

**THE WEATHER**  
West Texas—Tonight and Friday, partly cloudy, probable showers in the extreme west portion and cooler in east portion, except in the Panhandle. Warmer in Panhandle Thursday.

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**HONESTY.**  
What is becoming is honest, and whatever is honest must always be becoming.—Cicero.

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## SUCH A TIME! YES, AND YET NO HEADACHE

### NORTH WIND SENDS MERCURY TUMBLING DOWN

Chilly Wave Sweeps Over Ranger, Making Temperature Here Delightful.

The tail-end of the cold wave that has made the north and east shiver and brought out light overcoats, hit Ranger yesterday and sent the mercury down to 67 degrees during the night. The chilly wave is attributed to storms which have moved eastward over the northern states.

This morning rain began falling lightly about 7:30 o'clock but did not continue long. This is the second rainfall of the week.

The drop in temperature here came in the wake of weeks of sweltering heat. The skies were overcast all day yesterday and also this morning but towards noon the sun broke through the clouds and the temperatures were going up.

### Migratory Birds Flying Southward; Early Winter Due

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—The cold wave which descended over the middle west and north east last night started the migratory birds flying southward. The mercury dropped to between 40 and 50 degrees.

Starting in the northeast, the cooler weather came up the St. Lawrence river and spread into the southwest, moving from there into the southeast. Warmer weather is promised for this afternoon.

The unusually early flight of birds southward this year is said by weather prophets to forecast an unusually early winter. The birds have started at least two weeks ahead of their accustomed schedule. The temperature last night was the lowest in August for the last ten years.

### CHILL WAVE MAKES EARLY APPEARANCE TO BREAK AUGUST HEAT

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Freezing temperatures in North Dakota, frosts in northeastern Minnesota and unreasonably cool temperatures in central and northern states Wednesday brought out a sprinkling of overcoats, most of the light variety, in St. Louis, Chicago and other places. The chill wave was moving over the upper and lower lake region.

Kansas City, Mo., reported 52 degrees at 6 a. m., the lowest temperature for a corresponding date in the history of the weather bureau there, and weather reports showing freezing temperature at Minot, N. D., and Napoleon, N. D. Angola, Ind., reported 41 degrees, Indianapolis 49 and Chicago 54.

A temperature of 32 degrees was reported in a rural section near Duluth, Minn., although the official temperature for that city was 41.

### COAL OPERATORS AND MINERS NOW ENGAGED IN "WATCHFUL WAITING"

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 23.—Suspension of the anthracite coal mining Sept. 1 may mean a coal famine in the country, John L. Lewis, head of the organized mine workers, said today.

At the same time Daniel Warriner, chairman of the coal operators, said that such suspension would mean no more than a slight inconvenience to coal operators.

Leaders of the operators and miners remained here today in their hotels, each engaged in "watchful waiting." Neither wants to take the first step towards the resumption of negotiations looking to a new working agreement between the operators and miners.

EL PASO.—Provided there is enough room to accommodate them, children under six will be admitted to kindergarten classes this year by the public schools. Under the same provisions children under seven will be admitted to first grade work.

### Flood Waters Rush Down Valley After Bursting of Dam

### SALVATION ARMY LASSIE CALLED TO TELL WHY

Commander Booth Appears Opposed to Bobbed Hair and Penalized Girl.

By United Press.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Captain Mildred Olsen, 23, famous Salvation Army lassie during the war, has been summoned before Commander Evangeline Booth of the Salvation Army for bobbing her hair, it was admitted by her friends here today.

The pretty little Salvation Army lassie bobbed her hair when she found it interfered with her swimming. Mildred was ordered from London to Paris until her hair grew long again after she had bobbed it.

### Heavy Rains Fall Over Big Section Of Western Texas

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 23.—The heaviest rains of the summer fell over this section of the state last night and the mercury went down to 68 degrees. Reports of rainfall from neighboring points are: Christoval, 3 1-3 inches, Eldorado, 2.32 inches, Ozona, 2 1-2 inches, Maryne, 1 1-4 inches.

At San Angelo the precipitation was .66 of an inch. Good rains were reported at Bronte, Sweetwater, Robert Lee, Barnhart, Sterling, Ballinger, Miles and Rowena.

### CEDAR LOGS FLOATING IN LAKE FORECAST WEATHER CONDITIONS

BONIFACE, Mich.—Only a lake full of cedar logs; but the people of this city will bet their last cent on it as an accurate barometer of the weather.

During the last 15 years, as far back to the time when cedar logs were first dumped into Bass lake, along whose shores Boniface is located, this barometer has never been known to fail, citizens say.

Bass lake has for many years had millions of feet of cedar logs floating in it. These logs were cut by the Boniface Lumber company and dumped into the lake until the sawmill was ready for them. The water kept them from rotting.

Ordinarily this great mass of logs lies along the edge of the lake forming a belt about 50 to 75 feet wide. Always within about 14 hours of a rain the logs will start to act queerly. Single logs will break away from the mass around the shores and drift slowly out into the middle of the lake.

What causes these logs to do this, or what causes the whole number along the shore to loosen up from the usual compact mass, no one has been able to explain. It is not a current in the water, for the lake is too small to have currents. It is not the wind that causes these logs to break away—they do it when there is not a breath of air stirring.

If at evening the people look out over the lake and see the cedar logs all floating close inshore they know that the morrow will be clear. If the surface of the lake is spotted with single logs they are certain it is going to rain.

### JURY PLACES SIGN POSTS ALONG HIGHWAY; POINT TO THE GHOLSON

To assist motorists at turning points and to advertise the Gholson hotel and Ranger, A. G. Jury, manager of the Gholson hotel, is placing sign posts at strategic points and every two miles along the Bankhead highway as far west as Cisco and five miles east of Metcalf Gap on the east. He also intends to place the sign posts on the Caddo highway as far north as Caddo.

### Country Store At Elks' Jubilee Is Very Successful

The Elks entertainment committee, through J. B. Krause, today said the success of the country store at the Elks show last night was due to the generosity of Ranger merchants who gave different articles to the committee to be offered the public at the country store booth. Thanks was expressed by Krause on behalf of the Elks.

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Special to the Times.

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Last year Mr. Zweifel announced that fraudulent oil promoters must cease business and those guilty of fraud would be prosecuted. It was not long until upwards of 100 indictments had been returned by the federal grand jury and probably a score of these already have been convicted.

Mr. Zweifel is seeking and obtaining the co-operation of county officials and the local police in the fight on the liquor trade, but all cases made by them are not filed in the federal court. Many of them are filed in the state district court, where the penalties are much heavier.

### Mexicans Complain Peonage Practices In Lumber Camps

HOUSTON, Aug. 23.—Charges that Mexicans are being held in peonage while being worked in lumber camps near Bogalusa, La., have been made to Mexican Consul Pena, who has asked for an investigation. The Mexican consul has letters from Mexicans who claim to have been working in almost unbearable surroundings and then being refused their pay. The complaints charge the men were told their wages were used to pay for food and sleeping quarters.

Some of the Mexicans are said to have escaped from a lumber camp, but were caught and thrown into jail until they had promised to return to work and not try to escape again. Others, however, got away later and made their way to Houston and filed complaints with their consul.

### PRIME MINISTERS OF ENGLAND AND FRANCE MAY HOLD CONFERENCE

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Prime Minister Baldwin and Foreign Minister Curzon may meet Premier Poincaré of France in Paris soon to plan the convocation of a new allied conference to discuss reparations, it was learned reliably this afternoon. Well informed persons expect that Premier Baldwin will confer with Premier Poincaré within a few days. Baldwin is at present on a vacation in Normandy.

### REV. MR. JACKSON FORMERLY RESIDENT OF PIONEER

Mrs. Flora Jackson, wife of Rev. J. Jackson, a retired Methodist minister of Cross Plains, whose whipping in the woods near the Jackson home on Aug. 10 was told for the first time in the press yesterday, lived in Eastland county up until a year ago. The Jacksons formerly owned the telephone exchange at Pioneer, which is five miles east of Cross Plains.

The authorities have obtained no clew to the assailants. Governor Neff announced last evening that he had requested local officials to make an investigation.

GREENVILLE.—Construction of a water main to supply outlying parts of this city will begin in a short time. Plans are under way also to increase the capacity of the city water plant.

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### Solid South Wants Both Candidate and National Convention

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 23.—The "Solid South" is going to demand payment for the long years of loyal service to the Democratic party.

The bill, now considered overdue by Southern politicians, will be presented in the form of an invitation for the party to hold its next national convention in the Southland and a request that the candidacy of Senator Oscar W. Underwood for the presidential nomination be endorsed. Organized efforts are under way to back up the item regarding the national convention. Atlanta interests have solicited important personages in the party seeking support for its plan to hold the coming convention in Dixie. A number of party leaders have pledged their co-operation.

Atlanta, aside from the claim that it is a moral obligation of the Democrats to meet in the South this year, will point out that it has ample quarters for the convention sessions, adequate hotel arrangements and is equally as accessible as San Francisco.

Senator Underwood in a virtual announcement of his candidacy for the presidential nomination, in a recent speech in Montgomery, Ala., sounded the keynote of the South's plea for endorsement of a "native son."

The time has come, Underwood declared, when the "Solid South" should ask of the democratic party that a "son of the Southland should once again bear the banner of democracy."

"I am sure that our brethren from the North are no longer considering as a vital question the state from which the candidate hails; but their first thought is the principles for which he stands and their second the character of the candidate."

The South claims to use only moral suasion to secure payment of its bill, but it considers it has a legitimate claim and will press for payment.

## Ranger Engages in Period of Revelry Directed by Elks

### JUBILEE OPENS; ROYAL FAMILY IS INTRODUCED

Elks Conduct Queen and Her Court in Parade Through City.

The Elks Jubilee was ushered in last night with a parade of automobiles and members of the Ranger lodge, led by a corp of drummers.

The procession was led by the Elks carrying purple and white parasols. Then came the Ranger Boy Scouts, a number of them carrying an immense American flag. Following the Scouts came the automobiles carrying the royal entourage.

Miss Helen Brown, chosen to be the queen of the four-day festival of fun and frolic, dressed in her royal robes, rode in an automobile especially furnished for her royal highness. She was attended by two maids of honor, who were Miss Pauline Dutton and Miss Helen Brady. The two cute little pages were Billy Terrell and Nicol Crawford.

In another car were the duchesses representing Eastland, Cisco and Breckenridge. Miss Alpha Winston represented Eastland, Miss Mary Fee Cisco and Miss Shirley Cooper, Breckenridge. Their escorts were Messrs. Rhineman, J. T. Williams and Rual Ellis, respectively.

Miss Hortense Champion drove an automobile swathed in cotton, with a touch of purple here and there. She had a group of girls in her car. A drum corps furnished the music. Pedestrians lined both sides of Main street to witness the procession. From the clubhouse the procession traversed Main street east, thence to the Community hall on Walnut street, where the jubilee is holding forth.

Paul Teal as the jester was conspicuous in the line of march and at the show grounds by his bright colored costume and tinkling bells.

### WOULD BE DELEGATE TO CONVENTION TO SUPPORT COOLIDGE

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 23.—First Assistant Postmaster General John Bartlett issued a statement today announcing himself as a candidate as delegate to the Republican national convention and definitely pledging himself to support Calvin Coolidge for president.

### FORMER TEXAS RANGERS TO HAVE REUNION AT MENARD

MENARD, Texas, Aug. 23.—A large representation of the "old guard" of Texas rangers is expected to be here Sept. 6, 7 and 8, when the annual meeting of ex-rangers will be held. Preparations are going forward to give the former state officers an extensive entertainment.

Delegations from all parts of Menard and surrounding counties are expected to be here for the rangers' meet. Races, ball games, polo, rodeo contests and free barbecue are features on the entertainment card.

It is estimated that there are 75 surviving former rangers. Many of these are picturesque characters in Texas history and are expected to retell some of the activities of the early rangers.

### FORMER ARMY OFFICER FACES AN INDICTMENT

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Launcelot Pursell, U. S. army, retired, of Seattle, Wash., former chief of the surplus division; John Sherman, chief of the sales division of the supply corps; Bertram Weiss, Herman Camper and Harry Miller were indicted today, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government.

STRAWN.—An election on a proposal to vote bonds in the sum of \$150,000 for construction of a water works system here will be called by the city authorities within the next few days.

Community Hall, Where Entertainment Is Chiefly Staged, Center of Activity.

### AUTO SHOW IS FEATURE TONIGHT

The city of Ranger was a wide-awake, merry-making city last night and for the remainder of this week will continue its revelry. The Ranger Elks are having a jubilee, which opened Wednesday night and will continue until Saturday midnight, and thousands of visitors from other cities and from country points in Eastland and adjacent counties are sharing in the Elks gala occasion.

Following the parade at 7 o'clock yesterday, when the Elks presented their queen and her court to the city and received the greetings of the loyal subjects, the populace gathered at Community hall, where the queen later was presented and made a brief talk, expressing her pleasure in being able to join the merry-makers in the jubilee.

### Automobile Show Promises To Be a Big Attraction

The automobile show, which is to be one of the chief attractions of the Elks' jubilee, is expected to make its initial bow tonight. The weather was threatening last night and the auto dealers did not care to expose their latest and choicest designs, all polished to the mirror stage, to the vagaries of the weather.

Every automobile dealer in Ranger will be represented tonight, tomorrow night and Saturday night at the automobile show. Experts will be on hand to explain the latest features and demonstrate the superiority of the several cars.

### MISS CHAMPION WINS PRIZE FOR DECORATED CAR

The automobile parade judges awarded first prize for the most beautifully decorated car to Miss Hortense Champion and her friends. The judges ran up against a snag in determining which car had the prettiest girls and to save their good name, split the first prize between the cars driven by Dr. Harry A. Logsdon, exalted ruler of the Ranger lodges of Elks, and R. A. Hansford.

The judges were A. G. Jury, M. R. Davenport and L. D. Chastain.

### POULTRY RAISERS SIGNING MANY NEW MEMBERS IN RANGER

Eighty-two members were signed up for memberships in the Eastland County Poultry Raisers' and Breeders' association yesterday, following a breakfast at the Gholson hotel which was featured by papers and talks on poultry breeding, co-operative marketing of poultry products and the industry's future. The committee on memberships was out again today.

The Ranger members of the association are striving to get the silver loving cup to be awarded to the city or town in the county that gets the most new members.

D. W. Maloon, B. F. Bennett and B. S. Dudley solicited memberships yesterday, and today the first two and Mr. Connell were calling upon business men.

### CONKLIN SENDS WORD HAS SPRAINED ANKLE, SO WEDDING POSTPONED

Disappointment was expressed by persons who expected to see a real marriage ceremony take place last night on the stage of the community hall in connection with the Elks' show. The entertainment committee, however, received a telegram yesterday from John ("Sparkplug") Conklin, who had been announced as the bridegroom to be, that he would be in Ranger Saturday. Conklin was in a dance shuffling marathon at Corsicana and injured his ankle and could not come on.

Conklin is to marry a young Ranger girl.

### CONTESTANTS IN CITY GOLF TOURNAMENT GAINING IN NUMBER

So many more have entered the city golf tournament than anticipated that the golf committee of the Ranger Country club was forced to secure more prizes for the winners. Instead of two flights, there are contestants in three flights and accordingly more prizes were obtained.

The E. H. & A. Davis store has presented a pair of knickerbockers to the committee, the Boston store a white shirt and the Globe store golf hose.

The flights are narrowing down, according to the scores reported to Mr. Ralston at the Crawford pharmacy. The scores are being posted there daily.

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BIBLE THOUGHT.
DELIVERANCE:—For he shall deliver the needy when he crieth: the poor also, and him that hath no helper.—Psalm 72:12.

BROAD EUGENICS PROGRAM
By Associated Press.
A program for the "practical application of eugenic principles" to the improvement of the people of America, made public today by the eugenics committee of the United States, suggests segregation of defective types, sterilization, laws encouraging parenthood by those endowed with good hereditary traits, and enactments rationalizing marriage and divorce regulations, as among the more important aims in the field of legislation.

Inquiry into the eugenic elements in birth control is mentioned as one of the most important research problems. More than 200 activities for eugenic societies and welfare workers are outlined.

Chief Justice Harry Olson of the municipal court of Chicago, a member of the committee, made public the program.

"For the first time in history," he said, "a unified, co-ordinated, practicable, and comprehensive scheme for the conservation of human resources is offered. We have heard much recently on the importance of conservation as related to material things. This program offers conservation of the richest traits of human character and the finest types of human physique, without either of which man cannot attain the fulness of life which is the end of human destiny."

War, immigration, farm credits, protective tariffs, transportation, labor unions, and housing all are mentioned in the program as problems for eugenic research.

The automobile is mentioned as a factor in rural eugenics "since it tends to reduce inbreeding from propinquity, and to widen the range of marriage selection in rural districts."

Concerning the present general tendency of migration to the larger cities, the report asks if the population centers attract "the superior, intelligent and able bodied young people from the farms or the inferior?"

"If the superior stocks are being driven off by present tendencies to the sterile life of city commerce, this constitutes a dysgenic drain upon the population," the report says. "It is estimated that in four generations the 50 per cent of the present population which is on the farms tends to become 88 per cent of the total stock." It then is pointed out that if these two tendencies are demonstrated by research to be continually operative, the result would be that close to 900 out of every 1,000 of American population four generations hence would be of the stock of the lower mental and physical types of the present time.

Referring to the extensive movement of farmfolk to the cities and its consequent eugenic drain, the report says the solution "seems to depend chiefly upon whether American rural life is economically and culturally attractive enough to retain the best stocks, and attract new and good stock from the cities." In this connection it is suggested that legislation helpful to "farm credits, farmers' co-operatives, community art, rural education, abolition of protective tariffs, and suburban life for

city workers" would be eugenic measures of the highest order.

Arraignment of institutions of higher learning for their adherence to "monastic ideas" regarding married students is a part of the report. "Their best fellowships are not open to married students," it says. They seem to be doing much to limit the propagation of the most intellectual elements in society."

The chapter on legislation is concluded with the stern admonition that "enactment of laws should wait upon exact determination of facts."

"The ultimate fruits of any eugenic movement will, by the nature of the case, require many generations. The task cannot be considered a short campaign like many political and social movements. It is, rather, like the founding and development of religion, something to be handed on from age to age."

FIRST BATCH OF MAIL IN AIR MAIL SERVICE TEST REACHES EAST

HEMPSTEAD, Aug. 23.—Pilot Paul Collins of the air mail service landed at 12:22 p. m., eastern standard time with the first batch of transcontinental mail from San Francisco, which had been delayed by a heavy fog at Laramie, Wyo. He left San Francisco at 5:26 o'clock Wednesday morning.

CLARENCE DARROW URGES AL SMITH FOR PRESIDENT

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—An Al Smith club in Illinois to enter his name in the Democratic presidential primary was urged upon party leaders by Clarence Darrow, Chicago political leader today.

"Smith should be popular not alone because he signed a bill repealing the dry law in New York but because he has made a fine record as governor," Darrow said.

UNION LABOR OFFICIALS HEAR DISQUIETING NEWS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Officials of the American Federation of Labor today received information that representatives of the department of justice arrived in Scranton, Pa., headquarters of the United Mine Workers, where they are reported to ask for an injunction in the anthracite coal fields. The labor officials declared that their information came from a source "hard to doubt."

TEXAS POSTMASTERS HOLD CONVENTION AT DEL RIO

DEL RIO, Texas, Aug. 23.—Fifty postmasters were present today at the first session of the Texas Postmasters convention, John Philip, postmaster at Dallas, presided. He recommended in his address that the postmasters in each congressional district hold an annual convention. A telegram was received from Postmaster General New regretting his inability to attend.

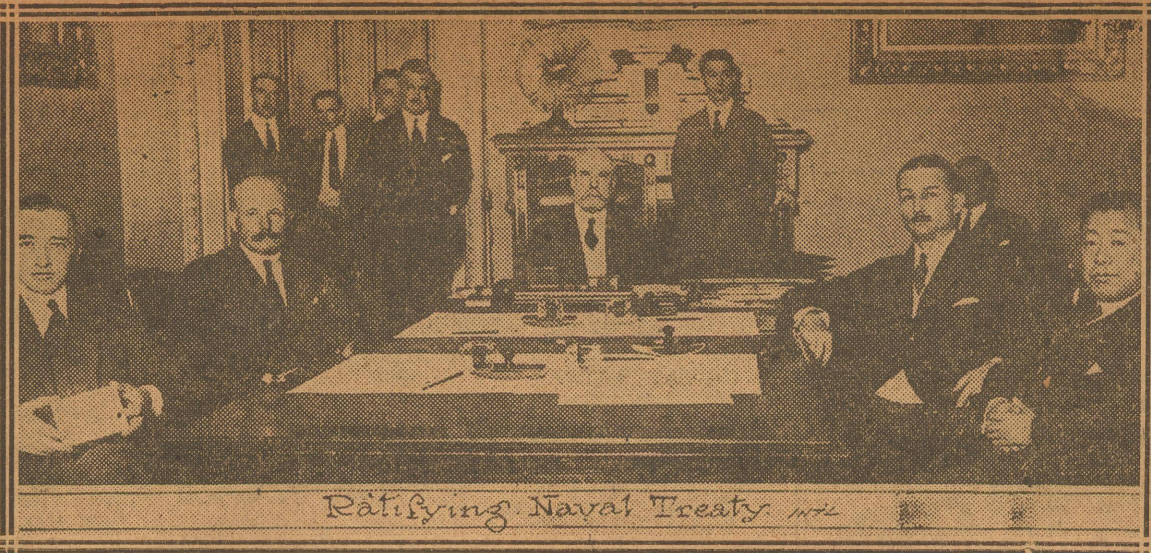
MELLON URGES STIMULANT TO PRODUCTIVE INVESTMENT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The large increase of tax receipts was said to be attributed by Secretary Mellon to the small reductions in surtaxes brought about in last year's tax legislation.

He said that he believed the cut had acted as a stimulant to investors to employ their money in productive enterprises instead of tax exemption issues.

A further reduction in surtaxes, he is convinced, is necessary to compete with tax exemption issues.

NAVAL PEACE PACT RATIFIED IN WASHINGTON



This photograph, taken in the diplomatic reception room of the state department, marks a momentous event in the world's annals. Representatives of Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and America met to deposit the various ratifications of the 5-5-3 naval peace pact, which stops all naval increases for 10 years and is called a marked step forward in world peace.

AIR MAIL PILOTS HOP OFF ON THEIR EAST AND WEST TRIPS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—Pilot Bob Winslow of the postal air service took off from Crissy field here at 6 o'clock this morning, Pacific coast time, with the first sack of mail to leave San Francisco for New York and intermediate points.

JUSTICE SAYS DIPPING LAW UNCONSTITUTIONAL

HOUSTON, Aug. 23.—The state law compelling cattle dipping for the prevention of ticks is unconstitutional, according to a decision of a jury in a justice of peace court here. This decision was reached in the case of J. West, Harris county cattleman, who was found not guilty when tried for failing to dip his cattle.

BALDWIN READY TO CONFER WITH POINCAIRE

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Recognizing the futility of further exchanges of lengthy notes on reparations issues, Premier Baldwin has decided to meet Premier Poincaire on the latter's return from a vacation at Aix Les Bains, it became known today.

COOL HEAD SAVES LIFE

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—A cool head and a strong arm saved C. E. Extier, aerial acrobat, from plunging to his death while performing a "breakaway" stunt from an airplane here. Extier swung off from the lower wing of the speeding plane and his safety belt broke. Grasping the slender wire, he clung to the ship until a rope ladder could be lowered by the pilot and Extier clambered back to safety.

WICHITA FALLS.—The new water supply for this city that comes from the great four and a half million dollar project just being completed is now available and the water problem of this city is solved for all time.

AUTO REGISTRATION IS NOT OCCUPATION TAX

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—The state automobile registration tax is not an occupation tax and consequently no part of it is required to go into the available school funds, the legal department advised the state treasurer today.

The question was raised by former Governor Colquitt and if the tax had been held as an occupational tax one-fourth of the money collected would have gone to the schools. Approximately \$2,600,000 would have been available. The opinion was written by A. C. Sutton, assistant attorney general, who quoted numerous court decisions to uphold his findings.

MELLON WILL RECOMMEND LOWER INCOME SURTAXES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon will renew to the next congress his recommendation for the reduction in the higher brackets of income surtaxes. Announcement of his purpose was made at the treasury department today.

It is said, however, that it is very uncertain that his proposal would meet with a favorable reception at the capital.

KENNEDY.—An election on a proposal to vote bonds for extension of the city water system has been set for Sept. 3.

LAMB THEATRE TODAY ONLY A Metro Special 'FORGET ME NOT' —also— "Eagle's Talons" —and— "The Knockout" TOMORROW H. B. Warner —in— "DANGER TRAIL"

NEW RAILWAY LINE ALONG TEXAS COAST PROPOSED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The Waco, Beaumont and Sabine railway today asked the Interstate Commerce commission for authority to set up a line of railway between Livingston and West Port Arthur. The application proposes the construction of a belt line of 18 miles in length, all new track, and the acquisition of 20 miles of parallel property. The cost of the construction and purchase was not stated.

SECRETARY WORK URGES COOLIDGE BE CANDIDATE

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 23.—Hubert Work, secretary of the interior, has written a letter which was made public here today advocating the nomination of President Coolidge as the Republican standard bearer in the election next year and predicting that his election would follow.

Secretary Work is the first member of the cabinet to announce himself in favor of Coolidge as the Republican standard bearer next year.

FORT WORTH, Aug. 23.—Gasoline retailed at 16 cents a gallon, the highest price in three weeks. The advance of three cents was made over night.

Child-birth

Here is a wonderful message to all expectant mothers!

When the Little One arrives, you have that moment more free from pain than you have imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown a way. It was he who first produced the greatest remedy, "Mother's Friend." (Dr. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., M.D.) "With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used Mother's Friend and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradford Regulator Co., P. O. 45, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

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FIVE INJURED IN HAVANA, CUBA, IN AN EXPLOSION

HAVANA, Aug. 23.—Five persons were injured in an explosion in a small restaurant here today. A man known as "The Italian" has been arrested in connection with the explosion.

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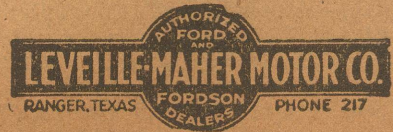
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SPORTS
BASEBALL FANS
DISCUSS YANKS
1924 PROSPECTS

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)
NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Turning from the very bright outlook of the present to the prospects for the future, New York fans are wondering and trying to figure where the Yanks will go in the race for the 1924 American league pennant.

Although there is that time proved adage that nothing can be taken for granted in baseball, and regardless of the fact that there are examples that no lead is safe until mathematics cinch a pennant, New Yorkers, and, in fact, the fans of the entire American league, are ready to admit that the Yanks are now one part of the world's series.

Critics among the fans and those actually connected with the game differ as to the reasons responsible for the runaway that the Yankees have made in the pennant race this season.

Great depreciation in the strength of the other clubs is attributed by some as the cause for making more pronounced the apparent owner of the Yankee team.

Others, including several managers, umpires and baseball officials, have expressed the opinion that the contending clubs are just as strong as they were last season, but that the Yankees are infinitely stronger than in 1922.

It is actual over and real class, rather than the deterioration of the opposition, New Yorkers reason that the Yanks ought to establish a new record by winning four straight pennants if they are able to maintain the same power and strength that carried them along so well in the present drive for the pennant.

Making allowances for the fact that the team might be wrecked for this season and for next year also, if some bad accident should befall Babe Ruth or one of two other star players, it seems that with the exception of Deacon Scott and Wally Schang, the players ought to be as good next season as they are this year.

Scott has been slowed up. It is only natural that he cannot cover as much ground as he once did, when he was younger and more active. The strain of playing in more than 1,000 consecutive games necessarily exacted its toll, even if it is argued to the contrary that steady consistent work might have kept him in better condition and improved his work.

Schang has also slowed up greatly. He is another veteran and the grind of day after day behind the bat. He was out for a larger part of the present season and the injuries which laid him up are sure to be aggravated with more and continuous work.

While it has not been officially confirmed, it is understood that the Yankee management has already made provision for the replacement of Scott by the purchase of Joe Boley, the Baltimore Star, for whom Jack Dunn refused \$125,000 early in the season.

No new catchers have been secured to fill in behind the bat, and first class catchers are not to be picked up overnight. Hoffman is a better workman than he showed this season, as he was in bad physical condition when he was forced to step in and take Schang's place.

NEW THEATRE AND SHOW TAX ACT EFFECTIVE SEPT. 13

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—Letters explaining new taxes on traveling and theatres provided under acts passed by the last legislature, have been prepared and sent out by the state comptroller's department as a result of numerous inquiries coming to the department. The new theatre and show tax acts do not become effective until Sept. 13, it was stated today.

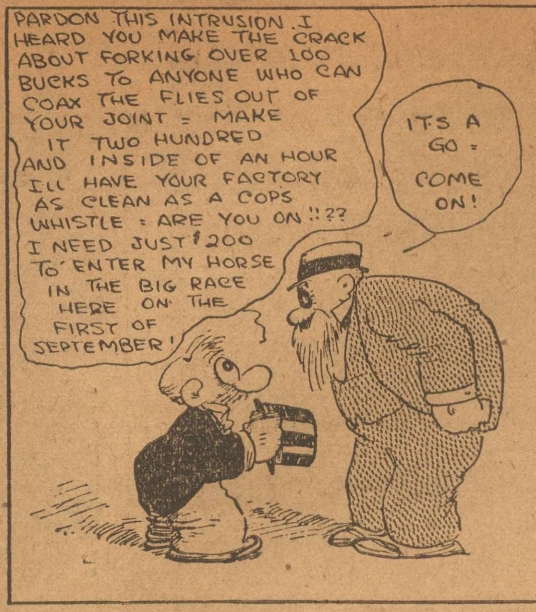
A special tax is provided under the new act on traveling shows. The tax is fixed at \$5 for each day in towns of 1,000 inhabitants or under; \$10 in cities over 1,000 and under 25,000 inhabitants; and scaled to a charge of \$35 in all towns over 30,000, the latter states. This tax embraces all shows of whatever nature not showing regularly in established theatres, it is said.

Permanently established theatres are placed under another series of taxes, including operative and moving picture houses. Such establishments are subject to an annual tax of \$5 in towns of 1,000 inhabitants or under, to \$75 in cities over 340,000. Counties are authorized to collect one-half of the state tax in each instance.

The new show tax acts, introduced in the legislature by Representative Baldwin of Lubbock, repeals former show tax provisions, the comptroller said.

BARNEY GOOGLE—Well, Anyhow, There Are No Flies on Barney.

By Billy de Beck.



HOW THEY STAND

TEXAS LEAGUE.

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

Yesterday's Results.

Fort Worth 9, Galveston 6. Houston 2, Dallas 1 (14 innings). Beaumont 9, Shreveport 0 (forfeited). San Antonio 9, Wichita Falls 8 (10 innings).

Today's Schedule.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

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

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit 6, New York 3. Washington 8, Cleveland 5. Philadelphia 3, Chicago 2 (13 innings). St. Louis 8-6, Boston 7-1 (first game 12 innings).

Today's Schedule.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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

Yesterday's Results.

Boston 3, St. Louis 1. Cincinnati at Philadelphia, rain. Others not scheduled.

Today's Schedule.

St. Louis at New York. Cincinnati at Brooklyn. Pittsburgh at Boston. Chicago at Philadelphia.

HORSE SHOW TO BE FEATURE EVENT AT TEXAS STATE FAIR

DALLAS, Aug. 21.—Program for the horse show feature of the annual Texas state fair here has been completed, according to announcements from fair headquarters today. The show will be staged on October 22 and 23. Considerable interest has been shown in this feature, it is said.

Classifications outlined in the program include a series of three entries for women riders: women over 18 years of age; amateurs of 14 to 18, and boy or girl riders under 14; \$1,000 Oriental Hotel prize for five-gaited saddle horses; \$500 prize for junior five-gaited saddlers; a walk-trot and canter stake; \$300 hunter stake, and classifications for cow-horses and polo mounts.

There also is a classification for ponies, including Shetlands and others for roadsters, to harness for combination horses, to harness and under saddle and for saddle horses known to halter only.

A rodeo will be given the second week of the fair as another attraction. Texas as it was in the pioneer days will be depicted.

These features are expected to attract entries and visitors from all parts of the state, according to fair officials.

HEAVY RAINS ARE FALLING IN WEST TEXAS

FORT WORTH, Aug. 22.—Heavy rains were reported falling over a large part of this section of West Texas today, benefitting crops and pastures. At Tulia, in Swisher county, a 5 1-2 inch rainfall was reported.

TWELVE INNING GAME GOES TO THE SNAPPERS

Sam Simmons' slow curve ball worked to perfection against the Brady batsmen yesterday at the city ball park and the visitors took the short end of a 12-inning game, 2 to 1. Sam struck out only three men but the most the batters could do was to pop out.

Simmons has been waiting for a chance to pitch and Tuesday evening, Al McKay decided to let him have a trial.

Manager Shell lost the game for his team when he threw the ball away in the twelfth inning after indicating he didn't like a decision.

Score by innings: Ranger . . . . .010 000 000 001—2 Brady . . . . .000 000 010 000—1 Simmons and Avery; Bunger and Lane.

SNAPPY PARAGRAPHS ON THE SNAPPERS

Sam Simmons has waited patiently for the chance to go up against a visiting team. He has pitched to batters day after day here and tried out his arm in 14 games outside of Ranger this season. Tuesday after the Brady game, he told Manager Al McKay if he didn't get the chance to go up against Brady the next day, he wouldn't come out to the ball lot any more. It was decided to let him show his stuff. And Sam sure enough did.

Manager Al McKay is a bachelor again. Mrs. McKay and the new arrival in the McKay family, little Anna Maurine, have gone to visit indefinitely with Mrs. McKay's mother.

John O'Keefe got several snapshots from Mrs. O'Keefe, who is living in Dallas, the home of the O'Keefe's, the other day. John says that you can't tell the picture of his baby boy apart from one of himself taken when he was a crawling youngster.

R. E. Williams of the Breckenridge baseball team has kindly sent the Times his version of the squabble at second base in the Snapper-Dynamo game Sunday. In actuality, it would vary little from the account of the incident if the writer attempted to tell the story in detail. The fact remains that when the deputy sheriff got down to second base Williams was holding on to the back of Umpire Seale with one hand while the other hand was free. It is true that he did face him when he took exception to the decision but he was at Seale's back when trouble began. The confusion of Umpire Armstrong's name with Shortstop Williams in the encounter at the home plate is regrettable but one could see by the context of the story that the reference was to Armstrong.

Brady wen to Breckenridge from here for two days. Brady played here on a guarantee of expenses. The club didn't show the speed this time that it did on the occasion of its first visit here in July. The Brady players are clean sports.

REPORT ON AMARILLO FLOGGING NOT REVEALED

AUSTIN, Aug. 22.—Governor Neff could not be seen regarding the report of Ranger Captain Hamer, who investigated the flogging of E. T. McDonald, railroad employe at Amarillo, which Hamer handed to the governor yesterday. Hamer left for San Antonio to join Adjutant General Barton at San Antonio. He would not say anything about his report.

TWO MARINE OFFICERS KILLED IN AIR CRASH

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Capt. George Hill and Second Lieutenant Cornelius McFadden of the Marine Corps, were killed today in an airplane crash at Pensacola. Advices received at the office of General Lejeune, commander of the Marine Corps, said the accident occurred shortly after 9 o'clock today, but gave no details.

WACO.—Approximately 500 Christian Eneavor members in the Waco district are expected to attend the annual district meeting here in November. Plans for the convention are under way. Roy A. Jordan of Mexia, is district president.

BELIEVE ARREST INSURES DE VALERA'S ELECTION



Eamonn de Valera.

Dispatches from Ireland indicate that his arrest by the military, when he emerged from hiding and attempted to make a campaign speech in running for membership in the Dail Eireann, will result in the overwhelming election of Eamonn de Valera, Spanish-American "President of the Irish Republic." De Valera was arrested at Ennis, County Clare, and fainted when soldiers fired a volley of blank cartridges over the heads of his hearers.

MOVEMENT OF AIRPLANES WITH MAIL EAST AND WEST

HEMPSTEAD, Aug. 22.—The second west-bound mail airplane left Curtis field at 11:01 a. m., eastern standard time, bound for San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22.—The second airplane in the air service 28-hour flight between San Francisco and New York left here at 5:26 a. m.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Aug. 22.—Air Mail Pilot Collision arrived here from Laramie, Wyo., this morning after he had descended there late yesterday and after trying three times to reach here in a dense fog. He arrived at 5:55 a. m. The mail, which left San Francisco yesterday morning in the air mail service 28-hour coast-to-coast test was transferred to the regular mail planes.

RESCUEHOME TO BE ESTABLISHED IN EL PASO

EL PASO, Aug. 21.—Definite plans have been made by church women of El Paso for the establishment of a rescue home for friendless girls and women. The home is to be started this fall, and is to be maintained by funds contributed by churches and lodges. A small number of girls, probably not more than a dozen, will be cared for at first. The home will be in the city. Later plans call for moving the home to a farm site in the valley.

BUY IT IN RANGER

Advertisement for 'BIG DANCE' at Shamrock Park Pavilion on Thursday, Aug. 23, Ranger, Texas. Admission \$2.00.

DALLAS.—The local post of the American Legion will institute in the near future a campaign for respect of the American flag, according to officers of the post. Addresses will be made by legion leaders before civic clubs, explaining proper recognition of the flag. The campaign also will be carried into the schools this fall.

Ninety-one firms in Birmingham, England, manufacture firearms and 13 produce the parts and accessories.

ALPINE.—Prof. R. L. Henderson, head of the history department at Sul Ross State Teachers' college here, has resigned his position to become head of the same department in the East Carolina Teachers' college, Greenville, N. C. Prof. Henderson is a native of Texas. He was born at Hillsboro and attended the West Texas Teachers' college and the University of Texas. He has held various positions in the public school system of Texas.

Advertisement for Haynes 60 automobile, priced at \$1260. Features Willys-Knight 5-Passenger Touring and 2-Passenger Roadster. Promoted by Ranger Motor Co.

Times Want Ads section containing various classified advertisements including lodges, lost and found, male help, female help, special notices, rooms for rent, houses for rent, and automobiles.

**Main Drag Stuff**

**Fearful Tragedy at Elks Jubilee Ball Attracts Attention of Court Jester, Who Sobs Audibly.**

By P. G. T.

No, we haven't a concrete idea in our ivory head for any Main Drag stuff today. Would say, "yes, we have no ideas" but that would sound like we were trying to copy some song which hasn't been heard around these parts much.

Naturally we attended the Elks' jubilee last night. Everybody who could was there, but after dancing and walking around to the different attractions lots of them didn't feel as though they could walk again for a long while. Personally we'd like to have some kind-hearted nurse take us to work in a wheel chair this morning. Also we are suffering very much from eye strain brought on from watching the overall beauty chorus. Oh! lady, lady, some keen dames we should suggest.

Let's see what's worth writing about. Yes, here is a little news item.

Last night at the dance, a dancer who can dance so long that some one called him an iron man, got into an argument with his boss who works at one of the local tool company shops with steel sledge hammers, bits and things.

It happened that the iron man got peeved with his boss and cast a cast iron glance at him. The boss was a pretty hard guy so the glance just flattened out when it hit him. But this made the boss mad and he threw a hot steely glance from his steel blue eyes back at the iron man.

Old iron was a pretty tough bird and the glance ricocheted off his forehead and went through the wall. Then the boss threw his eyes in that direction. He missed his mark but his lamps being of steel blue were pretty hard and cut another hole in the wall.

The boss, angry at having lost his eyes in this manner, canned the iron man. He marked the can "sausage" which made the iron man doubly mad and he swore he'd be the ghost that walked on pay day.

A lawyer this morning was walking to his office with hands clasped behind his back, reading a newspaper. He was busily absorbed in the case of Mari Nello vs. Marcel Wave. But as the sage has said, "that is another story."

By the way the court jester thanks this column for the recovery of his red morocco slippers. Mr. Jury's dog, who helps him manage the Gholson hotel, read the paper and then hunted the mezzanine floor for the kicks. He foun dthem and brought them to the manager's office. This canine detective wouldn't trust the jester for her reward so it collected in advance by biting a nice hunk of red leather out of one of the zapatos.

Last night after the queen had been crowned the royal jester was taking off his make-up with a can of cold cream. The stuff is in the same kind of a box as the face powder the chorus was using.

The jester didn't realize he was in the ladies' dressing room until some chorine who was in a hurry to get powdered correctly borrowed his cold cream and started to use it for face powder.

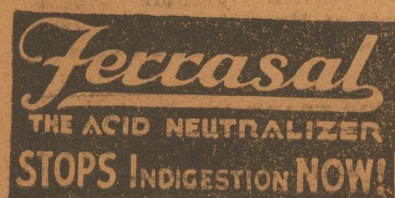
"Hay, that ain't face powder," he yelled. At the sound of his voice a pair of the dancing beauties who had commenced a quick change screamed as though they were vitally wounded. The jester left hurriedly, his face all made up again with a blush.

Electricity at \$15 a horsepower represents a cost of one-quarter cent the kilowatt hour.

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**AT THE HOTELS**

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**AGED WOMEN PROVIDED FOR**  
SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 23.—A home for aged women is provided for in the will of E. B. Chandler, local philanthropist, who died in Gloucester, Mass. July 9. The Chandler homestead here is set aside for the home. The estate Chandler left is valued at \$500,000 and relatives are to receive annuities from the income on the property.

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**GERMANY SHIPPING DOLLS AND TOYS FOR CHRISTMAS**

**GALVESTON, Texas, Aug. 21.**—Over four months too early Santa Claus arrived here last week from Amsterdam, Holland, on the steamer Cody.

Three hundred and fifty tons of Christmas toys from the mammoth European factories were stocked aboard the Cody when she docked at the local wharf.

Perusal of the shipping lists disclosed that the German firms are branching out from their traditional dolls and china toys into the manufacture of ingenious mechanical toys heretofore almost exclusively American.

**VAN ALSTYNE.**—A "trade dollar"—now found only in museums or treasured as relics—is in the possession of J. B. Bailey, local business man. It was minted in 1876 and contains a fraction over 432 grains of silver.

**Society**

AND ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor Telephone 224.

**FRIDAY EVENTS.**

Young Matrons' Bridge club meets at 2:30 with Mrs. F. T. Branham.

**PERSONALS.**

Miss Ruth White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. White is expected this afternoon from Dallas to spend a few weeks with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Vandervoort and family left this morning for Tulsa, Okla., where they will visit for several weeks.

Rev. J. F. Reynolds of Dallas was a visitor in Ranger today in the interest of the Baptist Standard. He was a guest of the Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor of the First Baptist church.

**"GOLD STAR" MOTHERS FROM EACH STATE TO MEET IN KANSAS CITY**

**KANSAS CITY, Aug. 21.**—Governors of every state in the Union have been asked by the Kansas City chapter of the War Mothers to seek in each state the "Gold Star" mother who made the greatest sacrifice in the World War, with a view to sending her at her state's expense to the national convention of War Mothers in Kansas City, Sept. 29 to Oct. 5, according to Mrs. Howard Boone, head of the local chapter.

"Twenty-three governors have already replied," Mrs. Boone stated. "Most have promised aid, although some of them declare selection to be a delicate task."

Mrs. Boone said that the War Mothers have decided that the extent of a mother's sacrifice, by virtue of which she should be selected, would be gauged by the number of sons or daughters who died in the service of their country in the World War.

"This might not prove a strictly accurate basis for judgment," Mrs. Boone declared, "but it is the best we could devise." Mrs. Boone lost a son in the war.

The delegates sent by the states, Mrs. Boone asserted, will be the guests here of the Kansas City chapter of War Mothers.

Among the military men of prominence who have been invited to attend the convention are General John Pershing and Admiral R. E. Coontz, chief of operations of the United States navy.

**SULPHUR SPRINGS, Texas.**—Six young chicks and five good eggs greeted Theodore Webster, produce dealer here, when he opened a case of 360 eggs. All the rest were spoiled by hot weather.

**LOGAN IS U. S. DELEGATE ON REPARATIONS BOARD**



James A. Logan

Above is shown James A. Logan, of Philadelphia, who has succeeded Rowland W. Boyden, of Boston, resigned, as the American unofficial delegate to the Allied Reparations commission, sitting in Paris. Mr. Logan was on the French General staff in 1914 as American military observer, served in that post until the end of hostilities and later became chief assistant to Herbert Hoover in Belgian relief work and in Near East relief work.

**TOWNFOLKS**

Pierce Shackelford of Putnam, oil operator, is the guest of his brother, Dr. J. A. Shackelford.

C. C. Moorman of Dallas, oil operator, and formerly of Ranger, is in the city.

John M. Gholson and Rex Outlaw, who have been on a hunting trip in New Mexico, are returning Friday, according to word received here.

**SAN BENITO.**—Proposal to issue \$2,600,000 of bonds for flood control was defeated by the voters of Hidalgo county at a special election by two-thirds majority. Approximately 1,700 of the 2,400 votes cast were against the measure.

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**REV. DR. JONES TO PREACH BACCALAUREATE SERMON**

Special to the Times.

**AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 23.**—Announcement has just been made that Dr. Arthur C. Jones, professor of theology in the Austin Presbyterian Theological seminary and formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church of San Antonio, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the August graduating class of the University of Texas. The services will be held Sunday evening, Aug. 26, on the university campus.

Commencement exercises proper will take place on the evening of Aug. 31 on the campus, marking the sixth annual summer school graduation at the University of Texas.

In August, 1918, the first summer school commencement was held with 43 students taking degrees. Since that time there has been a phenomenal growth in the number of summer graduates. In 1919, 78 received degrees; in 1920, 105; in 1921, 183, while this summer there are 229 candidates for degrees.

**WEATHERFORD.**—The Weatherford school board has adopted resolutions prohibiting any teacher in the public schools under its supervision from dancing or playing cards. Resignations will be asked of teachers violating the rule, it was said.

**Four Years Ago In Ranger**

Taken from the files of the Ranger Daily Times, Aug. 23, 1923.

The Southwestern Telephone company is bringing in seven or eight additional circuits to be distributed to Strawn, Eastland and Ranger. Officials of the company were in Ranger recently to pick a site for the new building of the Southwestern. While several locations are under consideration, the local management has not been advised whether or not a final decision has been made.

Two new wells of the Mid-Kansas Oil and Gas company are completed in Stephens county territory. W. H. Tallos No. 1 is a 550-barrel well at 3,307 feet and J. M. Cook No. 2 is worth 300 barrels from the depth of 3,423 feet.

Ever attend a pure-bred auction sale? You should not miss the one at Eastland on the 25th (3 p. m.). Good individual and popular blood lines. Now is the best time to secure the kind you have been wanting. Hope to see you there.—Advertisement.

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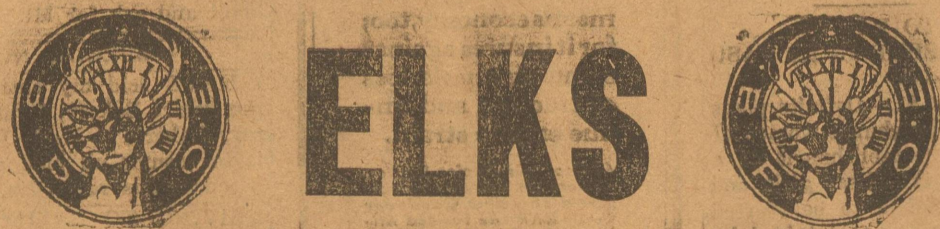
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ALL CREDITORS OF THE ELKS JUBILEE

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Karl E. Jones

Chairman Finance Committee

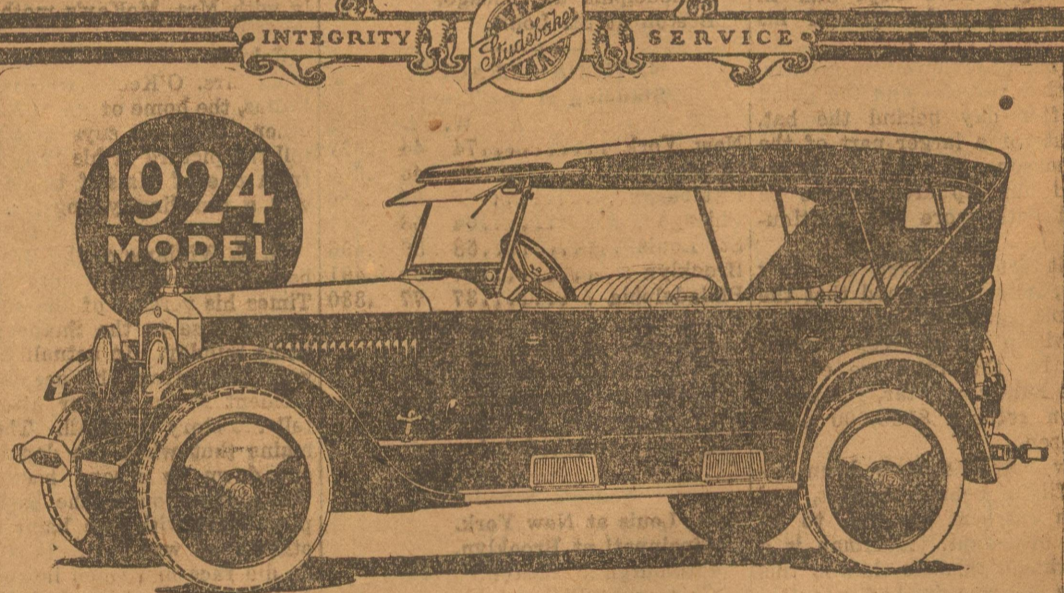


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40 H. P.	50 H. P.	40 H. P.
Touring..... \$ 995	Touring..... \$1350	Touring..... \$1750
Roadster (3-Pass.)... 975	Roadster (2-Pass.) 1325	Speedster (5-Pass.) 1835
Coupe-Rd. (2-Pass.) 1225	Coupe (5-Pass.)... 1975	Coupe (5-Pass.)... 2550
Sedan..... 1350	Sedan..... 2050	Sedan..... 2750

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