

OIL IN WEST TEXAS GOOD FOR MANY YEARS

This Is Statement of Government After Geological Survey Is Made.

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS, Times Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON, May 26.—Fort Worth, Dallas, Wichita Falls, Amarillo and other cities of north, west and northwest Texas may expect that the oil fields extending as far west as Carson county will be sufficient to supply them for several years at all events and for many years, if waste is eliminated, the geological survey, department of interior, said in a statement today.

The survey called attention to how an estimate made by it in 1915, of the quantity of natural gas available to Dallas, Fort Worth and other cities has proved to be very nearly correct.

SENATE MAY PROBE WAR IN WEST VIRGINIA

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The senate labor committee today ordered a favorable report on Senator Johnson's resolution for an investigation of the "bug river" mine war. The resolution will now go to the contingent expense committee which must authorize the necessary expenses of the inquiry. If that committee approves it, the senate will be asked to act on it at once and a sub-committee will be named to conduct the investigation on the ground. Senator Kenyon, chairman of the labor committee, announced.

FAIRY TALES OF YORE OUTDONE BY VIOLATORS OF LIQUOR LAW

NEW YORK, May 25.—A policeman walked into a saloon, approached a man standing near the lunch counter who was making peculiar motions with a bottle and arrested him. "Your Honor," said the prisoner in court, "that bottle did not belong to me. I saw it on the counter and I picked it up. Just as I was in the act of smelling it to see what was in it this man grabbed me."

FEUD VICTIM!

CHICAGO, May 26.—Feudists of the "bloody nineteenth ward" reached out and claimed another victim early today. Michael Laccari, Lieutenant of the late Anthony D'Andrea, political chieftain who was assassinated recently, was riddled with bullets in his saloon.

GERMAN WAR CRIMINALS CONVICTED

First Gets Ten Months and Must Pay Part of Trial Costs.

LEIPZIG, Germany, May 26.—Germany today convicted her first war criminals. Ser Heinen was sentenced to ten months in prison, and ordered to pay part of the trial costs when he was found guilty of mistreating fifteen British and Belgian prisoners of war.

IMPENDING CIGARET FAMINE MAY SETTLE COAL STRIKE

By ED L. KEENE, United Press Correspondent. LONDON, May 26.—A threatened cigarette famine brought closer today a settlement of the British coal strike. Tobacco factories with large stores of manufactured goods and with fair supplies of fuel thus far have managed to operate. Within the last week however, the supplies have been depleted so far that an official warning was issued by the association of manufacturers.

DR. DAVIS WILL BE BURIED AT CISTERN

AUSTIN, May 26.—The body of the late Dr. Oscar Davis, former state health officer and legislator who was found dead with his throat cut in a bath tub at Galveston yesterday, will be taken to Flatonia, Friday morning, and thence to Cistern, where burial will take place, it was announced here today. The Texas flag was at half mast today on the state capitol.

BERGDOLL LAWYER HELD IN CONTEMPT



Harry Weinberger, of New York, who was civilian counsel for Grover C. Bergdoll in the latter's trial for dodging the draft, was held in contempt by the house investigating committee and ordered before the bar of the house, according to a report from Washington. The committee took this action when Weinberger refused to testify regarding fees paid him by Bergdoll's mother.

CATTLEMAN SLAYER LOOSE ON \$10,000 BOND

SAN ANGELO, May 26.—Leslie C. Riordan, Sterling county cattleman, indicted for murder in connection with the killing of P. E. Moon, Seagraves, Gaines county stockman at Sterling City last April 30, has been released from jail under \$10,000 bond for appearance for trial in December.

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NEFF NOT IN HURRY TO CALL ELECTIONS

AUSTIN, May 26.—Governor Neff, who has returned from commencement exercises at Texas A. & M. and Howard Payne colleges, will wait a few days before calling special elections to fill legislative vacancies in San Antonio, where O. B. Black was elected mayor, and in Dallas, where Senator J. C. McNeal died.

HARDING HOBNOBS WITH FINANCIERS ON EXPORTATIONS

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The administration's policy of promoting exportation as a means of restoration to normal business conditions was discussed at a White House dinner last night attended by Secretaries Mellon, Hoover and J. P. Morgan, Paul Warburg and a number of other prominent financiers.

JAIL BREAK!

TULSA, Okla., May 26.—Twelve prisoners escaped from the county jail here last night, the sheriff announced today. Three of the men were recaptured. Eight steel bars were filed to make the escape possible. The men slid from the top floor of the court house to the ground by means of blankets tied together.

DENTON, Texas—Farmers of Denton county met here recently to form a county farm bureau unit of the Texas Farm Federation.

TONIGHT. Retail Merchants' annual dinner, Lone Star Hall. Choir practice for Sunday's bacalaureate service, First Baptist church. Moose Lodge Anniversary Ball at Summer Garden.

NIGHT RIDERS ARE BUSY IN SHREVEPORT

Masked Men Tar and Feather Man and Leave Him on Downtown Streets.

SHREVEPORT, La., May 26.—A man giving his name as Jack Morgan, 30, originally from Mississippi, staggered into the charity hospital here early today and asked that he be relieved of a coat of tar and feathers. A party of masked men picked Morgan up on a downtown street at midnight and later deposited him with tar and feathers applied on a downtown street, according to police, who declared he had been arrested several times in the last year for vagrancy and was once accused of wife beating.

FEDERAL AGENTS INVESTIGATE BEAUMONT, May 26.—Federal agents were today seeking the identity of the masked men guilty for the whipping, tarring and feathering of Dr. J. S. Paul, three weeks ago. A charge in the grand jury that the objectors impersonated federal officers to get into the office of Paul brought the government agents into the case.

Paul was in Beaumont today and declared he would remain despite the threats by the mob should he ever return. Protection by the militia has been promised him if necessary. It is expected Paul will testify before the grand jury this week. He is expected to name members of the gang which after tarring and feathering him, dumped him out of an auto on a downtown corner.

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"MARRYING PASTOR" IS "CHURCHED" BY SUPREME COURT OF PRESBYTERY

WINONA LAKE, Ind., May 26.—Rev. J. L. McElmoyle, Maryland's "marrying pastor," was ousted from his pulpit at Elkton, Md., today by the supreme court of the Presbyterian church.

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AMIRAL FLETCHER DEAD. WASHINGTON, May 26.—Admiral A. S. Fletcher, commandant of the fifth naval district, died at Hampton Roads early today. The admiral had been ill for some time.

LADER OF INSURGENTS IN UPPER SILESIA



Herewith is one of the first photographs to reach this country of General Komfany, leader of the Polish insurgents in Upper Silesia. Komfany was Polish Plebiscite commissioner when the recent vote was taken. He is said to have the support of the French in his attempts to retain Silesia for Poland.

BOOZE RUNNERS AND HIJACKERS STAGE BATTLE

Man With \$5,000 Cargo of Booze Missing; Four Are Held.

DALLAS, May 26.—Three men and one woman were under arrest here today as a result of a battle between highwaymen and whiskey runners in Oak Cliff early today. The woman and one man had just arrived with a bonded whiskey worth about \$5,000 from El Paso, which, according to police, was to have been delivered to three men who the runners identified as the highwaymen. The woman participated in the fight, emptying her automatic at the robbers. A hurry call to the police resulted in the arrest of the four held, but one man, with the car containing the liquor, is missing.

P. P. L. OFFERS \$1,000 REWARD FOR HIJACKERS

A reward of \$1,000 has been offered for the arrest and conviction of each of the hijackers implicated in the shooting of Ernest Gerry near Breckenridge Sunday, May 15. The offer is being made by the Prairie Pipe Line company, Gerry's employer. Gerry, it is said, was slow in raising his hands when accosted by the robbers and they shot him through the stomach. The injured man is still confined to the hospital at Breckenridge.

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EDDIE HOPS OFF!

REDWOOD CITY, Cal., May 26.—Leaving here at 4:06 a. m. on a two-day trans-continental flight, Capt. Eddie Richenbacher said: "I'll make it sure." "While there is a little fog over the coast, I think that as soon as I cross the divide I shall be all right."

TAFT WILL BE CHIEF JUSTICE SUPREME COURT

Harding Will Make Appointment and Ex-President Will Accept, It Is Learned.

By HERBERT W. WALKER, United Press Correspondent. WASHINGTON, May 26.—President Harding has decided to appoint Wm. Howard Taft to the high office of chief justice of the United States supreme court as successor to the late Edward Douglas White, it was learned here today on the highest authority. Contrary to previous expectations that the big appointment would not be made until shortly before the opening of the new term of the supreme court next October, the nomination of Taft may go to the senate within a week or ten days. It was learned that the White House within the last few days had asked Washington friends of the former president to ascertain if he would accept the appointment. The reply has come back that he would.

OIL ACTIVITY IS NOTED ALL OVER WORLD

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Developments are about to begin in a new oil field in northern Mexico, known as the Isthmian district. This area is situated in northern Chihuahua, just across from the international boundary line formed by the Rio Grande river, south and west of Ojinaga, Mexico, and Presidio, Texas. This area covers several hundred thousand acres. The presence of petroleum in this field has been known for some time but no exploitation has as yet taken place. The land practically is all taken up by Mexican citizens but has been turned over to three American companies for exploitation on a royalty basis.

SLAYER OF B. DAVIS RELEASED ON BOND IN SUM OF TEN THOUSAND

Dan Reese, under charge of murder in connection with the death of B. Davis, was yesterday allowed bond in the sum of \$10,000, according to his attorneys, Taylor & Wassaf. Bond was conceded by County Attorney Dunnam, it is said. At the time Reese killed Davis, he was remanded to jail without bail. His attorneys applied for a writ of habeas corpus which was to be heard Wednesday. The bond was made. Davis was killed at the Westover apartments several days ago.

FIERCE GUN FIGHTS WAGED IN BELFAST

BELFAST, May 26.—Charging through fighting mobs and firing as they went British soldiers today broke up a number of riots growing out of the recent elections. There was fierce revolver fighting, particularly in Bulter street opposite the Catholic monastery of the Holy Cross in Bulter street. The disturbances were over a wide area.

UNCLE SAM GIVES DAUGHERTY \$8,000 AUTO BUT PALMER TURNED DOWN ON \$6,000 APPROPRIATION

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Attorney General Daugherty is to have a brand new \$8,000 limousine. It is provided for in a Deficiency Bill, which permits the exchange of his old car and appropriates \$6,857 to apply on another. Attorney General Palmer tried to get \$6,000 for a new car but was refused. Chief Clerk Charles E. Stewart requested the appropriation, which was described as being for the purchase of an automobile for the official use of the Attorney General in exchange for old car now in use. "The Attorney General has a Hudson now that was bought, Mr. Stewart said, in the spring of 1918 when Congress gave us \$3,500 to buy a car. Automobiles at that time were at the peak of high prices. I found that the only car I could get for \$3,500 was this Hudson."

FINE RANGER HOME BURNS, LOSS \$30,000

Residence of J. R. Alford on Strawn Road Destroyed by Fire Early Thursday.

One of the finest homes ever built in Ranger, Thursday, and property damage to the estimated amount of \$30,000, has been sustained by its owner, J. R. Alford. The building, a large two-story structure of frame construction on the Strawn road, with the majority of its contents, was completely destroyed by fire at 2 a. m. Thursday. The origin of the fire is unknown. The Alford family is out of town. Mr. Alford is thought to have left at 12 o'clock Wednesday night for some point east, in response to a death message, two hours previous to the burning of his home. Mrs. Alford, it is said, has been out of town for some days. It is believed that the fire loss was covered by insurance to the amount of \$17,500. Persons attracted by the burning home carried several pieces of furniture out of the building. Among these were a fine piano and a victrola. The home of Lytton R. Taylor, only a few feet from the burned residence, was threatened for a time. After the fire department arrived much of its energy was directed to saving the Taylor home. The belief that Mr. Alford had left town in response to a death message, arose from the fact that late Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Taylor accepted a telegram for him which the messenger boy stated was a death message. No Alarm Service. The evils of the lack of telephones or a fire alarm system was again demonstrated last night. It is believed that fully fifteen minutes passed from the time the fire was discovered until the fire department was on the way to the fire. This in spite of the fact that many guns were being fired in that section of the city. When questioned as to the delay the department said that it was ready and waiting but gun fire alone could not tell them where to go and they were waiting for an alarm to be turned in. As was pointed out, the department does not go directly to a fire. It must reach the nearest fire hydrant, which in many cases is several blocks from the blaze, and to reach the nearest plug it is first necessary that it know approximately where the fire is located. The flames, it is thought, started in the upper story of the building and directly over the kitchen.

PROGRAM

LAMB—Buck Jones in "One Man Trail," also Rollin comedy and Pathe Review.

MAJESTIC.

Sir Victor's Dog and Pony Circus, consisting of beautiful ponies, dogs, and monk; a treat for the children as well as the grown ups in seeing these clever animals perform.

Peerless Trio, in their latest success, "On the Sidewalks of New York," in Italian costume, depicting how the sons and daughters of sunny Italy enjoy themselves on a holiday in songs, talk, dance and music.

Paul Rahn and Valerie Beck, in a beautiful offering entitled "Echoes from Woodland." Miss Beck as a canary and Mr. Rahn as an old crow.

Madam Bedini and her beautiful trained horses. Madam Bedini is known as the world's greatest equestrian and her wonderful horsemanship and the marvelous control she has over these animals proves her right to the title.

Browning & Davis, in their big success, "Two Pals from the South." It is to laugh to hear these funsters with their smart and witty line of talk and original comedy song numbers.

Hamid's International Nine, the peer of all acrobatic acts consisting of nine of the world's fastest tumblers, introducing pyramids somersaults, twisters, Arabs and butterflies and many other difficult acrobatic features.

TEMPLE.

A sparkling comedy, a guaranteed gloom chaser, an entertaining feature is Sydney Chaplin's feature comedy for Paramount, "King Queen Jockey," the offering at his Temple theatre today and Friday.

Not content with shining in the light of his famous brother, Charlie's popularity, Syd first won recognition in the Keystone comedies, but his first feature is this production just completed for Paramount. It is really a delightful comedy-melodrama written and directed by the comedian himself in which he plays a double role and pretty Lotie MacPheron plays opposite him in the part of the queen.

The story deals with a king whose dominion is in the throes of a revolution, a barber's assistant and the queen. The king is abducted, and the barber who resembles him to an astonishing degree, is put on the throne in his place. Such a situation gives rise to a wealth of comedy and Chaplin has filled it with laughs and thrills.

VISITING TRAVELING MAN SEES BUSINESS CONDITIONS BETTER

E. K. Hartman of the Fletcher factory of the National Candy company was in the city Wednesday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Buttomer.

Mr. Hartman has traveled in Eastern Texas for his house for many years and is well versed in economic conditions of the state and it is his opinion based on his sales that business is now showing a decidedly upward trend. This is true he thinks because the people have gotten accustomed to the so-called readjustment period and are making the best of it. When it first came upon the country, Mr. Hartman declared, folks were scared. They did not know what to expect and they immediately cut their buying to the minimum. Now he said they had decided that it was not near as bad as thought in the beginning and everyone is loosening up, and incidentally he asserted the candy business is much better.

Mr. Hartman became friends with Mr. and Mrs. Buttomer while they had their home in St. Louis.

IN THE COURTS

COUNTY COURT.

J. C. King, vs. E. L. Hulsey, debt 91ST. DISTRICT COURT.

First National Bank of Duncan Okla. vs. P. S. Wolfe et al, debt and foreclosure.

American National Bank vs. E. B. Massie et al, debt.

88TH. DISTRICT COURT.

R. L. Faircloth vs. O. C. Gibbs Gus Wilkins and Mack Short, garnishment.

A. M. Donnelly Drilling Co. vs. A. L. Nelson, sequestration.

R. C. McDonald vs. Thelma McDonald, divorce.

H. H. Johnson vs. Roxie Johnson divorce.

The Farmers State Bank & Trust Co., of Gorman, vs. the Gorman Home Refining Co., suit on note and foreclosure.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage license was issued by County Clerk Ear Bender, Tuesday, May 24: F. L. Brown, Pauls Valley, Okla. and Miss Tyna Cox, Eastland,

Paper Means a Little "Velvet" for Barney.

By Billy De Beck



AMERICANS TO FOOT BILLS OF GAY PARIS

Hotels Plan to Tax Tourists Extra Besides Bills by "Reparations."

PARIS, May 26.—No German indemnity being immediately available, and the Paris municipal budget being in arrears, reparations are to be sought from tourists.

Already in first-class hotels a tourist is required to pay 10 per cent in addition to his bill. This goes to the city. Generally it amounts in large hotels to about \$4 a day, normal exchange. Now the municipality proposes to tax all visitors an additional six francs or more than a dollar normal exchange, under the theory that if he puts up in a big hotel he can well afford to help pay for civic improvements.

Guests in smaller hotels will be taxed on a sliding scale, with a minimum of 2 francs 50 centimes daily—50 cents. Few of the smaller hotels have bathrooms, so the American usually incurs the extra expense and stays at a hotel considered as "first-class."

The new tax is only one more sign that people in the war countries are bent on getting the last dollar out of every American who comes across.

"All Americans are rich," they say; "they can easily help us pay our bills in return for the good time they always have in France."

Acting, no doubt, on the same principle, the latest dancing place to open, charges 100 francs for a bottle of champagne and 10 francs for an ordinary package of cigarettes. The champagne costs wholesale from 10 to 18 francs a bottle. When the A. F. first arrived in France in 1917 the same wine could be bought for seven francs.

Contrasted with these prices, which obviously are aimed at the "rich foreigner," is the fact that in small restaurants frequented only by Frenchmen fair meals can be obtained for six francs.

Recently a restaurant of this class became advertised among Americans, owing to the excellence of its cooking. Within a week its fixed price for dinner had risen from eight francs to 15, with wine charges in proportion.

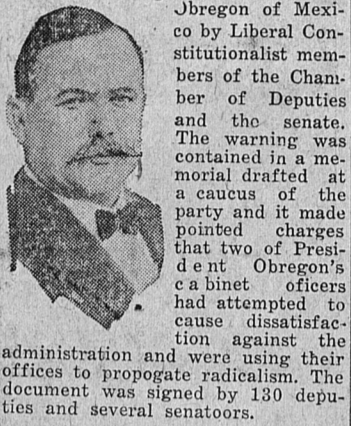
French functionaries earning only 90 francs a month manage to support families. Five hundred francs might last an American stranger three days if he practiced economies; if he went out with the boys, he would be on a borrowing status in one night.

TEXAS PATENTS

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Patents have been granted to the following Texans according to a statement just issued by the patent office today: Alfonso L. Calk, Brady, cultivator fender; Thomas E. Cook, Dallas, oil stove; Mary L. Kayser, Tyler, ink bottle; Wallace F. Motier, El Campo, clutch and transmission mechanism; Emit M. Posa, Burleson, air storage tank liquid dispensing device and also a compressed air-feed liquid container; Peter B. Searcy, Smithville, can opener; George T. Smith, Wichita Falls, flour milling machinery; Henry S. Taylor, Dallas, book support and writing table; Chester A. Watson, Ballinger, lifting jack; John G. Wright, Tyler, adjustable flat die.

MEX. PRESIDENT WARNED OF MADERO'S FATE

"Beware of the fate of Francisco Madero, who failed to heed solicitations to change his policy and fell," was the warning Obregon of Mexico by Liberal Constitutional members of the Chamber of Deputies and the senate.



CUPID AT HIS BATH ROUSES PORTLY COP WHILE CROWD LAUGHS

NEW YORK, May 26.—A naked small boy, seven years old, tried to turn the fountain back of the public library on 42d street into the "ole swimmin' hole down on the farm yesterday afternoon before about 1,000 spectators.

When the funny little fellow plunged into the water there were cries of surprise and mirth, and a portly cop rose as if from the ground. The youngster leaped from the fountain. Snatching up his clothes he dashed up to the library and squeezed his slippery body behind the Corinthian columns. The portly cop could only shake his fist at the offender, who appeared to be dressing. For fifteen minutes he refused to come out, while some kindly woman argued with the cop that he was too small to be arrested.

When this point was firmly established, a small figure, modest in blackish overalls, crept anxiously out from behind the columns and told his story. His name was John Davis and he lived at No. 402 West 33d street, he said. His father was a coal wagon driver. He couldn't go to school because of eye trouble, but when he went he attended the second grade of No. 28.

The swimming exploit came off like this. His friend "Sunnie" O'Connor—Mr. O'Connor had remained discreetly in the background—threw a dime into the fountain and dared him to go after it. He couldn't go home dripping wet, so he removed his overalls, as any cautious fellow would.

After this explanation, he was allowed to go home, damp and sobered by the terrific experience of unwittingly jumping into the spotlight for fifteen minutes.

NEW WAY TO 'MAKE' MONEY WOULD LINE POCKETS OF EVERYONE

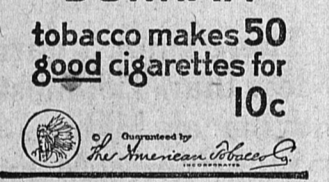
WASHINGTON, May 25.—As a device for "making" money a bill introduced in Congress to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue currency based on no interest-bearing, 25-year bonds deposited with him by any town, representing half the assessed value of its real property, looks as tempting as the most prolific of the inventions of the Bolshevik economists. The only condition is that the money so loaned shall be used for public improvements, "such as good roads, home building or to provide work for the unemployed."

It is easy to imagine what a rush there would be by the thousands of incorporated communities to take advantage of such a golden—or would it better be called "paper?"—opportunity to borrow money in the liberal quantities suggested, without being liable for interest. Uncle Sam would be an "uncle" indeed. The Treasury, being already stuffed with collateral, and depleted on ash, would need a warehouse to hold the local bombs. And when the scheme got into full swing we would all have to stuff our pockets with the green goods in order to be sure to have enough currency to meet incidental daily expenses.

The interesting measure provides that the Treasury bills issued against the bonds shall be in denominations of one, two, five, twenty, fifty, one hundred and five hundred dollars. But it would prove awkward if any smaller than a hundred dollars, face value, were printed. For living prices



GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM tobacco makes 50 good cigarettes for 10c



SPURLOS VERSENKT!

PARIS, May 25.—It now seems fairly certain that Henri Desire Landru, who, for the past 30 months, has been awaiting trial on charges of murder growing out of the disappearance of a woman, will come before the Versailles Assizes in July.

Landru has become a great favorite with the warders owing to his unflinching good humor. The "Gazette Officielle" publishes a royal decree prohibiting the manufacture and sale in Italy and the importation into the country, of matches containing any proportion of white phosphorus.

LIBERTY THEATRE

TODAY NORMA TALMADGE in "THE BRANDED WOMAN" Consolidated Comedy

PROGRAM 10c CHANGED 25c DAILY.

TEACH LADIES 'AFRICAN GOLF' 'HUH, THEY TAUGHT ME,' SAYS MAN.

CHICAGO, May 25.—Stanley E. Bailey, head of a San Francisco automobile concern, said Tuesday he had taught Pacific coast ladies "African golf." Indications are that Bailey had played the game in such a manner that most of the ladies went broke.

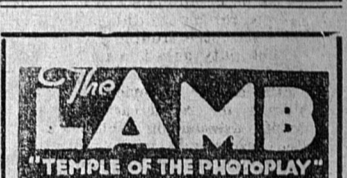
"They didn't need any teaching," Bailey said. "The society women there carry dice in their handbags all the time and spend their spare moments shooing craps. Teach 'em; those girls taught me."

Bailey who was asked about the disappearance of an \$8,000 automobile, property of one of his fashionable students in crapology. And he was also asked about checks in San Francisco that came back marked "no funds."

"I'll tell all about that when I get back to California," was all he cared to say.

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Hard, Large, and Red, Itched and Burned Badly.

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"The trouble lasted about three weeks. I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and after I had used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment I was completely healed." (Signed) Marion H. Lazar, Martins, S. C., July 31, 1920.

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Advertisement for PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE featuring Hamids International Nine and Frank Keenan in 'The Coward' at the Majestic Theatre.

# PROTECTION OF HIDES ASKED BY CATTLEMEN

### Congressmen From Nearly All States Present Petition to Chairman Fordney.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The movement for protected hides culminated here today when a petition from congressmen from practically every state in the union was presented to Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee asking that hides be given a rate of duty that will protect this product against foreign competition.

Representing the American National Livestock association, the Texas, Arizona, New Mexico and other state cattle raisers' associations throughout the South and West, the Southern Tariff association previously had presented a brief to the ways and means committee in support of the demand that hides be placed on the dutiable list of the permanent tariff law.

A duty of six cents per pound on hides is requested in the brief on the ground that this rate is necessary to preserve this product of the livestock industry. It is pointed out that under the present schedule which allows the free importation of hides, thousands of skins of animals are allowed to rot on the ranges, as the price is too low to justify the trouble of marketing.

The duty asked is based on cost of production which has been arrived at from actual experience of the producers of cattle, according to the tariff association which claims that the profit and loss accounts of the ranchmen are the most competent evidence of the necessity for a tariff. The value of the hide is given at 15 per cent of the total value of the animal.

### Shoes and Hides.

That the price of hides has practically no relation to the price of shoes is another claim set forth in the brief and it is shown that while the price of hides has steadily declined, the price of shoes has continued to advance. In support of this, figures are presented showing that in 1917 when hides were selling for 33 cents per pound, the wholesale price of shoes was \$4.75 per pair; in 1920 when hides were bringing 30 cents the price of shoes had advanced to \$8.75 per pair and with hides now selling at 4 cents, the price of shoes has not been lowered.

The emergency tariff recently passed both houses of congress continued hides on the free list and the fact that this article was apparently slated for the same treatment in the framing of the permanent law, was responsible for the action of the tariff organization.

Fish are believed to have a keen sense of smell.

# GERMANS STILL WORSHIP VON HINDENBURG

POTSDAM, Germany, May 25.—The affection and admiration which German people still entertain for Field Marshal Van Hindenburg was manifested by the throngs who gathered to attend the funeral of the Empress Augusta Victoria.

The German princess passed virtually unnoticed through the crowds but wherever the popular Field Marshal went there was a murmur of admiration which frequently swelled into prolonged applause. Even the Communists, who could be distinguished by their remarks, were silent before Von Hindenburg, although they spoke loudly about "tin soldiers" as other high officers passed.

There was an amusing incident when "hero of Tannenberg" arrived before Wildpark station, where services for the princess were held. As he descended somewhat heavily from an automobile, the great string of medals about his neck was disarranged.

A silk-hatted, white-whiskered man and a policeman rushed to rearrange them and met head-on. The silk hat was dislodged and rolled upon the pavement, and the policeman, stood in a daze.

In the meantime half a dozen officers in full dress of generals had gathered about the "old man of the Masurian lakes" and carefully arranged the medals, while others helped the Field Marshal put on his high-tasseled cap, which he had been unable to wear in the confines of his closed car.

When Von Hindenburg appeared at the station to depart, the streets for many squares were paced with excited crowds which raised a tumultuous cheer and again and again, until the train was out of sight, the "hochs" resounded from thousands of throats.

A short time previous, Prince August appeared on the station platform, and was received with a few lifted hats, but without cheers.

## TWO YOUNG MEN ARE HELD FOR HIJACKING

EASTLAND, May 25.—Sam Kellum and Jim Brunson, two young white men, were brought to Eastland and placed in jail charged with hijacking a Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Hufstader and H. M. McElroy near Gorman. According to information filed with the county attorney the parties in the car were leaving Gorman and while near the Gorman Home Refinery they heard a noise and slowed down the car, when the young men in question are alleged to have boarded the running board and ordered them out of the car. They were relieved of two watches and some rings, and seeing the approaching headlight of another car they were ordered back

into the car, and the young men disappeared into the brush. Mrs. Hufstader asked for the return of her wedding ring and her request was granted. Word was sent ahead and officers went out from Cisco and

picked the young men up while coming into that town. The watches and rings, it is alleged, were found on them. The two boys will be held pending the action of the grand jury, which meets in June.

## EX-SPEAKER OF COMMONS ARRIVES TO TOUR CANADA

QUEBEC, May 26.—J. W. Lovther, former speaker of the British house of commons, arrived here on

the Empress of France to tour Canada after presenting to the Canadian parliament a copy of the speaker's chair in the British house of commons.

The copy was donated by the Em-

pire Parliamentary association.

Tibet, Nepal, Abyssinia, parts of Arabia and Afghanistan are still closed to the British and Foreign Bible Society.

# Grand wind-up of our special purchase sale

## further reductions on HART SCHAFFNER & MARX

### \$50 to \$85 suits

now

# \$33<sup>50</sup>

# \$47<sup>50</sup>

Here's a chance that overshadows any you've had in years and years. We've taken all our broken lots, put them with the suits remaining from our special purchase sale, and are offering every suit in the house at one of these two prices.

There's not a garment in either group that was made to sell for less than \$50; most of them were made to sell at \$65 to \$75—some as high as \$85. They are beautifully tailored by Hart Schaffner & Marx from fine all-wool fabrics and made up in the latest spring styles; every one guaranteed.

This big wind-up lasts only two weeks. Don't wait; come early and get first choice.

"For Service and Satisfaction"

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## The home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes Corner Rusk & Pine

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Prices will never be lower than those offered in this sale—Too much stock. Practically everything goes at—

**One-Half Price**

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Tell your friends about it. It's a money-saving sensation too good to miss.

**Starting Promptly 8 A. M. Tomorrow Morning, Fri. May 27th**

*A Sale Far Surpassing Any Former Value-Giving Event We or Any Other Firm Have Ever Offered the Buyers of This Section*



## HALF-PRICE SALE



Of Ladies' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Ready-to-wear, Hats—Men's Spring and Summer Suits, Hats, Shoes (except Nettleton's), etc.

Just at the break of Summer, when Summer merchandise is most in demand, comes this most opportune Half Price Sale of fine Spring and Summer Wearing Apparel. At the beginning of the season profits are slashed on our complete stocks, not odds and ends, and an opportunity given you to buy at lowest figures ever quoted here or any other city. We have too much stock—Word comes from headquarters to reduce—reduce to get our money out regardless of what the losses may be. You know from past experiences what a sale means at Richardson-Brown's. In this phenomenal selling event we eclipse all former records and set a stride few merchants anywhere can compete with. We cannot urge you too strongly to attend this sale for the low prices offered mean too much to you, to let an opportunity such as this pass by. Doors will open tomorrow morning promptly at 8, plan to be here at the opening.

**Every Single Item in Our Big Stock of High Grade Merchandise Goes Into This Great Sale at a Startling Big Reduction of 25 to 50 Per Cent**

Choose From Our Wonderful Selection of Spring Suits, Skirts and Summer Dresses

**at ONE-HALF PRICE**



—A lovely assortment of the season's very best in fine, stylish suits, coats and dresses. All fashionable materials and fabrics are included. All foremost shades and styles can be found here and every garment is an unmatched bargain at our low prices.

- Spring Suits
- Sport Coats
- Sport Skirts
- Silk Dresses
- Organdy Dresses
- Undergarments

**All Ladies' Ready-to-wear at EXACTLY ONE-HALF PRICE**

Off All Former Prices

Fine wearing apparel for every member of the family offered in this sale at startling low prices.

**Men!** FRESH FROM AMERICA'S BEST MAKERS IN A PLEASING VARIETY OF NEWEST STYLES AND PATTERNS COMES THE WONDERFUL VALUES OFFERED IN THIS—

### Half-Price Sale of Men's Suits

Style-plus—Schloss Bros.—Franco Medal Spring and Summer Quality Clothes

—Suits such as you could expect to find only at much higher prices. Stylish young men models or more conservative patterns for the business men. Every all-wool spring suits, every summer suit, every suit in the house on sale at one-half of former selling prices.

- All Wool Suits
- Tweeds and Worsteds
- Serges and Palm Beaches

The entire stock at

**ONE-HALF PRICE**

**Nettleton Shoes for \$13**

—Men know Nettleton shoes, they know they paid nearly twice this amount for Nettleton shoes and oxfords last year. In this sale we offer a most remarkable assortment of fine Nettleton shoes and oxfords at a special low price ..... **\$13**

"Just-Wright" Shoes, special during this sale **\$9.85**



### Important Millinery Sale

Charming New Hats at Half Price and Even Less

—Hats of every shape, every style or description are offered in this sale. Beautiful creations, many newly arrived, and every hat up to the minute in style. We have placed so low a price on these hats, that no woman who needs one can well afford to pass them by tomorrow.



**Hats Formerly Sold Up to \$24.50 Offered Very Special at 98c Up to \$9.85**

**Ladies' Shoes, Pumps and Smart New Oxfords ONE-HALF PRICE**

—Every pump, every shoe, every oxford in our ladies' footwear section will bear a reduction of 33 1-3 to 50 per cent tomorrow. Included are many of our most popular numbers, and every pair a wonderful value at— **ONE-HALF PRICE**

**Kabo, Roberta and Just-Rite Corsets Now Reduced 25% Off Original Low Prices**

Hundreds of other items not mentioned here on sale at 33 1-2 to 50 per cent reduction of former prices.

All Wardrobe Trunks now	Men's Lee Unionalls Special	Men's Hats Values to \$7.50 for only	Men's Dress Shirts Regular \$2.50 values special	Men's Work Clothes Reduced	Men's Furnishings Reduced	All Men's Footwear (except Nettletons and Just-Wright) on sale at
1-2 Price	\$2.95	\$2.95	98c	33 1/2 to 50%	33 1/2 to 50%	1-2 Price

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Table with 4 columns: Words, 1 Time, 4 Times, 7 Times. Lists rates for various word counts.

Forward copy to any of the three papers, with your remittance.

No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

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

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Notice to discontinue advertisements must be given in writing.

We reserve the right to place all classified advertisements under their proper classification.

1-LOST AND FOUND

LOST-32" double eagle, Masonic watch charm sometime Sunday.

LOST-Between Ranger and Eastland, Telephone test set with name of R. E. Blair on back.

2-MALE HELP

WANTED-Kitchen on contract or salary, by two experienced cooks.

3-FEMALE HELP

WANTED-Experienced practical nurse for confinement case.

POSITION WANTED-By first class cook, prefer hotel or contracting camps.

WANTED-For house work and laundry, colored woman, apply 1002 Haig Street.

4-SITUATIONS WANTED

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER-Work guaranteed, prices reasonable.

WANTED-Position as pumper on lease. Have had experience.

6-BUSINESS CHANCES

A FEW LIGHT SUITS-While they last \$6.00 to \$10.00.

7-SPECIAL NOTICES

DRESSES DESIGNED-and made. Work guaranteed; prices reasonable.

FAIRMOUNT MATERNITY HOSPITAL for confinement; private; prices reasonable.

WILL TRADE-New piano for car. Write P. O. Box 1103.

NOTICE. Private dancing lessons, \$1.50 an hour.

I WILL DO YOUR SHOE repairing at the following prices.

WANTED-To board and care for small children; \$1.00 per day.

BEGINNING SATURDAY. I will open a class in aesthetic dancing.

8-ROOMS FOR RENT

AMERICAN PLAN-Room and meals. Cool, clean, comfortable rooms.

NICE CLEAN ROOMS-\$1.00 up per day.

FOR RENT-Nice South Room and apartment cheap.

9-HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT-2 rooms furnished for housekeeping.

MINUTE MOVIES



THE HEART OF TING LING. SYNOPSIS: THE WEALTHY FANG WANG, PRINCE OF CHOW MEIN, HAS BEEN PROMISED THE HAND OF THE PRINCESS TING LING BY THE EMPEROR CHU YING GUM.

ONE DAY IN THE PALACE GARDEN FANG WANG'S UNWELCOME ATTENTION'S CAUSE THE PRINCESS MUCH ANNOYANCE.



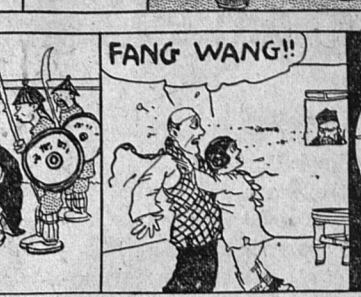
OH, BELOVED ONE WILL BOTH BE KILLED FOR THIS. THEN FLY WITH MY CELESTIAL ONE!



QUICK YOUR MAJESTY, CALL OUT THE SOLDIERS! YOUR DAUGHTER HAS RUN AWAY!

HO WING AND LOVELY TING LING SEEK SHELTER IN THE HUT OF AN OLD WOOD-CHOPPER.

MEAN WHILE FANG WANG & THE PALACE GUARDS FOLLOW A CLUE OF BEADS FROM TING LING'S BROKEN HEAD DRESS.



DON'T MISS TOMORROW'S EPISODE 'THE WAY OF A FIEND'

9-HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Nice 4 and 5-room bungalows; call 427 So. Hodges st.

HOUSE FOR RENT-513 Spring road or 103 Hunt Street.

FOR RENT-Six Room House on Oak Street, \$30.00 per month.

NICE 2-ROOM HOUSE-newly papered. Call P. M. 506 Mesquite.

4 ROOMS, nicely furnished, \$45 per month; 420 Mesquite st.

10-STORES FOR RENT

FOR SALE or lease-Store building, 37x90, located on Hunt street.

STORE TO LET, Marston bldg, 326 Main st., room 342.

11-APARTMENTS FOR RENT

MARIAN APARTMENTS 2 rooms, furnished; rent reasonable.

13-FOR SALE-Miscellaneous

ONE-HALF PRICE, or less, restaurant, dishes, kitchen utensils, etc.

FOR SALE-2 Sewing machines, Oliver typewriter, 3 electric fans.

FOR SALE-One ice box, call at 425 North Rusk St.

14-REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE-122-acre farm, improvements, fruit, timber, oil prospects.

15-HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Beautiful five-room house, with all modern conveniences.

16-AUTOMOBILES

AUTOMOBILE PAINTING, Tops, cushions and seat covers built and repaired.

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

SPRINGS, gears, gas tanks, wheels, magnets, carburetors, n'everything.

FOUR SALES CHEAP-5-passenger Buick touring car.

17-WANTED TO RENT

WANTED-to rent, Warehouse. Ranger Hardware Company.

18-WANTED-Miscellaneous

WANTED-A chance to buy your second hand furniture.

19-FOR TRADE OR EXCHANGE

LOT 6x140-and small house in West Eastland, to trade for car.

WILL TRADE-Good Ranger and San Antonio rent property for Oklahoma property.

HOUSE AND LOT-Lackland addition, will trade for Buick or Dodge car.

FOR SALE or exchange, 4-room house for a Ford car in good condition.

21-LEGAL NOTI-E

FOR SALE-At City Pound, May 26th, one bay mare, branded R. O. left hip.

ON 20TH DAY OF MAY-W. M. Deuning and John Phillips bought B. Orrill, the Acme Grocery, located 901 Pershing Avenue.

FOR SALE-Two good milk cows will be sold at the auction sale at City Pound, Strawn road, May 26, 2 p. m.

BACK TO FAMILY AFTER 25 YEARS CASUALLY AS IF GONE FOR CIGAR

Wife Says Husband Tired of His Job and Left Her and Their Four Children to Shift For Themselves-Walks in and Announces, "It's Andie"

NEW YORK, May 24.-When "Andie" Fuerpinger of Pearl River, N. Y., came marching home again a few days ago, his wife did not recognize him.

POLICE DITCH RIFLES FOR SPLATTER GUNS

CHICAGO, May 25.-Substitution of the shot-gun for the rifle is the latest development in man-hunting by the Chicago police.

RECEIVER APPOINTED FOR BONDING COMPANY

DALLAS, May 26.-Judge E. B. Muse of the Forty-fourth district court has appointed Royall R. Watkins of Dallas, receiver of the Lion Bonding and Surety company.

INTERPRETER OF NEGRO DIALECT WILL GIVE PROGRAM IN RANGER

Mrs. Josephine Obenchain of Dallas, interpreter of negro dialect and reader of plantation stories will appear at the Methodist church Friday night, May 27, under the auspices of the ladies of the Episcopal church.

MORTUARY

JACK CRAIG. Jack Craig, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Craig, who died Wednesday, was buried Thursday morning in the Evergreen cemetery.

AT THE HOTELS

McCLESKY. J. A. Holland, Breckenridge. Mrs. W. L. Edwards, Oklahoma City. A. C. Fedderson, Des Moines, Iowa.

MEXICO'S RAIL PROBLEM IS A SERIOUS ONE

Better Trade Conditions in Texas Depend on Adjustment of These Matters.

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS Times Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON, May 26.-Mexico has a serious rail situation at this time, just as has the United States.

SOME HARD SPOTS IN ROCKY MOUNTAINS

Principally a shortage of locomotives has been the "lack of equipment" wall. And there seems to be no disposition on the part of foreign bankers to loan the railroads money on account of the decidedly unsettled conditions.

FLOWING BLOOD OF CRUCIFIED CHICKEN FOR CHINESE OATH

EL PASO, May 26.-Wong Dew Fay was charged with importing Wong Wun and Wong Sai Ting into the United States.

JUAREZ, Mexico-A new \$25,000 theatre will replace the old California restaurant in Juarez, which is being torn down.

METCALF CAFE 'A Good Place to Eat' Tables for Ladies

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Listed in alphabetical arrangement are herewith given the names of business firms and professions of Ranger.

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and at the same time cheating the United States out of a good "customer."

Purchase of six locomotives from the El Paso Southwestern railroad aided in relieving Ciudad's congestion.

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CHINESE SAID IT WAS THEIR CUSTOM TO TAKE OATHS AS THE BLOOD FLOWING FROM A CHICKEN.

CHINESE FREQUENTLY APPEAR IN THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT IN CASES OF ALLEGED IMPORTATION OF ALIENS.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba-Early completion of the Hudson's Bay railway is assured by the federal government.

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## Only Two More Days Of Our "Get Acquainted Sale"

—This popular selling event will positively close next Saturday night. We are more than pleased with the patronage given us since its opening. Shoppers from all over this section have attended and purchased liberally of the many worth-while bargains offered.

**Come Tomorrow or Saturday  
Share in the Wonderful  
Values This Sale Affords**



### MEXICAN FIREMEN CURB ARRIAGA SYMPATHIZERS

MEXICO CITY, May 26.—Radicals who had gathered at the railroad station last evening to meet the body of Isaac Arriaga, Socialist leader, who was killed in the rioting at Morelia, last Thursday, were dispersed by firemen.

The firemen, who apparently, can accomplish more in breaking up incipient demonstrations than can sol-

diers, followed the coffin through the streets. There were no untoward incidents.

AUSTIN, Texas.—The support of the Texas state board of health was pledged recently to the life-saving work of the American Red Cross. Commodore Wilbert E. Longfellow, director of the life-saving corps of the Red Cross, is in Austin for the purpose of organizing a life-saving corps here.

## MYSTERY SHIP WITH TREASURE LIES OFF SHORE

Residents of Oregon Coast  
Town Are Determined to  
Salvage Vessel.

PORTLAND, Or., May 25. (United Press)—Down on the coast of Southern Oregon there is a mysterious old hull—a wreck that antedates the memories of the earliest settlers in the Oregon country.

The hold of the ancient craft contains a cargo of metal bars, brass and copper, perhaps even gold. This much was determined last year for the first time by an organized exploring party that braved the swift tides and quicksands of Neskowin for a few hours, just long enough to ascertain that the hold contained ingots of some kind.

The curious ones were then driven back by the rushing tide. When the water had retreated again, the tricky Neskowin sands had shifted and the wreck was almost out of sight.

This summer the mystery is to be solved, residents of the Neskowin district declare. They are prepared to spend a considerable sum of money in excavating. When all plans are ready the trick must be turned in a few hours—between tides—or not at all.

Success of the expedition admittedly depends to a great extent upon the favor of the elements, for in the constantly shifting sands and tides the wreck is sometimes raised high above the beach, and again covered with tons of sand and almost submerged from sight.

The treasure-seekers will endeavor to make this drive on a favorable day, when the tide is low and the wreck comparatively clear of sand. It is planned to cut through the hold with axes and shovels, and remove as much of the metal as possible before the incoming tides drive the invaders back.

The old wreck has been on the beach at Neskowin, in Tillamook county, for many years. The Indians say it was there long before the white man came. Albert Bowman, first homesteader in the region, said the ship had apparently been wrecked for decades before he settled on the Oregon coast in 1885. Bowman, who is taking an active interest in organizing the exploration party, believes the ship was one of the Hudson's Bay company fleet.

No theory as to the unique cargo of neatly cast ingots has been advanced.

### VALUE OF TYPES TOLD BY EVANGELIST HERE

"Types and Anti-types" was the subject discussed by Evangelist Wallace at the Church of Christ Wednesday evening. "Practically all events of importance recorded in the Old Testament foreshadowed things of far greater importance in the New Testament. The Old Testament is of inestimable value in determining the course God would have men pursue."

The subject for discussion Thursday evening is "Foolishness of God."

### SONGS FOR SERVICES AT BACCALAUREATE WILL BE PRACTICED

Singers from all the churches in Ranger are asked to be present at a practice meeting to be held Thursday evening at the First Baptist church, when songs to be sung in connection with the baccalaureate sermon will be practiced by a choir selected from the churches of the city. The meeting has been set for 8 o'clock.

## GAMBLING IN FOOD GOING ON IN MOSCOW

By Associated Press.

HELSINGFORS, May 25.—Now that the markets are again open in Moscow, the populace is living by speculation in food, according to a Finnish official who has just arrived from the Russian capital. Trade, however, is permitted only to provisions. The markets are crowded nevertheless, with people, formerly wealthy, selling dresses, clothing of all sorts and other personal belongings for food.

In consequence of free trade, food prices are falling, but the food shortage is serious and the July supply of flour is now being used.

## COMMENCEMENT HIGH SCHOOL ADDRESS TO BE DELIVERED MONDAY

The commencement address for the high school graduation exercises will be delivered by Lytton R. Taylor at the Baptist church auditorium on Monday night.

The graduation class numbers thirteen, six of whom are boys and seven are girls. Their diplomas will be presented to them on that occasion.

On Sunday the baccalaureate sermon will be preached in the Baptist church by the Rev. J. W. McKinney.

Thursday night the songs to be sung at the sermon will be practiced at the church.

## GORMAN HOME REF'G CO. IN RECEIVER'S HANDS

Special to the Times.

EASTLAND, May 25.—The Gorman Home Refining company, of Gorman, was thrown into the hands of a receiver this morning, Judge E. A. Hill naming R. F. Townsend of Gorman, receiver, and placing his bond at \$5,000, which he gave, and assumed charge, this action being taken on the application of the Farmers & Merchants Bank of that city. The petition asking for a receiver alleged mismanagement and deterioration of property, that the business was insolvent, and would prove a great loss to the stockholders if it was not placed in the hands of a receiver.

Up to the time of the revolution, no country in England was more thoroughly English than the New England colonies.

### ITCH!

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

ALL DRUGGISTS

### \$1,000.00 REWARD

Earnest Gerry, employed as fireman at the pumping station of the Prairie Pipe Line company, known as Ackers Station, near Breckenridge, Texas, on the night of May 14, 1921, was held up and robbed while on duty and seriously wounded. The Prairie Pipe Line company hereby offers a reward of \$1,000 for the arrest and conviction of each of the guilty parties connected with the crime.

Signed:  
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Keep Your Skin Pores  
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With Cuticura Soap

Soap, Ointment, Toiletine, etc. everywhere. For samples address: Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 1, Boston, Mass.

## AUTO THIEVES WORK HARD TO GET CAR THEN ABANDON IT

A Dodge car stolen from Karl Steffins May 3 was reported found abandoned nine miles northwest of Ranger Thursday morning.

At the time of the theft the thieves displayed greater persistence than they did in making a final escape. Steffins, it is said, kept his garage door locked and the machine chained to its floor. Nevertheless the thieves cut the chains, demolished the lock and made away with the automobile.

## MEXICAN SOUGHT FOR BRECKENRIDGE AFFAIR

A Mexican is being sought by the local police who, it is said, shot and probably mortally wounded Tom Fields, a white man at Breckenridge, Wednesday morning. Fields and the Mexican, it is said, became embroiled in an argument over a camp site.

The police arrested a Mexican Wednesday night but it was not the man that did the shooting. However they say he was in company with the man who shot Fields at the time of the shooting.

QUEBEC, Quebec.—The fruit production of Quebec province in 1920 had a value of \$664,877, being made up of apples, \$552,020; strawberries, \$100,573; raspberries, \$9,081; gooseberries, \$2,856, and currants, \$187.

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Alterations, repairing, dyeing,  
bleaching, too.

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Mail service to out-of-town customers.

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For Three Generations  
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### ONE FOURTH OFF

—Our entire stock of summer dresses are now offered at a reduction of 25 per cent off regular low prices. Wonderful frocks of tan, orchid, tomato, melon, bisque and other wanted colors, in sizes to fit both women and misses.

OUR  
FRIDAY  
SPECIAL

**36-inch Organdy**  
—in all colors; specially  
priced tomorrow, yd . . . 39c

The Boston Store  
C. Joseph  
THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER  
101 South Marston  
RANGER, TEXAS

### Special Broiler Chicken Sale Saturday

—We will put on sale Saturday morning 150 scientific, fully fattened broilers, fattened on the best, cleanest and highest priced special fattening food ever compounded by the Purina Mills, in fact they have never had a mouth full of any feed but the best and cleanest obtainable. If you have never eaten a scientifically fattened broiler you do not know what a real treat you have missed. Do not fail to try one or more—First come, first served.

**LACKLAND BROS., Lackland Addition, Ranger, Tex.**

## Summertime Organdies of Most Unusual Charm and Beauty—



—Crisp new Organdies, exquisitely fashioned in all the new and latest modes. Charming new models are arriving every day now in all wanted colors and style effects. You'll be delighted with this showing, and with the moderate price marks these smart garments bear.

### Exceptional Suit Values

In Our Men's Section

—New Spring and Summer Suits for men and young men. Newest grays, tans, and various dressy patterns make this assortment a welcome one to every man who wears good clothes. Priced unusually low, too, for such quality merchandise.

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