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3 YOUTHS HELD FOR THEFT OF 50 AUTOS

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 29.—Three youths, alleged to have stolen nearly fifty automobiles, have been arrested by San Antonio detectives during the past two days. The youths claimed to be college students on a vacation. The officers are holding the youths and seeking to ascertain whether they are implicated in the thefts of automobiles from points between San Diego, Calif., and St. Augustine, Florida, and to have sold them to a fourth confederate in Mexico.

WATER BOARDS DO GOOD WORK

(By Associated Press)
AMARILLO, August 29.—Expressing gratification at the headway made at the flood control and irrigation conference here, the water commissioners of Oklahoma, New Mexico, Texas and Kansas, departed today for their homes. Each pledged himself to work for the popularization of flood control of the Arkansas River system, while awaiting a call to the next conference which is scheduled to be held in September or October at Little Rock.

E. E. Blake, president of the Tri-State Water Conference, told the Associated Press that he was confident the project had been given great impetus at the Amarillo conference and that ultimate success was assured.

WORMS WORKING IN MANY PLACES

Farmers here from different communities in Runnels county Saturday brought in reports of cotton worms. It is indicated by the reports that leaf worms are working in practically every section of the county, but the condition has not become alarming. Many farmers are either busy spreading poison, or are preparing to fight the worms, and it is believed that the situation can be controlled where proper methods are applied and in time. In some fields signs of the worms can be seen from the road, the leaves having been stripped from the top of the cotton, while in other spots the worms have webbed up in such a way as to make it easy to see where they are at work.

General reports from over the county indicate that the cotton crop has made some gain since the recent rains. The Northwest part of the county—the Norton-Maverick country—has received no rain this week, and farmers declare that the crops in that section are beginning to need rain.

Fortune Bulgarian Saved in U. S. Cause of Murder in Native Land

(By Associated Press)
SOFIA, Aug. 29.—Ivan Christo Markoff recently returned from the United States to his native Osman Pazar, bringing with him \$14,000 which he had saved in America. Confiding his good fortune to several of his friends, one of them, Manu Dimoff of Bontoro, invited Markoff to dinner at his home.

Markoff is said to have enjoyed greatly the novelty of wine with a meal, which had been denied him in America. The result was that he went to sleep after the dinner. During his slumber he was killed with a dagger and his host was arrested, charged with murder. Police said Dimoff was plentifully supplied with American dollars, which he intended to exchange for Bulgarian money.

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U. S. SPEEDS UP DEBT FUNDING

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, August 29.—The American debt commission has set a goal for cleaning up all war debt funding in time for action by the next session of congress. To that end it has made new progress in bringing the remainder of the smaller debtors to the point of negotiations.

With a promise of action already given in two of the larger loans yet unfunded, those of France and Italy, the officials here believe that the positive stand now taken to speed up action by the smaller borrowers will enable them to wind up the entire business of debt funding during the coming winter.

PARIS, Aug. 29.—Official announcement was made today that Finance Minister Joseph Caillaux of France will sail September 16th to initiate debt funding negotiations with the United States government.

The minister will be accompanied by only one expert. The remainder of the French mission is to follow either on September 19th or 28th.

MANY NATIONS TO EXHIBIT AT INTERNATIONAL FAIR

(By Associated Press)
PRAGUE, Aug. 29.—The eleventh International Fair at Prague will be held from September 6 to 13. The engineering exhibit, as usual, will be the largest, but among the other outstanding features will be the radio and sports goods exhibits. The latter is indicative of a new industry created by the growing importance of sports of all kind as part of the national life.

The participation of foreign countries will be greater than at previous fairs. Besides a special French section there will be exhibits from the United States, Austria, Germany, Italy, Greece, Great Britain, Netherlands, Denmark, Sweden, Belgium, Switzerland, Hungary and Yugoslavia.

ORGANIZING BOY SCOUTS IN CITY

Every boy in Ballinger between the ages of 12 and 18 years who wishes to join the Boy Scouts is requested to meet Monday afternoon at 4:30 at the Chamber of Commerce offices to perfect the organization. J. D. Motley, who has had experience in Scout work, will take the lead in the organization and will have the assistance of others who will push the work until Ballinger has one of the best and biggest Scout troops in West Texas.

A number of Ballinger boys are greatly interested in the movement at present and have been attending meetings for the past several weeks trying to get organized. The boys are willing to do their part and all they need is a leader. Mr. Motley in taking this place will lend his best efforts to the cause and asks for the support of the parents of the city who have boys who should be in the organization. There is nothing better for the boys and many hours of their time will be taken up with educational work that will keep them busy when they have time to loaf.

Following the meeting Monday afternoon, application will be made for a charter and training will begin at once in getting the members properly classified.

The Annual Fall Question



PRESIDENT SEES FAVORS UNION HIS SOLDIER SON M. E. CHURCHES

(By Associated Press)
SWAMPSCOTT, Aug. 29.—The desire of proud parents to see their son in a soldier's uniform drew President and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge from White Court today. They took the road for another trip to Camp Devens, fifty miles away. There they planned to witness the final review of the citizens military training camp with their son, John, as a corporal marching in the ranks with lads from all the walks of life.

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Uniting of the Northern and Southern branches of the Methodist Episcopal Church has been favored by five conferences meeting this week-end by a unanimous vote. The vote was taken on the proposal of the east by the Central Swedish conference in Chicago, and the Southwest Spanish Mission conference in Albuquerque, New Mexico, both affiliated with the Northern branch of the church.

EVANGELIST GOES WOLF HUNTING

Evangelist R. B. Crimm went out and spent the night with his brother Friday night, in order to get an early start on a wolf hunt. His wolf hounds arrived and were carried to the country to be put in action, and the evangelist anticipated a day of great sport.

(By Associated Press)
ABERDEEN, Wash., Aug. 29.—Laymen attending the Western conference of the Norwegian-Danish Methodist Church voted unanimously last night for the union of the Methodist Episcopal Church with the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

This conference embraces five Western states and British Columbia.

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"A Song a Day Chases Trouble Away" Says Russian Singer



"A song a day chases trouble away," says Maria Kurenko, famous Russian singer, who reports that she observed, on her first concert tour of the United States last season, how generally Americans sing by singing. Miss Kurenko, whose own song has carried her from the little hamlet in Tumen, Siberia, to grand opera pictures on both sides of the world, continued: "I have seen American men talking in a dark room, and American women weeping at the end of a long day, and I have seen them sing and their troubles disappear." She stated that she had been invited to sing at the University of Kansas, where she was to be followed by the concert tour of the United States, and that singing used to keep her cheerful when she was following her first ambition—to become a lawyer and defend unfortunate who suffered persecution by the czar's government.

BOYS FIGHT TO DEATH OVER TOY TIN HORN

CIVIL TROUBLE IN NICARAGUA

(By Associated Press)
SAN JUAN DEL SUR, Nicaragua, Aug. 29.—Advice received from the capital of Managua, report that Luis Rivas, governor of Managua, has seized the Tiscapa fortress and refuses to obey the federal government. The minister of finance has been arrested. There has been no communication with the capital since early this morning.

WARM WEATHER DRIVES SHARKS TO THE NORTH

(By Associated Press)
OSLO, August 29.—The prolonged spell of warm weather here has brought a considerable number of sharks into Northern waters, where, under normal conditions they are seldom seen. Several schools have been sighted off the Southern coasts of Norway and in the Skagerak, and in several coastal towns warnings have been issued to bathers.

In the neighborhood of Christiansand and Porsgrund the sharks have made their appearance close in shore and at times when many people have been bathing.

BERGEN, Aug. 29.—A sperm whale measuring nearly 60 feet long one of a school of about a dozen, recently was harpooned by a Norwegian whaler off the coast near Romsdal. For a sperm whale to be seen so far North is a most unusual occurrence. Its natural habitat is in the tropical waters of the Equator and its presence here is believed due to the recent abnormally warm weather.

LONDON'S "WALL STREET" SHRINKS MUCH AT NIGHT

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Aug. 29.—The day population of the City of London is 32 greater than the night population, statistics in the official census of work-places show.

At night there are 13,709 people in the city and during the day 436,715. These latter have to be transported to and from the suburbs morning and evening in something less than two hours.

The suburbs of Hornsey and Leyton provide the greatest number of London's day population, following closely by East Ham, Hanwell and Walthamstow.

The "city" in London is a section in which many of the large financial and banking houses are located and in a measure corresponds to what in New York is called the Wall Street district.

(By Associated Press)
DURANT, Okla., Aug. 29.—Roy Jennings, a nineteen year old youth, lay dead here today as the result of a quarrel that started over a ten cent tin horn. Bryan county officers are looking for Cecil Kirby, age 20, who is alleged to have killed Jennings.

At a dance last night Kirby borrowed the toy tin horn from Jennings and sold it to another young man for a dime. The fight started when Jennings demanded his horn. Kirby is alleged to have fatally slashed Jennings with a pocket knife.

CONCHO'S FIRST BALE SOLD HERE

Ira Sims was called to Pony Saturday morning to turn out the first bale of cotton he has ginned this season. Mr. Sims recently overhauled his gin and had it ready to go when he received the call. The bale ginned Saturday morning was produced in Concho county by R. W. Connelly. Mr. Connelly had 1460 pounds of seed cotton and got a 540-pound bale.

The bale was brought to Ballinger, making the second bale brought on the local market this season. Dick Parker, who lives a mile or two North of this city, also brought in a bale Saturday.

It will be a couple of weeks before there is much picking, and later before general picking begins in this section of the state. Recent rains will retard opening of cotton it is believed.

STECK MAKES GAIN IN SENATE RECOUNT

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, August 29.—With only two counties remaining to be tabulated, Daniel Steck's net gain in the Senate recount of the senatorial returns stood today at 927, if both contested and uncontested ballots are held valid.

This still would leave Senator Smith W. Brookhart, Steck's opponent, a slight margin ahead.

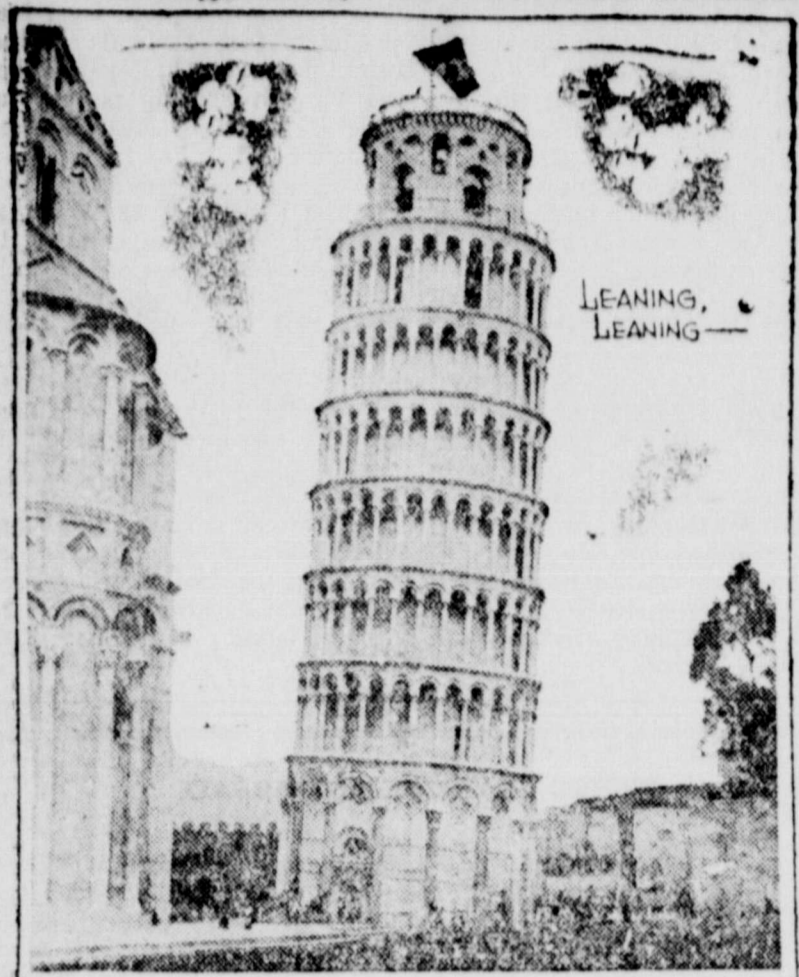
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Ancient Leaning Tower May Be Saved Through Magic of Steel and Cement



Time has begun to lay its hand on another of Europe's historic structures. Now it is the famous leaning tower of Pisa which droops with the passing of centuries. A governmental commission has just declared it to be in some danger of falling and engineers are considering the use of reinforced concrete foundations to keep it in position.

For work of this character, experts are more and more employing the old steel reinforcing bars which are embedded in concrete, form a mass that withstands the heaviest loads.

"Architects and engineers everywhere are recognizing the worth of this dependable steel," says the Ball Steel Products association, "and experience in its use fully bears out the many favorable tests

that have been made in laboratories. The tower of Pisa is reported by the Italian commission to be four-hundred feet out of perpendicular an increase over the lean recorded a century ago. The tower is built on foundations of soft earth which are subject to continued seepage by underground water currents. Division of these currents by a sub-surface concrete wall has been talked of in connection with the reinforced concrete piers.

The Pisan tower was erected during the period from 1174 to 1850 and is 179 feet high. It is a question whether the architects intended it to lean, but most authorities are of the opinion that the oblique position was an accidental feature of its construction. The walls are entirely of marble, thirteen feet thick at the base.

WESTINGHOUSE MAN MOVES HERE



G. A. Keith, sales manager for Rannels and adjacent counties for the Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Co., has established headquarters in Ballinger.

Mr. Keith comes to Ballinger with the highest recommendations from bankers and business men over Texas where he has been doing business. He has been connected with electric corporations and engaged in handling electric equipment for many years.

Mr. Keith will devote his time to the placing of farm light and power plants on the farms of Rannels and adjoining counties. He is an enthusiast on the idea of keeping good farmers on the farms and believes that the auto has practically made it necessary for the progressive farmer to have electric lights and power for all the little drudgeries around the home, such as washing, ironing, cleaning, sweeping, etc.

Mr. Keith says that the farmers no longer need to move to town for conveniences, but can bring the conveniences into their homes—it makes no difference how far it is from town—and thereby keep the children and the wife satisfied on the farm. Modern conveniences make the country

home just as bright and happy as the home in the city.

This being true Mr. Keith's mission is an important one, and where he goes and stays a while better places to live result.

Notice

Complaint by the watermelon growers of South Ballinger, has come to us that depredations have already been made on certain watermelon patches and considerable damage done, and that the names of the boys who committed these offenses are known, but will be withheld and that no criminal action will be taken, but that if another attempt is made all violators will be prosecuted to the limit.

There is no excuse for any such depredations being committed and if the evidence is produced on any future violations of this kind the law will be applied to its fullest extent irrespective of who the violators may be.

R. E. McWILLIAMS, Sheriff
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27-3rd

SERVANT HOUSE IS SAVED FROM FIRE

The fire company was called to the home of Mrs. E. A. Giesecke Friday afternoon when fire started in a servant's house. The fire was checked before any great damage resulted.

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Movies



"The Wild Bull's Lair" Closes at Queen Tonight
Riding a magnificent white horse, Silver King, like the southing wind which sweeps resistlessly over the cattle country, Fred Thompson dashes to new heights of action and drama in his latest F. B. O. production, "The Wild Bull's Lair," which closes its run at the Queen Theatre tonight.

Cast in an outstanding role by Marion Jackson, who has written many previous Thomson successes, the athletic hero is to be seen in a most unusual and spectacular role, in which he has to fight and conquer a full grown bull with his bare hands. This is the sensational climax of a picture filled with whirling drama and lightened with delightful touches of uproarious comedy in which "Silver" had a considerable hand—or rather, hoof. The cast is fine and Director Del Andrews has caught the spirit of the story with remarkable fidelity to the element of the supernatural and the mysterious with which it is imbued.

Movie Star at Queen in Addition to Pictures
The program at the Queen Theatre last night was one of the best ever offered here. The two acts of vaudeville were good and the Fred Thompson picture was undoubtedly the best he has ever

made. Baby Mary Rose, the little movie star, was well received and applauded.

She sings wonderfully well, and is beautiful to look at, besides being a clever dancer she proved herself to be a tip top acrobat. When one sees a movie star in person advertised they expect to see them walk on and make a few uninteresting remarks about themselves and their experiences in movieland, and while away the few minutes doing nothing and saying very little; but not so with Baby Mary Rose. She is different. She comes on and really does wonderful stuff that amazes you. She is so entertaining that one could never tire of her acting.

The team of Lowe & Lowe presented about fifteen minutes of good, clean comedy that was also generously applauded. Mr. Lowe is nearly seven feet tall and comically attired he proved to be a good foil for the dashing, dainty bit of femininity who made up the other half of the act. Manager Hodges is to be congratulated on securing such good, high class entertainment for his patrons.

We are in receipt of a letter from J. J. Erwin, who has been spending the summer in California, in which Mr. Erwin writes that he is leaving for home soon, and orders The Ledger to quit coming to him. Mr. Erwin will stop en route home for a visit with his daughter at Rule, Texas. "I have enjoyed every copy of The Ledger, and got the news from home hot off the reel," he writes.

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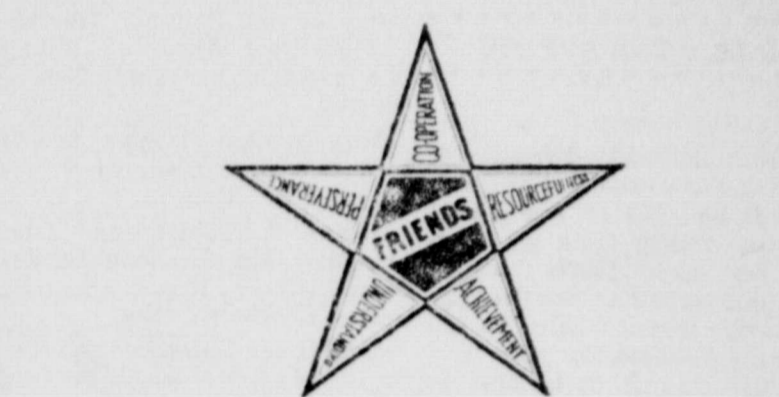
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MILES NEWS EVENTS

Special to The Ledger:

MILES, Aug. 29.—Friends of Miss Doxie Swope of San Angelo will be glad to know that she is recovering from an operation for appendicitis in St. John's sanitarium at San Angelo. Miss Swope was a teacher in the Miles public school the past two terms and expects to be able to assume her duties in the school again when it opens on September 14th.

M. T. Johnson was brought to the home here of his daughter, Mrs. Jim Spencer, from the Mullen crossing on the Concho, six miles Southwest of town, Wednesday to have his foot treated. Mr. Johnson, in overseeing the construction of a concrete bridge across the Concho River at the crossing, had the misfortune of sticking a nail in his foot and was undergoing considerable pain when brought to town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Tidwell were in San Angelo Monday.

Miss Nettie Mills is visiting friends in San Antonio.

Mrs. Anna Pittman returned Thursday from Luling, Lockhart, Austin and Santa Anna where she visited relatives and friends for the past eight weeks.

Berry Chapman returned from the Citizens Military Training

Camp at San Antonio Thursday. Miss Opal Aken, of Winters, is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. Cidwell.

Miss Hayden Hunton has returned from Alpine, where she attended Sul Ross.

Mrs. I. P. Hickman and daughter, Miss Minnie, have returned from Florence, Texas, where they visited relatives.

Mrs. Oscar Lawrence left Tuesday for Creston, Iowa, where she will visit Mr. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson have returned to their home at Galveston, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McKneeley.

Miss Emma Claire Eskew has as her guest, Miss Dean Powers, of Frost, Texas.

L. B. Elam and children have returned from Blackwell, Fort Worth and other Texas points, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Carpenter and daughter, Bennie Jack, Miss Christine Carpenter, of Pendleton, Texas, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Meadow.

Miss Cora Meadow returned Saturday from Dublin where she visited her sister, Mrs. H. W. Queen and family.

Henry Alexander of Little Rock, Ark., is visiting his mother Mrs. John Alexander.

Mrs. Ella Cooper, who has been attending Baylor University at Waco this summer, has returned to her home with her mother, Mrs. John Alexander here.

Miss Grace Prunzing has returned from San Marcos where she attended summer normal.

W. A. Hunton and family returned first of the week from an outing at Christoval.

T. A. Connor returned Tuesday from Dallas, Ft. Worth and other Texas points. He visited his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Childress at Fort Worth and a son, Bob Connor at Red Oak.

Mrs. Maggie McCaney, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wardlaw of Miles, left Saturday for Marlin to spend a few days before returning to her home in Dallas.

Mrs. Mattie Starnes, of Bangs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stahl here this week.

W. D. Strickland, who had been visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wardlaw of this city, has returned to his home at Llano, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton S. Sheppard, who spent the summer in San Angelo, have returned to Miles and are making preparations for the opening of the Miles school. Mr. Sheppard will be superintendent and Mrs. Sheppard is teacher of the primary department.

Miss Maurine McDonald, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDonald, left Thursday for Abilene to visit relatives. From there she will go to her home at Iowa Park.

Mrs. Tom Ware and son of Galveston, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McKneeley.

William Carson has returned from Jewett, Texas, where he attended the funeral of a sister on August 17th.

W. M. Rosser and son, J. T. Miss Beatrice Howard, of this city; and Mrs. C. A. Baker, of Bangs; left the first of the week for New Mexico and points in West Texas.

Mrs. Grady Adkins and children, of Frost, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Adkins.

Emerson Glaze, of Corsicana, is visiting his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. T. M. Glaze, M. F. Merrell, of Snyder, is in Miles making preparations to take up his duties as principal of the Miles school.

E. J. Schwartz Sr., local carpenter and contractor, suffered a sprained ankle when he fell from a ladder while at work at the Farmer Bros. Gin Co. here on Thursday afternoon. He was carried to Ballinger Friday.

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KILL BIG RATTLER ON GOLF LINKS

A large rattlesnake, sounding the danger signal with his ten rattler warning, was killed on the golf links at the Ballinger Country Club Friday afternoon. It was the fourth rattler killed at the country club since the club was organized and the grounds improved, and it is the opinion of some that the large lake of water is attracting them from the surrounding territory, or probably there is a den of the reptiles in the vicinity of the pleasure resort.

The large snake killed Friday afternoon was found on Green No. 8 by W. A. Nance Jr. The lad was caddy and ran up the snake to get a ball. He jumped over the snake just as the reptile was about to strike. Judge A.K. Doss killed the snake with a golf stick. Parties visiting the club grounds should keep on the look out until the snakes are exterminated.

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Swedish Children Train on Military Drill Ground
(By Associated Press)

MALMOE, Sweden, Aug. 29.—The old military drill ground at Ljungbyhed has been converted into a playground this summer, where 3,000 school children, accompanied by their teachers, have been encamped in the army barracks, while receiving instruction in physical culture and outdoor life. It has been the largest mobilization of school children ever seen in Sweden and has been so successful that it will be repeated next year.

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SECOND HEIR IN WILLIAMS HOME

A letter from Stuart L. Williams says, "Enclosed find herewith coin of the realm, for which please continue the old boosting sheet for another year. I am feeling pretty foxy these days, since that eight and a half pound boy arrived. Everything is moving along swimmingly and business is good * * * *"

Italian Foreign Trade Slumps

ROME, Aug. 29.—Treasury department statistics show that the adverse trade balance, which in April, 1924, has reached 373,964,066 lire mounted in January, 1925, to 708,446,218 lire. It improved slightly during February, and then slumped to 1,257,241,187 lire in April, 1925.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn and children are at home from a visit to relatives at Dallas, where they spent their vacation. They returned home Thursday afternoon.

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