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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

BOY HELD ON THEFT CHARGE

Burley Oxford, youth of this city arrested by Sheriff R. E. McWilliams ten days ago on a charge in connection with burglary on the Berry farm, eight miles from here, was lodged in jail Tuesday night, and formal charges will be filed against him.

Sheriff McWilliams arrested the boy Sunday, June 10, but because of his youthfulness refrained from placing him in jail on the promise that the boy would appear with his father on the following morning. However, young Oxford disappeared during the night, according to his father, and was at large until Sheriff McWilliams captured him on a farm 15 miles from here Tuesday night.

Oxford was working on the Berry farm with four or five other laborers when the burglary occurred. Mr. and Mrs. Berry left for Ballinger, and upon their return discovered that a diamond ring, a ruby ring, and a wrist watch were missing. Their suspicions centered on the group of workers, and they immediately made the circumstances known to Sheriff McWilliams, who conducted an investigation and obtained a plea of guilty from Oxford. The stolen loot was recovered.

Sheriff McWilliams intimated that a charge of petty theft will be preferred against the youth.

MAVERICK MEETS METHODISTS HERE FRIDAY AFTERN

With the extraordinary and enviable record of 21 games won against 6 lost this season, the Maverick nine grapples with the Methodist Sunday school team for another victory here in Fair Park Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock. In a desperate battle of sixteen innings with the Miles club, Maverick emerged with a 4 to 2 triumph. The Methodist team avers that the sixteen-inning fight was merely a work-out, compared with what Maverick might expect in their tilt here.

From all indications, the forthcoming game will be marked by good pitching and unusual fielding. This contest promises to be the most thrilling and hard-fought that the local boys have participated in this season.

Bradshaw, who has previously led the Methodists to victory, will hurl. He is said to be in good shape for the game, and fans may reasonably expect some demonstrations of professional pitching. He is backed by a nine of competent players who are entering the game determined to turn Maverick's winning streak.

Ladies will be admitted free for this game, and admission charges of only 25 cents will be made for men.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tigner have returned from a two weeks vacation trip to Houston and other Texas cities.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Trail and daughter, Miss Frances, accompanied by Miss Naomi McWilliams, were in San Angelo Wednesday afternoon.

TAYLOR FACES FELONY CHARGE

Lee Taylor, 35, has signed an extradition waiver in Ada, Oklahoma, where he is being held on a complaint of removing mortgaged property from the state, and Sheriff R. E. McWilliams will leave Thursday to bring him to Ballinger.

Taylor drove an automobile against which the Ballinger Auto Company had a mortgage, from here to Oklahoma. Ada officers made the arrest on clues furnished by Sheriff McWilliams, and advised him by telegram Wednesday morning that Taylor had signed a waiver of extradition.

UTILITIES ARE CHARGED WITH SUPPRESSIONS

(By International News Service) WASHINGTON, June 20.—How public utilities corporations of Missouri, Iowa and Michigan sought to suppress a chautauqua speaker who advocates public ownership was revealed today during the testimony of J. P. Sheridan, of the Missouri information bureau, before the federal trade commission, investigating operations and methods of spreading propaganda practiced by certain corporations.

CONVICTS PAY FIXED AT \$4

(By International News Service) AUSTIN, June 20.—That part of the Smith county road law which fixes the per diem pay for working out a fine of 50 cents was declared unconstitutional today, in that it conflicts with a state law authorizing \$4 per day for such work.

This ruling was handed down in the case of H. T. Sizemore, who was ordered discharged by the court.

AMARILLO—The Great West Mill & Elevator Co. is to build a \$250,000 plant addition here.

BORGER—A 100,000,000 cubic foot gasser has been brought in by the Golden Eagle Oil & Gas Company near Four Corners.

LONE PLANE DOWN AT SEA

(By International News Service) NEW YORK, June 20.—With its left wing crushed and showing signs of having crashed in the sea, a seaplane bearing the department of commerce number 11R-43 was reported adrift 83 miles east of Ambrose lighthouse today.

No sign of a pilot or crew was found.

COURT FINDS REMUS SANE

(By International News Service) COLUMBUS, O., June 20.—Declaring that George Remus, "king of the bootleggers," and alleged wife murderer, is sane, the Ohio supreme court today ordered his immediate release from the Lima hospital for the criminal insane, where Remus has been an inmate pending action on his appeal motion.

30 Farming Experts Will Tour Europe to Study Farm Conditions

(By International News Service) NEW YORK, June 20.—In quest of new methods which may be employed to increase the income of the American farmer, thirty of this country's foremost authorities of scientific farming will make a tour of the outstanding agricultural areas of Europe this summer.

Members of the tour will make a close hand study of the methods of intense cultivation, crop diversification and rotation, soil fertilization, animal husbandry and farm marketing which enable European farmers to excel in per-acre income from the production of crops, livestock and dairy products.

The party will visit farming areas in Germany, France, Switzerland and England. Inspections of the potassium mines and refineries of Germany and France will be made. These mineral

Ocean Flyers Will Return On July 4th

(By International News Service) NEW YORK, June 20.—Miss Amelia Earhart, Wilmer Stultz, and Louis Gordon, crew of the trans-Atlantic plane Friendship, will leave Europe a week from today and reach here July 4, according to an announcement by George Palmer Putnam, their New York representative.

Plans for an elaborate reception of the valorous trio are under formation here.

FIRMS TO CLOSE FOR BALL GAME

Business houses were canvassed today for the purpose of ascertaining the willingness of the firms to close for the baseball game to be played here by San Angelo and Coleman, rival West Texas League teams, at Fair Park tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The committee circulating the petition met with favorable response, and 62 of the firms called upon endorsed the proposition to close at 3:30 o'clock, reopening immediately after the ball game.

Patrons of the various stores are urged to do their shopping early in order to enable the merchants to close promptly.

Five Killed In Explosion

(By International News Service) FAIRMONT, W. Va., June 20.—Five miners were killed and 20 injured, seven seriously, in an explosion in Mine No. 1 of the National Fuel Company at National, near here, today.

Only the night shift of 25 laborers was working when the explosion occurred. Rescue parties were instantly on the scene of the accident, and the injured were promptly removed from the mine for emergency treatment.

Gene Richardson, who was painfully injured Saturday when a huge oil casing dropped on his foot, crushing three toes, is still confined to his room, but is said to be improving.

TYLER—A \$2,176,000 contract has been let by the St. Louis-Southwestern Railway Company for relocation of the Cotton Belt line between here and Mount Pleasant.

OPENS REVIVAL



Rev. J. A. Dunn

This eminent Dallas evangelist opened a revival meeting at the Church of Christ here Sunday. Preaching services are being conducted twice daily, with evening services on the lawn.

KIDNAP AND HANG NEGRO

(By International News Service) HOUSTON, June 20.—The body of Robert Powell, negro, was found hanging from a bridge eight miles from here this morning, a few hours after he was kidnapped from the Jefferson Davis Hospital by eight unmasked men.

Powell was under murder charges in connection with the slaying of Detective A. V. Davis here last Sunday. Suffering from a bullet wound in the abdomen as a result of the shooting affray, the negro was being treated at the hospital from which he was abducted.

Officers have a good description of the kidnapers, and are making a search for them. It is believed that arrests will be made at an early hour.

AUSTIN, June 20.—Governor Moody today offered rewards totaling \$1,250 for the arrest and conviction of the five men who kidnapped and lynched Robert Powell, Houston negro, early this morning.

Ranger Captains Hamer, Hickman and Sterling were sent from here to Houston to investigate the case and quell any further threatened demonstrations, at the request of local authorities there.

PORT ARTHUR—The Texas Corporation will increase oil delivery 10,000 barrels a day by \$4,500,000 pipe line additions.

PEARCE DRUG CO. UNDERGOING IMPROVEMENTS

Extensive remodeling work is in progress at the J. Y. Pearce drug store this week. The walls have been calcimiped and the ceiling painted. A new soda fountain is being installed, which is said to be the most modern and complete in this section, being equipped with hot and cold water compartments. The hot water feature is most desirable, employees of the firm pointed out, in that it makes for sanitation in sterilizing all containers used. This will also facilitate the serving of hot drinks in winter, they said.

Frigidaire equipment for the store is being installed by the West Texas Utilities Company. A new wrapping counter and display case is also being provided.

A public opening of the remodeled store will be given Friday, at which time the many customers and friends of the firm will be served through courtesy of the store. Complimentary refreshments will be served throughout the day.

SEARCH FOR NOBILE PARTY CONTINUES

PARTY LEADER ASSASSINATED

(By International News Service) BERLIN, June 20.—Pavel Radich, leader of the Croatian peasant party, was assassinated in Belgrade today, according to advices received here.

Sloban Raditch, Dr. Pernar, and Dr. Basvitch, also peasant leaders, were seriously wounded at the same time. All are members of the Jugo-Slavia Chamber of Deputies.

JUNE 19TH IS UNEVENTFUL

Emancipation day was uneventful in Runnels county, according to reports from deputies and constables over the county. The customary disturbances of the celebrations of the day in other sections of the state were lacking, and all activities were reported as transpiring peacefully.

Forms of celebrations included picnics, barbecue dinners, and baseball games, with the program of the day terminating with spirited dances extending well into the night. Many white people attended the baseball games here, and in San Angelo.

By far a majority of the negro residents of the county took the day off, and joined their fellowmen in making merry.

Mrs. Emma Gamble and daughters, Miss Zelma of Fort Worth, and Mrs. J. F. Wolfe of Burkburnett, are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

VERNON MAN HEADS W.T.C.C.

(By International News Service) FT. WORTH, June 20.—Andy Bourland, Vernon rancher and farmer, today was elected president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at the tenth annual convention of the organization which closes here with the installation of new officers and the selection of the next convention city tonight.

El Paso and Waco are the leading contenders for host city for the 1929 convention.

THURSDAY Morning SPECIALS

from 8:30 to 9:30 a. m.
Crystal White Soap 6 Bars 18c
Limit 6 Bars

ONE HOUR ONLY Piggly Wiggly

(By International News Service) ROME, June 20.—Major Madelina hopped off in a seaplane from Kings Bay for Spitzbergen at 6 o'clock this morning, to search for the stranded Nobile party, according to a radiogram received here. Major Penzo, another Italian, arrived with a Cornier-Wahl plane, and may hop on a search flight this afternoon.

Three times searchers have passed over the ice floes on which Nobile and his crew are stranded, and from high ice pinnacles members of the polar expedition have been unsuccessful in attracting the attention of the searchers. Nobile pitched a pink tinted tent with the hopes that it would stand out boldly against the dull gray background of the masses of ice, but the keen eyes of aviators have failed to discern the location of the crew.

LONDON, June 20.—The seaplane of Rene Guilbaud and Captain Rood Amundsen which flew from Tromsø, Norway, Monday to search for the Nobile expedition, has been forced down in the polar seas.

The two wireless an urgent appeal for aid, according to a Central News Agency dispatch from Berlin this afternoon.

MAN NEAR DEATH IN FORT WORTH AFTER SHOOTING

(By International News Service) FT. WORTH, June 20.—William M. Ross, 23, former Wacoan whose parents live at Dallas, is at the point of death in a local hospital today from bullet wounds received in an altercation with Tom Knight, house detective of the Metropolitan Hotel, here last night.

Sam Behringer, proprietor of the Piggly Wiggly store here, left Tuesday for the lower Rio Grande valley, where he will obtain a truckload of fruit and vegetables. Mr. Behringer will operate a regular truck line to the valley for the purpose of supplying his store with choice produce, and will personally supervise buying.

George Hooper, son of Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Hooper, has returned from Columbia, Mo., where he was graduated from the University of Missouri. He and Mrs. Hooper left Tuesday for Kerrville to visit with her mother.

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Cooperation of Ballinger merchants is strongly evinced through their concerted agreement to close their stores for the off-day West Texas League baseball game to be played here tomorrow. Few objections were offered, and whole-hearted endorsement of the move was accorded in most cases. It is through this friendly feeling of co-operation that towns become cities and prosperity is fairly distributed.

Records of the celebration of emancipation day over the country yesterday are in striking contrast to reports of July 4th celebrations during the past years. While some sections reported disorders and law violations, disturbances were nominal as compared with some of our Independence Day demonstrations. However, we are coming to a safer and saner celebration policy, and the day has become one of more sacred memory than was evidenced in the day of gala fireworks.

A layman would be astonished upon learning of the number of classified ads describing rooms for rent published in The Ledger ordered out after the first insertion. While most advertisements are given for a period of days, rarely do they run the extent of the prescribed period. This is concrete evidence of the results of newspaper advertising.



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I'm Away From You
(Cause You're All the World to Me)
Just Across the Street From Heaven
FRANKLIN BAER
No. 21426, 10-inch
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With Vocal Refrain
WARREN'S PENNSYLVANIANS
No. 21432, 10-inch
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BROOKSHIRE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Houston, of San Angelo, visited Mrs. George Houston Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Denton, of Norton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stephenson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Cameron and daughter, Dorothy, were Ballinger visitors Saturday. Mrs. Cameron spent the day with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Kemmer and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. James, of San Angelo, visited relatives in this community Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Goteher were San Angelo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvy Cook visited Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Stephenson at Broute Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. Omer Clark for a while Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hester, of Brownwood, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester this week.

Mrs. Jim Garza's parents of Jones county visited them this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Nixon and daughters, Novela and Eula, visited relatives in San Angelo last Thursday.

Mr. Grubbs was in Bangs on business the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Denton, of Norton, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Denton's mother, Mrs. Clarence Derriek.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sayner, of Tennyson, visited their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Derriek Sunday.

We are glad Mrs. Pearl Hudspeth is able to be back in Sunday school and church. She had been ill for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Stephenson, of Norton, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Donalson in Miles Sunday.

Arthur Dooze, of Ballinger, visited in the Jim Clark home last Friday.

Rev Bud Denton, of Norton,

preached Sunday at the Baptist Church

Mrs. Herbert Houston, Mrs. Arnold Houston and Miss Aline Houston visited Mrs. Homer Clark Sunday morning.

Miss Virginia Hester and Claiborne Boatwright were San Angelo visitors Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Goteher visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Will Goteher Sunday.

J. T. Conner was a San Angelo visitor Saturday.

Clarence Dennis, of Ballinger, visited in this community Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Hedges were Ballinger visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Bowden visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Stephenson, the first of last week.

Mrs. Jim Clark, Mrs. Herbert Holland and Mrs. Benton Bowen were Ballinger visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Clark Sunday night.

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EDITOR BRINGS HIS FAMILY TO BALLINGER

F. M. Cole, editor of The Ledger, left Saturday afternoon in his car for Denton and returned late Sunday night with Mrs. Cole and their young son, Jimmy Evans. They have an apartment at the W. W. Chastain residence on Seventh Street. Mr. and Mrs. Cole are delighted with Ballinger and its people and are here to stay and boost for its development with the pep that characterizes all West Texas citizens.

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

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HOSPITAL NOTES

Miss Lula Starkey, who was in the Halley & Love Sanitarium for the last ten days, following an operation, was taken home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. M. Eubank who, after an operation some two weeks ago, has been regaining her good health slowly, will be permitted to leave the Halley & Love Sanitarium on Thursday.

Mrs. Sam Baker, who has been critically ill at the sanitarium, is reported resting some better.

Ted Truly, who underwent a

blood transfusion operation at the Halley & Love Sanitarium on Tuesday, is reported improving.

T. J. McCaughan, retired merchant and farmer of the Norton community, was in the city this week shaking hands with friends.

The Workers Class of the Methodist Church will serve ice cream and home-made cake on the court house lawn Friday night. Everybody invited. 20-3td

Miss Verda Nell Trail and Maxine Russell went down to Brownwood on a visit first of the week, Miss Russell having returned and Miss Trail will spend the rest of the week.

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MOVIES

Celebrated Harold Bell Wright Ozark Drama Current at Palace Theatre

One of the screen's most appealing love stories, told with the photographically beautiful Ozark Mountains as a background, is "The Shepherd of the Hills," showing today and tomorrow at the Palace Theatre.

"The Shepherd of the Hills" is a First National Pictures screen version of the famous novel by Harold Bell Wright, and the lovers of the story, "Sammy" Lane and Young Matt, are portrayed by Molly O'Day and John Boles. Albert Rogell directed the picture, which was produced for First National by Charles R. Rogers.

In the cast also, are Alec B. Francis, who plays the title role; Matthew Betz, as the villain; and Romane Fielding, Otis Harlan, Joseph Bennett, Maurice Murphy, Carl Stockdale, Marion Douglas, John Westwood and other notable artists. They give exceedingly human characterizations, and the plot is packed with drama and suspense.

Molly O'Day, who played opposite Richard Barthelmess in "The Patent Leather Kid," and Milton Sills in "Hard-Boiled Haggerty," demonstrates her real attractiveness and ability in the role of the little Ozark girl. It is by far her best work to date, and should bring her recognition as one of the screen's most notable beauties and actresses.

HERRING TOPICS

The party at the Fuller home Saturday night was well attended and all reported a nice time.

Sunday school had a rather small crowd Sunday morning, but had a good report. Everybody welcome to join us.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brevard and Clyde Brevard attended singing at Wingate Sunday. They reported some good singing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Kerby and Mrs. Clyde Brevard spent Sunday with Mrs. Kerby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin, of Glen Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Miller, Mrs. Gideon and Mrs. Addie Grace spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Avert.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Todd and children, and Grandma Downey, of Anderson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Todd.

Allen Brister, of Oxien, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Avert.

Herman Edwards and daughter, Violet, Mrs. Duggar and daughter, Opal, and Eula and Jim Summers visited in Coleman Sunday.

Odom Elsie and Azalee Todd spent Sunday afternoon with Eldon, Ozella and Mona Avert.

Several attended the picnic and fish fry at Mrs. Clark's, of the Winters section last Tuesday. All reported a nice dinner and a

very nice time.

Two Sisters Have Family Reunion

Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Brister had a family reunion together to celebrate Mrs. Clark's 80th birthday. Mrs. Brister will be 79 in August. All of Mrs. Clark's children were present. They are as follows: Ben Clark, of Ardmore, Oklahoma; Mrs. Addie Grace, of Floydada; Mrs. Suddie Coffee, of San Angelo; Mrs. Ada Lewis, of Benoit; and Mrs. S. H. Miller, of this community. Mrs. Brister's children present were: Joe Brister, of Abilene; Elbert Brister, of Electra; Mrs. J. N. McMillan, of San Angelo; and Mrs. G. C. Avert, of this community. Three of the children were unable to attend the reunion.

The day was spent in picnic style on the Pecan Springs picnic grounds, and a very nice basket dinner was spread. The day was very pleasant and the very best of attitude toward each other was enjoyed by all who were present throughout the day.

There were 74 present at the noon hour and 109 present in the afternoon. Most everyone who was present at noon were relatives.

—REPORTER—

Z. W. DAVIS EXHIBITS FIRST COTTON BLOOMS

Z. W. Davis, manager of Dry Ridge Demonstration Farm, 4 miles west of town, brought in the first cotton blooms exhibited here this season Tuesday. Mr. Davis had three stalks, averaging 15 inches in height and ten forms per stalk. He has 25 acres of this cotton, which is the Russell variety, in full bloom, he said. He also has 40 acres of later cotton. The 25-acre crop was planted April 3, and a good stand was obtained with the first planting.

Prior to coming to Runnels county in 1895, Mr. Davis was a cotton planter in Louisiana. He was graduated from the Mississippi A. & M. College at Starksville in 1884.

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Mrs. N. B. Singletary returned Tuesday from Coleman, where she spent a ten-days visit.

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A spirit of anticipation radiated from the audience as they awaited the appearance of the great singer. Prolonged and energetic applause greeted each number sung and the audience was loath to leave the theatre after the final curtain.

Displaying the depth and range of voice which made him a world champion Mr. Coleman pleased his audience with heart songs which will cling in their memories as presented by the greatest basso voice with tenderness and sympathy.

Mr. Coleman said, following the concert, "My songs are chosen to exhibit certain phases of singing which makes my concerts unique from those of other artists, for instance, many of the songs are transposed into keys which lower the pitch to a certain degree unattainable by any other singer. In so placing the pitch of the piano tuned to an absolute pitch of 440 and my voice is trained to such requirements. I found tonight that the piano was a full half tone flat, so that I was compelled to go below the pitch of championship record in several of the songs. Of course the local audience had no idea of such difficulties, but had that incident occurred in England the European newspapers would be putting out feature articles tomorrow regarding it. It is similar to a record in foot-racing being lowered by a half second, thus setting a new standard."

We must say that the audience fully realized that a champion was singing for them and that Mr. Coleman conducted his program in truly masterful style and with complete artistic effect.

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PARIS STYLE HINTS

By Alice Langelier
(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

Fashion Favors Washable Silks

PARIS, June 15.—When—and if—summer comes this year, washable silk frocks will be much worn at the smart French sea-

side and country resorts. After hesitating for many seasons, the chic French woman has found that they are pretty as they are practical, wash as easily as linen and pack into much less space. Then too, they offer an opportunity to wear light colors which are more than charming against blue sky and green trees.

The new silk broadcloths and washable silk crepes have sufficient body to restrain their shape and seem to hold their color much better than cotton or linen.

Washable silk in plaid design of golden and brown tones makes a charming summer frock from Yvonne Davidson's collection.

The ribbon width scarf and belt and the full-pleated skirt are strong points. There are many shoulder-caps for sleeves and it is the smart thing to wear short sae gloves with this style of frock.

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