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BALLINGER, TEXAS, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1928

MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Many are Killed as Result of Typhoon

(By International News Service)
 MANILA, Nov. 27.—Between 50 and 100 persons were killed and property loss of many millions of dollars estimated as the result of a typhoon which swept the central Philippines according to reports today. The provinces of Samar, Sorsogon, Masbate, Albay, Mindoro and Romblon were affected. The coconut at Albay is reported completely destroyed.

Hoover Enroute To Corinto Today

(By International News Service)
 ABOARD THE MARYLAND, via Radio, Nov. 27.—The Battleship Maryland bearing President-elect Herbert Hoover, is proceeding southward today towards Corinto, Nicaragua. She raised anchor at Launenenem, Salvador, shortly after midnight.
 At Corinto he will be met by Brigadier Generals Frank McCoy and Engan Feland and the ship will take on 78 marines.

Three Attractions To Draw Citizens

The weather permitting, Ballinger will be a deserted village on Thanksgiving Day. Football games and out of town trips will claim a majority of the people here unless the weather stays cold and wet and prevents them from making trips in cars.
 The Daniel Baker College-Ablene Christian College game will get a large share of the football fans from here. This game will be played in Ablene at Fair Park at 2:30 Thursday afternoon and will have an added interest this year. Both teams are undefeated in the T. I. A. A. and the winner of the game will be declared champions of that conference with a perfect record of playing the season without a loss. According to dope there is little difference, if any, in the strength of the teams, and the game will be one of the best exhibitions played that day in the state.
 Others are planning to go to Austin to see the Aggies and the University meet in their annual Turkey Day game. This game always draws great crowds and with the added stunts of their bands and pep squads and the old rivalry of so many years standing, there will be a capacity crowd at the university's stadium to witness the play. If weather conditions remain wet it will be almost impossible to make the trip from here by automobile.
 At Brownwood the Yellow Jackets of Howard Payne College will meet Southwestern University in a game of much local interest. Nig McCarver of Ballinger is playing one of the most sensational games with the Yellow Jackets that has ever been furnished by a local boy. If Howard Payne succeeds in beating Southwestern they will have a clear claim to the championship of the Texas Conference.
 These are the main attractions that will take Ballinger people away from home and if the roads get in any degree of good condition, Ballinger will be well represented at each place.

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COW CENSUS IS TO BE TAKEN IN SMITH COUNTY

(By International News Service)
 TYLER, Nov. 26.—The Tyler Chamber of Commerce will take a "cow census" in this vicinity the early part of December. The purpose of the census will be to determine if enough farmers of this section own dairy cows to warrant the establishment of a milk products plant here.
 Should the plant be installed here, it will be patterned after the one at Marshall, it is stated.
 Be wise and advertise.

Texas Port Loses Rates on Cotton

(By International News Service)
 WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Export and coastwise rates on cotton and cotton linters from points in the southwestern states to Corpus Christi and water shipment and concentration arrangements for cotton at Corpus Christi, were found unduly prejudicial in the report to the Interstate Commerce Commission today by G. H. Mattingly, an examiner. He did, however, sustain the Corpus Christi allegation of undue prejudice against the port because of lack of concentration of arrangements for rail shipments.

King's Condition Remains Serious

(By International News Service)
 LONDON, Nov. 27.—Speaking at a luncheon of advertising men this afternoon, the Duke of York, second son of King George, declared that there was "slight improvement" in the king's condition. The persistent report with apparent justification is being circulated this afternoon that the Prince of Wales has been recalled from Africa.
 LONDON, Nov. 27.—The report that the Prince of Wales has been recalled from Africa was officially denied. The prince is continuing his hunting trip and is being kept informed of the king's condition by courier. In the meantime the king's physicians issued bulletins this morning indicating that he was somewhat improved.

MOCCASINS FOR YOUNG SAVE FEET OF GROWNUPS CHIROPODISTS ARE TOLD

(By International News Service)
 CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Moccasins instead of shoes for children until their feet are properly formed would eliminate a big percentage of pedal deformities in adult years, Dr. A. Everly, president of the Illinois Association of Chiropractors, declared in an address here.
 "American Indians never wore shoes, and corns, bunions, and common foot disorders were absolutely unknown among them," declared Dr. Everly. "Moccasins permitted the structure of their feet to develop naturally from childhood."
 "Aches of adolescent children, mistakenly termed 'growing pains' are frequently nature's warning of serious foot ailments and should be cared for immediately. Recent examinations of school children in leading cities of the United States disclosed that 85 per cent of the girls and 60 per cent of the boys suffer from foot ailments. In most cases these were directly traceable to ill-fitting shoes that cramped the toes and squeezed the feet into unnatural positions."

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Ballinger's Christmas Decorations Provided

Three Texans in Automobile Crash

(By International News Service)
 AUSTIN, Nov. 27.—Senator Edwin Witt, of Waco, J. S. Penland of Waco, and Homer D. Wade of Stamford appeared at the governor's highway committee meeting this morning swathed in bandages. They were badly cut last night when their automobile collided with a moving van near Troy, north of Temple.

Moody Delivers Highway Address

(By International News Service)
 AUSTIN, Nov. 27.—Governor Dan Moody's advisory committee of 31 formed to devise a comprehensive highway program, got under way today with the selection of D. K. Martin of San Antonio, former highway commissioner, as temporary chairman. The governor struck the keynote of the meeting in an address in which he declared that the future of Texas depends largely on how thoroughly the highway situation is covered. He declared that highways constitute a greater problem to Texas than any other state in the Union. He said that the present highway income is inadequate and declared that he would veto any law providing for elective highway commissioners.

While none of us will be willing to dispense with our happy Christmas day there are many who would like the spirit of that day carried over into January, February, March and on through the year.

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Garner Answers Probe Charges

(By International News Service)
 McALLEN, Nov. 27.—Congressman John Garner of the Fifteenth District, today offered to resign immediately, if charges that he was connected in any way with the alleged election corruption were proven. He made the statement before the congressional investigating committee who are here probing the alleged irregularities in this district.
 Sid Hardin, Garner's opponent in the July primary, testified that the two charges made before him and to the committee, were based on hearsay and that he could not personally vouch for them. The charges were that \$100,000 was used to secure Garner's nomination and election and that 10,000 Mexicans illegally voted.

Missing Witness In Paris Court

(By International News Service)
 PARIS, Nov. 27.—Henry M. Blackmer, missing Tea Pot Dome witness, appeared in the Eighth Court of Appeals today in connection with the United States government's demand that he be extradited, to answer a perjury charge in connection with income tax returns made at Denver. The French attorney general advised the court that the American demand should be thrown out.

It won't be long now and you won't be glad you waited. Order your Christmas cards now. Ballinger Printing Company. dtf

Endurance Flight Comes to a Halt

(By International News Service)
 FRESNO, Nov. 27.—Running out of gasoline after flying for 43 hours, pilots Lee Schoonhair and John Guglielmetts, were compelled to abandon their attempt to break the world's record for sustained flight this morning.

METHODIST SERVICE HERE TONIGHT AT 7:00

Rev. S. L. Culwell, former pastor of the Methodist church here will preach to that congregation tonight at 7 o'clock. Rev. Culwell has many friends here both among the Methodist and other churches of the city. Everyone is invited to attend the meeting tonight.

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Building Permits Climb at Angelo

SAN ANGELO, Nov. 27.—With plumbing permits and installation of an elevator in the Ray & Willick Hotel leading the list for a total of \$47,000, San Angelo building permits during the past week went to \$75,000 and the year's total to \$4,216,293.

In the meantime, rapid progress has been registered this month on the Hilton Hotel where the seventh floor of concrete is being poured and brick work on the 14-story structure will begin about December 1, according to plans of B. B. Hall, builder.

Three garage structures, and a second hotel are nearing completion and plans are being prepared for the McBurnett six story office building, the five-story Baker-Hemphill department store and another creamery.

Society

"Luncheon"

In entertaining luncheon club members on last Friday, Mrs. D. Reeder employed a pink and green motif most artistically. Bows of green decked slender pink tapers in silver holders, from which a soft light was shed over the beautifully laid and appointed table, centered with pink carnations and fern. The favored tones appeared again and again in the menu, daintily served in five courses, with flower nut baskets, pink and green mints and place cards of unusual beauty further stressing the chosen colors.

The usual bridge games followed, being played in the spacious reception rooms of the Reeder home on Eighth Street.

Members are: Meses. Reeder, Ralph Erwin, Bruce Creasy, Geo. Holman, Frank Pearce, Malcolm McGregor, Leslie Baker, Joe Simmons, Victor Miller, R. G. Parks, H. H. Thomson, Misses Louise Orgain, Winnie Trail, and Meses. D. C. Middleton, R. L. Harwell and Roy Henderson of Winfield, Kans., were guests.

Into their beautiful new home on fourth street Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lynn welcomed a group of friends on Friday evening of last week entertaining with an attractively appointed party.

Lovely fall flowers graced the pretty entertainment suite of the home with the Thanksgiving motif being elaborately staged in the table decorations and accessories for the forty-two games.

Delectable refreshments were served in two courses, at the conclusion of the games.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn had as their guests: Meses and Meses J. M. Pyburn, Paul Trimmer, Estes Lynn, C. R. Stephens, G. M. Vaughn, Oscar Pearson, J. W. Powell, C. J. Lynn, E. W. McLaurin, Scott Mack, W. B. Woody, Edwin Day, W. B. Halley, J. G. Douglass, J. Y. Pearce, Harry Lynn, James Wear, R. W. Bruce, Meses M. C. Smith, Lucy Townsend, Robert Bailey, Meses Maryatt Smith Martorie and Dorothy Ruth Lynn and Powell Wear.

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Receives Best Wishes of Old Time Citizen

B. W. Pilcher, who is the duly elected constable of this precinct, is in receipt of a letter from Ed S. McCarver, who served this county as county attorney from 1908 to 1910.

Mr. McCarver calls attention to the time when W. H. Weeks, father of John A. Weeks and Capt. W. L. Towner, served as justices, which takes one back to the good old days.

At the time Mr. McCarver served this county as the prosecuting attorney, Ballinger had saloons, domino halls, pool and billiard halls, and we were living a real frontier life. At that time the automobile was a new "animal" and was not looked upon with much favor and very little confidence.

Mr. McCarver married Miss Bonnie Corbett and they moved from this city to Orange, where Mrs. McCarver died several years ago. Mr. McCarver is now the mayor of Orange and his many friends among the old timers of Ballinger and Rannels county will be glad to know that he is successful. His letter follows:

Orange, Texas,
November 24, 1928.

Mr. B. W. Pilcher,
Ballinger, Texas.

My Dear Mr. Pilcher:

It is with very great pleasure that I see in the columns of the old home paper, The Ledger, that you will take over the duties of the office of constable in Precinct No. 1, on January 1st, I want to congratulate you, and wish I could congratulate the citizenship, personally, for getting your services in this capacity again.

I often think of the many experiences had with you, Judge Weeks and Capt. Towner, our dearly departed friends, when you were constable and I was county attorney. Judge Weeks was the first justice I served under, then came Captain Towner. I look back upon those happy days when life seemed to hold so much, and when prospects were grand, indeed. Now I am 50 years old, have grown children, and begin to feel that I am nearing the high spots of life; soon will come the decline and old age. No matter what fate may befall, I shall always remember my good friends in Ballinger, as elsewhere, and rest securely in the thoughts that their friendly sentiments are

genuine and lasting. Give my regards and best wishes to Mrs. Pilcher, and drop me a line if you can find the time.

Your Friend,
ED S. MCCARVER.

Orchestra Concert Tonight at 7:30

Mrs. Dorothy Chancey, director of the Ballinger High School Orchestra and Girls' Glee Club, will present the two organizations in concert tonight at the high school auditorium at 7:30. This will be the first public appearance of either of the organizations this year and many patrons of the school are expected to be present to hear a musical treat and encourage this work being done in the schools.

This is Miss Chancey's first year in the school here, but she has already made herself known in a musical way in Ballinger and lost no time in getting the two musical organizations started. In addition to the orchestra and glee club she will present the High School Girls' Quartet in one number.

The Girls' Glee Club has won the first prize for the past two years in the district meet which is held each spring in San Angelo, and with a good part of last year's club members back again this year, they will be expected to win the third consecutive time which will give them a permanent claim on the cup, given as a trophy for first place. The orchestra is comparatively new here, but with 13 members who play well, Miss Chancey is developing a group of real musicians who are pleasing to listen to.

The orchestra is composed of the following: violins, Kelly Bowden, Carmen Demmer, Henry Ducek; saxophones, Chester Taylor, Lillian McMillan and Joe Demmer; baritone, Fred Wellhausen; drums, Bill Cooper; clarinets, David Baker and Felix Pospichal piano, Helen Anderson; trombone, W. A. Nance, Jr.

The Girls' Quartet is composed of Opal McWilliams, Eva Routh Forgy, Ollie Jean Cordill and Claudia Smith.

Following is the program for tonight:
Flagstaff (St. Clair). An Evening Legend (St. Clair). Orchestra Indian Dawn (Zamecnik). Roses of Picardy (Wood). Glee Club The Cavalier (St. Clair). Old Black Joe (Smith Holmes). saxophone solos Chester Smith Wood Spirits (St. Clair). Orchestra

Mother Machree (Ball). Sweet and Low Quartet (Misses McWilliams, Cordill, Forgy and Smith). Clock Store (Creighton). Continental March (St. Clair). Orchestra Wanted—A good, fresh milk cow. Clark's Shop, Ballinger. 27-1d*

CHURCH RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS FOR CANADIAN INDIANS

Indian boys and girls in Canada to the number of 14,782 are enrolled in the 344 Indian schools maintained by the Department of Indian Affairs. Of these, 254 are day schools, with an enrollment of 8,242 and 74 are residential schools, with an enrollment of 6,327 pupils. The 16 "combined" schools, located in sections too sparsely settled to support separate schools for whites and Indians, are attended by 213 white and Indian children. The residential schools are under church management with close supervision by the department. In these schools state funds are supplemented, whenever necessary, by contributions from the churches.—School Life.

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THREE UNIVERSITIES NOW EMPLOY PASTORS

Almost simultaneous announcement is made by three great American universities of the appointment of a full-time officer to be the responsible head of religious work of the several institutions. Dr. Robert Russel Wicks has been inaugurated as "dean of religion" of Princeton University, and he will be in charge of the college chapel. His duties include some teaching in connection with the religious work of the university, as well as social and religious contacts with the students. Dr. Charles W. Gilkey is the new "dean of the university chapel" of Chicago University, and has assumed his place in the educational and religious scheme of the university. Handsome gothic chapels have just been completed at both Princeton and Chicago, and neither pains

nor expense have been spared to make them attractive and worshipful. In Yale University Rev. Elmore McNeill McKee is now full-time "pastor of the church," and he, too, will minister to the religious life of the students. Bat-tel Chapel has recently been re-decorated and refurbished as a part of Yale's building and improvement plan.—School Life.

Christmas cards, Christmas letters, Christmas stationery, calling cards for Christmas.—Ballinger Printing Company. dtf

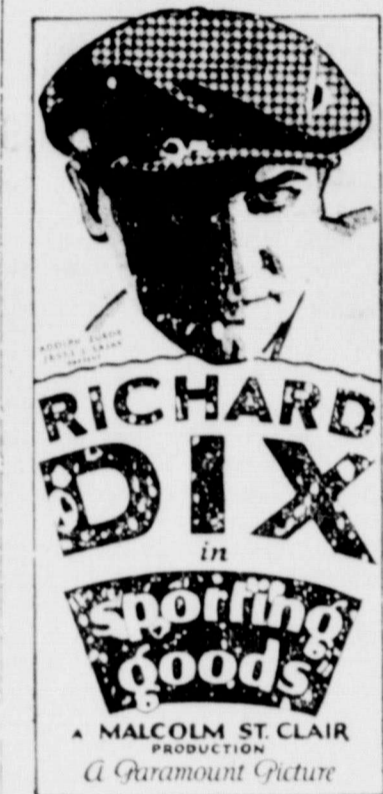
The main street of Rotan has been much improved by the grading and improving of Snyder Avenue through to the west end of the thoroughfare. A railroad switch in the center of the street will be removed as soon as the street is opened for traffic.

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Alienists Urge Science Dictate Who Shall Wed

By F. A. Wray
International News Staff Correspondent
LONDON, Nov. 24.—Shall the cold voice of science strive to dictate to the old passion of love?

Dr. Bernard Hollander, famous alienist, and president of the Ethnological Society, put this question to members of the society in an address on "Psychology of Love." He supplied his own answer: "Assuredly, yes."

Marriage was not a matter of a lover's evening out, said Dr. Hollander. It was an intimate association day in and day out which only compatibles could face without disaster. Yet man still allows the almost unalloyed primeval instinct to guide him in this essential matter.

Success in marriage cannot be guaranteed even if selections are made by experts, says Dr. Hollander. "Still, we know enough at least to rob this most popular of lotteries of its worst lottery characteristics."

"Nature," he continued, "has everywhere set the model. Civilized man, in proportion to his advancing culture, has to improve upon the model."

"As man the barbarian came to apply rules culled from the school of experience, so he became civilized, cultured, intellectual and moral. Scarcely in any other field has he allowed the primeval instinct to hold sway, so little influenced by the rules of organized knowledge, as in this all-essential matter of the union of the sexes."

"That men are not guided in choosing a wife by reason, appropriateness, common-sense, good judgement, or any of the other evidences of sanity that they display in deciding the other problems of life is illustrated daily by the unsuitable matches all about."

"A man may praise domesticity and economy in theory, yet in practice it is not the girl able to manage a household who gets her hand held, but the maiden who has kept her fingers soft and white."

"Everybody is more or less led by the delusion that he can avoid the blunders of other people, and the stream flows steadily on."

"Even the most perfect man and the best good woman have their defects; but sensible husbands and wives look the other way. Where they remain lovers throughout life, their conjugal good fortune owes much to a cultivated and happy blindness on both sides."

"There is much opposition to making divorce easier, but none of the present system of allowing anybody capable of asking for a license, in person or by proxy, to marry. Until marriage is made more difficult and properly regulated, altruism would appear to lie in the direction of making divorce easier."

"If we were to stop the marriage of persons whose family records show the history of serious or bodily disease, few people would be allowed to marry. On the other hand, by allowing, as we do, chronic lunatics, imbeciles, epileptics and habitual drunkards to get married, the contamination of the race has become so great and the care of the useless offspring so heavy a charge on the community that some effort should be made to stay this curse on the land."

"The least that can be done is to teach defective people methods of birth control. At present, however, it is the sound people who limit the number of their offspring."

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GERMAN SHIPYARDS SHOW INCREASE IN PRODUCTION

(By International News Service)

HAMBURG, Nov. 27.—Only Germany formed an exception in the general decline of orders for new ships which, getting in at the beginning of the current year, continued through the third quarter.

While orders at all the world's shipyards declined some five per cent from June 30 to September 30, they increased in Germany by 3.9 per cent, reaching a total of 423,375 gross register tons.

Whether this lead will be kept up in the current quarter is somewhat doubtful, owing to the completion of the North German Lloyd's "Europa" and "Bremen" at the Hamburg-America Line's "St. Louis" and "Milwaukee" and also to labor troubles at the German shipyards.

The great bulk of the reduction in orders affected England which still, however, retains first place, but with Germany second. Third place is taken by Holland, with a total of 191,290 gross register tons of new orders. Motor vessels make up 53 per cent of the quarter's new orders at all shipyards, but only 42.6 per cent in the German shipyards.

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MOVIES

New Barthelme Seen in "Out of the Ruins"

Patrons of the Palace Theatre are about to be introduced to a new Richard Barthelme. On Wednesday they will be presented to the First National star's newest feature production, "Out of the Ruins," a fast-moving and dramatic screen version of the well-known short story by Sir Philip Gibbs.

In "Out of the Ruins" Barthelme will be seen for the first time in years in a role strictly calling for love scenes rather than character delineation. In his previous productions the star has been noted for his extraordinary character studies, such as in "Broken Blossoms," "Tollable David," "The Patent Leather Kid" and "The Noose." In "Out of the Ruins" however, he is given not only excellent histrionic opportunities, but is also given a beautiful love story.

Although this story is laid in

France during and after the recent World War, the story is really one concerning love and its tribulations. Barthelme in the role of a French Blue Devil deserts his regiment in order to be with his sweetheart. His court martial as a deserter, his sentence to be shot and what follows forms the unusual denouement of the Gibbs narrative.

For the first time, Marian Nixon is seen as the heroine and the combination of Barthelme-Nixon is said to be of great romantic promise. The cast is one of the usual Barthelme standards, including such superlative players as Bodil Rosing, Eugene Pallette, Emilie Chautard, and Robert Frazer. John Francis Dillon, whose excellent direction of "The Noose" won for him national recognition, was director of "Out of the Ruins." Henry Hobart was production manager, and Ernest Haller cameraman.

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POWER AND PROSPERITY

Industry throughout the United States has been developed to its present high efficiency not because American workers work long hours, but because we are making a larger use of power in the factory, on the farm, and in the home, than any other nation, according to Dr. George Otis Smith, director of geological survey, United States Department of Commerce.

"We have been living in a second industrial revolution," says Dr. Smith. "Under our eyes electricity has been applied to both old and new tasks. The list of indoor appliances now operated by electric current runs down the alphabet from adding machines to waffle irons, and the even longer list of out-of-doors tasks ranges from animal currying to wood sawing.

"The American secret of present prosperity is, in a large part, found in the simple fact that the American workman has more power at his elbow than any other workman in the world."

FOOTBALL MANAGER HAS TOUGHEST JOB OF HANDLING HIS CREW

SEATTLE, Nov. 26.—Clarence Oberg, the quiet, mild-mannered football manager at the University of Washington is the one who does all the worrying, planning and fixing for the Huskies.

Oberg's task, like other managers, is not a small one. At home, he sees that 15 or 20 footballs are ready each day, he has his men fix the tackling dummies, line the field, issue suits, guard the stadium during secret practice and be ready to carry out the slightest command of the lord high master—the coach.

A good football manager must be a business man, a mechanic, a diplomat and a pugilist. Future requirements may include those of nursemaid and social secretary, according to Oberg, as he described a typical trip with the team.

"There isn't much we managers do except pack 35 complete uniforms, make reservations for the team in the best hotel the visited city affords and line up transportation to and from the train.

"Of course, we'll have to unpack the suits, have them ready for the team for the first turnout, notify the hotel about the menus and take charge of all finances on the trip. Outside of that it'll be pretty soft.

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The editor of The Ledger is in receipt of a letter from the Texas Election Bureau at Dallas stating that The Ledger was the first correspondent to make a complete return in a county of over 3000 votes on the general election.

The Ledger is credited with a complete vote at 9:42 p. m. on the night of the election and no other county in that same class reported before 10 o'clock on the following morning. The Ledger always tries to get the news while it is news but we are very proud of having the honor of doing the election job faster than any other correspondent in the state.

Much of the credit is due to the election managers over the county who always co-operate with us in an excellent manner at all elections. These managers called us as fast as they got the votes on election night and the force in the office kept the vote tabulated right up to the minute all the time. The complete return was filed over Western Union here and was given to the Dallas office of the bureau at 9:42.

M. C. Atkins of the West Texas Telephone company was also a factor in getting the early returns. He has worked with The Ledger force for many years in helping compile the returns from Runnels county and knows how to get every box in the county by long distance and is a big help during election nights.

The Western Union always gives excellent service and we do not take all this praise for the first complete return without acknowledging the help of these others.

Suicide Death Rate

The annual death rate from suicide in cities of 100,000 population or more in the United States during the past 10 years averaged 15.52 and in the rural areas where records are kept, 10.46.

The indescribable quality lingering in old gardens is the outward evidence of the spirit of love in which they were made.

Cupid's Decalogue



NATALIE THURSTON

NEW YORK—If the man of your dreams is making moon eyes at your girl friend, sigh sweetly and tell him he has the sex appeal of John Gilbert.

Then, if he continues to shy admiring glances in her direction, call him a cave man, and shake your head gloomily and say he ought to be credited for being so attractive.

At least these were commandments one and two in the decalogue for winning the man you want when Miss Natalie Thurston, international authority on beauty, of New York and Paris, gave to a group of young women in an address here. Here are Miss Thurston's other eight:

1. Say to him, "I wish you'd give my brother the name of your tailor. He was satisfied with his own until he saw you at the theater the other evening."
2. Tell him since meeting him other men you know seem so stupid.
3. Take him out riding in your roadster, and show him the prosperous store buildings your father owns.
4. Invite him to tea every Sunday night, and seat him at the table between your two snuggest married friends.
5. When he talks supper after the theater, ask him for his objections to a little snack in the pantry at home.
6. Draw him out on his ideas of beautiful women, then coquette yourself accordingly.
7. If he tries to hold your hand, throw both your arms around him.
8. Should he sneeze off-handedly, "I like you," answer right back, "And I love you."

"The most important commandment of all," added Miss Thurston, "is to make yourself beautiful according to your beloved one's ideal of beauty. And even a girl without a brother or a roadster or a wealthy father, providing she has sense and the right cosmetics, may do this."

Have you read the want ads?

Astronomer May Talk With Mars Using Mirrors

By Alice Langelier

(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, Nov. 22.—It was only natural that a Frenchman who always discovers the most coquettish ways of doing even the most practical things, should proclaim that mirrors, and not the radio, is the best way to talk to Mars. This, at least, is Monsieur Pierre Blois' private opinion, writing in "La Liberte" after the Englishman's experiment.

The French astronomer suggests an arrangement of looking-glasses as large as Paris, shooting beams of light at the rate of 300,000 kilometers per second. They would send out regular and irregular signals which would attract the Martians, he believes, if they exist at all.

Monsieur Blois is a bit sarcastic over radio communication with the Martian sweetheart of Mr. Robinson.

"The heavenly love of Dr. Robinson wandering about on Mars no doubt found a welcome on the part of the Martian girls," he says, "but you notice that Mars has not yet answered."

Mr. Blois thinks that the famous Maritan canals are nothing more than optical illusions and attributes them to the effects of light refraction. The red colorations that can be seen during periods of good visibility may or may not be evidences of vegetation.

Eat, drink and be merry had been the motto of Paul Esparbe, an old French cobbler all his life, and before he died he gave out instructions for a funeral as gay as his life had been. His friends complied with his request. Four men named Paul carried their namesake to the cemetery to the tune of a fine jazz band, and afterwards enjoyed a fine banquet for which the dead man had given the menu, including four chickens, veal with mushrooms, old wine

and older brandy.

Enough typhus, leprosy and cholera bacilli were recently found in a French home to kill off several hundred families. Armand Schirmer of Negent-sur-Marne, was accused of a little money swindle and when the police raided his premises they found dozens of test-tubes filled with a whole colony of fatal germs in a thoroughly equipped laboratory. He refused to explain the purpose to which he had put these germs. The police have them in safe-keeping at present.

Latest statistics issued by the government show that only 528 persons in France are receiving help because of unemployment.

Plans for a model city have recently been submitted to national architects by Henri Descramps and include a skyscraper which will put those of New York in the

shade, according to all reports. A cafe will furnish all the wine one can drink; a large restaurant below will distribute meals well-prepared by means of dumb-waiters to all the apartments in the gigantic building. Around it will be gardens and woods assuring fresh air to the dwellers.

The subway of this little city, which is planned for somewhere between Paris and Rouen, will have four tracks and the railway stations will comprise an airdrome.

Admitting Too Much

A lot of clubs continue, thinks a self styled over-organized woman, writing in the Woman's Home Companion, because folks don't think it would be a confession of weakness to give them up.

For Fat People

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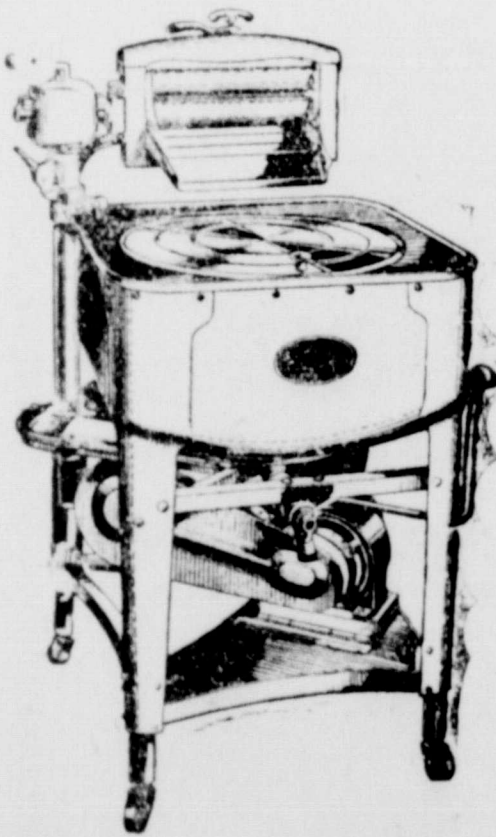
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Rotarians Have Fine Get-together

The Rotary Club Thanksgiving banquet held Monday night was one of the most successful banquets ever staged here. The Rotarians, their Rotaryans and their guests, were seated at the table at 8 o'clock at the Central Hotel. One hundred plates were taken with the attendance and the program, short and snappy, was carried out without a mishap.

The dining room was beautifully decorated with amber and flame crepe paper arched over the tables. Assorted paper caps were found at each plate and horns and other noise makers were strewn along the table so that everybody had one.

After the singing of America, Bob Williams gave the invocation and Vice-President E. Shepperd took charge of the meeting. Secretary J. D. Motley called the roll and each Rotarian introduced himself, his Ann and his guest.

The Ballinger High School Orchestra, under the direction of Miss Dorothy Chancey, furnished music for the occasion which was enjoyed by everyone present. Miss Chancey is making a real orchestra in the local school and the public should lend every encouragement possible.

Mrs. Robert Bruce gave a reading that brought the house down and was recalled for an encore. Mrs. Bruce is particularly fine in comedy reading and her place on the Rotary program was a highlight.

Following the main meal a short argument took place as to who would preside as toastmaster. W. C. McCarver, chairman of the program committee, finally appointed himself and over the protests of the club took his seat. He launched into a discussion of classifications in Rotary and which meant most to the community. He claimed his own was of greatest importance. This led to another argument in which Jno. Weeks, Joe Simmons, Joe Neff, R. T. Williams, Elmer Shepperd and Sam Behringer all played leading roles.

Judge Jim Stinson of Abilene was unable to get to Ballinger and fill his place on the program, due to the condition of the roads and at the last minute President H. C. Lyon was called upon to make the principal address of the evening. President "H. C." was at a disadvantage as the committee insisted upon his being funny and that not being in his line, he was greatly handicapped in speech. However, as a last minute speaker he is the best we ever heard, and with only a few short minutes to collect a few thoughts he brought a good speech to the club, filled with humor and good thoughts.

The meeting adjourned with the singing of the closing ode.

What Matters Most

Making better homes, raising better children and leading a better life is worth more to society, thinks the woman philosopher in the Woman's Home Companion, than being ten times a chairman and a dozen times a secretary.

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PAPE'S COLD COMPOUND

Lehmberg Plans Many Activities

County Agent C. W. Lehmberg is starting on a very active campaign of work now in behalf of several subjects that will keep him busy far past the New Year.

A campaign for the reorganization of club work in the county will receive a great deal of his attention for the next several weeks. Mr. Lehmberg talked with the teachers here Saturday in regard to getting the work started in every community and within the next few weeks he plans to visit every school in the county to talk club work to the students and get a program of work started.

He is also planning a few demonstrations in the county on the Killefer system of tillage. This is a system of breaking the ground deep without turning it over and has been tried in many southern parts of the state with wonderful success. It is claimed that where this system is used it adds to plant life 75 per cent in places where root rot is prevalent. It thoroughly stores the ground moisture and breaks it underneath for a depth of from 10 to 12 inches without turning the soil over and exposing the underneath soil to the sun. Mr. Lehmberg is planning these demonstrations in different parts of the county as an educational feature to show the farmers what it will do and let them be their own judge as to its merits.

Mr. Lehmberg will also in connection with above named activities start a campaign in behalf of the Runnels County Creamery to increase more interest, sell more stock and establish more stations. He stated that interest in the creamery was increasing all over the county and that he expected to see it take on new life and more farmers become more directly interested in its success. A meeting of the stockholders of the creamery will be held here on December 10, at which time reports will be made and a program outlined for the building up of a bigger creamery for next year.

NEW AMERICAN OPERA WILL BAR FAT WOMEN FROM FLAPPER ROLES

(By International News Service) ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 27.—Relief for a long suffering public from overweight ladies trying to play flapper roles, is seen by Vladimir Rosing, prime factor in organizing the American Opera Company. "People are tired of seeing fat ladies coquetting on the stage as young 15-year-old girls singing in an unintelligible language," said Rosing.

The American company is composed of Americans and those who are to play the roles of youth are young, and the girls are not hard to look upon, he said.

Charming American Girl Causes Controversy Over Future Queen

PARIS, Nov. 23.—A charming American girl as the possible Queen of France today is the center of an intense controversy that is splitting wide the ranks of the French royalists.

The girl is the former Peggy Watson, of Washington, D. C., who recently became the bride of the youthful and wealthy Duke de Nemours, perhaps the most popular of the royal princes who aspire to the vacant and, for the present, non-existent throne of France.

All the tact, skill and prestige of the Exiled Duke of Guise, present pretender to the throne, has failed to calm the storm that has broken about the golden head of the charming Peggy, who, in French eyes, falls even to possess the almost universal asset of large means of her own.

Moreover, it all has come about as quite a surprise and in spite of opposition to the marriage in the opinion of the duke. Many thought that his marriage to Peggy would definitely eliminate the Duke of Nemours as a possible aspirant to the throne; but, on the contrary, the romance caught the fancy not only of the royalists, but also of other Frenchmen. These said: "That's just what the royal family needs—new blood and American ideas."

Then, it appeared that the duke was going to do a typically American thing—go into business.

This capped the well-known climax for the older royalists. They fumed and stormed, asserting that the youthful duke by his conduct had definitely eliminated himself as their leader in the absence of the exiled Duke of Guise. In the salons and across the tea-tables the controversy went on merrily, and it all seemed to increase the popularity of Nemours and his American wife.

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TOO MANY NURSES FOR PRIVATE CASES RAISE UNEMPLOYMENT FIGURE

(By International News Service) NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 23.—A committee representing the American Medical Association and other medical and nursing associations has discovered that "the professorship of private duty nursing is overpopulated. There is a serious unemployment of nurses, and in spite of the high cost to the patient at the time of illness, the average annual income of the private duty nurse is deplorably low."

These findings were reported to the New England Surgical Society here this fall by Professor C. E. A. Winslow, who holds the chair of the Anna M. R. Lauder professorship of public health at Yale.

"The tendency of hospitals to increase the number of their pupil nurses beyond reason tends to make this situation more and more serious with the passage of every year," Professor Winslow declared.

The Club and Vocational Livestock Exhibit is an institution in De Leon, and is held on the streets of that city. The streets are roped off, pens and stalls constructed for livestock and feed crops exhibited in designated places. Competition is keen for the prizes offered.

STOMACH SPELLS Oklahoma Lady Gives Interesting Account of Long Use of Black-Draught In Her Home.

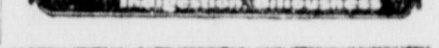
Sageeyah, Okla.—"I have taken Black-Draught ever since I was a child, and can recommend it as a splendid medicine for family use," says Mrs. Cora Maberry, of this place. "My mother used it, in bringing up her family, and after I had a home of my own, I continued to use it, as I thought it was especially good to give the children."

"My children did not mind taking Black-Draught, and so when they got upset with stomach spells, or were constipated, I gave them Black-Draught."

"If I found that they were taking cold, I was quick to start giving them Black-Draught, as it helped them to throw off the impurities which caused the trouble. "My children are all grown now and have homes of their own, but I still keep Black-Draught in the house and use it myself when I wake up in the morning feeling dull and 'headachey', and have a bad taste in my mouth."

"Black-Draught is a simple remedy for constipation, and I prefer it to others because it is purely vegetable. I always feel better after I have taken a course of it."

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MANY COUNTIES HAVE NOT REPORTED ELECTION DOPE

(By International News Service) AUSTIN, Nov. 26.—Although the result for presidential electors voted on in the general election November 6 will be canvassed Monday by the secretary of state in the presence of the governor and attorney general, not half of the counties have as yet sent the returns to the secretary of state's department.

Only 121 counties in the state out of a total of 252 had made reports thus far. This caused Secretary of State Jane Y. McCallum to issue an urgent appeal to the missing counties to rush the returns to the department.

The law provides that the election returns be mailed to the secretary of state's department on the Monday next following the election. This duty is required to be performed by the county judge who shall make duplicate returns, one of which he shall send sealed to the secretary of state.

This is the first time in the history of the state that certificates of election will be issued to republican electors.

Officers Charged In Assault Case

SAN ANGELO, Nov. 27.—Charges of assault with intent to murder were filed here today against D. H. Connell and D. W. Hightower, resigned police officers, in connection with the wounding of S. L. Ogle, Jr., who is now recovering from a bullet wound in the lower jaw.

An investigation into the shooting, which occurred shortly after midnight nearly one week ago, when Ogle and two companions were riding in a car, and were fired upon from a car parked at the side of the street, is being made.

Hightower and Connell resigned Saturday after again denying any connection with the shooting. Both former officers were released under \$1000 bond signed by W. D. Holcombe, mayor of the city; E. E. Lowrie and W. D. Wright, commissioners.



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FOR SALE, OR TRADE—One four room house, one three room house, two two room houses, on Sealy Avenue near steam laundry. Also 6 small tenant houses lying near fair grounds with 11 acres of land and two lots in Miller addition on 11th Street. W. W. Embry, Phone 463, Ballinger. 17-25d-4w

BALLINGER'S CHRISTMAS—

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also stated that his company had left up the wiring used on the streets during the fair and would fill it with colored lights at the time the trees are lighted and would light the streets overhead in Christmas colors.

Five large trees will be placed at intersections this year. The largest tree will be placed at the intersection of Eighth Street and Hutchings Avenue, and four trees somewhat smaller will be placed at the intersections of Hutchings Avenue and Eighth Street, Hutchings Avenue and Ninth Street, Eighth Street and Railroad Avenue and Eighth Street and Strong Avenue.

The large tree at Eighth Street and Hutchings Avenue will be used a few days before Christmas for the community tree. The exact date has not been set but will be as soon as arrangements can be made with Santa Claus to pay the city a visit. He came here last year and made a short stop at which time he gave away fruit and other trinkets to the kiddies.

Perhaps the biggest Christmas program adopted Tuesday morning was the staging of a show window fair. The chamber of commerce voted to set aside \$100 from their fund to be used as prizes for this feature as follows: first prize \$50, second prize \$25, third prize \$15, fourth prize \$5 and fifth prize \$5. The fair will open on a date a few days after the trees are lit and each window in the fair will be closed until a certain hour at night, when the shades will be drawn and the windows opened for the public to view. Competent out of town judges will be here to carefully judge the windows and make all awards. The windows will remain open until Christmas eve. A committee was named by the chair consisting of Troy Simpson, C. R. Stone and Roy Reeder to canvass the firms and get them to fill out an entrance blank in this contest, to form a set of rules governing the fair and arrange for judges. A meeting of this committee was called for Tuesday afternoon and a report will be made public Monday.

With only a little preparation, Ballinger received a lot of good advertising on the Christmas spirit aroused here last year. Merchants stated that their Christmas business was better and that they began selling earlier than in former years. With this in mind the campaign to create a real spirit of Christmas will begin here on December 10 and continue until Christmas eve.

The entertainment committee of the chamber of commerce will assist in the handling of the street trees this year.

Other business coming before

the meeting Tuesday was a report on the Runnels County Creamery given by W. B. Currie, president of that organization. Mr. Currie stated that the creamery was in excellent condition and that the outlook for the coming year was even brighter. The stockholders have voted to increase the capital stock and this additional stock will be sold in the near future. One important announcement in this report was that dairy stock and herds in the county had been increased 100 per cent during the last year. Mr. Currie stated that the creamery could not supply the demand for their products and what they need is more material to work with. The plant has the capacity, and with the outlook for a 100 per cent increase in cream next year, the creamery will move forward.

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AVIATION EXPERTS ARE TO MEET IN CHICAGO

(By International News Service) CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Leaders in aviation from the United States and Europe, including air ministers, airplane designers and manufacturers and directors of European air lines will gather here December 1-9 to attend the International Aeronautical Exposition, according to Major L. D. Gardner, president of the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce.

Major Gardner recently returned from Europe where he presented the flying biography of Colonel Lindbergh to the French, Belgian and British government.

Europe's leaders in aviation are coming to the United States to learn the secret of American aerial progress. Major Gardner said, "They want to learn why we manufacture and sell more aircraft than all the rest of the world combined."

All phases of aviation will be discussed at the meetings which will be held in the Stevens Hotel.

From reports received by the chamber of commerce it is estimated that several thousand people will fly to Chicago for the exposition. Other thousands will come by rail.

People's taste in books is often dependent on the opportunity they have for coming into contact with good ones.

SLEDGE GARMENT FACTORY RESUMES OPERATION SOON

(By International News Service) TYLER, Nov. 26.—The Sledge Manufacturing company, garment makers of this city, has resumed operation of its plant after reconstructing the entire works following a fire last August. Resumption of the operation of the plant give work to about 125 people. M.

J. Harvey, manager of the plant at the time it was practically destroyed by fire, will resume his duties about January 1 if it is announced.

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New York City.—Teaching people to be themselves will be the unique and not entirely simple job which Paul Ash, first "personality conductor," will undertake when, and if, he retires as leader of one of the world's most famous orchestras, to train other conductors how to use their personality in music.

"Here is one place where the bright young man with no experience will be welcomed," declares Ash. "The idea of the experienced young man about personality conducting is usually evolved from copying some already-arrived conductor. I have set down experience as a liability rather than an asset for my pupils. So many leaders try to copy the successful ones, and as a result, fail utterly to develop themselves. They are nothing but an imitation of someone else, and people are resentful of 'something just as good.'"

"The personality conductor who has introduced into the theatre a new type of entertaining must above all, be an original interpreter of the role he is playing—if he is not that, he is an absolute failure. I have seen a half dozen orchestra leaders do 'Don't Cry Baby' in exactly the same way. This should not be. There should be something individual about each person's conducting."

"I was at a small cafe the other night when 'Don't Cry Baby' was asked for. There was only a small band of eight pieces, but how that leader played. The trimmings which he put onto the music made his performance something to be remembered. Of course he had good material to start with, but that man used personality. You could literally hear the parting goodbyes."

Modesty prevents Ash from calling attention to the fact that thousands of these imitation personality conductors have taken him for a model. Scores of theatre managers all over the country are to blame for this, for they ask their own leaders "Why can't you be like Ash?"

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