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5 KILLED AND 15 INJURED WHEN 1,000 STEEL WORKERS AND POLICE STAGE PITCHED BATTLE AT HAMMOND, IND.

POSSE OUT FOR NEGRO ASSAILANT

ATHENS, Ga., Sept. 9.—Armed posses estimated to be 600 strong, aided by blood hounds, are beating over the countryside near Athens in an effort to capture Abe Cox, negro, accused of attacking and then beating to death the wife of a young farmer near Lexington.

At any moment word is expected of the capture of the assailant and it is feared that the searchers, whose rags are at fever pitch, may deal out summary punishment to the black.

CARDINAL DUE IN U. S. TODAY; WILL THANK AMERICA

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium, will reach New York late today aboard the transport Northern Pacific to thank America for the aid it sent his country during the war.

CONVENTION OF MINE WORKERS IS SIGNIFICANT

CLEVELAND, Sept. 9.—With some of the 2,000 delegates from colonies of the United States and Canada gathered in the armory, the international convention of the Mine Workers of America opened today.

GLASGOW UNION LABOR SCORES FIRST VICTORY

GLASGOW, Sept. 9.—Proponents of direct action for the enforcement of the demands of organized labor won a victory on the first vote relating to the subject, which was taken by the Trades Union Congress today.

OLD CROSSING MAN KILLED BY ENGINE

FORT WORTH, Sept. 9.—G. H. Clark, 81 years old, was instantly killed last night when struck by a switch engine at the Texas and Pacific crossing of Adams street.

HOLLESTER CO. TO DRILL JACKSON TEST

CLEBURNE, Sept. 9.—The Fort Worth Keene Oil association has a contract with the Hollester Oil company to drill a test well on the Jackson farm.

Rumania Will Accept Treaty; Will Sign Wed.

PARIS, Sept. 9.—The Rumanian delegation to the peace conference announced today that it would sign the peace treaty, the signing of which by Austria and various other powers interested is set to take place at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

ALLIES TABOO AUSTRIANS IN HUN CABINET

PARIS, Sept. 9.—The Supreme Council of the peace conference is drafting a note to Germany demanding the suppression of Article 61 of the German constitution, providing for Austrian representation in the German Parliament, according to newspapers here.

COTTON RAISERS LOSE 30 MILLION YEAR BY DAMAGE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—Cotton raisers are losing \$30,000,000 annually, on an average, from weather damage to bales of cotton left in the open, the department of agriculture declares in a statement made public today.

COBB ON WAY TO HIS TENTH CHAMPIONSHIP

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—As the clubs of the American league swing into the final month of the pennant race Ty Cobb is driving for the batting championship, which, with the exception of two seasons, has been in his possession twelve years.

Unofficial averages released today show the celebrated Georgian hitting .371—twenty-one points ahead of Oscar Veach, his teammate and closest batting rival. In 104 games Cobb has whaled out 155 safe blows for a total of 210 bases. Thirty of Ty's hits went for two bases, while eleven were of the three-bagger variety and one was a home run. The averages include games of last Wednesday.

"Babe" Ruth, the averages show, is within one home run of being the world's four-bagger record of twenty-five, established by Buck Freeman. In addition to driving out twenty-four homers, Ruth tops the league in total base hitting. He has stretched 118 hits bagged in 111 games for a total of 240 bases. His home run record is topped off with twenty-six two-base hits and a dozen triples.

George Sisler, the St. Louis star, continues to show the way to the base stealers, with twenty-seven, with Harry Hooper of Boston runner-up with twenty-five. Eddie Collins of Chicago is third with twenty-four. Chapman of Cleveland is the leading sacrifice hitter, with forty-three.

ASSISTANT BANK CASHIER IS MARRIED

Special to The Times.
ARILENE, Sept. 9.—Miss Marguerite Wylie, former assistant cashier of the First State bank, and Emmet Chandler, assistant cashier of the Citizens National bank, were quietly married here at 7:30 a. m. Monday by the Rev. J. W. Hunt, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church.

PRESIDENT WILSON, SNAPPED ON TOUR AS HE "REPORTS TO NATION"



These pictures of President and Mrs. Wilson were taken at Columbus, O., where he opened his nation-wide tour. He is shown riding to Memorial hall with Mrs. Wilson, greeting the crowd which met him and chatting with Mrs. Wilson after his address.

WASTE OF WAR CAUSE OF H. C. L. WILSON ASSERTS

ST. PAUL, Sept. 9.—The cost of living, President Wilson told the Minnesota legislature today, is due largely to "a world situation" growing out of the sacrifices and waste of war.

Back of that lay the fact, the president added, that the world has not yet learned what the peace status will be.

"The world is not going to settle down until it learns what part the United States is to play in peace," he said.

The president said this was the only nation which would have enough free capital in the future to rehabilitate the world economically.

The Minnesota legislature is in extra session to consider the high cost of living and other subjects and when the president appeared in the hall he was greeted with cheers. The president congratulated the legislature upon its ratification yesterday of the federal woman suffrage amendment.

The president said the nation's first duty is to set the commerce of the world going by the establishment of peace.

Having first established a world settlement economically, he declared, it would be imperative that there should be some arrangement to insure "that nobody will monkey with the process set up."

Tar and Feather Profiteers, Is Dallas Slogan

DALLAS, Sept. 9.—Threatening to "tar and feather or inaugurate the whipping post" for profiteers, articles signed "Vigilants of Dallas" were received by a local newspaper today.

The articles say that it is the intention of the signers to go after profiteering with a smash, first seeking to reduce rates where profiteering is shown.

MYSTERY IN MURDER OF MILLIONAIRE

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 9.—Leroy Harth, president of the Imperial Motor Company, a wealthy young business man of this city, was mysteriously shot last night. He died on the porch of a farm house on which he took refuge.

The police are searching for a woman whose name Harth is said to have uttered as having been his assailant. Harth's automobile was near the scene where he died. The theory of the police is that he and the woman left the car and the shooting followed.

Hamon Railroad Will Not Be Run To Desdemona

There is no truth in the rumor now going the rounds to the effect that the Hamon & Kell railroad will go to Desdemona instead of to the new town of Jakehamon, as planned, according to George McQuaid, who is in charge of the townsite work under Mr. Hamon.

Mr. McQuaid stated that officials of the new road are not considering any change in their plans as outlined to the public and that the town of Jakehamon will be built as planned.

SHANKLE AND HANKLE BUY WAURIKA No. 1 CONTROL

Special Leased Wire.
FORT WORTH, Sept. 9.—W. G. Shankle and J. Harrison White have bought out their associates, T. A. Edmonds and Y. E. Hildreth, in the Waurika No. 1, according to reliable reports here. The price paid was said to be \$105,000.

AUSTRIAN CHANCELLOR ARRIVES TO SIGN TREATY

PARIS, Sept. 9.—Dr. Carl Renner, an chancellor and head of the Austrian delegation, who will sign the peace treaty, came to Paris from Vienna today.

INMAN AGAIN HEARD IN U. S.-MEXICO PROBE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—The subcommittee of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee investigating the relations between the United States and Mexico and the Mexican situation generally, arranged for a continuation of its sessions today with Dr. Samuel Inman on the stand.

Inman, who is an officer of the League of Free Nations Association and one-time neighbor of President Carranza in Mexico, failed yesterday to confirm or give details of the charges that he made that there were organized efforts for force intervention by the United States in Mexico. He asked to be allowed to testify before the committee again today.

Nothing More Has Been Heard From the Sears Well

Special to The Times.
ARILENE, Sept. 9.—No further information has been received here regarding the Sears well near Merkel, which shut down Friday afternoon with a showing of oil.

It is reported that the well will be drilled in either Wednesday or Thursday of this week, but there is no information direct from the drillers or men behind the operation.

ROYAL DUKE WILL PAY TWO PERCENT DIVIDEND

Special Leased Wire.
FORT WORTH, Sept. 9.—The Royal Duke Oil company will pay a two per cent dividend for September, according to announcement from the company offices. The sums amount was paid in August.

TEXAS CO'S MORGAN BEST COMPLETION OF WEEK

Special Leased Wire.
WICHITA FALLS, Sept. 9.—The Texas company's Morgan No. 4 was the banner completion of the week. It was completed at 1,621. Powell, who was in charge of the well, reported that it was completed from 1,621 feet.

Pres. Wilson in Busy Day At St. Paul

ST. PAUL, Sept. 9.—President Wilson arrived here today for a busy day, including an address at the Minneapolis symphony this afternoon and an address at the auditorium tonight. He will leave for Bismarck, N. D., immediately after his address tonight.

POTEET NO. 1 IS PRODUCING 600 BARRELS

Root, Hupp and Duff have followed their good well in Poteet No. 4, with Poteet No. 1, which is making 600 barrels from the black lime. This may increase with further drilling, as was the history of No. 4.

J. C. Littleton of the Texas company is a well and making a good flow by heads, the amount not yet determined. The top of the black lime is 3,390 feet and the well is at 3,390 feet, still drilling.

Magnolia Petroleum company's Marshall Collins, in Stephens county, is worth 250 barrels and should be better when cleaned out. It was shot with 105 quarts from 3,485 feet on down and is flowing by heads, though bridged.

Empire Oil & Fuel company has the tools out of the hole in the Peebles well and has a good showing of oil and gas.

There is reason to believe that the big Harrell gasser, recently reported as harnessed by the Texas company, may blow into a producer, as it is said to be showing more oil than before. It is still shooting out 100,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

PERSHING WILL REVIEW SCOUTS; BE GUEST OF ELKS

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—General Pershing escaped resumption today of the tumultuous welcome accorded him upon his arrival from France yesterday, by remaining in his hotel apartment until time for the review of a small army of 2,000 boy scouts in Central Park this afternoon.

Tonight Pershing will be the guest of a reception tendered him by the Elks. He is a member of the El Paso lodge. Large delegations of Elks from El Paso and other lodges are here to take part in the reception.

MINE WORKERS' HEAD DECLARES NO PRICE RELIEF

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 9.—Acting President John Lewis, in his report to the convention of United Mine Workers of America today, discussed in detail the high cost of living and declared that it was improbable that there would be any material reduction at this time because of the "belated" action by the federal government.

He recommended the cancellation of the Washington wage agreement in the bituminous field by Nov. 1, and the negotiation of a wage scale to be enforced in case of failure to reach a satisfactory settlement by a general miners' strike throughout the jurisdiction of the United Mine Workers.

FLU EPIDEMIC DUE TO RETURN DURING WINTER

AUSTIN, Sept. 9.—State Health Officer Goddard today issued a warning that a return of the influenza epidemic of last year is expected.

FIVE DEAD IN BATTLE ON STREET

HAMMOND, Ind., Sept. 9.—Hammond is in a state of siege today. Striking employees of the Standard Steel company, marching in a mass formation a thousand strong moved against company buildings guarded by the police and despite the defense put up by the officers, which cost wounded and dead in the ranks of the workers, continued the attack for an hour.

Shots fired by the police from the positions of advantage which they held punctured the tumult from the seething crowd in the streets, from which flew rocks and bricks through the windows of the company buildings.

With the fall of the first strikers, victims of the policemen's bullets, the roar of the workers increased and the storm of missiles grew strength. The injured were borne away by their comrades to positions outside the zone of fighting.

Not until five had been killed by shots of the officers and fifteen more were wounded did the attack slacken.

Hammond is in an expectant state and few people are seen on the streets except strikers, who gather in bands at the corners, and the officers, who are watching for a repetition of the first attack.

A request that the city be placed under martial law is being considered by leading citizens, who fear that the safety of their homes is endangered, not from direct attack, but from stray bullets and missiles of encounters between policemen and workers. Business is paralyzed.

Two months ago two thousand workmen struck for an increase in wages and improved working conditions. After the riot five weeks ago, state troops were sent to the scene but they were withdrawn two weeks ago.

Yesterday two hundred workmen returned to work causing bad feeling among those who refused to return. When the two hundred men were on their way to work, a crowd of 1,000 foreign born strikers threatened to attack them. Twenty policemen and twenty special guards ordered the disturbers to disperse. The crowd declined to give way, yelling "scab!"

Captain Strong, commanding police, ordered the leaders arrested. The crowd then attacked the police with sticks and stones and Strong says that several strikers drew revolvers and fired a number of shots.

The police replied to the fire of a crowd firing about seventy-five shots into the crowd, killed five and injuring fifteen strikers. Later 15 strike leaders were taken into custody. None of the police was hurt.

BIG CONTRACT FOR SIDEWALK IS UNDER WAY

The largest contract for sidewalk which has been let in Ranger was placed this week with Tom McNally and Bob Dalton. The contract calls for a 14-foot concrete sidewalk running along the south side of Fifth street from Rusk to Austin, thence along the east side of Austin as far as the Bob Dalton hotel. It includes 3,600 square feet of walk and is being laid by a force of fifteen men.

The firms to sign the contract include R. A. Vick, Bob Dalton, B. B. Alderson, Ranger Underwriting Co., Steinberg & Tuscho, J. Nory, E. L. Harris, Pearson Bros., Fair & Sons, C. A. Harris, Robinson market and the Bryan Autom company.

MARSHALL WILL WELCOME GEN PERSHING SOON

ABOARD—PRESIDENT SON'S SPECIAL TRAIN.
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OLD AZTALAN INDIANS WERE CANNIBALISTIC

MADISON Wis.—That the builders of the famous Indian earth-works on the Crawfish River near Lake Mills were cannibalistic is the statement of Dr. S. A. Barrett, president of the Wisconsin Archaeological Society. During the past two months the Aztalan earth-works enclosure has been subjected to investigations and excavations by the Milwaukee museum of which Dr. Barrett is the head. Altho the grounds have been plowed upwards of seventy years the outline of the earthworks are still distinct.

The tabled city of Aztalan was first discovered in 1836 and surveyed in 1837 by N. E. Hyer. The city was named Aztalan by Mr. Hyer, because according to Humboldt, the Aztecs had a tradition that their ancestors came from the north, and the possibility that the newly discovered remains might have been built by them, suggested the name.

When the first survey was made the enclosure covered about eighteen acres. The remains of the city were enclosed in a wall of earth and adobe bricks which was 631 feet long on the north, 1,419 feet on the west and 1,065 feet on the south side, making the total length of the wall 2,750 feet. It was from one to five feet high.

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Grain Stacks at Abilene Growing; Can't Ship 'Em Out

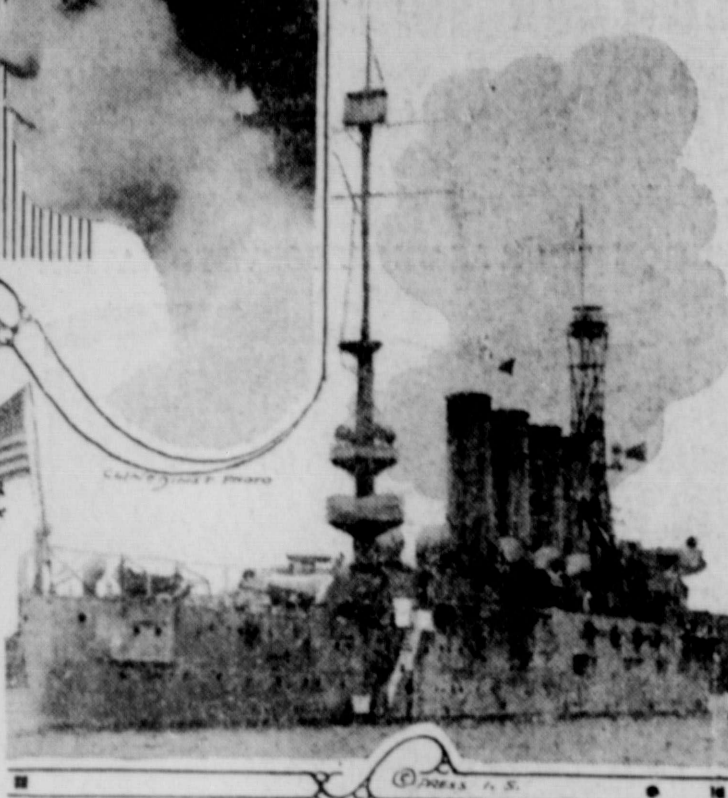
ABILENE, Texas, Sept. 9.—There are literally mountains of maize and feterita stacked up in Abilene now and every day the stacks rise higher. With all warehouses full, dealers are beginning to use vacant lots to pile the maize and feterita on, until such time as it can be threshed. Several machines are running in the city limits, threshing the grain for shipment. The flood of feedstuff comes without statement, and it is estimated that the bulk of the crop is to be brought in.

GLEAVES, MADE ADMIRAL, HEADS U. S. ASIATIC FLEET



Admiral Albert Gleaves, just after he was made a full admiral by the president; his daughter, Miss Evelyn Gleaves, who will live in Japan during her father's tour of duty, and the U. S. South Dakota, the admiral's flagship.

Vice Admiral Gleaves, who has just been advanced to the rank of a full admiral, was commander of the cruiser and transport forces of the Atlantic fleet, having charge of the transportation of troops to and from Europe since the war began. His new position will be that of commander of the Asiatic fleet and it is considered a ticklish job in view of the strained relations existing in the east.



Operations of Prairie Oil & Gas

Prairie Oil and Gas company operations:

Eastland County

Ida Slayden No. 8, 760, drilling.

J. T. Earnest No. 4, rig.

E. L. Howard No. 2, 3,530, shot with sixty quarts; No. 4, 840; No. 6, 3,480, shot with forty quarts.

J. W. Terry No. 3, 3,480, cleaning out; No. 5, rig; No. 7, sand 3,412 to 3,429, shot with 100 quarts; No. 8, 3,411, running 3 1/2 inch; No. 15, 645; No. 16, 2,030, drilling.

J. T. Johnson No. 2, 1,229, drilling.

M. V. Brewer No. 2, rig; No. 3, 70, spudding.

J. G. Christmas A4, rig; A5, 21, spudding; B5, rig.

S. J. Whitson No. 1, 345, drilling.

E. Roper No. 4, 3,490, drilling; No. 6, 1,465, drilling; No. 7, 3,420, drilling; No. 8, 1,200, drilling; No. 10, 2,300, drilling; No. 11, 3,225, drilling; No. 12, sand 3,300 to 3,325, production 800 barrels; No. 13, 775, underreaming; No. 16, 795, straight reaming; No. 17, rig; No. 18, moving in tools; No. 20, 750, drilling; No. 21, 3,270, drilling.

J. T. Roper No. 4, building rig; No. 6, 740, drilling; No. 8, 1,883, drilling; No. 9, rig.

R. A. Madding A1, 815, drilling; A2, rig on ground; B1, 780, drilling; B2, rig.

Nannie Walker No. 1, rig.

L. P. Cunningham No. 2, 1,710, drilling; No. 3, building rig.

R. H. Danley No. 1, 400, drilling; No. 2, 650, drilling.

C. J. Cotton No. 1, 2,780, drilling; No. 2, rigging up; No. 5, building.

R. A. Vick No. 1, 3,772, shot with forty quarts.

W. W. Crabb No. 1, 2, spudding.

C. V. Simons No. 1, moving in tools.

S. J. Stuart No. 1, 185, underreaming.

B. A. Danley No. 2, 3, rigs.

C. E. Meador No. 1, spudding; No. 2, building rig; No. 3, 4, 5, rigs on ground; No. 6, hauling in rig.

T. W. Duncan No. 2, 3,226, jarring on casing.

W. M. Meyers No. 5, building rig.

Stephens County

T. M. Corbett No. 1, 3,925, getting ready to shoot.

B. F. Dempsey No. 1, 1,682, straightening hole.

E. Scott No. 1, 3,780, drilling.

A. A. Atkins No. 1, 2,300, drilling.

H. A. Demie A1, 3,573, will complete with company tools.

Richard P. Lyon No. 1, 1,730, pulling ten inch.

W. H. Goforth No. 1, 3,502, waiting on casing; No. 2, rig.

George Kiddle No. 1, rig.

R. E. Turner No. 1, 2,200, drilling.

Charles Hince No. 1, 3,200, drilling; No. 2, spudding; No. 3, 4, rigs; No. 8, rig on ground.

L. F. Gardenshire No. 1, 1,585, underreaming.

Maggie Sparks No. 2, 965, drilling; No. 3, hauling in rig.

B. Y. Jennings No. 1, 2,000, drilling.

CONSTRUCTION FOREMAN IS FULL OF LIFE AND ENERGY

"After putting Orzotone to the test in my own case, I can recommend it as being a great treatment, for it has certainly made a well man out of me," said O. M. Harnish, popular foreman for the Hedrick Construction company, living at 610 Second street, while in Renfro's drug store a few days ago.

"I began suffering with a general rundown condition about six months ago," continued Mr. Harnish, "and for several weeks I left home in the morning without half eating my breakfast on account of the weak condition of my stomach. I had no appetite at any time and the food I forced down always went against me and seemed to do me more harm than good. My sleep didn't rest me and I always felt tired and sure and sluggish in the morning. I kept peering for a 'magic' first one thing and then another, thinking I would soon be all right again, but I kept getting weaker and knew I must do something to check my troubles if possible before they got to be more serious.

"I began taking Orzotone about six weeks ago and now I can eat anything I want—all kinds of meat included—and feel no bad effects. I have no more sourness, gas or pains after eating and my food gives me strength. I sleep sound and refreshing and I get up in the morning and eat a hearty breakfast and go to my work with more vim and vigor.

"I have never felt that tired, no account feeling and has fixed me up so I can endure more work than I could before. This Orzotone is a great medicine for anyone in an overworked, rundown condition and with a bad stomach; in fact, six of my own men have tried it on my recommendation and they are all just as pleased over the treatment as I am. You can tell the world six bottles have put me in excellent condition and I have nothing but a good word for this meritorious preparation."

Orzotone is not a so-called "patent" or secret remedy, but a new, scientific treatment, absolutely free from alcohol in any form, and is sold in Ranger exclusively by the Ranger Drug company, at the personal direction of the same representative.

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—in—

"The Best Man"

Sunshine Comedy

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And

6th Episode "THE TIGER'S TRAIL"

DAILY TIMES WANT ADS TRY THEM FOR RESULTS

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between John Meyers and Morris Baerman doing business under the firm name of Myers & Baerman, Men's Furnishing and Clothing, in the City of Ranger, Eastland County, Texas, where the business will be continued by the said John Meyers under the firm name of John Meyers, 25th day of August A. D. 1919. All debts due the said partnership are to be paid to the said John Meyers and those due from the same discharged at the original place of business Corner Rusk and Pine Streets, Ranger, Texas, where the business will be continued by the said John Meyers under the firm name of John Meyers, 25th day of August A. D. 1919. Morris Baerman, John Meyers.

Anyone knowing whereabouts of W. W. Lowry please phone 181.

WANTED—Two or three light house-keeping rooms, preferably in Young or Cooper additions. Reply to S. A. M., care Daily Times.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished house, three homes, two sleeping porches. Apply Miss Lockman, C. P. Hall furniture store.

NOTICE—Have three-track bowling alley, balls and pins; nice lay-out, all complete and money-making proposition. Have leased the building these alleys are in and must give possession. Will sell outfit at a bargain or trade for Abilene real estate. J. M. Radford, Abilene, Tex.

THRIFT IS POWER

BUY W.S.S. SAVE AND SUCCEED

FOR SALE—C-41 at R. later, \$50. Good condition. Inquire Dr. Palmer, Rt. 2, Realty Bldg., corner Main and Austin street.

LOST—12"x30" Iwona Hair Drilling Belt, between Western Rope warehouse and Brown Welding plant. Belt was wrapped in burlap and billed to Western Rope & Mfg. Co., Bigheart, Okla. A suitable reward is offered for return to Western Rope & Manufacturing Co., Ranger.

FOR SALE or rent, at a bargain—Store, 15x50, on N. Austin st. See Comack, Arcade Pool Hall, N. Austin st.

WANTED—Bookkeeper, must be neat and accurate; lumber or general merchandise experience preferred; good salary and good position for right party. Apply 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., E. J. Barnes Lumber Co., Tiffin Road and Riddle at. P. O. Box 606.

WANTED—Woman for cooking and general housework. Apply Mrs. G. W. Bohning, 1800 Strawn Road.

FOR SALE at a bargain—Small typewriter desk. Ranger Tobacco Co.; phone 181.

STRAYED or stolen, on or near September 5, small Jersey cow, one horn broken off; reward, G. W. Bohning, 1800 Strawn Road.

WANTED—Competent lady stenographer. Good salary paid to capable person. Ranger Daily Times.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good restaurant, value \$1,000. Inquire Daily Times office.

PHONOGRAPHS sold on easy weekly payments. Wright Furniture Co.

NOTICE—If you are in the market for Rooming House, Restaurant, or Business Location of any kind, don't fail to see us before you buy. The Sadler Realty Co., 104 1/2 Main St.

WANTED—Any home-loving man or woman to see some of the pretty homes we have for sale, furnished or unfurnished, some new and never occupied. Terms like rent. The Sadler Realty Co., 104 1/2 Main St.

WANTED—To purchase production in Ranger district. Give full particulars and price in first letter. Correspondence confidential. Production, care Times.

FOR SALE—By owner, new building and fresh stock groceries, best location in Caddo, doing \$8000.00 monthly. Will stand investigation. Have other business. Address Box 117 Caddo, Texas.

FOR SALE—Large Cash Register. Inquire Mrs. Mable Wilson at Wilson Hotel.

WANTED—Middle aged woman for dining room girl in camp of sixteen. Address W. R. Wadsworth, care Oil Well Supply Co.

WANTED—All the real estate in town on our lists. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., McCleskey Hotel.

BUNGALOWS Three to Seven Rooms Located all over Ranger. All of them are beauties. Prices reasonable and terms like rent. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., McCleskey hotel lobby.

FOR SALE—Best paying rooming and apartment house in Ranger. Ranger Realty Co. 121 N. Marston.

WE SELL furniture, rugs, stoves, enamelware, dishes and all kinds of house furnishings; see us before you buy. Wright Furniture Co.

FASHIONABLE Dressmaking, Mrs. A. R. Kude, Klinger Rooms, 307 S. Austin.

WANTED.—High class energetic salesman to represent us in the sale of stock, following campaign which is creating an unusual demand throughout the investing field, inquiries of which will be furnished to men in their respective territory. This proposition is especially remunerative to producers. Factory complete production to start immediately. The negotiable certificates of credit given each share holder is creating an unusually large demand for shares. Inquiries are coming in from all sections. Address: R. Rand, 1295 Southwestern Life Building, Dallas, Texas.

WANTED.—Office boy, age 15, tall, write good hand, quick and intelligent, good manners. Address—H. K. Times office.

FOR SALE.—Beautiful four-room Bungalow in Young's addition. Large front porch, also porch on rear, large closets. Close to good school. Lot 50x140. Will consider light car or truck as part payment. Address E. Blackstone, box 568, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms. Call at office Midway Garage, Lamar Street, east of depot.

WANTED—Salesman for our new city addition. Ranger Realty Co. 121 N. Marston.

IF YOU HAVE second-hand furniture to sell see our buyer. Wright Furniture Co.

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Advice is given by Health Commissioner William C. Woodard that all fruit should be washed before being eaten, in view of the necessity of spraying trees with poisons to prevent the ravages of insects. The warning is given as a result of laboratory tests of the California pears recently seized because of the presence of spots of arsenic. The statement is as follows:

"The inspectors of the food division of the Boston health department found among pears being offered for sale by retailers many pears showing large white spots which were connected to be the results of the drying of an arsenic preparation used in spraying the trees. A chemical examination of the skin of one of these spotted pears in the laboratory of the health department showed 1-20 of a grain of arsenic, or of arsenious oxide, to be exact, and the others showed nearly as much. This amount of arsenic represents a seasonable medicinal dose of arsenic for a healthy adult. These findings have since been confirmed by independent laboratory examinations. It has also been found that after these spots were washed off a pear, a fairly good sized dose of arsenic for a child could still be recovered from the skin.

"The fruit was traced to a recent shipment of pears from California to the local market.

"The world would starve today were it not for the use of arsenical and other poisons to protect our crops against the ravages of insects. Such poisons must be used and from time to time, we have to expect that the surface of our fruit and vegetables may by some accident be contaminated by poison to a dangerous degree, but there is no reason to believe that such poisons ever penetrate the surface to a dangerous extent, or that such poisons cannot be removed by thoroughly washing our fruit and vegetables before eating.

"That cases of this kind do not come to our notice more frequently is probably due to the washing that our vegetables get before eating. Fruit we are not so likely to wash as we ought to do, but grown persons at least are likely to attempt to remove visible spots or dirt before biting into the skin. Children are most likely to neglect to do so and the skin of a single one of the pears examined showed more arsenic than it would be advisable to give to a child in a single dose, even though such an amount would not be expected to cause fatal results.

"Nor is it to be forgotten that the skin of an unwashed pear or apple may be contaminated with bacteria more dangerous to a child than the amount of arsenic found on any of these pears."

Big Company's In The Amarillo Field

AMARILLO, Sept. 8.—A wildcat field differs from others of the state in that it will be a big man's field if the first test well proves that the pioneer operators are correct in their bet that this is the next productive area—that is the Panhandle district.

Acres in this section is changing hands in large blocks. There is a little of the petty trading that characterizes other sections of unproved lands of the West Texas and North Texas fields.

Operators from many parts of the country are coming in and once their holdings are secured in sufficient size to warrant establishing offices and preparing for the first steps of the boom.

Operators have abandoned wild cat ideas and are making preparations for development as they would in a proven field. According to geological reports, certain sections of Potter county promise to be gas fields, but other sections are marked for oil. Wells brought in, which are producing gas, seem to prove the geological reports as to the definition of the gas field and it is thought that 3,500 foot tests in the area designed for oil will prove that the reports on the entire field were correct.

It is thought that some of the wells which have developed gas will be drilled deeper with the idea of finding a deep oil strata.

The oil field, as laid out in reports, lies south of the river.

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- Buck Creek No. 1, setting 20 inch at 200 feet.
- Lellie Lake, tools out, and drilling.
- Salt water sand.
- Don Lea, waiting for casing.
- Goodnight, drilling.
- Riverside Oil company, spudding.
- Glen Rio, spudding.
- Masterson No. 2, 1,800 feet, drilling.
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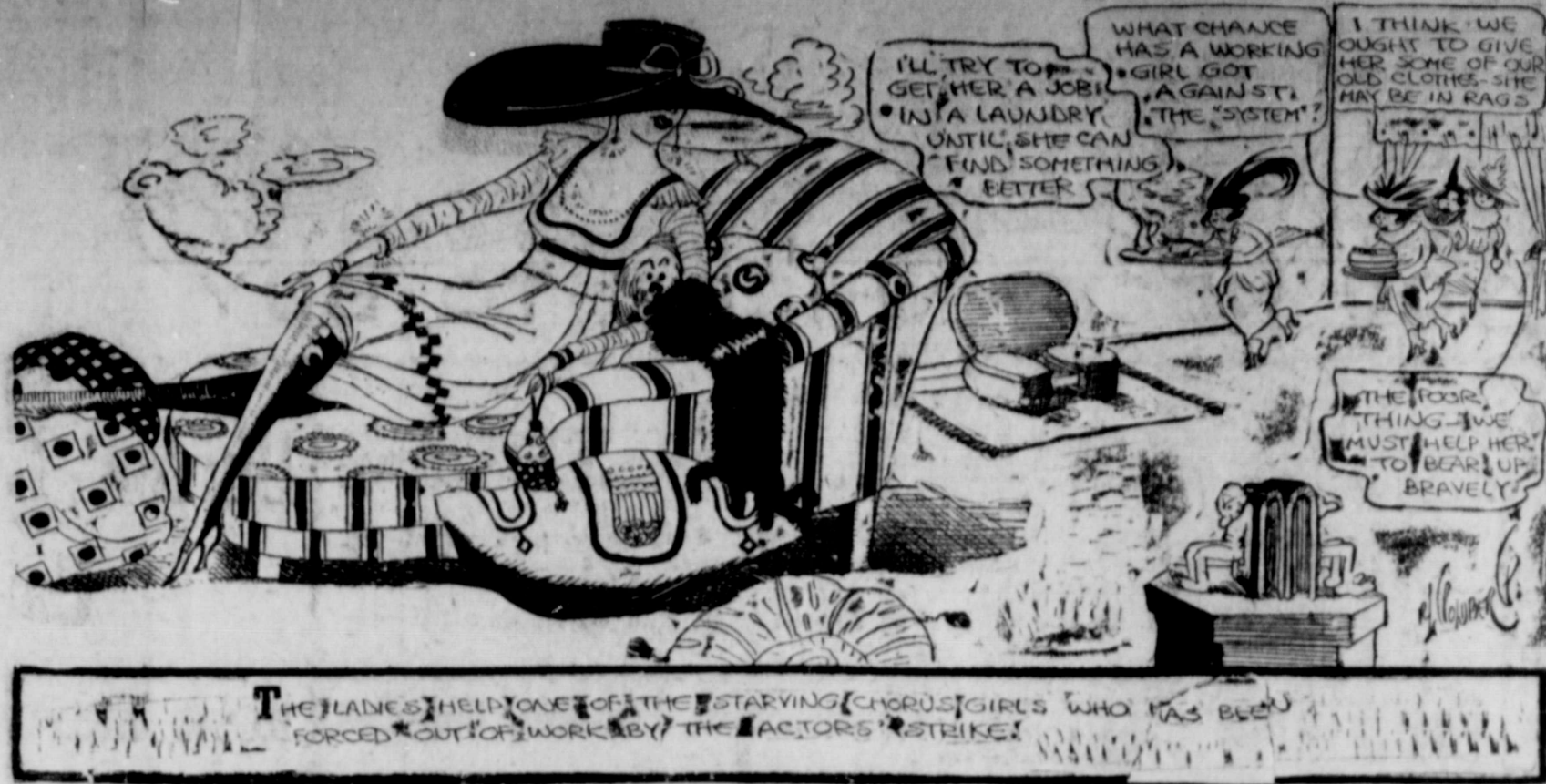
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Drivers Careless About Parking Near Fire Plugs

R. R. Nelms, superintendent of the Ranger Waterworks company states that those who have not paid their water bill have only two more days in which to do so. The department does not wish to cause patrons inconvenience by cutting off their water supply and Mr. Nelms is anxious that all who desire the water service continued pay their bills at once.

Mr. Nelms, in speaking of the carelessness of some people in regard to stopping near fire plugs, said, "I wish you would call the attention of the public to the fact that it is against the city ordinances to park a car, wagon or horse or place an obstruction of any kind within ten feet of a fire plug. It is very necessary to have the plugs clear of all obstructions at all times, for no one knows when there will be a fire. I feel sure that if the public understood this ordinance they would be more careful in parking cars and wagons up against the plugs."

Another Speeder Pays Fine of \$10

In the city court Tuesday a man pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and another fought a case of simple assault. He was found guilty and fined \$10 and costs.

A young man pleaded guilty to speeding. This is the second conviction for this offense since the city court was established. He said the arresting officer accused him of running thirty miles an hour on the brick paving on Commerce street, but he didn't think he was making more than twenty-five.

Mrs. Ben L. Peevey, wife of Chief Peevey of the Ranger police department, has returned to her home in Abilene after several days' visit in Ranger.

Washington Has Popular Way to Exploit Resources

HOQUIAM, WASH.—Under provisions of a state law, the existence of which few lawyers and fewer mining men and oil men are aware, petitions are being circulated asking the commissioners of Grays Harbor county for an appropriation to be used in drilling for oil and gas. Similar petitions are being prepared for circulation in Jefferson and Clallam counties, covering the remainder of the Olympic peninsula oil field, and also Pacific, King and other counties of the state where anticlines are known to exist.

The law provides that "whenever twenty taxpayers of any one county, each paying taxes on property valued at more than \$1,500 in the county, shall petition the county commissioners for an appropriation of money for the boring or drilling into the earth for minerals, such as coal, oil, gas, salt, or any other valuable subterranean production that is supposed to exist in quantities sufficient to justify boring for," then the county commissioners must make an estimate of the probable depth of the well and the cost, and must put notices, as prescribed by law for general elections, calling on all legal voters of the county to vote for or against the tax.

The election notices must set forth the object of the election, the amount of taxes to be raised, the purpose for which they are to be expended and the locality where the well is to be drilled.

The county must have title to the land, or a lease for twenty years. The tract must be square in form and must contain not less than ten acres, and the well must be bored or drilled near the center of the tract.

Actors Feel the Emotions They Try to Portray

Louis Calvert, American actor, in his book, "Problems of the Actor," discusses anew and dissects from the old Diderot paradox that the interpreter of genius is not affected by the emotion which he portrays for us, even though to us in the audience this emotion seems to be at its height. Enough and more than enough has been said on this question, for of course in the long run it depends on particular character of the actor or the actress—or perhaps I ought to say temperament—whether he or she is strongly moved by the emotion so lavishly displayed. Some who have to go through a pathetic or comic scene cry themselves when they make us cry, and laugh when they make us laugh, and we remember that Horace has something to say on this point. But to others acting is a matter of technical expertise, each situation being rehearsed over and over again in order that its effect may be complete. And in this lengthy preparation something of spontaneity must necessarily be sacrificed.

The first time that Eleonora Duse appeared on the British stage most of us were inclined to describe her as one of those natural artists, like Aimee Desclée, who act without an effort, and behave on the stage exactly as they would in ordinary life. After several impersonations we began to realize how closely and carefully studied was each of those episodes which seemed to us so simple. Few artists have betrayed so much technical preparation as Duse in all her emotional parts, and especially, perhaps, in the "Dame aux Camelias" and the Sardou plays. In cases like these the actor holds it to be his mission to superintend, as it were, his emotional display, and stand aloof from the momentary pathos, so as neither to exceed nor fall short. Po-

etry, we remember, has similarly been described as emotion remembered in tranquillity. It is perfect self-control. It is impossible to lay down a hard-and-fast line. Some actors act from the head, others more directly from the heart, and the difference is shown in their respective workmanship.—W. L. Courtney, in the London Telegraph.

SAM BUGG, NASHVILLE GAMBLER, SPIDER BIT

Sam Bugg, the Nashville gambler, was on a Mississippi steamer bound for New Orleans. He came upon a party of Tennesseans whom a famous card shark had inveigled and was flagrantly robbing. Sam went away, obtained a pack of cards, stacked them to give the gambler four kings and the brightest one of the Nashville boys four aces. After two or three failures to bring the cold deck into action Sam Bugg brushed a spider—an imaginary spider of course—from the gambler's coat collar, for a second distracting his attention—and in the momentary confusion the stacked cards were duly dealt and the betting began, the gambler confident and aggressive. Finally, all the money up, the four aces beat the four kings and for a greater amount than the Nashvillians had lost and the gambler had won. Wherefore, without change of muscle the gambler drawled: "Mr. Bugg, the next time you see a spider biting me let him bite on!"

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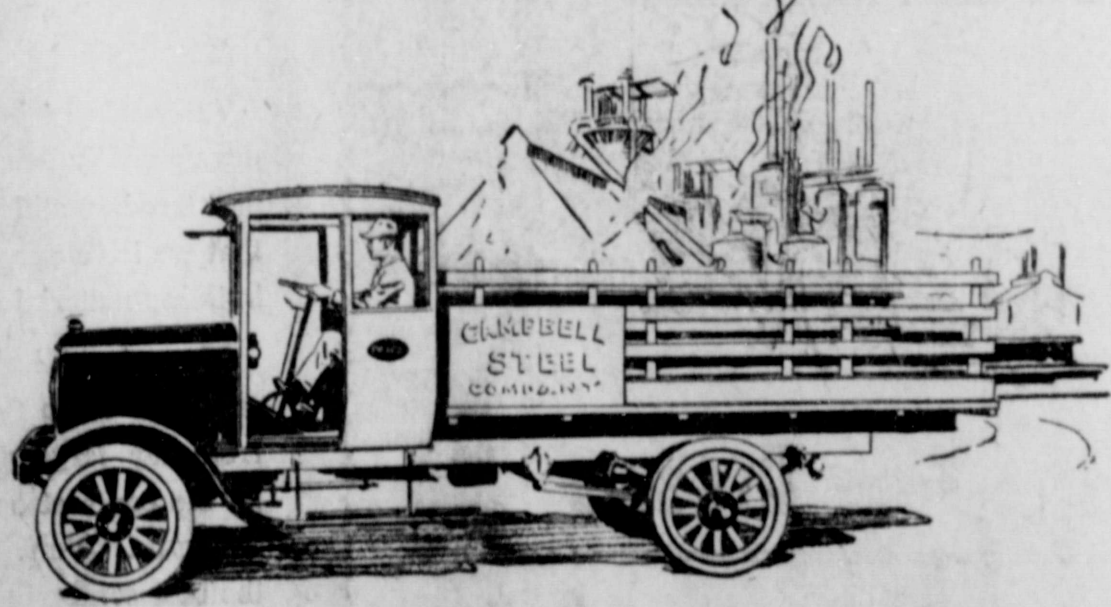
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DEEPER TESTS HOLD INTEREST IN BURK FIELD

Special to The Times.

WICHITA FALLS, Sept. 8.—Deep tests hold the interest of the Wichita county field in the absence of startling developments along any of the regular horizons.

The Grisdale and Erickson test, which is said to be started down for a 4,000 foot depth, is backed by northern capital. Krizan Oil company's Schmidt No. 1, is at 2,000 feet and may go deeper. No announcement of the company's intentions have been made.

Texas Cal Oil company's Vancleave No. 1, is below 2,200 feet. A 4,000 foot cable tool test will be drilled on block 20, in the Burk townsite.

In the shallow field, the Waggoner pool operations continue to lead. Operations of the week are: Gladiador Oil company, No. 1 Renner, standardizing.

Galloway Oil Company, No. 2 Taylor, drilling around 1,650 feet; No. 3 Taylor, drilling around 1,380 feet.

O. C. Graves No. 1 Taylor shut down temporarily around 1,250 feet. Goodwin-Chalmers, No. 1 Taylor drilling around 1,650 feet; No. 2 Taylor, drilling around 700 feet.

Grey Gander Oil company, No. 2 Elsea, set casing at 1,650 feet; No. 3 Elsea, drilling around 1,650 feet. Farmer Jones Oil company, No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 750 feet.

Endwell Oil company, No. 1 Brannon, standardizing. Dorothy Munn Oil company, No. 1 Elsea, drilling around 500 feet.

Diamond D Oil company, No. 1 Elsea, drilling around 1,600 feet. Golden Goose Oil company, No. 2, No. 1 Elsea, temporarily shut down around 1,650 feet; No. 2 Elsea, drilling around 520 feet.

Brooks Oil company, No. 1, Elsea drilling around 1,645 feet. Gold Belt Oil company, No. 1 Vogel, drilling around 1,700 feet.

Golden Goose Oil company, No. 1 Elsea, drilling around 1,700 feet. Baggot Oil company, No. 1, Elsea drilling around 1,250 feet.

Bashara Oil company, No. 1 Taylor drilling around 320 feet. Clark & Grey Oil company, No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 1,630 feet.

Chesapeake Oil company, No. 1 Schmissour, temporarily shut down around 300 feet. Duke of Dublin Oil company, No. 3 Vogel, drilling around 250 feet.

Cannon & Hobbs, No. 2 Taylor, drilling around 1,100 feet. Burkburnett O-Tex Oil company, No. 1, Evans, drilling around 260 feet.

Burk Bet Oil company, No. 1 State lands, drilling around 1,400 feet. Burk Senator Oil company, No. 1 State lands, drilling around 1,300 feet.

Burk Tye Oil company, No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 700 feet. Burk Consolidated Oil company, No. 1 Evans, temporarily shut down around 1,560 feet.

Burk King Oil company, No. 1 Waggoner, shut down around 1,580 feet. Burk Crest Oil company, No. 1, Waggoner, drilling around 1,200 feet.

Burk Reserve Oil company, No. 1 Waggoner, temporarily shut down around 1,660 feet. Burk Reserve Oil company, No. 1, J. S. Smith temporarily shut down around 1,000 feet.

Wichita American Oil comp 2 Vogel, drilling around 200

Bolsheviks May Force John Timps From Private Business Into Politics

"It's funny how easy a man can get in bad," observed hard Luck John Timps. "Ever since I give a demonstration of a fire extinguisher and accidentally burned down an old fellow's barn, I been in bad. For one thing, people regard me with suspicion and some folks turn in the fire alarm when they see me pass. But that ain't the worst, by any means. Last night a forrin lookin' feller with a long bushy beard and eyes like a cat called me off to one side and says: 'I saw you burn the barn yesterday.' 'I thought he was a law, he looked at me so fierce, and I felt a sinkin' in the pit of my stomach and I couldn't think of no apt reply to make. 'It was none work, brother,' he cried. 'We have elected you into our order of the Bolsheviks. You are a man of the strength of what you do to-day. Come with me and attend the secret meetin'.' 'I don't take no stock in secret orders,' I told him. 'I swore a solemn oath to my dyin' father and mother that I wouldn't under no circumstances attend a secret meetin'. My uncle was dyin' at the same time and I swore it to him too. 'The Bolshevik pulled out a long six shooter. I decided to go. He led me to a closed car and when I got in he put a blindfold over my eyes. I reckon we must have traveled half hour before the car stopped and then he led me awhile on foot. 'When somebody took the blindfold off I was in a room with seven of the fiercest lookin' desperadoes that ever haunted the mind of man I saw at one time. I was takin' up with the wrong kind of friends. I couldn't figure no way to help myself. The whole bunch rose up and shook hands with me and one of them had the nerve to kiss me square in the mouth. I could a murdered him on the spot. 'They bargued on the work I done burnin' the old feller's barn and said I showed more nerve than any barn burner they ever saw, workin' in broad daylight that a way. I tried to tell them they was mistook in the man that I was only demonstratin' a fire extinguisher and it wouldn't work. But they wouldn't take no excuses. 'We come down here from the North, one of them said, 'and they was forty odd of us, but it's a short lived occupation and they's only seven left. Our motto is Down with Everything and our passward is Smoke. We been plannin' to burn every barn in Erwin Heights but you are experienced in this line and have doubtless had years of practice, so we aim to let you burn 'em for us. Now the old feller whose barn you set afire has another barn on the other side of his house. Here's a fire bomb, all you have to do is to pull the string on the end. Go down the road there and put it in his lay-loft and pull the little trigger and it will blaze up in a minnit.' 'I was feelin' uneasy and I had a lump in my throat that felt like an onion. I sorter hesitated and they up and pulled out six shooters, every one of them. I took the machine they handed me and started out with them trailin' behind. I found out I was in two hundred yards of the place where I suffered the misfortune with the fire extinguisher. I wondered what Destiny had it in for me about. 'The moon was shinin' bright and when we got in fifty steps of the ruined barn the Bolsheviks stopped and sat down in the broomsticks. 'If you make a crooked step you die,' one of them whispered. 'I went a little ways and I saw the old feller that owned the barn settin' out in the moonlight with a shotgun on his lap. I stopped and looked around and the Bolsheviks raised up and pointed their six shooters at me. 'I was in an awful fix. I got tremblin' so that I forgot and dropped the bomb I was carryin' but had the string wrapped around my finger and it must a jerked the trigger work off, for it flared up like a prairie fire and lit the whole country. 'The old feller was blinded by the glare for a minnit, but directly he got his bearin's and come chargin' towards me wavin' the shotgun and yellin' at the top of his voice. I did a flank movement and he sighted the Bolshevik squattin' in the grass and opened fire on them with the shotgun. Them desperado fellers did just what I was doin'—they took to their heels and strung out across the flat like a shaperial hen runnin' from a coyote. The old feller was crowdin' them so fast that the whole melee faded out of hearin' like an echo. Somebody wired in from East Texas the next mornin' that seven Bolsheviks passed through there on foot. 'I'm in considerable of a difficulty. If the old feller sees me he wouldn't give no quarter, and if the Bolshevik ever lay hands on me I'm a goner, shore. I left half my clothes on a bob wire fence close to the old feller's house and I can't rest easy for fear some other kind of desperadoes will come along and claim kin with me. I ain't equal to many foot races like that, and if Adversity loads the dice on me a few more times I won't have sense enough left for any kind of private business and I may be forced into politics."

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LEADER ON WAY TO FRANCE TO WIND UP K. OF C. WAR WORK



William J. Mulligan and family photographed as they took steamer for France.

William J. Mulligan, chairman of the Knights of Columbus committee on war activities, left a few days ago for France, where he will direct the winding up of K. of C. wartime activities.

RESCUE HOME TO AID GIRLS STARTED HERE

Mrs. Josephine Grayborne of Weatherford has purchased two lots in the Burk addition for the purpose of erecting a rescue home for unfortunate girls. The deal was closed through the Sadler Realty company. Mrs. Grayborne is an experienced rescue worker and seems to have great faith in her work. She is planning to build quite a large home and she hopes to receive the support of the people of Ranger in this worthy enterprise. She believes that many unfortunate girls may be rescued from a life of shame and helped and counseled. Mrs. Grayborne has gone back to Weatherford to remain a few days. When she returns to Ranger she promises to have a definite announcement regarding the details of the proposed institution.

DAILY STOCK QUOTATIONS

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Beaver Valley	1.10	.87 1/2
Burk Ext.	1.00	.90
Burk King	.50	.30
British Amer.	.50	.30
Comanche	1.40	
Comanche Chief 2	1.50	
Comanche Central	.85	.80
Comanche Northern	10.50	8.00
Dixie Oil & Ref.		3.25
Duke Dome	9.00	
Gladstone	1.15	1.05
Galloway Oil		1.30
King Midas	27.00	26.00
King 8		3.25
Mid Stephens	1.15	
Ranger R. I.	2.85	2.55
Ranger Brooks	1.75	1.55
Royal Duke	11.00	8.00
Rickard Texas	16.00	13.00
Ranger Texas	.47	.42
Stanton Oil	1.75	
Sure Pop	3.50	3.00
Star Oil	8.00	
Thrift 4		1000.00
Waurika No. 1	41.00	38.00
Waurika No. 2	10.25	10.00
Weimer	1.45	

PERSONALS

F. O. Kelley, first assistant postmaster, has returned from a trip to Clouderoft, where he spent a week with his family. Mr. Kelley had enjoyed a nice fall of snow while he was at Clouderoft.

OLD RAILROADER ITS GAME 52 YEARS

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 9.—When E. W. Purrell stepped off his train in Columbus a few days ago he completed fifty-two years of railroading. Purrell, now 70, had been in service 52 years and for the last 36 was a conductor on the Ho-king Valley between Toledo and Columbus. He began railroading at the age of 18 as a brakeman on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern running between Toledo and Chicago. Three years later he was made passenger conductor serving in that capacity for ten years. For the next two years he was yardmaster at Toledo for the Pennsylvania.

New Tailor Shop Evans & Boon Open

Emmett Evans of Brownwood and A. P. Boon of Ranger, formerly of Clouderoft, are opening a modern tailor shop and dry cleaning plant at 209 1/2 Pine street. They are now ready for business in their new stand. Mr. Evans is an expert at this business, having conducted the same sort of shop at Brownwood for the last fifteen years. Mr. Boon is just out of the banking business coming to First National bank of Ranger from Brady National bank. He has had wide experience in dealing with the public. The firm has installed a new delivery car and Mr. Boon will care for the customers' wants in the delivery line. The dry cleaning plant is the most modern money can buy. It is on its way now. When installed, it will offer the quickest service and the best that can be obtained.

BOLSHEVIKI CLAIM TO HAVE PETROPAVLOVSK

LONDON, Sept. 9.—The occupation of Petropavlovsk, on the Isshim river, about 175 miles west of Omsk, by the Bolshevik forces is claimed in a statement issued by the Russian soviet.

REFINERY WORKERS GET BETTER WAGE SCALE

W. T. O'Malley, general organizer for the oil workers, has returned from a trip to Gainesville, where he was successful in putting over a wage scale for refinery workers. The new scale embodies an eight-hour day, a flat wage increase of a dollar a day, and better working conditions for employees. Mr. O'Malley was a federal labor adjuster during the war and has been very successful in settling labor disputes and bringing about a better understanding between corporations and employees. He advocates and practices moderation and sound common sense in labor difficulties and he and his organization are waging an unrelenting warfare on the red flagger and the Bolshevik.

WATER WELLS YIELD RETURNS ERWIN HEIGHTS

Test wells in Erwin Heights, put down at a cost of \$50 to \$75, have been producing from 50 to 100 barrels of water a day. Oil does not seem to be the only liquid gold that is bringing wealth to the people of Ranger. A number of wells have been dug in Erwin Heights by some far-sighted business men. These wells have been making from 50 to 100 barrels a day. The water finds a ready market at one dollar a barrel. Oil men do not hesitate to spend thousands of dollars on development of oil wells that will produce this quantity of oil and are willing to pay high prices for leases. Mr. Chadsey, a drilling contractor, recently put down a well on one of his lots in Erwin Heights at a contract price of \$75. He has been offered \$100 a month for a lease on his well, with no expense to him for mining or anything else. The total cost of his lot and water in Erwin Heights is in a gravel stratum lying between two strata of impervious clay. The water-bearing strata are found in the highest points of land, existing that the water comes from a distance—possibly from the stains miles away. Several wells have been dug in an area, but the production is not affected by this drain on the gravels as is believed by those who have

studied the situation that the "proven field" is only a very small portion of the "pool" and that further wildcatting will result in the development of a supply of good table water sufficient for the needs of a good sized community.

THIS MONKEY KILLS DOGS WITH PILLS

BRIDGEPORT, Conn.—Before Hercules drifted off to slumber in the corner of his cage tonight he made a few remarks in simian which his distracted owner, Dr. Robert Marvin, said meant "This is the end of a perfect day," or words to that effect. Hercules is a remarkably intelligent monkey. In fact, Doctor Marvin said with some bitterness that he is too intelligent. The monkey got out of his cage this morning. He and two bulldogs, which had been left in the care of Doctor Marvin, were alone in the office. Hercules found a bottle of pills. He didn't eat them himself, but tried them on the dogs. The results were positive. A few minutes after the bulldogs had swallowed them both were very dead. One was worth \$500 the other \$250. Hercules lost his interest in pills right there and created a sensation in the neighborhood by scampering four blocks and scaling the front of a residence. He found an open window and entered a room in which two children were slumbering. He felt a little weary. So he got into bed with the children. A second later two screams were dying away in the distance and Hercules had the bed all to himself. He continued to occupy it until a policeman entered and arrested him. He was taken home to confront Doctor Marvin, the emptied pill bottle and \$750 worth of dead bulldogs.

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TOLEDO, O.—One of the relics of the old-time fighting days, which is to be sold by the government to the highest bidder is the historic training ship Essex, formerly of the Ohio Division of the Ohio Naval Militia. The Essex was built in 1876 and at one time was commanded by Admiral Schley. Capt. A. F. Nicklett of Toledo was the last officer in command. The ship sailed across the Atlantic went down the east coast of South America and figured in numerous thrilling accidents before she was assigned to Toledo. When the United States entered the world war the Essex was sent to Chicago for use in the Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

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Miss Aileen Stanley of Chicago is claiming to be the first actress to fly to the stage door. Recently, at Detroit, her automobile broke down sixty-one miles from the

theater and fifty-one minutes before the curtain was to go up. Learning that an airplane had come down a short distance away she asked the pilot to speed her

into Detroit in order that she might meet her audience on time. The pilot consented. Miss Stanley met her audience at the usual hour.

THEATERS

MYSTERY SURROUNDS 'HIS MAJESTY, THE AMERICAN'

"It's too good to give away," said Manager Palmer of the Liberty theater, when he was asked to tell the story of Douglas Fairbanks' forthcoming production, "His Majesty, the American."

"Now, I'm not going to spoil the anticipation of my patrons by telling the story of Douglas Fairbanks' new film, 'His Majesty, the American,' in advance; but I will say this: Fairbanks has spent more money on this picture than he has ever spent before, because he has made it for release direct to the theaters of the country by the United Artists—the 'Big Four,' which is made up of Mary Pickford, Charles Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks and D. W. Griffith.

"The story of 'His Majesty, the American' is a knockout. It gives 'Doug' a chance to do a lot of entirely new tricks and I don't hesitate to say that the picture is far and away the biggest production he has ever turned out.

"I'll let this much of the secret out: 'Doug' plays the part of a young American who simply can't keep out of trouble. He takes a hand in all sorts of situations which lead him all over the world. We find him first in New York, where he tries to show the fire department how it should be run; we find him helping the police raid the den of a king of the underworld; we find him later in Mexico showing the bandits what they don't know about their business, and then we find him butting in on the affairs of a little principality in Europe. It is the jolliest mix-up ever seen.

"An idea of the enormity of the production may be gathered from the fact that Mr. Fairbanks spent \$40,000 for the erection of one 'set' alone. This is an entire section of a little French town and was built completely to the last detail, from palace to hovel, from city hall to railroad station. Every building was erected as permanently as if it were designed as the living quarters of the inhabitants of the town. Even the streets were paved and the realism of the buildings was so convincing that hundreds of swallows built their nests of mud in the copings and cornices.

"Another city of an entirely different character was built in the hills surrounding the Douglas Fairbanks studios. Here the action demanded a Mexican village and a Mexican village 'Doug' built.

Still another episode demanded a New York tenement street and it was built.

"In addition to these and many more, a complete European railway line was built, 1,500 feet long and of the standard continental design, the carriages being the exact duplicate of the type used in France.

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Girls' Dormitories for U. T. Named

Special to The Times.

AUSTIN, Sept. 9.—Fate session of 1919-1920 the University of Texas has provided accommodations in dormitories for girls under immediate university supervision, as follows:

1. The woman's building, which accommodates approximately eighty-three girls for rooms and board.

2. Annexes to the woman's building, A, B and C, designate respectively the first and second houses leased from Ray McDonald, Whittis avenue, reading from south north, and the house of Mrs. Sears on University avenue. The three houses should accommodate approximately fifteen girls each.

3. The property of the Presbyterian theological seminary of twenty-seventh street will accommodate approximately seventy girls for rooms and board. This property will form a boarding unit of the same sort as the woman's building, and, while under separate supervision, will be governed by the same rules and regulations.

4. The Kirby property on Hilla avenue, recently acquired by purchase by the university, will accommodate approximately twenty girls for rooms only. The occupants of this property will take their meals at Lubbock hall, the dining room belonging to the seminary property referred to, and will be under the same supervision as those living in the seminary buildings and subject to the same rules and regulations.

Prices for rooms and board in cases under university supervision in the woman's building, its annexes, the seminary property and the Kirby property—for the session of 19-1920 will be \$25 a month.

Oil and Gas Leases, Mineral Deeds, Royalty Contracts—Eastland County

F. M. Daniel to N. Tanner, part of east side of 189 2-10 acres in Eastland county, patent, to Mark Tollett; assignment; \$1, etc.

John A. Stephenson to T. S. Rollins, part of lot 17, league 2, McLennan county school lands in Eastland county; assignment; \$10, etc.

William Robertson to Robert Lee Oil company, part of 75 acres out of Theresa Tyler No. 51, Eastland county; assignment; \$1, etc.

E. N. Robbins to W. M. Robertson, part of 75 acres out of Theresa Tyler No. 51, Eastland county; assignment; \$1, etc.

B. O. Hawkins to A. S. Brown et al, part of W. H. Funderburg survey, Desdemona; assignment; \$1, etc.

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E. C. Wells et al to O. Crockett, part of 100 acres out of Guadalupe college survey, abstract 142, Eastland county; assignment; \$1, etc.

J. L. Thompson to P. R. Austin, part of lot in Desdemona, on which Baptist church stands; assignment; \$1, etc.

J. H. Steckley to J. H. Crites, part of 20 acres shown by sectional survey 397, Comanche county; assignment; \$1, etc.

C. E. Sheffey to G. W. Brown, part of an 818-acre tract of S 1-2 NE 1-4 section 58, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$1, etc.

J. Levy to M. B. Collier, part of one acre of land known as Pleasant Grove church tract, Eastland county; assignment; \$500.

Guy G. Fisher to Warren Wagner, part of 50-acre tract as recorded in volume 103, page 217, deed records of Eastland county; assignment; \$1, etc.

R. W. Davis to Sinclair Consolidated Oil & Gas company, part of land leased as recorded one page 418, volume 117, Eastland and Erith counties; assignment; \$1, etc.

J. H. Crites to N. H. Harris et al, Comanche county, sectional survey No. 397, Comanche county; assignment; \$1, etc.

D. W. Burleson to Kampeter McAfee company, part of ten-acre tract known as Goodman tract, Eastland county; assignment; \$1,250.

E. S. Aldrich to James T. Dooley, part of southeast corner W. H. Funderburg survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$10, etc.

E. S. Aldrich to Van Kelsey, part of one acre of southeast corner W. H. Funderburg survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$10, etc.

Riley Drilling association to J. L. Hill et al, part of NE 1-4 section 4, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. lands, Eastland county, assignment; \$5,000, etc.

Robert Lee Oil company to H. N. Harris, part of 80 acres out of Juan A. Curbello survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$1, etc.

Ranger-Rock Island Oil company to D. W. Powers Oil & Refining company, part of 25 acres out of Guadalupe college survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$1, etc.

survey No. 50, Eastland county; assignment.

Harry Lasater to J. J. Albers, part of east side of NE 1-4 section 3, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract; \$7,000.

H. C. Odle et al to J. M. Allen, part of SE 1-4 section 1, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. lands, Eastland county; royalty contract; \$17,000.

H. C. Odle to J. M. Allen, part of Warren Lyman and E. T. R. R. survey No. 6, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$7,000.

E. C. Vincent et ux to Edwin B. Cox et al, part of 60 acres of Juan Curbello survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$6,500.

W. J. Nabors et al to D. F. Smith, part of six acres out of W. J. Nabors tract out of John Schoonover survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$2,000.

J. J. Grigg to John M. Roach, part of 65 acres of the SW portion of block 9, John F. Sapp survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$50.

J. W. Cawley et al to Roy L. Nunnally, part of section 16, block 2, E. T. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$75.

L. Capers to S. A. Pitzer, part of S. J. Robinson headright survey, certificate 3, abstract 419, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$250.

J. E. Brewer to W. E. Tyler, part of blocks 1, 2 and 3, sub-division of J. M. Bishop estate, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$800.

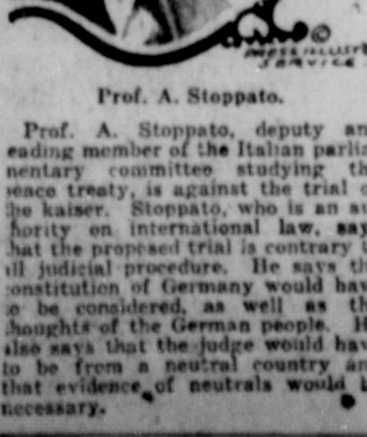
E. L. R. Wheelock to J. L. Hill et al, part of W. B. Lewis sub-division N 1-2 SE 1-4, survey No. 14, S. A. & M. G. Ry. Co., Eastland county; royalty contract, \$5,000.

J. O. Thomas to W. B. Warren, part of two lots in Desdemona on waters of Hog creek; royalty contract, real estate valued at \$1,866.66.

J. O. Thomas to A. Rodgers, part of two lots in Desdemona on waters of Hog creek; royalty contract; real estate valued at \$1,866.66.

P. E. Pruett to Charley Morris, part of 75 1-3 acres out of NE 1-2 section 33, H. & T. C. R. Co. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$2,712.

ITALIAN OPPOSES TRIAL OF KAISER



Prof. A. Stoppato, deputy and leading member of the Italian parliamentary committee studying the peace treaty, is against the trial of the Kaiser. Stoppato, who is an authority on international law, says that the proposed trial is contrary to all judicial procedure. He says the constitution of Germany would have to be considered, as well as the thoughts of the German people. He also says that the judge would have to be from a neutral country and that evidence of neutrals would be necessary.

FAMOUS FOOTBALL STAR, WAR VETERAN RETURNS TO PIT



James de Hart, a member of the wonderful pit team which represented the University of Pittsburgh in 1917, has returned to the university and has been elected captain of the team for the coming season. He enlisted in the aviation corps and served in France.

Baseball Summaries

TEXAS LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams.

Teams	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Fort Worth	48	25	.658
Houston	45	31	.592
Dallas	42	32	.568
Beaumont	35	35	.500
Shreveport	33	34	.493
San Antonio	35	41	.461
Waco	27	44	.380
Galveston	28	50	.359

Where They Play Today.
Fort Worth at San Antonio.
Dallas at Galveston.
Waco at Beaumont.
Shreveport at Houston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams.

Teams	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	78	46	.629
Detroit	73	49	.599
Cleveland	71	51	.582
New York	66	54	.550
Boston	61	53	.535
St. Louis	58	62	.483
Washington	46	77	.374
Philadelphia	32	90	.262

Where They Play Today.
Chicago at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams.

Teams	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cincinnati	87	38	.696
New York	75	44	.630
Chicago	64	66	.492
Brooklyn	60	62	.492
Pittsburg	60	62	.492
Boston	50	76	.398
Philadelphia	49	76	.392
St. Louis	44	75	.370

Where They Play Today.
Boston at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Monday's Results.

At San Antonio	R H E
San Antonio	000 000 020—2 7 0
Fort Worth	300 100 001—5 10 1

Batteries: Fincher and Walgamot; Dillinger and Haworth.

At Dallas— R H E

Dallas	004 201 000—7 5 1
Galveston	100 000 000—1 1 2

Batteries: Matson and Robinson; Smithson, Rainey and Hauser.

At Beaumont— R H E

Waco	013 200 000 0—6 9 0
Beaumont	200 010 120 1—7 12 3

Batteries: Sugerland and Harkins; Moseley and Kitchens. Shreveport at Houston— Wet grounds.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Monday's Games.

At Pittsburg	R H E
First game:	
Boston	000 000 000—0 5 3
Pittsburg	420 102 10x—10 14 2

Batteries: Demaree and Gowdy; Miller and Schmidt.

Second game: R H E

Boston	010 000 030—4 9 2
Pittsburg	100 110 000—3 12 0

Batteries: Causey and Gowdy; Ponder and Blackwell.

Only games played.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At New York— R H E

First game:	
Boston	010 000 110—3 8 0
New York	000 000 000—1 7 1

Batteries: Jones and Schang; Thorpe and Hannan.

Second game: R H E

Boston	000 200 001—3 10 0
New York	000 000 000—0 14 0

Only games played.

Ranger Daily Times

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GOOD ROADS

Ranger is lining up behind the bond issue of \$4,500,000 which will be submitted to the voters Sept. 27. The measure has the support of the big oil companies...

It is said that the proportionment of highways is not satisfactory. The map of prospective roads, as they will be submitted to the voters, was agreed upon by representatives of every section of the county...

Ranger gets every road it needs. The route to the rich Pleasant Grove district from Ranger, an excellent hard surfaced road, will be a direct channel from this city to the most highly developed section of the present field.

The road to Eastland, paved with concrete, rivaling any city boulevard, will serve the needs of the many business men and oil operators who have business in the county seat.

A hard surfaced road to Desdemona, by way of Staff, will give outlet for the supplies that daily travel to that field. It is said that Ranger supplies 75 per cent of the material trucked into Desdemona.

Other roads, of the same character, lead north to the south Caddo field, which is in its youth, as development goes, and another highway reaches east to the county line, to join the excellent road which the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company has constructed from Thurber to W.

A cursory examination of the shows that the west section of county gets many miles of road. His rich agricultural district asked and was given, in fairness, channels in market. But the roads are not of the heavy type of construction needed to stand the grueling traffic of the fields. Much of this road may be built at the nominal cost of \$5,000 a mile, small indeed compared with \$16,000 to \$35,000 which will be on the oil field highways.

ough the brunt of the first of taxation will fall on the oil of the county, development of the west and northwest and by the time the bond issue is liquidated, the center of wealth of the county will be further west than it is at present.

Whatever the trend of development, the roads will be worth what they will cost.

They will advertise this section nationally and beneficially, instead of making it a profane byword to everyone who travels by wagon or automobile.

They will stand as monuments to the progressiveness of the county which, potentially, is the greatest in the state.

CHIEF G. G. FLOURNOY.

Chief of Police G. G. Flournoy of Ranger and found it a "bad With the open bar omitted, the replicas of the frontier of the hectic days of which at Harie wrote and in which Wil- S. Hart yet delights his fellow- in the hushed drama.

Flournoy supplied the want that prohibition laws made, at extortion. The dance halls, free interpretation of en- were colorful splashes and of scarlet.

Flournoy, Ranger found I suited for the work. The moral clean- ing process, when his

"THAT LITTLE GAME" --- Romancing



Ranger is no theological seminary now. It is not free from every form of iniquity that made it infamous in the palmy old days. But it is a much cleaner town than Chief Flournoy found it.

The credit for the difference is his.

Associated Press dispatches today note that the Bolsheviks admit they have taken Petropavlovsk. Hypo-dermically, or sniffed it?

If the question of free air for breathing purposes were put to a vote, there would be some opposition.

Main street, from Rusk to Marston, has been plowed. For winter wheat?

West Texas Cotton Crop 85 Per Cent Of Normal, Report

Condition compared with a normal 61. Last Month's Condition 67.

A condition of 61 per cent of a normal crop on August 25, as reported by the Cotton Crop Reporting Board, upon the usual allowance of 1 per cent abandonment of acreage, basis 10,755,000 acres, estimated planted and standing June 25, would indicate an average yield of 146.4 pounds of lint cotton per acre, or a total production of 3,259,000 equivalent 500 pound gross weight bales, not including lintless. The December estimate of acreage picked compared with the preliminary estimate of acreage as of June 25, will show the full acreage abandoned.

The crop has deteriorated 8 points since July 25, date of last report. This is to be ascribed altogether to insect ravages, and the loss is confined to the east one half of the cotton growing area of the State. In the west half, where from good to excellent conditions were found last month, in the comparative absence of insects, improvement has taken place. In the west, mostly by insects, where last month only boll weevil ravages were noted, boll worms and army or leaf worms have developed and added to the devastation.

Over almost the entire State the plant has attained a growth and size most abnormal for the season, because of the unusually prolonged conditions of moisture that have prevailed all summer. This is particularly true of the east half, and the rank growth of the plant has rendered ineffective all means of control, especially of the comparatively spotted, where boll worms, alone, have been destructive, which is the case in many counties to the northward in the infested belt, (his period being usually of three weeks duration) it is the belief that there is time before frost for the large sized to take on new fruit and thus in a measure retrieve its losses. To the southward, where boll weevils and leaf worms and boll worms have combined in the attack, additional fruitage is now seemingly impossible. As to counties, where this condition exists, and it is somewhat spotted, the leaf worms' work in denuding the plant, will prove beneficial rather than harmful, in that it will admit the sunshine to enable the saving of the matured bolls of early fruitage.

The crop in the south half of the State is nearly a month late, as shown in the comparatively little picking and ginning done to date.

The West Texas crop is 85 per cent normal, figures on six per cent of the crop show.

Frank Kell Here.

Frank Kell of Wichita Falls, a partner of Jake Hamon in the Hamon & Kell railroad, is in Ranger on business today.

Mr. Hamon returned with Mr. Kell after spending Sunday at his home in Ardmore.

Marriage Licenses

E. Frank Law

LEGION TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT; FINE PROGRAM

A get-together meeting of the American Legion is slated for Tuesday night. The regular business meeting will be followed by a program of entertainment. Among the entertainers is Mrs. Glazer, formerly a professional violinist of New York and a recent arrival in Ranger. Sam Loah, who was in charge of all musical activities at Camp Bowie during the war, will sing and other attractive features will be presented.

UNIVERSITY LIBRARY STAFF IS SELECTED

AUSTIN, Sept. 9.—The staff of the library of the University of Texas has been selected for the year of 1919-1920. The following additions have been made: Mrs. Charles Stephenson, assistant in the orders and accessions department; Roberta Dulin, assistant reference librarian; Fannie Hatchford, assistant in the Wrenn Library; Zona Peak, assistant in serials and bindings department; Miss M. McGehee, in charge of the loan desk. Miss Maud Smith, Miss Elizabeth Tiffy, and W. N. Darnells have returned from their vacations and are at work in their regular places in the library. Curtis J. Alderman, who resigned from the library staff fourteen months ago to join the army, has now returned to the University, and will resume his work in the loan department.

Methodist Church Elects Officers

The following were elected to offices for the ensuing year at the quarterly conference of the Methodist church:

Trustees—M. H. Haganan, E. H. Mills, T. G. Deffenbach, M. H. Smith, John M. Gholson.

Stewards—J. W. Shook, A. M. Mrs. W. S. Wilson, W. J. McFarland, Mrs. C. E. May, Ed Dixon, C. M. Beeman, W. C. Marlow, R. M. Davenport, S. A. Landers, M. H. Smith, R. F. Jones, W. T. Granger, Mrs. D. S. Terrell, T. E. Parks, C. D. Wood, Miss Ruby Ray Swift, John M. Gholson, C. M. Davenport.

Superintendents—T. G. Deffenbach, C. C. Chenoweth, Lambert Moody, Frank Skinner.

Charge Lay Leader—C. C. Chenoweth.

Special Missionary Committee—J. W. Shook, M. H. Smith, C. C. Chenoweth, Miss Cornelia Godbey, Mrs. E. H. Mills, Mrs. S. D. Terrell.

T. & P. R. R. Builds Fuel Oil Storage

The Texas and Pacific railroad company has started construction on a 16,000 barrel steel tank for a fuel oil supply. This is part of a move to put the whole T. and P. system on an oil basis by the first of next year. The oil will be used for both yard and road engines.

The new tank is located north of the depot, by the roundhouse. A shop office will be built at the same time.

PRAIRIE BUILDS NEW OFFICES ON MINUTE'S NOTICE

Prairie Oil & Gas company has a little city of its own on the company property lying west and south of the juncture of Oak street and the Blackwell road.

The company has outgrown its present office building, 35x85 feet, and ten days ago it was decided that a new one was needed. It is now a reality and when interior finish has been completed, will be ready for occupancy. It is probable that the opening of the new office will be celebrated by a dance, the general office space lending itself well to such festivity.

The old office building, part of which is now used for quarters, will be converted into a dormitory. In addition, a new dormitory building, the size of the new office, 35x100 feet is being constructed back of the present offices.

The residence of Harry Maddren, general superintendent of the company, has been moved the length of Prairieville, and now occupies a site next the new offices. All residences on the property, twelve in number, will be moved to this end and the private road, corresponding to Oak street, will be opened the length of the property. The land thrown open by moving the homes will be used for siding. It parallels the Texas & Pacific tracks.

Expansion of the company's interests in this field have necessitated the building a new automobile repair shop, identical in size with No. 1.



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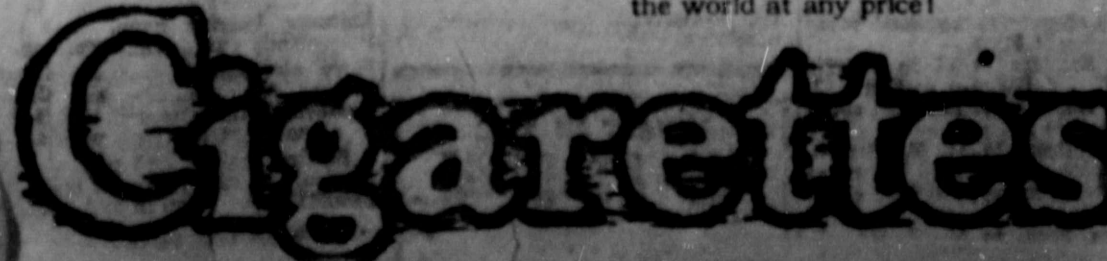
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"Well, if that's the case, wait a minute and I'll go with you. I'm looking for some good investments myself and if you recommend it I know it's all right, and listen, that'll be some building—I saw the plans the other day and they sure are great. According to the plans I saw at the Sager Realty Company's office, this building will not only be Ranger's Recreational Center, but—by golly!—a dollar invested in that building will be worth five dollars the day when the Natatorium doors are opened to the public."

"I wish it was up today Is what they all say."

We certainly need this institution of recreation for Ranger, is the way most progressive people in Ranger express themselves.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Ranger Dry Cleaning and Hat Works is now open for business at 209 1/2 Pine Street, the old J. G. Gamble Stand.

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