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EXPLOSION OF LEAKING GAS TAKES LIFE

COOL BREEZES WITH RAIN ARE VERY WELCOME

Paris Gets Downpour, Which Is Extending Southward; Amarillo Refreshed.

DALLAS, June 8.—Showers and cooling breezes from the Rockies brought relief to communities in some parts of the state today from the high temperatures of last week, according to reports to the United States weather bureau here. Paris reported a three-inch downpour, which was continuing this morning. Light falls of rain were reported at several South Texas points with a slight drop in temperature.

ATLANTIC STATES DUE FOR BREAK IN HEAT WAVE

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Cooler weather which broke much of the heat in the east yesterday was due today in Pennsylvania, Virginia and other states along the Atlantic seaboard, the United States weather bureau announced today.

A toll of 605 lives lost during the heat wave, the death toll being compiled by the United Press as follows: New York, 181; Pennsylvania, 140; New England states, 67; Ohio, 40; Illinois, 40; Michigan, 33; Maryland, 23; Wisconsin, 18; Washington, D. C., 14; Indiana, 11; Iowa, 10; Minnesota, 9; Missouri, 4; Delaware, 3; Tennessee, 3; Texas, 3; Colorado, 3; Oklahoma, 2; Georgia, 1.

Two Young Women Burned to Death After Plane Falls

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., June 8.—Miss Pearl Baysinger and Miss Grace Lamar, both of Cobden, Ill., were killed, and John Hunter, pilot was severely injured when an airplane crashed to the ground here late Sunday. The girls were burned to death after the plane smashed.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OFFERS TREASURY NOTES

DALLAS, June 8.—The Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Dallas, Texas, gives notice of announcement by the treasury department to its June financing, which takes the form of a one-year treasury certificate of indebtedness offered at par and accrued interest, bearing interest of 3 per cent, dated June 15, 1925, due June 15, 1926. The offering is for \$125,000,000 of these bonds. The certificates are tax certificates. Treasury notes series Q 1925, due June 15, 1925, are acceptable in payment and treated as cash subscriptions. About \$400,000,000 of treasury notes become payable on June 15, 1925. The present offering is intended, with the balances already on hand and the June tax receipts, to cover the treasury's further cash requirements until September, when further financing will be necessary.

Men Entombed By Explosion In Coal Mine In Kentucky

STURGIS, Ky., June 8.—Fifteen men were reported entombed by an explosion today, which wrecked the upper part of the mine No. 9 of West Kentucky Coal company.

RADIO PROGRAM

The following radio programs are announced for today: Fort Worth, WBAP, 475.9 Meters. 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.—Program of popular songs and musical numbers given by artists of the Northern Texas Traction company, under the direction of R. E. Loup (C. B. L.). 9:30 to 10:45 p. m.—Ward's "Trail Blazers," the Montgomery Ward & Co. orchestra, playing popular music. (The Hired Hand.) 11 p. m. to Midnight—Dance music by Frenesley Moore's Black and Gold Sevenstars. (W. E. B.) Dallas, WFAA, 475.9 Meters. 6:30 to 7:30 p. m.—Roy Leffingwell's orchestra. 8:30 to 9:30 p. m.—Sweetwater Viola choir, Mrs. O. L. Culbirth, director, Sweetwater, Texas.

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SUMMER BIBLE SCHOOL OPENS VERY HAPPILY

Large Enrollment First Day; Bible Study Classes Each Night.

The daily vacation Bible school in Ranger was organized this morning with about 75 students at the High school and about 25 at Young school. Further enrollments are expected tomorrow, for it is desired to build up the class to 400 or 500, and it is said this can be done. All teachers were present this morning, the classes were organized and the work begun. Much interest was shown in the courses of study and it was said the school this year will be the organization of a new movement in Ranger that is certain to prove valuable in encouraging study of the Bible. Both young people and adults are desired for the Bible study class that is to be conducted at 7:30 o'clock each evening in the Ranger Methodist church by the Rev. A. L. Leake. He will take up Bible characters, beginning tonight with Jonah. The last two weeks of the Bible school the Rev. A. W. Hall will conduct a class in the open air at the Central Baptist church. His subject will be "The Life and Letters of Paul."

FOUKE FAMILY ARE HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Former Ranger Folks Badly Cut and Bruised in Wreck in California.

A letter from Mrs. Frank Rarey, living in Los Angeles, California, formerly of this city, to Mrs. A. N. Harkrider, advises her of the serious injury in an automobile crash to the family of W. H. Fouke, formerly of Ranger. They had been to the beach spending Sunday, May 31, with Mr. Fouke's mother, and while returning home their car was struck by another car. Mrs. Fouke was thrown out and the car rested on her shoulders. She was taken to the hospital for an operation and 16 stitches were taken across her forehead, nine at the back of her head and several on her chin. Her body was a mass of bruises but no bones were broken. Mr. Fouke suffered the loss of a thumb and was badly cut and bruised about the face and neck. Their daughter, Frances, who was to graduate in a few days, had one limb hurt, seven stitches being required to sew up the cut, while Bobby escaped without a scratch. Mr. and Mrs. Fouke are both confined to their beds at his mother's home and will be there for several weeks before they regain their strength. Both were very popular in Ranger, being connected with social and church life. Mr. Fouke was at one time president of the Ranger Club and a member of the Ranger Lions' club.

Civil War Stirs Canton in China, Where Battle Rages

HONG KONG, June 8.—Machine gun fighting between Yunnanese troops holding the city of Canton and Canton government forces on Honan island continues. The Yunnanese were still undefeated, according to a message received here. Authorities are said to have been busy searching out Russian agitators. A number of these took refuge under the German flag in Chung Shang and four who arrived at the international settlement in an automobile flying a German emblem were refused admission. Civil war at Canton has been brewing for some time and many foreigners, including a number of Americans, were reported previously quitting the city in anticipation of an outbreak. The break came over the week-end when the Yunnanese general, after an order from the Canton authorities to quit mobilizing, started his men against Honan island, which is in the river opposite Canton. Small gunboats were employed and machine gun exchanges between the Yunnanese and the rebellious General Yang in Canton kept up a clatter, which was being continued today.

CANTON GOVERNMENT HEADQUARTERS TO WHAMPOA

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—The Canton government has been removed to Whampoa, due to fighting in the city, according to a Hong Kong cable received here today. The battle for Canton still is raging, with a large number killed and wounded on both sides. The Ching Sai Yat Po told the United Press. Cadet troops seeking to cross the river were repulsed by the Yunnanese forces. The Chinese World received advices that two government investigators have arrived at Canton to probe causes of the strikes and rioting there.

This Caused Scopes' Indictment

EVOLUTION. The Doctrine of Evolution.—We have now learned that animal forms may be arranged so as to begin with very simple one-celled forms and culminate with a group which contains man himself. This arrangement is called the evolutionary series. Evolution means change, and these groups are believed by scientists to represent stages in complexity of development of life on the earth. Geology teaches that millions of years ago, life upon the earth was very simple, and that gradually more and more complex forms of life appeared, as the rocks formed latest in time show the most highly developed forms of animal life. The great English scientist, Charles Darwin, from this and other evidence, explained the theory of evolution. This is the belief that simple forms of life on the earth slowly and gradually gave rise to those more complex and that thus ultimately the most complex forms came into existence.—Over 500,000 species of animals are known to exist to-day, as the following table shows.

This is what started all the trouble. It is a page from George W. Hunter's "Civic Biology" text book, which John T. Scopes used in his classes at Dayton, Tenn., and for which he was indicted as a violator of the anti-evolution law. Accompanying is a picture of Charles Darwin.

SECRETARY OF STATE WARNS OF COMMUNISM

Kellogg Sees Danger in Tampering with Judiciary in United States.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 8.—Secretary of State Kellogg, speaking to the same audience as the president at the North American centennial celebration here today significantly warned against tampering with the judiciary department of the government. He also declared that amazing quantities of subversive propaganda was being circulated in the United States by foreign influences. "There is no doubt that the principals of our constitution are being violated from two sources," said Kellogg. "First open as well as secret propaganda, who advocate the overthrow of the government, and second, a considerable body of citizens who, in the name of liberty and reform, are impatient of constitutional restriction and by insidious approaches and attacks would destroy these guarantees of personal liberty. 'I am not an alarmist. I have confidence in the stability of the American people, but the danger to our institutions by this constant propaganda against the government is not imaginary,' he said. 'I doubt if you are aware of the amount of the destructive revolutionary propaganda which is being distributed in this country. If these people are not satisfied with our government let them go to a country where they are satisfied.' Some people believe Kellogg injected a discordant note into the celebration, declaring his remarks were aimed at the radical voters of the northwest who supported LaFollette and his supreme court proposal last year.

'Dickie' Loeb Better But Insanity Feared

JOLIET, Ill., June 18.—Improvement in the condition of Richard Loeb, was reported today by Prison Physician Dr. Martin, who said he could not tell at this time whether Loeb's illness will result in permanent insanity or not. "We cannot tell whether Loeb is permanently insane or not, or whether he is merely suffering a temporary derangement," Dr. Martin said. "We are observing his condition from day to day but will not be able to judge conclusively for some time. We never can tell in these cases."

CASES FOR SUBMISSION IN APPELLATE COURT

The following cases have been set for submission on June 26 by the Eleventh court of civil appeals at Eastland: Brownwood Mutual Life Insurance association vs. Mrs. Louise Schuman, Comanche county. The W. T. Rawleigh company vs. E. A. Sayre, Comanche county. Texas Drug company vs. First State bank of Hermleigh, Scurry county. Consolidated Oil company vs. George A. Schaeffer et al., Eastland county. J. S. Rector vs. M. C. Evans, Palo Pinto county. M. W. Potts et al. vs. John G. Burkett et al., Palo Pinto county.

Prosecutor



E. T. Stewart, district attorney general of Tennessee, got the indictment at Dayton against John T. Scopes for teaching evolution and will play a leading part in prosecution of the case.

Giant Dirigible Los Angeles Has Crippled Engines

LAKEHURST, N. J., June 8.—With two of her engines crippled, the dirigible Los Angeles limped into port today after being forced to abandon the trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis, where it was to have participated in the Norwegian centennial celebration. The airship had reached Cleveland on its way west when, for the first time in its career, it was forced to turn back because of mechanical troubles.

LAKEHURST, N. J., June 8.—The naval dirigible Los Angeles, which was forced to turn back at Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday afternoon after attempting to fly to St. Paul, was moored at 2:40 p. m. today. Her officers reported 22 attempts at landing before arriving at the mooring post for the successful storm.

ELECTRICAL STORM WITH RAIN SWEEPS OVER DALLAS

DALLAS, June 8.—One woman was struck by lightning and considerable property damage resulted when an electrical and rainstorm swept over the city early in the afternoon. Mrs. Arthur Dobler was rendered unconscious when lightning struck her home. Streets and basements were flooded in the downtown section. Paris received a 4-inch rainfall during the morning.

BELGIAN COMMISSION TO FUND DEBT TO THE U. S.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The Belgian government today notified the state department here that it would send to Washington in July a commission to fund its debt to the United States. Former Premier Theunis and M. Hautain, governor of the Bank of Belgium, will constitute the commission, according to advice from Belgium.

VIOLENT DEATHS IN CHICAGO AT THE WEEK-END

Twenty-One Murders, Suicides, Traffic and eat Fatalities And other Tragedies

CHICAGO, June 8.—A total of 21 murders, suicides, traffic fatalities and other violent and accidental deaths occurred here over the week-end. The list includes four murders, three suicides, three deaths from heat and four traffic deaths, while moonshine, poison, falls and other causes accounted for the rest. Chicago's perennial strife of bootleggers probably cost two lives. Harry C. Hasselager, notorious bootlegger, was killed and Walter O'Donnell, beer baron, was perhaps fatally wounded in a gun battle in a cafe. Seven persons were arrested in connection with the affair. An unidentified Italian was killed in a battle between hi-jackers. A policeman was fatally wounded by a negro gunman, but the officer shot his assailant to death before succumbing to his wounds. Two drunk men in an automobile ran down and killed a woman.

Eleven Workmen Are Crushed to Death in Train Wreck

CONVERSE, Ind., June 8.—Trapped under a viaduct between seven and eleven men, mostly negroes, were crushed to death between tons of coal spilt by a derailed Chesapeake and Ohio freight train here today. M. A. Mathias, 35, Peru, Ind., a white brakeman on the freight train, was one of the known dead. B. J. Derbyshire, superintendent of the C. & O. said the dead would number between seven and eleven. Rescuers had recovered the body of four negro section laborers, but identification was difficult because of the mangled condition of the bodies.

RETAIL MONUMENT DEALERS HOLDING ANNUAL MEETING

LLANO, Texas, June 8.—Delegates from all Texas gathered here today for the opening session of the annual convention of the Retail Monument Dealers' association of Texas. A program combining business and pleasure has been arranged. Tomorrow the delegates will visit the 13 granite quarries in the county. Wednesday afternoon the meeting will close with the awarding of prizes given by the Llano dealers. A banquet, ball game and barbecue will be enjoyed by the visitors.

TEXAS UNIVERSITY SUMMER SCHOOL BEGINS

AUSTIN, June 8.—The largest enrollment ever recorded for Texas university's summer school was scheduled to begin registration for the twenty-eighth session today. More courses were offered than ever before in the history of the university. The first term will end July 20, and registration for the second term will be in the same day. The second term will end Aug. 29, and from today until Aug. 6, the summer normal will be held.

COTTON CROP IN EASTLAND COUNTY GOOD

Gets Late Start, But Coming on Nicely; Small Grain and Forage Abundant.

The Eastland county cotton crop, while late in being planted because of the dry weather that prevailed at planting time, is getting off to a rather good start and, with the exception that rain is needed on the tight land, promises a good yield. The early cotton is being chopped, while in some parts of the county farmers are just finishing planting. Wheat and oats were practically all killed by the drought, and in many parts of the county, there will be no corn crop. Small grain and forage crops, however, have been planted in abundance and are looking good with the exception that those on the tight land are needing rain. The farmers have been very busy since the general rains some weeks ago and generally speaking have their crops clean of grass and weeds.

PROFESSOR IN LOUISIANA U FOUND DYING

Students in Agronomy Class Being Examined in Effort To Locate Murderer.

BATON ROUGE, La., June 8.—A student in the agronomy class of Professor Oscar B. Turner hacked the teacher to death with an axe after being caught pilfering examination papers, police here believe today. Scores of students at the Louisiana state university were summoned before a coroner's jury for questioning today as a result of this theory. Professor Turner was found dying Sunday, his throat cut and face gashed with many wounds. He was found at the foot of the stairway in the agronomy building of the university, and died without making a statement. R. G. Markham, a senior student serving as an assistant instructor, found the dying teacher. He told the police that some examination papers had been missed from the files and that he and Professor Turner were to begin an inquiry Sunday. His purse containing money was found intact in his pocket. Searching for clues to what at first appeared to be the work of an axe fiend, police and university authorities found a set of examination papers prepared for Professor Turner's agronomy class had been stolen and later replaced. Suspicion at once switched to that section of the student body which might have profited from the knowledge. Bloody fingerprints on the handle of an axe may lead to the identification of the murderer. The police found the axe on a shelf in the hallway.

Eastland Building Showing Activity

The brick work is about completed on the Higginbotham Bros. and Bartlett Lumber company building. Workmen are engaged in remodeling the Comer building on the south side of the square, which is to be occupied by Bob Murray, Ranger druggist. The Christian Science church building on South Lamar has just been remodeled and enlarged and is now being painted.

PRISON COMMISSION GETS MONEY ON CROP SECURITY

AUSTIN, June 8.—The Weatherford Crump company of Houston, cotton factors, has loaned the state prison system \$200,000. L. W. Hill, Houston attorney for the company, announced here today. The terms are 7 per cent, the loan to be repaid out of crop proceeds. Hill and prison commissioner, W. C. Dulaney, conferred with the governor and attorney general.

TWO BALLOONS IN CUP RACE COME TO GRIEF

BRUSSELS, Belgium, June 8.—Two of the 18 balloons which sailed away yesterday in the Gordon-Bennett cup race were reported today to have come to grief. The first was the British balloon, Elsie, involved in an odd accident. She crashed into a moving train on the English channel. The occupants are safe. The second bag was the Spanish Hesteria, reported to have fallen into the sea with occupants rescued by a passing steamer.

BEAUMONT—Six hundred thousand dollar hospital completed.

LIVINGSTON—Waco, Beaumont, Trinity & Sabine Railway company to extend line from Livingston to Beaumont. AUSTIN—Plans approved for three-story recitation building at University of Texas.

ONE DEAD, TWO OTHERS BURNED IN EXPLOSION

Three Others Suffer Less Seriously In Accident In Ranger Late Sunday.

Oris Wheeler, 16, died at a local hospital at 1:25 o'clock this morning from burns sustained in a gas explosion at the West Texas Produce company about 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Two others are confined to the hospital seriously burned, one perhaps fatally. Vernon Mitchell, 18, whose condition is regarded as grave by attending physicians, is burned about the face, arms and back. H. J. McCleskey, about 21, is seriously burned about the back and hands an face. Three others, J. A. Longley, Jim Carr and William Coulson, were more or less burned. Coulson, aged 18, was severely burned about the head, face and arms. He was out of the hospital this morning, his head in bandages, and wanted to go back to work. Carr was back on the job today with a scorched neck as the only visible evidence that he had been one of the explosion victims. Thinks of Comrades. Wheeler was deeply burned from the waist up and is thought to have inhaled the flames. His last words to acquaintances who went to see him were: "Don't blame the one who did it; it wasn't his fault."

The explosion occurred in the banana vault of the West Texas Produce company. According to an employe of the company, they smell the leaking gas and were searching for it when a match was lighted. The gas was leaking in the banana vault and, with the extremely low temperature maintained, the gas fumes were detained until they were not very noticeable and the fact that the vault was full of escaping gas was not known until after the explosion. Early Warning Given. O. D. Dillingham, owner of the building, had located the leaking gas pipe in the wall of the vault about a week ago and had cautioned his men and the other employes of the various concerns not to strike matches near the vault and said that when it became empty to tear out the wall and fix the pipe. A carload of green bananas was received a few days ago and the defective vault was commandeered for service to store the bananas. The explosion spent its force in waves as it tore out the wall of the vault, then struck a wall about eight feet from the vault, rebounded upwards, blew out one skylight and did not touch the adjoining one. It blew out the lower part of some windows on one side of the building without cracking the upper part and then repeated the proceedings on the opposite side, only taking the upper part of the windows instead. The rafters of the ceiling were damaged considerably and a conservative estimate by Mr. Dillingham on the property damage was between \$5,000 and \$4,000. Funeral services for Oris Wheeler will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Central Baptist church followed by interment in the Dixon cemetery, 16 miles south of Ranger on the Desdemona road. Services will be conducted by Rev. A. L. Leake of the Central Baptist church. Deceased leaves a father, mother, three brothers and one sister, all of Ranger.

Texas University Commencement to Be Held Tonight

AUSTIN, June 8.—The forty-second annual commencement exercises of the University of Texas will be held tonight in the Memorial stadium, and degrees conferred on more than 500 candidates, the largest class in the history of the university. Two doctor of philosophy degrees will be conferred, making a total of 10 such degrees that have been conferred by the institution since it was established in 1883. Those receiving the degree of doctor of philosophy this year are B. C. Tharp of Austin, whose major work was done in botany, and Renke G. Lubben, of Frantitas, whose major work was done in mathematics. Both men are now members of the faculty of the university. Other degrees to be conferred include bachelor of arts, bachelor of science in home economics, bachelor of arts in journalism, bachelor of science in education, bachelor of science in architecture, engineering degrees, bachelor of business administration, bachelor of laws, master of business administration, master of science in civil engineering, and master of arts.

DALLAS.—Wastes-Platter Grocery company to build warehouse at cost of \$30,000.

HOUSTON.—Contracts awarded for construction of hotel and theater building to cost \$1,250,000.

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TUESDAY EVENTS.

Public library opens, 8 to 11:30 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m., Marston building.

Children's party at the First Baptist church at 4 p. m.

Business meeting of the 1920 club at the Gholson hotel at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Stafford's Sunday school class has picnic and swimming party in the afternoon.

RANGER ELKS PLANNING DANCE AT CLUB ROOMS.

Ranger Elks are planning a dance for the seventeenth at their club-rooms in the Marston building. Invitations have not been issued, but will be mailed out in a few days. Music will be furnished by the Jack Gardner orchestra.

COLUMBIA STUDY CLUB NOTES

The Columbia Study club will not hold its regular meeting Tuesday, but will meet on Tuesday, June 17, with Mrs. Marvin K. Collier. Members of the club will please take notice.

MRS. SHANNON HOSTESS TO YOUNG MATRONS CLUB

Mrs. Jack Shannon was hostess to the members of the Young Matrons' club last Friday morning at her home on Foch street. The pleasant morning hours were whiled away at the bridge tables, and at the noon hour a dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. C. C. Craig won the high score prize. Mrs. Paul Lacy the low, both prizes being typical of the gracious hostess. Those present: Mrs. C. C. Craig, Mrs. M. K. Collier, Mrs. Chas. Conley, Mrs. E. E. Crawford, Mrs. Frank Brahaney, Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn, Mrs. H. A. Logsdon, Mrs. Paul Lacy, Mrs. E. F. Davenport, Mrs. R. W. Thomas, Mrs. Gus Coleman, Mrs. Garvin Chastain. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Garvin Chastain at her home on Cherry street.

SUNDA YSCHOOL PICNIC SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

The young ladies of Mrs. J. A. Stafford's Sunday school class of the First Methodist church are requested to meet at the church Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, from which place they will leave for a lake near Gorman for a picnic and a swim. Members of Mrs. Peacock's class, and of Mrs. Hall's class, are invited to go with them.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. Eric Holland and little daughter, Mary Catherine, of Fort Worth, are visiting Mrs. Holland's sister, Miss Mabel Wood, at the Southland hotel.

Mrs. George Bryant of Graham is visiting Mrs. Albert Duncan at her home on Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Kohfeldt and children of Denison, are visiting Mrs. Kohfeldt's mother, Mrs. A. S. Riddle, at her home on Cypress street.

Mrs. Con Hartnett is visiting relatives in Mineral Wells and will probably be away about two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Hartnett are recent arrivals in Ranger and are at home on Cypress street.

Word has been received from Mrs. Charles G. Norton that she and her little daughter sailed Saturday morning on the S. S. Mallory from Galveston for New York. Mrs. Norton and Virginia will spend a few days in New York city, go from there to Boston for a short visit, and thence to Cape Elizabeth, Portland, Maine where they will spend the summer months.

Mrs. Walter West of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with Mrs. F. D. Farquhar. Mrs. West will visit Mrs. Moyer in Cisco a few days before returning to Wichita Falls.

Miss Sue Dean left today for Austin, where she will take a special course in education at the state university. Miss Dean will be away most of the summer.

Dr. Bob Hodges left Saturday on a business trip to Glasscock, Texas.

Mrs. Marvin Echols of Nacogdoches, will arrive in Ranger Wednesday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. John Thurman, and her little son, Marvin Echols Jr., who has been a guest in the Thurman home for the past two months. "Boss," as this youngster is lovingly known, will return home with his mother at the termination of her visit here.

MRS. JURY ENTERTAINS TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. A. G. Jury entertained the members of the Tuesday bridge club last week in a most delightful manner. Tables were arranged on the vine-clad porch of the hotel, and baskets of wild flowers, placed effectively about suggested an ideal garden setting. This is a delightfully cool place, and as this was a morning party, it was doubly cool. An unusual thing about this meeting of the club, was the fact that it was the first time in the history of the club that every member was present. The high score prize went to Mrs. D. L. Jameson, the second prize to Mrs. John Moyer of Cisco and the cut prize to Mrs. C. C. Patterson. After the game the guests were invited to go down to the coffee shop, where they were served a most pleasing luncheon.

Mrs. G. N. Ochiltree will entertain the club Tuesday, June 16, at the Gholson.

BUSINESS MEETING 1920 CLUB

Members of the 1920 club will present make a special effort to be present at a business meeting of the club, to be held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the green room of the Gholson hotel. The course of study for the coming year will be voted on.

PRIMARY CHILDREN TO BE ENTERTAINED

The members of the primary de-

MOM'N POP



BY TAYLOR

PORT ARTHUR—Million dollar improvements to be made in way of storm sewers and paving projects.

WICHITA FALLS—Finding of new sand opens up considerable territory and leads to \$400,000 bill property sale.



Reducing's the fad. Even the fish in our rivers are on a diet.

Old laws put women in stocks. New ones can't even put them all the way in stockings.

An optimist is one who is glad he isn't a pessimist who is glad he isn't an optimist.

Why do people write crazy poetry when the water is warm enough for them to drown themselves?

If they ever catch a rum runner in a bay we have a wise crack about bay rum.

Man is floating from Quincy, Ill., to St. Louis on a mattress, proving dreams come true.

Brooklyn man who swallowed his false teeth will recover, and green corn season is right here.

Paper says Coolidge smiled at a man from New York. That's nothing. We laugh at them. (Copyright, 1925, NEA Service, Inc.)

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Times Publishing Company will be held on Wednesday, June 17th, 1925, at 4 p. m., in the office of Ranger Daily Times, at Ranger, Texas.

C. G. NORTON, Sec'y.

partment of the First Baptist church will be entertained Tuesday afternoon in the basement of the First Baptist church, by the teachers of this department. All children who are members of this department are invited to be present, as a most enjoyable time is expected.

ANNOUNCING XXTH CENTURY CLUB MEETING

The Twentieth Century club will meet Friday morning with Mrs. Saunders Gregg, at her home, on Pine street, at 9:30 o'clock.

Gus Carlson Scalded Working on Oil Well

Gus Carlson of Eastland, an employe of the Magnolia Petroleum company, was severely scalded about 7 o'clock Sunday morning while working on a well at Olden. He was brought into Eastland and given medical attention and at last reports was doing as well as could be expected.

BODY OF JOHN J. VANDYNE BURIED AT EVERGREEN

Funeral services for the late John J. Vandyne, who died last week following his removal from the county poor farm, were conducted this afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. Frank H. Stedman, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal church in Ranger. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

Joe Butler of Sweetwater, a stepson of the deceased, directed that interment should be made in Ranger. He also had a relative at Big Spring, but these were the only relatives who could be located.

SMITHVILLE—Covar district to have new school.

RUSK—New additions to East Texas hospital under construction. Dallas ranks second in southern building.

Children In Movie Theatre Warned to Keep Good Order

Some children, especially among the boys, have been acting too disorderly at the Lamb theatre in Ranger, throwing paper wads, smoking, talking loudly and otherwise annoying the audience, resulting in the arrest of one boy by the police yesterday. He told Chief of Police Davenport that he did not know he was violating the law, as he had seen other boys throwing paper wads and smoking and just did what the others did. The theatre management, refused to file a complaint and the boy was released.

The police chief, however, calls attention to a city ordinance relating to "conduct in an opera house or theatre," which says:

"Any person or persons who shall be guilty of willful talking, laughing, hissing, whistling, cat-calling, smoking, throwing paper or other missiles from one place to another, or any other act or conduct tending to harass, annoy or disturb any of the spectators or actors or performers in any theatre or opera house, while any performance is going on, or while persons are assembled for the purpose of witnessing any performance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars."

Chief Davenport says the police have instructions to enforce this ordinance and any person, old or young, acting in an unseemly manner in a Ranger theatre will be arrested and prosecuted.

Mesquite—Contract let for 500-foot stretch of paving on highway.

DALLAS—Work begun on \$1,000,000 Adolphus hotel.

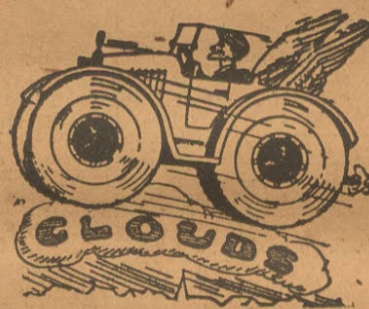
COMMON POINT FREIGHT RATE WILL BE ARGUED

Special Correspondence.
STAMFORD, June 8—U. S. Puckett, chairman of the traffic bureau of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and special attorney of that organization in the common point freight rate controversy, left for Washington yesterday. He will be joined at St. Louis by S. J. Cole of Amarillo, and later on by R. Q. Lee, president of the organization.

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EDDIE HERRIGAN'S MOTHER DIES IN OHIO HOME
 Mrs. Herrigan, mother of Eddie Herrigan, formerly of Ranger, but now of Fort Worth, died yesterday at her home, 956 West North street, in Lima, Ohio. Mr. Herrigan received a message Saturday that his mother was very ill and left at once for her bedside but she passed away before he could reach her. Mr. Herrigan has many friends in Ranger who extend their sincere sympathy.

LODGES.
 Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., meets Tuesday night, 7:30 Work in E. A. degree.
 C. E. MAY, W. M.
 F. E. LANGSTON, Sec.

LOST AND FOUND.
 LOST—Large brown suitcase containing ladies' and children's clothing between Weatherford and K. of P. home, on highway No. 1. Notify George E. Franklin, box 716, Eastland, Texas, phone 494.
 LOST—Between Gholson addition and town, tin box for oil painting outfit. Return to Times office; reward.
 LOST—29-4-40 Star balloon between 12 and 10 o'clock Sunday afternoon on Pleasant Grove highway. Please return to OilBelt Motor Co., Ranger.

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BUSINESS CHANCES.
 BICYCLE AND FIXIT SHOP—Keys fitted and duplicated; talking machines and typewriters repaired. 204 S. Rusk st., phone 592, Ranger. City Electric Co., Eastland.
 AMES & RICHARDSON—Transfer trucks. Phone, business, 296; residence, 465. 104 S. Rusk, Ranger.

ROOMS FOR RENT.
 ROOMS FOR RENT—Apply at King's Barber shop, Ranger.
HOUSES FOR RENT.
 FURNISHED house for rent. Apply Mrs. John Dunkle, S. Austin st., Ranger.
 FOR RENT—To settled tenant, good 6-room house in desirable section of city. Phone 458, Eastland.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT.
 APARTMENTS for rent. Carter Apartments, 325 Elm st., Ranger.
 APARTMENT FOR RENT—Ray apartment, 517 S. Marston st., Ranger.

WANTED TO BUY.
 WANTED TO BUY—One-eighth or 1-4 horse-power motor, 110 volt. Lamb Theater.
 WANTED—Second-hand furniture. Wright Furniture Co., 218 Main at Phone 154, Ranger.

SECOND-HAND FURNITURE bought and sold at the right prices. Main street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main street, Ranger. Phone 95.
 SECOND-HAND furniture wanted; highest cash price, large or small lots. New and Second-Hand Furniture Store, 121 N. Austin st., Ranger.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.
 KOCHS Barber Chair, good shape, and wall mirror. Room 9, Reavis apartments, Ranger.
 FOR SALE—Dress-making shop equipment, hemstitching and sewing machines, button making machine, glass show case, screens, cutting table, electric fan, mirror, chairs, and wall case. Mrs. Howell's shop, 207 S. Lamar st., Eastland, Texas.
 FOR SALE—Three oilfield horses, two sets harness, three wagons, including a boiler wagon. Allen Jones, Box 4, Strawn.

REAL ESTATE.
 SUBURBAN home for sale. A beautiful tract of 16 acres, improved. House, barn, sheds, fenced and plowed ready for crop. Price \$60.00 per acre. Maddocks & Son, Ranger.
HOUSES FOR SALE.
 FOR SALE—Rooming apartment house and store building; would take some trade. 413 W. Plummer st., Eastland, Texas.
 FOR SALE—Complete furnished four-room modern house, all conveniences; priced to sell at once; some terms. Pennant Service Station, corner Walnut and Austin sts., Ranger.

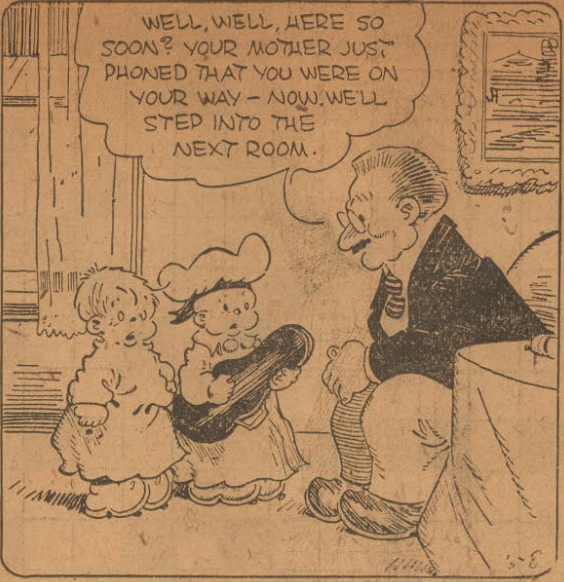
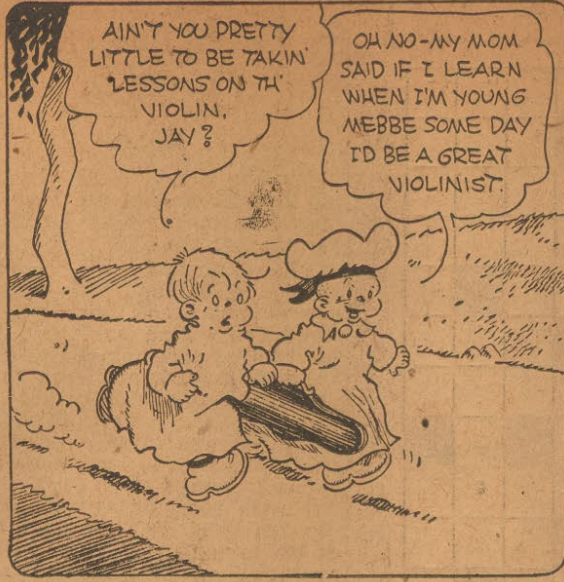
AUTOMOBILES.
 FOR SALE—Reo 7-passenger, late model; reason for selling, too large for my family; in A-1 condition, good rubber; will trade for Ford. Ray Apartments, room 11, after 6:30 p. m. Terms can be arranged. Call for Willie.
 FOR SALE—Ford touring car, cheap for cash. See it at the Lone Star Garage, Ranger.
 FOR SALE—Star sedan, in first-class condition; new paint job. Maddocks & Son, Ranger.

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POULTRY AND PET STOCK.
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Baseball Results

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W. L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	36 13	.735
San Antonio	33 16	.673
Houston	33 20	.623
Wichita Falls	25 25	.500
Dallas	23 28	.451
Waco	21 31	.404
Shreveport	19 32	.373
Beaumont	15 40	.273

Yesterday's Results.
 Fort Worth 22, Dallas 0.
 Wichita Falls 2, Shreveport 1.
 Houston 6, Waco 3.
 San Antonio 16, Beaumont 10.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W. L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	31 14	.689
Washington	30 18	.625
Chicago	25 20	.552
Cleveland	22 23	.489
St. Louis	25 27	.481
Detroit	21 28	.429
New York	19 28	.404
Boston	17 30	.362

Yesterday's Results.
 St. Louis 5, New York 2.
 Chicago 4, Washington 2.
 Only games scheduled.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W. L.	Pct.
New York	31 14	.689
Brooklyn	27 19	.587
Pittsburgh	23 19	.544
Cincinnati	22 23	.489
Philadelphia	21 22	.488
Boston	18 26	.409
Chicago	19 28	.404
St. Louis	18 28	.391

Yesterday's Results.
 Brooklyn 10, Chicago 5.
 Cincinnati 3, Boston 2 (12 innings).
 New York 6, St. Louis 2.
 Only games scheduled.

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

Honor Famous Twirler



Dazzy Vance, famous Brooklyn pitcher, was presented with \$1000 in gold and a medal emblematic of the most valuable player in the National League for the 1924 season during the Golden Jubilee celebration at Ebbets Field the other day. Photo shows Fred Lieb, president of the Baseball Writers' Association, making the presentation of the bag of gold to Vance.

DR. W. M. W. SPLAWN INSTALLED PRESIDENT OF UNIVERSITY

AUSTIN, June 8.—Formal installation of Dr. W. M. W. Splawn as president of the University of Texas, will take place tonight. Simple, but impressive ceremonies are to mark the event.
 It was on August 1, last year, that Doctor Splawn retired from the position which he had held for seventeen months as a member of the state railroad commission to take on the active duties of president of the university, to which office he had been appointed by the board of regents. It was a return as chief executive to the institution where but a short time before he had served on the faculty as professor of economics.

EASTLAND LOSES TO THURBER AND RISING STAR

Eastland last the two last games of baseball played, dropping Saturday's game to Thurber to the tune of 15 to 3 and let Rising Star beat them Sunday by a score of 3 to 4.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF HEARING ON APPLICATION TO LEASE LAND FOR OIL AND GAS.

Notice is hereby given that I, J. W. Triplett, administrator of the estate of Mary Gray Audenreid, deceased, on the 4th day of June, 1925, filed my application with the county court-at-law for Eastland county, Texas, for authority to lease for oil and gas the following described land in Eastland county, Texas, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to the east 70 acres of the north-east quarter of section No. 482, S. P. Ry. Co. land.
 And notice is hereby further given that the court has set such application down for hearing at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 19th day of June, 1925, in the county court room of the county courthouse at the city of Eastland county, Texas, at which time and place any one interested in the said estate may appear and be heard on such application.
 J. W. TRIPLETT,
 Administrator.

PORT ARTHUR—New incinerator to be constructed.

DALLAS—Rock Island line and Cotton Belt completing plans to make Dallas joint terminal center.

COMANCHE—Fifty thousand dollars additional water bonds voted for construction of reservoir.

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ALLEGED VICTIM OF KLUXERS SUES FOR PERSONAL INJURIES

GEORGETOWN, Texas, June 8.—Suit for \$100,000 damages brought by B. W. Burleson against R. E. B. Bledsoe and 87 other defendants was called for trial in district court here today. The suit is the outgrowth of a whipping administered to Burleson two years ago. He was taken from his car, stripped of his clothing and chained to a tree and beaten by several members of the party.
 Several of the members, who Burleson claimed were members of the Ku Klux Klan, were tried, convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary from this county for alleged participation in the whipping.

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BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN TO MEET IN WACO

DALLAS, June 8.—The state convention of the Business and Professional Women's clubs is taking definite form of activity now, says Mrs. Irene Scott Dicklew, president. Texas has been most fortunate in having Miss Adelia Pritchard, national president, Portland, Ore., as the principal speaker for the convention. Miss Pritchard will leave Texas on Tuesday, July 7, with the Texas delegation for the Portland, Maine, convention.

The Waco club of Business and Professional Women, assisted by the Waco Chamber of Commerce, are leaving nothing undone to make the 1925 convention one of the best in the seven years of federation, says Mrs. Margaret Conger, president of the Waco club. The meetings will all be held at the Raleigh hotel, opening on the morning of July 6, Dr. J. Ellen Gildersleeve, chairman of the credentials committee, registering the delegates. The formal opening will be at 10 o'clock, Mrs. Dicklew presiding, with address of welcome by former Governor Pat M. Neff, and response by Mrs. Annie Napier Collins of San Antonio. Various reports of the state officers and chairmen of committees will take up most of the morning session, after an address by Miss Florence M. Sterling of Houston.

INSTRUMENTS RECORDED.

Deed—H. P. Brelsford et al. to city of Eastland, southeast 1/4 of northwest 1/4 of section 13 and northeast 1/4 of southwest 1/4 of section 13, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey; \$6,000.

Warranty Deed—H. P. Brelsford to city of Eastland, section 13 and 26, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; \$1,000.

Release of Judgment—L. C. Downtain et al vs. city of Eastland, \$2,500.

Release of Vendor's Lien—Jack Phillips to city of Eastland, lots 11

and 13, block 25, Daugherty addition to Eastland; \$3,500.

Limitation Affidavit—C. O. Pass et al. to Thomas M. Terry et al., part of survey 77, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county.

Assignment Oil and Gas Lease—H. H. Adams et al. to Prairie Oil & Gas company, northwest 1/4 of section 477, S. P. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; \$1.

Sheriff Deed—G. H. James to Arthur Simon, east 1/2 of 240 acre tract out of section 14, being south middle 1/4 of section No. 14 and 80 adjoining above mentioned section on the north, section 14, block 6, E.

Transfer of Lease—From F. E. Rose et al. to the Texas company, north 1/2 of section 478, S. P. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; \$10.

Assignment—Knox-Lewis Oil company to Hickok Producing & Development company, south 1/2 of southeast 1/4 of section 47, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; \$2,875.

Affidavit—A. C. Rice to public, 10 acres of land known as old Rice homestead, Rice addition to city of Ranger, Eastland county.

Oil and Gas Lease—Roy Williams et ux. to P. E. Shersch et al., 70 acres out of southeast part of section 4, certificate No. 5347 survey, by G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. survey; \$1.

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STEWART'S WASHINGTON LETTER

BY CHARLES P. STEWART NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON — The snappy style in which explorers make arctic and antarctic dashes today compares oddly with the laboriousness of such expeditions not so many years ago. The up-to-date venturer into high latitudes tells of his exploits as he'd describe a walk down the street. For instance, Captain Robert Bartlett, a veteran of several of Admiral Peary's trips, describes his experiences with less stress on their hardships and dangers than the average pedestrian places on an account of a difficult crossing of a busy street.

"BUT, cap," I reasoned with him one day, "easy as it sounds, according to your story, nevertheless it's a fact that lots of explorers have lost their lives at the north and south poles or thereabouts. How do you explain that?"

"Those old-timers," replied the captain, "didn't know their business. They loaded themselves down with supplies and equipment until they wore themselves out lugging their own outfits with them. An arctic expedition needs to keep moving."

"Those chaps used to spend as much time pitching camp and pulling up stakes again, and cooking and fussing, as they did on their travels. Finally, too played out to tote their junk any further and afraid to abandon anything, they just sat down in the midst of it and froze or starved to death."

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Menus for a Family

Breakfast—Stewed prunes, cereal, thin cream, crisp toast, milk, coffee. Luncheon—Jellied salad, graham bread and cream cheese sandwiches, strawberry shortcake, milk, tea. Dinner—Mutton stew, boiled rice, stewed tomatoes, asparagus salad, rye bread, pineapple sponge, plain cake, milk, coffee.

A dish of crushed strawberries and piece of plain sponge cake should be served to children under six years of age in place of the strawberry shortcake, suggested for the luncheon dessert. Asparagus salad for small persons should be made with finely minced lettuce and heads of asparagus moistened with olive oil and lemon juice. With these slight changes the menus can be used as suggested for children from four years up.

Jellied Salad

One cup cold cooked peas, 1/2 cup diced cooked carrots, 1/2 cup diced celery, 1 cup flaked salmon, 3 hard cooked eggs, knuckle and skin of veal, medium sized onion, salt and pepper. The bones of the knuckle must be well cracked. Put into a large kettle with the onion and two quarts of cold water. Bring slowly to the boiling point and simmer gently for three hours, skimming as scum rises. Reduce stock to 1 1/2 cups. Strain through two thicknesses of cheesecloth. Arrange vegetables, fish and eggs in layers, seasoning each layer with salt and pepper. Pour over broth, cover and weight. Let stand in a cold place for several hours to become firm. Serve on a bed of lettuce with mayonnaise.

The fish, vegetables and eggs should be arranged attractively. The fish and carrots are separated by the peas and the eggs can be used to line the mold. One large or six individual molds can be used. (Copyright, 1925, NEA Service, Inc.)

T. Ry. Co. survey; also 196 acres out of northwest corner of subdivision Nos. 6 and 7 of the 874 1/2 acre tract of Mary Ann Clark survey; \$100.

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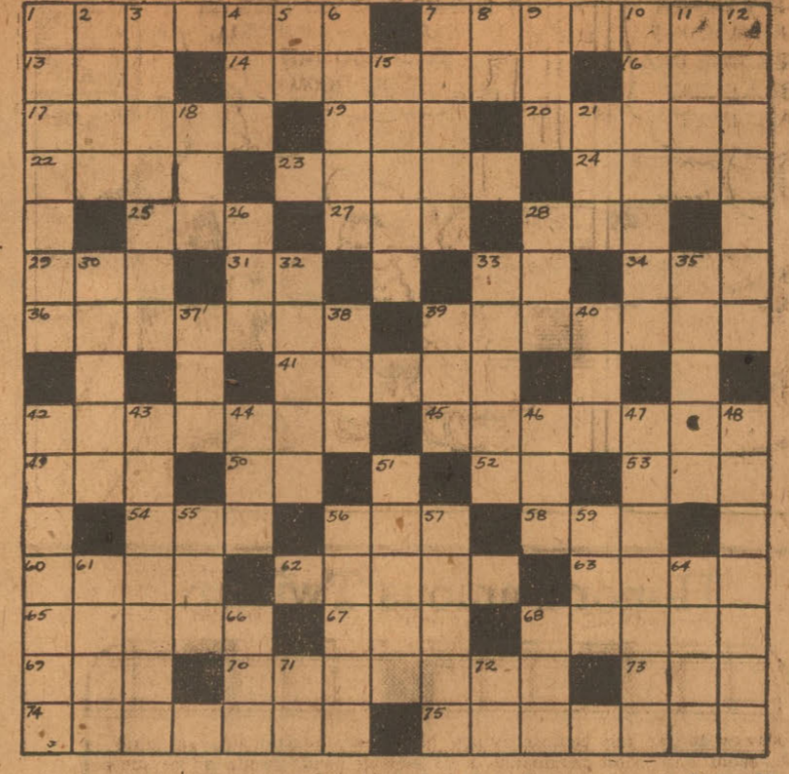
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CROSSWORD PUZZLE



After finishing this puzzle, you'll find you've almost run out of vowels. There seem to be about three vowels to a consonant here, and most of them are A's and E's. That ought to help you in solving the puzzle.

- HORIZONTAL: 1. Convinces, 7. Roves, 13. Beverage, 14. Chemical ethylene, 16. Yee, 17. Wigwag, 19. Constellation, 20. Ebb and flow of the ocean (pl.), 22. Melody, 23. To mingle, 24. Unequal conditions, 25. Before, 27. To place, 28. Cuckoo, 29. Relative, 31. Behold, 33. Point of compass, 34. Self, 36. Drunken, 39. Blessing, 41. Made of oatmeal, 42. Flower yards, 45. One who comes in, 49. To employ, 50. Second note in scale, 52. Three-toed sloth, 53. Lyric poem, 54. To tire, 56. Mineral spring, 58. To stuff, 60. Strap of the bridle, 62. To pad or cram, 63. Fiber secured from century plant, 65. A top, 67. Sure, 68. Pertaining to punishment, 69. Night, 70. A separate incident, 73. Beer, 74. Complete dependency, 75. Summed. VERTICAL: 1. Assaults, 2. Prophet, 3. Shrewd, 4. Eggs of fishes, 5. God, 6. Ratifies, 7. Gey, 8. Variant of "a," 9. Joined, 10. Lads (affectionate term), 11. Viewed, 12. Actual sitting of a council, 15. Released of impurities, 18. Organ of hearing, 21. Electrified particles, 26. Prophet who trained Samuel, 28. Beard on barley grain, 30. Particles, 32. Chemical which yields sugar, 33. Drug (powerful cathartic), 35. Stabbed by tusks, 37. To scatter, 38. Possesses, 39. Collector of honey, 40. Frozen dessert, 42. Protected, 43. Free from impurities, 44. Unit of work, 46. Point, 47. Photographic developer, 48. Feasted, 51. Potatoes, 55. Conjunction, 56. A series of steps, 57. On foot, 59. To mimic, 61. Edge of a roof, 64. Story, 66. Yes, 68. To fondle, 71. Jumbled type, 72. To accomplish.

Kellogg Company Dietician Writes Of 'Picnic Time'

Writing about "picnic time," Marian Jane Parker, of the home economics department of the Kellogg company, says: "You remember what a splendid romp you had under the trees near a wonderful brook that day long ago when some kind soul 'let go' of her routine and took you to a picnic."

"A few years ago even the least pretentious excursion caused a great amount of extra work and readjustment. It was often a physical impossibility for the busy housewife to manage even a half day's pleasure trip with the children, but in these days of progress, and with the aid of the many attractive and delicious package foods all ready for just such occasions, a picnic basket, the delight of young and old, can now be quickly packed.

Living Outdoors. "The housewife of today has much for which to thank modern business, especially in summer. She can spend much of her valuable time out of doors, or in her cool summer living room with the children. Mother and children are both benefited by the fresh air and companionship, and meals served on the porch or in the yard lend variety and coolness to a hot, trying day, and will occasionally take the place of a picnic which means going some distance from home.

"An electric fireless cooker, a pressure cooker and a good oven greatly

aid the housewife in preparing the day's food in the early morning so that tempting lunches can be 'put up' in a twinkling. "Angel or sponge cake, drop cakes or cookies, are all easily prepared and add just the finishing tasty appeal to the picnic lunch. Below are some suggestions for picnic lunches, together with a few recipes. Picnic Lunches.

For the auto party: Grape juice in thermos bottles, peanut butter sandwiches, minced ham sandwiches, jellied tongue—iced or potato salad, oatmeal drop cakes, fruit.

For the boat trip: Assorted sandwiches, shrimp salad, pickles, ripe olives, hermits, angel cake, iced lemonade in thermos bottles, fruit. Picnic salads: An attractive form in which to pack picnic salads is in clear shells. Use a rather stiff salad dressing—the prepared dressings are desirable for this purpose. Have very little moisture in the salad. Fill the shells and wrap in oiled paper.

LULING—Oil field here has deepened in Texas.

DALLAS—Third unit of Santa Fe terminal nearing completion.

ELDORADO—Paving begun on route No. 1 between this city and Wason.

FRUIT JARS All Sizes—Headquarters THE JAMESONS

Advertisement for FLIVOLENE for FORDS. It features an illustration of a Ford car and the slogan "Try FLIVOLENE It Will Stop that Chatter".

Advertisement for 1924 FORD TOURING. It states "REPOSSESSED BY SOUTHERN LOAN CO. CAN BE SEEN ON OUR GROUNDS. LOCK STEERING WHEEL, FENDER BRACES, DOUBLE HASSLERS" and lists the price as \$275.00.

Large advertisement for "The Boston Store" featuring "COOL Comfortable TROUSERS". It includes an illustration of a man in a suit and text describing the trousers as a "Summer Necessity!" and listing prices from \$4.50 up.

Billy Evans Says

WALTER JOHNSON is pretty generally recognized as baseball's greatest pitcher and deservedly so. Recently, in discussing the great batters of the game, Walter expressed the opinion that Larry Lajoie was the greatest natural hitter he ever faced.

That was rather interesting since Johnson in his long career has faced a flock of great batters.

Walter didn't say Lajoie was the best batter, the craftiest or the hardest to fool. He simply rated him the greatest natural batter.

HE selected Joe Jackson, now out of organized baseball, as a close rival to Lajoie.

When I mentioned Hornsby, Walter explained that his experience against the famous slugger of the Cardinals had been limited to exhibition games, not a very satisfactory way to judge a batter's merits.

Walter named Hornsby as the greatest of the modern day natural batters, but puts Lajoie on the pedestal of the greatest natural batsman of all time.

Having umpired with Lajoie and Jackson, when those two players were in their prime, I am inclined to think that it would be hard to improve on Johnson's selections.

Lajoie and Jackson were line drive hitters. By that I mean a large percentage of the balls they hit traveled on a line.

Neither Lajoie nor Jackson got the distance or the height to their drives as does Ruth, the present "king of swat." The lively ball probably accounts for the difference in distance.

It may interest fandom to know that Lajoie and Jackson were ball ball hitters. As a matter of fact most of the natural batsmen have more success hitting a ball just inside or outside rather than one right through the heart of the plate.

I have seen Larry take two strikes through the heart of the plate without offering at them, then murder the next pitch, a fast ball, just outside the plate and letter high.

Larry would hit such a pitch to right field a mile-a-minute. There never was a batter who could pull a pitch inside, down the third base line, harder than Larry.

Hornsby reminds me more of Lajoie's style at bat than any player I have seen break into the majors in years. Two great batters.

WINTERS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEMBERS BANQUET

WINTERS, June 8.—At the Winters Chamber of Commerce annual banquet, 125 plates were spread, and the occasion was one of constructive thought and mirth. The Winters Chamber of Commerce band rendered excellent music.

Mayor Combs of Abilene was the principal speaker. His earnest appeals and inimitable humor captured the auditors. Other speakers were John Q. McAdams, E. A. Shepperd, Bert E. Low, H. O. Jones, J. Frank Paxton, Rev. A. Hugh Clark, John Heck and Harry A. Half of San Antonio.

The following officers were elected for the year: H. O. Jones, president; E. Clement, Roger Adams, B. G. Owens, H. W. Lynn, George Seagler, C. S. Jackson as directors. Lanham Bronn, Lawrence Roberts, George Hill, J. A. Huffhines, J. W. Tanner, J. M. Skaggs, Carl Henslee, S. C. Hunt, Fred Bedford and J. Frank Paxton, associate directors.

DALLAS—Eighteen-story \$1,500,000 office building being erected.

DALLAS—Hyer hall of science under construction.

Advertisement for "The Water's Fine" by Joseph Dry Goods Co. It features illustrations of women in fashionable dresses and text promoting the store's offerings, including a "TOILET GOODS ANNOUNCEMENT" by Mrs. Lilah Cross.