

FRENCH TROOPS ARE SWEEPING TOWARD RHINE

All Sections But Devastated Regions Contribute to Military Invasion of Germany.

ALLIES WAIT ON U. S.

LONDON, May 3.—The allied supreme council today decided to take no naval action against Germany without consulting the United States.

By WEBB MILLER, United Press Correspondent.
PARIS, May 3.—French troops swept towards the Rhine today. The fervor of 1914 was reawakened as soldiers gathered everywhere for transportation to the German border under the new mobilization order, ready for a quick dash into the Ruhr valley.

The class of 1919 was called up and 130,000 troops were inducted into the service. The only provinces not contributing were the devastated regions.

Engineers Organize.
A force of mining engineers was formed at Mayence. A division of cavalry under General Simon will meet them at Dusseldorf to escort them into the Ruhr.

The armies of occupation are mobilizing under the command of General DeGautte, commanding the Dusseldorf area.

France is prepared also for naval action. Vice Admiral Sagot du Vurieux will command the French blockading forces unless the British participate, when one of their officers will be assigned command.

COMPLETING ULTIMATUM.

By Associated Press
LONDON, May 3.—The supreme council went into session at 11:30 a. m. today to complete its ultimatum to the Germans.

Admiral Jassel of the French navy arrived today and began conferences with Earl Beatty and other British naval officers regarding naval plans. Jassel was supposed to have unfolded his plan for sending the Mediterranean fleet to German ports if British sea fighters are not ordered there.

BRIAND PLEASSED.

By Associated Press
LONDON, May 3.—Premier Briand heard the text of the note sent by Secretary Hughes to Germany urging that government to make clear, adequate and definite proposals to the allied governments today. He said he is greatly pleased with the note.

BANDITS GET \$89,000.
BOWLING GREEN, May 3.—Two bandits held up C. W. Davidson & Company, a private bank at Auburn, eighteen miles west of here today.

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

ARTICLE XX.

NAVAL ERRORS THAT DELAYED ALLIED VICTORY DISCUSSED

By Josephus Daniels

Former Secretary of the Navy—1913 to 1921

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The chief allied naval error of the war—On both sides of the Atlantic in some things hindsight proved better than foresight—United States should have concentrated on construction of destroyers in 1915—Is criticism of Jellicoe justified?—Outstanding failure of the war was not to have shut the submarines up in their nests earlier.

After every war one can look back and see that somewhere there was lack of foresight, somewhere there was wanting vision translated into action, somewhere there was failure to grasp a new and daring plan which might have turned defeat into victory or have hastened the day of peace.

When one reflects upon the zeal, courage and success of the British navy in freeing the seven seas from German traffic, one is filled with admiration for its spirit and achievements. But it made mistakes, as we, and all the other navies, did.

Over on this side of the ocean what was our chief naval error? It was that we lacked the foresight in 1915-16, largely because we did not have the information which was kept from neutrals, to concentrate upon the building of destroyers to the exclusion of larger ships.

More Destroyers Needed.
The great three-year program proposed by me in 1915 and voted by Congress in 1916 embraced fifty de-

Idle Workers Out \$1,000,000 Daily

HEROINE REWARDED.



Good people everywhere, here you see Mrs. Norma Gurling and Dorothy Grace Gurling, of White Plains, N. Y. If you read newspapers you know Mrs. Gurling. She is the heroic mother who, just a few days before Dorothy Grace was born, climbed twenty feet down a well to rescue her fifteen months old son, Norman Jr., who had accidentally toppled in. The water in the well was twenty feet deep. Mrs. Gurling had to dig holes in the sides of the well to hold her feet as she descended and ascended. She brought the boy up on her shoulders unharmed. She, too, was uninjured. Because she's such a wonderfully good and brave mother Dame Nature sent the stork around with Dorothy Grace probably as a reward, and you may see for yourselves how happy Mrs. Gurling is now.

TEXAS MUSIC TEACHERS DECLARE WAR ON 'JAZZ'

By United Press
DALLAS, May 3.—Resolutions pledging themselves to stamp out jazz because "It is pernicious and encroaching upon schools, churches and individuals alike" were adopted at today's session of the Texas Music Teachers' association convention.

That jazz is being used in churches of Texas as a drawing card was charged by Prof. Julius Wanek of Greenville and E. G. Council of Dallas. Inferior music teachers were also blamed for spread of jazz.

COAL MEN ASK INDICTMENTS BE QUASHED

By United Press
INDIANAPOLIS, May 3.—Attorneys for 229 coal mine operators fourteen officials of the United Mine Workers and a number of coal dealers appeared in federal district court here today and filed a motion to quash the indictments which charge the defendants with violating the Sherman anti-trust law and conspiracy to violate the Sherman act.

The motion was filed when the defendants were arraigned before Judge Geiger of Milwaukee, sitting during the illness of Judge A. S. Anderson. Court adjourned until 2 p. m. to give District Attorney Frederick Van Nuyss and L. Slack, special assistant attorney general, time to check over the list of defendants and see if all were represented at the arraignment.

BRECKENRIDGE HAS BANNER MONTH IN BUSINESS IN APRIL

Special to the Times.
BRECKENRIDGE, May 3.—The April report for the Breckenridge postoffice shows the past month was the banner month in the town's history, even exceeding the months when the boom was at its peak. The report shows \$6,000 in money orders issued during the month and stamp sales of more than \$7,000.

JIMKURN PLANNING SCHOOL BUILDING

Special to the Times.
BRECKENRIDGE, May 3.—A delegation of Jimkurn citizens were here yesterday to confer with the county trustees relative to the establishment of a public school there. Plans for a building were submitted and a statement was made that a suitable site has been procured.

WIFE'S SPIRIT TOLD HIM TO KILL 2 SONS, HE SAYS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—Following a confession by John Cornyn that he had shot and killed his two sons, Arthur, seven, and Andrew, eight, the bodies of the boys were found last evening in the hills several miles from here.

According to the police he said he had been in communication with his wife who died a year ago and that she "had asked him to send all of their five children to her."

FOUR KILLED.

BUENOS AYRES, May 3.—Four persons were killed and twenty-four wounded in a May day riot at Gualeguaychu City in northeastern Argentina.

EMPLOYERS ARE LOSING 4 TIMES THAT AMOUNT

Sec. Davis Confering Continuously With Leaders of Three Major Strikes.

(United Press Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, May 3.—Strikes and lockouts now are costing workers \$1,000,000 daily in wages lost, it was intimated here today on the basis of reports to the labor department which indicate that at least 100,000 men and women are unwilling to work pending the regular May negotiations with their employers over new wage scales. Employers' losses were placed at approximately four times those of workers.

Secretary of Labor Davis and his twenty mediators on duty in big cities are working day and night in an effort to save industry approximately \$5,000,000 a day.

Three Big Strikes.
Confronted by three major strikes simultaneously, Davis is holding conferences with groups of workers and employers almost continuously.

Leaders of the Marine engineers and seamen who quit work Sunday night were to see Davis early today after conferences with him all yesterday afternoon.

Later in the day Davis expected to get reports on the strike of printers in fifty cities and on the walkout of paper mill workers. In these last three strikes Davis has not yet been asked to mediate, but he is keeping informed on the situation to be ready if the request for arbitration should come to the department.

UNCONSCIOUS MAN HAS UGLY WOUND IN HEAD

With his head badly wounded, which may be a fracture, W. P. Niver was found Monday morning in an unconscious condition on a Texas & Pacific lease near Ranger.

His statement was that a rock or a piece of iron or something of that nature fell from the roof of a gasoline house, striking him on the head. His condition was such that he was not asked for particulars of the happening.

When found he was brought to the offices of Drs. Terrell and Lauderdale and later taken to the Clinical hospital.

BRECKENRIDGE BOY DIES OF TYPHUS FEVER; NO OTHER CASES FOUND

Special to the Times.
BRECKENRIDGE, May 3.—Charles Fulbright, 15 years old, son of W. L. Fulbright, died Sunday afternoon of typhus fever and was buried Monday afternoon. The case was discovered several days ago, and is the only one so far reported.

JAP STEAMER SINKS, ONE IS DROWNED AND NINE ARE MISSING

(By United Press)
SEATTLE, Wash., May 3.—Nine persons were missing and one was dead following the sinking of the Jap steamer, Tokyo Maru, 40 miles off the mouth of the Columbia river.

Sixty-five survivors were picked up by the transport Buford. The vessel caught fire and was abandoned by the 70 members of the crew and five passengers before the Buford arrived. The fire started at 4 p. m. Monday and spread rapidly through the cargo of lumber. The decks became so hot that it scorched the feet of those fighting the blaze and several were forced to jump overboard.

FORD WANTS SENATE TO CONTINUE PROBE OF SENATOR NEWBERRY

WASHINGTON, May 3.—No effort will be made by Henry Ford to prevent Senator Truman H. Newberry from taking his seat in the senate but Ford insists upon the senate continuing its investigation. Alfred Lucking, chief attorney for the automobile man, said here today.

MARINE STRIKE

By United Press.
The American seamen's strike went into its third day with the general situation as follows: Representatives of the International Seamen's union met in Washington to confer with Secretary Davis at his request that they discuss mediation.

The American Steamship Owners association in reply to Secretary Hoover's suggestion for a commission of three private citizens intimated it preferred to settle the dispute itself.

Both the owners and the United States shipping board reiterated that acceptance of the 15 per cent wage reduction must precede any negotiations. That is the crux of the strike and the seamen steadfastly refuse to consider it.

Seamen's representatives prepared to meet the towing company workers' officials to urge a sympathetic strike that would tie up all harbor operations after the conference scheduled for last night was postponed.

Owners and seamen continued widely at variance on their estimates of men and ships affected, the former contending that only a few hundred men and a "handful" of ships were involved, while the men maintained that practically the entire 175,000 union membership had responded and that virtually all merchant craft now in port were helpless.

CABINET MUST SPEND ONLY SUM APPROPRIATED

Harding Tells 'Em After Learning Extra Appropriations Total \$216,000,000.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, May 3.—President Harding today notified all members of his cabinet that they must keep their expenditures within the amount appropriated by congress for their department.

In a letter sent to each secretary, Harding deplored the "dangerous tendency" of government departments to exceed the amounts congress has allowed them and then put in requests for more money.

The letter was written by the president, following a letter he had received from Senator Warren of Wyoming, chairman of the senate appropriations committee, calling attention to the fact that requests for extra appropriations now before congress total \$216,000,000.

PREPARING LINKS.

Special to the Times.
EASTLAND, May 3.—George Sampson, a contractor, today has a force of men at work preparing a foursome on the links of the newly formed Eastland Golf and Country club, adjacent to Lake Eastland.

FIFTY MEN WILL COMB RANGER WEDNESDAY FOR NEW MEMBERS OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Wednesday morning the Chamber of Commerce launches its one-day drive for new members among citizens who have moved into Ranger during the last year. Team captains in the one-day membership recruiting are:

J. P. Monday, H. E. Clewell, Gifford Clegg, A. Davenport, W. M. Frost, A. D. Gwynne, J. T. Gullahorn, L. R. Pearson, R. B. Waggoner and O. C. Williams.

President Gullahorn also is chairman of the recruiting, having accepted the position before the results of the recent annual election were known, and before the new board was organized.

Captains Meet.
The captains met yesterday afternoon to select their teams and were busy today, each completing a team organization that he can count on to recruit Ranger's big community organization so as to include every progressive man in the community.

Long and careful preparation has been made by Chairman Gullahorn and a large committee for the recruiting and for other features of the ending of the year stock taking. A fine list of prospective members has been prepared, showing that the influx of new citizens into Ranger has continued steadily since the big drive of last year. Each team member will undertake to see five of these prospects and to extend to him an invitation to lend a hand to Ranger's wheel of progress.

A very thorough revision of the membership list of the chamber has been made, to call out dead wood and to revise the membership quotas in conformation with present business conditions. At the same time plans for the new year include the proposal to secure more personal service from

100-BARRELER AT TOP OF LIME NEAR EDHOBBY

Pyramid Test May Open Up Vast Undeveloped Pool South of Ranger.

An oil well making 100 barrels from the top of the lime is reported near Edhobby, seven miles north of the Desdemona field and in undeveloped territory. The well is being sunk by the Pyramid Oil Company, and when the pay was reached it was at a depth of 3100 feet.

At present the worth of the well is not known, but it is expected to be drilled in today. If it proves up to expectations it probably will be the forerunner of other wells that will be sunk in that district and according to oil men will open up much new territory.

JAP ENVOY CAN SEE NO CAUSE FOR RUPTURE

By Associated Press
CLEVELAND, May 3.—Baron Shidehara, Japanese ambassador, today declared in an address to the local chamber of commerce that differences between the United States and Japan, "Call for adjustment but their existence does not justify apprehension or pessimistic forecast." Declaring that the stability of every human institution about the shores of the Pacific ocean depended on the maintenance of harmony and good understanding between Japan and the United States

the ambassador said grave responsibility rested upon the two countries. He asked, "Is there any question between us which cannot be set at rest by the ordinary process of friendly discussion? A sane and honest diplomacy, backed by a sense of reason and charity and mutual concession will alone lead to a lasting settlement of the problems. There is no other course."

He reiterated the declaration of his government "that Japan claimed no right nor has she any intention of sending emigrants to this country. She has held consistently to a policy of placing restrictions on such emigration."

Law is Silent.
"There is nothing in our law that directs the resignation of a senator to be made to the governor. The law is silent on that. Section 11, Article III, of our state constitution provides when a vacancy occurs that the governor shall call an election to fill such vacancy, and if he fails within twenty-six days, then the returning officer of the district shall be authorized to call such an election. Section 3, Article III of the constitution provides that if a member removes out of his county or district, his office thereby becomes vacant."

USE WHITE TROOPS

By Associated Press.
FRENCH MILITARY HEADQUARTERS, Mayence, May 3.—Plans for the occupation of the Ruhr valley as elaborated by the French general staff provide for the exclusive use of white troops, it was announced here today.

BURKETT SAYS RUSSELL HAS NO SENATE JOB

Challenges Neff's Right to "Deny Representation to 28th District."

Special to the Times.
EASTLAND, May 3.—Representative Joe Burkett is today writing to a Fort Worth paper an answer to a dispatch from Austin stating that Senator John A. Russell is still in office because Governor Neff has never accepted his resignation.

In his answer Burkett challenges the governor's right to withhold Russell's resignation and quotes the law on the subject. His contention is that an official has a right to resign at any time he sees fit and that the resignation should have prompt acceptance.

The action of the governor, he says, denies the Twenty-eighth district the right to representation in the senate during the coming special session.

BURKETT SAID:
"I read with much interest, as well as amusement, the article appearing in this morning's paper with reference to why an election for senator from the Twenty-eighth Senatorial district had not been ordered by the governor. While the article referred to seems to be general in its nature, and appears to be written by a staff correspondent, yet it is undoubtedly authoritative from the governor."

"The second paragraph of the article reads, in part: 'Talk by Representative Joe Burkett of Eastland, to the effect that the returning officer of that senatorial district should call an election is unwarranted because, although Governor Neff has received the resignation of John A. Russell, as senator, he has never accepted it, and there exists no vacancy, etc.' From this it will immediately be seen that the governor has not accepted the resignation. Why? If a man wants to resign, hasn't he the right to do so? Is the governor the one to say that a senator shall not resign? Is the governor the one to say that, although the law does not say to whom a resignation shall be tendered by a senator or a representative, that such a senator shall remain in office against his wishes? I have known for some time that the governor wished the power to remove officers in case he thought they should be removed, but this is the first intimation that he, too, claimed the power to 'keep them in office against their will.'"

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"This brings us to the question whether it is necessary for the governor to accept the resignation of Senator Russell before a vacancy occurs. I think not. Our law is silent on the matter, and a member surely knows when he wants to quit, and has a right to quit without asking the governor, if the law does not require his consent."

I cite the following cases to sustain this contention: Acceptance of resignation is not necessary in offices which take all the time of the incumbent, particularly federal offices." 29 Cyc. 1403; State vs. Clark, 3 Nev. 568; U. S. vs. Wright, 28 Fed. Cas. No. 16,775, 1. McLean, 509. Where the absolute right to resign is recognized, resignation will be deemed complete when the office is relinquished and no formal method of resignation is necessary, in the absence of the statute to the contrary the office may be resigned by parole." 29 Cyc. 1404 Van Ord-sall vs. Hazard, 3 Hill (N. Y.) 243; Barbour vs. U. S., 17 Ct. Cl. 149; Jennings vs. U. S., 12 Mod. 402. ABANDONMENT: Office may also be terminated by abandonment, which means failure to perform the duties of the office. 29 Cyc. 1,404; People vs. Hartwell, 6 Pac. 873; People vs. Spencer, 101 Ill. App. 61; Barbour vs. U. S., 17 Ct. Cl. 149; and it need not be judicially determined that the office be deemed to be abandoned: 29 Cyc. 1405; Osborne vs. State, 27 N. E. 845; Atty. Gen. vs. Maybury, 104 N. W. 324; and one who has abandoned an office is estopped from asserting a claim to such office: 29 Cyc. 1405; State vs. Moore's 72 N. W. 1056; Colton vs. Beardley, 38 N. Barb. (N. Y.) 29.

Quotes Ctattute.
"Section 8 of Art. III, of our constitution provides that each house shall be the judge of the qualifications and election of its own members, but our constitution or laws nowhere provide that a senator must tender his resignation to the senate, neither is it anywhere provided that the senate may keep a senator from resigning. In the case of Senator Russell, the governor sent his resignation to the senate, or a copy of same, and the senate, according to my information, simply dropped Senator Russell's name from the senate roster, and accepted his resignation. And afterward, some of the members thinking that possibly the senate had exceeded its authority, simply re-instated Sen'r Russell's name on the senate roster. Some of the members taking position that it was not the

senate, but of the governor to accept or reject the resignation.

Governor's Right.
"But aside from all this argument, if the governor has the right to accept or reject the resignation of a senator, why does he not take some action? Why does he not reject the resignation or accept it? No one knows better than the governor that the resignation has been tendered and that Senator Russell has been asked for a large amount of money, and that he has not been seen or heard of for more than two months, and the governor could find it out by a mere effort of inquiry, as to what action has been taken with reference to the alleged shortage of funds to which reference is made in the article which defends the governor's action."

"If the burden of accepting or rejecting the resignation is on the governor, why does he not accept the burden and responsibility, and not attempt to pass it on to the senate, as the article indicates that he has done? The Twenty-eighth senatorial district wants a senator in the special session, and if the governor, by a mere stroke of the pen in accepting a resignation that was tendered nearly three months ago, and by ordering an election to fill the vacancy, can make it possible, then in all fairness to this district and this section of the state it seems to me he should do so."

"It is unfortunate for the district and for Senator Russell and his friends that things have turned out as they have, and no person regrets it more than I, but I cannot for my life see any justification for the governor not calling an election to give us a senator. The vacancy exists and should be filled. If the governor

Looks Like Barney's Broke—and Desperate

—By Billy De Beck



refuses to call the election, the county judge of Eastland county, who happens to be the returning officer of the Twenty-eighth district, should call the election, as he is empowered to do under the constitution, in order that more than 300,000 people in said district might have a man in the senate to care for their interests as well as the interests of the state in their behalf.

"And, too, the governor has recently, within the past ten days or two weeks, accepted the resignation of Senator Harp of Mexia, and the newspaper reports show that he has

ordered an election for that district? Why the discrimination between the two districts? It's peculiar, but it seems to be true?"

REV. JONES RESIGNS.
EASTLAND, May 3.—Rev. Arthur W. Jones, pastor of the First Christian church here, has tendered his resignation to accept a call to the Austin Street Christian church, El Paso. Rev. Mr. Jones says his only reason for accepting the call is to enter into a larger field of work. His family will remain in Eastland for a time.

SIX IRISH KILLED!

LIMERICK, May 3.—Six civilians were killed and fourteen others wounded in a five-hour battle last night near Galbally, between 150 civilians and crown forces, it was officially announced today. Two soldiers were wounded, one seriously.

Don't give the baby patent medicine. If you feel you must use advertised remedies try them on yourself, or better still, on the dog. Let your family doctor attend to the baby.

MEXICANS RELEASED.

MEXICO CITY, May 3.—Martin and Jesus Trejo, American citizens, arrested last week at Nuevo Laredo as agents of Francisco Murguin, were released, according to advices from the Mexican war office.

PERSONAL.

Miss Effie Dunn and niece, La Vern Juanice Dunn of 309 1/2 South Hodges, are visiting in Fort Worth and East Texas.

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SANFORD DEAN, Trustee

ALL THE NEWS OF THE WEST TEXAS LEAGUE

TIMES SPORT PAGE

BASEBALL, TRAP-SHOOTING, ALL SPORTS

EAGLES HOP ON HILL IN FIRST THREE INNINGS, WIN EASILY, 8-2

Red Blanks 'Em After He Gets Warmed Up; Nitros Hit Heavily But Can't Gang 'Em at Right Times; Singleton Back in Game.

ABILENE May 3.—Pat Crowson won his fourth victory for the season from the Nitros here Monday by the score of 8 to 2. The veteran hurler pitched airtight ball and the heavy hitting of his team mates kept him out of danger from the start. Four three-baggers and one double by the Nitros, running their total hits up to eight, netted only two scores.

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HOW THEY STAND WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.

Table showing standings for West Texas League with columns for Team, Played, W, L, Pct.

Results Yesterday. Abilene 8, Ranger 2. Sweetwater 6, Cisco 5. San Angelo 6, Mineral Wells 2.

Table showing standings for Texas League with columns for Team, Played, W, L, Pct.

Results Yesterday. Shreveport 8, Fort Worth 3. Beaumont 7, Houston 1. Galveston 7, San Antonio 1. Dallas 4, Wichita Falls 2.

Table showing standings for American League with columns for Team, Played, W, L, Pct.

Results Yesterday. Boston 2, New York 1. Philadelphia 6, Washington 1. St. Louis 7, Detroit 6 (13 innings).

Table showing standings for National League with columns for Team, Played, W, L, Pct.

Results Yesterday. Brooklyn 4, Philadelphia 3. New York 8, Boston 1. Pittsburgh 4, Chicago 3.

CADDO WANTS RANGER TEAM FOR SUNDAY GAME

The Caddo baseball team wants games with some good Ranger arrangements for Sunday and Sunday week at Caddo. Manager Goodfriend, in a telephone call to the Times, says they have a good team over there, and if a Ranger nine wants to come over, they will guarantee \$50 and show them a fine time and a fine town.

CENTRAL SCHOOL TAKES FIRST PLACE IN ANNUAL FIELD DAY

Park Jammed With Youngsters During All-Day Event; Girls Keep Young School Well Up in Race For Honors; Hi Wins Ball Game.

Nitro park was packed and jammed Monday with school children ranging in age from 7-years-old to high school boys and girls. From 8:30 in the morning until late in the afternoon they shrieked and yelled and enjoyed themselves tremendously, while schoolmates contended for honors in the many events of the Ranger schools' annual field day.

Following are the events and winners, as compiled by the official scorers, Misses Speer and Giloin: Chinning the Bar—Arlis Niver, (Central), first; Calicut (Young) and Mock (Central), tied for second. Galway (Tiffin), third.

Shuttle Races. Five girls and five boys. Seventh Grade—Central, first; Young, second; Cooper, third. Sixth Grade—Young, first; Central, second; Cooper, third.

BUSINESS MEN AND GULF PRODUCTION TANGLE WEDNESDAY

The combat between the Gulf Production Company and the Business Men baseballers, originally set for Sunday will be played off Wednesday afternoon at the park. The oil men are not satisfied with the situation that developed Sunday afternoon when rain stopped the game in the first inning. They say it isn't right to get two on with none down and let it go at that. So they want action, and the Business Men have agreed to give it to them. The game will be called at 5 o'clock.

HOT BATH IS BECOMING UNKNOWN IN GERMANY

BERLIN, May 3.—The hot bath has become such a luxury in Germany owing to the shortage of coal and the manner in which the government regulates the distribution of fuel that many persons have ceased bathing.

THIS TIME LAST YEAR.

Russell, Red Sox, held Yanks to two hits—one a scotch. Brooklyn beat Boston 2 to 1 in 19 innings, making 58 innings of play in three successive games.

PROGRAM

LAMB—Bessie Barriscale in "The Breaking Point," also comedy, "Unlucky Job," and Pathe News. MAJESTIC—Vaudeville program, also picture, "The Velvet Paw."

POLICE JUDGE PRETTIEST ANKLES AT PRIZE SHOW

LOS ANGELES, May 3.—A policeman is supposed to know many things. He acts as judge and jury in settling disputes between quarrelling neighbors. But can he tell a pretty ankle when he sees it?

Senate Confirms Goff.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The senate confirmed the nomination of Guy D. Goff of Wisconsin, to be assistant to the attorney general.



DELICIOUS AND REFRESHING THEY all go to the corner drug store, where Coca-Cola is the perfect answer to thirst.

SWATTERS WIN REAL THRILLER IN TENTH ROUND

SWEETWATER, May 3.—After Cisco came from behind and tied the score in the ninth and forged ahead with two more in the tenth, the locals staged a thrilling tenth-inning rally, driving three men across before a man was retired.

SWEETWATER.

Table showing statistics for Sweetwater game with columns for Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E.

CISCO.

Table showing statistics for Cisco game with columns for Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E.

CITY LEAGUE OPENS AT BRECKENRIDGE

BRECKENRIDGE, May 3.—The City League season opens today with a game between the Bankers and the Moose. The schedule calls for games on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of each week.

BRONCS PUSH MINERAL WELLS INTO CELLAR

SAN ANGELO, May 3.—Mineral Wells erred when San Angelo bunched hits Monday and was pushed into the cellar by the score 6 to 2 in the first game of the series. Lefty Treadway kept the Resorters 11 hits well scattered and fanned 7. A walk, McKay's double, Briscoe's error, a hit baseman and Byers' single gave San Angelo three runs in the fourth and this lead was never threatened.

MINERAL WELLS.

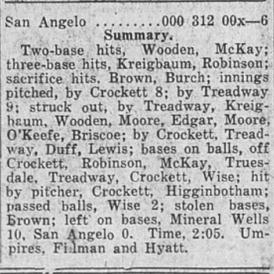
Table showing statistics for Mineral Wells game with columns for Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E.

SAN ANGELO.

Table showing statistics for San Angelo game with columns for Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E.

CHALLENGER MAYFLOWER HAS TRIAL TRIP

The fishing schooner Mayflower, Boston's entry in the international fishing schooner races next fall, leaving Boston for her maiden sail to Boston Light and return. The Mayflower, designed by W. Sterling Burgess, is expected to win the trophy lifted last year by the Gloucester schooner Esperanto.



LUCKY STRIKE cigarette advertisement with 'It's toasted' slogan.

Dancing Summer Garden advertisement for a performance at the Illinois Five.

LIBERTY THEATRE advertisement for 'WOLVES OF THE RAIL' and 'TROUBLE HUNTERS'.

THE LAMB advertisement for 'BESSIE BARRISCALE' and 'The Breaking Point'.

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"KING'S EXCUSE"

When individuals or corporations sidestep responsibility or maneuver in such a manner that "George" not only "does it," but assumes the heavy end of whatever penalty attaches to error or misdirected effort it calls forth little comment.

But when the great government of the United States, through its legal department, hands down an opinion acquitting it in advance of all culpability for errors which might be construed as criminal libel, the average reader would doubtless detect in such a course an astounding situation.

In a solemn pronouncement Attorney General Daugherty sets forth that "neither the government nor any individual officer could be held liable for the erroneous inclusion of names in the slacker draft lists prepared by the war department for publication," and adds:

"THE OPINION DOES NOT PASS ON THE LIABILITY OF NEWSPAPERS FOR PUBLISHING SUCH NAMES, BUT I DO NOT BELIEVE THEY COULD BE HELD LIABLE, AS THE LISTS WOULD BE OFFICIAL AS PREVIOUSLY PUBLISHED BY THE GOVERNMENT."

Now that opinion will certainly not encourage newspapers to give publicity to the government's list of "slackers."

The American Legion is clamoring for it. They demand that the names of the nearly 200,000 men sifted out after "careful checking" as those who were derelict in their patriotic obligations be given to the reading public.

If John Jones' name appears in the list and John Jones was NOT a slacker, John Jones is going to be sore.

He has a right to be, and no one knows this better than the newspapers.

And no one should know it better than the government.

But the government gracefully sidesteps any possible consequences of such error.

Fine! For the government.

It's like the Dutch comedians of forgotten days who were about to fight a duel.

The slim one, mindful of his advantage in the smaller target he presented, drew a chalk line down either side of his fat opponent's person and said, consolingly, "Now if a bullet hits on the outside of this mark it don't count."

The Legion seems disposed to brand as "slacker sympathizers" newspapers which do not for any reason seem anxious to publish the lists.

The government would make a rather bulky mark of the newspapers and then says, "Our legal department has drawn these chalk marks. You can see 'em plainly. We're going to shoot, but if we should hit out of bounds we've got our fingers crossed. It don't count."

But where do the newspapers get off?

Other members of the late administration are busy with their memoirs, but if Mr. Bryan is making any contribution to history he is doing it on the sly.—Kansas City Star.

It is claimed that hundreds of thousands of Americans cross the border now to get a taste of the Canadian scenery—that comes in bottles.—Los Angeles Times.

One of the greatest drawbacks about arbitration is its failure to arbitrate.

THE WOMAN WHO SAW

"Yes, I am a bit done up," admitted the Aunt Dell's suburban friend, from the depths of the couch cushions. "You see Aunt Dell's been here."

"Is she still trying to solve the problem of perpetuating motion?" the woman inquired sympathetically.

"Well, I leave you to judge," began her friend. "She came intending to stay in the city with a couple of the 'girls' from the home town here for a brief respite from Main street. But I persuaded her to come to me. The first day Aunt Dell insisted on the Art Museum in the morning. I assure you Aunt Dell is thorough when it comes to sightseeing. Luncheon and a matinee followed. It seemed too bad, she remarked, when we were already in town not to make the most of the afternoon. We finished the day at bridge arranged by our next door neighbors."

"The next morning at breakfast Aunt Dell murmured rather plaintively that she had never visited the Hall of Fame. That the Beardley had offered her opera tickets for the evening made no difference.

"The Hall of Fame won't take very long," said Aunt Dell. "Then we can run into a few shops and get home early."

"I gasped, but long experience has taught me better than to interfere with Aunt Dell as a program maker, and I refrained from comment. I told you so when we reached home just in time for a hasty bite before changing our clothes and catching the theatre train."

"Next day's schedule was varied by a morning concert at the Vanderbilt, followed by luncheon at the Cosmopolitan club, a smattering of shopping and an evening theatre party. Four days more of this and Aunt Dell took her departure. Her farewell to me was, 'I've had such a nice time with you, Mary, so much quieter than if I'd stayed in the city with the 'girls.'"

Beginning Well.

It isn't often these days that one finds such verdant innocence. He was plainly on his guard, and did not intend to be taken for a "greenhorn." Moreover, he was visibly proud of his promotion for the moment from general glass mopper to soda jerker, as the clerk-in-chief had been temporarily called away.

Young America, aged 11, came in and ordered a "chawclut soder!" With all the dignity in the world, the boy behind the counter concocted this delectable drink. "Now gimme a straw!" demanded the youngster.

The "greenhorn" drew himself up to his full five feet seven and answered with a sly twinkle that suggested the peat bogs of the Emerald Isle left behind him but recently, "We haven't thrashed yet!"

"Aw quit yer kiddin' and gimme a straw!" insisted the boy.

The woman, sipping hot chocolate near by, nodded toward the receptacle that contained the straws on a shelf behind the puzzled clerk.

"Oh, them!" he said wonderingly, as he heaped the youngster. "Who'd think them paper things were straw!" He smiled gratefully at the woman and frankly grinned at the joke on himself. "Sure, I thought he was tryin' to kid me," he confessed.

The woman nodded sympathetically. He will make cheerful citizen; he knows when the laugh is on him.

Out of a Job.

He came into Wellesley headquarters the other morning, dressed in rusty brown, his eyes pathetically begging for sympathy. Not that he really needed sympathy. For although he had lost his job he had fallen into a soft snafu, a home of comfort, where his mistress would be to gaze at his mistress with adoring eyes and lift a languid paw to shake hands with callers.

As the aforesaid mistress sat in consultation with the publicity chairman of the Wellesley campaign, discussing ways and means of rousing the public to an interest in keeping education safe for democracy, the little chap in rusty brown entertained the woman. "Where had she seen him before?" There was something vaguely familiar in that shaggy coat and those pathetic eyes.

Then suddenly the answer came. Surely she had seen the little fellow on the stage at "Deburau." "You're right," said his mistress. "Lost his job at the theatre because he would bark at the footlights. So he's mine now. Fallen into a soft snafu, I fear. So on the whole I fancy he's not sorry he was fired."

Little Remmy's



The Ocean.

The ocean extends from shore to shore And fills up the spaces between It is made up intirely of different size waves With keep each other clean.

On top of the ocean are all kinds of boats Sutch as saleboats and boats by steam With people on bord so seasick They wish it was ony a dream.

In the middle of the ocean are fishes, With few fins but many scales, Some are inconspicuous, like minnies, While some are the opposite, like whales.

On the bottom of the ocean are meadows, Half ladies and the other half fishes, They lean back on seaweed and comb out their hair And look like they felt delicious.

O beware of the ocean in a storm If you chance to be bathing nigh, And beware of it also wen the tide is low, For the next way it gets is high.

ECONOMIC INDIGESTION

By MORRIS



TINKER BOB STORIES

By CARLYSLE H. HOLCOMB.

THERE IS A C ALL FOR JACK

Now Tinker Bob was so pleased with the actions of Jenny Wren in the matter of giving Mr. Sparrow her home where he had lived all winter, that he had Jerry the Jay tell it everywhere. The King thought it might encourage others to be kind and do likewise. "Come here, Jenny," said he, "and tell me all about your plans for the summer."

Jenny was such a fussy little creature that it was difficult for her to hold still very long at one time. "Tut, tut, tut, tut, tut," said she, lighting in the King's hand, "I must look for Mr. Wren. I don't know where he's gone to, but I suppose he has found a place where we can build a house. That would be just like him. I know he told me about a fine place in the Hunter's orchard, but we didn't stop to look about any more for we wanted to get here as soon as possible."

"If you're the same little chatterbox as ever, and I don't know what the creatures of the forest would do without you either."

"Tut, tut, tut, tut, tut, there is Mr. Wren now with a mouth full of twigs, and such twigs. O dear, I do wish he would learn to gather twigs that I could use. Now drop those big sticks, Mr. Wren, you know I can't build a house with such large things, why they look like logs. Then we must look for a place to build anyway. There is no use gathering twigs when you don't have a place to build a house."

Mr. Wren dropped the twigs long enough to say a word, although it was hard to get a word in when Jenny was about. "But you didn't know that I found a place that is much better than this old house, and while I was wandering about I found these sticks that will do to make a frame."

"Tut, tut, tut, tut, tut, what an old dear you are, Wren. You see, O King, he is always doing just such things as that, and I can't help liking him, and then I get sorry for scolding him so much. But then



I can't build a house with such large things, why they look like logs.

he doesn't care. He just goes right along gathering sticks and singing. O King, have you seen Jack the Rabbit since you came back? Of all the dwellers in the Forest I like Jack the best. Of course he can't sing but O, how he can run and then he always likes to hear Mr. Wren sing. I tell you, O King, there is no better singer in the forest than Mr. Wren, if he is my husband and I do have to say it myself."

"Well, you shall see Jack, the Rabbit," said Tinker Bob and he tapped the Stone of Knowledge and suddenly Jack, the Rabbit, came out of the briar patch. "Come over here Jack, Mrs. Wren wants to talk to you."

"O King, you are the most wonderful fellow in the world, and I don't know what the forest folks would do without you."

Tomorrow—Mr. Wren Hears Some Things.

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

(Continued From Page One.)

"When it came to building additional destroyers, especially those of the large program, it was found that the ship building facilities of the country were fully absorbed with the vessels then under construction, and it would be necessary to create new facilities. The plans adopted required more than doubling the capacity available last summer for building destroyers, and that capacity was materially greater than before the war. In spite of speed in construction, these vessels are not being slighted in workmanship or appliances."

Experts Didn't See It. Looking back, I wished every day during the war that when we began the big naval expansion, in 1915, we had asked congress for the money to build 300 destroyers at that time. By concentration in 1915-16 we would have had most of them ready in the first months of the war. It is a fact, however, that no naval experts and nobody in congress suggested building the capital ships and building the big destroyer program we began in the stress of war."

Across the seas what was the great naval error of our allies? Some of the ablest writers declare that it was the tactics of Admiral Jellicoe at the battle of Jutland.

The admiral had written a most interesting book undertaking to show that his method of fighting the battle was right when all the conditions are considered.

The admiral is a brave and learned officer, and a gentleman of charm and real stuff, but he made the mistake of his life when he wrote his story of the grand fleet.

"Confession and Avoidance." I read it on my way to Europe in March, 1919, and began it with a feeling that Admiral Jellicoe had been harshly and unjustly treated by the critics. But, when I read the last chapter my feeling was the same as that of a distinguished Britisher whom I met a few weeks later and who said to me:

"For his own reputation Jellicoe ought not to have written that book. At the best it is a plea of confession and avoidance."

The basis for this opinion lies in the fact that the admiral charges his failure to win a decisive victory to the superiority of the Germans in certain material (and the low visibility that prevailed); whereas the admiralty had told the world that in this very material Great Britain excelled all other nations—and Jellicoe had directed its material division.

Commander Bellairs, M. P., may be too severe in his criticism of Admiral Jellicoe, but all who are interested in the naval history of the war should read both Jellicoe and Bellairs—and I hope we will be able to read some day Jellicoe in reply to Bellairs.

Point of Controversy. The crux of the battle is: Should Jellicoe have turned the whole fleet away at 7:10 because "a flotilla of enemy destroyers supported by a cruiser was observed on a bearing S. 50 degrees W. from Iron Duke?" Bellairs says: "It was to avoid this attack of eleven destroyers that 27 battleships turned away." "It is impossible," Bellairs continues, "to imagine a more definite break from the whole spirit of naval tradition or its practice, united to modern inventions of the golden rule that once an enemy is sighted he must be cut off, closely engaged and annihilated. Out cruisers and destroyers who could have pressed home their own attacks on the enemy line, were by this time in the van." Finally, after an elaborate discussion, Bellairs says: "It suffices here to remark that no turn ought to have presented itself to a British admiral but the turn toward the enemy."

Admiral Jellicoe went in command of the British grand fleet after long and honorable service in the admiralty. Is that the reason why he placed prudence above daring? The doctrine of "fast in being" had long ago been upheld by the admiralty. Admiral Jellicoe felt that the safety of the world depended upon the ability of the British navy to prevent the escape of the German fleet to the high seas. If he failed in dashing after the enemy fleet under conditions he deemed adverse, was it not due to his long shore experience and his intense conviction that he must, at all hazards, preserve British superiority in ships on the sea.

On Shore Too Long. I remember some years ago that a certain naval officer, who stood high in the service, went in command of a battleship after three years of shore duty.

"How is Capt. Y—getting on?" I asked Admiral Fletcher, then commander-in-chief of the fleet. "He has been on the shore too long," replied Admiral Fletcher. "There is but one way to be a successful, ready and quick captain of a ship, and that is to practice all the duties afloat."

Afterward that officer, highly esteemed, was plucked.

When the time came for the United States navy to enter active war service, even before the declaration of war, I gave the positions of greatest importance afloat to men of the longest and latest experience at sea—Mayo in command of all our forces at home and abroad; Rodman in command of our dreadnaughts in the North sea; Wilson first in charge of the patrol squadron and later in command of the French coast, protecting our transports; Gleaves in command of the cruiser and transport force, safeguarding and carrying our soldiers overseas; Rogers in command of dreadnaughts watching for German raiders off the British and French coasts, and others of long seagoing experience.

Greatest Error of Allies. What was the biggest naval error of the war committed by the allies? I think the answer is plain and easily understood now by both expert and layman: It was the failure to erect, at the beginning of submarine warfare, back in 1914-15, effectual barrages across the North sea and the English channel, in the Mediterranean and at the entrance to the Adriatic sea. If efforts had been directed to this end sinkings by submarines would have been greatly lessened and ended long before the combined naval forces were equal to the big job of making U-boat warfare unsafe.

The deeds of the destroyers and other naval craft glorify the world war. But if the day war was declared, as the first naval offensive in that area, the French and British had made the channel from Dover to Calais impossible of passage by an enemy submarine that would have been supreme and effective strategy.

If barrages, such as we afterward laid across the North sea, had been erected there and across the straits of Otranto, the U-boats would have been so hemmed in that Germany would have realized early in the struggle that she could not hope to win the war by their use. Millions of tons of shipping would have been saved, and it would have changed the whole trend of the war at sea.

Errors in Plenty. There were plenty of errors—navy and army—on both sides of the Atlantic—errors made by able and patriotic men, as there always are.

Some will ask, Why should errors be discussed now that the war is over, and all the allied and associated powers did so well? Admiral Beatty furnishes the answer in these words:

"We make many mistakes, and it is our business today to see that the lessons have been taken to heart, and that we shall not again be found in such a state that we have to face the greatest crisis in history with improvised methods, working from hand to mouth. It may be said that the result was good enough with such methods; but was it? We have surely no right to continue to rely on improvisations. We in the navy know well our defects and it is our business to face them, to leave no stone unturned to avoid a repetition of the mistakes from which we have suffered in the past."

(Another article by former Secretary Daniels will be printed tomorrow.)

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS
By GEORGE BINGHAM.

Sid Hocks got off a good joke the best time he was at Tickville. He wanted his shoes fixed, and the shoe shop is in one corner of the meat market, and he went in and told them he wanted a round-steak half sole.

In the fourth reel of the western movie at the Tickville opera house Saturday night a hard rain storm came up and swept across the desert plains, and several in the audience got up and hurried out to cover up the hoods on their cars.

Ellick Helwanger, who on yesterday bought a pair of pants just exactly like the ones worn by the Deputy Constable, was arrested this morning for trying to impersonate an officer of the law.

SENATE RAIL INQUIRY SET FOR MAY 10 BY CUMMINS

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Chairman Cummins of the Senate Interstate Commerce Commission announced that the general inquiry into railroad conditions would begin May 10. Railway executives will be the first witnesses.

RANGER TODAY

By WILLIAM A. HART

ARTICLE 3.
HOW DO WE GET THAT WAY?

When I stepped off the Wichita, Ranger and Fort Worth train last night, on my return from a visit to Breckenridge, I felt as if I had hit New York after a month in the "brush."

Ranger is a city, with the looks of a city, and the atmosphere of a city. The miracle of Oklahoma City which drove the pessimists and knockers into their holes is going to be surpassed by Ranger. I feel sure of that.

But the comparison between Breckenridge and Ranger is something more than a surface contrast. It makes a man think.

In the phrase of the day, "How did Ranger get that way?"

Two years ago, they tell us, Ranger was like Breckenridge, only more so. What was it that made Ranger a city? How comes it that at Breckenridge you feel as if you were at a circus and in Ranger as if you were in a community?

There are thousands of "old inhabitants" who could give the answer. It was a matter of co-operation.

The crowd that used to step off of the special trains that ran up Main street like an armistice parade had just one motto: "Every man for himself."

If that motto had been carried out to the limit Ranger today would consist of one man who had devoured the person and the property of every other man who came here, because he was the strongest.

And when he had devoured it, it wouldn't be worth the swallowing. Because there wouldn't be anybody but him to trade in the stores, nobody else to eat in the restaurants; nor any stores nor any restaurants.

So much for pure theory. What did happen was that the men of Ranger got together. They got together for streets. They got together for a water supply. They got together for law and order. They got together for banking facilities. They got together for a fire department. They got together for a railroad.

They began this from the day Ranger, Field was discovered, just as Breckenridge is doing, and the more they got together, the better things grew. And the better they grew the more they got together.

Out of systematic getting together grew organization. Companies, city departments, clubs and the Chamber of Commerce.

The purely selfish men couldn't organize because the selfish man plays a lone hand. Therefore it followed that it was the best who organized.

It is still the best who organizes. In organizations will always be found the best. And the man who doesn't join with his fellowmen for progress thereby characterizes himself beyond all argument as not belonging to the best.

Out of organization grew a program. Part of this program was thought out ahead, and dried. Part of it was a matter of principle. "This organization," said the Chamber of Commerce, for instance, "will do what its hand finds to do for the community."

And when a big modern city grew up out of the midst of Ranger camp, like the rose a magician creates with his wand out of ground, it was the spirit of organization that did it.

It is all very well to wag a head and wave an expressive hand, and I have been doing since I came to Ranger and explain over the miracle of what I see. It shows how I feel. And I shall go away from Ranger with more admiration bottled up in me than I can possibly get out of me here. "You ought to see Ranger," is a song I am going to sing for a long time.

But, good friends of Ranger, excited admiration isn't going to do you any good, although it pleases your very good pride.

The thing you want to know is the principle of growth that has brought Ranger so far, so that that principle can be captured as other germs are captured and propagated.

It's a family secret, which you know it. Like the law of gravity or of tree-grafting.

Ranger has become a city by organization, co-operation and a program.

The Chamber of Commerce is this week asking everybody to make suggestions for Ranger's program for coming year. Questionnaires are being sent out to the membership mailing list. Everybody is welcome to participate.

Answer these questions. Tell the Chamber of Commerce what Ranger needs this year. Ranger has got to go on. Ranger is going to go on. Ranger will go where its citizens want it to go, if they want hard enough and "want together."

How did Ranger get that way? By a program of progress. It has taken her quite a distance, I'll tell the world.

Band yourself together and let your actions be the result of your thinking, your loyalty and your righteousness.

TOO MUCH SUN MAY CAUSE DISEASE, ASSERTS DOCTOR

LONDON, May 3.—"Temperance in sun, as in all things," is the rule laid down by Dr. Crawshaw Holt, medical officer of Glasgow, who has caused a sensation by declaring that sunlight is a prolific cause of disease. "It is necessary to remove from people's minds the impression that unlimited exposure to the sun must be beneficial." The chemical action of the sun produces certain alterations in the cells of the body which make them suitable food for disease germs.

HOW BLUE LAWS WOULD REDUCE U. S. REVENUES

By RALPH FORD COUCH
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Sunday closing of movies, soda fountains, tobacco stores and the like, as urged by blue law enthusiasts, would cost the federal government nearly \$1,000,000 a Sunday in reduced taxes, it was estimated here today on the basis of returns of the Internal Revenue bureau.

The loss of \$2,000,000 a year is a mere drop in the bucket to the government, which last year collected nearly \$5,500,000,000 in taxes, according to blue law proponents. This shortage could easily be made up through taxes from other sources, it is urged.

A federal anti-cigarette law, proposed by those behind the legal purification movement, would cost the government approximately \$150,000,000 a year. That was the amount collected last year on cigarettes. A law forbidding the sale of tobacco in all forms would mean a loss of nearly \$200,000,000 a year. In this connection it is disclosed that snuff, so much affected by our grandfathers, has not yet completely gone out of fashion. Snuff taxes last year netted the government nearly \$7,000,000, or nearly \$2,000,000 more than the year before.

Taxes totaling about \$663,000 are collected directly by the government on cigarettes, soft drink beverages, movie admissions and tobacco for each Sunday of the year. This was estimated on the basis of one-seventh of the total tax collections from these sources, with the exception of tobacco. From this source only one-twentieth or 5 per cent was subtracted, since it is assumed that Sunday closing of tobacco shops would not reduce sales in direct proportion to the period when purchases could not be made. Addicts of the weed, it is assumed, would stock up on Saturday.

EIGHT JAPS DROWN!

By Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—Eight members of the crew of the Japanese steamer Tokuyo Maru died after they were taken aboard the United States army transport Buford, according to a wireless received today from Captain Suzuki of the Tokuyo by Toyo Kisen Kaisha, owners of the burned vessel.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE TO THE LEGION HOTEL

Improvements which promise to add much to its appearance and to the comfort of guests are being made by J. B. Ames to the Legion hotel. The street entrance is being boarded up and a spacious lobby is being arranged on the ground floor to the left. The lobby entrance will be immediately on the street and a broad stairway will lead directly from the lobby to the upper floors instead of from the street to the second floor lobby as formerly. A profusion of plants and flowers in rustic flower boxes will lend color and restfulness to the new arrangement.

NEWSPAPER MAN FINED \$1 FOR LIBEL ON COURT

CHICAGO, May 3.—Leonard G. Edwardson, Chicago correspondent for a New York paper, today was fined \$1 and costs by Judge Taylor. He was charged with criminal libel against Judge McDonald, chief justice of the superior court.

The case resulted from articles written by Edwardson alleged to have misquoted Judge McDonald and others concerning the 1919 world series scandal. Edwardson publicly apologized.

Unnecessary.

"I haven't any sympathy for the man who beats his wife," said a passenger in the smoker of the 5:15.

"Well," said another, a timid undersized fellow. "A man who can beat his wife doesn't need any sympathy."

It would take more than two billion earths placed side by side to form a continuous spherical shell around the sun at a distance equal to the earth's distance.

CHARGES OF FORGERY INVOLVE TWO MEN

Charges of forgery have been filed against J. Turner and W. H. Sanders in the court of Justice of the Peace Roger Fenlaw in connection with two checks with the signature of M. Claverie appended to them. Claverie, who denies the signatures, signed the complaint.

One check for \$81.35 was payable to J. Turner and was cashed by R. L. Faircloth. The other for \$48.00 was payable to Sanders and went through the bank upon which it was drawn. The checks were given on February 2, and the alleged forgery only discovered Monday when Claverie asked the bank for his statement.

The men had not been arrested Tuesday morning.

CATTLE RAISERS PROTEST TO I. C. C. ON FREIGHT RAISE

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Farmers, livestock producers and shippers have filed complaints with the Interstate Commerce Commission.

They charged railroads had increased the fixed charges for handling live stock in Chicago to a greater percentage than authorized by the commission last August increasing all rates.

PENNSYLVANIA STATE TROOPERS CALLED 'COSSACKS'

BOSTON, May 3.—Charles J. Hodson, legislative agent for the American Federation of Labor, in opposing a bill for the creation of state constabulary today, referred to the Pennsylvania mounted force as "a body of Cossacks who ride down men, women and children."

He asserted that the real purpose of the force "is the use of its members as strike-breakers."

FOUR-YEAR-OLD MAKES OCEAN TRIP ALONE



Smiling coyly and waving a cheery good-bye to her dad on the pier, Miss Phyllis Toeque, four years old, of Louisville, Ky., recently sailed from New York for England to visit her grandparents. Phyllis' mother died last year, and her father could not leave his business to accompany her. However, he saw her put safely aboard the steamer. It was an old story to the little traveler from Louisville, however, for this is her third trip across.

MAY INHERIT FORTUNE FROM MILLIONAIRE HERMT.



One of the most amazing stories brought to light in New York has been revealed in the death of Calvin Amory Stevens. Stevens a millionaire lived as a recluse in the heart of New York's financial district, while his wife and daughter lived in a beautiful mansion in Brooklyn. Complications have now resulted over the will, which is missing. It is estimated he left a \$15,000,000 estate. A few days before his death his daughter, Katherine, eloped with Richard Fagan, a twenty-year-old Dartmouth University student. Mrs. Fagan is eighteen years old. The illustration shows Mrs. Jessie I. Stevens, his widow, his daughter, Katherine, and Calvin Stevens, de Sousa, his five-year-old grandson, who are expected to share in the fortune left by the eccentric millionaire.

WELFARE NURSE FOR COUNTY EXAMINING SCHOOL CHILDREN

The county welfare nurse who has been assigned to Eastland county by the county chapter of the Red Cross is at present engaged in examining the school children of the county. The nurse, Miss Jean Meyers, is from Temple and comes highly recommended. She has finished examining the children of the Eastland schools and this week is at Carbon. Later she expects to come to Ranger. Her headquarters are in Eastland.

Her services have been tendered the local health physician whenever needed.

Miss Meyers' greatest work will be to guard the school children from contagious diseases and to this end she will watch over them carefully for the

first cropping of an ailment of any nature. It is said that by this care quite often Red Cross nurses save schools from an epidemic.

WOMAN DENOUNCES DIVORCE LAWS WHICH HARM CHILDREN.

CHICAGO, May 3.—An anonymous letter denouncing the divorce laws of Illinois, written evidently by a woman whose marriage was recently annulled, was received by Judge Lewis, who is hearing divorce cases in the Superior Court.

The author denounces the laws which make her children, by the marriage which has been declared void, illegitimate.

The solar energy received by an area of 250 acres of tropical desert in the middle of a summer day amounts to about a million horsepower; more than enough to supply all the heat and power used by a great city.

'CUPID'S PARK' TO BE BUILT FOR KANSAS CITY SPOONERS

KANSAS CITY, Kan., May 3.—Water Commissioner Chapman has officially decreed that Kansas City shall have a "Cupid's Park." Because spooning is condemned in other city parks, his department will set aside eleven acres of land to be converted into a park.

In Chapman's park there will be "nooks," benches and swings "just comfortable for two."

WILL CUTS WIFE OFF WITH \$1; GIVES HALF-SISTER ALL.

MIDDLETON, N. Y., May 3.—In a will just admitted to probate at

Goshen, William B. Limberger bequeathed \$1 to his wife, Kathryn H. Limberger, who resides somewhere in Cattaraugus County.

All the rest of the estate, of whatever nature, was bequeathed to his half-sister, Josephine Limberger, of Binghamton. In the will he explained that his wife had left him.

COLLECTIVE MARKETING BILL REPORTED IN HOUSE

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The House Judiciary committee ordered today a favorable report on the Volstead bill permitting organization by farmers, ranchmen, dairymen and fruit growers for purposes of collec-

tive marketing.

The Secretary of Agriculture would have supervisory powers, enabling him to prevent efforts in restraint of trade to unduly advance the prices of products handled by the associations.

CHARGE OF INSANITY FILED AGAINST WOMAN

Charged with insanity, Mrs. Eula Owens was yesterday sent to Eastland for hearing. The complaint was made before Justice of the Peace Roger Fenlaw. The woman's husband made a statement as to her condition as did Dr. W. C. Palmer.

SHRINERS ATTENTION

Notice to All Newly Created Shriners

DANCE

—All Shriners and their ladies are cordially invited and expected to be present at the reception and dance to be given by the Ranger Shrine Club in the Gholson Hotel Thursday evening, May fifth, nine o'clock.

—An invitation is extended to all visiting nobles and especially to the newly created Shriners. The dance is given in their honor.

—This reception and dance is for Shriners and their ladies EXCLUSIVELY.

Musis by Illinois Five Informal. Wear Your Fez Entertainment Committee.

INITIATION

The Ranger Shrine Club will meet at Masonic Temple in session extraordinary for the purpose of initiating all newly created nobles into the Ranger Shrine Club, Friday evening at 8 o'clock, May 6.

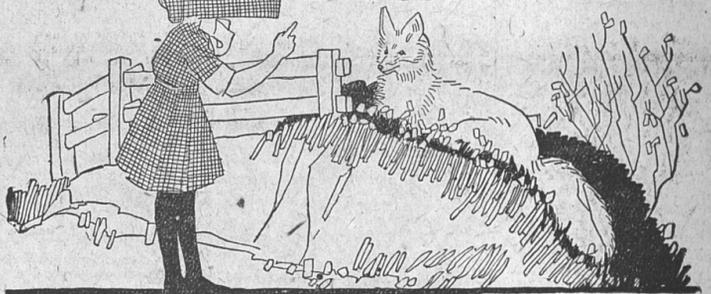
—The YEKONOM degree will be conferred in full form by Noble Nelson Henman.

Those nobles who do not report for initiation will be taken up by the PATROL and it is unpleasant to dwell upon the fate of such. A word to the wise should be sufficient.

A smoker and buffet luncheon as well as several vaudeville performances will follow the initiation.

Every Shriner in Ranger and Eastland county should be present for this affair. By order of the President, NOBLE HARRKIDER, ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

THE MERRY JOURNEYS OF MARY JANE



Mr. Sly got red in the face when Mary Jane spoke to him

Mary Jane and the Little Red Fox

ONE day Mary Jane was going to school, and she met Mr. Sly, the red fox.

Mary Jane said, "Good morning. You ought to be ashamed of yourself for stealing old Mrs. Gamp's chicken last night. Don't you know she was saving that chicken for when the minister was coming?"

Mr. Sly got red in the face. And then he said he was going along peaceably, minding his own business, and then her old hen ran right out and bit him. So what could he do? He had to protect himself, didn't he?

When Mary Jane heard this, of course, she was very sorry she had

blamed Mr. Sly. Mary Jane did not know he was not telling the truth. And so she sat down on a big log by the side of the road and opened up her lunch basket, and she and the little red fox had a party.

But the best of all were the two big slices of bread spread with Mary Jane Syrup and put together. Mary Jane ate one and Mr. Sly ate the other. And Mr. Sly said that nothing was so good as Mary Jane Syrup. And never again would he eat chicken. And he didn't.

LOOK FOR the next Mary Jane story about "Mary Jane and Billy Stinger."

FREE For all children. The complete set of 20 Mary Jane Fairy Tales, beautifully illustrated. Sent free upon receipt of one Mary Jane Label taken from can of Mary Jane Syrup. Write Corn Products Refining Company, Argo, Illinois.

That Sorghum Flavor

Mary Jane Syrup is as sweet and wholesome as its name. No matter how particular you are about "flavor" Mary Jane will please every member in your family. And it costs you less than most syrups.

Get a can today at your grocer's.



MARY JANE SYRUP

WITH THAT DELICIOUS SORGHUM FLAVOR

W. E. KINGSBURY
District Sales Representative
300 North Gray St., Dallas, Tex.

That

"Genuine" and "All Wool and a Yard Wide"

CLOSING OUT SALE

Continues Each Day at



105 South Marston Street Between Main and Pine

For Wednesday Special

WE OFFER YOU—
Big Misses and Women's
Brown Kid Two Strap Low
Shoes—Low Heels

\$4.95

Above in Misses' Sizes, 11½ to 2

\$3.95

Also

Any Woman's High Shoes Regardless of Price from \$10 to \$17.50

\$5.00

Men's Shoes

At Actual Cost from

\$4.95 up

"Buy Your Shoes in a Shoe Store"

G-A-S-O-L-I-N-E

22c

a Gallon with Twenty-four Hours a Day SERVICE

STORAGE \$12.50

A MONTH—NEVER CLOSED

CHANNEY REPAIR SHOP

309 Main St.

—We have taken over the storage, gas and oils of RANGER GARAGE COMPANY.

WEST TEXAS CHAMBER TO DISCUSS IMPORTS OF MEXICAN FUEL OIL

STAMFORD, Texas, May 3.—A meeting of the oil and gas committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been called for Wednesday, May 11, at Wichita Falls, to consider the oil situation in West Texas and especially to consider the matter of a duty on Mexican petroleum shipped to this country. The importation of Mexican oil has been a serious handicap to domestic producers and refiners, according to prominent oil men, and the matter of urging a duty on this is being considered by American producers.

The meeting was suggested by many of the Texas operators with the belief that the West Texas Chamber of Commerce could find some remedy for existing conditions in the oil fields of Texas. The meeting will be held promptly at 10 o'clock in the rooms of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce. The oil and gas committee of the organization is com-

posed of W. B. Sutton of Eastland, chairman; W. D. Cline of Wichita Falls, Temple Peters of Ranger, C. M. Caldwell of Breckenridge, Eugene Shannon of Fort Worth and M. J. Gilmartin of Eliasville. Representatives from the various oil fields of Texas and refiners will be present to discuss the situation and offer suggestions for handling the matter.

JOHN D. GHOLSON MARRIED IN OKLAHOMA; BREAKS NEWS MONDAY

John D. Gholson, son of Mayor John M. Gholson, is a benedict. He has enjoyed that delectable title for some weeks, but Monday was the first inkling of the change in his status that he had conveyed to his parents. However, when his bride arrived from a visit to her parents in Joplin, Mo., something had to be done, so he up and told them.

The bride was formerly Miss Irene Smith, who met young Gholson while a nurse in the Ranger General hospital. But the wedding didn't take place in Ranger. Neither of the pair has yet obtained voting age, and John didn't know whether he would be spanked or not. So the affair rested until about a month ago he went to Oklahoma to see after some of the Gholson interests there. And there the wedding took place. After the honeymoon, the bride spent a week with her parents, and young Gholson returned home, saying nothing. But brides can't stay away indefinitely, and so it was up to John. He confessed.

And that was all there was to it.

Certain entomologists have become so familiar with the different sounds made by insects that they have discovered new species of crickets by their chirping alone.

IN THE COURTS

COUNTY COURT.

C. J. Daniels vs. Anna M. Pancoast, suit for debt.

C. W. Cox vs. Alvin Coldiron, suit for debt.

88TH DISTRICT COURT.

C. S. Richardson vs. Margaret Richardson, suit for divorce.

Texas & Pacific Coal & Oil Co., vs. Mrs. Mabel Wilson.

Grubbs Realty Co., vs. V. R. Giddens et al, suit for debt.

91ST DISTRICT COURT

James R. Stafford vs. Clay Boiler & Machine Co., suit for debt.

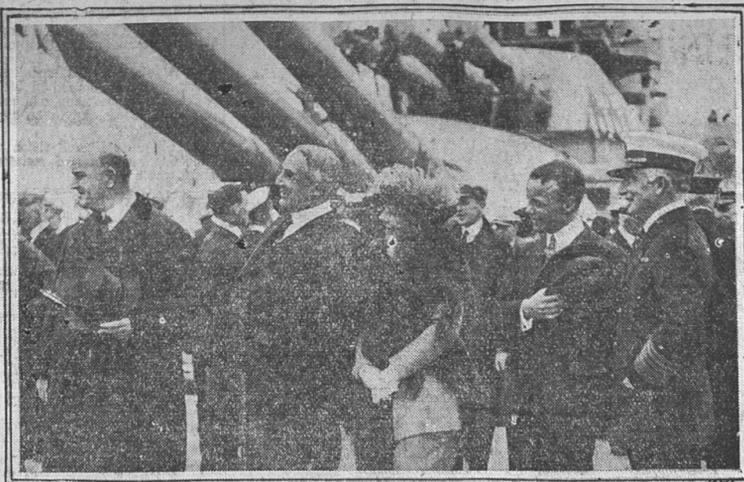
Isaac C. Highsmith et al vs. Leonard W. Miller, trespass to try title.

A. R. Wood et al vs. Robt. C. Storrie et al, suit for debt.



Mrs. John Deynzer, of Evanston, Ill., prominent society leader, who has turned over a six-acre tract fronting on Lake Michigan for the purpose of erecting a "tent city" to house the victims of Chicago rent profiteers. Tents and portable houses may be erected on the site at the option of the tenant, and the rent will be just sufficient to cover the cost of electric lights, gas and general upkeep. The tenants must furnish their own tents or houses.

President Harding Reviews Great Atlantic Fleet



Eleven battleships and forty destroyers, submarines and auxiliaries passed the Presidential yacht Mayflower in Hampton Roads, President Harding reviewing the great fleet. As the warships passed the reviewing yacht the men swarmed the rails, the 1,400 on the flagship Pennsylvania and the eight on the submarine E-8 making the same effort to please the commander-in-chief. More than a thousand craft of all descriptions were ranged about the parade ground. One of the most impressive sights was the aircraft circling about the Mayflower. The photograph shows President and Mrs. Harding aboard the Pennsylvania. From left to right—Secretary of the Navy Denby, President Harding, Mrs. Harding, Assistant secretary of the Navy Roosevelt, and Admiral Wilson, commander of the Atlantic fleet.

STILLMAN'S DESIRE TO QUIT HIS JOB IS GRANTED BY BANK

By United Press
NEW YORK, May 3.—Resignation of Jas. P. Stillman as president of the National City bank has been accepted, it was announced today.

Charles E. Mitchell, president of the National City company has been elected to succeed him, it was stated.

Stillman's resignation was first offered several weeks ago but refused at that time.

Hearings in the divorce suit in which he and his wife are suing each other are to be resumed tomorrow.

HARDING OBJECTS.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, May 3.—President Harding, it was learned today, is opposed to any stipulation regarding the calling of a disarmament conference being carried in the naval appropriations bill.

Ranger Barber Hopes to Accumulate "Boo-Koo Jack" With Patented Devices

Roller bearings for hair clippers with mechanism about as intricate as a safety razor blade is the device with which Vincent Nicosia of the Southland barber shop intends to accumulate considerable "jack," by aiding even if not entirely revolutionizing the tonsorial industry. It's the simple device that no one else ever thought of that leave the biggest impress on industry.

The article, a clip with two small rollers on its bearing surface, is designed to fit over the clippers to make their up and down sliding smoother for the operator and more pleasant for the artist's victim.

Ranger will be sales headquarters for the entire United States, according to Nicosia's plans, and an active selling campaign started Tuesday when he placed an agent on the road, to cover the entire Southwest and on up into Illinois, appointing sub-agents as he goes. That is but a starter. Good results in this territory will mean expansion until the eyes of the barber world are turned on Ranger as the home of ultra-efficiency in barberdom.

As for returns, they are mathematical; having seen it once, no tonsorial artist can be without one. There are about eighty barbers in Ranger. Say there are a few too set in their ways to try it. That leaves seventy customers. Seventy customers, seventy dollars. Now if there are seventy barbers in Ranger who want one and the ratio holds good, there are, er, ah, er hum, let me see, barbers in Texas alone, and in the whole United States there are, er, ah, uh hum more. Anyway, it figures up that there are several hundred thousand sales in prospect for the device.

Nicosia received the patent for his

350 MEXICANS SHIPPED FROM FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, May 3.—After being fed by Fort Worth, 350 destitute Mexicans were this morning placed on a special train and started for their homes in Mexico. They will disembark at Laredo to enter their native country. Transportation was provided by the Mexican government.

During the past several months the number of idle Mexicans has been increasing in Fort Worth and the city and welfare associations have been doing all they could to relieve their distress. A Mexican bread line has been a common sight. With this number removed it is thought that the situation will be much improved.

SEEK ARCHITECT TO DRAW PLANS FOR LEGION HOSPITAL

AUSTIN, May 3.—Selection of an architect to draw plans for the American Legion Memorial hospital, erection and equipment of which is to cost the state \$1,500,000, was the purpose of the building committee of the legion meeting here today.

Commenting on demand by the legion executive committee that construction begin immediately, Chairman F. B. Cowell of the state board of control said today that preparatory work is being carried on as rapidly as possible.

"We are guided in this work by the law and it will be our policy to follow the law no matter what criticism might be made," Cowell said.

'BOND INTOXICATION' IS A NEW KIND OF JAG

CHICAGO, May 3.—Acquittal of Willie Dalton, 17-year-old boy who walked away from the Northern Trust company with \$772,000 worth of Liberty bonds was asked today on the grounds of "bond intoxication."

His attorney, Thomas Nash, in making the closing argument for the defense, said:

"This boy should go free. He suffered from bond intoxication. He only made \$2 a day and handled millions of dollars in bonds. The bonds made his head spin and then he was not responsible."

article last September and since then he has been testing it out and making a contract for its manufacture.

POLICE DRAWING NET AROUND ROBBERS WHO LOOTED LEADER STORE

The web of the law is slowly weaving itself around the person or persons who were implicated in the Leader store \$8,000 robbery several days ago, according to a statement made Tuesday by Chief of Police Reynolds. The police expect to make an arrest shortly, he said.

The store was entered through the rear and merchandise of the most expensive grade to the estimated amount of \$8,000 was stolen.

CHARMS BERLIN WITH HER SNAKE DANCE



Miss Annie Gerzer in her snake dance, which is the sensation of the theatrical season in Berlin. Her make-up expresses the veryspirit of serpentine charm and repellent attraction, and the strange snakey fascination of her dance is admirably shown in the accompanying photograph. Miss Gerzer is admittedly the snakiest snake-woman ever seen.

A PROPOSAL FOR RANGER

Does Ranger no good unless somebody carries it out.

- Everybody Knows What Ranger Needs.**
But Ranger won't get what she needs unless somebody DOES something about it.
- Ranger Is Going to Grow.**
If everybody pulls together on a program of progress. Team Thinking and Team Work is building great cities all over the country.
- The Ranger Chamber of Commerce.**
is the only organization in Ranger that exists and works SOLELY FOR THE GOOD OF RANGER.
- Join Tomorrow.**
When you are called on by one of the Chamber of Commerce recruiting committee and asked to do so. These men, hard-headed business men, are giving a day to Ranger, Wednesday, May 4th, to recruit new members to the Ranger Chamber of Commerce. THEY KNOW IT'S GOOD BUSINESS TO ORGANIZE FOR RANGER.

"DOING YOUR DUTY TO YOUR COMMUNITY ISN'T A SACRIFICE; IT'S GOOD BUSINESS"

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS in the DAILY TIMES
 Ranger, Texas.
 One Time2c per word
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Use These Papers to Cover the Oil Fields

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 Orders not taken over the telephone unless advertiser has regular account.

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 35 Words1.65 5.55 9.45
 40 Words1.90 6.40 10.90
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Forward copy to any of the three papers, with your remittance. Copy will be run first possible issue after receipt.

No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

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

No advertisement accepted on a "bill forbidden" order; a specific number of insertions must be given.

Notice to discontinue advertisements must be given in writing, otherwise we are not responsible.

We reserve the right to place all classified advertisements under their proper classification and to reject unclear or objectionable copy.

MINUTE MOVIES



18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Shine stand. Guaranty Smoke Shop.

Aluminum 6-cup percolator, \$1.50; aluminum 2-quart daub boiler, \$1.50; aluminum 1-quart steamer, 40c; 2 quart steamer, 50c; 2-quart Acme freezer, \$2.50; Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk st.

FOR SALE at a Bargain—A Hoffman press, practically new. 320 So. Austin st.

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 Leveille-Maher Motor Co. Phone 217.

FOR SALE—House and lot; cash or terms; will trade for good wagon and team or Ford car. Apply 503 Byrnes Ave.

FOR SALE—We have an 8-room modern house, and garage for cars, to be sold at a bargain. 404 Main.

3-room house, 2 gas stoves and other furniture. \$135. Inquire 648 N. Marston street.

ROOMING HOUSE for sale cheap. Good location, cheap rent. Apply Times office.

FOR SALE—3 room house. Clem Lumber Co.

16—AUTOMOBILES

SPRINGS, gears, gas tanks, wheels, magnetos, carburetors, n'everything. Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk St., Ranger, Texas.

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

FOR SALE—Harley-Davidson motorcycle, three-speed, 1917 model, \$100. Ralph Dunkle, South Austin st.

WANTED—To trade 6-cylinder Buick Roadster for 5-passenger Buick. Box 1118.

WELDING and Blacksmith work solicited. Have us rebuild, reset or make your springs—any style—any size. Hub City Garage, 211 Elm st., block west of postoffice.

GET YOUR automobile repaired at your own home by first-class mechanics. \$1.00 per hour. All work strictly guaranteed. Call 406 Main Street.

AUTOMOBILE PAINTING, Tops, Cushions and Seat Covers built and repaired. Fenders and bodies straightened. Reasonable prices. R. Lodes Bros., 2nd door from W. U. office.

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

FURNITURE bought, sold and exchanged. Ranger Furniture Exchange, Terrell Bldg., Rusk st.

19—FOR TRADE OR EXCHANGE

FOR SALE or exchange, rooming house for auto, truck, or anything of value. Inquire 115 Walnut st.

21—LEGAL NOTICE

The Hub City Garage now operating the garage formerly known as Stovall Bros. garage. We assumed no indebtedness or obligation of the said Stovall Bros. garage. We will appreciate your patronage and extend every courtesy.

HUB CITY GARAGE
 Next to Daily Times.

NOTICE.
 On the 9th day of May I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash at the city pound, the following described live stock:
 One brown mare, 8 years old, 14 hands high.
 One black mare mule, 3 years old.
 One brown horse, 3 years old, no brands.
 L. E. DAVENPORT,
 Pound Collector.

WILL TRADE FOR RANGER REAL ESTATE

I have party owning 205 acres of Ellis county river valley land will trade for Ranger real estate, improved or unimproved. As you probably know, Ellis county is the richest cotton producing county in the world, and this valley land is the richest part of the county. See C. J. Dietrich, or Mr. Moffett at Paramount Hotel.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—5x6-ft. rig iron, drilling and fishing tools, 30 H. P. Reid gas engine, 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. Gladwell Oil and Refining Co., Tiffin, Tex., phone 329.

FOR TRADE—Three good 106 young calves. Ross 106 Hunt.

EVANGELIST SAYS CHRISTIAN GAIN IS MORE THAN LOSSES

"I challenge you to show me one thing that a Christian loses but what is really best for him when he accepts Christ. Everything he gives up is something that has been hurting him. You give up nothing to what you will get from God. It is easy to give up sin when you can get gold in its place and it is a lot easier to give up sin for God. There are some of you that are not Christians because of something in your life you cannot or will not give up—it is sin and sin is keeping thousands from being a Christian."

So declared Evangelist Bassett at the first Baptist church last night to another large audience. Continuing his subject on "Excuses," Mr. Bassett said: "Some one says 'I am waiting till I understand the Bible and Christianity,' my friend you might have the biggest brain in the universe but you would never understand God. Do you know all about a fly's foot with its two thousand hairs that enable it to walk upside down on a ceiling? Also about its eight thousand eyes? Then don't fuss about the Bible. No one understands about how that meal you eat tonight enters your body and is assimilated into muscle, bone, flesh and hair, and finger nails, do you?"

There is one way for you to get out of your skepticism and that is to wait till God floods your soul with His light and for you to start out from this room with the determination to obey His will as He will reveal it to you."

EASTLAND IS BUSY WITH OIL ACTIVITIES

New Rig Up Chastain Lease And Groce Bros. Will Spud in Soon.

Special to the Times.

EASTLAND, May 2.—A new rig has been erected on the Chastain lease, just south of town, and the Groce Bros., who have the contract, will spud in shortly. Lobaugh et al. are down 2650 feet on the Davenport lease and are casing off water, while the Donley Drilling company, drilling the Mart Hill No. 2 in the same vicinity, is down to 1650 feet. Both these operations are almost within the city limits of Eastland on the south. Just west of these operations the Banner Oil syndicate, on the Stubbsfield tract, is drilling, just south of the shallow Rust field, making rapid progress, and should be in the vicinity of the shallow sand shortly. This well is being drilled by Masch brothers, contractors. Masie and others adjoining are drilling ahead on another well, in the same vicinity and on the same tract. The Star State Oil Co. is drilling just north of them and across the Cisco road with a Star rig on the Batten lease, within 600 feet of the Rust No. 1.

The States Oil corporation, one of the earliest independent concerns operating in this field, has ten new locations and two rigs northeast of Eastland, on the Dooley, Holleman, Hise, Loper, Nix, Barrack, Earnest, Barber and Bartlett tracts, as well as several wells drilling.

Officials of the Okeh-Ranger Oil Co., which has recently drilled a dry hole on the Williamson tract, have announced they will drill two additional wells, one on the Owens, offsetting the well of the Eldorado Oil and Gas Co. on the Bobo tract, and another on the Matthews tract, in the same vicinity of which P. S. Wolfe and associates are drilling, and on the same tract in which John Ringling or the Cardinal Oil Co. recently brought in a thousand barrel well.

Gabler & Brannon on the Brown tract, northeast of the city about three and one-half miles, are down about 3550 feet, and expect to drill in within the next few days. Amick and associates on the Owens are also nearing the pay sand, and expect to drill in within a short time. Both of these wells are being closely watched, have excellent indications and it is thought and hoped will make good wells. Particular interest is being taken in the Amick well due to the fact it is a little farther north than the other wells on the ridge that runs through the Bobo, Williamson, Brown, Owens, and Hawk tracts, and oil men are anxious to know if this pool continues to the north of the ridge.

Root, Hupp & Duff on the Bollinger lease, south of town and in purely wild cat territory are still fishing for casing, and it is planned to give it a heavy shot in the Caddo lime as soon as the casing is recovered.

In the Hilburn vicinity in the southeast part of the county, the Pensland Oil company has recently brought in a well on the G. W. Young farm, which is said to be good for 600 barrels. This well is about three-quarters of a mile east of the well of Madden & Madden on the Day tract and only a short distance east of their Smoot well.

The Simmes company has drilled

AT THE HOTELS

- PARAMOUNT.**
 L. Osborn, Martin, Ohio.
 S. Franek, Breckenridge.
 J. M. Edwards, Cisco.
 T. E. Dav, Dallas.
 F. H. Whitner, A. Malone.
 R. L. Blackburn, Cisco.
 H. L. Edwards, Cisco.
 S. H. Stewart, Desdemona.
 A. C. Christopher, Fort Worth.
 I. H. Bryan, Weatherford.
 Scott Cawthorn, Dallas.
 F. A. Cummings, Mineral Wells.
 E. B. DuBois and wife, Lucas, Tex.
 R. W. Aycock, Midland.
 M. B. Jones, Desdemona.
 M. G. Ensigner, Eastland.
 C. M. Carroll, Strawn.
- GHOLSON.**
 E. B. Fuller and wife, Wichita Falls.
 W. E. Thompson, Chicago.
 F. N. Stevens, St. Louis.
 B. G. Davis, St. Louis.
 V. S. Anderson, Bismarck.
 J. E. Rogers, Stamford.
 J. W. Cratty, Parkersburg, Va.
 Lee Stanbrook, Denver.
 W. E. Sweeney, Dallas.
 W. C. Maeks, Augusta, Kan.
 E. H. Dyer, Dallas.
 J. O. Pearson, Fort Worth.
 W. H. Payne, Fort Worth.
 Fred Moellendick, Fort Worth.
 Mrs. R. C. Crillis, Breckenridge.
 C. W. Dalton, Breckenridge.
 W. W. Hyde, Fort Worth.
 E. W. Vernon, Dallas.
 H. P. Willard, Dallas.
 G. Green and wife, Strawn.
- MAJESTIC.**
 Stan Stanley, Atlantic City.
 Leah White, Atlantic City.
 F. L. Wakefield, New York.
 M. Clifton, Chicago.
 S. V. Rust, Weatherford.
 S. J. Sargent, Fort Worth.
 Tom Davis, Fort Worth.

GATES ORDERED FOR EVERGREEN CEMETERY

One single and two double gates have been ordered by the cemetery association for the Evergreen cemetery for its three entrances. The remainder of the land is fenced with wire but later the association hopes to have it all surrounded by fencing of a grade fitting to the place. This, however, must be postponed until such a time as more funds are available.

The association is also planning to shortly provide some means of watering the cemetery in order that the work of beautifying it may go forward. It is thought that a well will be drilled and a windmill provided. This is believed to be the most feasible plan since its cost will not be heavy and its upkeep practically nothing.

With water provided it is hoped to go forward with the work of making the cemetery one of the most beautiful in the state. Blue prints made by its former owner, A. B. Poe, will probably be followed.

Mr. Poe sold the land and its improvements to the city and its management has been placed in the hands of an association.

HOW CAN ONE BUFFALO BE SHARED BY 2 CITIES?

BRISTOL, Va., May 3.—How to accept in the name of the city of Bristol a bull buffalo offered by the Department of the Interior is a question that is puzzling the Mayors of Bristol, Va., and Bristol, Tenn.

Disregarding the State line, which splits the city in half, the offer was made to the city as a whole, and both sides want the bull.

LABOR OPPOSES TRANSFER OF 2 WELFARE BUREAUS

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Organized labor is preparing to oppose transfer of the Children's Welfare Bureau and the Women's Bureau from the department of labor to a new Department of Welfare.

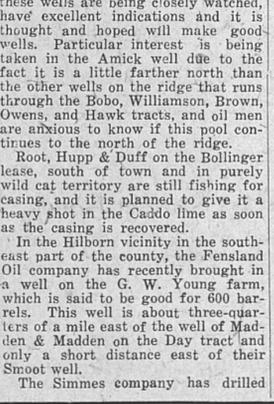
American Federation of Labor officers headed by President Gompers, conferred today with Secretary Dav- is of the Labor Department, Brigadier General Sawyer, President Harding's physician, Miss Mary Anderson, head of the Women's Bureau, and Miss Julia Lathrop, head of the Children's Bureau, outlining their views.

CATTLE BARON MILLER'S VAST ESTATE TO BE SOLD

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—The end of what is believed to be the largest private holdings of lands in the United States is in sight.

All the holdings of the late Henry Miller, who rose from a butcher's boy to be a cattle baron, will be sold. The estate is valued at more than \$40,000,000. It embraces one thousand square miles in California, seven million acres in Oregon and 3,600,000 acres in Nevada.

First Photo of Karl's Return to Hungary



WANTS \$1,000,000 BASE FOR PACIFIC SUBMARINES

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Denouncing congress for its failure to provide the Pacific coast with an adequate defense against possible aggressions by "another power across the water," Representative Osborne today attempted to amend the naval appropriations bill to establish a \$1,000,000 submarine base at Los Angeles.

Representative Madden killed the Osborne amendment with a point of order, but the Los Angeles representative has indicated a plan to carry his fight to the senate.

TOKIO PEERS REJECT BILL TO PUT WOMEN IN POLITICS

By Associated Press.

TOKIO, May 3.—The house of peers rejected the political rights bill, from which the women of Japan expected so much.

The measure authorized women to attend political meetings and join political associations, and it was adopted by the house of representatives.

MOTHER'S FRIEND USED BY THREE GENERATIONS

WRITE FOR DOCKET ON MOTHERHOOD AND THE EAST. FREE HEADFIELD REGULATOR CO., DEPT. 5-D, ATLANTA, GA.

ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS OF THE GREAT BRECKENRIDGE FIRE SALE

—Special All This Week—
200 Samples MEN'S DRESS PANTS
 —in dark gray worsteds, Pin Stripes and Others.
 While they last
Per Pair \$3.95
Army Supply Store
 "The Place That Saves You Money"
 Next to Ranger Garage
 315 Main St.

ATTICURA TALCUM



BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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- ACCOUNTANTS**
 417-419-421 Guaranty Bank Bldg. **KARL E. JONES & CO.**
 Audits Conducted
 Income Tax Reports
 Ranger Address: Box 786, Phone 68
 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 Eastland
 Breckenridge Eastland
TURNER, GAY & HARRIS
 Accountants, Auditors, Income Tax Consultants
 110 Main Street Ranger
- 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.
- Prof. E. W. Brown worked for thirty years on his "Tables of the Motion of the Moon," published in 1920.

OIL FIELD TEAMING SHOWING ACTIVITY

Ten teams passed down Main street this morning in the course of thirty minutes, headed for the oil fields. A bystander remarked that it was beginning to look like old times.

Eight of the teams were going for a load and the other two were loaded with new lumber probably for a new rig. Six of the teams were four-ups.

This demonstration may be seen daily if the onlooker cares to pay it any attention. To those interested it means that things are again showing some life in the fields adjacent to Ranger.

There are echoes and echoes. A harmonic echo differs in pitch from the original sound; sometimes by an octave; sometimes by a third, or a fifth.

MOTHER'S FRIEND USED BY THREE GENERATIONS

WRITE FOR DOCKET ON MOTHERHOOD AND THE EAST. FREE HEADFIELD REGULATOR CO., DEPT. 5-D, ATLANTA, GA.

ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS OF THE GREAT BRECKENRIDGE FIRE SALE

—Special All This Week—
200 Samples MEN'S DRESS PANTS
 —in dark gray worsteds, Pin Stripes and Others.
 While they last
Per Pair \$3.95
Army Supply Store
 "The Place That Saves You Money"
 Next to Ranger Garage
 315 Main St.

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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.

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.

STORAGE CO.

We Store Everything
THE HUB ICE CREAM AND STORAGE CO.
 Succeeding W. J. McFarland Storage Company
 400 N. Commerce St.

May Sale of Kid Gloves

—Of course, a pair of kid gloves are to be included in your summer wardrobe. For driving, sports and picnics, nothing can quite take their place. We offer you up to \$3.50 kid gloves in black, white, tan and gray in all sizes, for only—

\$1.75

—Remember the sale of Ladies' Hats is being continued and you can get a classy hat at your own price.

LOT No. 1 —Up to \$18.50 Hat for only— \$6.95	LOT NO. 2 —Up to any \$22.50 Hat for— \$8.95
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—Lot No. 3 consists of a big assortment of beautiful Hats that have been placed in the reach of all. Up to \$10.50 Hats for \$3.95

SALE OF SUITS

The sale of Spring Suits has been continued at only one-half price.



Get one of those Gingham Dresses that are on sale. Until Wednesday night, up to \$9.50, for \$3.95

MISS KATHRYN WATSON
PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER AND NOTARY PUBLIC
Announces Her Return to 210 P. & Q. Bldg.

TOW CAR

G. R. SHOUSE AUTO REPAIR AND MACHINE CO.
Phone 274.

METCALF CAFE

"A Good Place to Eat"

Opposite T. & P. Station

Tables for Ladies

CRYSTAL FALLS AND BRECKENRIDGE ROAD TO BE RECONSTRUCTED

Special to the Times
CRYSTAL FALLS, May 3.—Reconstruction work on the Crystal Falls and Breckenridge county road will be started today. The road, which is being built by funds raised by the Chambers of Commerce of the two towns, due to the inability of county officials to make the much-needed repairs is expected to be one of the finest highways in Stephens county, rivaling the Breckenridge-Ivan road, which is now being used as a speedway by oil men. Roy Leach, secretary of the Breckenridge chamber of commerce, will supervise the work, which will be completed in three weeks.

CHILDREN PICK MOTHER'S SECOND HUSBAND IN COURT

POITTSVILLE, May 3.—Confronted by two suitors and having taken out licenses to marry both, Mrs. Victoria Zina of Stoneco, N. Y., today was unable to choose between the two in Justice of the Peace Lyons' court. So she let her two children name the man to be their future stepfather.

The children decided on Emilio Frazzno of Stoneco. He and Mrs. Zina will be married here Saturday.

BODY OF SECOND VICTIM OF AUTO TRAGEDY FOUND

DETROIT, May 3.—The body of J. Walter Weitzel, prominent Detroit business man, who, with Fred Hemmeyer, another business man disappeared Dec. 4, while autoring, was recovered from a canal in Zug island in the lower Detroit river today. Hemmeyer's body was recovered two weeks ago.

CATHOLIC RECTORY LOOTED.

OSWEGO, May 3.—While the priests of St. John's and St. Mary's Roman Catholic churches were conducting services last night, their rectories were burglarized and \$500 worth of liberty bonds stolen.

PRESIDENT MAY SPEND FALL VACATION ON COAST

WASHINGTON, May 3.—A vacation trip to the Pacific coast for President Harding late this fall is being urged by some of his friends. It is understood to be receiving favorable consideration.

The president is said to have indicated that if he finds opportunity for a vacation this year he will spend it in the Northwest.

2-TON SEA MONSTER IN ATLANTIC CITY CATCH

ATLANTIC CITY, May 3.—Old sea dogs, whose chief pastime is to spin yarns of gigantic fish they have landed, took two looks and then threw up their hands today when Captain Clarence Starn's craft docked with a black sea monster. It weighed more than two tons. It was caught yesterday in a mackerel net sixty miles off the coast.

IRISH COLLEGE TO HONOR 8 AMERICAN PHYSICIANS

BELFAST, May 3.—The Council of the Royal College of Surgeons of Ireland today resolved to confer honorary fellowship probably in the fall on the following American surgeons:

Drs. W. J. Mayo and C. H. Mayo of Rochester, Minn.; George Brewer of New York; George W. Crile of Cleveland; Richard H. Harte and Dr. W. W. Keen of Philadelphia; John M. T. Finney of Baltimore, and A. J. Ochsner of Chicago.

FEDERAL HOUSING BUREAU URGED IN TINKHAM'S BILL

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Establishment of a federal division of housing under direction of the secretary of commerce, to study the problems affecting the building industry, is proposed in a house bill introduced today. Representative Tinkham, Republican, Massachusetts, sponsored the measure.

MOTHER AND KIDDIES QUIT 800-MILE HIKE



Mrs. Mary Allen's plan to walk 800 miles from New York to Wash., D. C., when the town officially purchased transportation for the trio and sent them on their way by train. Mrs. Allen, her daughter Lillian, 10, and Robert, 3, set out to walk from New York to Indiana because she was unable to raise funds for the railroad fare and would not accept charity. An accident to the carriage in Elizabeth figured materially in Mrs. Allen's decision to abandon her foot trip and accept the offer of the Elizabeth officials to pay her railroad fare. The photo shows Mrs. Allen and her children in Elizabeth, N. J.

SHERBOURNE NAMED COUNCIL IN BERGDOLL HOUSE PROBE

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Former Brigadier General John H. Sherbourne of Boston, was named today as special counsel by the house committee appointed to investigate the escape of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, Philadelphia draft dodger.

The original decision of the committee not to employ counsel was changed after it was found that the services of a lawyer were essential.

600 LOCOMOTIVES BOUGHT FROM GERMANS BY SOVIET

BERLIN, May 3.—Soviet Russia has ordered more than 600 railway locomotives from German firms, Germania says today.

A soviet economic journal recently said that German firms asked 2,000,000 marks for each locomotive, while English firms put in tenders of from 20,000 pounds sterling to 24,000 pounds and American constructors of from \$65,000 to \$77,000.

FRIARS TO OFFER PRAYER ON LONDON EXCHANGE STEPS

LONDON, May 3.—In a short time the strange spectacle of a friar standing on the steps of the Royal exchange, in the heart of the city, calling on the public to pray, will be a regular lunch-hour sight.

Attired in sombre, hooded gowns, an army of friars of the Anglo-Catholic congress, the advance guard of a big religious revival, is ready to tour on foot throughout London and the country, preaching at street corners.

\$100,000 LOSS IN 4 IOWA FIRES SET BY INCENDIARIES

DAVENPORT, Iowa, May 3.—What the police believe was an attempt to burn the business quarter of Davenport, Rock Island, Moline and the Rocky Island arsenal engaged until past midnight last night.

The Curtis Opera house was destroyed in one of four fires.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

The following marriage licenses were issued by County Clerk Earl Bender Saturday, April 30:

H. M. Emerson of Fort Worth and Mrs. Ethel Eudaly of Roscoe.

John Hall of Ranger and Miss Lenora Gatlin of Ranger.

"The Shopping Center of Ranger"

Beginning Tomorrow Morning

SATIN STRAP PUMPS for only \$5.85

—A special big assortment of new style satin strap pumps in Baby Louis and French high heels. Included are some of our most popular numbers for this season, at this price they are exceptional values indeed.



Special for Only—
\$5.85

Our Wednesday Special

A. B. C. Silks in all colors, regular \$1.25 values, per yard only—
89c



Times Want Ads Bring Results—Try Them

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MAY FURNITURE SALE

—Here are some of the articles being specially priced this week—

- DRESSERS
- DUOFOLDS
- FLOOR LAMPS
- REFRIGERATORS
- DAY BEDS
- BREAKFAST SUITES
- LLOYD BABY CARRIAGES
- 1 10-PIECE MAHOGANY DINING ROOM SUITES, 1 3-PIECE BEDROOM SUITE, 1 3-PIECE CANE LIVING ROOM SUITE

LOOK FOR THE RED PRICE CARDS
—Our policy—One price to All and Marked in Plain figures. Convenient terms can be arranged for easy payments or ten per cent discount for cash.

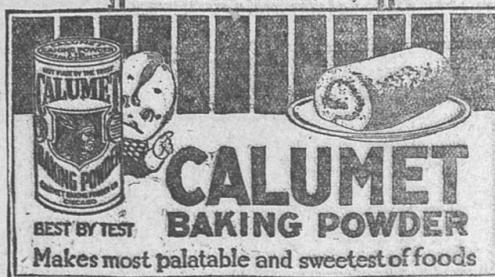
P. S.—See the Special Berkley & Gay Breakfast Room Suite being displayed in our window.

HALL FURNITURE CO.

AFTER a baking falls— becomes tough or soggy, you can't make it tender and tempting. It can't be "fixed." It is like spilled milk—"wasted."

But, there is a way to prevent this waste—every woman should use it—because a bake day loss these days is a real loss.

Calumet Baking Powder positively prevents failure. It has been doing it for millions of housewives for a third of a century.



The biggest selling Baking Powder in the world. Produced in the largest, most modern, sanitary Baking Powder Factories.

Possesses only such ingredients as have been officially approved by U. S. Food Authorities. Most economical in cost and use. You save when you buy it. You save when you use it.

Pound can of Calumet contains full 16 oz. Some baking powders come in 12 oz. instead of 16 oz. cans. Be sure you get a pound when you want it.

Calumet Jelly Roll Recipe
—3 eggs beaten separately, 1 cup sugar, 2 1/2 cups pastry from 2 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder, 1/2 cup butter, 1/2 cup milk. Bake in the regular way.

Some FACTS About



Here are authentic figures from the Ford factory at Detroit. They show you just how many Ford cars and trucks have been built each month since January 1, 1921, and how many have been sold to retail customers, in the United States.

	Produced	Delivered to Retail Customers
JANUARY	29,883	57,208
FEBRUARY	35,305	63,603
MARCH	61,886	87,221
Total Production	127,074	Total Retail Sales 208,032

showing that actual sales for the first three months of 1921 exceeded production by 80,958 Ford cars and trucks!

April requisitions already specify 107,719 additional cars and trucks and the estimated April output of the factory and assembly plants combined calls for only 90,000!

These facts clearly show that the demand for Ford products is growing much faster than manufacturing facilities to produce and were it not for the dealers' limited stocks, which are now being rapidly depleted, many more customers would have been compelled to wait for their cars. It will be only a matter of weeks, therefore, until a big surplus of orders will prevent anything like prompt deliveries.

If you would be sure of having your Ford car or truck when you want it, you should place your order now. Don't delay. Phone us or drop us a card.

Cash or Time Payments
YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD

Write, phone or call for our salesman to call and explain our EASY PAYMENT PLAN—A YEAR IN WHICH TO PAY
"We can make immediate delivery now"

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