

THE EASTLAND COUNTY INDEX

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Generally fair except showers extreme west portion tonight and Friday.

(Combined with Today's Eastland Daily Telegram)

EASTLAND, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1929

On the "Broadway of America"

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HELMES SANITY HEARING IS SET FOR AUGUST 28

St. Louis at Politics by Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald

Mabel's Confession

is a rather strange confession made by Mrs. Mabel Walk-Williams in a series of signed articles appearing in the press—admission that she did not believe in "intolerance," even when preaching it during the presidential campaign. At that time, Mrs. Williams, assistant attorney general of the United States in charge of the law enforcement. She had been "muzzled" by the intolerant utterances could have been hushed by the G. O. P. committee—but they weren't. Now Sister Williams, out of an official job, confesses that her speeches were delivered at the direction of the republican bosses. The one delivered before a Methodist conference in Tulsa, where she told the ministers to "go home to your pulpits and preach this doctrine," she says she submitted to the vice chair of the national committee in Tulsa and by him was given an official check.

Texas Topics

Quito Downs Aviator. From Grass Roots. Explore by Canoe.

Quito to bite proved a greater than the hazards of the bite of an insect caused in from which Toncray died.

Williams of Texas, in the field, has brought the mercury to its ultimate peak. operates a cafe, a boarding house, the self-serve barber shop, and ready-to-shop, the dry cleaning establishment and the theatre of his

Rutledge and W. B. Burk, access to a state creekbed in Irion county, and faced the near expiration of their term up the tiny creek in order to start drilling operations with a shovel for "black pit." A court denied a road to the new proposed

show there are Indians in red men gathered in Waco a statewide pow-wow.

Angelo, proud of its weather, a booster for its climate, and the high record of the season 109 degrees.

other towns are scrambling for airports, the federal present presented Hillsboro

BANK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Bank clearing balance \$145,000,000; federal reserve credit balance \$147,000,000.

Founder of This City Celebrates 78th Birthday

Hon. C. U. Connelley Keeps Open House for Friends, Many of Whom Call; Others Send Greetings.

The quaint and dignified Connelley home kept informal open house all afternoon and evening Wednesday, welcoming friends who called to congratulate the sturdy pioneer who has withstood the shocks of time and sickness and today has the appearance of a man 20 years younger. Seventy-eight honorable birthdays have passed swiftly in the long life line of Mr. Connelley and each anniversary seems but to have welded stronger his spirit of adventure, his love for "folks," and his natural generosity. The fete day started with the birthday dinner at noon when friends assembled about the mahogany board from a distance and close relatives and family, including John Snyder of the Connelley Ranch of San Angelo; Miss Montette Kilbr of Dallas; Ludlow Pence of Dallas, who has been the house guest of the Connelley's for a fortnight; Mr. and Mrs. John G. Graves of Dallas the daughter and son-in-law of Mr. Connelley; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Freytag and children, his granddaughter and Mrs. C. U. Connelley and Mr. Connelley. At the last moment Mr. and Mrs. George McQueen of Fort Worth were unable to attend.

The linen maderia-laced laid table, was centered with an immense decorated birthday cake iced in white with traceries in rose, "C. U. Connelley, seventy-eight years." The confection was topped with a cluster of coral vermina, these flowers and ferns wreathing the base. The cake was made by the chef at the Connelley hotel and presented as the hotel gift.

Accomplishment in Trustee Meet

Miss Beulah Speer, Eastland county school superintendent, expresses appreciation for the hearty co-operation of the county officials, Eastland Coca Cola Bottling company and East in the county school trustee meeting yesterday.

Rediscount Rate Raise Is Doubted

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Possibility of a general raising of the discount rates was held unlikely by high administration officials to the Chicago day, but it was said that the Chicago Federal Reserve bank probably would increase its rate to correspond with that recently announced by the New York Reserve bank.

NAMED SECRETARY

AUSTIN, Aug. 22.—Leo C. Haynes of Denton has been named secretary of the board of regents of the University of Texas. Haynes formerly was secretary to the president of North Texas Teachers college at Denton.

Founder of Eastland County School Board In Meet

Accomplished Work at Afternoon Session Yesterday—New Buses for Cross Road; Alameda.



Hon. C. U. Connelley celebrates 78th birthday. Is remembered by host of friends.

Women Fliers Leave El Paso Due Here 5 P. M.

Seventeen Planes Left El Paso 6:10 A. M.—Will Leave Abilene 4:30 p. m.—Arrive in Ft. Worth 6:30 P. M.

MIDLAND, Aug. 22.—After a crowded morning of mishaps the women's air derbyists continued their on-to-Cleveland race this afternoon, led by Ruth Nichols, who was first to take the air for Abilene where a refueling stop will be made before Fort Worth is reached for an overnight stop.

Weather Delays Graf Zeppelin

TOKIO—At 4:30 Eckener announced postponement of Zeppelin takeoff because of winds.

Raging Forest Fires Destroying Much Property

KALISPELL, Mont., Aug. 22.—Every available man in this vicinity was rushed today to Belton Western gateway to Glacier National Park, to join in a great battle waged along a line of 200 yards from the town's limits to destroy the advance of a forest fire.

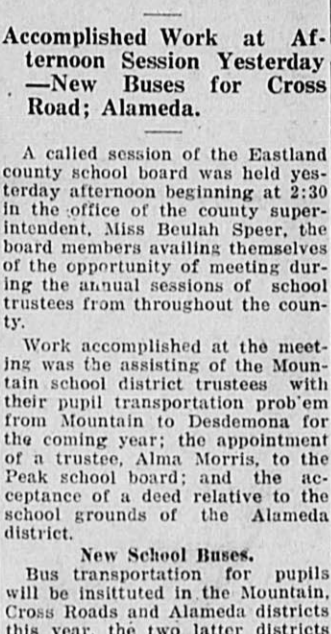
Contract Is Let for New Settling Basin in City

Contract was let yesterday to the National Water Purifying company of Kaufman for the construction of another settling basin to supplement the three basins already used by the city water works system.

Equipment for Disposal Plant To Be Installed

Equipment for the disposal plant in the east part of the city has arrived and will be used in the work of enlarging and modernizing this plant. Another disposal plant farther out in the southern part of the city will be improved when the plant work now underway is completed.

Make Non-Stop Flight Across U. S. and Back



They made a non-stop round trip from Spokane, Washington to New York and return, refueling in mid-air along the way. Nick Mamer, left, and Art Walker, right, are co-pilots of the "Spokane Sun God," the sesqui-winged Buhl plane, shown below, which they chose for their cross-country flight.

School Districts To Receive \$17.50 Per Scholastic

AUSTIN, Aug. 22.—Approximately 9,000 names have been stricken from the state scholastic census reported to the state department of education because of duplications that have been found.

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Car Dynamited During Strike

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 22.—Dynamiting of a street car, causing injuries to one of 11 passengers, was the latest violence outbreak in the prolonged trolley strike here today.

Reward Offered in Frisco Rail Wreck

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 22.—Officials of the St. Louis, San Francisco railroad have offered \$5,000 reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties responsible for tampering with the switch which resulted in the derailment and wreck of Frisco passenger train No. 118 near Henryetta, Okla., Aug. 18, in which thirteen persons were killed.

Water Consumption Increase 1,250,000

Since the new standpipe was put into operation, water used in Eastland has increased 1,250,000 gallons per week, a total of 8,250,000 gallons being used each week.

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The Dienst Collection

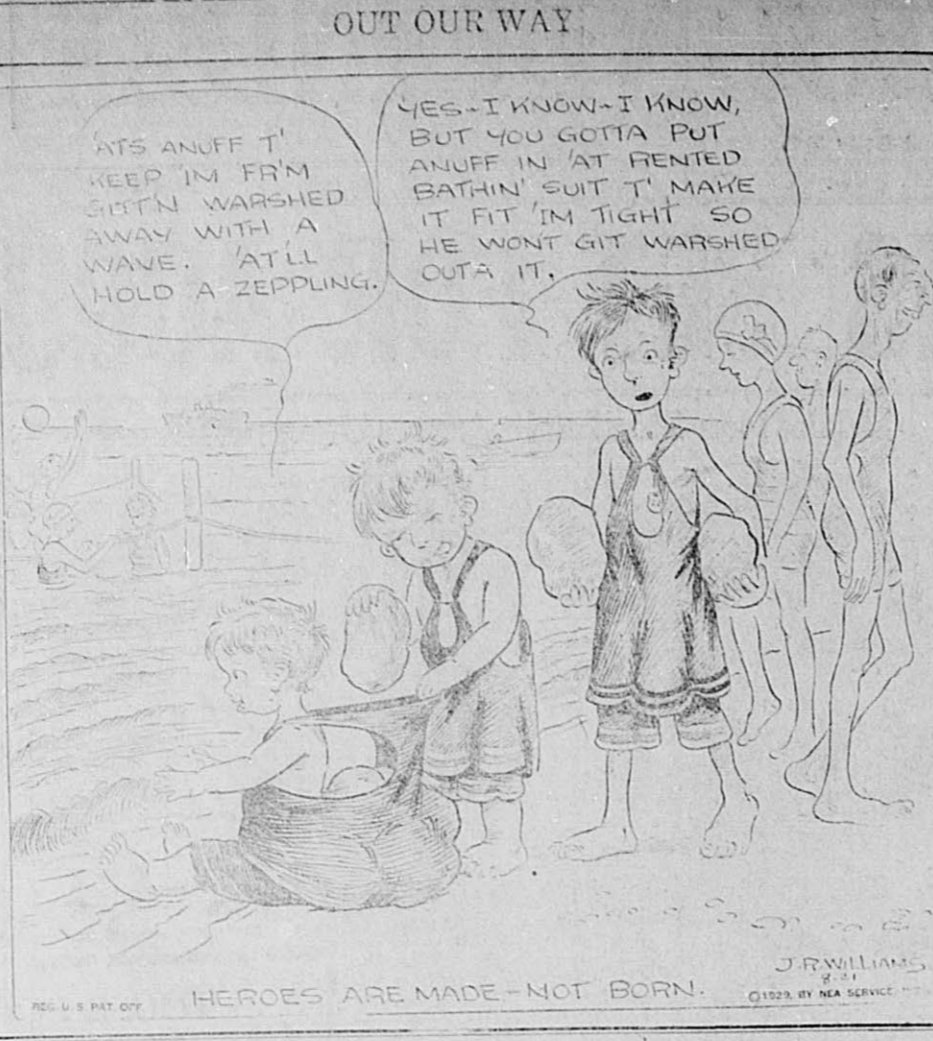
Thirty years ago the late Dr. Garrison of the history department of the University of Texas conceived the idea of recording and preserving data then existing which chronicled the story of Texas. If we are to teach Texas history, we must know it from the time man first put his foot upon it, he said.

How well Dr. Garrison's careful and program has worked out, how beneficial its results to the University of Texas and to the state in general is seen in the recent acquisition of the Dienst collection of historical material of early Texas.

Of course there have been other contributors to the library since the presentation of the Dienst collection. These include those given by the Merriks of San Antonio, Judge Harwood of Gonzales and Mrs. Bryan of Houston and in connection with these presentations, the work of those who have followed after him.

Meanwhile, there are other collections, bits of information that would add color and completeness to the Texas library, which were donated to the school, would find lasting value in being revealed to the younger generations through the history department of the school.

WINK, Aug. 22.—Two men were arrested and held for investigation today following the robbery of the Jew check exchange here of \$2,000. The men entered the exchange and at the point of a gun forced Paul Jett to hand over the money.



HEROES ARE MADE - NOT BORN.

WOMEN FLIERS ARE DUE HERE AT 5 P. M.

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country, she pulled the flaming baggage from her airplane and put out the fire with an extinguisher. Part of her baggage and one side of the fuselage was burned, and her landing gear was damaged.

Miss Noyes continued the trip to Texas in the machine and called to a physician while mechanics went to work on the airplane. She said she thought a spectator at the El Paso airport might have dropped a cigarette stub into her baggage.

Miss Edith Foltz of Portland, Me., and Mrs. Gladys O'Donnell of Long Beach, Calif., also joined the list of "hard luck" fliers during the morning. Miss Foltz damaged her landing gear while coming to earth at Pecos and remained there awaiting repairs.

All the planes that left El Paso were at Midland this afternoon except those piloted by Mrs. Barnes, Miss Foltz and Miss Noyes. The fliers said they bucked the strongest cross-winds in the El Paso-Midland hop that they had encountered since they left Santa Monica, Calif.

The women fliers should they follow the backbead highway, as did the army fliers in their hop from California to Cleveland this week, will pass over Eastland. If they hold the schedule on which they left El Paso this morning, they will leave Abilene at 4:30 this afternoon and arrive in Fort Worth at 6:30 p. m., which would put them over Eastland around 5 o'clock this afternoon.

EL PASO, Aug. 22.—The women's derby of the national air races was resumed today despite cloudy and drizzly weather, which held the feminine fliers here overnight, disrupting their schedule and presenting them with adverse flying conditions on today's laps to Pecos, Midland, Abilene and Fort Worth.

First of the fliers to lift her plane from municipal airport was Ruth Nichols of New York who hopped off at 6:10 a. m. The other participants in the derby followed her into the air at five minute intervals.

The women fliers planned to refuel at Pecos at 10:30, at Midland at 2:30 at Abilene at 4:30 and arrive at Fort Worth tonight's control point at 8:20. That schedule the hardest single day's flight since the women left Santa Monica, Calif., for Cleveland, Ohio, last Sunday would make up the time lost by delay here forced by sand and rain storms yesterday.

The last of the 17 participants left the airport at 7:50 a. m. The women fliers planned to refuel at Pecos at 10:30, at Midland at 2:30 at Abilene at 4:30 and arrive at Fort Worth tonight's control point at 8:20.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Capt. Roscoe Turner, who completed a swift flight from Los Angeles to New York early today, will leave tomorrow morning in an attempt to beat the record established by Capt. Frank Hawks.

Capt. Turner will leave at 3 a. m., accompanied by three passengers, Russell Peck, H. C. Gatty, and D. B. Lane. They will make three stops enroute to the coast—Cincinnati, O., Tulsa, Ok., and Albuquerque, N. M. Turner does not estimate the time it will take him to make the coast flight, as he said head winds might retard his flight greatly.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Prime cotton seed \$33.00 per ton, job cars, Dallas. Selected Stock List by United Press: Close 11 1/2% Armour, Ill., A 86 1/2% Chesapeake Corp. 73% Chrysler 170 General Motors 123

Markets

By United Press FORT WORTH, Tex., Aug. 22.—HOGS: Receipts 1,534; market, rail hogs 15-20c higher; truck hogs steady to 10c higher; rail top 1100; truck top 1030; bulk hogs 1070-1095; bulk better grades 180-240 lb truck hogs 1000-1025; packing sows 15-25c higher, mostly 775-850; feeder pigs 25c lower; bulk feeder pigs 850-875; medium to choice: 250-350 lb 860-1080; 200-250 lb 1010-1095; 130-200 lb 900-1025; 130-160 lb 900-1040; packing sows, smooth and rough, 775-850.

CATTLE: Receipts 5,700, market slaughter steers scarce, quality mostly common, trade quotably steady; several loads common grassers of value to see in 700 around 350; little change in other classes cattle. Few good fat cows up to 800; butchers grades in 600 range; low cutters 425-525; one load bulls on hort yearling order about steady, others slow 25-50c lower; stock calves 1100-1175; steer calves mostly 1150 and above few good heavy fat calves, short yearling weights, 1200; other weights averages around 1100 down; three loads desirable 225 lb vealers 1125.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Westinghouse Electric went to a record high and featured the industrials on the stock exchange today, while Standard Oil of New Jersey furnished the fireworks in the oils with another spurt into new high ground. Standard of New Jersey rose more than 2 points thereby adding \$50,000,000 to its market value.

Trading on the main exchange was rather light as compared with several previous sessions. Nevertheless there was no letup in bullish enthusiasm in many stocks as call money eased off to 6 percent from the renewal rate of 7 percent and stimulated new confidence in the credit outlook.

U. S. Steel came within a fraction of its record high, while Bethlehem broke through its former record and soared above 133. Several rails made wide gains as did utilities, the latter led by American and foreign powers.

Despite a break in wheat, Harvester shared and mail order stocks advanced. Special issues like Johns Manville and U. S. industrial alcohol were in demand.

Future Markets Range of prices: New York: The closing tone steady. Open High Low Close Jan. 1859 1884 1867 1882-83 Mar. 1887 1909 1885 1906T May 1895 1910 1895 1909-10 July 1876 1895 1876 1891T Sept. 1845 1843 1843 1843N Oct. old 1852 1852 1844 1846N Oct. new 1838 1849 1843 1844-46 Dec. 1870 1880 1864 1876-77 New Orleans: The closing tone steady. Jan. 1868 1873 1862 1872 Mar. 1887 1889 1887 1889 May 1896 1901 1892 1892-6 Oct. 1853 1845 1832 1840-41 Dec. 1862 1872 1859 1867-68

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A bucket of cold water forcibly on her face and chest. Do not be afraid—all it requires is the courage and strength to heave it. Any married man who has a scolding, nagging wife will find this will bring instant relief. If one bucket does not suffice, just follow it up with a few more. As soon as she starts in, tell her to shut up and if she doesn't, let her have it quick without any words. Generally the most obstinate cases can be completely cured in five or six treatments. Would be pleased to hear from anyone using my cure—tell me of the results.

U. S. Commissioner Dead In Car Wreck

McALESTER, Okla., Aug. 22.—Jackson Hill, United States commissioner here was killed instantly by this morning when the car in which he was riding, overturned near Red Oak. His companion, Crockett Lee, deputy United States marshal, also of McAlester, escaped with minor injuries. The men were en route to the Kiamichi mountains on a hunting and fishing trip when the accident occurred.

Youngsters Break Jail; Recaptured

DALLAS, Aug. 22.—Three small boys confined in the Dallas county jail sawed their way through two heavy steel bars early today and escaped, but were recaptured less than two hours later as they were driving away from a filling station in a stolen car.

Plans Reception for Press Groups

BALLINGER, Aug. 19.—Ballinger is already busy making plans for the entertainment of the Heart of Texas Press Association convention on Sept. 9. An elaborate program of entertainment is promised the newspapermen at that time.

Rickard's Widow Gets \$5,000 Cash, Interview Shows

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The New York American today published an interview with the widow of the late Tex Rickard quoting her as saying that all she has received from the settlement of the famous fight promoter's estate is less than \$5,000 in cash.

Mrs. Rickard is described as living in a cottage at Flushing, L. I., which looks as if it rents for about \$50 a month, and which has not been painted since 1914. "The public has not forgotten Tex Rickard," she is quoted as saying, "but his friends have."

Speed Boats In Mississippi Race

VIDALIA, La., Aug. 22.—One of them beset by misfortune and both behind schedule, two speed boats were dashing up the Mississippi river today in an attempt to set new records for the run from New Orleans to St. Louis.

Delayed here approximately 20 hours by engine trouble, the Vivian G., piloted by S. J. Gianelloni and T. E. Spencer of Baton Rouge, refueled and left at 4:05 p. m. yesterday for Lake Providence, La., in a seemingly hopeless attempt to make up its lost time.

One Hurt Severely In Highway Wreck

HOUSTON, Aug. 22.—Fifteen were injured, one seriously when an auto crashed into two truck loads of young people returning from a dance at Dickinson, on the Houston-Galveston highway, late last night.

The party of 45 was in two trucks, one towing the other, when a car driven by R. W. Chambers of Galveston crashed into the rear of the truck. Miss Victoria Van Ban Thuy-

Arthur team played in the finals against Abilene after being tied by Main Avenue of San Antonio and Marshall in the quarter and semifinals.

If two teams finish a game in a tie this year the 20-yard line penalty rule first will be employed to settle it. Then if both should have carried the ball that far the same number of times, the first down clause will be invoked. That falling the eleven which has gained the most yardage will be declared the winner. In other words, no more contests will be decided by the flip of a coin as was the Port Arthur-Main Avenue engagement last year.

Breckenridge Coach Returns from Camp

BRECKENRIDGE, Aug. 19.—P. E. Shotwell, head high school athletic director, returned last week after a Summer at a boys' camp near Kerrville. Shotwell was an instructor in the camp.

Shotwell will leave again Sunday for Dallas, where he will enroll for the annual two weeks' Rockne-Warner coaching school. He will return here on Sept. 1 and then will get his football training underway.

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The West Texas Press Association will send a large delegation to attend this meeting. This action was taken at the meeting held at Sweetwater recently. The West Texas Fair association will also send a large number from Abilene to arrange final details for press day at the fair.

The program for the Ballinger meeting will include a luncheon, an automobile ride, golf tournament, and a special program of Ballinger talent. The sessions will be in charge of the president of the association, H. F. Schwenker, and a number of prominent men will be present to speak on special subjects. An attendance of about 150 publishers, editors, reporters, supply men and others connected with the profession is expected.

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LEGAL RECORDS

Suits FILED. 88th district court: David J. Myers vs. Citizens Mutual Aid association, to collect insurance policy. 91st District Court: C. E. Massey vs. Ruth Massey, divorce. County Court. The Western National Bank et al vs. B. L. Mackall, suit for rent. W. L. Keith vs. W. H. Houston, suit on note.

Notices of Intent to Wed. Della East and Miss Lucille Reed, Eastland. James Henslee and Miss Evelyn Clark, Gorman. W. E. Rice and Mrs. Annie Wilkerson, Olden.

No More Coin Toss Results in Football

AUSTIN, Aug. 19.—Since a recent ruling by the Texas Interscholastic League makes it virtually impossible for two eleven to play a tie game, the approaching state high school football race promises to produce more aggressive play than ever before.

There will be no laying back and playing safe, a policy adopted by many coaches in seasons past. Every inch gained will count in the new system adopted by the organization to avoid ties. There will not be a repetition of the incident last year when the Port

Derwin G. Breth, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Breth of this city, here from Amarillo for a few days visit. Derwin, an Eastland rearing boy, is with the Fox drug company of Amarillo with which he has been connected for several years.

RECOVER FROM INJURIES

CORSICANA, Aug. 22.—Two persons injured in an automobile accident between Corsicana and here were reported improving today at the hospital where they were treated. The victims, Rev. J. T. Beam, Oklahoma City and Mrs. H. C. Bowman of Rice, Texas, received severe lacerations and body bruises when their car skidded over an embankment and overturned.

Expect \$50 an Acre for Sunflower Crop

LEVELLAND, Aug. 19.—Seventy-five acres of sunflowers is a sight that can be seen on the farm of P. W. Decker and sons, four miles northeast of Morton in Cochran county. Mr. Decker expects to realize \$50 per acre or better from this sunflower crop, which would approximate around \$4,000. The Cochran County News promises to tell the results of the crop when it is marketed.

MACDONALD COMING

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Prime Minister MacDonald is expected to come to Washington in about six weeks, it was made known at the White House today, confirming an exclusive United Press dispatch yesterday. The White House said it had not been decided whether MacDonald would stay in the executive mansion or at the British embassy.

SENATE MEETS; ADJOURNS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The Senate met for one minute today and adjourned to next Monday, in accordance with the terms of a gentlemen's agreement between leaders not to do any business until Sept. 4.

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By the Secretary
DR. H. B. TANNER

What is it? A breath. A spasm of pain. A sigh is gone. God in His infinite goodness has taken a wife, a mother, a neighbor. The Chamber of Commerce extends its sympathy in a word of grief to those who have lost.

association with Mrs. Johnson in civic work has been known to us that her infinite thoughts as exemplified in her actions were "What can I do to help others?"

will miss you, Mrs. Johnson, when the roses bloom. A beautiful epitaph it was that Mark Twain caused to be inscribed on the tomb of his wife: "She died on the 22nd of August, 1929, at the age of 76 years, 11 months and 22 days."

kindly here; Southern Wind, softly here; light; lie light; light; dear heart; light; good night."

citizens have called at the office of the Chamber of Commerce and asked if we could not do something in regard to the headlights on many of the automobiles traveling our highways at night.

have excellent laws on our books regarding this matter, but they seem to be totally disregarded. It would appear that we are living in an age of haste and a large number of our citizens are infected with a microbe which causes them to buy the largest automobile with the brightest headlights, with the most powerful engine and glaring headlights. Probably a pleasure for the driver to illuminate the dark to such a degree that he could see a field of corn across the highway a mile or two ahead, but seems to be oblivious to the flashing of broken glass that too often crosses the highway marking the location of a fatal accident, or the blinding glare of the headlights.

the only remedy we can see is to bring home to the driver the menace to himself and to property caused by the glare of the headlights.

fatal accidents and a number of serious injuries have been mentioned in our immediate past recently. Just what the Chamber of Commerce can do to remedy this evil is a problem, but we can call the motorist to this serious danger, and for some relief.

meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce and members of the various committees will be held at a noon session at the Concler hotel on August 23.

business awaits at this meeting and we hope a number will be present.

BASEBALL

THURSDAY'S STANDINGS

Texas League			
Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Wichita Falls	32	20	.615
Houston	32	23	.582
Shreveport	28	24	.538
Fort Worth	25	26	.527
Dallas	29	27	.516
Waco	27	27	.500
Beaumont	25	27	.481
San Antonio	13	42	.236

American League			
Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	33	35	.703
New York	33	45	.605
Cleveland	31	55	.526
St. Louis	31	57	.517
Detroit	26	62	.475
Washington	26	64	.429
Chicago	26	72	.390
Boston	20	76	.345

National League			
Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	36	36	.579
Pittsburgh	36	47	.538
New York	33	51	.538
St. Louis	31	58	.496
Brooklyn	27	63	.452
Cincinnati	26	66	.431
Philadelphia	24	66	.421
Boston	16	69	.400

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

Texas League.
Fort Worth 9, Beaumont 6.
Houston 4, Wichita Falls 3.
Shreveport 3, San Antonio 2.
Dallas 14, Waco 10.

American League.
Chicago 4, New York 3.
Cleveland 3, Washington 1.
Detroit 13, Boston 2.
St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 5.

National League.
Boston 7-7, Cincinnati 1-8.
Brooklyn 1, St. Louis 9.
Chicago 9, New York 2.
Philadelphia 10, Pittsburgh 8.

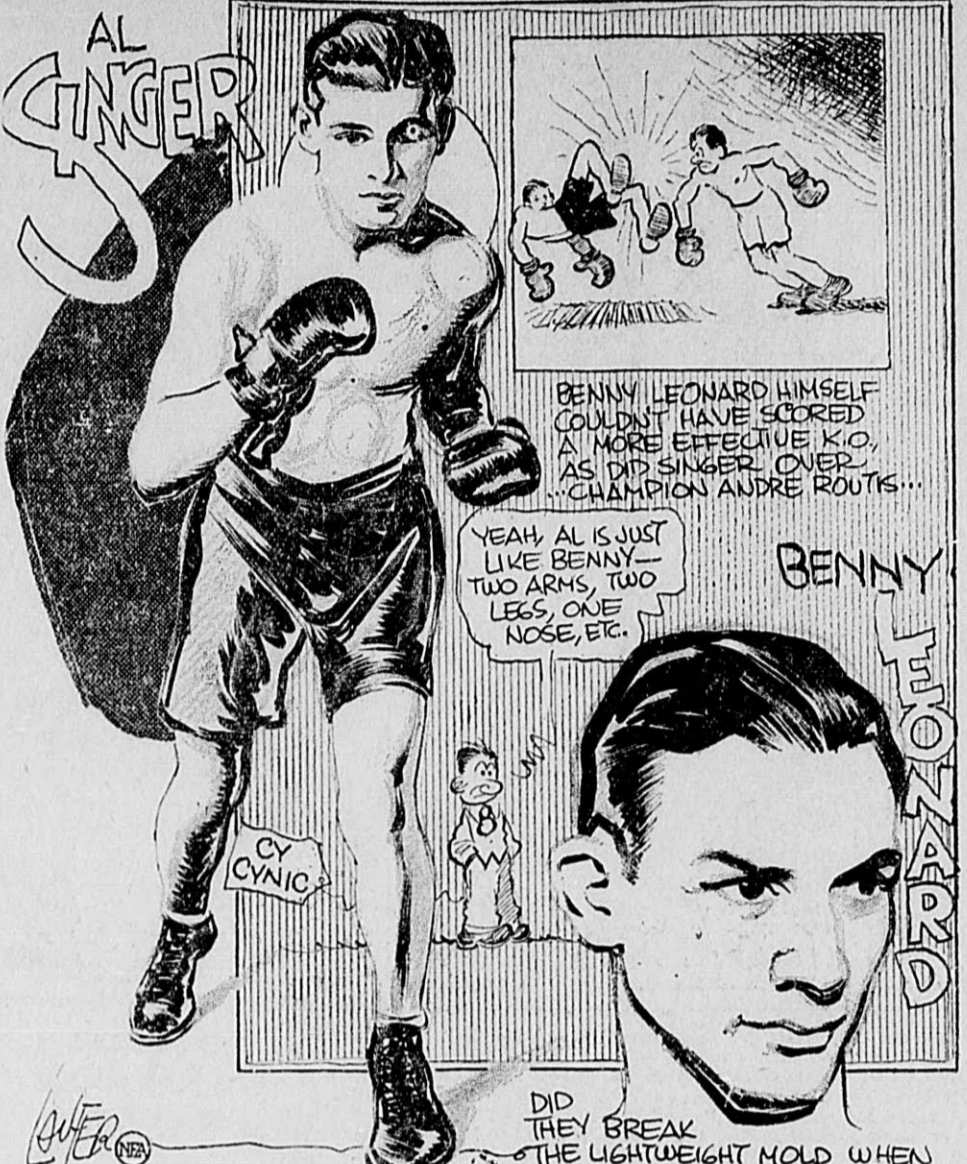
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

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

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

American League.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at Cleveland.
Washington at Detroit.

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer



WHENEVER a young Jewish boy comes out of the New York Ghetto to enter the ranks of professional prize fighters, he is immediately tagged a second Benny Leonard.

Which is usually enough of a handicap to squelch the most hearty youngster, for living up to the deeds of the great Benny isn't being done these days.

When young Al Singer emerged from the amateur ranks a few years ago he was no exception. Fight writers noticed the boy's aggressiveness and ring speed and mentioned him as a coming star. Also they said he was a second Benny Leonard.

But after a nice string of victories, Young Singer ran into Ignacio Fernandez's knockout punch. While Singer lay on the canvas being counted out the fans gently trickled out of the arena saying, "There goes another second Benny Leonard."

Many a kid would have folded up after suffering such an inglorious defeat as did Singer at the hands of the Filipino featherweight. But here is where Al proved he is nearer being a second Benny Leonard than was any Jewish boxer from New York's East Side since the great Benny himself.

To show he wasn't the least bit nettled by being stopped by the little brown "Ignatz," he stepped out and won his next three fights, culminating his comeback with a two-round knockout over Featherweight Champion Andre Routis. Routis' title was not at stake in the fight as Singer was forced to come in above the 128-pound limit.

Now Singer's followers are once more out of the doldrums and the talk of a second Benny Leonard is again going the rounds. Singer has shown the world that he doesn't know the word quit. He thinks that the knockout by Fernandez was the best thing that could have happened to him. It taught him caution and never to underestimate any guy that climbs through the hemp with him.

all but dropped out of the pennant race.

Team	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Cubs	76	36	.679	
Pirates	66	47	.588	10.5

In the other American League games the Chicago White Sox beat the New York Yankees, 4 to 3; the Cleveland Indians beat Washington, 3 to 1; and the Detroit Tigers beat the Boston Red Sox, 13 to 2.

In the other National League games the Phillies beat the Pittsburgh Pirates, 10 to 8; the Brooklyn Robins beat the St. Louis Cardinals, 1 to 0; and the Boston Braves and Cincinnati Reds divided a double-header, the Braves winning the first game 7 to 1 and the Reds the nightcap, 8 to 7.

There were four notable pitching performances. Ed Wells, Yankee southpaw, lost a 5-hit game to the White Sox. Wesley Ferrell, Cleveland rookie, pitched a 4-hit game against the Senators. George Uhle, veteran Detroit pitcher, returned to form by holding the Red Sox to five hits. Clise Dudley, Brooklyn rookie, turned in a 6-hit game against the Cardinals.

Up in the Air in Texas

A keen rivalry that has grown up between Texas cities in their effort to outdo each other in aviation development is attracting much attention both in and out of the state.

For example, the four cities on the Braniff system, south of Wichita Falls—Graham, Breckenridge, Abilene, and San Angelo have evidenced an intense interest in determining which can outdo the others in producing the largest volume of air traffic. Their activities include sales contests with airplane rides as prizes; drives for air passengers with municipal organizations and departments arrayed against each other in battle front; special appeals to vacationers to travel by air; surveys of aviation possibilities; and construction of airports and air terminal facilities.

It is understood that the airport at San Angelo is under consideration as a possible auxiliary military port.

Abilene is feverishly active in preparing its airport to properly accommodate both the Braniff and the Texas Air Transport lines which meet there.

A continuous line of airports from Wichita Falls to the Rio Grande, with connections to both the east and the west is to be the result of the development along that route, which is to embody an estimated expenditure within the next year of approximately \$5,000,000.

Nor are the cities along the Wichita Falls-San Angelo route the only Texas points of air progress, for the advancement of general aviation throughout the state. At Amarillo announcement has been made that an administration building which will house Western Air Express offices will be constructed soon at the Municipal Airport. There will be a waiting room, a radio room, and space for the weather station of the air line. The new building probably will be located just across the roadway from the T. A. T. administration building. The two are now both housed in the T. A. T. building but have

found themselves too crowded for efficiency.

And, speaking of Amarillo, invitations are being broadcast to individuals and organizations throughout the Middle West, Southwest and West to attend the dedication of Amarillo's Municipal Airport which is to be featured by a big air derby. More than 200 visiting planes are expected to be in Amarillo for the ceremonies.

Six or seven West Texas towns have given assurance that they will enter ships in the second annual aerodrome into South Texas which is to be made from Fort Worth Aug. 30 to Sept. 2.

Hub Diggs of Fort Worth, general chairman of the trip has announced that a charge of \$100 will be made for each person making the trip in a chartered cabin plane. The distance to be covered is 1,500 miles, thus making the cost of the tour less than 7 cents per mile. Operators of private planes will set their own prices.

In order to insure listeners of clarity, strength and elimination of "fading" in reception of Station KTAT, owned and operated by Texas Air Transport Broadcast Company, 14 miles of bare, hard drawn copper wire, in sizes ranging from quarter inch to an inch in diameter have been buried fourteen inches underground in a plot 400 feet square at the station's transmission plant near Birdville, Texas.

The work was completed before erection of two 200-foot galvanized steel radio towers and con-

PENA WATCHES THE BULLDOGS

RANGER, Texas, Aug. 22.—Dave Pena looked the Ranger Bulldogs over Tuesday afternoon, at the squad's second practice session. The ex-University of Texas football captain and former coach at John Tarleton, Austin college and Eastland High, seemed impressed by the spirit, speed and rather uniform size of the candidates.

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Monkey Business?

There is no question that a story of the Philadelphia Athletics in the American League race this year would be with the customers. And general impression might be that it would be a popular story with the other clubs in league who had been constant losers.

of the Yankee players complained that they were all the bearing down in the game. They didn't try to get on them. But they did let the opposing clubs saved their pitchers to knock them out. That some of the opposing clubs had their best pitchers when time came to win the A's.

Angle Enters

It has been learned from conversations with the ball players will not send them into the field if they win the pennant.

is a financial reason. The first finish second and third place as much of a split of the series money if it is Philadelphia. If the Yankees were to play in the series in the Yankee might be a new price for the players who have always been popular with the players on the other clubs. They are a great ball club and a great bunch of fellows. No one got mad when they were winning those pennants.

Some Are Swell Fellows

I DON'T mean to be running down the A's, because it's not sour grapes with me. Cy Perkins, Bing Miller and Jimmy Dykes are well liked all around the circuit. They're kidders. Jimmy Fox is just a bashful kid and Mike Cochran is the most serious man in baseball.

Grove and Walberg and Elmke think too much of themselves and they get plenty of the berries. And there are several other players on the club who don't get much consideration when there is a chance to give them a break.

Stimmons wasn't popular last year but he has become sort of a real fellow this year and we like him.

Of course, when it comes to Connie Mack there is no question about his place in the affection of all the players. He's a grand fellow, a gentleman, a sportsman and a great baseball man.

TEXAS LEAGUE

In a batting affray that is rarely equalled the Dallas Steers yesterday took the first game of their series with the Waco Cubs by a score of 14 to 10. Eight home runs were included in the twenty-nine hits made by the two teams. Stuyven, Cub infielder, hit three of the homers in three consecutive times at bat the last time with bases full.

The Houston Buffs forged their way to within a game and a half of the first place position held by their opponents in yesterday's game, Wichita Falls, whom they beat 4 to 3. Two members of the Spudder team, Stapleton and Bennett, suffered injuries during the

When the Fort Worth Cats started a hitting streak in the sixth they drove Hanson, Beaumont hurler, from the mound then continuing their advance against Jimmie Walkup and won the game 9 to 6.

The San Antonio Indians gave indication that they were going to win another ball game yesterday when they led their opponent, Shreveport, 2 to 1 in the ninth but a well timed single that drove in two runs robbed them of their victory and the Sports won 3 to 2.

Watching the Scoreboard. Yesterday's hero: Earl McNeely, St. Louis Browns' outfielder who hit a double and home run (his first of the year) and helped the

Browns beat the Philadelphia Athletics for the second straight game, 7 to 5. McNeely's hits drove in three runs.

It was the fourth defeat in the last five games for the Athletics, but did not cost them any ground in the pennant race as the Yankees also lost.

The standing now is: Athletics . . . 83 35 .703
Yankees . . . 69 45 .605 12
(G. B.—Games behind.)

With Hornsby, Wilson, Cuyler and Stephenson banging out timely hits, the Chicago Cubs beat the New York Giants 9 to 2 and increased their National League lead to 10 1-2 games. Cuyler and Stephenson hit homers.

The Pirates dropped their fourth straight game to the Phillies and

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Buckaroos Will Work Out Sept. 1

RANGER, Texas, Aug. 22.—Breckenridge Buckaroos will not begin practice until Sept. 1 according to information from that city. Coach Shotwell is attending the Rockne-Warner coaching school in Dallas.

The Buckaroos are not confronted by the necessity of getting in shape as early as the Bulldogs for the Breck boys play their first conference game on Sept. 28 against Big Spring, exactly two weeks after Ranger plays the same team.

CHARTERS

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 22.—Chartered: Dixon Petroleum Corp. Amari; capital stock, \$30,000; incorporators, Geo. H. Crandall, J. C. Dixon and John W. McGee.

Ranger Air Transport Co., Ranger; capital stock, \$3,000; incorporators, J. B. Herrington, C. V. Griffin and C. J. Moore.

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13-FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

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14-REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Several choice tracts of citrus fruit land in Rio Grande Valley, some with bearing orchards to trade for Eastland, Ciseo or Ranger town property. If you have something of real value to trade see Mr. J. F. McWilliams, real estate, insurance, rentals leases, Phone 381.

15-HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—4-room house, cafe fixtures, 2 1/2 miles from Ranger on Eastland highway, known as Mrs. Sam's place.

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THIS HAS HAPPENED
MOLLY BURNHAM, successful playwright, turns her attention to tragic love. JACK WELLS, a sweetheart of college days, has declined flatly to marry her, saying that he could not possibly be Mister Molly Burnham. Other men are willing enough to make love but Molly is weary of their pretensions. She wants only Jack.

In a despondent frame of mind she compiles the tragic love stories of history, and works also on an anthology of mournful love verses.

RED FLYNN comes to call, and interrupts her work with startling news. Jack Wells is being sent abroad to study architecture by an old widow, who has matrimonial designs upon him. Molly cries when she hears the news, and Red tries to comfort her. He has her in his arms, when Bob Newton enters the room unannounced. Bob is the father of the child Molly is bringing up, and has his own key to the apartment.

He is intoxicated, and makes insulting remarks. Red threatens to throw him out, and Bob reaches unsteadily for a heavy lamp, defying Red to touch him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER XXXVII
"Look out, Red!" Molly flung herself on Bob. "You coward you! You... You..."

Furiously she struck him on the chest with her clenched fists. "You get out of my house this minute, you big coward!"

Bob staggered backward as she pushed him toward the door. He dropped his stick and his hat, and tried clumsily to recover them. But Molly had stooped, as he blundered about, and threw them contemptuously ahead of him, into the hall.

"Take your old stuff, and get out of my house. And don't you ever come back here, as long as you live!"

Bob began to blubber. "I want my baby," he sobbed. "I want my baby."

"Stop your nonsense!" retorted Molly sharply. "Or I'll call a policeman."

She slammed the door on him angrily.

"You should have let me take just one swing at him, dear," rumbled Red.

"Oh, I don't know," she protested. "Don't you think I did pretty well myself? Look!"

She pointed a shaking finger. "See that lamp, Red. He tried to throw it at you. My goodness, he'd have killed you. It weighs a ton."

"Well, well, little life saver."

He patted her shoulder affectionately. "We'll put you on the lists for a Carnegie medal, Sweetness... Say, what do you think? Had I better go throw the boy friend in a taxi?"

"Oh, leave him alone," she commanded.

"Why sure," he promised. "They sent over from the office for a story. If they got anything, I'll get in touch with you."

After Red had gone, Molly buried her pride resolutely, and began a letter to Jack. He wouldn't marry her. But that he did not mean he didn't love her. The more she thought about it, the surer she became that it was a terrible misunderstanding. He said he couldn't be Mister Molly Burnham. Didn't that simply prove it was all a matter of his idiotic pride?

There was a woman in Snodgrass whose husband was a contractor. One year he was laid up with rheumatism, and she took over his work. People liked her, and were glad to do business with her. In six months she made more money than her husband cleared in a year. Her husband got well, and took things over again. Immediately business began to fall off. The wife was an energetic person, and anxious to carry on. But her husband retorted that he was going to wear the pants in his house, and that settled it. . . . Well, Jack was exactly like that stupid old contractor. Men were all alike. Foolish masculine vanity!

Molly smiled to herself. Her darling wanted to wear the pants. That was what it really amounted to. Of course he wouldn't talk like that. Jack was never crude. But that was it, just the same. Sex pride.

"You're so proud, Sweetheart," she whispered. "Now I shall be humble, to prove how deeply I love you."

Molly had a little pink typewriter, in a little pink box. A tiny, noiseless thing, that matched the colors in her bedroom. When she worked at night, she used it, because the smallest noise sometimes woke Rita. She slipped on a negligee of rosy chiffon, and lighted the pink-shaded lamps, smiling as she completed the picture. Molly loved doing things like a girl in a book. Now the room was softly pink. Everything harmonized with her mood.

She would write Jack a letter that should breathe of her love and devotion. A gay, friendly letter that would bring him happiness, and dispense his silly fears. Sweet and womanly, to prove that she was not the kind of a girl who wanted to wear pants! To show that he need never be afraid of being Mister Molly Burnham!

She laughed aloud, like a little girl planning delicious mischief. She would win her darling, with all the wiles she knew, burying his foolish pride, for what had pride to do with love?

She slipped a sheet of paper in her typewriter, and began, swiftly, to type. The words, in her mad haste, fell over one another. . . . in the old days," she wrote, "I was full of pride in myself. But now you are all that I care about in the world. . . . She paused a moment, thinking of Rita. But no! Jack counted more than Rita. Bob might take Rita away. Then what would she do? She must have someone then to turn to. Someone to fill the dreadful loneliness.

"You are necessary to me," she went on, and still the words came tumbling, flying off the keys like magic. . . . I need you for my life. "Once, my darling, you held me in your arms as though you could never let me go. You were sweet to me, and tender. You were afraid I was cold. Afraid I was tired. Afraid I worked too hard. Afraid I would stop loving you. Afraid I was worried about something. You were always afraid, darling. . . . I need you for my life. "Once, my darling, you held me in your arms as though you could never let me go. You were sweet to me, and tender. You were afraid I was cold. Afraid I was tired. Afraid I worked too hard. Afraid I would stop loving you. Afraid I was worried about something. You were always afraid, darling. . . . I need you for my life. "Once, my darling, you held me in your arms as though you could never let me go. You were sweet to me, and tender. You were afraid I was cold. Afraid I was tired. Afraid I worked too hard. 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FLATWOODS COMMUNITY FAIR THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

Royal Pair May be Wed by Pope



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County News

Carbon

CARBON, Aug. 20.—The Methodist meeting closed Sunday night with a number of additions to the church, and a series of good sermons by Rev. Huddleston of Weatherford.

Rev. F. A. Hollis filled his regular hour at Okra Sunday morning and night.

Mrs. C. V. Ables and daughter, Alta Mae and John Tucker, and wife returned from Kirkland Friday night where they had been to see Mrs. Ables' father, who is sick but reported better.

J. M. Hampton and wife with their son, B. D. of Eastland, left Friday for their old home in Kaufman county to visit friends and relatives. Mr. Hampton said he had not been back since he buried his father and mother there several years ago.

W. W. Gilbert and wife are in Ft. Worth on business this week.

Miss Oleta Martin was visiting in Rising Star Sunday.

Misses Ruth Littleton and Ruby Fowler have returned from a trip to Port Arthur and report a wonderful vacation.

H. J. Marpes and wife and Rob Rollins and family of Gustine were Sunday guests of relatives.

H. Haze and son, Abe, are in Comanche repairing some residence property they have there.

H. H. Harrison wife and daughter, Miss Hazel, were Gorman visitors Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Hines attended church at Pleasant Hill Sunday to hear Rev. P. D. O'Brien.

Jules Underwood and wife of Conway Underwood and wife.

Rev. Eakin of Ranger was last week guest of Rev. F. A. Hollis and family.

Mrs. Frank Vernon and children Miss Avis Davis of Dallas and Mrs. William Reagan of Cisco were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall, Miss MacDee Hall accompanying the party to Cisco for a few days' visit returning Monday.

Lafay Collins and family of Mobeetie are visiting his mother, Mrs. J. Collins.

Ira Bates of Ft. Worth was visiting his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Overton Stone, Sunday.

Mrs. Nettie Broughton and

classes will be used for all breeds of swine. You are invited to exhibit your good hogs there.

It is recommended that as you look over this classification that you make a list in space provided on cover sheet of those articles which you should be able to show and begin to select the exhibits now.

Rules.

Exhibits should be in place by 10:30 a. m. on the day of the show and should remain in place until 5 p. m. unless otherwise agreed.

Materials exhibited at one community fair are not eligible for awards at any other community fair. All crops except pecans are to be 1929 products. Canning or sewing produced within the past 12 months only are eligible for competition. Committees are responsible for the enforcement of this clause. Where additional classes for old articles or those exhibited heretofore but should not be allowed to compete with new articles.

All exhibits must be entered in the name of the bona fide owner. No entry fee will be charged. First, second and third places will be indicated by ribbons or tags. Judging will be done as far as possible by representatives of the A. & M. college.

Committees will see that every article entered is properly tagged with the name or number of its owner and that it is listed in its proper class. Each committee shall designate one of its number to act as clerk to keep this list and make notation of winners as judging is done.

Grandview

Health is good in this community at this writing. Most all crops are drying up and dying. Everyone is wishing for a good rain.

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James Wedekind and Bill O'Neil of Mineral Wells spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Arch Spruill.

Miss Florene McClelen spent Monday night with Misses Lucile and Madeline Hatten.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hickerson spent Sunday in Cisco as the guests of relatives.

Earl Lewis of Oklahoma City is visiting relatives here this week.

Some of the young people here attended the party at Mr. and Mrs. Higgenbotham's home Saturday night in the Corinth community.

Staff

STAFF, Aug. 20.—Health of this community is good at present.

W. T. Duncan made a business trip to Eastland last Wednesday.

M. O. Hazard and family were Ranger and Eastland visitors on last Wednesday.

Mark Williamson of Shallowater was visiting relatives in the community last week.

Mrs. Noble Hagar and children have returned home from a visit with relatives at Post City.

Wes Marchbanks of Ranger was a business visitor in the community last Friday.

Uncle Ed Duncan of Weatherford died last Thursday and his remains were laid to rest in the Merriman cemetery on last Friday afternoon.

Goat Butts Into The Cabinet

Rev. C. H. Ray of Weatherford conducted the funeral services, assisted by Rev. Charlie Williams.

Lanham Butler and family of Phoenix, Ariz., were visiting relatives in the community last week.

Spencer Hazard had business in Ranger last Wednesday morning.

M. O. Hazard and family are visiting in Plainview in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Roper this week. Mrs. Roper is a sister of Mrs. Hazard.

Union school opens on first Monday in September.

New Hope. NEW HOPE, Aug. 21.—The Baptist revival closed Sunday with the baptizing in the afternoon. There were thirteen candidates for baptism.

Mrs. Sid Mason of Midway community took dinner with Mrs. W. J. Asher Sunday.

Miss Gladys Wood has gone to Winters for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Odie Bennett.

Hill Jones and family of West Texas have been visiting her father, Jo Hallmark.

Mrs. Hamilton of De Leon has been visiting her sister Mrs. Craig Smith.

Miss Thelma Smith, who has been attending summer school at Weatherford, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Darnel of Oklahoma is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Stovall.

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Fewer Marriage Licenses Now

DALLAS, Aug. 21.—Is Texas' new marriage law, requiring a three-day notice of intention before a marriage license can be obtained, in addition to a health certificate for the groom-to-be actually reducing the number of marriages in this state? That is the question that is puzzling W. B. Fitzpatrick, the "Cupid" of the district clerk's office here.

A check-up of the figures in his possession would certainly indicate that, since the new law came into effect, marriage has suffered a substantial loss of popularity.

For example—in 1928, from June 14 to 30, there were 275 licenses issued. During the same period this year there were 91.

In 1928, from July 1 to 31, 360 couples obtained marriage licenses. For the corresponding period this year 177 couples called for them.

From Aug. 1 to Aug. 14 last year the number was 158. This year it was 99.

What is more, a large number of persons have filed their intention of obtaining a license, then at the end of the three-day period have failed to appear for it. How is this to be explained? Did they change their minds or did they go to another state to have the ceremony performed? These are questions that Fitzpatrick would like to have explained.

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FRIDAY

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Mrs. Joe Stephen entertains with swim party and picnic at Bass lake 8 a. m., honoring Mrs. R. P. Sullenger of Waco.

MRS. B. B. BICKERSTAFF, NOTED SOPRANO-MUSICIAN, RECOVERING FROM ILLNESS. In a recent communication of Aug. 18 from Chatham-McNew

ranch at Montoya, N. M., Mrs. Bickerstaff states that she has been at death's door and is still too weak to write at length. Mrs. Bickerstaff is at her father's ranch where everything is cool and restful and her strength can be breathed in from the wonderful mountains.

She is still confined to her bed part of the time but hopes to be able to join Mr. Bickerstaff in Midland or Amarillo in another month. The sick woman feels her friends may think she has completely deserted them but believes they will forgive her unintentional neglect when they know her condition. She speaks of missing her Eastland friends and seems to be cheerful though she states "I may never get well again, so the doctors tell me." She sends her love and good wishes to her friends.

There possibly has never been anyone who has given Eastland so much sweetness and pleasure through her personality and beautiful voice as Vera McNew Bickerstaff.

Her work in the Music club of Eastland was far beyond measure and it is with indeed sincere regret that the recipient of this misadventure adjusts the thought of Mrs. Bickerstaff's invalidism of her knowledge of her art and beauty.

Members of the Music club of Eastland were notified by phone yesterday of this letter and those in town will send a shower of postal cards today to Mrs. Bickerstaff—other friends are asked to express their distant help in her fight for health through the measure of cards or letters.

Breckenridge Man Feels Like A New Person

Wife Says Nothing He Took Did Him Any Good Until He Began Taking Orgatone—Says Change In His Condition Is Remarkable.

"My husband's health has improved so much since he began taking this Orgatone, that he feels like he has been almost made over into a new man," said Mrs. A. H. Williams, who lives at the Brooks & Hamolin colony, where her husband has been employed at the gas plant for the past three years. "I wish," continued Mrs. Williams, "that every sufferer from stomach trouble could just experience the wonderful relief my husband has in the past few weeks. He has been benefited beyond my belief, and I think it is time to talk for the benefit of others."

"About six months ago he began suffering from sour stomach, indigestion and I reckon he had the meanest case a man ever had. At times his kidneys would bother him and he would suffer with sharp shooting pains through the small of his back. He was in bad health otherwise too. His appetite was very poor, he couldn't get any satisfactory sleep or rest and he felt very much inclined to give up from lack of strength and energy, nothing gave him any relief until he began using Orgatone."

"He is now on his second bottle of Orgatone, and is feeling like a different man, day and night. The pains have all about stopped and his relief has been a source of joy and comfort to him. He feels better in every way, and he sleeps every night like a healthy child. His appetite is better, he rests well and has gained several pounds in weight. He tried everything he could hear of for stomach and kidneys and kept getting worse. At last he bought Orgatone, and the change it has already made in his condition is remarkable. It has done great things for him and I feel it my duty to let the public know about it."

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POPULAR GIRL ENTERTAINED

Miss Brazil Hillier of Brownwood arrived Wednesday for a week's visit to be spent between Miss Adriane Parvin and Miss Elizabeth Harris. The trio was entertained by Miss Lucile Brogdon Tuesday night in Ranger attending the picture show and afterwards having refreshments at Gholsen Coffee shop.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Harris entertained for Miss Hillier on Wednesday night Miss Lucile Brogdon, Miss Adriane Parvin, and Miss Harris with a jolly swim at Lake Trianon, Olden, followed by a dinner at the home of the hostess in Eastland.

PRETTY SHOWER HONORS CIRCLE MEMBER

Circle No. 4 of the Women's Missionary society of the Baptist church through the chairmanship of Mrs. A. J. Campbell arranged a very lovely gift shower for Mrs. Ghent Sanderford, in honor of her splendid assistance in circle work and her strenuous and successful efforts in helping to move along the projects through which the new furnishings were bought for the class rooms of the new Baptist church. The guests assembled at the home of Mrs. Sanderford at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, where they were received by Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. T. J. Pitts as

Grubbing the Stump



REBEKAH LODGE MEETS

The Rebekahs held an interesting meeting last night conducted by Mrs. Lola Haynes in the absence of Miss Aya Mathews, the noble grand. The session was devoted to practicing drill for the association meeting for which the local chapter is working very hard. Eastland has won the banner three times and surely wants to claim it a fourth. Those present were: Mrs. B. S. Lancaster, Mrs. Mattie Butler, Mrs. Lola Haynes, Mrs. Mabel McJow, Miss Dorothy Watson, Miss Mary Jane Cherry, Miss Stella Lou Butler, Miss Imogene Hatten, Miss Onal Hunt, Mr. Tom Daniels and Mr. and Mrs. Treadwell.

'PETE' RICKER AND BRIDE ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ricker, as-

isted by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tuepke, entertained with a six o'clock dinner Wednesday evening honoring Pete Ricker and bride.

Each guest presented the bride with a token of remembrance.

The dining room was decorated in pink and white with a beautiful pink and white wedding cake. After dinner, games and music was enjoyed.

Mrs. B. A. Reynolds, sister of the groom, and daughter, Mary Ruth, were guests from Ranger. Congratulations were given by the many friends of the bride and groom.

Some Musician!



NEA Memphis Bureau Clarence Cox, Jr., of Memphis, Tenn., is only 16 months old, but he's an accomplished young man. Not only can Clarence whistle, but he can play a French harp, too, and he's shown here doing it.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. John Alsdorf, Miss Lois Alsdorf and the men of the party who visited Mrs. Outward the past two weeks, left for their homes Wednesday.

Mrs. Bob Scott and Mrs. W. E. Coleman spent the week-end visiting their daughters, Miss Ila Mae Coleman and Miss Dorothy Scott, who are summer students of Draughton's college in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Rayfield and family are spending a portion of his vacation visiting Eastland relatives. Mr. Rayfield is assistant superintendent of the Lone Star gasoline absorption plant at Gainesville and has been busy telling the boys at the local plants "how it's done."

Mrs. Sue G. Spencer left today for week-end visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. E. Humble of Dublin.

RICH MAN SUICIDES

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 21.—Colonel Walter T. Bradley, coal magnate and clubman, plunged to his death shortly after midnight today when he jumped or fell from his 13th floor apartment in the fashionable Warwick Hotel, 17th and

Sport Frock



There's summery chic in this light blue crepe de chine sports frock, with a tie of the same material. The jacket is white, belted, and pink roses are worn upon the shoulder. The outfit is from Worth.

000,000 during the past year. The All Year Club of Southern California, with headquarters at Los Angeles, was the heaviest investor in such advertising, expending \$219,000.

Other cities and regional organizations spending more than \$25,000 to present their advantages to prospective residents visitors and to capitalists, were: Miami, Fla.; Californians, Inc., of San Francisco; the State of Oklahoma; Hot Springs, Ark.; Vancouver, Can.; St. Petersburg, Fla.; Atlanta; New Orleans, Detroit, St. Louis, Ashbury Park, N. J.; Atlantic City, Pinhurst, N. C.; Galveston, Texas; Norfolk-Portsmouth, Va.; Seattle, Wash.

Hunting Licenses Show Gain 1927-28

During the season 1927-28 more than 6,450,000 hunting licenses for the taking of wild game were issued to sportsmen throughout the United States, including Alaska, and the revenue to the states amounted to more than \$9,300,000. New York state, with 675,729 licenses and \$699,873 in money returns, and Pennsylvania, with 517,729 licenses and a revenue of \$1,006,159, headed the list. Detailed figures for the season compiled by the Bureau of Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture show substantial increases in numbers of licenses issued and fees received over the preceding three years. In the 1924-25 season, 4,904,740 hunters paid for their licenses a total of \$6,190,863, while in 1925-26 hunting licenses to the number of 5,168,353 were issued, bringing a revenue of \$6,872,812 to the states. Licenses issued in 1926-27 numbered 5,987,505, and the fees paid were \$8,155,555. The fig-

ures for the season 1927-28 for Texas were: 104,703, resident; 488, non-resident or alien; and \$221,606.00, money returns.

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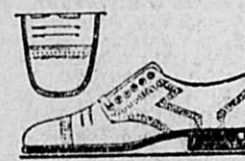
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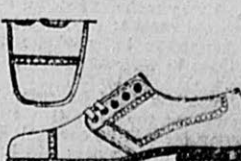
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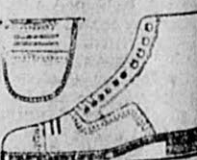
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