy blood nor knowing Gypsy traditions, who are responsible for most of the troubles which have raised the question of creating compounds or reservations for those who don't want to live in houses or can't get a house to live in. At present there is no authority for interfering with people who are wandering harmlessly about the country, but under the new proposal anyone without fixed abode would be liable to arrest and internment in compound or reservation.

It would not be an easy law to enforce, either, say the Gypsies. And those who know their habits are inclined to agree with them. For example, where do Gypsies go in the winter? It is known that the greater number of them come south and seek the warmer and almost semi-tropical climate of the southwestern coast, and that a certain number go to the cities and take temporary jobs, especially in seaport towns. But all that is known of the Gypsies in winter does not account for one-tenth of the number that any country holiday-maker can see in a day's march.

There is also the question of the Gypsies' right to his own property, his caravan and horses. At present he finds feed for his horses by the roadside and on common land where he is permitted to camp. If the taxpayers interfere with his liberty, will the taxpayer be willing to pay for the feed and the keep of his horses? And what will be the value of a caravan if you have to stay on the reservation? If the Gypsies plead the right of property against the proposed law, they will have a good case; for nobody in England, least of all the country squires and farmers, is going to let any law get on the statute book that interferes with the full enjoyment of the rights of property.

"DETECTING" WANTED.
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—President Victor Miller of the local police board, addressing members of the detective department laid down an edict, according to some of those present, that "unless more actual detecting was accomplished in the near future, about fifty members of the department would be transferred to beats."

"We transferred twenty-five men out of this bureau recently in order to bring the department up to a standard of efficiency," President Miller was quoted as having said. He added:

"I have in my office seventy-five applications from policemen who want to be detectives—men who are ambitious to distinguish themselves. There have been a number of safe robberies within the past few weeks and not a safe robber is in jail. There have been a lot of drug addicts and the like brought in and turned loose. What we want are the real criminals, not the tramps."

MEXICAN GOVERNMENT IS BUYING MUCH SILVER

DURANGO, Mexico, Aug. 20.—The Mexican government is buying practically all the silver offered to it for sale, paying for it either in gold coin or with sight drafts presentable in New York, giving the price of New York quotation for the

DR. HARDING AND BRIDE TAKE UP OLD OFFICE ROUTINE



Dr. & Mrs. George T. Harding

Above is the first photograph of Dr. George T. Harding, father of the President, and his bride, who was Miss Alice Severns. The happy couple are continuing their ordinary duties of treating the sick in Marion, O. Dr. Harding and his bride have changed nothing of their daily routine. Mrs. Harding has been her husband's stenographer and assistant for eight years, and she plans to continue aiding him in his practice.

metal, thus establishing the same price for silver in Mexico as is paid in New York.

The government buys silver in unlimited quantity and all silver delivered is free of export tax, so that really the price of silver in Mexico

is 1 per cent higher at present than that paid for it in New York. The sale of Mexican silver in Mexico City also results in less expense to the seller, as it costs less to deliver the silver in Mexico City than in New York.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Office of the Comptroller of the Currency
Washington, D. C., August 20, 1921.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have a claim against the First National Bank of Ranger, Texas, that the same must be presented to E. B. CUSHING, Receiver, with the legal proof thereof, within three months from this date, or they may be disallowed.

T. P. KANE,
Deputy Comptroller of the Currency

AUSTRIA ARGUES OVER CHEAP BRITISH CLOTHING

By Associated Press.

VIENNA, Aug. 20.—The offer of a British concern to sell in Vienna 400,000 ready-made suits of men's clothes at 1 pound and 10 shillings each, has been occupying more space

in the newspapers than the disturbed political situation.

Master tailors and ready-made clothing merchants are fighting it and thus far successfully as the ministry of trade has refused the import license.

The entire Vienna press, backed by the countless civil servants and

workmen's co-operative societies, is demanding the deal be permitted, pointing out that native tailors charge at least 10,000 crowns for a suit of equal quality, while the British offer equals about 4,600 crowns.

Philadelphia's only woman cop receives no salary.

REMOVAL ANNOUNCEMENT

—of—

McELROY PLATE GLASS CO.

From Old Post Office Building
To 413 Main Street

—We are going to increase our stock and carry a complete line of Glass, Paints, Varnishes and Wall Paper.

—All Kinds—

CONTRACTING, BUILDING, REPAIR WORK

Announcing

Removal Sale

—of—
Humes'
SMART WEAR FOR WOMEN

107 South Marston Street

Between Main and Pine

About September 1st We Will Move to Our New Location on Main Street

The room formerly occupied by the Texas Bank & Trust Company—Where we will continue to carry the best lines of merchandise the market affords.

—Commencing Monday morning, Aug. 22, our entire stock goes on sale All new Fall dresses, suits and hats at 10 per cent discount. Remember our Mid-Summer Fur Sale is still continued with 25 per cent Discount on all Furs.

House Dresses and Aprons

Lot No. 1.....\$.98
Lot No. 2..... 1.98
Lot No. 3..... 2.98

Petticoats.

Jersey Petticoats\$3.95
Jersey Pettibockers\$3.95
Belding Satin\$5.50
—These are in white and colors
White and Flesh Wash Silk
petticoats\$2.63

All Waists in Three Lots

Lot No. 1.....\$6.98
Lot No. 2..... 2.48
Lot No. 3..... 1.00

Crepe smocks only\$2.50
All middies only 1.50
Nine Taffeta dresses, each,
only\$11.98

All Top, Skirts at COST
All Hosiery at COST
All Purses at COST
All Sweaters at COST

Humes'
SMART WEAR FOR WOMEN

SILK AND COTTON UNDERWEAR
Teddies, Gowns, Vests, Camisoles, Bloomers, Brassiers. Our entire stock of Underwear goes at COST.



VI.

I wouldn't choose a friend of course,
Who merely was a sap,
And so I chose the company
Of little Flippy Flap.
He always knows the thing to say,
And just the time to say it;
He likes to see you make a bill
And likes to see you pay it.

"I'll tell the world, tire patches,
you're always sticking around."
It's wise, too, to have a few patches
along. We have them and everything
else a motorist needs, in service and
parts.

Frost Motor Co.
BUICK SERVICE

Phone 45 417 Main Street

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS in the DAILY TIMES

Ranger, Texas. One Time... 2c per word Four Times... For the cost of Three Seven times... For the cost of Five No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

The above rates are for consecutive Daily and Sunday insertions without change of copy.

No advertisement accepted on a "fill forbidden" order; a specific number of insertions must be given. Notice to discontinue advertisements must be given in writing, otherwise we are not responsible.

We reserve the right to place all classified advertisements under their proper classification and to reject unclean or objectionable copy.

1—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between Clay Boiler works and Ranger Gasoline Co., one brass check valve. Suitable reward. Ranger Gasoline Co.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Brown horse, white stocking on one hind leg, Steeple-A brand on hip, new saddle, bridle with bright spots. Notify Jack Baker, Route 2, Box 114, Ranger, or phone Myers Camp, P. O. & G.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—1 black horse 16 hands high, 8 years old, roach mane, scar on right hind hoof; 1 bay horse, 15 hands high, 8 years old. \$10 reward. C. P. Davis, route No. 3.

STRAYED—One black work horse, white streak on forehead, small knot on right hip, also one roan shetland pony. Suitable reward for information leading to recovery. G. & H. Dairy, Box, 355, Ranger; or Taylor store, Eastland Hill.

FOUND—Bunch of keys on Christmas lease. Owner can get same by calling at Times office and paying for ad.

2—MALE HELP

WANTED—50 BOYS BETWEEN 10 and 15 YEARS OF AGE TO SELL THE DAILY TIMES. MUST BE HUSTLERS AND HAVE CASH TO PAY FOR PAPERS. REPORT DAILY TIMES OFFICE AT 3:30 P. M.

NOTICE TO WATER HAULERS—A good proposition to haul from Sanderford water wells. See A. J. Sanderford, R. F. D. No. 2.

WANTED—Moving picture operator for place in smaller town near Ranger. Address Box A, care Times.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Business position, by educated young woman. Experienced cashier and bookkeeper. Address box "D" care Times.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

WANTED—Nursing by lady of extensive experience. Will take special cases. Charges reasonable. 712 1/2 Pine street, Room 14.

HOME COOKED MEALS, 50c. Weir Rooms, 303 South Rusk.

NOTICE—All persons who have valuable papers, bonds, etc., at the First National Bank of Ranger for safe-keeping are notified to call for same before Sept. 1. On that date such papers as remain in the bank may be forwarded to Washington and recovery thereafter will be inconvenient to owners. E. B. Cushing, Receiver.

HEMSTITCHING AND PICOTING—Done by expert operator, cheap as any place in town. Prompt attention given mail orders. At Woman's Exchange, back of Boston Store, 120 N. Rusk st.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

ROOM AND BOARD \$50.00 per month. Weir rooms, 303 South Rusk. Miss E. Clairborne, proprietor.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A neatly furnished two-room house; reasonable rent. 415 Mesquite st.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

MARIAN APARTMENTS—2 rooms, cool, clean, comfortable; \$25; lights, water, gas. 607 Main st.

THE GREENWOOD APARTMENTS 3-room modern furnished apartments. Summer rates.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

HORSES AND WAGONS for sale, cheap, 309 North Austin St.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

2 FANS, 3 show cases, ice box, 2 chair barber outfit, furniture, etc., 712 1-2 Pine st.

TRUNKS, BAGS, suit cases. Why pay two middlemen profits? Buy from factory direct. Send for free catalog. Acme Trunk & Bag factory, Spring Valley, Ill.

FOR SALE—Parts of well drilling outfits including 4 12x12 engines, drilling stem, sheave casing blocks, bailers, wire lines, circles, jacks, forges, etc.; also 3 motor trucks. Apply to E. B. Cushing, receiver, First National Bank.

FOR SALE—One butchers box that will hold three cattle; one refrigerator box three feet long worth \$200; pair of Detroit scales worth \$200; cash register worth \$50; two meat blocks, two knives, one small iron safe, all for \$900. Also one small soda fountain with one draft tube; two ten-gallon tin's locker and gauge, all for \$50. See W. W. Allis Grocery Store, 442 Hunt street.

VALENTINE NOW HAMON AGENT AT BRECKENRIDGE

James Valentine, formerly station agent for the Texas & Pacific Railroad company here, has accepted a similar position with the Hamon road at Breckenridge. He will assume his duties at once.

Mr. Valentine is a railroad man of many years experience and was in charge here for about twelve months. After resigning about a month ago, he went to New Orleans and other southern points for a vacation.

"New Orleans," he said, "apparently is in a good shape financially, which will be added to by a wonderful sugar cane crop to be harvested shortly."

AB PITCOCK RECOVERS.

Ab Pitcock, who was operated upon about two weeks ago, and who has since been confined in his room, was able yesterday to return to his business. Mr. Pitcock suffered with a sudden attack of appendicitis.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

BRING YOUR WATCHES and jewelry to C. H. Dunlap, 302 Main street, for repairs.

14—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—On the concrete paved Bankhead highway between Dallas and Fort Worth, complete country home, facing south; living, music, dining rooms, two bed rooms, breakfast room, kitchen, bath, closets, large front and back porches; plastered and tinted walls, hardwood floors, reinforced concrete foundation; independent electric light, water and sewer systems; fruit, grapes, berries, soft shell pecans; chicken houses, yards, out houses. Twenty-two acres rich black land. Address P. V. Blythe, Grand Prairie, Texas, Route 2

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

A SMALL furnished house, cheap; 426 Hunt St.

FOR SALE—Three-room house furnished complete; biggest bargain in Ranger if sold at once. Anyone interested better look this one over; 325 Berthalee St., Page addition.

TWO-ROOM HOUSE—Furnished; a block from Main st. 309 Cherry st.

16—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—NEW DODGE BROTHERS 4 DOOR SEDAN

A car for fall and winter. Equipped oversize cord tires. For quick sale at the new reduced price. See Oilbelt Motor Co., Phone 232.

WHY put new parts in old cars? Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk St., Ranger, Texas.

SPRINGS, gears, gas tanks, wheels, magnetos, carburetors, n'everything. Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk St., Ranger, Texas.

FOR SALE or trade—Ford car; also Ford roadster; good condition. 203 Fannin st.

USED CAR SALE—All makes; cash or terms. Leveille-Maher Motor Co., Phone 217, P. O. Box No. 4, Main and Hodges sts.

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR

FOR SALE—Two new Dodge Brothers touring cars; equipped oversize cord tires; immediate delivery; at new reduced price. Oilbelt Motor Co., Phone 232, corner Austin and Cherry sts.

AUTOS FOR SALE.

1 Ford roadster. 1 Velie touring. 1 Reo touring. 1 Reo Speedwagon.

CHANEY REPAIR SHOP

Main St., Ranger garage bldg. Dodge and White, Truck Service

IF YOU ARE looking for a second-hand car, or a general overhauling, very reasonable, call and get our prices. Texas Garage.

DODGE AND WHITE TRUCKS parts are here. You can now get any part you want. "At your service." Ranger Garage.

1920 BUICK 5-passenger, A-1 condition, good rubbers. Will sell cheap. 510 So. Pecan st.

17—WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms, close in. Apply Crescent Confectionery, Elm and Rusk.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

WE BUY, Sell and Exchange Second-hand Furniture. 121 N. Rusk street.

WANTED—Pictures to tint. Old pictures made new. Merchants Studio, 111 N. Austin.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture, new and Second-Hand Store, 201 N. Austin st. Phone 276.

I WANT to buy some second-hand beaver-board. Address Box 1333, city.

21—LEGAL NOTICE

FOR SALE—At city pound, Aug. 23: Sorrel mare mule; branded "7" left jaw. L. E. Davenport, pound master.

22—FOULTRY AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE—White English bull pups. 423 N. Rusk.

FARMING PAYS, WHEN A FARM IS RUN LIKE THIS

A sweet potato crop; a home curing plant to cure the potatoes; peas between the rows; cows for milk and butter and some over to sell; pigs to eat the waste and furnish meat for home consumption, is the source of a royalty to W. B. Starr on an Eastland county farm which is bringing in cash returns each day.

Of Mr. Starr and his system of farming, R. H. Bush, county farm agent has this to say:

"Mr. Starr is making a specialty of sweet potatoes and is propagating a variety known as the Highland Beauty. This variety is a cross between the pumpkin and dooley yam."

"Mr. Starr has not failed to consider conservation of the soil in which his future crops are to grow. He is growing peas between rows, twelve feet apart. The peas are soil builders and serve to protect the soil from blowing. He is growing peas on other plots which are to be planted to potatoes later, when it is properly developed."

"He has a dairy herd, eight of which are pure-bred Holsteins. He also has a herd of hogs, several of which are purebred. The cows furnish the milk and butter for home consumption and bring in a little cash besides. The skim milk feeds the pigs, and the pigs also consume the waste which otherwise would be lost as food. When fat, the hogs furnish meat for home use and those which are sold help out the cash crops."

"With the assistance of the potato curing plant on Mr. Starr's farm he markets his potatoes as the demand arises."

BRING BACK WHEELS OR COME GET CAR BODY. REQUEST TO THIEVES

James A. Boze asks without rancor that the thieves who broke into the Hubbell paint shop last Tuesday night and stole the wheels from his Ford, please either return the wheels or come and get the body. He asserts he can't use the body in its present condition.

Someone broke into the paint shop during Tuesday night and took the wheels and casings from the Ford leaving the body neatly propped up. A reward of \$30 has been offered for the return of the wheels by Mr. Boze.

A current of electricity sent through irrigation canals keeps the fish from passing.

BOSSY CAN'T COMPETE WITH 'COCONUT COW'

NEW YORK, Aug. 20—The competition of the "coconut cow" will prove too strong for the exploiters of the ordinary barnyard cow and force them to manufacture milk substitutes, declares Arthur W. Milburn, president of the Borden company, unless the Voight bill, now pending in congress is passed. The bill prohibits the manufacture and sale of milk compounds.

These compounds, sold as evaporated or condensed milk, are made from skimmed milk, Mr. Milburn declared, and for the missing butterfat coconut, peanut or cottonseed oils are substituted. The difference between such a compound and evaporated milk containing butterfat is not apparent to the eye. The substitute, however, costs the manufacturer about \$1.70 a hundred pounds as against \$4.41 for the real thing. Last year 7,000,000 pounds of coconut oil were used in this way, Mr. Milburn said.

The Borden company yesterday filed a brief with the committee on agriculture, summing up the objections to milk compounds and urging favorable report on the Voight bill. Representative Voight is from Wisconsin. His bill is intended as an amendment to the pure food act.

Zinc chloride on timber restrains fungus growth.

WAS CRAIG'S PARADE AN AD FOR MATRIMONY, OR JUST FOR PICTURE?

Billie Craig, manager of the Temple theater, staged a unique advertising stunt yesterday when he paraded a string of baby buggies up and down Main street which carried the inscription—One word to each carriage—"Are You Crazy to Marry?" It is not known if the array of baby vehicles were to be construed as a warning of what might happen if one is crazy to marry.

The parade was an advertisement of the picture to be shown at the Temple today with Patty Arbuckle in the title role.

Nearly 9,000,000 gallons of wine have been made from a single grape crop in Australia.

Gambling at the Casino in a suburb of Havana operates under a special congressional act.

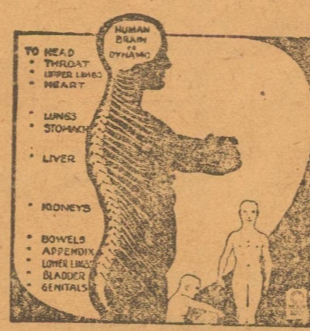
We will buy all of your second-hand furniture; Wright Furniture company, corner Pine and Rusk Sts.—Advertisement.

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CARS

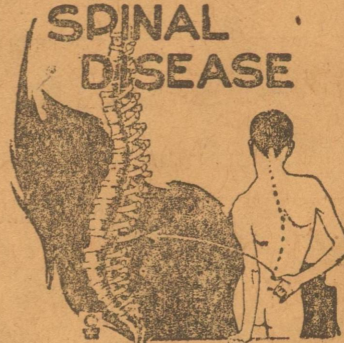
The Oil Field Car BEST BY TEST

RANGER GARAGE CO.

DODGE DEALERS DODGE PARTS WHITE TRUCK PARTS



Notice To the Public and My Patients



I have moved my office from 115 1/2 N. Marston street, Southern Rooms, to Metropolitan Hotel, where I am better equipped to care for the many cases that come to my attention.

DR. L. ROBINSON CHIROPRACTOR

Will leave in three weeks for Chicago to take post-graduate work

Breaking the Shackles of Time

Clocks are as much a matter of course as suspenders or sausages. But it took energy and initiative to get the first clock on the kitchen shelf and start it going. The Yankee pack peddler was sole distributor and transporter. His lean, lanky, loose-jointed legs set the limits for most distribution problems in those days.

Modern transportation with progressive sales methods—and advertising—have broken the shackles of time. They make a quick job of what used to take years. Through advertising, many an article has been introduced simultaneously in stores all over the country.

This newspaper does you a two-fold service. It not only brings you news of the world, but also news of what to buy, where to buy and how to buy.

The advertisements are news columns of merchants and manufacturers who have important stories to tell you.

Take advantage of them. Read the latest news of good things to be had—and where to get them.

Make sure you get all the news

Merchants Studio

111 North Austin For the BETTER class Portraiture Special Prices for 10 Days KODAK FINISHING 24-hour service —Kodaks cleaned and adjusted free.

Late Arrivals in

NEW FALL SUITS, DRESSES, SWEATERS AND SHOES

—Advance Style Creations, made to sell at considerably more than our sale price.

—Authoritative fashion-favored modes, depicting the very styles that will be worn by fashionable dressers this Fall and Winter.

—Carefully developed of splendid quality. Chic, original trimming touches add to their charm.

—Plan to share in these wonderful savings on new Fall and Winter garments.

—Your inspection invited.

J. M. White & Co. DRY GOODS 113 Main Street The House of Real Values

Business Directory

ACCOUNTANTS

417-419-421 Guaranty Bank Bldg. KARL E. JONES & CO. Audits Conducted Income Tax Reports

Ranger Address: Box 786, Phone 53 Breckenridge; 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg. Suite 524 Guaranty Bank Bldg. WAKEFIELD, CLARK & PLUMMER Public Accountants, Auditors and Systematizers Income Tax Specialists Phone 356

BRICK AND STONE

W. E. BURKE Phone 158 Agent Thurber Brick and Crushed Stone Corner Pine and Rusk

CHIROPRACTOR

DR. L. ROBINSON Chiropractor 122 1/2 N. Austin, Metropolitan Rooms Hours 8 a. m. to 12 a. m., 2 to 9 p. m. Examination Free Diseases Cured by Spinal Adjustment Chronic Disease a Specialty

DENTISTS

A. N. HARKRIDER Dentist Guaranty State Bank Building Suite 320-322 Phone 354

DOCTORS

DR. L. C. G. BUCHANAN Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist Fitting of Glasses Office: Guaranty State Bank Bldg.

HOSPITALS

RANGER GENERAL HOSPITAL Mrs. Alice L. Dailey, Supt. Open to all reputable physicians. Graduate nurses supplied for outside cases. Telephone 190

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

OSTEOPATH

DR. GERTRUDE STEVENS Osteopathic Physician Office 424 Guaranty Bank Bldg. Telephone 317

PAINT & WALL PAPER

HUBER BROTHERS Paints, Wall Paper, Glass Free Delivery Telephone 413 530 W. Main St.

Advertisement for Santal Midy capsules, featuring an image of the product and text: 'Easy to Take—Quick to Relieve CATARRH OF THE BLADDER SAFE & SUCCESSFUL MIDY'.

Times Want Ads Pay

AUGUST OFFERS VALUES

In Something Old and Something New

Choice \$4.95



August has rightly been called "Opportunity Month" for the shopper because it offers such big values in summer merchandise at prices in most cases below cost. And because the fellow that goes shopping in August for a new fall attire has the very choicest of merchandise to select from.

Fifth Avenue Specials

Moral: Better do some August Shopping at JOSEPH'S Selected by style authorities as the best that Fifth Avenue offers for advance Fall selling. Every one of these waists is made from neck to waistline of a beautiful Georgette that makes ordinary Georgette look like mosquito netting—and it's made with a style and finish typically Fifth Avenue. Creations Fifth Avenue is glad to call its own. Round neck, tie back overblouse effect has lace fronts and beautiful collars. Big assortment at, each. \$4.95

Choice \$4.95

SPECIAL All Next Week—Up to \$17.50 \$6.95
Blouses for.....

BEAUTIFUL SLEEVELESS BLOUSES

You will want one of these fashionable sleeveless dresses and can easily afford it for they are very moderately priced. We have them in linen, serge, Canton crepe, Jerseys and broadcloth in plain and trimmed with the belts. Get one at..... \$2.75 to \$19.50

LADIES' SUMMER HATS

All in one big group and at one price, you will find quite a collection of Summer Hats. Shapes and styles that are up-to-the-minute and made of the very best materials, but we can't afford to carry them over so out they go at the lowest possible price. Up to \$22.50 hats for..... \$4.95

95c Black Cat Silk Hose for Men in all Colors

35c All 50c Wash Ties are now 35c

STACY ADAMS SHOES

We have a complete line of Stacy Adams shoes, in all the new Fall styles, in black and brown kid, brown calf, kangaroo and cordovan; all for the same price..... \$12.95



HANES UNIONS

Men, there is plenty of time for Summer underwear and we have plenty to supply you at prices that will make you buy for next season; 95c \$1.50 Hanes, now 95c

FINAL CLEARANCE ON ORGANDY DRESSES

Once more we call your attention to our final clearance of Organdy dresses. There are real values to be had in these dresses.

Up to \$24.50 Organdy Dresses now..... \$9.95
Up to \$36.50 Organdy Dresses now..... \$12.50

LADIES' SKIRTS

Big assortment of ladies' skirts, in stripes and plaids.



STETSON HATS

New Fall Stetsons are here. All the new styles. From \$6.95 up

STUDEBAKER HEADS VISIT LOCAL AGENCY

M. H. Russell, manager of the Studebaker branch factory at Dallas, and Henry Propst, field service man for the Studebaker company out of Dallas, were in the city visiting with the local Studebaker agency, the Oilbelt Motor company. J. T. Gullahorn, manager, and M. R. Newnam, president of the local company, entertained the visitors during their stay. Mr. Russell expressed himself as being particularly pleased with the showing the Studebaker car was making in this section.

POSSIBLE "PIRATE" SEEN OFF HATTERAS

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—A delayed report of another mystery ship, reviving tales of pirate preying on high seas traffic, was received here yesterday by coast guard officials from government officers at the Virgin Islands. This craft was said to have been a hull painted black, carrying powerful motor boats and with a crew of thirty on her decks. She was sighted by the American steamer Lake Arline, June 24, about 100 miles southeast of Cape Hatteras. There was a crow's nest, occupied, on each mast. The master of the Arline made a report at the Virgin Islands and this was forwarded to coast guard officials here through the navy department. The report was indorsed as "possibly pertinent to theories promulgated as to the disappearance of certain vessels on the high seas." The report read in part: "Two large and apparently fast white motor boats were hanging from home-made davits on each side of the main rigging. Astern was a white whale boat and on a platform built out astern was a yellow-painted standard fisherman's dory. There was no evidence of her name. "The depth of water at that point was too great for fishing and being hoisted in light weather apparently showed the vessel was not going any place in particular and in no hurry to get there—probably a smuggler." The platypus found in Tasmania, has a tail like a beaver and webbed feet and bill like a duck. The Columbia river is steadily deepening its mouth on account of the jetties built by the government.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Ralph Stockman was in Fort Worth this week.

Miss Allayne Gholson, who has been visiting with Miss Helen Gholson and Miss Gwendolynn Bohning for the past several days, has returned to her home in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Minnie Couffield has returned from a two weeks' visit to Fort Worth and Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hall and Frank Hall left this morning for a motor trip of some duration to points south. They will visit in Galveston and San Antonio and other cities before returning home.

Mrs. W. F. Stewart of Fort Worth was here Saturday afternoon with her nephew, Louis Ducker, while on her way to Cisco.



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Walnut off Marston. Sunday school.....10 a. m. Preaching.....11 a. m. Junior B. Y. P. U.....4 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U.....7 p. m. W. M. U., Wednesday.....3 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Friday.....7:30 p. m. W. H. Johnson, Pastor, 413 Walnut st.

EAST RANGER BAPTIST.

Corner Foch and Blundell Streets. Sunday School.....10 a. m. Preaching.....11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunbeams.....3 p. m. Junior B. Y. P. U.....4:30 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U.....7 p. m. W. M. U.....Monday, 3 p. m. M. F. DRURY, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Serves the first Sunday of every month, 11 a. m., at Chamber of Commerce rooms in the Guaranty Bank Bldg.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Regular preaching services will be held Sunday morning. Subject of sermon, "Building Without God," a sermon for thinking folks. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Union open-air services at night.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m. Young people's meeting 7 p. m. Evening service 8:15. Prayer and Church Meeting, Wednesday.....8:15 p. m. Preaching at Tiffin First Sunday 11 a. m., Third Sunday 8:15 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. (Union.)

COOPER SCHOOL HOUSE.

Sunday school 4 p. m. Methodist Community tabernacle in Riddle addition. Sunday school 3:30 p. m. L. A. Webb, pastor.

THE SALVATION ARMY HALL

323 South Austin Street. Open air services every Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday nights at 7:15. Indoor services Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday at 8:15. Young people's meetings every Wednesday night at 7:30. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. All are invited to attend these services. A cool, clean, well lighted place to spend an hour in worshipping Him who lives, loves, and is the Savior of all. CAPT. AND MRS. F. F. MULLINS, Officers in Charge.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Corner Rusk and Mesquite Sts. Bible study.....9:45 a. m. Preaching.....11 a. m. Lord's Supper.....11:45 a. m. Service at Young school house 3 p. m. Union open-air services tonight. "A welcome awaits you." J. W. McKinney, minister, 829 Blackwell road.

ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Blackwell Road. Rev. Father R. A. Gerken, Pastor. First Mass.....8 a. m. High Mass.....10 a. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Sunday school.....10 a. m. Preaching and communion.....11 a. m. Evening service, open air union meeting opposite Elks' club, Christian, Church of Christ and Presbyterian. J. G. Winsett will preach.

RANGER CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY.

421 Pine street. Services Sunday.....11 a. m. Services Wednesday.....8 p. m. Sunday school.....9:45 a. m. Reading room same building, hours 10 to 12 a. m. All are cordially invited.



Early Autumn Ushers in the One-Piece Frock

HANDSOME effects in new materials, together with novel trimmings, add much to the interest of the latest models. The Afternoon Gown may be rich in color schemes if artistic effects are developed in blending the contrasting tones of embroidery, lining, cords, and the subdued tones found in many of the wondrous effects.

The Boston's standard of requirements in high-class models is fully sustained in these fascinating new creations so beautifully developed in Crepe Romaine, Canton Crepe, Satin Back Crepe and many satin-finished effects.

For the Street Dress there is no successful substitute for the navy, midnight blue and the popular neutral shades.

This style in frocks has established for itself a place apart from other garments in the well-gowned woman's wardrobe. Its simple and easy adjustment makes it a necessity for general service.

Favored materials include Piquette, Poret Twill and French Serge. This style in frocks also becomes a luxury when developed along the more youthful lines in the softer, richer fabrics of the admirable type suggested by the Cashmeres, Duvet de Laines and Cashmere Duvetynes. We sell Betty Wales and the House of Youth, well known makes.

You are cordially invited to inspect our interesting advance exhibit.

Fashions in Fur at Value-Giving Prices

THE secret of Beautiful Furs lies in the matching of superior skins. That is a task in itself and involves considerable time and money—but it offers you the finest kind of Furs.

Having made our purchases with this in view, we are prepared to offer our customers unusually attractive Furs at prices considerably below those of a year ago. In many instances the reductions are so great as to prove a huge surprise.

We're ready with one of the finest stocks we have ever shown—Coats, Wraps, Throws, Stoles, Chokers, in Hudson Seal, Mink, Natural Squirrel, Stone Martin, Muskrat, Seal, etc.



New Fall Dresses

Hundreds of our new Fall Dresses are arriving daily. Authentic styles for Fall. In materials—



Tricotines, Serges and Poiret Twills

Be sure to see this wonderful assortment of the newest things. We are specializing in stout dresses and suits. Highest quality—lowest price.

Watch S. & H. Windows



PRO OFFICER SEEKS LIQUOR; CAR STOLEN

DENVER, Aug. 20.—State Prohibition Enforcement Officer Sam Lee, while searching for "pocket bootleggers" at the circus parked his machine near the circus grounds. When the officer returned for his car it was gone.

Fine Suit Cases, Handbags and Trunks. Values for less.

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JEWELER AND BROKER So. Rusk St.—Across from Majestic

NOTICE

Worth-Maid Garment Co. Suitable reward will be paid for authentic information regarding the whereabouts of ALBERT G. YANOW, formerly in business in Leeroy and Ranger. Last heard of in Henryetta, Oklahoma. Fort Worth, Texas

ECZEMA Money back without question if HUNTS GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap), fail in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk.

ALL DRUGGISTS

GLYCERIN TEAR DROP STILL IS HANDY AROUND MOVIE SHOPS

"Wet" Scenes Not Easy for All Actresses, and Most Weepy Ones Find Artificial Tear "More Natural" in Closeups; Crying Highly Exhaustive.

Actresses may come and stars may go, but the little glycerin tear drop rolls on forever before the relentless movie camera. For a time this substitute for the lachrymal tear was in danger of being superseded in supremacy by briny drops from the limpid eyes of beautiful actresses, but according to statisticians at the Paramount studio in Hollywood the glycerin tear is here to stay.

The property man who carries the glycerin bottle and eye dropper at the studio is an ardent supporter of the artificial tear and he says that no matter how proficient an actress gets in crying there are times when nothing will do so well as a little drop of glycerin.

Won't Stay on Shelf.

"The glycerin tear has had its ups and downs in the movie industry just like everything else," said the ubiquitous property man. "When the business was young no one thought of anything but artificial tears, but later when a few stars were discovered who could cry real salty tears, with the aid of soft violin music, these tears became the vogue and the glycerin bottle was put on the shelf. Now the glycerin tear drop is coming back. It has been found that in many instances an artificial tear is much more artistic than a real one."

Obtaining tears for the close-up is a matter of temperament, it was explained. Some actresses are more emotional than others. When they want tears they permit emotions to swell within them until the lachrymal ducts flow freely. Sometimes a particular tune on the violin inspires a flood of tears. Other actresses are actually temperamental and when ordered to cry they need no outside help to make the tears come. Still others cannot cry at all and then the little glycerin bottle and the eye dropper come in very handy. It is all a matter of degree.

Angry Weeps.

At times directors have to use rough methods to get their actresses to weep. One Paramount director recently told his star bluntly before a crowd of fellow players that her act was bad—terrible—and that she showed no spark of genius, and that he was just at the point of giving up.

The little actress burst into tears at this tirade. The director called "camera," in a low tone and the result on the screen was immense. After the scene the director explained to the actress why he had talked harshly to her and she forgave him. The only trouble with this method, however, is that it cannot be used on the same actress twice.

Such artists as Gloria Swanson, Betty Compson, Ethel Clayton and Agnes Ayers, Paramount stars, have been classified by the Paramount statistician as "highly emotional." They feel the role they are playing so intensely that they find it fairly easy to cry.

Crying for the camera is exhaustive work, and after a highly emotional scene it is no uncommon sight at the Paramount studio to see the actress slip into a chair completely unnerved.—New York World.

MANHATTAN.

"When I met President Harding" can now be added to Tom Mix's conversations. For Tom not only has met the President, but has discovered that both the chief executive and Mrs. Harding are among his ardent screen followers.

He met Mayor Hylan at city hall, where the mayor was receiving about one hundred youngsters, and instead of making a speech to the boys he had Tom tell them about the west. Tom did it, and added some fine old western philosophy to help the youngsters in their struggles in this active world.

Then Tom journeyed to Washington, where President and Mrs. Harding received him with a splendid welcome. They were happy to meet Tom, as they had seen nearly all his pictures; and Tom, on his part, was as happy as a boy with a hero medal.



Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle and Lila Lee in a scene from the Paramount Picture "Crazy to Marry"

TEMPLE.

Every man in love is funny, some are funnier than others, and Fatty Arbuckle in love and crazy to marry is the funniest of them all. His love affairs, his near-dangerous matrimonial mix-ups, his frantic attempts to marry the only girl in the world and his narrow escape from a pair of irate parents provides much of the lively action sustained in his latest comedy for Paramount, "Crazy to Marry," which will be the feature attraction at the Temple theatre, starting today.

Fatty Arbuckle, in all his comedy successes never had a comedy like this one. The movie world, with all its wealth of comedy productions, never had a comedy quite like this. It has broad humor, subtle humor, farcical humor, and humor that is Fatty's own inimitable kind. It moves through a logical point development, that is different and original enough to keep one guessing and then ends up with a bang-up surprise that is something new under the sun and keeps a laugh lingering in the minds of the spectators long after Fatty's rotund figure has faded from the screen.

There isn't a serious moment in it. There isn't a tragic person in it and practically every person in the cast proves a comedian before the picture is finished. Lila Lee is the charming heroine, and, while not funny herself, is the victim of many laughable situations. Lillian Leigh-ton, a robust character woman for Paramount, nearly takes the picture

away from Fatty, so amusing are her comedy situations. And Bull Montana, uglier than Will Rogers could ever be, offers some of the biggest laughs in the picture as a paroled criminal who hopes to be reformed by pressure removed from his brain. Charles Ogle as a cement mixer has only a few moments before the camera but these are laugh-studded moments. Edwin Stevens, Laura Anson, Clarence Burton and Lucian Littlefield all contribute good parts.

Fatty has the role of Dr. Howard Hupp, successful surgeon and social favorite, a matrimonial prize for some girl. Some newly rich try to marry him off to their daughter for social reasons, and so clever is the designing mother that the time of the wedding is but fifteen minutes off. The bride is in love with another man. Fatty has cold feet and at the very last minute decides to give the wedding party the air, and beats a hasty retreat. And in the last fifteen minutes he has also met the girl of his dreams and Cupid's dart proved fatal to both. How Fatty's love affairs are finally untangled after all sorts of mix-ups during which time at frequent intervals it seems that he is going to be compelled to marry the other girl, makes "Crazy to Marry" a comedy that can easily be heralded the greatest of the year.

COAL BIDS SHOW CUT.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—A reduction ranging from 15 to almost 50 per cent, as compared with last year's prices, was shown today in bids submitted by three coal companies for furnishing 150,000 tons of coal for municipal use during the coming year.

PROGRAM FOR WEEK

TEMPLE—Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle in "Crazy to Marry." Wednesday, Justine Jhonstone in "Sheltered Daughters," also "The White Horseman." Thursday and Friday, William S. Hart in "The Whistle," also Mack Sennett comedy, "Her Marble Heart." Saturday, David Powell in "Appearances," also "Do or Die," episode nine.

LIBERTY—Sunday, William Farnum in "The Last of the Duanes," Animal comedy, "A Lying Tamer," Pathe News. Monday, Gladys Walton in "Pink Tights," Mutt and Jeff "Touring," Invisible Ray. Tuesday, George Walsh in "Number Seventeen," Mermaid Comedy, "Nobody's Wife." Wednesday, "The Country God Forgot," Sennett Comedy, "His Bread and Butter." Thursday, Roy Stewart in "The Boss of the Lazy Y," Century animal comedy, "On with the Show." Friday, Frank Mayo in "Blazing Trails," Aesop's Fables, Modernized, Pathe News. Saturday, Tom Mix in an Arbuckle Comedy.

MANHATTAN—Sunday and Monday, Tom Mix in "After your Own Heart." Tuesday only, Jack Hoxie in "Thunderbolt Jack," No. 6. Wednesday and Thursday, May Allison in "Big Game." Friday and Saturday, Eugene O'Brien in "Gilded Lies."

MANHATTAN THEATRE

Children 10c—Adults 25c

TOM MIX

—in—

"AFTER YOUR OWN HEART"

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With LILA LEE in

"CRAZY TO MARRY"



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"CRAZY TO MARRY"

IS THE FUNNIEST PICTURE "FATTY" ARBUCKLE EVER MADE AND I EVER PLAYED

TEMPLE OF MIRTH

"Billie" Craig, Local Manager

INTERESTING NEWS FOR EVERY WOMAN



Autumn—
the Season of
New Clothes!

THE smartness of your Suit, your Gown or your wrap, and the trig well-put-together feeling they give you, depends much upon such excellent tailoring as is a noticeable feature in our Clothes for Fall.

The beauty of their materials will be particularly gratifying to those whom quality is one of the most necessary requisites.

We cordially invite you to review the new styles, the new materials and the new colors—all harmonizing with the new season.



There's Beauty in the
New Fall Hats

WE could use adjective after adjective describing the new Headwear for Autumn service, but we do not believe we could do justice to these marvelous creations. More than the usual beauty and fashion interest is noted here in certain groups of Hats this season, which include direct importations from France or clever American adaptations of them.

And equally as interesting are the lowered prices for the new season—considerably lower than a year ago.

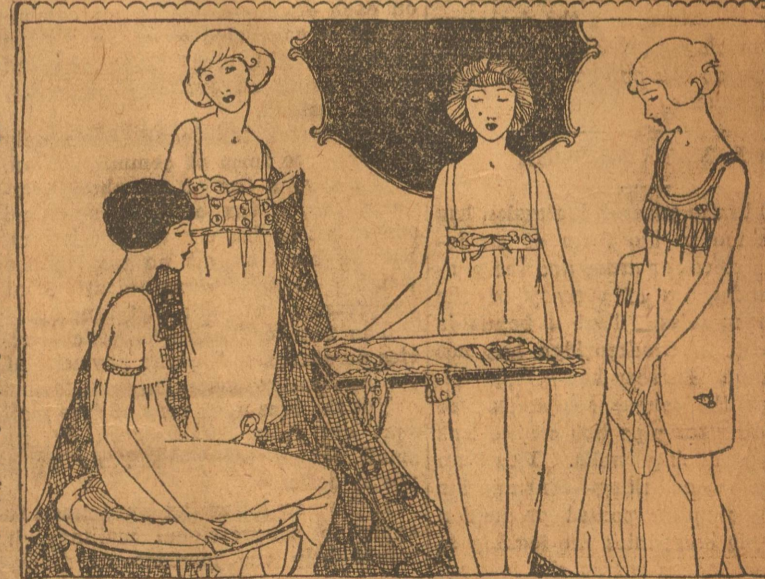
The August Sale of Corsets

BRINGS skillfully created models at special prices. Only high class models are featured in this August sale of corsets, which presents models cleverly boned and created of the very best materials at prices that are very special. A complete assortment of sizes is at your disposal in the exclusive makes we offer at 25 per cent off of regular price.

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YOU will marvel at these excellent values in Wash Suits for little boys from 2½ to 8 years. These are Suits of the type suitable for week-end trips or outings, as they can be dashed in the tub, time after time with no ill effects. These are very specially priced. They are Tom Sawyer and Huck Finn.

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TODAY WILLIAM FARNUM

—in—

"THE LAST OF THE DUANES"

—also—

Animal Comedy "A LYING TAMER"

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A DREAM COMES TRUE.

Some men dream dreams of accomplishing great things. The fabric of the dream is concretely interwoven in their thoughts and then the dream fades in the mists and they do enough work to earn a living. These are truthfully styled the dreamers.

Other men dream dreams; the fabric of the structures they hope to erect forms in their minds, and they go out and do the thing of which they have been dreaming. These are known as the builders. No great accomplishment has yet been given to the world which was not at first a hazy, shapeless thing, half hidden in the mists of dreams.

Jake L. Hamon is dead, but yesterday a vision of his, which at first was nothing but a vision, was realized. A train puffed its way into Breckenridge from the north and a train puffed its way into Breckenridge from the south. The twin met. In a few days now regular trains will traverse the rich region from Dublin to Wichita Falls through a country that two years ago hopelessly looked to the future and with a real doubt wondered if it ever would have rail connections.

Probably many other men have had thoughts of constructing such a railroad. If they did, they failed to turn their thoughts into actions. But not so with Jake Hamon; once the vision became concrete, accomplishment was on the way. And because of it, Ranger now has direct rail connection with the richest oil fields in the world.

ON THE UPGRADE.

A rift in the general depression has surely come in the form of an increase in price for crude and the general living up of activity of the larger companies. That a bonus is being paid in Breckenridge has not been denied. Neither has it been denied that the larger companies are now bidding for pipe line connections at the producing wells. This can mean only one thing—consumption has caught up or passed production and the big companies are looking to keep their stocks up at the lowered prices. Presently, it is thought, consumption will go far past production and the reserve stock will be drawn upon. When that happens, the price of oil will rise gradually until it has reached its real worth.

Such statements are not theory. The same thing has happened in oil price depressions which have prevailed heretofore.

Those who have been in the oil game for many years say that, with the exception of last year, when the depression came on, there has not been a time in many years when production equalled or surpassed consumption. At that time the world had gone oil mad. Now it is calming down. The speculating stage, so rampant shortly after the war, is past. Folks have not the money, as

in former days, to back every wild-cat operator who knows of the oil pool which will make his stockholders richer than John D. himself.

With the situation reversed, production is being left more and more to the legitimate producers. And they are playing safe. Presently, if the time has not already been reached, the regular operators will not be producing the oil necessary for day-by-day consumption. When that time comes, oil is due for a heavy increase in price.

The wildcatter, so necessary to the game, will always be in it. He will always find some one who is willing to take a chance. But never again will money be poured into oil wells as it was during the past three years.

Jack Dempsey says he gets hundreds of letters a day from women who are "crazy about him." "And we used to think," comments the Wichita Eagle, "that it took a uniform to make the girls act that way."—Kansas City Star.

An actress says she can make a dress for \$1.25. There have been stage girls with dresses that ought not to have cost much more than that.—Minneapolis Tribune.

Until congress gets rid of the idea that a few millions more or less don't mean anything in particular, taxes are going to be high in the United States.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

While American prohibitionists are discussing plans to make Cuba dry in the future American boozers are drinking her dry now.—Lexington Herald.

If we don't do something pretty soon about the crime wave we're all going to be either under guard or in jail.—News and Courier.

According to Congressman Frear the dye trust is all black except for a broad yellow streak.—Philadelphia Record.

Geraldine Farrar has sent Lou Tellegen's trousers to him.—Philadelphia Record.

WHY NOT TAX FRANKING PRIVILEGE?

President Harding has indicated favor for an increase in first-class letter postage as a means of increasing government revenue. Net income from the higher rate would be turned into the United States treasury for general purposes.

Congress, searching for sources from which new revenue may be procured, thinks favorably of the idea also.

So we may set it down as reasonably certain that the increase will be made. It will raise between \$70,000,000 and \$80,000,000 a year and without costs of collection. You'll simply pay the postmaster 3 cents for a postage stamp instead of 2 cents; or 2 cents for a post card instead of 1. It is all very simple.

There will be vigorous protests, probably, from mail order houses and other businesses which conduct their advertising campaigns largely by circularizing.

The average letter-writing citizen, too, will growl and disagree. Here, to him, will be a visible evidence that the cost of government service has gone up, not down. For on its face there is no separation of the amount that goes to defray the cost of carrying his letter and the amount that goes to the treasury as a war-tax.

Up in Canada they do it differently. They have a one-cent war tax on letters there. But it is a separate and distinct stamp. It is labeled as a tax stamp and must be licked and placed alongside the postage stamp on each envelope. It is not camouflaged or concealed as an increase in postage. Still, most Canadians end up by using an ordinary three-cent stamp instead.

This letter tax leaves open only one tax-free form of communication. We have a tax on telephone conversations, a tax on telegrams and are about to have a tax on letters, but we have as yet no tax on the weighty political communications of congressmen to their constituents.

The franked envelope, which carries no stamp, will evade payment of the new letter tax.

Yet the tons upon tons of free mail sent out from Washington is so small a contributor to building up a postal deficit.

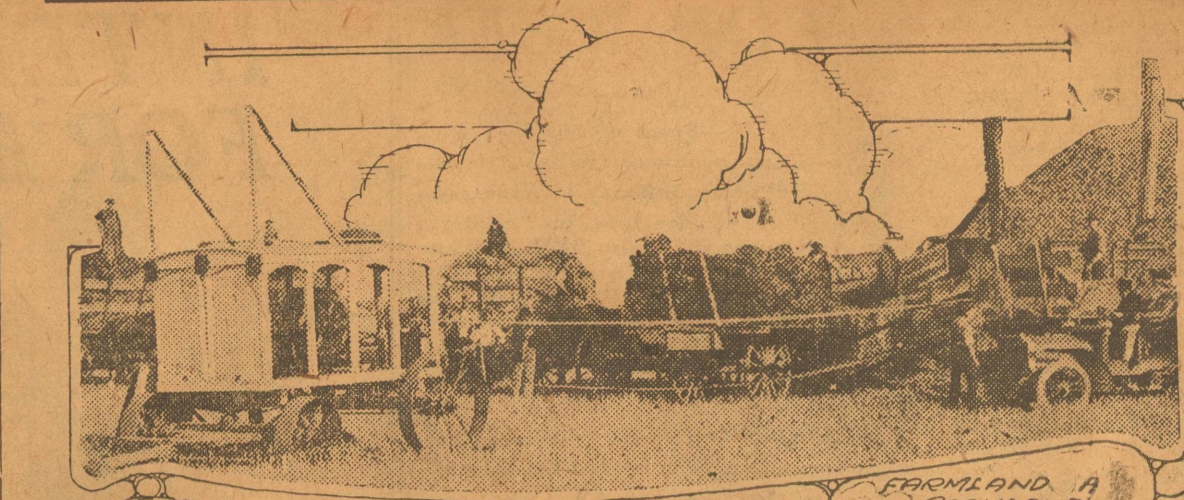
If the new letter tax were made to apply to congressional mailings, it would help the government financially in two ways.

It would bring in revenue directly from all necessary congressional correspondence.

And it would cut to one-half or one-quarter the volume of political propaganda that now clutters up the government printing offices and the mails out of Washington.

That would be a tax that would please most of us!—Chicago Evening Post.

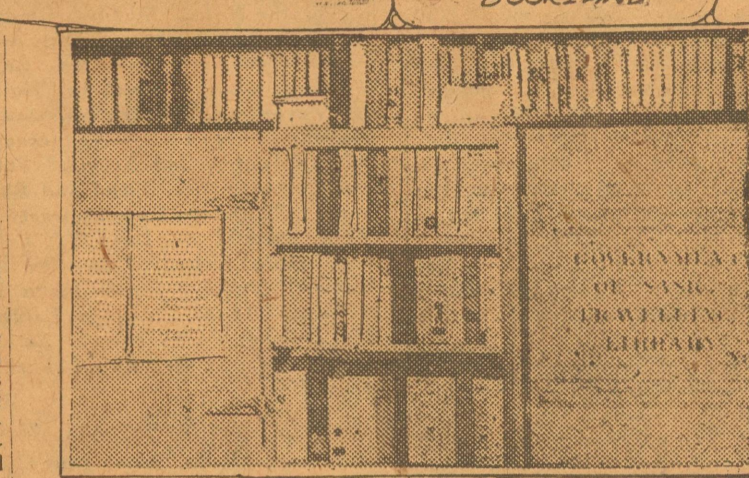
TRAVELING LIBRARIES BRING SETTLERS WISDOM AND FICTION



PRINCE ALBERT, SASK. — Traveling libraries instituted by governments of the prairie provinces, have placed books within the reach of every settler in Western Canada.

The traveling libraries actually bring the boon of educational advantages to farms and isolated communities. They are sent for a period of nine months to women's institutes, agricultural societies, community clubs and other responsible organizations. Seventy-five per cent of the readers, it has been found, are women and the books most in demand are fiction. But also in demand are books of history, biography and travel referring to Canada and the United States as well as works on the industrial and economic development of the two countries. The libraries usually contain fifty books, including fiction and works on science, biography, travel and history.

The demand for the libraries is growing. The new country along the transcontinental lines of the Canadian National Railways—a



wonderfully fertile well watered park country of diversified farming into which settlers are swarming to take advantage of the cheap land prices that will not last always, is enjoying, as only a pioneer region can, the literary interests afforded by these traveling collections of carefully selected books. The traveling library work is carried on by the Agricultural Extension Service of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. There are 580 libraries in use in Saskatchewan alone, placing in circulation 26,500 books.

TRIAL AT RUNNING FACTORIES CURED ITALY'S RADICAL WORKERS

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Aug. 20.—Communism's grip upon popular favor in Italy, was broken definitely when the government refused to take any drastic measures of repression against the seizure of factories by the workmen, Tommaso Tittoni, president of the Italian senate, told the Institute of Politics, at Williams College.

"From the day the workers occupied the factories and were obliged to realize the impossibility of their taking over the entire administrative control," said Senator Tittoni, "communism lost ground daily among the great mass."

"The invasion of the factories by the workmen caused a great impression abroad that Italy was on the verge of a revolution."

"There arose a grave controversy in Italy as to whether this invasion should have been prevented or repressed. There is no doubt that if such had been the case, industry would not have been hit so hard by the hold-up of production and the consequent loss of foreign markets, which continued during the long period of unrest that followed the invasion. On the other hand, it should be remembered that, from the day the workers occupied the factories, they found themselves to be confronted by reality and were obliged to realize the impossibility of their taking over their entire administrative control. From that time communism, as the recent elections have proved, lost ground daily among the great mass, to the extent of practically being exterminated in three great centers where it had taken firmest hold, Bologna, Ferrara and Turin."

"But a new problem arose, the inspection of the factories by the workmen, which gave rise to a heated controversy now before the Italian parliament."

"Italy is by no means the only country which has had grave labor agitations. They have been experienced everywhere. The movement which, at the present time, is peculiar to Italy, is that of the peasantry. The Agrarian Socialists, unknown in other great countries, have obtained an extensive footing in many parts of the peninsula. The occupation of the factories was a flash in the pan, it lasted but a few days. But the occupation of lands has been a phenomenon of longer duration, although of this, too, we can say that the movement has lost its intensity and is on the decline."

"The Italian parliament is preparing to tackle the grave problem of labor, both in the factories and in the fields, now that the most disorderly and violent phase of the agitation of workmen and peasants has subsided."

"In the words of an American writer who carefully followed these movements: 'Italy has survived the worst, and will hold steadfastly to a peaceful solution of her troubles.'"

WEALTH FABLED AND ACTUAL.

Henry H. Klein, First Deputy Commissioner of Accounts of the City of New York, makes the statement in his "Dynastic America and Those Who Own It" that the fortune of John D. Rockefeller has reached the sum of \$2,400,000,000 and is the largest extant.

In reply to this statement, which was quoted in last Sunday's World, John D. Rockefeller Jr. writes a letter to the World, printed elsewhere, expressly denying that his father's estate ever reached the billion mark, and adding that it has been greatly reduced by gifts from the principal. No appeal is likely to be taken from this authority.

Huge fortunes grow by their own attraction, but they grow much faster in the imagination of onlookers than in reality. To be the richest man or one of the richest men in the world is to attain a fabulous and misty eminence, an Olympus of the popular mind whereon the exaggerated heroes of mythology walk hand in hand with the modern wizards of finance. The deeds of Achilles were magnified with each retelling until his spear was the trunk of a tall tree, his bulk superhuman. Mr. Rockefeller has likewise passed into legend.

In sober truth, a billion, or even something less than a billion, could not avoid controlling other billions by the very fact of its preponderance. Mr. Rockefeller has wielded a vaster power than fell to the lot of any medieval King, and this power is still in the hands of those who conduct the enterprise he originated.—New York World.

The designer says that this is a typical Spanish creation. The Spanish air is there, for the hat is trimmed with a comb of the pattern used in Spain. The other trimming, which looks like a roped portier, is a drop veil net made of chenille. The entire creation is by Bendel, and the chapeau was exhibited at the Retail Milliners' association show.

SCRIPTURE

Deuteronomy, 6th Chapter, 17th to 25th Verses.

Ye shall diligently keep the commandments of the Lord your God, and his testimonies, and his statutes, which he hath commanded thee. And thou shalt do that which is right, and good in the sight of the Lord that it may be well with thee, and that thou mayest go in and possess the good land which the Lord gave unto thy fathers.

To cast out all thy enemies from before thee as the Lord has spoken. And when my son asketh thee in time to come saying, What mean the testimonies, and the statutes, and the judgments, which the Lord our God hath commanded you.

Then you shalt say unto thy son, We were Pharaoh's bondmen in Egypt; and the Lord brought us out of Egypt; with a mighty hand. And the Lord shewed signs and wonders great and sore upon Egypt, upon Pharaoh and upon all his household before our eyes.

And he brought us out from thence, that he might bring us in, to give us the land which he swore unto our fathers.

And the Lord commanded us to do all these statutes to fear the Lord our God, for our good always, that he might preserve us alive as it is at this day.

And it shall be our righteousness if we observe to do all these commandments before the Lord our God, as he hath commanded us.

This position causes a displacement of the metatarsal bones which in turn causes them in motor language to "short" the nerves of that part of the foot. This in turn is the answer for the pain that accompanies the distinction of possessing "motor foot."

"Motor foot" not only makes walking painful, but practically eliminates golf, tennis or any of the other popular forms of active recreation.—San Francisco Bulletin.

VATICAN'S AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE

Monsieur Ceretti, who is regarded as one of the ablest diplomats in the Vatican, has been appointed the Vatican's ambassador to France. After a break of fifteen years between France and the church of Rome, Monsignor Ceretti is the first Papal Nuncio returned to Paris.



CAR DRIVING HARD ON FEET.

When car owners return from their summer vacations many of them will return limping. A new summer epidemic is at large in the ranks of motorists.

The new ailment has been given the popular name of "motor foot." It is a disease of surgical chirpody it is indexed and classified under the name of "metatarsal displacement."

Continuous motoring is the cause of the ailment. It is a right foot trouble caused by the continuous strain occasioned by long motor trips when the driver keeps his foot in the strain-

RANGER STENOS HAVE VARIED VIEWS OF MATRIMONIAL BLISS

Most of 'Em Expect to Marry "When Right Man Comes"; All Want "Good Time While Young"; Some Train by Working Johnnies, Some Won't Even Take a Drink.

By ERNEST W. SPARKS. Several business girls were asked by a Times reporter what is their immediate philosophy of life and what they hoped for in later years. To the latter question, with one exception the answer was the same, some time in the distant future they all hope to be married.

"Marriage is almost a fundamental," one young lady of the keyboard said, with unusual candor, "and I am only waiting now for the man to come along who I think will go fifty-fifty with me on the trials and disappointments of married life, and whom I can love. In the meantime I am going to have a good time if I can. A good time to me means meeting folks with whom I enjoy talking or getting together in a nice, jolly crowd which is free of liquor and vulgar talking, and dancing or otherwise enjoying ourselves. Personally I would not make love to a man for the sake of having him buy me meals and other things. I work and what I can't buy myself, I do without. Certainly I love to receive gifts. They are really a pleasure, but only when given with the gift spirit.

No Swapping. "I certainly do not want to take something from a man when I know he is going to expect me to kiss him, or do worse, because he gave it to me. If I have any philosophy it is this: To be married when the right man comes along, have children, and a home and go fifty-fifty with him in all his efforts. I can't imagine a more pleasant thought. And while I am waiting, have a good time in a nice way.

"But to have a good time in Ranger is downright hard. I went out last night with a man. I am not entirely unsophisticated but I thought he was a nice man—meaning I expected him to treat a nice girl as she expected to be treated—well, I shan't go with that man again.

"Oh, yes, I have been out on liquor parties, but I have never drunk enough even to be slightly dizzy. But every time I was ever out, when the rest of the bunch began to feel gently lit, they tied with each other to see who could tell the most risqué tales and all the rest of it.

Disclaims Wings. "Understand, I am no angel by any means I don't see any particular harm in a mild damn or even a few mild damns. Neither do I see any particular harm in a little penny ante gambling, if one cares for it. But as for the rest of it; some time my man is coming and I am going to him clean in body and soul. I want to be married; every girl does. And I don't intend to offer any man soiled goods, because I know and everyone else knows that it is hard enough to make life go with both the man and woman having an even break."

"Just before the reporter arose to go the girl—and she is no more than that—who had discussed the situation with neither false modesty nor forwardness, coined an epigram. "This town," she said, "contains more rotten nice girls and more rotten nice men than any place in which I have lived. However," she added, "I don't suppose it is out of proportion with other cities." Her last remark was that "the way things are going, the single men do not want to be married and many of the married ones do not want to stay married; they want the jazzy nights, with their hectic hours, but they do not want responsibilities."

A Wild Flower. Another girl who was interviewed declared that as far as she knew her present philosophy was to have a good time. "I like wild nights now and then," she said "with some liquor that will put life in the party." Eventually she, too, veered to the question of being married. "My idea of being married is to have a man who will have his good times and let me have mine. It is the only way that I can see how we could be happy. No two persons' thoughts and desires are the same. A man wants things one way and a woman the other and usually the man has his way or there is trouble, and no woman wants to bow her neck to the yoke, I least of all, so long as I can earn myself a comfortable, independent living."

A married woman was visited. The question was put to her. "My philosophy is to help my husband get a start in life. I love him and I want to make him happy. Beyond that I have no aim. All that I ask is that I do not fail that and a baby some time."

Others were seen, one had the sole desire to doing something on her account that would make her a place in the world. She too, in the distant future expects a knight. One, a little shrinking mouse of a girl, blushed when a perfect stranger—and a man at that—came at her with such a question. She stammered a moment and the reporter failed to press the question. It was obvious that a vacancy will exist in that office one of these days, and it probably will not be far away.

Sore at Men. "I do not want to get married," one girl declared. "I was married once and it was enough. Now I have just one thought in the world; to make enough money to educate my children. If I can work the Johnnies for meals and pretty things I am going to do it and I am going to have a good time in the bargain, and the Johnnies are going to pay for it, you bet. I love the moonlight with the soft, moving breezes against my cheek. I love lively times with a little something to drink to put spice into them. I love dancing and swimming but I want the Johnnies to foot the bills and they do, you bet. A LITTLE LOVING WILL MAKE A SUCKER OUT OF ALMOST ANY MAN. But you can depend on this: I am never going to allow myself to think enough of another man to tie up with him.

"This is my creed: Have a good time while you're young. I love to turn loose, a primitive creature, with every spirit throbbing to the love of things wild. Oh yes, age will creep up on me, of course, but all anyone looks to when age comes is their children, and I have mine. In the meantime, I am going to work and save my money."

Berlin dispatches announce that popular feeling in Germany tends toward exalting as martyrs Navel Lieutenants Boldt and Dittmar, who were recently sentenced by the court at Leipzig for the part they played in connection with the sinking of the hospital ship Llandovery Castle. These dispatches is that the tragedy was the result of a mistake, and that these submarine boat officers were made the scapegoats.

It was not, however, for the sinking of the hospital ship that these ruffians were convicted by a German court, but for their subsequent action in seeking to destroy all evidence of that crime by shooting in cold blood all the nurses, doctors and wounded men who escaped from the torpedoed vessel in lifeboats.

The Llandovery Castle was torpedoed and sunk by U-86, off the coast of Ireland, on the night of June 27, 1918. Captain Hemut Patzig, the commander, when he realized what obloquy might pertain to that act, determined to destroy the escaping survivors. When ordered to shoot the nurses and wounded men in the ship's boats, some of the submarine gunners objected. Thereupon Patzig ordered them below, and, remaining on the deck with Boldt and Pittmar, proceeded to shoot the wretched victims and sink the boats that carried them. They were not completely successful. One boat with twenty-four persons escaped, but all the other 234 men and women, including eighteen nurses, who formed the ship's company of the Llandovery Castle, were murdered.

Johann Boldt, at the trial, sought to justify the act, which he professed to class with the achievement of sinking the troopship Cincinnati, which the U-boat had previously effected. In this opinion, however, the court differed with him, and both men were sentenced to terms of imprisonment in a fortress. Captain Patzig, having gone to South America, could not be brought for trial; but is reported since to have cabled his willingness to return if thereby he could save his faithful lieutenants.—San Francisco Bulletin.

LEAVING IT TO UNCLE SAM. In the series of interviews with cabinet members appearing in the Journal, Vice President Coolidge expresses the opinion that the greatest problem confronting the American people is the dangerous habit of depending on Uncle Sam for everything. Private initiative, he thinks, is weakened these days by too much paternalism.

MISTAKEN MARTYRDOM.

No doubt some matters are better handled by the government than by individuals. In the exercise of police power, public defense and business of a wholly public nature, the government has certain great advantages. But it is evident that the pendulum is swinging far toward paternalism. And the inherent disadvantages and dangers are not sufficiently considered.

Edward N. Hurley, formerly in charge of the government shipbuilding operations, started in as a firm believer in government ownership of transportation. But he has changed his mind, because he finds that "men commonly drop a third of their former energy and efficiency after a short season on the government payroll; the railroads had the same experience under government operation." Where every important question has to be referred to Washington, it becomes the habit to avoid responsibility and to "pass the buck."

Then, too, it becomes easy to look to Uncle Sam as having unlimited resources. When the hazards of business do not fall on the individual, and the government stands ready to make good every loss; men do not lie awake nights to make both ends meet. Why should they, when the government acts as a good providence for every citizen.—Minneapolis Journal.

A large demand for grain cradles still exists in hilly sections where a reaper is impracticable.

NEW YORK'S MYSTERY CELLARS MAKE IT WETTEST SPOT IN NATION

There, Crude Alcohol Is Bottled and Sealed Like Real Stuff.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Four reasons combined—despite almost daily raids, arrests and seizures by Federal agents and city police—to keep Greater New York the wettest spot in the whole Volstead map.

First, obviously, is the city's immense foreign-born population, and among whom racial tradition and lifelong habit utterly are opposed to prohibition.

Second is New York's intimate contact, as a great port, with nonprohibition countries, where liquor easily is obtainable.

Third is its proximity to the wet Canadian border.

Fourth is the fact that New York is "playground" of all America, and that thousands of persons who advocate law enforcement at home come here to frolic with John Barleycorn.

Sheer size, too, plays its part. New York is the bootlegging center of the United States for the same reason that it is the banking center, the musical center, the insurance center.

Ring Dominates Business. The biggest single group the enforcement agents are in conflict with here is powerful, secret alien whisky ring, which has won practical control and domination of the wholesale liquor business.

This whisky ring is not a figment of detective story imagination. It actually exists and, perhaps, is the most powerful of all bootlegging rings in America. It dominates particularly the crooked element among the wholesale liquor dealers who still are operating under the famous "B permits."

These wholesale dealers, who have thousands of barrels of whisky, alcohol and wines in bonded warehouses in and around New York still are permitted by law to sell to drug stores, hospitals, medicine and perfumery manufacturers. A few of them operate within the law. But many use their permits as a screen for disposing of their wares through bootlegging channels on a gigantic scale.

They protect themselves with forged withdrawal permits. A typical case will illustrate.

Wholesaler Is "Surprised." Agents check up the bonded warehouse stock of a certain wholesale dealer whom they suspect of having released 50 barrels of alcohol to the ring. They find the 50 barrels of alcohol are gone. The wholesaler, however, produces withdrawal permits which had been presented to him by the persons to whom he sold the alcohol for cash. These permits are in the name of a legitimate-sounding drug concern. They have the Government stamp, the signatures of Federal officials, even the watermark of the Treasury Department paper.

But when the agents scrutinize these papers they prove to be clever forgeries.

"Oh, so surprised and shocked I am," says the wholesale dealer. "Who'd have thought it? What wicked people! How they fooled me! Of course you can't blame me. And I gladly will lend every assistance to help catch them and bring them to justice."

The Federal agents know they are deceived by the wholesaler but they can't touch him. He escapes through this clever loophole, and tracing the man who got the alcohol is like looking for a needle in a haystack. The names and addresses on the permits

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all were faked, and the alcohol itself has been moved by trucks at night out of the way back cellars. New York is full of cellars. The 50 barrels have been scattered. Maybe not more than two or three are in any one place.

Cellars Hold Mysteries.

What goes on in these cellars would make material for a dime novel "thriller."

The cellars themselves are unpretentious, dirty, shabby, cheap. But behind them, in the aggregate, are big fortunes and the biggest criminal brains in the world today, in whose employ are expert counterfeiter, engravers, printers, carpenters and chemists.

The stuff goes into the cellars as crude alcohol. A few days later it comes out magically transformed. Wooden cases, stencils, bottles with names blown into the glass, lithographed labels, revenue stamps, printed cautions against refilling, impressive assurances that "the genuine is always sealed with the Government stamps." And the whole business is faked, forged, false.

Out it goes now to the unsuspecting public, retailed by an army of petty bootleggers. It is circulated in suitcases, satchels, hip pockets, wash baskets, golf bags, guitar case, tool kit—anything to divert suspicion. Bell hops, store clerks, taxi drivers, fruit vendors, moving men, salesmen for anything from soap to steel railway cars—under a thousand different disguises—operate all over Manhattan Island.

The stuff is counterfeited so well that only an expert can tell from appearance or taste that it is not real. Crude alcohol and colored water—yet they sell it from \$5 to 15 a quart.

Most of the bootleg stuff in New York today is this faked concoction made from dishonestly obtained alcohol. But there also is a great deal of real liquor smuggling over the Canadian border, brought from abroad in boats, or obtained from a wholesaler who had it in stock. Occasionally some individual or group attempts a little surreptitious distilling, but comparatively speaking, there is very little "moonshine" on the bootleg market in New York.

The bulk of violation in Greater New York today is by the sale of this bottled, peddled goods. It isn't nearly so easy as it used to be to buy a single drink. Through the combined activities of Federal agents and city police there is much less violation by saloons and restaurants than there was six months ago.

The time has passed when it is possible for a stranger to enter almost

any saloon and restaurant and get it with a whispered word or a wink. Of course there still are hundreds—possibly thousands of places, particularly foreign restaurants, where clients who are known still may obtain alcoholic drinks with their meals. There are saloons that are violating the law. But police and Federal agents are getting this situation better in hand every day, and violators of this class are finding it to be necessary to "cover up" more and more.

Broadway Drying Up, Too.

Throughout the whole of the "White light" district of Broadway and around the "Roaring Forties" there are not now a dozen places openly engaged in dispensing drinks indiscriminately to the general public.

Less than six months ago there were hundreds, including some of the biggest and best known cabarets and dance palaces.

On the other hand there probably isn't a single hotel, scarcely a city block, in the whole of Greater New York where the stranger, if he is "wise," cannot purchase "something off the hip."

Prohibition enforcement in New York, both city and state, now is in the hands of Judge H. L. Hart, Director of the Federal Bureau. For seven years he was Judge of the City Court in Binghamton, where he made such a record for law enforcement that when he last stood for re-election he was endorsed by Republicans, Democrats and Prohibitionists alike.

Judge Hart is active and optimistic. He believes that New York can be made practically dry—at any rate 1,000 per cent drier than it now is.

He purposes to do it by striking at the root. Here is his tentative program, backed by Washington headquarters. It is believed that it will work for New York, and that if New York can be made dry the country can be made dry.

To Strike at Wholesalers.

He intends to put the permit by wholesalers out of business. Under the law they have the right to dispose of their present stocks. But it is believed his stock will be exhausted within five months. They are to get no more stock, and when what they have now is exhausted their permits will be revoked. Importers, operating under "B permits," will be handled in the same way.

Then only wholesale druggists, re-

tail druggists and manufacturers will be permitted to withdraw whiskey or alcohol from government control. All of these houses will be reinspected carefully with the active co-operation of committees from the legitimate wholesale druggists, retail druggists and manufacturers. By this means the crooked ones will be exposed and put out of business.

With this situation under control the biggest single blow of bootleg liquor will be dammed at its source. Meanwhile the department, with the active co-operation police, is busy fighting the smugglers, counterfeiters, fake whiskey makers and bootleggers and making the situation in-

creasingly "hot" for all violators of the law.

BERLIN REFUSES BAN ON LOVING OSCULATION

BERLIN, Aug. 20.—Kissing in public has received a legal status. It neither is a "public nuisance" nor "disorderly conduct." That is a decision a Berlin court has rendered.

Herr Hermannsky, chief clerk in a local firm, was walking in the Tiergarten with a stenographer. There are a number of shady lanes in the Tiergarten, and Hermannsky took advantage of these to implant a

kiss upon the lips of the frau. A detective arrested the couple, and took them to the nearest police station, where he charged them with having committed a "public nuisance."

Dr. Oscar Cohn, Independent Socialist leader, appeared for the defense. He argued that kissing was not "disorderly conduct," and even if done in public, it was not a "nuisance."

Dr. Kopp, criminal commissioner at police headquarters, was summoned to testify as a specialist on "criminal lack of modesty."

The police commissioner strongly defended kissing, and told the court that, from the standpoint of four

psychology, a detective who sneaked after a loving couple for half an hour, as the detective did in this case, was not able to feel that a "public nuisance" had been committed, even if that had been the case.

The arresting detective had testified that he was "shocked" by the kissing of Hermannsky and the stenographer.

Requests to President Harding for charity are so numerous that a special form letter is used in replying.

More than 300,000 alien women reside in New York City.

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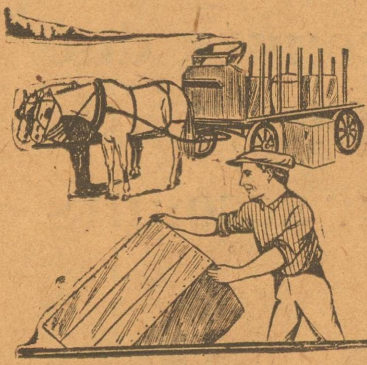
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GREAT CANAL WILL GIVE FRANCE MASTERY OF THE MEDITERRANEAN

Scheme Would Nullify Gibraltar, and Like Kiel Canal. Would Enable One Fleet to Protect Two Coasts; Called "Safety First" Measure.

By HARRY L. ROGERS,
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—A deep-sea canal, connecting the Atlantic ocean with the Mediterranean sea, is the latest solution offered by French naval experts of the problem of a new naval policy for France, according to advices just received here from Paris.

This waterway would link Bordeaux with the Mediterranean and would be navigable for the largest battleships. As the Kiel canal gave the kaiser control of the Baltic, notwithstanding the best efforts of the British fleet, French naval experts believe this "Canal des Deux-Mers," or Canal of the Two Seas, would give France the mastery of the Mediterranean, nullifying the boasted impregnability of the defenses of Gibraltar.

Heretofore France has maintained an ample fleet in the Mediterranean, depending upon Great Britain to protect her coasts on the Atlantic and the channel.

Bring New Naval Policy.

With the Bordeaux canal in operation, it is argued, France would be able to pursue a naval policy independently of Great Britain. By maintaining a fleet of moderate size she could protect both the Atlantic coast and the Mediterranean, as the canal would permit rapid and easy movement of ships from one base to another.

What is believed to be a characteristic view among French naval experts is expressed by a writer in the official organ of the French marine. In discussing the question of a French naval policy, he says:

"Let us examine first our naval policy as it existed in the years which preceded the war. That policy was based upon the 'Entente Cordiale.' Under it we kept in the Mediterranean a fleet of sufficient power to assure us of supremacy. Great Britain was charged with the protection of our coasts on the channel and the ocean.

"We Remain at Mercy."
"Should France, in 1921, continue that policy, giving over entirely to Great Britain the duty of protecting the greater part of our coasts? That

would mean that we shall remain at the mercy of any change in the political alignment of our allies.

"Ought we then to have, as the Americans have, a fleet in the Atlantic and another in the Pacific, a fleet in the ocean and another fleet in the Mediterranean? That would be very costly.

"It would seem rather that the time has come for the construction of the famous Canal of the Two Seas, which would link Bordeaux with the Mediterranean.

"This canal would cost two or three billions of francs. Aside from its military importance, it would constitute a channel of communication of the first order, and its traffic would be almost as important as that of the Suez canal. In case of war it would permit of rapid concentration of our sea forces, such as Napoleon never dreamed of.

"Ought to Undertake This."

"France ought to undertake this great work. Throughout the world the nations are debating as to what types of war vessels should be built, without reaching a satisfactory agreement. They fear to expend some hundreds of millions for warships which may become obsolete before they are completed.

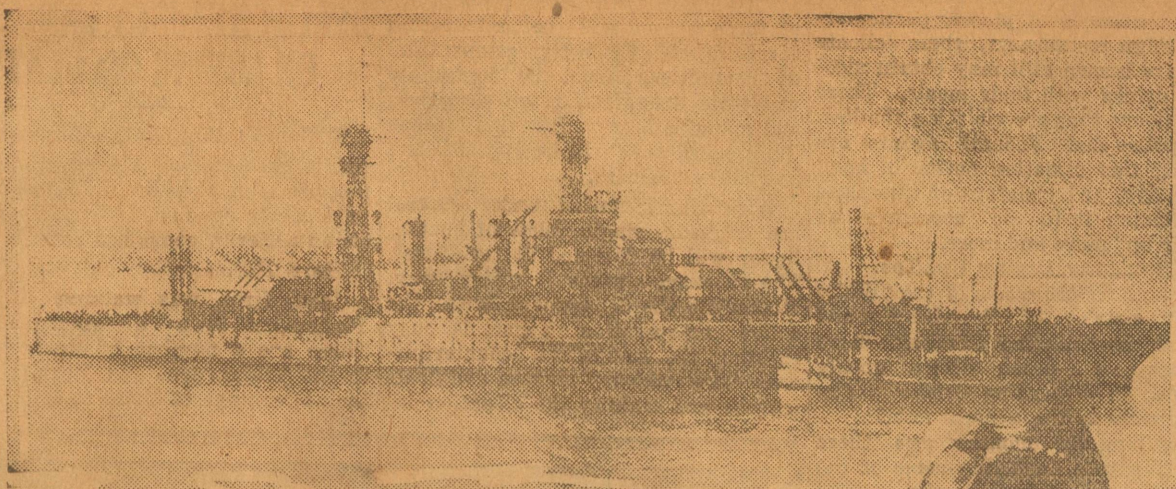
"The Canal of the Two Seas, provided that it is made large enough and deep enough, will remain after ten years, after twenty years, an instrument of unequalled military value, even as the Kiel canal, twenty years after its completion, enabled the German squadrons to control the Baltic.

"This great undertaking should not frighten the country which gave birth to Ferdinand de Lesseps. Let us construct the Canal of the Two Seas."

MEXICANS UNEARTHING LARGE BURIED CITY

By Associated Press.
SAN JUAN DE TEOTIHUACAN, Mexico, Aug. 20.—A force of 300 workmen is engaged in rushing to completion the excavation of the buried city here in an attempt to make

MISS CALIFORNIA, PRIDE OF U. S. NAVY



Here she is, folks, the flagship California of the mighty Pacific fleet. She can lick her weight in wildcats, to say nothing of any other ships afloat, except the Tennessee and Maryland, and they wouldn't fight, being sisters. The California is 575 feet long, weighs 33,000 tons and draws thirty-one feet of water. She is run by electricity. Below is shown Captain Henry J. Ziegemeir, of Canton, Ohio, who has the honor of commanding the U. S. S. California. Captain Ziegemeir was appointed to the Naval academy in 1886 by former President McKinley, who was then a representative from Ohio.



it one of the show places during the centennial exposition opening next month. The most modern scientific devices are being used to dig out the city which thousands of years ago before it disappeared, boasted of a population of at least 100,000, according to Manuel Gamio, in charge of the reconstruction.

When the excavations are complete the city with its streets, temples, residences, stores and baths surrounding a huge plaza will be exposed. The government is giving liberal financial assistance to the work.

BIG OPEN-AIR THEATRE TO BE BUILT AT HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Aug. 20.—A \$40,000 open-air theatre, where everything from opera to speeches may be staged, will be built in Hermann Park here, it was announced today.

An elastic seating system which can be made to accommodate almost any number of persons will be used, according to tentative plans. The building will be 100 feet wide with a maximum height of forty feet, according to plans drawn for the structure.

TEQUILA IS FAVORITE WITH EL PASO TOPERS

By Associated Press.
EL PASO, Aug. 20.—Tequila is the most popular beverage handled by bootleggers in El Paso, according to an inventory made by Captain J. W. Quirk, prohibition agent, of the stock of confiscated liquor in the federal building.

Combined varieties of whisky made a close second, wine is a bad third and beer fourth. More alcohol is seized than beer or wine but this is not regarded by officers as an index to popular favor. It is of the wholesale variety and usually is found in five-gallon cans, with an apparatus for concocting home-made whisky near at hand.

El Paso trade in illicit whisky runs toward the better varieties, about 60 per cent being well known brands, costly even in the old days.

Apparently most of the drinking is done in the home, according to Captain Quirk, since the old time hip pocket flask is far outnumbered by the big quart bottles.

POLISH COLONY FORMED.

EL PASO, Aug. 20.—A 45,000-acre tract of farm land near Las Vegas, N. M., has been purchased by an organization of Poles in Brooklyn, N. Y., and will be settled by them soon, according to W. B. Fitzhugh, former Texas representative who is in El Paso. The Polish organization has asked for an additional tract of 150,000 acres, according to Mr. Fitzhugh. Their plan is to settle in large bodies, forming their own community organization.

PUBLISHERS INDOORSE TYPE-SETTING SCHOOL

MACON, Ga., Aug. 20.—The North Carolina Press association and the Master Printers' association of that state have authorized the general publication of the following resolution adopted by each association:

Resolved: That this association agrees to assist the Macon School for Printers at Macon, Ga., and the individual members agree to send as many apprentices as possible to this school.

LITTLE BERNARD'S LOST PENNY TURNED GOTHAM UPSIDE DOWN

Got Arm in Hydrant and 3,000 Police, Firemen, Ambulances, Water Crew and Spectators Try to Rescue Him; Cost Several Hundred; Penny Stayed Lost.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Little Bernard had a penny. He showed it to a friend. Another boy grabbed it and threw it into one of the openings of a fire hydrant, Bernard thrust his arm to recover the penny. He couldn't reach it; neither could he remove his arm.

That was the beginning. The finish included: Police reserves, iron workers, a hook and ladder truck, a rescue squad of "smoke eaters," acetylene lamps, a water department emergency outfit, an ambulance, a mob of several thousand people, a narrow escape from drowning, hysterical women, an arm that was only slightly injured, a fatally injured fire hydrant and a civic loss of several hundred dollars.

And the penny was not recovered. Bernard Gates, 7, lives at 22 Ludlow street. Somebody sent him on an errand. His reward was a penny. Bernard's friends were playing about a fire hydrant. The cap had been removed from the smaller of the two hydrant openings. It was down this opening Bernard's penny was lost.

Too Much Pulling.
When Bernard found he could not remove his arm he wept. Men, women and children rushed to his rescue. They pulled Bernard till he yelled for release.

Somebody turned on the water. Panic resulted. Little Bernard was in danger of drowning. People ran wildly. Heroic rescuers sacrificed their feelings and their clothes to stand in the shower and hold buckets over Bernard's head.

A man with presence of mind telephoned to the Clinton street police station. Within five minutes a uniformed man arrived to learn what the trouble was about. Everybody told him. Little Bernard couldn't. He was under a bucket. The crowd numbered 3,000. The lone policeman ran to the nearest store and telephoned to his station:

"For God's sake send the reserves." The reserves arrived. Three thousand persons were there to help little Bernard recover his penny. The reserves tried to enforce order. Capt. Edward I. White of Hook and Lad-

der company No. 6, was notified. He sent his most reliable fireman to investigate. While the fireman was en route, Joseph Dashinsky, an ironworker of Ludlow street, and four assistants set to work to unscrew the bolts which held the hydrant pipe in place. Their efforts produced no result. The bolts were rusted. The reliable fireman arrived; he asked his chief to send the whole company, fully equipped.

Benny Under Bucket.
When the hook and ladder truck dashed into view, Capt. White was personally in charge. He took one look at Bernard, still under a bucket, listened to one of Bernard's mother's shrieks, then dashed to the telephone. He called the "smoke eaters." They were Rescue Squad No. 1, from Spring street, with acetylene torches. Simultaneously came Fire Commissioner Thomas J. Drennan. Bernard was now quite damp in spite of the bucket.

An ambulance clanged to the scene. It came from Gouverneur hospital. Bernard found no comfort in assurances that he would receive another penny. He howled lustily. The water could not be shut off. It threatened to flood the neighborhood. An emergency outfit from the water company was summoned.

Captain White's men worked with chisels and axes to cut away the iron about the bolts of the hydrant. By the time the torches were ready it was possible to move the outer covering of the water pipe. A few more strokes and it was lifted from the ground.

When the hydrant was lifted little Bernard came with it. His arm twisted, slightly. Presto, it dropped out of the opening as easily as it had entered. He was saved! But the penny was gone.

The density of ice is less than that of water, and for this reason it floats.

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