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BALLINGER, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1928

MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

## REPUBLICAN WAR MAP BEING MADE

(By International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, June 19.—Senator Charles Curtis, Republican vice-presidential nominee, arrived here today, and plans for the Republican campaign began to assume more definite shape. Curtis will lunch with Herbert Hoover, after which political war maps will be laid out. Topics the two are expected to discuss include the national committee chairmanship, Hoover's resignation, farm relief, where notification ceremonies will occur, and character of the campaign.

## FRENCH FAMILY WALKS 540 MILES TO PARIS CARRYING BELONGINGS

(By International News Service)  
PARIS, June 15.—Turned out of their apartment in Nice, Monsieur and Madame Perip walked 540 miles to Paris, pushing a baby carriage containing their two children and a small amount of baggage. They made the journey in 93 days. En route they obtained the signature of 50,000 protesting Frenchmen who, like themselves, want house-clearing reforms brought about which will prevent being turned into the street. The baby carriage was plastered with posters to this effect. Upon their arrival in Paris, they presented Monsieur Barthou with the petition.

## GERMAN NAVY WILL CONTROL UNMANNED VESSELS BY RADIO

(By International News Service)  
WILHELMSHAVEN, June 19.—Following successful experiments with automobiles directed by wireless, the German navy started experiments to direct an unmanned ship by radio from land, or from another ship. For this purpose the old German 14,000-ton battleship, the "Zachringen" has been scrapped to the very hulk and transformed into a floating target ship, which will soon be used for gunnery practice by the German navy. Without a human being aboard and with but a small engine left in the hulk the ship will be directed by wireless through a special device, which the German naval authorities keep secret. Turret, guns and inside construction have been entirely removed and cork put in instead so as to keep the target afloat as long as possible. A new arrangement of bulkheads distributed all over the target ship will make it possible to raise the hulk by means of pumps even if it has been hard hit and sunk below the surface. While the German naval authorities declare that the radio-directed ship will serve the navy as a cheap and almost unsinkable target experts prophesy that successful tests of the new device may revolutionize shipbuilding and future naval warfare.

## PURE OIL COMPANY IN NEW LOCATION

The Pure Oil Company is rigging up on the location recently made on the H. Giesecke ranch, 18 miles east of Ballinger, and the well will be spudded this week. A three-mile water line has been laid from Grape Creek to the new location, and gas has been piped from Pure No. 2 Giesecke. Vacuum-Flanagan No. 1, about two and a half miles northeast of the discovery well, has passed the 2,800-foot mark, with 37 feet of sand encountered. The Vacuum Company intends to make a deep test at this location. Griswold et al No. 1, Willingham, about half a mile northwest of the first Vacuum producer, is drilled around 2,430 feet.

## M'ADOO WILL NOT BE AT HOUSTON

(By International News Service)  
LOS ANGELES, June 19.—William Gibbs McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury and presidential candidate four years ago, will not attend the national convention at Houston next week. This became known today when announcement was made that McAdoo and family will go to Santa Barbara within the next few days to spend the summer. Mrs. McAdoo, daughter of the late President Wilson, will enter the Metabolic Clinic at Santa Barbara for several days. She is not seriously ill, however.

## WOMAN FLYER NOW IN LONDON

(By International News Service)  
SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., June 19.—Miss Amelia Earhart, Boston aviatrix and first woman to span the Atlantic Ocean by airplane, and her two companions, Pilot Wilmer Stultz and Mechanic Louis Gordon, reached Southampton in the monoplane Friendship yesterday afternoon. Ships in the channel set up a din with whistles and sirens as soon as the plane was sighted. The intrepid fliers were given an enthusiastic welcome by the entire citizenship. The trio took off in their trans-Atlantic plane this morning for Barry Port, after a careful inspection of the monoplane.

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., June 19.—Miss Amelia Earhart, Pilot Wilmer Stultz, and Mechanic Louis Gordon left via automobile for London at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. Before leaving Miss Earhart told a hundred newspaper men that the flight was not made for money to "pay off the mortgage on the old family homestead." The flight was part of her June vacation, she said.

## MEXICAN AGRICULTURAL SCHOOLS TO OPEN SOON

(By Trens News Agency)  
MEXICO CITY, June 19.—President Calles will inaugurate agricultural schools in the states of Chihuahua and Mexico this month according to an announcement of Dr. Jose G. Pares, secretary in charge of the department of foreign relations. The president recently inaugurated a school in the state of Puebla at Chapuseo which will have a capacity for two hundred boys from the states of Puebla, Tlaxcala, Guerrero and Mexico. The founding of agricultural schools in each state of the republic has been one of the outstanding features of the administration of President Calles.

Mrs. H. W. Smith and daughter, of Angleton, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown here this week.

## COUNTRY CLUB ELECTS BOARD

A board of directors, composed of four members, was elected at a meeting of the stockholders of the Ballinger Country Club Monday night. Twenty-five members were in attendance. New directors elected at the meeting are Dr. J. G. Douglass, A. K. Doss, H. W. Lynn, and W. R. Bogle. Officers of the board will be elected at an early meeting. Retiring directors were C. L. Baker, Roy Reeder, J. Y. Pearce, and E. M. Lynn. Plans for retiring outstanding indebtedness of the club were discussed, and other business was disposed of at the meeting.

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## "Bud" Stillman and Backwoods Bride Rent Home Near Harvard

(By International News Service)  
BROOKLINE, Mass., June 19.—A cozy apartment, far from little as apartments go, will house "Bud" Stillman, heir to the Stillman millions, and his bob-haired Canadian backwoods bride, Lena Wilson Stillman, next fall. The Stillmans just returned from a year's honeymoon in Europe and completed house-keeping plans for 1928-29 when "Bud" will be a student at the Harvard Medical School. The Stillman apartment is on the third floor of one of the most modern of Brookline's apartment buildings. There is no elevator in the building, as those who live there, wish to get the benefit of the exercise on the stairs. The former backwoods girl from Canada will do all the housework in the six-room apartment. The kitchen, where Mrs. "Bud" Stillman will prepare lunch for her homecoming husband, is in the middle of the apartment and adjoining it is a spacious pantry and then the dining room. All six rooms are large and airy. The Stillmans are paying \$135 a month for the rental of the apartment. Right now they are picking out the necessary furnishings. Brie-a-brac and odds and ends will be secured in Canada during their summer vacation on the Stillman summer estate. "Bud's" new home is only five minutes walk from the Harvard Medical School where the former Princetonian will be a first year student in the fall.

## 175 MEMBERS AT M. W. A. MEETING ASKS MONOPLY SUITS KILLED

(By International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, June 19.—The remarkable progress in radio transmission experienced in the United States never would have been possible without the system of cross-licensing of patents practiced by the Radio Corporation of America and other equipment manufacturers. John W. Davis, of New York, counsel for the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Western Electric Company, told the federal trade commission today, and asked the dismissal of pending monopoly suits.

(By International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, June 19.—A hundred and fifteen applicants for licenses to practice medicine in the state appeared here today to take the state examination. Mrs. A. M. Haygood, mother of Mrs. J. W. Macune of this city, died at her home in New Orleans at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning, a telegram to Dr. Macune here revealed. Mrs. Macune had been at the bedside of her mother about a week.

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## TO PROBE COLD DRINK CONCERN

(By International News Service)  
AUSTIN, June 19.—Investigation of one of the largest cold drink corporations in the country, with capital stock of \$1,000,000, will be made by the attorney general's department, it was learned here today. R. M. Tilley, assistant attorney general, is leaving for San Antonio this afternoon to begin a preliminary probe. He refused to divulge the name of the concern under investigation, but said that it was from out of the state.

## ATTEMPT EAST-WEST FLIGHT

(By International News Service)  
ST. JOHNS, Newfoundland, June 19.—It was reported here today that Miss Mabel Boll and her companions had abandoned the idea of flying from America to Europe, but they will try to make a flight from Europe to America instead. The trio plans to sail for Europe June 25, taking the plane along. The east-west flight will begin in the early part of July, according to present plans of the fliers.

## ARKANSAS SOLON IS SLATED FOR PARTY CHAIRMAN

(By International News Service)  
HOUSTON, June 19.—Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas is slated for permanent chairman of the Democratic National Convention it was indicated here today.

## NOVELIST DIES FROM INJURIES

(By International News Service)  
CORK, Ireland, June 19.—Donn Byrne, world famous novelist and author of "Messer Marco Polo," was killed in an automobile crash here today, death occurring immediately after the accident.

## SMITH OPENS HIS TEXAS QUARTERS

(By International News Service)  
HOUSTON, June 19.—Gov. Albert Ritchie's resignation of the Democratic race for the identical nomination was with quiet satisfaction Smith managers already ground. George R. Yager, ad his staff, that Governor Smith had indicated on the lot.

HOUSTON, June 19.—"Smith for President" headquarters will be established here today with the arrival of George R. Van Namee, pre-convention campaign manager of the New York governor.

Gov. Smith's supporters are confident that their favorite will go over on an early ballot when voting starts at the convention next week. It is generally understood here that a referendum will be asked on the prohibition question.

## MINNESOTA LAW TO END BEGGING FOR "LIPTS"

(By International News Service)  
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 19.—"Roadside bums," who signal passing motorists for a ride are having tough sledding, but accidents to pedestrians are decreasing, according to officials of the highway department. A new section of the Minneapolis highway traffic act, reads: "No person shall stand in the travelled portion of the roadway for the purpose of or while soliciting a ride from a driver of any vehicle, other than a common carrier."

"Bumming a ride," according to state officials, has disappeared almost and safety to the walking public has increased. Similar "bumming" legislation is reported under consideration in several other midwestern states.

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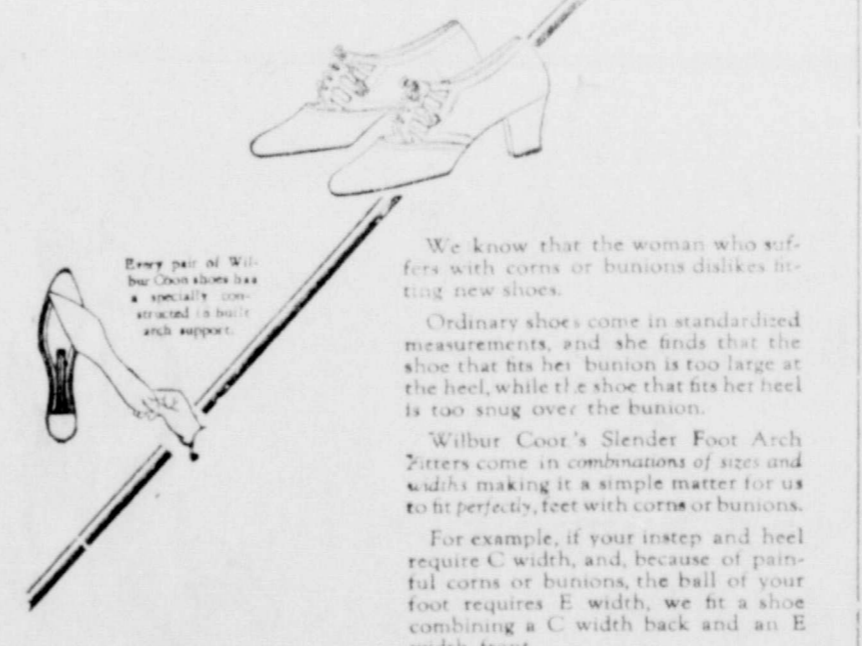
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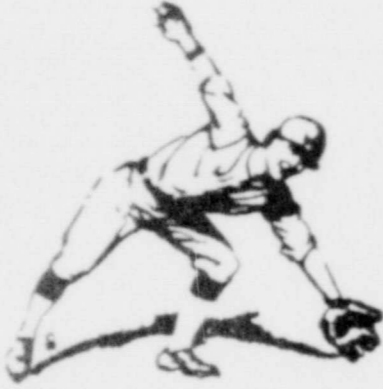
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**MOVIES**

**Molly O'Day and John Boles in Cast of "Shepherd of the Hills"**

A new romantic combination comes to the screen in First National Pictures' big screen version of Harold Bell Wright's classic, "The Shepherd of the Hills."

In the picture, which is to head the bill at the Palace Theatre tomorrow and Thursday, the lovers are Molly O'Day and John Boles. Miss O'Day recently played opposite Richard Barthelmess in "The Patent Leather Kid," and opposite Milton Sills in "Hard Boiled Haggerty." Boles was leading man in Gloria Swanson's "The Loves of Sunya." He is a recruit from musical comedy.

They make a striking pair of lovers and their appearance together in "The Shepherd of the Hills" may lead to other pictures in which they carry the burden of romance. With them in the cast of the picture are such notable players as Alec B. Francis, Otis Harlan, Matthew Betz, Romaine Fielding, Joseph Bennett, Maurice Murphy and Carl Stockdale. Another pleasing love affair that figures in the dramatic plot of "The Shepherd of the Hills" is enacted between another pair of newcomers, Marion Douglas and John Westwood. Miss Douglas is a strikingly beautiful blonde and Westwood, tall athletic and handsome, was a Princeton youth selected by screen tests in a complete canvass of the universities for actors, conducted by First National Pictures.

Albert Rogell directed "The Shepherd of the Hills," which Charles R. Rogers produced for First National. The famous novel was adapted to the screen by Marion Jackson.

**Dance**

Dance at Offen Andersen Hall, Thursday night, June 21st. Music by the "Blue Moon Six" of San Angelo. Everybody invited.

Committee, 19-11a

**Notice of Sale**

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Coleman, In the District Court of Coleman County, Texas: E. P. Scarborough vs. J. M. Sluder et al. Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Coleman County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 11th day of April, 1928, in favor of the said E. P.

Scarborough, and against J. M. Sluder as principal, and J. P. McCord and Leon L. Shield, independent executors of the will and estate of Upton Henderson, deceased, and the defendants Leon L. Shield and J. P. McCord, independent executors of the will and estate of Upton Henderson, deceased, recovered judgment against the defendant, J. M. Sluder, No. 4306, on the docket of said Court, I did on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1928, at 10:00 a. m. levy upon the following described tract and parcels of land situated in the county of Runnels, State of Texas, and belonging to the said J. M. Sluder, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Runnels County, Texas, being 85 acres of land out of the J. W. Holloway Survey No. 129, abst. No. 624, patent No. 356, volume 13, described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point in the E. line of an 80 acre tract known as B. Stell's tract and S. W. corner of Geo. Hall survey No. 332, from which a mesquite bears North 34 East 36 varas and a L. O. bears S. 37 E.; Thence South at which 134 varas pass Southeast corner of 80 acre from which a L. O. 20 in bears 8.88 1-2 West 243 varas continue course South 27, 865 varas to North line of Isaac P. Wallace survey No. 139; Thence East with North line of said Wallace survey No. 620 varas to West line of what is known as the A. K. Kirby tract. Thence North 105 varas to South line of the A. K. Kirby; Thence West 18 varas to Southwest corner of said Kirby tract; Thence North 760 varas to Northwest corner of said A. L. Kirby tract in South line of George Hall survey No. 322; Thence West 620 varas with line of said Hall survey to place of beginning.

An on the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1928, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will

offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to said property.

Dated at Ballinger, Texas, this 2nd day of June, A. D. 1928. R. E. McWILLIAMS, Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas. d-5-12-19

Mrs. Bruce's Sunday school class will serve ice cream and home made cake on the court house lawn Friday night, June

22nd. Proceeds go to funds for erection of the new church. 18-6td

Misses Helen Williams and Jewel Chaney, and Neil McAlpine and Lawrence Gregg visited in Fort Worth during the week-end. Miss Williams remained in Fort Worth for a visit of a week, and the others returned home.

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**COUNTY BOARD  
 MAKETS TICKET**

The ticket of the county for the Democratic primary was arranged and assessments against candidates for election expenses were made at a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Rannels county here Monday. Judge A. O. Strother, chairman of the county board, presided at the meeting.

Assessments were apportioned on the basis of candidates rather than offices, as has previously been the practice. Under this plan an established charge will be made against each candidate, regardless of the number in the race for a particular office, it was pointed out.

Candidates for the various offices were assessed as follows: Offices of county clerk, tax collector, tax assessor, county judge and county attorney, \$90; offices of sheriff, public treasurer, district clerk, public weighers of precincts Nos. 1 and 5, and county superintendent, \$50; offices of county commissioners, and justice of the peace of precinct 1, \$25; offices of justice of the peace of Winters, public weigher of Wingate, and county surveyor, \$12.50; offices of all other precinct justices and constables, \$5.

Names of candidates were drawn by lot, and will be placed on the ballot accordingly. Candidates for the various offices were filed as follows: County clerk, 3; tax collector, 3; tax assessor, 2; county judge, 1; county attorney, 2; sheriff, 1; treasurer, 1; district clerk, 3; and county commissioners, 8. No applications for justice of the peace of Miles were filed.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Billie Brown and Miss Carrie Bess Culwell.  
 Harry B. Melton and Miss Beulah Parker.  
 Gaylon Wayne Hart and Miss Myrtle Mae Mitchell.  
 Roy Lambert and Miss Ola Dell Rhodes.  
 Ben Palmer and Miss Willie Mae Wester.  
 John A. Wachs and Miss Rosa Andral.  
 Alva Strickland and Miss Alberta Wiley.  
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**FINAL DETAILS  
 CONCERT MADE**

Details of the concert by Phil Coleman, world's greatest basso profundo, who appears at the Palace Theatre here tonight, have been completed, and Forest R. Rees, manager, declared that every indication pointed to a capacity house in attendance to hear the celebrated artist.

The program of the evening has been arranged, and encores will be songs of familiar themes. The complete program follows:

Group One:  
 Neptune.....Stanley Gordon  
 Annie Laurie.....Liza Leyman  
 Cellar Cool.....Fran D'Alquen  
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 Group Two:  
 Big Bass Viol.....Bohanon  
 The Heart Bowed Down.....Balfe  
 A Thousand Leagues.....Petrie  
 Group Three:  
 The Trumpeter.....Arlei Dix  
 Mother Machree.....Johnson  
 Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep.....Knight  
 Group Four:  
 Down in the Deep Let Me Sleep When I Die.....Petrie  
 I Love a Lassie.....Harry Lander  
 On the Road to Mandalay.....Oley Speaks  
 Roll on Thou Deep and Dark Blue Ocean.....Petrie  
 Lay My Head Beneath a Rose.....McFarland

Mr. Coleman will be accompanied at the piano by Fred Baldwin, formerly pianist for the New York Philharmonic Orchestra.

**I. O. O. F. LODGES  
 OF COUNTY HOLD  
 MEMORIAL SERVICES**

Joint annual memorial services of the I. O. O. F. lodges of the county were held on the court house lawn at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Members of the Winters, Miles, and Wingate lodges assembled with the local Odd Fellows in the hall here at 3 o'clock, and proceeded by drill formation to the court house park.

The welcome address was made by W. C. McCarver, Past Grand. The sermon was preached by Rev. Peters, pastor of the First Christian Church of San Angelo, who was principal speaker of the services. Obituaries were read by E. E. King, Past Grand, and the invocation and benediction were pronounced by Rev. Alvin O. Rue, pastor of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, and Rev. J. H. McClain, pastor of the Ballinger Baptist Church.

In addition to the members from the respective lodges of the county, many visitors were present. Each lodge fostered a large representation.

**BLANTON VOTES BONDS  
 FOR TEACHERS' HOME**

The bond election for the purpose of securing funds for the erection of a teachers' home at Blanton, 8 miles northeast of Ballinger, carried by a fair margin, County Superintendent R. E. White announced.

The face of the bonds is \$1,200. A modern teacherage will be constructed prior to the opening of school this fall.

**NERVOUS HEADACHE**

**Kentuckian Tells How Taking Black-Draught Relieved His Pains and How Well He Feels Now.**

Waynesburg, Ky.—How a few doses of Theodor's Black-Draught brought relief to a man who had been suffering from frequent spells of severe headache, is told below in the statement of Mr. Charles F. Todd, of Estesburg, near this place.

"I was suffering with nervous headaches. About once a week I would have these headaches, and have to quit work, and go to bed for about twenty-four hours. I would have pains in my neck, and right behind my right ear.

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**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4:**  
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ODESSA—Prospects are said to be good for the discovery of oil in the Shoup test well east of here.

WICHITA FALLS—Fain Mc-Gaha interests have completed two oil producers in southeast Wilbarger county.

RUSK—A \$62,000 contract has been let for the construction of a new hospital building for the insane here.

POINT ISABEL—A 220-room hotel to cost \$500,000 will be built here.

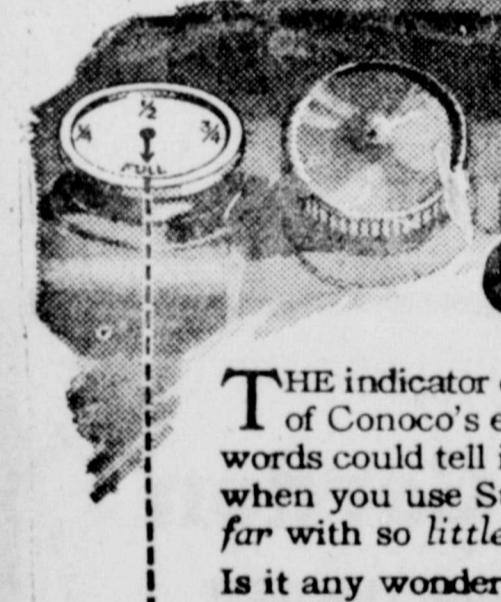
WILLACY COUNTY WILL SHIP 2,500,000 MELONS; 5,000 ACRES OF FRUIT

RAYMONDVILLE, June 19.—Willacy county's watermelon crop this year will approximate 2,500,000 melons, according to conservative estimates of growers in this section.

The second carload of melons has just left here for Houston. The first carload of this season's yield left a few days previously. Approximately 100 carloads per day will leave here when the season gets well under way, and growers maintain that the 1928 crop will aggregate 2,500 carloads in this county.

Yturria is the greatest watermelon center in the state. There 2,000 acres are under cultivation in the Harry J. Landa, Howard Craig, J. E. Hammer, Crisp Brothers and other farms. Considerable acreage is under cultivation at San Perita, Lasara, Hargill, Lyford and Sebastian. The total acreage of the county devoted to watermelon production is approximately 5,000 acres.

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## LOCAL INSURANCE SALESMAN AUTHOR OF TRADE ARTICLE

Charles H. Dobbs is the author of an article appearing in the Insurance Field, professional publication for life insurance salesmen, June 8th issue. The topic treated by Mr. Dobbs was "Curbing Insurance Bootleggers."

Attention was called to the methods of curbing the "bootleg" evil in the article, and demand was made that vigorous steps be taken against the operations of unlicensed companies.

Mr. Dobbs is a representative here of the American Central Life Insurance Company.

Miss Lenore Smith left Tuesday morning for Hillsboro, where she has accepted a position in the office of the district attorney.

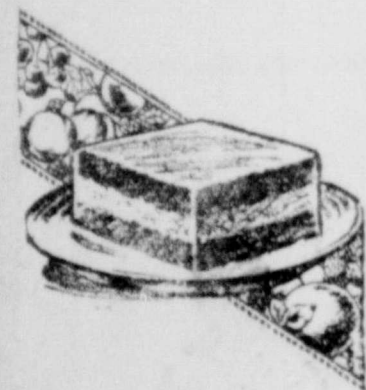
Mrs. Charlie Witt was called to Robert Lee Tuesday morning to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. W. B. Cobb, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. W. B. Halley and Mrs. Jennie Kirk attended a session of a school of instruction of the Order of Eastern Star in Abilene Tuesday afternoon.

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# AUTOMOBILES TO KILL 24,000 IN U. S. THIS YEAR

By Francis Armstrong  
(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

CHICAGO, June 19—Approximately 24,000 Americans will meet their death through automobile accidents this year, if the present ratio keeps up, according to statistics prepared by S. H. Nerlove and W. J. Graham, of the commerce and administration faculty at the University of Chicago.

Despite safeguards which are being thrown up constantly to protect pedestrians and motorists, automobile fatalities are increasing at the rate of 1,755 a year statistics show, on a basis of comparison between the years 1917 and 1926.

As many as 25,800 persons may be killed this year, Nerlove said, and mathematical projection seems to be carried out for the first period of the year.

**Growing Fatalities**  
"Fatalities have been climbing constantly at a rapid rate, from year to year, and on the basis of all present indications, the rather alarming tendency will continue," the report of the two experts says.

Data for the survey was obtained from various states and from the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

"Our data shows that on a basis of the nine year period 1917-1926 fatalities due to the automobile have been increased

geometrically at a constant rate of about 10.7 per cent. On the basis of the five year period 1921-1926, the trend seems to be somewhat different. Instead of increasing geometrically, these fatalities appear to be increasing arithmetically by a constant amount of approximately 1,770. If this is an accurate indication of the trend, our figures show that the automobile death toll will be approximately 23,440 in 1928.

"The straight line trend for the period between 1921 and 1926, showing 10.2 individuals killed per 100,000 population, would indicate almost 20 fatalities per 100,000 for 1928. A compound interest curve, which fits the data more accurately, shows 21.6 fatalities per 100,000.

Non-fatal automobile injuries have been increasing at an even more rapid rate, according to the survey, although the results were tabulated on a more incomplete basis than that of fatal accidents.

In 1921, it is estimated, there were approximately 216,300 non-fatal injuries caused by automobiles. Since then, the figures show, there has been a steady increase of about 23 per cent a year.

**Autos Increase**  
This would mean 816 people injured in every 100,000, on a basis of an estimated national population of 119,204,000 at midyear.

"Some consolation is afforded by a comparison of death rates and automobile registrations," the report states. "Fatalities per 100,000 of automobiles registered dropped from 112.2 in 1921 to 93.4 in 1926. This decrease was due to the enormously greater number of machines registered."

"In 1928 the death rate per 100,000 probably will be around

86. "The rate of non-fatal injuries, however, seems to be more than keeping pace with new registrations."

"The report indicates quite conclusively that the automobile as an instrument of injury and death has stubbornly defied all the preventative measures now employed."

"One is forced to the conclusion that as long as we have automobiles, we shall be subject to a very serious automobile hazard."

## BENOIT ITEMS

The farmers are very busy this week, some are chopping cotton, while the majority are cutting and bailing the grain crop. Not many will use the threshing but the combine will be used more.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nix, of Bradshaw, were guests in the A. N. Hoffman home Sunday.

Roy Clayton and children are here now visiting relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Spreen visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brookshire Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Donaldson and children of Miles, spent Tuesday night



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Miss Louis Shipp, of Dry Ridge community, visited Miss Cleo Hoffman the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Cry, of Coleman, came up Sunday for a day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reese.

Friends here of Mrs. Mary Gilbert were surprised to hear of her marriage to Mr. Green, of McGregor. Miss Mary, as she is known here, has made her home at McGregor for the past two years. We extend our best wishes for their future happiness.

Claud Brookshire has purchased a new Victory Six for the welfare of his family.

Mrs. Milton Clayton visited her mother, Mrs. Vandevanter Sunday.

Miss Mary Speed, of Chandler, is back in this part of the world, after a few months absence.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Clayton returned from Glen Rose Sunday after a few weeks stay for Mrs. Clayton's health.

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