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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Al Smith And Farm Leaders In Conference

(By International News Service)
ALBANY, Aug. 13.—In an effort to win the support of farmers of the middle west, Governor Alfred E. Smith today began a series of conferences with farm leaders, including George N. Peek, of Moline, Illinois, chairman of the corn belt committee of farm organizations.

Although the governor has virtually completed the address he will deliver upon formal notification of his selection as Democratic standard bearer, it was said he might make some last minute changes regarding farm relief as a result of today's conference.

Mill Receipts Cottonseed Low

(By International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The report issued by the census bureau today showed 4,586,150 tons of cottonseed received at mills for the twelve months ending July 31, as compared with 6,379,447 tons reported a year ago.

STUDENT WRITES EXAMS ON 1000 MILES FLIGHT

(By International News Service)
CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—With steamships turned into floating universities on the round-the-world trips, will a university of the sky come next?

Francis H. Casey, of Milwaukee recently took a college examination while flying nearly 1000 miles at a height of 3,000 feet above the earth at an average speed of ninety miles an hour.

Mr. Casey, while on a visit to New York received a hurry-up call to return to Milwaukee and took an airplane to make the trip. He had recently received from his school examination papers from a Chicago school consisting of a series of business problems, the solutions of which had to be returned by a certain date. To get his papers back to the school within the time limit, it was necessary that he write his answers while on the journey.

"I soon lost myself in my problems," Mr. Casey said, "and took no note of the checkerboard of the earth a mile beneath me. I started my examination over the Alleghany mountains and finished it above Lake Michigan. I was busy writing down my answers while whizzing high over cities, towns, and farmlands, plunging through snowy clouds or sailing through abysses of blue sky."

When Mr. Casey landed in Milwaukee he mailed his examination papers to his university. They arrived in time. University officials say that Mr. Casey's answers were almost 100 per cent correct.

AMERICAN EDUCATION IS BLAMED FOR REVOLTS ALL OVER THE WORLD

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—The Turkish revolt, the trouble in China, Russia's revolution and all the recent social revolution throughout the world are directly traceable to American education and civilization.

This opinion of Chase S. Osborn, former governor of Michigan, and ex-regent of the University of Michigan. Speaking before several hundred alumni of the University of Michigan at the Blackstone Hotel here recently, Mr. Osborn did not condemn American education because of these results but merely stated his opinion as a fact.

He continued: "The college graduate acts as an agent who influences the people with whom he comes into contact. His indirect influence is greater than the direct. Thus ideas and teachings have spread all over the world."

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Soldier, cowboy and as colorful a character as ever entered Uncle Sam's service, Will C. Barnes, above, has retired from the Forest Service after 21 years to accept the post of secretary of the United States Geographic Board. He was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor in 1881 for valor during the Apache war. (Harris & Ewing)

Probe Launched In Gas Advance

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, Aug. 13.—A state-wide investigation into the recent increase in the retail price of gasoline will be launched by the attorney general department, it was announced today by Claud Pollard, attorney general, who declared that the increase was arbitrary and without visible reason. Two assistants will be assigned to the case within the next ten days.

400 Transfers Are Recorded

Four hundred transfers have been recorded for the ensuing year in the office of the county superintendent of Public Instruction, R. E. White, for the Rutledge county school rolls, says E. Hoyt Smith. This number will probably be increased to 500 when transfers filed with A. H. Smith, superintendent of the Winters schools, are reported.

As an accommodation to school pupils in the north portion of the county, Superintendent R. E. White authorized Mr. Smith to receive transfers, and it is estimated that at least a hundred were handled by him.

August 1 was the last date on which transfers could be received. Many pupils who are compelled to go to school outside their districts for high school advantages, not provided in their respective districts were not transferred, a recently enacted law exempting them from transferring.

BURK JUDGED INSANE

George Burk, 25, well-known here, was judged insane in probate court Monday morning, and will be taken to a state institution for the insane as soon as assignment is made.

Burk had been in ill health for several years, and mental condition became more acute as his health failed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cook, of Winters, who have been attending the Christoval Baptist encampment, were here en route to their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Hill and family left Monday morning for Lubbock, where Mr. Hill is attorney in a case at that place and will also visit kinfolks in that section while gone.

Plane Wreckage Found In Ocean

(By International News Service)
ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, Aug. 13.—Wreckage of a large plane found in the sea this morning led to the belief in maritime circles that the final chapter to some trans-Atlantic flight had been discovered.

The disabled craft was sighted by the steamship Seapool about 400 miles northeast of Cape Race. Owing to darkness, the sailors could not distinguish the color or markings, but indications pointed to the fact that the plane had been in the water for a long time, the captain of the Seapool reported.

Attempt Made To Kidnap Magnate

(By International News Service)
PARIS, Aug. 13.—A sensational report was circulated here today that an attempt was made to kidnap Henry M. Blackmer, oil magnate and missing Teapot Dome witness.

According to the report, the oil magnate was invited aboard a yacht flying the United States flag, and as he was about to step into the launch his bodyguard warned him that it might be an attempt to kidnap him.

The newspaper "La Presse" states that the yacht is owned by Blackmer's enemies.

Man Drowns In Colorado River

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, Aug. 13.—R. W. Dean, 30, of Bertram, drowned today at Jacobson Falls, on the Colorado River, when he got into a deep hole. His two sisters and their husbands sought unsuccessfully to rescue him.

VISIT BOY SCOUT CAMP AT LUEDERS

Ellwood McWilliams, Harold McDonald, and Lester Marsh, members of their recently organized Boy Scout troop, accompanied by their scoutmaster, visited in Camp Tonkawa, Boy Scout camp for the Chisholm Trail Area, at Lueders, Saturday night and Sunday. The two week's encampment ended Sunday afternoon.

A large attendance was on hand for the encampment, and it was reported that not a single casualty had resulted during the two weeks. The Scouts from the seven county area were still enthusiastic, and reluctant for the camp to end.

A move is under way to establish a permanent camp near Buffalo Gap prior to the encampment date next year. This will prove a more convenient site, not only for the local scouts, but for the entire region.

\$10,000,000 Fortune Came Too Late to Aid Kansas Farmer

(By International News Service)
HUGOTON, Kans., Aug. 13.—Just a month after learning that he had fallen heir to a fortune estimated at \$10,000,000, Alfred E. Ullom, a farmer living near here, died.

He succumbed to heart disease without touching a penny of the vast legacy.

The fortune was left to Ullom by a great uncle, who amassed it in the fur business as a partner of the late John Jacob Astor, more than a century ago. The will found recently among the effects of the great financier, revealed that the fund had been held intact until after the death of the last of the second generation. Ullom's death released a flow of gold to his children.

Sid Chapman will leave tomorrow for a week's vacation at San Saba.

"Go Get 'Em" Resigns



"Big Bill" Thompson's regime in Chicago has been further complicated by the sudden resignation of "Go Get 'Em" Hughes, the tough and ready chief of police who accompanied him into office. Hughes' failure to run down the gangsters who killed Assistant State's Attorney William H. McSwiggan caused the convening of a special crime grand jury in Chicago.

Republicans Of Texas Convene

(By International News Service)
FORT WORTH, Aug. 13.—Republicans from all over the state gathered here today for a state convention to nominate candidates for United States senator and other state offices. The most promises to be the most harmonious in years.

Five delegations were contested, including those of Bexar, Frio, Robertson, Hidalgo and San Augustine counties. With the Bexar county delegation only is the fight expected to develop.

The convention proper opens Tuesday. The credentials committee went into session at 10 o'clock this morning to settle disputes of five county delegations.

AIR MAIL PLANES MAY SOON HAVE CLERKS TO "WORK" MAIL ENROUTE

(By International News Service)
CLEVELAND, Aug. 13.—Mail clerks may soon travel in air-mail planes to "work" the mail enroute, according to F. E. Douda, Assistant Postmaster here.

Such service, sorting mail on transcontinental planes, similar to railway service will be inaugurated soon, Douda said.

Plans have been submitted by a company operating air mail service, to Postmaster General Harry S. New, covering construction of planes which are to provide space for distributing clerk, Douda declared.

AMERICAN COMMUNITIES ADOPT RESEARCH METHOD TO STANDARDIZE GOVT.

(By International News Service)
BOSTON, Aug. 13.—Research methods long confined to scientific and business laboratories, have at last been embraced by communities.

The state of Massachusetts is showing the way by commissioning the Albert Russell Erskine Bureau for Street Traffic Regulation of Harvard University to conduct a survey with a view to providing uniform traffic lights, signs, regulations, and markings.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Healer and daughter were in attendance at the Baptist encampment at Christoval Sunday.

Misses Kate and Mildred Hills of San Marcos are here visiting relatives this week. They are accompanied by Miss John Catherine Allen.

(By International News Service)

2 Dead, 7 Missing From Storm-Tossed Craft

4 Killed By Stunt Plane

(By International News Service)
BERLIN, Aug. 13.—Three men and one woman were killed and several persons were injured when an exhibition flier named Gasper, lost control of his plane and crashed into a crowd of spectators at the Aachen flying field.

Liner Is Ashore Off The Bahamas

(By International News Service)
MIAMI, Fla., Aug. 13.—Attempts were made today to free the Minson liner Munamara, which went ashore with fifty passengers off "Hole in the Wall", the Bahamas, according to a wireless report. The Bahama government tug Lady Cordaux is aiding the liner.

New Teaching Methods Aid Deaf In Speaking And Reading Lips

(By International News Service)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 13.—Extraordinary results of a method whereby born deaf are taught to speak and to "hear" by lip reading were disclosed today at the demonstration school of the University of California at Los Angeles.

The new method, according to Miss Rachel Davies, a demonstration school teacher, presages the abandonment of the sign language.

The course of study includes lip reading, spelling, writing, reading, number and language work in addition to tongue gymnastics, the last of which forms the most important part of the work.

"Music, too, is an important factor in arousing the child's consciousness of vibration," Miss Davies said.

"Being unable to hear, the children must be taught how to take the correct position for language sounds, which we call 'tongue gymnastic work.' They must know where to put the tongue and how to give voice and breath for sound. Ten sound and syllable combinations have been learned by the children to date."

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(By International News Service)
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13.—Two are known to be dead, and seven are reported missing, while more than 200 were rescued from a small pleasure craft during a terrific storm which lashed the Delaware and South New Jersey coast over the week-end.

Shipping was paralyzed. The two dead men are believed to be members of the crew of the American steamer Inkoko, who were in a boat.

Crop damages in New Jersey are estimated at a half million dollars. The entire village of Venice Park, near Atlantic City, is under two feet of water.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—A small motor boat containing three men and two women was reported missing off the Jersey coast after a roaring midsummer gale which lashed the seaboard from Chesapeake Bay to Sandy Hook.

The party left this island beach about midnight Saturday, shortly before the storm broke, and has not been heard from since.

BIG FEAST ENJOYED PIEDRA PINTA PARK

John L. Carter and J. A. Waide served a big supper to the West Texas Utilities employees in Piedra Pinta Park Saturday evening. Mr. Waide furnished the barbecue, bread and pickles and Mr. Carter the iced water melons and ice cream. On account of the big rain at Ballinger Saturday, the guests were delayed until a late hour, but when they did arrive, they were a lively bunch.

Supt. Earl Morley and family of Ballinger and his employees and Mr. and Mrs. Van Zant of Winters and the office force were the out of town guests. Those attending from Paint Rock were: J. A. Waide and wife, John L. Carter and wife and daughter Miss Nina Belle, O. V. West and family, Earnest Sparks and family, Leo Molloy and family.—Concho Herald.

Another Deep Test in Concho

Keiper Kimberling is placing material on the ground for a standard rig on 319 Old Molloy ranch, for a deep test. The location will be about 12 miles south and 5 miles east of Paint Rock.—Concho Herald.

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The parking ordinance, limiting parking on portions of streets in the business district takes effect today. Doubtless many will thoughtlessly violate this regulation, and will face the embarrassment of rectifying their heedlessness to the city commission. Without stern enforcement of the ordinance in its initial introduction, little respect will be paid it.

Several persons have asked why markers have not been erected, showing clearly the restricted region, and announcing a parking time limit. Such signs are almost indispensable, in that they would serve as a constant reminder to the people who are so occupied that they forget traffic ordinances.

Co-operation of the public is essential for efficient enforcement of the ordinance. It is not passed as a discrimination against anyone, but rather is adapted as expedient to safe and sane traffic practices.

People in other counties are discussing the bond issue to be voted upon in Rannels county on the first of September. Many will be keenly disappointed should it fail to carry, which, at the present time, does not seem possible. However, the issue would carry by a much larger majority if there were some way of showing graphically the development of many Texas counties due directly to a complete good roads system to those who have as yet not definitely decided support the issue.

Ordinance providing a system of parking for all motor driven vehicles within the city of Ballinger, Texas; prohibiting racing on public streets by motor driven vehicles; regulating action of all vehicles on the public streets when fire alarm is sounded; prohibiting negligent collisions; prohibiting the driving of a motor vehicle by any person while intoxicated, or otherwise incapable of operating same; prohibiting parking within ten feet of a fire plug; and otherwise regulating the use of the streets of the City of Ballinger by traffic; repealing certain ordinances in conflict, fixing a penalty and declaring an emergency.

Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger: Section No. 1. At the approach of any fire engine, hook and ladder or other apparatus belonging to the fire department of the City of Ballinger, when the same is answering an alarm of fire, all railroad trains and engines which may be standing upon or across any public street in said city shall immediately, on the approach of any fire apparatus and upon the sounding of the fire alarm, be removed by the crew in charge of the same from across any such public street, likewise all motor driven vehicles or horse drawn vehicles shall immediately upon the sounding of an alarm for fire or at the approach of any fire engine or other apparatus answering a call for fire without the sounding of the general alarm, proceed to the right hand curb line of any said street, alley or driveway of said city or as near thereto as possible and come to a full stop and there remain until such fire apparatus shall have passed.

Section No. 2. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person or persons to drive or propel a motor driven or horse drawn ve-

hicle closer than three hundred feet to the location of any fire in the City of Ballinger, while the fire is burning and while the fire department shall be in attendance on said fire.

Section No. 3. No person or persons in charge of or operating an automobile or any other motor driven vehicle or horse drawn vehicle, shall race the same with any other vehicle, person or animal upon any of the public streets, alleys or driveways of the City of Ballinger.

Section No. 4. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person or persons or the agent, servant or employees of any corporation to allow any locomotive engine or motor driven vehicle of any kind to negligently or carelessly cause any such engine or railroad train or motor driven vehicle to come into collision with or strike any person, automobile or other vehicle or to inflict any damage on any property whatsoever.

Section No. 5. No person or persons shall operate or attempt to operate any motor driven vehicle upon any of the public streets, alleys or driveways in the City of Ballinger while such person is in a state of intoxication, or in any other respect incapable of properly and safely operating or driving such automobile or other vehicle.

Section No. 6. All motor driven or horse drawn vehicles and ridden horses, while on the streets, alleys and driveways of the City of Ballinger, shall be ridden or driven upon the right hand side of such street, alley or driveway and as near the right hand curb line as possible or practicable.

Section No. 7. Whenever any driver or person in charge of any motor driven vehicle or other vehicle or ridden animal attempts to pass any other vehicle of any character or any ridden animal upon any street, alley or driveway within the limits of the City of Ballinger, going in the same direction, such motor driven vehicle or horse drawn vehicle or ridden animal shall be driven and shall pass to the left of any other vehicle or ridden animal being passed.

Section No. 8. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person or persons in charge of an operating any motor driven vehicle, buggy, wagon, saddle animal or other kind of vehicle or conveyance to stop or park the same on any of the public streets or alleys of the City of Ballinger within ten feet of any fire plug or hydrant now or which shall hereafter be installed in or upon such street or alley.

Section No. 9. In turning any corner from a street into an alley or from an alley into a street only right hand turns shall be allowed. Crossing a street at an alley intersection is expressly prohibited. This provision shall apply to all motor and horse drawn vehicles and ridden animals.

Section No. 10. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person or persons in charge of or driving any motor driven vehicle of any character or any horse drawn vehicle or any ridden saddle animal, to change direction and turn same at any other place than at an intersection of streets, except in case of a left turn as provided in this ordinance, and any such turns shall be made only by passing around the righthand side of the center of such intersection of street, if same is to be left turn from one street into another street or alley or driveway such vehicle shall be kept as close to the right hand curb of any such street, alley or driveway as possible; provided that this article shall apply to all motor driven vehicles, horse drawn vehicles, bicycles and ridden animals.

Section No. 11. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any owner or operators of any motor driven vehicle or horse drawn vehicle, bicycles or rider of a saddle animal to stop the same within any intersection of streets, alley or driveway, except to avoid a collision or to prevent danger to persons or property, and further provided on the event any driver or person in charge of an automobile or other motor driven vehicle intends to stop said vehicle at any place except to park same in accordance with this ordinance he shall signify his intention of so stopping by extending his hand out from the left hand side of such vehicle.

Section No. 12. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any owner or persons operating or in charge of the operation of any motor driven vehicle of any character to stop same upon any public street within the limits of the

City of Ballinger, except by parking same at an angle of 45 degrees with the sidewalk or curb or property line of said street, and with the right front wheel of any such vehicle within 12 inches of the curb or property line; the practice known as double parking, that is, stopping a vehicle of any character upon any such public street behind a row of parked cars thereon or otherwise than as above provided is hereby expressly forbidden and prohibited, but any such vehicle shall be headed into the curb or sidewalk as above provided.

Section No. 13. That part of Hutchings Avenue between Ninth street and Seventh Street, and that part of Eighth street between Railroad Avenue and Strong Avenue are hereby designated and fixed as a limited parking area, and between the hours of nine a. m. and nine p. m. it shall be unlawful for any person or persons in charge of or operating any motor driven vehicle of any kind or character to park any such vehicle for a longer period than two hours in any one given place; provided that moving any such vehicle out of such parking space in which it is located and putting such vehicle back into the same space or within ten feet thereof shall not be construed as interrupting the running of the two hour period.

Section No. 14. Any person or persons riding in any such motor driven vehicle or horse drawn vehicle or horse drawn vehicles as are affected by the preceding provisions of this ordinance, and who at the time are exercising authority over the action and movements of the actual driver or operator of any such vehicle, such person or persons being the owner or owners of any such vehicles or legally entitled to the use and possession thereof shall be equally liable and subject to the penalties of the law for violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance in the same manner as the actual driver or operator of such vehicle would be.

Section No. 15. If any part or portion of this ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or void for any reason, the invalidity of any such part or parts of same shall not affect the validity of the remaining parts or portions thereof.

Section No. 16. The provisions of an ordinance of the City of Ballinger passed and approved on the first day of June, 1915, providing for numbers, lights and horns, fixing driver's rules and regulations for motor driven vehicles, regulating traffic, as recorded in Book 1, page 699 of the Minutes of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger are hereby expressly repealed; the provisions of an ordinance of the City of Ballinger passed and approved on the 6th day June, 1916, regulating speed of motor driven vehicles within the said city and regulating parking of such vehicles are hereby expressly repealed; section six and section seven of an ordinance, passed and approved by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Ballinger on the 13th day of September 1926, regulating traffic on the public streets within the City of Ballinger are hereby expressly repealed; all other ordinances, or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance shall be and the same are hereby expressly repealed, but nothing herein contained shall be construed as changing or repealing any other ordinances now in force in the City of Ballinger not in conflict with the provisions hereof, but as to such other ordinances or parts thereof, this ordinance shall be deemed and held to be cumulative only.

Section No. 17. In all arrests and convictions of offenders against the provisions of this ordinance, no cost shall be taxed

against any such offender or violator of the provisions of any of the said sections of this ordinance, but any such person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine only of not less than one dollar and not more than fifty dollars.

The fact that there is now a great congestion of traffic within the City of Ballinger, which is not properly regulated and with the resulting danger to life and property, especially in the business portion of said city, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the immediate passage of this ordinance, and all rules requiring more than one reading before final passage are hereby expressly suspended and this ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage, approval and publication.

Passed and approved this the 2nd day of Aug. A. D. 1928.

(SEAL)
S. B. RABY,
Mayor

Attest:
J. R. Lusk, City Secretary.

Approved as to form before passage.
A. K. Doss,
Corporation Counsel

Louise R. Shawe and Else M. Thiessen of Dallas are visitors, in Ballinger. They will leave for Pine Cliff, Colorado, Tuesday morning.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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- For District Judge: E. J. MILLER
- For Sheriff: R. E. (EARL) McWILLIAMS
- For Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN
- ED J. O'KELLY
- For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD
- For District Clerk: MISS GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For Treasurer: MRS. JENNIE KIRK
- For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMIE
- For County Clerk: MISS IMA McKOWN
- For County Attorney: ROY L. HILL
- For County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE
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WEDDING BELLS

Stokes-Wood

Altus Stokes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Stokes, 4 miles east of the city and Miss Corinne Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Wood, who reside 4 miles north of here on the Winters highway, were married at 8 a. m. Sunday morning in the manse of the Eighth Street Presbyterian church, Rev. A. O. Rue, pastor, officiating. The impressive ring ceremony was performed.

Only near friends and relatives of the couple were present. They left immediately after the wedding ceremony for Dallas, where they will spend a short visit, after which they will be at home on a farm and ranch on the Colorado River, about 7 miles from here.

The wedding was a culmination of a romance which began in early high school days. Both the bride and the groom were prominent students in the city high school.

Stokes has just purchased a farm on which they will live.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Warranty Deeds

W. F. Hartzog, et al. to John W. Norman, lot 6, block 11, in Dale's west addition to the city of Winters, \$4,000.

Mrs. Minnie V. Bedford, Schenectady, N. Y., to R. Q. Adams, part of a one-acre tract of the D. Floyd survey No. 518, being in the town of Winters, \$4,000.

B. W. Pileher to Charlie Roberts et ux, lot 5, block 65, town of Ballinger, \$125.

C. R. Sheffy and A. D. Sheffy of Bexar county, to J. E. Dankworth, parts of lots 16, 17 and 18 block 31 of the original town of Ballinger, \$1,200.

A. K. Doss et ux to E. E. King, lots 5 and 6 in block 1 Elm Heights addition to the city of Ballinger, \$9,500.

H. Giesecke et ux to Bun Morgan, lot 9 block 9, Bowden's addition to the city of Ballinger, \$2,710.

DEATHS

Infant Lee

Bobbie Fay, 9-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lee, who died at 3:20 o'clock Monday morning in the Halley & Love sanitarium was buried in the Bronte cemetery at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, with Rev. Dewese, pastor of the Bronte Baptist church, conducting the funeral rites at the Bronte church.

The infant was brought here from Sterling City five weeks ago, at which time her condition was pronounced grave, with little hopes for recovery.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co., undertakers were in charge at the grave.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Altus Stokes and Miss Corinne Wood.

Clifford Moreland, Winters, and Miss Cora Jordan, Winters.

E. P. Hallmark, and Miss Zona Hensley.

NO MORE ZOO CAGES FOR ANIMALS THAT SUFFER IN CAPTIVITY

(By International News Service)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—The caging of animals that do not flourish under captivity is taboo in the best zoological circles.

This statement was made by Dr. W. P. Blair, manager of the New York Zoological Society, better known as the Bronx Zoo, who came to San Francisco to attend the eighth annual convention of the National Conference on State Parks.

The gorilla was cited by Dr. Blair as a typical animal that can not thrive in captivity.

"Our society has taken a decided stand against the further capture of animals for the Bronx Zoo, where cruelty is necessary for their capture and where captivity imposes a hardship on them," Dr. Blair said.

"For instance, it is impossible to capture a full-grown gorilla. It would require a regiment to do it. So if we want to place a gorilla in our zoo we have to capture a baby ape. In order to do this it is necessary to slay both the mother and the father of the animal.

"The highest type of family devotion is to be found among the gorillas, and the mother and father and others in a tribe will put up a terrific battle before they let one of their little ones be taken.

"Then after a baby gorilla is placed in a zoo, it is far from contented due to the separation from its kind. We do not feel that it is right to captivate these animals."

Card of Thanks

To the Voters of Runnels County:

Due to the fact that I have been very busy since the election, I am a little late with my expression of gratitude to you regardless of this however, I want to thank each of you for your support; to those who voted for my opponent I have not the least ill-will, but I appreciate the fact that you exercised your constitutional right and voted for the candidate of your choice. The election is over, and in behalf of Mr. Shepherd, I now ask that you all give him your undivided support in order that he may continue to fulfill his duties and that after I take over this office, may this co-operation continue in order that I may make good my promises to you made during the campaign. Again thanking you all,

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Mrs. S. B. Howard and daughter, Mrs. L. L. Stroble returned home Friday night after a visit of a month in Alabama.

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Indiana Contractor Provides Reward for His Pallbearers

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—"Save some for the pallbearers."

Herman Kanwisher, retired contractor of Valpariso, Indiana, did when he specifically set aside

a reward of ten dollars, half a gallon of beer or a box of cigars in his will for anyone performing these services for him.

Besides bequests totaling \$1,500 to near relatives the contractor used the remainder of his estate to take care of city's needy at the rate of \$25 a day.

Kanwisher made his will in 1918 when beer cost less than at present and was legal. He apparently had a premonition that beer might not be always so easy to get for a clause in the will provided a box of cigars might be substituted.

Miss Elva Biggerstaff, of Bonham, who is spending an extended visit in Bronte, was here Monday.

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Women, girls, earn \$25-\$35 weekly addressing cards at home spare time; experience unnecessary; easy, steady work. Write immediately. RIALTO 366 Broadway, N. Y. 13-1d

W. D. Scales and family left Monday for Christoval, where they will spend a two-weeks outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas had as a week-end guest, the latter's aunt, Mrs. C. E. Cadieux, of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

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Champion Quits, A Ring Mystery To Fight World

(By International News Service)

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—That strange, implausible figure of a man, James Joseph Tunney, is stalking at the moment off stage into the wings, a retired champion, and as he goes, the mystery of his personality remains unsolved. He has presented his act for all the world to see and, having seen, the world knows as much as it did at the start; to be exact, nothing.

It has pleased the reportorial whim to grow maudlin at the moment of Tunney's exit. The boys have gushed their sentimentalities in effusive sequence as they discuss the event with awe. Almost in toto, they revere the man now. Once, and not so long ago, they disliked him with great cordiality. Why a change so marked? You may search my pants pockets.

The change has been strictly on the side of the sport reporters. Gene Tunney hasn't altered by an eighth inch. He wouldn't if he could and the fact that he can't makes the situation all the more concrete. His is a personality so strong, so deeply set and grounded, that it couldn't be uprooted by and emotional earthquake.

The boys, therefore, either were wrong before or they are wrong now. I don't suppose it is of the slightest importance, either way.

They are not wrong, however, in one particular. They have hailed him as a great fighter and the chances are he is. There are some things he can't do—for instance, if the Heenev fight proved anything, it proved that Tunney can't hit in the sense that Dempsey can hit—but there are so many other things he does extraordinarily well that the measure of greatness is filled to a point not too far from its brim.

Yes, Tunney can fight and that circumstance affords one of the many oddities that surround this strange personality. A great fighter and yet in appearance, in word and in gesture he belies his profession in every possible way. Only a Tunney word can describe Tunney himself. He is an aesthete.

And an aesthete is about everything a typical fighter isn't. They haven't a thing in common—except in the person of James Joseph Tunney. For aesthetic through his every tendency may be, he is as staunch a fighting figure in action as the prize ring has had in years.

An incident that occurred in his training camp at Lake Villa, where he trained for the second Dempsey fight, is an apt illustration of this point. Jack Sharkey, heavyweight product of the U. S. Navy was "experting" one of Tunney's workouts, and, in this capacity, strolled up for a chat with the champion after the day's training was over.

"It's hot, ain't it?" observed Mr. Sharkey in a companionable spirit.

"Positively humid," said Mr. Tunney. It was a neat phrase but he didn't like it, so he tried again.

"Intolerable!"

This was better but not quite good enough.

"Stifling!"

That one decided the matter then and there. Mr. Sharkey gave Mr. Tunney a startled glance and walked away, muttering. Later, he recounted the circumstances with something of a sneer. No doubt about it, Mr. Sharkey was the tough guy of the two—conversationally.

In the ring? That would be different, very different. Mr. Tunney probably would out-touch him from the opening bell.

WEDDING BELLS

Hanna-Millikin
Mr. Olie Hanna of Concho and Mrs. Ethel Millikin of Ballinger were married in Abilene July 29. Mr. Hanna is a ranchman in the Concho community, and belongs to one of the oldest and most highly respected families in Concho county.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanna visited in Roswell and Carlsbad, New Mexico. They are now at home on their ranch.—Concho Herald.

CORPUS CHRISTI—Equipment has been received here for the installation of a fire alarm.

MOVIES

You Can't Keep a Good Girl Down Thinks Clara

Clara Bow has stepped into another class by herself.

The red-haired Paramount star who skyrocketed to fame in "It" "Rough House Rosie," "Hula" and "Mantrap" is one motion picture celebrity who will never see a collection of baby, childhood and school girl pictures of herself in a magazine.

For Clara has in her possession only one photograph made before she had grown to girlhood.

The picture was taken when she was 2 1/2 years old and shows Clara wearing a flaring lace bonnet, sitting in a baby buggy holding a large woolly bear.

Miss Bow's parents are one family which did not think that their daughter would some day become a great actress.

So Clara, who comes to the Palace today and tomorrow in "Get Your Man," had but one baby picture taken.

She doesn't even have any other pictures of herself until after she had ceased wearing hair ribbons.

Clara did not entertain a thought of being an actress until she was seventeen years old. She wanted to be a stenographer until she heard of a beauty contest and entered it.

The little screen flapper won the contest and a motion picture contract.

"I was the most surprised person in the world," she says.

Autos Kill 356 In Connecticut, 1927 Figures

(By International News Service)

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 10.—Motor vehicles caused the deaths of 356 persons last year and did property damage totaling \$2,763,341, according to the fourth annual study of motor vehicle accidents done by Yale University under the Hartley Corporation foundation. Professor Richard Shelton Kirby, of Yale's civil engineering department, conducted the study.

Among his findings Professor Kirby lists the facts:

September and November were the worst months for fatal accidents. The death list was seven times that of 1910 but not much greater than those from 1922 and 1925.

Connecticut for ten years has had a higher death rate from auto accidents than New York, Rhode Island, or Massachusetts, her neighbors.

The state death rate from disease has decreased since 1917 while the rate of auto deaths has jumped fifty percent; and deaths from autos now form one-third of all accidental deaths.

The eight mile stretch of Boston Post Road from New Haven to Milford is the deadliest highway in the state.

Two-thirds of all motor accidents were collisions between cars, and most of the accidents occurred by day in clear weather and on good roads, but more than half came at street intersections.

Connecticut gets \$3,000,000 from its tax on gasoline, and motor cars then proceeded to take over two and three-quarters millions in property damage by accidents.

The motor vehicle operator was to blame for 75.8 percent of accidents in 1917, and of these 13.7 percent came from inattention, 16 from miscaulation; 16.7 from failure to grant right of way; 8.6 to skidding; 2.6 to driving on the wrong side; 3.7 to careless backing; 1.6 to inexperienced; 1.4 to failure to signal; 2.1 to following too closely; 4.2 to going too fast for conditions; 1.7 to intoxication and 3.4 to miscellaneous conditions.

Pedestrians are blamed for 10.8 percent of the accidents. Children were involved in more than half of these accidents. The reasons were crossing streets and stepping from behind other cars.

There were contributing factors to 7.5 percent of the accidents including motormen, bicycles, animals, and unknown operators of machines. Defective equipment caused 3.5 percent of the accidents and minor causes made up 2.4 percent.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harrell, of Bronte; Henry Todd and family, of Dallas and Mrs. C. S. Todd and Mrs. Lee Todd, of this city, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hoyt Smith.

Barney Cotton and J. E. Brook, trustees of the Baldwin school, were here Monday on business pertaining to the school.

Miss Clara Martin, of San Angelo, who has been visiting in Abilene, visited Miss Helen Williams here Sunday while enroute to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Barker, of Venus, returned to their home Monday after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Williams. They made a trip to Carlsbad and other points during their stay here.

Miss Eugene Mae Farris visited in Paint Rock Sunday.

Robert Lee Maddox attended the Baptist encampment at Christoval Sunday.

Jack and Farrar Pierce, of Winters, were here on business Monday.

C. A. Smith and H. B. Williams trustees of Spring Hill school, were here on school business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown were in Christoval Sunday for the Baptist encampment. They were accompanied home by their son, Jack, who had been attending the meet with his grandfather, J. T. Brown, of Winters.

Drury Hathaway has returned from a week's vacation trip to Fort Worth and other points.

James Jacobson is spending his vacation in Rock Island and other South Texas places this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. George and Miss McElroy are in Dallas today on a market trip. Miss McElroy will return either today or tomorrow, and Mr. and Mrs. George will make a trip to South Texas before returning.

Miss Velma Smith left Saturday for South Texas, where she will spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Reeder and son Roy, are in Dallas on a business trip.

Mrs. Robert Lee Jonas, of Coleman, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Straley. She was accompanied home by her sister Miss Francis, who will visit in that city a few days.

Lawrence Lankford spent the week-end in San Angelo.

Miss Clara Mae Lewis who has been sick for some time, is improving, and is able to be up at present.

L. C. Adair and family visited relatives in San Angelo during the week-end.

F. Collins, who is in the employ of Walker-Smith Company, here visited relatives near Glen Rose Sunday.



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