

## RANGER CAPITULATES TO INDIAN FIGHTERS

### HEAD WEST TEXAS BODY OPENS FIGHT FOR TAX EQUALIZATION

## "MA" FERGUSON REFUSES TO WITHDRAW

### GIVES REASONS FOR STAYING UNTIL THE END

#### Declares Duty To State Paramount To Everything Else

AUSTIN, Aug. 11.—Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson will remain in the race for governor in the second primary, and will not resign her post, "regardless of the consequences."

In a statement issued this morning, the woman executive said she would continue to perform her promises to the people.

"Regarding the challenge she made Attorney General Moody, the governor claims the attorney general has never accepted her proposition, "but he only called Jim's bluff."

She claims she would have led the first primary had not 2000,000 Butte voters been allowed to participate, this refers to those voting for George C. Butte, republican candidate in the last general election when Governor Ferguson was elected.

"Ma's" Statement.  
"I am candidate for the nomination of the office of governor in the runoff primary to be held Aug. 28, 1926."

"In view of all that has happened," the governor said, "I am quite well aware that this announcement will cause wide-spread comment. I know some of it will be favorable and some unfavorable, but I have long since learned it is impossible to please more than a majority of the people, when that much is affected, the candidate should be satisfied."  
The governor declared that "not only did Moody, not accept my proposition, referring to the bet proposed in her Sulphur Springs speech, but left himself in a position where he would not be bound in case I should lead him 25,000 in the primary."

"Here are his words: 'I accept the challenge issued by Jim Ferguson in his wife's name. I submit to all fair-minded people that the acceptance of a challenge by Jim is not the acceptance of a challenge issued by Miriam.'"

"Anticipates Reply.  
"If the vote had been in my favor, Mr. Moody had carefully worded his (Continued on page two)

## DRY CZAR NOW FACES PROBLEMS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 11.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Lincoln C. Andrews returned from Europe today to face the most vital and intricate problems since he became dry czar.

The six separate major problems that await Andrews action are:  
Appointment of a new dry administrator for California and Nevada to succeed Colonel Ned M. Green, suspended on charges of converting government liquor to personal use.  
The inauguration of a zone supervising squad to "aid in drying up America."

Planning a fall campaign against bootleggers before September 1, when he will meet with the regional administrators to outline the offensive.

Application of the new British smuggling agreement, which prohibition headquarters believe will virtually put rum runners operating from the Bahama Islands and Canada out of business.

The explanation to commanding General McCarl of the Bruce A. Beilaski case.

Andrews personally hired Beilaski as a special undercover agent at a reputed salary of \$1,000 a month. General McCarl wants to know how the sleuth was paid, as he was not in the prohibition payroll.

### MOTOR BUSES SUPPLANT STREET CARS IN MARSHALL

MARSHALL, Texas, Aug. 11.—Motor buses which have supplanted street car service in Marshall, have made it possible for all street car tracks from paved streets to be removed. This work is under way now.

### Gertie's Mother Gets the News



"My Girl!" exclaims mother-Elderle with pride as she reads the news of Gertrude's record-breaking swim to the other children—left to right: Emma, Henry, Helen—in their Highlands, N. J. home.

## FISHING JOB HAMPERS WORK, THOMAS WELL

Encountering three fishing jobs in the last few weeks, the Chastain-Donley well on the E. B. Thomas ranch near Wiles, is having troubles of its own. The drill is down 3,622 feet and must be nearing the pay. However, that must wait on the fishing job's completion. Since the pay was struck in the Britton et al. well outside of the city limits of Strawn, and the Bob Glascock well came in such a good gasser, the opinion is that this well will be a producer.

The Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company are 3,375 feet on their Butler well No. 27, which stands in the midst of proven territory, and should drill in within the next few days.

Cisco field has a new wildcat. The Adams and Moody test on the Grove tract, six and one-half miles north of that city, after being given a shot of nitroglycerin Monday afternoon, gauged 36 barrels in four hours. This is the closest to town of any well in that vicinity and is a rank wildcat. The pay was struck at 3,850 feet.

It is situated between the gas well on the Donovan tract and the Williamson dam. The owner of the land, W. H. Grove, is said to be in Europe, but H. H. Adams and Mr. Moody were on the ground when the well was shot.

In the Coleman field, which is near enough to be interesting to Ranger operators, the Amerada Petroleum corporation's well, have completed three shallow wells in the last few days. One is producing five barrels and the other two 15 each. This company have announced their intention of drilling seven tests to a depth of 400 feet on this tract.

The Reiter-Foster No. 3, which blew in at 3,923 feet flowing by heads of 20 minutes duration, with oil spouting over the crown block, furnished another sensation in the Woodson field, which came into the limelight when the Humble brought in a big well there last week, flowing 128 barrels per hour with the bit nine feet in the sand.

## Borah Opposes Cancellation Of French Debt

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—Cancellation of foreign debts owed to the United States to facilitate European reconstruction and disarmament as discussed by Senator Borah, republican, of Idaho, is not practical, officials said here today.

Borah's statement made to the United Press at Boise City, Idaho, was in answer to former Premier Clemenceau's open letter to President Coolidge, asking for a virtual cancellation of the French debt.

"Cancellation cannot be based on any just demand by the debtor nation against the United States, but solely upon whether it can be brought about so as to help in the real reconstruction of Europe and the advancement of disarmament and peace," Borah said.

Clemenceau's attack on the American debt policy, Borah described as cruelly misleading and deliberately unjust."

### Hall-Mills Coroner



Dr. W. H. Long, coroner who held the Hall-Mills inquest four years ago, is among witnesses quizzed in new efforts to solve the New Jersey double murder.

## 3 KILLED BY BANDITS, NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—In an outbreak of crime and shooting here today, two bandits and a real estate agent were killed, a detective shot, and three others wounded, two seriously.

Long Island also felt the sudden outbreak of crime, when a bank at Woodmore was held up and the thieves escaped with \$13,000.

The dead: Detective John Singer, shot at police headquarters by a negro automobile thief, who wrested a revolver from Singer's holster while he was being questioned. He fired three shots.

An unidentified bandit was killed by Policeman John Cook after he attempted to hold up a grocery store. John Imbergo, killed by a gunman as he left a tenement on East Thirtieth street.

## Carnival Allowed To Continue For Another Week

The Big A Amusement company, now showing a carnival on Main street, was granted permission to continue through this week by the mayor upon payment of a fee of \$35 a day in advance. This was done on the recommendation of the mayor, to whom it was referred by the commission.

The application of L. E. Bennett to close some streets and alleys in the Burk addition was deferred until the next meeting.

The city commission held a short session with the mayor, Secretary Sanford Dean and Commissioners Teal, Brashier and Murray present.

## POOR COUNTIES PAY BONUS TO WEALTHY ONES

#### Sounds Warning At District Convention Held in Marfa Today

Special Correspondence.

MARFA, August 11.—President Arthur P. Duggan of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce fired the opening gun in his state wide campaign for equalization of taxes here today. Speaking before the delegates assembled for the Big Bend district convention of the West Texas Chamber Mr. Duggan made a startling revelation of inequalities of state taxation and pledged the organization of which he is head to the task of bringing about a solution of this problem.

The present American system of taxation in effect in Texas is due to an obsolete system of assessments according to Mr. Duggan. The present system amounts to the poorer counties of the region actually paying a bonus to the richest counties of the state and the counties most in need of state assistance find themselves paying more into the state than they receive from the state while richer neighbors are drawing from the state treasury enormous amounts each year more than the total contribution of these counties in the form of state taxation.

Mr. Duggan pointed out that this system was not due to avarice on the part of the counties at present favored by the system. Instead, it is due to our system of basing state tax assessments on the county assessments. The average county bases its tax assessments on the amount of tax money necessary to receive to operate the county government. The richer counties find it unnecessary (Continued on Page 2)

## DAN MOODY REPLIES TO STATEMENT

AUSTIN, Aug. 11.—Attorney General Dan Moody returned from Dallas today and has not yet made comment on Governor Miriam A. Ferguson's statement. He said he would make a reply late this afternoon.

Immediately after issuance of the governor's statement, Moody began a conference with several of his closest friends, including Assistant Attorney General Earnest May, who took an important part in Moody's campaign in the first primary.

All phases of the governor's statement are being discussed and was said that all allegations made in it would be fully protected.

Governor Miriam A. Ferguson's statement in which she declines to withdraw from the Texas run off primary for the nomination of governorship, "must certainly exhaust the patience of the people of Texas," Dan Moody, her political opponent declared here this afternoon.

"This playing fast and loose with the people of Texas must certainly be revolting to the sensibilities of high minded citizens everywhere," Moody said.

"The time is surely here for Texas to reclaim their government from irresponsible control," Moody charges Jim Ferguson, the governor's husband with absolute lack of political sincerity and utter faithlessness in his word.

Moody declared he would answer the charges against him in a given statement to be dictated later today.

### ENGLAND IDENTIFIES HER UNIDENTIFIED HEROES

LONDON.—England is slowly, almost imperceptibly, uncovering the identity of her "unknown" soldiers. Although the war has been over for nearly eight years, one section of the British Government is still running down clues which may solve the fate of soldiers reported "missing" or the dead who were buried as "unknown."

All types of clues are used by the War Office in the search for a name or address. Scraps of paper, pocket-books, a dog license, or many other seemingly insignificant articles have led to the identity of more than 20,000 men, who fell in the war and had previously been reported "missing or unknown."

### To Keep the Highways Safe



Machine guns are to be used by highway police of Cook County, Illinois to keep rural roads safe. This picture shows Sergeant George Ulrich and Chief L. R. Davidson examining the new weapons.

### Wins Job



When a moving picture company visited the University of California to take exteriors in a picture of college life, it employed a number of co-eds as "extras." Miss Margaret Leisenring, shown here, president of the Junior class, impressed so favorably that she was taken back to Hollywood and now has a regular movie job.

## CROSSING AUTO RACE TIE; 1 DEAD

SHERMAN, Aug. 11.—Mrs. Shep Dorsett, 22, a Sherman bride, of a few months was instantly killed and Mrs. J. A. L. Wolfe and Mrs. R. L. Hall, were seriously injured here today when an automobile in which they were riding, was hit by a Frisco engine at a grade crossing.

Ralph Jernigan, driver, was slightly injured.

The party were returning from Dallas, where they had attended a style show. Mrs. Dorsett's husband is a local cotton man; Mrs. Wolfe is the wife of Dr. J. A. L. Wolfe, of this city, and Mrs. Hall, the wife of a prominent insurance man.

## U. S. Ministry Of Aviation Is Now Completed

WASHINGTON, August 11.—The United States Ministry of Aviation, composed of three men between the ages of 30 and 37 years of age, was completed today and prepared to start its work of co-ordinating national airplane development, both as to dollars and power.

Min. T. McCracken, Jr., 35, Chicago, was sworn in as assistant secretary of the commerce air, as the other two, Trubee Davidson, 30, New York, assistant war secretary and E. C. Warren, 32, Mass., assistant navy secretary, were starting flying tours to survey the national aviation situation.

## HOW CRIMINAL CLASSES WORK IS EXPLAINED

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 11.—There are two government in this country, the government of the law-abiding and that of the underworld, said Herbert S. Mosher, of Pinkerton's National Detective Agency, in an address here today before the annual convention of the American National Retail Jewelers' Association.

Mosher emphasized the thorough organization of criminals, pointing out they spend months planning robberies and making every arrangement in advance, even to the extent of securing counsel and bail in case they are arrested.

"The crooks get the lay of the land, study the protective features, calculate the chances of getting caught, and frequently arrange for the sale of the loot before the job is pulled," Mosher said. "This calls for a business organization and has resulted in the setting up of the so-called government of the underworld."

"This underworld government has its secret codes of communication from one city to another and often arrangements are made in advance for counsel and bail in the event of arrest."

"Citizens who shirk jury duty and will not aid the authorities in prosecutions are playing into the hands of crooks," he declared. "It is your duty to give your police and prosecuting authorities all the help you can to have criminals convicted and after conviction you should use your influence to see that the prisoner is not given a parole or pardon."

Mosher urged the jewelers to take more adequate measures to protect their establishments, pointing out that crooks of today never take unnecessary chances.

"If a jewelry store, or any other place of business, is protected, the crooks will let it alone," he said. "That is why more than 94 per cent of the 6,000 members of the Jewelers' Security Alliance have not been molested. When you stop to think of it, it is really remarkable that 94 out of every hundred jewelers who belong to this crime fighting organization have not lost a dollar to the criminal horde. More than a third of those who sustained losses were victims of window smashings after closing hours."

"These figures show that criminals, as a rule, act deliberately and are not drug addicts who rob while under the influence of dope."

## Martineau Leads Terrall by Good Margin in Ark.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 11.—Judge J. A. Martineau held a lead of 11,729 votes over Tom Terrall, present governor, in the democratic nominating primary for the nomination of governor of Arkansas. The incomplete returns from 1,286 precincts in the state out of a total of 2,009 precincts. This vote is up to date.

## MAYOR TURNS CITY OVER TO AGED PIONEERS

#### Roll Call Reveals Several Absent At This Annual Meet

Guided by the flag under which many of them first saw ranger service in Texas—the Lone Star, on a field of blue, flanked by a band of red and a band of white—the Texas Ex-Rangers today found their way to convention headquarters in the American Legion hall.

Ranger is in charge of the rangers once more, as Mayor Bob Hodges, resigned his office as lord high mayor of the city of Ranger, and appointed in his stead for the three days of the convention, the oldest Texas ex-ranger present, S. P. Elkin, aged 82 years, of Oklahoma. He also had Ranger Hale of Palo Pinto, who served the longest as a Texas ranger, appointed as chief of police in place of Vol Davenport.

Mayor Hodges in making his address of welcome, touched on the history of Texas rangers. Not knowing just what year they started in service, he said, but it was while Texas was a republic, in Austin's time, that men were used to repulse Indians on the frontier of Texas, which was then Houston, Nacogdoches and other towns in that vicinity. In 1846-48, under Walker and Gillespie, the Texas rangers accomplished much and made a world renowned record for bravery.

Since that time, Mayor Hodges said, to the last war, Texas rangers have been noted for their suppression of Indians, desperadoes and outlaws and that the word Texas ranger brought a vision of a brave man.

Mayor Hodges said that he didn't want to be a "pig" but personally he would be glad to have the Texas Ex-Rangers make their permanent meeting place, but this does not seem likely, as the place for the next meeting was sounded as early as this morning, when Sam Johnson of Johnson City, Blanco county, extended an invitation from the people of Johnson City to the association to meet there next year.

Tells of Raids.  
According to Mr. Johnson, Blanco county was the scene of many Indian raids and battles. At the Indian (Continued on Page Two)

## MAJOR FOOD CROPS WILL BE AVERAGE

WASHINGTON — Farmers will produce average sized major food and feed crops this year despite unfavorable weather conditions that handicapped growth in the spring, the Agriculture Department forecasts.

Had weather conditions been favorable to the agriculture industry, bumper crops would have been harvested this year, however. The corn, hay and oat crops are below average.

Planters sowed more potatoes this year than usual but because of the backward season the crop of suds will not be extra heavy. With a production of 15,000,000 bushels of cotton forecast, there will be a surplus of this crop.

"One of the significant effects of this season's development is likely to be in the corn belt," the department stated. "A corn crop above average or slightly will always certainly be followed by a readjustment in the familiar balance between corn and hogs. History repeats itself, pig production will be increased and the relative price effect next year will be in the direction of lower hogs and higher corn."

Wheat producers stand to make fully as large a gross income from their crop this year as last, the department estimated. The winter wheat crop is exceptionally heavy and the spring wheat production is forecast at somewhat less than the crop of 1925.

### SHOOTS THREE SOLDIERS "JUST FOR FUN OF IT"

MEXICO CITY—Three soldiers were shot down and instantly killed in a restaurant in Puebla by a man who later declared he shot them just for the fun of it. When police took his pistol from him he denied having done the shooting.

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**FROM GREATEST BOOK.**  
 But ye shall not be so: but he that is greatest among you, let him be as the younger; and he that is chief, as he that doth serve.  
 Prayer: Held us O Lord to serve mankind so that we may better serve Thee.

**NEED FOR BUILDERS.**

Never in the history of Eastland county has there been a more propitious time for constructive work and for builders. Bumper crops are practically assured in cotton, corn and sorghum grains. Prospects were never brighter in the oil game. New rigs are going up on every side. Supply houses are keeping busy meeting demands for material used in drilling. It is not a boom, just a steady growth. The outlook in the oil game was never brighter. It is on a solid foundation today. President W. S. Farish of the American Petroleum Institute views the future optimistically. There is a greater demand for petroleum products than ever before. There is little danger of the supply being exhausted. The operating companies are developing their holdings conservatively. The price of crude is holding up fairly well, that shows that the demand is about equal to the supply. In this sector it is to be noted that the big companies have begun a campaign of development. Big concerns look way ahead and study out the situation before acting.

With good crops, a rejuvenation of the oil game, the opportunity for constructive work in town building and agricultural development as was never brighter. All can help build.

The farmer to successfully market his feed stuff should pay more attention to animal husbandry on his farm. He should have more hogs, more dairy cattle, a few beef cattle, sheep and goats. Marketing his feed crop on the hoof is returning to the soil a large part of the fertility that was taken from it. His being assured a good feed crop with plenty of meat and other table supplies produced, he can hold his cotton until he can sell it at a profit. Diversified farming makes the producer independent. The diversified farmer is a builder.

The development of the oil business means that more good roads are needed. Good roads follow the flag while civilization follows the flag. A county as rich in resources and taxable property as Eastland county should be honey-combed with good roads. There ought to be a smooth, hard-surfaced or graveled road in every precinct. The leading arteries should be connected up so that the transportation problem to the oil fields could be easily solved.

The various cities and towns in the county should get their house in order to welcome this prosperous era by doing considerable civic improvements such as building more streets, improving the school facilities, laying more sidewalks and installing more lights.

The towns in the belt need builders now more than ever. Civic improvements attract new-comers. The headquarters of the big oil companies should be in the towns nearest the fields and those headquarters can be secured where they have the necessary civic improvements. The large property owners in the various towns should have faith in their town and help to build it. Good homes, good schools, good streets, and well-lighted streets insure good citizenship.

**Plans to Reclaim  
 20,000 Acres of  
 Sandy Creek Land**

ALVORD, Texas, Aug. 11.—Approximately 20,000 acres of land will be reclaimed by the straightening of Sandy Creek which runs through Wise county, if plans for the construction of a canal are carried out. Sandy Creek comes from Clay county and empties into the Trinity River about three miles east of Bridgeport.

**Mayor Turns  
 City Over To  
 Aged Pioneers**

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 Deer creek, three miles from the city George and Dan Roberts were wounded. In view of these historical facts, he feels that the opportunity to visit this county again would be one that the Ex-Rangers would enjoy and stated that 110 names had already been signed to a petition circulated among the people asking the Rangers to be their guests next year.

**Ready to Serve.**  
 Mr. Johnson stated that he was at all times ready to serve the Ex-Rangers and had made several trips to Washington their behalf and he wanted every Ex-Ranger to get a pension and to be taken care of in their old age.

Mayor William M. Green presided over the meeting and called the roll—some of those who last year answered "present" were not here today, they had in the months that have intervened answered the last roll call.

**Those Present.**  
 Some were detained home on account of illness or infirmities. Those who today responded to roll call and registered are: P. H. Rice, Ada, Okla.; J. C. Goar, Johnson City; William P. Goralez, Johnson City; F. C. Kiser, Blanco; J. E. Tucker, Sunset; W. J. Hale, Palo Pinto; William Green and Miss Ruby Green, Meridian; M. C. Henson, Ranger; J. W. King, Oklahoma; J. H. Rennieck, Comanche; James Odium, David W. Wansley and S. E. Johnson, all of Johnson City; J. O. Allen, Cookville; W. B. Treweek, Snyder; W. A. Spencer, Wilson, Okla.; S. P. Elkins and P. T. Allen, Henderson; James B. Bied, Clemscott, Okla.; W. M. Layton, Ranger; William Rogers, Post; N. J. Jones, Archer City; E. C. Stregler, Fredericksburg; N. Armstrong, Coleman; G. L. Boma, Talpa; W. Y. Luke, Weatherford; P. S. Carter, Gorman; B. L. McGuire and wife, Desdemona; W. T. Caven and son, Eaton; S. R. Bogess and daughter, Cliffie May, Stephenville; R. D. Routh and wife, Brownwood; L. T. Arnold, Rising Star; G. W. Bruton, Keller; T. W. Clark, Abilene; J. C. Yarbrough, Morgans Mill; Henry Sackett, wife, son and daughter-in-law, Coleman M. B. Pitts, Jacksboro; M. R. Cheatham, Coleman.

Members of the association and their wives, were guests of the Ranger Rotary Club at noon today. Banquet tables were spread in the Legion hall and while the splendid feast was being enjoyed, C. W. Haines, of Dallas, accompanied by Kay Judia, sang "Mother McCree" and "Last Watch."

Andy Anderson, spokesman, for the Rotarians was introduced by President John Thurman. Mr. Anderson's warm words of welcome were responded to by Mayor Green, who expressed his pleasure at being in Ranger again, and his appreciation of the welcome accorded him and comrades.

This afternoon's session will include a business session, and an address by Judge N. N. Rosenquist of Eastland, and a supper given by the Chamber of Commerce at 6 o'clock. Tonight a musical program will be given at the American Legion Hall. Fifteen cases of ice cold Keen drinks, the gift of the Keen Bottling Company, a box of lemons, the gift of the West Texas Produce Company and numberless pints of half-pint bottles of Bulgarian buttermilk, a gift of the Ranger Creamery, will keep the Ex-Ranger's thirst quenched while they are here.

**Gives Reason  
 For Her Staying  
 Until The End**

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 reply so he would have not been bound, and he would immediately have said he was only bluffing Jim.

She declared also that her proposition was based on her idea of a legal election, where the legal rights of candidates would be respected. In other words, she said, "my proposition was based upon a democratic primary and not a bolting Ku Klux Klan primary, even if Mr. Moody had accepted my proposition directly to me. I would have been released by reason of political fraud and illegal election."

**Both Elections.**  
 The democratic primary referred to in her proposition included the July 24 and August primaries, she claimed, and "even if Mr. Moody has accepted my proposition, it would not have been consummate until after the August election."

Because political wolves and political shlyocks are searching for blood and a pound of flesh, the governor withdraws her intention to resign at the adjournment of the special session of the legislature, which is to convene Sept. 13, two days after the first primary, she announced she would resign after the special session accomplished its work of validating bonds and the investigation of the various state departments.

**Rings in Klan.**  
 Referring to her announcement over two weeks ago that she would withdraw from the race, the governor said that no sooner had she made the statement, the Ku Klux Klan leaders all over the state began to claim they elected Dan Moody governor of Texas. It now develops that Moody's election was the result of an edict of the wizard of the Klan, Hiram Evans, issued as far back as Nov. 21, 1925.

"My duty to my state at this time is to continue as a candidate is far greater than my personal preference for private life."

The attack is made on Moody's campaign expense account as illegal and utterly disqualifies him from continuing as a candidate and as attorney general of Texas. This was another reason assigned why she did not resign, she said.

**SPECIAL CENSUS NOTICE**  
 Every Church in Ranger is invited to send a representative to the Methodist Church Thursday morning, August 12, at 9 o'clock where the returns of the Religious Census just taken will be canvassed and each Church receive the information gathered.

A. W. HALL,  
 Chairman of Census Committee.

**Oh, No, Not in Dog Days**



**Movie Operator  
 Of Connelle Stops  
 A Serious Blaze**

A serious conflagration of the Connelle theatre was prevented Tuesday evening by the prompt work of Operator James Hughes of Dallas, who was badly burned extinguishing the flames that destroyed the film, "The Volga Boatman." As a result of his efforts, Hughes is suffering from severe burns.

According to the statement made to the patrons of the theatre by Manager L. D. Bowen, it seems as if there was a torn place on the edge of the roll and this caught fire from sparks. The mechanical device used in extinguishing the blaze failed to work quick enough.

The accident did not interfere with the program of a greater movie week, as mapped out. The 500 small parachutes with tickets attached were released as expected.

**Former Ranger  
 Physician Reads  
 Important Paper**

Dr. Cabe Terrell, former Ranger physician and long time resident here, was one of those who read papers at the meeting of the Eastland-Comanche medical societies, which convened in the Gorman Hotel at 2 o'clock.

The Comanche society had charge of the program, which was a most excellent one, and in addition to the program there was a watermelon feast, a bathing beauty review and a glorious good time for all present. As far as can be learned Dr. P. L. Landerdale was the only Ranger physician attending, he joined Dr. Terrell, O. Kaufman of the Terrell laboratories, Dr. Clayton of Fort Worth, and Dr. White of Dallas, in the motor trip to Gorman.

Dr. Chas. M. Hale of Cisco presided over the meeting, with E. L. Graham of Cisco, as secretary.

The program consisted of the following numbers:  
 Paper—"Foreign Bodies in the Eye." Dr. Chas. Hale, Cisco.  
 Paper—"Pituitrin in Obstetrics." Dr. P. M. Kuykendall, Desdemona.  
 Paper—"Some Problems in Present Day Urology." Dr. Edward White, Dallas.  
 Paper—"Peripheral Nerve Injuries of the Upper Extremity." Dr. Chas. Clayton, Fort Worth.  
 Paper—"Tonsillectomy and its Indications." Dr. George Blackwell, Gorman.  
 Paper—"The Care of Premature Infants." Dr. Cabe Terrell, Fort Worth.  
 Paper—"Ultra Violet Ray in Malnutrition." Dr. R. C. Ferguson, Eastland.

**Poor Counties  
 Pay Bonus To  
 Wealthy Ones**

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 to have high assessments and make their county renditions ridiculously low because the county does not need the money. Other counties with meager resources and small population, yet have almost the same county expenses as the richer counties. These counties have to make a high county rendition in order to meet county expenses.

**State Accepts.**  
 The State accepts the higher proportionate renditions from them and thus places an unequal burden upon their shoulders. These small counties receive a correspondingly less proportion of school money than the bigger counties and as a result they actually pay tribute to the counties which should bear the larger burden of the state expense. Mr. Duggan is intensely interested in the subject and calls upon all sections and classes of Texas to help solve the problem.

**SOCIETY  
 AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS**

**TONIGHT.**

Elks dance at 9 p. m., Elks club.  
 Musical program for Texas Ex-Rangers at Legion hall after banquet. Junior college banquet at the Gholson at 8 p. m.

Modern Woodmen and Oilbelt play ball at 5:30 p. m.

**THURSDAY.**  
 Texas Ex-Rangers program, begins at 10 a. m. and ends with picture shows at Lamb and Liberty in the evening.

Thursday Bridge club meets with Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn at 2:30 o'clock. Lions entertain Texas Ex-Rangers at 12:15 with luncheon. American Legion and Salesmen play ball at Nitro park at 5:30 p. m.

**ELKS DANCE TONIGHT.**

The Elks will tonight divide honors with the city's guests, the Texas Ex-Rangers, in staging the premier event of the week, when they entertain with a dance, all trimmed up with special features. Baby Betty and Baby Jean, two clever little Dallas girls, will do some novelty Charleston steps, as well as sing and dance. The Rainbow Sororaders will furnish the music for dancing—the weather man says "cooler weather", so it seems that the signs are auspicious for a great dance.

**A DOUBLE BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

Last night Mrs. Morris Bendix entertained Mr. and Mrs. Chopsis Welsch and their son, Billy, the members of her own family, and her brother Julius Krause the honor of the birthdays of Mrs. Welsch and Mr. Bendix.

Two angel food cakes were presented the honor guests, each resplendent in sixteen candles, which the hostesses presumed was some where near the age of the honorees. Other delightful refreshments were served and a very happy evening was enjoyed exchanging congratulations to the two whose birthdays fell on the same day, and in general conversation.

**HEDDA HOYT WRITES ABOUT BUYING FURS.**

(Written for the Nitro Press.)  
 NEW YORK.—Before taking it is well to familiarize oneself with the wearing qualities of different pelts. As we all know, the cost of a fur coat has nothing to do with its wearing qualities, since many inexpensive furs outlast more expensive ones. For general durability nothing can equal Alaskan seal, American mink, raccoon, skunk, beaver, kolinsky, Hudson seal, kimmer or Russian sable.

The woman who possesses two fur coats may choose one of the following pelts which are suitable to wear: fox, squirrel, caracul, American broadtail, silver muskrat or ermine. Even less durable than the ermine, mole, chinchilla and chinunk are. For sports wear, leopard, raccoon, muskrat, civet cat, opossum and pony are very successful since they wear well and do not spoil with rain.

One has much to consider when selecting suitable furs for winter. When buying the fur coat in August one is apt to choose a fur coat regardless of its warmth. Aside from warmth and utility, one must select a fur which corresponds with one's size and figure. A tall, slender woman can wear long-haired furs such as skunk, fitch, badger, raccoon, fox, etc., whereas a short, plump woman finds short-haired furs more flattering. Among the popular short-haired pelts are seal, mink, squirrel, mole, ermine, flat caracul and kolinsky. Women wear furs so generally these days that it becomes quite customary to purchase a new coat every few seasons. The essential coat comes first and it must be one which is chosen for durability. The business girl or the school girl prefers a sports model, whereas the average matron chooses seal or mink as her utility garment. The second coat

may be one chosen for dressier wear and since this is alternated with the utility coat, it wears several seasons. Squirrel, dyed fitch, caracul, ermine and broadtail are suggested for light wear. Natural ermine is the popular Winter evening wear with white rabbit,—something called "ony" being its clever imitation.

**PERSONALS**

Miss Virginia Schmuck, accompanied by her room mate, Miss Flo Leible, has arrived home from New York, where she has been studying the past nine months. They came down by boat to Key West and were met yesterday in Fort Worth by Mrs. R. M. Schmuck and Miss Gillian Buchanan, who drove them to Ranger.

T. B. Tharpe of the Tharpe Furniture Company is home from a visit to Prescott, Ark.

Mrs. Harrier Kerr will leave Thursday for Hot Springs to visit with her mother for a short time.

Mrs. J. B. Stackable, who is visiting in Damascus, Va., writes home that it is so cool there that wraps are necessary. She also states that next week she expects to go to Norfolk Beach for a while and probably will not return to Ranger until the middle of October.

Paul Chirminise, owner of the Gholson Barber Shop, is spending several weeks in Hot Springs, Ark.

**Christ's Answer  
 To Nicodemus  
 Sermon Subject**

The answer that Christ gave to Nicodemus, will be the subject of Rev. W. H. Johnson's sermon tonight at the community service meeting on Blackwell road.

Last night there was a fine crowd present and much interest was manifested in the meeting. All who love to hear gospel preaching are invited to come out and attend these services.

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Chief Sweetwater, a full blooded Cherokee Indian, of Oklahoma, will perhaps be the only Indian in Ranger today to remind the Texas Ex-Rangers of days gone by when they perhaps fought members of his tribe. But Chief Sweetwater comes now for a peace "pow-wow" and will contribute his talents to the entertaining of the Texas Ex-Rangers this afternoon.

At some place on Main Street, on the shady side of the street, Chief Sweetwater, between five and six o'clock, famous handcuff king and air devil, will give some exhibitions in taking off handcuffs, skinning out of a straight-jacket, and giving shackles the slip, as well as other stunts, all for the benefit of the Ex-Rangers.

Chief Sweetwater, will be dressed in full Indian regalia and will be a picturesque figure. He is quite young, has rather long black hair, decidedly copper skin and looks every inch of a young Indian brave.

He has been in the movies as well as earned a national reputation for evading the contrivances that man has made to hold other men.

**Round Camp Fire**

James A. Bied, of Oklahoma, is an interesting figure at the convention. He was sworn in at Weatherford in '66 and helped make Parker county safe for the settlers. He has a most interesting cane. It is a big silver-headed stick, but on it are dozens of coins, collected everywhere he has been, and nailed into the wood. It is ornamental and most cunningly arranged. Mr. Bied did Ranger duty around Fort Collins in Baylor county, but made Weatherford his headquarters.

James G. Odium, of Johnson City, served in Palo Pinto County in '71. He is reported as having killed a Comanche Chief, firing three bullets in him before he hit the ground.

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# The VANITY CASE



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### BEGIN HERE TODAY

Mrs. Prentiss, who suffers from insomnia, sees lights mysteriously appear and disappear in the Heath household next door one night, and the next morning Harbor Gardens, Long Island, is agog with the murder of Myra Heath and the disappearance of Perry, her husband.

House guests of the Heaths are Lawrence Inman and Bunny Moore. Inman might have a motive because he is heir to Myra's considerable fortune, she having cut off her husband in her will. Suspicion also points to golden-haired, vivacious Bunny Moore, because of her refusal to answer questions at the inquest.

Myra Heath was a peculiar woman. She never used cosmetics, never wore colors. She had a mania for collecting glass, and it was a rare old whiskey bottle that was the instrument of her death. Candles were burning at her head and feet when a maid discovered her body, and nearby was a card marked, "The Work of Perry Heath." Strangest of all, she was heavily made up and dressed with gay colors.

The strangest thing about Heath's disappearance is the fact that all the windows and doors had been locked on the inside the night before and were found that way in the morning. Finger prints of Bunny and Inman are found on the bottle. A vanity case has strangely disappeared and physicians determined that the rouge was applied to Myra's face after death.

At the Country Club, the murder is discussed by Sam Anderson, Heath's rival for the club presidency; Al Cunningham, who is trying to solve the case, and others. Some believe Heath the murderer. Others, including Anderson, disagree. Cunningham, believing Bunny Moore is concealing something, calls on Mrs. Prentiss, who tells him about the mysterious lights.

### NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

#### CHAPTER XVII

"Might have been some of the servants," suggested Mrs. Prentiss.

"Yet, it might easily have been. And the second trip, as we may call the time when the big light was again flashed on for a short time, may have been other servants, come to confirm the news already told." "Now, you're romancing," Todhunter Buck broke in. "I say, Mr. Cunningham, I'm keen on this detective business myself. I wish you'd let me help you, I'll promise not to be a nuisance."

"Glad to have you. I've no illusions regarding my own powers, but I have a capacity for work, and a bulldog tenacity for digging at a clue."

"Good. Well, then I think you've no right to assume the servants any more than the guests of the household. Nor, to my mind, have you any more reason to suspect them, than that the murderer, himself returned to the scene of his crime two or three times. There's no argument that he shouldn't. He killed the lady, and in all probability he afterward made up her face in that strange fashion. But it is quite as likely that he was in and out of that room, and that he snapped on and off the big lights as that any one else did. Why, if the guests or servants had gone there inadvertently, and had seen that aw-



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ful sight, they would have given an alarm at once."

"That's so, Toddy," said his aunt, looking admiringly at her nephew. "I wish I had looked more carefully for shadows on the blind. I did sometimes see one moving vaguely about, but it was so indistinct that recognition was impossible."

"You didn't see any one out of doors? Any one leaving the premises?"

"Now, you speak of it, seems as if I did see some man sort of sneakin' out. But it wasn't Perry Heath. It was a short, thickset fellow, and I'm pretty near sure it was that Katie's young man. I've seen him before—he always brings her home after her evening out. Katie's a nice girl, a respectable girl, and she's engaged to her beau. But they do stay out awful late. My, if she was my maid, she'd be in the house and the back door locked by ten o'clock. And no other maid a sneakin' down to let her in, neither. But Mrs. Heath, now, she gave her orders, and then she just took for granted they was carried out! Yes, that's Myra Heath all over. She'd give implicit and explicit directions to that bunch of servants over there, and she'd assume they're all obeyed to the letter. Land, they ain't! She always held her head so high—regular Johnny-Look-In-The-Air, she was! Well, poor

thing, she'll never hold her head high again!"

"Her servants were not loyal then?"

"Oh, loyal, in a way. They liked her for all her airs, but of course it's human nature to scamp service if nobody's looking."

"Oh, sure. But do you think the servants were up and about at that hour of the night?"

"You heard what the girls told at the inquest."

"Yes. And they seemed honest and straightforward. Emma let Katie in and then went back to her room. Katie visited the icebox, and then went to her room."

"Yes," Mrs. Prentiss spoke dubiously. "That's what they said. And like enough 'twas true. But what became of Perry Heath? How did he get out and where did he go?"

"Was he a man to be friendly with the maids? Would Emma, say, have let him out as readily as she let Katie in?"

"I wouldn't put it past her, as for as Emma's concerned. But I don't think Mr. Heath was like that. Not that you can tell a single thing about any man. But Perry Heath is so up and coming, so sort of straightforward, that it seems to me, if he wanted to get out of his own house unbeknownst, he'd manage it himself without the aid of any servant."

"Yes," Al Cunningham agreed, "that's the way I size up Perry Heath. Now, here's another thing. If Heath killed his wife, and was moomed afterward, as many suppose, why would he want to make it appear that there was no way for him to get out? Why not do his killing and walk off leaving the front door open behind him? I can't get the reason for his secrecy. For his trying to make it look as if he escaped by supernatural means."

"That's a point," cried Todhunter Buck, eagerly. "That's a point that's been puzzling me, and I've got my answer!"

"You have!" said Cunningham, "what is it?"

"Well, you see, Toddy was a little excited at being made a principal in the discussion, 'you see, I'm not at all sure that Heath was the murderer.'"

"No," Cunningham said, "I'm not either."

"Well," Toddy went on, "suppose, just suppose that the murderer was that Inman man."

"But why should he kill his cousin? They say he was in love with her?" This from Mrs. Prentiss.

"I know they say that. But suppose he wasn't. Suppose he pretended to be, but he wasn't. And he wanted her money, which was to come to him by her will. Well, suppose he killed her, and fixed up the cosmetic stunt and the candles and all, with the idea of implicating her husband, who, they say, always wanted her to rouge up and all that. Well, then, suppose, he shut off the lights all



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but the candles and just lay doggo and waited. And suppose Friend Husband comes creeping down to find out what's up. And suppose the cousin kills him, too. And—conceals his body—say, in the cellar—or garden."

"Why, Todhunter Buck, what a terrible idea!" cried his aunt, gasping for breath.

"But it's all terrible, Aunt Emily. And that would account for the disappearance of Perry Heath without leaving any door or window unlocked."

"Ingenious in theory," Cunningham said, deeply interested in Tod-

dy's notion. "But does it hold water?"

"As how?" asked young Buck.

"Well, it isn't so easy to conceal a body in the cellar—"

"All right," Toddy cried, "then he takes it out and throws it in the sea. Weighted and all that, you know. And comes back, and turns on the big lights for that last time—and then locks the doors and goes off to bed."

"Maybe," Cunningham said, shaking his head thoughtfully, "maybe."

(To Be Continued.)

### TEXAS PIONEERS DAY OBSERVED THURSDAY

By United Press. SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Aug. 11. — Tomorrow will be observed throughout the state as Texas Pioneer's Day. Frank H. Bushick, president of the Texas Pioneer Association has announced and calls on all members of that association to observe appropriately that day in their respective communities.

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### Great Air Liners Carry Many Passengers

By United Press.  
 BERLIN.—Trans-oceanic aviation has recently again moved into the foreground of world interest since the North Pole was crossed by Lt. Commander Byrd's aeroplane and Amundsen's "Norge."

Without detracting from the skill and daring involved, it must be said that these feats possess only a sporting and technical value. They raised to a new level the real problems of overseas air transportation, according to Dr. Edmund Rumpler, German aviation authority, since they did not even attempt to carry any profitable cargo along with their equipment and crew. Lucrativeness is of paramount economic importance in the development of overseas aviation.

Airplanes possess approximately double the speed-capacity of dirigibles and are therefore destined to be the superior type in future aviation. Hitherto the production of big airplanes for overseas traffic has encountered serious difficulties. The larger the machine, the greater the leverage on the wings; hence capacity for carrying a cargo is diminished in proportion to the enlarged size of the machine.

These obstacles necessitated the blazing of new trails in air pioneering during many years, led to the conclusion that the disadvantages, coupled with heavy, large aeroplanes, could be eliminated.

The clue to the problem's solution was simple: Instead of concentrating the burden at one point of the machine, this weight must be distributed and decentralized. Each portion of the airplane's burden must be allotted to an adjacent carrying surface. This method will make it possible to keep the leverage on each part of the machine nearly constant and thus greatly increase the size of the airplane without disturbing the system of balance.

Not only the cargo, but also the mechanism itself must thus be decentralized. For this reason, the new giant trans-Atlantic aeroplane will contain ten motors, each with a capacity of 1,000 horsepower and all distributed along the entire width of the machine. Instead of possessing one or two floaters, as heretofore, the new machine will carry six.

This system also heightens the safety, because the stoppage of one or two motors or the damaging of a couple of floaters will by no means impair the security of the whole apparatus.

Passengers and motors are carried inside the airplane, so that the "tail-cabin" is eliminated.

Passenger accommodations are situated in the forefront of the machine and comprise comfortable seats which can easily be transformed into berths. Arrangements have been completed for a comfortable dining room and smoking salon. The pilots are stationed in a projection, allowing a clear view in all directions.

In order to smother the roaring noise of the motors, the passengers' quarters are separated from the rest of the aeroplane by a wide passage, which also serves as a promenade deck. Storage room for the cargo and quarters for the crew are in the rear. Another passage behind the motors serves as a traffic path for the crew. In order to insure safety against fire, fuel is carried in the floaters.

Water-cooled Stern motors, comprising four rows of seven cylinders each, provide the driving power.

This type of airplane will cover the distance between Hamburg and New York in 36 hours and will require 3-12 days from Europe to South America. From tip to tip, the wings measure 94 meters; the machine bears a total weight of 115,000 kilos and is capable of carrying a cargo of 20,000 kilos, equivalent to 130 passengers, a crew of 25 and about 6,000 kilos of baggage and mail. The airplane will travel at an average speed of 275 kilometers and will be able to make a non-stop journey, barring counter-winds, of 4,400 kilometers.

Experts are optimistic regarding the economic value of the new Rumpler creation.

Dr. Rumpler, who expects his giant seaplane to embark on its first voyage in 1928, is now negotiating for the establishment of a German-American company to finance a large organization of the new trans-Atlantic service.

### THE FOLKS BACK HOME



### Where Storms Are Born Is Probed

By United Press.  
 WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—While Senate campaign committees are busy investigating campaign expenditures and other matters considered "hot news," the United States Weather Bureau is launching a probe into "Greenland's icy mountains" with a view of determining what can be done about them.

The Weather Bureau is co-operating with the University of Michigan in an expedition to locate sites for weather observatories on Greenland's inland ice caps. Information to be gained from these observations may throw much light on the formation of storms which sweep the North Atlantic steamship lines.

At the same time the Weather Bureau will look into the birthplace of many of the icebergs that contribute a menace to shipping. It is thought that the icebergs may be broken up with explosives before they drift out to sea to endanger shipping. Since the giant liner Titanic was sunk by an iceberg in 1910, the coast guard has maintained lanes to guard against a similar disaster.

The Weather Bureau will ascertain if anything can be done to combat nature's iceberg factory in Greenland.

"Greenland's icy mountains, famed in the century-old hymn, 'The Breeze Stated, are in reality one immense flat ice-cap extending two miles above sea level and spread over a base of rock surface for hundreds of miles.

"Except for the margin along the coast, which is rough and broken like other Arctic ice formations, this ice is, so far as known, so smooth an airplane could land on it almost anywhere without difficulty. It has been represented by some that the special contour of this ice-cap causes the cold winds that form above it to develop hurricane velocities, and that they are influential in carrying many of the severe North Atlantic storms which take heavy toll of life and shipping."

Scientists feel that meteorological observations taken at points where these winds originate may be of great value to vessels at sea. Some way may be found by destroying the contour of the ice-cap with explosives to eliminate in a large degree the severity of the storms.

Dublin reports a surplus of women and so does a young fellow who got married last June.

### Dry Weather Checks Work of The Boll Weevil

The continued hot, dry weather prevailing throughout this section for the past few weeks, has had a tendency to check the damaging work of the boll weevil, fleas and other insects on the Eastland county cotton crop, and the cotton is now putting on fruit. It is pointed out, however, that if the extreme hot, dry weather continues it will do about as much damage to the crop as the weevils and other insects were doing.

Feed crops of all kinds are good, but are being cut just a little short because of maturing early on account of dry weather.

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

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### Swedish Prince Inspects Home Of Ancestors

STOCKHOLM.—While the Crown Prince of Sweden has been touring the United States, his younger brother, Prince William, who is even more versatile, being a naval officer, big game hunter, novelist, verse writer, dramatist, lecturer and popular radio speaker, has been exploring southern France including the original home-land of the Bernadotte family at Pau.

Of his great great grandfather, Jean Baptiste Bernadotte, son of a small town lawyer, self made army commander under Napoleon, Prince of Ponte Corvo and finally King of Sweden, he found no traces whatever, except the baptismal certificate in the city archives of Pau. The Bernadotte house is still there, however, and the present owner, a Madame Balague, showed the prince the room in which his ancestor was born, Jan. 26, 1763.

At one time the founder of the dynasty had planned to buy the house, but this intention was not carried out and thus his birth place is still left in obscurity. Prince William's visit was the first that any member of the Swedish royal family has made for many years, though there are in France today several members of the Bernadotte family, descendants of an older brother of the Marshal, who through his influence was ennobled. These cousins several times removed of the Swedish royalty are chiefly engaged in the military or civil service of France, but the family relationship is not now kept up. Since he renounced his rights to the throne in order to marry a woman of noble but not royal birth a younger brother of the present king of Sweden carries the title "Prince Bernadotte."

The original election of Marshal Bernadotte to the Swedish throne in 1810 was one of the most romantic episodes in modern European history.

### Griggsby School May Lease Ground For Oil Drilling

Propositions to lease the school grounds of the Griggsby and Union schools in Eastland county for oil and gas development, were referred for further consideration by the Eastland county school board at its regular meeting held in the office of the county school superintendent in Eastland Saturday afternoon.

At this meeting the resignation of Arthur Plumlee as trustee of the Griggsby school was accepted by the board and G. A. Earp was appointed to fill the unexpired term.

W. N. Fox was appointed a trustee of the Union school, to fill a vacancy, and L. A. Eudy was appointed to fill a vacancy on the board of trustees for the Cross Roads school.

The members attending the meeting of the board, which adjourned to meet again in regular session on Sept. 4, were Briggs Owen, W. E. Cooper and Lee Reid.

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### Junior College Banquet to Draw Loyal Boosters

Plans for the Junior College banquet tonight at the Gholson Hotel, at 8 o'clock are well under way and at least one hundred loyal boosters for the institution are expected to be present.

John M. Gholson, president of the Ranger school board will be toast master and a number of others will make short talks on what the Junior College will mean to Ranger, how it can be financed and other pertinent subjects pertaining to its launching.

The committee has been busy selling tickets for the banquet and all of those who have bought tickets are reminded that they are expected to be on hand tonight to help put this proposition over. A dollar a plate pays for the banquet.

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**RANGER TIMES EASTLAND TELEGRAM**

Red Grange Back On Job Delivering Ice to Customers

By United Press. WHEATON, Ill., Aug. 11.—Harold (Red) Grange is back on the ice wagon again. Armed with his solid silver ice tongs and clad in a khaki shirt and trousers, Red delivered his route yesterday for the first time since completing his moving picture efforts.

LODGE NOTICES

Carl Barnes Post, No. 69, American Legion, will meet Wednesday at 8 o'clock in Legion Hall, over City Hall. J. R. TOLLAND, Post Adjutant.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST OR STOLEN—Three-month-old female Bull pup; long ears and tail, Dr. Pittman, veterinary hospital, N. Seaman, Phone 501, Eastland. LOST—Pair shell-rimmed glasses, at carnival, Saturday night; reward. Call 145, Ranger.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—A few sets of books to keep. Cox Accounting Co., phone 675, Ranger.

BUSINESS CHANCES

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SPECIAL NOTICES

PILES CURED—No knife, no pain, no detention from work. Dr. E. E. Cockrell, rectal and skin specialist of Abilene will be in Ranger at the Gholson Hotel every Thursday from 12:30 to 5:30 p. m.

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ELECTROZONE and Purity Water; modern equipment. Phone 157, Ranger. Distilled Water Co., Ranger.

MARCEL, 50c; water wave, 75c. Phone 550. 214 N. Marston, Ranger. SECOND-HAND goods bought and sold; stove repairing. W. H. Prescott, 209 N. Austin st., Ranger.

HOUSES FOR RENT

MODERN House for rent. Mrs. John Dinkler, South Austin st., Ranger. FOR RENT—House with garage, lights, gas, water; Caddo highway. Mrs. Nannie Walker.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

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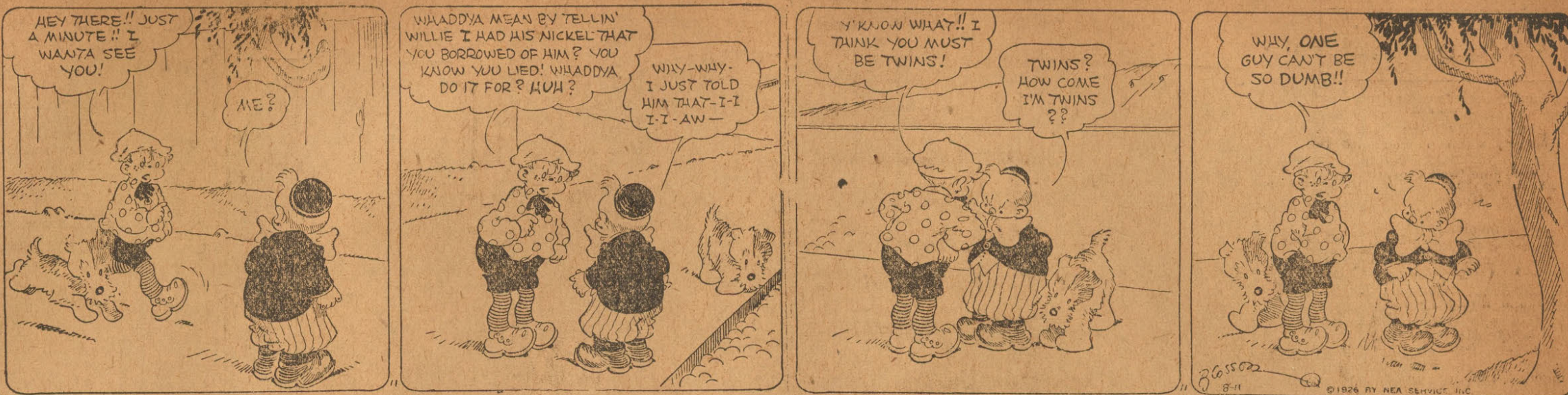
FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR TRADE—Six lots, Central Hodges, for good Ford truck; no junk. Apply 700 Young st., Ranger. HAVE home in Weatherford would consider a trade for Ranger property if suitably located and of equal value. Mrs. R. B. Campbell, phone 224 or 43, Ranger.

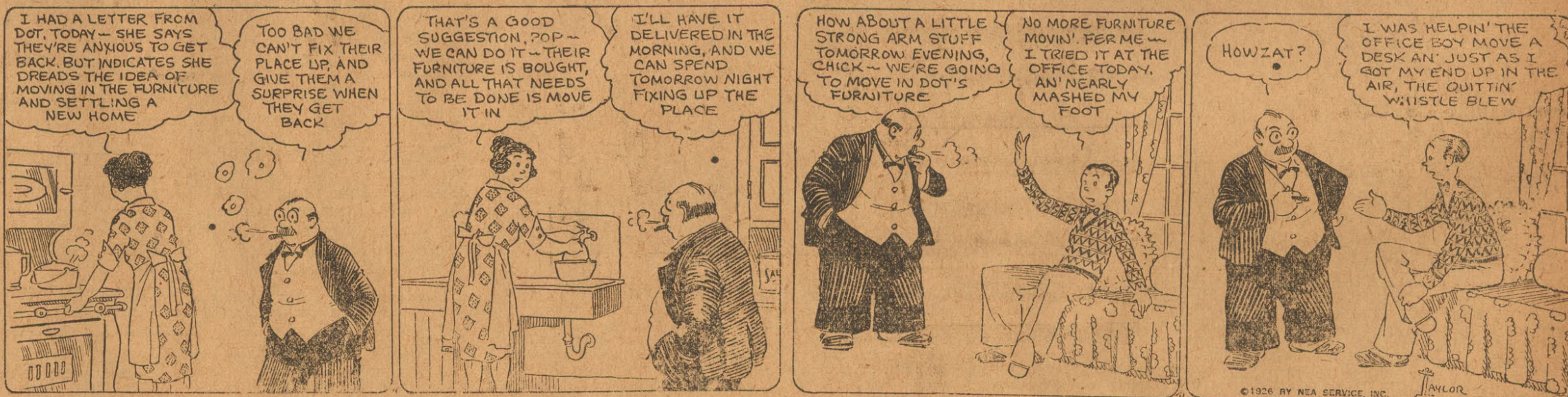
POULTRY AND PET STOCK

CUSTOM HATCHING—From Monday, Aug. 23 and for a limited time will receive eggs for hatching on the halves; any breed accepted; trays hold 132 eggs each. O. S. Driskill, phone 342, Ranger Heights, Ranger.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Mon'n Pop



By Taylor

BASEBALL

HOW THEY STAND BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.

Table with 3 columns: Team, W. L., Pct. Leveille-Maher . . . . . 3 2 .600 Lions . . . . . 3 2 .600 Salesmen . . . . . 2 2 .500 Modern Woodmen . . . . . 2 2 .500 American Legion . . . . . 2 2 .500 Oilbelt Motor . . . . . 1 3 .250

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Table with 3 columns: Team, W. L., Pct. San Antonio . . . . . 67 50 .573 Dallas . . . . . 68 51 .571 Beaumont . . . . . 64 54 .542 Fort Worth . . . . . 58 60 .492 Shreveport . . . . . 56 59 .487 Houston . . . . . 57 64 .471 Wichita Falls . . . . . 52 64 .488 Waco . . . . . 49 69 .415

Yesterday's Results.

Fort Worth 8, Dallas 5. Beaumont 22, San Antonio 7. Shreveport 5, Wichita Falls 0. Waco 7, Houston 3.

Today's Schedule.

Houston at Dallas. San Antonio at Shreveport. Beaumont at Fort Worth. Waco at Wichita Falls.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Table with 3 columns: Team, W. L., Pct. New York . . . . . 71 39 .645 Cleveland . . . . . 63 50 .558 Philadelphia . . . . . 59 52 .532 Detroit . . . . . 58 55 .513 Chicago . . . . . 56 56 .500 Washington . . . . . 54 54 .500 St. Louis . . . . . 47 63 .427 Boston . . . . . 35 74 .321

Yesterday's Results.

Washington 4, Cleveland 1. Detroit 5, New York 3 (7 innings, game called to allow New York to catch train). St. Louis 6, Boston 4. Philadelphia 4, Chicago 3 (11 innings).

Today's Schedule.

Detroit at St. Louis. Chicago at Cleveland. New York at Washington, two games. Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Table with 3 columns: Team, W. L., Pct. Pittsburgh . . . . . 61 44 .581 St. Louis . . . . . 60 49 .550 Cincinnati . . . . . 60 51 .541 New York . . . . . 57 51 .528 Chicago . . . . . 56 52 .519 Brooklyn . . . . . 52 58 .473 Boston . . . . . 44 63 .411 Philadelphia . . . . . 41 63 .394

Yesterday's Results.

New York 2, Chicago 0. Philadelphia 10, Cincinnati 8. Pittsburgh 10, Brooklyn 2. St. Louis 3, Boston 1.

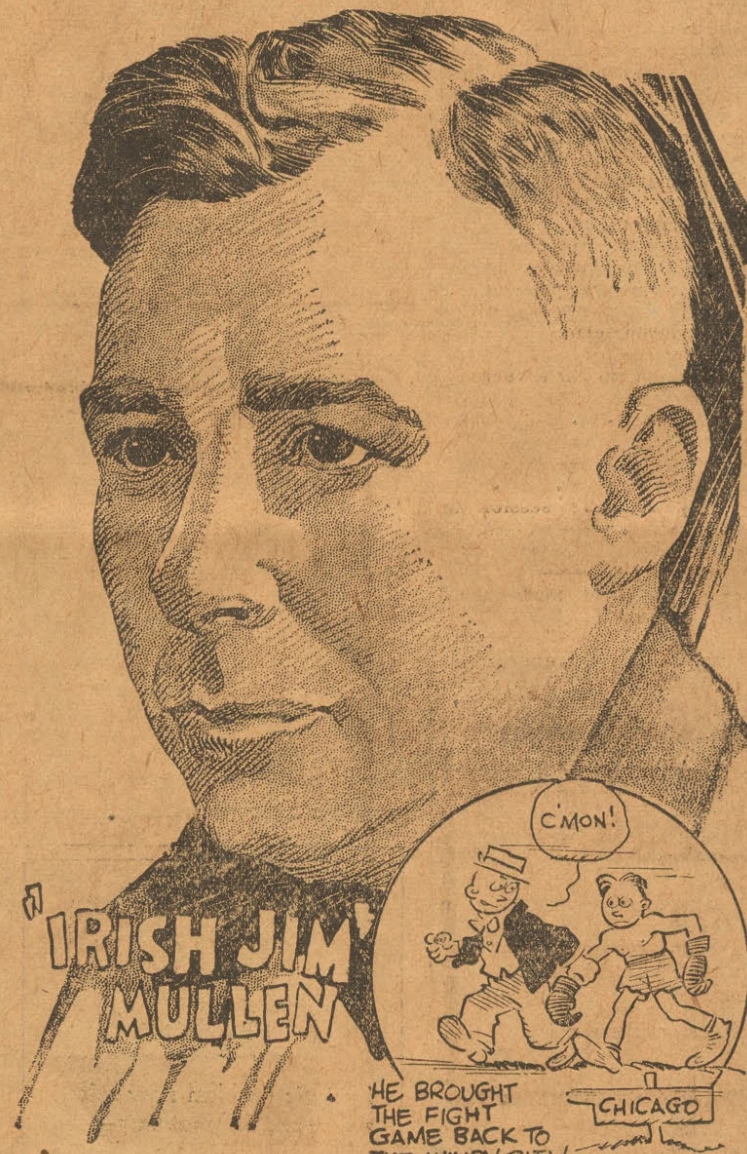
Today's Schedule.

St. Louis at Boston. Chicago at New York. Pittsburgh at Brooklyn. Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

DIAMOND POPULARITY INCREASING AGAIN

By United Press. LONDON.—Diamonds are growing in popularity. The Holborn viaduct here, the home of the Diamond Syndicate, has recently been flooded with exceptionally large orders for gems. The demand is attributed to the popularity of the stones in America. The Diamond Syndicate, better known as the "millionaire's syndicate," controls the output of the world's largest mines. It deals solely in rough stones, which are sold to Amsterdam and Antwerp dealers, who cut and polish the gems. Prices of large stones have risen 15 per cent during the last 12 months.

Middle West's Rickard



"Irish Jim" Mullen, prominent middle western fight promoter, who has done a great deal to bring the fight sport back to Chicago. It was Mullen who put on the recent battle for the lightweight championship between Rocky Kansas and Sammy Mandell, the first big bout of its kind held in the Windy City in more than 20 years. They're now calling "Irish Jim" the "Tex Rickard of the middle west."

Social Season At President's Camp Underway

By United Press. PAUL SMITH'S, N. Y., Aug. 11.—With the arrival of General Lord, director of the budget, the executive summer entertainment season has begun at White Pine camp. More than a score of distinguished guests will visit the president and Mrs. Coolidge for social and political reasons. Secretary Hoover will come on Friday for a week-end stay at the summer white house. The president's visitors are left to seek their own diversions—fishing, motoring, open air, bowling, tennis, swimming and golfing. Six cabins are available for the guests.

CONRAD CHARACTER IS PUT ON SCREEN BY GEORGE O'BRIEN

Conrad at last—and with the inevitable George O'Brien in the title of "Nostromo." Such is the cinema treat in store for patrons of the Lamb Theatre, where "The Silver Treasure," Fox screen version of Joseph Conrad's immortal story, today. In bringing to the screen the masterpiece of the famous author William Fox has retained, with the utmost fidelity, the famous gripping detail which made Conrad beloved of millions of readers throughout the world. Rowland V. Lee directed the South American romance. The interrogation point is the coat of arms of all progress. To get more education, use what you have. Time curses all things, even youth.

Lions Chew Up Leveille-Maher, Score of 5 to 4

The Lions defeated the Leveille-Maher team in a seven-inning game Tuesday afternoon, score 5 to 4. In the first inning it looked as if it might be a walk-away for Leveille-Maher but Galloway tightened up and got better the farther he went. The Lizzies made three runs after two were out. Abney, first up, went out, pitcher to first. Moon struck out. Vaughn doubled to the right field fence, scoring Yonkers, who had singled to right. Davis hit the first ball pitched over the center field wall for a home run, scoring Vaughn ahead of him. Haley struck out. Three runs, three hits, no errors. The other run came in the fourth when Haley, first up, was hit on the foot by a pitched ball. Hummel singled to right field, sending Haley to third. Boyd tried to catch Haley off third but Keith let the throw get through and Haley scored. The Lions scored three in their half of the fourth. Cherry walked. Lambert forced Cherry at second. Larsen singled to center. Mead, running for Lambert and Larsen scored when Haley let Calvert's single get by for a double. Vaughn tried to catch Calvert stealing third and threw the ball into left field, Calvert scoring. This tied the score, as Cox got a fluke home run in the third when his hard hit grounder took a bad hop over Shanks' head in center field and rolled to the fence. The winning run was put over in the fifth after two were out. Keith fanned out on three straight strikes. Clark did likewise, swinging viciously. Cherry scored from first when Hummel in left field let Lambert's single roll by him. Davis was the star for the Lizzies, getting five putouts at third, and starting a double play that prevented a much larger score. It was in the second inning and the bases were loaded with only one out. Calvert hit a hot one to Davis, who tagged Larsen on the line and threw to second to catch Lambert. His home run in the second scored two runs of the four hits his team collected. Cherry led the Lions at bat, getting two hits in two official times at bat. He played a stellar game in the field, ranging far to snag fly balls that looked like extra base hits. Galloway was also in the limelight, getting eight strikeouts and four assists. The box score:

Box score table with columns: AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Lions: Coyd, c . . . . . 4 0 1 8 0 0; Galloway, p . . . . . 4 0 1 0 4 0; Keith, 3b . . . . . 3 0 1 0 1 1; Clark, 2b . . . . . 3 0 2 1 1; Cherry, cf . . . . . 2 1 2 3 0 0; Lambert, 1b . . . . . 3 1 0 7 0 0; Larsen, rf . . . . . 3 1 2 0 0 0; Calvert, ss . . . . . 3 1 1 1 2 0; Cox, lf . . . . . 2 1 1 0 0 1; Mead, if . . . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0. Totals . . . . . 28 5 9 21 8 3. Lizzies: Abney, ss . . . . . 4 0 0 4 0 0; Moon, 2b . . . . . 3 0 0 1 1 0; Yonker, 1b . . . . . 3 1 1 2 0 1; Vaughn, c . . . . . 3 1 1 4 2 1; Davis, 3b . . . . . 3 1 1 5 2 0; Haley, rf . . . . . 3 1 0 9 0 1; Hummel, if . . . . . 3 0 1 0 1 0; Shanks, cf . . . . . 3 0 0 1 0 0; Hodges, p . . . . . 3 0 0 1 1 1. Totals . . . . . 28 4 4 18 6 5. Score by innings: Lizzies . . . . . 300 100 0-4; Lions . . . . . 001 310 x-5. Summary—Home runs, Davis, Cox; two-base hits, Galloway, Vaughn; bases on balls, off Hodges, 2; hit by pitched ball, by Galloway 1 (Haley); double play, Davis to Abney, Time, 1:15. Umpires, Green and Gholson.

McKINNEY SCOUT EXECUTOR RESIGNS

By United Press. MCKINNEY, Texas, Aug. 11.—Scout Executive A. T. Barclay, who has headed the Scout organization here for some time, has resigned his position to take up a similar position in Galveston. The alphabet of egotism is complete in one letter. To avoid that run-down feeling, approach crossings carefully.

AMBULANCE Night Phone 129-J-302. Day 29. Funeral Directors, Embalmers. Years of Experience. KILLINGSWORTH-COX & CO. 120 Main St.—Ranger

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### September Term Petit Jury List

Two hundred men were selected by the jury commission ers appointed by Judge Elzo Been of the 88th district court to serve as petit jurors during the 2nd, 3rd, 5th and 7th weeks of the September term of said court which convenes Monday, September 6th, 10 o'clock a. m. Following are those selected:

#### Second Week, Monday, Sept. 13th.

Floyd Brewer, Eastland; Rufus Been, Carbon; C. E. Powell, Cisco; J. M. Hendrick, Gorman; J. W. Gage, Carbon; A. A. Abbott, Cisco; W. A. Sutton, Gorman; Chas. McFadden, Eastland; Dick Gray, Gorman; John Parish, Ranger; Gus Ogles, Gorman; P. L. Parker, Eastland; Geo. D. Fee, Cisco; W. N. Compton, Nimrod; Jess Blackwell, Ranger; John O'Rear, Desdemona; N. C. Crawley, Eastland; R. A. Pool, Eastland; H. Miller, Gorman; E. M. Nance, Rising Star; G. H. Hudels, Cisco; Ben Hamner, Eastland; R. F. Griffin, Eastland; Will Howard, Ranger; W. D. Harper, Gorman; W. I. Maples, Romney; J. H. Blankin, Cisco; B. W. Courtney, Gorman; Will Munn, Desdemona; C. E. May, Ranger; J. B. Ames, Ranger; Noble Hagar, Gorman; C. H. Swift, Eastland; Chas. P. Ashcraft, Ranger; Roy Tucker, Cisco; Rufus Cox, Okra; Calvin Brown, Eastland; John Norton, Eastland; E. G. Stubblefield, Carbon; T. J. Duncan, Cisco; O. E. Pierce, Nimrod; Amon Myrick, Cisco; L. W. Tucker, Cisco; Garland Lasater, Cisco; J. E. Ramsey, Eastland; L. W. Tucker, Cisco; W. A. Cathey, Eastland; C. M. McClelland, Cisco; M. O. Hazard, Eastland; G. H. Fox, Olden.

#### Third Week, Monday, Sept. 20th.

Frank Mallard, Gorman; Jinks Garrett, Eastland; Carl Butler, Eastland; Dan Powers, Desdemona; Chas. Bobo, Ranger; F. E. Buey, Rising Star; S. A. Carmack, Cisco; Will Parker, Rising Star; Amos Eakers, Gorman; Carl Clemmer, Rahger; G. W. Bohning, Eastland; J. C. Brewer, Gorman; D. E. Rodgers, Gorman; Richard Eaves, Eastland; O. G. Barron, Gorman; T. S. Ross, Gorman; John Bishop, Eastland; W. L. Brogdon, Romney; R. L. Bettis, Cisco; W. J. Overton, Gorman; Luther Carter, Eastland; L. B. Jones, Gorman; Jenks Garrett, Eastland; L. C. Ainsworth, Ranger; Luther Bean, Eastland; Dan Powers, Desdemona; J. C. Claitor, Gorman; Frank Lovett, Eastland; A. N. Macbeth, Cisco; W. H. Carter, Eastland; A. H. Allison, Ranger; Joe Clements, Cisco; L. C. Morris, Eastland; R. M. Grantham, Cisco; M. Newman, Eastland; O. T. Griffith, Gorman; Joe Lovelady, Cisco; D. W. Rayburn, Eastland; E. A. McDonald, Gorman; J. D. Lauderdale, Cisco; Earnest Sneed, Ranger; S. G. Beard, Nimrod; I. T. Grisham, Gorman; B. B. Poe, Sr., Carbon; J. H. Rodgers, Ranger; C. E. Love, Desdemona; Sylvester Myrick, Cisco; J. A. Lawrence, Olden; Ab Pitcock, Ranger; L. A. Hightower, Eastland.

#### Fifth Week, Monday, Oct. 4th.

J. L. Brashers, Olden; Henry Stubblefield, Cisco; J. E. Eberhard, Rising Star; F. S. Perry, Gorman; F. J. Stubblefield, Carbon; A. H. Lockhart, Cisco; W. T. Croeger, Gorman; J. R. Armstrong, Olden; T. H. Sparks, Desdemona; R. L. Perkins, Eastland; E. I. Ramsey, Cisco; W. A. Tate, Carbon; A. Alverson, Ranger; A. S. Nabors, Cisco; E. F. Verdun, Gorman; W. T. Andrews, Cisco; J. H. Sucke, Carbon; M. F. Mills, Ranger; J. H. Newsome, Rising Star; W. A. Wood, Gorman; E. O. Elliott, Cisco; R. A. Hodges, Ranger; S. N. Poe, Carbon; J. W. Clark, Eastland; John Iry, Rising Star; H. L. Capers, Gorman; A. J. Olson, Cisco; R. L. Moseley, Gorman; Lee Bourland, Eastland; J. H. Mills, Olden; E. F. Buey, Rising Star; John McKinney, Cisco; L. Gibson, Olden; Joe Norton, Olden; W. H. Reynolds, Gorman; W. H. Hall, Nimrod; W. G. Preston, Cisco; T. B. Garrett, Carbon; W. A. Hale, Carbon; Ed Hatto, Eastland; R. H. Myrick, Ranger; B. M. Colffe, Eastland; W. D. Martin, Gorman; R. L. McCluskey, Eastland; Martin Luckner, Romney; Bob Higgins, Eastland; J. J. Livingstone, Cisco; H. A. Bible, Cisco; Elan Reaves, Gorman; B. F. Trott, Cisco.

#### Seventh Week, Monday, Oct. 18th

Jack Blackwell, Ranger; John Bradford, Ranger; J. E. Shippy, Cisco; J. A. Jones, Gorman; Irvin Clark, Cisco; E. P. Crawford, Cisco; E. M. Snoddy, Scranston; J. B. Snoddy, Cisco; Duncan Maddox, Ranger; W. M. Jamison, Gorman; Tom Stephens, Gorman; W. Rasmusen, Cisco; E. V. Huffstelder, Gorman; M. B. Robertson, Gorman; C. A. Abbott, Cisco; Henry Hines, Carbon; J. T. Clement, Gorman; John White, Gorman; J. L. Lary, Gorman; W. T. Freeman, Romney; Will Tyler, Rising Star; O. G. Thompson, Gorman; G. T. Brightwell, Gorman; Tom Barton, Gorman; Herman Oldham, Desdemona; R. S. Elliott, Cisco; G. L. Morrow, Gorman; J. E. Collins, Carbon; A. E. Rankin, Carbon; E. H. Bobo, Ranger; W. B. Hooker, Gorman; W. H. Christmas, Eastland; W. A. Horton, Gorman; A. M. Knox, Gorman; R. L. Tucker, Cisco; H. O. Files, Gorman; T. J. Haley, Gorman; O. T. Shell, Gorman; Lee Williams, Ranger; O. J. Russell, Cisco; O. G. Lawson, Desdemona; J. E. Smith, Gorman; J. R. Baton, Cisco; Dug Barton, Carbon; J. R. Barclay, Gorman; Bob Key, Cisco; H. L. Laffoon, Eastland; J. S. Alsop, Cisco; J. B. Snoddy, Cisco.

#### FAMOUS INDIAN FIGHTER TAKES UP STUDY OF STARS

By United Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO.—With a few thrills left in this world that he has not experienced, Col. J. M. T. Pazzello, crack marksman and famed Indian fighter, will spend his declining years probing the heavens for thrills from the stars.  
Colonel Partello, now 73, arrived here recently from Montana, to make a study of astronomy. He brought with him his collection of medals and citations gathered during a spectacular life fighting Indians, blazing trails and soldiering in several wars. He was adjutant to General Nelson A. Miles in 1876.

## She Drops the High Hat and Goes to "Frumpish" Teas; Did Baby Paulina Do it, or Does Nick Want to Be President?



Alice Roosevelt Longworth and her father, the late President Roosevelt, on her wedding day—the time she began her ban on "frumpish" society affairs.



Alice Roosevelt Longworth as she looks today. In the center is baby Paulina Longworth, who is credited by one clique of the Washington elite with causing her to abandon her society policy of 20 years.

#### By ALLENE SUMMER

NEA Service Writer  
WASHINGTON.—Mrs. O'Leary's cow kicked over a lantern and started Chicago's great fire.

A certain cup of orange pekoe tea with lemon and a certain chocolate wafer consumed by Alice Roosevelt Longworth just recently have given rise in the capital to the conclusion—

Husband Nicholas Longworth will run for a certain office known as the presidency of these United States of America.

The rumor which shakes the best Haviland china in our nation's capital, began all because "Princess Alice" drank her tea and ate her wafer at a congressional tea.

No "Frumpish" Teas  
Behind this is a story which begins some 20 years ago, when "Princess Alice" took, "for better or worse," Congressman Nicholas Longworth from Ohio.

And the bride had barely shed her

brocaded satin and donned her going-away suit before she said, very decisively:

"Just because I'm marrying a congressman they needn't expect me to attend all those frumpish affairs of congressmen's wives."

And the new Mrs. Longworth kept her vow for over 20 years!

The darling of the White House, who had been the belle of every Capitol ball, the toast of embassy soirees, the guest of honor wherever Washington's big names gathered, continued to live the same life as Congressman Nick's wife.

"The frumps," as she called the meek little wives of all congressmen but Nicholas Longworth, had their teas and receptions sans Alice, the scorned.

Twenty long years went by, as the subtiles have it, and then—  
A few days ago Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, wife of the speaker of the house, dropped in at a very in-

formal "frumpish" tea given by 60 congressmen's better halves at a local hotel.

Alice had not even been invited. She just breezed in when most of the pimento cheese sandwiches were gone, and proceeded to charm every-

"She's lovely," said one of the "wives from the sticks," whom Mrs. Longworth once scorned, after the reincarnated Alice had shown her snapshots of the infant Paulina.

"How gracious!" said another. "You must come often!" said the reception committee as Mrs. Longworth waved her breezy adieu. And she promised that she would!

The congressmen's wives are now divided into two factions. Half maintain that "she has an ax to grind. She needs us now. Nick has decided to run for president and she's drumming up trade."

Their husbands think the same thing—although they admit that per-

haps Alice is only drumming up trade because Nick is now speaker of the house.

Did the Baby Do it?  
Others, mindful of Mrs. Longworth's interested queries about their little Johns and Marys and her bright eyes as she boasted of little Paulina, say that the baby is responsible for the change.

All Washington knows and is talking about this "taming." Some laugh at the plain garden variety materialism of Alice Roosevelt Longworth, who brings snap-shots of Paulina to the Senate gallery.

Question: Is Alice "grinding an ax" for her Nick of the spats and red nightcap who would for the presidency run, or has the laughing Alice who once rode a sacred elephant, been tamed by a baby daughter's tuck that makes the whole world kin—ever "frumpish congressmen's wives"?

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### Well Prepared To Train Texas Educators Now

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 7.—For training superintendents, principals, and students interested in graduate subjects, the University of Texas is better prepared than any other institution east of the Rocky Mountains or south of the Mason and Dixon line, stated Dr. B. F. Pittenger, dean of the School of Education and dean of student life at the University.

"The whole work of the University summer school is directed more toward training the teacher than is that of the long session," Dr. Pittenger said. "In the selection of courses and in the faculty members, the main policy of the officials if the summer school is to get the best for the teachers of the state. Courses in education are given especially to those teachers who plan to take a degree or who are doing work for a certificate. The faculty of the education department is selected because of recognized reputation in the field of education. This brings to the University the most modern teaching methods and thoughts about the profession of teaching."

In the summer session the School of Education has more diversified courses and a larger and stronger faculty than at any other time of the year. In connection with the regular University work, the demonstration school housed in one of the city school buildings offers an unusual opportunity for students to observe the best teaching methods. The education association, composed of superintendents and teachers and interested faculty members stimulates acquaintances and good fellowship as well as greater professional interest.

"The open air programs are also planned with the idea in view of giving to the teachers in attendance at the University lectures and entertainments which will be of benefit to them in their work."

Dr. Pittenger also stated that definite plans would be announced within a few months for a teachers' training school to be established at the University in connection with the School of Education. Three members of the University faculty are visiting several institutions of the East and West to obtain data concerning such a school.

Need of adequate training facilities for prospective teachers and even those already in the work has felt for many years, Dr. Pittenger stated, and it is planned to make this school available by the long session of 1927-28. The next legislature will be asked to appropriate \$30,000 to finance this department. Because of the great service the training school will render to the state, through its training of teachers, it is the opinion of University officials that the money will be appropriated.

At present the University is using the Austin public schools for the supervised teacher-training work offered, but with the establishment of the proposed school, the main work will be given in the new department. It will relieve congestion in the Austin schools, and will also enable the University to teach the latest school room methods, Dr. Pittenger said.

The way to the poorhouse is paved with too much credit.

### W. J. Herrington Thanks Voters

In the First Primary I received more votes than any other candidate for county office who had two opponents. But not having received a majority it is necessary to have a runoff before a nominee is selected for the office of County Tax Assessor.

I sincerely appreciate the splendid vote given me and trust you will remember me again on August 28th.

For those who did not support me in the First Primary I have the kindest feeling, and if after a careful investigation of my official record you find me capable and worthy and see your way clear to give me your vote I shall appreciate such support.

If elected, I shall try earnestly to merit your confidence.  
Yours for service,  
W. J. HERRINGTON,  
Tax Assessor of Eastland County.

### Folks Shudder At "Broken Out" Faces

Folks simply can't help showing that pimply, blotchy or rough faces are unpleasant for them to look at, much less associate and become intimate with people who are so careless about their appearance as to let these skin blemishes rule their destiny. No wonder it seems like "cold chills" run down their back as they pass you by.

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### English Have Own Opinion On Drinking

By United Press.

LONDON.—Acts of Parliament cannot make people good.

This opinion was expressed through a questionnaire on the drink problem in England, sent out by the Liberal Summer Schools, a semi-political organization, and answered by more than 800 associations and groups of various sorts.

Discussing prohibition of liquor sales, the response to the questionnaires showed a considerable sentiment supporting the criticism that prohibition creates new crimes of a sort easy to commit and tempting.

This social harm done the state by creating new crimes, together with the hopelessness of making people good by Acts of Parliament, were emphasized as objectionable to prohibition.

The questionnaires, however, expressed the opinion that the absolute effects of drinking are considerable and that workers who do not drink are more efficient than those who do.

"But as to the relative effects upon productive efficiency of drinking, and of the creation of unrest by forcibly regulating the consumption of drink, it is harder to judge," continued the report in which the answers to the questionnaire were compiled.

"It will be remembered that some of the committee which inquired into industrial unrest during the war attached importance to the evil ef-

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### PLEASANT GROVE

PLEASANT GROVE, Aug. 11.—The crops of this community are showing the effects of dry weather. We are badly in need of rain. Would gladly welcome some cool weather, too.

We were indeed glad to see Mrs. H. C. Hollis back to Sunday school and church Sunday. She is still somewhat crippled from the effects of bruises sustained in a car wreck near Arlington but she says she will soon be all right.

Miss Maidee Sewell visited Bass Lake at Gorman Sunday afternoon. Miss Dorothy Watson started to the

### business school in Eastland Monday morning.

S. W. Tucker of Eastland visited his sister, Mrs. E. F. Threatt, Sunday afternoon.

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