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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Highway Work Being Hindered

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, Oct. 31.—Failure of the State Board of Control and the State Highway Commission to arrive at an agreement over the right to designate the specific make of machinery and highway equipment to be purchased for the highway system, will materially affect the system over the state, said Gib Gilchrist, state highway engineer.

In fact the shortage of adequate equipment is already being felt and the situation will likely become more acute daily, he said.

Gilchrist stated he was at a loss to understand why the board of control had not purchased the machinery requested over which there was no controversy.

Appoint Educator On Probe Board

(By International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Dr. Edwin C. Broome, superintendent of schools of Philadelphia, today was appointed chairman of the committee of 10 of a national association to investigate dissemination of the power trust propoganda in American schools. The committee was formed as the outgrowth of revelations before the federal trade commission.

PLACE OF ELECTION IS CHANGED AT HAGAN

The Ledger has been requested to publish the fact that the election on Tuesday, November 6, at Hagan, will be held at the church instead of the schoolhouse. School is in session at Hagan now and with voters coming there all day it would cause the teachers and pupils a lot of confusion. The polls will be opened at the regular time at the church.

BORGER—New white way lighting system on Main Street here completed.

CORPUS CHRISTI—297,378 bales of cotton received here up to recent date.

Arrest Four in Houston Dispute

(By International News Service)
HOUSTON, Oct. 31.—As a result of Will Horowitz, theatre owner, refusing the wage demand of machine operators, four men were arrested today in connection with pasting unfair notices in the show windows of business firms. This morning an airplane flew over town showering downtown streets with stickers bearing the legend "Four Horowitz theatres are unfair to organized labor."

Germany Abolishes The Death Penalty

(By International News Service)
BERLIN, Oct. 31.—The Reichstag Judicial Committee today decided to abolish the death penalty in Germany. The decision was taken in debate upon the new penal code. The white vote on the question was a tie. It was decided to rescind the old law imposing the extreme penalty. The compromise on the penalty of imprisonment and sterilization of criminally inclined, was rejected.

New York Giants To San Antonio

(By International News Service)
NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Following the example of other big league teams, the New York Giants will train at San Antonio next year.

El Paso Woman Killed in Wreck

(By International News Service)
EL PASO, Oct. 31.—Mrs. Robert J. Howhee, wife of Lieut. Howhee, son of the late General Howhee, of the regular army, died last night at midnight from injuries received when an automobile in which she and her husband and two others were going to a Hallowe'en party at the West Ysleta Country club, skidded and struck a telephone post. The other three persons in the party were injured but will recover. The accident occurred at Ysleta.

San Angelo City Manager Resigns

SAN ANGELO, Oct. 31.—The resignation of E. V. Spence, for the past two years San Angelo City Manager, was accepted with regrets by the city commission at its regular weekly meeting Tuesday. Mr. Spence's resignation is effective January 1, but was granted a 30-day leave of absence through December. "We feel sure that Mr. Spence is the best city manager in the state and hate to lose him," declared Mayor W. D. Holcombe.

Miss Pauline Morley of Robert Lee, who is teaching in the schools of that city, was here Tuesday night attending the Hallowe'en party given by the West Texas Utilities employes. Miss Morley was accompanied by Miss Bizell and Mr. Taylor, also teachers in the Robert Lee schools.

October Court Ends Tuesday

District court was closed in Ballinger Tuesday afternoon when Judge J. O. Woodward was taken sick. The criminal docket was called Monday afternoon and after a few pleas of guilty, the contested cases were started upon Tuesday morning. One case had been tried when Judge Woodward announced that he could not hear any more cases and his son, Walter Woodward, took the judge to Coleman Tuesday afternoon in his car. The rest of this term of court will not be called and all cases will be carried over to the next term of court in the spring. Witnesses were excused and the jury dismissed. Juries and witnesses who were summoned for next week will be notified not to report and no further business will be heard. The judge will return here next week to sign the minutes of the October term.

Ledger Will Give Election Returns

The Ledger will compile election returns Tuesday night and will read and bulletin them in front of the Ledger office until a late hour. The county returns will be gathered by boxes for the Texas Election Bureau. These returns will be bulletined so that the crowd may figure out just how your neighbors voted. State returns will be received from the Texas Election Bureau and national returns from the International News Service.

The Ledger will begin to receive returns shortly after 6 o'clock and will keep open house until late Tuesday night. Western Union office here will remain open until 1 o'clock a. m. and it is likely that complete service will be given until that hour. No morning paper will be published by the Ledger as our force is not large enough to stay on the job two days and one night without rest. Had the election been on Saturday, with a chance for a little rest following an all-night run, we would publish a 5 o'clock a. m. edition in accordance with our usual custom.

Official Ballots Unlike Those Used in Primary

Graf Zeppelin is Off French Coast

(By International News Service)
BREST, France, Oct. 31.—The Brest radio station this afternoon intercepted a wireless from the Roumanian ship Oltenia saying that the Graf Zeppelin was off St. Nazaire at 4 o'clock this afternoon, French time, or 11 o'clock Eastern time.

BORDEAUX, Oct. 31.—The wireless station at Merignad reported that the Graf Zeppelin flew over the gulf of Gascony at 11:20 this morning. This indicates that the airship has been forced far south of the route planned and is now approximately 600 air miles from Friedrichshafen.

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Oct. 31.—The Norddeich Radio Station was heard at 12:30 German time, this afternoon, sending weather reports to the Graf Zeppelin which indicated that the airship had run into bad weather and was encountering rain, hail and snow. It was being assisted, however, by tail winds and expected to be back in the good weather by the middle of the afternoon.

Private advices here reported the airship approximately 450 miles south of Ireland and about the same distance west of Bordeaux.

Girl Clears up Mystery Case

(By International News Service)
LAKE FOREST, Ill., Oct. 31.—The mystery surrounding the horrible burning of pretty Efrida Knaak, former University of Chicago co-ed and Sunday school teacher, was cleared today with the girl's admission that the burns were self-inflicted as "faith" and "purification" ceremony.

FORT WORTH—Contract awarded for improving roadway connecting Maderia Mountain Club with Old Spanish Trail and Bankhead highway.

Rainfall Here Over 2 Inches

Rain continued to fall all over this section of West Texas Wednesday, according to reports gathered from other towns, with very little chance for a let-up. The rainfall at Ballinger since Monday amounts to considerable over two inches and other places nearby report as much as three and one-half inches. According to figures compiled by the traffic department of the West Texas Utilities Co. at Abilene, the rain is falling over this entire section of the state at about the same proportion.

We Want You to Know We Appreciate Your Business

and solicit a continuance of same. To those who have not been trading here we would appreciate your November business. We will make it to your advantage.

Piggly Wiggly

The average voter knows as much about the official ballot as the man who printed them, but there are some few who have the general election ballot confused with the ballots we use in our primaries.

The ballots which were printed in the Ledger office some time back, and which besides carrying the nominees of each party also carry four constitutional amendments, are not like the ballots we use in our primaries. To vote the general election ballot one will find the democratic column first, the republican column second, the communist column third, the socialist column fourth and the independent or blank column last.

To vote this ticket a democrat should scratch all columns except the democratic, and so on, but of course this year there are those voters who will want to vote for the democratic nominees and the republican electors. To do this one must scratch only the democratic presidential electors, leaving the names of the nominees and scratch the republican nominees and leave the presidential electors, as well as to also scratch out all the other columns.

Then at the bottom of the ticket you will find four constitutional amendments, which are as follows:

FOR—The constitutional amendment authorizing aid to Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows in indigent circumstances, and authorizing tax levy therefor.
AGAINST—The constitutional amendment authorizing aid to Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows in indigent circumstances, and authorizing tax levy therefor.

FOR—The amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly religious societies for the exclusive

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 Vocal Refrain. THE BIRD SISTERS
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 GEORGE CLARK AND HIS MUSIC
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 THE TROUBADOURS
 No. 21683, 10-inch

Low Down—Fox Trot THE VIRGINIANS
Blazin'—Fox Trot
 COON-SANDERS ORCHESTRA
 No. 21680, 10-inch

Jeannine, I Dream of Lilac Time
 (Theme song of the motion picture production, Lila Time)
King for a Day Pipe Organ
 JUDGE CRAY 1928
 No. 21681, 10-inch

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Want Congress Agreeable With President-Elect

(By International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Additional appeals went forth today from both the republican and democratic national headquarters to return Congress favoring the president elected in the general election next Tuesday. Usually congress is of the same party as the new executive elected, but the multitude of issues this year makes that doubtful.

Investigating Jail Flogging

(By International News Service)
MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 31.—A vigorous investigation is under way here today in connection with the floggings in the county jail last night of two anti-Saloon League operatives who were sentenced to be whipped by a kangaroo court. Edwin Delvin and Wayne Lucas, both of Indianapolis, each received 30 lashes from prisoners who charged them with "breaking into jail."

Big Spring is to have a new church. The Church of Christ denomination is to be the owner of the new church, and will build the place of worship on South Main Street of buff colored brick veneer at a cost of \$15,000.

Another Dead in Gang Warfare

(By International News Service)
CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—The echo of a bitter intercity warfare between St. Louis and Chicago gangs, which has claimed 19 lives so far this year, was seen today with the finding of the body of Vincel Signorelli, shot to death in his auto in Forest Park, a suburb.

Turns Burglar For Pocket Change

(By International News Service)
DALLAS, Oct. 31.—Desire for pocket money to spend at college led a 16-year-old high school graduate of this city to enter a career of burglary, the lad confessed to police here.

He was caught burglarizing a local residence. The lad kept a diary record of his "jobs" and was therefore able to restore the total of \$300 which he had stolen from various Dallas householders.

One entry reads, "Got shot at but no valuables." This home owner expressed thanks when the youth of the burglar was revealed.

Restitution of money and valuables have been made, there will be no prosecution. The lad goes to college with the promise to go straight.

No Investigation In Hidalgo County

(By International News Service)
HOUSTON, Oct. 31.—United States District Attorney Henry W. Holden announced this morning that he would make no investigation into the Hidalgo county political turmoil, following the receipt of a telegram from Judge A. W. Cameron, head of the democratic organization in Hidalgo county.

THIRD CITY OFFICIAL RESIGNS AT COLEMAN

G. R. Hollingsworth, city commissioner at Coleman resigned from his post this week, making the third official to resign from that body recently. W. S. Bizzell, city manager and Sam Brown, chief of police also recently resigned.

THE WEATHER

East Texas: Cloudy, rains and warmer. West Texas: Cloudy, probably rain; warmer tonight and colder Thursday.

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A young lady went down the streets of Ballinger Tuesday afternoon without any stockings, in the drizzle and first norther. The editor had on his flannels, wool socks and was wondering what he had done with his summer wages.

A wet spell like we are experiencing put a good fall season in the ground, but is delaying cotton picking for the time being. The rain is falling slow, however, and is not expected to injure the cotton in the field.

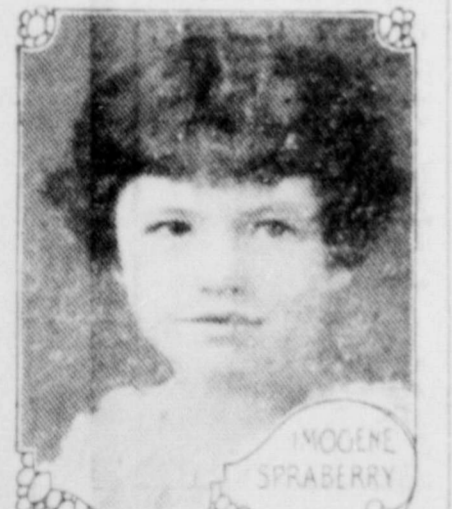
A young American 19 years of age in a stowaway on the Graf Zeppelin. Fares on the return trip were worth \$3,000 each so the young man is riding high for nothing. One thing about stealing a ride on the big airship, they can't stop to put you off.

A Chicago school has added a new department and is instructing the girls in the art of make-up and the proper way to use cosmetics. It looks just a little foolish to teach this kind of thing to us, but when we look a crowd of young flappers over it may be a good thing. Some of them, at least, should be given a few lessons on the amount to use.

It looks like good times are ahead if you watch the automobile dealers in Ballinger. The Sykes Motor Company unloaded 25 Whippets and Willys-Knights this week. Other agencies are about sold out and expecting shipments any day. No dealer here is over-stocked and the biggest worry will be to get enough cars to supply the demand, according to some of the local dealers.

FREE NEWS SERVICE

To The News:
It is unnecessary for the newspapers to pay news syndicates for election forecasts on the presidential race when I can willingly furnish it free. Gov. Al Smith will carry the following States. Solid



Texas Mother Knew the Way

Every mother knows what it means when her child begins to get underweight, pale, listless, bilious, feverish and fretful, with bad breath, coated tongue and no appetite. What every one of them doesn't know is that it's dangerous to use harsh methods to start the little stomach and bowels.
There's no use experimenting in such cases. Millions of mothers have proved the merit and reliability of pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable California Fig Syrup. It gently clears up the most stubborn cases of constipation; stimulates the appetite; gives tone and strength to weak stomach and bowels so they continue to act normally, of their own accord; and makes pale, lifeless children, bright, rosy-cheeked and full of energy.
A Texas mother, Mrs. O. A. Spraberry, 420 Warren St., San Antonio, says: "My little girl, Imogene, developed constipation. She became bilious, pale and fretful, had no appetite and couldn't digest right. She was losing weight. I had taken California Fig Syrup as a child, so I gave it to her. It regulated her quick. She began eating heartily and digesting everything. Soon she was her robust, happy self again."
Ask for California Fig Syrup by the full name so you'll get the genuine, endorsed by physicians for over 50 years.

How the U. S. Looks to Us this Week

By Bressler



South (1924) 134; Missouri 18, Illinois 29, Nebraska 8, North Dakota 5, Arizona 3, Nevada 3, New Mexico 3, Wisconsin 13, New York 45, Massachusetts 18, Rhode Island 5, Connecticut 7, New Jersey 14, Maryland 8 and Delaware 3; total 316; necessary to choice 266; for good measure 50.
ALBERT W. WOODS,
Fort Worth, Texas.
—Dallas News.

Official Ballot--

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use as dwellings for the ministry. AGAINST—The amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly religious societies for the exclusive use as dwellings for the ministry. FOR—The amendment to Article 7, adding Section 16, providing that school officers, including boards of institutions of higher education, shall serve for a term not exceeding six years. AGAINST—The amendment to Article 7, adding Section 16, providing that school officers, including boards of institutions of higher education shall serve for a term not exceeding six years. FOR—The amendment to Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution, providing for the appointment of a State Board of Education. AGAINST—The amendment to Sec-

tion 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution, providing for the appointment of a State Board of Education.

To vote against an amendment you should scratch out the section which is led off with the word "FOR" and if for it you should scratch out the section led off with the word "AGAINST."

Unless a ballot is marked as described above, the vote will be of no effect. To partially scratch one column and still leave the same thing unmarked in another column would be to ruin the ballot and it would not be counted, so if one is not versed in voting he or she would do well to talk it over with some one who understands it before going to the polls.

HERRING TOPICS

Rev. Tierce filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

A large crowd was present at singing Sunday afternoon, and some good singing was reported.

Avery Todd of Coleman spent Friday night with Eldon Avant.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Todd of Coleman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Tedd Sunday.

The party was well attended in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe

Bragg Friday, and was enjoyed very much.

G. P. Brevard and family visited J. T. Roseford Sunday.

Miss Della Bragg spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Bernice Hale.

A number enjoyed a forty-two party at J. P. Brevard's Thursday evening.

Mrs. Allcorn and son, Leslie, of San Angelo spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. A. S. Allcorn.

Will Mathes and family, Mrs. Dietz and son Pascal, and Grandpa Mathes of Crews, were Sunday guests of W. A. Hale.

Miss Jessie Carlton spent Saturday night with Miss Sammie Bragg.

"REPORTER."

"An apple a day keeps the doctor away." Get a basket at Currie Produce Co. 29-3d

DIRTY THIEVES BREAK INTO BEARCATS BATH HOUSE

Tuesday night some one broke into the bath house at Fair Park where the Bearcats keep all their equipment and stole several pairs of football shoes and other articles of considerable value. The thieves pried some boards off the house and ransacked the entire bath house, leaving the boys' uni-

forms scattered and badly mixed. This is the fourth or fifth time this season that the bath house has been broken into and parts of the boys' uniforms stolen. Coach Wright cannot figure what any thief would want with the equipment that is being stolen and unless it is some kids who do not realize that the stuff is useless to them.

A strict watch is being made at the bath house now and anyone caught trespassing is going to get a taste of punishment. Several of the players are without football shoes at present on account of the last robbery.

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TODAY



WALLY WALES IN

"Saddle Mates"

Romance Rides in the West! Two Pals with Ready Wits and Hard Mitts in a Land Where They Laugh at Laws!

Also COMEDY

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County Is Ready To Elect President

Everything is in readiness for the election to be held Tuesday, November 6. The county judge is getting the tickets and boxes out and judges and managers have been named to hold the elections in each of the 27 boxes in Runnels county.

Following is a list of the judges and managers who will have charge of the boxes Tuesday:

- No. 1. Ballinger: J. F. Lusk, C. R. Stephens, and W. A. Esmond.
 - No. 2. Hatchel: J. R. Harris and T. H. Esmond.
 - No. 3. Benoit: B. J. Clayton and Chas. Gibson.
 - No. 4. Crews: Edgar Jayroe, W. H. Fape and E. F. Beck.
 - No. 5. Tokken: J. W. Bright and H. S. Bright.
 - No. 6. Harmony: J. W. Seals and Brant Bishop.
 - No. 7. Winters: W. D. Meaders, J. W. Freeman and Glenn Jordan.
 - No. 8. Antelope: Jim Eoff and O. F. Turk.
 - No. 9. Pumphrey: W. J. Parks and Howard Mitchell.
 - No. 10. Wingate: W. G. Allen, T. W. Wigham and Ed Dzan.
 - No. 11. Baldwin: Henry Mitchell and D. A. Dobbins.
 - No. 12. Wilmet: W. B. Dodgen, W. E. Puckett and J. F. Toler.
 - No. 13. Cochran: W. S. Syler and John Black.
 - No. 14. Norton: D. W. Turner and J. A. Henderson.
 - No. 15. Marie: J. Black and Sam Seay.
 - No. 16. Maverick: J. M. Slaughter and Bert Fletcher.
 - No. 17. S. Norton: T. J. McCaughan, E. M. Setsy and J. M. Osburn.
 - No. 18. Hagan: I. M. Turner and L. E. H. Barnett.
 - No. 19. Brookshier: R. E. Wolber and M. L. Nixon.
 - No. 20. Miles: Allen Dickens, Frank Scott, Sam Farmer and C. L. West.
 - No. 21. Rowena: W. A. Halamaeck, C. R. Roesler and John Schumann.
 - No. 22. Olfen: F. G. Hoelscher and Wm. Halfman.
 - No. 23. Bethel: Pat Fox and G. H. Dierschke.
 - No. 24. Ballinger: W. C. McCarver, B. S. Taylor, M. D. Oliver and No. 1 Penn.
 - No. 25. Dale: W. M. Hope and J. W. Hendrick.
 - No. 26. Winters: J. W. Copeland, F. Bedford, Roger Adams and E. M. Davis.
 - No. 27. Oak Creek: Tad Richards and J. H. Clark.
- All managers are requested to

call The Ledger office collect just as soon as they have the votes counted and notify them of the result.

LONDON GROWS TALL AS PRICES FOR LAND RISE

By F. A. Wray
(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Oct. 31.—London is growing taller. It is half as high again as it was before the war, according to the experts. It may even go higher.

The main cause of this is the tremendous rise in site values, more especially in the "central" districts.

All over London builders are at work erecting in most cases tall buildings of concrete and steel that are becoming a feature of the new London.

Much Construction
It has been estimated that since the war \$1,000,000,000 has been spent in reconstructing London, and that nearly \$150,000,000 a year is now being spent on construction.

Nevertheless, the re-building of London has scarcely begun. Many years of work are ahead. One of the chief reasons for this activity is the necessity now confronting business organizations of making the fullest use of sites. Site values in London have increased so much that business premises must go up higher.

It is now too expensive to expand horizontally in London, which accordingly is becoming a city of steel and concrete buildings of seven or eight floors. If it were not for the building restrictions they would go much higher. But London streets as a rule, are too narrow even for semi-sky-scrapers and the daylight is not so intense as it might be. Hence the limitations.

In Regent Street
An example in the increase of site values is found in Regent Street where the price asked for building purposes is \$10,000 per foot frontage. A hundred years ago, the government drew \$135,000 a year for ground rents in Regent Street—that is rentals for ground sites alone apart from buildings. At present the income from this source is \$2,000,000.

That is to say that in eight years the ground rentals in Regent Street have more than doubled, and in the same time have increased by a greater figure than during the preceding century.

A classified ad in The Daily Ledger will get results.

MOVIES

"King Edward" Has Role In A Western Film

Wally Wales, the Pathe western cowboy star has King Edward in his supporting cast in "Saddle Mates," which opens today at the Queen Theatre.

King Edward is not the actor's real name, however, but it is the name by which he is known throughout filmland. He looks so much like the British king that he has repeatedly impersonated that monarch. In "Saddle Mates" he portrays a country doctor.

King Edward makes no attempt to use his own name in his picture activities; even his pay checks now being made out to him under his peculiar monicker.

Wally Wales' excellent supporting cast in "Saddle Mates" includes Hank Bell, J. Gordon Russell, Peggy Montgomery, Charles Whitaker, Lafe McKee, Edward Cecil and Lillian Allen.

Notable Cast in Colleen Moore's "Her Wild Oat"

A number of distinguished players are included in the cast of Colleen Moore's new First National starring picture, "Her Wild Oat," showing at the Palace Theatre today and tomorrow.

Fritz Ridgeway, known throughout the country where "big time" vaudeville holds sway, plays an important supporting role. Miss Ridgeway was signed by John McCormick, producer of Miss Moore's pictures, to portray a unique character part. She recently supported Lewis Stone and Anna Q. Nilsson in "Lonesome Ladies," a First National picture.

Hallam Cooley is also seen in one of the outstanding roles in Miss Moore's picture, wherein Larry Kent plays opposite the star. Cooley played in "No Place to Go," with Mary Astor and Lloyd Hughes and before that was seen in "Naughty But Nice," Colleen's previous release.

Gwen Lee, who did such excellent work in "Orchids and Ermine" another of Miss Moore's First National pictures, is seen in the cur-

rent film in an important part. Marshall Neilan directed.

The best and prettiest car of apples offered this year just received at Currie Produce Co. 29-3d

TEXAS MAN IS FOURTH ACCEPTED BY CHIPPEWAS AS A MEMBER OF TRIBE

(By International News Service)

WACO, Oct. 31.—Robert Emmett Pellow, hotel owner here, proudly claims membership in the ancient tribe of Chippewa Indians of Lac Du Flambeau, Wis. His name is Ga She Qua Ung or "Flying Cloud."

Pellow was named in accordance with old Indian ritualism. Fasting for three days, his first impressive vision of the third day was a deep bank of swiftly moving clouds. He was therefore named Ga She Qua Ung.

"Flying Cloud" was presented with a headpiece, beaded leggings, an apron, moccasins, a medicine vest, and a string of beads. Big George, 113-year-old under-chief at Currie Produce Co. 29-3d

took a liking to Pellow's granddaughter, baby Camille Dockery, and consented for the first time in his life to have his picture taken, with the baby's arms clinging about his massive neck.

Pellow is said to be the fourth white man to be accepted into the tribe in all its history.

Sore Bleeding Gums

Only one bottle Leto's Pyorrhoea Remedy is needed to convince anyone. No matter how bad your case, get a bottle, use as directed, and if you are not satisfied druggists will return your money. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

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REFERENDUM TO FORM MONARCHY AIM IN GERMANY

By O. D. Tolischus
(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

BERLIN, Oct. 31.—Restoration of the German monarchy by a nation-wide referendum.

This is the aim of the "Steel Helmets," a national organization of war veterans claiming nearly a million members, which is at the same time the backbone of the new "kaiser party" that is being formed in Germany to work for a return of a German kaiser.

The executive committee of the organization passed a resolution requesting the commanders of the organization to initiate a national referendum for a "change" in the constitution of the German Reich as a first "attack on the fundamental evils of the parliamentary system" and in order to make "the coming fight of the 'Steel Helmet' a national movement."

National Rally

A few days later, the "Steel Helmet" staged a national rally of its supporters in Berlin which was attended by Prinz August Wilhelm of Prussia, son of the former kaiser, by Count Westarp, leader of the National People's Party, and other prominent nationalists.

At this rally, Colonel von Struensee declared in the name of the League of National Organization: "The battle begins, it will end with the coronation of a kaiser."

The fiasco of the Franco-German negotiations regarding the Rhineland evacuation, which becomes clearer as later development dispels the fog of the magic formulas of Geneva; the failure of the disarmament negotiations; the restoration of the Franco-British entente and the consequent new isolation of Germany; above all the failure of Germany's former enemies to make any concessions to the democratic and socialist government, swept into power by this hope of the German people; and the half ironical, half leering oration with which the French Foreign Minister Briand put Chancellor Mueller in his place at Geneva as soon as Mueller dared openly to demand something—all these factors have stiffened the national backbone of Germany and convinced many honest friends of the Locarno policy of reconciliation that such a policy was hopeless. This has opened the way for a new activity of the nationalist forces who are again finding a greater response among the masses of the people.

New Referendum

The agitation of the "Steel Helmets" for a national referendum on the constitution is expressly endorsed by the National People's Party had already declared war on the present parliamentary system when it went into the last election with the slogan "More power to the president" and that preparations for initiating a national referendum are already under way.

The movement for a referendum on the change in the constitution runs parallel with the movement for a national referendum on the question of forbidding the further construction of cruisers and other war ships initiated by the communists. Under the present conditions, however, a referendum on the constitution has no more chance than a referendum on the abolition of warship construction, because it would be impossible to get half of the total voting population to vote for it.

But a national referendum campaign provides a great opportunity for both the Communists and Nationalists forcefully to advocate their respective doctrines.

12 NATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN COAL DISCUSSION

By Burl A. Ely
(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 31.—More than a hundred speakers representing 12 nations are listed to present papers at the Second International Conference on Bituminous Coal to be held under the auspices of the Carnegie Institute of Technology from November 19 to 24 according to a preliminary program announced today by Thomas S. Baker, organizer of the conference and president of Carnegie Institute of Technology.

Major topics to be discussed at the conference, it is expected, will include "Pulverized Fuel," "Gas Production," "Liquefaction and Hydrogenation," "Fertilizers," "Origin, Composition and Classification of Coal," "Combustion in Furnaces," "Purification and Cleaning," "Tars and Oils," and "Low Temperature Processes."

Other Subjects

The major subjects are scheduled in addition to addresses of a general character to be presented by Lord Melchett (Sir Alfred Mond), the British capitalist; Professor Fritz Hofman, the German scientist who won recognition through his discovery of a process for the making of synthetic rubber from coal; Friedrich Bergius, noted German scientist who discovered the process of liquefying coal; George Claude, the eminent French scientist; Dr. F. Zur Nedden of Germany; F. G. Tryon of the U. S. Bureau of Mines; and John Hays Hammond, eminent American engineer.

As indicated in the list of major topics, the chief purpose of the coming conference, it is pointed out, will be to present the results of recent discoveries and studies of coal that have to do with improved methods of utilization and combustion. The speakers include the world's leading authorities on the utilization of coal as a source of energy and power.

German Delegation

Germany, it is expected, will have the largest delegation with

about 20 of her most distinguished scientists and engineers present. France, England and Canada will also be represented by comparatively large numbers of their scientists who have been identified with the latest discoveries on coal research.

Other countries to be represented on the program of speakers are Russia, Italy, Austria, Japan, Denmark, Belgium and Jugoslavia. In addition to these delegates, representatives have been appointed to represent governments and scientific organizations in Chile, Cuba, Czecho-Slovakia, Norway, Poland, Rumania and Spain.

Approximately 60 of the 103 speakers already listed to participate in the conference, Dr. Baker's announcement points out, will come from outside of the United States. More than 2,500 delegates are expected to attend the conference.

ROCKEFELLER SPEAKS AT DEDICATION OF THE NEW U. OF C. ORGANS

(By International News Service)

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—With workmen toiling till 3 o'clock a. m. nightly on the tuning of great organs for the new University of Chicago Chapel, completion of the structure in all its details was assured on October 28.

Installation of the organs, which cost \$40,000 apiece and are described as the greatest in the middle west, has been completed. Tuners from the Skinner Company of Boston, the builders, have been working day and night for six weeks to get the two instruments in harmony. With one of them in the chancel and one in the rear of the nave, the organs are almost half a bio-part. They can be played from two consoles, for responsive string, in duet from both consoles or in unison from either.

Two thousand prominent citizens of Chicago and members of the university will attend the dedication services, at which John D. Rockefeller, Jr., will speak.

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WHERE Does Al Smith Stand?

On the Saloon?

Here are his words: "There is no question of the return of the saloons. When I stated that the saloon is out and ought to be a defunct institution in this country I meant it. I mean it today. I will never advocate or approve any law which directly or indirectly permits the return of the saloon."

On Prohibition Enforcement?

Here are his words: "If with one hand on the Bible and the other reaching up to heaven I promise the people of this country that I will faithfully execute the duties of President of the United States and to the best of my ability preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States, you may be sure that I shall live up to that oath in the very last degree. I shall to the very limit, execute the pledge of our platform to make an honest endeavor to enforce the Eighteenth Amendment and all other laws pursuant thereto."

On Public Schools?

Governor Smith's record during the eight years he has been Governor of New York speaks for him on this question. When he took the oath of office eight years ago his state was appropriating about \$9,000,000 each year for the public schools. Today under recommendations of Governor Smith the state is spending \$82,000,000 annually in support of the public schools.

On Religion?

Much has been said about Governor Smith's religion. Here is his creed as stated in his own words: "I believe in absolute freedom of conscience for all men and equality of all churches, all sects and all beliefs, before the law as a matter of right and not as a matter of favor. I believe in the absolute separation of Church and State. I believe that no tribunal of any church has any power to make any decree of force in the law of the land, other than to establish the status of its own church. I believe in the support of the public schools as one of the cornerstones of American liberty. I believe in the right of every parent to choose whether his child shall be educated in the public school or in a religious school supported by those of his own faith. I believe in the common brotherhood of man under the common Fatherhood of God. I join with fellow Americans of all creeds in a fervent prayer that never again in this land will public servant be challenged because of the faith in which he has tried to walk humbly with his God."

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**Cards Foretell Misfortune;
Beauty Dies a Suicide**



Beautiful Jenny Golder, idol of the Paris music halls, who killed herself after the tarot cards had predicted she would be poverty-stricken in her old age. Right, three symbolic cards from the tarot pack. Center, an aged "sidewalk salesman" for a fortune teller, and, below, one of the profession reading—or professing to—customer's future by means of coffee grounds.

By International Illustrated News

PARIS, Oct. 30.—To stake one's fortune on the turn of a card is not a particularly rare occurrence among persons of sporting inclinations. But—to choose between life and death according to the dictates of a simple piece of paste-board with a fantastic design on it—!

Yet that is exactly what beautiful Jenny Golder did. And Jenny chose death, taking it by means of a pistol aimed at her heart.

Everything she could ask of life seemed to be at pretty Jenny's feet. She was the idol of the Paris music halls. She had beauty of face and figure; plenty of money; a host of worshiping admirers; in every respect she was on the crest of a wave, with every prospect of remaining there for 10 years to

come.

Consulted Tarot Cards
And then she adopted the fad which has wrought such grotesque effect in Paris. Jenny began consulting the gypsy tarot fortune-telling cards, to learn their prediction of her future.

To her distress, the cards forecasting poverty and misfortune in old age began appearing not once, but repeatedly. It wasn't a coincidence to Jenny; it was a dire warning.

Her apparent "fate" began to prey on her mind. She could see her radiant beauty fall prey to the ravages of illness. All her lovely possessions disappeared, in her imagination, and were replaced by rags and poverty. The spectacle was more than Jenny could bear. Her mind lost its bal-

ance, and soon her devotees were shocked to learn of her suicide.

Not all the incidents in the wake of this new Parisian craze for the occult, are as tragic as the case of Jenny Golder.

Paris' Risibilities Ticked
Political circles were rocked with ribald laughter upon learning that one legislator confessed to consulting an "astrologer" before casting his vote on matters of state. It developed that the "fortune teller" knew more about practical politics than about the meaning of the stars.

A typical instance is presented by an American widow in Paris, of more wealth than discretion, who took her romantic yearnings to a Madame Liane, to be interpreted through the cards. Madame Liane confided in the widow that she would presently be visited by a "tall dark man." The tall dark man entered the American lady's life within two days. He nearly succeeded in marrying the American—and her money—when he was revealed as the brother of the omniscient seer.

Have you read the want ads?

**BRUNKS COMEDIANS DRAW
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Presenting a comedy drama entitled "Come On Mary" on Tuesday night, Brunk's Comedians played to a much larger crowd than on Monday night despite the fact that the weather was unfavorable. The big tent being waterproof and heated makes for the convenience of the patrons and the players delight in pleasing the public.

The specialties were quite peppy on Tuesday night and were readily and heartily received by the enthusiastic audience.

Tonight they present "The Gossip," a better play than "Sainted Sinners," and one which M. J. Brunk says is worth walking 14 miles in the mud to see.

Jerry Barnes' orchestra features pleasing numbers each night and has already made some regular patrons for the show by its superlative renditions.

Thursday night the company will present "She Walked in Her Sleep"; Friday night "Take My Advice"; Saturday at 3 p. m. "Cheating Women"; Saturday

night at 8 o'clock "Why Girls Walk Home" and Saturday night at 9:35 "Her Unborn Child."

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SAN ANGELO SPECIAL. TRAIN TO RANGER GAME

SAN ANGELO, Oct. 31.—Plans for a special train from San Angelo to Ranger next Saturday when the Bobcats tackle the Bulldogs in the Oil Belt District, were started here Tuesday when Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe officials offered a special round trip fare of \$5.35.

Pep squads and band members were assisting E. E. Lowrie in offering tickets to the fans here. The train will leave San Angelo at 7 o'clock in the morning going to Sweetwater by way of Coleman and arrive at Ranger over the T. & P. at 2 o'clock just before the game. The return trip will start from Ranger at 6 o'clock in the evening arriving back in San Angelo early Sunday morning.

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Scout Council To Meet Friday

A meeting of the local Boy Scout council has been called to meet Friday morning in the office of the chamber of commerce to discuss some important matters pertaining to boys work in Ballinger.

L. Cohen, chairman of the council, stated Wednesday morning that he was anxious that every member of the council be present so that some definite steps could be taken in regards to furthering the scout activities here.

At present one troop under R. R. Williams as scoutmaster and Rev. E. W. McLaurin, assistant scoutmaster, is doing fine work here. This troop is already over-strength and it is imperative that another troop be organized at once to take care of the overflow in Troop No. 1 and the boys who are wanting into another troop. A scoutmaster

has already been secured and as soon as the council can meet and get an organization to sponsor the next troop, they will be ready to organize.

Ed Shumway of Abilene has recently been here conferring with the local council and the district is anxious to get the scout work more active here. Mr. Shumway stated that not just two, but several new troops should be started here at once.

The scout council is composed of the following men: L. Cohen, Troy Simpson, R. W. Earnshaw, E. W. McLaurin, Estes Lynn, Alfred Crager, E. E. King, H. C. Lyon, Jno. A. Weeks, J. D. Motley, H. F. Demmer, Felton Wright, R. R. Williams, Lawson Brown and R. E. White.

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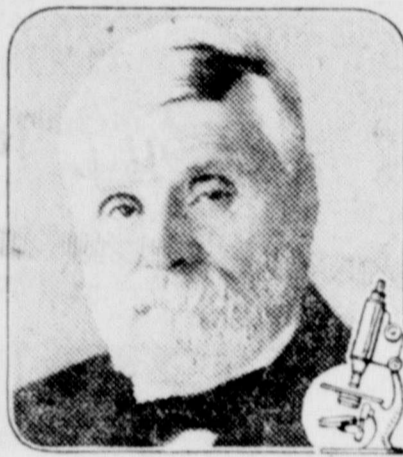
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