

MOODY SURE TO BE THE NEXT GOVERNOR

PROSPERITY REIGNS THROUGHOUT FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT

FOUR NEW PRODUCERS IN EASTLAND CO.

RISING STAR IN LEAD WITH THE BEST INCREASE

Humble Reported To Be Grabbing Leases In The Carbon Area

Drilling continues active in the various pools in Eastland county. Four new producers, brought in within the past few days, boosted the total production in the Rising Star section almost 1000 barrels. The Eastland Oil Company's Wright No. 3 in the Parsons' pool four miles east of Eastland, which was drilled in Friday, was also a producer, making about the usual amount for the wells in that field. Several wells in each of the fields are nearing the pay and are being watched with much interest.

One of the most important wells brought in recently in the Rising Star sector is that of the Louisiana Oil company on the Henslee tract in the Stover-Kilgore area. The initial production of this well is given as 265 barrels per day. Three additional locations have been made by the Louisiana Oil company for wells on this tract.

Humble Gets Stock
The Humble Oil & Refining company brought in their 7-C and 8-C Kilgore, the first for 500 barrels and the second for 150 barrels.
The Kone Drilling company is (Continued on page seven.)

Recently Appointed Bishop



THE VERY REVEREND R. A. GERKEN
Dean of the priests in the Ranger district, promoted to the bishopric of the newly designated diocese of Amarillo.

GOES TO NEWLY MADE DIOCESE OF AMARILLO

Rt. Reverend Father R. A. Gerken, dean and consultant of the Ranger deanery, was notified late Friday night that he had been appointed bishop of the newly created diocese of Amarillo. The same order from pope Pius appointed the Right Reverend Arthur John Drossaerts, Catholic bishop of San Antonio, for eight years, archbishop.

The appointment came as a surprise to Bishop Gerken. His first notification of it came when the Very Reverend Monsignor Robert Nolan of Fort Worth, called him up and greeted him as "bishop." At first Bishop Gerken thought it was a joke, but as telegram after telegram and phone call after phone call came from all parts of the state, and his appointment notification Friday night, he could no longer doubt the honor that had been bestowed on him.

One of Youngest.
Only 39 years of age, Bishop Gerken is one of the youngest men in the church to attain the high rank that has been conferred upon him.

Bishop Gerken's life history is short and simple, like the lives of most all men of real greatness. He was born to William and Elizabeth Gerken, on March 7, 1887, at Dyersville, Ohio. He commenced his college work at Pio Nono university, Milwaukee, Wis., and concluded his college career at St. Joseph's college in Rensselaers, Ind.

Taught in Texas.
Before taking the vows of priesthood, Bishop Gerken taught in the public schools of Texas. He was ordained a priest on June 10, 1917, and had charge of a church in Abilene before coming to Ranger in September, 1920, to take charge of Saint Rita's parish. At that time the congregation was already too large for the little church they then occupied and the new priest went about to build a new and spacious church.

Today Saint Rita's church, a large red brick edifice, in the Cooper addition, is one of the prettiest and best furnished churches in Ranger, and in addition to the church Bishop Gerken has built a school, that employs six sisters as teachers, and includes in its curriculum the primary and grammar grades and four years of high school work. The church, the school and the priest home all represent a value of something like \$100,000.

Appointed Dean.
In October, 1924, Bishop Gerken's activities were increased and extended as he was then appointed dean, and consultant of the Ranger deanery, (Continued on Page Eight)

BUSINESS OVER TEXAS REVEALS GOOD INCREASE

Individuals Spending More Than Usual; Crop Prospects Are The Best

By United Press.
DALLAS, Aug. 28.—Predicting that the prospects for the largest volume of agricultural production in the Eleventh Federal Reserve district are the best since 1919, the monthly business review of the Federal Reserve bank of Dallas was issued today. The report indicated that this spirit of optimism is reflected in the increased volume of trade, "bank debits to individual accounts, freight car loadings and the generally full employment of labor." Debits to individual accounts, said the report, showed a further gain of "3 per cent over the previous month and were 9 per cent larger than in July last year. While department stores sales," continued the review, "reflected a seasonal decline of 26 per cent as compared to the previous month, they were 8 per cent higher than a year ago."

According to the statement the district's labor surplus has been almost entirely absorbed due to the upward trend in general industrial activities and the increased demand for farm labor. Substantial gains in employment were reported in many of the major industries, it said. Farmers are assured of ample feed with which to make the 1927 crops, because of the substantial increase during July in the indicated production of that commodity in this district together with the large grain crop already harvested. This, says the review, will in turn release a large portion of the returns from the cotton crop for the liquidation of indebtedness and for living expenses for the coming year. Although the cotton plant again made rapid growth disappointment was expressed over the progress of fruiting. Fear was expressed of the damage to cotton crops from insect infestation.

Credit in Demand.
Admitting that there has been a heavy demand for credit the review explained that this was due to the lateness of the cotton crop and says that while liquidation was obtained from banks in the grain territory the Federal Reserve bank loans to members banks rose approximately \$7,000,000 during the past six weeks (Continued on page seven.)

Price of a Wife



A wife, in Belgian Congo, costs one copper cross, like this, weighing 27 1/2 ounces. A real fat wife, it is said, might cost two crosses. The gold bar Miss Mary Deam has in her other hand is worth 27 tolas among South American Indians, \$250 at the U. S. mint and \$2,500 to experts of the American Numismatic association, gathered in Washington, D. C.

NEXT CHIEF EXECUTIVE WILL BE THE YOUNGEST IN THE UNITED STATES

DRILLS ACTIVE OVER DISTRICT OF WEST TEXAS

While there have been no spectacular developments in the oil industry in the immediate vicinity of Ranger, but all round the county and nearby counties an active drilling campaign is going on. White and Heath are still drilling wells on the "grassroots" section, near Mustang. These wells, which are gassers with some producing oil, are the cause of others hunting the pay near this acreage, and Mr. Heath is now drilling a well for another company not far from their production. Another well in the "grassroots" is on the R. D. Williams place, three miles northeast of Putnam, which is reported to have come in with a production of 100 barrels high gravity oil. H. I. Stock is drilling an offset to this well. It is reported that A. G. Dabney was to spud in a well on the Tyatt place, three miles west of Cisco, Saturday. This test is purely wildcat. The drillers hope to find the Putnam sand in this section between four and five hundred feet.

Andy Powers well, seven miles northwest of Brownwood, which created quite a stir in Ranger when it came in on account of the owner being a former resident of this place, is producing 250 barrels a day and has been connected with the pipe lines of a large company. Coleman Field. The Coleman field is always interesting. The Best-Grice in the Dibrell is down 3,100 feet with a cave-in and a string of tools in the hole. Work on the Elliot No. 1 of the Reiter-Foster, near Woodson, has been suspended while the boiler is being moved back. This was done at the suggestion of the railroad commissioner, who feared the heavy gas flow which accompanies the oil would be ignited. It is reported unofficially that the well is making 150 barrels or crude oil at 3,920 feet, the oil flowing by heads.

Applegate Busy.
George Applegate of Graham is preparing to drill a well on the Cunningham place, about six miles northwest of Ranger. In the boom days when shallow sand was passed up for the deep pay, oil was found at a shallow depth in this vicinity, so Mr. Applegate is going to develop the sand that was once thought of so little value, but now stands out in the limelight.

PHYSICIAN KILLS WIFE AND HIMSELF

By United Press.
SINTON, Aug. 28.—Dr. W. G. Reinhardt, a prominent physician of Sinton is dead from a pistol wound in the heart and his wife with a bullet lodged in her heart, died in a hospital at Taft, about an hour after the shooting which occurred late Saturday afternoon in a bedroom of their home. Neighbors were attracted to the Reinhardt home by the report of two shots and called upon the authorities to make an investigation. A pistol was found on the floor. On the way to the hospital, Mrs. Reinhardt regained consciousness for a moment and said that she had been shot while she slept. Justice of the Peace Custer will hold an inquest over the body of Dr. Reinhardt. "Please and I have lived sweetly together in life, why not in death," read a note Dr. Reinhardt left.

2 ESCAPED PRISONERS ARE RECAPTURED
By United Press.
IONA, Mich., Aug. 28.—Two of the 24 prisoners who escaped from the state reformatory early today were recaptured near here shortly before noon. The captured men, Charles Smith and Napoleon Smith, said the jail break was led by two Toledo bandits, who had obtained guns.

Williamson County Man Now Leads More Than 2 To 1

By United Press.
DALLAS, Aug. 28.—The largest state in the union is to have as its next chief executive the youngest governor, according to the trend of early returns in the Texas run-off democratic primary, and the prediction of political leaders. Texans at the polls today apparently failed to express confidence in its first woman governor, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, and plucked into an experiment with youth by nominating for governor Attorney General Dan Moody, who has barely rounded out 33 years. If elected, Moody will be opposed in the November general election by H. H. Haines of Houston, a republican candidate. The G. O. P. polled scarcely 12,000 votes in its July primary, and it is not believed that the Houston man will be any match for the youthful attorney general in the general election. Due to inclement weather throughout North and West Texas, it is not believed as many voters went to the polls today as in the first primary, when a record for all Texas primaries (Continued on Page Two)

FATHER AND SON VICTIMS OF BRITTON

By United Press.
HENDERSON, Aug. 28.—Bill Britton was placed in jail here today charged with a double murder following a shooting which took place near here yesterday in which Wrenn Huff and his son, Kelly Huff, were shot to death. The trouble resulted from an old feud, according to information received by officers here. Huff family escaped being killed when the gun alleged to have been held by Britton failed to discharge. Britton is said to have snapped the trigger several times and then went in search of another weapon. Britton declared that the elder Huff had blocked the road with his truck. The younger Huff was slain when he came to remove his father's body to the Huff home.

Injuries Fatal To Lad Struck By Baseball

By United Press.
PARIS, Aug. 28.—Mancil Surr, 18 years old, who was accidentally struck in the head by a pitched ball, died early today in a hospital here. Surr finished the game after the accident and did not complain until yesterday when he became ill and was taken to a hospital. An x-ray examination failed to show the nature of the injuries, the doctors said.

Former Ranger Driller Strikes Oil in Boger

C. N. Ochiltree, formerly of Ranger, with others, has a 1,700-barrel well in Boger. The well has not yet been drilled in but is gauging 1,700 barrels a day at 2,900 feet. Mrs. Ochiltree and her mother, Mrs. Esther Cherry, are in Ranger today and tell some interesting things about the development in the Panhandle district. The Ochiltrees were in Ranger for several years. Mr. Ochiltree, doing drilling for the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company and others. Last winter they moved Amarillo, where they made several splendid real estate deals, and now they have a good oil well to look forward to.

MOB MASSES AROUND JAIL FOR BANDITS

By United Press.
VAN BUREN, Ark., Aug. 28.—A crowd of 250 angry and furious persons today massed about the jail here where George and Matthew Kimes, Oklahoma and Arkansas outlaws lie critically wounded after an all-day running battle with a posse of men yesterday.

According to Lee Tollock, state operator for the bureau of identification, six clashes have occurred between the officers and members of the crowd. Fearing threats of the crowd, some of whom are said to have come from the Sallisaw neighborhood, where Deputy Perry Chuculate was killed by the pair yesterday, Tollock said the prisoners would be kept in Van Buren jail until apparent ill feeling has abated.

CAPTURED NEAR RUDY, ARK., AFTER FIGHT

SALLISAW, Okla., Aug. 28.—George and Matthew Kimes, noted Arkansas gunmen, who yesterday engaged in three running gun battles with Oklahoma and Arkansas possemen as they attempted a wild escape in the border hill country, are today in the hands of Arkansas authorities, having been captured near Rudy, Ark., at 3:15 this morning. The two outlaws, suspected as bandits who looted the two banks in Covington, Okla., of \$9,500, were captured after their last stand near an uncle's house just outside of Rudy. The last stand was fought in the moonshine.

Keener Wagner Slayer Returned To Mississippi

By United Press.
TEXARKANA, Ark., Aug. 28.—Keener Wagner, gunman and slayer, was taken back to Mississippi today by Sheriff W. J. Turner and a deputy from Green county. Wagner will face charges of murder there in connection with the slaying in 1924 of Deputy Sheriff McIntosh. The officers were on route with Wagner 10 minutes after extradition papers from Governor Terral of Arkansas were received. Wagner said he feared he would not get a fair trial in Mississippi. "I am not afraid of the electric chair," he said, as he left the jail wearing a smile that has covered his face since he was arrested here early this week when he killed the two Carper brothers.

New Diving Kit



With this portable diving outfit, requiring no air hose or surface pumps, a man can stay under water 10 minutes at a time, Capt. Le Prieur, inventor, demonstrates in Paris.

200 MARINES ARE LANDED, NICARAGUA

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Two hundred American sailors and marines have been landed from the United States cruiser Galveston at Bluefields, Nicaragua, for the protection of American lives and property, the state department announced today. The landing came after the governor of Bluefields informed the American naval commander he could not guarantee safety of Americans there if the revolutionists attacked the city. Their report was forwarded to Rear Admiral McGruder, commandant of the navy yard, but was not made public. Broken ribs puncturing the lungs was understood to be the cause of death. Commander Rodgers' leg was broken in two places, it was said.

WILL BURY RODGERS IN ARLINGTON

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The body of Commander John Rodgers, naval aviator here, who was killed in a crash in the Delaware river at Philadelphia yesterday, will be buried in Arlington cemetery with full military honors, according to announcement by naval officials today. The body of the navy's veteran flyer will be sent tonight to his parents' home at Havre de Grace, Md., where services will be held Monday. The body, then, will be brought to Arlington cemetery, just across the Potomac from the capital the same day.

Board Reports On the Cause Of Rodgers Death

By United Press.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 28.—In an effort to determine how Commander John Rodgers famous naval aviator, met his death, when his plane dived into the Delaware River, a board of inquest met at the navy yard here today. Their report was forwarded to Rear Admiral McGruder, commandant of the navy yard, but was not made public. Broken ribs puncturing the lungs was understood to be the cause of death. Commander Rodgers' leg was broken in two places, it was said.

HOGG MEETINGS PLEASE PASTORS, LOCAL CHURCHES

What the ministers are saying about the meeting. Rev. A. W. Hall said: "I am convinced that this is the most far reaching meeting that has ever been conducted in Ranger." Rev. G. D. Robison: "Will Hogg is in a class by himself. I predict a great ingathering to the churches and a better understanding generally in Ranger."

Rev. O. Hamblen: "The Bible preaching being done by Dr. Hogg is having an effect on all Ranger, men are talking it, and hundreds of people are hearing it." Rev. H. B. Johnson of the Christian church: "I have never seen a better organized evangelistic party, surely this is the time for Ranger to get close to the Lord." Rev. Frank Singleton, pastor Methodist church, Eastland: "I have only attended one meeting, I am going to try and put my whole church in the campaign. Hogg is in a class to himself when it comes to preaching."

Services at Night

There will be no co-operative service Sunday morning, all the churches will have their own meetings. It is urged that all Sunday schools be well attended, those in no Sunday school be sure and go Sunday. Friday night, even though it was rainy, every seat was taken in the Methodist church and extra seats placed in the aisles. More lights and more seats were placed in the open air pavilion Saturday. It is planned to hold the Sunday night service there. The bugs have been bad, but it seems that they have all gone. Everybody is expected to attend Sunday night and hear Mr. Hogg's famous message on "Sowing and Reaping." The service for women and girls Sunday afternoon is being stressed from every lip and advertising medium. All the women of the community are invited.

30 Poisoned Folks on Road To Recovery

AUSTIN, Aug. 28.—Thirty residents of the Deep Eddy district, a summer resort on the Colorado River in West Austin are recovering from ptomaine poisoning resulting, according to physicians, from contaminated milk. An analysis of the milk supply is being made. All patients were reported to be out of danger Saturday.

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FROM THE BIBLE And this I pray, that your love may abound yet more and more in knowledge and in all judgment, Philippians 1:9.

SPARE THE ROD. Somewhere it is written "train a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart therefrom."

The schoolhouse is the training ground for the child and the teacher is the trainer. Too many parents get the impression that their child needs no training.

Another old trite saying handed down from the Germans is that when children are young they tread on your toes and when they are large they tread on your heart.

According to information gathered from teachers in public schools, Sabbath schools and otherwise, it is the child from the home of the affluent that causes more trouble than any other in the school and other places.

A CLEARER UNDERSTANDING. That men are beginning to realize the truth uttered by the Prophet Malachi centuries ago, that "have we not all one father? Hath not one God created us?"

DENTON TRAVELING Man Is Held For Death Of Wife DENTON, Aug. 28. — Charged with murder in connection with the death of his wife Friday, C. J. Howards, a traveling salesman, was lodged in jail here today.

MERCEDDES.—Contract let for \$25,000 apartment building. TAFT.—Cotton picking well under way here.



Norman G. Heyd of Toronto, Canada, will be the next supreme dictator of the Loyal Order of Moose.

as that and others known of by the editor is clearing away the clouds of misunderstanding. It is eliminating the ignorance one has of the other's faith. The writer has soon a Methodist, Presbyterian, and Episcopal minister occupy a Jewish pulpit.

Ranger Water Is Free From Coli Baccilli Ranger water is reported as O. K. for drinking, according to W. C. Blackmond, engineer at the city water works.

Dallas Sheriff Forges Ahead In the Recount DALLAS, Aug. 28.—With the vote in 93 boxes counted Saturday noon, Schuyler Marshall Jr. had gained 138 votes on Allen Seale in the Dallas sheriff's race.

Identification Of Bank Bomber Is Made Complete PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 28.—Positive identification of the bomber, whose explosive set off in the Farmers Deposit & Savings bank here late Tuesday, cost his own life and that of a bank employee.

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Moody, who made his campaign from Red river to the Rio Grande, served also as his honeymoon, attacked Fergusonism in Texas.

Speaks for Wife. Former Gov. James B. Ferguson, who made a speaking tour on behalf of his wife, charged that Moody was a Ku Klux Klan candidate despite the fact records show that Moody first gained state-wide notoriety for punishing alleged members of the Klan, while he was district attorney of the Williamson county judicial district.

Ferguson Hedged. Mrs. Ferguson, according to politicians, "hedged" the bet and declared she would contest the run-off primary as vicariously as the first.

In making the election wager, Governor Ferguson stated that she would resign from office following the first primary if Moody led her one vote.

Eastland County, 24 Boxes Ready; Leaders Elected Twenty-four boxes complete in Eastland county show the following results from governor on down to county attorney:

For Governor—Ferguson, 1,736; Moody, 3,899. Attorney General—Allred, 3,497; Pollard, 1,969.

State Treasurer—Ball, 2,551; Hatcher, 3,307. Court of Civil Appeals—Davenport, 3,454; Hickman, 2,149.

County Clerk—Jones, 3,315; Wood, 2,362. County Tax Assessor—Herrington, 3,005; Bryant, 2,652.

County Treasurer—Sue, 2,491; Cooper, 3,309. County Attorney—Lawrence, 2,454; Sparks, 3,238.

210 Counties Incomplete. Governor: Miriam A. Ferguson, 118,198; Dan Moody, 248,778.

Attorney General: James Allred, 134,733; Claude Pollard, 132,255.

State Treasurer: Ball, 98,597; Gregory Hatcher, 143,886.

Court of Civil Appeals: George L. Davenport, 9,060; Hickman, 9,329.

Bell county incomplete: Ferguson, 2,550; Moody, 4,287.

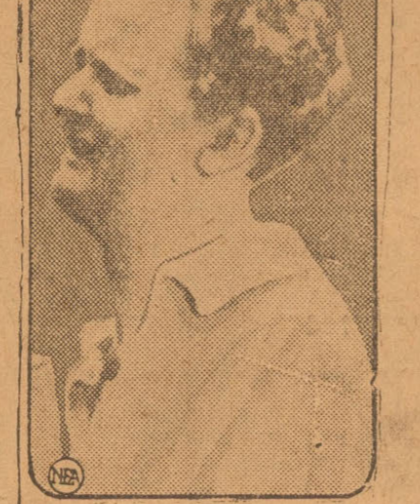
English Doctor Predicts Race Vegetarians OXFORD. — The western nations, their expanding populations, may be forced into vegetarianism unless they can increase their food supplies.

Recovery Energy In the production of beef man recovers only one-eighth of the energy consumed.

Alcoholic Drink "Another item of waste which have to be eliminated in the case of stern necessity is the conversion of potential food into alcoholic drink.

SINTON.—Construction of crossing under Missouri Pacific tracks, proposed.

Anguish Pearl McSherry fought to keep Betty Queen from shooting herself. The gun went off, and Pearl fell, slain. Betty is pictured above as she went to jail. It happened at a summer bungalow near Brown Mills, N. J.



Betty Queen, who was shot by her husband, Pearl McSherry, is shown in a photograph taken at a summer bungalow near Brown Mills, N. J.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Attended by nurses, who feared she may suffer another collapse, Pola Negri, heavily veiled and secluded from interviewers, passed through Chicago today en route to claim the body of Rudolph Valentino, her reported fiancé.

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The only direct statement to the public, when the train arrived in Chicago, was one from Pola's secretary, Miss Hein: "Mrs. Negri is terribly sorry that she cannot grant a personal interview. The strain has been very great and her grief is very strong. She is in no condition to see anyone."

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POPE FIRM AGAINST MEXICO By United Press. MEXICO CITY, Aug. 28.—Gratification of Pope Pius at the firm stand of the Mexican clergy was expressed by the pontiff in a cablegram to the Mexican episcopate, in which he sent the papal benediction has strengthened the stand of the church against the new religious laws, observers here believe.

When and in what form the expected petition of the episcopate will be presented to congress is not known, but it is generally believed that the struggle will be long drawn out, using the words of the episcopate, it may be a matter of either months or years.

A further effort to seek a solution will be made at the last meeting of the episcopate today, at which a body terminates its present sessions.

Pola Negri Turns Down Reporters Enroute To N. Y. By United Press. CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Attended by nurses, who feared she may suffer another collapse, Pola Negri, heavily veiled and secluded from interviewers, passed through Chicago today en route to claim the body of Rudolph Valentino, her reported fiancé.

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CORDOVA, ALASKA, FEELS TWO SHOCKS By United Press. CORDOVA, Alaska, Aug. 28.—Two earthquakes shocked this vicinity during the night. One was felt at 10 p. m. yesterday; a more severe shock came at 12:45 a. m. today. Neither did any damage.

PORT ARTHUR.—Exports valued at \$4,942,005 shipped from this port, during July.

GRAHAM.—Campaign under way to raise funds for erection of athletic stadium.

BIG SPRING.—Marland Oil company making preparations to start number of new tests on holdings in Chalk oil field.

PORT ARTHUR.—Sixth street, from Stillwell to DeQueen boulevards being re-shelled. Winds are produced by differences in atmospheric pressure or by asking a man to run for office.

SHINER.—Fly swatter factory established here. MIDWAY.—Road from Chalk oil field being graded.

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INDIANS FREED AFTER SENTENCE TO ARRANGE THEIR OWN FUNERALS

By United Press.
OKMULGEE, Ok., Aug. 28—Oklahoma Creek Indians before statehood had a house of congress similar to the United States law making body at Washington, D. C., governing bodies similar to the present-day state governments, city governments, low and high courts, armies, police and, in fact, all the necessary appointments to well regulated and civilized peoples.

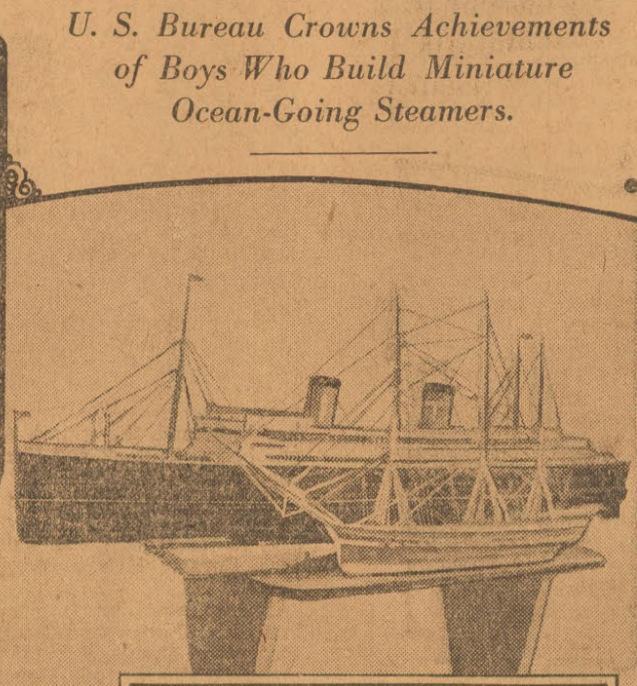
Old records of the House of Warriors and House of Kings, governing bodies similar to congress, recently uncovered here, reveal the nature of the Creek Indian government. Remnants of the Creek tribe still make Oklahoma their home and compose one of the greatest southern tribes—the Cherokee, Creek, Seminole, Choctaw and Chickasaw—which are called the "Five Civilized Tribes."

Towns People
The Creeks were a town people who lived in villages of several hundred in habitants each. Each village was ruled over by a chief. War and peace and other important questions affecting the whole nation were usually decided by a meeting of the chiefs, or "Kings" of the villages, but if they could not agree they sometimes called the Warriors together to help them decide.

From these meetings there grew a written constitution and the naming of the two bodies, The House of Kings and The House of Warriors. A few members of these two governing bodies are still alive today. The last meeting, when the House of Kings and House of Warriors was disbanded, was in 1906.

An interesting story of Indian lore is built about the execution tree

FAME AND FORTUNE SMILE ON YOUNG SHIP-MODEL BUILDERS



U. S. Bureau Crowns Achievements of Boys Who Build Miniature Ocean-Going Steamers.

ONLY a few years ago Roscoe and Wallace Good, of Pasadena, California, like countless other American boys, were spending many hours of play in floating chip-and-matchstick boats in any body of water that was available from a puddle to lake or river.

Today a ship model just completed by these two boys has been accepted by the United States Steamboat Inspection Service, a Bureau of the United States Department of Commerce, as one of the features of its exhibit at the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition. As builders of ship models for a number of the country's largest ship operators, the boys' annual business amounts to thousands of dollars a year.

Roscoe Good checking over plans of the Malolo (left). The model of the Malolo compared with a model of the frigate Constitution (center). Wallace and Roscoe Good with a model of the George Washington, an early type of side-wheel steamer (right).

The First Model
The interest of the Good brothers in constructing miniature ships to conform in every detail with actual sea-going vessels was aroused during the closing days of the World War, when throughout the United States there rang a cry for ships and still more ships to carry men, munitions and supplies to the War Zone. Their first built-to-scale model was a Skinner and Eddy type freighter constructed from a plan in a marine publication. Other built-to-scale models followed.

Such models are ordinarily built, at a cost running from \$2,000 to \$30,000, by experts of long experience. Infinite care, exactitude and patience are required for their construction. The builders work from the plans and sketches used by the builders of the ship itself.

It frequently takes six months to complete a single model.

The first models constructed by the two youngsters aroused the interest of friends of the family; and, most important of all from the standpoint of the boys' future, the interest of a West Coast ship owner. Impressed by the graceful lines of the diminutive vessels and the painstaking attention to the most minute details, the ship owner gave the youthful builders an order for a model of a vessel then under construction.

A Unique Ship Yard
Similar orders were received from other ship operators. The boys' workshop became a veritable shipyard from which were turned out small-scale replicas of some of the finest vessels in the United States Merchant Marine. Their profits began to assume imposing proportions.

The latest model built by the two young boys is that of the S. S. Malolo. The Malolo, now under construction in Philadelphia for the San Francisco-Honolulu run, is the largest and speediest high-powered passenger steamship ever built in the United States. She has a length of 532 feet, a beam of 83 feet and a displacement of 22,000 tons. She will have a sustained sea speed of 22 knots.

Every hatchway, porthole, rope and spar on this gigantic new Queen of the Pacific is reproduced on the model. Built to a scale of one-eighth inch to a foot, the model is a little less than seventy-three inches in length, with a beam of ten and three-eighths inches. It is this model that will be on exhibition at the Sesqui-Centennial.

Mounted Police Of Australia Equal Canadians

By United Press.
By A. W. V. KING
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
SYDNEY.—In song, verse, and story, the renown of the Canadian Northwest Mounted Police has been chronicled, but the Northwest Mounted of Australia, working in the tropical jungle and sparsely-populated areas of the northwest of this continent, have found no chronicler to do them justice.

It is only when such an incident as just happened up there on the rim of the continent appears in the newspapers of the southern cities that the bravery of these men is brought to the general notice of the public.

into their midst and grabbed the escaped murderer. Most of the aborigines ran into the bush, but a thrilling life and death struggle ensued between the policeman and the wanted man. The former was in constant danger from the spears of the man's comrades, but he succeeded in handcuffing the desperate fugitive before the black trackers had made sure of his safety by arriving with guns.

There still remained the long and dangerous journey back to Darwin, for the man friends were constantly hovering round, on the lookout for a chance of rescue. But all these were thwarted and the laconic Scotsman marched his prisoner into the gaol from which the latter had escaped fourteen times he had performed some months before. It was such a feat.

Making ends meet is often like a dog catching his tail. They simply won't stay met.

Murderer Escapes
Some months ago an aboriginal murderer, undergoing a life sentence escaped from the gaol at Darwin (Northern Territory). A dour Scots constable, Robert Cameron, was detailed to follow and capture him. For hundreds of miles across rough, mountainous country, accompanied by only two black trackers, Cameron followed his quarry. When he realized he was close upon the murderer, his food supply ran out and he was afraid to shoot game lest he warn the fugitive. For three days he went foolhardy before he came upon a camp of aborigines in which he knew his quarry was hidden.

Cameron knew that he and his two black companions were outnumbered twenty to one. He decided to make a sham frontal attack with his three packhorses, laden with jangling camp equipment, and the two black boys, while he himself sneaked on the camp from the rear and secured his man.

Plan Succeeded
The plan succeeded. While the camp of aborigines were absorbed in preparing to defend themselves against the horde of invaders represented by the clanging tin kettles, frying pans, and other campware on the packhorses, Cameron had crept unseen

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Petroleum Safety Council to Show Unloaded Gun
It is the unloaded gun that does the mischief and through the courtesy of the Petroleum Safety Council of the Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, will show free at the Ranger High school on the night of Sept. 3, the safety film, "The Unloaded Gun."

In addition to the stellar picture, other educational reels and comedy reels will be run. There will also be shown the films, "Twelve Points of Safety" and "First Aid."

No admittance fee will be charged as this is part of the service that the Petroleum Safety Council is doing to make the oil fields and the oil industry safer for its employees and their friends.

J. Frank Champion, superintendent of the Prairie Oil & Gas company of Ranger, is chairman of the committee that will be in charge of the program. Others on the committee are J. W. Mooney of the Prairie Pipe Line company, J. R. Daugherty of Tidal Oil company and J. T. Wheatley of the Sinclair Oil & Gas company.

which still stands in the yard of the council house where the Creek governing body met regularly the last few years of its existence. The council house is in the center of Okmulgee and municipal and other city gatherings are still held there.

Last Execution
The last executions under the trees occurred about 20 years ago when Timmy Jack and Tom Chickaw were shot to death, the former on conviction of murdering another Indian and the latter on conviction on charges of horse thievery.

After the defendants were condemned and the date of their execution set by Indian judges, they were freed without bond and ordered to appear on a certain date to be shot. They went their way and reported back on the morning of the day of execution.

While the Creek government in many ways was a replica of modern government, professional bondsmen were not part of it.

Trials Held
Trials of both Indians were held in an Indian court, records show, and although friends attempted to intercede in behalf of the horse thief on the grounds that he was half-witted, the old Indian judge would hear nothing of such procedure and ordered his sentence carried out with all despatch.

Both of the young Indians before their executions purchased funeral regalia, including coffins, and arranged their own burials. One of them even superintended the digging of his own grave.

The Indians met death without flinching or showing the slightest expression of fear in their faces.

THIEVES GET OFF WITH SPARE TIRE
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Tex Rickard Gets Kick Out Of Proposition

By HENRY L. FARRELL, United Press Sports Editor. NE WYORK, Aug. 27.—No one but Tex Rickard would stand for all that pushing around and commission monkey business, one of his attorneys said, when he was battling to get a permit to match Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney for a heavyweight championship fight.

"Rickard stands for it," he said, "because he likes it. He probably would prefer to have a lot of trouble because he gets a kick out of doing something that someone says he can't do."

"Rickard made a lot of money out of the Dempsey-Carpenter fight, but he didn't make as much as he should have. He got his satisfaction by showing his critics that he wasn't the sap they charged him with being."

There was a lot of talk that all the controversy with the boxing commission and the license commission was a premeditated ballyhoo but that is not the case.

The publicity resulting from all the arguments didn't hurt any, of course, but it was too late for Rickard to play around any circus advertising.

"I generally have about four months at least to arrange a big fight and it would take that long if I didn't have my own organization but I'd take a chance on putting over Dempsey and Tunney in two weeks time. The distribution of the tickets is the biggest job."

"Rickard said he stood to lose \$40,000 or \$50,000 if he couldn't match Dempsey and Tunney. The loss represents time and labor expended in negotiating for the match and the cost of printing tickets and advertising."

Of course, Rickard is not in the business for his health but the sport he must get out of it was shown when he refused to ask the boxing commission for permission to charge more than \$25 for ringside seats.

Rickard looked upon the Dempsey-Tunney fight as a particular pet. He likes to sell his ideas and he chuckled when he pointed out that he was proving that the public wanted to see Tunney fight Dempsey.

"There wasn't much fun prophesying the Dempsey-Firpo fight," Rickard said. "It was such a natural that all we had to do was to sell the tickets. With this fight it would be different as we had to sell the public the idea that Tunney was a good fighter."

"Tunney is a good fighter," Rickard said. "I think he would make a much better fight against Dempsey than Wills would. He's younger and faster and he is full of ambition. Wills had his chances and passed them up. He could have made a million dollars in the last five years but I can't get him to do business with me."

"Tunney perhaps has made less money than any fighter of his prominence. He is in the unfortunate position where he can't get matches and Dempsey is the only opponent in fight for him."

"Dempsey is almost in the same position. There is only one match in sight for him that the public would support and that is Tunney. I know that a Dempsey-Wills match never can be promoted in this country. If I didn't have good reasons for knowing this I certainly would have made the match years ago. Dempsey always has been willing to accept terms but I don't believe it would do the game any good."

Rickard takes real pride in what he has done for boxing in New York and all over the country, indirectly. Boxing to him isn't only a business, it's a real pastime and amusement for him.

Another Title for Bill?



Bill Tilden, national tennis champion, and one of the greatest players in the history of the game, is here shown about to return a hard drive in the vicinity of the baseline. Tilden, despite earlier reports to the contrary, seems to be in championship form and is expected to win the crown for the seventh successive time this season.

disappointment led to self-inflicted death. Quarrels. The younger generation seems as much addicted to suicide as the older which withstood the full rigor of the revolution. Childish quarrels, minor differences, scoldings at school, are frequently enough to terminate the life of a 15-year-old boy or girl.

Older persons turn to suicide on pretenses almost as slight. Business men who suffer small losses often prefer to end their financial struggle rather than to attempt to recuperate their fortunes. Typical in this respect was the recent suicide of a formerly wealthy Harbin merchant.

Being in emporary difficulty he called on a friend and asked for a loan of 15 yen. When this was refused he offered a revolver and a box of cartridges as security. Refused again, he calmly blew out his brains on the spot.

McKechine May Lose His Job With Pittsburgh Pirates

By HENRY L. FARRELL, United Press Sports Editor. NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—If the Pittsburgh Pirates fail to win the National League pennant this season it probably will cost Bill McKechine his job.

The failure of the club may be blamed upon inner dissension but it is part of the duties of a successful manager to keep his own house in order and harmony.

If McKechine was responsible for discipline that was visited upon Max Carey, Babe Adams, Carson, Bigbee and Eddie Moore, it certainly cannot be said of him that he feared to take drastic measures to restore order on the team.

Carey, captain of the team and a star for 16 years, was suspended and waivers were asked on him. Adams

and Bigbee were released unconditionally and Moore was sold to Boston.

Censured Men. Previously McKechine had publicly censured and fined a number of other players, giving substantiation to reports heard several times last year and more frequently this year that everything wasn't well on the Pirate squad.

McKechine and Fred Clarke, vice-president of the club, denied last year that cordial relations didn't exist among the players and between the players and the management, but it was significant that the team didn't play the real baseball in the world's series of which it was capable until John McGraw made some reflections on their courage.

Another Woman Swims Channel Defeats Two Men

By United Press. DOWRY, England, Aug. 28.—Mrs. Clementine Corson of New York, a Danish swimmer, negotiated the English channel in a successful and record swim from Cape Gris Nez. In so doing she defeated two men swimmers, F. E. Foy, the Egyptian giant, who swam up when seized by cramps at 2:50 o'clock today, and an English swimmer, Frank Perks, who quit a mile and a half off shore at 1:40 a. m.

The pretty 27-year-old mother of two children is the second woman to swim the channel. Mrs. Corson virtually collapsed after landing. She was taken to a hot bath and the grease scraped off her body. At 4 o'clock this afternoon she was asleep.

Fair weather aided the swimmers in their attempt. The sea was calm and a bright sun was shining when Mrs. Corson, Helmy and Perks took the water.

Helmy gave up to cramps early, but Mrs. Corson and Perks kept on, the latter abandoning his attempt a short distance off Dover. A big crowd on the beach cheered the plucky woman swimmer as she waded ashore.

"I was determined to make it or go down," she said. "I have to get to make some money for my kids."

BASEBALL HOW THEY STAND. BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Standing of the Teams, W, L, Pct. Teams include Modern Woodmen, Leveille-Maher, Oibelt, Legion, Salesmen.

TEXAS LEAGUE. Standing of the Teams.

Table with columns: W, L, Pct. Teams include Dallas, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Shreveport, Houston, Beaumont, Wichita Falls, Waco.

Yesterday's Results. Dallas 6, Beaumont 4. Shreveport 12, Houston 5. San Antonio 5, Fort Worth 4. Wichita Falls 8, Waco 5.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Standing of the Teams.

Table with columns: W, L, Pct. Teams include Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, New York, Brooklyn, Boston, Philadelphia.

Yesterday's Results. St. Louis 8, Philadelphia 3. Chicago 5, Boston 3. Pittsburgh 8, New York 7. Cincinnati 7, Brooklyn 0.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Standing of the Teams.

Table with columns: W, L, Pct. Teams include New York, Philadelphia, Detroit, Washington, Chicago, St. Louis, Boston.

Yesterday's Results. Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 1. Cleveland 6, Boston 1. Washington 13, Chicago 2. Detroit 8, New York 4.

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

Sharpers Active In Argentina; Fleece Tourists

BUENOS AIRES.—Although the shell game and "the old army game" have not yet become popular in the Argentine, many sharpers ply their trade with other schemes in which the victim has the same chance to win as the man who stands in the tent of an American circus side show and bets his hat that the pea is under the middle shell.

Reports concerning a remarkable machine which turns out new and perfectly good Argentine pesos at a high rate of speed appear every few weeks in the police news section of the press. The vendor of the machine makes a demonstration and "manufacturers" several hundred pesos worth of bills. He receives a payment down on the machine and promises delivery when the balance is paid. He usually returns to get the balance and turns out a few bills of small denomination merely to prove that the machine is still working perfectly, but anyway, he gets the first payment.

Wins Airplane Reliability Tour



Walter Beech (right) is the winner of the Ford Reliability Tour for commercial type airplanes, which took a score of machines over thousands of miles of country without a serious mishap. He is shown receiving congratulations from Louis Meister of Detroit, who took second place.

Sailing Vessel Sets Out To Sea On Voyage West

By W. A. KING. (United Press Staff Correspondent.) SYDNEY.—Romance went from the seas, say the old sea-dogs, with the deep-sea sailing ships.

If that is so, there is mighty little romance left to be garnered under the red ensign of the British. There are now only four British deep-sea sailing ships—the full-rigged ships, Monkbarons and William Mitchell, the barque Kilmailie and the four masted barque, Garthpool—and all of them were in Australian ports within the last year or so.

It was a sad end to a sentimental journey which had already cost her owners, the Marine Navigation Company of Canada, many thousands of dollars. In May last year she arrived in England with a cargo of nitrate from Chile, showing a heavy loss on her two-year's voyage round the world.

The Garthneill, then the Inverneill, was launched at Glasgow, Scotland, in 1895. She paid her way for more than 20 years, and in 1919 had her greatest fight against wind and waves. She left Melbourne in June 1919, in ballast for Bunbury on the southern coast of Western Australia to pick up a cargo of hardwood for South Africa.

Seven weeks later a strange barque was reported off Sydney. It was the Garthneill coming back from a losing fight with the storm devils of the great Australian gale. After refitting, another attempt to make westward failed. Then the master, trusting to providence that the westerly wind would hold, decided to take the route via the Horn and the Cape of Good Hope in order to reach Bunbury in time to keep his charter.

The west wind respected the brave man in charge of the Garthneill, and two and a half month after leaving Sydney, the Garthneill arrived in Bunbury, after traveling nearly round the world to reach a port barely 2,000 miles from her starting point.

Woman Lawyer's Death Is Due To Accidental Shot

By United Press. CHILDRESS, Aug. 28.—Belief that the shooting of Miss Lila Clark Franklin, youthful Ardmore lawyer was accidental, was expressed by her brother, G. H. Franklin, police captain, who arrived here today from New Mexico.

Miss Franklin, who came here in company with two young Alabama men, who were her college friend, was found shot to death in her room, Friday morning. Evidence gathered since then indicates the young woman accidentally shot herself, officers said.

The young men companions of Miss Franklin, Carl Farmer, 22, and Norman Stann, 24, will be allowed to proceed on their journey to California, it was indicated.

USED CARS

Used Cars are only as dependable as the dealer who sells them. Every Used Car I sell is guaranteed to be just as represented. Come in this week and look these over. 1925 Ford Roadster, 1924 Ford Roadster, 1923 Ford Roadster, 1923 Dodge Roadster, 1923 Dodge Touring, 1920 Dodge Touring, 1924 Dodge Touring, 1925 Dodge Touring, 1925 Ford Roadster, 1923 Ford Truck, 1924 Ford Truck.

Hunters Preparing For Dove Season Opens Wednesday

Sportsmen in this section are getting ready for the opening of the dove season, which opens Wednesday, Sept. 1, and continues until Oct. 31. The season also opens Wednesday, Sept. 1, on Yellow legs, prairie chickens and plover.

Eastland Golfers Invade Ranger Today

Ten golfers from Eastland will be in Ranger at 2 o'clock this afternoon to play local golfers. All the members of the Country Club are asked to come out to the club and enjoy the game with the visitors and home players.

Dr. Harry Logsdon has appointed Ray Calvert sports chairman to serve in the place recently made vacant by Gifford Clegg leaving the city. His assistants are Dr. Walter Jackson and Dr. C. C. Craig.

A good game is scheduled for this afternoon as the Eastland golfers number some splendid players.

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Suicides Among Youth's Causes Harbin Alarm

By VICTOR DE FRANCK (United Press Special Correspondent) HARBIN.—The suicides of two boys of 12 and 16 has focused attention here on one of the city's chief social problems—the extraordinary prevalence of suicides among the refugee population.

Their morale apparently permanently impaired by the horrors of the Russian revolution and the privations of their fugitive careers since they escaped the slightest pretext is enough to turn them to the final escape of the poison bottle, the rifle or the pistol. For months Harbin suicides have averaged one a day and one dark day there were nine victims.

School Work. One of the two most recent suicides, the 16-year-old boy, became depressed after receiving a bad arithmetic mark in his school examinations. After brooding over it for several days he poisoned himself with prussic acid in a field adjoining a Chinese village near here.

The owner of the field, fearing trouble with the police, carted the body to a neighbor's field. The latter shifted it in turn to another's property. Finally a week after the boy had disappeared his body was found in a country road with the face and arms gnawed off by dogs.

Less Spectacular. The death of the 12-year-old boy, while less spectacular, was even more mysterious. He was always cheerful and though the only son of a widowed mother, had no known reason for morbidity. He purchased a tube of sleeping tablets and swallowed all them at once.

Harbin suicides vary as much in method as in reason. Poison, drowning and the pistol are the most frequent forms but there was one man who lay upon a hot kitchen stove until he had sustained fatal burns and another who drenched himself in gasoline and set himself on fire. Hunger and poverty are the commonest reasons but police records include many cases in which some trifling

In Four States



The prettiest girl in four states is Miss Sarah Neumann of Evansville, Ind. She won at a contest in Indianapolis over beauties from Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky and Illinois. And instead of going to the Atlantic City parent she'll go to Hollywood where she has been offered a movie contract.

Woodmen Play Legion Double This Afternoon

Sunday afternoon at 2:30, the Woodmen and Legion will play off their two games that have been postponed rained out, or otherwise delayed. The Modern Woodmen are at present leading the second half of the Business Men's League while the American Legion team won the first half honors.

Everything points to a good game and fans are assured there will be no squabbling, nothing but baseball as both these fast teams know how to play.

The Woodmen line up will be as follows: Glenn, If; Pace, cf; Hazard, c; Peters, 2b; Lemma, ss; Love, 3b; E. Love, 1b; Jay, rf; Armstrong, p; Owens, lf; Watson will hurl the second game.

The Legion line up, Gallagher, rf; Peacock, 1b; Taylor, ss; Battles, 3b; Henry, cf; Brasher, lf; Renshaw, c; Lines, 2b; Jones, p. In the second game either Battles or Renshaw will do mound duty and in case Renshaw pitches, Brasher will catch and Judia will go into left field.

Palestine Wins Championship In Association

By United Press. AUSTIN, Aug. 28.—Taking the third straight game from Austin, 5 to 3, Palestine won the Texas Association baseball championship today. The East Texans won two games of the series played at Palestine.

Discussing some big debates in Congress on "Reclamation," one newspaper misspells it "Declamation." That is more nearly right in many cases.

An Odd Task



Margaret Wilcox, 18, is a life guard in an open air pool in Monument Valley Park, Colorado Springs. The pool is filled with melted snow from Pike's Peak and is crowded with bathers during the summer. Miss Wilcox is a regular water queen, having learned to swim when eight years old in the same pool where she now watches over others.

Class B Football Schedules to Be Arranged Sept. 4

A meeting of the superintendents, principals and coaches of the class B football schools in district No. 3 will be held Saturday, Sept. 3, at 1 p. m. in the Stamford high school.

All who are interested are urged to have representatives present. If the representatives cannot be present, the name of your school should be sent to L. W. Johnson, superintendent of Stamford schools, by Sept. 4, if you expect to enter a team.

The district must be sub-divided; a schedule made and officers elected. All entries must be in the hands of the committee by Sept. 4.

Football Squad At University To Begin Work Soon

AUSTIN, Aug. 28.—Coach E. J. Stewart of the University of Texas Longhorns will begin fall training for the Longhorns on Sept. 10, when he is expecting about 40 men to report. The first three or four days will consist of light work to condition the men, Stewart said, and will follow various forms of exercises and learning to handle the ball, punting, passing, sprinting and the like. Srimmage does not begin until a week or ten days after training starts.

After the first few workouts at scrimmage, the Longhorns will be pushed hard, as the game on Sept. 26, with the Oklahoma Southwest Teachers' College is the hardest first game the Steers have faved in years, Coach Stewart declared.

The Longhorn coach is urging that a larger number of athletes report for fall training. Despite the size of the enrollment of the university, fewer men report for football training when the seasons open than in smaller schools, Stewart said.

Coach Stewart is particularly pleased with the addition of Milton Kelly as the new trainer for the Longhorns. Kelly is from the University of Kansas.

RESULT OF GUN CLUB SHOOT IN EASTLAND

Following is the score for the Eastland Gun Club shoot, Wednesday afternoon:

Singles	
F. Fairless, Stamford	23x25
H. Shoemaker, Comanche	45x50
Walter Grey	32x50
L. A. Hightower	43x50
James Horton	48x50
Coley Harrell	12x25
Donald Kinnaird	32x50
Mrs. James Horton	44x50
Doubles	
Coley Harrell	25x26
Shoemaker	21x24
Horton	21x24
Hightower	19x24
A. C. Simmons	14x24
Mrs. Horton	13x24

The fellow who goes through life afraid of making a fool out of himself is one.

Tech Gives Out Schedule For Football Games

LUBBOCK, Aug. 28.—With a dozen letter men from the 1925 team returning and prospects excellent for a great machine this season, the Texas Tech Matadors will gather here Sept. 10 for training camp, when they will start a grueling series of workouts both morning and afternoon each day in preparation for the hard schedule they face this year.

Thirty-seven men of last year's squad have been sent invitations, and more will be sent others, but all high school graduates and junior college men may enter the camp, and are asked to do so.

The Matadors will don the Scarlet and Black under the most favorable conditions that a new school could possibly be expected to face at the beginning of the second year, and with the heaviest schedule ever attempted by so young a club, in the opinion of Tech fans, there are appearing on her schedule four teams of the T. I. A. A., two of the Texas, and one of the Southwest Conference. Of these seven principal tilts three are in the bullfighters' own back lot, though five starts out of the ten game schedule will be in Lubbock. The major game will be played at Fort Worth when they meet the T. C. U. Horned Frogs on Oct. 20. In addition to T. C. U., the Southwest Conference team who, by the way, is a contender of promise for the championship rag in that circle this fall, the Matadors will meet McMurry College of Abilene at the Abilene Fair, Sept. 21. Schreiner Institute of Kerrville, at the Panhandle South Plains Fair here, on Oct. 2.

Sain Edward's University of Austin, at Lubbock Oct. 8.

Simmons University of Abilene, at Abilene, Oct. 15.

Clarendon College of Clarendon, at Lubbock, Oct. 23.

Daniel Baker College of Brownwood, at Brownwood, Nov. 5.

Abilene Christian College of Abilene, at Lubbock, Nov. 11.

Howard Payne College of Brownwood, at Lubbock, Nov. 18.

West Texas State Teachers' College of Canyon, at Canyon, Nov. 25.

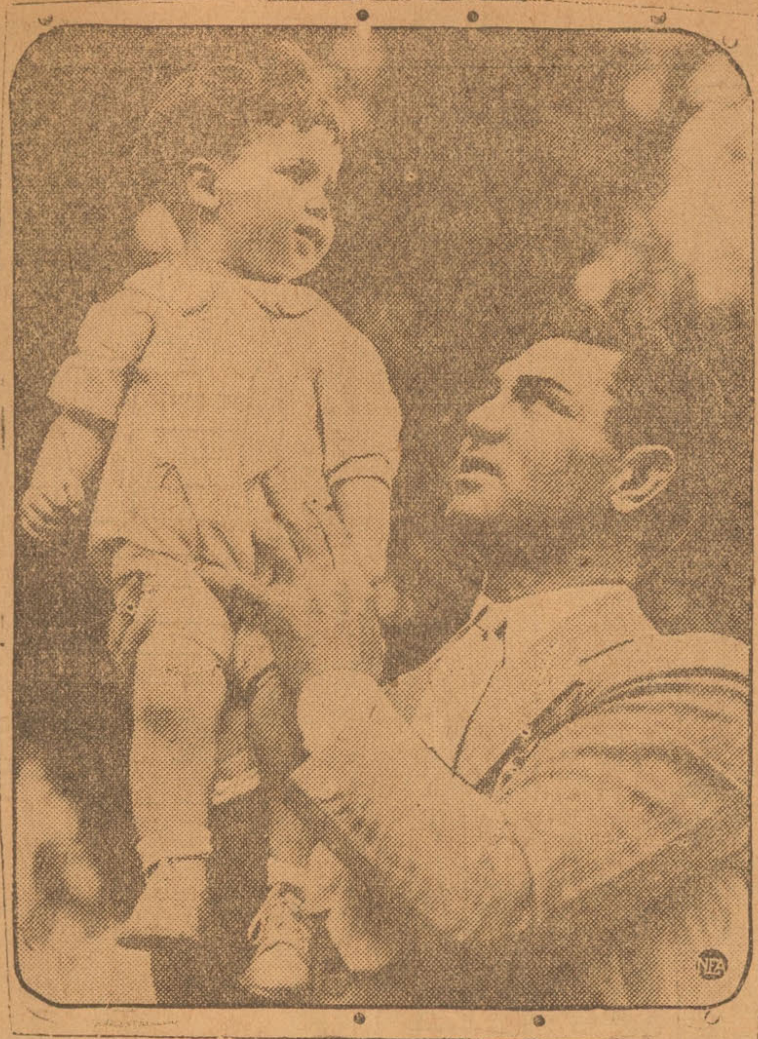
Mrs. S. Cohn Home From Eastern Buying Tour

Mrs. S. Cohn of the Cohn Millinery and Ready-to-Wear store, Ranger, is home from Chicago and St. Louis markets, and reports a most pleasant trip marketing and visiting with her daughters in Chicago and Detroit. Mrs. Cohn has added some new lines to her stock, as well as some attractive novelties. Her new goods are arriving, but not as fast as she would like for them to.

COAHOMA.—Force of men at work on pipe line from Chalf field to railroad, east of here.

The United States set a new world's record for 1925, with fire losses which totaled \$570,225,921.

Jack's Horshoe



Little Frankie Garcia, son and namesake of one of the fighters conditioning Jack Dempsey, has been adopted as official luck bringer for the fight. Here is the champion receiving Frankie's good wishes.

Joseph Returns From Tour of Eastern Markets

D. Joseph of Joseph Dry Goods Company, has recently returned from New York, where he has been busy buying fall goods for their five stores for the past four weeks, or more.

Mr. Joseph says that he bought some lovely things, and is already displaying some of the goods purchased, but said that the arrivals were slow.

A few new dresses and coats displayed are very rich in color, showing much gold braid, and many new shades.

A THOUSAND AIRPLANES WILL BE USED IN "WINGS"

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 28.—A small army of men today started a gigantic task of clearing a large area of ground near Camp Stanley here for the purpose of making an exact duplicate of the famous St. Mihiel battleground which will be used in the filming of "Wings," a Paramount production telling the story of the part played by the air service in the World War.

According to Lucien Hubbard, who approved the location before leaving for Los Angeles several days ago, more than 8,000 men will be used on the ground and nearly 1,000 airplanes in the air in the mammoth battle sequences which are scheduled to be re-enacted here Sept. 30.

MATHIS MAN ARRESTED IN SAN ANTONIO

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 28.—R. J. Leahy of Mathis, sought since Wednesday in connection with the slaying of Dr. J. A. Ramsey of Mathis, was arrested here today. Leahy is already under \$20,000 bail bond in connection with the case. Leahy was married here Wednesday, officers learned today. They then located the bride and questioned her. Leahy was arrested in a residence in a fashionable part of town.

NEDERLAND.—Sun Company to develop its acreage in this vicinity. Loading and unloading pier, tank farm and other improvements included.

Texas cotton crop for 1926, estimated at \$541,000,000.

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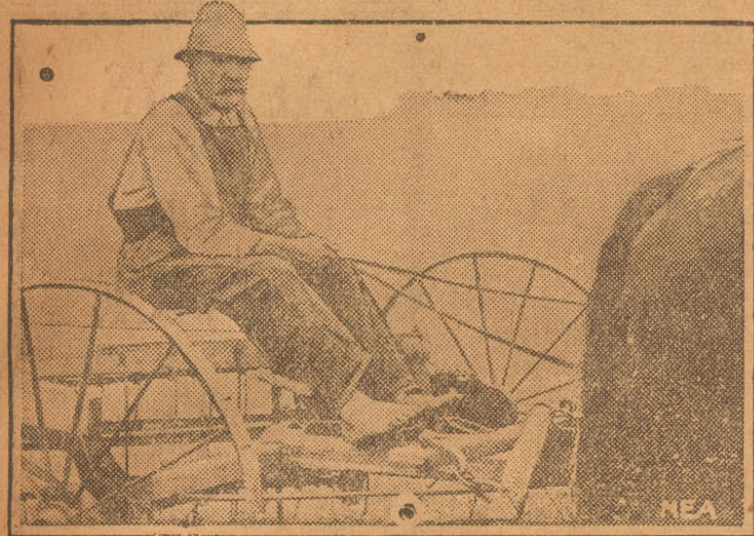
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SURVEY OF BUILDING OPERATIONS REVEAL BEAUTIFUL HOMES

A survey of Ranger reveals many homes being made new, as well as some new ones being built. Probably the most elaborate home that has been built in Ranger for several years is the C. E. May home on Cypress street, which is made of Thurber red brick with white trimming and slate roof in the Old English style, with entrance from a concrete terrace to the front, and side entrance on the east.

The house has seven rooms besides the bath, a large living room extends the whole length of the front of the house, and is climaxed in a fireplace near the front entrance. There are a living room, dining room, three bedrooms, a breakfast room, closed in back porch and kitchen and closets innumerable.

One pleasing and practical feature is that access to the bath or other parts of the house can be had from any bedroom without going through another room, as a hall running the length of the rear of the house takes care of that.

The wood work throughout is a beautiful ivory, while the floors in all the rooms except the kitchen and back porch, which are edge grain pine, are hardwood. The bathroom has a tiled floor and is equipped with both shower and tub bath. Built-in cabinets and closets add to the beauty and convenience of the kitchen. All the bedrooms have numerous windows, and are so arranged that they have an east exposure.

Guest Room. The guest room opens on the side porch, as does the living room, thus giving an added entrance. Wallpaper has been chosen with the greatest taste and the pretty light fixtures that are seen in each room, a chandelier in the dining room and living room, with pretty shaded drop lights in the bedrooms, add an additional touch of beauty and attractiveness to the entire house. Mr. and Mrs. May have been several months planning this home, and hope to move in this week. It represents a "heap of planning" and is a real home in every sense of the word from the front door to the back porch.

J. M. White Improvements. The J. M. White home at 1121 Pershing street has just emerged from the contractors hands all remodeled inside and out and stands as one of the most attractive and commodious homes in Ranger. There are nine rooms, all of goodly size, including a living room running across the front of the house, a dining room, a breakfast room in grey and blue with black trim, with built-in buffet, a kitchen in white, featuring a white and grey Acorn range and built-in cabinet, closets and four bedrooms, and a bathroom that is the last word in modern plumbing, beauty and usefulness.

The older part of the house which consists of the living room, dining room, and guest room has had its old floors replaced with handsome hardwood ones. The other rooms have pine floors in the natural finish which are exceedingly attractive.

In the bedrooms there are mirrored doors at every closet door, and each bedroom has a roomy closet, while the master bedroom has two dressing rooms opening in to it.

The light fixtures in the living room consist of four wall brackets, two at each side of the fireplace and two at each other side of the room with a crystal chandelier as a center. Ivory cane fixtures predominate in the dining room, with fixtures in all other rooms in harmony with the furnishings.

The house is painted white with a black roof, and black screen trimming. The spacious front porch is gay with its awnings of orange and green strip, and pretty porch furniture, while a

side entrance on the east, with walks leading to the front, is another novel and pretty feature.

Killingsworth. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Killingsworth, have recently bought the Way place at 820 Young street and are converting it into a most lovely and desirable home. The house was a good one to begin with, and yields nicely to the touch of the contractors' transformation wand. A large sleeping porch has been added. The front and the back porches have been enlarged, and the entire house from front to back has been repapered, floors done over, woodwork all made like new, and the house painted on the outside, white with a dark green roof. A pretty pergola lends beauty to the lines of the remodeled front porch. New light fixtures will be installed, bathroom fixtures done over and added to, and the house in every way transformed, however, its newness will not make it any more like home, sweet home to the Killingsworths, as they have been living at this location for the past two and a half years.

W. W. Housewright. The W. W. Housewright home on Pine street, is another forcible example of what can be done in the way of remodeling an old house. The cottage that Mr. Housewright bought from Dr. Palmer, was really not an old house, but had been built only a few years. This cottage was moved to the back and to it was added a living room of big dimensions, ending in a fireplace, flanked with deep book cases and high windows, at one end and several large windows at the other end, a sun parlor of many, many windows, east of the living room on the front, opens into another large room, that also opens into the living room with French doors, as does the dining room. In the rear are two good sized bedrooms, bath and kitchen. This house is painted white with green roof and black trimmings, and has a deep front porch, with entrance a little to the side. Striking wallpaper, handsome light fixtures, and all the newest things in home equipment have been employed by the Housewrights to make this a most livable home. It is not quite ready for occupancy, but already bears all the ear marks of a home.

Same Calendar Used By Man For Half a Century

MARIPOSA, Calif., Aug. 28.—After 56 years of constant use, the calendar that belonged to the late S. P. O. Counts, county treasurer here for more than a half century, has been given to John L. Dexter, local collector of historic curios.

The calendar has three compartments, which contain cards bearing the names of the days, months of the year and numerals for the date. It is estimated that Counts changed the cards more than 70,000 times in 56 years.

FIRST METHODIST PASTOR WILL FILL HIS PULPIT

Rev. F. E. Singleton, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Eastland, has recently returned from a vacation spent at Redsea, N. M., and will fill his pulpit today. His subject for the morning service, which will be at 10:45, will be "Some Church Problems of Today." There will be no evening services at the Methodist Church on account of the union services which are being held in the city,

constitutes the longest stretch of double line of any one system in the world.

When Harriman first acquired control of the system in 1898, the road's double trackage totaled only 11.33 miles. He immediately set about planning a systematic and substantial increase in second-track construction, looking toward the time when there would be a double-tracked road from Chicago to the Pacific coast. His death in 1909 made it impossible for his entire scheme to then be realized.

Activity in 1917 brought about urgent need for double tracks, through the rapid development of trans-continental shipping of fruits and vegetables from the Pacific coast. The final stretch of 25.8 miles, terminating at Sandy, Utah, traverses two rockbound canyons which presented engineering problems as formidable as any in modern railroad construction.

DOTHAN NEWS

DOTHAN, Aug. 28.—Justine Bowen has returned home from visiting relatives and friends in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ramsey and children, Vivit and Claborn Yeager, attended the Primitive Baptist Association at Joy, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Crawford of Cisco visited Mrs. J. F. Jones, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Camp are the parents of a baby boy born the 16th of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Short of Fort Worth are spending a few days with Mrs. Robert Short.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Carey spent the week-end with Mrs. Carey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jones.

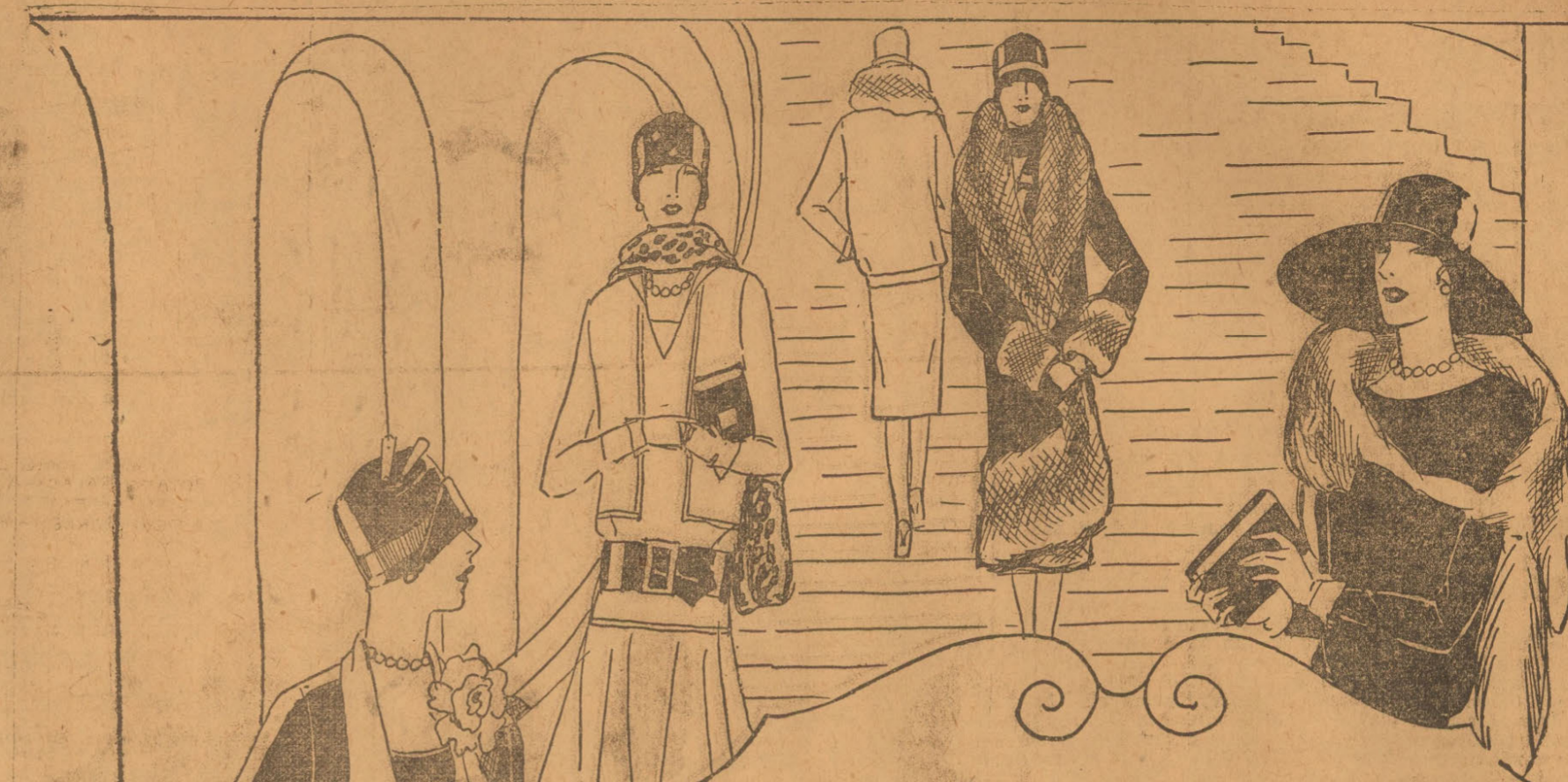
Misses Ina and La Ville Evans and Talmadge Green of Cottonwood visited Mrs. H. W. Sublett and family Sunday.

B. F. Holland of Austin will preach here beginning last Thursday night this week and will continue each night until Wednesday.

Miss Maude Smith is visiting her brothers at Hamlin.

Who remembers away back when they quit calling fast music "rag-time" and started calling it jazz?

Big oaks from little acorns grow and lightning strikes more oaks than any other tree.



Introductory

NEW FALL MODES

With the opening of the Autumn season, fashions in feminine apparel undergo a complete change of identity emerging in a new and colorful guise; rich in fabric and lavish in the use of fur.

Simplicity Still Marks The Smartest Models!

But there is an originality of line and detail that makes them distinctly new. Velvet, moire, satin and rep are the chic fabrics for Frocks, while Coats are of tweed like wools, deep pile fabrics or the favorite—broadcloth.

Here's a collection of models marked by the individuality characteristic of this house.

\$29.50—\$35.00—\$49.50—\$57.50

Another New Lot

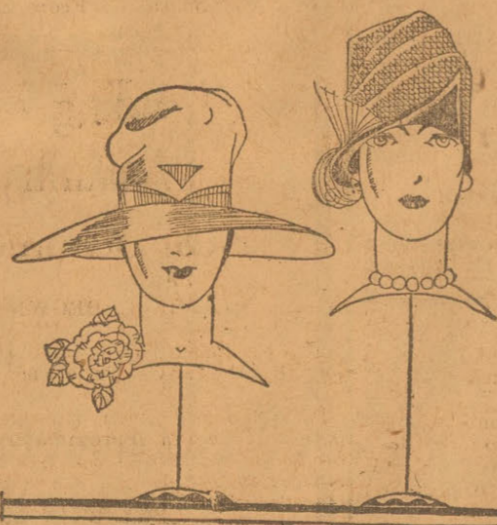
of those pretty

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The Millinery mode for fall pays marked attention to crowns, and by clever blocking and deft folds, achieves smart effects.

In this lot are Gypsy Reds, Forest Green and the new shades of Tan, including the popular Cedarwood. Some are of the close-fitting type, while others have high crowns and wider brims.



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Railroad Agent Tunnell Says Business Good

"Our business shows no decrease," Agent B. A. Tunnell of the Texas & Pacific railroad, at Ranger, said when asked if shipments on the road showed an increase over last year. Mr. Tunnell explained that it was hard to use last year as a comparative year for it was the months from June to September when Ranger was feeling the effects of the Barney Carter pool at Sand City and the oil business was at that time heavier than it had been since the boom. This year there has been nothing unusual to offset that influx of business, but had last summer been a normal year, then this year would doubtless show an increase over the same period last year.

"Business is good all over town," Mr. Tunnell said. "The railroads are busy and are making daily shipments of all commodities that are peculiar to this section."

When asked about probable improvements, Mr. Tunnell stated that as far as he knew, the overpass at North Commerce and Hunt streets and the bell system signal at the Blackwell crossing were about the only things in that line contemplated just now.

Harriman Dream Is Realized System Is Double Tracked

By United Press. SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 28.—Although the great railroad builder, E. H. Harriman, is dead, his long-cherished dream and the project for which he himself laid the foundation a quarter of a century ago, is completed with the final double-tracking of the entire Union Pacific main line system from Omaha to its western terminus in Utah.

With the completion of the last stretch in Utah the double-tracking extends for a total of 1,528 miles and

Goes To Newly Made Diocese Of Amarillo

(Continued from page one.) which includes Breckenridge, Cisco, Eastland, Baird, Clyde, Amarillo, extending to Sweetwater. In all the parishes he has been untiring in his efforts to build up the church property and promote the spiritual life of his people. He is a man of a most happy disposition, always smiling, simple in the conduct of his life and affairs, avoiding any show of ostentation and the only thing that in any way mars the joy of his people and his friends outside of the church in Ranger, in his new appointment, is that he will be transferred to Amarillo, when Right Reverend Bishop Joseph Lynch, who is now in Canada, returns to notify him officially of his appointment.

Church People. Bishop Gerken comes from church people. A brother, the late Very Reverend Leo Gerken, of Dubuque, Iowa, died July 10, 1923.

In additions to Ranger people who have been clamoring for an opportunity to congratulate Bishop Gerken on his appointment, telegrams have been received from many high dignitaries in the church. Among those sending congratulatory wires were: Right Reverend Monsignor D. H. Dramond, rector of the cathedral of Dallas; Very Reverend Monsignor Robert Nolan, director of St. Patrick's church, Fort Worth; Very Reverend Dean Thomas O'Brien of Amarillo; Very Reverend Monsignor Alard of Sherman; Sisters of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio, and Archbishop Arthur John Drossaerts, of San Antonio.

Ranger feels very proud to think that this honor has fallen on one in her midst and rejoices with the members of Saint Rita's church, and its former priest, in the high honor bestowed at the hands of the pope.

Reformatory Convicts Are Being Retaken

IONIO, Mich., Aug. 28.—One by one the 24 convicts who escaped from Ionio state reformatory early Saturday, were being taken into custody. The fourth prisoner at large, Richard Anderson was apprehended late Saturday, aimlessly walking down the streets of Ionio.

Previously the deputy sheriff had taken into custody two men at Shiloh, 14 miles from here, and captured another in a swamp, five miles south of Ionio.

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SHE'S A REAL TWO-GUN SHERIFF

Woman Captures South's Most Feared Killer; Saves His Life by Threat to Shoot "Lynchers"



TEXARKANA, Arkansas.—There were dark sinister shadows, surcharged with hints of unseen terror, filling the formless hollows of Red river bottoms. The night was very dark, and a cool breeze rippled the water and made the hidden leaves whisper in eerie fashion.

Trees and bushes and hillocks were blurred into fantastic shapes in the dusk. It was a night when fear and terror lay over the lowlands like an impalpable, chilling mist.

Down in the depths of this lonely waste the killer was in hiding.

Even for the frontier he was "bad"—He had killed six men and wounded three more in a year's time. He had escaped from jail after being captured. A price of \$2,500, "dead or alive," was on his head. He was well armed.

Through the dimly lighted glades of the river bottoms came a woman. She was placid, almost motherly, in her manner. She looked as though she might be a good-natured, sheltered school teacher, or a calm housewife. But around her waist she wore a six shooter.

A Woman Sheriff. She was Mrs. Lillie Barber, sheriff of Miller county, Arkansas, leading a posse to the lair of Keenie Wagner, most notorious and desperate bad man of the South.

Last year she was in fact the very quiet housewife that she now appeared. Her husband was sheriff; she stayed at home. Then, one day, her husband was shot to death by bootleggers. And Governor Tamm of Arkansas appointed her to fill the unexpired term.

The job had been easy. Mrs. Barber had not had to show her mettle. She found being sheriff no more exciting or dangerous than keeping house.

Until, the other night, word came that shooting had broken out on the Williams plantation, down the river. Two brothers, Will and Sam Carper, were dead, and a third brother, Bob Carper, lay dangerously wounded. And Keenie Wagner, the notorious "Texas Slim", who had shot them, had fled to the Red river in the darkness of the night.

"Better not go down there they told Mrs. Barber. "This Texas is a bad guy. He shoots over his shoulder, and he never misses what he shoots at."

She shrugged her shoulders and lay aside her sewing. "I wouldn't send my deputies anywhere I wouldn't go myself," she said. "I've only got a few more months in office, but while I'm here I'll do my duty."

So she organized her posse and led them down into the shadow-haunted river bottoms.

Blood hounds picked up the trail of "Texas Slim"; picked it up, lost it, found it anew. The deputies spread out fan-wise, with their hands on the butts of their guns. Behind any bush or clump of trees, grotesque in the dusk, "Texas Slim," who never missed what he shot at, might be waiting.

At their head walked Mrs. Barber calm and serene.

All night they beat through the tangled undergrowth, toiled up and down hills and forded muddy creeks. Then darkness began to give way to a pale light, and the dreary clouds

Negro Church Floor Collapses, 16 Are Injured

MINERAL WELLS, Aug. 28.—Singing the Doxology with customary Southern vehemence, caused the floor in the negro church to collapse and precipitate a large portion of the congregation of several hundred into the basement of the church.

Sixteen persons were injured seriously and three of them sustained injuries that necessitated the amputation of a foot. The accident occurred late Friday night during the annual Sunday school convention of the Fort Worth district of the African Methodist Episcopal Church.

The night session of the convention was to have ended with a prayer, followed by the rendition of Doxology, but the sudden collapse of the floor precluded carrying out the regular program.

The convention was closed prematurely today on account of the accident.

Nationalists Of Germany In Big Celebration

By United Press.
NUREMBERG, Aug. 28.—As a counterblast against the republicans' celebration of constitution day, the nationalists in this historic city today began a two-day reunion of patriotic ex-service men, which, according to the program issued for the occasion, is to be a "milestone on the road to the fatherland's patriotic revival."

If splendor and military exhibitions are indications of strength, the nationalist movement is—after its temporary setback again coming to the fore. For these two days, ushered in this morning with their reveille, sounded by military bands stationed all over the city, promise to be an impressive martial spectacle, such as the country has not witnessed since the days when the kaiser reviewed such demonstrations.

100,000 Uniformed. According to conservative estimates, 100,000 uniformed ex-soldiers have responded to the call of the nationalists. Almost all units of the imperial army are represented.

The ex-generals alone would form a small regiment. Clad in gaudy pre-war uniforms, the old Prussian eagle flashing on spiked helmets, their chests covered with tokens of distinguished careers, these generals return salutes with old-fashioned gravity, as if there had been neither a war nor peace.

Prominent among the guests of

Congo Ike



honor at the ex-crown princes of Germany and of Bavaria, princes of minor standing and east and finally, General Ludendorff, making his first public appearance since his divorce.

Prince to Review. Following the reveille, the troops will parade at noon on a large square in the center of the city, where the princes and their suite of generals are to review the formations and to make speeches, with airplanes

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Murdered



Clayton Van Doran of East Omaha, Ia., is under arrest charged with the first degree murder of his wife, Elsie. Van Doran is said to have confessed that he murdered her during an argument that started when she refused to darn his socks.

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soaring overhead, dropping flowers and handbills.

Afternoon will see the principal guests in council considering ways and means to consolidate the forces which their appeal brought together. Towards evening there is scheduled a round of banquets and other festivities where important speeches are expected. And after dark will come the culmination of today's proceedings—a torchlight parade in front of the hotel of the princes and generals with patriotic speeches from the balcony.

HIGH SCHOOLS SHOW INTEREST IN PLAY

AUSTIN, Aug. 28.—A great deal of interest is already being shown by the larger high schools of the state in the one-act play contest which will be held for the first time this year by the University of Texas Interscholastic League, according to Roy Bedichek, chief of the League Bureau. Many inquiries concerning this competition have been received at the league headquarters, it is said.

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Careful attention has been given to the smallest detail and you will find the very latest of fashions whims in accessories—of them obviously of Parisian origin.
Frocks, wraps and coats—millinery, lingerie, and accessories are invitingly displayed, making a visit to every department a pleasure, and a help in the planning of costumes for every occasion.
Fall Hats New Hats accentuate the importance of the crown which reaches its height by a surprising number of clever patterns. Crushed or folded, in pointed or square, it is utterly individual and becoming—Felt and velvet lead the mode.
Fall Dresses The world of fashion has breathlessly awaited the arrival of the first Fall models, and our line of smart fall dresses are proof of an ample reward. Both daytime and evening modes are here in our new fall collection.
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Love at First Sight Is All Right, But Hasty Marriages Usually Wind up in Court

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AN AGED COURSE.

Golfer: "I went round this course in 85."
Friend: "Really? I didn't know it was as old as that."—Good Hardware.

Texas Bachelors Club Brings Out Ire of Maidens

By RENA B. CAMPBELL.

Why can't women let men alone humer them in their little idiosyncrasies—they're just boys after all and never grow up. The Texas Bachelors Club was organized at Slaton recently, for the same reason that a boy whistles in the dark, and almost ended in a riot, when a woman, and I take it an old maid, as she had a Miss to har name and no married woman or widow would take such a club seriously, announced the organization and advised them to "go back to your homes, seek out a good woman, marry her and be happy. Kill this damned instrument of human misery at its birth; crush it, destroy it, and apologize to the world for your presence here tonight."

She talked awful to those would-be bachelors, told them what it might mean to posterity if the club became nation wide, and that another generation of their sort would rock the foundation to a shattered mass. Piffle. (She needn't have taken the organization of a statewide and maybe national wide bachelor's club so seriously. She should have set out to have vamped her own and cured him of his error instead of stigmatizing all bachelors in the country.)

Why not let them have their thing—and when they get all set and fully organized, get a list of all the eligible ones, for naturally there are some that are impossible or some woman would have caught them up long ago, and state on this list, the age, occupation, coloring and worth of each, and sell the maffing list to worthy old maids and widows, or invite them to convene with the old maids or widows clubs—a joint session—a tete-a-tete, for a two sort of thing that ends at the altar and invites the maids of the bachelor's club. Personally I'm for the first, just one last fling at youth and liberty.

MISS NORMAN HONORS HOUSE GUESSES

Miss Madeline Norman honored her house guest and former room mate at S. M. U., Miss Lela Bell Flannery of Alford, with a pretty bridge party Friday afternoon. The Norman home was gaily decorated in flamboyant zinnias, plucked from their own flower garden, the hostess them at every available place. The groups about the four tables of bride were all young girls and young matrons, whose colorful gowns and hats vied in beauty with their floating.

A half dozen Madeira napkins was the high score prize and went to Miss Mary Lucy Seymour of Strawn, while a "Green Cat" novel had to be attached to Milady's coat, went to Miss Dorothy Taggart of Eastland. Mrs. Harold Durham assisted Mrs. Norman in serving a charmingly appointed two course luncheon to the guests who were from several different towns. Ranger guests were Miss Helen Stafford, Sue Dean, Florence Alice Palmer, and Mrs. Ernest Fletcher. Miss Lois Margum from Henrietta and Miss Thelma Jamison from Coffeyville, Kan. Strawn guests were Mrs. Evelyn Watson, Mary Lucy and Jane Seymour, Thelma Hurst; Eastland guests were Misses Dorothy Taggart, Eleanor Norton, Myrtle Allen, and Mrs. Earl Brewer with the honor guest, Miss Flannery, from Alford.

AB LIBITUM CLUB MEETS IN OLD

The charm of going a visiting added to the pleasure of the Ranger members of the Ab Libitum Club this week when they met with Mrs. H. B. Clifton at her home in the Magnolia Camp at Olden.

The Clifton home was gay with late summer flowers, which furnished a perfect setting for the three tables at bridge.

Handsome hostess were the high prizes and went to Mrs. John Moyer and went to Mrs. John Moyer and went to Mrs. R. J. Norman who made club high score. The cut prize, a dainty hand-embroidered guest towel, went to Mrs. Jimmie Tolland.

MRS. MCDONALD HOME AGAIN

Mrs. William N. McDonald and baby son, have arrived home from Waco, where Mrs. McDonald has been for several months. While this is Master McDonalds first visit to Ranger, he seems well pleased with the town.

MENU FOR A BUFFET SUPPER

Mary Janes Parker of the home economics department, Calumet Baking Powder, writes charmingly about what to serve at buffet meals, as follows:

Although there are no set rules as to the food which should be eaten at buffet suppers or luncheons, there are certain types of dishes which are more suitable and are served with a greater ease.

The table from which the food is served is laid with a beautiful luncheon cloth, with a centerpiece of flowers. Lighted candles add greatly to the attractiveness of the table and if in the evening, give a more mellow light.

All silver and china must be conveniently placed so the guests may help themselves with little difficulty.

As to the dishes served, there is a wide variety from which to choose. Hot scalloped or casserole dishes such as potatoes, corn, macaroni, cheese croquettes and creamed foods in pret-

TUESDAY—Child's Welfare Club Called meeting at 4 p. m. at Gholson.

WEDNESDAY—Rotary Club at the Gholson at 12:15 p. m.

THURSDAY—Lions Club Luncheon at 12:15 p. m.

FRIDAY—Public Library open from 9 to 5 p. m.

Foods which are prepared some time in advance are more appropriate than those which require careful attention of the hostess, while her time should be given to the entertainment of her guests.

Stale bread cut into cubes or fancy shapes and either toasted or fried in deep fat offers many possibilities in serving creamed dishes, or if a cool day, they may be served with a clear soup for the first course.

Menus
I Tomatoes Stuffed with Chicken Salad
Hot Fried Potatoes
Hot Buttered Rolls
Peach Cottage Pudding with Hard Sauce

II
Veal Croquettes
Creamed Potatoes with Parsley
Individual Perfection Salads
Baking Powder Biscuits
Assorted Cake Squares
Ice Cream Coffee

III
Sweetbreads and Mushrooms au Gratin
Mixed Fruit Salad
Nut Bread Sandwiches
Chocolate Pudding

SIX-YEAR-OLD HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Aug. 24 was a memorable day for little Charles Davis, for on this day he arrived at the age of 6 years and in order to properly celebrate the event, a number of his playmates were invited to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis, to enjoy a birthday party with him.

After enjoying various games, the children were invited into the dining room where the dining table's lovely appointments were climaxed in a birthday cake, gay with six lighted tapers.

Punch, cake and Eskimo pies were served and each child was presented with a favor before they left the table.

Mmes. Ross Hodges and J. E. Matthews assisted Mrs. Davis in entertaining and serving the little guests, who were Florence Sue and Byron Dodson, C. E. May Jr., and Doris May, Billy Ross Hodges, Steve Lillard III, Jane Matthews, Cynthia Lillard, Virginia Patton and Betty Lou Lillard.

NEW NOTES FROM T. C. OF M. AND P. T. A.

One entire day of the annual conference of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations convening at Fort Worth, Nov. 15 to 18, will be given over to an extraordinary school of instruction in which the large program for child welfare as promulgated by the Texas Congress, will be explained in detail, so planned the Executive Committee of the Texas branch of the national congress of Parents and Teachers in its meeting last week in Austin.

There will be six parts to this school of instruction, corresponding to the six departments of the work and each part will be under the direction of the vice president who has oversight over that particular department.

Other features of the program decided upon by the committee were a conference on leadership for the general assembly, scheduled for Monday, Nov. 15, 2 p. m., while the board of managers hold their pre-convention board meeting; reports of officers and sectional meetings for Tuesday; and reports of state chairmen, Thursday.

The general theme of the meeting will be "The Educational Significance of the Parent-Teacher Movement," and the evening addresses as well as the business program will keep this topic in view. Well known educators and speakers are being secured for the addresses.

The local committee of Fort Worth is planning many events for the entertainment of the visitors. It was stated by the state president, Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, who had just conferred with this committee. Monday evening there will be a complimentary banquet for the board of managers, and the evening program will be in the hands of the local people. A tea, dance, and complimentary luncheon by the Chamber of Commerce and Rotary Club are among the other courtesies announced.

Members of the executive committee present last week were: Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, Ranger, president; Mrs. Noyes Darling Smith, Austin, vice president at large; Mrs. A. P. Todd, Houston, recording secretary; Mrs. Monroe Chapman, Beaumont, vice president and director of public welfare; Mrs. L. E. Ledbetter, Austin, vice president and director of health.

EASTLAND COUNTY FOLKS ATTEND FARM BUREAU FEDERATION

The annual convention, Thursday and Friday, held at Stephenville of the district farm bureau federation, was well attended, and Eastland county well represented, among these Mr. and Mrs. Rufus H. Bush of Eastland.

This regional meeting was in charge of Mr. Campbell of the John Tarleton College, who has headquarters in Dallas.

Several convincing talks were made, R. H. Bush, speaking on "What California is Doing in Farming, Poultry and Raising."

Miss Goldie Green, spoke interestingly and Miss Swift of the A. and M. College, presented a fine address on the co-operation of women, with the

Will Conduct Cooking School



MRS. IDA CHITWOOD

Under the auspices of the Eastland Telegram, Mrs. Ida Chitwood, noted dietitian and home economics expert, will conduct a cooking school in the auditorium of the city hall, Eastland, the week beginning Sept. 27.

farm bureau, and work in community development.

Mr. Bush distributed the Central West Texas Chamber of Commerce West Texas Fair catalogues, and called attention to the co-operation of the Civic League, in holding their eighth annual flower show, in connection with the fair, and extended an invitation to send their exhibits to the flower show. Miss Swift announced her intention of visiting the flower show.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabel Lewis, who has been in Houston and Fort Worth for the last three weeks returned to Ranger, Saturday.

WOMANS MISSIONARY SOCIETY ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Womens Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet Monday afternoon as usual, on account of the revival services now in progress. Members please take notice.

ACORN ACRES MICCA OF MANY

One of the most interesting things was recently bought to light about Acorn Acres, and that is that night after night, three men from Eastland, all prominent business men of Eastland motor over here nightly for their dinner, often motoring thirty miles to get here. They keep a standing order with Mrs. Slack and if they don't get here, they pay for the dinner anyway. On Tuesday, Mrs. John D. Gholson entertained with a dinner party for six in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bergere; again on Wednesday Mrs. Gholson entertained with a luncheon for eight ladies for Mrs. Bergere, and on Wednesday Mrs. Dean of Cisco entertained with a luncheon for a party of four; Mrs. Geo. Bohning entertained, Martha Marie Gholson and her daughter, Miss Gwen Bohning at dinner Thursday; The Trefoil Club of Eastland, which meets regularly at Acorn Acres were there for lunch Thursday. Mrs. John Knox, Jr., of Eastland also entertained a party on that evening, and Mrs. C. C. Craig had five guests Friday for luncheon for Mrs. Bergere.

A. N. LARSON GOES AFTER FAMILY

A. N. Larson left Saturday for Waco where he goes to bring back to Ranger, Mrs. Larson, their daughter, Mrs. E. Edwards, Harry Bergstrom, L. E. Edwards, Harry Bergstrom, E. W. Rand, E. E. Freysehlag, Frank Weaver, Alex Clarke, Theodore Ferguson, John M. Knox Jr., Roy Ashe of Clarksburg, W. Va., Miss Alfa Winston, Miss Tully Graves of Oklahoma City; and Mmes. C. C. Craig, L. T. Gullahorn, John M. Gholson, Winnie Bowden toward Gholson, and Miss Gwendoline Bohning, all of Ranger.

CHILD'S WELFARE CALLED MEETING

There will be a called meeting of afternoon at 4 o'clock to consider some very important matters. Members will please bear in mind that it has been two months since there was a regular meeting and since Miss Connally, head nurse, has resigned, and a new nurse is imminent it is absolutely necessary for the club to have a full meeting Tuesday afternoon.

PERSONALS

Rev. J. A. Pruitt of Shreveport,

in these days of mannish styles.

We hear so much of late about boyishly bobbed locks, mannish hats and forks and the general trend toward the masculine in feminine attire! But as long as women skimp on household budgets to buy lace-trimmed skirts and bloomers, we need not worry about their becoming too masculine. Most of us recall the time when it wasn't exactly "nice" to wear silk underwear. Fine hand-drawn and embroidered batistes in virginal whites were considered the only lady-like garments for the gentle sex. Today few women wear cotton underthings and silks cannot be too sheer or lacey. How distant the days seem when we wore black lisle stockings and starched white muslins! These things seem to coarse and masculine to us now.

One of the new satins, chiffon and georgette this season are all adorned with dainty lace, pleats, appliques, and contrasting pipings in a manner which leads directly away from the tailored theme. White, flesh-pink, peach, orchid, yellow and Nile green, are favored colors with the majority of women, the more fastidious woman demands undergarments which harmonize with her various frocks. Thus shades of beige, rose beige and gray are forming many of our new step-ins, vests and bloomers. Smoky rose, smoky green and misty maize are among the fall shades which conform with the duller tones for outer apparel.

Since some of the newer frocks for fall have a suggestion of the normal waist line, newer underslips are also made with the waist lines formed by tiny tucks, lace insertions or narrow ribbon sashes. A new slip combines a snug jersey silk brassiere with a slender skirt.

FIRST CHRISTIAN.

Main near Marston, H. B. Johnson, pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m. by Bro. Clark. Brother Clark is back from their worth while, as is his custom. Brother Walton is very anxious to have the largest Sunday School of the year—don't disappoint him. We are very much delighted with the revival conducted by all the churches of the city, led by Brother Hogg. The pastor is anxious that every member of the church put themselves into this meeting and pray and work for a great revival. Brother Hogg is a great preacher and leader. Come and worship with us. If you are a stranger in the city come and spend an hour with us in worship with us this morning.

FIRST METHODIST

Every member of the Methodist Church is specially urged to attend the Sunday School and 11 o'clock service today, as well as the evangelistic services of the meeting now in progress. Sunday school will meet promptly at 9:45 and close at 10:45. The pastor has a special message for the church at the 11 o'clock hour.

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"They had to have twin beds, so they could quarrel at long range," says Mr. Hawks, "and I think the serpent must have been picking on the cat, or there would have been no fur flying in the garden. In spite of domestic rows, however, I am inclined to think Adam and Eve had a pretty fair time. In any event, Adam didn't have to wear a stiff collar."

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Wider Highways Are Needed, Will Be Aid To Autoists

More than \$3,650,000,000 a year is the loss in the United States from inadequate traffic facilities and control, according to the report made in Washington by a committee of the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, promoted by Secretary Hoover of the department of Commerce.

As a relief from this condition, wider highways are being urged by all the organizations identified with highway traffic, transportation and construction. The adoption of wider highways is pronounced in some states, many roads known as "super-highways" being projected with at least four one-way traffic lanes and sometimes six or eight, with the heavy trucks separated from the lighter automobiles and with better provision for highway safety. In New York City a double-decked street is being projected south along the Hudson River docks from Riverside Drive and in Chicago another double-decked street, known as the Wacker Drive, is already under construction, the lower level, paved with granite blocks, being for heavy truck traffic and the upper level, paved with asphalt, being set aside for automobile traffic. Like the new asphalt boulevards that traverse Grant Park on the Lake Front in Chicago, Wacker Drive is intended to relieve downtown traffic congestion by transporting the through traffic around the "loop" and across the city.

The Michigan State highway department is building a "super-high-

THE FOLKS BACK HOME



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J.F. WILLIAMS
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No Pellagra After Three Treatments

Dr. W. C. Rountree, Texarkana, Texas.
Dear Doctor—I had Pellagra five years. I was nervous, had stomach trouble, rash on hands and arms, skin itched and turn brown, sore mouth, could not eat or sleep, lost weight and got awful weak. I tried many treatments. Took Hypodermins six months, got no relief. I took 3 of your treatments and was well of Pellagra. I wish I could influence every one who has this terrible disease to write you. W. W. FOUST, Hico, Texas, Rt. 1.

way" from Detroit to Lansing and one is proposed to run along the west shore of Lake Michigan to Milwaukee. Cook County, Illinois is undertaking a vast program of widening her existing roads. Commercial losses from traffic congestion are becoming serious in the large cities. Records kept by a Philadelphia taxicab company show that its cabs lose on an average of \$2.50 per day each, because of traffic congestion. The loss in one year represented 9.5 per cent of the work-

ing time for a fleet of 836 cabs. Applying half the loss shown by the Philadelphia cabs to the 90,000 automobiles registered in New York City, the committee arrived at an estimate of more than a million dollars a day lost in New York alone. For the entire United States, it was conservatively estimated that the loss runs up to an average of \$10,000,000 a day. The fuel loss and the wear and tear on cars and trucks due to stopping and starting at street intersections, it is considered, is com-

parable to the loss in time. Highway officials, engineers and traffic experts are also moving for the improvement, with the less expensive types of hard surfacing, such as asphalt penetration macadam, of the secondary roads everywhere, so as to relieve the trunk line highways, which must necessarily bear the through traffic, of the purely-for-pleasure sort, thus to relieve congestion and afford the lighter pleasure vehicles more room in which to cruise on hard road surfaces.

House Of Commons Members Do The School Boy Act

By United Press.
LONDON.—The schoolboy challenge of "come into the alley and repeat that and I'll lick you," has recently become a byword of this house of commons.

Bitterness between the ruling conservatives and the Liberals and particularly the Labor members over the coal crisis, frequently results in heated passages of threats back and forth across the chamber.

On one occasion recently two members actually engaged in a fist-fight while returning from the house of Lords.

Captain T. J. O'Connor, Conservative member from Luton, on another occasion angrily crossed the house and asked a Socialist member to step outside the house and repeat what he had said while Prime Minister Baldwin was speaking on the Eight-Hour Bill.

O'Connor declared that the Socialist member had shouted the charge that Baldwin "was trying to line his own pockets in pressing for the passage of the bill."

Garlic Revives Woman Rendered Unconscious

By United Press.
SAN JOSE, Calif.—It remained for T. Castro to discover hidden potencies in common garlic. When Castro's automobile collided with another machine, a woman passenger was knocked unconscious. Cold water was dashed into her face without effect.

Castro rushed to the tonneau of his machine, where a sack of fresh, succulent garlic lay. He waved one bulb under the unconscious woman's nose. She breathed deeply and sighed. He waved it again and her eyelids fluttered. With the third flourish she jumped up in full possession of her senses.

Chrysler to Make New Four Cylinder Car for Low Price

The Chrysler corporation announces a new four-cylinder motor car—the "50"—at the lowest prices for which a Chrysler has ever been sold. Better riding comfort, greater roominess, a full sized car in which modern space engineering has been surprisingly utilized, easier handling, speed with comfort up to the car's maximum, the economy of 25 miles per gallon of gasoline—these and other features, notably the apparent great value built into the car, are expected by the Chrysler organization to make the new car an immediate outstanding success in the small car field.

Announcement of the new "50" marks the fourth and final step in Walter P. Chrysler's gigantic quality standardization plan of building four quality cars to supply the four greatest motor car markets under one name, by one manufacturing organization, engineered by the same group of men to one quality standard, built in one group of plants, and economically marketed by one unified distributing organization.

Prices of the car indicate strongly the tremendous advantage of group

manufacture under Chrysler's quality standardization plan, with its practical advantages of low cost production.

HASKELL.—Concrete crossing to be built over Paint Creek at Scott's crossing.

POT ARTHUR.—Route of proposed Houston-Port Arthur Railway being surveyed.

PILGRIM'S PROGRESS SELLS FOR \$34,000

LONDON.—Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress," in a perfect and unrecorded first edition, recently sold here for \$34,000. The highest price previously paid for this work was in 1922, when a copy lacking eight pages sold for nearly \$11,000. When the book was first published it sold for 30 cents.

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Motor and body in A-1 condition; new top, new tires, upholstery good; winter enclosures.

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Four new balloon tires; bumpers, front and rear. This car in good shape.

CHEVROLET TOURING, 1925 MODEL

A good car in every respect. Has been exceptionally well treated.

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Motor and body inside and out extra good condition; three new tires and two good tires; car equipped with bumpers, motorometer and big wheel.

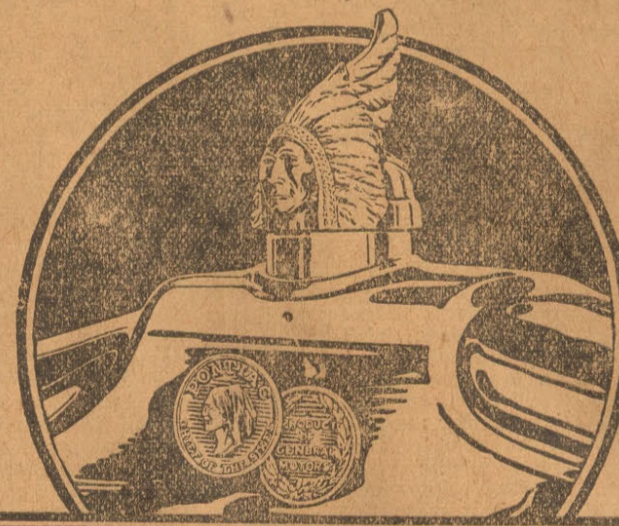
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Waters Of Lake Recede Again, Proves History

By United Press. LAKEVIEW, Ore., Aug. 28.—As the waters parted in the Red Sea to allow the children of Israel to reach the land of "milk and honey," so did they recede at Goose lake, Oregon, to allow the seekers of gold, in the days following the rush of '49, en route in emigrant trains, to pass over its smooth bed.

It was Indians, not Egyptians the emigrants sought to elude. The story of how they outwitted the Indians by putting away from the original Oregon trail and traversing a stretch of the lake bed, was told by the settlers themselves, but doubted.

It was in the same section that a band of Plutes and Modocs lay ambushed in the lava beds a few months afterward and massacred a contingent at Bloody Point. Scores, including women, were killed.

Recently the emigrants' story has received belated confirmation. The waters of the lake again receded and where the lake once nestled a scant sheet of not more than five miles of water remains.

With the old floor of the lake exposed, traces of the rutted wheel tracks made by the wagons and ox-carts remained, a silent legend of the romance of three-quarters of a century ago.

Rates on Gasoline From Ranger Are Declared High

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Fright rates on natural gasoline from certain points in the Ranger group in Texas to destinations in Eastern and Southern territories were held in a report by an Interstate Commerce Commission examiner Friday to be not unreasonable except to Brunswick, Ga. The commission must pass on the report.

A reasonable rate to the Georgia point was recommended and the commission was asked to award reparation to the Chestnut & Smith Corporation, Phillips Petroleum Company and the Texas-Pacific Coal and Oil Company of Texas on past shipments.

No Information. Officials at the Texas & Pacific Railroad office, Ranger, today said that they had not yet received any word of a change in rate to this point, but the published notices of action of the commission always came in advance of the tariff that effects

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a change. Some intimation that the rules might be changed, but what particular shipments they would affect is not known. The proportionate rate to Shreveport is 19 1-2 cents, but there specific rate to various groups beyond that point is applied but it was not known here just what group the ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission would effect.

PET MOTORING GLOOMS. And with the verse we haste to class "Great jumpin' cats, we're out of gas!"—Youngstown Telegram.

But sadder still are those who say: "I thought I had the right of way."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Oh, gee, how I can rant and swear When wifey says: "They're swiped our spare."—Newark Advocate.

These sad laments do make one blue, But non distresses us on bit As much as "This month's payment due Upon your car, so please remit!"—New York Sun.

"Aw, rats!" to use a horse-age phrase "What's worse'n this here fog-horn craze?"

BIG SPRING.—Curbing being set and pavements laid on several streets.

MUCH RESPONSIBILITY RESTS ON PERSON BEHIND STEERING WHEEL, COURTS HAVE DECIDED

WASHINGTON, August 28.—The invisible burden of responsibility shouldered by the person who takes the steering wheel or who even owns an automobile is outlined in a bulletin issued by the insurance department of the chamber of commerce of the United States on the liability of the motorist.

Many and various ways by which the driver or owner courts trouble are indicated. The driver who knocks down a street-sweeper is worse off than one who hits an ordinary pedestrian. The owner of the family car must answer, as a rule, for what the family does with it on family errands. To loan a car to an incompetent driver is to pay the reckoning for what the incompetent driver does.

These and other conclusions are based on a series of court decisions, involving general principles of liability, reviewed by the insurance department. It explains the theory of liability and contributory negligence, which may differ to some extent according to the laws of the different states, and indicates the liability of the motorist in the following typical cases.

Generally speaking, pedestrians and automobile drivers have equal rights in the use of the public highways. Each must use the highways with regard to the rights of the other, and exercise reasonable care to avoid accidents. The motorist is bound to exercise special care in dull or rainy weather. He has no right to compel a pedestrian to yield the right of way.

Particular care is required of an automobile driver for safety of children. The caution is required of the driver varies with the capacity of the person in danger to care for himself. In some jurisdictions it is held that a child under 7 years of age is incapable of contributory negligence. It is to be remembered that a child exercises reasonable care when he behaves as a child of his age, experience and of normal intelligence ordinarily would.

A person whose duties require him to work in the street has different rights with respect to traffic than pedestrians. Drivers of automobiles are bound to take notice of laborers in the streets and to exercise special care not to injure them. A worker in the street is not negligent if so occupied with his work that he does not watch for approaching vehicles.

When approaching a railroad crossing it is important for the motorist to ascertain whether a train is coming. It has been held to be negligence per se to try to beat a train over a crossing. The tendency of the law is to exact greater care of those crossing railroad tracks, since the consequences of a collision between a train and an automobile are apt to be serious because of the great danger not only to the occupants of the automobile, but also to the passengers on the train.

It is the duty of an automobile driver when he observes the frightened attitude of an approaching horse to check his speed and otherwise take reasonable precautions to prevent the horse from getting beyond control of the driver.

BOARDING OR LEAVING STREET CARS. A motorist approaching a street car which has stopped at a usual place to take on or discharge passengers is required to be especially careful for the safety of persons boarding or leaving the car. Under such conditions, the law imposes a higher degree of care upon the motorist than upon the pedestrian.

When an automobile is not kept in reasonably good mechanical condition and an accident occurs, due, for example, to defective brakes, the motorist is liable for all damages unless the injured was contributorily negligent. When an automobile owned by a municipal corporation is being op-

erated in the exercise of a public function, the municipality is ordinarily not liable for its intelligent operation. When such an automobile is being used in the performance of a private corporate function, the city may be held liable for the negligence of the driver. Thus a city has been held not liable for negligence in the operation of an ambulance used in connection with a public hospital, or in the operation of automobiles in its fire and police system; whereas a city has been held liable for negligence in the operation of a car in the maintenance of a municipal lighting system.

An automobile owner is responsible for the conduct of his chauffeur while performing the business of the owner. Between the owner of the automobile and his chauffeur, while the latter is engaged in the owner's business, the relation of master and servant exists and the rules applicable to the relation apply.

THE GUEST HAZARD IS EXPLAINED

As a rule an automobile owner is liable for the negligence resulting in injuries to a guest while an occupant of his car. There are exceptions to this general rule. An automobile owner or driver may be relieved of liability on account of an injury to a guest, when the guest is guilty of contributory negligence. If a driver is operating a car in a reckless or dangerous manner and the guest having time and opportunity for protest makes none, he has no recovery against the driver. This failure to act is construed as contributory negligence. Ordinarily a passenger in an automobile has no control over its operation and is not liable for the driver's negligence, but a passenger who participates in the active management of the car may be liable for the negligent conduct of the driver.

An automobile owner is not ordinarily liable for the negligent operation of his car by a member of his family merely because of the family relationship. The liability arises when the car is being driven for the owner's purposes or those of his family, and is usually based upon an extension of the doctrine of agency. Thus it has been held that a father was not liable for the negligent driving of his son, when the son was on his own personal rather than family business. On the other hand, an owner of an automobile was held liable in case where his daughter injured a pedestrian while driving her father's automobile to get a pair of her shoes.

The owner or driver of an automobile, in the absence of plain indications to the contrary, has the right to assume the safety of the highway for driving purposes. Liability for accidents caused by defects depends largely upon the motorist's knowledge, or opportunity of knowledge, of the existence of such defects.

Liability When Car is Loaned

In the absence of a specific statute, when an automobile owner loans his car to another person, and the borrower uses the car for his own purposes, the owner is not liable. It has been held that an owner is liable when he knowingly lends his car to an incompetent person, and that person injures someone by negligent driving. The owner here is negligent in lending his car to this type of person.

SWEDISH STAMP EXHIBIT

By United Press. STOCKHOLM.—A full exhibit of Swedish stamps will be sent by the Swedish Postal Department to the International Stamp Exposition to be held in New York, Oct. 16 to 23, this year.

Life is like an empty vase; you must put something into it before you can take anything out.

New Sport Roadster Of Dodge Bros. Now On Display

The new sport roadster with rumble seat which is now being displayed in the show-rooms of Dodge Brothers dealers everywhere offers an unusual combination of beauty and service. The dashing appearance and smart rakish lines of this new addition to Dodge Brothers line will win the instant admiration of every one who takes pride in a touch of individuality in the appearance of the car he drives.

There is a striking contrast between the tan colored top, the brilliant pheasant green lacquer of the body and hood and the lustrous black of the fenders and shields. The highly polished nickle of the bumpers, lamp rims, radiator shell, windshield stanchions and top how trimming adds a distinctive touch.

The cushion and back of the rumble seat, like the front upholstery, are of buffed gray Spanish genuine leather, constructed over spring frames to insure maximum riding ease. The back is high and well pitched. The deck is so constructed that when the seat is folded the rear compartment is absolutely waterproof, even in the rainiest weather.

Exceptional space, easily accessible through a large covered opening behind the driver's seat, is provided for carrying golf clubs, tennis rackets, parcels or luggage.

Changes Noted In Star Cars For Next Year

Wright Motor Company announces important changes and improvements in Star Four and Star Six passenger car bodies.

Two 3-4 in black beads, the first extending around the body at the belt line, the second bead extending from the radiator across the hood and around the body, approximately three inches below the belt line, supplemented with ornamental gold stripes, add tone and quality to the bodies, serve more clearly to define the handsome stream lines and suggest a lower center of gravity.

New colors, Persian blue in the fours and bronze green in most of the sixes, further improve the appearance of the line.

A highly polished lacquer finish, comparable in looks with the best varnished job replaces the satin finish hitherto given Star Car bodies.

Changes in contour of seats in some of the closed bodies; more generous seat padding; larger bodies for some of the closed models and a superior quality of upholstery material are some additional body improvements.

Collin Campbell, Vice-President Durant Motors, Inc., state that these improvements are simply another manifestation of a settled policy to maintain supremacy of quality for Star Cars in the low-priced four and six cylinder models.

Air Sleeping Cars Are Latest Device Made in Germany

By United Press. BERLIN.—The world's first "flying sleeping cars" are in the course of construction at the works of the Deutsche Lufthansa, one of Germany's leading firms of aircraft manufacturers.

By a patented device the ordinary seats in the machines used for day-time flying are convertible into comfortable berths. The machines will be installed on long distance routes where plans are being laid to supplement day services with night-time air expresses.

OAKLAND GIVEN SEVERE TEST BY TIRE COMPANY

A. R. Glancy, president and general manager of the Oakland Motor Car Company, received this last week an unusual testimonial from officials of the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company regarding Oakland performance. This latter company purchased an Oakland two-door sedan in September, 1925, to be used in tire testing. It was loaded with dead weight and up until July 1 had been driven 71,700 miles at a total cost of \$139.70. Of this amount \$10 was for repairs following a collision.

And off it goes us quite a pain. To read: "Gasoline Goes Up Again."—Macon Telegraph.

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1925 Touring	\$225.00	1924 Roadster	\$135.00
1924 Tractor	\$300.00	1925 Coupe	\$290.00
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Pontiac Line Is Enlarged By a Landau Sedan

The Oakland Motor Car company announces a new addition to the Pontiac Six line, a landau sedan, as companion to the two other cars in the line, the Pontiac Six sedan and coupe. This new six-cylinder car is in answer to the demand for a low priced car combining distinctive appearance with the genuine richness of appointments. This four-door type of enclosed body has all the distinguishing characteristics that have come to be associated with the landau sedan as the richest and most completely equipped in any line.

It has the lowslung Fisher body, colorful in its sledge green duco finish, with hood and wheels advantageously set off by the pleasing contrasts of black upper structure, fenders and other metal parts. The rich coloring is further enhanced by French gray striping on body, hood, hood louvers and wheels. The rear quarter is trimmed in dull leather and embellished with landau irons. This new car likewise has the double beading characteristic of the Pontiac Six line, lower beading extending completely around the car in straight line.

In interior appointments the landau sedan fully equals its striking exterior coloring and lines. It is upholstered in fine texture wool velour that harmonizes with the exterior finish; has shirred side pockets in the front door, roller shades on rear windows, dome light, foot rest, robe rail, nickel plated high speed window regulators, door locks, door controls and invisible door checks. Its equipment also includes nickel plated radiator and Indian head radiator cap, cowl lights, read vision mirror and Fisher VV one-piece windshield with automatic cleaner. The sun visor is of distinctive design, with a nickel-plated support bracket on each side. Both compartments are spacious and roomy.

The car possesses all the noted mechanical features of the Pontiac Six line including the powerful six-cylinder engine of 186.5 cubic inch displacement, interchangeable main bearings and automatic spark control. It lists at \$895 f. o. b. factory.

Bricklayers are all right. Don't lay many bricks. But look at the hen—she lays only one egg a day.

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CARBON NEWS BRIEFS

CARBON, Aug. 28.—Roscoe Hazelwood of Stanton visited L. J. Hazelwood this week.

Mrs. Claude Greer and children of Cisco, visited L. G. Hazelwood and wife, Monday.

A. D. Thurman, who is working at Albany, visited home folks Sunday.

Clint Basham and family of Amarillo are visiting relatives here. Elgar Butler and family of Eastland visited Mrs. W. S. Houck, Sunday.

Willie Gillis and family of Eastland visited in the home of W. M. Burns, Sunday.

Mrs. E. C. Morgan and children of Dallas are visiting in the home of J. T. Peol.

Mrs. Guy Dunnam returned to her home at Houston, Tuesday, after a visit with relatives here.

M. C. Tucker and wife returned Wednesday from a trip to Galveston.

Mrs. Paul Poe of Rising Star visited relatives here Tuesday.

Luzell and Francis Guy returned Monday from a visit with Mrs. Broughton of Abilene.

Mrs. J. F. Brown and H. H. Guy visited Mrs. Paul Poe of Rising Star, Tuesday.

Miss Bettie Maye Jackson visited Miss Thelma Groves of Eastland first of the week.

Mrs. W. F. Jenne and Billy returned Monday from the Plent.

Mrs. John Cox of Stephenville and Rev. Henry Cox and wife of Martinteen spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hearn on their way to visit their son and brother, Ed T. Cox of Eastland.

U. S. Dependence Stimulates Hunt For Potash Wells

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Spurred by the ominous reduction of productivity of American soil, the government is engaged in a search for potash, one of the three essential constituents of fertilizer, and one for which America now is paying virtual tribute to a Franco-German monopoly.

This country is well provided with the other two constituents of fertilizer—phosphorus from the vast deposits in Wyoming, Utah and Colorado and nitrogen which can be manufactured at Muscle Shoals.

A foreign potash monopoly, officials of the U. S. Geological Survey pointed out today, holds more menace for this country than a foreign rubber monopoly, because as the soil is exhausted, use of fertilizer will become absolutely necessary or America must become dependent upon the rest of the world for food.

For example, according to the bureau of soils, a crop of wheat yielding 25 bushels of grain and 2,500 pounds of straw removes from the soil in an acre of ground 80 pounds of nitrogen, phosphorus and potash combined, of which 21 pounds is potash. At this rate a crop of 250,000,000 bushels of wheat represents a withdrawal of 100,000 tons of potash or nearly five times the present total American production.

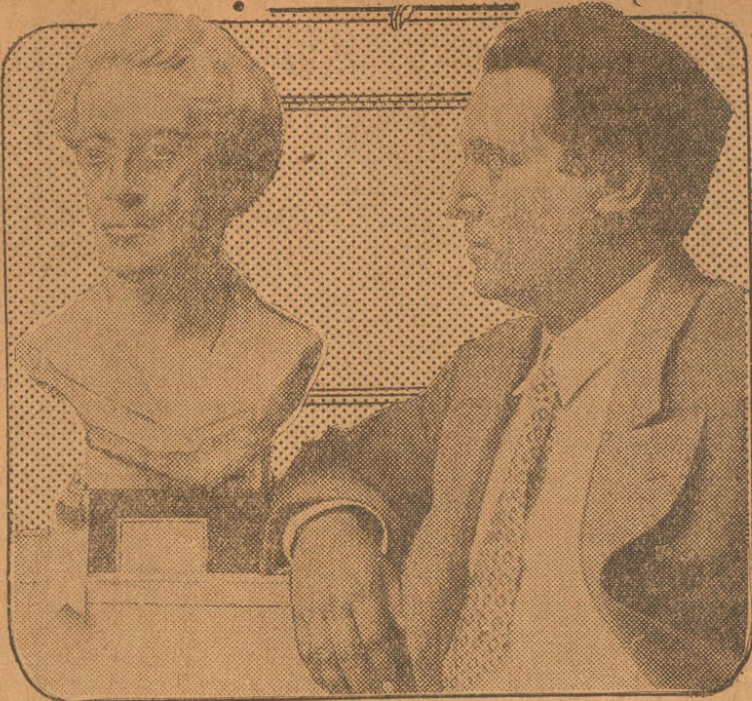
The actual need for fertilizer has not yet been felt generally although incertain sections failure to use it already shows serious results. In Missouri land that produced 40 bushels of wheat to the acre now produce only 15, it was pointed out. Increased acreage and the fact that the soil not yet has become generally less

productive, accounts for the national continued large crops, it was said. Nevertheless soil exhaustion must come without fertilizer and the U. S. Geological Survey is conducting an extensive investigation in Texas to determine if potash deposits accidentally discovered there by oil-well drillers are sufficiently large to warrant mining operations.

MARKET PRODUCTS
By United Press.
OTTAWA, Ont.—More than \$300,000,000 worth of agricultural products will be marketed co-operatively by farmers' organizations in Canada this year, according to estimates of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Crop conditions in Howard county, reported excellent.

Bust of Ellen Scripps Wins Prize



S. Carlsone Scarpitta, internationally known sculptor, won a \$500 prize offered by the Fine Arts gallery in San Diego, Calif., with his bust of Miss Ellen Browning Scripps. The bust is considered an unusually good likeness of the well-known California philanthropist.

Rural Schools In Eastland Are In Good Shape

Other than the fact that the state apportionment has been lowered the rural schools of Eastland county, with the exception of those having only a 20 cent tax rate, are in good financial condition, according to the county school superintendent, Miss Beulah Spear.

At state-wide campaign, backed by the state Congress of Mothers and Parent Teachers' Association is being carried on in an effort to have the state legislature pass a special appropriation at the coming special session of the legislature for the relief of the schools, and for this purpose citizens are asked to sign and circulate petitions addressed to their representatives asking that this appropriation be passed as soon as possible. Copies of these petitions for signatures may be had from the county school superintendent should any community desire to circulate one.

Another date was made, and this fell during the chautauqua. This was cancelled and now the dates fall during the revival and its either cancel or forfeit, so the "buddies" say, buy your tickets and then go to the revival.

They are just as sorry as can be for no organization tries harder to tune in with the interests of the town than do the American Legion, but it's a case when they can't resign any more on their bookings.

Legion Explains Why It Cannot Cancel Picture

The members of Carl Barnes Post No. 69 of Ranger have met with some criticism because they have announced their benefit picture, "The Unknown Soldier," for Sept. 8 and 9. The members regret this conflict but it was either show the picture now or forfeit their deposit as they have already canceled dates on this picture twice on account of conflicting events in the city.

Six months ago the picture was booked for a date in the latter part of May. It was then canceled on account of it coming at the same time of the school graduation exercises and closing events.

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Increase Noted In Consumption Of Ice Cream

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Increased American consumption of ice cream is indicated by the gain noted in estimates by the United States department of agriculture in the use of whole milk during the year 1925 in comparison with the figures for the preceding year.

In 1925 the consumption of whole milk for the manufacture of ice cream exceeded that of 1924 by 511,211,000 pounds. The per capita consumption of whole milk for 1925, 54.75 gallons, is the same amount as reported for 1924.

Mexia Oil King Will Wear Suit Made of Duck

MEXIA, Aug. 28.—J. H. Hughes, Mexia oil king and president of the Mexia Textile Mills, with Railroad Commissioner Lon A. Smith, have conveyed a live publicity stunt to boost the Mexia duck factory.

Smith and Hughes will attend the State Fair of Texas, and circulate around the crowd clad in suits made of ducking from the Mexia Mills.

Chamber of Commerce members and other citizens of Mexia also are planning to wear the same garb when they attend the Fair.

Al Tune Named Delegate to Legion Meeting, Amarillo

Al Tune was named special delegate by the Carl Barnes Post No. 69, of Ranger, to the State American Legion convention at Amarillo on Sept. 8, 9, and 10, at the last meeting of the Legion. Tune has been instructed to vote for R. C. Winters of Abilene for state commander.

M. Starr and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cummings are going also and is possible C. C. Patterson and W. C. Hickey will make the trip.

Most of the party will go to Abilene and take the special train from there, as they can make the round trip for \$21.50.

Old Letter Found Brings To Light Story of Tires

Speed in postal deliveries has kept pace with speed in everything else connected with our general mode of living. A letter mailed in New York today, through the medium of the speedy air mail service, will be delivered in San Francisco tomorrow evening. A letter received a few days ago at the New York Branch of The B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company affers great contrast to such speed, for this letter was posted 18 years ago at a point less than a mile distant from the present location of the branch office.

The 18 years, however, were not consumed in travel, for the letter got caught in the mail chute in the Mills Building and there it reposed until wreckers, engaged in the task of tearing the building down, tore apart the chute and found it.

When the letter was opened another surprise came to the younger members of the branch organization, for it contained a check drawn for the amount of \$25.20 to cover the retail price of two inner tubes. The same tubes today would not cost more than \$10.00.

This comparison of present day tube prices with those paid by automobile owners 18 years ago accents the progress made by the rubber manufacturing industry in a very impressive way. The very growth in the use of the automobile has depended as much upon this progress in rubber manufacture as it has upon standardized production of motor cars.

Eighteen years is a long time for a letter to be delivered, but it is a short time for such an economic change as the lost letter indicates has taken place in the rubber industry. And, as Goodrich officials point out, it shows how a very essential item in transportation's accessories has steadily declined through years that have brought advances in practically all other commodities.

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Olney Reports One Good Well During Past Week

Special Correspondence.
OLNEY, Aug. 28.—At least one good producer was completed in the Olney district fields last week. It is the Madden and Hunt No. 4 on the Benson estate, Young county, which was drilled to 850 feet through a 23 foot sand and is flowing 150 barrels. The well is in the T. E. & L. survey and is 300 feet east of No. 3.
Of three other completions for the week, the Cook and Reeder No. 3, A. M. Kunkel, is being watched with considerable interest.
The well swabbed salt water for 24 hours before oil began to show on the slush pit. Cement was set early in the week at 1169 feet. Gates-Bacon-Lee completed two wells, their No. 7 and No. 8, in the Thomas survey, Archer county. The first is pumping 60 barrels from sand struck at 1167 feet, while the second, with sand at 1148, has been reported to be pumping 20 barrels of oil.
Thirty permits were issued during the past week through the office of G. W. Tilley, deputy oil and gas supervisor. The Olney district consists of Jack, Archer and Young counties.

Republicans Can't Say Much About Tariff

By CHARLES P. STEWART.
(NEA Service Writer)
WASHINGTON, August 28.—Senator William M. Butler of Massachusetts is not a very talkative politician. This is fortunate, because, when

he does say something political, it generally is something that would have been, politically, far better unsaid.
His recent offering on the subject of the tariff was a case in point. The tariff is an excellent thing just now for Democrats to discuss. At worst they risk nothing by doing it and they may gain votes by it. It's an equally good thing for administration Republicans to keep still about because their party's split on it, and the more they say, the more the split is apt to widen.
As all men know, industrial eastern Republicanism likes the present high tariff, protects the industries. As everybody knows further, agricultural western Republicanism wants the tariff lowered, on the ground that it doesn't protect farm products but does make the farmers pay excessive prices for everything they have to buy.
Nobody doubts that the industrial folk will do their best to hang onto protection, but it's clear that they should make as little noise as possible, lest they enrage the farmers into voting the other way or turning insurgent.
Now then comes Senator Butler with the remark that the tariff not only isn't too high, but so far as his particular industry—textiles—is concerned, it isn't high enough. That, he adds, is what is the matter with the textile industry, which is depressed, or professes to be.

IN THE COURTS

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Johnnie Adkins and Miss Ethel Tankersley.
Suits Filed in District Courts
In re liquidation, Security State Bank and Trust Company.

Musical



Who says elephants aren't musical? Here's Ernest Davis, tenor of the Cincinnati Zoo grand opera, giving "Li," the elephant, his daily singing lesson.

World's Largest Passenger Plane In Maiden Trip

By United Press.
LONDON.—The world's largest airplane on any regular air route, recently made its maiden trip from London to Paris.
The airplane, the "Argosy" is one of the planes on the continental air route from Croyden, near London, to Paris, and connects with other European points from there.
The plane carried 20 passengers and made the 225-mile flight in 105 minutes, or at an average speed of 130 miles an hour.

Grosbeck Plans Egg Laying Contest During December

Special Correspondence.
GROSBECK, Aug. 28.—Both professional and amateur egg layers of all breeds from all countries will be eligible in a novel egg laying contest which will be conducted here during November.
Pens are being built on the Allen Egg Farm to house the contestants. The tournament opens December 1 and will last until New Year's Day, and the winner will be well rewarded. Fifty prizes and ribbons are to be awarded.

ALLAMORE.—Texas and Pacific railroad to put in two 10-hour shifts at rock crusher here.

Tires Play Big Part in Auto Racing Game

Automobile racing is condemned by many for its hazards even when confined to special tracks and specially built cars and run by racers of excellent driving ability and expert skill, but it has done much for the development of the motor car.
Not only have revolutionary designs in motors and cars had their first try-outs on the racing track, but says Mr. Vaughn, manager of the Thomas Tire Company, the foremost developments in pneumatic tires have been born of speed-track necessity.
The gruelling test of racers going a 100 miles an hour has given the engineers a relatively long history of tire performance packed into a few short hours. They have been able to check results of design changes and know from racing experience what would be of greatest economic value to the general motoring public.
Last year was an exceptional year in racing history inasmuch as every one of the major events showed new records made. This fact is not merely a coincidence with the development of the balloon tire, but leading engineers say it is one of the direct results of such development. They point to the records of 1915 and 1916 which followed the development of the Goodrich Silvertown Cord—the first cord tire.
Speed, endurance, economy—all of the things the modern tire provides are the result of developments which the racing track proved out and made practical and safe for the motoring public.

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General Motors Car Sales For Month of July

Retail sales in July by General Motors distributors and dealers totaled 101,576 cars and trucks. This compares with 65,872 in July, 1925, and 60,836 in July, 1924, an increase of 54 per cent over the corresponding month a year ago.
It will be noted that retail sales have shown a decline each month since May, at which time the corporation established a new record. This decline is in line with the usual trend of sales during these months of the year.
The corporation's sales to dealers for the month of July reflect the same seasonal tendency, as manufacturing operations were curtailed on account of the introduction of new models at this time of the year. Also for the same reason the corporation's sales to dealers in August are expected to substantially increase.
Sales by months follow:
Dealers Sales to Users
1926 1925 1924
January . . . 53,698 25,593 33,574
February . . . 64,971 39,579 50,007
March . . . 106,051 70,594 57,205
April . . . 136,843 97,242 89,583
May . . . 141,651 87,488 84,715
June . . . 117,176 75,864 65,221
July . . . 101,576 65,872 60,836
7 months . . . 721,766 462,232 441,144
These figures include passenger cars and trucks sold in the United States, Dominion of Canada and overseas by the Chevrolet, Pontiac, Oldsmobile, Oakland, Buick and Cadillac manufacturing divisions of General Motors.

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The VANITY CASE



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BEGIN HERE TODAY:

Mrs. Prentiss sees mysterious lights in the Heath household next door one night and the next day Harbor Gardens, Long Island, is agog over the murder of Myra Heath and the disappearance of her husband, Perry.

House guests of the Heaths are Lawrence Inman, heir to Myra's fortune, and Bunny Moore, beautiful, vivacious, to whom suspicion points because of her strange actions.

Myra Heath never used rouge, never wore colors, yet when her body was found she was heavily rouged. She had a mania for collecting glass, and it was a rare old bottle from her collection that the murderer used to kill her. Candles were burning at her head and feet; nearby was a card marked, "The Work of Perry Heath."

The strange thing about Heath's disappearance is that the windows and doors were locked on the inside the night before and were found that way in the morning. Fingerprints of Bunny Moore and Inman were found on the bottle.

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 crime, and others. Todhunter Buck, nephew of Mrs. Prentiss and in love with Bunny, believes Heath also may have been murdered.

Bunny is amazed to get a phone call from Heath. He calls her again, saying Inman is guilty. Bunny faints under a grilling by Detective Mott. Inman confides to Buck that he saw Bunny ascending the stairs after the murder, and Mott questions all the servants and tells them to keep silent.

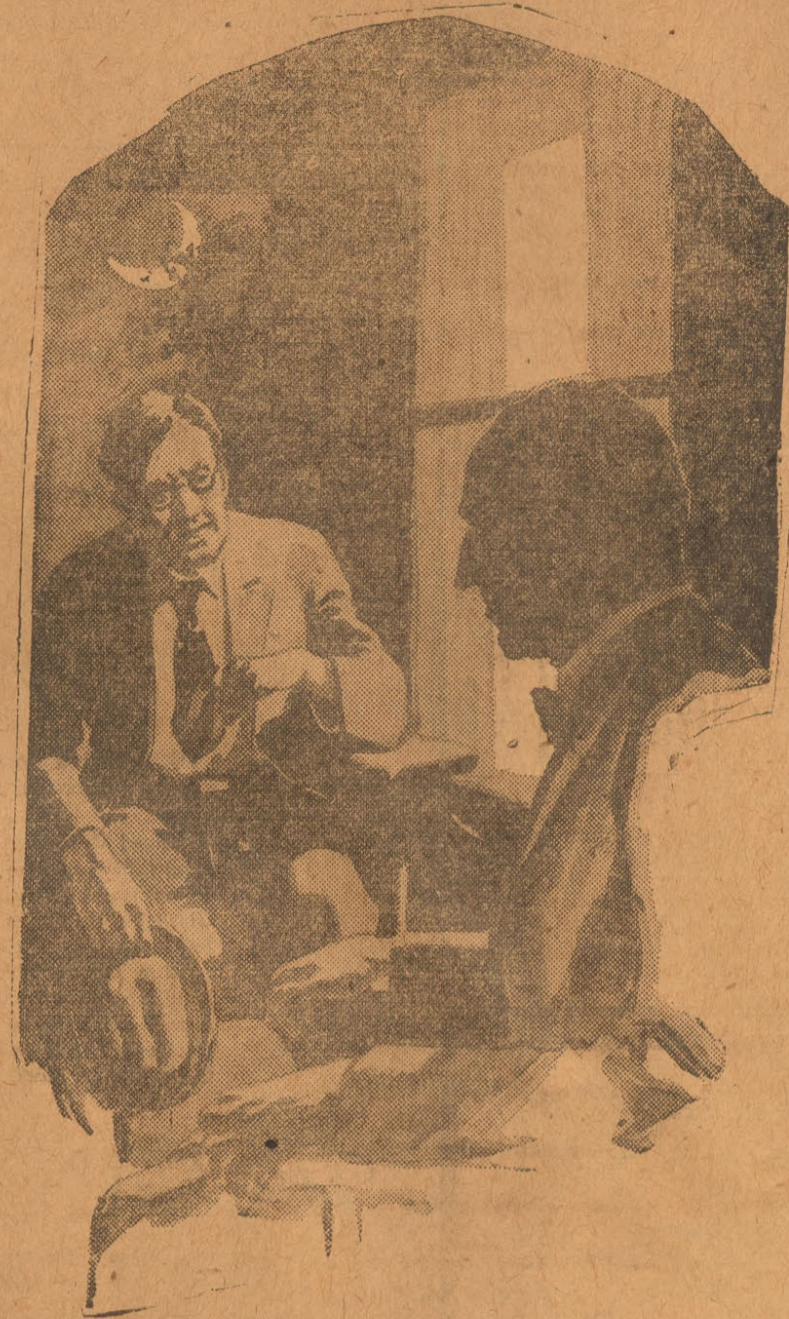
Cunningham sets a note from Anderson and goes to his house where Perry Heath suddenly appears out of the night and begins to talk.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY: CHAPTER XXXIII.

"Sure. But I don't want to go into details. I'm never coming back, why should I? I've lost Myra, she was all I cared for. Inman was in love with her, and—well, he was in love with her money, too. But I'm not going to blab about him. He can fight his own battles. It's the Moore baby I'm looking after. Oh, no, I'm not in love with her, but I won't see harm come to the child. I'll appear against Inman, rather than that. Now look here, Al, I can't wait any longer to see Sam now. You tell him I was here, and tell him what I've said."

"But, Lord, man, you can't go off like that! You've—why, you've knocked me galley-west, and I don't know what I ought to do—"

"You've no say in the matter. You tell Sam Anderson all I've told you, and you and he must work together to get that little girl free of sus-



I'm never coming back, why should I? I've lost Myra, she was all I cared for.

"If you don't—or can't, I'll appear in Broome persona and fix things up myself."

"But—but, tell me more. How did you get out?"

"Walked out, of course. And Larry locked the door behind me."

"Who painted her face?"

"Larry, of course. And he set up that fool card, thinking he could im-

plcate me."

"And you went off, rather than testify against the man who killed your wife! Who desecrated her dead body with that ghastly painting! And who tried to make it seem that you were her murderer! I can't swallow all that, Heath!"

"No, I suppose not." Heath spoke wearily, and brushed back the long

lock that fell over his brow. "But Cunningham, it's because you can't understand a man of my temperament. My wife is dead, nothing can bring her back to me, and rather than go through the harrowing scenes of inquests, detectives, trials and interminable questioning, I'd rather get out and leave it all. You know my beliefs about immorality and all that. Or rather you know I don't believe in it. To my mind, Myra is gone and gone forever. That clay is no more my wife than any other bit of earth. I want her properly honored and decently buried, but all that will be attended to, I know. For Larry is her heir and her kinsman, and he will look after such matters properly. I shall go off by myself and begin a new life far away from here. I've no ties in Gaybrook Harbor—an the contrary, it holds for me only horrors and sad memories. I never should have reappeared at all except that I fear for Bunny's safety. But if you and Anderson give a true report of my appearance here and state that I vow and declare that I saw Larry Inman kill my wife, I think there can be no further question of Bunny's guilt. It's too absurd to think of that child in connection with it, but Mott is stubborn, and having the idea in his head he won't easily give it up. However, if the persecution of Bunny goes on, I will come out in the open and protect her. That would mean entire exposure of Larry's guilt. Whereas, if Bunny is exonerated, perhaps Inman can get away with a not proven case. Oh, well, do what you can." And, to Cunningham's amazement, he found himself alone!

Heath had disappeared, silently, as he had come. He merely rose suddenly and stepping down from the porch had walked away so rapidly into the darkness of the shrubbery on the lawn that Cunningham scarcely knew which way he went.

He rose and peered into the shadows. There was no use in pursuing Heath, he never could find him in the darkness of the night. And as to raising a hue and cry, Cunningham didn't know whether that was his duty or not.

He sat down again, dazed and worried. It all seemed like a dream. He could hardly believe that Perry Heath had really been there, and had told him such an extraordinary tale.

His brain was bemused, his usually alert faculties stunned, and the more he thought it all over the more it puzzled him.

He wished he had rushed after Heath as he went away, wished he had raised an alarm, even if he hadn't caught the man. The story was fishy—that's what it was—fishy. And there he had had a chance to distinguish himself by catching and holding the elusive Perry Heath, and he had let the chance slip through his fingers. He should have grabbed the man, and called for help from the servants of the Anderson household. These servants were so well trained that they would never come unless summoned, but a cry of alarm would have brought them to his aid. He ought to have held Heath prisoner, at least until he could have proved his story, or had Larry Inman called in to disprove it.

Altogether, Al Cunningham was pretty well disgusted with himself, and in his brain was a half formed resolution to say nothing of the matter to Anderson.

This was a dangerous thing to do, for Heath had commanded him to repeat his version of the affair, and at heart, Cunningham was a bit of a

coward.

He was afraid of Heath, who had seemed very stern and determined. On the whole, it would doubtless be better to tell Anderson the whole story. He would blame him, for not nabbing Heath, but that could not be

helped now.

He was still mulling over the matter, when Anderson arrived.

"Hello," he said, "glad to see you, Cunny. Sorry to be a bit late, but I had to take a detour. And I'm hungry as a hunter. Come on in the house

with me, and we'll have a bit of supper together, while we talk. Though I've little to tell and I suppose you have less. The thing is betting on my nerves. It really begins to look desperate for the little girl. I heard—"

(To be continued.)

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Gertrude Ederle, world's champion English channel swimmer, is to have the roadster promised her if she succeeded in making the swim.

Originally the car was to be a gift from her father, but the New York News and Liberty magazine, in recognition of her accomplishment, are going to present it to her at the dock in New York when she arrives from Europe. The car of Miss Ederle's choice is a red Buick. She will ride up Broadway in her car, the proudest and happiest girl in the world.

The News and Liberty gave her the choice of any car she wanted in the following cablegram: "Inquire Ederle type color roadster desired, naming first and second choice. Arrange car chauffeur meet her dock."

Miss Ederle's reply came back: "Want red Buick roadster with rumble seat in back. None other desired. Great stunt, have it waiting."

To which the News and Liberty replied: "Tell Miss Ederle have already purchased for her red Buick roadster with rumble seat in back and it will await her at dock with private chauffeur. This is a gift from the News a testimonial of our admiration and respect for her astounding feat, and there will be absolutely no cost to her."

The gift is the most acceptable possible for a girl of Miss Ederle's type. The girl whose accomplishment overshadows those of five men who have succeeded in the channel swim is an outdoor girl, and her choice of an open car is a natural one. The 1927 Buick, with its speed of 75 miles an hour, vibrationless engine and ease of driving is a fitting companion for the most famous athlete ever developed in America.

Miss Ederle will undoubtedly return to the greatest reception ever accorded an athlete. J. M. Patterson, publisher of the News and Liberty, will meet her at the dock and have her sign the papers that will make her the owner of the car. She will then ride up Broadway in her Buick. A big celebration is planned with a parade and home welcome.

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