

WORLD COURT FROWNS ON RESERVATIONS

AZORE ISLANDS AGAIN ROCKED BY ANOTHER EARTHQUAKE

MOVING PICTURE OPERATORS ON STRIKE

HOUSTON AND SAN ANTONIO SHOWS CLOSED

Managers Refuse To Grant An Increase In Pay As Demanded

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 1.—Every motion picture theatre, except one, in San Antonio was closed today while the projecting machine operators temporarily walked out.
The operators are meeting with the Stage Employees Union of America, where it will be decided whether the strike will be made permanent.
The Aztec theatre is not affected, the management having signed the new contract with the operators some time ago.
The Palace and Rialto theatres, under the same management, will reopen this afternoon, accepting the demands of the operators temporarily, and under protest.
Approximately 50 or 60 men are out over town. Should the stage employees join it will run the number up to more than 100.
According to information received here, projecting machine operators in Houston also are out.

TWELVE SHOWS IN HOUSTON SHUT DOWN BY THE STRIKE

By United Press.
HOUSTON, Sept. 1.—Twelve motion picture houses closed their doors today as a protest against the increased demands made by the motion picture projector operators for an increase in pay.
The increase, totaling \$12.50 per week, was asked for first and second operators, was asked by the local union.

20 KILLED 36 HURT IN TRAIN WRECK

By United Press.
BARCELONA, Spain, Sept. 1.—The Barcelona-Velencia train was wrecked today, and according to first reports, 20 persons were killed and 36 injured.
The wreck was attributed to the recent rain storms.
From Madrid was reported today that floods and storms were continuing in Catalonia, Castille and Este Madura. In those areas, according to reports, 28 had been drowned.
A tremendous damage to property and loss of human life were reported today from the east and northeastern part of Spain, which suffered disastrous storms, followed by floods, last night, and today. It was unofficially estimated that 55 persons had died as a result of accidents in the storm or been drowned.

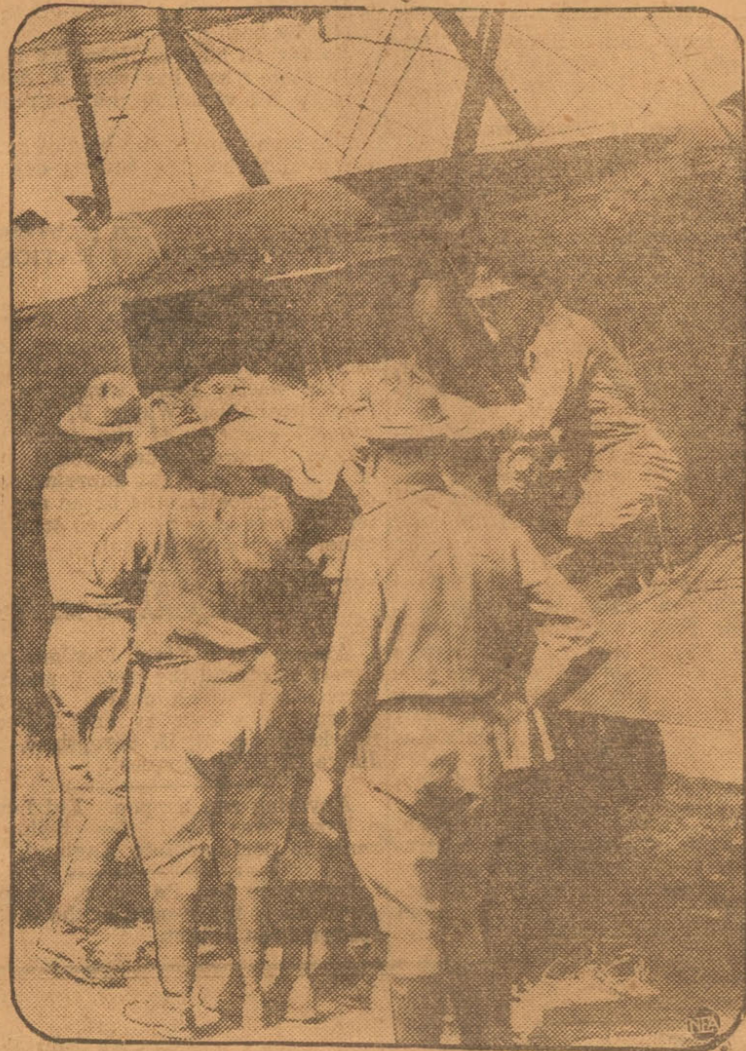
LONDON HEARS NEWS OF THE STORMS

By United Press.
LONDON, Sept. 1.—More than 30 persons were dead and many had been injured in the Spanish provinces of Catalonia, the Exchange Madrid correspondent reported today, as a result of storms around Barcelona.

Senator McKinley Of Illinois Is Nearing Death

By United Press.
MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 1.—United States Senator William B. McKinley of Illinois is in a critical condition at a sanitarium here, it was learned today.
The senator has been confined to his bed for a week. He is suffering from congestion of the lungs complicated with rheumatism. His physicians say his end is not far away.
Dr. Robert H. Egbert attending physician announced after an examination, "The patient is quite a bit improved over the very serious condition of last night," Dr. Egbert said. "Stimulants for heart are being given at regular intervals."

Air Amulance Aids Bettis



Lieut. Cyrus K. Bettis, army ace injured in a crash near Bellefonte, Pa., is carried hundreds of miles in an airplane to a Washington, D. C., hospital. Photo shows him being taken from the ambulance plane. Doctors predict he now will recover.

NO AMERICANS AMONG INJURED CABLE REPORTS

Death List Now Placed At 12; Crowds Are Huddled in the Parks

By United Press.
HORTA, Sept. 1.—Horta was rocked by renewed earthquakes today as relief workers searched ruins for victims of Tuesday's quake, in which 11 or 12 persons were killed and many injured. Today's tremors were mild. The population was convulsed with panic at the renewal of the seismic disturbances.
After a terrible night during which homeless hundreds huddled together in parks expecting every moment to bring repetition of the quake. So far this dispatch, which left Horta at noon, stated no Americans have been reported injured but there is much distress.

VOLUNTEERS SEARCH RUINS FOR DEAD

By United Press.
PONTA DE GADA, Azores Islands, Sept. 1.—Soldiers and volunteers were searching in the ruins of Horta for additional victims of the earthquake, according to dispatches from the stricken city. Considerable damage was done by the quake, the observatory belonging to the Prince of Monaco, was seriously affected.
The population, homeless and deeply distressed, feared a new catastrophe.

LOCATION OF NEW WELLS REPORTED

Locations for a number of new wells in the Eastland fields have been made within the past few days and others are to be announced soon.
The Arab Gasoline Corporation have made a location for a well on the Hawk farm, a few miles north of Eastland. This is in proven territory, there having been several producing wells on this tract for a number of years.
W. B. Smith has made a tentative location for a well on what is known as the J. L. Johnson farm four miles north of Eastland on section 11, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Company survey.
Le Roy Arnold and the Consolidated Gasoline Company have reached a depth of around 1,900 feet on their well off-setting the Ammermen lease.
The Texas Development Company have a location and have a rig up for a well on the Mrs. B. E. Lewis, off-setting the N. N. Batten lease about one and one-half or two miles west and north of Eastland.

LIEUTENANT BETTIS DIES FROM HURTS

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Lieut. Cyrus Bettis, injured in an airplane crash near Bellefonte, Pa., on Aug. 23, died this morning at 9:05 from meningitis induced by his injuries.

Bettis, who was brought from Bellefonte by an army airplane ambulance to receive treatment at Walter Reed hospital, suffered a relapse yesterday afternoon and lapsed into unconsciousness from which he did not recover.
Lieutenant Bettis entered the aviation service as a private Jan. 23, 1918, and was commissioned second lieutenant July 1, 1920.
Lieutenant Bettis won the Pulitzer air speed trophy, October, 1925, setting a new world's record for 100 and 200 kilometer distances. His record in the Pulitzer race was 248.6 miles an hour.
In 1924, he won the John L. Mitchell speed trophy in the international race. Previous to that, he served as an expert pilot on patrol duty on the Mexican border and in the Philippines.

May Be Freed



For more than two years Elliott Haskell, 26-year-old World War veteran of La Crosse, Wis., has been in prison in Iowa, serving a life term for killing a policeman. Now a bandit fatally shot in New Orleans has confessed that he committed the crime, bearing out Haskell's protestations of innocence. But under the Iowa law there is now way the court can re-open the case, so friends of the young prisoner are petitioning the governor to pardon him.

REPUBLICANS OF TEXAS PLAN TO BID FOR VOTES

DALLAS, Sept. 1.—Seeking a place in Texas' political sun, Texas republicans will gather here Sept. 6-7 to write the party platform and plan the coming campaign.
The state republican executive committee will meet here Sept. 6 and the party convention will be the next day.
Votes in the convention will number 1,041. Dallas county probably having the largest number of delegates which number 81. The voting strength of each county is based on the number of votes polled in the last general election when 300,000 cast a republican ballot for governor.
H. H. Haines of Houston, republican candidate for governor, is expected to open headquarters here simultaneously with the convention opening. The woman's republican organization, directed by Mrs. J. C. Griswold of San Antonio, national committeewoman, also will maintain headquarters here.
Leonard Withington, director of the republican organization predicted that there would be a large crowd here and also that the republican party would not make an active bid for the Ferguson vote in the general election.
"The party will stand on its own bottom," Withington said.
An active campaign will be conducted preceding the general election.
The republican platform to be adopted will outline the following:
That the republican party in Texas is a Texas party, led by Texans.
That Texas can benefit by a republican ticket being elected, by obtaining her rightful voice in national affairs. That the republicans will "free the educational system from partisan political support and support it adequately. That a two-party system is needed, to bring an efficient and economical government to the state.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—An application was filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission today by the Quannah, Acme & Pacific railroad company to operate the Motely county, Texas railway line.

BELSHAZZAR'S FEAST IS THEME OF EVANGELIST

Another old testament character was used to illustrate a twentieth century truth last night by Rev. W. H. Hogg in his sermon at the open air tabernacle. The scripture lesson was the 5th chapter of Daniel. King Belshazzar had made a feast and drank wine to a thousand of his lords. The degradation of drinking was not to the satisfaction of the king, he commanded the golden vessels to be brought from the house of the Lord, these were the vessels which the king's father Nebuchadnezzar had brought from the temple in Jerusalem.
"They drank wine and praised the Gods of gold, and of silver, of brass of iron, of wood, and of stone," Dan. 5:4. He said, "In the midst of the night of revelry the king was greatly disturbed by mysterious hand writing on the wall, this writing so disturbed the king that the joints of his lions were loosed and his knees smote one against the other.
Writing on Wall
The writing was, 'Mene, mene, Tekel, Uaphrsin,' all the astrologers, the Chaldeans, the soothsayers and the wise men were not able to interpret or show the meaning of the writing. God always has His man. Daniel a slave of captivity was sought and was able to tell the meaning of the writing. Men will not want their followers of sinful days when that last moment comes, the (Continued on page six.)

By Bike



E. D. Bowen, 67, has returned to his home at Galesburg, Ill., after a 12-months' bicycle tour that carried him through every state capital, into Mexico and north into Canada. He has been an enthusiast since 1901, and has ridden on his wheel to every world series ball game and every heavyweight championship fight in this country since then.

Chief Davenport Holds Jewelry Pawned for Fines

Two gold watches, an Elgin and a Waltham, a trunk full of clothes, and a natty suit of clothes, that once adorned the figure of some dark town dandy, now are among the things that Chief Vol Davenport hold in pawn. There are not three balls in front of Ranger's city hall to denote that pawning some times goes on—but it does, for the chief's heart is big and when the naughty ones can't always pay their fines, their chief holds some of their valuables until they come in and get them out of soak.
The watches, have been held some time, and the chief would part with them for a cash consideration, also the suit of clothes, but the trunk full of clothes, he feels sure will be called for, and anyhow the time limit is not out on it.

Bond Validation Committee Is Called To Meet

AUSTIN, Sept. 1.—The Texas Highway association committee, in charge of road bond validation work has been called by R. M. Hubbard, president of the association, to meet at San Antonio, September 7, for the purpose of outlining plans for assisting the members of the legislature in preparation of the validating bills to be introduced at the coming special session on September 13.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—The world's largest cable, 3,400 nautical miles, in length, capable of handling 2500 words a minute between the United States and England, was landed here today.

PROSPECTS ARE DARK FOR ENTRY OF U. S. INTO HAGUE TRIBUNAL AFFAIRS

13 PROHIBITION BILLS ARE ON THE CALENDAR

By PAUL R. MALLON (United Press Staff Correspondent)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Thirteen bills to amend or strengthen the national prohibition act have been placed in an advanced position upon the senate calendar for action at the coming short session of congress, opening in December.
Although most of them are so-called wet bills, championed by those against prohibition, there is one measure which the Treasury Department and the drys intend to force to the front. And when this one bill is brought forward, it will open the way for the wets to discuss the entire subject of prohibition and to tack on their pet measures as amendments.
The important measure from the standpoint of assistant secretary of the Treasury Andrews in charge of prohibition enforcement is the bill passed last session by the house which would create a separate prohibition bureau within the Treasury Department and strengthen its powers.
Andrews betrayed dismay when the measure failed of adoption in the senate last session because of the press of time. His friends have intimated that unless the bill is passed he will immediately resign his post, in the belief that the law cannot be effectively enforced without the desired legislation.
The wet measures carry the adverse reports of the senate judiciary committee and were reported merely because the wets accused the drys of sidetracking the measures to prevent a vote.
Included in the wet bills are the following:
By Senator Edge, republican, New Jersey, to permit physicians to issue any number of liquor permits they see fit; to permit manufacture of spirits of more than one-half of one per cent which may be proved to be "non-intoxicating in fact"; to permit manufacture of 2.75 per cent beer; to permit states to determine whether or not they should have local option prohibition; to permit manufacture of liquor in homes without a permit, and a point resolution for a national referendum.
By Senator Bruce, democrat, Maryland, joint resolutions to amend the Eighteenth Constitutional Amendment to permit local option and government supervision of shipments in interstate commerce.
By Senator Edwards, democrat, New Jersey, to permit 4 per cent beer.

Kellogg's Statement Throws Cold Water On League's Prospects

By United Press.
GENEVA, Switzerland, Sept. 1.—Three of the United States senate's reservations to participate in the World's Court were quickly accepted on the first reading today by the conference of thirty-eight high court signatories. But obstacles were encountered when the fourth reservation came up for consideration.
It was thought here that the funeral of the senate's reservation had begun. The mere fact that only thirty-eight of the forty-eight signatories of the protocol confronted to participate in the conference virtually condemned the reservations in advance since the senate stipulated that every reservation must be accepted by every signatory.
League members generally were agreed that the fifth of the senate's reservation would not be acceptable unless the United States were willing to restrict the application.
England Takes Lead
The initiative for today's conference was taken last March at the meeting of the League council by Sir Austen Chamberlain. At that time (Continued on page six.)

FIRE SWEEPS NEW YORK TENEMENT

By United Press.
NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Fire swept a five story Harlem tenement today causing death to at least six negroes, and imperiling the lives of as many more. The damage is estimated at \$30,000.
The blaze was marked by spectacular rescues, as several negroes crazed by the fire fright, clung perilously to awning supports until the firemen arrived.

Hatcher Issues A Statement On Political Peace

AUSTIN, Sept. 1.—"Thank you and God bless you," State Treasurer W. G. Hatcher said in a statement today to the people of Texas.
"To my friends and supporters and to the press of the state, the hour for political peace in Texas has now arrived, and the happiness of our people and the welfare of our party, state and nation demand harmonious concerted action on the part of all democrats," Hatcher said.

Old Man Handle



Mr. Handle is the father of Miss Pearl Handle, who is affianced to Jimpson Weed, hero of "They Never Knew," which starts in this paper Sunday.

EXPLOSION MYSTERY SOLUTION

By United Press.
CORPUS CHRISTI, Sept. 1.—Belief that the mystery of the bomb explosion of two years ago here, in which J. A. Barnes and his seven year old son was killed, is being unraveled as a result of the investigation of the death of Dr. J. A. Ramsay of Mathis, is reported from Alice.
Officers there are said to be of the belief that the bomb mystery is nearing a solution. The bomb was sent by express, having been shipped from San Antonio.

Mrs. Ponzi Seeks Mussolini's Aid For Her Husband

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Sept. 1.—Seeking an audience with Premier Mussolini, to ask his aid for her husband, Mrs. Charles Ponzi, of Boston, sailed for Italy yesterday. The wife of the notorious "get rich quick" operator who is now being held after an attempt to flee from justice, was a passenger on the President Wilson, bound for Trieste.

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FROM THE BIBLE

Finally brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report, if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think of these things, Philippians 4-8.

PRAYER.—Teach me, O Lord, to see nothing but the beautiful, and rather the weakness in human nature than meanness. Teach me to honor Thy name and strengthen Thou me in well doing.

LET US HAVE PEACE.

Now that the battle of the ballots has been fought and the democratic voters of Texas have named their ticket for election, let's forget all the hard things said during the campaign, co-operate with the nominee and cast a record-breaking vote in the November election for the youngest governor in the galaxy of states. Let us have peace.

Now is the time to think about some constructive work. Let's stop for a while and plan to lengthen the terms of the rural schools of Texas in the face of a cut in the per capita appropriation. Let us begin work of developing the school system and place Texas where it should be placed in the educational column. Let us get together, those that are interested in the welfare of the state, not peanut politicians who use the schools for political purposes, but the real folks, and find a way to improve the educational system and take it out of politics.

Let us begin to think about the development of the great potash beds of Texas so that we may keep our money at home instead of sending it to Germany and France. Let us begin to think about aiding the farmer in his work and helping him to diversify his operations and raise his own meat, meal and living at home.

There is a world of constructive work to do. Let us be true Americans, and eliminate organizations that preach and practice race hatred and engender intolerance. Let's get together and do things without a selfish motive.

There is much to be done, and the Moody administration will have a Herculean task of increasing the educational facilities. Let's help and not hinder him. Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their state.

FOOTBALL SEASON AT HAND.

In a short while, the baseball season of 1926 shall have passed into history, and instead of the crack of the bat against the horseshoe, and the yell of the multitude of fans in stand and on the bleachers, saying "Atta boy," "Go to it, Babe," will be heard the dull thud kick and the college and school yell.

Football is a man's game played by many boys. It teaches a lad how to stand bruises and prepares him for his battle in after life, when he must stand kicks bruises and hard licks.

Considerable interest is taken in the game in the oil belt towns. Last year Cisco High went into the finals for the state championship. Every one of the towns in the oil belt played hard.

Football is a game that brings out all the strong and weak points in the lad. We hope they always play it fair. A dirty football player when caught should be banished from playing. Let us hope that the old plan of getting rid of the star by fair or foul means be eliminated. Play fair, and if you win, take your victory like a man, and if you lose hold up your head with the victor and say "I did my best and will try and win next time."

We are strong for football where it does not interfere with books.

WOULD TAKE OVER THE KATY SYSTEM

By United Press. WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—The U. S. C. C. today ordered the hearing to be opened on September 28, at Dallas, on the application of the Kansas City Southern railroad, to acquire control of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad.

SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

THURSDAY. Lions club luncheon at 12:15 at the Gholsion.

ELKS ANNOUNCE LABOR DAY DANCE.

Ranger Elks are today mailing out invitations for their Labor day dance, which will begin at 9 o'clock on the night of Sept. 6. Music by the original Artie Collins orchestra of Dallas, will doubtless draw a large crowd, as Artie Collins and his orchestra are very popular in the oil fields. The Elks are planning on making this dance, since it is the first fall dance, a very special one.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS NEWS.

A bulletin from the intermediate department of the Methodist Sunday school reads as follows:

"Class No. 11 of the intermediate department of the M. E. Sunday school will leave Texarkana, Texas, Sunday morning at 9:45 for a trip across Texas. Conductor Roy Jamison in charge of the Sunshien Special has issued tickets to the following passengers: Paul Hall, Albert Purser, Elvis Mills, Henry Purser, Paul Bray, Murrell Victor, Glenn Lee Jarvis, Udell Durvall and J. T. Whitfield.

Driver James Campbell at the wheel of Miss Ranger, has issued tickets to the following passengers: Howard Stephenson, Evis Landers, Bryant Tate, Jack Porter, James Phillips, Glenn Cox, H. L. Ackern, Jack Valliant, and J. F. Kelly.

A cordial invitation is extended to all boys 11 to 13 years of age, who are not members of a Sunday school class to come and take this trip with us. Many interested things are to be discussed on the trip."

TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB AT ACORN ACRES.

Tuesday Bridge club met with Mrs. Walter Cash, Tuesday morning at Acorn Acres, at which time garden flowers were used simply in the floral adornment of the pretty tea room. The game was followed by a two-course luncheon at noon, which with its appetizing food and perfect appointments was a happy conclusion to the morning's pleasure.

Around the three tables arranged for bridge were Mes. B. A. Tunnell, R. J. Norman, William Cooze, J. M. Bragg, Pat O'Donnell, John Moyer, Charles Overley of Eastland, J. A. Martin, E. E. Crawford, Frank Branham, and E. J. Wiss.

Mrs. E. E. Crawford received a high score prize a dainty bit of lingerie, and Mrs. John Moyer the second prize, an embroidered card table cover.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. D. L. Jameson at her home on Strawn road.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. D. S. Jamison of Coffeyville, Kan., will arrive in Ranger Sunday for a visit to her daughters, Mrs. Walter Cash and Miss Thelma Jamison. Miss Thelma will return to Coffeyville with her, after a summer's visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Newnam and family left Monday for a three weeks visit to the Pacific coast, which will include many points in California, as well as interesting places on route.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Johnson are now domiciled at the Gifford Clegg home, which they recently rented.

Dr. A. K. Wier has returned from a two weeks vacation trip through the mountains of Colorado and New Mexico and reports a splendid trip.

Miss Joyce Ray Hill arrived at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hill, 335 Ray street. The young lady tipped the scales at nine pounds.

Mrs. A. C. Kunkle and her daughters, Dora and Ione of Corsicana, are visiting Mrs. Kunkle's daughter, Mrs. E. B. Hill of Ray street and Mrs. Earl Horton of the Pacific camp.

Miss Junita Davenport of Weatherford is visiting her grandparents, Chief and Mrs. Vol Davenport. Miss Davenport is the daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Pearl Davenport, formerly of this city. Mrs. Raymond Teal, who has been in California for the past seven weeks, returned to her home in Ranger today.

Rotarians Favor Federal Building; Hear About College

"A growing boy always needs new clothes," might best express the gist of the program at Wednesday's meeting of the Ranger Rotary Club. Reports from a half dozen committees indicated good progress being made in as many separate civic activities indicating the growth and progress of the city of Ranger.

Joe Gohlsion (or Golston) and Clarence May were appointed on a committee to co-operate with other bodies of Ranger on the weed cutting and clean up project that has been discussed for some time.

The Rotary committee on the Junior College of Ranger reported that the full school board and all committee members met Tuesday and that everything was shaping up in excellent condition for a most auspicious and successful opening of the junior college of Ranger. Attention was called to the fact that the correct name is "The Junior College of Ranger" rather than the use of the name Ranger ahead of the title. The faculty has been completed and includes the very best instructors to be had in America. Each member of the faculty holds a master's degree and is experienced in his department—a number of whom hold certificates of merit and honor from many institutions and countries.

M. K. Coolie reported that the athletic committee was functioning and that soon season tickets to the football games of the coming season would be offered for sale at \$5 each—including a reserve seat in the grandstand and a plea was made for every Rotarian and citizen of Ranger to buy these tickets and give the boys a flying start on this season's work.

Ranger is going to be the center of school athletics in this section of the state, declared Collie, and the city will have one of the best athletic grounds in any state. A cinder track football field, baseball diamond and other facilities for handling the amateur sports of West Texas are being planned and will be provided in due time.

Federal Building The Rotary club went on record favoring a Federal building for Ranger and appointed a committee composed of Secretary Patterson of the Chamber of Commerce and Clarence May of the Rotary club to draw up the proper resolutions and to work with the other civic organizations on this matter.

W. W. Housewright made a report of the recent District convention of Presidents and Secretaries of West Texas Rotary clubs held at Weatherford last Monday and Tuesday which was supplemented with brief comments by Andy Anderson, who also attended the meeting.

Senator Breistrorn of Eastland made a short inspirational talk on Rotary—its ideals and ductions. The senator is president of the Eastland club. Other visitors were present from Rotary clubs at Fort Worth, El Paso and other Texas cities.

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JUNIOR COLLEGE FACULTY NAMED, OPENS SEPT. 13

Among the universities and colleges to be represented in the faculty of the Ranger Junior College, are the University of Texas, Columbia University, University of Colorado, University of Missouri, Abilene Christian College, Texas Christian University, University of California, Harvard University, Baylor University and Sam Houston State Normal. In the selection of the faculty only those who held master degrees or credits leading toward master degrees were selected.

The Junior College of Ranger, which under the leadership of public spirited citizens of this city, was organized this summer, herewith announces its faculty.

Faculty K. F. Holloway, B. A., president. Mr. Holloway holds a B. A. degree from Texas Christian University and did graduate work in the University of Texas. For the past year he held the position of superintendent of the Ranger schools and an untiring worker for the establishment of the junior college.

Joe B. Preston, M. A., dean and professor of history. Mr. Preston won his B. A. degree at Park College and his M. A. degree at the University of Texas with post graduate work at the State University towards doctor's degree.

O. G. Lanier, B. A., C. P. A., registrar and professor of business administration. Mr. Lanier's B. A. degree was awarded him at Abilene Christian College, and his C. P. A. national certified public accountants, at Washington, D. C.

J. N. Moseley, M. A., professor of education. Mr. Moseley received his B. A. degree at the University of Texas, also his M. A. degree and did post graduate work toward a doctor's degree at the same institution of learning.

Miss Mildred Mihlis, M. A., professor of English, made her B. A. degree at Baylor College and her M. A. at the University of Texas.

E. C. Kennedy, M. A., professor of mathematics, received both his B. A. and M. A. degrees at the University of Texas.

Miss Norma Woodie Graham, B. A., professor of Latin, has a B. A. degree from Texas Woman's College, followed by three summers in the University of Colorado, working toward an A. M. degree.

Maurice Halperin, B. A., professor of French and Spanish, a B. A. of Harvard University.

Miss Mattie G. Roberts, B. S., pro-

Federal Charges Are Filed Against Trio With Auto

J. B. Williams and wife, and Charles Hewitt, arrested by Eastland officers a few days ago as suspects on a car stealing charge, were taken to Abilene Tuesday by Deputy United States Marshal Bailey Crawford of Abilene following the filing of federal charges against them.

L. R. Andrews of Little Rock, Ark., came to Eastland Tuesday and identified the big Studebaker car, in which Williams and his wife and Hewitt were traveling when picked up by the officers, as one stolen from him at Little Rock some weeks ago. He took the car back to Arkansas with him.

EASTLAND COUNTY PIONEER IS DEAD

Seaborn Reed, pioneer of Eastland county who has made his home in the country near Carbon for many years, died Monday at the home of his son, Billie Reed, near Carbon and was buried in the Carbon cemetery, Tuesday afternoon.

Professor of science, received her B. S. degree from Sam Houston State Teacher's College, and has done graduate work in Columbia University toward M. S. degree.

Board of Education Ranger's Board of Education has on its roster J. M. Gholson, president; Ike H. Ervin, secretary; Dr. L. C. G. Buchanan, J. T. Gullahorn, J. T. Killingsworth, Mrs. G. H. Bohning and M. H. Hagaman. The college council is composed of J. M. Gholson, Dr. L. C. G. Buchanan, Mrs. G. H. Bohning, W. D. Conway, J. M. White, Morris Bendix, Mrs. R. H. Hodges, S. A. Lillard, Hall Walker, Frank Champion, Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, and Marvin Collie.

Sept. 11 and 13 will be registration days and the first semester will begin Sept. 14, and the second one, Jan. 14. The Junior College will have its graduation program on May 23.

Two Years Work The purpose of the Junior College is to furnish residents of this section, the first two years of general college work; to give prospective teachers the opportunity of the professional training necessary to obtain certificate and to offer sufficient technical courses to enable students to complete the first two years leading to a degree in law, medicine, engineering, nursing and business.

Courses offered will be, English, history, science, business administration, foreign languages, mathematics and education. Two years of standard college work will be offered in the above named fields.

BOOTLEGGER PRISON DIET, BREAD WATER

By United Press. TEKEMAH, Neb., Sept. 1.—Today is feast day at the homes of Roy Carson and Thomas Nelson, young farmers, who must serve a jail sentence on a bread and water diet for having violated the prohibition law.

This may be the last time in twenty days that the two men will have a chance to eat anything more than unbuttered bread and cool sparkling water.

The supreme court's mandate ordering them to start serving their sentence is expected to arrive tomorrow and the two will go to jail at that time.

"We are going to fill up today," Nelson said. "A farmer does not fill up much of a waist line, and we probably will need a reserve."

The case was carried to the supreme court to test the validity of the law making the penalty for violation of the prohibition law a bread and water diet while serving a jail sentence. It was a hard fought legal battle by both sides.

So far as known, Nebraska is the only state that has such a drastic penalty for violating the prohibition law.

Both men were in the best of spirits when told that the court's decision went against them.

WAYNE B. WHEELER FAVORS MAKING IT NATIONAL

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—"If all the bootleggers in the country could be put on a bread and water diet for a few weeks, there would be less liquor available," Wayne B. Wheeler, general council of the anti-saloon league declared today, commenting on the Lincoln, Neb., supreme court decision upholding the bread and water sentence of two persons convicted under the prohibition act.

Among those from Eastland who expect to attend the state democratic convention, which convenes in San Antonio next Tuesday, are: J. Frank Sparks, Judge B. D. Shropshire, and Judge N. N. Rosenquest.

Anything can happen. Kid Lewis, a boxer, was fined for trying to smuggle perfume into England.

Ignorance has its value. It produces about nine-tenths of the world's conversation output.

CITY AND SCHOOL TAX COLLECTORS CONSOLIDATED

E. A. Ringold was elected yesterday to the office of joint city and school tax collector, at a meeting of the Ranger City Commission with four members of the school board of the Ranger Independent School District. The city commission passed a resolution recommending the consolidation of the two offices, which have heretofore been handled separately, by the city secretary, Sanford Dean and J. M. Dodson, who recently resigned to go to Pampa. Two offices have been maintained and following out the program of economy on the part of both bodies, the consolidation was recommended by the city commission subject to the approval of the school board and later accepted by the board.

The equipment that has been in the Marston building will be moved at once to the city hall, where the new collector will have his office. Mr. Ringold has held the joint position before and needs no recommendation as to his ability to handle the double responsibilities.

H. R. Seward, a former city engineer of Ranger, was elected at the same meeting of the city commission to the position of city engineer of Ranger, to succeed B. H. Peacock, recently resigned. Mr. Seward was in Ranger in 1924, and served in the capacity of city engineer, but resigned and went to Waco, and now comes from that city back to Ranger. He and his family will arrive in Ranger not later than Monday.

The city commission recommended that Dr. Walter Jackson be placed on the board of directors of the City-County Hospital and also that the county commission be asked to appoint another member on the board, as there are two vacancies.

Mayor Bob Hodges who has just returned from a short vacation presided over this meeting.

MOTHER OF GRADY OWENS OF CARBON DIES Mrs. Owens, mother of Assistant County Attorney Grady Owens, and W. D. R. Owens of Eastland, died yesterday at Carbon. Funeral services will be held at Cisco this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

"I just want to say a word or two about the wonderful novel 'They Never Knew.' Before reading it I was so weak I was unable to slide down the steps. Now I can slide up them."

—Sing Sang Sung, Canton, China.

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VANITY CASE

by Carolyn Wells
1926 by G. P. PUTNAM SONS

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 cosmetics, never wore colors, yet when her body was found she was heavily scented. She was a collector of 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 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 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. Meanwhile, Todhunter Buck, Mrs. Prentiss's nephew, has met Bunny and fallen in love with her.

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

Anderson invites Cunningham to his house and there, while waiting for his host, Cunningham is suddenly confronted by Perry Heath, who disappears as mysteriously as he had appeared. Shortly afterward Anderson comes in and he reproaches Cunningham for letting Heath escape.

Buck, meantime, is determined to clear Bunny. He resolves to have a good talk with her.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXXVI

And then the object of Toddy's anxious thought came and seated herself on a low chair beside his own. So softly had she come, that he had no idea of her presence until he heard her soft, low voice saying:

"Mrs. Prentiss bid me come and talk to you for a few minutes before I go to my room."

"I'm glad to have you," he said, speaking quietly, too, and involuntarily laying his hand on the little one that rested on his chair arm.

Bunny looked up at him, her eyes of "wind-flower blue" dimly visible in the faint light that glimmered from the doorway.

"You are very good to me," she said, with a sad little sigh. "You and your aunt both. But I wish I could go home."

"I wish you could!" exclaimed Tod, his hand tightening its clasp on her own.

"Why do you speak like that? You frighten me!" she exclaimed, for his tone had been emphatic.

"I am frightened about you," he murmured. "Tell me, Bunny, tell me, dear, do you trust me?"

"Yes," she said, and her voice was clear and frank. "There was no trace of coyness or shyness, it was as if soul spoke to soul, and with his power of reading the intent of another's words, Buck believed her."

He turned to face her more fully. "Do you know you are in danger?"

"Grave danger?"

"I suppose I am. But what can I do? I am very much alone—"

Her voice quivered and tears came into the blue eyes.

"No," Buck declared, "you are not alone. You have two staunch friends beneath this roof, and one of us, at least, would die for you!"

This was dangerously close to melodrama, but was saved thereon by Toddy's obvious earnestness and the ringing note of affection in his tone.

But Bunny shuddered. "Don't mention death," she said, "we've had enough of that for the present."

"So we have," he said, "and I, too, want to avoid the subject, but if I am to help you and Lord knows you need help, I'll have to ask you some pretty blunt questions."

"You may," Bunny said, but her voice had taken on a cold formality.

You Hate to Look At a Pimply Face

There is perhaps nothing more distressing to people who are bothered with them, and surely nothing as displeasing to others who see them, as pimples, blotches, bumps, rash, scrofula, eczema, "breaking out" and similar skin disfigurements.

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almost as if she spoke to an official detective.

"Oh," Tod groaned, "don't speak to me that way, or I can't talk at all!"

The girl laughed outright. "Go on with your blunt questions," she commanded, but the laughter seemed to linger in her intonation.

Tod plucked up a morsel of courage. Surely a murderer could not laugh like that!

"When did you first see Mrs. Heath after she was dead?" he asked.

"Oh, I can't tell you that!" She gasped as if in horrified surprise, and started to rise from her chair.

"No, sit still. Don't tell me anything you don't choose to, but do—oh, Bunny, do confide in me! You must have help—I will help you. Dear Heart, tell me all—about it."

"I—I've nothing to tell, and now she spoke really coldly, and with an accent of displeasure. "I thought detectives found out the truth from clues and things, not from asking people questions."

"Both methods are used," and now Toddy was stony and grave. "So you won't help me to help you?"

"I can't—oh, I can't—don't ask me—about it! Don't!"

Her little hands twisted themselves nervously together and one foot beat a tattoo on the porch floor.

"Well, tell me this," Buck felt he mightn't get a better chance and he must find out some things. "Did you go downstairs and come up again late that night? After you had gone to your room for the night, I mean."

"Why—no—of course, I didn't. Why should I?"

"But the maid said she saw you." "Do you take her word in preference to mine?"

"No, I do not. However, Inman also says he saw you."

"Lary said that?" she sounded grieved, rather than angry. "Well, then it's his word against mine, isn't it?"

Bravado had come to her aid. Her air was almost saucy, her tone almost gay.

Buck was annoyed. How could she treat such a serious matter so flippantly?

"Bunny, dear," he said, "I can't let you go on like this! And, too, before we go any further, there is something else I must tell you. I love you, darling, and I want you to promise that when this awful affair is all over, you will let me try to win your heart, try to make you see how I adore and worship you, and try to win your love in return. How about it, little sweetheart?"

The fact that no repulse had met his overtures, made Toddy's heart leap high with joy, and he caught the girl to him.

But she drew away, her hands gently pushing off his eager arms.

"Don't," she whispered, "at least not now—not yet. You don't know—oh, Toddy, dear, you don't know—"

"You're going to tell me all I don't know," he caught her fluttering hands and held them close. "You're going to let me be your father confessor and your guide, philosopher and friend, as well as your slave and adorer and—and, my darling, your future husband."

She sighed, and for a moment he thought she was going to surrender her sweet self to his embrace, then she turned away from him, and with tears in her voice she said: "No, please don't touch me. I—I—oh, I don't know what to say or do! And you can't help me—at least, not."

FELT STUPID, DULL

Mississippi Lady Says She Took Black-Draught for These Symptoms and Was "Greatly Relieved."

Starkville, Miss.—"I have been a user of Black-Draught for about twenty years," says Mrs. C. E. Buntin, of R. F. D. 5, this city.

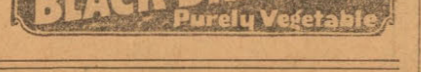
"I used Black-Draught first for constipation," continues Mrs. Buntin. "I would feel dull, stupid, and have severe headaches, even feverish. I had an uneasy, tight feeling in my stomach."

"I read quite a bit about Black-Draught. I began using it and soon my bowels acted regularly and I was greatly relieved. I used it every once in a while for about eighteen years."

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now I must—I must go through with it! I have to,—oh, I have to!"

"Yes, dear, but I'll go through with it, too. I'll be with you every step of the way. You can depend on me,—oh, Bunny, you can depend on me!"

"I will believe that—but no, I must go alone—alone."

And with that she left him and walked slowly back and into the house.

(To Be Continued)

FADS OF THE FAMOUS

Secretary Mellon

Most of the members of the cabinet are limited, at least financially, in the choice of their hobbies. But for the multi-millionaire secretary of the treasury, the sky is the limit.

Andrew W. Mellon's net diversion is the Hocking Rock Club, a place of broad acres and aristocratic buildings near Pittsburgh which he founded and endowed for his friends. There are no dues in this unique club.

The lucky ones, after election to membership by Mellon's board of governors, can ride to the hounds, golf, or what-have-you, to their hearts' content.

On the side, the secretary collects pictures. Although conservative in taste, preferring Old Masters to Cubists and ultra-modernists, he is reputed to be a keen judge of art values.

With all his expensive avocations Mellon is famous for his vegetarian taste in smoking. For visiting financiers and politicians he keeps imported cigars and cigarettes on his desk. But between his own fingers, as he talks or walks, is the familiar cheap tobacco-wrapped cigaret.

Germany Aided By Dawes Plan For Paying Debts

By FREDERICK KUH

(United Press Staff Correspondent) BERLIN, Sept. 1.—Today, the second birthday of the Dawes plan, sees Germany in the throes of a new grave economic crisis which began last December and has not yet reached its peak.

At the outset of its career, the Dawes plan's swift death-knell was sounded by skeptics. But at the end of the first Dawes year, the same lugubrious gentlemen, confronted with the fact that the plan was still being carried out, proclaimed that the initial year afforded no real test.

"While Germany had to pay one billion marks in reparations, she received 800,000,000 of this amount in foreign loans," they said. "Thus Germany really had to pay only 200,000,000 marks from her own pocket. This naturally provided no difficulty."

Second Year

But now the second Dawes year has passed, too and the plan is still functioning with complete smoothness. And yet the same pessimists insist that the plan is foredoomed to failure.

They point to the German economic crisis, to the heavy toll of unemployment in this country—running up to the formidable total of two million, to the closing down of factories and heavy taxation with its resultant reduction of the general

standard of living.

The German government insists that it is conducting no campaign for the revision of the Dawes plan. It hints, however, that it expects the initiative for a modification of the plan to come from its sponsors. Nevertheless, the Germans never overlook an opportunity to impress the world with the heavy burden which the Dawes scheme thrusts upon this country. It is generally conceded, however, that the real test of the plan's efficacy will come in 1928, when the scale of German reparations payments rises to its highest point—2,500,000,000 gold marks a year.

Any revision of the Dawes plan which would be far-reaching enough to ease Germany's burden would entail a reconsideration of the Allies' debts to the United States. By the terms of existing agreements, in 1928 Germany will not only be paying the Allies' indebtedness to America, but will also be providing France, England and other recipients of reparations with substantial surpluses for their own treasuries.

According to schedule, Germany must pay at least 2,500,000,000 gold marks annually in reparations from 1928 onward; of this amount, France is to receive 52 per cent or about 1,300,000,000 marks. But in 1928, the French debt payments to England and the United States combined will total only 290,000,000 marks, so that France would retain a surplus of more than one billion marks from her share of German reparations.

Payments Increase

It is true, French payments to England and the United States are supposed to increase as the years

pass; but as these payments are now envisaged, they will never be much greater than half the sum which France is scheduled to receive from Germany.

This situation is reviving the suggestion in European financial circles that German reparations be scaled down to cover only the sum of Allied debt payments to the United States. If these financiers have their way, Germany will simply assume the responsibility of repaying the Allies' debts to Washington.

Many experts question, however, whether Germany will even be in a position to assume this burden a few years hence. It is emphasized that

the United States will accept only cash in payment of the Allies' debts and will continue to refuse any repayment in the form of manufactured products or deliveries-in-kind, which is the method of payment which Germany is largely adopting under the Dawes scheme.

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Lions	4 3	.571
Legion	4 3	.571
Oilbelt	3 3	.500
Salesmen	3 3	.500
Woodmen	4 5	.441

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.	W. L.	Pct.
Dallas	79 61	.564
San Antonio	79 61	.564
Fort Worth	74 67	.525
Shreveport	70 68	.507
Houston	69 71	.493
Baumont	69 72	.489
Wichita Falls	64 74	.464
Waco	59 72	.418

Yesterday's Results.
Dallas at Houston, rain.
San Antonio 7, Wichita Falls 4.
Fort Worth 5, Waco 0 (5 innings).
Baumont 6, Shreveport 5.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.	W. L.	Pct.
St. Louis	75 54	.581
Cincinnati	74 54	.578
Pittsburgh	71 52	.577
Chicago	69 58	.543
New York	64 64	.484
Brooklyn	60 70	.462
Boston	48 77	.384
Philadelphia	47 75	.385

Yesterday's Results.
St. Louis 6-2, Pittsburgh 1-1.
Chicago 1, Cincinnati 0.
Philadelphia 7, Boston 2.
Only games scheduled.

Today's Schedule.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Boston at Philadelphia.
Two games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.	W. L.	Pct.
New York	79 49	.617
Cleveland	74 55	.574
Philadelphia	71 57	.555
Detroit	67 61	.523
Washington	66 60	.524
Chicago	63 66	.488
St. Louis	52 77	.403
Boston	42 89	.321

Yesterday's Results.
Chicago 19-6, Detroit 2-7.
Washington 2, Boston 0.
Philadelphia 8, New York 5.
Cleveland 6, St. Louis 5 (12 innings).

Today's Schedule.
Chicago at Detroit.
Philadelphia at New York.
Washington at Boston.
Three games scheduled.

Oil Belt Motor And Legion Play This Afternoon

This afternoon the Oilbelt Motor and the American Legion will play their regular schedule game and base the outcome of their rained out game on the result. The one team will win two in one this afternoon, and as neither team can afford to lose two this will be a hard fought battle. Don't miss it. The final game of the season will be played Thursday afternoon between the Modern Woodmen and the Salesmen. However, as there are several rained out games there will be a game every day the rest of the week. These games will decide the champion of the second half and as there are several contenders for this honor, every game will be a battle royal.

New embroidery arriving every day. Annie Laurie Shop, Eastland. Adv.

Leveille-Maher Shuts Out Hard Hitting "Woodies"

Wesley Hodge won his niche in the hall of fame Monday when he held the Woodmen to no hits and no runs, thereby pitching the only such game in the Business Men's league this season. On two occasions errors came near to wrecking the no-run part of his game, but he tightened and struck out the succeeding batters. Watson, pitching his third game in two days, allowed only three hits in the three innings he pitched and Lemma, who pitched the last two, held the Lizzie boys hitless and scoreless. Pace again played the stellar role in center field making two nearly impossible catches.

Box score:

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Lizzies	2	1	1	6	0	0
A. Glenn, 1b	2	1	1	6	0	0
Abney, ss	2	0	0	1	3	1
Yonker, 2b	2	0	1	0	3	0
Vaughn, c	2	0	0	6	0	0
Davis, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Hummel, cf	2	1	0	0	0	1
Myers, lf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Hodge, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lines, rf	1	0	1	1	0	0

Totals

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Woodmen	15	2	3	15	6	3
Pace, rf	2	0	0	3	0	0
Lemma, ss-p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Watson, p-b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Peters, c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Love, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jay, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Hammet, 2b-ss	2	0	0	1	2	1
Glenn, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	1
Coalson, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0

Totals16 0 0 12 6 2
Score by innings:
Leveille-Maher110 0x-2
Modern Woodmen000 00-0
Summary—Struck out, by Hodge 6, by Lemma 1; bases on balls, off Hodge 6, off Watson 1; left on bases, Woodmen 3, Leveille-Maher 2. Time of game, 1:15. Umpires, Littlefield and Avant.

Most Useful Players In Big Leagues Are Up

By HENRY L. FARRELL, United Press Sports Editor.
NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Baseball writers who get the thankless mission of selecting each year the most valuable ball player in the two major leagues will have a more difficult assignment than ever this year. It has seldom happened since the National and American leagues decided to reward the most valuable player that there was not at least one outstanding player in each league.

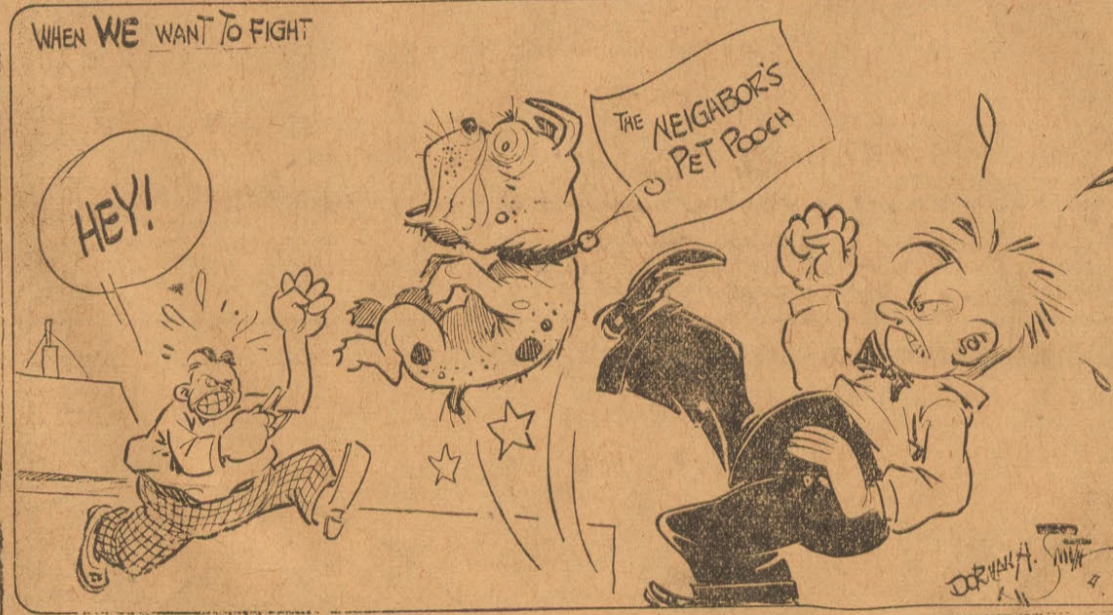
This year there are the usual number of good players but there is no individual in either league who stands out with such prominence that he makes of himself a ranking candidate.

It was a cinch in recent elections to name George Sisler, Babe Ruth and Dazzy Vance because there could have been no reason to doubt that they were the most valuable players of that particular season but there are no names this season that suggest themselves. Ruth has enjoyed one of the greatest seasons this year. There can be little doubt that he had a major part in getting the Yankees a commanding lead that made almost a runaway of the American league pennant race, but the Babe is not eligible.

Unjust Rule.
The American league rule which does not permit a player to be rewarded more than once is unjust as it has been proved in Ruth's case and the rule may be changed this winter. There are a number of players being considered in the American league and the committee delegated to make the choice probably will get as much criticism as it did last year in voting for Roger Peckinpaugh.

There was no doubt that Peck was as valuable through the playing season last year as any other player in the league but he put up the worst exhibition of play in the world's series that a rookie shortstop ever did

The Advantage of Not Being a World's Champion



Rival Managers Are Sore at Each Other, May Fight

Raymond Teal, manager of the Northsiders, is sore. E. H. Chaplin, manager of the Southsiders said that Teal didn't know a thing about playing ball or managing a team. In fact he went so far as to say that Teal didn't know first base from third and he'd make him sorry he ever tried to put on a team here Labor day. He said all this to George Murphy, who in turn passed it on to Teal, and George says that he knows that Teal was in the big show for three years.

Teal feels that it is a personal insult that Chaplin should doubt his ability to manage his team for the big game on Labor day. Says his pride is hurt and whenever his pride is hurt, he just takes it out in scuffling, so he is going into lick that Southside team good and hard at Nitro park on Labor day.

Intensive and extensive training is under way—both managers grooming up their teams to the nth power for the big benefit game on Sept. 6 for the benefit of the pep squad.

Pennock Mentioned.
Herb Pennock, the star southpaw of the New York Yankees, and George Uhle, the great right-hander of the Cleveland Indians, will receive a lot of consideration and it is likely that one of the two will be named as the winner.

Pennock's pitching had much to do with the parade of the Yankees and without Uhle the Indians hardly could have made the surprising bid they made for the pennant.

George Burns, the veteran first baseman of the Cleveland club, is also worth consideration. He has played the greatest game of his career this season and with Jolie Sewell, the young shortstop, he deserves credit for getting the club into the runner-up position.

Lazzeri.
Tony Lazzeri, the young Yankee infielder, is also candidate. He is not the outstanding star of the season, but he made good in a position, the weakness at which made a second division club out of the Yankees last season.

Bill Hunnefeld, the young White Sox shortstop, who has been declared by his manager, Eddie Collins, to be the best young player of the season, and Greddy Sargeon, the Cleveland second baseman, are also getting mention.

It will be just as difficult to find a popular choice in the National league as there are no outstanding stars. Hughie Critz, the young Cincinnati star, who is rated as the best fielding second baseman in the league, has been getting a lot of notice and Jim Bottomley, the St. Louis first baseman, will have to be considered.

Football Confab Brings Out 60 Candidates

Sixty young men met with Coach Blair Cherry last night at the High school auditorium, in the first meeting of the Ranger Bulldogs this season. Coach Cherry made a talk on the qualifications, regulations, etc., regarding the making of the team, and each man of the 60 cherished the hope that he would be one of the 11 that will make football history for Ranger this season.

It is thought that a least 70 men will be available for the team as there are a number of candidates yet to report.

Their first practice will be this afternoon at 4 o'clock at Nitro park. This would need fireproof nickel cigars. Read "They Never Knew."

Salesmen Trim "King of Beasts" In Hard Fought Game

In a thrilling contest that was marked by home runs and other extra base hits the Salesmen team took the top notch Lions club to defeat yesterday afternoon to the tune of 5 to 4. A single by Boyd and doubles by Craig and Cherry counted two for the Lions in the first. The Salesmen got one around in the same inning when Chief Murphy lost Craig's throw in the sun and Summerral was safe. Summerral scored and Morgan went to second when Clark misjudged his high fly in left field. They added two more in the second on a single by Echols, a double by Cotulla and a single by Manager Hocker, who played right field.

With the score four to two against them the Lions came up in the fourth and tied it up with a single by Craig and a home run by Cherry.

Box score:

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Lions	3	1	1	4	2	0
Boyd, c	3	1	1	4	2	0
Galloway, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Lambert, 2b	3	0	0	4	1	0
Craig, ss	3	2	2	1	1	0
Cherry, cf	2	1	2	1	0	0
Calvert, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0
Larsen, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Clark, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Murphy, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	1

Totals22 4 6*14 7 2
*Two out when winning run was scored.

Salesmen—

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Summerral, 1b	3	2	0	6	0	0
Morgan, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Littlefield, 3b	3	0	1	2	2	1
Collum, 2b	2	1	1	1	2	1
Lingle, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Echols, cf	2	1	2	0	1	0
Cotulla, c	2	1	1	5	0	0
Hocker, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Evant,	2	0	1	0	2	0
Eason, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals20 5 7 15 7 2
Summary—Home runs, Collum, Cherry; three-base hit, Cotulla; two-base hits, Craig, Cherry, Galloway, Littlefield; stolen bases, Summerral, Larsen; hit batsman, by Galloway (Morgan); struck out, by Galloway 4, by Avant 5; triple play, Craig to Lambert to Murphy. Umpires, Renshaw and Taylor. Time, 1:15.

Noted Arkansas Quarterback Is Now Physician

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—College football fans of ten or fifteen years ago will remember "Red" Turrentine, Arkansas quarterback extraordinary, who occupied the all-American limelight for a year or two. Then he disappeared from the sports page, studied medicine, and presently reappeared in the news as one of the government's specialists in trachoma, an eye disease which threatened the blind thousands of Indians on the government reservations.

"Red" has been abroad for three years, having resigned from the government service to study trachoma on its native haunts, in Palestine, Syria and Russian Armenia. He came back to Washington a few days ago as Dr. Hugh O. Turrentine, consulting professor of eye diseases in two or three European universities, director of medical work for the Near East Relief in Russian Armenia, and honorary chevalier of half a dozen distinguished foreign orders.

His studies of eye diseases in various countries have made him one of the three greatest specialists in the world on the subject of trachoma, which annually causes 100,000 cases of blindness in Indian and Bible lands. He has not yet found a cure for this dreaded disease, but he knows all there is to know about it, and he plans to continue his re-

Schoolgirl Now



Helen Hills, national tennis champion for three seasons, is going back to school—back to the University of California. Helen was forced to default her title this summer with drawing from the annual classic at Forest Hills on the advice of her physician. She was operated upon for appendicitis in June and it was feared the strain of competition would be too much of a tax on her physically.

searches here in the hope of further improving the present methods of treatment.

Not many months ago, the newspapers carried a dispatch from Moscow stating that the head of the Armenian church, Catholicos IV, had called for Dr. Turrentine to perform an operation on his eyes, choosing the little quarter-back from Little Rock in preference to all the European specialists who were available for this purpose. The Catholicos, an old man of 80 years, suffered from cataracts, and Dr. Turrentine removed them, thereby achieving a reputation throughout Russia as a "holy man" and a "miracle worker."

Who was Mussolini and why not? Read "They Never Knew."

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World Court Frowns On Reservations

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It was supposed that England had consulted the United States as to whether such a procedure would be acceptable in an effort to find some solution for the reservations which the United States senate had fastened on America's adhesion to the court.

The United States was invited at the same time to send delegates to the conference for the purpose of giving additional explanations as to the precise meaning and interpretation of the American reservations.

The refusal of a few weeks later of Secretary of State Kellogg to participate in the conference came like a cold shower to the League which had supposed that everything had been previously arranged for having the United States present.

Kellogg's Note
Kellogg explained in his note to the League that the reservations were perfectly self-explanatory; that no one but the United States senate itself was not capable of giving further explanations or interpretations, and that therefore it would be useless for the United States to send a delegation. He added, however, that the United States had no objection to the signatories of the Hague court proceeding with the proposed conference if they saw fit.

In spite of this setback, the League council at its June session decided to go ahead with the conference because it was convinced that it presented the only possible way of finding the means for accepting the American reservations.

Procedure
Under the procedure adopted by the United States senate, it had been decided that the American government should address a note to each signatory of the Hague protocol, enclosing the American reservations, and asking if they were acceptable. This meant that if they were refused by a single signatory, they could never be accepted.

The fact that to-date the American government has received only three acceptances, Cuba, Greece and Liberia, is felt in League circles to be concrete evidence that such a method would never succeed.

Instead, it is hoped at the conference that convened today that some

method may be found whereby the American reservations might be embodied in an annex or additional protocol which all of the signatories could accept.

No Delegation
However, with the United States refusal to send a delegation empowered to give additional explanations and interpretations, virtually all hopes of success have been abandoned.

The greatest stumbling point is conceded to be the senate's fifth reservation which says that the Hague court shall not render any advisory opinions, in cases in which the United States may be interested, without the latter's consent.

Up to the present time, the League council has hardly ever been able to act in any international dispute without first consulting the Hague court as to the right of all the parties concerned and its own authority in the case. This procedure has proved also the most effective one possible in inducing all of the interested parties to accept the final decision in the case.

By the acceptance of the senate's fifth reservation, the League would surrender to a large degree this invaluable right, as the United States by merely declaring it was interested in any given question could keep the Hague court from expressing an advisory opinion thereon for the guidance of the League.

The necessity like wise of securing the consent of every signatory to every one of the American reservations is also considered an obstacle that renders it almost certain that today's conference cannot succeed.

Police Picks Up 2 Lads Taking Their Vacation

"Just taking a vacation" was what two young men from Fort Worth claimed last night when they were picked up and held at the police station. They hadn't done anything and likely were not going to do anything. Just come out here on a vacation and to see the oil fields, but a father of one of the boys down in Fort Worth did not seem to want them to take their vacation along this route, so wired the Ranger police to hold them until he came, and he was reported to be on the way early this morning.

'City Dads' Drop One Policeman, 'Si' Bradford Off

Si Bradford, who has been on the Ranger police force for the last year and a half, did not report for service today, as he was the youngest man in point of service on the force and therefore had to be released, following an edict from the city dads of Ranger that one less man would from Sept. 1 be on its payroll in that department.

Mr. Bradford has been a fine officer, honest, kind and fearless and has done his work efficiently on the force. He makes his home in Strawn.

Belshazzar's Feast Is Theme Of Evangelist

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associates of life are not sufficient unless the God of Daniel is their God."

Cutting Third Base

The preacher gave an illustration of cutting third base in his days as a baseball player; but was called out and asked to go back and touch third. He said Belshazzar was called back to touch third and was called out. "Remember this audience, you are called back to touch third and you are out. Fathers you are out, business men you are out, house wives you are out, unless you have appropriated God's plan for your life."

There was intense interest as the preacher delivered his message. A description of how God had stored up in the vicinity of Ranger untold wealth, how Ranger was known all over the world, how men of nothing had prospered through the storehouses of God's wealth and yet how little people in Ranger were thinking of the Lord now days. At this time the minister shouted, "Brother the Lord has your number. He will get you sooner or later. He knows that you promise you made Him and failed to keep it. He knows your intentions how you plan to make a few more dollars and then serve Him. He knows how you plan to have a few more banquets and drink a little more and then serve Him. King Belshazzar was not satisfied with his worldly companions in that crucial moment neither will you be satisfied with the fellows you sit with in that hour when God calls on you to face Him."

Crowds Grow

Crowds continue to overflow the campus, more seats are needed to accommodate the Wednesday night crowd. A delegation of 100 will occupy reserved seats from Eastland. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker of Dallas were guests of Dr. Hogg Tuesday. A large response of people came forward last night and accepted testaments from the hand of the Evangelist. The personal workers meeting conducted each evening at 7 o'clock has a splendid attendance as well as the young peoples meetings conducted by Miss Rice at the same time. It was announced last night that everybody attending the meeting Wednesday evening is expected to bring a penny for each year old he is to defray the meeting expenses. Services every day at 10 a. m. and 7:50 p. m.

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Committees Named For Junor College By the Directors

The Junior college of Ranger was the official name given to the Junior college, and then Chairman Buchanan got down to business and appointed some committees.

A committee consisting of Hall Walker, chairman; Mmes. George Bohning, and Bob Hodges and M. K. Collie, together with R. F. Holloway and Chamber of Commerce Secretary C. C. Patterson, were appointed to take charge of the publicity campaign for the college as well as the drive for students. This committee is to meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock to perfect plans for their campaign which starts at once.

Mrs. George Bohning, chairman, John M. Gholson and Morris Bendix were on another committee that was appointed by Chairman Buchanan,

Ranger Board Will Improve Old Nitro Park

Raymond Teal, Steve A. Lillard Jr., J. T. Gullahorn and Marvin Collie of the park committee, Ranger, went over to Cisco Tuesday to give their athletic park the once over. They came home with a vision of what Nitro park is to be, as they aim to make it the best athletic park in the oil fields.

At once the park is to undergo improvements. Fifty or sixty feet are being taken from the school grounds to the north, which will enlarge it by

and it is their duty to arrange for a reception for the incoming teachers of both the Junior college and the Ranger schools, to be held as soon as practicable after their arrival so that the townspeople may have an opportunity to know the teachers and the teachers their school patrons.

The meeting was attended by John M. Gholson, Mmes. Bohning, Hodges, and C. E. Maddocks, Dr. Buchanan, S. A. Lillard Jr., Hall Walker, W. D. Conway, Morris Bendix, C. C. Patterson, and R. F. Holloway.

that many feet, an enlargement that will add much to its beauty and utility. Weeds are being cut and a tractor has been pressed into service for the necessary leveling work. It will take a good many thousand dollars to do what this committee intends to be done, but they will do it. The bleachers are to be redone and made similar to those in Cisco, with a series of ladders, for the ladies to mount them without stepping on someone else. These seats will be numbered and there will be reserved seats, of a most comfortable variety, as well as non-reserved ones.

The grass field at Cisco looked good to the park board, so emulating the example of their neighboring city the field will be sodded with grass next June, watered plentifully, and by next fall the athletic teams will have a park as good if not better than anything found near here.

In the meantime the board is busy making such improvements as their finances will permit, and will continue to do so right on through the year.

FUNERAL HELD

Funeral services for Cleo Turner, 9-year-old daughter of John Turner living near Eastland, who died last night, were conducted from the Eastland Methodist Church this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MILITIA IS SENT TO STRIKE ZONE

By United Press.

MANVILLE, R. I., Sept. 1.—Thirty-five members of the field artillery national guard arrived by motor truck from Providence today to reinforce the 11 state police, who last night battled with strikers of the Manville-Jencke cotton mills.

All of the 11 troopers were cut by stones hurled by the strikers and five of the strikers, according to police, were wounded when the troopers returned the fire, which they said came from the crowd.

Those injured in the first clashes were:

Aram Au Clair, 20, of Cumberland, shot in the chin.

Michael Mamamka, 17, of Manville, shot twice in the left leg.

Victor Ragueaud, 27, of Manville, shot in the left shoulder.

John Rymanski of Cumberland, a striker, shot in the left hand.

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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Clarence Williams, who, being by me duly sworn, on his oath deposes and says:

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Signed: CLARENCE WILLIAMS.
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(seal) MAY HARRISON,
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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Fred Gary, who, being by me duly sworn, on his oath deposes and says:

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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Evans Goodard, who, being by me duly sworn, on his oath deposes and says:

That he is the regular carrier for the Eastland Telegram on Eastland Route No. 3; that as such carrier he carries and delivers 75 papers each day to that number of bona fide subscribers to said paper.

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That he is the regular carrier for the Eastland Telegram on Eastland Route No. 5; that as such carrier he carries and delivers 42 papers each day to that number of bona fide subscribers to said paper.

Signed: JOHN FRANK WILLIAMS.
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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Frank Jones, who, being by me duly sworn, on his oath deposes and says:

That he is the business manager of the Eastland Telegram; that the daily circulation of such newspaper by carrier in Eastland is 610 and that such number does not include street sales, sales at newsstands, or circulation by mail.

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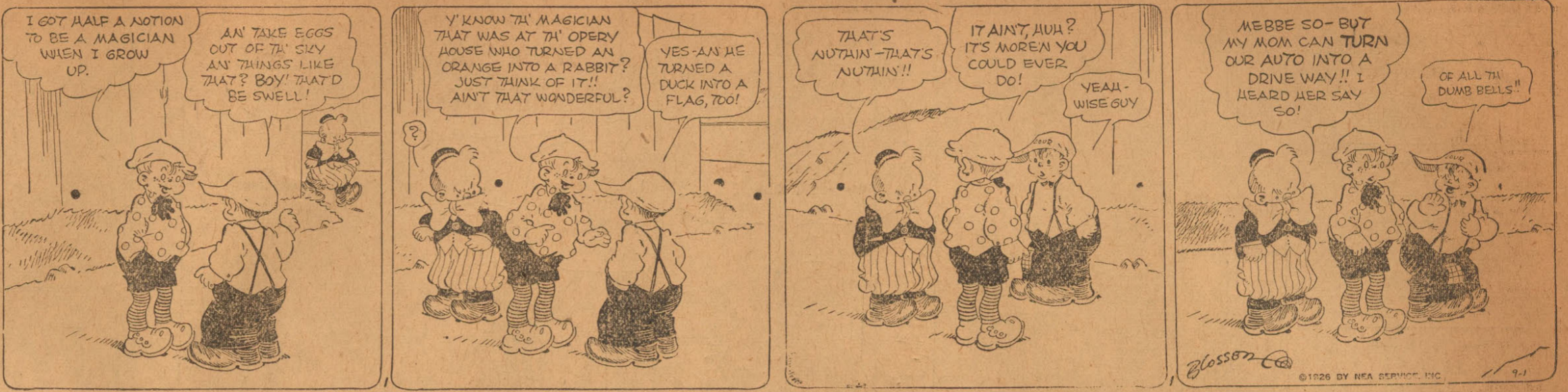
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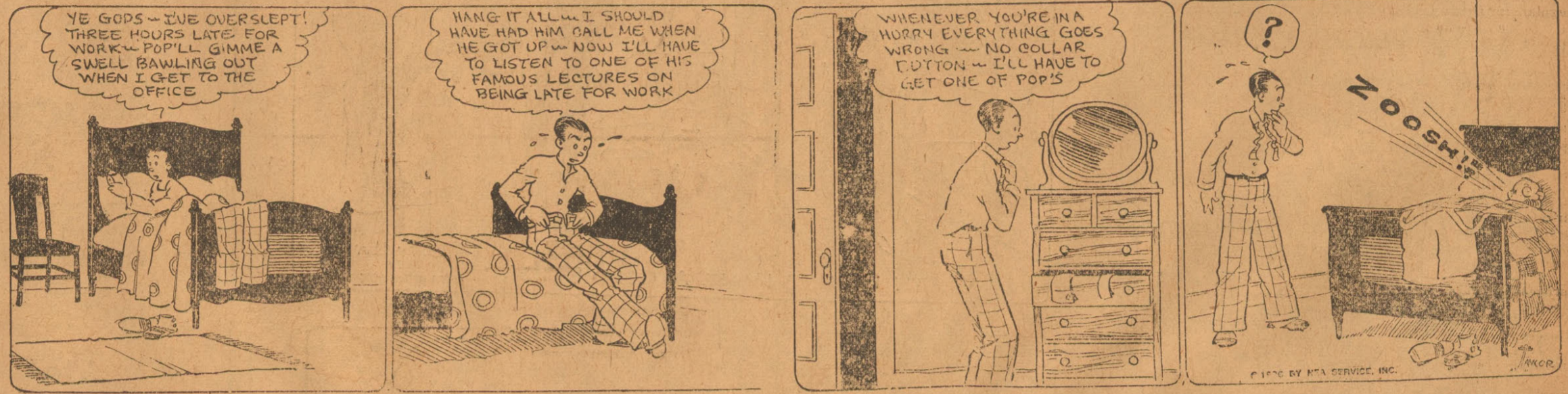
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New Long Distance Schedule To Save Public \$3,000,000

Effective Oct. 1 the Southwestern Bell Telephone company will inaugurate a readjustment of rates and an improved service that will save the public annually \$3,000,000. Under the new system, the toll to all points 150 or more miles, a big cut is noted, while within the state boundary, reduced rates begin with points 100 or more miles distant. One of the outstanding features of the readjustment is the addition of an hour and a half to station to station and other calls at night. After Oct. 1, station to station calls may be put in at 7 o'clock instead of 8:30 as at present. Between 7 o'clock and 8:30 o'clock the discount will approximate 25 per cent. Another outstanding feature and change that will be welcomed is the extension of reversing the charges to include the station to station call. Detailed announcement of the new long distance rates and practices will be obtainable from the telephone office before the new rates become effective. In further explanation of the readjustment to be made, especially as affecting the station to station call, for instance, from Dallas to San Antonio the basic rate is \$1.70, under the new order it will be \$1.40; to St. Louis from Dallas, it will be \$2.60 instead of \$3.50 and to New York \$6.15 instead of \$8.80. Other adjustments also will be made. The discounts also will apply for short distances with a minimum reduction of 35 cents. Because of unsatisfactory conditions which it brought about, the existing midnight discount will be discontinued.

Free Tourist Parks Frowned On "During the present season I have traveled more than 4,000 miles investigating tourist conditions over the state and in adjoining states. Through my office I keep in touch with the tourist and travel agencies of the country and it is my observation that the day of the so-called free tourist camp is over and that the more desirable tourists do not use the free parks. Naturally the hotels are opposed to free tourist parks—but aside from that—the city itself loses the value of the tourist business whenever the tourist stays away out on the edge of the city in some park. Whenever a party of tourist come down town and put up at one of our hotels—they store their car in a downtown garage, they get a bath, put on fresh clothes—often buying various articles at your clothing stores, they eat at downtown cafes, feel clean, fresh and rested—and go to downtown picture shows, spend more money for eats or drinks after the show—and leave a \$5 or \$10 bill at the downtown hotel that goes into trade channels through the purchase of foods, supplies or wages paid the hotel employees. It is from a study of these facts that many cities are not only discontinuing their free tourist parks but are placing such high sanitary and police restrictions on the individually operated parks that they are causing the tramp or bum tourist to move on and catching only the desirable, high class tourist at their camps and in their cities.

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St. Rita's School Adds Another Bus For Children

Pupils attending St. Rita's school, Ranger, this year, from Cisco and Eastland, will have a private bus to come and go in, as the school has just recently added a motor bus to their school equipment. The driver of the bus has been well chosen, so that parents need not have fear of any accidents befalling their children en route to and from school. The bus will leave Cisco at 7 o'clock sharp and stop at Eastland for students of the school from there. It will leave Ranger about 3 in the afternoon. St. Rita's school last year had about 100 pupils, including day and boarding pupils but they expect to have many additional ones this year on account of the new bus service. St. Rita's will re-open on Tuesday, Sept. 7, and it offers splendid facilities for boys and girls, not only in the grade department, but also in the high school, as it gives four years of high school work.

There are six teachers in the school, and not only are all courses of academic work taught, but the fine arts as well. A number of boarding pupils come each year from nearby towns. Breckenridge, Cisco and Eastland are out of town patrons of the school as well as some of the other towns in the deanery, who appreciate the educational advantages offered.

Divorce Evil Shows Growth; Eastland County

The divorce evil, claimed by many to be one of the leading influences that is slowly but surely undermining the American home, has made much headway in Eastland county as well as other counties in this and other states, but is still running far behind the little winged god, Cupid, as is shown by the records in the district and county clerk's offices. During the past three years there were 1,657 marriage license issued in Eastland county, 584 in 1923, 601 in 1924, and 492 in 1925. For the same period there was a total of 340 divorces granted, 111 of these was in 1923, 104 in 1924, and 125 in 1925.

A comparison of the figures for the last two years show that the number of divorces granted for 1925 exceeded the previous year by 21, while the number of marriage license issued in 1925 were 109 less than those issued in 1924. Records in the district clerk's office reveal the fact that suits for divorce are filed by about an equal number of men and women. These records also show that about 60 per cent of the petitions praying for divorce allege cruel treatment, about 25 per cent abandonment and the remaining 15 per cent various and sundry charges. While cruel treatment and abandonment are charged in most of the suits for divorce filed by both men and women, those who have had experience in handling divorce cases and who enjoy the confidence of those filing them, declare that adultery is the real cause, either directly or indirectly, and is largely responsible for the growth of the divorce evil. Trial judges say that not more than one divorce case out of twenty is contested. If there is property involved an agreement on a divisor is usually made between the parties and the courts are not called upon to locate in the matter. Children are more often than not, given the mother by agreement of both parties.

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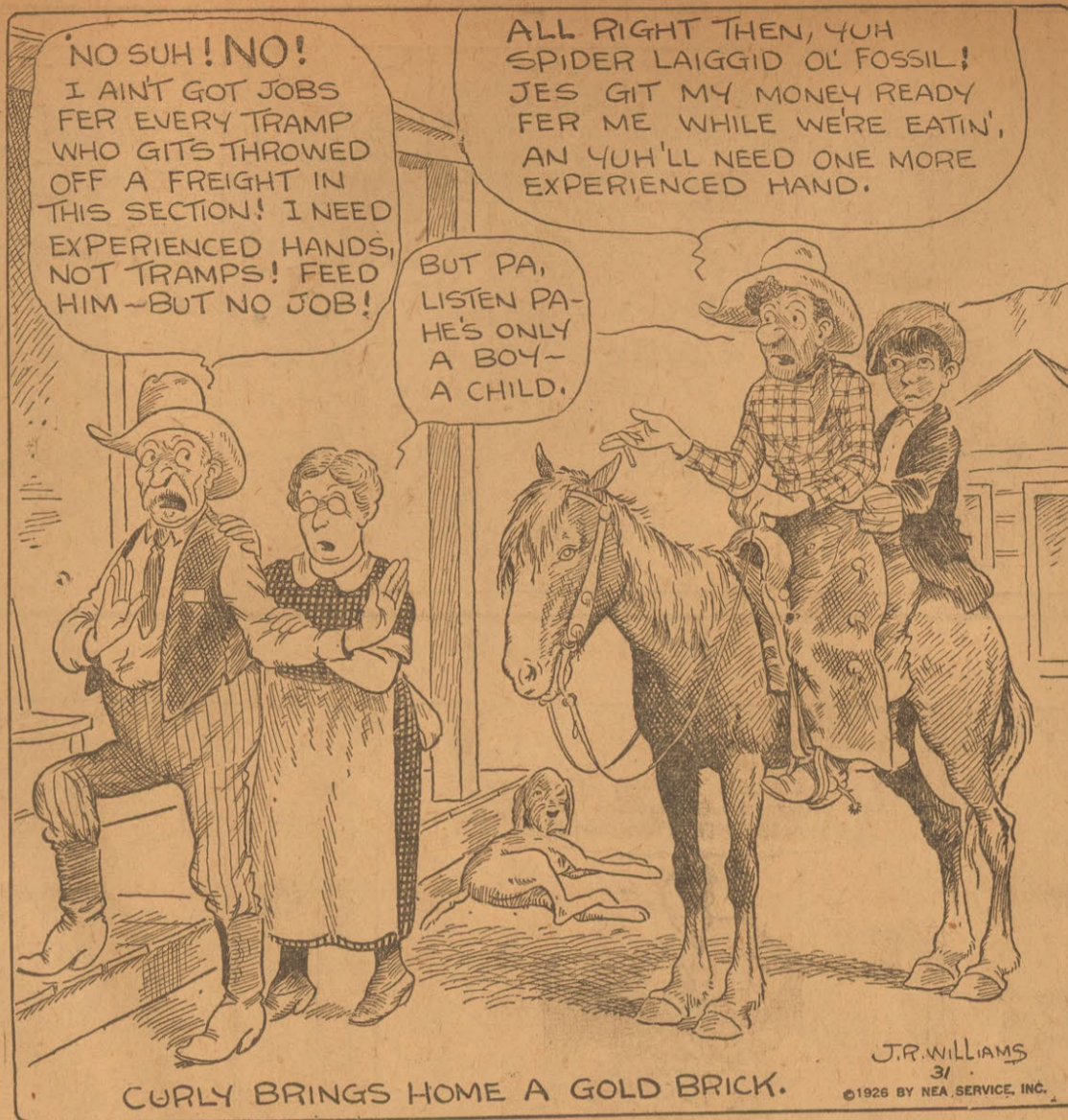
dents who are unable to attend the University of Texas on their own resources, there are 18 loan funds established by various persons over the state in the interest of helping worthy men and women to continue their university training.

Perhaps the ex-students' loan fund has aided more students to complete their university careers than any other one fund. Several thousand dollars are available as loans.

Of particular interest to students of the ministry is the Bothwell Bierce Kane loan scholarship, endowed by Mrs. John D. Kane of Fort Worth in memory of her son. The beneficiaries of this fund must be candidates for the ministry in any recognized Christian denomination, or candidates for home and foreign missionary work, or students preparing to become Y. M. C. A. secretaries.

Women Students.
There are several loan funds open exclusively to women students. Of these, the Brackenridge loan fund is open to women students in architecture, law and medicine. With a view to aiding women students in these professions, the late George W. Brackenridge of San Antonio endowed the fund. Of the loans available, six may be had in the department of

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architecture, five in the school of law, and nine in the school of medicine.

The Gertrude Swearingen loan fund was established by the late Mrs. Helen Marr Kirby, dean of women in the university, in memory of her sister, for the benefit of freshmen girls. Loan funds established by the Reagan literary society and the Sydney Lanier literary society are also open only to women students.

The James Archibald Edmond loan scholarship, established by Miss Belle Edmond of Waco in honor of her nephew, is open only to men students who have already demonstrated their ability and character by actual experience in the university.

Scholarships.
The Carl Stone Benedict scholarship and loan fund is available to male students of the college of arts and sciences, with preference being given to members of the sophomore class. The donors of this fund are Dr. and Mrs. H. Y. Benedict of Austin. Dr. Benedict is dean of the college of arts in the university.

A loan fund of \$10,000 was made available to deserving students of the university by the terms of the will of the late E. M. Scarbrough, pioneer merchant of Austin.

For the benefit of worthy and capable young men above the rank of freshmen attending any department of the Main university, Mrs. Julia Oldright of Austin, founder of the Charles Durand Oldright fellowship fund, has provided that the excess of the income from the fellowship be known as the Charles Durand Oldright loan fund.

Class of 1913.
A fund established by the graduating class of 1913, and originally intended for the purchase of chimes for the university, is now used in aiding students. Other classes have made additions to the fund.

To a young man or woman of Jones county is available money from the fund established in the memory of George Allen, of the law class of 1891. A fund founded in the memory of John H. Houghton, long a citizen of Houston, is open to an applicant of Jim Hgg county.

Both the college of engineering and the school of law have loan funds organized by the students and open to students in these departments.

To assist Master Masons or the dependents of Master Masons or the Scottish Rite Masons of Texas have established a students loan fund.

A fund established by Cullen F. Thomas of Dallas, and friends, and another founded in memory of Lester Gladstone Bugbee, formerly adjunct professor of history in the university, are also open to deserving students.

Student Editors Of Daily Texan Receive Medals

AUSTIN, Sept. 1.—In recognition of work done on the Daily Texan, the student newspaper, during the present summer school of the University of Texas, 50 students have

been awarded medals, according to Sam C. Johnson of Marlin, editor-in-chief of the paper. Consistency and dependability have been especially stressed among the workers on the Texan, Johnson said, and the number receiving awards this summer is considerably less than usual. Grati-ville Price of Austin is managing editor of the Texan.

Students who received distinct recognition as the most consistent workers on the paper were awarded silver medals are Ruth Simpson, of Cleburne, reporting; Miss Martha Anne Faulk of Austin, society; and Marie Jones of Edna, editorial writing. Elmer Lee Callahan of Lockhart received a gold medal as the most consistent issue editor.

Bronze medals were awarded the following students: Rudolph Engalking, Sealy; Agnes White, Hamilton;

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Silver medals were awarded Mrs. Genevieve Hamlett, Wichita Falls; Mary Louise DeDaniel, Austin; Alex Murphree, Austin; Parlee Hocker, Austin; and Alfred N. Carter, Austin.

The editors of the Texan were awarded gold medals: Edward Steere, Austin, chief editorial writer; Grati-ville Price, Austin, managing editor; and Sam C. Johnson, Marlin, editor-in-chief.

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