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GIGANTIC STRIKE LOOMS UP JUST AHEAD
RULE OF RANGERS CAPTURE WITHOUT SHOOTING

MAJOR GREEN SAYS RANGERS KILLED SELDOM

Tells of Capturing Outlaws Without Firing Gun; Veteran Recalls Incidents.

Thrill hunters of today might transfer themselves back to the year 1874 and thereabouts for real thrills, for they would find plenty of material in deeds of Texas ex-rangers...

Major William Green, commanding officer of the association, talking to a group of interested listeners last night, told this story:

"The rule of the ranger force," said Major Green, "was to get your man alive and without shooting, but if necessary to kill, kill him promptly. The rangers in those days were composed of 75 men to the company and enough men were always sent to effect a capture instead of having to shoot. Early in 1874, thirty-five of our company were assigned to capture part of the famous John West Hardin gang of outlaws...

"This was not very exciting," said Major Green. "Nothing more than capturing seven desperate outlaws, members of the famous John West Hardin and Taylor gang without firing a shot, and facing a mob bent on lynching without firing a shot. The company arrived in Austin without losing a single man."

Incident after incident rich in memories of trying days when outlaws and Indians infested the frontiers of Texas were related by the oldtimers, who declared they were not exciting adventures as the rangers were always out in sufficient force to capture their men without a shot. Several of the oldtimers have been shot up, but only a few of them. The ex-rangers who were shot in fights are singularly reticent about their wounds, but will relate willingly how they effected captures without firing a shot.

Major William Green, of Meridian, Texas, commanding officer of the ex-Texas ranger association, is a strong sturdy upright veteran of 71 summers. Exceedingly active, he was the moving spirit in organizing the association, the first meeting of which was called in 1920. Most of the ex-rangers living were anxious to have a meeting of some kind. Writing to the major of Weatherford, after publishing a call asking if the members wanted to organize, Major Green requested permission to meet and organize there. Receiving a prompt invitation, they met on Aug. 10, 1920, and the ex-Ranger Association was formed. Since that time, they met again in Weatherford, twice in Mineral Wells and are now meeting in Ranger this year.

Texas Ex-Rangers Now in the Second Day of Reunion

Augmented by a number of late arrivals, the second day of the three-day session of the Ex-Texas Rangers' association in Ranger, got under way this morning with a business session called at 10 o'clock. The morning meeting was occupied with issuing certificates and receiving reports of absent members and old friends who were not able to attend the reunion. Adjourning at 11 o'clock, a group picture of the ex-rangers was taken (Continued on Page 2)

Rare Operation



In order to save the life of Edith Leavens, 14, of Cambridge, Mass., surgeons were forced to cut open her heart. Edith, now on the road to complete recovery, is believed to be the only person in the world whose heart has been opened and who lived after the operation.

VOLCANO LONG DORMANT AGAIN SPEWING FLAME

Island of Santorin, Off Greek Mainland, Scene of Latest Eruption.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—A volcano on the island of Santorin has become active after being dormant since 1866, according to the Exchange-Telegraph Athens correspondent. The population in the vicinity of the volcano are evacuating that region as fast as they can get away. The eruptions are now in their third day. Earthquake shocks at Smyrna 10 days ago are believed by experts to have been the precursor of volcanic activity.

Santorin lies in the Cyclades group of islands off the mainland of Greece. It is a small island with vineyards.

Druse Revolt in French Syria May Arouse Other Tribes

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The Central News' Constantinople correspondent, quoting reports from Adana, cables that the Druse revolt in the French Syrian mandate is not subsiding. The French yet are fearful that other native tribes may also arise. The Druse are reported to have defeated a troop of 500 Armenian volunteers near Valusius and the situation is disquieting. French Algerian troops arriving at Beirut were reported to have mutinied, whereupon they were re-embarked. The message added that Druse rebels were killing French prisoners in revenge for French wounding of Druse troops.

NORTHWEST TEXAS PRESS TO MEET IN WICHITA FALLS

WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 13.—The annual convention of the Northwest Texas Press association will be held in Wichita Falls, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 21 and 22, it was decided at a meeting of the executive committee of the association held at the Kemp hotel, in Wichita Falls. Last year it was voted to have this year's convention in Mineral Wells. George D. Barber of that city being elected secretary. Mr. Barber has since retired from the newspaper business and left Mineral Wells, according to information received by the president, Will C. Edwards of Denton, and it was decided in view of these circumstances to hold the convention in Wichita Falls, which has been the meeting place for a number of years.

FRENCH AND SPANISH UNITE AGAINST RIFFIANS.

FEZ, French Morocco, August 12.—Franco-Spanish military occupation has begun and French troops have effected a junction northeast of Zizouana, on the Lompous river, in the Queznan region. The commanders have started consultations as to the best method of procedure against harassing the enemy's infiltration.

Woman Becomes Crazy and Kills Her Husband, Mortally Wounds Two Children, Then Kills Herself; Daughter Escapes

BOSTON, Aug. 13.—Three of a family of six were shot while they slept here early today when Mrs. May Eva Curtis, 44, a mother believed to have become suddenly crazed, shot and killed her husband, George, and wounded, probably fatally, her son, George Jr., and daughter, Marjorie, and then killed herself. A second daughter, Dorothy, 18, who slept upstairs, owes her life to her slowness in answering a summons of her mother to "come down quick."

The reports of the fatal shots made her hesitate several minutes before she went down. Upon reaching the first floor she found her father dead in his bed, her mother dead on the floor and her brother and sister in their rooms, both wounded. She immediately notified the police. Mrs. Curtis was partially paralyzed, having suffered a slight shock several weeks ago, Dorothy told the police.

RANGER BUGLER RECALLS CHASE AFTER INDIANS

L. P. Arnold Tells of Recovering Horses Belonging to Sam Gholson.

Slight of stature and with snow-white hair, but exceedingly active, L. P. Arnold, bugler of the ex-Rangers' association, is an outstanding figure of the reunion in Ranger this week. A native of Alabama, and a Texan by adoption, Mr. Arnold is proud of his adopted state and, despite his 92 years, is as eager as a youth of 20 for adventure and always ready to go whenever anyone suggests "taking in the town." Coming to Texas in 1868 he engaged in various occupations. He joined the Texas rangers early in 1870 and in the latter part of 1871 he was mustered out with an honorable discharge.

"I was a desperate man in those days," said Mr. Arnold with a twinkle in his eyes, refuting the suggestion. "It was immediately after the civil war and I returned home from fighting in the Confederate army to find that two of my brothers had been killed, a third horribly shot up, my father broken in spirit and we had nothing left but a small patch of ground in the winter of 1870-71 we were camped at the Camp Colorado post, about eight miles from the present city of Colorado, Texas. We were froze up that winter, it being the hardest winter I ever experienced on the plains. Sam Gholson, owner of a large ranch nearby, came up one morning and reported to Captain Switzer that Indians had stolen 25 of his horses and he wanted the captain to go after them. 'Why, I can't do that, Gholson,' the captain said. 'There is no feed for the horses on the plains, no fuel and my men would freeze.' Sam Gholson said then that he would send along some of his cowboys and a chuck wagon full of corn for the horses. The captain agreed and detailed 15 of us to go with Mr. Gholson. We trailed the Indians for three days and then we stopped at the last woods before hitting the bare (Continued on page two)

DUBLIN MAN DEAD, WIFE AND CHILD HURT IN AUTO CRASH

BROWNWOOD, Aug. 13.—J. A. Harris of Dublin, Texas, was instantly killed and his wife and one child so badly injured they had to be taken to a hospital, when an automobile which he was driving ran into a ditch at the side of the road half a mile north of Brownwood at 9 o'clock last night and turned turtle, pinning all the occupants to the ground. A man in another car saw the wreck and summoned assistance. The dead man is the son of a prominent banker at Dublin, Texas. A little son also in the car was not injured.

MONTANA AGAIN FEELS SLIGHT EARTH TREMOR.

BOZEMAN, Mont., August 13.—Residents in the big belt mountain district still had misgivings today following an earth tremor last night which affected the area devastated by the quake six weeks ago. The shock occurred at 7:30 p. m. and rattled dishes and hanging objects perceptibly. Reports from Manhattan, Logan and Three Forks said plaster was knocked from the walls. No serious damage was reported.

RANCH ROUNDUP ENJOYABLE, SO MORE WANTED

Three Thousand Attend in Sonora County; Plan Another August Next Year.

SONORA RANCH STATION, Aug. 13.—Attendance at the roundup, reaching 3,000 Tuesday night, by far exceeded expectations and reflected the extent to which the producers embraced this opportunity, never surpassed in Texas, to learn more about the industry in which they are engaged. Ranch families from over all West Texas, whose automobiles traversed hundreds of miles of rocky roads, and who camped for two days and nights under the oak trees, at this ranch experiment station nearly 100 miles from a railroad, learning what is being done to improve livestock breeds and ranching methods, voted enthusiastically today in favor of a second annual ranchmen's roundup to be held next August.

RADIO PROGRAM

Radio programs are announced for tonight as follows: Fort Worth, WBAP, 475.9 Meters. 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.—Band concert. The Weatherford Municipal band, under the direction of Conway E. King; broadcast to remote control from Trinity park. (C. B. L.) 9:30 to 10:45 p. m.—Musical program given by the Jefferson School of Law, Dallas. (C. B. L.) Dallas, WFAA, 475.9 Meters. 6:30 to 7:30 p. m.—Mrs. Anna Ledford and assisting musicians in piano and pianolegion reading and song. 8:30 to 9:30 p. m.—Farmer's frolic, old fiddlers and funmakers. 11 p. m. to midnight—George William Caldwell and his Beaux Arts orchestra.

Wind and Hail Do Damage Adjacent to Hutchinson, Kansas

HUTCHINSON, Kan., Aug. 13.—A near tornado, which struck a short distance west of here last night, did considerable property damage and killed some livestock. A heavy hail storm accompanied the wind. TWO DALLAS WOMEN JUARREL OVER POISONING OF DOG. FORT WORTH, Aug. 13.—Police Judge Cullen Bailey has to listen to the most unreasonable and the largest variety of human ills and woes that could be imagined. The most recent mix-up between two women gave the judge a hard job in the hot weather. One of the pair said that the other woman hailed her as she was passing and called her over to ask if she had poisoned her dog. "My dog was poisoned and the blood just boiled in my veins, for the neighbors said she did it. I told her she had raised hell enough on that street," the other woman said. And to which she added: "Captain, I will try not to bother that woman, but if she presses my button I can't say what will happen. Captain, I want to get this case suspended."

ONE MAN KILLED, TWO HURT IN AUTO CRASH

DALLAS, Aug. 13.—One man was killed and another is in a hospital suffering from serious injuries as a result of an automobile accident near Dallas shortly after noon today. A man made Ward from Kemp, Texas, was said to have been instantly killed when the machine missed a bridge on the road and plucked off the bank. Dr. P. P. Brewer, also of Kemp, is in Baylor hospital.

NEGRO WILL THINK TWICE BEFORE KICKING ANOTHER DOG

DALLAS, Aug. 13.—Arthur Lay, black, lost a one-round hoof and mouth duel with a mongrel mutt the other day and had to have two repair jobs performed at the Emergency hospital before he was able to ambulate freely. Arthur kicked a dog in the ribs on the street the other day and he was a pretty solidly built dog. Arthur broke a big toe when he buried it in the dog's side and while he was hobbling around on one foot and howling with pain, the dog put a finishing touch on his anatomy.

THE WEATHER.

West Texas tonight and Friday, partly cloudy. Cooler in east central portion tonight.

Dry Chief



Rev. Benjamin E. Ewing is now in charge of federal prohibition enforcement for the state of Illinois, following the removal of the former director, Percy Owen. He is an ordained pastor in the Union Brethren church and his home is in Hillsboro, Ohio.

Dorothy Ellingson's So-called Confession May be Excluded

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Defense for Dorothy Ellingson, 17-year-old jazz girl, accused of matricide, hope today to strike a vital blow for acquittal, through excluding from evidence the "confession" she gave police after her arrest. Prosecuting Attorney Skillen is preparing to lengthen his case in order to get the confession into testimony, since upon it almost certainly appears the conviction. Without the alleged confession the case is almost entirely circumstantial evidence.

Baptist Preacher From San Antonio is Under Arrest

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 13.—A systematic oil fraud, numbering 2,000 victims, the most of whom were ministers, is believed to have been stopped through the arrest here of William E. Rutledge, former Baptist minister. The former minister, who is also editor of the Preachers' Magazine, is being held by the government under \$3,000 bond for using the mails to defraud. Ninety per cent of the investors were preachers, according to the claim. Rutledge, who came here from San Antonio to face the charge refused to issue a statement today.

Manhunt for Three Desperate Criminals Is On in Oregon

SAKEM, Ore., Aug. 13.—One of the most spectacular manhunts Oregon has ever seen was under way today in the Waldo hills, the rendezvous of fleeing men. Three desperate criminals who succeeded in getting away last night in a prison break were last seen heading for the Cascade foothills. All were armed. On their trail were some 50 deputy sheriffs, guards of the Oregon penitentiary and militia from Salmon and Silverton, all ready to shoot to kill. The three fleeing convicts are: Tom Murray, 20; Ellsworth Kelly, 27, and James Willos, 26. The two former figured in a prison break last year.

TURKISH SOLDIERS ARE REPORTED IN PERSIA, BEGINNING INVASION

LONDON, Aug. 13.—An unconfirmed Central News dispatch from Constantinople today said that Turkish detachments had occupied the frontier and occupied Persian territory. Persia is reported to have sent a protest against the action to the Angora regime. Details are lacking.

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Sheriff Stops Prayer Services at Henrietta, But Situation Quiet

HENRIETTA, Okla., Aug. 13.—The striking union miners did not avail themselves of the opportunity to attend the Wednesday night prayer meeting. Sheriff Russell's order, prohibiting the usual outdoor prayer and songfest, did not include the regular church services, but were so interpreted by many and churches here that held regular weekly mid-week prayer service were mostly dark. Plans were going forward today to open additional mines and to employ more non-union miners. While there is considerable gossip about what may happen the situation on the surface is quiet.

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TRAVIS COUNTY MURDER SEEMS HARD TO SOLVE

Rangers Called in to Help Probe Death of Engler Family, Near Delvalle.

AUSTIN, Aug. 13.—Capt. Tom H. Hickman, commander of the headquarters company of the state ranger force at Austin, and three other members of the ranger force have started an investigation of the murder of the Engler family, near Delvalle, last Saturday night, at the request of Sheriff W. D. Miller.

Sheriff Miller admitted that none of the clues have led to the discovery of tangible evidence and that the triple murder is still an unsolved mystery. Information from the sheriff's office at noon was that John Joseph Sternad and Joe Decas, youths who have been held since Monday for questioning, would be released before 2 o'clock this afternoon. With the release of the youths the sheriff will not have any one under detention in connection with the Engler murder.

Ranger Lions Have Texas Ex-Rangers for Luncheon Guests

The regular weekly luncheon of the Ranger Lions' club was the scene of much activity today as the Texas ex-rangers were honor guests for the occasion and many an experience was related by the old-timers in the midst of the luncheon to attentive members of the Lions' club, who served them. About 75 of the ex-rangers and their wives were entertained by the club. Singing was in vogue and the well trained voices of the Lions' club rose and fell in modulated roar as tune after tune of old-timer songs rolled forth to the accompaniment of much applause and the beating of feet, keeping time, among the doughty old warriors, many of whom are still in prime physical condition. Piano accompaniment was played by Florence Alice Palmer. The dinner was served by members of the Lions' club and their ladies and the old veterans expressed their hearty appreciation of the royal way in which Ranger was greeting the surviving members of the organization for which Ranger was named.

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COAL MINERS MAY BE CALLED OUT SEPT. 1ST

Coming Event Throwing Apprehension Ahead; Many Hope for Avoidance.

PITTSBURGH, August 13.—Like tremulous clouds that stir the surface before the storm, uneasiness is pervading the hard coal fields of Pennsylvania, where on September 1, more than 150,000 workers may be called out on strike. In some districts apprehension over the threatened suspension has already caused trouble in the pits. In others, work proceeds feverishly. Still other districts reflect confidence that the strike would be avoided.

Already five of the Lehigh coal company are tied up and everywhere mines are being worked to capacity and huge stocks of coal are on hand. Around Atlanta, Pa., 3,500,000 tons were produced last month. The miners are well equipped for an industrial battle, but they hope it won't come.

Half-Billion Dollar Merger is Planned by Coal Mine Interests

LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 13.—A \$500,000,000 merger of West Virginia and Kentucky coal interests to "minimize labor and economic troubles" is proposed in questionnaires sent to operators by J. E. Johnson, secretary of the coal operators' exchange, it was learned today. The fields covered by the proposed consolidation have a combined output of 150,000,000 tons of coal annually. General ratification was expected, Johnson said.

Dry Agents Continue Work in New Orleans Raiding Wet Joints

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 13.—After a day of comparative inactivity, the 200 dry agents here on a mission of destruction to the rum industry today resumed their raiding. The first place invaded was the Standard Brewery.

"We have not finished raiding in this section and we are going to keep on. Our force has been increased and raids will be more numerous than less." A. R. Harris, divisional chief, said as he started his sleuths on the way.

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Bible Thought: Pure Religion: Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this. To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world.

Unemployment Insurance: Unemployment insurance seems likely to be one of the next labor reforms to find its place in the industrial progress of the country.

Society AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER Mr. R. B. Campbell, Editor Telephone 224

TONIGHT. Ex-Ranger fish fry at their headquarters at 6 p. m. Ex-Rangers will be entertained by old fiddlers' contest and picture show at the Liberty theatre.

FRIDAY. Ranger Little Theatre company gives play, "The Suicide Specialist," at High school auditorium.

HONORING A. W. TABER. A. W. Taber, special agent for the Peoples State bank, who will leave Ranger in a few days to accept his new appointment of superintendent of the Confederate home, at Austin, was the honor guest at a picnic last evening at the Country club, given by a number of his Ranger friends.

Supper was spread just at twilight and the menu consisted of fried chicken galore, beet and potato salad, stuffed eggs, pickles, olives, sandwiches, hot rolls, preserves, angel food, devils food and other cakes, ice tea, Eskimo pies and many other good things to eat.

Suicide Specialist to be Presented by Little Theatre Co. "The Suicide Specialist," to be presented Friday night in the High school auditorium by the Ranger Little Theatre company of young men and women of Ranger who are giving their time and talents to the work, is a three-act comedy and one of the latest 1925 plays.

Several European nations have followed the plan adopted in Switzerland 30 years ago, which includes the employer, the employe and the state in the scheme. In this country the state is excluded, and most of the plans in force are controlled by the employing body.

FARMERS ARE POOREST PAID. According to the department of agriculture figures the gross income of farmers for the year ending June 30, 1925, exceed \$12,136,000,000 compared with \$11,288,000,000 for the preceding year.

a queer bunch of patients—a broken-hearted prima donna, a professor of Greek, a hard-boiled chorus girl, a young millionaire, a tired business man, an old maid who has been writing a lover's advice column for 15 years.

The earnest has been working hard and earnestly on the play and really is trying to make the Little Theatre a success and urgently request the public to come and reward its efforts.

FASTIME CLUB. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn entertained the members of the Fastime club, Tuesday evening, at their home in the Gholson addition. This house lends itself very prettily indeed to floral decorations, and a profusion of roses and zinnias deftly arranged, were used effectively.

A new large unit, construction of which will begin about Jan. 1, and which will be completed about two years later, will cost \$2,500,000. Two other smaller units will cost \$500,000, an investment of \$2,750,000 to be added.

PERSONALS. Mrs. J. A. Martin has received a card from Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith stating that she and Mr. Smith are in St. Louis buying goods for their new store and will return to Ranger in a few days in order to have their store ready for its opening.

James McLaughlin left for Fort Worth today where he will remain until Monday.

Miss Norma Hinton, who has been the guest of Mrs. Parker F. Davis, in Wichita Falls, has returned home.

Mrs. Howard Gholson, who undertook an operation several days ago at the Clinical hospital, is reported as improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Klinger and children are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Paschall at their home on Wayland road.

Dr. Charles Milton is a young man, about 24, who has been out of school so short a time that he does not yet dare to hang his diploma in his office.

NEW AUTO TAX SYSTEM PLANNED IN MICHIGAN. LANSING, Mich.—Michigan will secure its necessary income from automobile taxation by lowering licensing fees and raising the gasoline tax.

Under DeLand's plan, the state would issue a license for each new car, the cost to be nominal—\$3 to \$5 is suggested—and would be uniform. The plate would be good for the life of the car.

To offset the loss of annual revenue from licensing, a three-cent gasoline tax would be substituted in place of the present two-cent tax.

The present gasoline tax, which went into effect this year, will bring the state \$8,000,000 it is estimated and a three-cent tax would provide a minimum of \$12,000,000.

DALLAS POWER & LIGHT CO. TO ENLARGE PLANT. By United Press.

DALLAS, Aug. 12.—Additional appropriations for construction of new power plants by the Dallas Power & Light company, will make Dallas the largest electrical power producing city in Texas, if not in the entire southwest.

MRS. ANNIE W. WICKWARE TO BE BURIED IN RUSK. The body of Mrs. Annie Walker Wickware, 53, of Ranger, who died night before last after a lingering illness, was sent to Rusk, Texas, for interment by Klingsworth-Cox & Co., Wednesday.

BARBARA LA MARR IS REPORTED VERY ILL. By United Press.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 13.—Barbara La Marr, film star, is seriously ill here, it was learned today. The star has been suffering from a throat infection, complicated by internal disorder for the last two weeks, according to an official of the studio where she is under contract.

TWO BANDITS TACKLE WRONG MAN IN FRISCO. By United Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—One of the two armed bandits attempting to hold up a baker today was shot and probably fatally wounded by Han Gawellek, night cashier. The men escaped, the uninjured bandit covering the retreat with a hail of bullets.

FANATIC SENDS THREATENING LETTER TO SECY MELLON. KANSAS CITY, Aug. 13.—Will K. Reeme, ardent prohibition fanatic, was arrested here today on information furnished by the treasury department that he had written a threatening letter to Secretary of the Treasury Mellon.

It was getting late by that time and we were cold. It was an intense, biting freeze that penetrated to the very marrow of a person's bones and several of our boys were already frost-bitten.

Next morning I saddled up and being ahead of the others, rode up to the edge of the woods. Looking around I saw a large body of horses about three-quarters of a mile away, guarded by two Indians.

After a short distance off, I looked back to the camp and informed the captain. We immediately started after the Indians and arriving at the edge of the plains could see them in full view.

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TEXAS EX-RANGERS NOW IN SECOND DAY OF REUNION. (Continued from page one) by photographers from Ed's Studio of Ranger, following when they were bodily carried off by the Lions club of Ranger for luncheon at the Lions hall in the DeGrotto hotel.

The business session this afternoon was cut short to enable the members and their families to attend the baseball game between the Lions club of Ranger and the Lions club of Eastland. A fish fry, arranged by the business men of Ranger, under auspices of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, will be served at the convention headquarters, Pine and Austin streets, at six o'clock p. m. today.

The business sessions were opened yesterday afternoon and the keys to the town were presented to Major William Green, commanding officer of the association by Raymond Teal, mayor pro tem, Major Green introduced J. O. Allen of Cookeville, Texas, who delivered the response, and then related the true details of the massacre of the Russell family in Jones county in 1868 after being presented with a gavel by the high school of Ranger.

J. L. Latham of Carlsbad, N. M., is one of the ex-rangers of Texas attending the reunion. He spent the larger part of his life in Texas and some of the most eventful years in the ranger force, but later went to New Mexico, where he has prospered.

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# OLDEN

OLDEN, Aug. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Atkins and family left Monday for Nashville, Tenn., where they will spend a month's vacation, visiting Mr. Atkins' relatives.

Mrs. Livingston of Rising Star is visiting in Olden this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sepurbur and children of Cross Cut spent last weekend in Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norton are rejoicing over the arrival of little Ella Joyce, born the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Crone have gone to Ohio to be at the bedside of Mr. Crone's mother, who is quite ill.

Mrs. George A. Fox and children of Breckenridge visited Mrs. Fox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Clark, here the first of the week.

A nine-pound baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fullers, Tuesday. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. J. T. Brown of Breckenridge was the guest in the home of her parents, the Howells, here Wednesday.

Oliver Moon has gone to Hale Center to be at the bedside of his mother, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Ed Lee and little son have gone to Ohio for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Horn and baby daughter, Wyvone, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mitchell and son, Edwin, Mrs. E. L. Mitchell and Miss Birdie Mitchell left Tuesday to drive through to Enid, Okla., where they will spend a 15-day vacation, visiting with relatives.

Thompson Pickens left today for Muskogee, Okla., to attend to business for a few days.

Miss Pearl Weaver of Newport, Ark., is here as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Fred Gertz, and family. Miss Weaver formerly lived in Olden, and will also visit friends while here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Horner made a business trip to Cross Cut Tuesday.

Miss Rebecca Wright is visiting her sister at Haskell this week.

Arnel Huling of Haskell is here, visiting his sister, Mrs. L. L. Satterfield and family, and also visiting friends. She formerly lived in Olden.

Mrs. W. J. Herwick and Mrs. W. C. Lee have gone to Ardmore, Okla., to visit their mother.

Miss Loree Rice, who has been quite ill, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Arnel Battonfield of Breckenridge visited friends in Olden Wednesday.

Mrs. B. F. Cayce and children spent Sunday at Alameda.

The Olden B. Y. P. U. is preparing...

## STRIKING COAL MINERS IN OKLAHOMA USE PRAYER AND SONG TO DEFEAT STRIKE BREAKERS



HENRYETTA, Okla.—The strangest strike that ever was seen is being conducted in the Henryetta coal fields here.

It is the strike in which union pickets sing hymns and pray for the welfare and guidance of strike-breakers and mine owners; in which daily services at the mine entrances have taken the place of the abusive threats that usually are hurled at men who will not join the union.

You might call it the golden rule strike.

Say It Works Well. Further, officials of the United Mine Workers say this strange strike is working out so well, that these "Christian" tactics will be continued all summer, if need be.

There are five mines here employing non-union men. The union men, numbering between 500 and 1,000, quit work rather than accept a wage cut to the 1917 level.

Trouble was feared, as feeling ran high. The state militia was ordered out.

But this golden rule strike has left the soldiers little to do except to polish their rifles and practice the ritual of guard mount.

Here is the daily scenes at each mine entrance.

At four o'clock in the afternoon...

the men quit work. On the road outside is a crowd of union men, with their wives and children. Between them and the mines is a row of soldiers with rifles. The workers look out apprehensively.

The crowd of union pickets carries many American flags. No placards, no clubs, no bricks—just flags. They group close together—and then they sing the "Star Spangled Banner."

The infantry lieutenant snaps into a salute. The privates present arms. The union men stand erect, hats off, gazing straight ahead—at the mine. Then the anthem ends. Immediately the pickets break into a hymn. It is followed by another, then another.

Then a man in his shirt sleeves steps forward, raises his hands, and starts to pray. Union men and non-union men bow their heads.

Ask Divine Protection. And the prayer? It asks divine protection for the strike breakers—the men who are dubbed "scabs" in most strikes.

"Lord, we would not have any harm come to these men," says the leader. "Lord, hold the rocks from the mountain side up from them."

"But Lord, let them see the light, that the will not continue to deprive union men and their wives and families of that which they have worked for and which is rightfully theirs."

The leader also asks that God will soften the hearts of the mine owners. Then he closes with a plea for the soldiers, "praying that 'Thou wilt guide and protect these soldier boys and not let them come to any harm.'"

Then the services end. The strike-breakers pass out quietly. The pickets stand still.

No Insulting Cries. Instead of the insulting cries and cat calls that are usually heard at such times, one hears a woman call to a strike breaker:

"I am praying for you, John Smith, or God bless you Jim Jones."

And that's all.

Each afternoon such a scene is enacted at each of the five mines.

A few small groups of men have been induced to quit work.

Mine owners say they cannot afford to yield to the union's demands. Union men reply that they will continue their fight until fall, if need be.

And all the while the Golden Rule strike goes on, peacefully and orderly. And every afternoon the leaders stand before the various mines with upraised hands and bared heads and repeat:

"Oh Lord, we would not have any harm come to these men."



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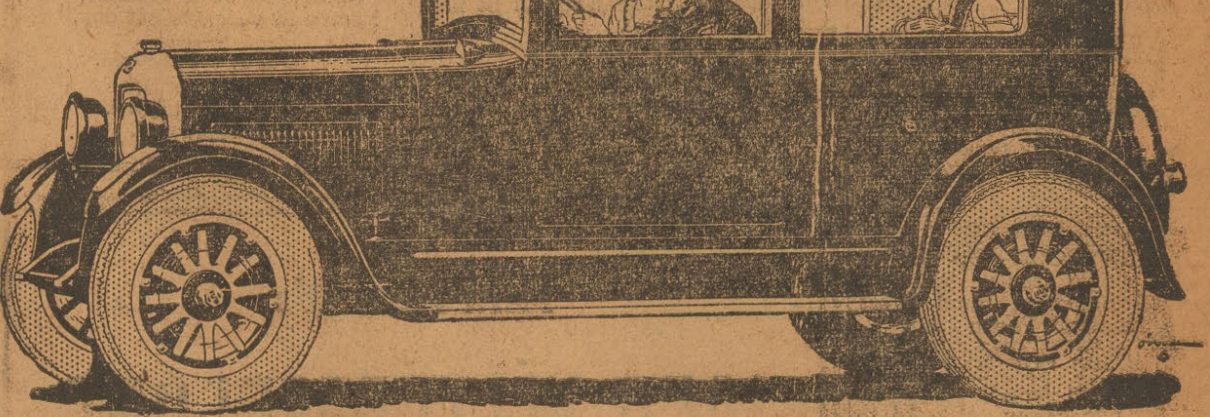
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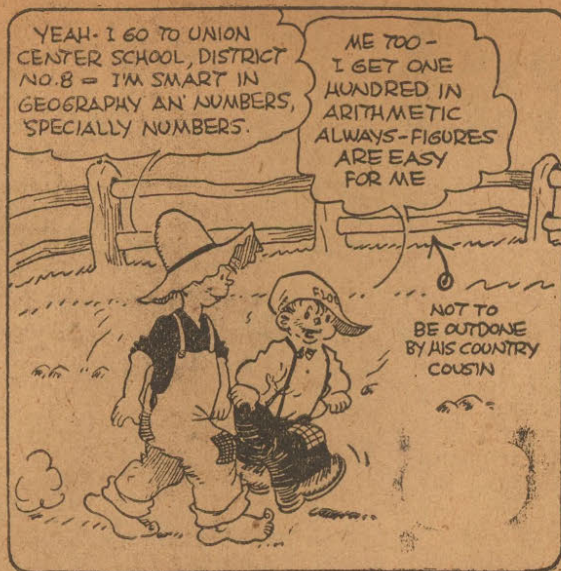
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Baseball Results

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Team, W. L., Pct. Rows include Fort Worth, Houston, Dallas, Wichita Falls, San Antonio, Waco, Shreveport, Beaumont.

Yesterday's Results.

Fort Worth 8, Dallas 6. San Antonio 18-15, Beaumont 7-7. Shreveport 18, Wichita Falls 2. Waco 11, Houston 1.

Today's Schedule.

Waco at Fort Worth. San Antonio at Dallas. Beaumont at Wichita Falls. Houston at Shreveport.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Team, W. L., Pct. Rows include Philadelphia, Washington, Chicago, Detroit, St. Louis, Cleveland, New York, Boston.

Yesterday's Results.

Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 2. Boston 7, Detroit 2. New York 2, Chicago 0. Cleveland at Washington, rain.

Today's Schedule.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Team, W. L., Pct. Rows include Pittsburgh, New York, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Chicago, Boston.

Yesterday's Results.

Brooklyn 5, Cincinnati 1. St. Louis 9-8, Philadelphia 2-4. Pittsburgh 5, New York 3. Boston at Chicago, off day.

Today's Schedule.

Chicago at St. Louis. New York at Pittsburgh. Only games scheduled.

"Big Ten" Football Stars Spend Summer Battling With Scholastic Eligibility

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Pittsburg may be a smoky, dusky city but her bathing girls are certainly fair enough. This is "Miss Pittsburg," otherwise known as Miss Mildred Walker.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—With the football season looming on the horizon, stars of the Western conference are getting ready for a campaign that is at present more important than their ball toting, tossing or catching, that of getting eligible.

Grange is generally rated a better than average student, but during last winter he was laid up with a siege of mumps, which kept him away from the university for nearly a month.

At Northwestern, Baker is on the anxious seat with Grange, but a condition is all he has to remove, and a summer session course in which he is excelling in his work, is all set to remove the "con."

Other conference schools, including Michigan and Minnesota look forward to little scholastic trouble with their grid luminaries.

He Works



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### THE STORY SO FAR.

Gloria Gordon, beautiful flapper, marries Dick Gregory, poor but brilliant lawyer. Her idea of an ideal marriage is fun and fine clothes. . . but no work or children.

She has hysterics when Dick tells her she must do her own housework. He borrows Maggie, his mother's maid, to teach Gloria to cook. But she refuses to learn.

Gloria gives a house warming. She asks Stanley Wayburn, an actor with whom she was once in love, to be one of the guests. The "Wild Party" breaks up when Lola Hough scolds Bill, her husband, for "petting".

Maggie, disgusted, quits her job. Then Gloria hires Ranshild Swanson, to take her place; although Dick says they can't afford a maid, Gloria buys hundreds of dollars worth of new clothes, and insists upon having a new automobile.

She and Wayburn go riding in it. They are seen by Mother Gregory. Next day Gloria invites Wayburn, May Seymour and Jim Carewe, who is in love with May, to the house. Dick returns unexpectedly. He puts the guests out of the house.

Mother Gregory manages to have Gloria elected to the Home Women's club. May Seymour is left out because of her affair with Carewe. Crushed, she decides to give Jim up. She gives a bridge party, and Gloria wins the prize, a bottle of brandy. She gives it to Wayburn on her way to Dick's office. There she finds Dick ill, and Miss Briggs urging him to go home in a taxicab.

### NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

"Let's stay down town for dinner," Gloria proposed suddenly. "It's so dull at home. And you and Miss Briggs have been working late. Why don't we ask her to have a bite with us?"

"Gosh, I'm pretty tired. I'd rather go home," Dick answered. "But ask her if you want to."

Gloria danced out to Miss Briggs. "We want you to come out to dinner with us. We're going to stay downtown," she said with the petulant sweetness of a spoiled child that will have its own way or know the reason why!

"Oh, I can't go—not in this old dress!" Miss Briggs replied, flushing. "And my face is dirty too."

"Oh, fudge! You look lovely!" Gloria insisted. She took Miss Briggs' coat and hat down from the hooks on the wall.

You and I ought to have a chance to get acquainted. . . . We hardly know each other, and we really should be great friends. After all, we are both interested in the same man aren't we?"

Miss Briggs didn't answer. She drew in her breath and gave Gloria a sharp searching look. Her lips tightened as with pain.

Gloria returned her looks with innocent eyes. But she had found out what she wanted to know in that second. . . . that Miss Briggs was in love with Dick Gregory.

Dick came out of his office carrying his hat and overcoat. "Ready?" he asked.

Gloria did not see how sick he looked. "I think so," she answered.

Miss Briggs lowered her eyes, with one hand she braced herself against her desk.

"It—it's just lovely of you and Mrs. Gregory to ask me to go to dinner with you," she said, "but I can't. I'm not dressed for one thing. And I've promised mother we'd go to the movies tonight. . . . and besides, you are too sick to go anywhere but home. Mr. Gregory."

She turned to Gloria with distress in her voice. "Really, he's been sick all day," she said.

Dick looked at her gravely. "I'm sorry you can't go, he said. We are both. Perhaps you will come with us some other time."

Miss Briggs gave him a wistful smile. Her blue eyes were troubled above the sudden flush in her cheeks.

It was then that Gloria saw that Miss Briggs had a certain beauty of her own. Not the beauty of coloring and features, but of inner warmth and radiance. . . . The beauty, that for lack of a better word, we call "charm."

After she had gone, Gloria turned furiously to Dick. "You know, of course, why she



Wayburn filled two glasses and gave one to Gloria. Here's how! he said.

wouldn't go to supper with us, don't you," she asked. Her voice was accusing.

"She thinks I'm sick. . . . that I ought to be home in bed," Dick answered simply.

"Oh piffle," Gloria sneered. The woman's in love with you. And you know it! She wouldn't go because she couldn't bear to see us together. It pretty nearly killed her a minute ago when you kissed me! I know. I saw her face! She is jealous of me!"

"Cut out the movie stuff, Gloria," Dick said gruffly. Miss Briggs has worked for me for years and years. She's all wrapped up in her job. It's her lover and her child. Her whole life. She never gives me or any other man a thought!"

"Is that so," Gloria said babyishly. I'm glad you think so. . . . come on, let's go."

Late that night she lay in bed watching the tossing branches of the trees outside her windows.

She was thinking of love. . . . that maze where all of us wander and get lost, searching everywhere for the one person who was meant for us.

She thought of Dick, who loved her and of Miss Briggs who loved Dick. She wondered if Dick knew that his secretary cared for him. Gloria was sure he must know it, from the very way that Miss Briggs looked at him the tones of her voice when she spoke to him!

Gloria raised herself on one elbow, and spoke into the darkness of the bedroom.

"Dick," she said, "why do you call Miss Briggs 'Susy' when you are alone with her, and 'Miss Briggs' when I am around?—Dick, why do you?"

There was no answer. Dick was asleep.

The next afternoon while Gloria was dressing to meet Wayburn and go riding with him, the telephone buzzed.

It was Stan himself. "Our drive's called off," he said. Gloria's heart, that had been soaring like a lark, sank.

"Why?" she asked. Was he going somewhere with Myra Gail?

"Because you're coming here instead," Stan answered. "To my little family hotel. Suite 208. And

most wonderful bottle o' brandy ever drunk!" he said cheerfully.

Her eyes searched the room. There were several bottles and a plate of dry, hard sandwiches on a table in the center of it.

"Been drowning all my troubles," Stan explained weakly.

"If you drank all that, you must have a million troubles," she answered.

Stan shook his head. "Only one trouble in the whole wide world."

Gloria was sure that he meant her—that she was the one thing that troubled him.

"And what is that?" she asked demurely. "What is your trouble, Stan?"

She gave him her hands and sat down beside the table with its bottles and glasses.

"Money!" Wayburn said unexpectedly. "Money!"

Gloria was silent.

"Here, I am out of a job," the actor went on, dejectedly. "No prospect of getting another one, very soon! Put overcoat in pawn! Watch in pawn! Landlady raising old Harry about not getting her rent—I sure am in one tight place!"

He took his silver cigaret case from his pocket and held it out to her.

"Smoke?" he asked.

"No, thanks," Gloria shook her head. "But look here, Stan, let me lend you some money on this cigaret case! We're old friends, you and I."

Wayburn did not look at her while she took two \$10 bills—all the money she happened to have—from her bag and laid them under the sandwich plate on the table.

Then he put his cigaret case back into his coat pocket.

"Gloria," he said finally, "you shame me with your kindness."

Wayburn filled two glasses and gave one to Gloria.

"Here's how!" he said.

She did not look at him. Her eyes traveled slowly around the garish walls of Wayburn's sitting room.



"You poor simp!" Gloria flamed at her; "to make a bid like that when you had a bust hand!"



She pushed the door wide open with her foot, and walked into the room.

hurry along!"

"Well, I like that, Gloria said to herself indignantly, after she had hung up the receiver.

"Calls me up and tells me what I am to do! What I am not to do! Who does he think he is—the kaiser."

The little family hotel where Wayburn lived was old and shabby.

There was a musty smell in the hall as Gloria walked though to Stan's suits—a smell of dusty carpet, boiled cabbage and cheap perfume.

She tapped on the painted panels of his door. He opened it with a flourish.

"Will you walk into my parlor, said the spider to the fly," he quoted. His voice was curiously thick.

"Stan, have you been drinking?" Gloria asked.

"You should ask! You who only last night presented me with the

photographs on them—women who looked like actresses. Women who did not look like actresses. Pretty women. Women who smiled. Women who pouted adorably—All of them hateful to her, because they had cared for Wayburn!

And she, herself? Was she just one more pretty girl for Wayburn's collection?

Suddenly Gloria felt as if she were not in the room alone with Wayburn. She felt as if all of these women were there, too, looking at her—as Bluebeard's dead wives looked down at the living one who came to the Chamber of Horrors!

And she felt ashamed—ashamed of visiting Wayburn in his rooms! Secretly!

Love shouldn't be like this! Hidden, furtive, and ashamed.

Why, love should be like the sunrise!

She stood up.

"I'm going," she cried. And before the befuddled Wayburn knew what she was doing, she had slammed the door behind her and was gone.

She began to sob as she drove home through the early spring twilight.

She made up her mind never to see Stanley Wayburn again, so long as she lived! She would forget him!—Let some other woman have him—some one of the women whose faces plastered the walls of his room! How she hated and loathed those women!

Ranghild met her at the door of the house, with a frightened face.

"Mr. Gregory came home, sick, about an hour ago. His secretary brought him in a cab," she whispered.

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Gloria ran upstairs. Dick was stretched out on his bed, fully dressed.

His wife touched his closed eyelids and his forehead with her hand. They were burning hot.

His breath came in short, quick gasps.

"Dick!" Gloria cried. She was filled with a sudden fear.

Sickness had always terrified her. She had never forgotten one night in her early childhood, when her only brother had died a few hours after his birth. She could still remember her mother's terrible cries,

heard through the thin walls of the little house.

"Dick!" she called again. This time he moved, but he did not open his eyes.

In a panic she ran downstairs to the hall. Ranghild stood there wringing her hands in her apron.

"Now, don't get excited," Gloria said with a shaking voice. She was so excited herself, that she could hardly take the telephone receiver from its hook.

She called Dr. John, and asked him to come to Dick at once.

Then she turned to Ranghild with narrowed eyes.

"You said Miss Briggs brought Mr. Gregory home," she asked. "And she help you get him upstairs, or did she leave right away?"

(To be continued tomorrow)



It is seldom enough that fashion allows us any latitude in hats, but here is a concession. Instead of the tiny brim we have a broad one of white clipped ostrich, and a good-sized crown of black velvet. It requires a very fair complexion of its wearer.



**LONDON TO SWITZERLAND AIR ROUTE ESTABLISHED**

LONDON (By mail to the United Press).—England has just started a new parcel post air service between London and Switzerland. The new service makes daily delivery of parcel post packages for approximately 25 cents per pound. It saves from two to three days over the usual way of routing parcel post via land and water routes. At present single packages are limited to 11 pounds weight.

**DALLAS CONTRACTS FOR NEW RADIO BROADCASTER**

DALLAS, Aug. 13.—Contract for the new radio broadcaster for WRR, Dallas municipal station, has been let to the Western Electric company. It cost \$11,960, f. o. b. Philadelphia. WRR was one of the pioneer stations in the United States. The original headquarters in the central fire station will be removed, when the new equipment is received and installed, to the new Fair park auditorium, recently completed.

**Principals in Laboratory Blast**



When an explosion destroyed the laboratory of Charles Henry Schwartz inventor, at Walnut Creek, Calif., Mrs. Schwartz (above) identified a body found in the ruins as that of her husband. Police grew suspicious, however, when Walter Gonzales, night watchman, said Schwartz had ordered him away from the place on the night of the blast. They identified the body as that of another. Schwartz had plotted a "perfect crime" and fled. He had \$180,000 insurance. He is shown above, beside Mrs. Schwartz. He was located in Berkeley and killed himself.

**Buffalo's Future Seems at Last to Be Fully Assured**

The future of the buffalo is at last assured and the herds are now becoming productive, says Dr. E. W. Nelson, chief of the biological survey of the United States department of agriculture. A few years ago these big game animals were so much hunted that they were fast approaching extinction, but now, under the care of the biological survey at the game refuge in South Dakota, and the national bison range in western Montana, the animals are increasing in number to an extent which justifies a practical utilization of the herds. This is particularly the case when the number of buffalo increases beyond the available area and food supply of the game reservations on which they are maintained. The biological survey calls attention to the fact that in perpetuat-

ing this noble species of American big game it now becomes possible to use an annual surplus, including heads and hides as by-products. Proper wild-life administration includes calling the matter of the surplus to the attention of sportsmen and others who might be interested, to the end that persons wishing buffalo trophies or meat or even live animals may know where they may be had. Many of the surplus buffalo are used alive by transporting them to other suitable areas for restocking purposes or for exhibition in public parks, and in similar ways. A limited number not suited to or required for these purposes will be slaughtered each year and used as meat. The by-products are available for those desiring buffalo trophies and are offered for sale by the biological survey at \$35 to \$80 each for heads; and \$40 to \$80 each for robes suitable for rugs or coats. Live buffalo, well-developed young animals, suitable for exhibition and breeding purposes, are offered at \$115 each, crat-

ed and loaded on the cars at Hot Springs, S. Dak., and Moiese, Mont. Further information will be supplied to those requesting it, by the warden, National Bison Range, Moiese, Mont., or the warden, Wind Cave National Park Game Preserve, Hot Springs, South Dakota.

**FRENCH LOSSES IN SYRIA.**  
By United Press.  
PARIS, August 12.—Premier Painleve announced today that French losses in Syria, where Druse tribesmen are in revolt, should be 800 in killed, wounded and captured.

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**When the Street Floated Away**



They had a heavy rain in Detroit—almost a cloudburst—and it flooded dozens of streets. Streets that were paved with wood or composition blocks suffered heavily, as the blocks floated away and were scattered all over the city when the waters subsided.

AMARILLO—Southwestern Public Service company purchases municipal light and water company for \$2,500,000.

**Poor Robber**



Josephine Keating, of Chicago, was only 17, she'd lost her job as stenographer and couldn't find any work. So she got a revolver and tried to hold up a taxi driver. She was so nervous, though, that the driver took the gun away from her and carried her to a police station, where she is awaiting trial.



Breakfast bacon is good. But it always looks as if it needed ironing.

If you packed a million trunks for a trip your wife would cram something else in your pockets.

They have made the Atlantic Ocean so dry even a rum ship burned.

Worry is a great thing. It is about the only thing that can make most of us think.

In Milwaukee, a woman hit a man with a bottle, but maybe she will say he looked like an umpire.

The world's population is estimated at almost two billion, none of which is exactly satisfied. (Copyright, 1925, NEA Service, Inc.)

CHILDRESS—Construction has begun on the high-tension electric transmission line between this city and Kirkland. Work is also to begin soon on the line between here and Clarendon.

**New Fall Dresses**

Mr. Kleiman has just returned from the market, where he purchased the best from the Style Show.

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