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## URGE TO PRESS COAL MEASURE

(By Associated Press)  
SWAMPSCOTT, Aug. 31.—President Coolidge was urged today to press for congressional approval of the federal coal commission's recommendations, which were made by John Hammond, former chairman. Such a commission would deal with the strike situation as one of its duties.

## ATTEMPTS TO STEAL FORD; GETS EXTRAS

A locked steering wheel prevented C. R. Crews from losing his Ford coupe Sunday night. Someone attempted to push the car out of the garage, getting it partly out, but the locked steering wheel made it impossible to steer the machine, and the thief could not get away with it.

After failing to get the Ford out of the garage the thief undertook to remove a casing from a wheel, but made a "botch" of this job also, as the casing was hard to take off. All the taps except one on the lugs were removed. The thief robbed the car of a motor meter and also stole the tools.

It is presumed that the thief did not get away with an auto, and decided to give up the job Sunday night. He may be awaiting a more favorable opportunity, and automobile owners might do well to use a little precaution.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Northington returned home Sunday from an auto trip through the Plains country, into Mexico and along the border. They visited Cloudcroft, N. M., and returned home via El Paso.

## STEALS 50 CARS; RESELLS THEM

(By Associated Press)  
HOUSTON, Aug. 31.—Felony theft charges have been placed against seven men held by the San Jacinto county authorities in connection with the disappearance of between thirty-five to fifty automobiles in this section of the state during the past year.

It is alleged that the cars were stolen, rebuilt and then sold among the points from which the cars are said to have been stolen. The towns in which the thieves operated are Houston, Lufkin, Huntsville and smaller communities.

## WOLF HUNTERS IN BIG CHASE MONDAY

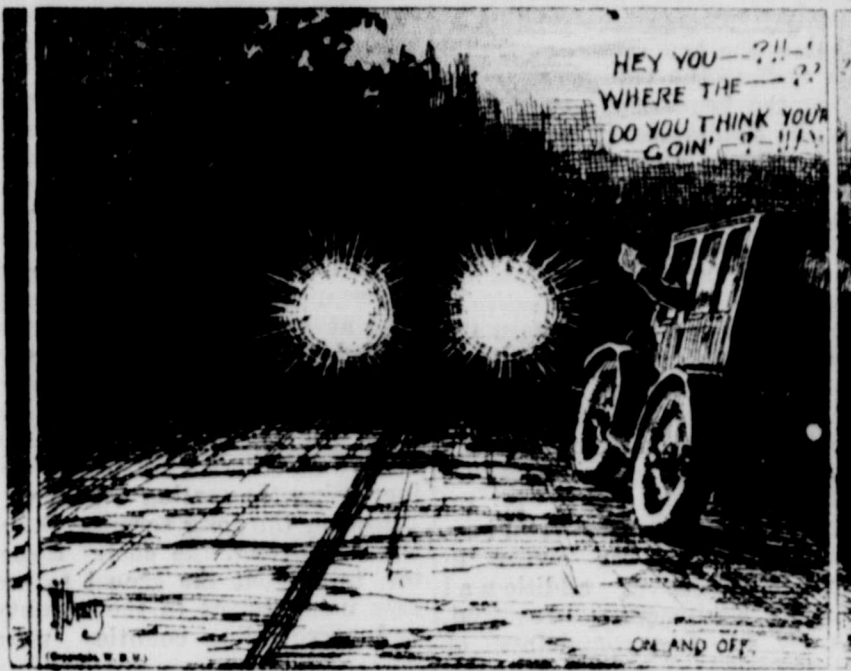
One of the biggest wolf drives held in Rannels county for a long time was on Monday with a large pack of hounds taking part in the chase, followed by quite a number of men who enjoy this sport.

Rev. B. B. Crimm, who is here conducting a revival, was the inspiration for the wolf chase. The evangelist shipped in his fine wolf hounds and the Herring dogs and others were thrown in the drive and taken to the Wylie Ranch country West of Ballinger Monday morning.

Rev. Crimm went out Monday morning to join in the chase and he with some of the boys with whom he hunted wolves twenty years ago when he was a cowboy in Rannels county.

**MOTHERS CLUB**  
The Mothers Club will meet at the Carnegie Library Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.  
MRS. A. MCGREGOR,  
Corresponding Secretary.

## Along the Concrete



## Anti-Glare Law in Effect Tomorrow

## 15 Dead and 70 Hurt In Week End Accidents

## TEXAS MERCHANT DIES SUDDENLY

(By Associated Press)  
WACO, Aug. 31.—Telegrams received here today by Waco relatives announced the sudden death in Los Angeles of L. H. Goldstein, age 77.

Goldstein was a former well-known retired Texas merchant. He lived in Taylor, Austin, Waco and San Marcos while actively engaged in business.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger.

## DEATHS BY AUTO VICTIMS TRAIN ARE ON INCREASE WRECK IMPROVE

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, August 31.—The Department of Commerce announces that reports of automobile fatalities in 1925 have been received from 77 cities of 100,000 population or more. Thirty-six of these cities show more automobile fatalities in the four-week period ending August 15 than in the previous four-week period. Norfolk shows no fatalities for the last eight weeks, and in addition the following seven cities show no fatalities for the last four weeks: Dayton, Houston, Lynn, New Bedford, St. Paul, San Antonio and Waterbury. New Bedford, with two deaths still holds the record for 1925.

For 57 cities with an aggregate population of 27 million, there were 2,878 automobile fatalities reported in the period January 1 to August 15, 1925, as contrasted with 2,885 such fatalities in the period January 1 to August 31, 1924. Of these 2,878 deaths, 366, or 13 per cent, were reported in the four-week period ending August 15, 1925.

Of the 66 cities for which comparisons are possible so far for 1923 and 1925, 36 show more automobile fatalities reported in the period January 1 to August 15, 1925, than occurred in the first eight months of 1923.

So far this year New York city has reported 559 automobile fatalities; Chicago, 344; Philadelphia, 173; Detroit, 158; and Los Angeles, 139; while for the last four-week period the figures are: New York city, 58; Chicago, 45; Philadelphia, 24; Detroit, 31; and Los Angeles, 17.

For the Texas cities reporting Dallas leads with 29 deaths from January 1st to August 15th; San Antonio had 18; Fort Worth, 13; Houston, 13; and El Paso, one.

Noble Prentice, who had been here several days on a visit, left Monday morning for Richland Springs, where he will teach this year.

## RUTH TAKES HIS CASE TO LANDIS

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—George Herman ("Babe") Ruth failed today in his plan to appeal personally to Baseball Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis against the \$5,000 fine assessed him and the suspension which was imposed upon him by Manager Miller Huggins of the New York American League club.

Commissioner Landis was out of the city, having gone to his summer place at Bird Lake, and Ruth could not get in touch with him.

Manager Huggins suspended the "Bambino" from the Yankee team and fined him \$5,000 last week for misconduct while off the field. Huggins declined to comment on the incident further than to say that Ruth had been temporarily let out of the game and fined \$5,000 for misconduct both on and off the field.

The home-run king declared that he would carry his case to Commissioner Landis.

Ledger want ads pay.

## GETS \$6000 IN DAYLIGHT HAUL

(By Associated Press)

YALE, Okla., Aug. 31.—Two masked men today robbed the Farmers National Bank here.

The robbers held up the bank employes and made the raid, getting away with \$6,000 in cash and a number of registered bonds.

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## DEATHS BY AUTO VICTIMS TRAIN ARE ON INCREASE WRECK IMPROVE

(By Associated Press)

TRINIDAD, Colo., August 31.—Miss Mary White, age 18, of Victoria, Texas, who neck was broken in a wreck of a Texas fast mail train on the Colorado Southern system at Mayne, Colorado, Sunday, today was hanging onto life by a slender thread. Attendants at the railroad hospital here held out no hope for her recovery.

Judge Kenneth Foree, of Dallas, whose back was wrenched, is reported to be much improved today, and many of the twenty-seven injured were reported to be improving today and are expected to soon be on their way to their homes. Most of the injured are from Texas.

The wreck occurred when train No. 1 sideswiped train No. 8 as the latter was pulling onto a side-track near here. Twenty-two of the passengers injured in the wreck live in Texas.

## ABILENE ALSO HAS BUS LINE TROUBLES

The city of Abilene is attempting to pass an ordinance regulating the service car traffic. The ordinance has been drafted and submitted to the city commission, and will be adopted, it is said.

The purpose of the new city law is to prohibit service cars, both passenger and baggage, from maintaining stands, and from stopping on the streets and alleys of Abilene, or from soliciting business on the streets.

Members of the city commission, in discussing the ordinance all expressed themselves favorable to its passage. Several weeks ago the city commission held a conference with the service car drivers, but no decision in the matter was reached.

## NAMED CHIEF OF STAFF OF UNITED STATES FLEET

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, August 31.—Rear Admiral Lucius Bostwick, chief of staff of battle fleet, today was appointed chief of staff of the United States fleet, effective after the return of the fleet from New Zealand.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Demmer and daughters returned home Saturday evening from a trip to South Texas, visiting San Antonio and other points in the Southern part of the state.

## LISTENING IN

Calls for new batteries. A dark room dreams of pretty lighting fixtures. Dirty clothes cry for a Mola washing machine. Wrinkled garments beg for a Simplex iron. They're down at—  
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What Texas needs is a legisla-  
ture to devote all its time to re-  
pealing laws. It is said that we  
have over two million laws in  
this country. Two hundred  
would serve the purpose better.

You can't blame people for  
drifting to the plains country of  
Texas. We have always had  
people in this country who could  
not be satisfied unless they were  
chasing the rainbow.

The time is rapidly coming  
when the county which does not  
perfect a system of good high-  
ways will practically be fenced  
off from the rest of the world.  
The demand for good roads in-  
creases with every shower of  
rain.

Remember the Runnels County  
Fair is just as much your fair as  
it is anybody's fair, if you are  
a citizen of Runnels county. The  
men who put their stock in the

organization did so only to help  
along a worthy enterprise. They  
do not expect any revenue from  
the investment. Perhaps you are  
not able to put a little money in  
the fair, but you can devote a  
little time towards making it a  
success.

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We haven't any patience with  
the man who criticises the city  
commissioners, or the county  
commissioners for spending a  
little money beautifying public  
property. Any city or county  
government which does not show  
a little civic pride cannot expect  
the citizens to show it. Civic  
work is worth all that it costs  
any community.

**DROUTHS**

The good old mud soaking  
states of Georgia and Alabama  
are trying to run Texas a race on  
the water wagon. Read the fol-  
lowing dispatch from Atlanta:  
"The South continues to wither  
and burn in the wake of one of  
the most severe drouths in years  
with little prospects for relief in  
the next few days. Damage to  
crops has run into millions of  
dollars. Livestock is suffering  
because of dried up pasture lands  
and scarcity of water. Southern  
rivers are at the lowest stage in  
history. Many Southern cities  
are suffering for lack of drinking  
water. In many towns of  
Alabama automobile owners are  
forbidden to use water in the  
radiators of their cars. Numer-  
ous Southern cities have forbid  
the watering of lawns."

All of which being true, we  
are thankful that we live in a  
semi-arid country, where it is not  
supposed to rain very often, and  
where farmers can produce suf-  
ficient crops in one year on  
showers to run them for two  
years. Come to West Texas.

**Heal Those Sore Gums**  
If you suffer from Sore Gums, Bleed-  
ing Gums, Loose Teeth, Foul Breath,  
or from Pyorrhea in even its worst  
form, we will sell you a bottle of Leto's  
Pyorrhea Remedy and guarantee it to  
please you or return money. This is  
different from any other treatment, and  
results are certain.

Sold by Strain Drug Co.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dooze are  
at home from Colorado, where  
they have been spending the sum-  
mer. They made the trip in their  
Studebaker and report a pleas-  
ant journey and a very beneficial  
vacation.

**NEW HEADLIGHT LAW**

A few complaints have come to  
the commissioners court that  
some testing stations are charg-  
ing more than the law authorizes.

A recent statement given out  
by the headlight division of the  
State Highway Department  
stresses this feature of the law  
and points out that for the  
twenty-five cents fee provided in  
the law the test station should  
(1) inspect the equipment; (2)  
focus the headlamps; and (3)  
tilt the headlamps, if necessary.  
It is also the duty of the testing  
station to see that an approved  
device is being used, together  
with the proper size bulb, and  
whether or not the bulb and re-  
flector are in good condition.  
Any work necessary to place the  
headlight equipment in condition  
to be adjusted is not included in  
the twenty-five cents fee and any  
car owner not having an ap-  
proved device will necessarily  
have to purchase what is re-  
quired. The testing station  
should advise the car owner in  
advance whenever additional  
work or equipment is required,  
thereby avoiding complaints of  
overcharges.

Inasmuch as the law is in force  
from September 1st, 1925, it is  
urged that all car owners, who  
have not already done so, have  
their lights tested and adjusted  
as soon as possible.

PAUL TRIMMIER,  
County Judge.  
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**RED BALL STAGE LINE**

My personal cars leave Ballin-  
ger for Winters and Abilene at  
7:30 a. m., 8:45 a. m., 4:40 p. m.  
Leaves for San Angelo 9:00 a. m.  
6:15 p. m. and 7:15 p. m.

Red Ball Stage Line  
W. H. Avery.  
18-12td

We are in receipt of a card  
from C. R. Stephens which says:  
"Please take my name off your  
mailing list. Mrs. Stephens and  
I will start homeward next week,  
with short stops at Los Angeles  
and El Paso." Mr. and Mrs.  
Stephens have been spending the  
summer in San Francisco. The  
card was written on August 27th,  
and according to the message it  
brings Mr. and Mrs. Stephens  
will be at home in a few days.

What we can't understand is  
how cows put the stoppers in  
milk bottles after filling them.

**2500 PEOPLE  
IN CRIMM CROWD**

One of the largest crowds  
assembled in Ballinger in many  
months attended the Crimm re-  
vival in the 700 block on Seventh  
Street Sunday night. The 2,000-  
seating capacity meeting place  
was not sufficient to handle the  
crowd. Several hundred were  
standing and many autos broke  
by the guard lines which were  
erected to keep the traffic from  
near the tabernacle, and cars  
were parked around the taber-  
nacle within hearing distance of  
the evangelist. It was estimated  
that at least 2,500 people at-  
tended the Sunday night's ser-  
vice. Evangelist Crimm stated  
that he expected to preach to  
5,000 people in one audience  
here, and orders were placed for  
increasing the seating capacity.

During the song service Stan-  
ley Armstrong, the choir direc-  
tor, tested out the crowd to see  
how many towns in the county  
and surrounding counties were  
represented. Every town in the  
county was represented, and a  
number of neighboring cities  
were represented, and visitors  
were in the audience from out of  
the state. San Angelo, Brady,  
Sweetwater, Coleman, Brown-  
wood, Abilene and Paint Rock  
were all represented.

The audience responded with a  
hearty hand clap when David  
Christensen, pianist, played a  
selection on the piano, and he  
was called back for a second  
number. More than one hundred  
people composed the choir and  
the singing was a feature of the  
Sunday night's service.

Sunday was a very successful  
day for the evangelist. He also  
preached to crowds Sunday  
morning and gave his lecture,  
"Bug Hunting," to an audience  
which packed the Baptist church  
Sunday afternoon. The Sunday  
night service, however, drew the  
largest crowd, and the twenty-  
five hundred souls heard the  
evangelist discuss the subject,  
"Why the Church has Lost its

Power," or "What's the Matter  
with the Church?"

Evangelist Crimm did not  
mince words in telling what he  
thought was the matter with the  
church today. He charged the  
preachers with being "profes-  
sional," declaring that we had a  
professional ministry today. He  
said too many preachers were  
afraid to preach the old time  
gospel truth for fear they would  
lose their jobs. He declared that  
the services of the church had  
been side-tracked for the work of  
the Sunday school and that the  
emphasis was being placed on  
Sunday school work at the cost  
of the preaching services. The  
evangelist said that the children  
and young folks left the church  
after attending Sunday school  
and left a lot of empty benches  
for the preacher to preach to.

Rev. Crimm shoots directly at  
the mark, seldom failing to hit  
the bull's eye, and if the truth is  
what hurts, many of the members  
of the evangelist's congregation  
are no doubt in a good way to be  
convicted of their sinful way of  
living.

The revival has entered upon  
its second week of the three  
weeks' campaign, with day ser-  
vices being held at the Baptist  
church each morning at 10:00  
o'clock and at the tabernacle at  
night. In case of wet weather  
the night service will also be held  
at the church.

**FREE  
COAL  
COMING**

**BILL HENDERSON TO  
COACH FOR TEMPLE**

Bill Henderson, who has been  
here visiting his mother, Mrs. C.  
W. Johnson for several days,  
will go to Temple as coach for  
the Temple high school football  
and athletic department, it has  
been announced.

Henderson got his athletic  
training with Howard Payne,  
where he played his full four  
years, making a letter every  
year. He was also a member of  
the Howard Payne baseball and  
basketball teams and was captain  
of the basketball team for that  
college last year, and was for-  
merly captain of the Howard  
Payne football squad.

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**DAINTY GIRL IS ENCHANTING IN OLD  
FASHIONED TAFFETA GOWN WITH FLOWERS**



MARY BRIAN IN PEACH-COLORED GOWN — NEW BLOSSOM PINK FROCK

WHEN one is pretty, dainty, and  
young, and chooses to set off  
these priceless feminine qualities  
by an old-fashioned picturesque  
gown, the effect is absolutely en-  
chanting. Mary Brian, the Para-  
mount player knows this. And Mary  
Brian is fair, Mary Brian is dainty,  
and Mary Brian is oh—so very  
young—but she is wise enough to  
pick out the quaint, frock shown in  
the photo above, to wear in her new-  
est picture, "The Street of For-  
getten Men," directed by Herbert  
Brewster. In it, Miss Brian presents  
a picture of utter charm and  
beauty.

Her gown is of peach colored  
taffeta, trimmed in silver lace, and  
handmade French flowers touched  
with silver threads and frosting.  
The hem is made of fluted matline,  
bordered in taffeta banding. The  
bodice is tight, and the skirt full.  
The whole thing is delicate, de-  
mure, luscious in tone, and de-  
lightfully feminine. What more  
could any one ask of any gown?

And speaking of luscious color-  
ing—there is no more exquisite  
color for this season than the new  
blossom pink. Miss Brian pos-  
sesses a dance frock of this hue  
for wear in private life. It is

sketched at the right of the photo,  
and is obviously the dress for the  
jeune fille. Here, the bodice is  
also tight, slightly fitted, and quite  
plain. The skirt is of three layers  
of tulle, each edged in gold thread,  
and at the shoulder and hip are two  
lovely, extremely large deep rose-  
colored roses. The stem appears  
too, and is of a warm green, cov-  
ered with a shimmering tube of  
glittering gold net. The roses  
themselves have golden dew  
drops.

Stockings match the blossom  
pink of the dress, and the shoes  
and fan are of an even deeper  
rose than the roses.



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Men, Stout Men,  
Thin Men, all can  
be suited and sat-  
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**Star of Film left in Art of Making Bob Into Aura of Beauty**



CHICAGO—Miss Esther Ralston, one of the screen's newcomers of the past year, is noted for her beauty and charm. She is sought after by Hollywood's most famous directors to play leading roles supporting popular male stars.

"Miss Ralston has a subtle beauty which many stars lack, simply because she knows how to accent this beauty by judicious make-up and careful selection of clothes," said Emily Lloyd, beauty expert, and founder of the Marinello system of beauty culture. "Any woman, with a certain amount of nat-

ural beauty, may acquire the same grace and charm as this young actress. Make-up should be used carefully and sparingly. Noses should never be too white, or lips too red.

"Miss Ralston's chief charm lies in her hair. She knows the subtle secret of making bobbed hair look like an aura of glory. Soft, tousled hair is possible to any woman. Careful brushing at home, and an occasional treatment from one's favorite cosmetics will brighten a dull head of hair and cause it to grow more luxuriantly."

**TO AMUSE**

**Novel Makes Ideal Film—is Main Attraction at Queen**

It is seldom that a novel lends itself so well to motion picture production as Marie Conway Oemler's "Two Shall Be Born," which is showing today and tomorrow at the Queen Theatre.

It seems as though the author had a screen production in mind when she wrote the story, for the sequences and action are of a type that appeal to picture lovers. The title piques interest and gives rise to many philosophical speculations as to whether the theory that couples are born to be united in marriage is a true or false conclusion. Miss Oemler has handled the question from one angle in a convincing manner, and in so doing has introduced many picturesque and dramatic moments. She carries her audience from a castle in The Prague with its hidden staircases and secret panels to the hustle and bustle of New York, with its traffic policemen, its society events and its home life in the less pretentious districts.

The cast was selected with great care from both the ranks of screen and stage stars so that the best portrayals obtainable might be secured for Miss Oemler's fine characterizations. The list includes such well known players as Jane Novak, Kenneth Harlan, Sigrid Holmquist, Frank Sheridan, Hermann Lieb, Fuller Melish, Joseph Burke, Blanch Craig, Joseffa de Bok, Catherine Evans, Walter James, Zillah Inez Shannon and H. Cooper Cliffe.

**Strong Cast with Richard Dix in Picture at Fo-to-sho**

Richard Dix in his new Paramount starring picture, "A Man Must Live," showing at the Fo-to-sho Theatre today and tomorrow, is supported by a cast which far outshines that which appeared with the new Paramount luminary in his first production as a star, "Manhattan."

Jacqueline Logan, who played opposite Dix in "Manhattan," again has an important role. She shares feminine honors with Edna Murphy in "A Man Must Live," adapted by James Creelman from the story, "Jungle Law," by I. A. R. Wylie. Miss Murphy has appeared before in Paramount pictures and was recently seen in "The White Moth."

George Nash plays a heavy role in the picture, that of a yellow newspaper editor. Dix's role in the production is that of a returned World War veteran who

Dix's second of Paramount's "famous forty."

**Film at Maeroy Rivals Dumas Story**

A set of characters Dumas would have loved to appropriate are those in Phil Goldstone's current production with Rex ("Snowy") Baker. Upon the screen appear such fascinating personalities as Don Guzman de Montejo, the impoverished aristocrat who sells his daughter to secure, not his future, but her own. There is Henri di Laon, the last professional "man of honor" of Europe, whose sword is at the disposal of anyone possessing a thousand francs and a quarrel. Ismid Matrouli, the mongrel millionaire who aspires to become an ancestor; and Capt. Grant Lee Brooke, U. S. A., a modern d'Artagnan who proves that a hustling Yankee can be more romantic than all the knights of the Round Table.

These, and other characters as picturesque, make up the cast of "The Sword of Valor," showing today and Tuesday at the Maeroy Theatre.

**CATARRH**  
of head or throat is usually benefited by the vapors of  
**VICKS VAPORUB**  
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

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**Citation by Publication**

THE STATE OF TEXAS: To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Richard E. Lewis by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Runnels County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger on the 3rd Monday in September, A. D. 1925, the same being the 21st day of September, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3263, wherein Ferald Lewis, is Plaintiff, and Richard E. Lewis, is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on January 12, 1922, plaintiff, a single woman by the name of Ferald Richards and the defendant were married that on about March 27, 1922, defendant, without provocation on the part of this plaintiff, left her with the intention of permanent abandonment which period has been for a

period of more than three years. Plaintiff prays for divorce, and restoration of her former name. Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness Georgia Singletary, Clerk of the District Court of Runnels County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, this the 20th day of August, A. D. 1925.

(Seal)  
GEORGIA SINGLETARY,  
Clerk District Court, Runnels County, Texas.  
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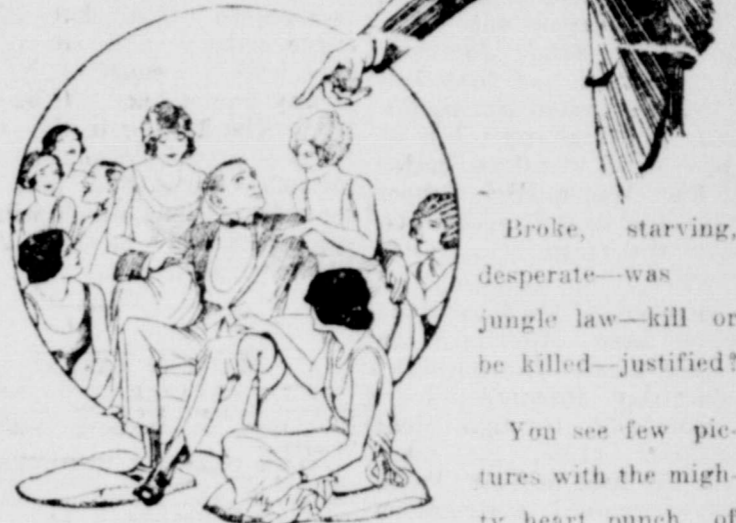
**FO-TO-SHO THEATER**

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TODAY

**RICHARD DIX**

**"A MAN MUST LIVE"**



Broke, starving, desperate—was jungle law—kill or be killed—justified? You see few pictures with the mighty heart punch of this one.

Based on "Jungle Law" by I. A. R. Wylie—Screen play by James Ashmore Creelman—Directed by Paul Sloane

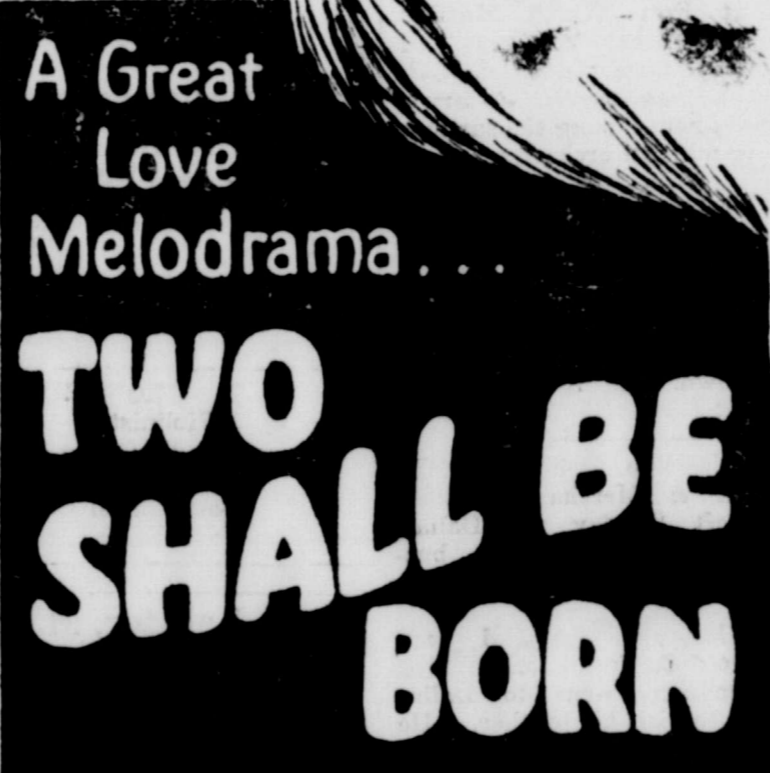
**"THE MILKY WAY"**  
A Universal Comedy  
ALSO INTERNATIONAL NEWS  
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## MILITARY DRILL FOR LOCAL BAND

The Turkey in the Straw Band has been undergoing some intensive drilling under the leadership of Jo Bryce Wilmeth, of Fort Worth. Twelve of fifteen members of the band have been coming out for several days for drill and Director Homer Carsey intends to make a crack drilled band out of the organization, and those who have been drilling will be used in teaching the other members drill tactics.

Under the leadership of young Wilmeth the boys have been learning the facings, marches, and other mass movements of a regular military band. Jo Bryce held the commission of first lieutenant in the United States Reserve Officers Training Corps at Fort Worth and was drum major of the Fort Worth High School Cadet Band of over 75 pieces last year, and the young man knows his "stuff."

The members of the local band who have been attending the drills show noted improvement, and Saturday morning they stood cheerfully through drill from 8:30 to 11:45, the maneuvers being held in Fair Park. The boys received instructions

under Wilmeth Saturday morning that will make it possible for them to carry on the work without him. The young man was forced to leave Ballinger for his home at Fort Worth Monday. It was with reluctance that he left for home, but he is due to enroll in T. C. U. at Fort Worth within a few days and he had to return home and prepare for school.

J. D. Morby, who has been working with the boys, has been commissioned as drum major, and the bandsmen will do their strutting under his leadership when on parades. The members of the band who could not get away from other work to practice drilling, will be thrown in the line on numerous occasions and it is expected to bring up this feature of the organization to compare with that of the music making abilities of the boys, which is equal to the best of any young band in the country. The Turkey in the Straw Band is getting in shape for the Rannels County Fair and other special occasions which will develop from time to time during the busy fall season.

A. O. Bartlett and family, who have been in Brownwood for the last month or two, where Mr. Bartlett has been with the Santa Fe, have returned to Ballinger.

Frank Staurt, who had been here for several days, left Monday for Abilene, and will go on to Tahoka. He had been in South Texas for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Black left Monday afternoon for Winters, where they go to make their home, Mr. Black having accepted a position with the Ford automobile agency at that place and will have charge of the tractor sales.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Daniels, of Tyler, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. King. Mr. Daniels and Mr. King were formerly associated together in business when they both lived at Abilene.

Oscar Harbor has been suffering for several days with a crippled back, the ailment confining him to his home for several days.

The friends of Mrs. J. H. Miller will regret to know that she is very low at her home in San Antonio, and is not expected to live. Mrs. Miller was one of the pioneers of Ballinger. She is the mother of Mrs. Sam Baker. Mrs. Baker is at her bedside.

Mrs. Jo Wilmeth and sons, Jo Bryce and James, left for their home at Fort Worth Monday morning. Mrs. Wilmeth and James had been visiting in Ballinger and San Angelo. Jo Bryce had been here during the summer playing with an orchestra.

Jap Adams, former Ballinger citizen, was here Saturday and Sunday. He came to Winters to look after business and took advantage of the opportunity to spend a day or two in his old home town. Mr. Adams is now living at Hico.

Fred Kiechle, cashier of the Farmers & Merchants State Bank, left Sunday for Dallas, where he is attending to business.

Tom Massey, who had been here from California on a visit to his mother, went to Dallas Sunday to visit his brother. He will return to Ballinger before leaving for his home.

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### PECULIAR ACCIDENT KILLS LITTLE BOY

Lawrence, the six year old son of W. H. Howell, of Abilene, died last Friday of blood poisoning resulting from a wound caused by an "all-day sucker." The little fellow was sucking the candy when he fell, thrusting the stick into his throat. An operation was performed and the boy lingered for three weeks, but blood poison developed and he died at a hospital in Abilene.

### Will Open Music Studio Sept. 7th

Miss Louise Doss will open her music studio on Monday, September 7th, in the old high school building. Those who wish to begin lessons on this date please call 542 or 339. 31-3d.\*

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. McGregor are enjoying a stay in the Rocky Mountains. They are at Colorado Springs, where they went about a week ago. They will visit points of interest in the Rockies and return home in a week or two.

Miss Louise Kirk returned home Saturday evening from Austin, where she had been attending the summer school at the University of Texas. She expects to return to the university and continue her school work at the beginning of the regular term.

M. McGregor returned home Saturday from San Antonio, where he spent a day or two on business. He returned by the way of San Angelo on the auto bus line.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Erwin and little son returned home Sunday from Colorado Springs and other places in the Rocky Mountains. Mrs. Erwin had been spending the summer at Colorado Springs, and Mr. Erwin went up to spend two or three weeks and accompany Mrs. Erwin home. They report a pleasant vacation and the stay in the mountains proved very beneficial to the baby's health.

## CREWS GIRLS IN CLUB MEETING

The Girls' Club of Crews met Friday, August 28th, at the home of Audie Beck, with seven girls present.

They are working on the third Club problem, the sewing bag. The cup towel and holder have been completed and handed in by the following girls: Audie Beck, Jessie Lee Brown, Erma Wilkerson and Nadine Wilkerson.

The next program, other than the regular work, will be a discussion of teddies suitable for school wear.

The ladies also met and organized; the following officers being elected: Mrs. E. W. Inmel, president; Mrs. E. F. Beck, vice-president; Mrs. W. W. King, secretary. Aside from the general plan of work discussed, was the fall garden and the Fair. A demonstration of jelly making and cold pack canning was given by the home agent to the women and girls.

The meeting adjourned to meet next time with Mrs. W. W. King, September 18th. The program: Roll Call—Picture of House Dress I am Going to Make.

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### BUSINESS FIRMS IN NEW LOCATIONS

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