

## MAD MAN BLAMED FOR THREE MURDERS

### Ranger's Victory Over Cisco Is Sustained

#### Condition of Ranger Crash Victim Is Improved

##### HENDERSON SAYS GAME TO STAND

Rules That All Games Played by Ranger Shall Not Be Reversed, Cisco-Ranger Game Not To Be Played.

The Cisco Lobos trifled with the Gods of chance, and their meagre victory has a dull, sluggish sound to it.

In spite of a ruling by the district committee in an executive session held at Abilene last night, in which it was stated that the Cisco-Ranger game must be played over, the game will not be played.

Roy M. Henderson, Austin, head of the Interscholastic League, this morning handed down a decision, which stated that all games in which Lee Hammett, indelible Ranger quarterback, played after the committee ruled him eligible, are to stand as played.

This means that efforts on the part of the Cisco aggregation to get a return game with Ranger, which would be playing without the services of Hammett, are void.

Henderson ruled that Esker Curtis, Ranger coach, played Hammett against Cisco because the committee had ruled he was eligible for participation.

He went further to say that at that could be done was to keep Hammett out of games the rest of the year. He emphatically stated that any games played by the Bulldogs prior to the meeting at Abilene last night, were to stand as the score indicated.

As it stands now, the Lobos are still in the hole, with a defeat at the hands of the Ranger Bulldogs, hanging over their heads.

Hammett was voted ineligible by a ballot of 3 to 2. It could not be found out which representatives voted for the quarterback. Cisco and Ranger were not allowed to vote in the contest, inasmuch as each team was interested in the verdict.

Perry Barber of Abilene, Truman Bohanon of Ranger and Hoyt Stalton of Cisco, were not voted on by the committee members. According to officials, enough evidence was produced on these three players to make it possible for a decision to be reached without a vote.

The case of Rupert Black of Abilene was voted on in his favor, Henderson's decision ends a quibble that has effeted the whole oil-belt district.

The present status of the teams is the same as it was before, Ranger's games stand.

PARIS, France, Nov. 20.—A tremendous explosion occurred today in the French army cartridge plant adjoining the suburbs of Paris.

First reports said that twelve workers were killed and scores injured.

##### COW STRAYS, MEDIUM SQUEALS, COW FOUND

This is a story of a cow, a spiritualist, and a cow. Several months ago a cow belonging to an Eastland woman, vanished.

It left no traces that would tend to reveal its whereabouts. From all indications, it had gone into oblivion, had passed away from this land of manna, hoofs, horns and all.

Things rocked on at the household. The cow failed to return in the horn food was awaiting the arrival of the prodigal heroine. But the stolid, dull animal seemingly had no desire to arrive. Cows are like that.

Her patience exhausted, the woman took measures to bring the cow back. But where was the cow? Upon the answer to that question hinged the possibility of once more having the creature bawling in the back yard she was supposed to bawl in. Who would know where the cow was?

A medium? Yes. A medium knows everything, even the whereabouts of strayed cows.

The woman went into conference with the follower of spiritualism. The medium gazing out into the unknown, described the cow, described the cow, described its whereabouts, and described the person who was drawing the lucidus milk.

The woman followed the tip. She found the cow. It had strayed with its calf, and had not been called for.

Last night the creature munched bran as usual. It bawled vociferous bawls that floated upon the frost laden breeze like a siren's cry pierces the darkness of a still night.

It had trifled with the spirits and lost.

##### NOVEMBER TERM PETIT JURORS DRAWN

The following named persons were drawn by the jury commission to serve as petit jurors for the 4th week of the November term of Judge Elzo Been's 88th district court and are summoned to appear in said court on Monday, the 26th, of November:

T. H. Hagood, Rising Star; E. L. Haley, Gorman; A. B. Hall, Nimrod; Claud Hammett, Okra; J. J. Hamrick, Gorman; B. D. Hampton, Eastland; J. C. Hanrahan, Cisco; A. C. Hardin, Cisco; L. C. Harlow, Scranton; F. E. Harrell, Cisco; J. T. Harris, Rising Star; H. S. Drumright, Cisco; John H. Harrison, Eastland; George Atkins, Cisco; A. J. Hazel, Cisco; D. C. Hazlewood, Rising Star; H. E. Heath, Pioneer; J. E. Heeter, Desdemona; A. J. Ratliff, Ranger; H. C. Henderson, Cisco; L. E. Henry, Rising Star; J. M. Hearn, Carbon; R. M. Herron, Jr., Cisco; J. V. Heysler, Cisco; B. Hicks, F. O. Hillburn, Cisco; C. F. Hill, Romney; Sam Hitt, Nimrod; E. C. Hogan, Eastland; W. J. Holt, Cisco; Ira Hooker, Cisco; J. T. Hopper, Rising Star; H. R. House, Okra; J. T. Howell, Tiffin; S. A. Hustis, Cisco; J. D. Hurley, Pioneer; A. A. Hyatt, Carbon; L. W. Jensen, Cisco; W. H. Jobe, Scranton; J. C. Jones, Ranger; E. H. Jones, Eastland; R. F. Joyner, Cisco; C. S. Karkalits, Cisco; John H. Keller, Rising Star; Smith Kent, Rising Star; Bob Key, Cisco; Walter Harwell, Ranger; J. W. Knox, Cisco; L. P. Kuykendall, Cisco; W. R. Laird, Carbon.

##### W. D. MORGAN'S BODY IS HELD

The body of W. D. Morgan, Eastland driller who died here Sunday afternoon, is being held by the Barrow Undertaking company pending the arrival of Mr. Morgan's son from St. Petersburg, Pa., who wired to hold the body. He said he was leaving the Pennsylvania town Monday for Eastland. It is understood that it will require about three days to make the trip.

##### BOY HURT WHEN TRAIN HITS CAR

Mother Attempts To Save Sons, Twin Boys In Sedan As Train Crashes Into It.

The condition of H. L. Baskin, Jr., one of the 5-year old twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Baskin, of Ranger, was reported to be slightly improved this morning, and hope for his recovery is held by attending physicians.

The boy was thought to have been critically injured yesterday afternoon when the car in which he, his brother, M. L. and his mother, were riding, was struck by an eastbound Texas and Pacific passenger train, on the "Prairie" crossing, south of Ranger, in the city limits.

According to eye witnesses to the crash, a freight train had just cleared the crossing when Mrs. Baskin started across the tracks. When she reached the middle of the right of way, she saw a passenger train approaching from the west.

She said later that as the freight train cleared the crossing a brakeman waved to the conductor of the passenger train to take the track, but she thought he was waving to the cars.

She became stranded on the tracks and sought to open the rear doors of the car to allow her twin boys to escape. The doors were locked.

She then leaped from the car and attempted to open the doors from the outside but before she could accomplish her purpose the train had crashed into the front of the machine.

H. L. Baskin was rushed to the City County hospital where his condition was pronounced grave last night. Early morning reports, however, said he had a chance to recover.

The other boy was only slightly injured in the crash. Mrs. Baskin received slight bruises.

Baskin is principal of the Cooper school, Ranger, and his wife is a teacher in the school.

##### Bus Driver Killed

BEAUMONT, Nov. 20. (U. P.)—C. D. Young, 29, Houston bus driver, was killed and Fred Giles, 30, was probably fatally injured and several others were hurt in a collision between a bus and a private car 15 miles from here late Monday.

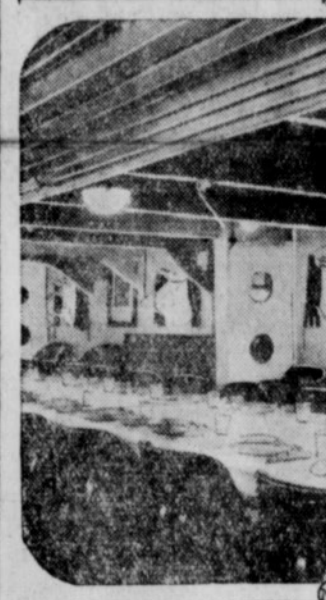
Mrs. M. D. Fairbanks of Beaumont, driver of the auto, suffered minor injuries.

Giles' arm was broken in five places and his skull is fractured.

##### THREE EASTLAND MEN ON GRAND JURY

The following named person compose the grand jury for Judge Geo. L. Davenport's 91st district court, which is summoned to appear at the opening of the December term of that court on Monday December 3rd:

##### Aboard Hoover's Ship



Two interior scenes on the U. S. S. Maryland, superdreadnaught that will carry the Hoovers on their South American voyage, are pictured above. The admiral's cabin, quarters of the president-elect, is shown at the top, and the mess room where the Hoover party will eat, is below.

##### HIS FIRST DEER, HE COULD NOT GIVE IT UP

McALLEN, Nov. 20.—William Weaver, 14, of McAllen, who was reported lost Saturday afternoon when he failed to show up at a hunting camp in the northern part of the county, has been found, according to a report reaching here. The boy was found some distance from where he was last seen and he was dragging in a deer he had killed.

He had been on a hunt with several others and when night came, he was told to follow a path back to camp. When he failed to appear that night, a searching party was formed to look for him. The boy said he had decided to spend the night in a cave after dragging the deer.

"It was my first deer and I could not lose it," the boy was quoted as saying.

##### MOVIE STAR KILLS SELF

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 20.—Dependent on the death of her cousin, is believed to be the motive for the suicide of Miss Elizabeth Dodd, film actress.

The cousin, Fay, was buried yesterday. He died of shock brought on during the filming of a war picture here.

Miss Dodd returned from the funeral and shot herself through the head.

##### AN EDITORIAL

Cisco is sick. Its spirit this morning is like that of a medusa. Last night Cisco was jubilant. This morning Cisco is sick.

And why shouldn't Cisco be suffering from illness? The Cisco staunch fans, the Cisco Lobos last night had a technical but unenviable victory in their hands. This morning the victory had slipped away from the grasp. It had donned a different robe. It looked like a defeat. It was a defeat. The Lobos won a victory in an executive session of the district committee. It was a short lived one. This morning the magical words of a ruler changed the victory into a defeat and the Lobos have retired to the lair. They have been defeated in their purpose. They weighed their chances and are found wanting. And fans throughout the oilbelt are rejoicing.

Roy M. Henderson's ruling made this morning decided what is right. He said that Ranger defeated the highly inflammatory Lobos in a clean game. Why should this game be thrown out? It shouldn't. Ranger won and Cisco lost and that is the way it stands.

Eastland is glad of such a verdict. It acquits Ranger. It means that there was no intention on the part of Ranger to do anything underhand. Eastland joins with other towns in rejoicing at the utter failure of Cisco to rule the district. It rejoices that the Lobos are out of the area.

Eastland has been for Ranger in this controversy, because Eastland thought Ranger was right.

Eastland has been against Cisco because Eastland knew Cisco was wrong.

Such methods as the Cisco "country" took to win a district title in a smoke filled room are to be deplored. This country has received publicity that will require years to live down. Through-out Texas high school circles, fans are talking about the "Oilbelt football squabble." It has hurt Eastland County. Nothing hurts a man more than for it to be known that he is not a sport. Nothing hurts a town more than for it to be known that it cannot accept defeat.

Eastland County used to be known as the home of the "cornerstone horned frog." It is now known as the community in which towns fight over football games after they are lost.

Cisco's "victory" ousted Lee Hammett, the leanest cut, best quarterback of the district.

But Cisco gained nothing. The Little man whom they shoved out of high school football has a great consolation. He beat the Lobos and his victory hangs over them. It is a pebble in the shoe, a speck in the eye, a pain in the abdomen.

Hammett should be laughing up his sleeve. He should join the rest of the district. For is not the whole district laughing up its sleeves at Cisco?

A great "victory!" An ugly "victory!" A "victory" that has a rattle to it.

##### FIRST FROST

The first-killing frost of the season visited Eastland and vicinity Monday night, blanketing the ground with a coat of gray.

##### ONLY 8 DAYS

to pay your City taxes before penalty is added. You may pay all or one-half before December 1, and one-half before June 1. Pay at least one-half NOW and save the penalty and interest.

##### ANOTHER VICTIM IS FATALLY HURT

Gruesome Crimes Baffle Omaha Police. Three Killed Saturday and Sunday.

By United Press. OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 20.—A mad man who is thought to have killed three persons here this week struck again today, fatally injuring G. Harold Stribling, 27, as he lay sleeping at Carter Lake, a summer resort, near here.

Mrs. Stribling was struck on the head with a blunt instrument also but was not seriously injured. She was carried off by her assailant and was held captive in the east Omaha swamps for several hours before she escaped and notified police.

Today's attack convinces police that three murders committed Sunday and Monday were the work of one man and that the same man attacked Mr. and Mrs. Stribling.

The man entered the Stribling home through an unlocked back door, Mrs. Stribling told police. It was about 3 a. m. Stribling awakened and grappled with him but after a brief struggle was knocked unconscious.

The first of the three murders was the death of Charles H. Bliskman, 75, pioneer expressman, who was murdered Sunday.

Late yesterday, the bodies of two young women, Mrs. Gertrude Resso, 21, and her sister, Miss Gretha Brown, 18, were found in the Resso home. Their heads had been crushed.

Waldo Resso, a milkwagon driver, found the bodies of his wife and sister-in-law. His two children, a three-year old boy and a nine-month old infant, were in the house but were not harmed. They were too young to understand what had happened but the three-year old boy said: "Big man hit mama."

Resso left home yesterday at 4 a. m. and returned from his work at 2:30 p. m.

No trace of the murderer has been found. As the method of administering death was similar, police incline to the theory that all three crimes were committed by same person. Neither woman had been assaulted, according to Dr. O'Hearne who performed the autopsies.

##### HOOVER OFF ON GOOD WILL TOUR

By United Press. ABOARD U. S. S. MARYLAND Nov. 20.—The United States ship Maryland, flagship of the United States fleet, met the broad swells of the Pacific today, bearing Herbert Hoover, next president of the United States, on his tour of good will to Latin America.

By United Press. ABOARD U. S. S. MARYLAND Nov. 20.—The Maryland, carrying President-elect Hoover on his good will tour, entered tropical scenes off the coast of lower California (Continued on Page 2)

##### Mavericks To Play Last Game Friday

While other teams in the Oilbelt district have been madly rushing from town to town establishing the eligibility of their players, the Eastland Mavericks have kept cool, and are preparing for a non-district games as the closing act of the 1928 season.

The Mavericks will meet the Stephenville high school team on Maverick Field, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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##### BRIEFINGS

PLUS 45  
The madguards, wheel brakes, black snubbers, when she shakes, new pistons, plugs, too, wide doors to enter through, bright headlights, how they shine! more payments, mine, all mine.

the last two lines of that literary, the author of which is known, and probably will remain the truest of the true.

some time ago someone said that the fifth person in the United States owned an automobile. And some came back with, "what we meant was that every person in the United States had an automobile if he got it paid for."

half of the world is buying things on the installment plan and half is looking for some one else to buy on the same plan.

people get married on the pay-go plan. They get the money one week, and pay the other the next.

marriage is very much like an automobile anyhow. It's not the best, it's the upkeep that counts.

some people have bought on the installment plan for so long, they get lonesome if a week went by and they didn't have some place to put some money.

buying anything is easy. It's the getting it that is hard.

the only thing that can't be increased on the installment is an airplane ride.

one aviator gets close to the line. He doesn't charge any to take passengers up in his plane. But he charges them \$5 to bring them back down.

buy automobiles on the installment plan when they wouldn't think of buying one at home.

the, though, they are like the who said, "A home? Why need a home? I was born in a capital, educated in a college, lived in an automobile and married in a church; I live out of the mattress and paper bags; I get my mornings on the golf course, my afternoons at the table, and my evenings at parties, and when I die, I am to be buried at the undertaker's. All I need is a garage."

##### Wolf Eradication Movement Starts

The movement begun last week for the eradication of wolves has been causing much loss to stockmen by killing sheep and calves, is gaining momentum. Pettibone is asking the Eastland county commissioners' court to assist in being a campaign on the wolf being circulated and many signing them. A delegation of men will present these petitions to the commissioners court next day, it is stated.

##### Spivey Acquitted

Spivey, tried Monday in the district court on a charge of killing a chicken, was acquitted. Spivey was alleged to have killed the chicken of the chicken house of Bedford Marshman, a neighbor living in the same neighborhood, northwest of Cisco.

##### Two Year Old Murder Case Again Delayed

The noted C. A. (Tedy-eye) murder case, which originated in Eastland county two years ago, has again been postponed.

Johnson, a former constable at Cisco, is alleged to have shot and killed John Harris at a rooming house in Pioneer on February 1927.

Johnson was indicted on a charge of murder by the grand jury and tried in the 88th district court in March 1926, but on account of absent witnesses, was postponed until the March term of the Callahan district court.

Johnson's defense has been that Harris was shot accidentally, the shot having been fired while Johnson and other parties were socializing in the room where Harris was staying. Johnson's attorneys, Defense witnesses have testified that other parties than Johnson had a pistol and also that Harris said it was another party that fired the shot that hit him.



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**AUTUMN RHAPSODY.**

A master dyer is autumn.  
 With magical fingers, he paints  
 the leaves and vines in hues  
 richer than any artist can place  
 on canvas.

Across the street from our of-  
 fice is what is known as a tumble  
 weed. During the summer months,  
 its greenness was unnoticed but  
 recently it was stained a dull red

of so poetic a hue that it has  
 brought the brightness of a garden  
 to the drab, unkempt vacant lot  
 on which it stands. Every time  
 our eyes glanced that way, some-  
 thing of the beauty of the trans-  
 formed bush seemed to creep into  
 the commonplace task of the day.

We thought of that some long  
 centuries ago when Moses saw  
 God in the burning bush; and in  
 our little bush, ablaze with the  
 color of fall, we saw anew the  
 manifestation of the Creator's  
 power.

But Sunday night came a frost  
 and gone is the dull rose hue of  
 the bush. It stands brown and  
 withered. Soon it will be lifted  
 from its place and tossed and  
 rolled, like a restless soul, through  
 the world by vagrant winds.

Vanished is the splendor of re-  
 cent days but other beauties have  
 taken its place. Beside the high-  
 way near Lacasa there is a tree  
 that is clad in shining gold—it  
 leaves are all one bright uniform  
 hue of deepest, brightest yellow.

Other trees touched with  
 gold.

What has all of this to do with  
 profits, interest, taxes and other  
 concerns of dollars and cents that  
 should occupy the minds of prac-  
 tical folk? Nothing, perhaps; and  
 yet the man who never looks at  
 the clouds, the waters, the canyons,  
 the immemorial rocks and the  
 bright tints of innumerable  
 leaves before they flutter from the  
 trees in the invigorating, crystal-  
 clear atmosphere of autumn is  
 poor indeed though his vault is  
 burst with the dim yellow of  
 cold, minted gold.

**HOOVER OFF ON GOOD  
 WILL TOUR**

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today.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover settled  
 themselves to a quiet rest in a  
 temporary battlement city with a  
 population of 1,300 and surrounded  
 by every convenience.

The radio and a newspaper pub-  
 lished aboard ship prevented any  
 sense of isolation from land.

The weather was ideal and the  
 Maryland moved over a smooth  
 sea at 15 knots.

Hoover turned his thoughts to  
 deep sea fishing over-night and  
 was eager to try his hand at it.  
 Deep sea fishing is plentiful along  
 the coast of lower California.

The president-elect, who appears  
 to be in the best of health, followed  
 the course of the ship on the cabin  
 chart while he smoked his pipe. He  
 takes keen interest in what he  
 terms a "great adventure", recalling  
 many of his previous world  
 journeys.

**YOUTH GIVEN 18  
 YEARS FOR  
 MURDER**

By United Press.

**CHICAGO, Nov. 20.**—Samuel  
 Kaufman, 13-year old assistant  
 Boy Scout master, and Miss Goldie  
 Shook may be married in a few  
 days but before they live together  
 as man and wife, Kaufman must  
 serve 18 years in prison. He was  
 sentenced yesterday for murder  
 during a holdup. Miss Shook plead-  
 ed for clemency for Kaufman, de-  
 claring she was to blame for the  
 murder. The girl said she nagged  
 at him, telling him he must get  
 money so they could be married.  
 She is to become a mother, she  
 said, and she could not face the  
 disgrace.

Kaufman pleaded guilty to the  
 murder.

The judge said he would marry  
 the couple before Kaufman starts  
 his sentence if both desired.

**OUT OUR WAY**



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY.

**SOCIETY**

MRS. W. K. JACKSON  
 EDITOR

WEDNESDAY

Poetry Class 10 a. m., Commu-  
 nity Clubhouse, Mrs. Scott W. Key,  
 lecturer.

Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p.  
 m., Community Clubhouse.

Wednesday Bridge Club 2:30 p.  
 m., Mrs. Theodore Ferguson, hos-  
 tess.

St. Francis Altar Society Meets at  
 2:30 p. m.

Rebekah Lodge, 7:30 p. m., in I.  
 O. O. F. Hall.

Presbyterian church choir prac-  
 tice 7:30 p. m.

**METHODIST MISSIONARY  
 SOCIETY MEETS:**

The monthly social and program-  
 me meeting of the Women's Mis-  
 sionary Society of the Methodist  
 church was held at the home of  
 Mrs. R. F. Jones, house hostess,  
 with hospitality also extended by  
 co-hostesses Mmes. J. A. Canon, E.  
 N. Grisham, Lola Mitchell, and J.  
 B. Steele.

The program was presided over  
 by Mrs. Thomas J. Haley, the presi-  
 dent. The session opened with  
 ensemble singing, of hymn, "Come  
 Thou Almighty King," followed by  
 the Lord's prayer in unison.

The devotional period, "Jesus on  
 Trial," from the fifth chapter of  
 Mark, was conducted by Mrs.  
 A. F. Taylor, and ended with prayer  
 by Mrs. Tom Johnson.

A beautiful solo was rendered by  
 Mrs. Grady Pipkin, "Oh My Soul  
 Bless Thou Jehovah," with Mrs.  
 Haley as accompanist.

The discussion on program was  
 led by Mrs. Iola Mitchell, subject  
 "The Crisis of the Homes," "Mis-  
 sionary Enterprises" were discus-  
 sed by Mrs. W. H. Mullings.

During the social session the  
 leisure hour was thoroughly en-  
 joyed by the society, there being no  
 set games or contests as featured  
 amusements.

The handsome home of Mrs.  
 Jones was beautifully decorated  
 with bouquets of bronze hued  
 roses.

Seven tables, spread with white  
 embroidered linens and centered  
 with roses, were arranged for four  
 covers each, and the guests were  
 seated during the serving of a de-  
 licious course of brick ice cream,  
 dark cake, and white cake, with  
 souvenirs of pretty yellow paper  
 cups holding nuts and candies.

Coffee with whipped cream was  
 served as a last course.

The hostesses were assisted in  
 the dining room by Mmes. Elmo  
 Hill and Sallie Hill.

On addition were present: Mmes.  
 R. E. Sikes, J. R. Carlisle, Eimer,  
 R. S. Harris, W. H. Mullings, W. B.  
 Collier, T. J. Haley, S. P. Rumph,  
 C. B. Frost, W. H. Bull, J. D. Sesse,  
 Grady Pipkin, J. L. Mickle, A. F.  
 Taylor, E. C. Satterwhite, J. M.  
 Johnson, Mary Hughes, Jane Kin-  
 blie, E. E. Pettit, T. E. Fagg, B. L.  
 Mackall, W. G. Keith, Susan Steele  
 W. F. Leslie, Luther Bean, Frank  
 Castleberry, and Mrs. Fred L. Drago,  
 warmly greeted on this her  
 "ma's" and many bouquets of  
 first visit after her long illness.

The little folks were Anna Tay-  
 lor, Ruth Pipkin, and T. J. Haley Jr.

**PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY  
 IN SESSION**

The Presbyterian Auxiliary was  
 charmingly entertained in the  
 church edifice yesterday afternoon,  
 by co-hostesses Mmes. R. L. Per-  
 kins and F. W. Courts, on the  
 occasion of the monthly social and  
 program session.

Inish, lead by Mrs. J. H. Ashley.  
 Mrs. R. L. Perkins read the year  
 book of prayer, presenting the  
 names of missionaries and their  
 posts.

A stewardship report was sub-  
 mitted by Mrs. Charles D. Hub-  
 bard, who stated a pageant, "Aunt  
 Margaret's Tenth," would be pre-  
 sented in the Presbyterian church  
 next Sunday morning, a Thanksgiv-  
 ing program, which would be  
 enacted by the members of the  
 Auxiliary, and of the congregation.

Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold reported  
 on the Womens Home and Mis-  
 sion Magazine, with the number  
 of subscriptions received.

The National Missions program  
 was led by Mrs. James Horton,  
 with many interesting topics dis-  
 cussed by Mmes. J. W. Thomas, J.  
 Molarkey, M. C. Hayes, Hummel,  
 and McArthur.

An interesting account was re-  
 ported by Mrs. Cross, of the re-  
 cent Synodical Presbyterian State  
 meeting held in New Orleans.

At close of program, the Aux-  
 iliary adjourned to the church par-  
 lous, where they were served a  
 dainty collation of sandwich plate  
 with chicken salad, coffee, and  
 cake.

Chrysanthemums adorned the  
 piano and the president's table for  
 the session, with many colored  
 "mums heaped in a basket of same  
 shade, centering the tea table, laid  
 in a runner of black and gold cloth,  
 and set with silver coffee service,  
 with coffee poured by Mrs. Courts.

The refreshment plates were  
 passed by Mrs. R. L. Perkins. The  
 Auxiliary will meet next Monday  
 at two p. m., in the church for a  
 called session and will conclude the  
 Foreign Mission on Africa. Study  
 under the leadership of Mrs. G.  
 A. Cross.

Homer, H. T. Johnston, J. Molar-  
 key, G. H. Pilling, J. W. Thomas,  
 C. F. Winston, J. Meredith, H. B.  
 Some, Hummel, George A. Cross,  
 and R. L. Perkins.

**MONDAY CHURCH SOCIETY  
 DAY:**

Monday, the usual church society  
 day, swung into its usual routine  
 with yesterday's sessions, with a  
 representative membership at each  
 gathering.

Circle No. 2 of the Womens Mis-  
 sionary Society of the Baptist  
 church presented a well rounded  
 program on "Mexico," arranged by  
 Mmes. Frank Lovett and John  
 Norton, and presided over by the  
 former, following the opening of  
 the Society by Mrs. Clyde L. Gar-  
 rett.

The session opened with the  
 hymn "Praise God From Whom All  
 Blessings Flow," with devotional  
 presented by Mrs. Elzo Bean,  
 chairman of Circle No. 2.

The feature of the program was  
 the National Hymn of Mexico,  
 sung by Juan Segovia, a little na-  
 tive Mexican boy, who responded  
 to the applause with the song, "The  
 Swallow," in Spanish.

The balance of the program was  
 presented as published in the Tele-  
 gram of Sunday, and was intensely  
 interesting, the only change that  
 of the topic assigned Mrs. W. J.  
 Herrington, who was absent, being  
 substituted for by the Rev. W. T.  
 Turner.

The church was handsomely de-  
 corated with spanish shawls and  
 scruffs for this occasion.

Mrs. W. T. Turner presented a  
 very interesting report of the re-  
 cent Baptist Convention at Mineral  
 Wells.

The program closed with prayer  
 by Mrs. Turner. Announcement of  
 the Circle Meetings for next  
 Monday follows: No. 1 with Mrs. Olin  
 Norton, chairman, Mrs. W. T.  
 Turner, No. 2 with Mrs. A. O.  
 Cook, Mrs. Elzo Bean, chairman;  
 No. 3 with Mrs. A. J. Campbell,  
 Mrs. Nora Andrews, chairman;  
 No. 4, with Mrs. Ralph Crouch, Mrs.  
 S. C. Walker, chairman

Those present: Mmes. O. P.  
 Morris, Brock, S. C. Walker, A. M.  
 Hearn, John Norton, Carl Springer,  
 W. B. White, Olin Norton, Nora  
 Andrews, Clyde L. Garrett, A. J.  
 Campbell, Horace Conley, Tindall,  
 J. V. Overton, J. R. Carlisle, Frank  
 Lovett, Elzo Bean and Rev. and  
 Mrs. W. T. Turner.

**AID SOCIETY IN SESSION:**

The Aid Society of the Christian  
 church meeting of yesterday was  
 conducted by Mrs. M. L. Smitham,  
 the President, with session held in  
 the church.

The Twelfth Chapter of Romans,  
 and hymn, "Jesus Is All The  
 World To Me," and prayer by Mrs.  
 T. A. Bendy, opened the brief busi-  
 ness session, concluded with roll  
 call and minutes.

The report was made that nine  
 visits had been paid the sick, and  
 three bouquets had ben sent to  
 "shut ins."

The date of the Bake Sale was  
 changed to the first Saturday in  
 December.

Those present: Mmes. J. A. Beard  
 W. M. Wood, Fred Davenport,  
 Eugene Day, J. A. Bendy, I. L.  
 Gattis, H. E. Ferrell, Harry Wood,  
 M. L. Smitham, Park and Miss  
 Sallie Day.

**THANKSGIVING OFFERING  
 AND PROGRAM NEXT SUNDAY  
 MORNING:**

At the eleven o'clock morning  
 service of the Presbyterian church  
 next Sunday morning, a colorful  
 program will be presented by the  
 Womens Auxiliary of the church,  
 in the form of a pageant entitled  
 "Aunt Margaret's Tenth," the  
 characters of which follows:  
 Aunt Margaret—Mrs. W. C. Ba-  
 ker.

Mr. Winter—Chester Hardin.  
 Mrs. Minter—Mrs. James Norton.  
 Daughter Ruth—Mrs. Winston.  
 Miss Walton—Mrs. J. L. Roy  
 Arnold.

Estifer—A Christian Endeavor  
 member, Genevieve Meredith.  
 The pageant is in two acts with  
 musical numbers interspersed.

Scripture reading will be lead by  
 A. H. Johnson.

The Thanksgiving offering will  
 be received. The proceeds will  
 be used for payments on the new  
 piano to be purchased for the  
 church auditorium.

**ALPHA DELPHIANS ROYALLY  
 ENTERTAINED:**

Mrs. J. E. Spencer of Cisco  
 opened her lovely home yesterday  
 to the Alpha Delphians of the sur-  
 rounding communities, who were  
 received from ten a. m. to 3 p. m.  
 in the delightful Spencer mansion  
 very handsomely decorated with  
 many chrysanthemums, roses and  
 ferns for the occasion, and softly  
 lighted with shaded electroliters.

The welcoming address was pre-  
 sented by Mrs. Hittson, president  
 of the Cisco Delphians.

At one-thirty a dainty luncheon  
 was served in the dining salon,  
 small tables being arranged to seat  
 four each, with plate souvenir bou-  
 quets of golden hued "mums, tied  
 with black ribbons, carrying out  
 the Alpha Delphian colors, of gold  
 and black.

The luscious menu opened with  
 fruit cocktail, followed by second  
 courses of creamed turkey, olives,  
 hot rolls, fruit salad with coffee,  
 and last course of frozen ice cream  
 forms of yellow pumpkins and  
 orange iced cake.

The chapters of Moran, East-  
 land, Ranger and Cisco were re-  
 presented.

The regular program for the day  
 was given by the Cisco Chapter,  
 with subject centering about the  
 Franz Schubert Centennial. The  
 session conducted by Mrs. Hittson  
 Cook, Mrs. Elzo Bean, chairman;  
 No. 3 with Mrs. A. J. Campbell,  
 Mrs. Nora Andrews, chairman;  
 No. 4, with Mrs. Ralph Crouch, Mrs.  
 S. C. Walker, chairman

solo rendered by Mrs. Clenden of  
 Cisco.

The affair was extremely delight-  
 ful, and and of the forty or more  
 in attendance, the Eastland Chap-  
 ter was represented by Mrs. N. N.  
 Rosenquest, President and Mrs. J.  
 H. Harrison, Ora B. Jones, Frank  
 Lovett, J. Day, A. J. Campbell, L.  
 Bean, Walter Hart, and Miss Sallie  
 Morris.

**NOTES AND PERSONALS:**  
 Remember the Thursday after-  
 noon student Entertainment, next  
 Friday night, in High school Audi-  
 torium.

**Believe Attempt Is  
 Made To Rob  
 Store**

What is believed to have been an  
 attempt by burglars to loot the L.  
 E. White store, known as the Lad-  
 ies' Shop, here was frustrated  
 Monday when members of White's  
 family, who have an apartment in  
 the rear of the store building,  
 heard unusual sounds in an ad-  
 joining building and made an in-  
 vestigation.

Adjoining the White store on the  
 north is what is known as the  
 Stanley cafe, which is not in oper-  
 ation, but in which the fixtures are  
 in place just as they were when  
 the business was closed some  
 months ago. The White store  
 building is what was formerly the  
 lobby of the Stanley Hotel and  
 there is a door which is closed and  
 locked leading from the store in-  
 to the cafe through the partition.

Early Monday morning Mrs.  
 White heard, what sounded like  
 someone moving about, but was  
 unable to locate the sound. Later  
 in the morning she heard a noise  
 that sounded as if someone was  
 working on a door-lock. Listening  
 closely she came to the conclusion  
 that the noise was at the door  
 leading from the store into the  
 unoccupied cafe building.

Judge C. B. Frost, owner of the  
 two building, said that as he ap-  
 proached the cafe building he  
 thought he heard dishes rattling  
 and noises similar to sounds that  
 would have been made by someone  
 moving things on the floor. He in-  
 vestigated and found a pannel of  
 the back door to the building bro-  
 ken out leaving a hole through  
 which a man could easily crawl. He  
 had a carpenter go repair the door,  
 but made no further investigation.

It is believed from the evidence  
 about the two buildings that dur-  
 ing Sunday night burglars had  
 secreted themselves in the unoc-  
 cupied cafe building and were mak-  
 ing ready to loot the White store  
 and possibly the cafe building Mon-  
 day night.

It was stated that should there  
 have been someone in the cafe build-  
 ing when Mrs. White gave the  
 alarm they would have had suffi-  
 cient opportunity to have gotten  
 out and away without having been  
 detected.

**TEXAS BANKERS  
 SUED FOR  
 \$100,000**

By United Press.

EMORY, Texas, Nov. 20.—The  
 Texas Bankers association and  
 sheriffs in three counties are  
 named in a suit for \$100,000, filed  
 here by Mary Hansen, widow of  
 William Carl Hansen, who was  
 slain at Odessa, Nov. 25, 1927.

Besides members of the bankers  
 association, the complaint named  
 Sheriff Reoder Webb of Ector  
 County, Sheriff Bardfield, of Up-  
 ton county and Sheriff Francis of  
 Midland county and J. W. B. Ho-  
 gan as defendants.

According to Mrs. Hansen's pe-  
 tition, the bankers association of-  
 fered a reward of \$5,000 for each  
 person killed while robbing a bank.

The petition alleges that the  
 three sheriffs and Hogan entered  
 into a conspiracy to stage the ro-  
 bbery of the Citizens National bank  
 at Odessa for the purpose of kill-  
 ing Hansen and collecting the re-  
 ward.

The case has been set for trial  
 in district court, December 3.

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 of Evangelist  
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"Excuses are flimsy," said  
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 discourse and Rev. Lovell show-  
 ed beyond question that the ex-  
 cuses people give today, for not  
 living for God are just as flimsy  
 and worthless as those given in  
 Christ's time.

No man has a real reason for  
 not serving his Christ, simply  
 "Excuses," he said "But—'Excuses'  
 will not stand, they will all be  
 swept away and then there is the  
 hope of the man in sin?" Services  
 every evening at 7:30. Good sing-  
 ing and a good message. Come  
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 we know for what the well-  
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 laxative prescription he had used  
 in his practice, known to druggists  
 and the public since 1892, as Dr.  
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Then, the treatment of constipa-  
 tion, biliousness, headaches, mental  
 depression, indigestion, sour stom-  
 ach and other indispositions that  
 result from constipation was en-  
 tirely by means of simple vegeta-  
 ble laxatives, herbs and roots.  
 These are still the basis of Dr.  
 Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is  
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The simpler the remedy for con-  
 stipation, the safer for the child  
 and for you, and the better for the  
 general health of all. And as you  
 can get results in a mild and safe  
 way by using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup  
 Pepsin, why take chances with  
 strong drugs?

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 Pepsin will last a family several  
 months, and all can use it. It is  
 good for the baby because pleasant  
 to the taste, gentle in action, and  
 free from narcotics. In proper dose  
 given in the directions it is equal-  
 ly effective at all ages. Elderly  
 people will find it especially ideal.  
 All drug stores have the generous  
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# HIGH FLIGHT

By RUTH DEWEY GROVES

CHAPTER I—Continued.  
down near the shore that's empty, been empty for years. Being's I know you I can let you camp there. You'll have to boil the water and you'll have to keep quiet. I don't want any trouble with Mr. Carstairs."

"Who's he, Mr. Barnes?"  
"Carstairs? Humph. He owns the place next door, and don't you go trespassing or get a gang hanging around, because Carstairs and me are going to do business about that shore property some day. I'm doing this as a favor to you, young lady, and don't you forget it. The Carstairs neighborhood is no place for campers."

Myrtle turned up her nose. "Is that so? Well, how much will it delay our first hundred to hang up our hats in that sacred spot?"  
"Twenty-five, the same as here. The water's free."

"What is it, salt?"  
"It's a brook. Be sure you boil it."  
"How far is it from anywhere?"  
"Wait until I get my car."

Mr. Barnes threw a glance at George's—and I'll take you over to look at it."  
"I hope we can walk back to camp; won't be any fun off by ourselves," Myrtle grumbled while they waited.

Fifteen minutes later she declared she couldn't think of camping at the old house.  
"Why, we'll be buried here without a car," she exclaimed, aghast at the idea of solitude.

But now it was Jerry who urged. She was entranced with the place. A ramshackle old shingled house with a wide porch on one end, a grove of maples and a few towering oaks, looked like a cool green paradise to her.

She begged with good effect. Myrtle agreed to stay. George promised to deliver the tent and equipment. Mr. Barnes told them just where to put it so it wouldn't be conspicuous, but when George returned with it, much later in the day, the three pitched it where they willed, which was on the edge of the maple grove where the morning sun would wake them.

Jerry had almost forgotten her disappointment of the previous day. While George was away for the tent she and Myrtle had hitchhiked to the nearest village and bought a picnic lunch. When he got back they had it spread out in the shade, all except what hunger had compelled them to gobble up.

Myrtle thought they ought to apologize for having eaten, but she stopped when Jerry gave her a look. It was nearly two o'clock. They had breakfasted at seven. Why should they get a headache? she asked when Myrtle had said they ought to wait for George.

"Well, it would be more hospitable," Myrtle argued. "George will be starved when he gets here."  
"Will he?" Jerry replied with the twisted smile she used when speaking of men.

"Starved?" she asked when George arrived. Myrtle started then to explain that they'd been so famished they'd just had to eat. Jerry's glance silenced her.

"No, I had some hot dogs down the road," George told them and Jerry laughed. Myrtle flushed. "Here, I brought some along for you, kids," George went on, and brought out a paper plate covered with a paper napkin. Myrtle laughed then.

They ate the hot dogs with relish and put the spread-out lunch away. Then they busied themselves with the tent.  
"Put it right out here," Myrtle ordered; "it's swanky enough for anyone."

It was a forest green umbrella tent with a canvas floor, and George made short work of getting it pegged. When that was done Jerry offered to put away the camp things while Myrtle and George drove to the village for some iodine to put on a cut Myrtle got on her hand.

Cots, a table and chairs, a small gasoline-burning stove, and a few dishes and cooking utensils had been stored with the tent. The girls had brought blankets from their room and a suit case with the things they would need overnight. The next evening George would take them to town to get the rest of their outfits, which they had not wanted to bring until they were sure of a camp site.

Jerry had scarcely got the camp in order when she heard George's car rattling in at the tumbledown gate. For a fleeting moment she envied Myrtle—it must be fun to have a boy friend with a car, even a junky, old rattletrap. No, why not a real car? Men were all alike, only some were worse than others, not better. They should be chosen for what they had—there was a difference in the way they fooled girls about love.

She couldn't see any reason for Myrtle's beaming after George had kissed her goodby. What was a kiss? No boy had ever kissed her, though several had tried.

"Stop looking down the road like a mooney and show me how this stove works," she said irritably. Myrtle was such a confirmed nut about love. It made her sick. "Wait a few years," she thought, "and if I ask her what she thinks of marriage she'll tell me it's all right but a girl oughtn't to rush into it."

"Let the stove alone," Myrtle said good-naturedly; "and let's go for a swim. Too bad George couldn't stay, but he says the traffic's terrible and he wants to get home early."  
"How romantic," Jerry murmured.

"Oh shut up and get into your bathing suit. Of course there won't be anyone to admire you but the ocean swells but maybe you'll get a kick out of that."

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## Last to Be Snatched from Sea



Somewhat disheveled in a pair of borrowed trousers and a French seaman's shirt, pretty Mrs. C. F. Slaughter was reluctant to pose when the tanker Myriam landed her at New York after her rescue from a Vestris lifeboat. Upper right is Harry Fay, Pittsburgh, Pa., boxer, picked up by the boat. Below are four other survivors, left to right: Herman Hipp, Buenos Aires; Samuel Cox of Montreal, Canada; O. C. Patterson, Edmonton, Canada; William M. Fields of Newark, N. J.

Jerry certainly did. Out of the whole thing, the bathing and the prospect of a night cool enough for comfort. She was almost happy when they sat down, hungry and tired, to finish what was left of their mid-day lunch. The stove hadn't worked very well and Myrtle said they would have George fix it.

Jerry looked up at the sound of a motor in the air. A silver plane was winging overhead in what looked to her like the attempt of a huge butterfly to find a flower to land on. "Too bad George doesn't fly," she said lazily; "you need him so much."

"You'd get to depend on your boy friend, too, if you had one," Myrtle retorted instantly.  
"Well, I'd like to know what that guy up there is depending upon," Jerry answered, her voice more serious than her words. "Look at him; he's pointing right at us! Run!"

She jumped to her feet and sprang backward, still yelling at Myrtle to get out of the way. She heard a shrill screech in answer, or rather one note of it, for the rest was drowned out by the approval the plane made on its dive into their camp.

Jerry lost her balance and fell. She got a nasty crack on the side of her head and what followed immediately after the crash was lost to her. The first thing she became conscious of was the sensation of being cradled in a very satisfactory resting place. Her head was held just right in a piece it fitted perfectly.

But that sense of security and ease was soon lost. A pain shot like fire across her brain and she cried out. Her eyes flashed open as the agony cleared her mind and she saw, with a sensation she was never to forget, an unfamiliar masculine face bent over her own.

(To be continued)

of the way, the decks are cleared for consideration of Texas highway development, which will be the most important issue before the state legislature early next year.

Selection of Governor Moody's citizens committee, one member by the lawmakers of each senatorial district, has been completed. The committee will be convened soon to work out or adopt a program and a policy of state road financing, for recommendation to the legislature. Among the various solutions of the highway problem that have been proposed, Mr. Sterling's has attracted the most widespread attention.

**Program Explained.**  
Mr. Sterling has suggested a 10-year program of construction, to be financed by a state road bond issue of \$350,000,000, secured by the gasoline tax, with refund of money paid by counties for state road construction. The refunds to be used by the counties for building later roads. The bond issue would be sold and the money spent in annual installments as required.

Under this program, the highway chairman asserts, the state system of roads can be virtually completed within a decade, "so that this generation can enjoy their benefits." And he says this can be done at actually less ultimate expense to the people than the roads would cost under the present "pay cash as you go" method, which he declares would require 30 to 40 years to carry out.

The state association of county judges and commissioners, at its annual meeting in Dallas last month, endorsed the state bond principle of the plan put forth by Mr. Sterling. A number of county commissioners' courts have approved it, as have many newspapers, chambers of commerce, civic and fraternal organizations and individuals.

**MISTAKEN AS TO TIME.**  
HOBART, Okla., Nov. 19.—Lack of an alarm clock was given as the reason for two boys here landing in jail. The two say they had an appointment to meet a farmer in a local restaurant at five a. m. Walter Carter, night watchman, found the couple in the restaurant at 3 a. m.

**DAY CLASSES.**  
In session from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
**EASTLAND BUSINESS COLLEGE**  
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**STERLING IS OPTIMISTIC THAT TEXAS WILL TAKE SIMILAR STEP.**  
HOUSTON, Nov. 19.—Omens of success for his proposal of a \$350,000,000 state road bond issue, to be spent over a period of 10 years, are seen by R. S. Sterling, chairman of the state highway commission, in the passage of similar bond issues by four other states in the Nov. 6 general election.

The people of Iowa, by popular vote, authorized the issuance of \$100,000,000 of bonds to complete their state road system. Missouri voted a \$75,000,000 highway bond issue, its third since 1916. Pennsylvania voted \$50,000,000 and Louisiana \$50,000,000.

"Most of the progressive states," declares Mr. Sterling, "are adopting the 'pay as you ride' plan, via the state bond issue route, as the best possible method of getting their roads paved quickly. Texas, too, must come to it, if she is to take full advantage of her opportunities."

As indication of the growing popularity of state bond issues, as a means of financing state highway building, Mr. Sterling has pointed out that 24 states had passed bond issues for that purpose; prior to the recent presidential election. Last year eight states adopted them, and Georgia, West Virginia and others are planning to "pay as they ride."

With the national campaign out

## Independent Team Wants Some Games

Any football team that is looking for competition should get in touch with the Garland Independents, who are unable to obtain any games since they sailed through the first two struggles 27 to 0 and 40 to 0.

The independents are boys who formerly played on the school team at Garland. Cecil Nelson of Ranger, who is connected with the Scarey Candy company, is a member of the team and any eleven desiring a game is asked to communicate with him, whether the team is an independent, college freshmen, prep school, academy or high school eleven. Games are wanted for Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's and Sunday by the Garland team.

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## Proposals!

place at her blonde loveliness—better than words why this New York City girl has had such flattering proposals. Kings of movie and stage stars are vying for her hand. She's Collette Francis, of East 25th St., Brooklyn; new to the charmers in the Broadway "Rio Rita."

Francis says: "Since I've been on the stage, so many people asked me what I do to get that golden gleam and sparkle in my hair that I am beginning to like. I really taking wonderful care of it. I really never thought about it. What I do is so simple."

Like so many of my girl friends here in New York, I just use Danderine on my brush every time I use it. That keeps my hair shiny and gleaming, makes it look like I have it for hours. My scalp is so itchy and I had a lot of dandruff when I first started on it. And Danderine keeps my hair clean. I don't need to shampoo so often, now."

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## TEMPTING

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LOST-Small brindle pup with collar, on east side of town. Notify 267-W, for reward.

LOST-Monday night, lady's brown handbag, containing deposit slips, small amount of change, etc. Reward, Mrs. Ruth Hague, Eastland Nash Co.

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FOR RENT-Three-room furnished apartment, newly papered and painted. Private bath, garage. 612 So. Seaman.

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SILVERWARE STOLEN FROM RANGER HOME

Other Property is Taken by Burglar Saturday Night.

(From Ranger Times) Burglars who ransacked the residence of M. F. Starr, Ranger merchant, Saturday night, stole silverware, clothing and other articles.

Entrance was gained by tearing off a back door screen. Mr. and Mrs. Starr were at their store at the time of the robbery and did not discover the loss until some time later.

A 32-piece set of Community silver—a highly-valued wedding present—was taken. Two suits of clothes, blankets and a 38-caliber pistol also were stolen. The residence is on South Hodges.

UNIQUE WILLS USUALLY MEAN LAWYER'S FEES

LONDON.—People who make curious provisions in their wills, give a lot of trouble to their beneficiaries, but also give a lot of money to lawyers, according to legal circles here.

Among other recent peculiar wills was that of the Yorkshire gardener who bequeathed one shilling and a cracker bowl to his wife.

Another man left his wife five shillings, approximately \$1.25 to buy a rope with which to hang herself. He left his son 5 pounds (about \$20) "with which to go to the devil."

The type of will which has for its object the discomfiture of the testator's relations is often proved in England, but in other countries such legacies are illegal.

Brewery to Ministers. A testator in Toronto a few years ago put a number of Methodist ministers into an extraordinary dilemma. Staunch prohibitionists, they were rather embarrassed by a large brewery concern which was left them. The same man also left to three important opponents of racing in Canada shares in the Ontario Jockey club, the legacies being requested to draw the dividends and exercise the other privileges of membership.

A British sailor treated his wife somewhat shabbily when he requested his executors to pay her one shilling to buy hazel nuts, "as she has always preferred cracking nuts to mending my socks."

Perhaps the worst of this kind of provision was that of a London publican who, in revenge, stipulated that his wife, to get the property, must walk barefooted to the market on each anniversary of his death and read a confession that if her tongue had been shorter her husband's life would have been longer. This she refused to do and received only an alternative bequest of \$100.

While eccentric wills frequently increase relatives they are good for the lawyers. Often a large proportion of the estate goes in lawyer's fees.

Leon Bourland and wife of Eastland were guests of L. B. Bourland and wife last Sunday afternoon.

Richard Eaves has moved to the W. T. Duncan farm.

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MOM'N POP



Sports Matter

By GEORGE KIRKSEY United Press Sports Writer

Football's oldest classic—the Yale-Princeton game—had its fifty-second renewal at Palmer Stadium, Princeton, N. J.

Yale and Princeton played their first football game in 1873, Princeton winning 3 goals to none, and they played every year since except in 1874-75 and the war years of 1917-18. Yale has won 27 games, Princeton 15 and nine have ended in ties.

Since the war Princeton has an edge of five games to four. The most crushing defeat Yale ever administered to Princeton was in 1890 when the Elis won, 32 to 0. In 1923 Yale rolled up a 27 to 0 victory. Princeton's two biggest triumphs were in 1920 and 1922 when the Tigers won, 20 to 0, and 25 to 12, respectively.

Last year Princeton sent an undefeated team to New Haven and outplayed Yale for three quarters only to see victory snatched from their grasp in the last few minutes of play. Scoring a touchdown in the second quarter when Ed Wittmer plunge over the Yale goal-line Princeton maintained its lead until the middle of the final period. On fourth down with 12 yards to go Johnny Hoben, Yale quarter-

Sparkplug of Wisconsin Team



Here's "Bo" Cuisinier, brilliant little quarterback of the Wisconsin eleven. He has done splendid work in all games for Glenn Thistlewaite and has many followers who claim he deserves ranking as the best field general in the Big Ten this year.

back, standing in midfield, threw a desperate pass to Fishwick, Yale right end.

Yale 14 to 6 He caught the ball on Princeton's 25-yard line and ran the remaining distance for a touchdown without a Tiger touching him. Hammersley kicked goal, giving Yale the lead, 7 to 6. Hammersley broke away a few minutes later and scored another Yale touchdown, making the final score, after goal was kicked, 14 to 6.

Yale has a reputation for invariably playing "dumb" football against Princeton. Many superior Yale teams have brought defeat down on them by their own blunders.

This year's Yale eleven, coached by young Mal Stevens from out Kansas way, may not be the best team Yale has ever turned out, but it certainly is far from the "dumbest." Under the direction of Johnny Hoben and Hoot Ellis, the Elis have played consistently smart football.

The defeat in the hands of the Army, 18 to 6, was in no way traceable to mental errors by the Yale players. The score belies the closeness of the game. Yale was on Army's 1-yard line when the game ended and lost another probable touchdown when the referee failed to rule interference on a forward pass.

White a Hero Many unknown Princeton players have come out of the Yale game heroes. The greatest of all, perhaps, is Sammy White, who picked up a fumble in the 1911 game and ran for a touchdown giving Princeton a 6 to 3 victory. The same year White picked up a blocked punt and ran for a touch down against Harvard.

Arthur Poe is another legendary Princeton hero who gained his fame in the Yale game. In 1898 it was Poe's keen wit that saved the day for the Tiger. Yale was bearing down on Princeton's goal when an Eli suddenly fumbled the ball Poe either knocked the ball out of the Yale player's hand or picked the ball up after it had been fumbled—historians are not clear on the point—and by a miraculous run in which he circled behind his own goal posts and around the Yale team sped the entire length of the field for the only touchdown of the game.

No. B-1; Shackelford Co., sur 372. No. acres 160. Intention to drill Nov. 16, 1928, depth 800 feet. The Texas Company J. F. Sedwick No. 6; Bl. 1; Shackelford Co., No. acres 109 1-2, Sec. 1; E. T. R. R. Sur Plugged Nov. 14, 1928. Well record, Drilling Commenced 10-25-28, completed 11-2-28. Dry hole, casing record: 6 1-4 in. 537, 537.

Staff

Staff, Nov. 16—This community was visited by a fine rain on last Tuesday night, which was helpful to the grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Hazard were guests in the J. M. Horn home in Olden on last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. O. T. Hazard were Ranger visitors last Saturday.

M. O. Hazard and family accompanied by Miss Virginia Sparor of Eastland, were Ranger visitors last Sunday afternoon.

W. T. Duncan had business in Eastland last Tuesday.

L. B. Bourland and wife were Ranger visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. D. J. Neill is much improved at this writing. We hope that she will soon fully recover.

Miss Virginia Sparor of Eastland was a guest of Miss Jewell Nelson on last Saturday evening.

Spencer Hazard and wife attended church at Eastland on last Wednesday night.

Will Reynolds and family have returned home from his daughter's home in Ranger, where he has been confined to his bed for two weeks. We are glad to learn that he is much improved.

Mrs. M. O. Hazard and daughter, Jewell, were guests of Mrs. Sparor and daughter, Virginia on last Monday afternoon.

DAN HORN

Dan Horn, on Wednesday night the Parent-Teachers Association of Dan Horn elected new officers for the ensuing year. Mr. W. B. Starr the retiring president, presided at the meeting. The following officers were chosen: President, J. G. Stoville; First Vice-president, R. R. Bradshaw; second-vice-president, Mrs. G. L. Bailey; Secretary, Miss Ethel Manning; Publicity, Miss Chloe Spogel.

The association is sponsoring a pie supper, which will be at the school building on the night of Friday, November 23. They extend a cordial invitation to all the surrounding communities to be present that night, and guarantee a good time to all who come.

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Tickets on Sale For Big Battles

BROWNWOOD, Nov. 19.—J. Horace Shelton, director of athletics at Howard Payne college, Brownwood, announces that tickets for the Southwestern university-Howard Payne and the Simmons university-Howard Payne games are now on sale. These two games, both headlines in Texas football, will close the 1928 season for the Yellow Jackets of Howard Payne and both will be played in Brownwood.

The Southwestern-Yellow Jacket clash will be staged in Brownwood on Thanksgiving, as the major game of the day for Texas conference games. This important holiday tilt will give the Brownwood machine a chance to avenge the defeat handed at last season by the Pirates, of Georgetown. This will also be the fourth conference game of the season for the Jackets and if it is won, the Jackets will enter the final tilt of the season with a clean record, as far as conference games go.

The season's final will be played with Simmons university Brownwood, Dec. 7. All between Cowboys and Jacket classics and with these two full machines leading all of the annual fight for the once championship, the season should go down in history as one of the greatest game-time.

In 1926 and 1927, the Cowboys have been fortunate enough to hand the Jackets as many upsets, despite the fact that Brownwood machine had to record each year prior to the Simmons game.

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BUSSES LEAVE EASTBOUND for Mineral Wells Fort Worth, Dallas, at 8:30 a. m., 11:20 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 3:00 p. m., 5:40 p. m., 8:20 p. m., 12:25 a. m.

BUSSES LEAVE WESTBOUND for Cisco, San Angelo, Breckenridge, Abilene, Sweetwater, Big Spring, Pecos and El Paso, at 7:20 a. m., 11:00 a. m., 1:00 p. m., 3:00 p. m., 5:00 p. m., 7:00 p. m., 9:00 p. m., 12:30 a. m.

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# HOKY AND SLIDES

Henry L. Farrell

Keep 'em in the Open  
The state still uses the huddle in organizing its next play, but it is a huddle of information than is used in any other place in the country.

Instead of gathering around in a bunch, head together and squaring each other, and then quibbling violently, the Ohio State players line up in three parallel lines. It doesn't seem to have all the advantages of the orthodox huddle, but it has one advantage according to one of the Ohio State players, caused it to be adopted by the boys out in the open.

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### It is Wrong, Judge

Harper, quarterback on the Tech team, can do anything well that a great quarterback is supposed to do, and he is one of the ranking candidates for the All-America team. The season was well up when Judge Walter P. Steffen, who is the Tech team when sitting on the bench in the state court, was asked about Harper. He is a very good player.

er," he said, "and he probably will be looked upon as extra good by you fellows because you only look to winning teams for star players. It looks as if we will have a good team this year and our men will get some attention."

"I have had good ball players ever since I have been coaching at Carnegie. Perhaps I have had better players than I have this year. But none of my players ever got the slightest attention from the All-American pickers until we beat Notre Dame or had an unusually good team. The system of selecting All-America players is all wrong."

### He Made Some Gentlemen

It is possible that Dr. Jack Wilce will retire from football at the end of the 1928 season. His career at Ohio State was not a happy one. Only his courage kept him from quitting last winter when the alumni was hounding for his skin. His faults as a coach were that he didn't win all his games, that he was a "Sunday school guy," and that he had a sign up in the dressing room: "Fight—But Be Gentlemen."

A few days ago one of the men who led the fight against Wilce and who refused to jump over when State looked like a champion this year—said to the writer.

"I criticized his football only. He'll leave a lot of good on the campus that we won't realize until he is gone."

## They Leap to Conquer



The Penn State pep-producers, as this picture proves, will leap at every chance to arouse more enthusiasm in their rooters. This photo was taken at the game with the University of Pennsylvania, as excitement ran riot. The high-diving cheer leaders are Monty Kline, left, of Philadelphia and Woody Mullin, Pittsburgh.

Tad Jones did at Yale and so will Knute Rockne at Notre Dame. Because you never have heard of any team that didn't want to play Notre Dame, Yale or Ohio State again.

### Family Menu

BY SISTER MARY  
BREAKFAST—Apples, cereal cooked with raisins, cream, waffles, syrup, milk, coffee.  
LUNCHEON—Baked macaroni and tomatoes, buttered cauliflower,

or, canned fruit, cookies, milk, tea.  
DINNER—Baked ham with raisin sauce, rice croquettes, steamed spinach, stuffed celery, porcupine apples, milk, coffee.

Apples are carefully simmered in sirup until tender, but not broken. They are then rolled in blanched and shredded almonds and the reduced sirup is poured over them. After thorough chilling they are served with a garnish of whipped cream and a cube of bright jelly. The shredded almonds give the name "porcupine."

### Eisain Sauce

Three-fourths cup light brown sugar, 1-3 cup water, 1 cup seedless raisins, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 teaspoon cornstarch, juice 1 lemon, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1 glass currant or grape jelly, 1-4 teaspoon ground cloves.

Put sugar and water in a sauce pan and bring slowly to the boiling point, stirring until sugar is dissolved. Add butter, raisins, jelly and salt, pepper and cloves. Stir cornstarch to a smooth paste with a little cold water and add to mixture when the boiling point is

reached, stirring constantly. Cook 10 minutes and remove from fire. Stir in lemon juice and serve.  
Only enough cornstarch is used as thickening to prevent thinness.

## WAR VETERANS, 24 AND 86, IN DISAGREEMENT

Youngest Legion Member Through With Conflict; Oldest Would Welcome It.

MIAMI, Fla., Nov. 19.—Two enlistments in the army in 1917, both fraudulent, gave to the United States two decorated heroes and the American Legion its youngest and oldest members.

Both, after 10 years of peace and absence from the various French battlefields where they served their country, have taken up their residences in Miami where they occasionally meet at the American Legion post.

George A. Mackenzie, now aged 24, as a youth of 14 tricked the enlistment officers at Jacksonville by presenting a signed document from his father stating he was of serviceable age. In an emergency, when enlistment authorities insisted his father appear in person, he canvassed the city docks on the waterfront and for two dollars persuaded a grayed old sailor to appear in the role of parent and swear the youth was telling the truth.

John A. Boucher, 84, veteran of the civil and Spanish-American wars, pared down 20 years from his age and as a fighter of 54 was accepted by Uncle Sam for

duty. But on his arrival in camp he ran afoul of an officer who served as recruit under him in the Spanish war, who, recognizing the real age of the old warrior promptly secured his discharge.

Not to be put off so lightly, Boucher journeyed to another city and giving his age as 48, was accepted and passed by medical examiners. Not long later he sailed for France, active duty and an act of heroism netted him a decoration.

Boucher, who still stands erect, with head and shoulders thrown back to display the unmistakable stamp of the military man, is known as a fighting democrat and on all occasions during the campaign furthered Smith's candidacy.

They differ in respective attitudes toward any future war in which the United States may engage.

As far as Mackenzie is concerned, he says, he had about enough of the army, though he looks with no regret on his one fling. Boucher, in whom the spirit of fighting and things military may be more deeply rooted, stands ready to go to arms again.

### Aggies Schedule Tulane University

COLLEGE STATION, Nov. 19.

Under the terms of a four-year contract, just announced, the Texas Aggies will meet the Tulane university football team at Fair Park stadium in Dallas during the State fair of Texas in 1930 and 1932. The other two games called for will be played in New Orleans in 1929 and 1931, the contract being on a home-and-home basis with Dallas designated as the playing point for the Texas games.

The game with Tulane will re-

place in 1930 and 1932 the Aggie-Sewanee intersectional tilt, cancelled by mutual agreement, as a feature of the State fair. It is intimated that announcement of intersectional tilt for 1929 to replace the Sewanee game at Dallas will be forthcoming as soon as question of date for the game has been settled.

In meeting Tulane at New Orleans on Oct. 5, 1929, the Aggies will face a Tulane grid team for the first time since 1917, when A. & M. and Tulane played at College Station. The date for the State fair engagement in 1930, is Oct. 11.

### DID YOU KNOW WHAT—

Knute Rockne says his Notre Dames beat the Army because they played better than they know how. . . . And that Johnny O'Brien, who won the ball game, can do only one thing—jump in the air and catch a ball. . . . But he can run the 120-yards high hurdles in 15 seconds. . . . Jimmy De Forest says Deepsey is in pretty good shape. . . . And that his arms are as fast as ever if his legs are slow. . . . Pop Stagg's Chicago team is "torn with discussion" . . . They say . . . Stagg, the Iowa back, is the greatest back in the country cutting off the tackle. . . . And Myles McLain is so slow he blocks his own men in interference. . . . But he's good for three yards any time he gets the call.

John M. Mouser is a Tulsa visitor, on business matters pertaining to the Land Department of the State of Texas for the Prairie Oil & Gas Company.

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### THE WOMAN WHO CALLS HERBERT HOOVER "BERT"

By RUTH FINNEY  
Written for NEA Service  
PALO ALTO, Calif.—There has perhaps, never been in the White House a woman of such varied accomplishments and interests as the new first lady-elect, Mrs. Lou Henry Hoover.

For instance, she wanted a quiet visit with her father, a few years ago. So she set out with him in an automobile and drove him all the way from Washington to California. But that is only a small part of the picture.

This woman who, in her college days, majored in geology because she liked it and spent her leisure moments delving into ancient Latin in order to translate a book on geology that moderns did not possess, is an unusual sort of person.

translation of that ancient work on geology. They did it together. In all the years since they have done everything together.

And so the Hoovers are a very friendly family. They are not demonstrative, for that is not the Quaker way. But it is very easy to see that they like to be with each other. Parents, sons, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, are all good friends. And over them all, Mrs. Hoover presides, plans, directs. And plays with them. When her own grandchildren are not about, her backyard in Washington is often filled with youngsters from nearby families.

"Such a nice bunch of children out here, I want to see what they are doing," she will say. And the party is on.

It is impossible to classify Mrs. Hoover as a type. She is not a "modern woman" nor an "old-fashioned" woman in the sense in which those terms are used. She is a woman who would in any time and place stand out as a distinct personality. Yet definite and forceful as her personality is, she is a woman who has learned the difficult art of subordinating herself to her famous husband. Though she is a part of whatever goes forward in the Hoover family, she is an unobtrusive part in matters over which her husband is presiding.

She, by the way, calls this famous husband "Bert." Through-out the campaign, with its slogans and catch words, the public failed to hit upon this nickname for its new hero. But it is the one she uses.

Mrs. Hoover has fluffy white hair which was never bobbed. She has keen blue eyes, observant and intelligent. She dresses very simply. She has no jewelry. With the money with which she might purchase precious stones she buys beautiful pictures.

On the most momentous night of their lives when election returns were coming in, the Hoovers kept open house for their California neighbors and the quiet simplicity of that night was indicative of the way their whole lives are ordered.

Mrs. Hoover was wearing a plain dark printed velvet dress. On her shoulder was pinned a lit-

You may find her engrossed in a children's party, or reading an abstruse book, doing fancy work, or talking politics or world affairs. You may find her deep in household matters or equally deep in public work, the sort of thing she does for girl scouts. But whatever she is doing at the moment, she is doing it well.

That, probably, is the keynote of Mrs. Hoover. She is capable and she is assured. She has done many things and she has done them easily and confidently, and looks forward to doing what the future holds for her in the same manner. Life, no matter how complicated, is no trouble to her. She knows what to do—and does it.

This, perhaps, is a family trait, for she, as well as the rest of the world, asks it for granted that whatever Herbert Hoover starts to do, he, too, will accomplish.

A few days before election, a friend asked Mrs. Hoover if she were not nervous.

"Oh, not at all," she answered, smiling. "I have lived with this young man for twenty-six years."

In a very real sense, Mrs. Hoover is confident and companion of this man who is to be president. Yet it is scarcely accurate to say that her husband confides in her. She simply is a part of everything he says and does. Nothing goes on in the Hoover family without her. Back in college days, this companionship began with the

### The Next "First Lady"



Here is a striking portrait of Mrs. Herbert Hoover, the next "first lady," which emphasizes her taste for simplicity. She cares little for brilliant social events and wears no jewelry, but loves flowers, paintings and books.

the elephant of brilliants, a campaign gift, and that was her only jewelry. While guests were thronging in to congratulate and rejoice, and were crowding about the table where election returns were being received, Mrs. Hoover was quietly absorbed in the duties of hostess, making sure that newspapermen and secretaries working in the lower part of the house were comfortable and well fed, as well as the guests upstairs.

When newsreel men who had accompanied the Hoovers on their campaign trips began showing the pictures they had taken during the summer, Hoover starting west to be notified, fishing up north, speaking in various cities, Mrs. Hoover was afraid her guests would be bored with "too much Hoover," and apologized about it.

In this business of being hostess, Mrs. Hoover has had wide experience. In the days soon after marriage, when her husband occupied a position of importance in China, she was called on to preside over semi-official entertainments. But skilled as she is in every possible social situation, Mrs. Hoover is not interested in society as society. She has let it take very little of her time in Washington. In the White House she will, doubtless, do the minimum amount of enter-

tainment as her simplicity of manner, dress and life, is Mrs. Hoover's creative ability. She designs the patterns for the elaborate pieces of needlework she does. She designed the beautiful Hoover home in Palo Alto.

The home is built on a hilltop in Hopi Indian style. It is planned to give each member of the family as much sunlight and outdoor space as a house can possibly give. Each room has its own unroofed porch where there is sun and no wind, and a chance for each one to be alone, at times, in the Quaker way of solitude.

Even the servants have their own porches and garden, where they can be alone. But in the fences that divide the Hoover grounds from each of their neighbors there are doors, and that, too, tells something of the sort of folks they are.

The morning after election Mrs. Hoover sat alone in the sun on one of her upstairs porches. She was reading some of the thousands of telegrams that had reached her. A Noah's ark and its animals were scattered at her feet. She had on

a simple dark dress and sun hat. She had an absorbing vista of triumph before her to think about. And she looked up and said she had been spending her time planning how best to answer a message to a friend in an out-of-the-way place to whom a message that morning would mean a great deal.

### FIRPO TRAINING FOR COMEBACK TO FIGHT RING

Argentine Heavyweight's Ability to Condition Himself in Doubt.

By United Press.  
By LESTER ZIFFREN,  
United Press Staff Correspondent.  
BUENOS AIRES.—One millionaire boxer has left the ring while another is expected to return to it minus literary friends and a penchant for the classics, but with a vocation to pursue.

The other wealthy puncher is pudgy-handed Luis Angel Firpo, the latest to try to "come back." The brawny Argentine is working out daily, hammering sparring road work, and jumping rope.

Surrounded by his admiring and hopeful countrymen in the "House of Muscles" conducted by Paddy McCarthy, coach of the United States Pan-American boxing team in 1926, and Willie Farrell, one-time English lightweight champion, Firpo is doing the difficult job of losing weight in order to return to the ring.

To U. S. in Spring?  
Whether he will be able to get back into condition is problematical, and he is making no definite assertions regarding his return. It is rumored he will go to the United States next spring to do battle, but the motorcar salesman-rich man-fighter is silent regarding his plans.

Firpo fails to reflect in his outward appearance the fact that he is wealthy. His tousled thick, wiry hair is uncombed. His suit is unpressed and magnificently baggy at the knees. The hat is black and shapeless. His heavy beard makes him appear in need of a shave.

While sparring, he has a small bit of his hair tied with a string,

### Mary Pickford's Sister Beaten



Here is Lottie Pickford, sister of Mary, as she appeared before being kidnaped, beaten and robbed. Miss Pickford and her escort, Jack Dugherty, were returning from a night club in Los Angeles about 3 a. m., when four men attacked them, knocking Daugherty unconscious and carrying Miss Pickford into the hills where he was beaten and robbed. She was later released.

### EXPATRIATES IN PARIS LAMPOON AMERICAN LIFE

Gertrude Stein and Others Break Out in Rash of Words.

By RALPH HEINZEN,  
PARIS, Nov. 17.—It might interest America to know that some of her voluntary expatriates who make up the racial literary element of the famous Latin Quarter consider the United States too "early Victorian," a publication boasting that it is a century ahead of contemporary literature, canvassed these American expatriates and asked why they prefer to live outside of America.

"The United States is just now the oldest country in the world. There always is an oldest country and she is it; it is she who is the mother of twentieth century civilization," replied Miss Gertrude Stein, famous radical writer and author of "Tender Buttons," the work which 15 years ago started the literary onslaught against the mechanical world.

"America is now Victorian, very early Victorian. She is a rich and well nourished home but not a place to work."

The American composer, George Antheil, creator of mechanical opera and other musical novelties, said: "I am not a native. It is impossible to live in America. My Polish origin makes me love the ground I was born upon, New Jersey."

Hilaire Hiller, who paints pink negroes and is an advanced thinker among artists, prefers to live outside America because "in America there are no facilities for the enjoyment of leisure or apparatuses for reflection."

A Lincoln Gillespie Jr., answered the query is a mass of words. "Because in Europe I find Meaning Scurry in their Organized Self-Divert—hours loll here all summer-rife-Expect-lush-stat. Get is less-necessary. Liquor-Gamme abroad somewhat breathier, the Spiritual future of America is not to evolve till a present diabetes is admit removed, t'wit: America's total lack of parent-sagacity to expriplemly an especial-wide-correcting-them good will toward and to cull an early admiration from the children."

Harry Crosby answered in poetry:

away from Weakness toward Strength  
away from Civilized Sordidness toward barbaric splendor  
away from Malted Milk toward Straight Gin  
away from Shame toward Nakedness  
away from Canaries toward Lions"

But the position of many expatriates becomes precarious because M. Chiappe, prefect of Paris police, has given orders for the cleaning up of the Latin Quarter and while bona-fide art students and writers are to be allowed to work in peace, the police will see that studios which charge entrance fees, like music halls, to see nude models posing before pseudo-artists are licensed like theatres or closed.

By Rodney Dutcher  
Washington.—In peace or war, the spies of the world have always offered fascinating feasts for the imagination which frequently have been garnished and served up by writers of fiction.

As a matter of fact, the fictional spy appears to have little or nothing on his actual, living prototype. There are more of the latter than is ordinarily imagined and they are correspondingly busy. All large nations maintain espionage systems to keep them informed concerning what are supposed to be the secrets of other nations; it is only in time of war that the newspaper reader begins to get an idea how extensive these peacetime skeleton organizations really have been.

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and are so commonly recognized. Some of them in Washington admit it, for instance, and those representing smaller nations with whom we are certain never to have serious trouble often joke about their jobs as boss spies.

Richard Wilmer Rowan, an American who studied the spy network in Europe over a period of many years, has written a book about it which gives as complete a picture as a subject with so much secrecy attached to it could provide. This work, "Spy and Counter-Spy," is virtually a textbook on spies. As indicating the extent of their peacetime activities Rowan points out that 17 persons were convicted of espionage in five European countries during the four months ending with last February.

Most spies are so cheap to employ, Rowan says, that they are always numerous. Even bankrupt governments are not too poor to engage a few. In peacetime with less danger, more persons are willing to work at espionage.

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"It is a curious note that espionage does not subside simply because hostilities are past," Rowan writes. "Nations of potential antagonism, who are happily far off from a state of war, and who may even have been devoted allies in a recently concluded struggle, will spy upon each other with all the vigor of inveterate foes. The regiments of the secret service are sometimes reduced, but never demobilized. No treaty of peace has ever sent them home rejoicing."

"The treaty of Versailles had yet to be drafted and the Teutonic ball had fixed when all the triumphant allies set straightway to work, spying upon one another as if that were the only known way to safeguard a victor's share of the spoils."

"Espionage is not only a pastime of consuls, attaches and minor diplomatists; it is also in its subtly organized performance an unlawful act of invasion. Yet governments devoted to maintaining peace and order indulge in almost incessant adventures with spies."

"If, then, there is no truth on the sinister front but only a hidden continuity in international espionage it means that most of us live and work, endeavoring to prosper and keep to certain standards of private integrity, while unofficially but at public expense there is being fought underground a constant skirmish of resource and intrigue, a duel of spy and counter-spy, generally recognized as both natural and illegal."

Rowan tells of the offer of a naval invention offered to a European power recently for 1,000,000 pounds, which was met by a states-

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