

MAN HELD IN N. Y. SAYS HE'S FROM RANGER

Harvey C. Howard and Associates Charged With Fraud; Not Known Here.

NEW YORK, April 5.—Harvey C. Howard today surrendered to federal authorities when he learned of an indictment against himself and others connected with the Ranger Consolidated Oil company, a Texas corporation, charging them with using the mails in operation of a scheme to defraud investors. Howard was committed to the Tombs prison in default of \$5,000 bond.

The indictment, which resulted in an investigation by Assistant United States District Attorney John Joyce, showed that the Ranger company was organized with a capital stock of \$2,500,000 which was increased to \$4,000,000 in a selling campaign last year. It is charged false representations were made in booklets mailed to prospective buyers.

No information was to be had today showing that the Ranger Consolidated Oil company was ever operating in Ranger. Several oil men were asked if they had ever heard of such a concern and they had not. The general opinion is that the company was organized in New York or some other Eastern state purely as a stock selling scheme, and never came any farther south than its New York office.

WHINING OF FAITHFUL DOG LEADS POLICE TO MURDERED BOY'S GRAVE

DAYTON, Ohio, April 5.—The police are puzzled as to the manner in which George Kohlbacker, 16 years old, met his death in a gravel pit at the Dayton Sand and Gravel company, on Danner street.

The lad's body was found by E. A. Tucker, night watchman of the company. Examination showed that he had been shot through the heart. A 22-caliber revolver was found by his side.

Suicide, accident and foul play theories are being considered. Finding of the body followed constant barking of his faithful dog, which remained by his master's side, keeping vigil until the watchman put in his appearance.

Coroner E. E. Kimmel of Miami was notified, and in conjunction with the police will investigate the tragedy.

Kohlbacker lived with his parents at the corner of Gold and College streets, West Dayton.

AUSTIN RE-ELECTS MAYOR

AUSTIN, April 5.—W. D. Yett has been re-elected mayor of Austin by a majority of 165 over former mayor A. P. Worldridge, according to returns today.

75,000 VETS TAKING VOCATIONAL TRAINING

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 5.—More than 1,000 wounded former service men are receiving vocational training in local schools and industries at an annual expenditure of approximately \$1,560,000, according to Dr. Wallace N. Sharpe, executive medical officer of the federal board for vocational training, Ninth district. The district comprises the states of Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska and Missouri.

A survey of government activities along this line throughout the country, Dr. Sharpe asserted, shows 75,000 men have accepted training in 300 different occupations, about 60,000 of whom are receiving maintenance pay.

WEST VIRGINIAN MAY BE INTERNAL REVENUE COMMISSIONER



Joseph H. McDermott of Morgantown, W. Va., photographed while leaving the White House after a conference with President Harding. According to rumors in official Washington, Mr. McDermott is a leading candidate for the post of commissioner of internal revenue. Mr. McDermott is one of the leaders of the Republican party in West Virginia.

DUMB BEASTS LEFT TO DIE IN COAL MINES

Striking Miners in England Begin Campaign of Violence.

EDINBURGH, April 5.—The first violence in the British coal strike occurred here today. Five hundred miners overpowered a police guard at the Hart Hill collieries, wrecked the plant and drove away employees endeavoring to pump water from the pits.

Five policemen and a number of workers were injured by the miners, who used clubs and stones. Twenty-five ponies left in the pits when the miners quit work will be drowned in a few hours.

POLICE OF OMAHA TO USE FLYING MACHINES TO RUN DOWN BANDITS

OMAHA, Neb., April 5.—Airplanes are to be called on for regular use by the Omaha police department. While the city is not yet prepared to add the machines to its police equipment, arrangements have been made for the use of planes of a private company, according to Police Chief Eberstein.

This became known after the police department had borrowed an airplane to run down robbers who had broken into a bank at Rea, Mo., some 100 miles south of Omaha.

It was necessary to deputize two pilots to give them police power in case of arrests. Although they returned to Omaha empty handed Chief Eberstein said he believed that use of planes for police work would add greatly to its efficiency, especially in cases of emergency where great speed was required.

KATY PASSENGER TRAIN RUNS INTO WASHOUT

LEWISVILLE, Texas, April 5.—The Wichita Falls-bound train on the Katy, which left Dallas last night, was wrecked here when the engine ran off the approach to the bridge near here over Prairie creek, which had been washed out by a cloudburst earlier in the evening.

The storm here yesterday was exceptional violence and the rainfall is said to have been seven or eight inches in a few hours. A wagon bridge washed out was the only other damage reported.

DISTORTION OF FACTS MOVES ON SWIFT WINGS; TRUTH IS SLOW

Case in Point Is That of Bank Clerk Who Stole \$772,000.

CHICAGO, April 5.—An example of how much faster incorrect, sensational reports sometimes travel than the facts was disclosed in the Chicago bank robbery in which William Dalton, a 16-year-old clerk, who stole \$772,000 worth of bonds, was credited with saying that he was influenced by the leniency of Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, in postponing sentence on an Ottawa, Illinois bank teller.

Mr. Dalton denied the reports that he had said he was influenced by Judge Landis, when they were called to his attention a few hours after his capture at Heyworth, Illinois, Feb. 25. The denial was bulletined, the same as the first story of the capture, but Judge Landis said he still receives comments from all over the country from persons who have read only the incorrect report that Dalton had blamed him.

An investigation of the story at its source, in Heyworth, brought affidavits that Mr. Dalton had made no such statements. A newspaper of Heyworth, who was probably the first news writer to interview the boy after his capture, made this sworn affidavit:

"Our conversation was about as follows: 'Reporter—'Did you ever read about the Ottawa cash which came before Judge Landis?'"

"Dalton—'No.' 'Reporter—'The two cases resemble each other, and in that case Landis did not sentence Carey, but let him go on his honor, to come back at any time he would call him. The two cases resemble each other and for that reason I thought you read of it.'"

"Dalton—'The Ottawa man got a raise just before he pulled off his stunt.' 'Reporter—'Then you have read about the Ottawa case.'"

"Dalton—'Yes, I have read about it.' When this conversation was reported over the long distance telephone the questions became mixed with the answers, with the result that Dalton was made to say that he thought the Ottawa case fitted his own."

This incorrect report was in type for several hours before investigation by Associated Press writers brought denials from Mr. Dalton that he had made any such statement.

Henry Ford says that cows are superfluous and that a machine can take their place. It is a safe bet that his flivver has already weaned more boys from milking than any other modern invention.—Hot Sulphur Springs (Colorado) Times.

OH! HUM! MEBBE SO: BUT DON'T WORRY YET

ABERDEEN, Scotland, April 5.—The world may be ruled by a race of biped reptiles in 1,000,000 years or so, according to J. A. Thompson, professor of natural history in Aberdeen university. The collared lizard of New Zealand, he explained in an address, is already learning to become a biped and if it masters this secret of man's supremacy, the rest may follow.

BACHELOR UNKISSED FOR THREE DECADES, SUCCUMBS TO WIDOW

NEW YORK, April 5.—For three romanceless decades Warren A. Brown never permitted feminine lips to caress his. Now he is apparently making up for lost time. For letters received from Brown by friends indicate that after sixty years of bachelorhood he has developed into an ardent swain.

Brown is a realty dealer at Hempstead. His bride 20 years old, and the mother of three children, was Mrs. Joseph St. John until a divorce was granted half a year ago. St. John was Brown for alienation of affections, won \$2,000 and at a second trial lost. On the stand the white-haired real estate operator swore he "had never been kissed and never kissed a girl."

Now five of his friends have received from the honeymooner such stanzas as these: 'I'm sending you this little note To let you know it is no joke. You said that I would surely wed; You are some prophet, old friend Ed, And—' 'I'm writing a letter to let you know On a wedding trip I like to go. Four days on my honeymoon I'll be away—' 'I married Mrs. St. John on St. Patrick's day.'

"STINGIEST" HUSBAND IS FOUND IN DENVER DENVER, April 5.—The stingiest husband in the world has just been discovered in Denver, according to his wife. He gave her a penny a day, according to charges in a divorce complaint filed in the district court by Mrs. Ida Robinson against Theodore Robinson.

Mrs. Robinson alleges that she worked and paid the living expenses for herself and husband, and that the latter gave her 1 cent a day out of his earnings and kept the balance.

J. BULL SAYS UNITED STATES INCONSISTENT

LONDON, April 5.—American contention for equality in the treatment of citizens of all nations in mandated territory is held by the British government to be "scarcely consistent" with the attitude of the United States toward American oil interests in Mexico, according to a view expressed in a long reply to Secretary Colby's note of last November, made public here today.

TEXAS CATTLE MISSED INJURY FROM FREEZE

FORT WORTH, April 5.—Weekly reports from range inspectors in Texas to the Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association indicate that Texas stock escaped the cold unscathed and that pasturage was never better. The San Angelo section reports heavy cattle shipments.

WOMAN, REVIVED AS HEART STOPPED, FINALLY DIES

MILWAUKEE, April 5.—Mrs. T. F. Gevers, 52, revived by a pulmonator on Thursday, two hours after her heart stopped beating, while she was under an anaesthetic, lost her battle today. She died after a second relapse.

Well, anyway, the railroad people don't have to worry about a car shortage.—Indianapolis News.

LUCKY STRIKE cigarette

It's toasted

MAY DAY REVOLT RUMOR IS EXPLAINED BY MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, April 5.—By Wireless to El Paso.—Alarmist rumors, published in the American press, that the Bolsheviks proclaimed a May 1 revolution, at a Socialist congress held at Pachuca, were explained here last night.

There was a gathering of representatives, which adopted the principles of the third Internationale and declared for the emancipation of labor, according to the government official version made public here.

PRESCRIBE A CASE FOR EVERY CASE

Hereafter when in doubt the sympathetic physician will know just what to prescribe.—Detroit Free Press.

SON OF GRAPE JUICE BEING SHOT BY THUGS

BUFFALO, April 5.—Attempting to capture automobile bandits near Westfield, N. Y., today, Deputy Sheriff William Welch, son of Dr. C. E. Welch, head of the Welch Grape Juice company, was shot five times. He will probably die.

Welch escaped instant death only because the bandits believed the last three shots fired by them had killed him. He "played dead" and the bandits headed their auto toward Buffalo and escaped.

One of the bullet wounds is regarded as serious. Welch's physician said the wounded man has an even chance to recover. Welch has been active in campaigns against bootleggers and for that reason requested and obtained a warrant as deputy sheriff of Chautauque county. He is also an executive of the grape company at Westfield.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Office of the Comptroller of the Currency

Washington, D. C., March 2, 1921.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against the First National Bank of Ranger, Texas, that the same must be presented to David Murphy, receiver, with the legal proof thereof, within three months from this date, or they may be disallowed.

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PROGRAM

LIBERTY—George Walsh in "From Now On," also Mack Swain in "Full of Spirits," and Mutt and Jeff comedy.

LAMB—Henry B. Walthall in "A Splendid Hazard," also comedy, "Pals and Petticoats," and Pathe News.

TEMPLE—Priscilla Dean in "Outside the Law," also universal comedy and Selznick News.

REDS IN U. S. PUT OUT LURID CIRCULARS

Call on Workmen to Overthrow Government and Seize Factories.

Special to the Times.

NEW YORK, April 5.—A particularly revolutionary circular issued by the United Communist party, calling upon the workers in American factories to rise and take possession of all industries by force, is being distributed among the working men of many cities, according to an announcement made yesterday by the American Defense society. The committee on revolutionary movements of the society, of which Charles Stewart Davison is chairman, has sent a warning to the mayors and chiefs of police of many cities throughout the country concerning the circular and suggesting methods of overcoming the effects of the seditious literature. The committee on revolutionary movements of the society is engaged in investigating the activities of the anarchists throughout the country and numbers among its members: Philip T. Dodge, Richard M. Hurd, Merton E. Lewis, Alexander L. Rorke, Lohrop Stoddard, Guy B. Trippe, Stanley Washburn and J. M. Wainwright.

Text of Circular.

The circular reads:

"Why are you out of a job? Are you walking the streets, looking for work? Are your clothes worn out? Are you cold? See those other people walking the streets, looking for work the same as you? There are five millions of them. What chance have you? Do you think of going to another town to find a job? What's the use? The streets of other towns are lined with men and women tramping, tramping like you, looking for work. Factories are closing everywhere. Mines are cutting down forces. Railroads are letting out people. There are no jobs.

"Why? Because the workshops, mines, railroads and all other things that supply jobs for people, are the private property of the rich. We, the workers, do the work. We produce the goods. They take the profits. The wealthy class won't let any goods be produced except what they can sell for a profit. During the war, they made big profits. They worked us overtime. They made five billion dollars extra profit over and above regular profits. They are taking it easy now. As for us workers—we can go to hell. They are through with us.

"There is more than enough food, clothing and shelter—everything we need. But the working people can't buy. The goods that are already made are locked up. The people are hungry because there is too much food! The people are cold because there are too many clothes!"

"No help wanted"—you read everywhere.

"They don't need us now. But we need work. They won't let us work. Sleep on the pavement. Let your children die of hunger and cold! The boss says 'No work.' The word of the boss is law.

"We, the workers, must act! Must Take Possession. We must take possession of the workshops and establish control over them. We must control production, and operate all industry for the benefit of only the workers. That is what overthrew the government, which the workers of Russia did. They existed only to protect the bosses. They seized the factories, mills and mines and threw out their owners. They organized their own government—the Soviet government of Russia.

"That is what American workmen must do. That is the road to Communism. But when we try to take possession of the workshops, the bosses will call on the government to protect them. Police, thugs, troops armed with machine guns, poison gas and all implements will be there to stop us.

"We must be ready to fight them. We must organize for that. The time is coming—soon. Down with the private ownership of jobs! Down with unemployment! Down with capitalism! All power to the workers! THE UNITED COMMUNIST PARTY."

O'CALLAGHAN PLEA DENIED BY DEPARTMENT OF STATE

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The State department is understood to have decided against the appeal of Donal O'Callaghan, former lord mayor of Cork, that he is entitled to remain in the United States as a political refugee.

The ruling is said to be based on the ground that no demand for the surrender of the former lord mayor has been made by Great Britain, and for that reason he cannot plead the right of asylum, and on the further ground that he is entitled to remain in the United States only about sixty days.

MINUTE MOVIE



Tons of Explosives in Chicago Building Wrecked By Blast



At least eight persons were killed, more than one hundred injured and many buildings badly damaged in Chicago when an illicit fireworks factory in the West Side tenement district blew up. According to the authorities, at least a ton of explosives were consumed in the blast. The plant in which the explosion occurred was totally destroyed and windows were broken for a radius of a mile. The shock was felt throughout Chicago. The police report that fireworks were being manufactured in the destroyed plant in violation of the law. The photo shows firemen and police searching the ruins of the destroyed factory for victims.

'YONKERS PLAN' OF ENFORCING PRO AMENDMENT IS LAUNCHED

Anti-Saloon League Claims it is One Practical Method Known.

By Associated Press

CORNWALL, N. Y., April 5.—Pledges from John D. Rockefeller Jr. and others of financial support of "the Yonkers plan" of enforcing the national prohibition amendment were announced here tonight by William H. Anderson, head of the Anti-Saloon league of New York, at the annual state conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Mr. Anderson, in the course of an address in which he formally opened the campaign of the national prohibition amendment which has given Yonkers wide publicity, declared that in New York alone 200,000 persons are back of the movement to introduce it into other states.

Explaining that the Allied Citizens of America was incorporated two years ago "to uphold American ideals and the United States Constitution and particularly the 18th amendment," Mr. Anderson declared that its purpose is to put into operation all over the United States the "successful experiment in practical civics," which, he said, had been made in Yonkers, his home city. In telling of its results there he said:

Sentiment Improving.

"There have been raids, arrests, seizures of large quantities of liquor, expulsions from the police force for connivance with violators, indictments, convictions, fines and prison sentences. City officials no longer are indifferent or defiant and there has been created a tangible majority sentiment for law observance. New York pays \$50,000,000 a year for law enforcement and the Allied Citizens of Yonkers have merely insisted that its police and civic authorities shall earn their salaries. The situation is far from perfect but there is motion and in the right direction.

"Protestants, Catholics, Jews and those of other religions in Yonkers who reverence order, country, humanity and God, are united in the effort. Under the plan, evidence is obtained respecting violation of the prohibition law for the sole purpose of publishing it in order that citizens may know the degree and kind of enforcement they are getting from their public officials in return for their taxes. Everyone pays taxes in some form and they have a right to know what they get for their money.

Essence of Plan.

"We have always refused to turn over any evidence to be used to secure convictions; that is the very essence of the plan. Publicity in the form of the organization's affidavits telling of liquor infractions helps officials who are doing their best and enables the winking out of those who wink at violations. Thus, as we have operated in Yonkers, we shall enable the people of any community to exert the same pressure of public opinion to force officials to do their duty."

Mr. Anderson said that the Allied Citizens was designed to supplement the Anti-Saloon league and that there are "no initiation fees, dues or assessments." He declared that records of the Anti-Saloon league would show that 9,000 persons in the U. S. are reg-

ularly contributing to its activities. Organization of the Allied Citizens, he said, will be started by the league this week in every state. No salaries, he said, are paid to any of its officials.

Rockefeller's Pledge.

Quoting from Mr. Rockefeller's pledge, he read: "The question of the wisdom and propriety of national prohibition is no longer at issue, having been decided by the adoption of the federal constitutional amendment and sustained by the United States Supreme court. It is now the law of the land, predicated upon a constitutional amendment, which is the most solemn form of legislation possible under our form of government.

"To fail in the observance and enforcement of such a law strikes at the very foundations of orderly government, and is in that way an attack upon civil liberty, for in a republic there can be no freedom for the individual if there is no respect for and enforcement of the laws which have been enacted in the manner prescribed by the people themselves in the constitutions which they have adopted.

"While the general legislation of nation and state determines the conditions under which enforcement must be carried on, yet in the last analysis enforcement is a local matter and must be worked out in every locality,



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CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT
—Adv.

WHEN IS NEXT SHIP SAILING FOR FRANCE?

PARIS, April 5.—The limit of the address in Paris has been reached.

The first serious attack on the growing immorality of the stage and women's clothes was made this afternoon when the French government announced that it is about to introduce a bill in Parliament imposing severe penalties on the ultra sissie.

The cabinet today devoted an hour to the subject following a sensational speech by Senator Lamarsale, who pointed out that in the latest revue in the biggest Paris music hall there are ten nude women in one scene.

It became known today that the King of Sweden, visiting Paris recently, unknowingly attended a theatre in which an artist was dancing in the nude. The king, it is declared, was incensed and left the house at the end of the first act.

SCOTLAND YARD SEEKS PRETTY GIRLS TO ACT AS CITY DETECTIVES

LONDON, April 5.—Beautiful women in evening dress and wearing costly diamonds and pearls will be sought for by Scotland Yard to act as detectives at fashionable functions and hotels.

It is decided to extend the scope of London's female police force, which has been in existence since the war days.

When he was head of the Metropolitan police, Sir Neville Macready, now commander of the English forces in Ireland, testified before a House of Commons committee urging the appointment of these stylish women detectives.

"We have women of the domestic help class and we have a number of bus conductresses working for us," he said. "What we want now are women at the other end of the social scale who can mix with wealthy people."

Sir Neville's definition of the best

type of female policemen or detective is: "One who is not neurotic or excitable, but a woman who has the human element very largely developed and who is not a faddist."

Mrs. Stanley, superintendent of Metropolitan Women's Police patrols, told the Parliamentary committee that much of the work of members of her force was in saving light-headed young "flappers" of good family from drifting on to the streets in search of a gay life.

Miss Damer-Dawson, commander of

the Women's Police service, told of the fight against white slave traffic.

"One night I lost two girls under suspicious circumstances. I came across a woman who changed her dress three times in the same night and the color of her hair. I had seen her at the railroad station, and I caught her trying to take the two girls from me. The co-operation of women police in putting down the white slave traffic is absolutely necessary."

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DIVIDING TEXAS.

Despite threats prompted by righteous wrath, it is not probable that anything will be done toward the division of Texas, except possibly some meetings at which Patrick Henrys can cool their seething wrath in oratory and denunciation.

Unquestionably these meetings will be held in good faith, on the part of a large number. Others will use them as a means to an end—hoping by their very exaggeration to awaken residents of other sections to some apprehension of the true situation. Outside of political circles, there is no general sentiment in other sections of the state to handicap West Texas or to deny West Texas its just deserts. But the mere citizens have to more to say in those matters than they have in the West. They could have, if they were stirred, and undoubtedly a serious threat might stir them to demanding action which would give relief.

For Texans are sentimental. They are proud of the vastness of their state, of the greatness and variety of its resources, of its matchless history of heroic accomplishment. It has been well said that a map of Texas is graven upon the hearts of every one of its sons. To shatter that map would be to break the hearts of many. For one cannot be a South Texan or West Texan or East Texan or what not. The one word "Texas" means something. It has a magic ring, it is potent wherever English-speaking men may go. If you do not believe it, try a trip. When asked where you're from, you'll take a deep breath, throw out the chest and reply, "TEXAS!" You'll say it as if it were a mark of distinction; furthermore, you'll find it is recognized as such.

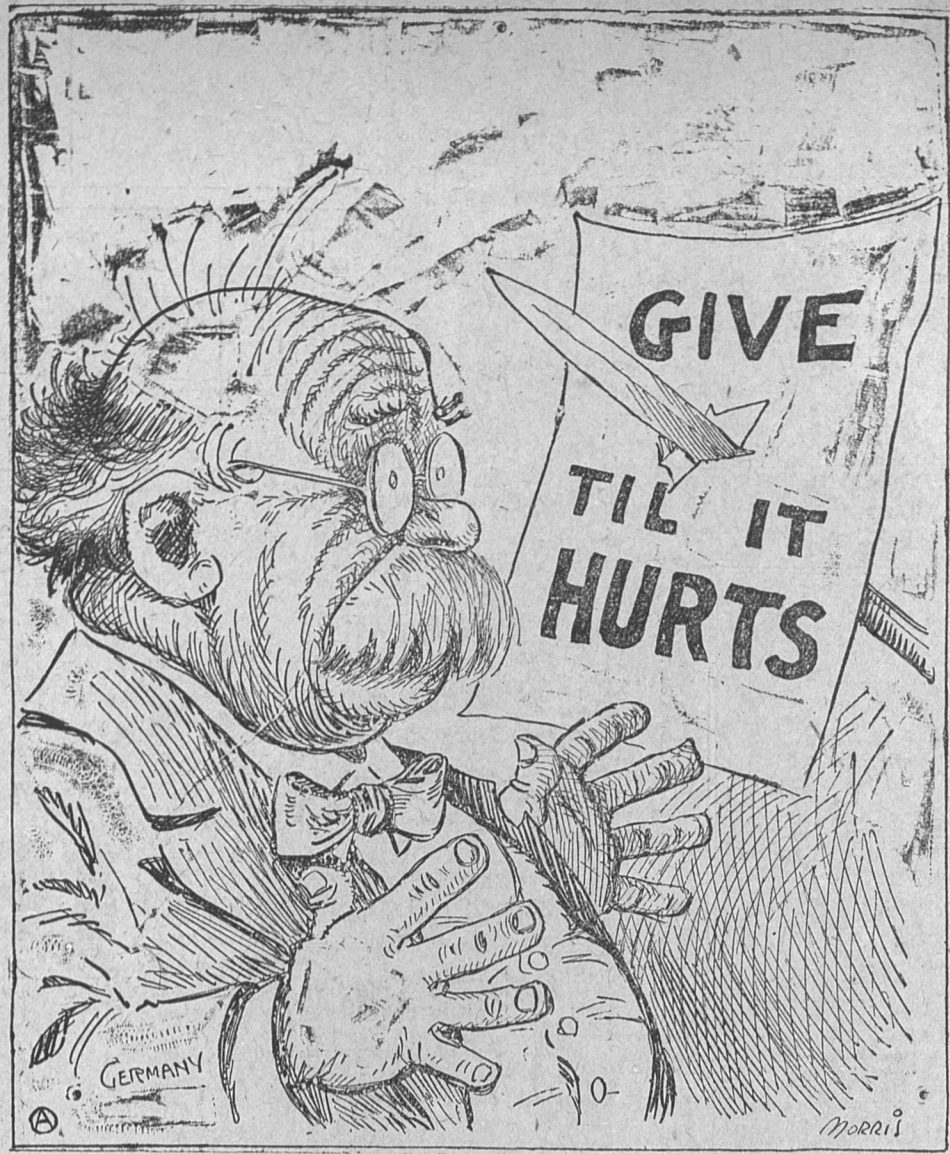
That for sentiment; it alone would likely prevent division, at least so long as native-born stock shall control; and such control becomes stronger year by year.

Aside from sentiment, there are practical reasons why the state will not be divided. Communication shortens distance. Texas today actually is smaller than Rhode Island was a hundred years ago. It has diverse interests, it is true, and certain interests virtually dominate certain sections; but a rounded whole needs diverse interests. The reason the human being is in advance of the jelly fish is that one is all alike and the other has many parts with different functions.

Economically, such division would be expensive. Each portion of the subdivided state would have to assume its proportion of the bonded indebtedness. On top of that, it would have to contract new indebtedness for a state capital, for state colleges, for numerous state institutions. That would reach quite a tidy sum.

Division is improbable. But it is not impossible, even though sentiment and economic consideration are against it. Principle must be followed regardless of expense. And constant injustice and disregard such as the West has been subjected to will in time produce rebellion so strong that division will be necessary. The Continental Congress at first had no thought of secession from Great Britain, but continued rebuffs drove it to that step. East Texas politicians must bow to the aroused wrath of a vast and rich section of the state, the West must be given the consideration which is its rightful due. Otherwise, the present irritation may develop into an open rupture. West Texas should insist upon its

Those Old War Posters Come in Handy—



rights. It is up to East Texas to see that they are granted and an open breach averted—a breach which inhabitants of both sections would regret.

Soon the mermaids will begin to flirt with the ocean swells.—Detroit News.

Maybe Mr. Harding chose Senator Fall for the Interior to keep him away from the border.—Milwaukee Journal.

The disabled soldier can't see why it takes so much longer to draft a relief bill than it did to draft him.—Washington Post.

Mr. Lansing is writing a book. Cabinet portfolios are like "flue"—the after effects are most serious.—Nashville Tennessean.

The world says good things about men who are dead—but not about those who are dead broke.—Chicago News.

The French seem anxious to kill the German goose before it has even demonstrated whether it can lay golden eggs or not.—Houston Post.

There is some comfort in the thought that from now on Republican yapping over the Island of Yap will have to be done without a Democratic President to yap at.—New Orleans States.

Bo McMillen, the captain of the Centre college football team, is the leading citizen of Danville, as he gets what he wants and does the kicking for the town.—Elizabeth (Ky.) News.

The new President declares he puts his trust in God; at the same time it is evident he means to keep his powder dry. That is to say, he means to keep his Daugherty by.—Courier-Journal.

RIPPLING RHYMES

By WALT MASON

THE MILLENIUM.

Some day the stand-off scheme will smash, a wise old seer has said it, and all we'll buy will be for cash, and none will ask for credit. Collectors then won't block our way and bluff and plead and beckon; and that will be a happy day for all of us. I reckon. We have to pay more for our cats, and find the poorhouse closer, because we pay the bills of beats who sting the corner grocer. The grocer sighs, "This Jasper Jones has jumped our lovely city, and he was owning forty bones, which seems a ghastly pity. He'll never pay me for my rice, he never more will greet me; and so I'll have to raise the price from those who do not beat me." And when I go to purchase prunes to feed my children twenty, he's raised the price some pieceyones, and soaks me good and plenty. The tailor trusts a hundred men, and ten of them don't pay him, and I must dig an extra yen to comfort him and stay him. And so it goes along the line, in every kind of dealing; the deadbeat adds to bills of mine until my head is reeling. 'Twill be a blessed day, gadzooks, when "stand-off system" ceases, when merchant princes burn their books, and kick the slate to pieces.

THE WOMAN WHO SAW

The tiny teapot was emptied, the cake all gone and the last breadcrumb—"worst ever holdup" disposed of, when the brand-newest of the three. Mme. Newlyweds announced that Uncle Ned had presented her with a burglar insurance policy. At which the other two brides marvelled; the woman cried "Do tell!" and the little lady explained:

"Well—he says I'm bound for burglary because I gave it such a pressing invitation the other day. You see, he was taking tea with me when a metal polish man came around with some sort of stuff 'peculiarly good, Madame, for cleaning plated ware.' That to me with my sideboardful of perfectly good solid silver wedding presents! Of course I told him there was no plated ware in my apartment. After I had shut the door after him, I found Uncle Ned 'writing in fits of glee. And the very next day he sent me that policy and a note accusing me of 'instigating criminal enterprise and inviting robbery and worse.' You know Uncle Ned!"

"We do," giggled her longest-married crony, "and likewise your Aunt Marcia, with whom he used to make his home. She went off one day, and the oldest bride turned to the woman, 'leaving her apartment in solitary apple-pie order for an all-day visit to a suburban cousin. When she returned, in time to prepare dinner, she found her flat looted, abso-

lutely stripped. About the only thing the thieves had left was the card she'd tied that morning to her outside doornob. And, after the police had viewed the premises and taken inventories and had gotten round to that card, what'd you suppose they said? Why, that it was a 'direct and urgent invitation to burglary, Madam.' For the big card, put up at nine that morning, bore the legend: 'Shall not be back till 5 p. m.'"

Misunderstood.

In the dismal darkness of a rainy twilight an old woman stood on the curb at 116th street and Broadway, waiting for a limo in the seemingly never ending line of taxicabs. The lights of the campuses of Columbia university gleamed starrily. Students swarmed about the friendly halls of learning, which clustered close, benevolently beaming down upon the young folks.

But of all this the nervous old lady with the twitching face saw nothing—only the endless stream of traffic. For a moment the way seemed clear. She made a timid spurt in the direction of the other side of the street. Suddenly a big hand clutched her arm. The old woman, shrank, startled, then exclaimed, testily, "Let me

"Tinker Bob" Stories by Carlisle H. Holcomb

MR. ANT BEAR IS HOMESICK.

"Well, well, well, it's no use talking nor thinking about it any more. I can't be happy here when I'm thinking about the friends I have back by the Wonderful Spring. Yes, I know it isn't far from here to the Spring. I would rather stay here a while and then walk back to the Spring than to be in a strange country all the time where there are no friends." These were the words of Mr. Ant Bear as he sat alone by the side of the river after feasting on the ants that he loved so well.



He sat alone by the side of the river.

There he saw some of his friends go down to the water's edge for a drink. He watched them, for he knew them very well since he was known as the fellow who took care of the spring. None of them ever tried to do him harm for they were afraid that if they did he would do something to the spring and none of them could be healed by its waters.

There was the Mountain Lion and the Timber wolf and just droves and droves of Monkeys. All were his friends and to think of leaving them to go to the Northland where there were none but strangers was a terrible thought. But he had promised to go and what could he do? He thrust his long tongue into the water and then pulled it back into his mouth as that was the only way he could get a drink. But the more he drank the more he wanted to go back to the Spring, to see his old home. While he was there thinking of the old place he left behind, he heard a voice that at first seemed strange but really wasn't strange. Nearer and nearer it sounded. Then suddenly there stood before him Tinker Bob and Silky, the Monkey, and then he was ashamed.

Silky the Monkey was such a happy fellow. He laughed and chattered all the time. "Well look here, what does this mean? Here's our friend with a long nose and tail trying to drink the river dry. It must be that the ants in this country are salty. You was never gone so long before to get

a drink." These were the words of Silky as he spied Mr. Ant Bear drinking.

"I know why he's so long getting a drink." This word from the King of the Forest quite startled the Ant. Tinker, and he began to wonder how the King knew anything about what was on his mind. "He is homesick and wants to go back to the Spring where he has lived all of his life."

"O King of the Forest, pray tell me how you know all of my thoughts. I am so lonesome I am about to die here without my friends."

"I know you cannot keep anything like that from the King," said Tinker, "and if you are lonesome and want to go back home, you just go for that is what I would want you to do."

This so pleased Mr. Ant Bear that he danced for joy and started on his way home.

Tomorrow—Strange Sounds From the Marsh.

The masculine hand rose, abashed, to a "Freshman's" cap, surmounting a clean-cut, boyish face, suffused with embarrassed red. "I only wanted to help you across," he stammered.

The old lady, confused and frightened, darted nervously across the street and was lost in the dreary glow. Pink faced, the "Freshie" walked away, trying hard to look unconcerned under the amused stares of some pretty "coeds."

The woman, who had seen the attempted little chivalry and the sorry end to which it had come, smiled across at the nice boy. And because one, at least, had understood, the "Freshie" thanked her with his eyes.

Do You? They work on a fashion paper. The woman gleaned that from their sub-way conversation about columns, typesetting, the latest cable from Paris, the popular shades at Miami, and the western reporter's latest article. And into their conversation came the name of a woman who was startling Palm Beach with her daring, original attire and her costume accessories gathered the world over. "Why, do you know," said one of

the hazel eyes, "they say that she combed Paris to get those pinky-gray hose, and she only did get two pairs, for which she had to pay a fabulous fifty dollars a pair. Say, if I had a million I wouldn't pay fifty dollars for stockings, would you?"

"I don't know what I'd do if I had a million," said Blue Eyes, matter-of-factly.

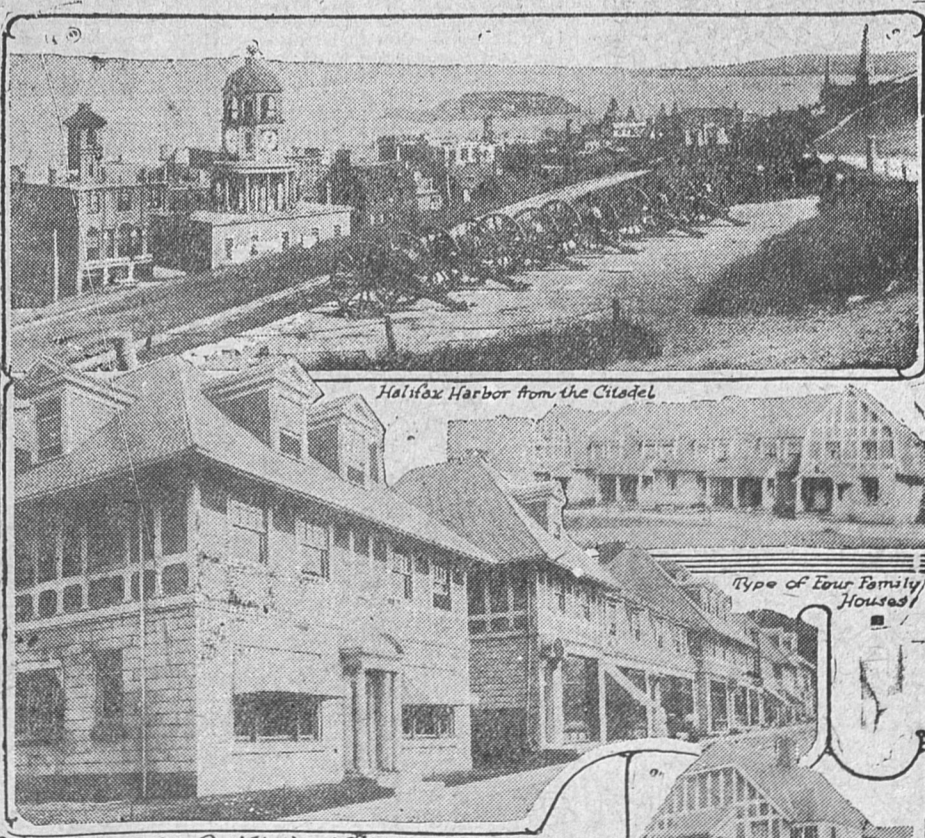
And then, after a pause, Hazel Eyes said almost reverently, "My Gawd, I don't either."

RED CROSS ASKS 281,000 GARMENTS FOR EUROPE

By Associated Press ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 5.—An appeal has been directed from the headquarters of the southwestern division, of the Red Cross here, to the women of Arkansas, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas, for 250,000 garments and 31,000 infant's layettes, for distribution among the impoverished countries of Europe.

The clothing will go to Poland, Austria, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, and the Baltic and Balkan states. Red Cross chapters will be allowed to designate the countries to which their respective offerings are to be sent.

HOW HALIFAX, VICTIM OF DEVASTATING WAR-TIME EXPLOSION, HAS SUCCESSFULLY SOLVED ITS GREAT HOUSING PROBLEM



Three years ago Halifax, "Canada's Northern Gateway" was dealt the most devastating blow suffered by any city outside the war zone when the "Imo" rammed the French munition ship "Mont Blanc," killed 2,000 people and wrecked an area of two square miles. Today Halifax is a bigger, better and more beautiful city than it was before the TNT blast, because its great housing problem has been solved successfully and because the new is even better than the old. As a wounded war veteran Halifax received a bonus of about \$20,000,000 from Canada, Great Britain and the United States for relief work and a commission with full power to deal with the subject was appointed. Fully 5,000 people were comfortably housed in temporary barracks resembling a wartime camp, 8,000 homes were repaired and 1,000 homes accommodating 6,000 people have been built by the commission which has practically finished its titanic task. In one new group of 322 dwellings built of hydro-stone, or concrete blocks, there are 37 buildings containing four dwellings each and the remainder contain from two to six families. Each row faces a park and in the rear is a service lane. Each building has all modern improvements and is exceedingly attractive.

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"No effort is good enough which might be better." The minds of the people in thousands of homes in this city are now being influenced and guided by advertising in the purchase of their Spring and Summer apparel.

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It will surely mean increased sales for you.

You should get ready Today for Tomorrow's Success.

Two-Two-Four is Opportunity's telephone number.

Ranger Daily Times

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MEXICO DOES NOT SEEK TO LURE GERMANS

Not More Than 600 Have Entered That Country Since War Ended.

MEXICO CITY, April 5.—German immigration to Mexico has so decreased that not more than 600 have entered that country since the end of the war. German officials have urged their countrymen not to migrate here at present, but rather to avail themselves of the facilities offered for settlement in the South American republics of Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay. Information to this effect was given at the German embassy following inquiries as to newspaper reports here that an official request had been made in behalf of Germans for a concession of about 70,000 acres of land in Coahuila.

Denial was made that the Coahuila concession in question pertains to German citizens. Counsellor Fuhr asserted that the request was made by naturalized Germans in the United States, principally from Texas, who wished to form a colony near Las Vacas, Coahuila and desert their American homes.

Scheme Was Failure.

"The only pretentious emigration from Germany to Mexico ended in failure," Counsellor Fuhr asserted. "Shortly after the end of the war a colonization company was formed by several hundred members who pooled their resources and purchased German goods estimated to bring \$860,000 (pesos) when sold in Mexico.

"Two men were appointed to accompany the goods but unfortunately after they disposed of them they pocketed the money and have disappeared. Meanwhile the would-be colonists embarked for Mexico in large numbers, but since their arrival here they have been virtual wards of the permanent German colony in Mexico City, inasmuch as they had invested all their funds in the defunct company. One of the colonists, for instance, was a former German vice admiral. He is now working as a laborer with a surveying gang and is glad of the chance."

Declaration was made further that the Mexican government as yet has offered no inducements for German immigration beyond mere transportation from the port of entry to the place of settlement. Contrasted to this is the policy inaugurated by the "Plata republics," Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay, whereby colonists of established worth are provided with free passage from Germany and liberal grants of land. Until other facilities are offered by Mexico and "homesteading" is made practicable, Counsellor Fuhr said his countrymen would be advised to stay away.

HERE'S WAY TO PAY NATIONAL DEBT

What a revenue producer a law would be which called on job hunters to take out licenses.—Indianapolis Star.

The man who boasts of being a cynic is usually more foolish than dangerous.

KANSAS INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COURT NOT TO GOVERN UTILITIES

By Associated Press

TOPEKA, Kan., April 5.—Under enactments of the 1921 legislature which adjourned March 21, the Kansas court of industrial relations becomes solely a tribunal for settling industrial controversies, including disputes between employers and employees in essential industries. The supervision over public utilities rates which heretofore constituted a large share of the industrial courts work, is to be taken over by the newly created public utilities commission of three members.

In carrying out the administration plan to divorce the industrial and utilities branches of the court, the state department of labor and the state industrial welfare commission were taken over bodily by the industrial court and will continue to operate as subsidiaries of the court. Reason for creation of the new utilities commission, as given by Gov. Henry J. Allen, was that, quite unexpectedly, the large volume of utilities rate cases coming before the court tended to submerge its activities as an industrial tribunal and demanded the court's attention at the expense of industrial matters before it.

Furthermore, the governor pointed out, the necessity to increase rates charged by utility corporations, as approved by the industrial court brought in an undesirable unpopularity, while on the other hand, its operations in industrial cases appeared to be in strong favor of the public. The two tribunals—industrial court and utilities commission—become operative upon the appointees qualifying.

TWENTY-FIVE EGGS ARE JUST A 'SNACK' FOR THIS HUSKY NEW YORK GIRL

NEW YORK, April 5.—Meet Babe Gross, amateur egg-eating champion of the world.

Miss Gross who is 23 years old and weighs 107 pounds for each year, lives at 36 Delancey street and is known in the section as "Babe Ruth" Gross.

In Citrin's lunch room yesterday Babe was enjoying a modest repast when she chanced to overhear the proprietor mention casually that a friend had broken a record by eating a dozen hard-boiled eggs at one sitting. She announced:

"I can eat twenty-five of 'em."

When Citrin expressed loud disbelief, she added:

"I've got ten dollars that say I can do it."

A group gathered. Things were said. Citrin finally put up his money. It was agreed that the loser should pay for the eggs, at seven cents an egg.

Calmly, without the aid of milk or coffee, Babe ate twenty-five hard-boiled eggs. Complacently she collected the ten dollars. Citrin almost fainted when she said:

"Now, I'll bet you the ten I can eat the shells."

Citrin declined to take her on. Through the New York American Miss Gross begs to challenge the world to a hard-boiled-egg-eating contest, winner take all.

The cheek-to-cheek dancers naturally have to have their weak heads propped up.—Flint (Mich.) Journal.

MINNESOTA BOARD OF TRADE MUST ADMIT ANY ONE TO RANKS

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 5.—Grain and livestock exchanges in Minnesota now must admit to membership "any person, firm, company, corporation or association desiring to deal in or trade in the commodity dealt in on such market."

The law enacted by the present legislature, and which became effective upon signature by Gov. J. A. O. Preus, declares such associations shall "include co-operative corporations or associations organized under Minnesota laws."

It was especially for admittance of co-operative associations that the new law was enacted, as a part of the farmers' program put through the present legislative session, and which included legislation for co-operative marketing of all farm products.

Are Public Markets.

The law declares "to be public mar-

kets" all chambers of commerce, boards of trade or exchanges "where the members thereof deal or trade in grain, live stock or other farm products."

"All members (of the exchanges) shall be required to comply with all reasonable rules" it is set forth, but "any rule, regulation or by-law of such market which shall be designated or construed as controlling, limiting or modifying the articles of incorporation, constitution or by-laws of any association * * * in the distribution of its profits to its stockholders and members, shall be deemed to be unreasonable."

Action of an exchange tending to delay admission of any association or which shall refuse to trade or deal with any member shall be construed as constituting a felony, and prosecution may lead to dissolution of such exchange.

THIS GIRL WORKS FAST, GETS YOUNG MAN'S RING FIRST TIME THEY MEET

NEW YORK, April 5.—George White, of Chattanooga, Tenn., was engaged, but he did not know it.

George appeared as complainant yesterday in West Side court against 18-year-old Hazel Tyler of 33 West Fifty-sixth street. He told Magistrate McQuade that when he met Hazel at a dancing academy the other day he showed her a \$1,000 diamond ring belonging to his mother. Hazel tried it on.

She refused to return it, George said, so he got a summons. The court asked Hazel what she had to say. She said:

"Why, he gave me that nice ring. We're engaged."

White looked bewildered. Magistrate McQuade ordered the girl to return the ring. He added:

"You're a fast worker, young woman."

The magistrate warned White that if he stayed in New York he would have to remember that things are done fast here.

GOLD WATCH BARRAGE LAID DOWN BY JEWELER ROUTS FOUR BANDITS

NEW YORK, April 5.—A fusillade of gold watches prevailed over pistols yesterday when Alexander Kipnis, a jeweler of 320 Bleecker street, routed four bandits. Kipnis, who is 55, but swift of thought and movement, was arranging the trays in his show case, when four men stepped into the store. All wore caps and were roughly dressed.

As the jeweler turned to serve the quartet, thinking them to be customers, the leader cried:

"Hands up—and quick about it!"

Dazed, but valiant.

Kipnis hesitated and found himself staring into the muzzles of two revolvers, that loomed like two tunnels before his eyes. But as the leader called the command again, the jeweler flung the tray of watches at the intruders.

Before the surprised thieves recovered, Kipnis was using everything in the show case as a missile. One of the bandits clubbed his pistol and brought it down on the jeweler's head.

Dazed but defiant, Kipnis continued to pelt them with jewelry. In a final attempt to silence him, the leader fired a shot at close range. The jeweler leaped aside. The bullet drilled through the flesh of his right arm, but he let go another watch from his left hand. The bandits fled.

ANOTHER YOUNGEST VET.

By Associated Press

FORT SCOTT, Kan., April 5.—Fort Scott's claims to the youngest veteran of the world war is disputed. Herman Lange of this city who was but 14 when he enlisted held this record, it was believed. But a letter from Mrs. Joe Waiter of Garett, Ind., to a local newspaper states that her son, Leo L. Madden, enlisted and went overseas at the age of 13 with the Rainbow division and was at the front eighteen months with the 150th field artillery.

He sailed for France Aug. 17, 1917, and he was not 14 years old until Oct. 19 of that year, according to his mother. After coming home young Leo re-enlisted and was sent to Camp Grant, Ill., where he is stationed with the 52nd infantry.

Some people cast their bread upon the waters and expect it to come back buttered.—Brookfield (Mo.) Budget.

TO INVESTIGATE WAR RISK BUREAU FOR PRESIDENT

A committee of eleven, headed by Charles G. Dawes of Chicago, who served as a brigadier-general with the A. E. F., has been appointed by President Harding to investigate the administration of the war risk bureau and the vocational board for training soldiers. Mrs. Douglas Robinson, sister of former President Roosevelt, was appointed a member of the committee.



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TEXAS LEGISLATURE FAILS TWICE TO PUT MOVIES UNDER CENSOR

By Associated Press

AUSTIN, April 5.—Two efforts of the Texas legislature to regulate moving picture shows in the state failed by a big majority during the past session.

Motion picture censorship was defeated when a house bill, proposing to establish a state board of censors, received an adverse report in committee and died on the calendar. A senate bill providing for the operation of picture shows between certain hours on Sundays received similar treatment in the upper house. Attempts to bring both measures up for consideration on the floor were defeated by large majorities.

CHINA MAY ABANDON LICENSING BROTHELS

CANTON, April 5.—A bill has been introduced in the provincial assembly abolishing government licensing of brothels. The annual fees from these and from drinking houses amount to \$12,000.

Dr. Sun Yat-sen, head of the provisional government, has recommended to the administrative council a repeal of the law granting orders of merit to officials on the grounds that such orders are not democratic.

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J. T. Bell of Nimrod and Miss Flossie Grisham of Nimrod.
E. C. Mongam of Houston and Miss Oneita M. Daniels of Mangum.

The passing of the old family doctor is deplored by the Council on Medical Education and Public Health. Watching him tapping out the contents of the little bottles on to the white paper squares and folding them up made a fellow feel better right away.—Detroit News.

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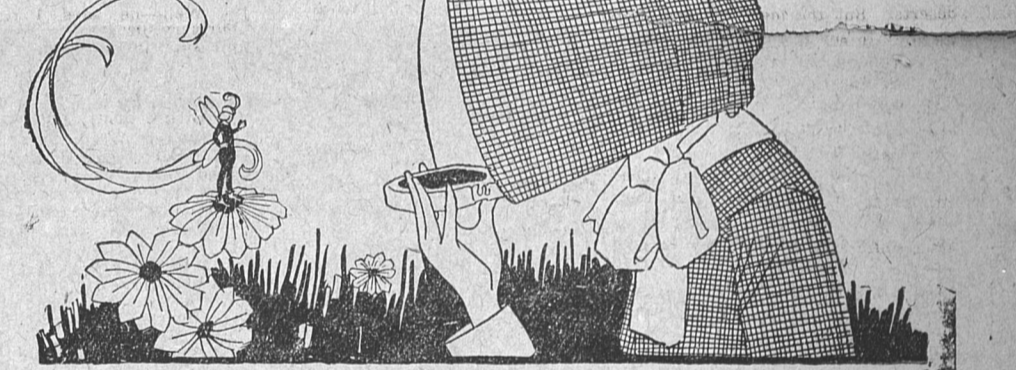
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So he said to Mary, "Did you bring anything good to eat with you?" And Mary said, "I've got a lovely spread of bread with some delicious Mary Jane Syrup on it, that my mamma gave me for my lunch."

The Fairy King said, "Well, why didn't you say so before? You know that Mary Jane Syrup is what we fairies always serve at our banquets, when we want something es-pec-ial-ly good."

So Mary brought out her bread with Mary Jane Syrup on it. And they sat and ate, and talked about ships and sealing wax, and cabbages and kings until it was time for Mary to go home.

Then the Fairy King gave Mary a great, big diamond that he found on a rose leaf that very morning. Mary had the diamond mounted in a ring. And she's wearing it to this very day, in memory of the Fairy King, and the Mary Jane Syrup they enjoyed so much that afternoon of the long ago, when the heart of a child thrilled to the magic of a fairy's kingly gift.

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New Law Reduces Fire Losses



NEW JERSEY, the latest State to enact a fire prevention education law, is already feeling the salutary influence of this new study in the schools, although the law went into effect only six months ago. According to H. R. Heydon, Secretary of the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce, the law already has resulted in a reduction in the number of fires, although it requires only one hour of study each month.

A new spirit is being shown in community neatness as a result of the lessons taught," says the New Jersey official. "For example, in one community where children had formerly scattered waste paper on the streets, the nuisance has been entirely obliterated through the teachings, in the schoolrooms, that this constitutes a fire hazard. This gave the local Chamber of Commerce a new incentive and the result has been an actual reduction in the number of fires."

The new movement for teaching fire prevention in the schools of the other States is spreading rapidly, according to reports coming to the headquarters of the National Association of Credit Men, who are leading the campaign.

From Governors, State Fire Marshals, Insurance Commissioners, Superintendents of Education and other State officials throughout the country letters have poured in reporting popular approval of measures similar to the New Jersey law.

The annual loss of 15,000 human lives and nearly \$300,000,000 in property, largely due to carelessness, according to figures recently made public by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, has so impressed the country that the movement to reduce this waste by teaching habits of carefulness has gained great impetus.

"The proper beginning of fire prevention is in the schoolrooms," writes Governor Heydon, Maryland, "and the United States

MAY BE CHIEF OF STAFF



Major-General James C. Harbord, who, according to rumors in official circles in Washington, is slated to succeed General Peyton C. March as chief of staff of the A. E. F., and commander of the service of supply in France, rose from the ranks.

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SPORTS

NITROS LEAVE FOR TWO GAMES WITH ALBANY

Fifteen Nitro hopefuls leave today on a barnstorming jaunt to Albany, which has a fast independent team this year and is anxious to see it in action.

Albany will be engaged on Wednesday and Thursday. The athletes get back here Friday and return to Breckinridge Sunday for what is looked forward to as a "comeback" engagement. Several men will be left at home on the Albany trip, including Tommy Harding, who confesses to an arm which isn't all it should be in the way of suppleness.

Charley Clapp is expected today or tomorrow. He was due on the 1st and yesterday the club wired him, receiving a reply from his mother that he is already headed this way. Teet Toland and one or two other good infield prospects also have been wired for. With their arrival, the first of next week, the Nitro gang should begin to shape up something like the nine that will start the season.

RANGER GUN CLUB TO MAKE MERRY IN LOBBY OF GHOLSON ON FRIDAY

The spacious lobby of the Gholson hotel will be turned over to the Ranger Gun club Friday night for the first social function the club has given. On this occasion a dance will be given for club members and their friends. Invitations are now out. The funds realized will be used to defray the expenses of the state gun shoot that is to be held in Ranger soon. For the dance, special music has been provided for and every arrangement made to insure its success. The club plans other social events from time to time.

WORLD'S RECORD TOBACCO SALE SET BY WILSON, N. C.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., April 5.—By selling more than 62,000,000 pounds of leaf tobacco this season, Wilson, N. C., claims the distinction of being the world's greatest leaf tobacco market.

This city, with 60,554,406 pounds, and Durham with over 55,000,000 claim rank of second and third, respectively.

While the savage red man lived in a wigwam he paid no rent. Why then, was he savage?—Chicago Daily News.

COMMANDER OF MISSING NAVAL BALLOON A-5597



Chief Quartermaster George K. Wilkinson, who is in command of the naval balloon A-5597, which has been missing since it left the naval air station at Pensacola, Fla., March 22. The balloon carried a crew of five. It is feared that all have been lost. Planes and dirigibles are searching for the lost aeronauts.

data in the possession of Dr. J. O. Dyer, local historian and writer along scientific lines, was established on San Luis island (now Galveston island) by the buccaneer, Jean Laffite. Here Laffite and his fellow adventurers maintained headquarters, whence their swift vessels were dispatched to prey upon ships belonging to Spain, against which country the buccaneer carried letters of marque.

Three fast cruisers were in the service of the San Luis commune. The first was the Grand-Terre, commanded by the renowned Captain Ferrier, who was reputed to know every dark and secluded bayou of the "German coast" above New Orleans, and whose maritime skill greatly enhanced his contraband dealings. The second of the trio of speedy vessels under the Laffite commune was the Reclamateur, so named because her business was to barter with the Indians for articles of value reclaimed from wrecks cast along the coast. The Reclamateur was commanded by Captain de la Porta. The Arabelle, commanded by "Nicholas the Greek," was the third of the Laffite fleet.

In the business of the commune on San Luis island a division of work, responsibility and profits was made. A brother of Captain de la Porta acted as money and merchandise broker, while Luis Jufi, according to the data, built the first two-story houses on this island, from lumber brought here from New Orleans.

"Blackbirders" sailing under the Spanish flag were frequently captured by the pirates of Laffite, the unfortunate blacks being taken from the slave traders at sea only to be carried

FIVE GENERATIONS IN ONE PICTURE



It is only once in a great while that folks live long enough to see their grandchildren have grandchildren. But Mrs. Sarah Conner-ton of Dartington, Staffordshire, England, who is now making her home in Chicago, comes of a family blessed with unusual longevity. Mrs. Conner-ton recently celebrated her eighty-seventh birthday, and on that occasion posed for this unusual photograph with her daughter, granddaughter, her great-granddaughter and her great-great-grandson. From left to right in the photograph are Mrs. W. B. Stutson, mother of the baby boy; Mrs. Frank Clark, his grandmother; Mrs. William Bailey, his great-grandmother, and Mrs. Conner-ton, his great-great-grandmother.

to their captors to Louisiana, where they were held in secret hiding places until sold to up-country purchasers. Funds derived from the sale of these blacks, according to the records, were faithfully accounted for in the commune, the money being divided among officers and men of the Laffite government. The experiment in communism end-

ed in 1820, when Laffite, aboard the fastest of his vessels, sailed out of San Luis harbor and left his followers to either abandon or to continue their profiteering. The cloud which rests upon Laffite's name in history, it is believed, is largely due to the later activities of these men, who with their leader gone, took up piracy on the high seas against ships of all nations.

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MIDWEST LEAGUE OF BASEBALL CLUBS SUCCESSFULLY FORMED

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International News Service

DENVER, April 5.—High class independent baseball for the fans of Colorado, Wyoming and West Nebraska is assured today with completion of the organization of the organization of the Midwest League of Baseball clubs.

The new league will open April 27 and continue through to late in September.

Disappointed at Denver's failure to land a berth in the Western league, the new organization, with Denver, the "Mile High City," as a pivotal point, has been launched through the efforts of George Tebeau, nationally known in baseball circles, and Rick Ricketson, prominent western sporting writer, who has been chosen president of the league.

The new venture, a strictly independent, six-club circuit, has granted franchises to Casper, Greybull and Laramie, Wyo.; Scottsbluff, Neb., and Sterling and Denver, Colo.

The new league claims unlimited financial backing. Three of the cities, Casper, Greybull and Laramie, have the support of the Midwest Refining company, the largest oil concern in the West. The Sterling and Scottsbluff clubs are backed by their local commercial associations, while the united support of fandom in Denver and vicinity is strongly boosting for the club in the Colorado metropolis.

George Tebeau owns the franchise in Denver. Tebeau organized the American association, the Western league, and was sponsor of the National Baseball association. He has managed clubs in various leagues of organized baseball, being at the head of the Denver club when this city held a franchise in the Western league and won several pennants.

Ricketson is a young Denver attorney and is widely known in sporting circles west of the Mississippi river. He has been sporting editor of several newspapers in Colorado, Kansas and Missouri.

Salary Limit Fixed. Each club in the new circuit has posted a forfeit of \$1,000. A salary limit of \$4,000 a month, and a player limit of fourteen men has been agreed upon. The schedule adopted calls for games every day, including Sunday, from April 27 to the close of the league season, which has not been definitely decided, though it will probably be about September 20.

That the league may cause some trouble for organized baseball in the minor groups was indicated by President Ricketson's declaration that the new organization will not regard the so-called "reserve clause" of organized baseball as binding.

"We will respect the contracts of organized baseball as long as they respect the contracts of the Midwest ball clubs," Ricketson said. "We will not, however, respect the reserve clauses of any organized baseball club, and will make no attempt to affiliate with the National association. "We will leave it to organized baseball to start any 'sniping,' and if they do, they will find our organization ready with the best antidote—a little of the same medicine.

"Organized baseball hasn't seen fit to consider Denver's claims for a berth in the Western league; too much consideration shouldn't be shown their wishes," was the attitude of the league president.

Players already signed for the new league make it appear like a Class AA organization. The Casper club has Rolla Maples, St. Louis Cardinals pitcher; John Maples, pitcher, on the reserve list of the Pittsburgh Pirates; Joe Slatery, the veteran first baseman; C. H. Jackson, Minneapolis outfielder, and several players from the Pacific Coast league.

Denver has under contract "Buzz" Murphy of Minneapolis, "Liz" Smith from Fort Worth, Texas, Bert Graham of the Pacific Coast league, and "Red" Donovan, a Western league hurler.

Spirited Fight Predicted. Managers have been secured by all six clubs, and a spirited fight for the gonfalon, and whatever goes with it,

is predicted. Very few youngsters will be seen in the league, as efforts are seemingly being directed toward signing up tried talent from the American association, Western league and Pacific Coast league.

Casper will be managed by Charles Arbogast, Laramie will be in the hands of Art Forrest, Pen Moore will have charge of Greybull, Jack Roach will hold the reins at Scottsbluff, Sterling will be managed by Jake Kraninger, and Tom Downey, former pilot of the Kansas City Blues, will look after the managerial end in Denver.

GANG FIGHT FOLLOWS FORD PAPER SALE IN TOLEDO

TOLEDO, April 5.—Sale of Henry Ford's newspaper, the Dearborn Independent, precipitated a gang fight in front of the federal building here this afternoon. Traffic was blocked and police reserves were called out to disperse the mob.

P. W. Johnson, H. Kunzmann and Joe Lynch, of Detroit, selling the periodical, and Jack Carlson, of Toledo, were arrested on disturbance charges.

WOMEN VOTERS HELD NOT LIABLE TO JURY DUTY

BOSTON, April 5.—The granting of suffrage to women carries with it no liability to jury duty, the supreme court held in an opinion to the legislature today. It added, however, that the legislature has authority under the constitution to frame a law making women liable to jury service.

The opinion was asked after a convicted defendant had appealed a jury's verdict on the ground that women were illegally excluded from the jury.

COMMUNISM THRIVED ON GALVESTON ISLAND JUST ONE CENTURY AGO

By Associated Press. GALVESTON, April 5.—Communism in Russia, which superseded the provisional government of Alexander Kerensky following the revolution of 1917, had its prototype in Texas just 100 years before the Lenin-Trotsky coup d'etat. The Texas commune, according to

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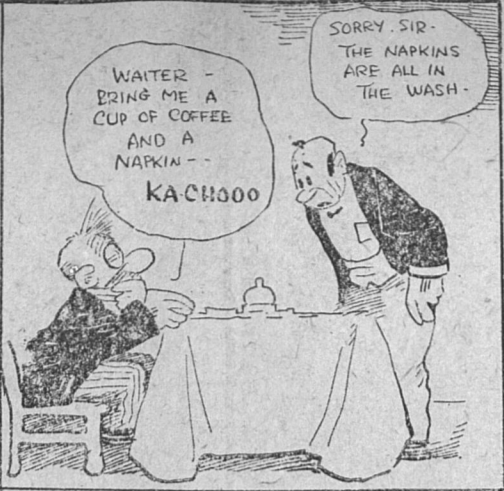
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SHAPELY ANKLES OF AMERICAN CHORUS GIRLS CHARM LONDON

Stars From U. S. Also Shine Brightly in British Theatrical Firmament.

By LLOYD ALLEN United Press Staff Correspondent LONDON, April 5--Slender ankles after all, are the best diplomacy. And the American chorus girls, who have been imported here as cementing Anglo-American understanding in a way undreamt of by ambassadors and such.

In the "League of Nations," C. B. Cochran's latest theatrical production, there are ten of them; and Englishmen, who as a rule are not lavish in their use of superlatives, describe them as the "willowiest, lissomest, and gracefulest girls" who ever glided across London's "board." Not only Englishmen, but English women, too, are loud in their expressions of admiration for the American type of womanhood, which differs quite a lot from the English product. Cochran has been particularly happy in his selection, and his American girls, conforming as they do to the "Kirschner" type--tall and slender--make a striking contrast to the "petite" English girls who are part and parcel of the same show.

While American chorus girls, without exception, are tremendously popular with audiences--they cause the management one or two extra gray hairs on account of their unpunctuality during rehearsals. From inquiries made of various theatrical managers who have fair young Americans under their wing, it would seem that usually they come to England with a glorious anticipation of being thoroughly spoiled. Hence they begin by turning up late for rehearsals and then proceed to overstay their lunch hour. At the first managerial reprimand they raise supercilious eyebrows; at the second they are prettily penitent; but at the third they begin to realize that the manager means business, and reform accordingly.

However, the conquest of London has not been left to American chorus girls only. Those "stars" which America has spared from her own great firmament are shining brightly over here. The Dolly Sisters and the Trix Sisters are making a hit, while the two biggest successes of the past season were "Paddy the Next Best Thing" in which Edith Day scored such a prolonged triumph.

There is some flavor about American talent which never fails to please the English palate. The Prince of Wales is certainly not immune from the American lure. At a recent dance of Lady Lavery the Trix Sisters were sorted out by the Prince of Wales for special attention. He danced with one of them and insisted on hearing excerpts from their "act" and went on applauding and pleading for more until they had finished the third number.

Another complete and individual American success was scored by Mary Nash at the Oxford theatre in "The Man Who Came Back." In London's smartest ballrooms the American demonstrator is to the fore. At the Savoy hotel, Leonora Hughes, with her partner, Maurice, held the huge ballroom spellbound each night--and many Londoners went just to watch them dance, without any intention of joining in the whirling through themselves.

Elsie Janis makes a musical complaint, entitled "It's All Wrong," at the Queen's theatre--and while this finds little favor with Americans in the audience, Londoners clap and encore and pronounce it "Fine!" Managers are at a loss to know whether it's the American "ankles or the accent" that so completely wins London's favor, but the favor is won beyond a doubt, and those programs announcing an "English and American Company" are practically certain to play to a full house.

FORT WORTH WILL BE HOST TO TEXAS C. A. R. FORT WORTH, April 5.--Fort Worth will be the convention city of the Texas department, Grand Army of the Republic, this year. Acceptance of the city's bid for entertaining the veteran at their thirty-sixth annual encampment on May 9, 10 and 11, has been received from Max Hart, commander of the Texas department.

MISSOURI--\$5 down and \$5 monthly buys 40 acres truck and poultry land near town southern Missouri. Price \$240. Send for bargain list. Box 169, M. Vernon, Ill.

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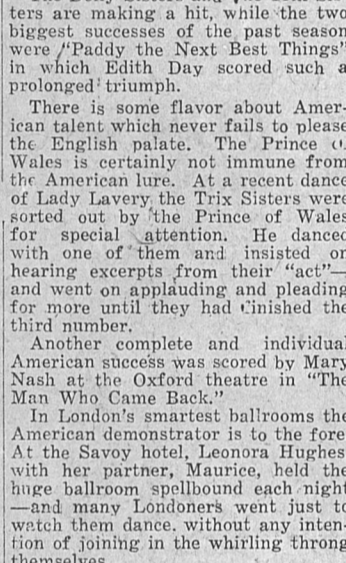
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GERMAN PROFESSOR EN ROUTE HERE TO EXPLAIN THEORY OF RELATIVITY Professor Albert Einstein started the scientific world last year with his discovery of a "relativity" basis which revolutionized all hitherto accepted theories on the subject. Scientists have since corroborated his new doctrine. Einstein has been attacked by his German colleagues for "hobnobbing" with English scientists. So violent became these attacks that he announced his intention of leaving Germany and making his home in Holland. Professor Einstein is now on his way to America.



MEMBERS OF MEXICO'S ONCE SECRET SERVICE KNEW LITTLE OF U. S. LAW LAREDO, Texas, April 5.--The report that the present Mexican government has abolished the secret service that was carried on during the previous regime throughout the United States wherever there was a Mexican consulate brings to mind some of the incidents of the espionage familiar to residents of Laredo. Especially in border towns that faced each other in their respective countries. Usually the secret service office in the Mexican town was in daily communication with the "operatives" on the American side, but as the most they did was to annoy the persons who were refugees from Mexico and who were living in peace and quiet unknown to those in their own country, they caused little attention. One of the most pompous of the Mexican secret service men was ordered brought to the district attorney's office on one of his frequent visits to this side and was asked if he was carrying arms, as had been reported. Fortunately for him he was able to answer "no," and then in response to a question as to what he was doing in this country, he said: "I am working for my country and so long as I am not guilty of any infraction of the American laws, I cannot be molested." Whereupon he was told that his very presence, as an official of the Mexican secret service, without due authority from the American officials, was a violation of law and he would do well to remember it and stay away. One or two of the more daring of the Mexican spies engaged in some business or other, especially the mail order business, for which their stock in trade was a lot of catalogues and order blanks, hoping in this way to cover their activities. The refugees though unpaid, and one by one the spies were uncovered and made to leave for their own country.

HAWAII ASKS BEER MAKING AND SALE PERMIT OF U. S. HONOLULU, April 5.--A resolution petitioning congress to sanction the manufacture and sale in Hawaii of beer containing 4 to 12 per cent alcohol wine containing 15 per cent alcohol was introduced in the Territorial house today by Representative Evan Da Silva, of Hilo.

The resolution said that the people of Hawaii had no opportunity to express their convictions on prohibition and that drunkenness has increased in the territory since prohibition became operative.

GOLDEN RIVERS OF WOODLAND SWEETS INUNDATE PANCAKES OF CONTINENT



OTTAWA, Ont., April 5.--From the maple trees of eastern Canada, miniature rivers of syrup will soon start flowing. Later it will blanket the pancakes of a continent and give the palatable touch to many other table delicacies. Twenty million pounds, according to a department of agriculture report, should be this year's harvest. Quebec, the biggest producer, will furnish about 14,500,000 pounds, Ontario about 5,000,000 and New Brunswick and Nova Scotia groves the remainder. Total value should exceed \$2,000,000. Vast stretches of primeval maple forest await modern sugar-making equipment in northern parts of Quebec and Ontario. Plans for developing the industry are being advanced by a number of interests, including a co-operative sugar-makers' association. This organization also seeks laws to prohibit compound syrups that deceive the public, and is urging the government to assist in a big annual exposition. The government has established in Quebec four schools in the manufacture of sugar and syrup. Reforesting with maple, which should prove a very remunerative enterprise, yielding an annual crop of sugar and a heritage in timber, is advocated in the government report. The Indians started the industry, gashing the maples with tomahawks and catching the sap in birch-bark dishes. It was boiled in earthen kettles. In a few backwoods spots the methods of the redmen have been little improved. Modern equipment will soon transform this condition, however.

DWELLERS IN FT. WORTH'S 'MEXICAN TOWN' EXIST IN SQUALOR AND MISERY

FORT WORTH, April 5.--Distress among the population of Fort Worth's "Mexican Town" was heightened by the recent cold wave that swept the city.

For weeks the street corners in the Mexican settlement on the North Side and in a district known as "Dallas Alley," have been the meeting places for groups of poorly clad Mexicans, seeking relief from the situation resulting from unemployment. About 90 per cent of the city's Mexican population of 12,000 is unable to find work, according to estimates of W. H. Robb, of the Welfare association.

The situation is daily becoming more critical, according to Mr. Robb. In most instances the conditions under which the people in Mexican Town live are deplorable. The families live from day to day, the men going about the city trying to obtain money enough to buy food for a day or two.

Two or three families living in one small room is not unusual under the present circumstances. For the room each family pays an average of \$3.75 a week to a collector of their own nationality.

An effort is being made by the Welfare association to provide food for those who need it most and medical attention for the sick. Employment is also being sought for the 2,000 to 3,000 Mexican men who are able or willing to work, Mr. Robb said.

WHOLESALE LOOTING OF GRAIN BARGES IS PREVALENT IN AUSTRIA

VIENNA, April 5.--Wholesale looting of grain barges bound from Jugo-Slavia to Vienna has led to more than 100 arrests. According to the newspapers the sailors have an arrangement with the illicit dealers. They sound the siren to indicate what kind of cargo they carry, the smugglers put off in boats and buy all they want, which is resold through the left hand trade at an advance. More than fifty carloads of foodstuffs is reported to have been thus looted.

The skeleton rider of the pale gray horse appears to have a new steed--the white mule--Arcola (Ill.) Arcolian.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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

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That's Saying Mouthful. (Washington Post.) Spiritualistic mediums would receive more respect if they could tell a man how to raise his pay instead of his debt. We are not worrying so much right now about the fool killer as we are the cool filler.--Florida Times-Union.

DEATH PENALTY IS POSSIBLE FOR 11-YR.-OLD BOY

Killed Playmate and Is Indicted For First-Degree Murder.

KNOX, Ind., April 5.—Cecil Burkett, who has celebrated only eleven birthdays went to trial before a jury in the Starke county circuit court here today on the charge of first degree murder. He is accused of firing the rifle shot which ended the life of 7-year-old Bennie Slavins last Thanksgiving day, at Ara, Ind., a village in Starke county.

The lads were playing with a small calibre rifle on the holiday last November and Bennie was shot. Around the village there was the usual gossip regarding the incident. Many persons believed that it was an accident. There were rumors of a quarrel and an argument between the boys.

Youngest Ever Indicted.
A grand jury made an investigation and returned the indictment charging Cecil with first degree murder. Attorneys declare he is the youngest lad ever indicted in the state on this serious charge. Arrangements were made by the boy's father, Mack Burkett, for his release on bond of \$10,000.

Attorneys say there is nothing in the Indiana law which would prevent the execution of the death sentence, provided for first degree murder, should the boy be convicted.
The younger brother of the Burkett lad is said to be the only witness who saw the shot fired and it is expected that he will be called upon to tell his story at the trial.

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Mrs. F. J. Guyer, Springer, N. M.
J. J. Foristall, Boston.
C. A. Godfrey, Fort Worth.
H. A. Dallas, Weldon.
R. A. Speed, Fort Worth.
B. J. Dallas, Hampton, Dallas.
J. E. Brown, Abilene.
Robert A. Young, Breckenridge.
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Harvey, Breckenridge.
J. C. Fortune, Dallas.
C. S. Cook, Dallas.
A. H. Loucke, Marion, Ind.
J. T. Hefflin, Dallas.
O. W. Wright, Breckenridge.
W. H. Stowe, wife and boy, Ranger.
C. C. Lay, Houston.
A. Jules Benedict, Dallas.
L. R. Messmer, Big Spring.

PARAMOUNT.

Bart F. Freeman, Breckenridge.
B. J. Wagner, Breckenridge.
H. K. Hughes, Fort Worth.
E. Bradshaw, Dallas.
W. N. Hugh, Breckenridge.
B. L. Cockrell, Ivan.
L. J. Leving, Halifax.
R. F. Blackburn, Cisco.
E. L. Kinsolving, Fort Worth.
T. B. Coker, Cisco.
W. E. Newman, Waco.
E. R. Adeock, Abilene.
W. J. Steel, Abilene.
H. F. Pegrom, Cisco.
J. M. Edwards, Cisco.
Mrs. May Carman, Chicago.
E. H. Lathrup, Abilene.
J. L. Carpenter and wife, Breckenridge.
E. W. Davidson, Dallas.
S. R. Bennett and wife, Sipe Springs.
Noble Cuch and wife, Breckenridge.
G. W. Dunaway, Fort Worth.

PERSONALS

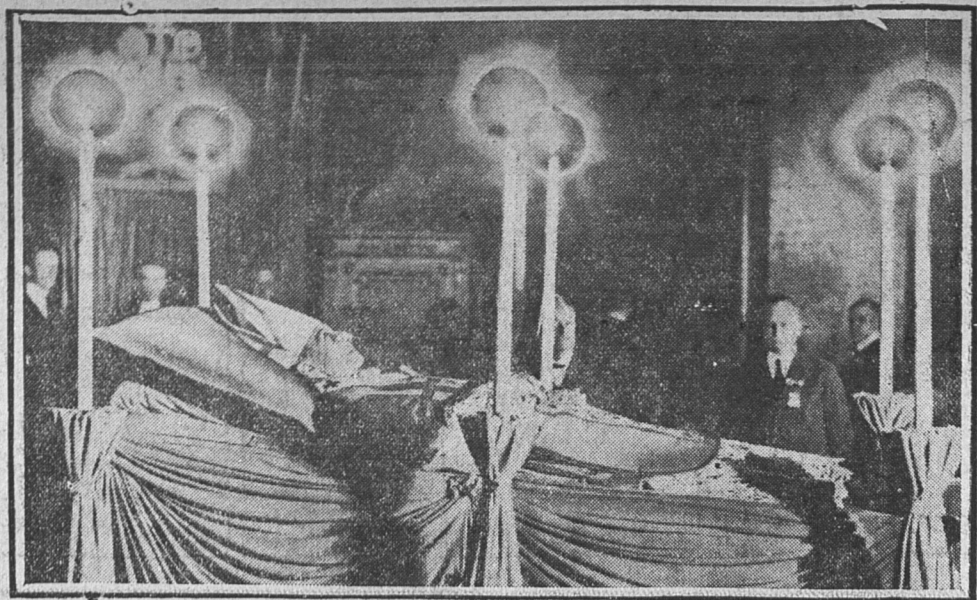
Mrs. Sidney Lackland arrived in the city last night for a visit with her husband who is one of the owners of the Lackland Brothers chicken farm. Jack Garber, after a three-week vacation, is now with the National Supply company in its Ranger offices.
D. B. Wither of the Army Supply store is in Dallas this week on business.
Misses Myrtle Weeks, Gladys Jones, June Hughes, Bob Line, and Selma Goodie spent Sunday in Abilene visiting Mrs. J. L. Noland and Mrs. R. L. Weeks.

Congress worries over what to tax. And in the meanwhile it is taxing our patience.—Dayton News.

TURNING POSTS MADE OF CONCRETE ARE TO BE INSTALLED DOWN TOWN

Concrete turning posts will be placed at all the downtown street corners to regulate traffic, according to an announcement made yesterday by A. Davenport, police and fire commissioner. The posts will be painted white and will occupy the middle of the street. They are built in the form of an inverted washtub and are about eighteen inches high. An automobile striking one of them will glance off but the post is heavy enough to maintain its position. They are modeled along the lines of those in use in Abilene and El Paso. The city commission has been considering this move for some time but for lack of finances it has been delayed.

THOUSANDS PAY HOMAGE AT BIER OF CARDINAL GIBBONS



The body of the late Cardinal Gibbons, Primate of the Catholic church of America, lying in state in the cathedral in Baltimore. At the close of a series of special requiem masses the public was admitted. All the rest of the day the long line filed past the catafalque on which the prince of the church lay clad in the purple vestments of high office. It was 1 o'clock at night when the church was closed.

CIRCUS EXPERTS BATTLE TO KEEP GORILLA ALIVE

"John Daniel," Magnet of Ringling Show, Closely Resembles Human.

NEW YORK, April 5.—A few stone blades, a bit of a massive jawbone, and the fertile mind and facile pen of H. G. Wells gave the world recently a guess, at least, at the riddle of that bleak age which evolved and then lost the creature from which man sprang.

Wells, drawing liberally on "The Liberty to Wonder," paints the picture of an ungainly, ugly, manlike animal that roamed over a bleak land slowly carpeting itself with the growing things which sustain life while the glaciers withdrew to the north. He must have been a hairy creature Wells believes, with a fierce face

SON OF NOTED FINANCIER WILL ENTER POLITICS, IS REPORT



Frederick Trubee Davison, son of Henry P. Davison, noted financier, has decided on a political career, according to reports. Mr. Davison, it is said, is being pushed by his friends for the vacancy in the New York state assembly caused by the resignation of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, present assistant secretary of the navy. Mr. Davison is a graduate of the Yale, class of 1918, and is at present attending the law school at Columbia university. While in his senior year at Yale he enlisted in the aviation service and while learning to fly was badly injured, never fully recovering from the hurt, being made slightly lame.

and little forehead. But his great clumsy hands could fashion rude implements.

With the mammoth and a few other extinct animals this near human creature that Wells calls "The Grizzly Man," roamed over western Europe when true man came up from some warmer climate in the south. And before the eyes of true man this pseudo homo link passed away.

Captured in Africa.
From what, science queries, did this grizzly man spring? A group of men with a bent for natural history offered one answer yesterday by pointing to a cage in the circus menagerie at Madison Square Garden that housed "John Daniel," the gorilla.

To the eye of even the veriest tyro in natural history it is apparent that "John Daniel" more nearly resembles man than any other existing animal. His nearest rival for manlike appearance is the chimpanzee. Over the latter creature the gorilla bears marked evidences of superiority. He stands more nearly erect and his coal black face is not unlike that of man.

"John Daniel" has a broad, low, and receding forehead. His ears are small and close to the head, much like a man's. His nose is broad and flat. His arms are long and powerful. Some sailors on the east coast of Africa, a little more than three years ago, performed the difficult feat of capturing "John Daniel" then a baby. The gorilla is not a creature that can be kept alive long in captivity. The sailors, nevertheless, succeeded in bringing the animal to London, where it was sold to a Major Penny. For more than two years the major exhibited the gorilla, which he named "John Daniel," in a London menagerie. Then last summer, it was bought by John Ringling, who was touring Europe in quest of material for his circus. The animal arrived here only a week or two ago.

Appears to Be Content.
The success in keeping "John Daniel" alive for more than three years lends hope that he may reach adult age. Of this, however, curators are doubtful. Only three other gorillas have been brought to the United States. And all of them, it is pointed out, died shortly after reaching this country.

The last gorilla was "Diana." For a few months she lived in the Bronx zoo. But, despite the utmost care, died. Diana was nine months old. The other two gorillas brought here were considerably younger when they died.

Fully adult gorillas have never been seen alive in captivity, it is said. They are ferocious, according to experts, and exceeding morose. "John Daniel," however, gives no evidence of being vicious. He appears to be content with the lazy life of a circus acquisition, and his keepers expect to see him grow from his present four feet four inches and 183 pounds to the six feet of an adult of his species.

It's Some Pipe Dream.
(Baltimore Sun.)

Most of the theories designed to save the world grow out of the assumption that all would be well if the little fellows could boss the big fellows.

APRIL ELEVENTH TO SIXTEENTH NAMED "BE KIND TO ANIMALS WEEK"

ALBANY, N. Y., April 5.—Observance of "Humane Sunday" on April 17, bringing to a close a week devoted to kindness to animals, is urged by the American Humane association from its headquarters in this city.

"No special observance has more ready claim upon the attention of clergymen, irrespective of church affiliation, than that of Humane Sunday," the society says in its announcement.

"It has back of it no mercenary motive; it does not seek to finance any local or national institutions, no matter how commendable may be their purpose or valuable their work. The friends of the child and the animal seek simply to have sermons preached on the occasion throughout American pulpits on the general subject of mercy and kindness. These are fundamental religious doctrines that need repeated emphasis."

The week of April 11 to 16 has been designated by the association as "Be Kind to Animals Week." It proposes a program, starting with Monday as "Club Day," Tuesday as "Pet Animal Day," Wednesday "Benefit Day," Thursday "Red Star Day," Friday "School Day," and Saturday "Boy Scout Day."

Pet animal shows, public exhibits of bird houses made in bird house building contests, and planting of trees to commemorate the work of humanitarians, are among the association's ideas for the week.

AGED NEGRO AMASSED FORTUNE CHOPPING WOOD

NEW YORK, S. C., April 5.—"Uncle Bill" Hopkins, a negro who died here recently, left a \$15,000 estate. Born a slave and unable to read and write, the old negro made practically all his little fortune chopping wood for his white neighbors.



Cuticura Is Just Right For Baby's Tender Skin

Bathe him with Cuticura Soap and warm water. Dry gently and if any sign of redness, roughness, irritation or rash is present anoint with Cuticura Ointment to soften, soothe and heal. Finally dust on a few grains of the fragrant, delicately medicated Cuticura Talcum.

BANKS WOULD PLACE 'AD' IN YEGG'S JOURNAL

TOPEKA, Kan., April 5.—If bank robbers are accustomed to exercising foresight as to possible capture, the Kansas Bankers' association is anxious that they read up on laws and offers of reward in Kansas designed to discourage their activities in this state. The association has a standing reward of \$5,000 for the capture of bank robbers and the 1921 Kansas legislature doubled the penalty for bank robbery, making it from ten to fifty years imprisonment. The law applies to attempts as well as "successful" robberies.

Peace officers say that since the bankers' association made its standing offer of reward, more than a year ago, the number of bank robberies has not fallen off perceptibly. Within a week after the new ten to fifty year penalty became effective, four bank robbers were captured, two in Pratt county, and two near Topeka. The former pair, one of whom was identified as a notorious escaped convict, were sentenced to thirty years imprisonment "at hard labor." They were sent to the prison coal mines upon reaching the state penitentiary. The latter pair confessed to holding up a bank at St. Mary's, Kan., but they have not yet been tried.

KANSAS HAS PENSION FOR WIDOWED MOTHERS

TOPEKA, Kan., April 5.—The "mothers' pension law" is now operative in every county in the state of Kansas, as a result of the action of the 1921 legislature in making its adoption compulsory by the various boards of county commissioners, instead of optional. The legislature also increased the maximum monthly payment to mothers with dependent children, from \$25 to \$50, and this sum may be increased by the board "in case of sickness or unusual conditions."

"The old law failed to accomplish its purpose because of the failure of county boards to enforce it," says a report of the child hygiene bureau of the state health bureau department which sponsored the changes in the law. "In a unit of eighteen counties in which a survey was conducted, a total of but forty-nine mothers received mothers' pensions during the survey year, while upwards of a thousand were known to have been left with dependent children and without adequate income."

It is still lawful for the prune to get stewed.—Florida Times-Union (Jack-

ber of Commerce, one hundred or more members having been secured as a result of the drive held in this city during the past week.
Why feel so blue? The worst has never happened and never will.—Ness

Values Unusual In New Spring-Time Apparel

OUR VERY SPECIAL ONE-FOURTH OFF

Continues Throughout the Week

—Have you taken advantage of this splendid reduction we offer on our new stock of Spring Suits, Silk Dresses and Millinery? The entire stock is included at prices remarkably low. Come in and make your selections tomorrow.



Suits - Dresses

Millinery

ALL ON SALE

ONE-FOURTH OFF

NEW ARRIVALS IN

BETTY WALES DRESSES

—Crisp new "Betty Wales" Wash Frocks in a charming variety of clever new styles for early summer wear. You'll be interested in knowing how reasonably we have priced them

The Boston Store

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THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER
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USE YOUR CREDIT

- Railroad Men
- Oil Field Workers
- Carpenters
- Plumbers
- Clerks
- Barbers
- Merchants
- Mechanics
- Bankers
- Electricians
- Politicians
- Lawyers
- Doctors

Your Credit Is Good

—In fact, all citizens of Ranger.

—Avail yourself of the convenience of Hall's easy payment plan of merchandising. Make your home comfortable and inviting with furnishings from Hall's. Use the goods while you are paying for them in small easy payments. It will cost less at Hall's on easy terms than others will ask you for cash. And Hall's stock is the most complete you will find. Hall's is the place to buy whether you buy only a single piece or a complete housekeeping outfit. Remember, if you are a citizen of Ranger or vicinity—Your Credit is Good at HALL'S.

—Our beautiful new store in the Hodges-Neal building with up-to-date equipment makes it a pleasure to trade at Hall's

Hall Furniture Co.

Now in Hodges-Neal Bldg., Main Street

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SCHEDULE AS FOLLOWS:

Train No. 6	Train No. 2	Train No. 4	Train No. 8	STATIONS	Train No. 7	Train No. 3	Train No. 1	Train No. 5
				P. M.				
				8:35 Lv Jimkurn	Ar 9:35			
				9:15 Lv Gudger	Ar 8:55			
				9:35 Ar Breckenridge	Lv 8:35	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
				9:58 Lv Plateau	Ar 8:12	5:10	10:05	3:36
				10:20 Lv Breckwalker	Ar 7:51	5:06	9:42	3:13
				11:01 Lv Frankell	Ar 7:15	4:48	9:10	2:41
				P. M.				
				11:45 Ar Ranger	Lv 6:30		8:30	2:00
				A. M.			A. M.	P. M.
				12:05 Lv Ranger	Ar 6:15	3:35		
				12:52 Lv Edhobby	Ar 5:37	5:58		
				1:25 Lv Jakchamon	Ar 5:08	2:35		
				1:58 Lv Neff	Ar 4:40	2:00		
				2:30 Ar Dublin	Lv 4:05	1:30		
				A. M.			A. M.	P. M.
				VIA FRISCO				
				2:30 Ar Fort Worth	Lv 11:05	8:45		
				P. M.		A. M.		

Trains Nos. 7 and 8 carry through standard Pullman sleeping cars between Breckenridge and Fort Worth in connection with Frisco Lines via Dublin.
All trains make convenient connections with Frisco and M., K. & T. at Dublin and T. & P. at Ranger J. M. STRUPPER, G. F. & P. A., Ranger, Texas.

GHOLSON IS MAYOR

Davenport, Newnham, Dean and Hodges Are Elected To Places On City Commission

Starting at first as a "quiet affair," with no interest expected aside from seeing that capable men were named, Ranger's first municipal election during the last week developed into a campaign which has drawn all citizens into fevered argument.

There was a flare-up along in February, when the Citizens' committee started the pot to boiling by nominating their city ticket, Gholson, Davenport, Newnham, Cole and Maher. That was on Feb. 4. The next day, another volunteer committee nominated another ticket naming Sanford Dean, for mayor. This ticket never entered the race, however. Then for nearly a month politics simmered slowly.

On Feb. 25, S. J. Black announced his candidacy as an independent. He withdrew last week. On March 3, W. R. Fleming filed his application for a place on the ticket. March 6, Sanford Dean, Lytton R. Taylor and Raymond Teal announced for commissioners on the Non-Partisan ticket, as Mr. Fleming's party had come to be known. This was followed by a mass meeting on March 10, at which R. H. Hodges was nominated for the remaining place.

Politics again was forgotten for two weeks, except for undercurrents, but they sprang into flame on March 29, when Gholson supporters held a meeting at the Lone Star hall, at which the merits of Mr. Gholson and his ticket were pointed out. The Citizens' ticket held two meetings at Cooper and Young school houses during the week and Saturday night had a big rally at the Lone Star hall. Yesterday there were two big rallies, and at least 2,000 persons heard the addresses. There were bands, a parade by the Non-Partisans, and all the election fuss. Charges and counter charges filled the air, especially as regarded the mayoralty candidates. It was freely predicted that there would be split tickets as to commissioners, and this has proved to be the case.

GHOLSON HAS RESIDED HERE MANY YEARS

Has Been Booster and Worker
Through Leans as Well
as Fat Years.

John M. Gholson, elected today as mayor of Ranger has been here a long time.

He is not the oldest settler of Ranger, but he has been here long enough to qualify for membership in the Old Settlers' association. Back in 1890, when Fort Worth was a thriving metropolis about the size of Ranger, and beyond that there was little more than nothing, John M. Gholson came here. He has been here ever since, and has thrived and grown vigorous. He has taken root, but has never gone to seed. Starting as a farmer, he has been a salesman, then a merchant, then an oil man and banker. His has been a long story of progress.

In that time, also, he has found time to devote to civic enterprise. For fifteen years he has been president of the Ranger school board, which is a place of no mean honor and trust. He it was who largely financed Ranger's school buildings before the bonds could be voted and sold.

He is one of the few men through whose efforts the Texas Pacific company was induced to drill for oil in this immediate section. Since then he has joined in many enterprises. He is one of the ten men who guaranteed the \$250,000 right-of-way fund for the amon line, and gave a large sum direct to that fund. He has been the main backer of the Gholson hotel, the largest and finest in the West. He has backed the city administration at times when it was penniless. All these things stamp Mr. Gholson as a public spirited citizen of the most valuable sort—a worker and a giver. Came from Kentucky.

Mr. Gholson was born in Wayne county, Kentucky, Aug. 29, 1876. That makes him 45 years old at his next birthday. In 1884 his family moved to Texas, settling at Fort Worth. There he was educated in the public schools. In 1890, at the age of 14, he came to Ranger, having a sister here, and except for a period as traveling salesman for the James McCord company, he has resided here since that time.

He has stayed through drouth and hard times as well as through periods of prosperity, reaping the reward of his ability in the latter and helping those less fortunately placed through the former. Such at least his friends say. Mr. Gholson refused to talk of his own good points. In fact, he doesn't like publicity. He doesn't crave the limelight. What he has done for the betterment of Ranger has been done quietly and without ostentation. In 1895 Mr. Gholson was married



Ranger's New Mayor, John M. Gholson

ALBERT ROWAN CASE CALLED FOR TRIAL IN DALLAS COURTS TODAY

DALLAS, April 5.—The case of Albert Rowan, charged with murder in connection with the robbery of local postoffice substation here in January, was called in criminal court here today. The state announced ready, despite the lack of a pardon for W. S. Scrivner, regarded as the chief witness. The defense petitioned for a change of venue.

to Miss Mollie Rawls, and the couple have four children, Howard, Helen, John D. and Charles. Howard is married. Miss Gholson is away at school, the other two children are still at home. Mr. Gholson is a Methodist and a member of the Masonic blue lodge, Royal Arch, Commandery and Consistory.

HUGHES PUTS OUT PROTEST TO ALLIES

BY A. L. BRADFORD,
United Press Correspondent.
WASHINGTON, April 5.—A new note has been sent to the principal allied powers by Secretary of State Hughes protesting against their attitude on mandate territory, it was learned today. The note, it was stated authoritatively, was dispatched last night.

The Voters Say---

MAYOR	
GHOLSON	568
Fleming	212
POLICE-FIRE COMMISSIONER	
DAVENPORT	421
Taylor	364

STREET COMMISSIONER	
NEWNHAM	462
Teal	304
FINANCE COMMISSIONER	
DEAN	507
Cole	265
SANITARY COMMISSIONER	
HODGES	537
Maher	240

HARDING SAYS SEES NO PEACE WITH GERMANY

Doom of Versailles Treaty
Sealed By President's
Attitude.

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, April 5.—The doom of the treaty of Versailles so far as the United States is concerned, was pronounced by President Harding today.

In unmistakable words, in a talk with newspaper correspondents, he made it clear that he was convinced that there is no possible way in which the United States can consider ratifying the treaty with Germany. Harding denied that he had approved immediate action on the Knox peace resolution.

BILLY EDWARDS DEAD; WIFE IS HELD IN JAIL

Special to the Times.
OKLAHOMA CITY, April 5.—Mrs. Anna Belle Edwards is held in the county jail here today, charged in a preliminary information with the murder of her husband, "Billy" Edwards, reputed wealthy gambler, following the death of Edwards late Sunday. The woman is charged with shooting her husband during a quarrel a week ago Monday when it is understood he went to Mrs. Edwards' home to confer with her about an action for divorce which he was to have instituted.

GENERAL STRIKE IN ENGLAND IS DELAYED

By United Press.
LONDON, April 5.—A general strike was deferred today when transport workers adjourned without taking a vote. The meeting had been called to decide what action to take in supporting the miners' strike. The transport workers considered routine reports. They are expected to take joint action with the railroad unions, whose executives meet tomorrow.

BOY, PAGE MR. HARDING! ONE HUNDRED AND TEN REPLY IN WASHINGTON

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, April 5.—Boy, page Mr. Harding!
He's got a man's sized job on his hands, for in Washington's city directory there are exactly sixty-nine Mr. Hardings. Not only that, but the Hardings occupy slightly over half a page in the big book of names. The other forty-one possessors of the distinguished appellation (for they total 110) are women. Included in the family are policemen, firemen, motormen and clerks, tanners, carpenters, chauffeurs and detectives. But there's only one President in the list, and he is the only one who uses the prefix "W. G." True, there is William P. G. Harding, governor of the Federal Reserve board, but this is the closest approach to "Warren G." And there's a Mrs. Florence Harding listed too, whose home is not at 1600 Pennsylvania. She is clerk at the navy yard. Still, considering, our bellboy has less of a job paging Mr. Harding than he did Mr. Wilson, for the Wilson family occupies over four pages in the directory, about 500 names.

Storm Hits Wharton.
By United Press.
WHARTON, April 5.—Damage estimated at nearly \$20,000 was sustained here today when a heavy windstorm swept the town during a rainstorm. Ten houses were completely demolished and two score persons rendered homeless. Two women, both negroes, were slightly injured.

STATE OF WAR WITH GERMANY TO BE ENDED

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, April 5.—Termination of a state of war between this country and Germany by congressional resolution to be introduced immediately on the convening of Congress was accepted today, as definitely settled as the policy of the new administration.

STEADY STREAM OF VOTERS VISIT POLLING PLACE

A total of 300 votes had been cast at noon today in the city election. Fifteen minutes later nineteen more voters had registered. Many of this number were women. The total shows that a rate of more than one a minute has been kept up all the morning, and if this average is maintained, more than 700 votes will be cast. However, the usual heaviest voting period is between 5 o'clock and the closing hour, and this may bring the total to well over 800.

MAN HELD IN N. Y. SAYS HE'S FROM RANGER

Harvey C. Howard and Associates Charged With Fraud; Not Known Here.

NEW YORK, April 5.—Harvey C. Howard today surrendered to federal authorities when he learned of an indictment pending against himself and others connected with the Ranger Consolidated Oil company, a Texas corporation, charging them with using the mails in operation of a scheme to defraud investors. Howard was committed to the Tombs prison in default of \$5,000 bond.

The indictment, which resulted in an investigation by Assistant United States District Attorney John Joyce, showed that the Ranger company was organized with a capital stock of \$2,500,000 which was increased to \$4,000,000 in a selling campaign last year. It is charged false representations were made in booklets mailed to prospective buyers.

No information was to be had today showing that the Ranger Consolidated Oil company was ever operating in Ranger. Several oil men were asked if they had ever heard of such a concern and they had not. The general opinion is that the company was organized in New York or some other Eastern state purely as a stock selling scheme, and never came any farther south than its New York office.

WHINING OF FAITHFUL DOG LEADS POLICE TO MURDERED BOY'S GRAVE

DAYTON, Ohio, April 5.—The police are puzzled as to the manner in which George Kohlbacker, 16 years old, met his death in a gravel pit at the Dayton Sand and Gravel company, on Danner street.

The lad's body was found by E. A. Tucker, night watchman of the company. Examination showed that he had been shot through the heart. A .22-caliber revolver was found by his side. Suicide, accident and foul play theories are being considered.

Finding of the body followed constant barking of his faithful dog, which remained by his master's side, keeping vigil until the watchman put in his appearance.

Coroner E. E. Kimmel of Miami-burg was notified, and in conjunction with the police will investigate the tragedy.

Kohlbacker lived with his parents at the corner of Gold and College streets, West Dayton.

AUSTIN RE-ELECTS MAYOR
By United Press.
AUSTIN, April 5.—W. D. Yett has been re-elected mayor of Austin by a majority of 165 over former mayor A. P. Worldridge, according to returns today.

75,000 VETS TAKING VOCATIONAL TRAINING

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 5.—More than 1,000 wounded former service men are receiving vocational training in local schools and industries at an annual expenditure of approximately \$1,560,000, according to Dr. Wallace N. Sharpe, executive medical officer of the federal board for vocational training, Ninth district. The district comprises the states of Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska and Missouri.

A survey of government activities along this line throughout the country, Dr. Sharpe asserted, shows 75,000 men have accepted training in 300 different occupations, about 60,000 of whom are receiving maintenance pay.

WEST VIRGINIAN MAY BE INTERNAL REVENUE COMMISSIONER



Joseph H. McDermott of Morgantown, W. Va., photographed while leaving the White House after a conference with President Harding. According to rumors in official Washington, Mr. McDermott is a leading candidate for the post of commissioner of internal revenue. Mr. McDermott is one of the leaders of the Republican party in West Virginia.

DUMB BEASTS LEFT TO DIE IN COAL MINES

Striking Miners in England Begin Campaign of Violence.

By United Press.
EDINBURGH, April 5.—The first violence in the British coal strike occurred here today. Five hundred miners overpowered a police guard at the Hart Hill collieries, wrecked the plant and drove away employees endeavoring to pump water from the pits.

Five policemen and a number of workers were injured by the miners, who used clubs and stones.

Twenty-five ponies left in the pits when the miners quit work will be drowned in a few hours.

POLICE OF OMAHA TO USE FLYING MACHINES TO RUN DOWN BANDITS

By Associated Press.
OMAHA, Neb., April 5.—Airplanes are to be called on for regular use by the Omaha police department.

While the city is not yet prepared to add the machines to its police equipment, arrangements have been made for the use of planes of a private company, according to Police Chief Eberstein.

This became known after the police department had borrowed an airplane to run down robbers who had broken into a bank at Rea, Mo., some 100 miles south of Omaha.

It was necessary to deputize two pilots to give them police power in case of arrests. Although they returned to Omaha empty handed Chief Eberstein said he believed that use of planes for police work would add greatly to its efficiency, especially in cases of emergency where great speed was required.

KATY PASSENGER TRAIN RUNS INTO WASHOUT

By United Press.
LEWISVILLE, Texas, April 5.—The Wichita Falls-bound train on the Katy, which left Dallas last night, was wrecked here when the engine ran off the approach to the bridge near here over Prairie creek, which had been washed out by a cloudburst earlier in the evening. The fireman and engineer saved themselves from serious injury by jumping. No passenger was reported injured. Traffic was expected to be resumed this evening.

The storm here yesterday was exceptional violence and the rainfall is said to have been seven or eight inches in a few hours. A wagon bridge washed out was the only other damage reported.

DISTORTION OF FACTS MOVES ON SWIFT WINGS; TRUTH IS SLOW

Case in Point Is That of Bank Clerk Who Stole \$772,000.

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, April 5.—An example of how much faster incorrect, sensational reports sometimes travel than the facts was disclosed in the Chicago bank robbery in which William Dalton, a 16-year-old clerk, who stole \$772,000 worth of bonds, was credited with saying that he was influenced by the leniency of Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, in postponing sentence on an Ottawa, Illinois bank teller.

Mr. Dalton denied the reports that he had said he was influenced by Judge Landis, when they were called to his attention a few hours after his capture at Heyworth, Illinois, Feb. 25. The denial was bulletined, the same as the first story of the capture, but Judge Landis said he still receives comments from all over the country from persons who have read only the incorrect report that Dalton had blamed him.

An investigation of the story at its source, in Heyworth, brought affidavits that Mr. Dalton had made no such statements.

A newspaper of Heyworth, who was probably the first news writer to interview the boy after his capture, made this sworn affidavit:

"Our conversation was about as follows:
"Reporter—Did you ever read about the Ottawa cash which came before Judge Landis?
"Dalton—No.
"Reporter—The two cases resemble each other, and in that case Landis did not sentence Carey, but let him go on his honor, to come back at any time he would call him. The two cases resemble each other and for that reason I thought you read of it.
"Dalton—The Ottawa man got a raise just before he pulled off his stunt.
"Reporter—Then you have read about the Ottawa case?
"Dalton—Yes, I have read about it."

When this conversation was reported over the long distance telephone the questions became mixed with the answers, with the result that Dalton was made to say that he thought the Ottawa case fitted his own.

This incorrect report was in type for several hours before investigation by Associated Press writers brought denials from Mr. Dalton that he had made any such statement.

Henry Ford says that cows are superfluous and that a machine can take their place. It is a safe bet that his flivver has already weaned more boys from milking than any other modern invention.—Hot Sulphur Springs (Colorado) Times.

OH! HUM! MEBBE SO; BUT DON'T WORRY YET

By Associated Press.
ABERDEEN, Scotland, April 5.—The world may be ruled by a race of biped reptiles in 1,000,000 years or so, according to J. A. Thompson, professor of natural history in Aberdeen university. The collared lizard of New Zealand, he explained in an address, is already learning to become a biped and if it masters this secret of man's supremacy, the rest may follow.

BACHELOR UNKISSED FOR THREE DECADES, SUCCUMBS TO WIDOW

NEW YORK, April 5.—For three romanceless decades Warren A. Brown never permitted feminine lips to caress his. Now he is apparently making up for lost time. For letters received from Brown by friends indicate that after sixty years of bachelorhood he has developed into an ardent swain.

Brown is a realty dealer at Hempstead. His bride 29 years old, and the mother of three children, was Mrs. Joseph St. John until a divorce was granted half a year ago. St. John sued Brown for alienation of affections, won \$2,000 and at a second trial lost. On the stand the white-haired real estate operator swore he "had never been kissed and never kissed a girl."

Now five of his friends have received from the honeymooner such stanzas as these:
I'm sending you this little note
To let you know it is no joke.
You said that I would surely wed;
You are some prophet, old friend Ed,
And—
I'm writing a letter to let you know
On a wedding trip I like to go.
Four days on my honeymoon I'll be away—
I married Mrs. St. John on St. Patrick's day.

"STINGIEST" HUSBAND IS FOUND IN DENVER

DENVER, April 5.—The stingiest husband in the world has just been discovered in Denver, according to his wife. He gave her a penny a day, according to charges in a divorce complaint filed in the district court by Mrs. Ida Robinson against Theodore Robinson.

Mrs. Robinson alleges that she worked and paid the living expenses for herself and husband, and that the latter gave her 1 cent a day out of his earnings and kept the balance.

J. BULL SAYS UNITED STATES INCONSISTENT

By Associated Press.
LONDON, April 5.—American contention for equality in the treatment of citizens of all nations in mandated territory is held by the British government to be "scarcely consistent" with the attitude of the United States toward American oil interests in Mexico, according to a view expressed in a long reply to Secretary Colby's note of last November, made public here today.

TEXAS CATTLE MISSED INJURY FROM FREEZE

By Associated Press.
FORT WORTH, April 5.—Weekly reports from range inspectors in Texas to the Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association indicate that Texas stock escaped the cold unscathed and that pasturage was never better. The San Angelo section reports heavy cattle shipments.

WOMAN, REVIVED AS HEART STOPPED, FINALLY DIES

MILWAUKEE, April 5.—Mrs. T. F. Gevers, 59, revived by a pulmotor on Thursday, two hours after her heart stopped beating, while she was under an anesthetic, lost her battle today. She died after a second relapse.

Well, anyway, the railroad people don't have to worry about a car shortage.—Indianapolis News.

LUCKY STRIKE cigarette



MAY DAY REVOLT RUMOR IS EXPLAINED BY MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, April 5.—By Wire- less to El Paso).—Alarmist rumors, published in the American press, that the Bolsheviks proclaimed a May 1 revolution, at a Socialist congress held at Pachuca, were explained here last night.

There was a gathering of representatives, which adopted the principles of the third Internationale and declared for the emancipation of labor, according to the government official version made public here.

PRESCRIBE A CASE FOR EVERY CASE

Hereafter when in doubt the sympathetic physician will know just what to prescribe.—Detroit Free Press.

SON OF GRAPE JUICE KING SHOT BY THUGS

BUFFALO, April 5.—Attempting to capture automobile bandits near Westfield, N. Y., today, Deputy Sheriff William Welch, son of Dr. C. E. Welch, head of the Welch Grape Juice company, was shot five times. He will probably die.

Welch escaped instant death only because the bandits believed the last three shots fired by them had killed him. He "played dead" and the bandits headed their auto toward Buffalo and escaped.

One of the bullet wounds is regarded as serious. Welch's physician said the wounded man has an even chance to recover.

Welch has been active in campaigns against bootleggers and, for that reason requested and obtained a warrant as deputy sheriff of Chautauque county. He is also an executive of the grape company at Westfield.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
Office of the Comptroller of the Currency
Washington, D. C., March 2, 1921.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against the First National Bank of Ranger, Texas, that the same must be presented to David Murphy, receiver, with the legal proof thereof, within three months from this date, or they may be disallowed.

F. P. KANE,
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PROGRAM

LIBERTY—George Walsh in "From Now On," also Mack Swain in "Full of Spirits," and Mutt and Jeff comedy.

REDS IN U. S. PUT OUT LURID CIRCULARS

Call on Workmen to Overthrow Government and Seize Factories.

Special to the Times.

NEW YORK, April 5.—A particularly revolutionary circular issued by the United Communist party, calling upon the workers in American factories to rise and take possession of all industries by force is being distributed among the working men of many cities, according to an announcement made yesterday by the American Defense society.

Text of Circular. The circular reads: "Why are you out of a job? Are you walking the streets, looking for work?"

"Are your clothes worn out? Are you cold? "See those other people walking the streets, looking for work the same as you? There are five millions of them. What chance have you?"

"Do you think of going to another town to find a job? What's the use? The streets of other towns are lined with men and women tramping, tramping like you, looking for work. "Factories are closing everywhere. Mines are cutting down forces. Railroads are letting out people. There are no jobs.

"Because the workshops, mines, railroads and all other things that supply jobs for people, are the private property of the rich. We, the workers, do the work. We produce the goods. They take the profits. The wealthy class won't let any goods be produced except what they can sell for a profit. During the war, they made big profits. They worked us overtime. They made five billion dollars extra profit over and above regular profits. They are taking it easy now. As for us workers—we can go to hell. They are through with us.

"There is more than enough food, clothing and shelter—everything we need. But the working people can't buy. The goods that are already made are locked up. The people are hungry because there is too much food! The people are cold because there are too many clothes!"

"No help wanted"—you read everywhere.

"They don't need us now. But we need work. They won't let us work. Sleep on the pavement. Let your children die of hunger and cold! The boss says 'No work.' The word of the boss is law.

"We, the workers, must act! Must Take Possession.

"We must take possession of the workshops and establish control over them. We must control production, and operate all industry for the benefit of only the workers. That is what overthrew the government, which the workers of Russia did. They existed only to protect the bosses. They seized the factories, mills and mines and threw out their owners. They organized their own government—the Soviet government of Russia.

"That is what American workmen must do.

"That is the road to Communism. "But when we try to take possession of the workshops, the bosses will call on the government to protect them. Police, thugs, troops armed with machine guns, poison gas, and all implements will be there to stop us.

"We must be ready to fight them. We must organize for that. The time is coming—soon.

"Down with the private ownership of jobs!

"Down with unemployment!

"Down with capitalism!

"All power to the workers!

"THE UNITED COMMUNIST PARTY."

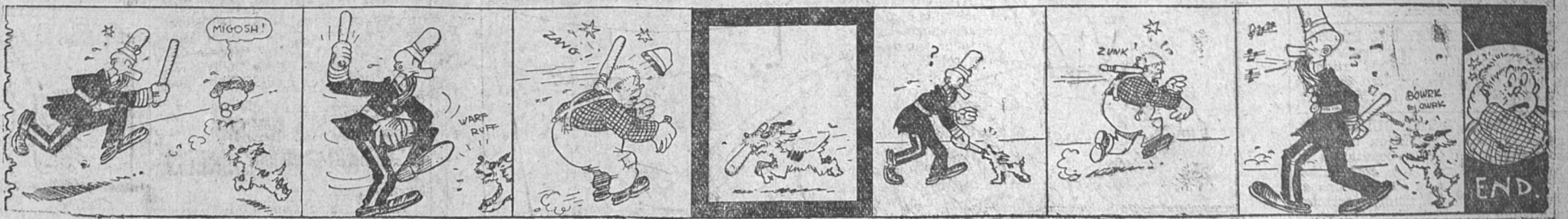
O'CALLAGHAN PLEA DENIED BY DEPARTMENT OF STATE

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The State department is understood to have decided against the appeal of Donald O'Callaghan, former lord mayor of Cork, that he is entitled to remain in the United States as a political refugee.

The ruling is said to be based on the ground that no demand for the surrender of the former lord mayor has been made by Great Britain, and for that reason he cannot plead the right of asylum, and on the further ground that he told immigration officials at Norfolk that he intended to remain in the United States only about sixty days.

MINUTE MOVIE

FULLER PHUN COMEDY SOME RETRIEVER. WITH FULLER PHUN, ARKIE THE COP, AND RAGS. PRODUCED BY WHEELAN.



Tons of Explosives in Chicago Building Wrecked By Blast



At least eight persons were killed, more than one hundred injured and many buildings badly damaged in Chicago when an illicit fireworks factory in the West Side tenement district blew up. According to the authorities, at least a ton of explosives were consumed in the blast. The plant in which the explosion occurred was totally destroyed and windows were broken for a radius of a mile. The shock was felt throughout Chicago. The police report that fireworks were being manufactured in the destroyed plant in violation of the law. The photo shows firemen and police searching the ruins of the destroyed factory for victims.

'YONKERS PLAN' OF ENFORCING PRO AMENDMENT IS LAUNCHED

Anti-Saloon League Claims It Is One Practical Method Known.

By Associated Press

CORNWALL, N. Y., April 5.—Pledges from John D. Rockefeller Jr. and others of financial support of "the Yonkers plan" of enforcing the national prohibition amendment were announced here tonight by William H. Anderson, head of the Anti-Saloon league of New York, at the annual state conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Mr. Anderson, in the course of an address in which he formally opened the campaign of the Allied Citizens of America to nationalize the method of law enforcement which has given Yonkers wide publicity, declared that in New York alone 200,000 persons are back of the movement to introduce it into other states.

Explaining that the Allied Citizens of America was incorporated two years ago "to uphold American ideals and the United States Constitution and particularly the 18th amendment," Mr. Anderson declared that its purpose is to put into operation all over the United States the "successful experiment in practical civics," which, he said, had been made in Yonkers, his home city. In telling of its results here he said:

"There have been raids, arrests, seizures of large quantities of liquor, expulsions from the police force for connivance with violators, indictments, convictions, fines and prison sentences. City officials no longer are indifferent or defiant and there has been created a tangible majority sentiment for law observance. New York pays \$50,000,000 a year for law enforcement and the Allied Citizens of Yonkers have merely insisted that its police and civic authorities shall earn their salaries. The situation is far from perfect but there is motion and in the right direction.

"Protestants, Catholics, Jews and those of other religions in Yonkers who reverence order, country, humanity and God, are united in the effort. Under the plan, evidence is obtained respecting violation of the prohibition law for the sole purpose of publishing it in order that citizens may know the degree and kind of enforcement they are getting from their public officials in return for their taxes. Everyone pays taxes in some form and they have a right to know what they get for their money.

Essence of Plan. "We have always refused to turn over any evidence to be used to secure convictions; that is the very essence of the plan. Publicity in the form of the organization's affidavits telling of liquor infractions helps officials who are doing their best and enables the weeding out of those who wink at violations. Thus, as we have operated in Yonkers, we shall enable the people of any community to exert the same pressure of public opinion to force officials to do their duty."

Mr. Anderson said that the Allied Citizens was designed to supplement the Anti-Saloon league and that there are "no initiation fees, dues or assessments." He declared the records of the Anti-Saloon league would show that more than 500,000 persons in the United States are reg-

ularly contributing to its activities. Organization of the Allied Citizens, he said, will be started by the league this week in every state. No salaries, he said, are paid to any of its officials.

Rockefeller's Pledge. Quoting from Mr. Rockefeller's pledge, he read: "The question of the wisdom and propriety of national prohibition is no longer at issue, having been decided by the adoption of the federal constitutional amendment and sustained by the United States Supreme court. It is now the law of the land, predicated upon a constitutional amendment, which is the most solemn form of legislation possible under our form of government."

But few women would enjoy going anywhere if it wasn't for the pleasure it affords them to talk about it after they return home. It is said that women are more forgiving than men; but men equalize things by being more forgetful than women.

"To fail in the observance and enforcement of such a law strikes at the very foundations of orderly government, and is in that way an attack upon civil liberty, for in a republic there can be no freedom for the individual if there is no respect for and enforcement of the laws which have been enacted in the manner prescribed by the people themselves in the constitution which they have adopted. "While the general legislation of nation and state determines the conditions under which enforcement must be carried on, yet in the last analysis enforcement is a local matter and must be worked out in every locality.



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CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT

Adv.

WHEN IS NEXT SHIP SAILING FOR FRANCE?

PARIS, April 5.—The limit of the undress in Paris has been reached.

The first serious attack on the growing immorality of the stage and women's clothes was made this afternoon when the French government announced that it is about to introduce a bill in Parliament imposing severe penalties on the ultra sissies.

The cabinet today devoted an hour to the subject following a sensational speech by Senator Lamarselle, who pointed out that in the latest revue in the biggest Paris music hall there are ten nude women in one scene.

He added that the whole city is plastered with immoral theatrical posters and that the dancing clubs are filled with half-dressed women. Even the street costumes of the French women, the senator declared, are immoral, and he predicted that France would fall as did Rome unless the present tendencies are stopped.

It became known today that the King of Sweden, visiting Paris recently, unknowingly attended a theatre in which an artist was dancing in the nude. The king, it is declared, was incensed and left the house at the end of the first act.

SCOTLAND YARD SEEKS PRETTY GIRLS TO ACT AS CITY DETECTIVES

LONDON, April 5.—Beautiful women in evening dress and wearing costly diamonds and pearls will be sought for by Scotland Yard to act as detectives at fashionable functions and hotels if it is decided to extend the scope of London's female police force, which has been in existence since the war days.

When he was head of the Metropolitan police, Sir Neville Macready, now commander of the English forces in Ireland, testified before a House of Commons committee urging the appointment of these stylish women detectives.

"We have women of the domestic help class and we have a number of bus conductresses working for us," he said. "What we want now are women at the other end of the social scale who can mix with wealthy people."

Sir Neville's definition of the best

type of female policemen or detective is: "One who is not neurotic or excitable, but a woman who has the human element very largely developed and who is not a faddist."

Mrs. Stanley, superintendent of Metropolitan Women's Police patrols, told the Parliamentary committee that much of the work of members of her force was in saving light-headed young "flappers" of good family from drifting on to the streets in search of a gay life.

Miss Damer-Dawson, commander of

the Women's Police service, told of the fight against white slave traffic. "One night I lost two girls under suspicious circumstances. I came across a woman who changed her dress three times in the same night and the color of her hair. I had seen her at the railroad station, and I caught her trying to take the two girls from me. The co-operation of women police in putting down the white slave traffic is absolutely necessary."

Advertisement for the movie 'Outside the Law' featuring Priscilla Dean and Lon Chaney. It includes the text 'TEMPLE HOME OF PARAMOUNT AND REALART PICTURES', 'LAST TIME TODAY Packing a trip-hammer punch in every scene', and 'UNIVERSAL COMEDY AND SELZNICK NEWS Tomorrow Only—Constance Binney in "Something Different"'

Advertisement for the movie 'A Splendid Hazard' featuring Henry B. Walthall. It includes the text 'The LAMB', 'Last Time Today', 'Henry B. Walthall', '—IN— "A Splendid Hazard"', 'Also Comedy "Pals and Petticoats"', and '—And— Pathe News'

Advertisement for 'Hunt's Guaranteed Skin Disease Remedies'. It features an illustration of a man scratching his back and the text 'ITCH! MONEY BACK WITHOUT QUESTION', 'IF "HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES" (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fails in the treatment of Itch your druggist is fully authorized to return to you the purchase price.', and 'Remember, if it fails it costs you nothing, so give it a trial at our risk.'

Advertisement for the Liberty Theatre. It includes the text 'LIBERTY THEATRE', 'CITY ELECTION RETURNS', '—at the— LIBERTY THEATRE Tonight —also— GEORGE WALSH in "From Now On"', 'Also Big V Comedy and Mutt and Jeff in "North Woods"', and 'PROGRAM 10¢ CHANGED DAILY. 25¢'

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DIVIDING TEXAS.

Despite threats prompted by righteous wrath, it is not probable that anything will be done toward the division of Texas, except possibly some meetings at which Patrick Henrys can cool their seething wrath in oratory and denunciation.

Unquestionably these meetings will be held in good faith, on the part of a large number. Others will use them as a means to an end—hoping by their very exaggeration to awaken residents of other sections to some apprehension of the true situation. Outside of political circles, there is no general sentiment in other sections of the state to handicap West Texas or to deny West Texas its just deserts.

For Texans are sentimental. They are proud of the vastness of their state, of the greatness and variety of its resources, of its matchless history of heroic accomplishment. It has been well said that a map of Texas is graven upon the hearts of every one of its sons. To shatter that map would be to break the hearts of many.

For Texas cannot be a South Texan or West Texan or East Texan or what not. The one word "Texas" means something. It has a magic ring, it is potent wherever English-speaking men may go. If you do not believe it, try a trip. When asked where you're from, you'll take a deep breath, throw out the chest and reply, "TEXAS!" You'll say it as if it were a mark of distinction; furthermore, you'll find it is recognized as such.

That for sentiment; it alone would likely prevent division, at least so long as native-born stock shall control; and such control becomes stronger year by year. Aside from sentiment, there are practical reasons why the state will not be divided. Communication shortens distance. Texas today actually is smaller than Rhode Island was a hundred years ago. It has diverse interests, it is true, and certain interests virtually dominate certain sections; but a rounded whole needs diverse interests.

Economically, such division would be expensive. Each portion of the subdivided state would have to assume its proportion of the bonded indebtedness. On top of that, it would have to contract new indebtedness for a state capital, for state colleges, for numerous state institutions. That would reach quite a tidy sum.

Division is improbable. But it is not impossible, even though sentiment and economic consideration are against it. Principle must be followed regardless of expense. And constant injustice and disregard such as the West has been subjected to will in time produce rebellion so strong that division will be necessary. The Continental Congress at first had no thought of secession from Great Britain, but continued rebuffs drove it to that step. East Texas politicians must bow to the aroused wrath of a vast and rich section of the state, the West must be given the consideration which is its rightful due. Otherwise, the present irritation may develop into an open rupture. West Texas should insist upon its

Those Old War Posters Come in Handy

BY MORRIS



rights. It is up to East Texas to see that they are granted and an open breach averted—a breach which inhabitants of both sections would regret.

Soon the mermaids will begin to flirt with the ocean swells.—Detroit News.

Maybe Mr. Harding chose Senator Fall for the Interior to keep him away from the border.—Milwaukee Journal.

The disabled soldier can't see why it takes so much longer to draft a relief bill than it did to draft him.—Washington Post.

Mr. Lansing is writing a book. Cabinet portfolios are like "flue"—the after effects are most serious.—Nashville Tennessean.

The world says good things about men who are dead—but not about those who are dead broke.—Chicago News.

The French seem anxious to kill the German goose before it has even demonstrated whether it can lay golden eggs or not.—Houston Post.

There is some comfort in the thought that from now on Republican yapping over the Island of Yap will have to be done without a Democratic President to yap at.—New Orleans States.

Bo McMillen, the captain of the Centre college football team, is the leading citizen of Danville, as he gets what he wants and does the kicking for the town.—Elizabeth (Ky.) News.

The new President declares he puts his trust in God; at the same time it is evident he means to keep his powder dry. That is to say, he means to keep his Daugherty by.—Courier-Journal.

RIPPLING RHYMES By WALT MASON

THE MILLENIUM.

Some day the stand-off scheme will smash, a wise old seer has said it, and all we'll buy will be for each, and none will ask for credit. Collectors then won't block our way and bluff and bleed and beckon; and that will be a happy day for all of us. I reckon. We have to pay more for our coats, and find the poorhouse closer, because we pay the bills of boats who sting the corner grocer. The grocer sighs, "This Jasper Jones has jumped our lovely city, and he was owning forty bones, which seems a ghastly pity. He'll never may me for my rice, he never more will greet me; and so I'll have to raise the price from those who do not beat me." And when I go to purchase prunes to feed my children twenty, he's raised the price some pica-yunes, and soaks me good and plenty. The tailor trusts a hundred men, and ten of them don't pay him, and I must dig an extra yen to comfort him and stay him. And so it goes along the line, in every kind of dealing, the deadbeat adds to bills of crime, my head is reeling. "I will be blessed day, gadzooks, when 'stand off system' ceases, when merchant princes burn their books, and kick the slate to pieces.

THE WOMAN WHO SAW

The tiny teapot was emptied, the cake all gone and the last blood-curdling "worst ever holiday" dispensed of, when the brand-newest of the three Mims, Newlyweds announced that Uncle Ned had presented her with a burglar insurance policy. At which the other two brides

misunderstood. In the dismal darkness of a rainy twilight an old woman stood on the curb at 116th street and Broadway, waiting for a letup in the seemingly never ending line of taxicabs. The lights of the camouses of Columbia university gleamed stately. Students swarmed about the friendly halls of learning, which clustered close, benevolently beaming down upon the young folks.

But of all this the nervous old lady with the twitching face saw nothing—only the endless stream of traffic. For a moment the way seemed clear. She made a timid spurt in the direction of the other side of the street. Suddenly a big hand clutched her arm. The old woman, strank, startled, then exclaimed, testily, "Let me

lately stripped. About the only thing the thieves had left was the card she'd tied that morning to her outside doorknob. And, after the police had viewed the premises and taken inventories and had gotten round to that card, what d'you suppose they said? Why, that it was a direct and urgent invitation to burglary, Madam! For the big card, put up at nine that morning, bore the legend: 'Shall not be back till 5 p. m.'"

My cuzzin Artie came around Saturday and me and him made a kite, being a pretty good of a kite but nothing extar, Artie saying, Now if we had some rags to make a tale we could take it out and see if it flies any good."

Well, I looked all over the house in everybody's room without finding any rags, and I thawt I better not tare anything up that didnt look like a rag, so we went around to Arties house and he got some, and the kite flew pretty good but nothing extar, on account of that being the kind of a kite it was, and after a while it got stuck in a tree, being the highest it had went, and I went home and suppr wazent reddy yet so I went up in my room to finish reading Paul Peppy in a Submaren so I could start reading Paul Peppy in a Aircroplane, and I herd ma down stairs saying, Well would you look at my room, it looks as if a cyclone had struck it."

Probably meaning the way the draws and things looked, and just then Gladdis called down over the banisters. Mother, wat on erth happened to my room, its a diskrace, everythings at sixes and 7's."

I'm thinking, G. heck, Wich jest then I herd pop saying, Who the dooce has bin playing ruff house with my beavo draws, this is a pritty mess I must say."

Gesh, darn it, I thawt, Wich jest then ma and pop, and Gladdis all called at once, Benny, Benny."

And I used wat? Cats the matter? Why? Wat?

Being jest wat I sispcted, and I had to go without dinner at supper, and I had to go to bed rite after I finished my lessins, wich I was sorry I didnt haff to go before I started them."

Three years ago Halifax, "Canada's Northern Gateway" was dealt the most devastating blow suffered by any city outside the war zone when the "Imo" rammed the French munition ship "Mont Blanc," killed 2,000 people and wrecked an area of two square miles. Today Halifax is a big, gay, better and more beautiful city than it was before the TNT blast, because its great housing problem has been solved successfully and because the new is even better than the old. As a wounded war veteran Halifax received a bonus of about \$20,000,000 from Canada, Great Britain and the United States for relief work and a commission with full power to deal with the subject was appointed. Fully 5,000 people were comfortably housed in temporary barracks resembling a

wartime camp, 8,000 homes were repaired and 1,000 homes accommodating 6,900 people have been built by the commission which has practically finished its titanic task. In one new group of 322 dwellings built of hydro-stone, or concrete blocks, there are 37 buildings containing four dwellings each and the remainder contain from two to six families. Each row faces a park and in the rear is a service lane. Each building has all modern improvements and is exceedingly attractive.

the hazel eyes, "they say that she combed Paris to get those pinky-gray hose, and she only did get two pair, for which she had to pay a fabulous sum. I suppose that means about fifty dollars a pair. Say, if I had a million I wouldn't pay fifty dollars for stockings, would you?"

"I don't know what I'd do if I had a million," said Blue Eyes, matter-of-factly.

And then, after a pause, Hazel Eyes said almost reverently, "My Gawd, I don't either."

RED CROSS ASKS 281,000 GARMENTS FOR EUROPE By Associated Press

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 5.—An appeal has been directed from the headquarters of the southwestern division, of the Red Cross here, to the women of Arkansas, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas, for 250,000 garments and 31,000 infant's layettes, for distribution among the impoverished countries of Europe.

The clothing will go to Poland, Austria, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, and the Baltic and Balkan states.

Red Cross chapters will be allowed to designate the countries to which their respective offerings are to be sent.

HOW HALIFAX, VICTIM OF DEVASTATING WAR-TIME EXPLOSION, HAS SUCCESSFULLY SOLVED ITS GREAT HOUSING PROBLEM



New Commission Built and Stores. Three years ago Halifax, "Canada's Northern Gateway" was dealt the most devastating blow suffered by any city outside the war zone when the "Imo" rammed the French munition ship "Mont Blanc," killed 2,000 people and wrecked an area of two square miles. Today Halifax is a big, gay, better and more beautiful city than it was before the TNT blast, because its great housing problem has been solved successfully and because the new is even better than the old. As a wounded war veteran Halifax received a bonus of about \$20,000,000 from Canada, Great Britain and the United States for relief work and a commission with full power to deal with the subject was appointed. Fully 5,000 people were comfortably housed in temporary barracks resembling a

"Tinker Bob" Stories by Carlisle H. Holcomb

MR. ANT BEA R IS HOMESICK.

"Well, well, well, it's no use talking nor thinking about it any more. I can't be happy here when I'm thinking about the friends I have back by the Wonderful Spring. Yes, I know it isn't far from here to the Spring. I would rather stay here a while and then walk back to the Spring than to be in a strange country all the time where there are no friends." These were the words of Mr. Ant Bear as he sat alone by the side of the river after feasting on the ants that he loved so well.

There he saw some of his friends go down to the water's edge for a drink. He watched them, for he knew them very well since he was known as the fellow who took care of the spring. None of them ever tried to do him harm for they were afraid that if they did he would do something to the spring and none of them could be healed by its waters.

There was the Mountain Lion and the Timber wolf and just droves and droves of Monkeys. All were his friends and to think of leaving them to go to the Northland where there were none but strangers was a terrible thought. But he had promised to go and what could he do? He thrust his long tongue into the water and then pulled it back into his mouth as that was the only way he could get a drink. But the more he drank the more he wanted to go back to the Spring, to see his old home. While he was there thinking of the old place he left behind, he heard a voice that at first seemed strange but really wasn't strange. Nearer and nearer it sounded. Then suddenly there stood before him Tinker Bob and Silky, the Monkey, and then he was ashamed.

Silky the Monkey was such a happy fellow. He laughed and chattered all the time. "Well look here, what does this mean? Here's our friend with a long nose and tail trying to drink the river dry. It must be that the ants in this country are salty. You was never gone so long before to get alone!"

The masculine hand rose, abashed, to a "Freshman's" cap, surmounting a clean-cut, boyish face, suffused with embarrassed red. "I only w-wanted to help you 'across," he stammered.

The old lady, confused and frightened, darted nervously across the street and was lost in the dreary gloom. Pink faced the "Freshie" walked away, trying hard to look unconcerned under the astute stares of some pretty "coeds."

The Woman, who had seen the attempted little chivalry and the sorry end to which it had come, smiled across at the nice boy. And because one, at least, had understood, the "Freshie" thanked her with his eyes.

Do You? They work on a fashion paper. The Woman gleaned that from their sub-way conversation about columns, typesetting, the latest cable from Paris, the popular shades at Miami, and the western reporter's latest article. And into their conversation crept the name of a woman who was startling Palm Beach with her daring, original attire and her costume accessories gathered the world over.

"Why, do you know," said one of



He sat alone by the side of the river.

a drink." These were the words of Silky as he spied Mr. Ant Bear drinking.

"I know why he's so long getting a drink." This word from the King of the Forest quite startled the Ant Bear, and he began to wonder how the King knew anything about what was on his mind. "He is homesick and wants to go back to the Spring where he has lived all of his life."

"O King of the Forest, pray tell me how you know all of my thoughts. I am so lonesome I am about to die here without my friends."

"I know, you cannot keep anything like that from the King," said Tinker, "and if you are lonesome and want to go back home, you just go for that is what I would want you to do."

This so pleased Mr. Ant Bear that he danced for joy and started on his way home.

Tomorrow—Strange Sounds From the Marsh.

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manner of water sports are on its summer program and there is strong rivalry between the racing fishermen of Nova Scotia and New England whose forebears have followed the sea for generations. Not far from Halifax is the Annapolis valley, famous because of its wonderful apple-blossom time and because it was the home of the Acadians, whose expulsion in 1755 scattered the name of Longfellow's "Evangeline."

MEXICO DOES NOT SEEK TO LURE GERMANS

Not More Than 600 Have Entered That Country Since War Ended.

MEXICO CITY, April 5.—German immigration to Mexico has so decreased that not more than 600 have entered this country since the end of the war. German officials have urged their countrymen not to migrate here at present but rather to avail themselves of the facilities offered for settlement in the South American republics of Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay. Information to this effect was given at the German embassy following inquiries as to newspaper reports here that an official request had been made in behalf of Germans for a concession of about 70,000 acres of land in Coahuila.

Denial was made that the Coahuila concession in question pertains to German citizens, Counsellor Fuhr asserting that the request was made by naturalized Germans in the United States, principally from Texas, who wished to form a colony near Las Vacas, Coahuila and desert their American homes.

Scheme Was Failed.

"The only pretentious emigration from Germany to Mexico ended in failure," Counsellor Fuhr asserted. "Shortly after the end of the war a colonization company was formed of several hundred members who pooled their resources and purchased German goods estimated to bring \$800,000 (pesos) when sold in Mexico.

"Two men were appointed to accompany the goods but unfortunately after they disposed of them they pocketed the money and have disappeared. Meanwhile the would-be colonists embarked for Mexico in large numbers, but since their arrival here they have been virtual wards of the permanent German colony in Mexico City, inasmuch as they had invested all their funds in the defunct company. One of the colonists, for instance, was a former German vice admiral. He is now working as a laborer with a surveying gang and is glad of the chance."

Declaration was made further that the Mexican government as yet has offered no inducements for German immigration beyond mere transportation from the port of entry to the place of settlement. Contrasted to this is the policy inaugurated by the "Plata republics," Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay, whereby colonists of established worth are provided with free passage from Germany and liberal grants of land. Until other facilities are offered by Mexico and "homesteading" is made practicable, Counsellor Fuhr said his countrymen would be advised to stay away.

HERE'S WAY TO PAY NATIONAL DEBT

What a revenue producer a law would be which called on job hunters to take out licenses.—Indianapolis Star.

The man who boasts of being a cynic is usually more foolish than dangerous.

KANSAS INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COURT NOT TO GOVERN UTILITIES

TOPEKA, Kan., April 5.—Under enactments of the 1921 legislature which adjourned March 21, the Kansas court of industrial relations becomes solely a tribunal for settling industrial controversies including disputes between employers and employees in essential industries. The supervision over public utilities rates which heretofore constituted a large share of the industrial courts work, is to be taken over by the newly created public utilities commission of three members.

In carrying out the administration plan to divorce the industrial and utilities branches of the court, the state department of labor and the state industrial welfare commission were taken over bodily by the industrial court and will continue to operate as subsidiaries of the court. Reason for creation of the new utilities commission, as given by Gov. Henry J. Allen, was that, quite unexpectedly, the large volume of utilities rate cases coming before the court tended to submerge its activities as an industrial tribunal and demanded the court's attention at the expense of industrial matters before it.

Furthermore, the governor pointed out, the necessity to increase rates charged by utility corporations, as approved by the industrial court brought it an undesirable unpopularity, while on the other hand, its operations in industrial cases appeared to be in strong favor of the public. The two tribunals industrial court and utilities commission—become operative upon the appointees qualifying.

TWENTY-FIVE EGGS ARE JUST A 'SNACK' FOR THIS HUSKY NEW YORK GIRL

NEW YORK, April 5.—Meet Babe Gross, amateur egg-eating champion of the world.

Miss Gross who is 23 years old and weighs 107 pounds for each year, lives at 36 Delancey street and is known in the section as "Babe Ruth" Gross.

In Citrin's lunch room yesterday Babe was enjoying a modest repast when she chanced to overhear the proprietor mention casually that a friend had broken a record by eating a dozen hard-boiled eggs at one sitting. She announced:

"I can eat twenty-five of 'em."

When Citrin expressed loud disbelief, she added:

"I've got ten dollars that say I can do it."

A group gathered. Things were said. Citrin finally put up his money. It was agreed that the loser should pay for the eggs, at seven cents an egg.

Calmly, without the aid of milk of coffee, Babe ate twenty-five hard-boiled eggs. Complacently she collected the ten dollars. Citrin almost fainted when she said:

"Now, I'll bet you the ten I can eat the shells."

Citrin declined to take her on. Through the New York American Miss Gross begs to challenge the world to a hard-boiled-egg-eating contest, winner take all.

The cheek-to-cheek dancers naturally have to have their weak heads propped up.—Flint (Mich.) Journal.

MINNESOTA BOARD OF TRADE MUST ADMIT ANY ONE TO RANKS

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 5.—Grain and livestock exchanges in Minnesota now must admit to membership "any person, firm, company, corporation or association desiring to deal in or trade in the commodity dealt in on such market."

The law enacted by the present legislature, and which became effective upon signature by Gov. J. A. O. Preus, declares such associations shall include co-operative corporations or associations organized under Minnesota laws.

It was especially for admittance of co-operative associations that the new law was enacted, as a part of the farmers' program put through the present legislative session, and which included legislation for co-operative marketing of all farm products.

Are Public Markets.

The law declares "to be public mar-

THIS GIRL WORKS FAST, GETS YOUNG MAN'S RING FIRST TIME THEY MEET

NEW YORK, April 5.—George White, of Chattanooga, Tenn., was engaged, but he did not know it.

George appeared as complainant yesterday in West Side court against 18-year-old Hazel Tyler of 33 West Fifty-sixth street. He told Magistrate McQuade that when he met Hazel at a dancing academy the other day she showed her a \$1,000 diamond ring belonging to his mother. Hazel tried it on.

She refused to return it, George said, so he got a summons. The court asked Hazel what she had to say. She said:

"Why, he gave me that nice ring. We're engaged."

White looked bewildered. Magistrate McQuade ordered the girl to return the ring. He added:

"You're a fast worker, young woman."

The magistrate warned White that if he stayed in New York he would have to remember that things are done fast here.

GOLD WATCH BARRAGE LAID DOWN BY JEWELER ROUTS FOUR BANDITS

NEW YORK, April 5.—A fusillade of gold watches prevailed over pistols yesterday when Alexander Kipnis, a jeweler of 320 Bleeker street, routed four bandits. Kipnis, who is 55, but swift of thought and movement, was arranging the trays in his show case, when four men stepped into the store. All wore caps and were roughly dressed.

As the jeweler turned to serve the quartet, thinking them to be customers, the leader cried:

"Hands up—and quick about it!"

Dazed, but valiant.

Kipnis hesitated and found himself staring into the muzzles of two revolvers, that loomed like two tunnels before his eyes. But as the leader called the command again, the jeweler flung the tray of watches at the intruders.

Before the surprised thieves recovered, Kipnis was using everything in the show case as a missile. One of the bandits clubbed his pistol and brought it down on the jeweler's head.

Dazed but defiant, Kipnis continued to pelt them with jewelry. In a final attempt to silence him, the leader fired a shot at close range, but the jeweler leaped aside. The bullet drilled through the flesh of his right arm, but he let go another watch from his left hand. The bandits fled.

MAY BE CHIEF OF STAFF

Major-General James C. Harbord, who, according to rumors in official circles in Washington, is slated to succeed General Peyton C. March as chief of staff. General Harbord, who was chief of staff of the A. E. F., and commander of the service of supply in France, rose from the ranks.

ANOTHER YOUNGEST VET.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., April 5.—Fort Scott's claims to the youngest veteran of the world war is disputed. Herman Lange of this city who was but 14 when he enlisted held this record, it was believed. But a letter from Mrs. Joe Waiter of Garrett, Ind., to a local newspaper states that her son, Leo L. Madden, enlisted and went overseas at the age of 13 with the Rainbow division and was at the front eighteen months with the 150th field infantry.

He sailed for France Aug. 17, 1917, and he was not 14 years old until Oct. 10 of that year, according to his mother. After coming home young Leo re-enlisted and was sent to Camp Grant, Ill., where he is stationed with the 52nd infantry.

Some people cast their bread upon the waters and expect it to come back buttered.—Brookfield (Mo.) Budget.

TO INVESTIGATE WAR RISK BUREAU FOR PRESIDENT



A committee of eleven, headed by Charles G. Dawes of Chicago, who served as a brigadier-general with the A. E. F., has been appointed by President Harding to investigate the administration of the war risk bureau and the vocational board for training soldiers. Mrs. Douglas Robinson, sister of former President Roosevelt, was appointed a member of the committee.

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TEXAS LEGISLATURE FAILS TWICE TO PUT MOVIES UNDER CENSOR

AUSTIN, April 5.—Two efforts of the Texas legislature to regulate moving picture shows in the state failed by a big majority during the past session.

Motion picture censorship was defeated when a house bill, proposing to establish a state board of censors, received an adverse report in committee and died on the calendar. A senate bill providing for the operation of picture shows between certain hours on Sundays received similar treatment in the upper house. Attempts to bring both measures up for consideration on the floor were defeated by large majorities.

CHINA MAY ABANDON LICENSING BROTHELS

CANTON, April 5.—A bill has been introduced in the provincial assembly abolishing government licensing of brothels. The annual fees from these and from drinking houses amount to \$12,000.

Dr. Sun Yat-sen, head of the provisional government, has recommended to the administrative council a repeal of the law granting orders of merit to officials on the grounds that such orders are not democratic.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE

Marriage licenses issued by County Clerk Earl Bender, Saturday, April 2nd:

Lloyd C. Colbert of Ranger and Oda M. Thomas of Ranger.

J. T. Bell of Nimrod and Miss Flossie Grisham of Nimrod.

E. C. Mangam of Houston and Miss Oneita M. Daniels of Mangum.

The passing of the old family doctor is deplored by the Council on Medical Education and Public Health. Watching him tapping out the contents of the little bottles on to the white paper squares and folding them up made a fellow feel better right away.—Detroit News.

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ONE day Mary Jane met the Fairy King in the Forest. The Fairy King was only as tall as your thumb. But he had a very good appetite, and he was always hungry.

So he said to Mary, "Did you bring anything good to eat with you?" And Mary said, "I've got a lovely spread of bread with some de-li-cious Mary Jane Syrup on it, that my mamma gave me for my lunch."

The Fairy King said, "Well, why didn't you say so before? You know that Mary Jane Syrup is what we fairies always serve at our banquets, when we want something es-pe-cial-ly good."

So Mary brought out her bread

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New Law Reduces Fire Losses



NEW JERSEY, the latest State to enact a fire prevention education law, is already educating the salutory influence of this new study in the schools, although the law went into effect only six months ago. According to H. R. Heydon, Secretary of the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce, the law already has resulted in a reduction in the number of fires, although it requires only one hour of study each month.

A new spirit is being shown in community neatness as a result of the lessons taught," says the New Jersey official. "For example, in one community where children had formerly scattered waste paper on the streets through the teachings, in the schoolrooms, that this constitutes a fire hazard. This gave the local Chamber of Commerce a new incentive and the result has been an actual reduction in the number of fires."

The new movement for teaching fire prevention in the schools of the other States is spreading rapidly, according to reports coming to the headquarters of the National Association of Credit Men, who are leading the campaign.

From Governors, State Fire Marshals, Insurance Commissioners, Superintendents of Education and other State officials throughout the country letters have poured in reporting popular approval of measures similar to the New Jersey law.

The annual loss of 15,000 human lives and nearly \$300,000,000 in property, largely due to carelessness, according to figures recently made public by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, has so impressed the country that the movement to reduce this waste by teaching habits of carefulness has gained great impetus.

"The proper beginning for a national fire prevention campaign," writes Governor Albert C. Ritchie, of Maryland, "is in the schools of the United States."

Major-General Harbord

Major-General James C. Harbord, who, according to rumors in official circles in Washington, is slated to succeed General Peyton C. March as chief of staff. General Harbord, who was chief of staff of the A. E. F., and commander of the service of supply in France, rose from the ranks.

SPORTS

NITROS LEAVE FOR TWO GAMES WITH ALBANY

Fifteen Nitro hopefuls leave today on a barnstorming jaunt to Albany, which has a fast independent team this year and is anxious to see it in action.

Albany will be engaged on Wednesday and Thursday. The athletes get back here Friday and return to Breckinridge Sunday for what is looked forward to as a "comeback" engagement.

Several men will be left at home on the Albany trip, including Tommy Harding, who confesses to an arm which isn't all it should be in the way of suppleness.

Charley Clapp is expected today or tomorrow. He was due on the 1st and yesterday the club wired him, receiving a reply from his mother that he is already headed this way. Teet Tolar and one or two other good infield prospects also have been wired for. With their arrival, the first of next week, the Nitro gang should begin to shape up something like the nine that will start the season.

RANGER GUN CLUB TO MAKE MERRY IN LOBBY OF GHOLSON ON FRIDAY

The spacious lobby of the Gholson hotel will be turned over to the Ranger Gun club Friday night for the first social function the club has given. On this occasion a dance will be given for club members and their friends. Invitations are now out. The funds realized will be used to defray the expenses of the state gun shoot that is to be held in Ranger soon.

For the dance, special music has been provided for and every arrangement made to insure its success. The club plans other social events from time to time.

WORLD'S RECORD TOBACCO SALE SET BY WILSON, N. C.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., April 5.—By selling more than 62,000,000 pounds of leaf tobacco this season, Wilson, N. C., claims the distinction of being the world's greatest leaf tobacco market.

This city, with 60,554,406 pounds, and Durham with over 55,000,000 claim rank of second and third, respectively.

While the savage red man lived in a wigwam he paid no rent. Why then, was he savage?—Chicago Daily News.

COMMANDER OF MISSING NAVAL BALLOON A-5597



Chief Quartermaster George K. Wilkinson, who is in command of the naval balloon A-5597, which has been missing since it left the naval air station at Pensacola, Fla., March 22. The balloon carried a crew of five. It is feared that all have been lost. Planes and dirigibles are searching for the lost aeronauts.

data in the possession of Dr. J. O. Dyer, local historian and writer along scientific lines, was established on San Luis island (now Galveston island) by the buccaneer, Jean Laffite. Here Laffite and his fellow adventurers maintained headquarters, whence their swift vessels were dispatched to prey upon ships belonging to Spain, against which country the buccaneer carried letters of marque.

Three fast cruisers were in the service of the San Luis commune. The first was the Grand-Terre, commanded by the renowned Captain Ferrier, who was reputed to know every dark and secluded bayou of the "German coast" above New Orleans, and whose maritime skill greatly enhanced his contraband dealings. The second of the trio of speedy vessels under the Laffite commune was the Reclama-teur, so named because her business was to barter with the Indians for articles of value reclaimed from wrecks cast along the coast. The Reclama-teur was commanded by Captain de la Porta. The Arabelle, commanded by "Nicholas the Greek" was the third of the Laffite fleet.

In the business of the commune on San Luis island a division of work, responsibility and profits was made. A brother of Captain de la Porta acted as money and merchandise broker, while Luis Juf, according to the data, built the first two-story house on this island, from lumber brought here from New Orleans.

"Blackbirders" sailing under the Spanish flag were frequently captured by the privateers of Laffite, the unfortunate blacks being taken from the slave traders at sea only to be carried

FIVE GENERATIONS IN ONE PICTURE



It is only once in a great while that folks live long enough to see their grandchildren have grandchildren. But Mrs. Sarah Conneron of Darlington, Staffordshire, England, who is now making her home in Chicago, comes of a family blessed with unusual longevity. Mrs. Conneron recently celebrated her eighty-seventh birthday, and on that occasion posed for this unusual photograph with her daughter, granddaughter, her great-granddaughter and her great-great-grandson. From left to right in the photograph are Mrs. W. B. Statson, mother of the baby boy; Mrs. Frank Clark, his grandmother; Mrs. William Bailey, his great-grandmother, and Mrs. Conneron, his great-great-grandmother.

by their captors to Louisiana, where they were held in secret hiding places until sold to up-country purchasers. Funds derived from the sale of these blacks, according to the records, were faithfully accounted for in the commune, the money being divided among officers and men of the Laffite government.

The experiment in communism ended in 1820, when Laffite, aboard the fastest of his vessels, sailed out of San Luis harbor and left his followers to either abandon or to continue their profiteering. The cloud which rests upon Laffite's name in history, it is believed, is largely due to the later activities of these men, who with their leader gone, took up piracy on the high seas against ships of all nations.

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MIDWEST LEAGUE OF BASEBALL CLUBS SUCCESSFULLY FORMED

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DENVER, April 5.—High class independent baseball for the fans of Colorado, Wyoming and West Nebraska is assured today with completion of the organization of the Midwest League of Baseball clubs.

The new league will open April 27 and continue through to late in September.

Disappointed at Denver's failure to land a berth in the Western League, the new organization, with Denver, the "Mile High City," as a pivotal point, has been launched through the efforts of George Tebeau, nationally known in baseball circles, and Rick Ricketson, prominent western sportswriter, who has been chosen president of the league.

The new venture, a strictly independent six-club circuit, has granted franchises to Casper, Greybull and Laramie, Wyo.; Scottsbluff, Neb., and Sterling and Denver, Colo.

The new league claims unlimited financial backing. Three of the cities, Casper, Greybull and Laramie, have the support of the Midwest Refining company, the largest oil concern in the West. The Sterling and Scottsbluff clubs are based on their local commercial associations, while the united support of fandom in Denver and vicinity is strongly boosting for the club in the Colorado metropolis.

George Tebeau owns the franchise in Denver. Tebeau organized the American association, the Western league, and was sponsor of the National Baseball association. He has managed clubs in various leagues of organized baseball, being at the head of the Denver club when this city held a franchise in the Western league and won several pennants.

Ricketson is a young Denver attorney and is widely known in sporting circles west of the Mississippi river. He has been sporting editor of several newspapers in Colorado, Kansas and Missouri.

Salary Limit Fixed. Each club in the new circuit has posted a forfeit of \$1,000. A salary limit of \$4,000 a month, and a player limit of fourteen men has been agreed upon. The schedule adopted calls for games every day, including Sunday, from April 27 to the close of the league season, which has not been definitely decided, though it will probably be about September 20.

That the league may cause some trouble for organized baseball in the minor groups was indicated by President Ricketson's declaration that the new organization will not regard the so-called "reserve clause" of organized baseball as binding.

"We will respect the contracts of organized baseball as long as they respect the contracts of the Midwest ball clubs," Ricketson said. "We will not, however, respect the reserve clauses of any organized baseball club, and will make no attempt to affiliate with the National association. We will leave it to organized baseball to start any 'sniping,' and if they do, they will find our organization ready with the best antidote—a little of the same medicine."

"Organized baseball hasn't seen fit to consider Denver's claims for a berth in the Western league; too much consideration shouldn't be shown their wishes," was the attitude of the league president.

Players already signed for the new league make it appear like a Class AA organization. The Casper club has Rolla Maples, St. Louis Cardinals pitcher; John Maples, pitcher, on the reserve list of the Pittsburgh Pirates; Joe Slattery, the veteran first baseman; C. H. Jackson, Minneapolis outfielder, and several players from the Pacific Coast league.

Denver has under contract "Buzz" Murphy of Minneapolis, "Liz" Smith from Fort Worth, Texas, Bert Graham of the Pacific Coast league, and "Red" Donovan, a Western league hurler.

Spirited Fight Predicted. Managers have been secured by all six clubs, and a spirited fight for the gonfalon, and whatever goes with it,

is predicted. Very few youngsters will be seen in the league, as efforts are seemingly being directed toward signing up tried talent from the American association, Western league and Pacific Coast league.

Casper will be managed by Charles Arbogast, Laramie will be in the hands of Art Forrest, Pep Moore will have charge of Greybull, Jack Roach will hold the reins at Scottsbluff, Sterling will be managed by Jake Kraninger, and Tom Downey, former pilot of the Kansas City Blues, will look after the managerial end in Denver.

GANG FIGHT FOLLOWS FORD PAPER SALE IN TOLEDO

TOLEDO, April 5.—Sale of Henry Ford's newspaper, the Dearborn Independent, precipitated a gang fight in front of the federal building here this afternoon. Traffic was blocked and police reserves were called out to disperse the mob.

P. W. Johnson, H. Kunzmann and Joe Lynch, of Detroit, selling the periodical, and Jack Carlson, of Toledo, were arrested on disturbance charges.

WOMEN VOTERS HELD NOT LIABLE TO JURY DUTY

BOSTON, April 5.—The granting of suffrage to women carries with it no liability to jury duty, the supreme court held in an opinion to the legislature today. It added, however, that the legislature has authority under the constitution to frame a law making women liable to jury service.

The opinion was asked after a convicted defendant had appealed a jury's verdict on the ground that women were illegally excluded from the jury.

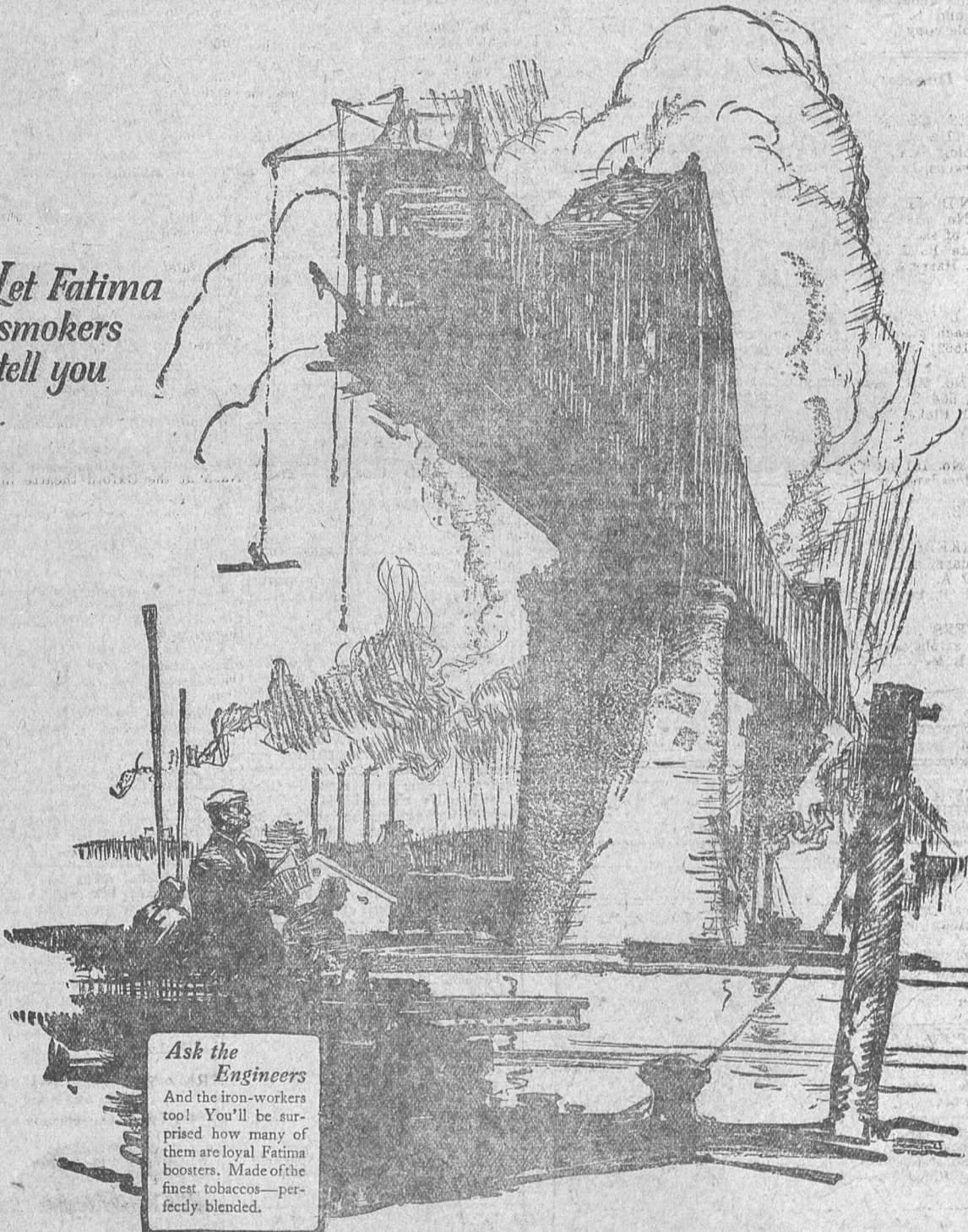
COMMUNISM THRIVED ON GALVESTON ISLAND JUST ONE CENTURY AGO

By Associated Press

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SHAPELY ANKLES OF AMERICAN CHORUS GIRLS CHARM LONDON

Stars From U. S. Also Shine Brightly in British Theatrical Firmament.

By LLOYD ALLEN United Press Staff Correspondent LONDON, April 5.-Slender ankles after all, are the best diplomacy. And the American chorus girls, who have been imported here as cementing Anglo-American understanding in a wavy undreamt of by ambassadors and such.

In the "League of Nations" C. B. Cochran's latest theatrical production there are ten of them; and Englishmen, who as a rule are not lavish in their use of superlatives, describe them as the "willowiest, lissomest, and gracefulest girls" who ever glided across London's "board." Not only English men, but English women, too, are loud in their expressions of admiration for the American type of womanhood, which differs quite a lot from the English product. Cochran has been particularly happy in his selection, and his American girls, conforming as they do to the "Kirschner" type-tall and slender-make a striking contrast to the "petite" English girls who are part and parcel of the same show.

While American chorus girls, without exception, are tremendously popular with audiences-they cause the management one or two extra gray hairs on account of their unpunctuality during rehearsals. From inquiries made of various theatrical managers who have fair young Americans under their wing, it would seem that usually they come to England with a glorious anticipation of being thoroughly spoiled. Hence they begin by turning up late for rehearsals and then proceed to overstay their lunch hour. At the first managerial reprimand they raise supercilious eyebrows; at the second they are prettily penitent; but at the third they begin to realize that the manager means business, and reform accordingly.

However, the conquest of London has not been left to American chorus girls only. Those "stars" which America has spared from her own great firmament are shining brightly over here.

The Dolly Sisters and the Trix Sisters are making a hit, while the two biggest successes of the past season were "Paddy the Next Best Thing" in which Edith Day scored such a prolonged triumph.

There is some flavor about American talent which never fails to please the English palate. The Prince of Wales is certainly not immune from the American lure. At a recent dance of Lady Lavery the Trix Sisters were sorted out by the Prince of Wales for special attention. He danced with one of them and insisted on hearing excerpts from their "act" and went on applauding and pleading for more until they had finished the third number.

Another complete and individual American success was scored by Mary Nash at the Oxford theatre in "The Man Who Came Back."

In London's smartest ballrooms the American demonstrator is to the fore. At the Savoy hotel, Leonora Hughes, with her partner, Maurice, held the huge ballroom spellbound each night - and many Londoners went just to watch them dance, without any intention of joining in the whirling throng themselves.

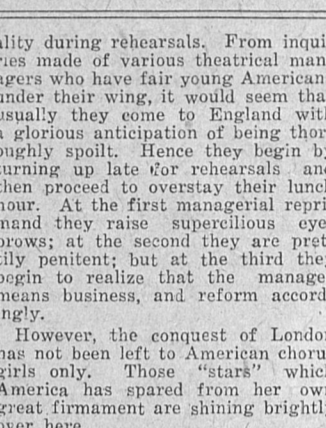
Elsie Janis makes a musical complaint, entitled "It's All Wrong," at the Queen's theatre-and while this finds little favor with Americans in the audience, Londoners clam and endorse and pronounce it "Fine!"

Managers are at a loss to know whether it's the American ankles or the accent that completely wins London's favor, but the favor is won beyond a doubt, and those programs announcing an "English and American Company" are practically certain to play to a full house.

FORT WORTH WILL BE HOST TO TEXAS G. A. R. FORT WORTH, April 5.-Fort Worth will be the convention city of the Texas department, Grand Army of the Republic, this year. Acceptance of the city's bid for entertaining the veteran at their thirty-sixth annual encampment on May 9, 10 and 11, has been received from Max Hart, commander of the Texas department.

GERMAN PROFESSOR EN ROUTE HERE TO EXPLAIN THEORY OF RELATIVITY Professor Albert Einstein started the scientific world last year with his discovery of a "relativity" basis which revolutionized all hitherto accepted theories on the subject. Scientists in England, France and America have since corroborated his new doctrine. Einstein has been attacked by his German colleagues for "hobnobbing" with English scientists. So violent became these attacks that he announced his intention of leaving Germany and making his home in Holland. Professor Einstein is now on his way to America.

GOLDEN RIVERS OF WOODLAND SWEETS INUNDATE PANCAKES OF CONTINENT



WHEN THE SAP IS IN THE MAPLES

OTTAWA, Ont., April 5.-From the maple trees of eastern Canada, miniature rivers of syrup will soon start flowing. Later it will blanket the pancakes of a continent and give the palatable touch to many other table delicacies.

Twenty million pounds, according to a department of agriculture report, should be this year's harvest. Quebec, the biggest producer, will furnish about 14,500,000 pounds, Ontario about 5,000,000 and New Brunswick and Nova Scotia groves the remainder. Total value should exceed \$2,000,000.

Vast stretches of primeval maple forest awaits modern sugar-making equipment in northern parts of Quebec and Ontario. Plans for developing the industry are being advanced by a number of interests, including a co-operative sugar-makers' association. This organization also seeks laws to prohibit compound syrups that deceive the public, and is urging the government to assist in a big annual exposition. The government has established in Quebec four schools in the manufacture of sugar and syrup.

Reforestation with maple, which should prove a very remunerative enterprise, yielding an annual crop of sugar and a heritage in timber, is advocated in the government report. The Indians started the industry, gashing the maples with tomahawks and catching the sap in birch-bark dishes. It was boiled in earthen kettles. In a few backwoods spots the methods of the redmen have been little improved. Modern equipment will soon transform this condition, however.

MEMBERS OF MEXICO'S ONCE SECRET SERVICE KNEW LITTLE OF U. S. LAW

LAREDO, Texas, April 5.-The report that the present Mexican government has abolished the secret service, that was carried on during the previous regime throughout the United States wherever there was a Mexican consulate brings to mind some of the incidents of the espionage familiar to residents of Laredo.

Especially was the espionage amusing in border towns that faced each other in their respective countries. Usually the secret service office in the Mexican town was in daily communication with the "operatives" on the American side, but as the most they did was to annoy the persons who were refugees from Mexico and who were living in peace and quiet unknown to those in their own country, they caused little attention.

One of the most pompous of the Mexican secret service men was ordered brought to the district attorney's office on one of his frequent visits to this side and was asked if he was carrying arms, as had been reported. Fortunately for him he was able to answer "no," and then in response to a question as to what he was doing in this country, he said: "I am working for my country and so long as I am not guilty of any infraction of the American laws, I cannot be molested."

Whereupon he was told that his very presence, as an official of the Mexican secret service, without due authority from the American officials, was a violation of law and he would do well to remember it and stay away.

One or two of the more daring of the Mexican spies engaged in some business or other, especially the mail order business, for which their stock in trade was a lot of catalogues and order blanks, having in this way covered their activities.

The refugees themselves had a secret service, even though unpaid, and one by one the spies were uncovered and made to leave for their own country.

HAWAII ASKS BEER MAKING AND SALE PERMIT OF U. S. HONOLULU, April 5.-A resolution petitioning congress to sanction the manufacture and sale in Hawaii of beer containing 4.2 per cent and wine containing 15 per cent alcohol was introduced in the Territorial house today by Representative Evan Da Silva, of Hilo.

The resolution said that the people of Hawaii had no opportunity to express their convictions on prohibition and that drunkenness has increased in the territory since prohibition came operative.

DWELLERS IN FT. WORTH'S 'MEXICAN TOWN' EXIST IN SQUALOR AND MISERY



STOLEN SWEETS

By Associated Press FORT WORTH, April 5.-Distress among the population of Fort Worth's "Mexican Town" was heightened by the recent cold wave that swept the city. For weeks the street corners in the Mexican settlement on the North Side and in a district known as "Dallas Alley" have been the meeting places for groups of poorly clad Mexicans, seeking relief from the situation resulting from unemployment. About 90 per cent of the city's Mexican population of 12,000 is unable to find work, according to estimates of W. H. Robb, of the Welfare association. The situation is daily becoming more critical, according to Mr. Robb. In most instances the conditions under which the people in Mexican Town live are deplorable. The families live from day to day, the men going about the city trying to obtain money enough to buy food for a day or two. Two or three families living in one small room is not unusual under the present circumstances. For the room each family pays an average of \$3.75 a week to a collector of their own nationality. An effort is being made by the Welfare association to provide food for those who need it most and medical attention for the sick. Employment is also being sought for the 2,000 to 3,000 Mexican men who are able or willing to work, Mr. Robb said.

WHOLESALE LOOTING OF GRAIN BARGES IS PREVALENT IN AUSTRIA

By Associated Press VIENNA, April 5.-Wholesale looting of grain barges bound from Jugo-Slavia to Vienna has led to more than 100 arrests. According to the newspapers the sailors have an arrangement with the illicit dealers. They sound the siren to indicate what kind of cargo they carry, the smugglers put off in boats and buy all they want, which is resold through the left hand trade at an advance. More than fifty carloads of foodstuffs is reported to have been thus looted. The skeleton rider of the pale gray horse appears to have a new steed-the white mule.-Arcola (Ill.) Arcolian.

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We are not worrying so much right now about the fool killer as we are the cool filler.-Florida Times-Union.

