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## LITTLETON AND BOYD LEASES CONTRIBUTE TWO GOOD GUSHERS AT CLOSE OF VERY ACTIVE WEEK

### Texas Company Draws Pair of Good Wells

Texas Company drew a big pair to close the week. J. C. Littleton No. 5 is making ninety barrels an hour—2,160 a day—four feet in the pay, which starts at 3,486 feet. The well is drilling ahead. W. T. Boyd No. 5 is a producer from the black lime, at 3,455 feet, and is making 1,900 barrels. Neither of the good-sized team is regarded as a completion.

No. 5 Littleton is the second good well brought in recently on that tract, which is 320 acres, six and a half miles west of Ranger, lying just east of the Eli and Calvin Perkins tracts, and south of the States' T. Y. Butler. No. 3 Littleton was a 3,000-barrel well a month ago.

The Boyd tract, 299 acres, five and a half miles due west, has furnished two strong wells, No. 1 and No. 2. It is east of the W. N. Wright tract being developed by Ranger-Rock Island, Gladstone Oil & Refining Company and Chapman et al. It lies north and west of the Texas Pacific's Norwood and the Prairie and T-P's E. Roper and J. T. Roper leases. It is in the northwest corner of the John York survey, which marked the richest part of the pool prior to the development of the Pleasant Grove district.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company has another well on the Norwood, producing from the lime. No. 14 is making between 400 and 500 barrels at 3,258 feet and will be regarded as a completion for the present. It will be carried on to the big pay later.

Markham and Tidal Oil Company brought in another well on the E. L. Danley, No. 4, which started off at 1,300 barrels at 3,390 feet. It is also a lime well and may not be regarded as a completion. It is not holding up to the initial figure and probably will be drilled ahead.

Satterfield No. 1 of the Sinclair Gulf Oil Company may be expected to provide a good show when it starts some time this week. It will be given a good heavy hypo of nitro. Its present depth is 3,443 and it is cleaning out at 3,440 feet, preparing to shoot. It is standing 1,200 feet in oil and its under good stimulus probably will splash the crude oil around the lease somewhat. Sinclair's Danley No. 3 will be a well soon, drilling in the black lime at 3,300 feet.

Fargason No. 4 of the H. C. is coming along and may be a completion within a week. No. 1 was a 4,000-barrel surprise two months ago.

### 2 AVIATORS FINISH FIRST HALF OF RACE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—First Lieut. Melvin W. Maynard, piloting a de Havilland four airplane, leader of the westbound flyers in the trans-continent air derby, arrived in San Francisco from Mineola, N. Y., at 12 p. m. today.

It was unofficially estimated that his actual flying time, a distance of 2,701 miles, was 24 hours and 58 minutes, 55 1/2 seconds.

### HEL AT MINEOLA

MINEOLA, Oct. 11.—Lieut. E. C. Kiel, first of the eastbound trans-continent air derby flyers to complete the race, landed at Roosevelt field at 6:35 p. m. today, followed twenty seconds later by Maj. Carl Scanz, who previously had landed by error at Hazelhurst field.

### START RETURN OCTOBER 20

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The return trip of the airplanes in the trans-continent race will be started October 20, the army air service announced here today. The competing planes will be held at the coast station until that date for overhauling and repairing.

### HERE'S WHY WE CAN'T GET SUGAR THAT IS NEEDED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The sugar shortage was discussed again today in the senate. Senator Smoot (Republican), Utah, said he had been informed that the entire Hawaiian sugar crop of about 600,000 tons has been purchased by Japanese interests and thus taken away from American markets.

Senator Sherman (Republican), Illinois, declared that 27,000,000 pounds of sugar originally purchased by the government for the use of the army was to be sold abroad, while Senator Pomerene (Democrat), Ohio, read a letter from the sugar equalization board explaining that under an agreement with foreign governments, Cuban sugar was being shipped to the United States to be shipped abroad.

### Western Union Employees May Get Big Increase

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Simultaneously with announcement of a general 15-per cent increase in pay for Western Union employees of a year more service and 10 per cent for those of more than six months but less than a year receiving under-rides for a month, effective January 1, "What second, Carlton, president of the company, today said negotiations between the Western Union and representatives of its workers are in progress looking to some plan of increasing their pay.

A telegram from Koenigsburg, East Prussia, reads as follows: "The commander of the second West Russian volunteer corps has claimed the part of Lithuania occupied by his troops as Russian territory. The Lithuanian troops in Schaulen have been disarmed by the Russians and the Germans co-operating with them."

### SOLDIERS TO BE USED TO BREAK DOCK STRIKE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Soldiers will be used to unload and reload army vessels at New York, if the longshoremen's strike prevents the normal handling of these ships, Secretary Baker said today.

Brigadier General Hines, chief of embarkation, is considering the necessary steps to prevent congestion of military tonnage at New York, and Mr. Baker said that upon the general's recommendation he was prepared to order the necessary personnel to the docks. This decision followed the refusal of the strikers to handle army ships now nearing New York.

Mr. Baker said an adequate number of men were at New York.

### NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 11.—Two thousand union longshoremen went on strike here today when increases in wages demanded by the men were refused.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The union to the coastwise traffic at every Atlantic port of the longshoremen's strike which has virtually stopped activities in New York harbor, appeared inevitable today. Don F. Riley, chairman of the strikers' committee, announced that orders for such an extension had been issued following the action here yesterday of the national adjustment commission of the United States shipping board, which refused to grant an increase in the coastwise longshoremen's scale from 62 cent to \$1 an hour. The coastwise longshoremen's strike, if made effective, it was stated, would add 16,000 to the total number of strikes.

### RUSS WANT WAR MATERIAL HUNS TOOK IN WAR

PARIS, Oct. 11.—The Supreme Council at its meeting today accepted in principle a demand presented on behalf of Admiral Koleshak and General Denikine asking that Russian war materials captured by the German armies during the war should be turned over to them for the use of their armies. The inter-Allied commission of control in Germany will supervise the execution of the measures.

### WHITE LAWYER BLAMED FOR THE ELAINE RIOTS

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Efforts of sixty or seventy negro tenant farmers to obtain a settlement for growing cotton for white planters, and not a "black insurance," was responsible for the recent uprising at Elaine, Ark., according to a statement here today by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

The association said a correspondent had investigated the trouble and traced its start to the employment of a white lawyer in Little Rock to represent the dissatisfied negro tenant farmers in court at Elaine.

### LETTS AND RUSS CONTINUE TO STAGE BATTLE

COPENHAGEN, Friday, Oct. 10.—A German telegram from Mitau, received today, says: "Fighting by Letts and Russians between Mitau and Riga is continuing. None of the troops subservient to the German government are taking part."

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### STEEL MEN SAY BRUTALITY IS DONE TO THEM

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 11.—Representatives of steel workers on strike in Pittsburgh and environs told the Senate investigating committee, which held sessions here today, that rights of free assemblage and free speech were denied them. Alleged brutality by special law officers and state militia was charged by William Feeney union organizer, and the Rev. Father A. Kazmier, told the committee specific incidents which they said proved their assertions. Chairman Kenyon and other members of the committee objected to the testimony because the men had not been eye-witnesses to incidents of which they complained, but W. C. Rubin, from the general strike committee, promised to substantiate their stories with evidence. Feeney, who said he was in charge of the strike in the Charleroi-Monessen district declared that the mayor of Monessen swore in all the "riff-raff of the town as officers."

"Those men, both black and white, were drilled, given guns and badges, and turned loose," he said. "In Monessen they are clubbing our men all day long and at night, beating them because they don't move fast enough. They're even beating women. The committee interested in the last statement and Feeney described one incident in which he said state troopers dragged a woman into a house and clubbed her. "She did not move fast enough," Feeney said, "that's all." "We have evidence of men being told they would be hanged if they did not go back to work," declared Feeney.

### GALVESTON EMBARGO ON WHEAT IS WEAKENING NOW

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES. GALVESTON, Oct. 11.—Facilities at this port are being extended so that Galveston can now handle an additional number of cars of wheat a day. The total porting daily now reach 100 cars. During October it is believed that 3,000,000 bushels of wheat can be handled as ocean tonnage is becoming available.

### MARTIAL LAW AT CORPUS CHRISTI TO BE LIFTED

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES. AUSTIN, Oct. 11.—The return of Adj. Gen. W. D. Cope to Austin from Corpus Christi tomorrow gives rise to the belief that martial law, which has for the last three weeks been in effect along the coast coast by the stern, will be raised immediately. The work of cleaning up in Corpus Christi is proceeding satisfactorily, it was reported here.

### STATE BANK COMMISSION MEETS AT DESDEMONA

SPECIAL LENSED WIRE. DESDEMONA, Oct. 11.—The state banking board held a meeting here today in connection with the many requests which are coming from this part of the oil fields for charters for new banks. Among those in attendance were Assistant Attorney General Townsend, advisor to the state banking board, and J. O. Ricks, deputy banking commissioner.

### CHARGE TEXANS USED ALLEGED FAKE OIL ADS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The federal trade commission today entered formal complaint charging fraudulent advertising and other unfair practices against S. E. Cox, his wife, Mrs. S. E. Cox, both of Houston, Tex., National Hill of Chicago, employed by Cox as an advertising agent and the Prudential Trust & Security Company. The Prudential Oil & Refining company and the General Oil company, all of Houston. They were ordered to file answer with the commission November 25. The complaint was an outcome of the Texas oil boom. Cox was described in the complaint as president of the Federal Oil company, which its organization had been completed. Specific allegations include use of circulation by Cox of report that he was holding \$1,025,000 in earnings from the General Oil company to provide scholarships "for worthy and needy boys and returned soldiers."

### ANOTHER MOVE TO END WARTIME PROHIBITION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Another move to end war-time prohibition was made today in the House of Representatives. At the same time word went out from the White House that Attorney Palmer would render an opinion on its constitutionality on recently enacted prohibition enforcement legislation before it was placed before the House by Rep. Don W. Kalley, Democrat, of Illinois, and took the form of a resolution which would "where it the sense of congress that the conditions necessary to the termination of the war-time prohibition act now exist. Passage of this resolution it was said would give the President authority to annul the law by demobilization of the army complement.

Since the act went into effect brewers have been manufacturing 2.75 per cent beer, and action begun by the government to have the sale of such beer illegal, have resulted in appeals which are pending in the United States supreme court.

### New Motorcycle Record for 100 Miles Is Made

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—A new world record for the 100-mile motorcycle race was made today by Albert Burns of Los Angeles, who did the distance in one hour, seven and two-sevenths minutes. A world's record for fifty miles was made by Pay Wishart of Bridgeport, Conn., in thirty-two minutes, fifty-seven and two-sevenths seconds.

### "UNCLE JOE" CANNON DOES NOT FAVOR PACT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Having taken twenty-three separate oaths to defend the constitution, Representative Cannon (Republican), Illinois, speaker of the house, now finds he cannot continue to be used in creating sentiment that would force a vote on the Johnson amendment. A new set of reservations offered today by Senator Thomas (Democrat, Colorado), deals with American representation in the general labor conference created by the League of Nations and would provide for American control of its delegates and the right to withdraw in event this country should withdraw from the league. The other would give the United States exclusive jurisdiction over its domestic affairs.

Mr. Cannon has set forth his views in a letter to the League to Enforce Peace had come. This was presented to the senate today by Senator Lodge, along with three sets of resolutions against the League of Nations.

"No man can serve two masters," Mr. Cannon wrote, "and having sworn unqualified allegiance to the constitution, I cannot in the closing days of my life divide it with the league which would pool the interests of the United States with every foreign nation."

### COL. HOUSE ON WAY TO THE U. S. REPORTED ILL

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Col. E. M. House, one of the American delegates to the peace conference, is ill aboard the steamer Northern Pacific on which he is returning from France, according to a radio message received today at the state department.

He is said to be suffering from grippe, but his condition was described as not being serious.

### NEGROES WOULD FORM STATE FOR OWN RACE

SPECIAL LENSED WIRE. WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Representatives of the negro race from various parts of the south are here on the Texas border. They would ask that 500 square miles of Mexican territory along the Rio Grande and 500 square miles on the Texas side of the Rio Grande be allotted to them. They claim this is the only solution of the vexing race problem.

### FIREMAN AT WACO HAS HIS LEG AMPUTATED

SPECIAL LENSED WIRE. WACO, Oct. 11.—The right leg of N. P. Hollowell, fireman who was injured in a collision of trucks here Saturday night, was removed yesterday. He is resting well.

### TEXAS FILES ITS BIG WALLETS EVERY CALL

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES. AUSTIN, Oct. 11.—Bank deposits in Texas at the last call for statement totaled \$30,312,562 over the amount of \$2,312,562.

### FRENCH SENATE RATIFIES THE PEACE TREATY

PARIS, Oct. 11.—The French Senate today ratified the peace treaty and also the Franco-American and Franco-British defense treaties. Only the first of the French executive is now required to bring into effect the second ratification of the three required ratifications by the principle Allied and associated powers. Great Britain already having completed its ratification.

### MORE SCORING OF SHANTUNG'S AWARD TO JAPAN

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Awards of Shantung province to Japan came in for further denunciation in the senate today. Senator Norris (Republican), Nebraska, declared that "the full knowledge of all the disgraceful facts, believers in the religion of Jesus Christ should suffer death before giving approval to a treaty that countenanced it."

Senator Norris was continuing a speech begun Friday and frequently there was not a Democratic senator on the floor, with hardly more than six members on the Republican side. There were predictions tonight from Republican sources that the question would be disposed of finally next week, clearing the way for a vote on the Johnson amendment.

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### AUTO BANDITS GET BIG HAULS IN TWO CITIES

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—Three motor bandits dashed up to a jewelry store in the heart of the business section here during the noon hour today, seized \$35,000 worth of diamonds and watches and escaped.

\$5,000 at Toledo. TOLEDO, Oct. 11.—Bandits in an automobile escaped with \$5,000 here today after holding up two men carrying the Philadelphia Tobacco company's payroll and shooting an employee, George Hildman. He received four shot wounds and is expected to die.

### AMERICANS AND JAPS ARE NOW IN AGREEMENT

TOKIO, Oct. 11.—What is called a "modus vivendi" has been reached in Siberia between the Japanese and American expeditionary forces concerning the protection of the Trans-Siberian railway. It is learned and the expectation here is therefore that the negotiations between the governments of the United States and Japan over the question opened, as recently reported by the sending of a note from Washington to Japanese Government, will be speedily and satisfactorily concluded.

### Wilson Is Called "Prophet" by the Mohammedans

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—President Wilson has been proclaimed a "prophet" by Mohammedans in Egypt, according to information received here today by the inter-church world movement from Mark S. Roe, who has been a missionary of the United Presbyterian church in Alexandria previously.

### RACE RIOTS TAKE TOLL AT CHESTER, PA

CHESTER, Pa., Oct. 11.—Race riots broke here tonight. One man has been shot and instantly killed and five others injured, some of them fatally. The dead are all white.

Mayor McDowell has asked the sheriff for assistance in controlling the situation.

### WILSON CAN'T WORK AT ALL FOR LONG TIME

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Hope that President Wilson's gain his normal health follows: "I am not feeling any better today than I have for some time." "I am extending to drill somewhat." "The union consultation Grayson and even territory." "The constitution provides that the president shall act, but there is no precedent for such a transfer of authority." "The physicians' announcement is not likely to mean that Mr. Wilson will be prohibited from attending to his duties." "It was considered possible that he might resign a few days ago." "That would have to be decided later." "There are questions of his disability which will be decided as specific cases arise."

### ROUND WORLD AIR DERBY IS PLANNED

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The commission of eleven men appointed to arrange the first round-the-world air derby to be held in 1920 under the auspices of the Club of America and the age of America left here last night their tour of the globe to select flying places. Flight members are read only as far as San Francisco where they will be staying having stopped off by fifteen routes. The other fifteen are San Francisco, Yokohama.

### FOOD CROP ACT EX BY C

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The House today passed a new report on annual food control act and food control act. The bill is now in the hands of the Senate. The bill is now in the hands of the Senate. The bill is now in the hands of the Senate.

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## KOLCHAK BEAT, GEN. DENIKIN IS NOW MENACED

By Special Correspondent International News Service and London Daily Times.

NOVO ROSS, CK, Oct. 11.—The situation in Southern Russia is very involved and I do not think the sort of information which is supplied to the English public at home tends to help either to understand the position of affairs or to form any judgment upon it.

Practically all the news sent out emanates from the information bureau of the volunteer army and is naturally tinged with propaganda coloring. There has been a tendency to suppress unpalatable facts which might have the effect of creating a discussion in England as to the wisdom of British interference in South Russian affairs.

At the beginning of August—and there has been little change since—the military situation was as follows: Kolchak, far away in the northeast, had suffered a series of serious reverses and was hard put to fend off final disaster. Denikin, in the south, had made a big advance on an enormous front, but latterly had been driven back in several places.

The Bolsheviks, as a military power, have become of late much more formidable; their troops are better disciplined and are handled with much more vigor and intelligence than formerly. The purely fighting command is now in the hands of ex-officers of the old Russian imperial army, and these men, forced servants of the Bolshevik regime, are supervised, coached and kept straight by German officers.

Denikin has swept onward from the Black Sea and has planted the standard of sane government well into the heart of Russia. He controls the greater part of the coal-producing and corn-growing areas of his country and is gathering to his standard many men from the provinces through which he is marching, but there are others who do not welcome his arrival and who might, should an opportunity arise, combine to stab him in the back.

In the rural districts the inhabitants generally are overjoyed at the return of decent conditions of life, but in the many big industrial centers which Denikin now occupies there is a strong Bolshevik element, and the bulk of the working classes look with a good deal of suspicion and distrust on the liberating armies, fearing that they will mean a return to the old conditions of life and government.

Probably it is the constitution of Denikin's staff that is responsible for the distrust of the proletariat. It is known that the general is surrounded by men who held high rank in the old imperial army. They are good men, fired with a splendid patriotism, and out only to save Russia from anarchy and chaos, but they have the defects of their qualities, defects arising out of a purely military training.

### PAVING CONTRACT IS LET AT CLEBURNE, TEX.

Special to The Times. CLEBURNE, Oct. 11.—The contract for 8,500 yards of paving on the street in front of the new building at the corner of 1st and 2nd streets was let yesterday to R. L. Davenport of this city. Work will start as soon as material and men can be assembled.

### CARRIER BOYS JOIN THE STRIKERS COLUMN

GAINESVILLE, Oct. 11.—Carrier boys employed by the Daily Register, walked out on a strike here yesterday when they were refused a fifty percent increase and refused to arbitrate the case. The boys made their demands last before they were to start on their evening delivery.

### EPISCOPALIANS TO HOLD VESPER SERVICES TODAY

The Protestant Episcopal church of Ranger will hold vesper services at the public library at 5 p. m. today.

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## B'NAI B'RITH TODAY JOINS GRAND LODGE

U. M. Simon of Fort Worth, acting as the Texas deputy of B'Nai B'Rith for the southern district, was in Ranger recently for a conference with the organizers of the local lodge relative to installing the Ranger organization as a part of the grand lodge.

At a meeting of the organization held at the public library last week it was voted to hold a meeting at 11 o'clock this morning in the office of M. Levinson, 105 North Austin street.

Among important matters to be discussed at the meeting today is the raising of the fund raised in connection with the B'Nai B'Rith for the southern district, was in Ranger recently for a conference with the organizers of the local lodge relative to installing the Ranger organization as a part of the grand lodge.

Major Stewart... \$125... \$95.00... \$54.00

### VAN ANTONIO TEACHERS ARE QUITTING POSTS

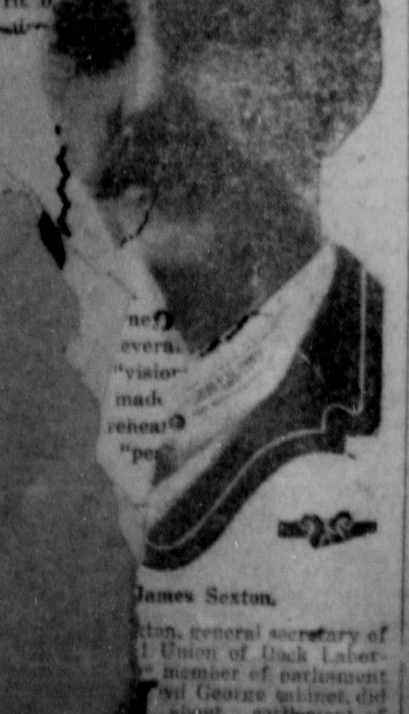
SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 11.—The school-marks situation here is very acute. Since opening of the city schools no less than forty teachers have resigned to enter other schools or other positions with better remuneration. The situation is very acute.

### DAUGHTER OF F. R. SMITH BURIED

The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Methodist church.

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## "DRIVE A SPIKE"

The "Drive a Spike" team start laying ties and steel Monday morning. An even dozen committees selected wisely at the mass meeting of citizens at the Liberty theater Friday rally forth with grim determination written in their countenances and perseverance as their watchword to bring about the construction of the Hamon & Kell railroad through Ranger. Their time is as valuable as yours. Probably more valuable.

They represent business interests of high pressure, demanding infinite care and constant attention. To lose hours away from their multifarious engagements means financial loss. Yet whole-souled in their efforts for Ranger and intensely wrapped up in its future, they are sacrificing time, assuming an unpleasant and laborious task to raise the \$225,000 for the guaranteeing to Ranger of the best railroad system being built into the oil fields, with the future commitments that mean its lasting growth and superiority over all contenders. Their offer of time and labor to canvassing willing and unwilling merchants, industries and citizens to raise this amount to seal Ranger's future, should not be lost sight of. Their names should be commemorated now, in 1920, and after Ranger has entered the competitive race for the honor of being the state metropolis, and when these men have passed over the river and entered into a just reward.

In view of their sacrifice, their supreme public spiritedness and their belief in Ranger, no man who is dependent upon Ranger's trade can conscientiously refuse to contribute his pro rata of the fund for the acquisition of the right of way guaranteed a few weeks ago by the chief exponents of Ranger. Much of the \$225,000 has already been subscribed, but there is a considerable sum which must come from the pockets of business men. The Hamon & Kell railroad is willing to release the guarantors of their obligation to provide the right of way, but guarantors themselves are so wrapped up in Ranger and its future and so genuinely inculcated with Ranger's future that they do not propose to let slip such a proposition that is so important to them. They, therefore, are determined that their contribution shall be binding provided the hundreds of merchants and citizens who have not shared the costs will do their part in the other fellow's part, for more than their share, but for their individual part. The responsibility rests upon every man.

The clock of time on Ranger's mantle has called to action. It must be the hour when Ranger must know its citizenship. It must be the hour when its friends—who are its enemies. It must take the \$225,000 inventory. The grateful must be separated from the ungrateful. The active must be parted from the drones. Those who are parasites on the body of Ranger must be known, removed that they do not sap the trunk of Ranger's prosperity. Contributors to this fund should occupy a roll of honor and their names should appear in the newspapers, not so much to flaunt the amounts they have contributed but merely the names, and paralleling it should appear the name of every person who declines to give, together with the excuse which he has proffered to the committee—verbatim. Then the public can form its opinion. Public opinion is the most powerful weapon in existence. There are "freak" business men here. Their business occupies a small area of space. If judged by appearance they could be considered as "ready to break," but with their small pockets they are turning their goods maybe once or twice a week. They are making money "hands over heels" to quote a street phrase. These men have laid up treasures on earth, and had not been for Ranger and Ranger's generosity in contributing patronage, they would be as poor today in this world's goods as they would have been if they had remained in their dull home towns. Under these circumstances it is only right and proper that they should give liberally to an enterprise which is not intended to break any man—which is not even a sacrifice, but a wise investment, the dividends from which will be more material and visible than from the trade itself, because it will result in the acquisition of the railroad, bringing down prices and preventing the unheard-of congestion which has retarded the growth and development of Ranger and the oil field.

It is not the man who will contribute to the fund who will be sacrificing, but the men who are impelled by patriotism neglect their own businesses in order to solicit these contributions. Therefore, every wise giver will not wait for the committees to call on him, but he will come forward voluntarily, make his little gift so that the work and time of the committee will be limited to the least degree. To give voluntarily and anticipate the committees is one of the most noble ways to reveal one's patriotism for Ranger and high regard for the men doing the work and making the sacrifice.

Drive your spike Monday! Put energy behind the blow. Your enthusiasm. Your fellow men will reward you with gratitude. The confidence and friendship of your fellow citizens will be more to be wooed than the coin of the realm. Every dollar given to this worthy purpose drives a spike of gold into the prosperity of Ranger. Withhold your spikes from the road to prosperity and cause a disastrous wreck. Ranger "high flier" that must rush unimpeded and without stops to the destination of Prosperity.

The Hamon & Kell line will seal Ranger's future. It will not only strengthen the faith of the Ranger people and business interests, but it will plant confidence in the minds of those who build factories, industrial enterprises, other railroads and big business interests. The eyes of the business and industrial world are focused on every merchant and citizen of Ranger. You are being studied. Whether you are live or dead—that's what they are going to find out about you. If you're dead they'll help bury you by locating their proposed plants at other towns that grasp readily and enthusiastically the grand opportunities extended.

Drive your spike today. Crucify Ranger.

James Sch... be a Judas.

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### MADE DIRECTOR OF RED CROSS LEAGUE



Dr. Richard P. Strong.

Dr. Richard P. Strong, professor of tropical medicine at the Harvard medical school, has gone to Europe to be director general of the league of Red Cross societies, with headquarters at Geneva. The league is the new international association of Red Cross societies of the different nations.

## Building Permits During the Week Totaled \$35,000

Building permits for the last five days in Ranger have totaled \$34,550 despite the fact that the week was regarded by contractors and city officials as an "off" week because of the almost continuously inclement weather. Most of the permits issued were for residences and additions to homes.

Up to noon Saturday the permit for the new \$125,000 Methodist Episcopal Church, South, had not been let. The desire of another contractor to place a bid for the construction has held up the awarding of the contract, was to have been let last Monday.

City Secretary Alex G. Armstrong and S. E. Owens declared that with better weather permits will probably take another tendency upward.

Permits issued the last five days are:

- C. O. Bolen, one story garage, 18x20 Lackland addition, \$200.
- McNeil and McKinnon, one-story frame, 20x100, twenty rooms, Alice street, \$3,000.
- Mr. Shafer, five-room frame, 24x36 feet, Hodges Oak Park, \$2750.
- Mr. Shafer, one garage, 18x24 feet, Hodges Oak Park addition, \$400.
- Mr. Parks, by Mr. Burbaker, four room, frame, 30x35 feet, Burger addition, \$2750.
- One garage in same addition, \$250.
- W. Shafer, six-room frame, 28x48 feet, Burger addition, \$4,000.
- By same party at same place, one garage, 10x12, \$400.
- Leon D. Lydon, four-room frame, 24x24 feet, Ranger Heights, \$2500.
- By same party, at same place, garage, 12x18 feet, \$1000.
- E. E. Douglas, one story three-room frame, 24x26 feet, Lackland addition, \$3,000.
- C. E. Gray, one room, 10x12 and one porch, Highland Park addition, \$400.
- Frank A. Doyle, one story, 12x18, Youngs addition, \$250.
- S. Shoffley, repair building, \$100.
- C. Jones and V. Deffebach, one story 24x24, Page addition, \$250.
- E. O. Holland, one story two-room frame, 24x24 feet, \$250.
- J. M. Emmons, two rooms, 12x22 feet, Page addition, \$400.
- L. A. Hirsch, porch, Cooper addition \$250.
- Sam Merino, frame 12x24, \$300.
- Palmer Brothers, one-story building 40x40 feet, concrete block fabrication, 275-219 South Bank street, \$5500.
- J. Kellerman one-story room, north Mauston, 18x26 feet, \$1,000.
- C. N. Spencer, one story frame,

30x46 feet, Ray and Mesquite streets, 21500.

Clark Newton, frame dwelling, 24x 35 feet, Summit street, \$2700.

A. A. Little three room addition to home on Blondell street, \$300.

C. L. Bradley, one story frame building, 24x28 feet, with screen porch in Cooper addition, \$1100.

The new \$35,000 cathedral for the Catholic church has been practically finished and the first worship of the congregation is scheduled for the new building today. This is one of the handsomest buildings which the denomination has anywhere in West Texas. It has been constructed in such a way as to admit of additions at any time without destroying the architectural beauty and uniform attractiveness of the structure. The denomination has until recently worshipped in a large tent which was pitched on the church lot. The membership is indeed pleased with the progress which has been made on the structure and take pride in the resourcefulness of the church here.

Progress on the building of the new \$85,000 Baptist church, just off Mauston and Walnut streets, was somewhat restricted during the week by the inclement weather. Some work was done in the basement and some concrete poured. The work will be carried forward as rapidly as weather and material will permit.

## MOTHER, WHO TRIED TO KILL GIRLS, INSANE

Fontiac, Mich., Oct. 11.—Mrs. Roy Luikart, who confessed that she administered a slow poisoning to her little daughters, Edna and Shirley, now in a Chicago hospital making a practically hopeless fight for life, was adjudged insane by a commission of alienists appointed in circuit court here this morning.

Shaving the head when an infant is one month old is a Chinese custom among the male population. A banquet often is a part of the ceremony.

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J. W. Jennings, Chairman Committee.



## THE JULIANNA SHOP

New Coat Suits in all the new colors and materials are arriving daily—Something to please each of our Customers.

A very large showing of Tricolette, Tricotine and Serge Dresses Monday. They are tailored by the best tailors in the markets—each garment bears our guarantee.

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Has been moved to 2nd Door South of the First National Bank.

We will take pleasure in greeting old and new customers in our new office. Come in and say "Hello."

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Eyes Tested Free and Glasses Fitted. Work guaranteed satisfactory.

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## HALTOM'S

In the Rexall Drug Store MAIN STREET

### CHOSEN BY AMERICAN OIL

The American Oil & Refining Association, officiated by men who have not ever had a successful company in this field—the Mary Elizabeth Oil company—is the most recently entry to the Ranger and West Texas fields. The officers are: Grover Hart, president and general manager, who is vice president and trustee of the Mary Elizabeth Oil company; J. R. Nichols, vice president and treasurer, president of the Mary Elizabeth and attorney in the corporation court for the city of Ranger, Earl Adams Jr. secretary, formerly was district attorney for the Third district.

### Japan Plans to Grab British Trade in East

International News Service. LONDON, Oct. 11.—Japan is about to grab off Britain's foreign trade in the East, according to the Tokio correspondent of the London Times. That is a certainty, the dispatch adds, unless England employs "new methods" to meet "new conditions." "Japan, as a result of the war, is in a position to overcome all opposition in the East," the paper says. "Japanese prestige has immeasurably increased throughout the Far East, the vast extension of banking, commercial and maritime interests giving Japan first place in the Eastern world."

While trade is now suffering from the reaction following the intense war activities, Japan is solidly established, industrially and commercially.

"Trade rivals could not make a greater mistake than to underestimate the character and capacity of Japanese Eastern markets, backed by a strong paternal Government unflinching in its support."

"Japan's commercial and political achievements in Korea, Manchuria, Mongolia, the Yangtze Valley and Shantung should convince the most skeptical of the character of the rivalry British trade must face in the future, while here steady expansion in the southern archipelago and the Middle East where she has supplanted Germany politically and commercially is significant of the future growth of the Japanese Empire."

"A second powerful factor in the East not overlooked by American capital is the markets opened in Japan, Siberia and China as an outcome of the war. First-class steel, rubber and machinery firms have been opened in Tokio with ability to quote fixed prices and effect prompt delivery, conferring a great advantage over British competitors, who in instances are able to do neither. The British shipping situation here is lamentable owing to Government requisitions."

"In view of the political and commercial situation developing in the Far East, British merchants should not attach importance to labor disputes and boycott reports, nor should they allow themselves to be misled by the platitudes of statesmen where Imperial affairs may seem to clash with British commercial interests in Japan and China."

### Would Bring Down Of Living Down a Peg With Old Trusty

A mild excitement was caused on lower Main street late Saturday afternoon, when a railroad man who had been imbibing a little too freely of some courage-promoting liquor walked into a restaurant and announced that he was "going to reduce the high cost of liquor by killing a restaurant keeper."

He hauled out a six shooter and tried to make good his word. He got one shot, which happened to be a little high, before the restaurant proprietor caught the full significance of his actions, but after that the proprietor is said to have given a demonstration of real speed.

The man was arrested and will be held for county authorities.

### Highwaymen Get Watch and Cash

V. L. Hyatt and Joe Baker, two young men of Ranger, were held up by three men about eleven o'clock Saturday night, in the west part of town and relieved of a watch and several dollars in cash.

Three men participated in the stick-up. They all had revolvers, according to Hyatt and Baker, and all three wore dark colored clothes. Two of the men had black hats while the third wore a cap.

To hold up the three highway men told Hyatt and Baker to "move on down the road," which they did. The same straight to police headquarters and reported the robbery. Officers were detailed to work on the case.

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### LOOK OUT

Trade of oil here is urging the oil companies to regulate the oil for chaotic and damaged condition and distribution and its production.

### IS TIP OF EASTERN CRITICS



Rutgers' team in action. Below are Capt. F. B. Kellog, at left, and Coach Sanford.

Eastern football critics who saw Rutgers start the season with an easy victory over Ursinus, hand out the word that Coach Sanford's team will bear watching before the season is far under way. The team has a powerful attack and handles the ball cleanly. The only weakness evident so far is in the line on defense. This probably is due to lack of practice. F. B. Kellog is captain of the team.

### Noted French "Fat Lady" Asks Court to Spare Blushes

International News Service. PARIS Oct. 11.—Although "Mme. Centkilo," the fat lady of the French Rogues' Gallery, refused to tell the police where she is living, they discovered her address.

Armed with a search warrant the police visited her home and found the papers discovered that madame is

still carry on her system of swindling by pretending to arrange rich marriages.

She has also been writing a novel with a passionate love interest. Perhaps this has been inspired by a young Italian officer who, according to the hotel keeper, has been visiting madame daily. When examined by the magistrate, madame said: "Please do not read my manuscript aloud in my presence. It might make me blush."

Since she was thirty years old—she is now over fifty—Mme. Centkilo has rarely been out of jail for more than a few months at a time, but her last

sentence caused her to lose a lot of weight.

Each time she is sentenced the judge adds a period of banishment, but madame always turns up again.

### OLD-TIME PRINTER HAS PASSED OVER THE RIVER

Special to The Times. WACO, Oct. 11.—Word has been received here that George D. Farrar, eighty, one of the oldest printers in at Greenville, Ohio. He was for many years connected with newspapers and printeries in Waco and Belton and was well known here.

### DALHART ROUND-UP GREAT DESPITE COLD.

Special to The Times. DALHART, Oct. 11.—The annual three-day round-up, which opened here yesterday is proving the most successful ever staged despite the cold weather. The crowds have been large. Dean Miller opened the exhibition with special attraction in the way of bareback riding. Dewitt Reynolds against twenty contestants won first money in the wild steer race. Fast time was made in the steer roping, many steers being tied under twelve seconds. John Brown of this city and Burgess who tied on ten seconds will ride off the tie for the \$250 prize money.

"Texas Jack" Lewis entertained the crowds with fancy roping exhibitions, but lacked his former superior skill. "Texas Jack" Booger Red, Shorty Kelso and Fred Atkins of this city proved the best broncho riders. Shorty Kelso won in bulldozing, time, ten seconds.

### Scurry County Developments.

Snyder, Texas, Oct. 11.—Activities in the Scurry County district, according to reports from oil sources, are as follows:

Stanton Oil company's Riley No. 1, drilling at about 450 feet in section 356 with good gas showing reported.

McFan Oil company's Brown No. 1, drilling at about 1,200 feet. This well has been gassing heavily from around 1,100 feet.

Mount Pleasant Oil Company's Beaver No. 1, rigging up preparatory to drill.

Garza Oil Association, rigged up waiting on fuel.

Post Oil Association, rigged up preparatory to drill.

Justiceburgh Oil Association, a location.

Dermott Oil Association, a location.

Snyder Oil Association, rigged up preparatory to drill.

Stanton Oil Company, Birdwell, location.

Lorene-Pool Oil company, location with material on route.

Oklahoma-Snyder Oil Association, shut down temporarily waiting on new material. Manager Harris reports two drilling rigs on route.

## Clothes News for Men and Women

You will find us well prepared to fit you up with your fall clothes needs.



Our Men's Department is overflowing with everything the man wants for fall and winter.

### Society Brand Suits L. & R. and R. & W. Overcoats

in all the styles, the latest markets afford. Heavy fleeced and ribbed underwear—\$2.50 and up. Heavy Shaker Sox.

You will find here the well known Sweet-Orr work clothes and heavy, wool-lined coats.

Ladies, you will be pleased with a trip through the section of our store devoted to your needs.



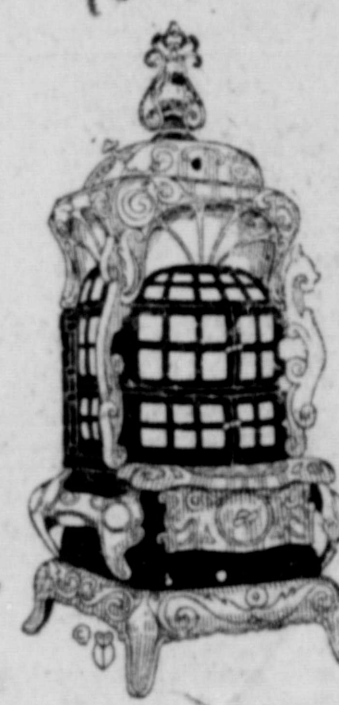
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THE HOME OUTFITTER Pine Street . . Between Austin and Marston Streets

**Master Trucks  
Open Branch  
in Ranger**

The importance of Ranger as a transportation center is again brought to the front by the establishment here of a branch by the Master truck manufacturers. After looking the oil fields carefully over their special representative pronounced Ranger to be the logical place at which to establish their service and sales branch. Arrangements have been made with the Midway garage for housing their stock of trucks and trailers, as well as repair parts.

J. D. Bridges, an experienced truck man, has been placed in charge of the local branch. Mr. Bridges said that no doubt arrangements would soon be made for the housing of their stock on their own property and if plans were through that now were under consideration, Ranger would be made the service and sales center for the entire oil field belt.

He also said that since his company began the manufacture of trucks especially adapted for oil field work the demand has grown to such proportions that it now bids fair to exceed the demand for the regular models. Mr. Bridges and the Master truck people are enthusiastic regarding the future of Ranger as a trucking center and he says he would not be surprised to see his people put in an assembling plant here for oil field trucks. Such a plant would be a great thing for Ranger as well as for the truck-hauling public.

**Legioners to Give  
Invitation Dance**

The American Legion will give an invitation dance at the Summer Garden on Austin street, between Main and Walnut streets, Friday night. Invitations will be issued. Among the patrons and patronesses are Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. George Hemmingson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gray Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Marowitz and Miss Eleanor Panoos.

**WHITE CAMEL CAFE TO  
OPEN ON MARSTON ST.**

The White Camel Cafe, under the management and ownership of R. H. White and W. C. Campbell, will open on Monday or Tuesday in the De Grot hotel building.

The owners state that they plan to serve the best possible prepared food. The cafe is being opened immediately in order to serve the public as soon as possible with only temporary fixtures, but the kitchen is in readiness to serve the best possible at once. The owners have a horse-shoe counter on the way, which will be placed in the center of the room, with tables on each side.

**LETTS EVACUATE RIGA.**

By Associated Press  
LONDON, Oct. The report of the evacuation of Riga declared that the Letts began evacuating the city at 1 p. m. Friday.

**THEATERS**

**THIS GIRL WANTED  
A FLING OF LIFE.**

"The chains are those of dissipation and self-indulgence, and the approaching monster is called Sophistry!"

In the girl sitting in the room in front of the mirror, these words kept recurring over and over.

Bored and satiated with a life of self-indulgence, she had gone to a wild and decadent "Feast of the Gods," where men and women of the fast set had shown decency to the winds and revelled in imitation of the Pagan Saturnalia. Her sweetheart had warned her, and his words kept ringing in her ears. "And the approaching monster is called Sophistry!"

She heard a noise of someone at the window. She turned and saw the man who had promised to satisfy her craving for new thrills, standing there with a sinister smile on his evil face. He grabbed her. As she struggled, another man appeared in the room. It was Jimmie, her sweetheart! With one blow he sent the scoundrel reeling across the room. But as Jimmie turned to comfort her, a not rang out and her sweetheart fell mortally wounded.

Her mother rushed in. The police came. The scoundrel said he had shot in self-defense. Her lover opened his eyes, and with his dying breath confessed the villain's story. To save her reputation, her sweetheart assumed the blame! She bent her head and wept with convulsive sobs. The doctor shook her gently—and she awoke! Her maid was pointing excitedly to the window. She rushed to the window and looked out. There on the lawn were two men fighting. One was the scoundrel. The other, Jimmie! Alive and fighting for her!

This is the final of "Dangerous Waters," William Desmond's production, showing at Opera House Tuesday.

**"KINGDOM OF DREAMS"  
COMES TO QUEEN**

How Judith Rutledge's idealistic conception of life in the great cities was sent crashing upon the rocks of a harsh reality is the theme of "Her Kingdom of Dreams" starring Anita Stewart, which will be seen at the Queen commencing Monday.

As a young girl living with her

invalid mother in a small western town, Judith frequently longed for the workers and beauties of the big cities; and as an answer to that longing, it seemed, an opportunity came to her to visit her Utopia. She was to be private secretary to James W. Mason, prominent Wall street banker.

Once in the employ of Warren, Judith's sincere services led Warren to believe she could be trusted with his most precious secrets. Upon his deathbed he made a request that Judith marry his rather unsteady son, Fred.

How this marriage, entered into in a spirit of dogged compliance with the elder Mr. Warren's wishes, developed into a fervent love match suiced with episodes revolving about the wrecking of a great financial power and the exposure of shameless women, makes "Her Kingdom of Dreams" replete with tense dramatic scenes that cannot fail to please patrons of the Queen.

**KELLOGG & MORGAN  
ENTERTAIN LUCEY CO.**

R. M. Kellogg and H. E. Morgan of Kellogg & Morgan, affiliated with the Vulcan Oil company, entertained the employees of the Ranger store of the Lucey Manufacturing corpora-

tion with a chicken supper at Scott's cafe Friday. Those present were Matt Modill, B. M. Germany, K. P. Rrome, John H. Moran, F. B. Kearny, R. B. Dexter, A. J. Roberts, H. P. Johnson, R. B. Christian, Charlie Rohrs, and the hosts, R. M. Kellogg and H. E. Morgan.

**MRS. FRANCES M. CONLEY  
BURIED SATURDAY**

Mrs. Frances M. Conley, aged thirty, died Friday afternoon. She is survived by her husband, a brakeman for the Texas & Pacific railroad, and a five-year-old daughter.

Funeral services were held at 6 o'clock Saturday, Rev. Edgar M. Wisdom officiating. Burial was in the Ranger cemetery. The little girl will be taken to her grandparents in St. Louis.

**DALHART BANK SELLS  
CONTROLLING INTEREST.**

DALHART, Oct. 11.—Controlling interests in the Midway Bank and Trust company which has been held by A. M. James of this city, has been acquired by E. M. Cook, active vice-president of the Interstate National Bank of Kansas City and his nephew. It is believed that this will work effectively for the handling of the cattle loan business of this section.

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**J. W. Jennings,**  
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Specials	Gold Medal Flour
Ten bars laundry soap..... 50c	18-lb. sack..... \$3.50
Ten pounds Irish potatoes..... 48c	24-lb. sack..... 1.75
Lemons, per dozen..... 40c	

Canned Fruit	Meal
No. 3 Del Monte Pears..... 45c	10-lb sack..... 68c
No. 3 Del Monte Peaches..... 45c	
No. 3 Del Monte Apricots..... 45c	<b>Canned Milk</b>
No. 1 Del Monte Apricots..... 30c	Tall size, any brand..... 16c
No. 1 Del Monte Peaches..... 25c	Baby size, any brand..... 8c
No. 2 Blackberries..... 30c	

Canned Vegetables	Extracts
No. 2 Tomatoes..... 16c	50c size, our price..... 35c
No. 3 Tomatoes..... 20c	
No. 2 Extra Fancy Corn..... 23c	<b>Lard</b>
No. 3 Hominy..... 17c	Large size Crisco..... \$2.19
No. 3 Kraut..... 17c	Medium size Crisco..... 1.29
No. 3 Sweet Potatoes..... 28c	Small size Crisco..... .45
No. 3 Pumpkin, extra fancy..... 24c	5-lb. Cottolene..... 1.65
No. 3 Del Monte Spinach..... 33c	10-lb. Cottolene..... 2.50

Coffee	Soap
3-lb. Wamba..... \$1.63	Crystal White, per bar..... 7c
3-lb. Maxwell House..... 1.75	Clairette, per bar..... 6c
1-lb. Maxwell House..... 70c	P. & G. Naphtha, per bar..... 9c
1-lb. Wamba..... .63	
1-lb. Lipton..... .63	<b>Cereals</b>

Canned Meats	Hams—Bacon
Van Camp's Soup..... 14c	Swift's Premium ham, pound..... 42c
Van Camp's Chili..... 18c	Swift's Premium Bacon, pound..... 57c
Quarter Oil Sardines..... 9c	Dry Salt Bacon, pound..... 42c
Shrimp..... 24c	Smoked Bacon, pound..... 42c
Oysters..... 24c	
Fancy Red Salmon..... 24c	<b>Bread</b>
Tall Pink Salmon..... 23c	Per loaf..... 9c
Fish Flakes..... 24c	
Dried Beef..... 24c	<b>Butter</b>

Baking Powder	Crackers
35c Calumet..... 28c	20c Saltines..... 18c
25-oz. K. C..... 24c	
12-oz. Dr. Price's..... 48c	<b>Matches</b>
12-oz. Royal..... 48c	Searchlight..... 6c
6-oz. Royal..... 24c	
5-oz. Dr. Price's..... 24c	<b>Spaghetti and Macaroni</b>
5-lb. Calumet..... \$1.23	Golden Age..... 9c

Brooms and Mops	Apple Vinegar
Mops..... 64c	Pure, quart..... 23c
Mop Sticks..... 23c	
Brooms at..... 65c, 78c, 90c	<b>Grain Vinegar</b>
	Per gallon..... 55c

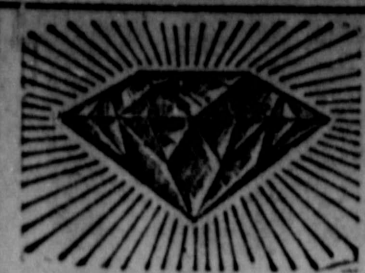
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### Back to Texas? Among the Wild Wolves? Not for Tommy

George Signer, of Philadelphia, Albert Orland, Dr. Mobley, of St. Louis, and A. G. Perretz left Saturday night for the North, after a several day visit in Ranger. The are officials of the Stanton Oil company.

The party had been stopping at the Hotel. On a recent visit they were accompanied by Tom Mansfield, attorney for the company, and by way of a practical joke they tied a small covote to the cot of which Mansfield was to sleep.

Mansfield had listened to divers tales of wild animals in the vicinity of Ranger, before retiring for the night, and when he went to his tent he almost sat down on the cowering covote. He broke and ran and all efforts to get him back in the tent failed. He spent this night on a rug in one of the upstairs rooms of the hotel.

It was stated by members of the party that he refused to return to Texas, even after receiving assurance that the covote was dead.

### Disaster when Jake Jags Fight

Abbot Hutchins, George Riddell and Johnny Blair had a free-for-all fight on their hands when they attempted to arrest three "jake" imbibers on North Rusk street, Saturday afternoon.

It is said that the three men had been chasing a bunch of negroes, but tired of this sport and began fighting among themselves.

When the officers started to arrest them they showed fight. One of them drew a large calibre revolver and another flourished a large butcher knife. The officers were compelled to use their six shooters as clubs. A revolver belonging to one of the officers had the pearl handle broken when the head of the men over the head with the gun.

The three men were brought to headquarters in the new police patrol. Charges of disturbing the peace, drunkenness, resisting arrest, carrying concealed weapons, and goodness knows what not, may be filed against them.

### CANDY NOVELTY SHOP OPENED AT OPERA HOUSE.

The Opera House Candy Shop, at the Opera House, has been opened. The young ladies who frequent the Opera House will find it a most interesting place to visit.

### BY LAND

It is now being reported that the situation in the Middle East is becoming more serious.

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### HEADS NAVIGATION BUREAU FOR NAVY



Rear Admiral Thomas Washington, commanding a division of the Atlantic fleet, has been appointed by the president as chief of the navigation bureau of the navy department.

### FREE CLINIC TO OPEN TUESDAY AT LIBRARY

Ranger's free clinic, which won such recognition during the difficult days of last winter, will open again next Tuesday at the Ranger public library, Marston and Mesquite streets, and will serve the public from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Mrs. Grace Harrington, public health nurse will be in charge. The social service bureau will furnish clerical help. Inasmuch as the government is no longer furnishing free vaccine points and anti-typhoid serum, a charge for these must be made, although the services of Mrs. Harrington are given free. School children will be vaccinated and given the anti-typhoid serum free of charge. Adults will be charged 50 cents for vaccination and \$1 for cost of the dose for anti-typhoid treatment. The clinic also has some influenza medicine and a few inoculations for the city which had so long been made at cost of material—\$1.

### Tuesday Is "Cut-Off Day" for Debtors

Tuesday is "cut-off" day for the Ranger Waterworks company. A large percentage of patrons have failed to pay their water bills and Tuesday of this week is the last day on which to pay. After that the company will begin cutting off the supply from those who are in arrears.

The city specifications call for a private cut-off for every piece of property. A misunderstanding of this provision has led to a failure to comply with the law. Hereafter all water-lines laid to homes and business houses will be provided with the cut-off. It is a protection against water freezing in the pipes and flooding houses, in cold weather.

### McCloskey Cafe Patrons Enjoy Music at Dinner

Music with dinner will be a regular feature at the McCloskey cafe, starting Monday, is the announcement of Manager Al Hastings. He has secured the services of two accomplished musicians and to the material attraction of good food and Al's famous coffee will be added the aesthetic lure of blended harmony of piano and violin. The players are two young women of known musical ability.

Saturday night diners were entertained by the strenuous offerings of a negro jazz band that had what it takes to produce jazzbo joy. The boys played from 7 p. m. until long after the regular closing hour. Those who were lucky enough to hear them regretted there was no opportunity to dance.

### Brisk Day Brings Out Mixed Garb

Saturday saw the most heterogeneous garb of the season displayed in Ranger. Overcoats of the vintage of the American Revolution and raincoats that wouldn't shed a fog were freely worn and the proud possessors

of said garments smiled at their less fortunate brethren with a dash of pity and a touch of scorn.

A number of men who usually on warm days sit in shady corners and watch the world move roamed dis-

creetly from place to place looking in vain for a fire. There were many guesses as to the state of temperature, ranging from eighteen above to fifteen below.

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a land office business in stores and fuel brokers were swamped under an avalanche of orders. Everybody was much surprised and grieved over the sudden cold weather as is usually the case.

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General Congress, who has succeeded General Allenby in Palestine. The Great Britain, is keeping the situation well in hand, according to report. General Congress has seen considerable foreign service.

### Carnival Opening Monday Will Help Fund of Social Service

The "oil carnival," under the auspices of the Elks' club, for the benefit of the social service bureau, opens in Ranger Monday. The club members are confident they have secured an attraction that will merit the support of Ranger amusement seekers and it is certain the cause for which the funds will be used is worthy of support.

of the Rice & Dorman shows, which will offer the carnival attractions, an Ardmore paper says:

The small boy looking with deep interest at the billboards with their new coat of vari-colored paper, faithful reproductions of actual scenes depicting the joys and pleasures promised by the Rice & Dorman shows, is already happily anticipating their arrival next Monday; the joy of riding on a fiery-eyed, bejeweled and gold and silver be-decked steed on the big merry-go-round; the exhilarating excitement of spinning around sharp curves on the "whip"; the breathless sensation of being hoisted toward the clouds in the Big Eli wheel! then a visit to all the wonderful shows—"Gee, it's great!"

When the shows pull into Ranger on their own train of twenty-five cars, the great steel runs are placed and immense wagons and chariots are rapidly rolled off the flat cars and are drawn to the show grounds, not only is the small boy

conspicuous, but there is some fascination for the old boys, too, in watching the unloading of a big show and you will find them there watching with interest the wonderful system employed in this department.

The Rice & Dorman shows opened the season at Austin six weeks ago. Their shows and rides were on the streets adjoining the capitol building. The lawmakers were nightly patrons of the many attractions and their endorsement of these shows is proof that they are devoid of any objectionable features.

Rice & Dorman carry no girl shows, Oriental or Occidental, no repulsive monstrosity or hideous malformations; but for clean fun and amusement, mystery and wonder, these may be seen here next week. Miller Bros.' wild west, that has corralled all the bad, outlawed horses that pitch and buck so on one can stay upon them, offers great sport to lovers of excitement. Old Rocking chair, Dynamite and Dump are the appropriate names of three of the toughest propositions in horse flesh that have ever come to town. Rewards of \$10 to \$50 are offered to anyone who can ride them. Cowboys, cowgirls, ropers, rifle shots, etc., make up the personnel of the wild west and it's worth a visit.

Spike Kelly's athletic show is a feature where wrestling and boxing

take place. They meet all corners. Do you like mystery? Then see "Peggy," the master mind of the illusion world.

Then comes "wonderland" and it is all the name implies—strange people from all corners of the earth; birds and wild and tame animals from all parts of the world.

Next comes "Piggy Wiggly." Oh, no, you don't need a basket at this Piggy Wiggly. It's like the dream of a rabbit fiend, so strange, weird, amusing and screamingly funny are the situations.

Princess Maria is an East India wonder worker. A student of occult science, she performs feats that seem to border upon the supernatural.

Oh, look! see the great airship with its propeller spinning away at a terrific rate of speed and the happy faces of the passengers reflect the enjoyment they are experiencing in "over the top."

Everybody has read "Gulliver's Travels" and knows how he landed in Lilliput among the little people. Well, here they are—the Lilliputian village—miniature men and women, boys and girls, all busily engaged in their wonderful little village. This is an interesting attrac-

tion, one that will hold attention for hours.

Then the big surprise—the Rice & Dorman water circus with its great tank of water in which diving nymphs sport and play. World's greatest swimmers, divers and athletes present wonderful stunts in aquatic sports. Every man and woman should learn to swim. Here is a chance to see the movements—in crystal-like waters—of these wonderful exponents of swimming. Every stroke known to the swimmer is demonstrated, so all can see how simple it is to keep afloat in case of emergency. Here divers rescue one in a drowning condition, demonstrating the new diving hood; escape from a sack and a sealed trunk twenty feet under water. Beautiful, shapely diving girls, representatives of many foreign countries, will vie with each other in making a visit a pleasure; and last but not least, Miss DeCorsey, champion lady high diver, will make a backward somersault diving from the topmost round of a 100-foot ladder.

So it will be seen the amusement lovers of Ranger will be offered a rare treat next week by the Rice & Dorman shows.

### HUMANE DEPT. MAKES REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER

"Kindness, justice and mercy to every living creature."

This is the motto of the humane department of the Ranger social service bureau, for which an appeal for contributions will be made this week.

The report of Mrs. Blannie Malone, humane officer of the bureau, shows for the month of September: Animals destroyed, 7; animals given medical treatment, 13; number of cases reported to the humane department, 9; number of cases filed in court, none; number of arrests, 8; number of interviews, 131.

The work is supported entirely by voluntary subscriptions. Those interested are asked to contribute to this department, which gives attention to neglected and abused animals. Checks may be made to the Social Service Bureau, Humane Department, Mrs. M. A. Turner is executive officer of the bureau.

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Progressive Citizenship Must Rally to Support of "Drive-a-Spike" Men Raising Hamon & Kell Bonus Fund

By W. H. WRIGHT.

"Drive a spike!" The big whirlwind drive instituted to raise \$225,000 in Ranger to "sew up" the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad and to give Ranger a cinch on domination of the oil fields, will start tomorrow when twelve teams with able captains and earnest aides will meet every business man, professional man, every industry head and every citizen and seek his personal offering to bring the fund up to the necessary figure.

To Live or to Die.

The mass meeting Friday was one of the most inspirational and enthusiastic, probably, that ever has been held in the city. The question whether Ranger was to be allowed to pine away and die or to take a dose of medicine in the shape of an investment of \$225,000 and life was the paramount question, which was briefly spoken to in a clear and impressive way. Mayor Hamman, one of the old-timers and withal a citizen with faith in Ranger and its people, carried the minds of the audience—which should have been multiplied a hundred times and more—to heights of dizzyness, but not to visionary dreams. He dreamed and talked dreams of Ranger that can and will come true if every person who is saving a foothold here will contribute an infinitesimal portion of what Ranger and the oil fields have cast into his lap.

Hamman Far-Sighted.

Mayor Hamman is a sagacious man. When Ranger was ready to incorporate, the eyes of the citizenry rested upon him as the standard bearer. It was not that he was better in a majority office than some other men in Ranger, but because he had shown an unshakable enthusiasm for the city which has so long been his home. People with a love for the town and a desire for its well-being quickly chose the man who has taken action next in its life. Such a man was Mayor Hamman. Therefore, it was no wonder he was chosen to head the "spike" drive. In his speech at the Liberty theater Friday he outlined his desires to "sew up" the town and the people. He briefly dealt upon the inestimable benefits which will be brought about by the

building of the railroad. He told of how another community had lost the blessing because it sold its birthright for a mess of high real estate. He saw in the present opportunity the key to Ranger's future growth and prosperity. No wonder he was animated as he spoke to the gathering, that his utterance was ended with verbal power, and his meaning clearly fastened upon the minds and hearts of his audience.

Strong Points.

Some of the main points brought out by the mayor in his able speech, which should not be lost sight of at this time, especially when the campaign is just beginning, are:

The building of this road means elimination of congestion.

It means a saving of from 25 to 30 per cent in cost of building cost here.

It means that Ranger's trade territory and area of operation will be as extensive as the oil fields and the railroads themselves.

It means that Ranger will be the center of oil field activities not only contiguous to the city, but afar off.

It means that large industries now seeking permanent location in the oil fields will establish plants in this city.

It means that one of the latest electrical plants in the state will come to Ranger.

It means that the future of Ranger will be sealed.

It means that Ranger never will have to raise another bonus for a railroad.

It means that money subscribed to this cause is not a sacrifice, but a business investment, greatly more responsible than dealing in "wildcat stuff."

Smith Enthusiastic.

The former superintendent of schools was in the right head of the matter. M. H. Smith dwelt particularly upon the fact that Ranger now is at the parting of the ways. It is either go forward by working hard, or easily drift behind (to quote because of lethargy. Mr. Smith came to Ranger before there was any oil here. He taught school. He was making the future generation of Ranger. He was ambitious at his task. He had been here long enough to form a love for the beautiful hills and the rugged scenery of the little village in the "basin." He had seen

it wonderfully blessed. He had shared some of the blessings. He was all for Ranger and Ranger for all. He declared his love for the town and his willingness to aid in its expansion. Among the chief things which concerned it was the railroad. It means everything, he said. To lose it means ruin. Ranger once was a cotton patch, but it had grown into a goodly town. Unless the citizenship rallied to the present occasion and saved the day the cotton patch would return and some of those who had been negligent would be the pickers of the fleecy staple.

Melvin's Earnestness.

Probably one of the best from-the-heart talks at the mass meeting was made by F. W. Melvin, president of the First National bank. Mr. Melvin has been here twenty-five years. Some of the multi-millionaire "kids" running about Ranger building it up were tots when he came here. He called them by their first names. They played marbles; they fished; they talked everything but oil. Mr. Melvin declared he had shown his

faith in the city by investing thousands of dollars not only for an imposing new bank structure, but for a home. He was resolved to do his part that Ranger might progress; but if the railroad fell through—then things had passed away. The citizenship was not progressive, was not good enough to remain with. Active men, live-wire men were needed. The defeat of the railroad proposition would prove there were no progressives here.

Dollar-Squeezers.

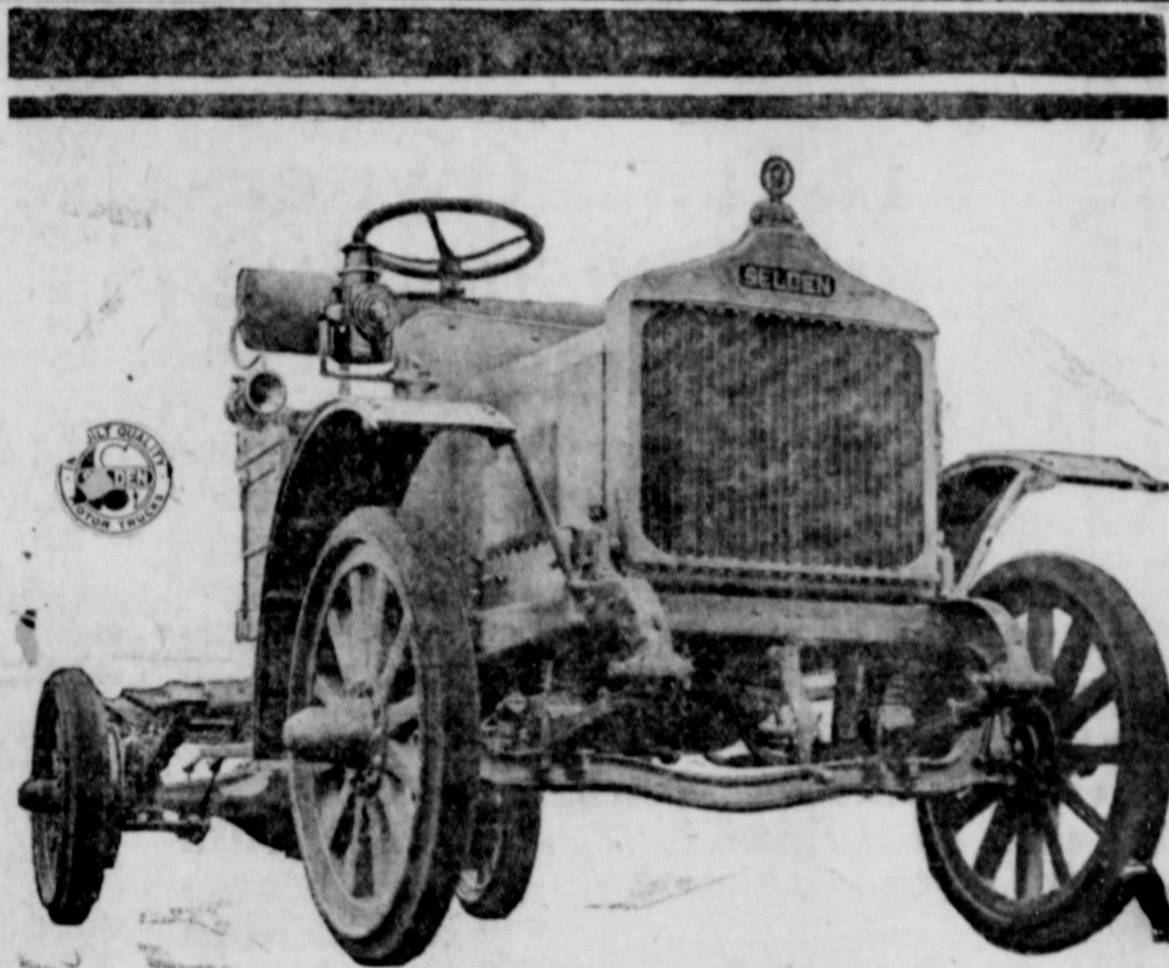
One of the strongest sentiments expressed by him was that Ranger should have no respect for the man or men who had come here merely to grab every dollar they could scrape up and take it away to invest elsewhere, or refused to contribute to a cause such as that which is now being espoused. He said such men were ingrates, not fit even for citizens of the American nation.

Listing Delinquents.

Superintendent Smith suggested at the close of the mass meeting, after the committees had been selected to go out and solicit the \$225,000 that every business man, professional man, industry and citizen who refused to contribute to the railroad should be asked to give a reason for his action. Then the committee should list his name, placing beside it a sentence showing why he had not come across. These excuses with the names of the men would be good material in later days when Ranger came to think of who had been its friends. Hints at a general boycott passed among the crowd.

Now, Get Ready.

So the campaign will begin Monday with an army of business men who will comb the city. The quicker the money is raised, the quicker will the nightmare be raised from the breast of the city. The town can go forward and look every other big city in the eye and say it has conquered and will race them for supremacy before a quarter-century years are past.



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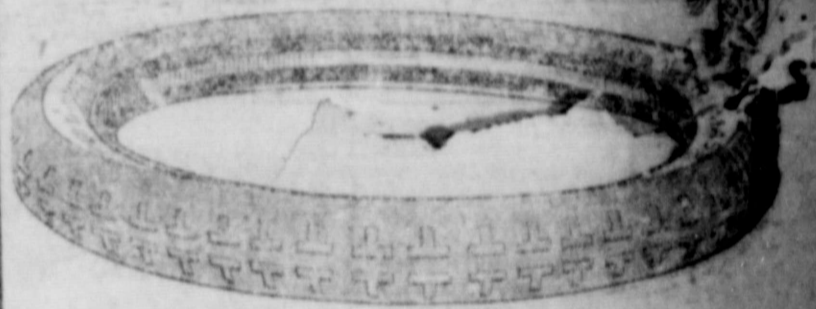
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### Eleven States Vote \$283,000,000

Of all the states voting for big bond issues for good roads building and maintenance, only two have turned down their projects. Eleven states have voted a total of \$283,000,000 for highway expenditures during the next few years, according to statistics gathered by the B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company.

Seventeen states will vote on bond issues this year and next to a total of \$664,000,000, and at least a dozen more states are contemplating bond issues.

The states which have already approved their highway measures and the amounts are:

Arizona	\$ 4,200,000
Arkansas	50,000,000
California	40,000,000
Illinois	60,000,000
Maine	10,000,000
Michigan	50,000,000
Nevada	1,000,000
New Mexico	5,000,000
Oregon	50,000,000
Pennsylvania	50,000,000
Wyoming	2,800,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$283,000,000</b>

States to vote on highway bond issues follow:

Alabama	\$ 5,000,000
Colorado	5,000,000
Georgia	40,000,000
Kansas	60,000,000
Minnesota	100,000,000
Mississippi	20,000,000
Missouri	60,000,000
Montana	15,000,000
North Carolina	25,000,000
North Dakota	50,000,000
South Carolina	25,000,000
Tennessee	50,000,000
Texas	75,000,000
Utah	4,000,000
Washington	30,000,000
West Virginia	50,000,000
Wisconsin	50,000,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$664,000,000</b>

The people of Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Washington and West Virginia will vote on their bond issues in November, 1920, at the national election. A few of the states mentioned have not actually approved their bond measures, but sentiment is so strong it is predicted the issues will undoubtedly come up for a vote.

The only states to reject bond measures were Arizona and Oklahoma, for \$30,000,000 and \$50,000,000, respectively. In these states it is predicted that state finances were such that the good roads measures would be deferred at this time or than jeopardize more urgent appropriations.

If the passage of the Townsend bill depended on the support from the western states the measure calling for a national system of highways would become law by an overwhelming majority.

At Salt Lake City recently governors of twenty-two states signed a petition, which will be forwarded to congress, to increase immensely the annual appropriation for road building to be expended during the next five years.

While the Townsend bill asks for \$425,000,000, their petition calls for one billion dollars. The western governors not only endorse the bill as men, but as governors of their respective states. This action reflects plainly what the West thinks of the necessity of highways and furnishes an influence which cannot be overlooked. The West has gone on record as being willing to stand its share of the cost of a system of nationally administered roads, and its share will be a big one.

### Many Motor Shows Are Being Held Over the Country

October 11-18—Pittsburg, Pa. Fall show.

October 13—New York City. Opening of international farm tractor and implement exchange, Grand Central Palace.

November 3-8—Chicago. Business exhibit of Automobile Equipment association, Medinah Temple.

November 16-23—New York automobile salon, Hotel Commodore.

January—New York. International automobile manufacturers' congress.

January 3-10—New York. Grand Central Palace, National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

January 3-10—New York City. Eighth Coast Artillery armory, commercial cars and accessories.

January 24-31—Chicago. Cellulose, cars; Drexel pavilion, trucks; National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

January 24-31—Chicago International amphitheater, commercial cars and accessories.

February 23-28—Louisville. Twelfth annual exhibition of Louisville Automobile Dealers' association.

The northernmost cannery in the world, a fish packing plant, is in operation in Kotzebue, Alaska, well within the Arctic circle.

### Time Recorder for Truck Drivers

Keeping track of the motor truck driver when he is out of sight—this is the problem truck operators must solve to stop the invisible leaks that seep into their business and eat enormous chunks from their profits. Experience of some of the largest and most successful fleet owners in America points out the necessity and economy of mechanical devices to check on the work of their drivers, says the B. F. Goodrich Rubber company, who have made an exhaustive study of motor transportation engineering.

The pilot of a motor truck is in a peculiar position. To a large extent he is free from supervision and when out of sight the owner cannot determine whether or not his truck is at work.

Ingenious mechanical devices have been worked out by which he can keep a record of the movements of his trucks almost as well as he could by sitting upon the seat beside the driver. These can be attached to the truck and will make a record of the day's performance in minute detail.

From the record which appears upon the chart the owner can tell the time the truck started out, when it stopped, how long it stoned in each place, the length of trips, the time taken in loading and unloading, and the like.

The time recorder is a real aid to the driver, especially so where bonus systems are in effect. Once the driver

learns his movements are known to the traffic superintendent and that every unusual delay will mean a special explanation from him, he will see to it that the cause of delay is reported. These delays have so occurred before the recording devices were installed, but never were reported by the drivers. This points out only one of many merits of such mechanical devices.

A large Philadelphia concern placed time recorders on their fleet of trucks at a time the actual running time of the total was 28 per cent. Without taking steps to remedy the service they merely explained to the drivers the mechanical construction of the device. Within a few weeks' time they found the actual running time had increased to 33 per cent. After a brief study of the charts the owner discovered and ran down a series of delays, each chargeable to a different cause, and boosted his running time to 43 per cent.

Operators of trucks who say the cost of mechanical recorders is too high and that they feel competent to analyze and direct the performances of their trucks without the aid of devices are undoubtedly losing thousands of dollars annually.

Among the treasures in Fishmongers' hall, London, is a pall which, it is said, was used at the funeral of Sir William Waiworth, the doughty chief magistrate who slew Wat Tyler. It is the work of nuns and it stood, how long it stoned in each place, the length of trips, the time taken in loading and unloading, and the like.

In passing a car from the rear all ways sound your horn, as the driver of the car may unintentionally cut in a head of you.


### BLACK SEA IS NOW INFESTED WITH PIRATES.

BATOU M, Caucasus, Aug. 29.—(by wire)—Six robbers, traveling as passengers, commandeered the Russian steamer Constantine on her latest trip between this port and Constantinople and robbed a selected list of wealthy passengers of 30,000,000 rubles. The robbery was conducted with the daring and finish of an American train hold-up.

The Constantine carried merchants from Tiflis, Baku, Bagdad and Erivan, proceeding to Constantinople to purchase goods, with cash in gold and Romanoff rubles for the purpose. There was nothing to indicate the character of the robbers until the ship was within 12 hours of the destination, when the captain and crew, at the point of pistol, were ordered forward and the engines stopped. The leading merchants were lined up, as their names were read from a list, and their purses and baggage searched. It was a case of all five arms on the deck and arms aloft. The crew and the other passengers were not molested.

The captain was ordered to navigate his ship close to shore, the pile of firearms was tossed into a life-boat, and the robbers moved to land. They immediately disappeared in the hills of Anatolia. The members of the crew who rowed their ashore received a handsome tip.

Robberies around the Black Sea become bolder and of daily occurrence. Forty persons were rounded up on the pierhead outside Sonchi yesterday and the valuables and better clothing of the party taken. The affair of the Constantine however, is the first time that bandits have transferred their activities to the water.



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The McCleskey Addition, about one mile nearly due West of the city of Ranger, out on the Eastland Highway, will be placed on market **Wednesday, Oct. 15, 1919.**

The addition is beautifully and conveniently located for residence purposes, and the lots will be offered for sale at a price and on such terms as will appeal to all desiring a location for home or business site.

Interested, may see Mr. W. C. Holloway at his office out on the Eastland Highway or Attorney C. R. Fields at his office over the **Ray Company**.

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### Salvation Army Campaign Starts Here on Friday

The Salvation Army campaign for Ranger will open sometime before the end of the week with M. H. Smith as local chairman. Ranger's quota has been placed at \$10,000, all of which amount, if collected, will be spent in Ranger. The county chairman is Tom Harrell of Eastland. The Eastland county quota has been set at \$50,000.

The campaign was to have started at the first of the week but due to the field being occupied by solicitors for the Hamon and Kell right-of-way fund it was postponed.

A. J. Evans, field organizer for the Salvation Army, with headquarters in Dallas, was in Ranger Friday to arrange the preliminaries for the carrying out of the campaign in this field. Mr. Evans came from Eastland where he had supervised inauguration of the campaign, which will start probably Monday.

All money collected in Ranger for the Salvation Army will be spent in Ranger, said Mr. Evans to a Times reporter Friday. "We believe the people will be responsive to this effort on the part of the headquarters to carry on the work of this great charitable organization which has accomplished so much good both on this side of the waters and on the battle fields of France and Germany. The best recommendation that the Salvation Army can produce is that which is furnished by soldiers returning from France, the heroes who bore the brunt of the war and who were ministered to by members of the Salvation Army. Many of the boys will always hold the Salvation Army workers in the highest esteem because of the help and the slogan of their founder—"Soap, Soup and Salvation."

Asked if the Salvation Army contemplated establishing a corps here permanently Mr. Evans said that this with the present intention. During the present campaign a number of members of the army will be here to assist in the work. In time, with the growth of the city, the Army will erect a building here and regular services will be conducted both on the streets and in the building daily. Similar groups will probably be maintained at El Paso and Eastland. Abilene already has six active bunches.

Mr. Evans has had varied experience since he entered the organization work in the state. His work has been principally confined to points in Southwest Texas. It was a miracle which he says he escaped the catastrophe which all but destroyed the city of Corpus Christi during the recent tropical storm. He had just left the city for Victoria and was in the process of returning to Corpus Christi the day before the fatal day. "It was through business on my part that I did not return on that date. It is, however, an act of providence that I escaped. I spent the night at Beeville, in the Queen Hotel. We had been playing dominoes under a dim light when the wind struck up its most discordant notes and blew with gale force upon the hostelry. For a time I was fearful that the great beam which ran across my room would collapse and fall upon me. As it was, I escaped. I tried to get to Corpus Christi the following day, but the railroad was washed away and the town was soon thereafter declared to be under martial law."

In his travel to Southwest Texas Mr. Evans says he saw many peculiar things. The Rio Grande was on a great rise. Usually only a few hundred feet wide, it was swollen by the heavy and incessant rains in New Mexico, along the border and far down toward the coast. It was reported to have spread itself in its lower reaches until it was in places twenty-eight miles wide.

"The Brownsville country is a wonderful empire in itself," said Mr. Evans. "A few years ago this land went begging for twenty-five cents an acre. Today it takes from seventy five to a hundred dollars to get it. The people along the Rio Grande appreciate the overflows of the river as those along the Gulf hope for the high water which is brought down from the mountains."

### Losis Grow in Balkans Now

WEST, Oct. 11.—The typhoid death rate in the Balkans is the highest in the world, except in the medical staff of the American cross headquarters here. This is upon reports from Red Cross workers in Rumania, Serbia, Albania and Montenegro.

The distressing factor is that the countries are almost wholly without sanitariums for the treatment of typhoid. Red Cross relief is temporary and it is considered beyond province to found sanitariums on a scale that would be needed.

Miss Viola L. Nohr of Ripon, Wis., a nurse who for many months has been treating patients in all parts of Albania, reports that she found typhoid in almost every Albanian family. The percentage has been placed at about 80 per cent.

### WRONG ADVANCE IS INJURIOUS TO ENGINE OF AUTOMOBILES

Many motorists make a practice of driving with the spark control lever at full advance. A little thought and understanding of what happens in such event would be beneficial both for the benefit of the car and the driver.

Full advance of the spark means that the gas in the cylinder is fired before the piston has reached the center of its upward stroke and therefore has only a retarding effect which lessens the power; also it is a sheer waste of gasoline. This power explosion occurring many hundred times a minute puts great strain and wear upon the crank shaft bearings and connecting rods and is the direct cause of the breaking of these parts.

It is well known that the battery ignition requires much more advance to give maximum power from the engine at full speed and that it also requires continuous manipulation of the spark control lever in order to time the spark correctly according to the speed of the engine. How many of the average automobile drivers do actually properly control the spark timing while driving? Without a doubt the greater number of them drive continually with the spark advanced too far, simply because they do not want to bother with the spark lever; they want a quick "pickup."

If you notice the cars passing in crowded street traffic you will hear many of the battery-equipped cars knock—that is, you will actually hear a rattling sound from the engine every time they start or accelerate after slowing down, simply because the driver leaves his spark lever on full advance. The effect of this on the main bearings is highly injurious and it is one of the main reasons battery equipped cars have to have the main bearings highly injuriously and every season, while magnet-equipped cars will run four and five seasons without any tightening of the crank shaft.

The average driver might think this could be overcome by an automatic governor. In this case, however, the condition is even worse. In order to obtain proper "pickup" it is absolutely necessary to time it so

that it will at all speeds furnish a spark which is five to ten degrees ahead of the proper setting. Otherwise the action of the engine will be sluggish as the governor does not pick up and advance the spark until the engine speed picks up, and the engine speed does not pick up until the spark is advanced. To overcome this circular effect it is necessary that the spark is always more advanced than it correctly should be.

It is only one of the many ways in which the magneto ignition directly saves money and trouble, in addition to its enabling the engine to give more power and quicker action when accelerated. Magneto ignition also requires less manipulation of spark control lever.

### BRAKES OFTEN DAMAGE TIRES

Thousands of tires are destroyed by severe and sudden application of brakes. One application sometimes grinds the tread of rubber off entirely and renders the casing beyond repair, according to officials of the Diamond Rubber company of Akron. Both new and experienced drivers are guilty of the misuse of foot and emergency brakes. Locking the wheels will not always immediately halt the car; the momentum and weight often cause the rear wheels to slide along a considerable distance and scrape off the tread rubber until the fabric is ruptured.

If the damage has not been too great, however, the tires may still be saved by giving attention to the fabric to protect it from decay and the weakening effect of moisture and to prevent dirt working under the rubber.

Quick, sharp turns and fast driving at curves usually cause rear wheels to slide and skid sideways. This practice is extremely harmful to the

fabric body of the tire because of the abnormal strain.

To be sure that both brakes take hold evenly the rear axle should be jacked up, so neither wheel rests upon the ground; then start the engine and engage the clutch. If, when the foot brake is applied, one rear wheel revolves while the other remains stationary, or if one wheel turns faster than the other, excessive wear to the tread rubber of the wheel turning slower may be expected. This will continue unless the brake drums are evenly adjusted.

The clutch plays an important part in the efficiency of the car and in the performance of the tires. It should be kept in such order that at all times it will take hold evenly when gears are engaged. Car owners should avoid letting the clutch in too quickly while the engine is running fast.

### BRITISH CLERGYMEN THREATEN TO STRIKE

LONDON, Oct. 8.—England, having survived strike after strike, has now to face disaster from another quarter. The clergy are threatening to "go out."

They are agitating for a "trade" union of their own and are determined to get it. If they don't—the unthinkable will happen. A coal miner earns more in a week than some clergymen earn in a month. It is proposed that all livings should be pooled and that unbeneficed clergy should have a minimum wage of \$1200 yearly.

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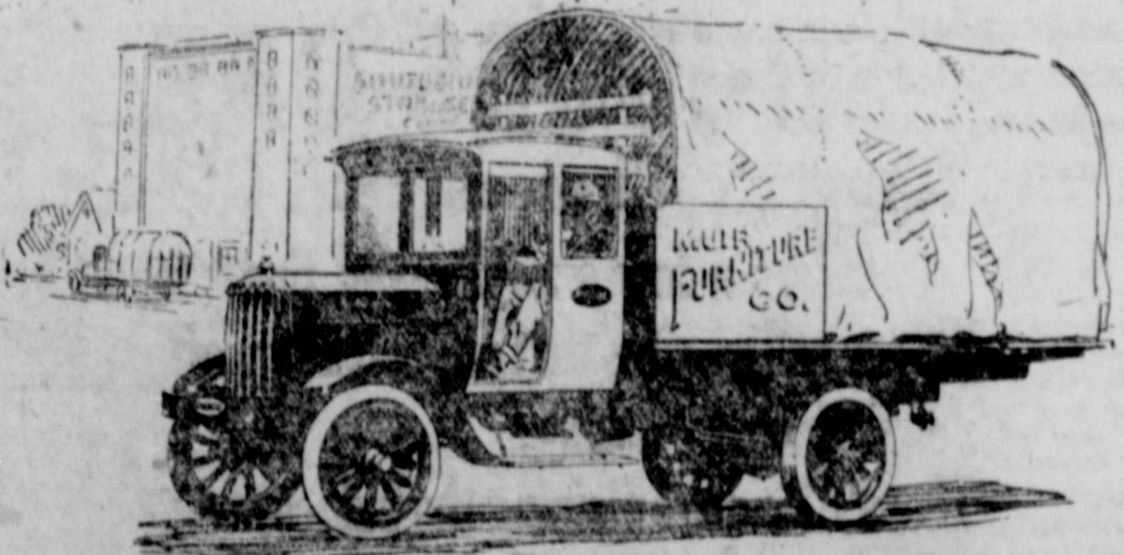
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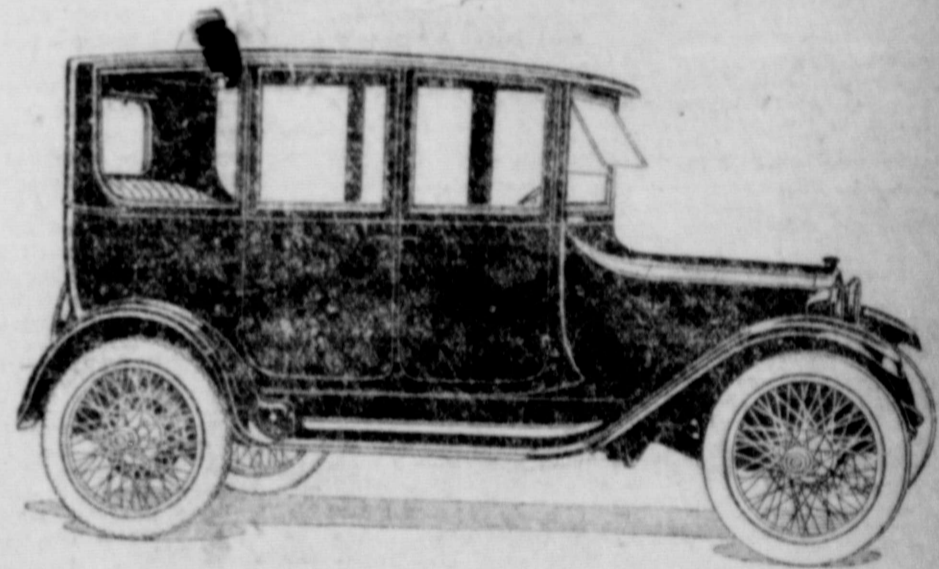
Hundreds of Okays are doing the heavy work of the oil fields day in and day out. They are entrenching themselves in the affections of those who look to them to do their duty. Don't accept our word for this—investigate. Those who are using them will tell you that they are good trucks.

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### STEPHENS CO. HAS SEVERAL GOOD WELLS

Late reports on operations in Stephens county show a number of good producers, several small producers—evidently shallow wells—and one abandonment. Several wells have been held up for repairs to machinery or for fishing expeditions. Following is the Stephens county report:

Magnolia Petroleum Co., Frost No. 1, completed, 3256 feet; top 3203; making about 396 barrels.

Texas-Pacific Coal & Oil Co., Bratton No. 1, completed; 46 barrels; top 3594; pay 3690-3632; total depth, 3708.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., Ward No. 1, completed, 3931; pay 3925-3930; 12 barrels.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., Dulaney No. 1, top 3201-3380; initial production, 145 barrels; completed.

Sammy's Oil Co.; Throp No. 1, making about 46 barrels oil; considerable water.

Texas Co., Curry No. 2, top, 3163; pay, 3196-3210; total depth, 3216; completed, taking down tools; 1190 barrels natural.

Texas Co., Gracelose No. 3, temporarily abandoned, 1290; offset to Gulf-Stoker, dry hole.

Gulf Production Co., Winston No. 2, top, 3310; T. D., 3416; shot 233 quarts, 3325-3411; completed; 195 barrels.

Superior Oil & Gas Co., Hagaman No. 2, shot 170 quarts, 3396-3440; making 48 barrels.

Empire G. & F. Co., Wallace No. 1, correction, completed; top, 1794; pay, 1808; to bottom, 1816; 298 barrels.

Humble Oil & Refining Co., Coffman No. 1, completed; making about 32 barrels; Frost No. 3, shot 328 quarts; making about 38 barrels.

Gulf Production Co., Rollins No. 3, completed; 299 barrels.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., Gardenhire No. 1, shot 97 quarts; completed; about 55 barrels.

Sinclair-Gulf Co., Satterfield No. 2, rebuilding rig, 3040 feet.

Texas Co., Keithley No. 4, repairing hand wheel; 2586 feet.

Gulf Production Co., Fincher No. 7, drilling 3353 feet; making 97 barrels.

King Midas Co., Harris No. 1, drilling 3300 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Co., Keel No. 1, S. D., fishing for tools at 1720 feet.

Mid-Kansas Oil & Gas Co., Carvay No. 4, cleaning out after shot, 3400 feet.

Gulf Production Co., Hazaman No. 2, if the shot; 3488 feet.

Montgomery, P. & R. Co., Swenson No. 10, shot—508 quarts, 3317; cleaning out.

#### THREE WELLS ARE REPORTED IN STEPHENS.

Three wells were reported in Stephens county Thursday. First, and considered of most importance, is the Prairie Oil and Gas company's Atkins No. 1, at the top of the line at 3,176 feet, with 2,600 feet of oil in the hole. This well is within four miles of the north line of Stephens county and is said to open up much new territory which had hitherto been of a doubtful nature.

The Gulf Production company's Ward No. 1, was reported 65 feet in the hole at 3,176 feet and making 606 barrels. The Ward No. 1 is situated three miles north of Brockenside.

The Prairie Oil and Gas company's Ches, Rinney No. 1, after a shot of 240 quarts, is good for 1,000 barrels at 2,775 feet. The well is situated in the T. & P. block 4, about three and a half miles southwest of Caddo.

Don't attempt to run the car on the electric starter.

### Callahan and Comanche Wells

Alamo Petroleum company Hart No. 1, section 6, shot down at 2,745 feet.

S. Vanderweider et al., Harris No. 1, B. B. & Co., drilled.

Roxana Petroleum company Hart No. 1, section 60, resetting 12 1/2-inch pipe at 1,280 feet.

Clay-Callahan Oil company Moody No. 1, section 81, shut down for crew at 320 feet.

Benedum & Trees Moody No. 1, section 22-1, rig up.

Andrew Union Tabor No. 1, section 20, fishing for tools at 1,520 feet.

Texas Oil and Refining company Powell & Liegeff No. 1, Victoria county school lands, rig.

Pierces-Ordway McGowan No. 1, section 133, drilling at 1,600 feet.

Humble Oil and Refining company Isenhour No. 1, T. & P. Railway, shut down to repair rig at 1,100 feet.

E. H. K. Green & F. Scott No. 1, section 333, setting 6-inch casing at 1,830 feet.

A. F. Morris and J. B. Elch Peak No. 1, section 8, making two barrels at 1,746 feet.

Ohio Cities L. A. Grant No. 1, Southern Pacific Railway, 82,000,000 cubic feet of gas at 600 to 625 feet. Shut down for repairs.

McGinty & Dookins Cardwell No. 1, section 12, 4 1/2-inch pipe 40 feet east.

Ranger-Andrew Oil company Odem No. 1, section 12, undercasing, undercasing at 1,200 feet.

New Southland Oil company Vestal No. 1, Dyson, drilling up undercasing lug at 2,400 feet.

Litzgen et al. Albin No. 1, J. J. Dewan, undercasing 10-inch casing at 1,460 feet.

R. O. Harvey Crosby No. 1, section 8, undercasing 8 1/2-inch casing at 1,175 feet.

Comanche County.

Tex-Penn Oil company Mary Lewis No. 1, J. A. Brown, plugged to 3,235 feet.

Tex-Penn Oil company Mary Lewis No. 2, J. A. Brown, shut down at 3,750 feet.

Southwest Oil company Carruth No. 3, J. A. Brown, shut down at 910 feet.

Comanche Northern W. N. W. Weisner No. 1, J. L. Carey, abandoned location.

K. L. Harvey Russell & Ballard Birdall, rig.

Magnolia Joe Duke No. 2, section 5, abandoned at 600 feet.

Petroleum Products company O. S. Robinson No. 1, Fry, shot with 60 quarts at 3,060 feet. No result.

Sinclair Gulf Hogz No. 6 Jones, abandoned at 2,260 feet.

Tex-Penn Oil company Peck No. 1, section 6, drilling at 2,770 feet.

Tex-Penn Oil company Snodgrass No. 2, section 6, drilling at 2,921 feet.

Tex-Penn Oil company Moorman No. 1, section 4, shot, showing at 2,913 feet.

Tex-Penn Oil company Merrick No. 1, Mosler, abandoned at 3,160 feet.

Tex-Penn Oil company Gregory No. 2, Mosely, abandoned at 2,680 feet.

Tex-Penn Oil company Koonze No. 1, George, Day, shut down at 3,251 feet.

Wyandotte Hog Creek Thompson No. 2, Stucklen, abandoned at 2,900 feet.

Comanche Northern W. N. Weisner No. 1, section 2, abandoned drig.

Comanche Indian Keith No. 1, section 57, abandoned location.

Comanche Queen Ryshy No. 1, section 57, shut down at 2,690 feet.

Kan-Tex Oil company Terry No. 1, section 50, shut down at 2,895 feet.

Atlanta Oil Production Lusk No. 1, section 27, rig.

Humble Oil and Refining Moorman No. 2, section 27, rig and tools.

Humble Oil and Refining Allen Dunn No. 1, Beuler, fishing undercasing lugs at 2,740 feet-2750, 200,000 feet of gas.

Atlanta Oil Prod. Watkins No. 1, D. & D. A. L., drilling at 300.

Humble Oil and Refining company Small No. 1, D. & D. A. L., drilling at 700 feet.

Dealemons Oil company Miller No. 1, William Ship, shut down at 2,500 feet, show of oil at 3,514 feet.

Fisher & Gilford Lee Poter No. 1, D. & D. A. L., rig.

Humble Oil and Refining Goss No.

### Root, Hupp & Duff's Eastland Wells

2, S. & D. A. L., fishing at 750 feet.

Comanche Central Sides No. 1, M. Holton, rig.

Copperas Creek Oil A. Fisher No. 1, section 120, Abandoned at 2,900 feet.

Martin Oil company R. M. Fickler No. 1, Miller, rig.

Texas Petroleum company S. J. Cox No. 1, Heath, rig.

Comanche Oil Association Sturkie, Asa Hoxey, shut down at 3,490 feet.

Lone Star Gas company Sid Fire No. 1, E. T. Railway company, rig.

Dickenson et al. Wasson No. 1, Wasson, shut down at 3,660 feet for 6 1/2-inch casing.

Black Line Oil company Marmaduke No. 1, Hutton, drilling at 370 feet.

Lone Star Gas and Ohio Galloway No. 1, section 15, abandoned at 2,560 feet.

Humble Oil and Refining company Barton No. 1, Herndon, drilling at 1,922 feet.

### Nations' League Idea Suggested 49 Years Ago

International News Service.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 11.—The idea of a league of nations is not a new one, as a suggestion for a league had been made forty-nine years ago by an Erie physician, a descendant of John Harris, founder of this city.

A society of the state medical society in 1870, while the Franco-Prussian war was raging, Dr. William M. Wallace, president of the society, whose father was a Harrisburg lawyer and whose mother was a "granddaughter of John Harris, in his in-general address, said:

"To the assembly of men now before me, set apart to relieve the sufferings, heal the diseases and lengthen the lives of men, I would appeal. Must humanity forever be chained by murderous rulers and methodized passions to the rock of the barbarous custom that the culture of legal war may forever prey upon its vitals?"

"Cannot the still small voice of reason be heard in this center and spread throughout the medical world in still widening circles to persuade men that war in any form and for any cause is really madness and that it settles no principle or right?"

"Can we not add to our mission this yet further benefit to humanity, to teach men to settle national differences by arbitration and awards, by rules and principles?"

"It is a work of time, difficult and laborious, but the hundred-handed giant of medieval ubiquity can, by a persevering effort, unite humanity and can force or draw to its assistance the pulpits and the fora, and Christendom may yet learn, through the most unostentatious, investigating, rationalistic physician that he is not mad, but speaks the words of truth and soberness who declares his belief in the realization of the angel's song: 'Peace on earth and universal good will.'"



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#### KILLED AT CROSSING HE HAD FOUGHT TO ABOLISH

International News Service.

LAWRENCE, Kan., Oct. 9.—To be killed on the same grade crossing he had for years been striving to abolish was the fate of A. A. Hicks, president of the Douglas county farm bureau. He was struck by a train while watching a child being rescued in front of a train passing on another track.

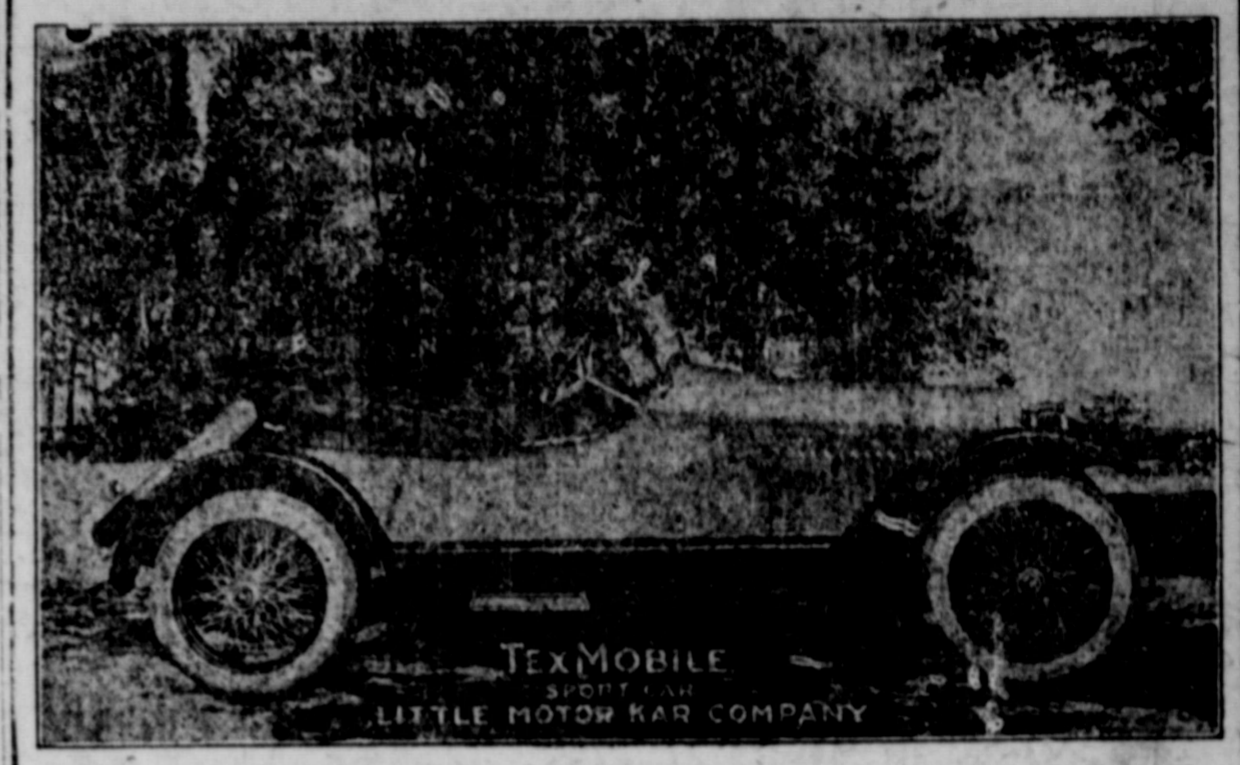
The crossing on which the accident occurred has been the scene of several serious accidents and is the same by which the new fort-to-fort highway will enter Lawrence.

#### LATE FEDERAL JUDGE HAD ESTATE VALUED AT \$29,000

By Associated Press.

SHERMAN, Oct. 11.—The will of the late Gordon B. Russell, federal judge for the eastern district of Texas, has been filed for probate and the value of the estate is given at \$29,000.

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# West Texas "Sandy Strip" Looms Large in Eyes of Fruit and Truck Growers as Territory of Immense Productivity

By W. H. Wright.

A narrow though elongated strip of sandy territory reaching from southern Eastland county northwestwardly to the foot of the South Plains is destined to become one of the most densely populated sections in the Southwest when its possibilities become better understood and appreciated. Even now its fertility and productivity are becoming better known. Its deep, rich sand is a sentinel of opportunity to every wayfarer.

### Great for Fruit.

Wherever it is encountered it has disclosed some interesting facts on production. Last year when all of West Texas was pining away under the sweltering sun—when West Texas temperatures were hitting higher erratically than any other section of the Southwest, this serpentine tract was refreshing the vegetation that had been planted upon it. It fields of maize produced lavishly. Its fruit—and there is considerable—was great where not ripped in the spring. Watermelons and canteloupes refreshed the eye. The blackjack and post-oak showed no ill effects from sun and hot, parching winds. Farmers dependent upon agriculture reaped fair crops. Some prodigies in the way of products were exhibited in towns near it.

### Drought Resistant.

Its resistance of drought—the worst ever known—has caused hundreds to conclude readily that it has something worth while to offer. This year the heavy rains have not depreciated its value. Towns along this West Texas "oasis" are prospering as they have never prospered before. The fruit harvest was infinitely greater than ever known. Watermelons grew in such profusion as to be superabundant and unmarketable. Peaches were shaken from the trees and sent broadcast over the country, fooling the most wise into the belief that they came from much touted "Sunny California." All that might have been required to sell them more readily would have been a label on the crate with a picture showing the cool Sierra Nevadas and a California name beneath. Apples are so numerous in the tree that the tree is a blaze of red and profusion. Peanuts are bountiful with fruit, bringing visions of comfortable times about the winter hearth, or replacing the larders of peanut butter and oil. Many other things indigenous to this narrow "strip," are too numerous to mention here. Suffice it to say that practically everything that can be profitably raised in California can be produced there.

### Good Quality, Too.

The quality of fruit produced varies according to the soil in this territory where taken. In the southwestern section the fruit has a more acid taste, due, some seem to think, to the alkali so abundant there. In the central section the fruit is luscious and without an equal anywhere. The southern part of the strip likewise offers something palatable for the man who regards choice fruit.

### Cotton Territory.

Cotton does well on this strip during the usual years, but in a year like 1919 it is stunted with moisture. The production this year, however, is expected to be better than that of last year.

Corn and maize: make the most bountiful crops. Peanuts have done well.

### Heavily Timbered

Much of this strip, as will be gleaned by the paragraphs preceding are timbered heavily, therefore not yet profitable for planting crops, but is most valuable for grazing for cattle, sheep, goats and swine. The timber is very valuable. This great tract will be cut over some day. It will be "grabbed," throwing into the agricultural realm thousands of acres which will have a monetary value of not less than \$100 an acre. Today this land in the rough is very cheap. It requires but a few dollars to open it to tilling, but once this is accomplished the toiler's labor will be fabricated into coin of the realm.

### Subject to Irrigation.

Just below Baird there is to be found a choice part of this elongated neck of sandy land. It lies below the big hills, locally called "mountains," which surround Baird and jut off to the east and northeast in the neighborhood of Putnam. It has not been greatly developed. It is a wonderful vista to see a pristine country which holds out so many golden opportunities for the man with the hoe and willow. In the "mountains" to the north there are great basins—probably the largest to be found anywhere in Central West Texas, but surely the greatest anywhere in the "sand belt." These basins have narrow, steep inlets and outlets, forming deep defiles that cut across the country to the south. With a little aid from the state or government, these basins can be made to hold innumerable gallons of water for irrigation purposes in the sandy land below and for a great territory contiguous to it. Gravity flow is applicable.

### And Clyde—the Queen.

Just over the "ridge" to the west from Baird, the sandy strip is found in all its variety. One pushes through the great forests of oaks, suddenly comes upon a vineyard, orchard and house. Then in rapid succession are found hundreds of small truck farms beautiful little homes, all so cozy. Then he comes to the beautiful little town of Clyde, whose fruit and whose reputation for its products have given it a prestige that no other town in the state so widely enjoys. A few miles westward, the sand ceases into the red permian and is lost, but to the north it runs in an almost endless succession, passing through the northern end of Abilene, extending its width for miles, taking in such places as Hawley, Golan, Sylvester, McCaulle and other towns, all of whose people provide their cellars every summer with preserved fruit. One who chances to be invited to a dinner in a home in that section never lacks for preserved fruit raised on the host's land. And it is good, too.

### Don't Go to California.

Those who long to enter the truck and fruit business need not figure out the cost of a ticket to faraway California. He need not think of the small fruit belt of northeast Texas. All he has to do is to settle his mind as to what part of the West Texas fruit belt he wishes to locate in. There has not been even a start at taking over this land for fruit, truck and other products. It is just now beginning to show itself, and people are rushing from the North and East to

this section. It proved itself last year a drought resister. Its choice, unspoiled fruits have given it wide advertising. Its famous canteloupes and watermelons have been eaten all over the state.

### Growers Organize

Much objection to engaging in this business arises because sections adapted to fruit and truck raising have not organized to protect themselves in the sale of their products and to establish a market. Some years ago East Texas Elberta peach growers were decimated of thousands of dollars because they had not organized and established a marketing center. They shipped their fruits and vegetables on order of a large Northern commission house. When they arrived, excuses by telegraph poured into the farmers' homes. They said that the fruit was partly rotten—"no market," "prices

off," and such other pretexts, by which the commission man, having the grower in his power, took advantage and reaped the profits. But East Texas woke up. The organizations refused to sell the fruit in the North after they had been robbed. They made the Northern produce and commission houses send buyers to them, buy their fruits and vegetables on the spot, and pay on the spot. In this way East Texas conserved its fruit business and today is ranking along side with the best of them as a fruit section. And the same thing is being done at Clyde and a few other places in this "strip." Clyde has a fruit growers association from which its members, made up of the growers and kindred interests, are deriving immense benefits, inasmuch that without fruit and vegetable growing in the "sandy" belt of West Texas would be

a very unstable occupation. The sand belt of West Texas offers more plant food than the sand of the coast country or the sand of East Texas. It has absorbed all the life and strength of the red lands which form so great a portion of the western part of our state. Now, it is a known fact that the lands of West Texas are far more rich than those of any other section of the state without regard to color or previous records of production. West Texas in its fairest years produces the maximum sized stalks, the biggest ears of corn, the greatest production per acre, and the greatest peaches, apples, pears, and other things. With the wealth that the red land contains mixed with the sand of the fruit and vegetable belt it possesses a productivity whose potentialities probably will never be known, and

whose length of rich life will be a long duration. The fact that one does not have to go without his own country to find what he most desires in the way of agricultural land should be an added stimulus to a great number of persons in cities who have that "back-to-the-farm" fever, and who dream dreams of the day when they may sit in their warm bungalow and enjoy the fruits of the soil after a car of toil out in God's sweet open air. Interest is being revived in a proposal to make Galway, Ireland, a port of call. The Dublin corporation, which in 1917 passed a resolution in favor of the creation of a great harbor at Galway to deal with American and Canadian trade, has returned to the subject and passed another resolution in similar terms.

**ALLEGED OKLAHOMA OIL CO. FAILED TO FILE REPORT**  
OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 11.—Complaint of H. L. Claiborne, oil expert of the corporation, against the Segregated Oil Co. has been notified to appear before the commission and answer for failure to furnish notification cards, well records and plugging orders. The company is directed to appear on Oct. 27.  
**\$40,000 OIL FIRE IS CAUSED BY LIGHT**  
ADDINGTON, Okla., Oct. 11.—A severe electric storm, accompanied by a down-pour of rain, one of the large tanks Magnolia Petroleum Company pump station was struck by lightning and set on fire. The tank contained about 30,000 barrels of oil, a total loss, the damage amounting to practically \$40,000.

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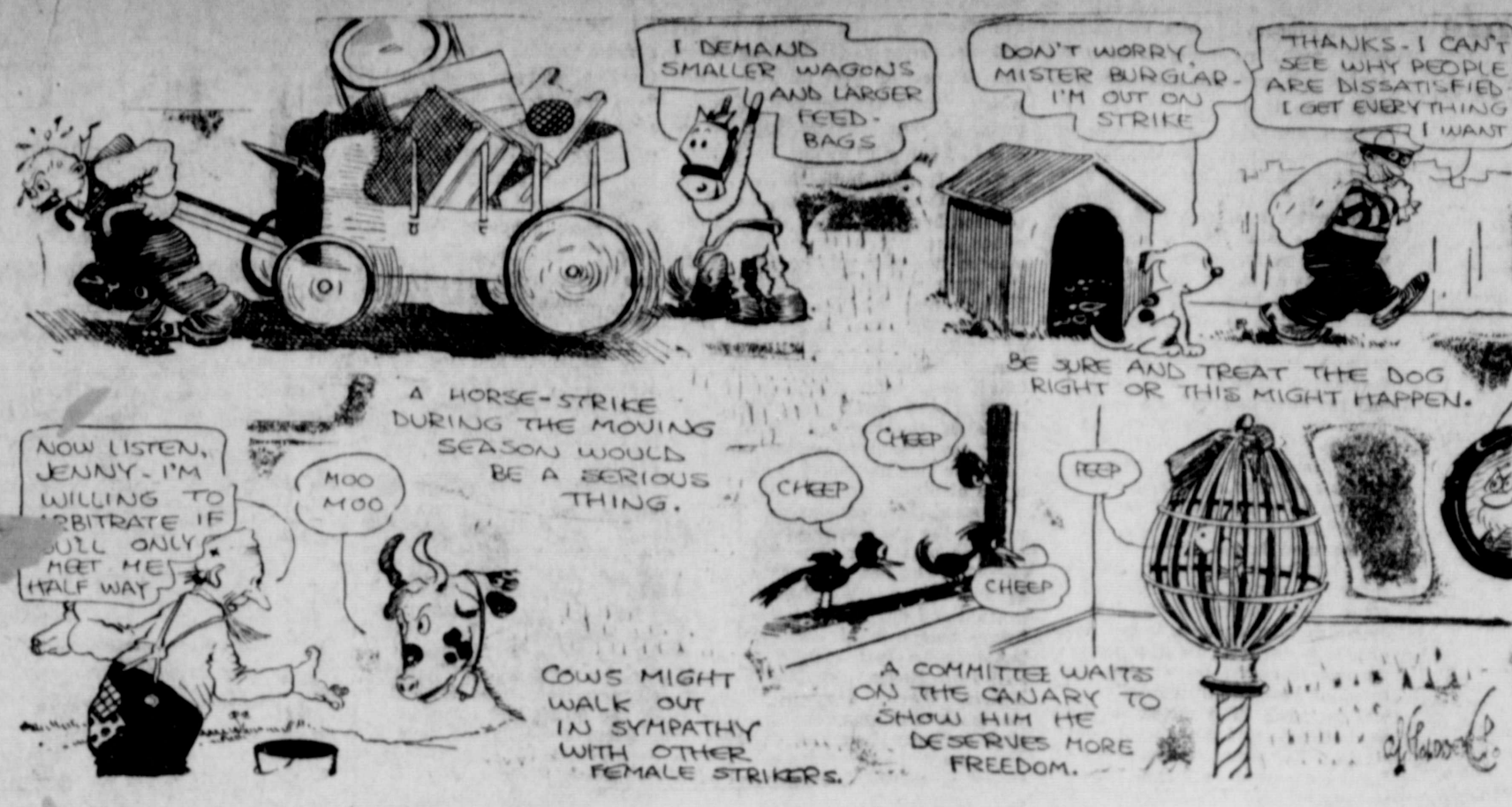
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RUBE GOLDBERG'S BOOBS



STATE TREASURY TO HAVE DEFICIT FOR LAST YEAR

AUSTIN, Oct. 9.—The cost of running the state of Texas last year exceeded by \$268,000 the revenues obtained, J. A. King, state tax commissioner estimates. Mr. King also says a further deficiency is in prospect for next year. A big decrease in the intangible assets on railroad valuation will result from deterioration of railroads under federal control, he continued. Many of the railroads will be returned to private ownership bankruptcy and the decrease will reduce valuations by \$75,000,000, Mr. King estimates. He added in his next annual report he will recommend that many interests... bringing oil companies and parking... sea, be brought under the intangible assets law... make up this deficiency. Oil companies... one, he figures, should be assessed at \$600,000,000. Memory Lingers. Two... ex-service men in El Dorado are packing their duds in feverish haste to get off to college before dad's... of government bacon arrives.—K... City Star.

CRIME IS ON BIG INCREASE IN GERMANY

BERLIN, Oct. 11.—Germany has increasingly taken to crime since the revolution, and the once orderly empire, where pickpockets were almost unknown and kidnaps and robberies created a sensation, is undergoing an epidemic of crime. Probably no system has proved more effective than these days of uncertainty and change, playing the official or impersonating a soldier, or a policeman. Recently two clever criminals who discovered that a certain man had concealed in his house 115 thousand-mark notes of the old type and liable to confiscation had frightened him into surrendering the money on the promise of securing protection... A real official who had nosed out the plot, entered just in time to see the transfer of the money and really confiscate it, besides arresting the three men. More successful was another false official scheme. Here a group succeeded in inducing a man who had order bearing the signature of the textile authorities...

BEING GUEST OF KING WAS "MISFORTUNE" TO HIM

LONDON, Oct. 11.—A British officer, newly arrived from the East, tells of his "misfortune" in being entertained by the King of the Hejaz. The King and his court held a feast in his honor. Whole sheep were served, the carvers walking up and down on the middle of the tablet attending to the wants of the guests. When the host, for retiring came "excused" were told off to sing the Englishman to sleep, and throughout the entire night sweet melody soothed his slumbers. The next morning he received an "urgent telegram" calling him away to the nearby camp. He left with all signs of reluctance, but once in the camp "hit the hay" for twenty-four hours of sleep. Among a dozen or so who last Saturday endorsed Orgatone, the great treatment that has accomplished such remarkable results in and around Wichita Falls, none are more interesting than those given by Joe Patrone, night manager of the Saratoga Cafe. "Orgatone has helped me so much," said Mr. Patrone, "and I'll not be satisfied until I get my wife to take it, for I've never seen anything in my life that builds you up and puts you on your feet like this treatment does. "I've been suffering with bad stomach and intestinal trouble for about six months," he continued, "and my whole system was out of order. I had gotten so I could hardly get around on account of the pains and severe cramping spells which I would have in my stomach. "My appetite seemed to leave me entirely, for I just dazed around and didn't feel like eating anything and what I did eat didn't taste good or give me much strength. I didn't rest well at night and the hurt in my stomach and bowels kept right on pulling me down all the time and would make me unfit for work or anything else, for I didn't seem to have any ambition of any kind and was not equal to anything. "At last I made up my mind to try this Orgatone, for I had read about it in the papers and they kept putting in statements from people right around us that I knew would not be telling anything but the truth, and I took a notion into my head it was just what I needed. "I hadn't taken the second bottle before the medicine began to help me a lot, and by the time I had finished two it had put me to eating and made me gain several pounds in weight—I don't know exactly how much, but I know I have gained for I feel so much better and an filling out more. "It's an actual fact that I can hardly get enough to eat now, and I sleep just fine and do not wake up with pains in my stomach like I did. The fact of the business is that I simply feel like a different man, and there is no doubt about it all being due to this Orgatone. I'm plenty stout now and feel like working all the time. "It has done so much good in my case, I'm sure my wife is going to take it, too, for it's the finest treatment we have ever heard of and is just what she needs to build her up. We're all tickled over Orgatone at our home and we tell everybody about it." Orgatone 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 Ranger Drug Company, under the personal direction of a special Orgatone representative.—Advertisement.

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PAGE OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF PEOPLE AND EVENTS IN THE NEWS OF THE WEEK



Storker Storkersen, at right, relating details of adventure to Vilhjalmur Stefannson, his chief, at Banff, Canada.

Storker Storkersen, intrepid explorer, who was adrift for eight months on a huge ice floe to collect scientific data, has returned and made his report to Vilhjalmur Stefannson, in charge of the Canadian national Arctic expedition, was taken ill before the trip and commissioned Storkersen to take charge of the fifth trip. The big floe was the haunt of much game and Storkersen and his companions "lived on the land."



Guns and ammunition collected from strikers at Farrell, Pa., and a group of strikers.



BATTLE AGAINST WORLD LEAGUE IS IN BUTTON STAGE

Button issued by the League for the preservation of American independence.



Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst.

"Preserve the usefulness of the woman war worker."

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, foremost opponent of Bolshevism now in this country on a lecture tour, has revived an old war cry and urged canteen workers, army nurses, ambulance drivers and the hundred and one different feminine representatives of labor to "carry on."



Russians Fighting Way to Fence to Receive Food from British Sailors at Archangel.

This picture tells more graphically than words the food situation in Russia. British sailors are passing out the day's supply of bread to the people of Archangel. Women fight like wildcats to get near enough to the fence to reach through it and grab a crumb of bread.



Mrs. Louis C. Brooks, Stotesbury heiress, who goes to France for divorce from Captain Walter B. Brooks Jr. Mrs. Brooks charges desertion.

Manager Patrick J. Moran of the World's Champion Cincinnati Reds.

Pat Moran has had a long and varied career in the big leagues, breaking in with Boston (National league) in 1900 as a catcher. He has been with tail enders, pennant winners, world's champions and now caps his career by managing a championship aggregation. He was with the Chicago Cubs in 1908 and 1909, when that great aggregation twice won the big series. In 1910 he went to the Phillies as coach and in 1915 he became manager and won the National league pennant, but lost in the championship series with Boston. This year he was engaged to coach the New York pitchers, but McGraw released him in order that he might manage the Reds. He is popular with players and fans, although the happenings of 1919 may have cooled the warmth of McGraw's regard.



Samuel L. Rogers, director of the census, has announced that the census bureau has nearly completed arrangements for the enrollment of America's millions in 1920.



Cartier Monument in Montreal Unveiled Five Years Late.

In September, 1914, the centennial anniversary of the discovery of America was to have been unveiled and had been made for a fitting tribute to the memory of the great Canadian statesman, but once more the best laid plans of man went wrong. The unveiling was held five years late. On the fateful 4th of August, 1911 of the figures at the base of the statue, work of the famous Canadian sculptor, George W. Hill, lay on the wharf at Antwerp awaiting shipment. Suddenly the gathering war clouds broke. Belgium found herself vainly fighting against the onslaught of the Hun. There was no time for a statue then.



Mrs. Seymour E. Cox, wife of a Texas oil magnate, and her son, Seymour Jr., 9 years old, are flying from their home in Houston to New York, to attend the boys' school. Both Mrs. Seymour and her son are expected to arrive in New York on the night of the 11th.



Dr. Ella A. Boole of New York, who presided at the jubilee convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union which opened for a four-day session in Birmingham, N. Y., on the 10th.



Mayor E. F. Smith of Omaha is in a hot land, wood, water; the attempt to lynch him when a mob sets improvements; to get a negro. Mayor Smith made a speech to the negro's life, when he himself was being dragged through the streets.







GEORGE FINBERG DELAYED HERE

George Finberg, cotton factor and owner of a... was in Ranger several hours Saturday morning because of the "tie-up" of traffic on the Texas and Pacific by reason of a severe freight wreck at Strawn.

STEEL STRIKE LEADERS CONFER DURING SENATE PROBE



Leaders of steel strikers in conference at Washington.

Several leaders of the steel strike are in Washington, whither they went week before last to testify before the senate labor committee. The photo shows two of them, W. F. Tighe (left) and W. Z. Foster (right), in conference with the strikers' attorney, W. B. Rubin. Tighe is president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers.

Pumper Washes Main Street With Basement Water

The motor pumper of the fire department gave the lower reaches of Main Street a washing Friday afternoon to clear the accumulation of mud following the rains. The water for the purpose was obtained from the deep basement of the proposed Gholson Hotel building, between Rusk and Austin streets, on Main.

Drilling Report for Jack County

JACKSBORO, Oct. 11.—Drilling activities in Jack county for the week ending October 7 are reported as follows: D. Mackenzie, J. W. Knox No. 1, located on the Knox Terrace, near the center of the Patrick Osborn survey; drilling at 1250 feet.

Tools and Casings for Sale

If you want to buy drilling tools or casings, new or second hand, we have ten new strings all complete; several second hand strings, all complete; lots of casing, new and second hand, all sizes. Can load any of the above on short notice. See the

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2 UNFURNISHED rooms on Strawn road, easy walking distance to town. Plenty of good well water free. Phone 224 or see Hicks at Times. LOST—15 Jewel Elgin, gold watch, on Ranzon-Head-ocut road, Sunday Oct. 5. Return to G. L. W. at Times office or phone 721, Roward. OIL IN NEW MEXICO Geologists and oil men say New Mexico will be next great field. Investment now while price is low—\$10 for 20 acres, \$50 for 100 acres. No rentals, no royalties. Peoples Investment Co. 1413 Main St., Fort Worth, Tex. NEW, never-occupied house for sale; three large rooms and two porches, screened; house nicely finished inside and out; large built-in cabinets; on a beautiful 50x130-foot southeast front lot, on popular Lackland ave. in Lackland addition; price only \$2,500, on terms of only \$500 cash and the balance \$75 monthly. See Lackland at Lackland Addition Home office, on Lackland addition, Tiffin road and Lackland ave., opposite Burton-Lingo Lumber Co. switchyard. WHO WANTS to make a good, safe, sound investment or a loan on 809 1/2 acres in Fort Bend county, 22 miles west of Houston and within one mile of town of Sugarland? This farm has 700 acres in cultivation; 14 houses—one is eight rooms, bath and sewerage, others are common tenant; rent on this farm paid \$20,000 in 1918; 20 feet deep; five miles from Blue Ridge oil field; leases on this field brought \$6000 per acre; price of land with one-eighth of oil and mineral right retained, \$175 per acre. If you do not wish to buy, want to obtain loan of \$50,000 at 6 1/2 per cent, to run five or seven years, interest payable annually. For further information address Owner, Box 4, Athens, Henderson County, Texas. BROWN WELDING CO. are handling a limited number of complete motor overhauling jobs. They have full machine shop equipment. NOTICE. Beginning Oct. 10 we will serve breakfast, together with the dinner and supper we are now serving. Excellent lunches put up ready to go. Some old price—50 cents. Unique Dining Hall (under new management), one block north of post office. FOR SALE—By owner—Choice front lot on Ranger Heights. Corner lot with 70ft. front. Very desirable. Easy terms. See Reitz at Continental Supply Co. WANTED—Salesman for clothing and furnishing. Must have city experience. Apply Simpson-Alexander, Pine St. WANTED SET BOOKS to keep after 4 p. m. can work about four hours. Best references, call R. E. Wheeler, Phone 46. NOTICE. Notice is hereby given the public that all business relations heretofore existing between the undersigned, Leon Lawrence, and B. D. Wilner heretofore conducted in the city of Ranger, Eastland county, Texas, are hereby dissolved; and notice is further given that I will not be responsible for any purchases, debt, B. D. Wilner may make, or for any contract or transaction that he may enter into, either in his name, in my name, or our names. Dated October 6, 1919. LEON LAWRENCE. 3 ROOM APARTMENT house for sale cheap. Room 9 over post office. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS: leather goods. The Fair Store, 223 Pine Street, near Austin. \$2500 IN GOOD real estate notes drawing 10 per cent interest in exchange for Government Bonds. Address L. care of Daily Times. FOR SALE—Furnished shack. Apply Oasis Confectionary, 318 Pine St. WAR on high priced tailoring. Special representative extended from the mills tailor shops. Here few days. Rare opportunity to save money on suits, overcoats, raincoats, good lining fit guaranteed. Also cloth and woolen blankets at manufacturers prices. Call at 323 S. Oak St. upstairs. FOR RENT—Six room house. Apply S. Clatch, box 121. REWARD OF \$25 for delivery or information leading to discovery of home which disappeared from my camp near Baptist church in Desdemona Texas, Monday night, Sept. 29th. Blood bay horse about sixteen hands high, weight about 1200 pounds, has roughed mane, branded with U. S. on left shoulder and L. C. on left side of neck. Has hair rubbed out on tail. Nice looking horse and in good condition. Had saddle and halter on when disappeared. L. R. Ogden, Desdemona Texas, Box No. 12. ROOM FURNISHED HOUSE for office. A bargain. Room 9 over post office. ANNOUNCEMENT Chas. E. Hughes and W. T. Boland have bought out James Robinson's interest in the Ideal Sheet Metal Works and are not responsible or liable for any obligations by him.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at The Times office. HAVE TO LOAN to responsible person for its keeping, one Burroughs adding machine. Address G. C. Carr, P. O. Box 908, City. FOR SALE—One almost new Burroughs adding machine, in first class condition. Address Box 278. WANTED—Salesman and solicitor for wholesale and retail feed and flour business; prefer experienced man, acquainted in oil section; give reference and salary expected; also state experience. Address P. O. Box 1017, Ranzon, Texas. EXTRA LARGE, three-room frame house; fine built-in cabinets; extra large rooms; big screened sleeping porch; wide front porch; beautiful south front lot; in Lackland addition. This house was built for a home and is now occupied by the owner as a home. He has built extra good fences, barns, and has gas in the house and sewer in the alley. House could not be duplicated today for less than \$4,000, as this was built just before lumber took the last big jump. If you want a real home and can die up \$100 monthly this is the biggest snap at \$3,500 ever offered in Ranger or anywhere else. See Lackland at Lackland Addition Home office on Lackland ave. and Tiffin road, in Lackland addition, opposite Burton-Lingo lumber yard office. FOR RENT—Finest store locations in Ranger now building. Next to Liberty Theatre. Inquire of Palmer Bros. Liberty Theatre. FOR SALE—Nice shack furnished or unfurnished. A bargain. No. 1 Cooper tract, no. 4 Rusk St. WANTED—Job in oil camp. I class woman cook; highest wages. Address Ranger Employment Bureau. WANTED—Someone to use half of freight car from Ardmore, Okla., to Ranger. I wish to use other half to ship furniture. Apply T. C. Insurance Co., 123 N. Main St. ROBERT S. DOUGLAS, please come home or write to your sister. ONLY \$500 DOWN, 1 month, will buy a nice, three-room and porch frame house; built only two weeks and now rented for \$40 per month; located on fine 50x130-foot south front lot in popular Lackland addition. Price of house \$800, lot only \$500. Call at Lackland Addition Home office on Tiffin road and Lackland ave., in Lackland addition. WANTED—To trade good Ford car for horse and delivery wagon. Apply Ranger Daily Times office. See the Million Acre market, 220 N. Fourth St. FOR SALE—A modern home, located 542 Chestnut street; east front, two lots; seven rooms, two halls, bath, screened porch, extra large front porch; nice lighting fixtures and electric switches for every room; house piped throughout with gas; nice garage and barn, plenty of lot room; nice lawn, trees, cement sidewalks. If interested in an attractive place or unfinished, call Lilius, owner, Box 544, Abilene, Tex. MAXIMUM TRUCK FOR SALE With oversize motor, frame and springs for oil field work. CAPACITY 1 1/2 TO 5 TONS. Sales and Service Rooms, with Midway garage, 202 Pagan street. Wright-Herring-Smy Co., Inc. 111 N. BRIDGES. Manager Ranger Branch. FOR RENT 30 ROOM ROOMING HOUSE JUST COMPLETED. SPLENDID LOCATION. LARGE ROOMS. LOBBY. TWO STORIES. LONG LEASE. SEE THIS PLACE TO APPRECIATE IT. MOORE & FREEMAN OVER RANGER DRUG CO. FOR SALE—Ford Roadster. Brand new at Midway Garage.

WE HAVE several styles of National cash registers for sale at bargain prices. Call at Smith's rooming house or write Popejoy Bros., P. O. Box 435. WANTED—Complete string standard tools from owner. Address or call at room 12, Smith building. LOST—A black bill fold containing five ten-dollar bills and two five-dollar bills, between the Goforth place and Skinerville restaurant, on the Sandy road between Ranger and Necessity. Liberal reward if returned to G. W. Hodges, at the Plains Gas & Oil Co. FOR SALE, cheap; one team horses; will weigh about 1250 pounds; also harness and wagon; in good condition. G. Lewis, corner Bozeman and Garret streets, Lackland addition. ROOMS with and without board; reasonable; quiet for day sleepers; one block up west of post office street at Main and Hodges, opposite Eureka Tool Co., 112 Hodges St., at the Green Lawn; two blocks from McCleskey. OIL LEASE—7040 acres in Brewster county at 25 cents an acre. Fred Rice, Owner, Marathon, Texas. ONE TENT 16x20. Wall covered and partitioned into rooms. Back of 318 S. Austin St. 400-ACRE STOCK FARM in Callahan county; good land, wood, water; hog fence; two sets improvements; lease and royalties go for quick sale at \$50 an acre. Logan & Son, P.O. Box 278, Abilene, Texas.

TEXAS PACIFIC COAL & OIL CO. District No. 1. E. A. No. 1, preparing in 19, 20, etc. he did not 2,3,5, etc. It is simple and due to that it is almost impossible for it to be done. The device was first used on a railroad at Terrell, Texas, on the Texas Midland, and after being operated several months was pronounced a success by a number of the Texas Midland men, after which the inventor, with others with whom he had associated himself, organized the company in Oklahoma and installed another gate on the Frisco Belt Line at West Tulsa. It is now being arranged to install another gate on the Southern Pacific, and as the model has been submitted to the Safety Department of the Interstate Commerce Commission, who have favorably on it, there is no doubt that within a short time it will be practically universal on American railroads. The means of the new device no accident is possible. A third device governs its operation. A person who might be caught on the oncoming train is thrown from the train. The invention is now being patented. WEAR Metal LOANS International News Service, Boston, Mass. The following are being shown from society. This was the secretary of the charity, in discussing show commitments to Massachusetts state farm at 127 for the same month. The passing of the saloon and ined industrial conditions are responsible," said Mr. Kelo. de la Pannouse, who able services during the of the British com- the French Red Cross, has with the Order of

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# NO MORE HAND GRENADE BANKS TO GIVE AWAY

DALLAS, Oct. 11.—Relative to the contemplated distribution of Hand Grenades converted into Savings Banks, the following telegram received from Washington, was made public by Frank M. Smith, Federal District Director.

"The Secretary of War has cancelled contracts for the sale of Hand Grenades to the Treasury and has requested nondistribution of Grenade banks. As the War Department has determined that the distribution of Hand Grenades as souvenirs shall not be made and has cancelled its arrangement for supplying Grenades to the Treasury Department to be manufactured into Grenade Savings Banks, the Treasury is unable to distribute the banks. In order, however, to recognize the efforts of persons in working and saving, each one who would have been entitled to a bank will receive a Certificate of Achievement from the Treasury in appreciation of his industry in saving and buying Government securities."

"The receipt of this wire means that the Savings Division will not be allowed to supply Hand Grenade Savings Banks to the thousands of banks and merchants in the Eleventh Federal Reserve District, which ordered their distributed as rewards to the children and adults saving and investing their money in United States Government War Savings Stamps and Registered Treasury Savings Certificates," Mr. Smith said.

"I am very keenly disappointed, as will be the bankers of the State and many thousands of persons who desire to become the possessors of one of these rare and unique war souvenirs," he said.

Certificates of Achievement, signed by the Secretary himself, will be forwarded to those who would have been their beneficiaries to receive a Hand Grenade and the Savings Bank.

Mr. Smith announced today that the sale of War Savings Stamps, Thrift Stamps and the new Registered Savings Certificates has increased materially. This, he points out, is due to the fact that the crops are now being harvested and sold and thousands of persons are investing their savings, or a portion of their savings, in these securities.

## PINK BOLL WORM IN TEXAS IS ERADICATED

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 11.—The successful campaign of eradicating the pink boll worm, the most serious cotton pest that ever visited this country, has apparently been successful, according to F. V. Davis, Commissioner of Agriculture, upon his return from an inspection trip through West Texas.

"Because of the fact that the most careful scouting this season, has revealed no signs of the pests in the original places of infestation," said Mr. Davis, "I believe the work of eradicating this enemy to the cotton crop has been highly successful." Records from zones in the western part of the state have not yet been received, therefore, I am unable to say what the conditions are in those parts.

"We will not let up on our vigilance, however, and I am appointing a force of state inspectors who have been trained in this work to co-operate with the federal workers so that any outbreaks occurring can readily be found and speedily subdued."

E. E. School, chief entomologist, announced that the Texas pink boll worm committee soon will begin a series of public hearings with reference to retaining or changing the quarantine zone and that in the course of a few days the personnel of this commission will be announced.

The first public hearing will be held at Hoag on October 15, he said and the disposition of zone No. 1 will be considered. This zone covers the original infested area found in Texas in 1917.

## "SPOOKS" HAVE APPROVED SO SIR OLIVER MOVES.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The "spooks" have approved, and Sir Oliver Lodge is about to move into his new house in Wiltshire.

Sir Oliver had all plans made to live in a certain house in Hampstead Garden, but a communication from the spirit world advised Lady Lodge that the family had better seek elsewhere for a home.

"The spirits had no objection to the new house, and the landlord was so pleased with the idea of having Sir Oliver for a tenant that he offered to build on a large library in which the ringer can continue his delving into the spirit world."

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## NOTED SPECIALISTS HELP DR. GRAYSON RESTORE PRESIDENT WILSON TO HEALTH



Above, Dr. Sterling Ruffin (left) and Dr. E. R. Stitt. Below, Dr. George de Schweinitz.

Here are the three famous specialists who were consulted by Dr. Cary T. Grayson, President Wilson's physician, when the president suffered his recent breakdown. Dr. de Schweinitz is professor of ophthalmology at the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Stitt is a rear admiral in the U. S. navy and chairman of the navy's medical examining board. Dr. Sterling Ruffin is chiefly known as a diagnostician.



## SEARCH MADE FOR LOST PACIFIC ISLAND

HONOLULU, Oct. 11.—Search for evidence supporting the theory of a lost Pacific continent is being prosecuted in the Hawaiian Islands, the South Seas and along the west coast of South America. Prof. Douglas R. Campbell of the botany department of Stanford University thinks that in certain specimens of ferns found on the island of Hawaii he has established the fact that at some period there was land connection between the Hawaiian group and the islands to the south and west through to the Malay peninsula. Prof. T. A. Jaggar Jr., in charge of the federal observatory at Kiluaea volcano, agrees with Professor Campbell's theory, asserting that there are geological indications that the islands of the Pacific once were connected.

Seeking data in support of Professor Campbell's theory, Prof. W. A. Bryan of the College of Hawaii is touring the west coast of South America and the South Sea Islands.

ENGLAND WAKING UP.—That England is again giving attention to automobile speed events, after a suspension of five years, is indicated in the recent speed trials held at Westiff under the auspices of the Essex Motor club. The course was one kilometer (one-eight mile) in length, along the esplanade, which normally would be very fast, but in

## TRUCK AND HORSE

A truck will carry a third more grain than a horse-drawn vehicle; it will make three round-trips of eleven miles each way while the two-horse vehicle is covering the same ground. It will displace the horse as surely as the horse has displaced the ox. Further, the truck works as well at the end of ten hours as it did at the beginning. It does not sicken in the stable and die in a night; it is not so affected by noonday heat that it must rest during the heated period. Farm land is at a premium in America, and yet the horses on the farms, consume the product of 135,000,000 acres yearly. That represents, in wheat, perhaps 2,000,000 bushels, as a conservative estimate. It is well known that it takes the product of five acres to support the horse. The average farm has not less than eight horses. This means forty unproductive acres. These facts have all been recognized. The farmers last year bought thousands of motor trucks. This year they will buy thousands more.

Progress.—"At any rate, the war did away with the Teutonic names in the comic supplements."

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Five-Passenger Hudson 33, good condition	\$250.00
1917 Hudson Super-Six Sedan	\$1,750.00
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## References:

Texas Bank & Trust Company,  
Ranger; City National Bank,  
Bryan, Texas.

## SPOKANE WOMAN IS HEAD OF PACIFIC COAST NURSERYMEN



Mrs. Robert Day.

Unusual it may seem, but the organized nurserymen of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, California, Utah and British Columbia are not headed by a nurseryman but by a nurserywoman. She is Mrs. Robert Day of Spokane, Wash., and her title is president of the Pacific Coast Nurserymen's association. Two hundred active members are on the association's rolls and Mrs. Day is about the only woman on the list. Mrs. Day started in the business when she was sixteen years old and she is but twenty-three now.

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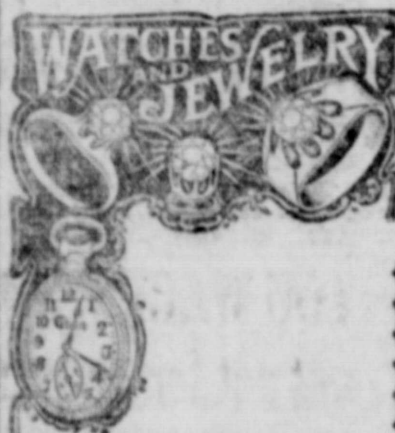
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## MOON'S EFFECT ON PLANTS IS ALL "BUNC," SAYS EXPERT

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 11.—H. M. Wills, official weather prognosticator here, throws a harpoon into the pet theory that the moon has a great deal to do with the vegetable, animal and human life growth. It is all "bunc," he says. Hearken to him: "We have calls every day asking the phase of the moon, from people who are contemplating planting something, or who believe it has some effect upon human life. The moon has no effect upon any life on the earth's surface. The only effect it has upon conditions on the earth's surface is that it draws the tides. Under proper conditions of the sky the only way the moon can affect human life is to furnish moonlight for young couples."



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 E. Barnes No. 1, 3530, waiting for tools; No. 2, location; No. 3, running 6 1/2-inch; No. 4, waiting on gas engine; No. 5, 3470, cleaning out 35 feet off bottom.  
 W. P. J. No. 1, 3470, swabbing and cleaning out.  
 W. Barnes No. 1, 2600, drilling sand; No. 2, 850, clamping casing; No. 3, moving in tools.  
 T. Davis No. 1, flowing; No. 2, 3278, drilling black lime; No. 3, rig; No. 4, 1740, changing cables; Nos. 5 and 6, locations; No. 7, rig.  
 B. L. Danley No. 3, 3300, black lime; No. 4, 2000, black slate; No. 5, 1290, red rock; No. 6, rig; No. 7, 305, blue shale.  
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 Farmers State Bank No. 1A, spudding; No. 1B, rig.  
 Anderson No. 1, 1160, slate; No. 2, rig; Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, locations.  
 J. B. King No. 1, location.  
 Waldorf No. 1, location.

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 W. E. Carey No. 4, location; 9B, drilling.  
 J. A. Carey No. 3A, rig; 4A, rig; 5A, 340, lime; 6A, rigging up; 7A, 8A, 9A, 10A, 11A, 12A, rigs.

**Ranger District.**  
 Rust No. 10, 220, shale; No. 11, 670, blue shale; Nos. 12, 17, locations.  
 Lauderdale No. 3, 3400, sandy lime; No. 4, 3200, black lime.  
 Maynard No. 1, 3200, blue shale; No. 2, rig; No. 4, location.  
 Daniels No. 1, rig.

**Jennings District.**  
 Longings B1, 1100, sand; B2, rig; B3, location.  
 Christmas No. 2, rig; No. 3, location; No. 4, rig.

## NORTH CADDO DISTRICT.

Coody No. 1, 3420, waiting on casing tools; No. 2, 3370, flowing; No. 3, pulling rods; No. 4, swabbing and bailing; No. 5, bailing; No. 6, 1850, cleaning out; No. 7, 3225, shut down for band wheel; No. 8, 2945, drilling water sand; No. 9, rig; No. 10 and eleven location.  
 J. L. Harris No. 1, 980, drilling slate.  
 Manning No. 1, flowing; No. 2, 3165, black lime.  
 J. R. Smith No. 1, 2720, shut down for 6 1/2-inch nipple; No. 2, 500, drilling.  
 J. B. Sloan No. 1, 925, waiting for underreamer.

## SOUTH CADDO DISTRICT.

W. P. J. No. 1, 3525, fishing for casing; No. 2, 560, drilling; Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6, casing on ground.  
 J. N. Yocum No. 1, 3558, running pipe; No. 2, rig.  
 W. C. Hill No. 1, rig.  
 B. Stuard No. 1, 160, spudding.  
 Y. Jennings No. 1, building rig.  
 Ledbetter No. 1, pumping; No. 2, 3250, swabbing; No. 3, 2500, shut down for crew; No. 4, 2500, rig.  
 R. Lee No. 1, 3320, fishing for tools; No. 2, 1825, shale; Nos. 3 and 4, 2125, 2150, 5 and 6, rigs on ground.  
 Vauze No. 1, 3445, waiting on fishing tools; No. 2, 3308, fishing for tools; No. 3, 340, shale; No. 5, rig.

## WELAND DISTRICT.

S. C. Smith No. 1, 1600, shale.  
 B. B. C. No. 1, 2340, running 8 1/2-inch.  
 S. E. Ledbetter No. 1, 1340, underreaming.  
 W. C. Ledbetter No. 1, 2200, shale.  
 J. P. Maxwell No. 1, 2450, sand.  
 B. N. Newman No. 1, 1105, underreaming.  
 C. W. Dooley No. 1, rig.  
 J. J. Hand No. 1, rig.  
 J. S. Simmons No. 1, 650, shale.  
 J. Cooner No. 1, 880, casing.  
 V. B. Hodges No. 1, 500, sand.

## GUNSHIHT DISTRICT.

J. W. McWilliams No. 1, rigging up.  
 W. Poe No. 1, rig.  
 P. P. Thorpe No. 1, rigging up.  
 Fifth H. B. Adams No. 1, 125, underreaming.  
 J. T. Watson No. 1, boiler moved in.

## TEXAS PACIFIC COAL & OIL CO.

**Ranger District.**  
 Ra. A. No. 1, preparing to start.  
 Ra. A. No. 2, 19, 20, rigs.  
 Ra. A. No. 3, location.  
 Ra. A. No. 4, 40, spudding.  
 Ra. A. No. 5, 1640, slate.  
 O. P. No. 1, rig.  
 B. H. No. 1, 3, 305, sand, preparing to start.  
 M. C. Henson No. 2, rig.  
 William Meyer No. 3, 2200, showing gas at 3,150.  
 J. H. McCleskey No. 8, rig.  
 W. E. McCleskey No. 1, 3260, gas at 3350, oil at 3500; No. 8, 1740, flow of oil at 3500; No. 9, 3280, flow of oil at 3500.  
 W. R. Smith No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

## MID KANSAS OIL & GAS CO.

**Eastland County.**  
 S. S. Griffin No. 3, 800, straight casing; No. 4, rig; Nos. 5, 6, locations.  
 E. H. Layne No. 5, 3496, pulling 10-inch; Nos. 6, 7, rigs; No. 8, 3210, drilling; No. 9, rig; No. 12, 3475, bailing and testing; Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, rigs.  
 J. H. McCleskey No. 3, rig; No. 4, 3200, drilling; No. 5, rig; No. 6, 450, drilling.  
 J. M. Rush No. 2, 3135, straight casing; No. 1B, rig.  
 F. W. Taylor No. 1, 3240, drilling.  
 C. J. Harrel Ac.1 No. 1, 2636, trying to mud off 8 1/2 inch; Ac.2 No. 1, rig; Ac.2 No. 2, 3, 4, rigs.  
 J. Dabney No. 3, 2828, drilling; No. 4, sand 2700 to 2725, making 2000 barrels; No. 6, 2748 to 2763 sand; No. 7, 2656, drilling; No. 8, 1220, drilling; No. 9, 2010, drilling; No. 10, rig; Nos. 11, 12, locations; No. 13, 1400, drilling; No. 14, 200, drilling.  
 V. L. Dabney No. 1, 2200, drilling; No. 2, building; Nos. 3, 4, locations.  
 A. M. Fotte No. 1, rig.  
 J. L. Jones No. 1, building rig; No. 2, rigging up; No. 3, location.

## STEPHENS COUNTY.

Gudger et al No. 1, rig.  
 Rhoda Satterfield No. 2, rig.  
 J. S. Knott No. 3, 997, drilling; No. 4, 918, drilling; No. 5, 795, drilling; No. 6, 497, drilling; Nos. 7, 8, 9, rigs; No. 10, rigging up; No. 11, building rig; No. 12, rig on ground; No. 13, location.  
 J. M. Cook No. 3, building rig; No. 4, rig.  
 L. W. Wright No. 3, 1170, drilling; No. 4, 3210, drilling.  
 W. E. Carey No. 3, 3416, fishing for 6 1/2 inch; No. 4, 3405, cleaning out after shot; Nos. 5, 6, rigs.  
 T. J. Ledbetter No. 1, 3280, bad hole; No. 2, rig on ground.  
 J. B. McMartin No. 1, 2874, drilling; No. 2, 2120, drilling; No. 3, rig.  
 N. J. Rosenquist Ac.2 No. 1, 1590, drilling; Ac.2 No. 2, rig; Ac.2 No. 3, location.  
 J. R. Jackson No. 3, No. 3, 1950, drilling.  
 J. H. Herrington No. 1, 1125, drilling; No. 2, rigging up; Nos. 3, 4, locations.  
 Charles Benny Ac.1 No. 1, location; Ac.1 No. 2, rig; Ac.2 No. 1, 300, drilling.  
 C. V. Gantt No. 2, rig.  
 O. C. McClure No. 1, rig.

## HUMBLE OIL & REFINING CO.

**Ranger District.**  
 Coffman No. 1, 3350, putting on casing show; No. 2, 3550, black slate; No. 3, 3525, black shale; No. 4, rigging up; No. 5, building rig; No. 6, location.  
 Connolly No. 1, rigging up.  
 Truman Davis No. 4, 3354, steel line measurement.  
 Ellis No. 1, moving in tools.  
 Ferguson No. 2, 3, rigs; No. 4, 2790, black shale; No. 5, 1700, black sandy shale; No. 6, building rig; No. 7, rig.  
 Ingram No. 1, 3515, swedging and drilling on bridge; No. 2, 1029, grey lime; No. 3, 930, blue slate; No. 4, 1203, white shale; No. 5, 1565, grey shale.  
 Sully Lane No. 2, 300, grey shale; No. 3, 513, black slate; Nos. 4, 5, locations.  
 McCord No. 2, 1048, white lime; No. 3, 47, blue shale.  
 Patton No. 5, 2218, shut down.  
 Scott No. 2, 3376, black shale; No. 3, location; No. 4, 1493, steel line measurement.  
 Ste Land No. 1, 3350, black lime; No. 2, 560, blue shale; Nos. 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 5

# A MILLION-BARREL GUSHER

Came in at Desdemona four months ago. It has since produced about \$2,000,000 worth of oil. You was not in on it. This well is about four hundred yards from the Tom McNelly holdings, and paid for itself in three days. You can get in on it this time.

## GET IN ON THE GROUND FLOOR

AN INVESTMENT WITH THE TOM MCNELLY COMPANY TODAY IS SURE OF BIG RETURNS IN THE VERY NEAR FUTURE.

THERE IS A REASON.

### The Head of the Company

Mr. Tom McNelly, the president of the Tom McNelly Company, is a man who is well and favorably known in business circles of Ranger and is recognized as a man of energy and executive ability, who accomplishes whatever he attempts.

He has shown great enterprise and public spiritedness during his residence in the city. He located here immediately after the fire, and was among the first to start rebuilding the devastated district. His holdings are located on the southeast corner of Pine and Austin streets, where he has his property leased to fifteen tenants, who pay from \$150 to \$225 monthly rentals. This block is one of the best business locations in the city.

Mr. McNelly has also successfully carried out a large number of street improvements and building contracts, for other parties, and has fully demonstrated his ability to competently conduct large business interests. The man who has shown himself competent to handle his own affairs is certainly able to assist others to make profitable investments.

During the war, Mr. McNelly was associated with the allied governments in handling supplies on the high seas. He was foreman on the steamship Missouriian, of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, which was the first vessel to pass through the Panama canal and loaded her cargo at Brooklyn, N. Y., for St. Nazaire, France. The ship was later sunk off the coast of Spain. Captain Lyons was the skipper.

He was also foreman of the Chipana, of the W. R. Grace Co., and foreman of the Welsh Prince of the Prince lines, later sunk off the coast of Ireland. Mr. McNelly carried passports which unquestionably admitted him to all the allied nations. He came to Ranger directly from service in this capacity.

In the early history of the oil development in the Desdemona fields a country school teacher and a number of farmers formed a company for the purpose of drilling. It was considered the wildest wildcat in the country. Had they appealed to YOU for support in a financial way, you would have turned them down, in all probability.

The result of the experiment is now an old story. These inexperienced men in the oil game opened a district which is now world-famous. Every one of them is wealthy today. They were all poor men two years ago.

Had the men who took this chance pinched the few hundred dollars each put in the scheme they would have undoubtedly been still poor men and the man who conceived the idea would still be teaching a country school.

The chances are still as good in the Texas oil fields today as they were then, only the investor is surer of "making good" providing he is with the right company.

There are other Desdemona pools. There are still tens of millions of dollars worth of oil in the Desdemona district. It will make you wealthy if you will let it.

The chance to associate oneself with a new oil company which is not burdened by a dollar's worth of "watered stock" is an opportunity.

The Tom McNelly Company has very valuable holdings right in the heart of the Desdemona fields. The company is not overly capitalized. The overhead expense is very small.

They already have their new derrick in position, which cost \$60,000. It is beautifully located, within a few hundred feet of some of the greatest producers in the entire state.

The wonderful production of the Desdemona field is to many ancient history. However, when it is considered that many of the wells now producing territory pay for themselves every week the immensity of the production is, in a way, illustrated.

The Riley well, which came in as a 10,000-barrel gusher, is among the leaders of the district, and is only a few hundred yards from us.

Warren Wagner No. 1, which is one of the biggest producers of the state came in with 11,000 barrels. This well is about 300 yards from our holdings.

This record is added to by the N. V. Ellison No. 1 Humble, with 8,000 barrels; the William Echols No. 1, producing 9,000 barrels; the McMann-Reynolds No. 8,000 barrels, and numerous other magnificent producers.

Our holdings are right in the heart of these famous producers, all within a few hundred yards of these great wells. **THE LIQUID GOLD IS THERE.** All that is necessary is to go down after it! **WE ARE GOING DOWN!** If you are with us, you will share in the profits. Don't delay. Come in before the stock goes up.

### The Aim of the Company

The other officials are being carefully chosen from the business men of Ranger and the surrounding district, and will also include men of practical oil experience.

It is the aim of the promoters of the company to place an opportunity before the small dealer to become identified with a local oil company where every investor is given an even break. There is no watered stock. The power lies with the stockholders at large.

Mr. McNelly was, for a number of years, associated with both the Wall Street and the Philadelphia stock exchange, and thoroughly understands just what is necessary to successfully promote an oil company.

Taking these facts into consideration, the man or woman who is looking for an opportunity to make a profitable investment in a company where she will be associated with a keen, able business man will find it in the Tom McNelly Company.

Investment in the Tom McNelly Company is now being made at the price you are paying for your shares. There is absolutely no doubt that this stock is going up, and going up soon.

Stock is now selling in the TOM MCNELLY CO. at \$1 per share. Fill out the attached coupon for the number of shares you desire, and mail it with a check or money order made payable to

CUT THIS OUT AND MAIL IT TODAY

Dear Sir: \_\_\_\_\_ 1919.  
The Tom McNelly Company,  
202 Pine Street, Ranger, Texas.  
Gentlemen:  
I herewith enclose \$\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ shares in the Tom McNelly Company. I understand that these shares are to be fully paid and non-assessable, and no liability on my part, and that I will share in all profits of the company. Please mail certificate to me.  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

# THE TOM MCNELLY

## Cutwells Cash Grocery

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THE STREET, RANGER, TEXAS

One Block South of Public School

UNCLE EZRA PIPP IS WORRIED THESE DAYS. HE CAN'T FIGURE OUT WHETHER A ZEBRA IS A BLACK ANIMAL WITH WHITE STRIPES, OR A WHITE ANIMAL WITH BLACK STRIPES

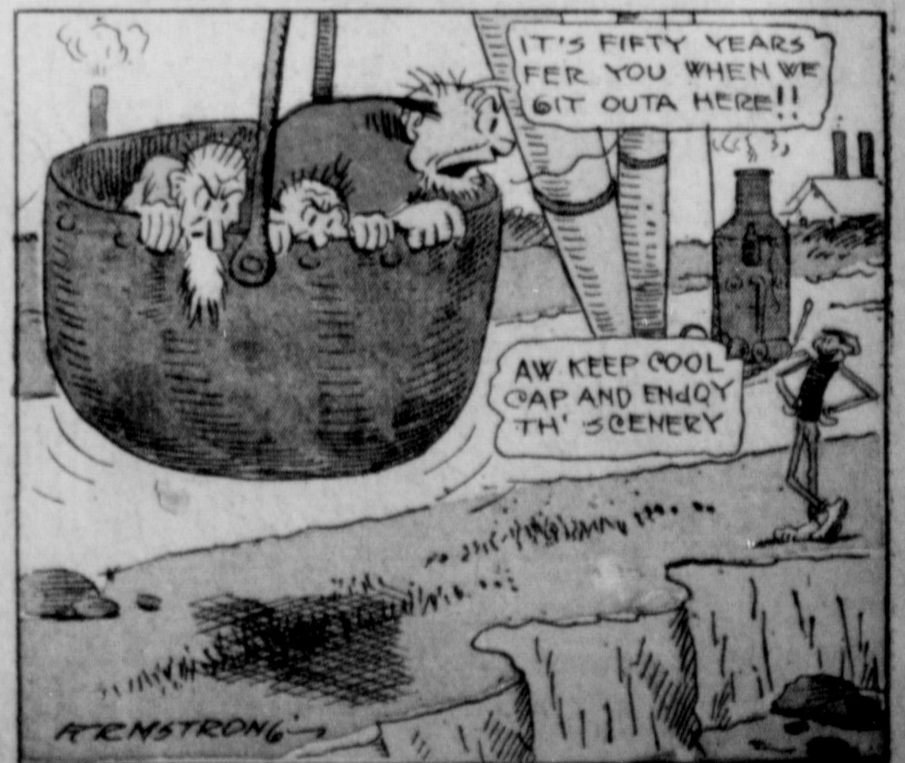
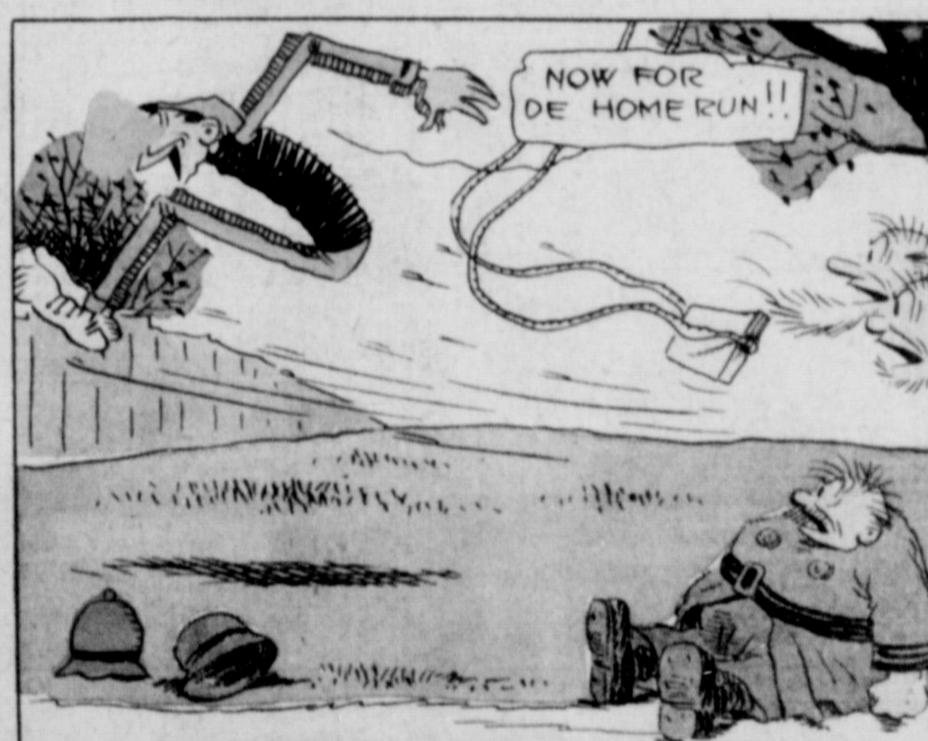
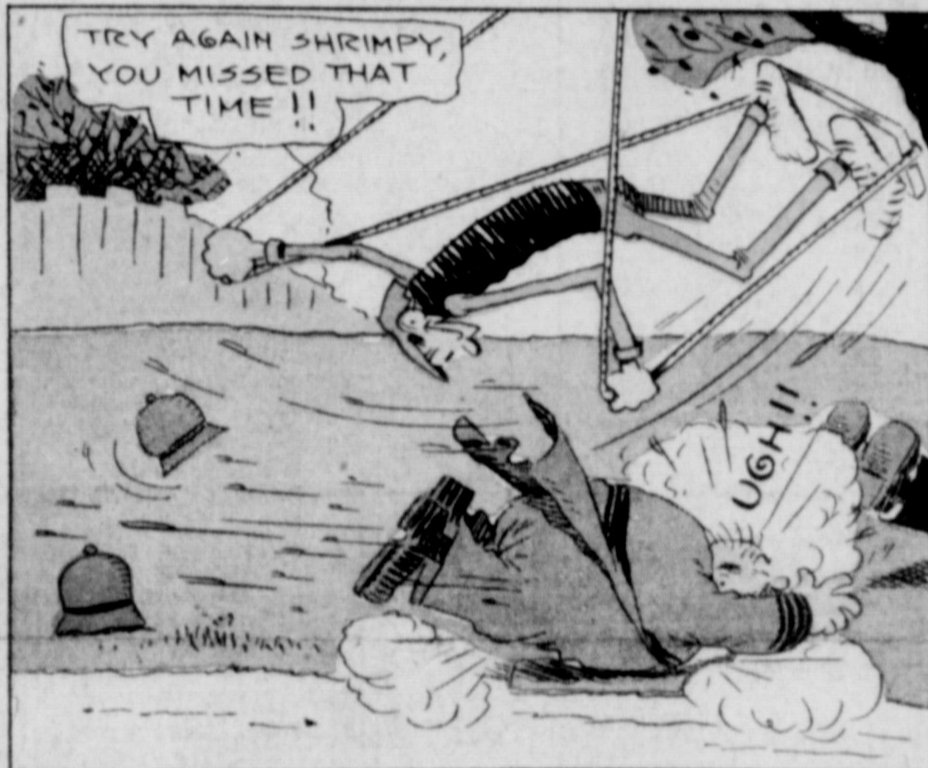
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# TIMES, RANGER, TEXAS

SUNDAY

SLY SAYINGS  
SLIM BY JIM

## SLIM JIM AND THE FORCE



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OH, MR. JONES!

MY NOSE IS RED, AND  
MY SOCKS ARE BLUE,  
I'LL BE YOURS LITTLE ONE,  
IF YOU THINK I'LL DO -

OH, MR. JONES!

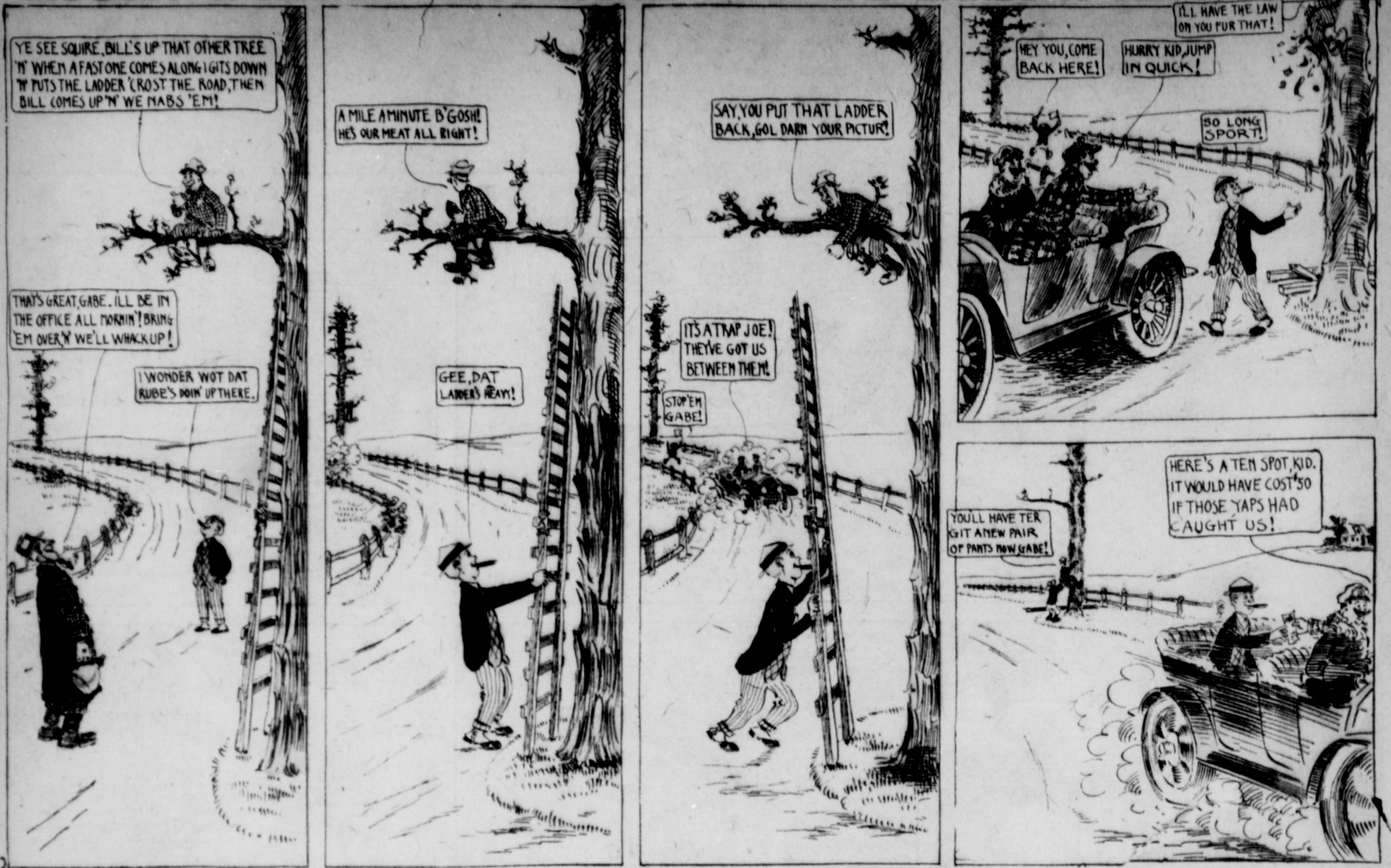
A DOLLAR IS GREEN, AND  
A TWENTY IS YELLOW,  
IF YOU'RE LOOKIN' FOR WEALTH  
I AINT THE FELLOW.

SO? MR. JONES.

ONE REEL -



# MUGGSY SPOILS AN AUTOMOBILE TRAP AND LANDS A TEN-SPOT



# FOR HE'S A JOLLY GOOD FELLOW—UNTIL HE GETS HOME



**TAXING THE NERVES!**  
MOVIE OF JOY—ON REEL—

HAVE YOU FIGURED OUT YOUR INCOME TAX?

YEAH! GEE THERE'S A TAX ON EVERYTHING—

THERE'S ONE THING TROUGH THAT THEY'LL NEVER TAX, 'CAUSE THE PEOPLE RISE UP AND HOWL!

WHAT WOULD MAKE THE PEOPLE RISE UP AND HOWL?

IF THEY PUT THE TACKS ON CHAIRS.

**FOWNS**

COMPANY



**MOVIE MAT STARTS OUT TO CARRY FILMS—AND STOPS**



**PAW TOMMYROT SHOWS HOW TO CRANK AN AUTOMOBILE**



**REVENGE**  
FILM OF KINDNESS.  
FILM OF BENEVOLENCE.

WELL HARRY, HELLO! I HAVEN'T SEEN YOU SINCE WE WERE BOYS!

REMEMBER HOW WE USED TO PLAY TOGETHER?

YOU WERE A FRAIL CHAP THEN, HARRY!

YEAH, REMEMBER THE LAST TIME I SAW YOU, YOU GAVE ME A BLACK EYE!

NO, I'VE FORGOTTEN ALL ABOUT THAT.

MAYBE YOU HAVE, BUT I HAVEN'T!

IN, Oct. 13.—Freight train between Hamburg and Cuba and Mexico was resumed Saturday with clearance of the steamer Hans carrying a mixer cargo.

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TIM --- THE KELLY KIDS --- TOM



**TAXIERS!**  
THE NERVES!  
MOVIE OF JOY - REEL -

DIDNT SADIE JONES MAKE A PURTY BRIDE?  
SHE WAS A PICTURE!  
SHE GOT SOME DANDY WEDDING PRESENTS!  
SHE SURE DID!  
WE GAVE HER SILVER!  
WE GAVE HER A FISH BOWL!  
WHAT DID HER FATHER GIVE HER?  
OH, HE GAVE HER AWAY!