

## WAGNER'S SLAYER ON \$10,000 BOND

### Dreinhofer Now Ranger Postmaster

### Jurors Gamble With Man's Life As Stake; Death Wins

HOUSTON, May 10.—Penalty of death was decided by drawing lots in the case of H. L. Walker, while man scheduled to hang here today between 11 o'clock and sunset, according to information given newspaper men late yesterday by Franklin P. Davis, foreman of the jury.

This fact was presented to Governor Neff at Austin today but he refused to grant a reprieve, according to a message from there.

Sheriff Binford has postponed the hanging until 2 o'clock this afternoon to give the doomed man a better chance for life. The original time for the hanging was 11 o'clock.

According to the story told by Foreman Davis, the jurors were deadlocked. Some wanted to hang Walker, others to give him life. Finally they agreed to draw lots. Death won.

This method of arriving at a verdict is illegal.

#### NEFF STANDS PAT.

AUSTIN, May 10.—Governor Neff shortly after 10 o'clock this morning notified representatives of Mayor Holcombe of Houston, that he would not interfere in the hanging of H. L. Walker, white man at Houston, scheduled for 11 o'clock and that the law will take its course. The governor said there were no grounds for a reprieve.

### Reporter Finds Wild-Eyed "Reds" Faded to Mild Pink by Conservative Influences

By CARL VICTOR LITTLE, United Press Correspondent.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Wild-eyed "reds" of the country have gone through the laundry of conservatism, and have come out faded pink.

In other words, a radical isn't what he used to be. A visit to the annual convention of the Industrial Workers of the World here today demonstrated that conclusively.

For instance, none of the 45 delegates carried TNT bombs on their hips. Also, there were no printing presses turning out vicious literature by the ton. No long whiskered gentlemen speaking in broken English were numbered among the delegates. All the representatives talked the king's English, and talked it mildly.

Advocates of the overthrow of the government were not present. Delegates advocated the acquisition of additional members and little else.

### GERMANY WILL ACCEPT TERMS, BERLIN SAYS

By WEBB MILLER, United Press Correspondent.

PARIS, May 10.—Berlin dispatches to the French foreign office today indicated Germany will accept the allied ultimatum.

The messages were not made public but at the Quai D'Orsay it appeared to be accepted that the Germans will sign.

French troops eagerly awaiting the word to advance will be held at the border of the Ruhr valley prepared to march in if Germany shows signs of evading any of the terms.

### FRENCH LOSE ARMS TO FORCE OF GERMANS

By United Press.

COPENHAGEN, May 10.—German armed forces have disarmed a French detachment at Koenigsgrube in Silesia, according to a Warsaw dispatch today. Polish insurgents were reported in control of half the city. The Germans holding the other part. Germans driven from Kanarzin after costly fighting were reported again in possession of the place. Italian soldiers drove the Poles out, the dispatch said, and handed it over to the Germans.

### Hog Discloses Still.

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 10.—A hog with a taste for corn mash led revenue officers to an illicit still about thirty miles northwest of Chickasha yesterday. The hog, rooting in the ground, brought it to their attention.

### Wool Bids Rejected.

SALT LAKE CITY, May 10.—Wool growers of Jericho, Utah, have rejected all bids on the 100,000 pounds of wool pooled by them. The highest bid was 10 3/4 cents a pound.

### Josephus Daniels Tells Story of American Navy's Exploits In World War

ARTICLE XXVII.

BERLIN PUTS OUT FALSE 'NEWS' IN EFFORT TO TERRORIZE U. S.

By Josephus Daniels  
Former Secretary of the Navy—1913 to 1921  
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"Waterland sunk! Largest German vessel used by Americans as troop transport, named by them 'Leviathan,' was torpedoed and sent down today by German submarines!"

That was the startling news which the navy radio operators heard from Berlin one night in July, 1918, and promptly brought to me. The report was being spread all over Germany, broadcasted by wireless, bulletined, featured in newspapers as the biggest story of the day, and there was general rejoicing all through the empire.

The U-boats were getting in their work at last. They had struck a vital blow at American troop transportation. The leader of our transport fleet, the biggest troop ship, the largest vessel in the world, had been sent to the bottom. They had sunk the President Lincoln two months before. Now they had "got" the biggest of them all. This was revenge indeed. This would teach the hated Yankees that they could not use Germany's own vessels to carry troops to fight Germany. This proved that the U-boats were stopping them.

### CRISIS IN GERMANY!

BERLIN, May 10.—The latest development in the German ministerial crisis is that President Ebert will today ask Paul Lobet, majority socialist and president of the reichstag to form a new ministry, according to the unanimous trend of newspaper reports.

### GUN BATTLE IN FT. WORTH PUTS 3 IN HOSPITAL

Homer Haworth, Catcher for Ft. Worth Baseball Team, Wounded in Leg.

By United Press.

FORT WORTH, May 10.—Three men were in hospitals today, one probably fatally wounded following a shooting affray last night on a crowded downtown street between J. K. LeGros, El Paso locomotive fireman and Gus Street, of San Antonio. Homer Haworth, catcher for the Fort Worth baseball team, a bystander, received a slight wound in the leg. Street is in a serious condition with four bullet wounds in his right side. One bullet took effect near the heart. LeGros was shot in the hand and hip.

At the hospital LeGros told officers he had never seen Street before and could not account for the shooting. He said the shooting began soon after he came out of the Majestic theatre and started to cross the street, according to police, when a man unknown to him, opened fire on him. He returned the fire.

### EX-POSTMASTER AT BRECKENRIDGE MOVES TO MINERAL WELLS

By United Press.

BRECKENRIDGE, May 10.—J. M. Stevenson, former postmaster here, who is under federal indictment, is now a resident of Mineral Wells. Stevenson's friends profess knowledge that the indictment had been pending for some time.

Stevenson was postmaster at Breckenridge from 1910 to 1919.

### FIRST NAT'L BANK PLANS NOT COMPLETE

What further steps will be taken toward the reorganization of the First National bank will not be known until Judge Starnes returns from Chicago, where he has been for more than a week in connection with the sale of county road bonds. He is expected back Wednesday or Thursday and after his return a meeting will be held to review the work that has been accomplished and decide what course of action shall be followed in regard to the plan.

No statement as to what will be done can be issued until after this meeting, it was said at the bank Tuesday morning.

### CURIOUS CROWDS AT BRECKENRIDGE LOOK OVER CAPTURED STILL

BRECKENRIDGE, May 10.—Curious crowds gathered about the court house Monday afternoon to inspect the largest still yet bagged by the sheriff's department. The layout was captured near Crystal Falls, but the operator escaped.

Four fifty-gallon containers of mash were destroyed and search is being made for a large quantity of the finished product said to be hidden in the woods nearby.

A raid at Necessity resulted in the destruction of a "choic" factory.

### DEADLOCK REACHED IN MARINE STRIKE

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Representatives of marine workers' organizations left Washington today as a result of announcement by Secretary Davis that his efforts to arrange a settlement of the wage dispute between workers and ship owners has been "unavailing" and that further conferences will not be held now.

### TAKES PLACE OF J. F. CONNELL WHO RESIGNS

Retiring Official Says Will Make Statement Showing His Affairs All Straight.

J. F. Dreinhofer this morning became postmaster at Ranger, succeeding J. F. Connell, who has been postmaster here since April 21, 1920. The new and retiring postmasters spent the day going over the books, preparatory to Mr. Dreinhofer assuming charge of the accounts.

Mr. Connell resigned because of the charges returned against him by the federal grand jury at Abilene, alleging a small misappropriation of funds. He said this morning that at the proper time he would issue a statement regarding the matter, for the benefit of his friends, but at the present he could only assure them that he had been guilty of no wrongdoing and that there was no shortage in his accounts. It is merely a misunderstanding as to expenditures, he said, and the spirit of the law had not been violated.

Mr. Dreinhofer, the incoming postmaster, is an old-time resident of Ranger, coming here twenty-six years ago from St. Louis. Except for eighteen months in Eastland, about 1915, he has resided here continuously, being engaged in the mercantile and banking business.

He is the "original republican party" in these parts, and often has participated in political conventions where it was not necessary to hire a large hall, he said jokingly this morning. There was a large crowd at those conventions, he said.

Dreinhofer is now city tax collector. His resignation from this post will be tendered the city commission this afternoon.

### INDEPENDENTS DESIRE FULL MEMBERSHIP

A fair sized crowd, was present last night when the Independent Oil operators met at the Chamber of Commerce assembly room. J. D. Parnell, president of the association, and W. R. Duke, of Wichita Falls, were present, in addition to local operators.

There was no formal speaking, though Mr. Parnell and Mr. Duke explained the objects of the organization and the benefits to be derived from it in the way of fighting adverse legislation and acting together to solve the economic crisis brought about by the present low prices of oil. A round-table discussion followed at which it was unanimously agreed that the association would be beneficial in its activities and should have the cooperation of every small producer.

L. S. Black and L. L. Rector were appointed as a membership committee to make the Ranger strength 100 per cent.

Mr. Duke will go from here to Eastland and Cisco. A meeting will be held at Eastland Tuesday night and at Cisco Thursday night.

Mr. Duke said this morning that between the association their escape last night after overpowering Jailer King and locking him in a cell. The prisoners were recently captured in Shepovort. The prisoners had nearly an hour's start in their getaway before the alarm was given. They had not been recaptured at noon today.

### BALTIMORE STRIKERS STORM CUSTOM HOUSE FOR NEGRO WORKERS

By Associated Press.

BALTIMORE, May 10.—Three hundred or more alleged strikers and sympathizers stormed the doors of the custom house here today in efforts to get a party of negro strikebreakers who fled into the federal building for protection. Several negroes were severely beaten before the arrival of police who drove off the rioters with drawn pistols.

### DALLAS JUDGE SAYS SUPREME COURT IS 'OFF'

By United Press.

DALLAS, May 10.—Judge Tom A. Work of the Dallas county court at law today "overruled" the supreme court of the United States, declaring that high tribunal was "off its base" in its opinion that the race segregation ordinances are invalid and contrary to the Fourteenth amendment.

The ruling was given in the case of Roby Williams, negro, on appeal from the city court where he was fined \$150 on a charge of violating a city ordinance which prohibits members of one race from living in a block which has a majority of another race.

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### LABOR BOARD RULING RAISES WORKERS' PAY

CHICAGO, May 10.—The Railroad Labor board today ruled that employees of the El Paso & Southwestern railroad handling rail, lumber, scrap and doing other common labor around store houses were granted an eight and a half-cent increase by the July, 1920, wage award.

### FOUR BOYS BURN!

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 10.—Trapped on the third floor four brothers ranging in age from 12 to 21, were burned to death when their home was partially destroyed by fire today. They were Ledger, Ernest, Warren and Lester Trembley.

### M'NAMARA TO LEAVE PRISON WALLS BEHIND

Dynamiter Invited to Address Iron Workers; Will He Accept or Refuse and Retire?

By M. D. TRACY, United Press Correspondent.

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McNamara is scheduled to be escorted from the cell he has occupied for nine years and five months to the warden's office, exchange his prison gray for a new tailored suit, receive \$5.00 from the warden, and walk out through the massive stone gates to freedom.

An invitation to address a meeting of the structural iron workers has already been tendered him. Labor men attach great significance to the acceptance or refusal of this offer. If he accepts, they believe it means he will enter once more into active labor affairs. If he refuses, they believe it means his retirement.

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### "DON'T WANT TO SEE YOU," WIFE IS TOLD BY DYING HUSBAND

Oil Man Gaped "Something About Man Named Williams," as He Entered Hospital, Assistant District Attorney Says; Slayer Is Vice-President Planet Oil Co.

### BULLETIN!

Special to the Times.

FORT WORTH, May 10, 1:30 P. M.—Warren Wagner, on reaching the hospital late yesterday afternoon after he was fatally shot three times on a down-town street by Fred Holmes, vice-president of the Planet Oil Company of Fort Worth gasped something about a man named Williams, according to District Attorney Tolbert, who took Mr. Wagner's statement. Mrs. Norma Wagner went to the hospital after hearing her husband was shot but Wagner refused to talk to her, saying, "I don't want to talk to you. You done me dirty." The couple had separated and recently a non-suit was entered in a divorce proceeding because of her inability to prove residence. Holmes was released on \$10,000 bond. He made no statement.

Dispatches from Fort Worth last night told of the killing on Houston street in that city of Warren Wagner, pioneer producer of the Ranger field and widely known oil man, who was shot three times about 4:30 o'clock before many witnesses and died three hours later at St. Joseph's infirmary. Immediately following the shooting, Fred Holmes surrendered to the sheriff's office and after Wagner's death was charged in justice court with murder. Holmes refused to discuss the affair further than to admit that he fired the fatal shots, according to authorities.

Mr. Wagner's mother is expected to arrive in Fort Worth Wednesday from her home in West Virginia to attend the funeral of her son, whose body will be buried there.

Holmes Won't Talk.

According to District Attorney Brown of Tarrant county, Holmes declined to give out any information as to the cause or origin of the trouble, if any, between him and Mr. Wagner.

No words were passed between Wagner and his assailant when they met, according to witnesses, of whom there were many. Holmes, accounts agreed, stepped from a touring car standing at the curb as Wagner was walking down Houston street between Sixth and Seventh streets and advanced on Wagner, whom he shot three times in the right side.

Beyond receiving telegraphic advices that Mr. Wagner had been shot and that the Ranger store was to be closed today in respect to his memory those in charge of the Wagner Supply company here had no information bearing upon the tragedy. Holmes is unknown to the men in charge of the Ranger store. They were unable to throw any light on his connection with Mr. Wagner or his affairs.

### U. S. TO DEMAND BERGDOLL OF GERMANY SOON

Will Be One of First Communications to Berlin When Peace Signed.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—A formal demand on Germany for the return of the draft dodger, Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, will be one of the first communications to Berlin after the declaration of peace, the house committee investigating the Bergdoll case was informed today.

The committee was informed that the war department has decided a direct demand cannot be made under international law until peace is established. Meanwhile, the department is pressing its negotiations through Great Britain in line with Chief of Staff March's declaration that it is determined to get Bergdoll at any price.

Back in 1917 Warren Wagner laid



# CHINA'S BOY EMPEROR, LONG HELD PRISONER, MAY REGAIN THRONE

### Rumors of Attempt to Restore Manchu Monarchy Based on Fascinating Romance of Star Character for Plot That May Yet Focus World's Attention.

**By Associated Press.**

**TIEN TSIN, May 10.**—Rumors of another attempt to restore the Manchu monarchy by placing the captive boy emperor Hsuan Tung on the throne are circulating in the inner circles of this center of Oriental statecraft. Hints come from unknown sources that such a move is to be made within the next two months.

Speculation on this possibility provides one of the most fascinating subjects of conversation among the Chinese as well as among the foreigners. Here is the stage and the throneless boy emperor, a star character for the development of a plot that may yet focus the world's attention.

Anything is possible in Chinese politics, for upon Peking centers not only the jarring ambitions of Chinese militarists and politicians but a large proportion of all the diplomacy of the Orient.

The story of Hsuan Tung is like a tale of the Arabian Nights. Though he is still a boy of 15 years, he has twice been proclaimed emperor and twice has abdicated. When he was less than two years old he was made emperor by edict of the dying empress dowager in 1908. With his father, Prince Ching, as regent, the infant was nominal ruler over 400,000,000 people for a little more than three years. Then came the republic with a president, Yuan Shih-kai, and the boy, still an emperor, retired to captivity within the walls of the Forbidden City.

There he remained for five years until 1917, when he was yet only 11 years old, he was forcibly restored to his throne by a coup d'etat of General Chang Hsun, who, it has been charged, was the agent of a German plot to prevent the Chinese republic from taking a hostile attitude toward Germany in the war. Another purpose of the conspiracy is said to have been to stop the sending of Chinese coolies to Europe to relieve the French workers so that they could be put on the fighting line.

This time the boy emperor's reign was brief. It lasted less than a week and again he went back to the palace of his forebears a prisoner, and there he has remained, surrounded by 3,000 or 4,000 of the Manchu adherents, princes, eunuchs and whispering old women, who long and probably plot for the time when the little "Son of Heaven" shall again ascend the dragon throne.

To support him and his household of Manchus, titled and otherwise, the Chinese republic pays an annual allowance of \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000 in silver and thus within the heart of the capital city of the Chinese republic exists a strange group which may at any moment become the prey of ambitious military leaders or the fulcrum of which they may raise themselves to power.

**Boy Is Secluded.**

The boy, still possessed of the title of emperor, leads a secluded life. He is not permitted to pass beyond the walls of the Forbidden City, though his heart longs for travel to the western countries of whose strange sights and customs he has learned from his tutors, three Chinese and one English, the latter R. F. Johnston, a scholar and author.

Hsuan Tung is described by those who come in contact with him as a bright youth of affable manners, studious and interested in the outside world and its political movements. With the aid of his tutors he kept in touch with the progress of the peace conference at Paris and the changes on the world's map which ensued.

Naturally, the Chinese classics are his chief study, but he also has learned English and derives delight from his skill in penmanship. He is observed the rules of imperial conduct they have taught him.

Hsuan Tung is carried in his yellow sedan chair by twenty attendants to the palace of Heavenly Purity where his English tutor gives him lessons. He loves exercise but he has little chance to gratify his wish within the limits of the palace grounds. If he goes to ride he must straddle a pony led at a slow pace about the courtyard. Though he longs to see the distant parts of the world he is not even allowed to go rowing on the lake about the summer palace.

To the youth of America, accustomed to its freedom, his position would be intolerable. Yet his disposition remains unspoiled.

Hsuan Tung has reached the age when the question of his marriage is looming up. When Yuan Shih-kai became first president of the Chinese republic it was reported that the boy emperor had become betrothed to the president's daughter, to promote a plan to restore a monarchical government with Yuan as emperor. Not long ago it was reported that he was engaged to marry the daughter of the present president, Hsu Shih-chang. It is said here the girl is being educated in the United States. This would be in conformity with the Chinese fashion of arranging marriages between children.

# THREE WIVES GETTING TO BE HABIT IN NEW YORK



To the recent list of individuals addicted to the marrying habit who got themselves into jams by having a multiplicity of wives was added in New York the other day the name of H. Ashton Newton, vaudeville actor. Three wives faced H. Ashton as he was arraigned in court in New York following his arrest on his arrival from Boston, where he had been appearing. All three of the wives are pretty actresses. Wife No. 1 was Miss Florence Madiera. She married Newton in Monticello, Ill., in 1911, wife No. 2 married the fascinating actor in New York in 1918. She was Miss Glenn Argoe. No. 3 was Miss Iva Edmondson of Port Huron, Mich., where she married Newton in 1919. Newton admitted marrying all three, saying there are extenuating circumstances. The photo shows Iva Edmondson Newton, wife No. 3 (on left), and Florence Madiera Newton, wife No. 1, as they left court after the much-married actor had been held on the charge of bigamy.

# OGLESBY BOY BOUND OVER ON CHARGE OF ASSAULT TO MURDER

Coley Oglesby, 15 years old, was bound over Monday to await the action of the grand jury on a charge of assault to murder. The charge was made in Justice Fenlaw's court and bond was set at \$1,000, which was made.

Young Oglesby is accused of using a knife in an affray with a boy named Phillips, on the east side, Friday night. A knife cut on Phillips' neck is said to have narrowly missed an artery.

Oglesby also is under bond of \$300 to appear Thursday at an examining trial in Justice Fenlaw's court, in connection with the same affair. What disposition the complaint filed yesterday makes of the first complaint is not known.

East side residents display considerable interest in the occurrence and appear to be divided as to where the blame lies.

**BIG SMOKE, SMALL FIRE DOES LITTLE DAMAGE**  
The fire department made a run to the J. H. Mead store on lower the smoke.

Main, about 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. There it was found that a gas stove had scorched a pine partition, producing a million dollars worth of smoke and ten cents damage. It was extinguished before the wagons arrived.

# GIRL'S THROAT CUT, STEPPATHER IS HELD

BONHAM, Texas, May 10.—Connie Sevier, a 16 year old girl living near Boyd's schoolhouse north of here, is in a precarious condition as a result of a partly severed jugular vein.

William Jones, stepfather of the girl, is in the Fannin county jail, following the filing of charges against him in connection with the cutting of the girl's throat.

Officers were advised that the cutting occurred at the family home this morning. Jones' wife, mother of the girl, also received several cuts.

# WOMAN BURNED!

CHICAGO, May 10.—An unidentified woman was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Queen's hotel here today.

Six were carried unconscious from the smoke.

**Strike End Predicted.**  
SOUTHAMPTON, May 10.—A prediction that the British coal mine strike would be over in a week was made today by J. H. Thomas, general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen. He was a passenger on the steamer Olympic, sailing for New York.

**EXTENSION GRANTED.**  
LONDON, May 10.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Cairo, Egypt, says a cablegram has been received from the United States agreeing to an extension of the activities of the mixed tribunals in Egypt until November 1.

**Alaska Roads Held Up.**  
ANCHORAGE, Alaska, May 10.—Road work on many important highways which are feeders to the government railroad is being held up by the failure of congress to pass the army appropriation bill, and unless money is available soon considerable loss will be entailed.

# FARMERS AND BOARD OF TRADE REACH AGREEMENT ON NEW LAW



CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Joseph P. Griffin, who, as war-time president of the Chicago Board of Trade, unlocked the transportation blockade and started grain moving to the allies, may also solve the marketing legislation problem. As spokesman of the nation's grain trade before the House committee on agriculture, he came to an agreement with Congressman Tincher upon the provisions of the Capper-Tincher bill regulating exchanges.

When he concluded his four hours of testimony it was with the clear understanding that Congressman Tincher would change the bill so that it would neither tear down existing marketing machinery nor destroy hedging facilities by eliminating future trading.

President Griffin told of steps recently taken by the Chicago Board of Trade to remove alleged abuses, including deals in indemnities, and heartily endorsed various sections of the proposed bill.

"It is constructive because it recognizes the necessity of hedging and that to hedge there must be a broad liquid market," he said. Then taking up the measure section by section, he suggested the

changes necessary to maintain a futures market and still abolish what sponsors of that and other bills have termed abuses of the marketing system.

"It is not our intention to tear down existing machinery, nor to destroy the futures market," said Mr. Tincher, "and the bill will be amended to avoid such danger."

Mr. Griffin declared in defending competent speculation, that 200,000,000 bushels of wheat are carried today by speculators, "who perform the greatest economic service in the commercial world."

Discussing contracts, he said the Chicago Board had no objection to changing delivery regulations. Questions affecting grades could be worked out, he said.

President Charles H. Wright of the Omaha Grain Exchange testified that had it not been for the Chicago Board of Trade 100 per cent of the middle west's corn would still be on the farms.

Other witnesses included farmers, co-operative elevator men, millers and county dealers, all of whom urged preservation of the futures market.

PRESIDENT JOSEPH P. GRIFFIN

# PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Jackson and Dr. Ben M. Shelton left Tuesday for Dallas, where they will attend the convention of the Texas State Medical association.

Waterfowl, under the protection of federal laws, are increasing in number.

# KENTUCKY WOMAN INVITED TO TELL JAPANESE HOW SHE RAISES SUCH FINE JERSEYS



MRS. HENNING AND TWO OF HER PRIZE WINNING JERSEYS

# Little Brown People Want to Grow Taller and Stronger.

THE Japanese are not satisfied with being the "little men" of the world. They want to become taller and stronger. They have come to the heart of the Blue Grass Region of Old Kentucky and invited Mrs. Sue Thornton Henning of Shelbyville to teach them how. The Japanese believe that the way to accomplish this miracle is by drinking more milk. This, their investigation leads them to believe, will make the race become hardier. They want Mrs. Henning to lecture them on how to produce the best Jersey cattle in the world.

The offer was made by a personal representative of the Emperor of Japan, Issa Tanimura, a graduate of Yale University, and an Honorary Fellow of Agriculture of Cornell University, who recently visited Allendale farms, the broad



JAPANESE ADOPTING AMERICAN METHODS. A MODEL SANITARY CONDENSED MILK PLANT OF THE BORDEN CO. AT MODESTO CAL., ONE OF THE LARGEST PLANTS IN THE WORLD.

# Japanese Wise to Encourage Dairying, Says President of Largest Milk Distributors.

Mr. A. W. Milburn, president of the Borden Co., biggest milk distributors in the World, thanks well of Japan's interest in dairying, for when told of what Mrs. Henning is doing, he said:

In this country the products of the dairy have constituted about one-fifth of our national food and their consumption has been a great contribution to the national health. The dairy is essential to the well-being of the country, not only as an aid to agriculture—for it enriches the soil and makes possible the continuance of intensive farming—but in providing food elements that are necessary to growth and strength in the propertics that nature demands. During the war when the production of milk became a matter of national concern, those who had hitherto taken for granted a gradual increase in the milk output of the country were amazed that the per capita production showed no gain since 1900, and actually threatened a decline.

Our nation can well emulate the interest of Japan in stimulating dairies. The idea is economically sound. The milk cow returns in milk a higher percentage of nutrient to offset the food value of what she consumes than does the steer in beef. Milk is a cheaper food than meat, which is not abundant in many Oriental countries, and it supplements certain deficiencies in the grains which form the principal diet of many Oriental



MRS. HENNING'S KENTUCKY HOME, ALLENDALE FARMS

peoples and whose exclusive, or almost exclusive, use has been held responsible for many diseases based on inadequate nutrition. It is generally held that milk is a more useful food than any other for the prevention and cure of pellagra, and it is known that in time of famine people inadequately fed on grains quickly succumb to disease.

The experience of mankind in all ages has confirmed the belief that milk is the most adequate in all elements required for growth, and health of any natural food. This belief is confirmed by the investigations during the past decade of foremost chemists and biologists who have established the fact of the existence in milk of certain vitamins that are essential to life and long-continued growth. Some of these elements are peculiar to milk and are produced in the udders of the cow by biological processes that are not well understood—at least the chemist has not been able to rival nature in producing them. Artificial diets, almost exactly like the milk diets, in respect to the proportion and kind of the nutrients have proved entirely inadequate as food in experiments made at the nutrition stations. Professor McCollum of Johns Hopkins and others have emphasized the definite value of the fat soluble vitamins in promoting growth. In fact milk has been found to contain a larger number of different proteins which are the flesh growing materials of the body and an indispensable part of all body fluids. Milk is the cheapest when its food value is considered of all animal foods originating on the farm.

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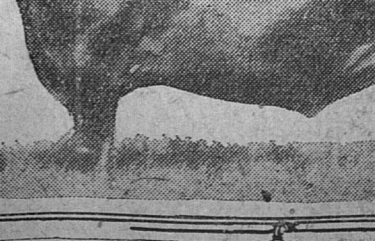
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RALEIGH'S FARMERS GLORY



ALL THE NEWS OF THE WEST TEXAS LEAGUE

# TIMES SPORT PAGE

BASEBALL, TRAP-SHOOTING, ALL SPORTS

## BOOSTERS CLUB WILL PRACTICE THIS EVENING

This afternoon at 5 o'clock, the newly organized Ranger Booster baseball club will hold a practice session, at the Nitro park. All ball players that believe they have a chance, which includes all that play ball at all, are requested to be on hand this afternoon.

## RANGER 'OIL STARS' TO RENEW BATTLE WITH EASTLAND WEDNESDAY

The Ranger "Oil Stars" and the Eastland "Oil Burners" will resume their combat Wednesday afternoon at Nitro park, if "dis heah sunshine" keeps on shining. There is a fervent desire to settle the 9-9 tie which was achieved Sunday in ten innings of battling.

It will be the last chance to see the negro athletes cut up capers for more than two weeks, as the Nitros are back home Thursday for a fourteen-game stay.

## MINISTER OF JUSTICE IN FRANCE OPPOSES DARING IN LICENSE

PARIS, May 10.—The after-war orgie of pleasure in cosmopolitan centers has developed so much daring license in Paris that the minister of justice has taken the matter in hand and called a sharp halt to the gradual shrinkage in the amount of dress worn on the stage and continual increase in looseness of speech.

Everything approaching obscenity must be cut out of stage representations, he declares, and dramatic artists and music hall singers must be clad. Otherwise, the artists and the directors responsible for the character of the attractions offered to the public will be prosecuted.

The press praises the minister for his courage and proposes a general movement in favor of the uplifting of dramatic productions.

The sacred tree at Anuradhapura, in the Northwest Ceylon, is said to be the oldest historically authenticated tree in the world.

## Just Leave It to Barney, He Knows What to Do.



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By Billy De Beck

## NITROS LOSE TO RESORTERS, 4-1; DON'T LIKE UMPIRE; PROTEST

### Boyer Loses Duel With Crockett; Too Many Walks and Extra Base Hits.

MINERAL WELLS, May 9.—The Resorters downed the Nitros Monday, 4 to 1. It was a hard fought game, marked by frequent wrangling over the umpire's decisions. Manager Allen of Ranger finally protested the game in the ninth because he and the substitute umpire couldn't get along.

Crockett and Boyer both pitched well, with Crockett having a slight edge both as to hits allowed and bases on balls handed out. He also got a little better support.

Catches by Clapp, Harding and Philpot featured the game.

The score:

MINERAL WELLS.					
Players—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A. E.
Briscoe, ss	5	0	1	5	0
Philpot, lf	5	0	1	4	0
Kraigbaum, 2b	2	1	0	1	2
Brashear, 1b	3	1	1	10	0
Langford, rf	3	1	0	0	0
Birch, c	4	0	0	10	0
Moore, cf	3	1	0	1	0
O'Keefe, 3b	3	0	1	0	1
Crockett, p	3	0	1	0	2

### HOW THEY STAND

#### WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team—	Played	Won	Lost	Pct.
RANGER	20	12	8	.600
Sweetwater	19	10	9	.526
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San Angelo	19	9	10	.474
Cisco	19	9	10	.474
Mineral Wells	20	8	12	.400

Results Monday. Mineral Wells 4, Ranger 1. Other games rained out.

#### TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team—	Played	Won	Lost	Pct.
Shreveport	22	14	8	.636
Galveston	25	15	10	.600
Fort Worth	24	14	10	.583
Dallas	20	10	10	.500
Beaumont	24	11	13	.458
San Antonio	24	11	13	.458
Houston	24	11	13	.458
Wichita Falls	23	7	16	.304

Results Yesterday. Houston-Fort Worth, rain. Wichita Falls 7, Galveston 3. Beaumont-Shreveport, rain. San Antonio-Dallas, rain.

Where They Play. Houston at Fort Worth. Galveston at Wichita Falls. Beaumont at Shreveport. San Antonio at Dallas.

## PROGRAM

LIBERTY—William S. Hart in "Between Men," also a Mermaid comedy, "Nonsense."  
MAJESTIC—Greer and Lawler's Pioneer Girls Co., and picture, Antonio Moreno in "Three Sevens."  
LAMB—"Oliver Twist Jr." also Comedy, "Roaring Lions," and Pathe News.  
TEMPLE—"Blind Wives," all-star cast; also Universal comedy.

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## AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Standing of the Teams.

Team—	Played	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	21	15	6	.714
Washington	20	12	8	.600
Detroit	22	12	10	.545
Boston	15	8	7	.533
New York	17	9	8	.529
St. Louis	20	8	12	.400
Philadelphia	18	8	10	.389
Chicago	17	5	12	.294

Results Monday. Detroit 11, St. Louis 5 (game called end eighth on account of rain). No others scheduled.

Where They Play. Philadelphia at St. Louis. Boston at Chicago. New York at Detroit. Washington at Cleveland.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team—	Played	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	20	16	4	.800
Brooklyn	22	14	8	.636
New York	19	12	7	.632
Chicago	18	9	9	.500
Cincinnati	22	9	13	.409
Boston	20	8	12	.400
Philadelphia	19	6	13	.316
St. Louis	16	4	12	.250

Results Monday. Brooklyn 5-2, Philadelphia 2-3. No other games scheduled for Monday.

Where They Play. Ranger at Mineral Wells. Abilene at Cisco. Sweetwater at San Angelo.

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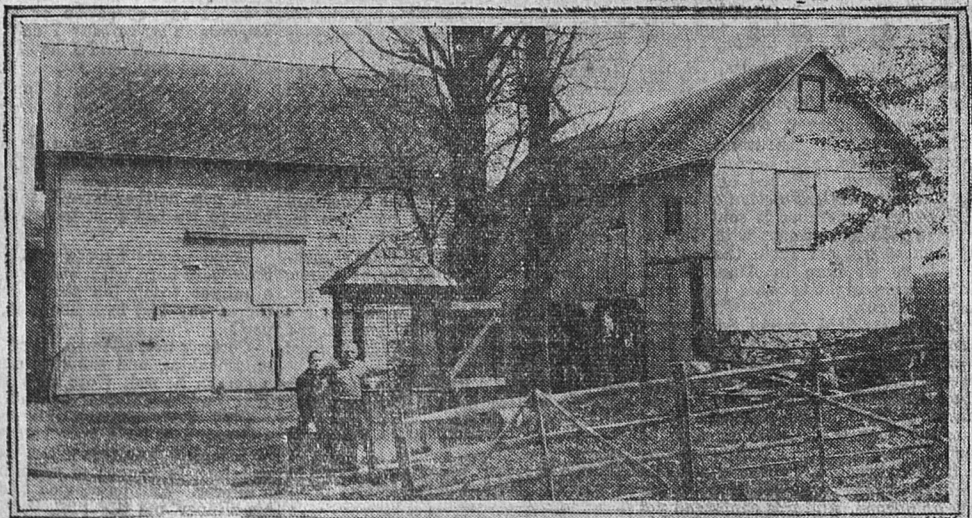
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The out-buildings on the Matthews estate at Manhasset, Long Island, N. Y., which will be converted into a gymnasium for Georges Carpentier during his training for the championship match with Jack Dempsey. Jack Curley, Carpentier's representative here, has leased the forty-eight acre estate for the training period. This site is surrounded by many beautiful estates owned by New York millionaires. Carpentier, his wife and baby, and his trainers will live in the big frame dwelling on the estate.

## BLIND WILL READ WITH EARS BY NEW DEVICE

LONDON, May 10.—Blind persons will now be enabled to read their favorite daily newspaper along with the other members of the family, according to Archibald Barr, emeritus professor of engineering at Glasgow university, who in an address described the mechanism of a British invention for that purpose.

The lecturer explained that the reading was accomplished by producing in a telephone receiver a series of musical notes representing the various letters as these were passed over by the instrument in traversing a line of printing. The sense of hearing, therefore, is employed instead of sight.

At present the cost of the device is almost prohibitive, but it is hoped soon to make it available to the thousands doomed to darkness through loss of sight.

The lettuce appears to have been derived from the endive, which is found wild in temperate and Southern Europe.

FRIZES GIVEN To Best "Teddy Dancers" at the SUMMER GARDEN Thursday Night

## GERMANS AFTER TRADE.

VIENNA, May 10.—Germany is dumping goods into Austria in large quantities in an effort to hold Balkan trade in spite of the allied export tax.

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BURKETT SHOULD RESIGN.

Representative Joe Burkett in today's issue replies to the Times editorial of Sunday, asking his intentions about resigning his place in order to give West Texas opportunity for full representation in the coming session of the legislature.

Mr. Burkett in his reply professes his agreement that the district should be fully represented, but denies that his resignation is necessary for that to be accomplished. He points out that the election for senator is on June 4, which will give him plenty of time to resign his representative place, if elected senator, and for his successor to be ELECTED.

Mr. Burkett's reasoning is sound, so far as it goes, but presuming the legislature will meet on July 11, it does not go far enough. Also he assumes a precision in the functioning of governmental agencies which one sees rarely, if ever. He makes no allowance for delay which is highly probable, rather than improbable.

He provides for his successor being ELECTED on a hurry-up schedule, but does not provide for his being certified and seated in the house.

Consider Mr. Burkett's figures a moment: The election is held on June 4. Presumably, if the race is not close, Mr. Burkett may know whether he will be safe in resigning by June 6 or 7. Suppose he telegraphs his resignation on the 6th, to give him the benefit of every doubt, and the governor acts immediately, calling an election for his successor thirty days ahead. That will set it for July 5 or 6, one week before the sessions are tentatively set.

But—  
The returns from this section, according to law, will be estimated not sooner than the MONDAY FOLLOWING THE ELECTION, or in this case, July 11—the day the legislature is supposed to convene. That is the earliest possible moment, under the law. If other elections are any criterion, the complete returns will be delayed and the estimate of returns will have to be made at a later date.

Then they must be forwarded by the county commissioners to the returning officer for the district. He must wait thirty days, unless he KNOWS that all returns are in, before issuing the certificate of election. If for any reason every unit of the election machinery did not act with promptness, the session would be nearly over before Eastland and Callahan counties would be represented in the lower house.

WITH THE BEST OF LUCK, it is hardy probable that Burkett's successor could receive his certificate of election before July 15, and could not be sworn in as a member of the legislature until July 16 to 18, if Mr. Burkett does not resign his present post until after his election to the senate is assured. While not familiar with all the ins and outs of legislative procedure, it is reasonable to conceive that absence of a week, and probably more, would materially lessen that representative's effectiveness. And if the certification of that election is delayed by any kink in the election machinery, then this district would not be represented at all.

Therefore, the question arises, has a lawyer overlooked the plain matters of the law on the subject, or is he willing to take a chance on sacrificing the interests of Eastland county and West Texas to his own personal advancement, at the same time holding out his anchor to windward in the form of his present post?

THE WOMAN WHO SAW

The Woman was waiting her turn outside the telephone booths in the largest drug store in the village. She was thinking of many things as she watched the varied types come in to buy—old and young, poor and rich, freshly dressed and correctly clothed, each in his way stamped unmistakably "the Village."

Her thoughts were suddenly arrested by the eager tones of a girl's voice in the nearest booth. "Well, there you are at last, my dear. I've been trying for days to get you. Malcolm and I want you and Ben to come have dinner with us some night this week. Now don't say 'no'. You really must come. Any night except Friday would be convenient for us. Thursday? That's fine. We'll surely be looking forward to it. Yes, we are still living at Mrs. Hemphill's. And Ann, dear, dinner is only a dollar each, you know, and no tipping, so you'll be saved a little money. Thursday night. Bye bye, dear."

The woman smiled to herself as she conjectured about the Villagers who might keep house. Did they, perhaps, pro-rate the dinner among all the guests, charging more, for example, to the husky who had a second helping of the club steak? Then she thought of the fortunate invited guest, who might be dieting and eating only lettuce salad!

"And, Ann, dear, dinner is only a dollar each! What are we coming to?"

Stuff That Dreams Are Made Of.

The Cousin from Boston smiled reminiscently as she and the Woman paused in the traffic at Fifth Avenue and Twenty-third street. "I never see the Flatiron Building without thinking of a dream. I had about it years ago," she said. "It was just before I came to New York, when it was newly erected and post cards of it were being sent broadcast. I can't think why it associated itself with my dream unless it was the effect of height as connected with fatigue. I must have been tired out when I went to sleep. I dreamed that with my fiancé, I was ascending the stairs in the Flatiron Building, flight after flight, hardly able to pull one foot after the other, while George ran up, beckoning me to hurry, instead of chivalrously helping me along. When we finally arrived at the top I stood amazed. There was no office, no elevator, no hallway, no office, only the elevator shaft. 'Why you—call me,' I gasped, puffing, 'why in the world you came—up here?' Gaily pressing the bell, he responded, 'I wanted to ride down in the elevator.'"

"A like," story," scoffed the Woman.  
"Nobody ever believes that I really dreamed that, but I did. It's the vividest dream I ever had. I can remember that when the stairs looked and now I sat discouraged half way up the eighth flight, too tired to move. I don't know why the elevator didn't occur to me—we had them, even in Boston—but if it did I probably wouldn't have mentioned it. George was that independent, if he meant to walk up twenty-three flights he would. If I had had that, I'd have analyzed it. I probably would have turned out just the same. George was not the person to marry on account of his notions. So, you see, I married Arthur instead!"

Not Needed.

At a certain w. k. Inn in the Village a personable young man was practicing his menu-French on the waiter. The waiter, old and spectacled and nicknamed Buddha, because he came from Budapest, listened affably, now and then helping along with a word placed word. The young chap had done rather well with his ordering, but when he came to "Ginger Ale" he had to call for help.

"What is it, ginger ale?" was his question.  
Buddha smiled scornfully down his long nose. "There is no word for ginger ale," he said. "There is no such thing in France."

PUBLIC FORUM

BURKETT SAYS THERE'S NO NEED FOR RESIGNATION

Editor Ranger Times: Have just finished reading your editorial with reference to the representation of West Texas in the special session of the legislature, in which you remark that it is very necessary to have all vacancies filled, and wondering whether I intend to resign to make the race.

Yours in a very pertinent inquiry, and I agree with you that it is "very necessary" to have all seats occupied, both in the senate and in the house. The law provides that thirty days' notice shall be given for an election. The governor called the present senatorial election on May 4. I was not aware of the date of same until the 5th or 6th of this month. Had I resigned then, the governor would have had to call another election for representative of this district for a later date, provided, of course that he accepted my resignation. This would have necessitated two elections in any event.

If I am elected to the senate, I will resign immediately, and the governor can call an election to fill the vacancy in plenty of time to have our representative qualify for the special session which meets July 11, thus not depriving our district of representation.  
The returns of the pending senatorial race will, in all probability, be in by the 6th or 8th of June, and when they are in sufficiently for me to determine the results, if I am the successful candidate, then I will immediately tender my resignation in order that the governor, if he sees fit, may call the representative election in time for my successor to be elected for the special session.  
Trusting this is a sufficient explanation of my position, and that you will give this the same publicity that you have your editorial, I am,  
Very truly,  
JOE BURKETT,  
Candidate for State Senate.

Now Why Doesn't Business Come Back?

By MORRIS



TINKER BOB STORIES

By CARLYSLE H. HOLCOMB.

A VISIT WITH MR. MUSKRAT.

Tinker Bob said, "I think I can get three legs, the Musk Rat, to take charge of this work and we will soon have a place to wait that will be out of the rain and wind, and we will have a boat that will carry the creatures over the river and bring them back whenever they want to go. We'll first have to find Mr. Muskrat."

Before they arrived at the river's edge, they met Billy Mink. "Well, Billy Mink, you're just the fellow I want to see," said Tinker Bob. "We are going to see Mr. Muskrat and get him to start a ferry across the river. You know something about that sort of thing, so you'd better go along with us. You see Mr. Rabbit has to go across the river to the meadow and he can't get across with out going to the old covered bridge, and that's a long way. You'd better come along."

Billy Mink decided to go with them to see Three-Legs, although he would have been better pleased if the King had asked him to take charge of the ferry.  
But if it was a good thing he could fix it up with old slow Three-Legs. When they arrived at the river's edge they found Mr. Muskrat at home and he was sound asleep. "Well, Billy Mink, it will be up to you to wake him up and get him out where we can talk this matter over." That was the very thing Billy wanted to do.

Billy didn't go into his house by the back door but instead he dove into the water and went in by the front door, for Three-Legs always keeps his front door under water. Billy thought very quickly for he had only a little time to think, and then he pinched Mr. Muskrat on the nose. "Listen, Three-Legs, I've come to tell you that there are some Forest Creatures outside waiting for you. They want you to swim across the river and carry them on your back. Then they will want you to bring them back, in fact



He pinched Mr. Muskrat on the nose.

they will keep you busy from morning to night. I told them I would call to see you, but I knew you wouldn't do such a thing as that. Of course if you want me to save you the trouble I'll go back and tell them that you are too tired and will not come out. That would save any further trouble."

"Now that's just the thing for you to tell them. I don't want to wear my life out carrying silly creatures across the river just because they can't swim or go up to the old covered bridge and walk across." Billy Mink could not get out fast enough, for he was so anxious to tell the King that Mr. Muskrat would not come out. But as he went out the door he saw sticking his nose in the house of Mr. Muskrat's house but Mr. Turtle. Now I wonder what he wants? We'll see tomorrow.  
Tomorrow—Billy Mink is Uneasy.

Josephus Daniels Tells Story of American Navy's Exploits in World War

(Continued From Page One.)

But my anxiety was not relieved until we got positive assurance of her safety.

The British radio the next day broadcasted the following: "The German wireless and the German newspapers have asserted that the former German liner, the Vaterland, now in use as an American transport, had been torpedoed and sunk. The statement is false. The Vaterland has not been sunk. The Vossische-Zeitung says that the Americans had intended to bring over a dozen divisions in the course of a year in this ship. If so the intention may be carried out, for the Vaterland is afloat and is in the finest possible condition."

Big British Ship Sunk.  
If the Germans did not know it before, they knew then that the report was untrue. It was, in fact, the Justicia, a British vessel which had been carrying American troops, but which was returning empty, carrying neither troops nor cargo aboard. It was a big ship, 32,120 tons, but the Leviathan was over 55,000 tons.

The report that it was sunk was only one of the thousand queer things we heard from Berlin. For our radio operators "listened in" on the big German wireless station at Nauen and heard everything it sent out. It seemed rather uncanny, with Germany almost cut off from the outside world, to sit here in America and listen every night to what they were talking about.

There was laid on my desk every morning a daily newspaper—I suppose it was the only "secret" daily ever gotten out in America—which compiled and mimeographed by the naval communication service and marked "confidential," was sent in sealed envelopes to all officers and officials whose duties compelled them to keep in touch with all that was going on abroad. And this contained not only all the "news," and propaganda that Germany was sending out, but a digest of all that was sent out by British, French and Italians.

Said Americans Wouldn't Fight.  
We certainly heard some strange "news" from Berlin—things that were news to us. One report, received July 25, 1918, when our troops were proving their valor in Foch's great drive, informed us: "The American army is lacking in one essential, the will to fight. In any case, it will not be numerous enough to play any important part until 1920, and then only provided the transport difficulty is got over and the munitions industry developed from its present nursery stage. Our submarines will see to the transports and America will find it impossible to create a gigantic industry and a gigantic army at the same time. Ammunition perhaps, but guns cannot be cast in sewing machine factories. At present the American soldiers are without rifles or artillery."

And at that moment there were a million American soldiers in France and we were turning out munitions at a rate the Germans could not believe was possible.  
The more evident it was that U-boat warfare had failed, the more vehement were the German naval authorities in asserting its success. Admiral Holtzendorff, head of the admiralty, announced on July 29 that they were taking into consideration the counter measures that meant the mine barrage, the destroyers, patrol boats and all the new things we were using to defeat them; that they were building many more submarines, and he declared that "final success is guaranteed."

Berlin Keeps Up Bluff.  
The Germans never did admit their failure, and even after submarine crews had mutined and U-boat warfare had ended with the recall of their submarines in October, they were still bluffing their own people. As late as Nov. 6, less than a week

before the armistice, we caught this bulletin from Berlin:  
"English wireless service reported, and this report was circulated also in neutral newspapers, that German submarines had passed the Norwegian coast on their way home with a white flag at their masthead. This is a pure invention. English wireless has thus again circulated a lie."  
This in spite of the fact that they were all hurrying home, some of them passing so close to the Norwegian coast to avoid mines and destroyers that they could be plainly seen from shore.

When the allies were smashing the German lines and driving back their armies all along the front Berlin was flashing out reports of successfully repulsing attacks and taking up "more favorable positions." When the French and Americans by terrific attacks drove them across the Marne Berlin announced:  
"Masterly Move" on Marne.  
"The excellent execution of the movement for changing to the opposite bank of the wide river Marne, which took place unnoticed by the enemy, demonstrates today the splendid ability of the German command and troops."

When the Americans won their notable victory at St. Mihiel we heard from Berlin that the Germans had "evacuated" the "bend" at St. Mihiel to improve their lines, and that on the whole the French and American attacks had failed; and General Wrisberg, assured the trusting Teutons back in the Fatherland:  
"The American army also can not terrify us as we shall settle accounts with them."

Even in November, when total collapse was only a few days away they were still talking of the failure of the Americans and the "victorious repulse" of the French.

After the mutiny at Kiel and other ports, where sailors took possession of the ships and started the revolution they sent out this bulletin in November 7.  
"Concerning situation in Kiel and uprisings in other harbor towns, military protection of Baltic has been carried out without a break by navy. All warships leaving harbor fly war flags. Movements among sailors and workmen have been brought back to peaceful ways."

Gloss Over Fleet Surrender.  
The surrender of the German high seas fleet was gently termed the "carrying out of armistice conditions at sea."

But through the marvelously efficient secret service of the allies, particularly the British, we were kept well informed of all that was going on in the German navy. Such close track was kept of the U-boats that we knew when every one sailed or returned, and generally were informed as to its destination and plans.

All the denials of mutinies and revolts were merely amusing to us. We knew the facts. We knew their morale was shattered, that the allies had "got their nerve." I do not know any dispatch that amused us more than the one we picked up from Berlin November 16. This showed that the U-boat crews had to be reassured that their lives were safe, even after the armistice; that they had to be coaxed and bribed to take the submarines to England for surrender. Here it is:  
Pr. 143. W522—Transocean Press—Berlin, November 16.

"German armistice commission has directed to Chancellor Ebert for immediate communication to all submarine crews letters in which it states that English Admiral Sir Roslyn Weymss has given unreserved and absolute assurance that all crews of submarines to be handed over will be sent back to Germany as soon as possible after their arrival at the harbor appointed by England. Commission therefore requests crews to hand over in good time the submarines."  
"In connection with this, workmen and soldiers' council of Wilhelmshaven states that all men of ships which are brought into an anchorage and are insured for 10,000 marks in case of death. A corresponding special pension has been provided for accidents. Besides, the married men who are concerned in bringing the submarines receive a premium of 500 marks, and finally to be immediately discharged after their return home."  
(Another article by former Secretary Daniels will be printed tomorrow.)

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS

By GEORGE BINGHAM.



The Deputy Constable hid in a barrel of shucks the other night and came near catching some thieves who were stealing corn. Just about the time the robbers were ready to make their departure the Deputy got strangled on a corn shuck and frightened them away.

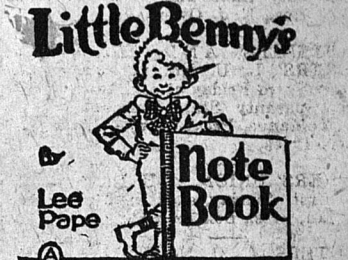
Poke Eazley and Columbus Allsop fell out in an argument and had a few harsh words in front of the blacksmith shop Saturday morning, and there might have been serious trouble but they talked so rough to each other they talked themselves out of the notion.

U. OF T. SAYS OIL AND GAS IS IN COKE COUNTY

Bureau Finds Good Showings of Both in Surface Sandstones.

AUSTIN, May 10—That there are oil and gas possibilities in Coke county is shown by a report which has just been published by the bureau of economic geology and technology of the University of Texas. Theology report gives the results of a geological survey which has been made of the county by J. W. Beede and W. P. Bentley, geologists of the bureau. It gives a detailed account of the formations of the county. Discussing the oil and gas possibilities, the following is given:  
"Coke county is unique in Central Texas in having good showings of oil in surface sandstones. Some of these sandstones were the sands of delta channels on the margin of a shallow Permian sea. The presence of salt seeps and of gypsum and anhydrite dolomites, as shown by drill cuttings, indicate that the waters of this shallow area were very concentrated. It is doubtful if oil accumulations would occur under such circumstances on account of the scarcity of marine life in such waters. The indications of fossils remains in these sediments are very rare. Moreover, it is yet to be demonstrated that commercial oil accumulations have been found which were indigenous to this type of red bed sediments. Several oil fields have been found beneath the red beds."

Continuing, the report says that in the light of available data it seems most reasonable at present to ascribe the origin of the surface oils in Coke county to deep-seated beds. Seven wells have been drilled in Coke county but none of sufficient depth to test the deep-oil theory.



I brook pops shaving mirror today by existently pushing it off of the wash stand with my face while I was trying to see how close I could get to myself in it, thinking, G, its supposed to be had luck to brake a mirror. I wonder if that includes shaving mirrors.

And I stuck the mirror in back of the shoe blacking box so pop would notice it too soon, and after supir he was smooking and thinking in the setting room and I sed, Do you believe in sooperstition, pop?  
Certeny not, sooperstition is only another word for ignorants and nobody of any education or eny sents beleeves in it, certeny I dont beleve in sooperstition and I hope you dont either, sed pop.

O, no sire, G, pop I dont belevee in it, I jst asked you to see weather you did, I sed.  
Well I dont, sed pop, and wats more I've got no respect for anybody that does.

G, pop, neither have I some people beleve its bad luck to brake a mirror, I sed.  
Some people havent got the sents they were born with, sed pop, I brook a mirror today but that dont say theres eny bad luck about it, does it pop?  
Certeny not, sed-pop, And he kep on smooking and thinking and all of a sudden he sed, Wats that you sed? Wat mirror did you brake?  
Sir? Your shaving mirror, I sed, and pop sed, Its a poor rule that has no exception, and this is one time wats bad luck is connected with breaking a mirror. And he started to talking his slipper, me thinking, G, its going to start "rite" now.  
Wich it did.

NEGRO PREACHER TO STUDY CHURCH WORK

MARSHALL, Texas, May 10.—Coloreo pastors from country and village churches in the southwest will study subjects ranging from leadership of their congregations to operation of "movies" at the school for rural pastors, which opened at Wiley University here today. The school is in its second session, the first being held in February, 1920.

One hundred colored ministers from rural churches in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi and Oklahoma, are enrolled in the school, according to M. W. Dogan, president of Wiley University. Prof. C. J. Hewitt is the dean of the school, which is conducted by the department of rural work, Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, Methodist Episcopal church, operating at Wiley University. The Board of Sunday schools of the Methodist church and Texas A. & M. College.

Seven courses, including more than 50 subjects, are offered to the pastors. The courses are rural church administration, religious education, evangelism, health and hygiene, recreational leadership, agriculture and rural life and church building and equipment. Practically every phase of church and community life is touched in the courses. Besides the detail of church activities and administration, the ministers will be taught public health work, forms of community recreation, how to operate moving picture machines and stereoscopes.

The following daily schedule will be carried out:  
Breakfast, chapel, classes, lunch, demonstrations, personal conferences with instructors, dinner, plays and games and evening lecture.



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—BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL meets every Sunday at 11 a. m., room 504 Guaranty Bank Bldg., Chas. E. Morgan, Pres., E. J. Owens, R. S.

—PLASTERERS' AND CEMENT FINISHERS' L. U. No. 619 meets First and Third Friday of each month at 504 Guaranty State Bank Bldg., James McManus, Pres.; Harry A. Turner, Sec.-Treas.

—LATHERS' UNION L. U. No. 424 meets first Sunday each month, C. E. Morgan, Pres., Box 1562, Cisco.

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—PLUMBERS' L. U. No. 151 meets First and Third Wednesdays, room 504 Guaranty Bank Bldg., C. M. Beals, Pres., J. R. Rogers, F. S.

—ELECTRICAL WORKERS' L. U. No. 905 meets Wednesdays, room 504 Guaranty Bank Bldg., E. A. Singleton, Pres., Geo. M. Rhodes, F. S., Box 1202.

—COOKS AND WAITERS' L. U. No. 399 meets Wednesdays at Moose hall, Jack Gardner, Pres., T. E. Mecke, Sec., Box 553.

—BARBERS' L. U. No. 779 meets at Club Barber Shop, 318 Pine street, last Tuesday of each month. John H. Smith, Pres., W. F. Bigbee.

—STAGE EMPLOYEES AND MOVING PICTURE MACHINE OPERATORS' Local Union No. 584, meets First and Third Sundays each month at Majestic theatre, Box 181. Ben Ruyle, Pres., W. H. Crudington, R. S.

—CARPENTERS' Local Union No. 2014, meets every Friday night at 7:30 p. m., Carpenters' hall at 210 1-2 Elm st., H. S. Holloway, Pres., Box 1802, Ranger, Texas, Frank J. Brown, Financial Secretary, 219 South Rusk st., Ranger, Texas.

1—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—On Marston st., Sunday night, dark rimmed spectacles in case; return to Hotel De Groff for reward.

THE TEACHERS' must be paid. Don't expect the other fellow to do it all. Do your part. Pay your 1920 taxes now. Tax Collector, 211 Marston Bldg.

2—MALE HELP

WANTED—Wringer boy at Ranger Steam Laundry, \$20.00 per week.

WANTED—Shine Boy, or will rent or sell shine stand. Guaranty Smoke Shop.

5—AGENTS AND SALESMEN

SALESMAN—Lady or gentleman to sell the Book of Knowledge; this publication in great demand. Call W. T. Pace, Texas Drug Co.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

HIGHEST CASH PRICE paid for chickens and eggs. Telephone 166. Adams & Echols.

BRING YOUR WELDING—to Stovall at O. K. Blacksmith Shop, opposite old Times Building.

L. SEYBOLD, cement contractor, 712 S. Rusk, P. O. Box 902. All work guaranteed.

IF EVERYBODY should put off paying taxes, your schools would be closed down and you would have no city government. Pay up now. Tax Collector, 211 Marston Bldg.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

FURNISHED, two rooms, gas and light furnished; also 5-room house. Young Rooms, 211 North Marston.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Small, good house, close in, furnished or unfurnished. Mrs. L. B. Compton, in front Ranger Distilled Water Co.

MINUTE MOVIES



9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—4-room house on Oak St. suitable for boarding house. \$40 month. See Adams & Echols.

9A—OFFICES FOR RENT

MARSTON BLDG. offices to let. 320 Main, Room 342.

10—STORES FOR RENT

FOR SALE or lease—Store building, 37x90, located on Hunt street. Inquire Times office.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENTS for rent. Nicely furnished and reasonably priced. Call after 6 p. m. 414 1-2 Pine street.

MARIAN APARTMENTS

2 rooms, furnished; rent reasonable. 607 W. Main St.

3 ROOM—Modern furnished apartments for rent, have one furnished, rents reasonable. Greenwood Apartment.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Columbia gramophone and five dozen records. Box 1033.

FOR SALE—5x6 inch rig iron drilling and fishing tools, 30 h-p. Reid gas engines steel and wood tanks, casing, all sizes; 3 and 4 room portable houses, one 3 1-2 ton White truck and trailer, tubing and sucker rods. Gladstone Oil and Refining Co., Tiffin Highway, phone 329.

FOR SALE—National cash register, Stimpson scale and 8-foot show case, apply 109 1/2 Main st.

FOR SALE or Trade—3 good milk cows with young calves. Ross Bros. barn, 406 Hunt.

FOR SALE—Burroughs Adding Machine, \$150 type, for \$75. American Beauty Parlor.

FOR SALE—Book of Knowledge; terms if desired. Call W. T. Pace, 365.

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14—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Lot 12, block 2, Barber St., Bundick addition. \$900. Write O'Brien, 214 W 95th St., N. Y.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Beautiful five-room house, with all modern conveniences, located in Young addition. Garage, servants' room, cement walks. For other information apply 1116 Foch St., or LeVelle-Maher Motor Co. Phone 217.

FOR SALE—5-room furnished house and garage on S. Hodge street. H. F. Hannold, box 1033.

THREE-ROOM well furnished house. Cheap. Apply 429 Alice street.

WELL-BUILT 2-room house, worth \$650, first \$125 takes it; close in. Apply 404 Main st.

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17—WANTED TO RENT

A CHANCE to buy your second-hand furniture. We buy, sell and exchange. New and Second Hand Store, corner Austin and Walnut, telephone No. 276.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—One 40-h-p. oil country boiler, and one 10x6 1/2 Duplex mud pump, both must be in good condition and price right. Address Sperry & Bruning, Artesia, New Mex.

FILING EQUIPMENT WANTED—Will buy a few used Letter Files and Legal Form Files if in first class condition. Write, giving make and full description to Lock Box 258, Abilene, Texas.

WANTED—A good second-hand wagon; will pay cash. W. A. Bolen, Route 1.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

LACKLAND BROS.' White Leghorn baby chicks, special, \$15 per hundred; order now. Lackland Bros., Ranger.

'HAREM BATH' DANCE IS NEWEST PARIS THEATRES' THRILLER

Millie Germaine Mitty and Partner Amaze French Audiences; "Neck Grab" a Sensation; Climax Is Hurling Graceful Danseuse Thirty Feet Across Stage.

PARIS, May 9.—Paris without a new sensation is not Paris, and just now, Paris can thank Mademoiselle Germaine Mitty for the newest and biggest sensation it has had this year.

Mademoiselle Mitty is the principal dancer in "C'est de la Folie, la latest spectacle at the Folies Bergere, and the sensation she gave first-nighters was that of expecting to see her break her neck. It is difficult, perhaps to conceive a combination of hazard and grace, but this is the combination that brings every night's standees at the Folies Bergere to their tip-toes and only lets them down with the curtain.

Mademoiselle Mitty is pretty—but that is not a sensation in Paris. She wears as few clothes as the law allows—and the law allows very few in Paris. These things, therefore, do not explain her sudden and tremendous vogue. That is explained by the nature of her dance, which not only is remarkable on account of its risks, but because it is that rarest of things in a descriptive dance—really descriptive.

"Le Bain de la Favorite" shows the bath in a harem. Numerous ladies are bathing in the costume usually worn for the bath. A European bribes one of the eunuchs to give him admittance. The ladies run away. Only one remains—the favorite—Mademoiselle Mitty. The Sultan finds her in the arms of the European. His guards bind the intruder and then he seizes the favorite.

Needless to say, the Sultan is Mademoiselle's dancing partner, M. Tillo. Both are in the prime condition of prize fighters. An American would say that M. Tillo "wipes up the floor" to music, in perfect time, with perfect grace and rhythm. But, all the while, the exhibition is not primarily a dance. It is assault and battery, done beautifully, but with such abandon, such violence, such apparent disregard of consequences that the spectator holds his breath.

Gripping the little dancer by the arm, M. Tillo spins her across the stage, and then as she falls, lifts her by the throat and holds her at arm's length. Ten minutes of this kind of thing, without pause or let-up, reaching its climax when the Sultan holds the favorite above his head, full length, for a breathless moment, and then hurls her a distance of thirty feet, from one side of the proscenium to the other.

HUDDLED IN HEAP. The favorite lies as she fell in a huddled heap, her head seemingly beneath her breast. Then the Sultan throws himself upon her, kissing her passionately, and the curtain falls. It is an astonishing, amazing exhibition of strength, endurance and grace, and small wonder that it is the sensation of Paris. The Folies Bergere is packed to the doors every night, and Mademoiselle Mitty is the talk of the cafes. At the premiere one of the interested spectators was Georges Carpentier. When the curtain fell, he turned to a companion and observed:

"I hope no one ever does that to me!" Several American managers are trying to induce the dancers to cross the Atlantic. TOKYO, May 10.—Great shipments of machinery and various other material for the great fleet which Japan is preparing to build are continually arriving. The newspapers say that while Japan received no submarines, beyond those which arrived last year in the division of spoils from Germany, such are coming in constantly in take-down form, being shipped through Dutch ports in order to avoid the attention of the Allied Reparations Commission and on vessels belonging to the biggest Japanese companies which are under obligations, because of subsidies, to the Japanese Government.

Great interest is being taken in a large number of airplanes and one Zeppelin, which Japan is receiving as her share of the German spoils and which are now arriving in considerable numbers. Japan is making strenuous efforts to catch up with other nations in development of her air forces, which are without doubt the weakest part of her defense. In addition to the airplanes received from Germany, she recently bought 83 machines from France.

BRITISH KOWTOW TO ROYAL SCION OF JAPAN. LONDON, May 9.—Amidst a regal display unequalled since the beginning of the war, Crown Prince Hirohito of Japan arrived in England today. The prince was welcomed at Portsmouth by the Prince of Wales and a group of British officers and was brought to London at once where he was established as a guest of Buckingham palace. The royal visitor arrived on the Japanese battleship Katori, which steamed into the harbor to booming salutes from British vessels and land forces. Long lines of troops in dress uniforms flanked the route to Buckingham palace.

ESQUIMAUX TURN CANNIBALS AS GUNS DECIMATE GAME. MONTREAL, May 10.—Introduction of the modern long-range rifle, resulting in depletion of wild game in northern Quebec, is forcing Indians and Esquimaux into cannibalism. The Rev. W. G. Walton, English church missionary in the northland, so declared here today. Blackmail Verdict. CASPER, Wyo., May 10.—J. D. Miller, alleged ex-convict of Montana, was convicted in district court here last night on a charge of an attempt to blackmail A. J. Cunningham, local banker. In letters received in February and March, Mr. Cunningham was asked for \$5,000 on pain of death. The jury was out three hours.

VANCOUVER, British Columbia.—A leading sportsman predicts that, on account of the extraordinary open winter here, the grizzly bear show-up is going to be very good.

FARMERS IN OKLAHOMA TRY GRAPE GROWING

WOODWARD, Ok., May 10.—In spite of the late freezes which destroyed the peach and cherry crops and almost put the wheat and early apple crops out of commission, a cold-resistant crop has been developed for the Oklahoma northwest which will insure an abundance of jellies and preserves for future winters.

This is the grape and raisin crop, which Elmer R. Chilcott, superintendent of the Woodward federal field station, says will make this section a great vineyard country and possibly a greater country for bees and alfalfa honey.

Chilcott is in charge of the dry farming experiment stations of the United States department of agriculture, and recent series of experiments in grape culture has proved to his satisfaction that the sandy land around Woodward can be turned into rich vineyard lands even as productive as those of the Fresno valley of California. He thinks that the "fruit of the vine" can be made a steady and profitable crop for all this Oklahoma Panhandle, of which Woodward is the commercial mistress, and is urging farmers to plant vineyards on what has been thought to be their waste lands.

Several reasons are advanced for the future of grape culture in Woodward county and vicinity. The dry climate, with a flood of sunshine for almost 300 days of the year, render this a banner locality for drying of the surplus grapes, for which a market may be had locally or as ripened fruit. On account of the anti-Volstead tendencies of folk in general, prices of grapes, and especially raisins, have advanced until vineyard growers are uniting in a psalm of joy which may be translated into "Blessed be hooch, for it hath brought us unto our day of salvation."

Woodward farmers will join in these praises, it is predicted, since this section will have the double benefit of being a future producer of the most luscious grapes known and will be so centrally located that it can enjoy a distribution of the product at a relative moderate freight rate.

Developments of the past season have proved that Woodward can be a leader in the production of poultry, eggs and dairy products. The dry crop expert says that the recent legislation providing for the extermination of prairie dogs and gophers will enable this section to resume alfalfa farming on a large scale, and when that is done the raising of honey production will be the next development.

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Listed in alphabetical arrangement are herewith given the names of business firms and professions of Ranger. Consult this Directory for responsible and progressive citizenship. They want your business and are giving you a standing invitation to look them up—their addresses are for your guidance.

ACCOUNTANTS

417-419-421 Guaranty Bank Bldg. KARL E. JONES & CO. Audits Conducted Income Tax Reports Ranger Address: Box 786, Phone 58 Breckenridge; 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg.

Suits 524 Guaranty Bank Bldg. WAKEFIELD, CLARK & PLUMMER Public Accountants, Auditors and Systematizers Income Tax Specialists Phone 356

Dallas Waco Ranger Breckenridge Eastland TURNER, GAY & HARRIS Accountants, Auditors, Income Tax Consultants

CHIROPRACTOR

DR. L. ROBINSON Chiropractor 115 1/2 N. Marston St. Southern Rooms Hours 8 a. m. to 12 a. m., 2 to 9 p. m. Examination Free Diseases Cured by Spinal Adjustment Chronic Diseases a Specialty Phone 419.

DENTISTS

DR. DAN M. BOLES Dentist Hours—8 a. m. to 6 p. m.; 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. Nights and Sundays by appointment. Office over Ranger Drug Store

DR. CLYDE C. CRAIG Dentist and Dental Surgeon Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. Lamb Theatre Bldg.

DOCTORS

DR. L. G. BUCHANAN Exclusive Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat and the Fitting of Glasses. Office 4th Floor Guaranty Bank Bldg. Evening Hours 7 to 9

HOSPITALS

RANGER GENERAL HOSPITAL Mrs. Alice L. Dailey, Supt. Open to all reputable physicians. Graduate nurses supplied for outside cases. Telephone 190.

CLINICAL HOSPITAL Mrs. Maude Clark, Supt. Open to All Physicians. Graduate Nurses Furnished for Outside Cases. Phone 373 Guaranty Bank Bldg.

INSURANCE.

TEXAS EMPLOYERS' INSURANCE ASSOCIATION Workmen's Compensation Insurance at Cost. Ranger claim office, 212 Marston Bldg. Breckenridge office, Rosengren Bldg.

OSTEOPATH

DR. GERTRUDE STEVENS Osteopathic Physician Office 424 Guaranty Bank Bldg. Telephone 317

PAINT & WALL PAPER

HUBER BROTHERS Paints, Wall Paper, Glass Free Delivery Telephone 413 530 W. Main st.

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**VISIT ENDED.**  
MEXICO CITY, May 10.—Prince Albert Radziwill, honorary counsellor of the Polish legation at Washington, left Mexico City today, after a visit of several weeks. He declared he would recommend to his government the establishment of a legation here.

**NO PEACE OFFER.**  
LONDON, May 10.—The British government has sent no message to the Sinn Fein "by anybody, or authorized anybody to open negotiations in its behalf," it was announced in answer to a statement that a peace offer was to be made to the Irish Republican Parliament.

## GERMAN POLICE SCRUTINIZE ALL CITIZENS

Since Red Uprising All Are Treated With Suspicion Until Cleared.

By Associated Press.  
HALLE, Germany, May 10.—The Security Police organization of Middle Germany, which has been the scene of widespread Bolshevik agitation and frequent clashes between Communists and government forces, has developed a system of espionage which enables it to record the daily activities of virtually every citizen and to trace minutely the movements of strangers.

The latter, without exception, are treated as suspicious characters until the authorities are convinced their business is legitimate and their intentions honorable. Even with the most genuine, official documents, the police are not easily satisfied that a stranger, and particularly a foreigner, is not pondering deep plots and dark deeds against the government.

In the latest rioting here and in other central German cities, when nearly 4,000 Communists were arrested, innocent circumstances were often assumed a sinister aspect in the minds of the police. The Associated Press correspondent, who had been many times examined by minor officials and frequently searched, was twice formally arrested and subjected to cross-examination by the superintendent of the district police forces.

"We know all about you," said this man when the correspondent was taken before him, and from a card he read the record of the American's movements for the three days he had been in the district. He knew the contents of telegrams which had been sent in English, had record of conversations held with German officials, Communists, hotel waiters, porters, policemen on the streets and chauffeurs.

He was, however, in doubt about the correspondent's opinions regarding Communism and wanted to know about a certain interview with leaders of Communists who were fighting near Elsieben.

"You made a speech to them and appeared to have been favorably received," he said. "What was your purpose and what did you say?"

Assured there had been no speech-making, the superintendent summoned the chauffeur who had been employed by the correspondent in an effort to reach the Communists. The official finally was convinced the visit was only for the purpose of securing information and that no influence, except an American passport as identification, was employed over the rebels.

He then dismissed the correspondent who, however, now is being again arrested as he entered the local police headquarters. There followed another examination which ended only when the American threatened to report the treatment he had received to the proper government official in Berlin.

The attitude of the police, and their very palpable manner, aroused, they explained, out of the fact that the Communists outnumber them ten to one.

## WEST TEXAS GRAZING LANDS GET GOOD RAIN

SAN ANGELO, May 10.—West Texas grazing lands were taking a new lease on life today following the third rain in the cattle country since last Friday. Total rainfall here since Friday amounted to 1.37 inches. The parched grass and sprouting crops have been highly benefited. Nearly every county west of the Pecos river to the Rio Grande north to the T. & P. railroad and east to Brownwood have received beneficial rains during the past week. Cameron reported 3.23 inches falling there Monday afternoon between 2 and 4 o'clock.

## BIG STILL CAPTURED NEAR CRYSTAL FALLS

CRYSTAL FALLS, May 10.—An illicit still, said to be one of the largest ever confiscated in the oil fields, was found by rangers, Sunday in the hills west of Crystal Falls. After pouring out a large quantity of the stuff that cheers, the officers took the plant to Breckenridge.

## AUSTIN PRINTERS RETURN TO WORK.

AUSTIN, May 9.—Job Printers, book binders and pressmen were back at work here today after one week's strike as a result of demands for wage adjustments and a 44-hour week.

As a result of mediation by Governor Neff the workers were granted the 44-hour week and the question of wages is to be arbitrated.

## MOTHER OF GOVERNOR NEFF CRITICALLY ILL

By United Press.  
AUSTIN, May 10.—Mrs. Isabella E. Neff, mother of the governor, is critically ill. She is in her 91st year. Mrs. Neff spent a bad last night and her condition is said to be very grave today and physicians hold out very little hope for her recovery. Governor Neff was up almost the entire night at the mansion at her bedside.

Owing to illness of his mother, Governor Neff announced today he will be unable to fill several speaking engagements which he had planned during the next several days.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE

The following marriage licenses were issued by County Clerk Earl Bender Saturday, May 7:

Thomas J. Reynolds and Miss Gertrude Christmas, Eastland.

F. L. Kimbrough and Miss Zelta Bush, Cisco.

Dave Henson and Miss Lottie Keever, Eastland.

Coy Roper and Miss Pearl Renfro, Strawn.

## IN THE COURTS

**J. P. COURT NO. 1.**  
Lone Star Motor Co. vs. Joseph Huffman, suit on labor account.

**COUNTY COURT.**  
Fakes & Co. vs. T. E. Brown transferred from other county.

Carroll Bros. Auto Supply Co. vs. Bert Stark, suit for debt.

**88TH DISTRICT COURT.**  
O. S. Wooley vs. Virginia Lbr. Co. et al.

Couch Motor Co. vs. M. E. Lawrence, debt and foreclosure.

**91ST DISTRICT COURT.**  
Heid Bros. vs. Maney Bros. & Co., suit for debt.

Couch Motor Co. vs. H. D. Whittington, debt and foreclosure.

## SHALLOW SAND IS REPORTED ON ROAD NEAR ALBANY, TEXAS

Special to the Times.  
BRECKENRIDGE, May 10.—The reported discovery of shallow sands about seven miles west on the Albany road is attracting much attention to that section of the field.

The sands are said to be only 500 feet down. The production from them has not been tested out.

## SIX POLES CAPTURED BY GERMAN PATROLS

By Associated Press.  
RATIBOR, Upper Silesia, May 10.—German patrols crossed the Oder river into Upper Silesia early yesterday and captured six Poles, one of whom is suspected of killing a number of Germans.

## WEST TEXAS CHAMBER WILL SEE BULL FIGHT

Plans for Mexican Trade Trip Are for Minimum of 100 Men.

Special to the Times.  
STAMFORD, Texas, May 10.—A tentative schedule of the Mexican trade trip of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been filed with the general agent of the National Railways of Mexico by the traffic manager, Ed. P. Byars. Plans have been made for a minimum of one hundred men and the equipment will include four standard sleeping cars, large standard dining car and baggage car. A barber and other help will be taken on for the convenience of those making the trip. The schedule as outlined includes stopovers at Monterey, Saltillo, San Luis Potosi, Guadalajara, Leon, Torreon and five days in Mexico City. Date for leaving Fort Worth has been set as 9:00 p. m., June 18th, returning about 8:30 a. m., July 2nd.

Several state officials are to make the trip and Governor Pat M. Neff has been invited to accompany the party. Local entertainment has been arranged by the Chamber of Commerce of Mexico City, and among other things a bull fight will be staged by matadors brought over from Spain for the occasion.

## FRISCO SIGNS ONLY AMERICAN CITIZENS FOR MERCHANT MARINE

By Associated Press.  
GALVESTON, May 10.—San Francisco, in its recruiting for the United States merchant marine, is 100 per cent American.

Figures just received here by the Sea Service bureau of the U. S. Shipping board show that during March the San Francisco bureau supplied American citizens for every berth vacant aboard United States vessels, former soldiers, sailors and marines having preference.

Tampa, Fla., with a percentage of 96.6 was second in the Americanization column, while Baltimore with 93.9 was third and Galveston with 93.3 per cent was fourth. Newport News, with a percentage of only 62, shipped the fewest American born or naturalized sailors during the month.

## REFINERY BEGUN

Special to the Times.  
BRECKENRIDGE, May 10.—The Great Tex Refining company has begun the construction of a 2,500-barrel refinery on the C. & N. E. tracks south of town.

## IMPROVEMENT PLANNED

PORTLAND, Ore., May 10.—Announcement of plans for expenditure of \$1,643,000 in improvements during the present year was made today by the Portland Railway, Light and Power company.

## METCALF CAFE

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Opposite T. & P. Station  
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## GERMAN CABINET IS BADLY SPLIT.

By United Press.  
BERLIN, May 9.—Only the Volks party wing of the German cabinet held out today against accepting the allied ultimatum.

The cabinet was in session throughout the afternoon with indications that the last opposition might be broken before adjournment.

## NEW RATE JUNE 20.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 10.—New tariffs under the Interstate Commerce commission ruling in the Columbia basin rate case will be effective June 20, unless shipping interests of Puget sound or Astoria succeed in causing suspension through court action, said railroad officials here today.

An English mason laid 1,555 bricks per day for 18 days.

## 'CHARLIE,' HANDSOMEST FELLOW IN RANGER, IS HERE FROM W. INDIES

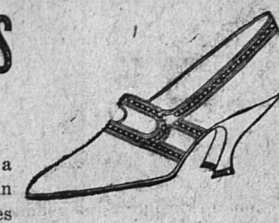
The showiest fellow in Ranger just now is "Charlie," who arrived Tuesday morning all the way from Barbados, West Indies, his native home. "Charlie" is a huge mackaw and ownership of the gorgeous bird is vested in Mrs. J. B. Ames of the American Beauty Parlor, where "Charlie" has taken up his residence. "Charlie" has not yet acquired an extensive vocabulary, but appears willing to learn. At least his gayly-colored plumage and sweeping tail of fiery red are sufficiently attractive if he never talks, his mistress says.

## NEW RADIO PLANT.

TOKIO, May 10.—Owing to the increase of press telegrams and other messages coming from the United States and Europe, the government has decided to build at Osaka a new wireless station exclusively for handling incoming messages. Construction will be started in July.

### SPORT SHOES

IN SMART STYLES FOR SUMMER



—Yesterday's express brought us a big shipment of Sport Shoes. In this shipment are five different styles for your approval. One very stylish number is the one-strap sport shoe in a white and brown combination with the ever popular military heel.


**THE LACE OXFORD** in a white and black combination, with a military heel, is to be had also. This number is very much in demand.

**FOR A MORE DRESSIER SHOE**, we have the white kid in a Baby Louis heel. A style that is in vogue everywhere.

**A LADIES' WHITE CLOTH OXFORD** is also to be had in a military heel. This shoe is made of a finer material than the canvas.

**THE RELIABLE WHITE CANVAS** in a Baby Louis heel is also in stock now. Make your selection before the sizes are broken. All sizes in lasts from A to D. Popular priced from ..... **\$6.50 to \$11.50**

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4 cups of pastry flour, 3 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder, 1/2 teaspoon of salt, 1 cup of sugar, 2 eggs, beaten together, 2 tablespoons of melted butter, 1 cup of milk. Then mix in the regular way.

## Hurry! Hurry! Hurry!

### To the Bankrupt Store Big Bargains for Everyone

Men's dress shirts; \$2 and \$3 shirts— <b>75c and \$1.00</b>	Girls' white graduation dresses; embroidered and fancy; in all styles ..... <b>\$1.95</b>
Children's silk socks per pair only ..... <b>49c</b> All sizes silk hose; per pair ..... <b>35c</b>	Ladies' organdy dresses; just received; all newest shades and styles— <b>ALL PRICED LOW</b>
Children's black tennis slippers. Special per pair ..... <b>75c</b>	Children's leather sandals; all sizes; for only— <b>99c and Up</b>
Boys' and girls straw hats; all shapes and sizes— <b>99c to \$1.95</b>	Ladies' white sport hats; each only ..... <b>49c</b>

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