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LINDY TAKES SPIRIT OF ST. LOUIS TO N.Y.

(By Associated Press)
MITCHELL, FIELD, N. Y., June 16.—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, who flew to Washington for his plane "The Spirit of St. Louis" in the wee small hours of the morning, returned at 8:00 o'clock this morning. The round trip was made in less than five hours.

He hopped off from here in a borrowed army pursuit plane.

This flight again demonstrated the amazing ability of the flyer to do without sleep. He had slept until noon yesterday but from then on the day was a continual whirl of luncheons, receptions and theatre parties for him.

Today he planned to take a short nap before beginning another crowded program of activities.

WILL APPROVE RAIL MERGER

(By Associated Press)
FT. WORTH, June 16.—Application for the merger of the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth Railroad with the Wichita Falls & Southern, will be approved within 90 days, J. W. Mitchell, vice-president of the former road, said here today.

The application is now before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

SICK MAN NAMED TO HEAD T. P. A.

(By Associated Press)
EL PASO, June 16.—George Neu, of Brenham, who lies ill in a Sweetwater hospital, today was elected president of the Texas Press Association at the opening of the 48th annual convention here.

Neu was stricken with paralysis Tuesday on board the special train bearing the delegates from East Texas.

Indiana Wants Forests

(By Associated Press)
INDIANAPOLIS, June 16.—Indiana has 600,000 acres of waste land which ought to be given over to reforestation, the state conservation department says. It regards the acreage as good for no other purpose.

J. C. Jones, with Anderson & Clayton Company at Abilene, was in Ballinger Wednesday looking after business.

DE PINEDO AT ROME THURSDAY

(By Associated Press)
ROME, June 16.—Commander Francesco De Pinedo, Italian aviator, arrived at Ontis on the coast near Rome today, completing his sensational four-continent flight.

He was greeted by an immense crowd and officially welcomed by Premier Mussolini.

MORE ARRESTS IN FUR STRIKE

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, June 16.—For the third consecutive day police made arrests of left wing fur strikers, taking 300 men and women into custody for congregating on the streets of the fur district.

More than 200 were arrested Tuesday and Wednesday.

CARTER DENIES GAS RUMORS

(By Associated Press)
RANGER, June 16.—Denial that the Lone Star Gas Company had acquired the gas franchises in Ballinger, San Angelo, Winters and Miles was made here this afternoon by Barney Carter, Ranger oil operator.

On the other hand, Carter said, he held the franchises in the four towns.

CAL FISHING FOR TROUT

(By Associated Press)
RAPID CITY, S. D., June 16.—Far from the centers of population, President Coolidge turned to a new life today in the Black Hills of South Dakota where pine covered mountains and wild game almost hedged him from the outside world.

In the center of a 36-square-mile forest, he has set up the summer White House in the state game lodge, where for the next two months he will live in the region skirting the great farming regions of the Northwest.

The president rested today from his two-day journey from Washington and acclimated himself to his new surroundings.

He first tried his luck in a mountain stream filled with trout, equipped with hip boots and his rod and reel.

BROWNSVILLE—(AP)—Because of the recent increasing demand for frogs' legs citizens of the Valley are planning on opening big bull frog farms.

YOUNG MOVIE STARS TO WED

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, June 16.—The Los Angeles Examiner today reported the engagement of Douglas Fairbanks Jr., to Miss Helen Costello.

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Kimes Gang Presents New Type Of Outlaw to the Southwest

(By Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, June 16.—Oklahoma, the one time stamping ground of such picturesque bad men as Henry Starr, Al Spencer and the Dalton boys, is seeing the rise of a new type of outlaw in Matthew Kimes, the most wanted man in Oklahoma today.

Kimes, a slick-haired youth of 21, who graduated into bank robbery from hold-ups at country dances and small town poker games, is formally charged with three bank robberies and the slaying of two peace officers, and is suspected of having played a leading role in virtually every major robbery of a bank in Oklahoma during the last year.

A reward, which members of a bankers' association believe will total \$50,000, is being raised for his capture.

Officers who have studied his habits and career declare Kimes is not the usual type of western desperado. He is short and stocky and affects the metropolitan dress of a modern "drug store cowboy."

George Kimes, a brother of Matt, is serving a long sentence in the penitentiary for participation in one of the crimes.

The Kimes boys are alleged to have picked their home town of Beggs, Oklahoma, for their first venture in major crime. That was in August, 1926, when three young men robbed the Farmers' National Bank of \$5,000, locked a half dozen persons in the vault, and escaped. In May, this year, Matthew Kimes was identified as the leader of a gang of nine bandits who invaded Beggs and robbed two banks of nearly \$18,000, killing the chief of police.

Five days after the first robbery at Beggs the Kimes brothers participated in the robbery of two banks at Covington, in the northwestern corner of the state.

From Covington the Kimes boys and three companions sped eastward in a motor car. They were intercepted by officers at Sallisaw, near the Arkansas state line, and in a gun fight Perry Chuculate, Cherokee Indian deputy sheriff, was fatally wounded and another deputy injured. J. C. Woll, police chief at Sallisaw, and Will Ross, civilian posseman, were overpowered and captured.

Hurrying into the Ozark hills of western Arkansas, the bandits carried on a running fight with other officers. Finally, surrounded by a large posse, the Kimes brothers attempted to



escape on foot. They were wounded and captured. Woll and Ross had been released previously.

Matt and George Kimes were returned to Sallisaw and tried for murder in connection with Chuculate's death. George was sentenced to 25 years in the state prison and Matthew was given 35 years. Matt and the prosecuting officers shared dissatisfaction over the sentence—Kimes because he thought it too heavy and the prosecutors because they believed it too light—and he was granted a new trial. While he was being held for the second trial a mysterious band of six men invaded the town, overpowered the jailers and liberated him. This was in November, 1926. Since then the bandit has been a will-o'-the-wisp figure. He is frequently seen, but he disappears before officers can act.

COMMANDER GETS DEATH

(By Associated Press)
MOSCOW, June 16.—A military and naval tribunal at Krbostadt has sentenced to death Commander Kelpokoff, who formerly commanded a ship of the Baltic fleet, on charges of espionage for Great Britain.

"GORILLA MAN" ESCAPES BUT IS CAPTURED AGAIN

MAN KILLS MOTHER-IN-LAW; SELF

(By Associated Press)
HENDERSON, Rusk Co., June 16.—After shooting and fatally wounding Mrs. James English, his mother-in-law, George Everett, 30, a farmer, living near here turned the rifle on himself, ending his own life, today.

Everett, according to Sheriff W. L. McMurray of Rusk county, went to the English home where Mrs. Everett and their child were. A quarrel began and Mrs. Everett and child suddenly left the room.

Everett fired at Mrs. English and then turned to pursue his wife and child, the sheriff said, but failing to over take them, he turned the rifle on himself.

The body of Mrs. English is being held in Henderson and Everett's body was taken to Longview for burial.

Misses Clara and Josephine Burrus left Wednesday for Flagstaff, Ariz., where they will spend the summer.

(By Associated Press)
WINNIPEG, Manitoba, Canada, June 16.—The man who escaped from the Killarney jail last night, fifteen minutes after being lodged in a double-locked cell on the suspicion of being the "gorilla man," slayer of a score of women and children in the United States and Canada, was re-captured today by a posse of citizens and police.

Chief of Detectives George Smith, of Winnipeg, declared he was certain that the prisoner was the man who strangled to death Mrs. Emily Patterson, 27, and Lola Cowan, 14, here several days ago.

SHULTZ SHIPPING STEERS TO KANSAS CITY MARKET

Stuart Shultz, of Paint Rock, was in Ballinger Thursday to load out six cars of fat steers to the Kansas City market. The steers have been on feed for some time and are in fine condition for shipping. Top prices are expected to be paid for the animals.

H. W. Lynn, of Winters, was in Ballinger Wednesday afternoon looking after business here.

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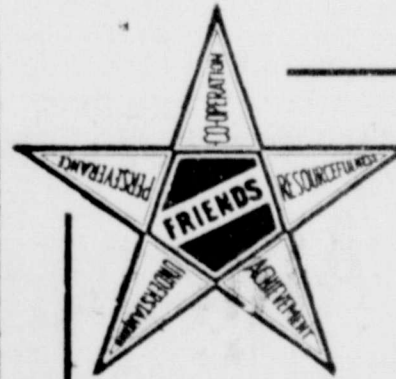


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PROTECT THE BIRDS

There are many birds in this section of the country. Some are destructive and others benefit the farmer and truck grower and the latter species should be protected to the fullest extent.

There is a law which states that it is a misdemeanor to kill any kind of a bird except game birds and birds that are destructive. Birds that should be killed are ravens, buzzards, hawks, English sparrows, blackbirds, road runners and others that destroy crops, kill domestic fowls and carry disease. The government does not object to the slaying of these winged pests but they do expect other birds that do good and furnish pleasure and enjoyment to be protected.

Mocking birds, redbirds bluebirds and the like, that are seen here and make their homes in this section during certain seasons, should be protected. But they are not protected as they should be as small boys often shoot them with nigger-shooters and air-guns.

It is a misdemeanor, not only to kill or wound one of these birds, but also to capture one and keep it caged. The penalty for such an offense is a fine of not less than \$10 and not more than \$200.

Parents of boys who have "nigger-shooters" and air rifles should tell the boys it is against the law to molest such birds and instead of destroying them, to protect them as much as they can. Several complaints have been registered here and it is hoped that the young citizens will desist from bothering such birds rather protecting them and killing the obnoxious flyers.

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SUBERNATORIAL PORTRAITS



(By Associated Press)

SALT LAKE CITY, June 16.—Governor George H. Dern is not an "Ask Me Another" fan but he spends almost every evening at home contending with questions and answers. Home study of metallurgy is his favorite pastime. He has collaborated in the perfection of several gold-extracting processes, including the Holt-Dern roaster.

The Utah chief executive was first elected in 1914 on a fusion ticket of democrats and progressives. Four years later he was re-elected as a democrat, being the state's second democratic governor. Also he is the second non-Mormon to hold the office.

As a sophomore at Nebraska in 1894 Dern was captain of the football team which won the Missouri Valley conference championship.

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UP AND DOING HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The club met with Mrs. G. M. Milliken June 17.

Mrs. Hollingsworth was present and a dress form was made for Mrs. A. B. Davis. The house dress contest was discussed and we hope several members will enter.

We were glad to have Mrs. Key Williams join our club.

Delicious ice cream and cake were served to the following members: Mites, Lura Hollingsworth, J. C. Bloxom, Jack Mathis, George Holliday, A. B. Davis, H. O. Andrews, Key Williams, T. M. Ferguson, Jess Smith, H. P. Michaelis.

Visitors included Mmes. W. E. Allen, S. P. Hathaway, Price Richardson, and Miss Ada Allen.

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LADWIG BROTHERS

The next meeting will be held July 1st with Mrs. Fred Parker. Alteration of dress patterns will be the subject. The time to meet has been changed to 3:00 o'clock. Club Reporter.

BREEZY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The club met with Mrs. Edward Allison June 9th, in one of the biggest meetings the club has ever had, as 14 out of the 20 members were present, and also three visitors. The meeting might be called a "2 in 1," for we had the yeast bread demonstration and the set-in pocket and bound button-hole demonstration too. Both were a great success, and I think the husbands of the Spring Hill community will say so too when they eat some of the wonderful yeast breads their wives have learned to make.

We will meet with Mrs. Hugh Parrish on June 23rd when Mrs.

Owen Aycock will give us the pattern alteration demonstration. Everybody try and be there at 3:00 o'clock.

Those members present were: Mmes. Owen Aycock, Ernest Aycock, Edward Allison, John Dean, W. H. Dean, Will Aycock, Lee Evans, R. A. Jefeant, Hugh Parrish, Morris Wheelis, Robert Wheelis, F. A. Duncan, Will Tyree, and S. M. Jonas. The visitors were Mmes. Clyde Allison and C. G. Allison, and Miss Estelle Ingle. Mrs. Hollingsworth

also was present and there was indeed a large crowd. Now, club members, let's try to make all our meetings this large. Club Reporter.

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H. W. LYNN TO RETURN HERE

H. Warren Lynn, of Winters, formerly of this city, has been made manager of the oil mill here, recently purchased from the Ballinger Oil Mill by Anderson & Clayton Company of Houston.

The announcement of the appointment of a new manager was made Thursday morning.

J. C. Jones, with Anderson & Clayton at Abilene, and Mr. Lynn were in Ballinger Wednesday afternoon conferring with H. Giesecke, president, and Arthur Giesecke, manager and secretary of the old oil mill company.

Mr. Lynn has made Winters his home for eleven years and he declared Thursday morning that he was moving back to Ballinger, to be with the Anderson & Clayton Company. He lived in Ballinger for eleven years before going to Winters as manager of the Winters oil mill. During the twenty-two years he has lived in Runnels county he has been connected continuously with the Ballinger and Winters oil mills and will continue in this business with the new company. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn will move back to Ballinger within the next thirty or sixty days.

The manager of the Winters mill, which was also purchased by Anderson & Clayton, has not been named, but announcement of this appointment will be made within the next few weeks.

"It feels good to be moving back to Ballinger and the old gang here," Mr. Lynn said Thursday.

Arthur Giesecke, who has been manager of the local oil mill for the past two years, will be manager of the Runnels County Gins.

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PIONEER BURIED IN OLD RUNNELS

"Dutch John" Laager, over 80 years old, a pioneer of this section where he had resided for 52 years, was buried Thursday morning at 10:00 o'clock in the Old Runnels cemetery following services held at the King-Holt undertaking parlors here.

Rev. E. W. McLaurin, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, was in charge of the services. A large crowd of old friends and young ones, too, were present for the last rites, and now John lies peacefully under the sod of the old cemetery. The floral offering was large. Many women were present and almost every one brought large bouquets for the grave. John had requested that he be buried in the Old Runnels cemetery, and also that Commissioner R. J. Deens ride in the hearse which took him to his last resting place.

Although "Dutch John" is dead, the memory of his life will long linger in the minds of the citizens of this county who had been more or less associated with him since he came here over half a century ago.

ECONOMIC CONFERENCE ON AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The Economic Conference is now on at the Baptist Church. Dr. Finney spoke at 10:30 a. m. on "The Model Church." A splendid group was in attendance, including representatives from Miles, Bronte and Norton communities.

Tonight, Thursday, at 8:30 o'clock, Dr. Finney will deliver an address on the subject, "Man or Monkey."

The conference will continue through Friday. Large crowds are expected from all over the Association for Friday's meeting. Dr. Finney will teach "Stewardship Vitalize" beginning at 10:00 a. m.

A welcome is extended to all who will come to these meetings.

J. H. McCLAIN,
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Movies

Pauline Starke Featured in Next Attraction at Palace

Pauline Starke, who has the feminine lead opposite Col. Tim McCoy in "War Paint," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's original western film drama to be seen tomorrow and Saturday at the Palace Theatre, began her screen career as a child.

When D. W. Griffith was directing "The Birth of a Nation," Pauline accompanied her mother to the studio and was there seen by the great director who immediately gave her a contract to work in his stock company. For some years she has been a leading woman and featured player in many box-office successes.

War Novel on Screen at Palace Theatre

"The Great Deception," which closes a run at the Palace Theatre tonight, is the photoplay version of the George Gibbs novel, entitled "The Yellow Dove," which will be remembered as one of the most successful "war stories" ever published in America.

Ben Lyon appears as Cyril, the intrepid British aviator; Aileen Pringle as Lois, Basil Rathbone as Rizzio, chief of the German secret service in London, and Sam Hardy as Handy, Cyril's trusted pal and aviation mechanic.

Charlette Walker, Amelia Summerville and Hubert Wilke are others of prominence in the cast. The picture is released by First National.

Some of the daredevil aviation scenes shown in the picture were

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CHANGES ROAD AT MUSTANG

With the completion of the new Mustang Creek bridge, nine miles east of Ballinger on the Humble pump station road, Tuesday afternoon, work was started on changing the road from a ford up the stream to the bridge, and this work is expected to be completed this week.

The new bridge, costing approximately \$4,000, was built by the Austin Bridge Company of Dallas, and is one of the best of its kind in the county. It has a main steel structure of about 50 feet, a concrete approach on the east bank of 40 feet, and a concrete approach on the west bank of about 105 feet, making it almost 200 feet in length.

This bridge will be a great convenience to citizens living in that part of Rannels county.

The road leading to the pump station is in excellent condition and the road crew this week is doing additional work at the bridge so that it may be used as soon as possible. Road work near the bridge is expected to be completed some time this week.

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NEW LOCATION FOR PENN HALL

Removal is being made this week of Penn Hall, the wooden structure on the school campus between the Junior high and Central ward buildings to the Senior high campus, where it will be used next fall to house the manual training department of the high school, R. T. Williams, one of the members of the buildings committee of the school board of trustees, announced Thursday.

The room used last term for this department will be made into a class room it was declared.

The change is being made so work done in the manual training department will not disturb the other students of the high school.

Channel Catfish, fresh at Moor's Cafe today. 14-3rd

WICHITA FALLS—(AP)—A Fort Worth & Denver switch engine was used effectively to pull a truck driven by C. S. Plunkett from a mud hole beside the railroad tracks.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT COMPLETES WORK TUESDAY

The Commissioners Court met Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the office of Judge Paul Trimmer and worked out the regular routine business of the past month, ordering bills paid and looking after other regular business.

In addition a few notices on tax renditions were also sent out

from the court. The court completed work for May Tuesday and adjourned until next month.

Sole Negro Daily
CHICAGO, June 16.—A negro daily newspaper inaugurated here is the only one in the United States. Others have been started in several cities, including Chicago, but have been short lived.

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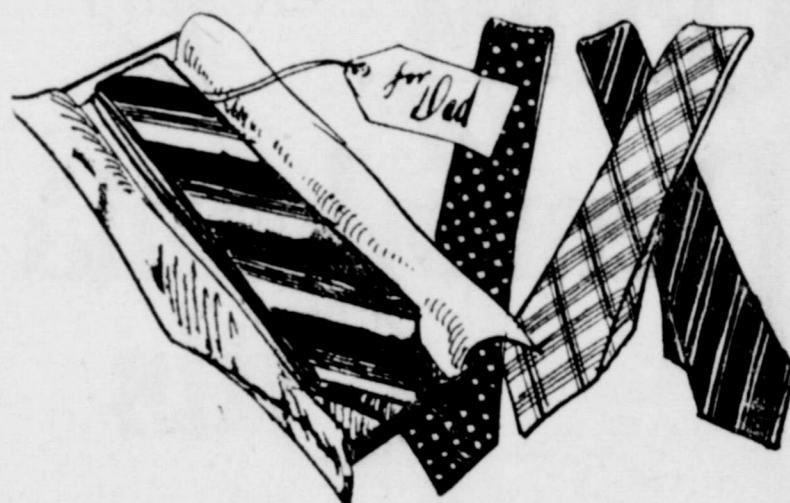
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DEATHS

Mrs. W. L. Bush
Mrs. W. L. Bush, 18 years 5 days of age, residing 6 miles south of Paint Rock on the Frank Pierce place, died Wednesday morning at 4:00 o'clock.

She is survived by her husband, W. L. Bush, and a two-day old baby born this week.

Funeral services were held at the Paint Rock cemetery with Rev. Brown, pastor of the Paint Rock Presbyterian Church, officiating.

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UTILITIES WANTS COHEN FIREMEN ASSN. OFFICER

Earl Morley, manager of District G of the West Texas Utilities Company, announced Thursday that every district manager of the company had wired the State Firemen's Association in convention at San Antonio, asking and recommending that Chief Louis Cohen of the Ballinger fire department, be made fourth vice-president of the association.

The convention proper opened Wednesday morning in San Antonio, with practically every department in the state having representatives present.

There are eight districts in the West Texas Utilities Company's system, and each manager sent telegrams recommending Mr. Cohen.

Other towns who have candidates for the state office which eventually leads to the presidency of the firemen's association, are San Antonio and Del Rio.

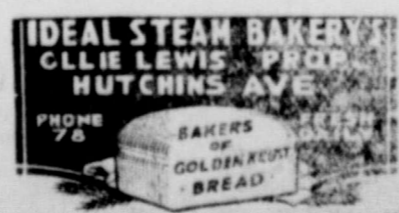
Newby Simpson, of Desdemona, is here visiting his grandmother, Mrs. D. C. Simpson, and other relatives.

WICHITA FALLS—(AP)—Cupid's darts were blunted in June here as shown by court records. Only 33 marriage licenses were issued as compared with 43 in the same time last year. Divorces granted for the same time totaled 29, a considerable increase over last year.



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