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FAKE AGREEMENTS CAUSE OF TROUBLE

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 20.—A forged agreement between President Calles of Mexico, and Luis Morones, labor leader of that republic, and several thousand photographs, which were seized by the department of justice here, were the chief weapons to be used by the revolutionary junta here to overthrow the present government of Mexico, department agents said this afternoon.

Seven of the eight men indicted by the federal grand jury Thursday have been arrested.

The contract captured was a fake agreement between Calles and Morones, containing several commonplace provisions, but one which said in effect that Calles agreed to replace federal soldiers with labor union men within a period of one year after taking the oath of office.

Luxembourg Art Treasures Moved; "Living" Now "Dead"

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, February 20.—Art treasures of the Luxembourg Museum will have been wholly rearranged and in part transported to the Louvre by the time American tourists arrive in Paris this spring.

The Luxembourg is supposed to contain the best work of contemporary or living artists, it being understood that the "living" are not to be reckoned as dead until ten years after they have passed away. Then their work is moved out to make way for that of later artists.

No such rearrangement has been made for more than ten years, and in many cases the time-limit has been long exceeded. The Renoirs, Manets, Monets, Sisleys and Pissaros, belonging to the special Caillebotte bequest, will be retained.

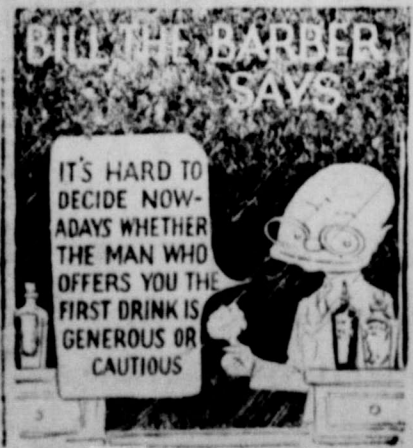
THE WEATHER—

Tonight fair and warmer. Sunday fair.

LOCAL PASTOR LEAVES JUNE 1

Rev. H. Q. McCorkle, pastor of the First Christian Church of this city, has tendered his resignation effective June 1st. The resignation has not been accepted, and when asked why he was leaving such a good town, Rev. McCorkle told a Ledger reporter Saturday morning that he would return to Sabinal to resume a work which he left there.

Rev. McCorkle came to Ballinger last September and soon made many friends who will regret to know that he is to leave Ballinger. "Nothing is wrong with the town or the people," said Rev. McCorkle, "but I told my congregation that I did not feel like I was the man for the place, and I am returning to a church I left when I came here." The minister stated that he regretted to leave Ballinger, but believed that he could do a greater work in his former pastorate.



WACO MAN SHOT DEATH BY TEMPLE HARDWARE MAN

(By Associated Press)
WACO, Feb. 20.—James Thigpen, age twenty-four, insurance solicitor, is dead as a result of pistol shot wounds received today in a rooming house here.

W. L. Green, age thirty-two, head of the W. L. Green Hardware Company, of Temple, surrendered to officers soon after the slaying. He declined to make a statement.

His friends will be glad to know that Judge M. H. Boynton is recovering from serious illness at this home in Fort Worth. Judge Boynton underwent an operation for appendicitis, later developed pneumonia, and other complications set up later. He has been removed from the hospital to his home and according to information received here is recovering.

J. M. Simmons was in the Wingate country Friday and stopped by the home of J. D. Smith to inquire about Mr. Smith. Mr. Simmons reports that Mr. Smith was not getting along well and his condition is still serious. Mr. Smith suffered blood poison from an injured hand three or four weeks ago, and was very low for several days. His condition improved, but he recently suffered a relapse.

Hear Simmons University Male Quartet, Baptist Church, Sunday night. 20-1td

COURT URGED TO STAND PAT

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The United States Supreme Court was urged today to refuse a rehearing in the Archer county, Texas, road district case, by counsel for the property owners who were successful in their attack upon the constitutionality of the case, pointing out that the attorney general of Texas and counsel for Archer county both had failed in separate petitions for a rehearing.

The litigants contended in their reply that no new grounds had been advanced by the state or county urging the court to reverse its position.

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MANY HERE FOR FARMERS MEET

A large crowd gathered here Saturday afternoon, the chief attraction being a meeting of farmers at the court house. People began to arrive in the city from all parts of the county before noon and by 2:00 o'clock the streets were crowded, and the large crowd followed the band to the court house for the meeting at 2:30.

The Turkey-in-the-Straw Band gave a brief concert on the streets at 3:00 p. m., and rendered more music at the court house. The court room was filled with farmers when the meeting was called to order.

A full account of the meeting will be given publication Monday.

Five Lose Lives in Fires In Three Different Localities



STOCK PROMOTER WOUNDED MAN IS INDICTED WILL RECOVER

(By Associated Press)
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20.—Clarence Saunders, of Memphis, Tennessee, former president of the Piggly Wiggly corporation, was indicted by the federal grand jury here today on a charge of using the mails to defraud in the sale of the corporation stock in 1923. His bond was fixed at \$7,500.

Ledger advertising pays.

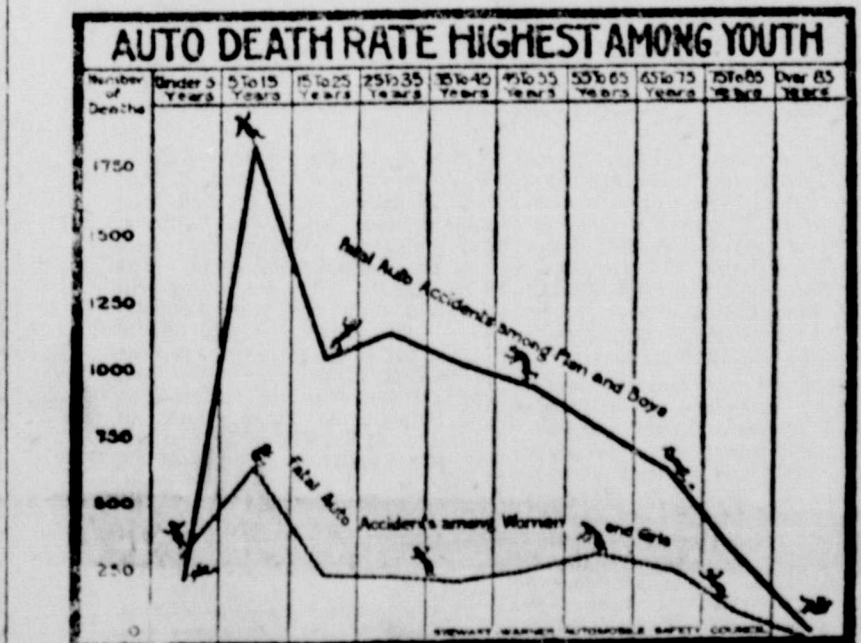
Auto Death Toll for Week 40

Figures furnished by the department of commerce show that there was a slight decrease in auto fatalities for the four-week period ending January 30th. These figures are made up on records received from the 79 largest cities in the United States. The total number of deaths in the 79 cities were 434 as contrasted with 558 for the preceding four weeks. The report also gives the fatalities in the 79 cities for ten periods of four weeks each, or for a total of forty weeks, ending as follows:

January 30, 1926—434	November 7, 1925—616
January 2, 1926—558	October 10, 1925—528
December 5, 1925—632	September 12, 1925—531
	August 15, 1925—469
	July 18, 1925—495
	June 20, 1925—492
	May 23, 1925—424

The reduction of 31 per cent in the total number shown in the last four-week period as compared with the period ending December 5, 1925, must be credited to the season of the year. Fewer automobile fatalities in the winter is the rule owing to diminished use of machines in bad weather. For example, in 1924 in the registration area the December total was 26 per cent less than the total for October.

YOUTH OF NATION TOPS DEATH LIST IN U. S. AUTO FATALITIES



YOUTH pays the heaviest toll in annual automobile fatalities. From five to fifteen years is the period when the greatest number of fatal accidents occur, for both sexes. The chart shows the age distribution of automobile deaths for men and women as given in the latest mortality figures prepared by the government. These figures, says the Stewart-Warner Safety Council for the prevention of automobile accidents, emphasize the need for more playgrounds and increased safety education among school children.

Complete statistics are not possible, as only 80 per cent of the United States keeps mortality records. About 22,000 a year is generally conceded to be the annual number of automobile fatalities. For 1925 8,621 males known to have been killed in one year there were only a third as many women, or 2,845, in spite of the fact that the male population is only 4 per cent greater than the female.

CIGARETTE IS CAUSE OF DEATH OF MILLIONAIRE

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Frederick Pearson, age thirty, whose father died two years ago leaving a six million dollar estate, burned to death today in a fire in his room at the Claridge Hotel. The fire started from a lighted cigarette in Pearson's room.

John H. Houshead, Pearson's young companion in a night of revelry, narrowly escaped a similar fate.

PLAQUE TEACHER TO ORGANIZE CLASS

Miss Wilma Nelson, teacher of plaque in lamp shade work, will instruct a class here beginning next week. For further particulars phone 46, Central Hotel, after Monday. 1td

Hear Simmons University Male Quartet, Baptist Church, Sunday night. 20-1td

PARIS, Feb. 20.—What is known in France as an "American bar" recently has become an adjunct of the French country house. There are many chateaux now in which such bars have been installed in the library or smoke room, with a professional white-coated barkeeper behind the counter and high stools for "customers." These are nearly all occupied at "cocktail hour," considered another American institution.

GOV. APPOINTS WILLIAM LOVE

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Feb. 20.—William Love, of Houston, was today appointed judge of the Harris County Criminal District Court, to succeed the late Judge C. W. Robinson, who died last week.

Judge Love was James E. Ferguson's personal attorney in the litigation involving the former governor's right to place his name on the ballot in the primaries of 1924.

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(Don't forget the George Washington Tea given Monday at the home of Mrs. Ira Sims, by Mrs. Douglass' Sunday School Class—you'll miss it, if you miss it.)

(By Associated Press)
DENTON, Tex., Feb. 20.—Leaping from the third floor of her burning home today, Mrs. J. H. Cole, age forty-nine, was fatally injured.

The home was destroyed by fire which is believed to have originated from a gas stove.

GREENVILLE, S. C., Feb. 20.—One man and two children were burned to death and four other persons seriously burned in fire at the home of Mrs. C. U. Smith here today.

Victims of the fire are Russell Hamby, age twenty-three; Evelyn and Earl Smith, eleven and fifteen years of age.

The persons who lost their lives were trapped on the second floor of the house.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Feb. 20.—One man is missing and three others were severely injured when fire destroyed a section of the Arnold Hotel here this morning.

The loss is estimated at \$130,000.

The missing in the blaze are H. L. Cole, day clerk, and a railroad man named Cato. The hotel register has not been recovered, and A. C. Arnold, proprietor of the hotel, said that others might be missing.

Sixty guests in the hotel were forced to flee in their night clothing. Cause of the blaze has not been determined.

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If the farmers farm like they talk, we will have plenty to eat, and the cotton problem will adjust itself.

An oil well sold in Brown county for \$135,000. That may be a bargain price, but it is still too high for us.

Judging from the way Mrs. Ferguson is speeding up in her pardoning, she has evidently heard about the Runnels county district court.

There is an old fashioned sheet iron awning on Hutchings Avenue which should be condemned. It may be the basis of

a damage suit before we get through the windy month of March.

Brown and McCullough counties are conducting an egg laying contest. Each is trying to see which can put up the largest egg. In the meantime Runnels county is too busy gathering up eggs and shipping them by the carload to pay any attention to freaks.

Activities in the gardens and yards around town are pretty good signs that the spring fever germ has been inoculated against here. Fish stories in the near future will no doubt be offered as further proof. The time spent working yards does not only add to the beauty of the premises, but counts for much in any city's civic program.

A certain lady living near Ballinger bought a yearling heifer about a year ago for \$40. She recently sold the heifer and her calf for \$120. Yet we are told that cotton is the only money crop. If the farmers raise more cotton than the world needs it is their fault. When the pressman makes a mistake and prints more papers than our subscribers need, we pile them in the waste basket and touch a match to them.

Mrs. Nellie Ross, woman governor of Wyoming, says that the governor of a state should not permit appeals of sympathy to influence him in granting frequent pardons to criminals convicted of crime. Among other things she says that she does not regard it the duty of a governor to reverse the action of the courts except in extraordinary cases where it can be shown that a very great injustice has been done to the convict. Further that the protection to the rights of the citizens who are law abiding are gravely menaced by frequent pardons of convicts and that it is very difficult to convict a man before the courts but if convicted his sentence should stand and he should pay the penalty.

The nice thing about buying a home is the tires don't wear out.

RAISING MONEY

"Here is the best argument I have ever heard for safe farming in Texas," said Clarence Ousley recently. "At a typical county seat in North Texas, the first week in February a meeting was held, attended by about two hundred farmers, bankers, and leading business men of the town. Several addresses were made on the present cotton crisis and the danger of further losses from another big cotton crop.

"Finally one of the bankers present asked that all farmers who had corn in the crib of their own production to arise. Twelve men arose. After they were seated he asked for all farmers who had meat in the smokehouse of their own raising and curing to arise. The same twelve men arose. After they were seated he asked that all who had money in the bank which they did not borrow to arise. The same twelve men arose."

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DEATHS

Mrs. M. C. Golden

The funeral of Mrs. M. C. Golden will be held at the Baptist Church in Ballinger at 2:30 Sunday afternoon, and interment will be made in Evergreen Cemetery. Dr. Alvin Swindell, pastor of the church, will conduct the services.

After a lingering illness, Mrs. M. C. Golden passed away at her home on Eighth Street at 10:15 o'clock Saturday morning. Death had been expected for several days, but the announcement of the passing of this good woman brought sorrow to the many friends of the family.

Mrs. Golden had been an invalid since suffering a dislocated limb in an auto accident in 1917 and was unable to get about except with the use of crutches. She was injured when she jumped from an auto in which she was riding when the auto caught fire. For more than two months Mrs. Golden had been confined to her bed.

Mrs. Golden's maiden name was Jessie Beasley. She was married to Rev. M. C. Golden in Alabama forty years ago, and for more than fourteen years she had been residing in Runnels county and in Ballinger.

The deceased is survived by her husband and eight children, three sons and three daughters. The sons are A. C., S. E. and O. L., all of Murray, Texas. The daughters are: Mrs. Willie Smith, of Ballinger; Mrs. Clara Hightower, of Esterline; Mrs. Eula Boren, of Memphis, Texas; Mrs. Naomi Eiland, of Portersville, California; and Miss Jessie Lee Golden, of Ballinger. All the children were present when their mother passed away.

King-Holt undertakers are in charge of the funeral arrangements which will be announced later.

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Mrs. Ed Boswell underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Halley & Love Sanitarium Friday night. It was an emergency case, but the patient was reported to be resting as well as could be expected Saturday.

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- For Sheriff: R. E. McWILLIAMS
- For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMIER
- For District Clerk: GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For County Attorney: C. P. SHEPHERD
- For Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN
- G. W. DUNLAP
- For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD
- For County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 1: R. J. DEENS
- For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1: ROY HIGGINBOTHAM
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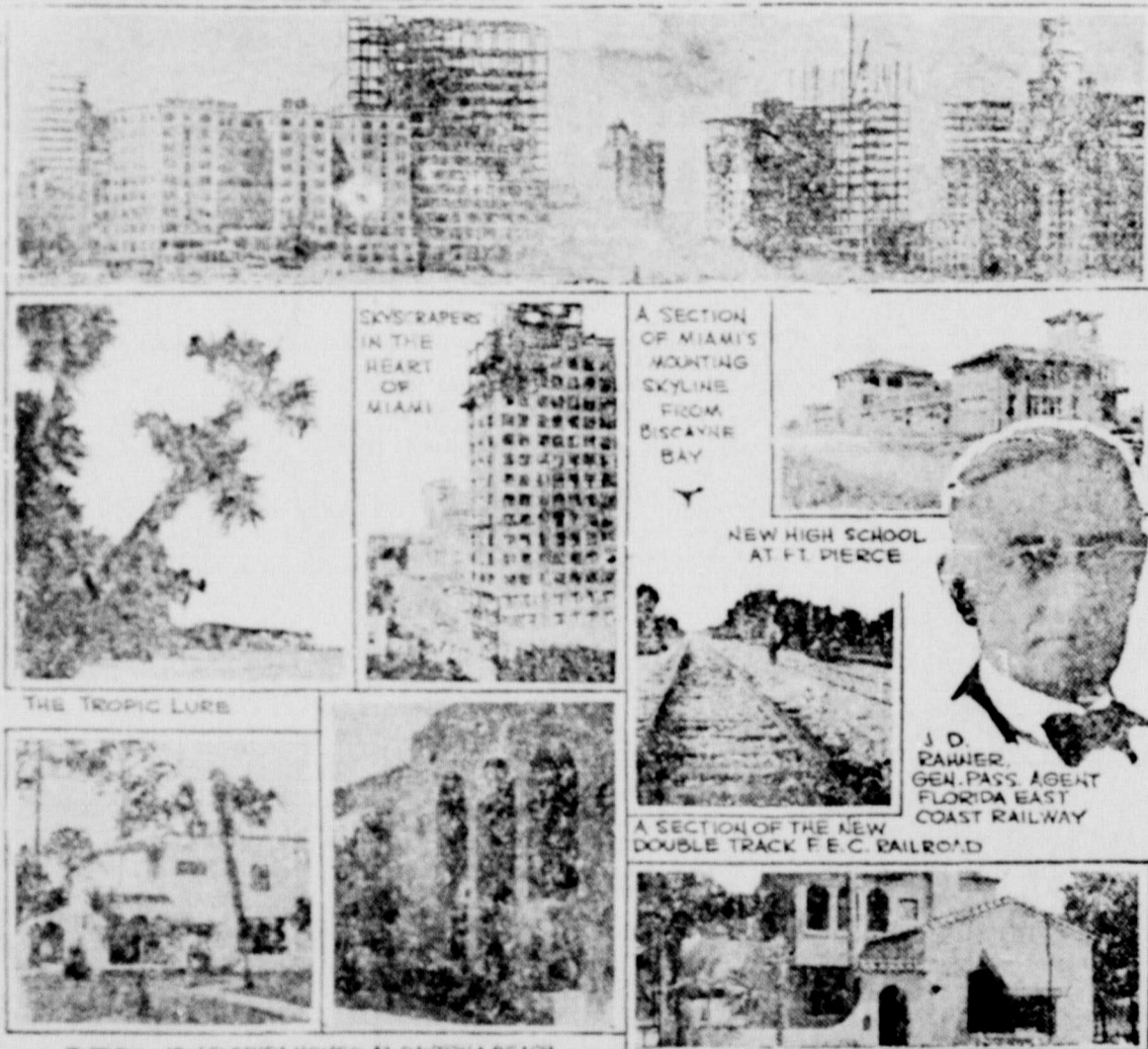
St. Augustine, Fla.—Building records of this area during the past twelve months show the fact of its rapid development. The greatest migration in the world's history brought about a vast construction program to house the new comers, and the new business, professional and industrial Florida cities. A few years ago were ranked as small towns are today talking about using laws for their sky-crash.

A marked feature was the development to expedite the shipment of Florida products to the North and South. Cold storage plants and packing facilities were under construction. Florida has for years sent millions to the North for supplies. An important work of the year was made in the direction of home production.

Big Railroad Increases

An event of the year was the great development program undertaken by the Florida East Coast Railway Company. It is double-tracking its entire line while handling the largest number of trains ever operated over a division of a single track line. By the middle of November, 2.9 miles of main line between Jacksonville and Miami had been double-tracked. It completed the program authorized for the year 1925. The double-track cut off south of St. Augustine shortened the distance between Jacksonville and Miami to 47 miles, formerly 306 miles. It reduced the grade so as to save a cost an hour's time to Miami. A new freight terminal at South Jacksonville increased the terminal capacity by 300 per cent, while a new terminal at Miami resulted in a 25 per cent increase. Freight cars at the Jacksonville terminal were reduced to normal. Eleven passenger trains daily each way were operated on schedule. Miami afforded through train service from all parts of the No. 1, with an additional train announced for Jan. 5, making a total of 24 trains daily. "All transportation systems in Florida have advanced. No resort section in the world has more modern and frequent train service than the great chain of cities on the East Coast of Florida," said Mr. J. D. Rahner, Gen. Passenger Agent of the Florida East Coast Railway. "Our improved system will give the East Coast the best service it has ever had."

West Palm Beach in 1910 was a fishing village with 1,739 people. Today it has a permanent population of 30,000 and an influx of more than 60,000 visitors between December and May. In December its building permits reached \$3,284,270, exceeding Kansas City, Pittsburgh, Milwaukee, and Cincinnati. The city has a deep water canal to Lake Okechobee and a rich back country.



One Hundred Million Building Mark.
When the building permits for the year 1925 are totaled, Miami will be found close to or perhaps even exceeding the \$100,000,000 building mark. In October, it was surpassed in building permits by only five cities in the United States, exceeding such big towns as Cleveland and Boston. It is becoming a city of skyscrapers. It added more than 46 new hotels and 315 apartment houses during the past year, and a huge commercial section, Ft. Lauderdale, Coral Gables, Hollywood, Homestead and other nearby towns showed marvelous growth. Increase in population in Ft. Lauderdale in 1925 was 13,000, giving a population of 20,000. Assessed valuation increase, from \$6,112,000 in 1923 to \$50,000,000 at the close of 1925. Building permits for St. Petersburg in October were \$2,902,600, for Tampa \$2,153,824, for Miami Beach \$1,220,300 and for Orlando \$1,241,015. Miami in 1910 had a population of but 7,500 people. It did not begin to grow rapidly until after the war. Stuart, one of the newer towns, 105 miles north of Miami, and at the mouth of the St. Lucie River, had \$510,000 in building permits in 1924. The first eleven months of 1925 showed a total investment of over \$1,250,000. Bank deposits increased 300 per cent. Over 1,000 people came into Stuart to buy homes and expect to be counted as permanent residents.

Daytona Beach Speeds Up.
The new city of Daytona Beach, population 22,000, consolidates Daytona, Daytona Beach, and Seabrook. Building permits for September, 1925, the highest month, amounted to \$1,384,600, while in 1924 they amounted to but \$1,414,000. They were all for structures under \$50,000 and show the city is building homes. Several large and costly subdivisions are adding to the permanent population. The city is stepping along with the fastest in Florida. Chamber of commerce estimates there will be 2,000 new homes in March or April. During the winter upwards of 100,000 visitors are entertained in Daytona Beach and some 20,000 in summer.

St. Augustine's Big Record.
St. Augustine is experiencing a phenomenal development unknown in its 360 years. In the first ten months of 1925 the building permits reached a total of \$2,521,999. Among new projects is that of D. P. Davis, who created the Davis Islands by raising sunken land in Tampa Bay, a half mile from the Tampa City Hall. The Davis project in St. Augustine will involve a total outlay of \$50,000,000. It will make that city one of the busiest of its size and involves the raising of sunken lands, half a mile from the St. Augustine waterfront. A large fleet of dredges is at work. Before a single plot was available, citizens of St. Augustine and of the whole country had oversubscribed the first unit of the property amounting to \$11,268,000, by the sum of \$7,137,000, a total of \$18,405,000 being received.

A "White Way" lighting system, a sea wall, a new soft water system with 50 miles of water mains, and the filling in of several hundred acres adjacent to the city are among municipal projects. St. Augustine has a fine healthful climate and is the center of varied industries.

The total resources of Florida banks, which on June 30, 1924, were \$346,762,923, had almost doubled by June 30, 1925, for they were \$685,325,232.

TO AMUSE



Frank Currier and Enid Bennett in 'The Sea Hawk.'

Village Built for "The Sea Hawk" Which is Showing Queen Next Week surpass in magnitude any ever made with sea adventure, Frank First National picture Sabatini's "The Sea Hawk" scheduled for presentation Queen Theatre commencing Wednesday, and showings.

author of the well remembered "Scaramouche," is said to possess even more brilliant dramatic incidents, and to have required even a more pretentious setting than that memorable epic. Milton Sills heads the exceptional cast, being seen in the dual character of Sir Oliver Tressilian, an English knight, later Sakr-el-Bahr, the hawk of the sea in the service of the basha of Algiers and the foremost naval commander of his day.

Enid Bennett, well remembered for her Maid Marian in support of Douglas Fairbanks in "Robin Hood," enacts a similar type in "The Sea Hawk," being cast as Rosamund Godolphin, Sir Oliver's fiancée, who, following the slaying of her brother Peter, believes Oliver to have committed the deed, and whose opinion is strengthened by the sudden disappearance of Oliver a day before the trial to prove the real murderer.

Four gigantic vessels of the Sixteenth Century, an entire Algerian village and several enormous English period sets were constructed for "The Sea Hawk" and more than a thousand men appear in some of the naval scenes.

PROGRAM FOR S. S. CLASS TEA

Following is the program and the hour for each number to be rendered at a tea to be given at the home of Mrs. Ira Sims, by Mrs. Douglass' Sunday school class, beginning at 4:00 o'clock Monday afternoon:

- Piano: Mrs. Bob Carsey, 4:15
- Reading: Ruth Forney, 4:30
- Solo: Mrs. Geo. McCulley, 4:45
- Piano: Miss Gladys Swindell, 5:00
- Solo: Miss Anna Jean Sharp, 5:15
- Solo: Mrs. Alex McGregor, 5:30
- Piano: Miss Eleanor Fowler, 5:45
- Piano: Mrs. Sim Cottelle, 6:00
- Orchestra: 7:15

- Solo: Mrs. Garland Dickinson, 7:30
- Orchestra: 7:40
- Reading: Hallie Holwagner, 7:50
- Solo: Mrs. Harry Thomson, 8:00
- Solo: Mrs. B. W. Denny, 8:15
- Minuet: Scott Strain, Imogene Jones, 8:25
- Solo: Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw, 8:40
- Solo: Judge A. K. Doss, 8:50
- Violin: Miss Dorothy Chaney, 9:00
- Solo: Mrs. Ira Sims, 9:10
- Orchestra: 9:30
- Quartet: Mmes. Sims, Carr, Barrow, Earnshaw, 9:45
- Orchestra: 10:00.

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I am a native of Texas and have resided in Runnels county for the past twelve years.

I will state for the information of those interested in the weighing and handling of cotton, I have had four years of experience in this work as an assistant to the weigher—one year at Winters and three years at Ballinger. It has tried to do the right thing by everybody, and, if elected, I will at all times give honest and efficient service, and I feel like my previous experience will enable me to make you a good weigher.

I shall appreciate the influence and support of my friends and acquaintances in the coming campaign and sincerely hope, Ladies and Gentlemen, you will cast your ballot for me on election day.

O. R. JONAS.
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Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger

In a telegram from Edwin Skinner to his parents, Prof. and Mrs. J. M. Skinner, received Friday night, the young man wired that he was sailing Friday night on the Aquitania, a Cunard Line steamer for London, and that he would tour Europe before returning to the states. Edwin has been with some of the larger daily papers on the Pacific Coast and also in New York, since he left Ballinger, and while the message did not state what his mission to Europe was, it is believed that he is going as staff correspondent for a New York paper.

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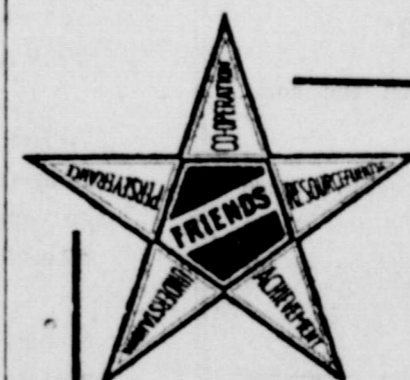
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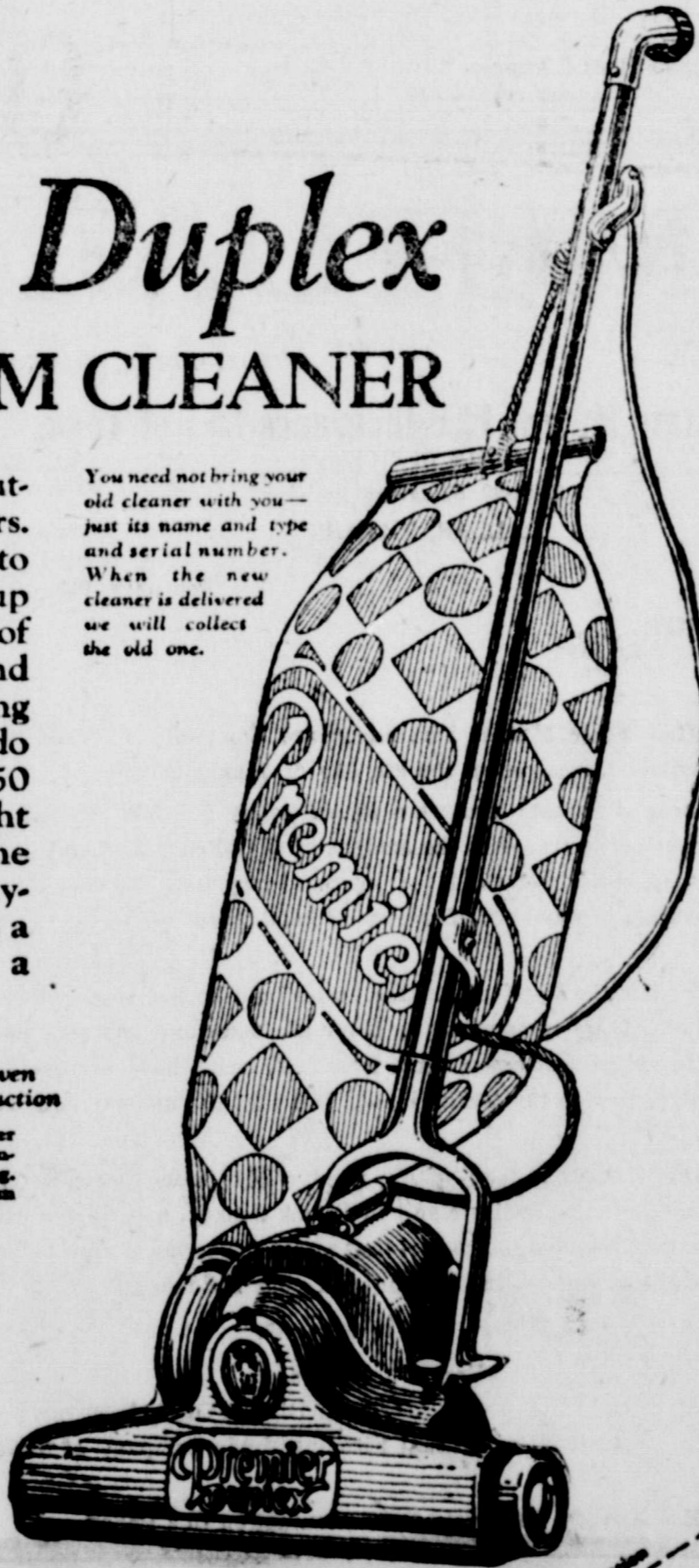
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CRIMINAL CASES UP NEXT WEEK

About a dozen criminal cases are docketed for hearing here next week. When district court convenes Monday afternoon for another week of criminal work the Winters burglary cases are due to come up for trial. Persons charged with driving automobiles while intoxicated are also on the docket for attention.

With the dismissing of the John Borders liquor case Friday afternoon court recessed until Monday, and the judge and court attaches left for their homes at Coleman and Brownwood.

Hear Simmons University Male Quartet, Baptist Church, Sunday night.

Ledger advertising pays.

CHURCHES

Church of the Nazarene
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. 6:00 p. m.
Preaching at 7:00 p. m.
Ladies Missionary Society Monday afternoon at 3:00 p. m.
Prayer service Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.
We welcome you to worship with us.
NELLIE A. HILL, Pastor.

First Christian Church
Bible school 9:45 a. m.
Communion 10:45 a. m.
Sermon 11:00 a. m.
Evening worship 7:15 p. m.
Wednesday, mid-week service at 7:30 p. m.
A cordial invitation is extended to the public to worship with us.
L. L. Q. McCORKLE, Minister.

Church of Christ
Corner of Eighth and Bond Street.
Bible study 10:00 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night 7:15 o'clock.
Everyone is invited and urged to be with us.

First Presbyterian Church
9:45 a. m. Sunday school
11:00 a. m. morning service
3:00 p. m. Intermediate Christian Endeavor
6:45 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.
7:30 p. m. evening service.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening followed by choir practice.
You are cordially invited to worship with us.
E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor.

Methodist Church
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Sam Behringer, Supt.
Preaching by the pastor at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Subject, 11:00 a. m.: "Relation of Worship to Right Living."

This begins a special series of sermons at the morning hour on "Religious Worship."
Evening subject: "Injuring Our Fellowman."
We are featuring special music at every service.
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A cordial invitation is extended all to worship with us.
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Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
S. P. Hathaway, Superintendent.
A Sunday school growing in interest and number, competent teachers and a cordial welcome to visitors.
Morning worship 11:00 o'clock.
Subject, "The Innermost Desire of the Soul."

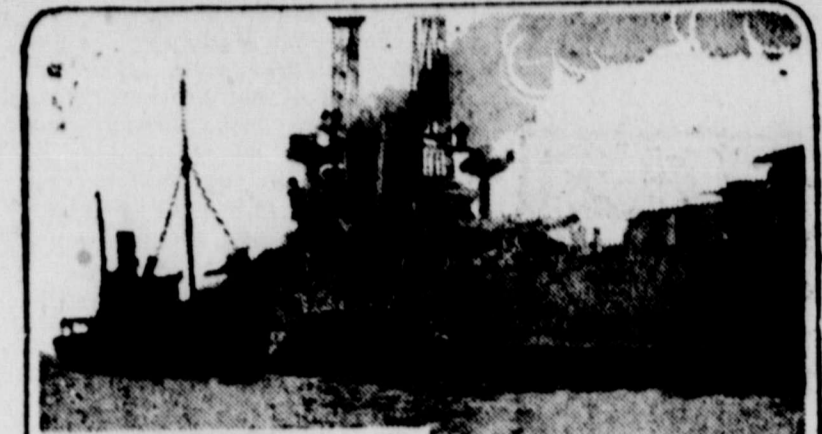
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. The subject of the evening discourse is, "In Him Was Life."
Workers' meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., and choir rehearsal at 8:15.

All members of the church and congregation are urged to be present at all the services, and visitors and strangers will find a most cordial welcome.
ALVIN O. RUE, Minister.

Baptist Church
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. by the pastor. The theme will be the third in the series, "Builders of the Christian Life."
Sunbeams and R. A.'s, afternoon.
B. Y. P. U., 6:15 p. m.
Male Quartet of Simmons University at 7:30. Everybody is invited. Come early for a good seat.

"Church Night," Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. (1) Devotion; (2) Mission talk; (3) Choir meeting.
ALVIN SWINDELL, Pastor.

America's Oil Pipe Line System Greatest War Asset, Says Expert



FILLING U.S. BATTLESHIP UTAH WITH OIL FUEL IN HAVANA HARBOR.

LAYING A PIPE LINE

CHICAGO—Should another war come, the United States has one powerful arm of offense and defense peculiarly its own, according to DeWitt Foster, director of the American Research Foundation in an address here.

"It is a force possessed by no other nation," said Mr. Foster. "This is a major oil pipe line system of eight and ten inch pipe, 60,000 miles long, through which crude petroleum can be run to hundreds of strategic points. It comprises a number of pipe line

systems owned by the great oil companies.

"Oil products have a thousand important uses in warfare. Oil is fuel, power, medicine, germicide, smoke screen, high explosive, gas. Without it men can not fly in the air or run submarines. Oil-driven war ships have greater speed and radius than coal burners. Oil won the great war and will win other wars. It is a force beyond computation.

Completion of a pipe line more than 700 miles long, costing \$25,000,000 recently built by the Sinclair organization finally connected the great Wyoming oil fields with the central pipe line system.

"Comparatively few persons realize that a barrel of oil entering this great system, which reaches probably 290,000 oil wells, can be run entirely through pipe lines to a half dozen points on the Gulf of Mexico, as many on the Atlantic coast as well as to the Great Lakes and hundreds of refineries between."

Weather Bureau Explains "Florida" Climate in Alaska
(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The weather bureau takes no stock in suggestions that volcanic activity in the Alaskan territory have caused the recent high temperatures there.

Instead, the bureau declares a peculiar layout of atmospheric

pressure has brought warm ocean winds to Alaska and has deflected down through Canada the cold waves that usually pass over the Alaskan-Siberian sector.

"That's all there is to it," say the experts. "Volcanoes may look and act fiery, but the most ferocious one in the world isn't warm enough to heat up even a small corner of a regular cold

BILIOUS ATTACKS

From Which Kentucky Man Suffered Two or Three Times a Month, Relieved by Black-Draught.

Lawrenceburg, Ky.—Mr. J. P. Nevins, a local coal dealer and farmer, about two years ago learned of the value of Thedford's Black-Draught liver medicine, and now he says:

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One cent a dose. NC-161



On one occasion the temperature in Eagle, Alaska, was higher than that at Jacksonville, Fla.

LARGE CROWD PRESENT TO WITNESS PROGRAM

The program put on by the elementary school Friday night drew a large crowd. The high school auditorium was filled to overflow and enjoyed the entertainment furnished by the little tots. The songs, drills, etc., were well presented and demonstrated that the children had been undergoing some special training by the teachers and those in charge of the program.

The money realized from the play will go towards replenishing the library in the elementary school.

Be wise and advertise.

ANOTHER MUTUAL BUSTED

Another Case

In all probability there are people in this county that hold worthless MUTUAL policies that have discontinued business months ago.

A recent failure of a reciprocal insurance company caused the loss of

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The records show that you were issued policy No. 560 and 561 in this Company, covering insurance to the amount of \$5,000 each and under the terms of your policy, the Directors of the Company may levy assessments on all policy holders when the amount of money on hand is not sufficient to pay the losses.

Under the law the Receiver has the power, and he has been directed by the Court, to levy these assessments to cover all losses and you may consider this letter as notice that assessments Nos. 1, 2, and 3 have been levied on your policy, according to the terms thereof and that the amount now due from you is \$150.00.

Unless this amount is paid within twenty days from date, the Receiver has been instructed to institute suit in Dallas County, and in this connection, your attention is called to the fact that under the terms of your policy you waived any right to be sued in the county of your residence.

Thanking you for a prompt remittance, I am,

Very truly yours,
R. A. BRADFORD, Receiver.

Buffalo State Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Texas

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INSURANCE EXCHANGE

SATURDAY AFTERNOON CABLES

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the militant leader of the "votes for women" cause before the war, has returned to the suffrage battle-grounds after spending the last eight years abroad. She has come back to England to take part in the campaign, more peaceful than those she led years ago, to extend the franchise so that British women may vote at 21 instead of waiting until they are 30 years old.

Although in her seventy-first years, Mrs. Pankhurst is as enthusiastic in the cause of women as ever.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Great Britain claims world leadership in railway safety. Last year only one passenger was killed in a train accident.

In the present century there have been two years—1901 and 1908—without a fatality, and in 1909, as in 1925, only one was killed, while in 1916, 1919 and 1923 there were only three. As 1,700,000,000 passenger journeys are made by train every year, chance of death is infinitesimal.

The problem of railway transportation in Great Britain is entirely different from that in the United States. Long hauls are negligible. Sleeping cars are needed only in two directions, from London, toward Scotland, a short night's run, and to Plymouth. But in the many thickly populated districts of the country railway tracks form a network such as exists in America only near New York, Chicago and other large cities.

PARIS, Feb. 20.—Ever since Aristide Briand, who assumed the onerous duties of premier and foreign minister while in none too robust health, went on a strict diet, his famous cook, Madame Rosalie, has been almost insoluble.

Madame Rosalie has cooked for some of the most famous persons of her time, as she presides over the kitchens of the Quai d'Orsay and has superintended more than her share of state dinners for visiting celebrities. Up to recently, M. Briand, who has been foreign minister several times, has done ample justice to Madame Rosalie's art, as good food has been one of his chief delights.

Now, however, he is confined by his physicians to broth and toast and such spiritless concoctions and has to eschew formal and official luncheons and dinners. He takes his simple fare at home and then turns up at these functions in time for the coffee and speech-making.

PARIS, Feb. 20.—Americans visiting France this spring will find a new and interesting museum in the old Palais de Justice, where Louis XVI, Marie Antoinette and other famous victims of the revolution were confined before they took their journeys to the guillotine. A lofty, rather gloomy chamber in the Palais, which has been used as a restaurant for some time, will be converted for this purpose.

In the days of terror this room was an anteroom to the Conciergerie, and its walls looked down on

many of the tragic scenes of those stormy times.

PARIS, Feb. 20.—The angler's union of Paris, with a history of 36 years, during which time the total catch of its members has been not far from 36 pounds of fish, has just celebrated its anniversary with a sumptuous banquet, attended by the minister of agriculture and other official dignitaries.

At this banquet one cross of agriculture medal and several bronze medals were awarded. The minister explained that these distinctions were conferred not only to recompense the splendid material results obtained by the union, but also in recognition of the fact that the anglers of Paris have deserved well of the country in having developed with such tenacity one of the prime virtues of life—patience.

After the banquet to justify the eulogies of the minister, a few of the inveterate devotees who had brought their tackle with them, proceeded to the Seine and resumed their favorite pastime, though the water was so murky a fish could not have found a worm there except by accident.

The last annual contest of this union resulted in a catch of a pound and a half, beating all records.

PARIS, Feb. 20.—"Lynch law" has just furnished the French language with two new words which the committee revising the dictionary of the French Academy has officially admitted into good usage. These are "lyncher," a verb, and "lynchage," a noun derived from the verb. "Lyncher" is defined as "to kill without trial—from what the Anglo-Saxons call lynch law, loidutaion," and "lynchage," as the "action of lynching or the result of such action."

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—The German federal railways will make a novel experiment tomorrow, when the first "kultur express" will start from Marburg for Cassel. On this train excursion rates will be charged which will enable the peasants and citizens of small towns not only to see the sights of the big city, but also to utilize its cultural facilities.

The railroad administration has

hired the Cassel state theatre for a special performance for those making the excursion, at which half the usual admission will be charged. Guides will be provided for the museums and historic places.

If this experiment is a success, "kultur expresses" will be run on Sundays to Berlin, Cologne, Dresden and Munich at regular intervals.

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—Germany, reputed to be the land of black-bread, consumes as much white wheat flour as rye, figures from the agriculture department indicate. Not only that, but the newspapers are complaining editorially that the rye bread sold by 90 per cent of the bakeries is not "black" and only part rye.

The centrist party has introduced a bill in the reichstag which seeks to curtail the importation of wheat to stimulate the growing of rye at home. The rye bread, it is complained, has degenerated into a mushy imitation of white bread, instead of being "heavy, hard and good for the teeth and digestion." Pumpernickle is in a class to itself. It is eaten sparingly with cheese or sausage for lunch or supper.

MUNICH, Feb. 20.—Simultaneous with the visit in the United States of Burgomeister Scharrnagel of Munich in connection with the municipal loan obtained in New York, it was announced that Munich has sustained a loss of 350,000 marks by a venture into the hotel business.

As a promotion scheme the city some time ago bought 52 per cent of the stock of the Munich Hotel company, which controlled three Bavarian hotels. The hotels did not pay and the city sold the stock at a loss.

It is also recalled that exactly 600 years ago this month Munich negotiated its first loan. It amounted to \$250 and was obtained from the free city of Regensburg. Some members of the city council at the time protested against the loan because they believed Munich would be forever subject to the dictates of Regensburg.

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—The Anglo-American experiment of garbling Shakespearean actors in knickerbockers or evening dress, cannot be applied to Schiller in Germany, Dr. Leopold Jessner, director general of the Prussian State Theatres in Berlin, has ruled.

One of his producers, Dr. Piscator, was entrusted with the task of bringing out Schiller's "The Robbers." Fritz Kortner, a favorite star, was to play the role of Franz von Moor, oldest son of a mediaeval count. But when the producer prescribed that he wear knickerbockers, Kortner went on strike. He pleaded with Dr. Jessner, who, though known as a modernist, agreed that Franz von Moor in knickers was more than any serious actor could stand. As he did not want to lose Dr. Piscator, however, it was agreed to drop Schiller's drama altogether.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The Bath Club, most exclusive and fashionable center for just what its name implies in all Britain, has for its newest and youngest member the 7-year-old son of Sir Harold Boulton, one of the club's founders.

Young Harold Boulton was entered on the waiting list as soon as he was born, and now is a junior member, the youngest clubman in Piccadilly. His mother takes him regularly to learn swimming, and he splashes around with belted caps and big and little princes, and occasionally passed the time of day with Edward, Prince of Wales, whose favorite West End haunt in London is the club's cooling pool, the Turkish baths and the squash courts in Dover Street.

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BEGIN WORK ON NEW HIGHWAY SOUTH OF U.S.

(By Associated Press)

LAREDO, Tex., Feb. 20.—The nucleus of what promises to be one of the most important and scenic highways on this hemisphere has been started on the Nuevo Laredo-Monterey branch of the Nuevo Laredo-to-Mexico City highway, which is being constructed by the Byrne Bros. Construction Company of Chicago, for the Mexican government. Work of construction from both ends of the Nuevo Laredo-Monterey branch of the highway is now under full headway under the supervision of C. M. Hammeken, assistant superintendent.

Recently Mr. Hammeken and Mexican Consul Y. M. Vasquez headed a delegation composed of M. W. Brennan, Charles Mumm, Sam Mackin, Matias de Llano, J. R. Moore, Benjamin Salinas, J. M. Ramos, W. B. Hamilton, Mexican Vice-Consul Angel Cano del Castillo and J. W. Falvela, on an inspection of part of the road. The highway starts at the international bridge on the Mexican side on Guerrero Street and extends to the National Lines of Mexico Railway tracks. On the South side of these tracks the construction work is under way for five miles. The work is being done by caterpillar tractors and grading machines. Gravel for the base is being hauled from the mountains. A feature of the highway is a tangent of 54 miles. Grades will be kept low and the engineers plan to make the road as straight as possible, eliminating many of the curves. The highway is 30 feet wide, with a traffic base of 18 feet, which will be hard-surfaced.

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News From Neighboring Cities

Programs are being mailed out to the teachers in the ten counties forming the Mid-Texas Teachers Association which will meet in Brownwood on March 5-6.

O. D. Dillingham, formerly of Ballinger and Winters, is building a 2,000 gallon capacity ice cream factory in Abilene. The plant will be ready to operate by May 1st.

The West Texas Telephone Co. have men on the job and will rebuild the Winters exchange, installing the flashlight system. The company proposes to spend \$20,000 making improvements.

Pancia Van Smith, an Abilene ginner, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. He listed his liabilities at \$31,500, and his assets were listed at \$1,825, all the assets being claimed as exempt.

An oil well was spudded in on the Rawlings Ranch three and a half miles Northwest of Bronte, last Sunday. The hole will be drilled to a depth of 3,500 feet, or get oil.

A masked ball at the O. D. H. S. Hall in Rowena last Saturday night drew a record breaking crowd. There were 260 dance tickets sold.

B. A. Dail, a citizen of Eden for

twenty years, shot himself to death at his home about noon last Sunday. Mr. Dail had been in feeble health for some time and his wife had just left his room where she carried him a bowl of soup, when the shot was fired.

Mrs. Oscar Skaggs, of Paint Rock, was brought to Ballinger last Monday and underwent an operation in the Halley & Love Sanitarium. Thirty-nine gall stones and her appendix were removed. She is getting along nicely.

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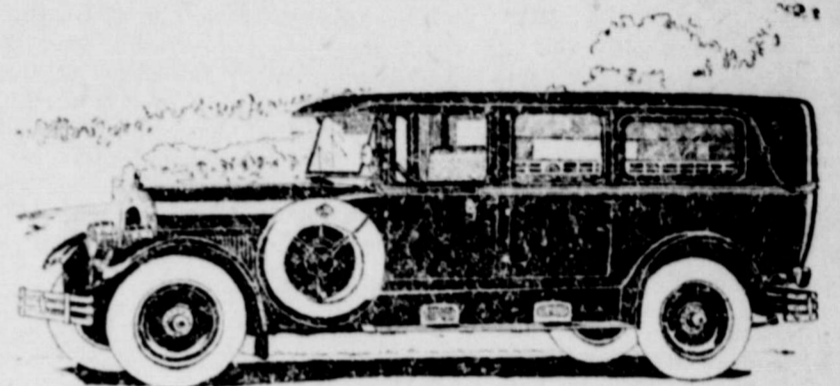
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