

SOME APPOINTMENTS MEET OPPOSITION

LOCARNO AGREEMENT IS FILED WITH LEAGUE OF NATIONS

BATTLE OF BALLOTS ATTRACT ATTENTION

9 STATES HOLD ELECTIONS FOR NAMING TICKETS

Prohibition Big Issue With Administration In Northern Section

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 14.—Battle for control of state political machines and wet and dry clashes, enlivened interest in the primary contests in nine states today. Meanwhile the early election in Maine, always regarded by Republican leaders as a barometer of the national trend, was hailed by the Republican leaders, when returns indicated Governor Ralph O. Brewster, republican, had overwhelmingly defeated his democratic opponent, Ernest L. McLean.

Voters went to the polls today in Michigan, Colorado, Vermont, Louisiana, Maryland, Washington, Massachusetts, New York, and South Carolina.

The greatest interest is being taken in the results in New York, Colorado, Maryland and Washington, that may possibly be termed doubtful. South Carolina and Louisiana are sure to go democratic and against any change in the prohibition law. In the other states, prohibition and the administration are the big fights that are being waged in the Northern and Eastern states.

In Massachusetts the lines are being tightened between administration and prohibition.

Michigan and Colorado are expected to join the wet forces. In Colorado the fight is wets against dries. In Michigan, Governor Groesbeck is running for the fourth nomination.

The results in Vermont are foregone.

SHORT COIN ARTIST MADE TO COUGH UP

By following the Lee Brothers Circus to Breckenridge, two Ranger men, Ralph Sullivan and W. F. Gage, were able to collect \$10 each which they allege they were short changed out of in Ranger last Saturday by one of the ticket sellers.

Sullivan and Gage, in company with Wae Swift, officer of Ranger, went to Breckenridge yesterday afternoon to search of the man thought to have defrauded them. Another one of the circus men paid the men the amount of money claimed to avoid any trouble by prosecution.

The complainants were advised by Ranger officials to make a settlement if possible since a conviction was doubtful. Both of the men found they were short \$10 after going home from the show. By chance, ascertained from conversation with each other that both had lost money.

WOMAN HIT BY ANOTHER DRIVING CAR

Mrs. Frank King, 439 Pine street, Ranger, was knocked down and run over by a Ford car driven by another woman late yesterday, sustaining minor bruises. Her condition was not serious.

The accident occurred just as Mrs. King stepped on to the curb in front of the Boyd home, adjacent to her home. The woman driver who was coming toward town became frightened and called to Mrs. King but not in time for Mrs. King to get out of the way.

ANOTHER RAILROAD MAY BE CONSTRUCTED

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Authority to construct 165 mile line from Ardmore, Okla., to Lubbock, Texas, was sought from the Interstate Commerce Commission by Ardmore-Vernon and Lubbock Railway Company of Texas. The proposed line would serve rich agricultural territory now without railway facilities.

Queen of Beauty



"Miss America" of 1926, of the Atlantic City bathing beauty contest here is on her golden, jeweled crown and her smile of victory.

MAS SACH USETTS CAMPAIGN BEING GIVEN NOTICE

By CHARLES W. STEWART
NEA Service Writer
WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Of all the senatorial campaigns now on, the one in Massachusetts is the most important to President Coolidge.

If his candidate for senator can't carry his own home state next November, the presidential prestige will suffer a jolt there's little chance it can recover from.

The defeat of Senator Pepper in Pennsylvania, of Senator McKinley in Illinois, of Senator Cummins in Iowa and of L. B. Hanna in North Dakota were setbacks for the president, but at least he was in a position to say, "Well, they weren't particularly my candidates."

They were, in reality, but he wasn't formally committed to them.

But Senator William M. Butler, in Massachusetts, was his campaign manager in 1924, is chairman of the Republican national committee, figures as the president's personal spokesman in the upper house of Congress, and it's in the president's own birth state that he's running.

Butler's renomination, but that was a foregone conclusion. He had no opposition.

The job now's to elect him—no not re-elect him. He's been serving hitherto by appointment, as the late Senator Lodge's successor. Now he goes to the voters, which is entirely different from being named by a governor.

The loss of any other state would be about the same thing as a slap on the president's wrist, compared with a wallop from a pair of brass knuckles, if he loses Massachusetts.

Flapper Bandit Confession Fails To Save Youth

By United Press.
STATE PENITENTIARY, Milledgeville, Ga., Sept. 14.—The confession of Ruby Ray, flapper bandit, that she killed W. H. Cheek, Atlanta grocer, having failed to save Mell Gore, youthful murderer, here today, had only one slender hope of escaping electrocution before night.

Unless the state supreme court rules favorably on a mandamus petition to stay the execution Gore will be electrocuted sometime today before 4 o'clock this afternoon.

To Be Diplomat



Mrs. Alexander Kollontai, a leader of Russian feminism, has been designated by the Soviet government to represent it as minister plenipotentiary at Mexico City.

Luke Barnes Brought Back From Prison

Trial of Luke Barnes on a charge of killing Jim Daniels, a Ranger policeman, Feb. 8, 1925, is expected to be at Eastland in the near future. Barnes was returned Sunday from the Ramsey prison farm by Constable Ted Hamilton and placed in the county jail at Eastland. Barnes has been serving a term at the farm on an automobile theft charge.

A murder indictment was returned sometime ago against Barnes and five other men, his brother, Cleve, Harve Wells, Edwin Bush, a man named McCarty and another, Woodruff.

Daniels was found dead in the early hours of Feb. 8, 1925, on Homer street midway between Cypress and Page streets. He had been shot through the left shoulder and face.

Investigation led to the finding of a Ford coupe later in a pasture near Ranger supposed to have been used by the parties doing the shooting. Five bullet holes had pierced the rear of the car.

Officers expressed the opinion that Daniels was shot while talking to the occupants of the car and that he returned the fire as they fled from him.

None of the men have yet been held on the murder charge, although some of them have since received prison sentences on automobile theft cases and others are out on bond.

WILL STOP WAR IF CARRIED TO FULL EXECUTION

World Is Watching Outcome of Meeting If It Is Adopted

By United Press.
GENEVA, Switzerland, Sept. 14.—The Locarno agreement to shield Europe from another war such as burst out over the world in 1914 was filed with the League of Nations today.

The Locarno agreement entered into by practically all the nations of Europe places Europe in a similar position to the United States, and makes one nation somewhat dependent upon the other and the agreement to submit differences to arbitration.

According to some of the world's leading economists, the Locarno agreement is the greatest piece of statesmanship ever developed in the history of time.

It was at Locarno that Germany and France first shook hands. However, just what effect the agreement will have on the plans of Mussolini for acquiring more territory is not known.

The Locarno agreement also stresses the help one nation will give another in seeking foreign markets. At the time of the meeting in Locarno, American authorities on economics said that the United States must hereafter look to its laurels to hold its foreign business.

PROHIBITION BIG QUESTION BEFORE KLAN

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—The prohibition question was expected to be the principal topic before the Ku Klux Klan today, at the second business session of the national convocation here. The biennial convocation opened yesterday with a parade of klansmen and the auxiliary organization. More than 11,000 marched, according to a tally conducted by the Washington Daily News. Other estimates were as high as 15,000.

At the head of the rank and file was a seven-foot Texan bearing a huge American flag and at his side marched J. M. Frazier of Texas, a member of the original Klan which was organized during the carpet bag days in the South immediately after the Civil War.

Another of the original Klan, R. P. Thrall of Culpepper, Va., was found in the ranks of the Virginians, waving a small American flag as he trudged along over the more than a mile journey.

3 PERSONS ARE BURNED TO DEATH

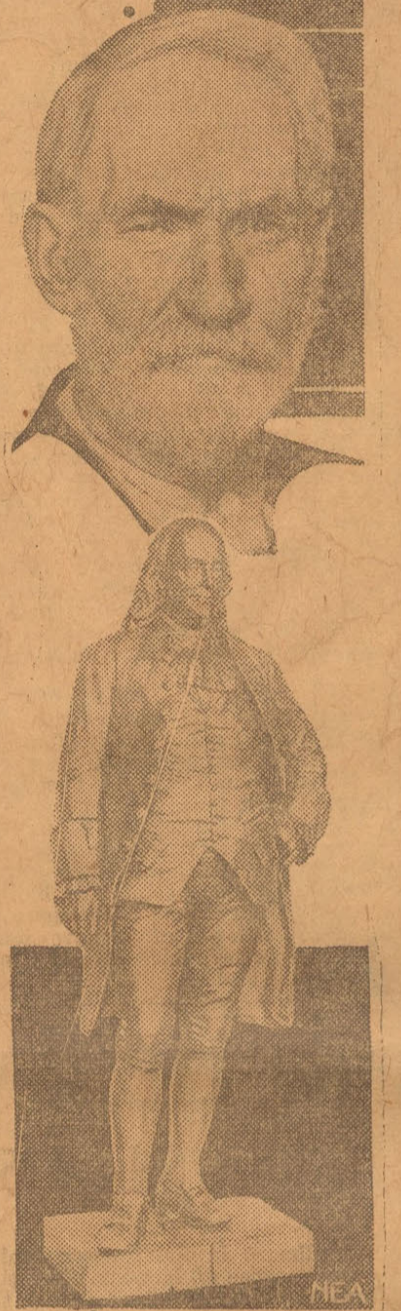
By United Press.
HILLSBORO, Sept. 14.—Three persons were burned to death and two others injured today when the Browning Apartments was destroyed by fire.

The dead are Mrs. Florine Tippett, Ray Tippett, her 3-year-old son, and her 6-year-old sister.

INJUNCTION TO STOP COURT BUILDING ROAD

Elmer Berry and Nolan A. Berry have filed injunction proceedings against Eastland county seeking to prevent the county judge and county commissioners' court from condemning certain portions of land owned by them. The petition alleges in part that the plaintiffs own portions of sections 28 and 29, block 3, H. & T. C. Railway company survey in Eastland county, and that the county judge and commissioners' court for Eastland county have filed condemnation proceedings against 40 feet off of the north end of said land.

Echo of '62



New Orleans has homesickness to thank for this statue of Ben Franklin, to be unveiled there in October. It is the gift of Henry H. Gustine (upper picture) of Chicago and is a replica of one Gustine saw when he served in New Orleans as a Union lieutenant in 1862. "It attracted me because I was homesick down there," he explains. The original memorial had disintegrated the next time Gustine went South, and he determined to replace it.

LEAHY TRIAL FOR MURDER ON SEPT. 23

By United Press.
GEORGE WEST, Tex., Sept. 14.—Trial of Harry J. Leahy, charged by indictment with the killing of Dr. J. A. Ramsey of Mathis, has been set for Sept. 23, and a special venire of 75 men has been ordered. Leahy was re-indicted by the grand jury Monday, to heal an error in the first indictment, which was nolle-prossed.

No changes in the charges against Leahy was made.

Leahy is held in the Live Oak county jail here with a heavy guard.

GLENROSE FIRE STRUCK. BLOCK BURNS

GLENROSE, Texas, Sept. 14.—Despite efforts of a bucket brigade, fire which originated in a barber shop at 7:45 this morning and swept through nearly a block in the business district, destroyed two grocery stores, two restaurants and the Ersham building.

The fire was brought under control at 8:30 after it had caused damage estimated between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

WEALTHY GIN OWNER OF WACO IS DEAD

WACO, Sept. 14.—De Witte Ray, 57, wealthy gin owner, died early today of burns received when the McKie plant suffered damage estimated at \$18,000. It was believed Ray was overcome by smoke and was unable to escape flames surrounding him.

VALIDATING MEASURES ARE INTRODUCED, ALL MUST BE IN TOMORROW

Corpus Christi Deep Water Port Is Dedicated

By United Press.
CORPUS CHRISTI, Sept. 14.—The Port of Corpus Christi, the nation's deep-water harbor, was formally and officially dedicated to the commerce of the seven seas in ceremonies of elaborate setting here at noon Tuesday.

One hundred and fifty congressmen, state representatives, senators and government officials, army and naval officers and leading citizens of the Lone Star State took part in the dedication.

The new port was designated as officially opened as three first-line destroyers moved out of the turning basin into the bay channel with distinguished visitors aboard.

It was estimated that at least 75,000 persons from over the country were here and participated in the jubilee.

Legislation Seeking School Relief May Be Brought up this Time

By United Press.
AUSTIN, Sept. 14.—A resolution by Senators King, Furl and others was introduced in the house this morning providing for appointment of nine members of the house to investigate contracts let by state highway commission and the state text book commission since January, 1925, and also to investigate the state board of pardons; to ascertain reasons for over 2,000 clemency acts during the past 20 months.

The resolution provides that investigations are to be conducted after adjournment of the special session, the committee to report to the regular session of the fortieth legislature which convenes next January.

COTTON SHOWS IMPROVEMENT IN WEST TEXAS

STAMFORD, Sept. 14.—The West Texas cotton situation is a question mark at present, according to B. M. Whiteker, agricultural manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who has just completed a survey of the cotton crop in the Panhandle, the Red River district, and the Wichita Valley.

Deterioration has not been so rapid during the past two weeks as it was during the last two weeks of August. Whiteker finds that a most unusual situation prevails. Notwithstanding the fact that there have been heavy rains during the past month and the weather has been cool, the damage from boll worms has been negligible in most sections. Whiteker found some signs of boll worms in all fields he examined, but they are apparently few in number and the damage has been no more than in ordinary years. The cotton flea has done great damage in some sections and signs of present flea damage were found by Whiteker.

The cotton leaf worm will be of great benefit to the old cotton from now on, particularly in the sections where the stalk is large and bushy. The cotton this year has the heaviest crop on the lower limbs in the sections visited and with the scarcity of sunshine there is danger of the bolls rotting. The leaf worms, by eating the foliage admit the sun and air and will cause these bolls to open. He advises farmers who have cotton of this type to let up on poisoning leaf worms pointing out that they can do little damage by eating squares and forms which have little chance to mature at this season. However, the worms are damaging young cotton and should be poisoned in such fields in order to protect half-grown bolls.

Commenting upon the general cotton situation Whiteker declared that the last government report indicates that the government believes the crop to be a question mark. The West Texas crop is out at least 300,000 bales since the prospect of Aug. 1, but on present prospects it cannot be said that deterioration will greatly exceed that figure. With dry weather and sunshine West Texas will produce around 1,300,000 bales, in Whiteker's opinion.

He states that the Panhandle and the Red River sections have the best prospects he has seen this year. Hall county in particular has prospects of a bumper crop while in Haskell, Knox, Baylor and parts of Jones counties, the properly cultivated cotton will average a bale per acre. In the irrigated sections of the Wichita Valley he found the most perfect and best-fruited stalks he has ever seen, but the crop there will need sunshine to open the bolls. The leaf worm is doing much good there by eating the usually heavy foliage to admit the sun.

During his trip, Whiteker secured numerous specimens of cotton, maize, and other agricultural product for the exhibit of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Philadelphia. One feature which he sent in consists of big cotton bolls packed in egg crates. These bolls will be distributed from the booth at the Sesqui-Centennial exposition.

Relief Started

A move was started in the house today for the relief of the public schools of the state. Representative W. A. Field, Hill county, presented a numerous signed petition requesting the legislature to urge the governor to submit at the special session the subject of appropriation to increase from \$11.50 to at least \$15 the scholastic per capita for the scholastic year. The petition was referred to the committee on education.

The introduction of 35 bills to validate district road bonds was made in the house today. Bill No. 1 being from Jones county.

All of the validating bills will have to be introduced in the legislature not later than noon tomorrow. They are being referred to the judiciary committee.

Davis Gets Busy.

Senator John Davis of Dallas introduced a bill appropriating \$1,985,996 to pay deficiencies allowed by the subject of appropriation to increase from \$11.50 to at least \$15 the scholastic per capita for the scholastic year. The bill was ruled out of order for the reason that the governor had not submitted the subject covered by the measure. The senate recessed until 2:30 this afternoon.

Eastland Host To 100 Doctors Of North Texas

Eastland is host today to 75 or 100 doctors, members of the Northwestern District Medical association, which opened a two days session in the city this morning. The convention is meeting in the city hall where all business is being held.

Dr. H. B. Tanner of Eastland delivered the welcome address this morning in behalf of the Eastland City Medical & Dental society and the citizens in general. Response to this address was made by Dr. R. T. Wilson of Temple.

At noon today the visiting doctors, some of whom were accompanied by their wives, were guests of the Eastland City Medical & Dental society at a luncheon at the Texas hotel.

Tonight the visiting physicians, their wives and friends, will be the honor guests at banquet given jointly by the Eastland Lions and Rotary clubs at the Eastland Country club. Those expecting to attend this banquet should have plates reserved beforehand. An address by Dr. Holman Taylor of Fort Worth will feature the banquet this evening.

Tomorrow at noon members of the association attending the Eastland meeting will be the guests of citizens of Cisco at a luncheon at Lake Cisco.

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FOUR STATES HOLDING PRIMARIES TODAY

New York Voters Select Candidates For Congress

By PERCY B. SCOTT (United Press Staff Correspondent) ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 14.—New York state electors went to the primary polls today to elect delegates to the state conventions, nominees for the house of representatives, a new legislature, and county officers.

Grosbeck Seeks Governorship for The Fourth Time

By EDWIN L. HECKLER (United Press Staff Correspondent) LANSING, Mich., Sept. 14.—Michigan electors were to decide today whether to honor the claims of Governor Alex J. Grosbeck to a fourth term in office against the objections of dozens of politicians who were former friends.

Ku Klux Klan and Prohibition Are Colorado Issues

By United Press. DENVER, Sept. 14.—Prohibition and the Ku Klux Klan were among the major issues in the campaign preceding Colorado's primary election today.

3 Vermonters Seek Republican Nomination

By United Press. BURLINGTON, Vt., Sept. 14.—With Porter H. Dale unopposed for his seat in the United States senate, interest in today's state primaries centered upon three-cornered contest for the Republican nomination for Governor.

worth, Judge John E. Weeks and Max Powell, and the main issue concerns the question of bonding as a means of raising funds for highway improvements.

WE RECEIVE FRESH CANDY DAILY AT THE Fountain Confectionery

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SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

Rotary Club luncheon at 12:15 at the Gholsen. Prayer meeting at all churches at 7:45 p. m.

JUNIOR NEW ERA PLANS BRIDGE TOURNEY The Junior New Era Club met for the first time this season, last night at the Gholsen and swung right into action on its fall activities.

At this meeting the election of Mrs. Lena Hight as president of the club, Miss Gillian Buchanan, secretary, Miss Hortense Ross, treasurer, and Mrs. R. B. Campbell, club mother, was confirmed.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB ANNOUNCEMENT For several reasons the Thursday Bridge club will not meet this week, and announcement of the hostess for next week's meeting will be made in Sunday's paper. Members take notice.

ST. MARY'S GUILD DID NOT MEET The meeting of St. Mary's guild that was announced for yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Burden, resulted with only three members being present.

JOINT MEETS OF COUNTY DELPHIANS An event that looms large for this fall is the joint meeting of the various Delphian clubs of the district that will be held in Ranger on the second Thursday in November.

ELKS ANNOUNCE CARNIVAL DANCE Now that cooler weather is here, Ranger Elks announce a carnival dance, for the night of Sept. 16.

PERSONALS Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McMillen of 118 Odile street, are spending a few weeks in Mineral Wells enjoying the waters of that popular health resort.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Rochat and son Florian, and Edgar Truam of Knoxville, Tenn., are the guests of Mrs. Rochat's sister, Mrs. W. M. Sowers.

Mrs. Lena Hight and Miss Lula Bell Trigg spent the week-end in Cisco. Mrs. Hight attended a bridge party there Saturday afternoon.

Perhaps the new "Black Bottom" dance originated in Mississippi and perhaps the Chinese cat chop suey.

Cotton Markets

(Furnished by Donald McGinnis & Company) Range of Prices. The range of prices at New York and New Orleans for the active was as follows:

Table with columns for Market (New York, New Orleans), Date, and Price ranges. Includes data for Oct., Dec., Jan., Mar., May, and July.

New Acoustics To Be Installed In Auditorium

DALLAS, Sept. 14.—With the opening performance of "Princess Flavia," in Fair Park auditorium for the 1926 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 9, and for every offering therein after that time, every person in the audience will be able to hear perfectly the lowest-toned word spoken on the stage.

JUDGE DAVENPORT NAMES COMMISSIONERS Emmett Gilbert of Carbon, Biges Statham of Cisco and L. Y. Morris of Eastland were named by Judge George L. Davenport of the ninety-first district court as members of the jury commission to select grand jurors and petit jurors for the coming term of the ninety-first district court.

Stoner Submits Final Report To City Fathers

Final report of the Stoner commission to adjust the tax system of Ranger will be submitted to the Ranger city commission at 4 o'clock this afternoon, according to an announcement made at the city secretary's office.

Investigation Shows Special Was Wrecked

McGHEE, Ark., Sept. 14.—The Missouri Pacific crack Sunshine Special, which was derailed here today, was deliberately wrecked, investigation by railroad officials showed this afternoon.

Rooming House Raid By Police Nets 8 Gallons

A raid on a rooming house by Ranger police in Ranger netted the capture of eight gallons of beer and five gallons of wine last night.

Pimpily Faced People Learning New Method

It is simply a question of knowing what it takes to clear out those discharges of the skin, like bumps, blotches, pimples, rash, eczema, "breaking out," etc., and the makers of Black and White Ointment, and Black and White Skin Soap seem to have just what the skin needs to get rid of them quickly.

Notice

—Every automobile, truck or vehicle of any kind. —Every horse, mule, cow, hog, sheep or goat. —Every piano, phonograph or musical instrument of any kind.

Junior College Enrollment 30; High School 357

Enrollment in the Ranger Junior college reached 30 Monday. Ten students enrolling at work during the day in addition to the 20 which had applied for entrance Saturday, the beginning of registration.

Mattresses RENOVATED

RANGER STEAM LAUNDRY Phone 236

KILLINGSWORTH-COX & CO.

AMBULANCE Phone 129-J-302. Day 29 Funeral Directors, Embalmers Years of Experience 120 Main St., Ranger

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SINCLAIR OPALINE MOTOR OIL "Fits the Degree of Wear" STOP AND LET US SERVE YOU

0—LODGE NOTICES

MASONIC SCHOOL—Held every Sunday afternoon and Thursday night, Ranger Masonic temple. Instruction in both trial lectures and floor work, all degrees. Certificate Masons in charge.

1—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Monday morning, black traveling bag, between Pleasant Grove and Eastland Hill. Finder please return to 1301 Vitalious street, or times office. W. C. Halvert, Ranger.

3—HELP WANTED FEMALE

WANTED—Girl for housekeeping. Apply to M. Starr, 209 Main st., Ranger.

5—AGENTS AND SALESMEN

LIVE-WIRE demonstrators wanted for this and adjoining counties for practical check writer. Give address and phone number for appointment. H. A. Collins, Box 157, Eastland, Texas.

WE represent old-line insurance companies only, and are prepared to take care of all your insurance needs. Wagner & Son, Phone 459, Ranger.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

RUMMAGE SALE—Bargains in clothing, Corner Eoch and Fourth streets, one block north of Young school, Ranger.

ENROLL today and get best business training, Southern Business Institute, Hodges-Neal bldg., Ranger.

GRAZIOLA BEAUTY SHOPPE—Marcel, 50c. Phone 550. 214 N. Marston st., Ranger.

CLEANING, Pressing, Altering; new press, better work, same old price. Phone 525. Popular Tailors, 103 S. Rusk, Ranger.

ELECTROZONE and Purity Water; Mineral Wells, Crazy Water; modern equipment. Phone 157, Ranger District water Co., Ranger.

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

ROGERS BROS. TAILORING CO.—Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00; ladies' dresses \$1.00 and up. The best for less. Phone 541.

FURNITURE refinished, repaired, upholstering, stoves fixed. Rob Lee, 116 N. Austin, Ranger, formerly with Tharpe Furniture Co.

SECOND-HAND goods bought and sold; stove repairing. W. H. Trescott, 209 N. Austin st., Ranger.

TO THE INSURING PUBLIC—We have recently moved our office to the Paramount building at N. Austin st. To our life, health and accident lines we have added fire, tornado, automobile, plate glass and others, covering every class of risk in the city or country, personal, property, and liability. We solicit a share of your business. Wagner & Son, Ranger.

INSURANCE—All kinds. Wagner & Son, 106 N. Austin st., Ranger.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Room with bath, adjoining 432 Pine st., Ranger.

FOR RENT—A large furnished room in private home; women only. Phone Mrs. R. B. Campbell, No. 43, Ranger.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A house 4 1/2 miles south on Carbon Highway, 3 milch cows, 2 orchards, 2 blackberry patches; garden; also an excellent place for chicken ranch. W. D. Sanford, Simmons & Lackland, Chastain Addition, Eastland.

FOR RENT—Plenty of houses at different prices from cheapest to best. C. E. May, 216 Main st., Ranger.

FOR RENT—3-room modern unfurnished house. Call at Simmons Service Station, Ranger.

FIVE-ROOM modern house for rent. 705 S. Austin st., Ranger.

FOR RENT—4-room unfurnished house with garage, lights, gas and water. Mrs. Nannie Walker, Caddo highway, Ranger.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment; private bath. Cole Apartments, Ranger.

Furnished apartment for rent.—Carter Apartments, 325 Elm, Ranger.

APARTMENTS and rooms at Tremont hotel, Ranger.

12—WANTED TO BUY

SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main st., Ranger. Phone 95.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Well improved, modern home with all conveniences, just off Buckett boulevard and S. Seaman; bargain for quick cash sale. 1306 Mulberry, phone 669, Eastland.

FOR SALE—One of the best built homes in Ranger, beautifully located, near the high school; especially desirable as a home for a member of Junior College faculty. Maddocks & Son, Ranger.

DESIRABLE home for sale, furnished or unfurnished. 211 East Valley st., Eastland, Tex. Part cash, balance like rent. Call after 6 p. m., or see George Bryant, care Oilbelt Motor Co., Eastland.

17—WANTED TO RENT

WANT to rent a private garage, close in. Call Jack Cullum at Hicks Drug store, Ranger.

16—AUTOMOBILES

AUTO SALVAGE CO.—A million auto parts, new and used; wholesale and retail. 502 Melvin st. Phone 195, Ranger.

USED TIRES—All sizes, makes and prices. Green Filling Station, Eastland, Texas.

18—AUTOMOBILES

WHY PUT new parts on old cars? "We tear 'em up and sell the pieces." Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422-24 N. Rusk st., Ranger. Phone 84.

18—WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED paperhanging and painting. For bids phone 561-W, Eastland, 518 Madara.

19—FOR SALE OR TRADE

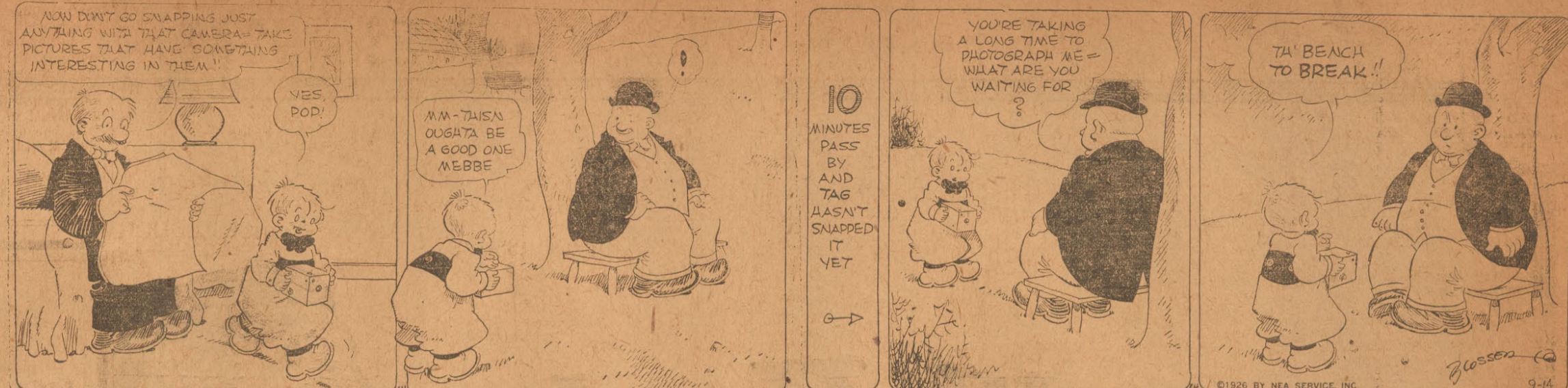
WILL TRADE—A 5-room modern house for a modern house either in Ranger or Breckenridge and pay the difference. 605 Stevens ave., Ranger.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

CUSTOM HATCHING—\$4.00 per tray of 132 eggs; hatching eggs, chicks and fryers for sale. Driskill Poultry Farm, Ranger heights. Phone 342, Ranger.

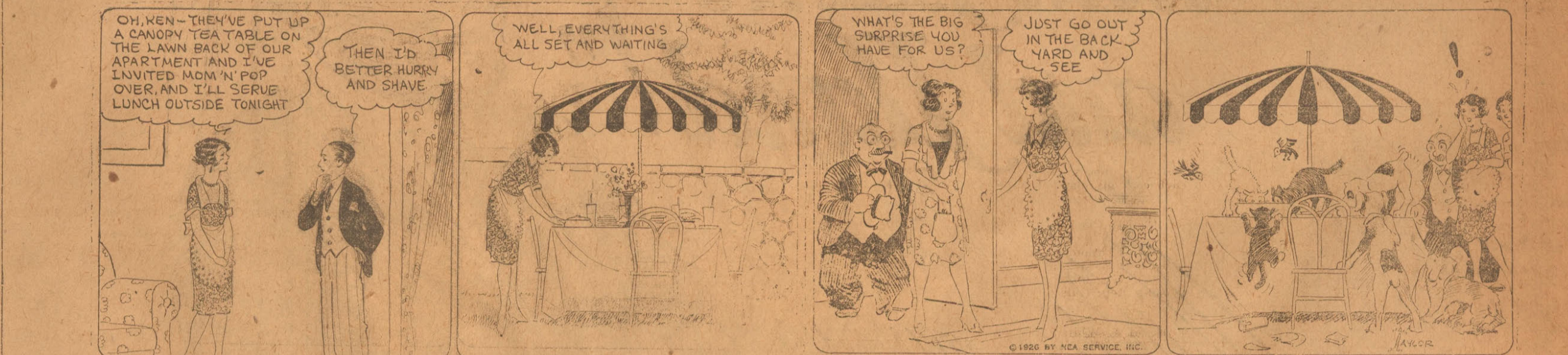
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Mon'n Pop

By Taylor



VANITY CASE by Carolyn Wells. 1926 by Wells. Carols, Wells, 1926 by Wells.

BEGIN HERE TODAY: CHAPTER XLVII. The two men went away, and Truitt led their steps to police headquarters. There he gave a straight-forward and accurate account of what had happened the night before. Mott looked crestfallen enough when he listened to how the two men had captured Heath, but his small eyes gleamed with triumph, when he learned how their quarry had given them the slip. Truitt paid little attention to his attitude or expression, but merely said: "You have Perry Heath's confession of his crime?" "Yes, we have it." "Keep it carefully, and I will take you to Perry Heath, himself." Amazed looks greeted this statement, and Mott again turned green with his absurd jealousy. "I think we'll collect Mr. Cunningham, too," Truitt said, and so, with the necessary police officers, there was quite a little group which hung upon Truitt's orders as on a general's. Truitt walked ahead with Cunningham, leaving Toddy Buck to follow with the disgruntled Mott. The officers were asked to remain within summons, but outside the house as Truitt stopped at the gate of Sam Anderson's place. "Anderson is hiding Heath!" Tod thought to himself, with a thrill at the excitement of it all. The four were admitted and Mr. Anderson was apprised of their presence by one of his perfectly trained servants. He came smiling into the room. "Good morning," he said, "good morning. This is indeed a deputation. What can I do for you? Funds for some public monument?" "No, Mr. Anderson," Truitt was spokesman. "We just want to ask you a few questions about the Perry Heath case. We know you are interested, enough so to engage the services of Mr. Cunningham here, and so I feel sure you will help us in any further way you can."

"Certainly I will, and glad to do so. But, Mr.—er—Truitt, you remember I told you I saw Perry Heath last night." Mott's eyes bulged, and Al Cunningham looked startled, but Truitt said, smiling, "I remember you did, Mr. Anderson. You were both in the club locker room, weren't you?" "Yes. Though I don't think Heath saw me. You see, I was just coming out when he breezed in, and hurried to his own locker, across the room from mine. He paid no attention to me, and I was so surprised, I said nothing to him. It was in my mind to hurry out and call headquarters, then I saw you, Mr. Truitt, and I realized that you represented the law, so, as you assured me you were on the job, I did no more about it, but came along home."

"And then what did you do, Mr. Anderson?" "Then I went to bed, sir, and to sleep." "Yes, but before you went to bed?" "After I came home from the club, I went nowhere else. As I say, I went to bed." "And I say, Mr. Anderson, you went over to Harbor Gardens?" "Over to Harbor Gardens! My dear sir, you must be out of your head." "Oh, no, I'm not," and Truitt laughed softly. "You see, I went home, and later, Mr. Buck and I went into the Heath house next door to Mr. Buck's home, and we spent some time there."

one. The glasses, which are capital for disguise purposes, are simply plain, clear glass, and no one knew that. The false tooth is a natural thing for any man to have, but using it only as Heath, it helped to accentuate the difference. For the rest, the style of dress and hat and tie and all that, made two men of men. I practiced a slightly different voice, but, on the whole, it required only a light disguise, for so few Harbor Gardens people know Harbor Park people and vice versa.

Corinth News. CORINTH, Sept. 14.—A two week's revival meeting has just closed here. Bro. Balder, Bros. Wilkerson and Bro. Tennyson did the preaching. There were eleven conversions and one reclamation.

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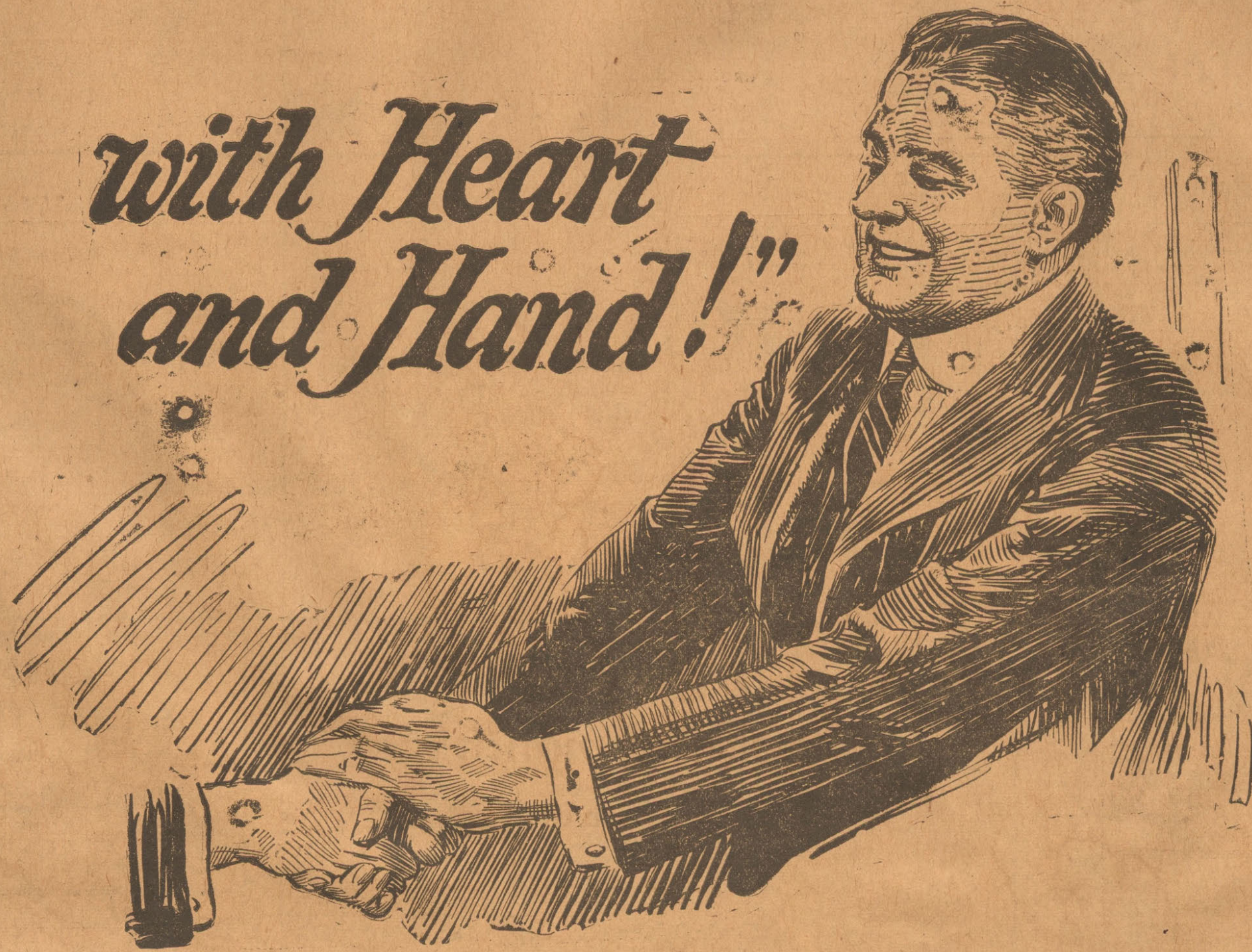
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Maverick Team Getting Ready for Its First Affray

With the first game of the season for the Eastland Mavericks only ten days distant, the backfield is beginning to assume shape though the experience of the men is manifested in almost every move.

G. C. Smith, last year's second string quarterback, apparently is slated for the regular position as quarterback this season. He weighs around 147 pounds, is a rather fast man and is showing up well.

Judging from yesterday's workouts, Osborne and Tom Harris are battling for the fullback's berth. Both are good punters and—considering the lightness of most of the Eastland squad—are rather hefty. Osborne weighs 155 and Harris is several pounds lighter. Though of fair size, neither looks fast.

A merry race—and "race" is the proper word, considering the speed of the lads—is in progress for the two halfback assignments. "Red" Jones, who was on the second team last year, looks good as does John Cory, who is trying out for the football team for the first time. Both these lads are capable of stepping the hundred yards in around ten seconds but are extremely light. Cory weighing 134 pounds and Jones, 126. "Runt" Overbey, another fast man, is very much in the contest. He is another of the tiny fellows, as he weighs 130.

And a new man entered the race yesterday when Robert Marshall, for the first time in his life, came out for football. Two seasons ago, he was rated the second fastest man in the district. He was not in school last year. He weighs 150 but is handicapped by complete inexperience though yesterday he showed a willingness to learn and an eagerness that speak well for his chances to make the team.

As the Mavericks have a light, young inexperienced line, their chief hope seems to lie in speed and if a backfield could be welded with Marshall, Jones and Cory as three members, Eastland would have a trio that for grace and wonderful speed would make the team the "prettiest" in action in the district. Probably power would be absent but the swiftness of the three would make the Mavericks a spectacular team at least.

County Agent R. H. Bush and Secretary George W. Briggs of the Central West Texas Fair, attended the meeting from Eastland and assisted the club boys in formulating their plans. The exhibits for the community fair are to be brought to Flatwoods and displayed in the church building, and from the community exhibits an exhibit to be shown at the Eastland fair will be selected.

Tonight Mr. Bush and Mr. Briggs go to Carbon, where a meeting similar to that held at Flatwoods last night will be held. Before the community fair meeting the directors of the Bankhead Poultry Raisers Association will hold a meeting, which will begin at 7 o'clock.

If money is the root of all evil then working is evil.

A little shoving now and then is needed by the lazy men.

BASEBALL

HOW THEY STAND. SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New Orleans	96	51	.653
Memphis	90	55	.621
Birmingham	83	58	.589
Nashville	80	63	.559
Atlanta	71	73	.493
Mobile	55	90	.379
Chattanooga	53	90	.371
Little Rock	47	95	.331

Yesterday's Results.
Atlanta 6, Mobile 4.
Memphis 5, Chattanooga 1.
New Orleans 17, Birmingham 2 (7 innings).
Three games played.

Today's Schedule.
Mobile at Atlanta.
New Orleans at Birmingham.
Nashville at Little Rock.
Memphis at Chattanooga.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	82	60	.577
Cincinnati	82	60	.577
Pittsburgh	79	62	.560
Chicago	77	64	.546
New York	66	71	.482
Brooklyn	65	77	.458
Boston	55	83	.399
Philadelphia	52	81	.391

Yesterday's Results.
New York 9, Pittsburgh 6.
Cincinnati 4, Brooklyn 0.
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 1.
Boston 5, St. Louis 4 (14 innings).
Only games played.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	86	54	.614
Cleveland	81	60	.574
Philadelphia	75	62	.547
Washington	72	64	.529
Detroit	73	68	.518
Chicago	71	70	.504
St. Louis	57	84	.404
Boston	45	98	.315

Yesterday's Results.
Cleveland 6, Washington 3.
Philadelphia 5-2, Chicago 2-3.
Detroit 4-4, New York 3-1.
Only games played.

Today's Schedule.
Open date.

Five Governors, 2,000 Millionaires To See Big Fight

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Tex Rickard, checking up the individuals who have bought tickets for the Dempsey-Tunney bout in Philadelphia, has found 2,000 rated millionaires in the list. Five or six governors will be in attendance, too, he said, including Smith of New York, Ritchie of Maryland and Martin of Florida.

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St. Louis Plans For Distribution Of Series Tickets

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 14.—Regulations which will govern the distribution of tickets for the world series games Oct. 5, 6 and 7, should the St. Louis National league baseball club win the pennant, have been announced by Sam Breadon, president of the Cardinals.

According to his announcement, no orders received before Monday the thirteenth will be considered and all requests for tickets must be sent through the mails addressed to the St. Louis National Baseball Club, postoffice box No. 220.

No tickets for single seats will be sold, except general admission tickets sold on the day of the game, nor may any person purchase more than two tickets for each game. All orders must be accompanied by a postoffice money order, or a cashier's check in St. Louis or New York. Cash is unacceptable.

All box seats will be \$6.60 a game including tax. The entire grandstand is to be reserved at \$5.50 a seat. Orders will be filled by lot and no attention will be paid to any requests for certain seats.

The melancholy days have come the gladdest of the year; the baseball season's ending, and football's coming near.

Dempsey Goes Into Secret Training for Fight With Tunney

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 14.—The public will not have another chance to see Jack Dempsey in action until the champ steps in the ring Sept. 23 to meet Gene Tunney. Dempsey announced at the close of his workout Monday that his ring work until the twenty-third will be secret.

GROUSE SHOOTING

LONDON.—King George, like thousands of his subjects, has come down with a sunburn—not an ordinary coat of tan, according to those who have seen him on the Scottish moors, but a regular red one. He got his on the Duke of Devonshire's moors at Bolton Abbey, where he has been riding his favorite pony Polly, and engaging in grouse-shooting. The king is believed to have made a start on his sunburn aboard the royal yacht Britannia during the Cowed regatta, just before he went to Scotland.

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EIGHTY-EIGHT DISTRICT GRAND JURY AGAIN BUSY

The eighty-eighth district court grand jury, which recessed last Friday until today, reconvened this morning at 10 o'clock and again took up their work. A large number of witnesses were called before the body last week and many more are summoned for this week.

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NOW GO AHEAD

CHAPTER IX Let us consume a few of our golden moments in recalling the conclusion of the previous chapter, and Jim's sad plight. Here, right before the eyes of his new wife, he was being mistaken for a fish trying to escape from the aquarium.

because the prices on things have been raised five times. It was Pearl's first time on Fifth Avenue. "I'll consult with a cop," reasoned she. Pearl knew the police force at home and he was a nice fellow.

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Ranger To Resume Trade Excursions on November 1st

Resumption of the Ranger trade excursion Nov. 1 was decided at a board meeting of Ranger Chamber of Commerce last night. Trips are to be made to the various rural sections adjoining Ranger.

Mexican Troops Pursue Kidnappers Of Rich American

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 14.—Despite threats of the kidnapers of Jacob Rosenthal, wealthy American, to kill him if they were pursued, Mexican federal troops were searching for them today in the hills in the vicinity of the kidnaping, with his fate a mystery.

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Raymond Armstrong of Olden was arrested Monday on a charge of theft filed in Justice of the Peace Sam J. Day's office. His bond was set at \$300. Armstrong is said to have stolen gasoline from a plant near Eastland.

PASCHAL OGLESBY FACES FELONY CHARGE

Paschal Oglesby, 17, living north of Eastland was arrested Monday by members of the Eastland county sheriff's department after a complaint charging him with a felony had been filed in Justice of the Peace Sam Day's court.

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