

WILSON FROM SICK-BED PLEADS FOR END OF NATION'S INDUSTRIAL UNREST THRU MEDIUM OF CONFERENCE

SALVATION ARMY MAY BUILD \$50,000 COMMUNITY HOUSE IN RANGER SAYS LIEUT. COL. WOOD

A community house to cost in the neighborhood of \$50,000 is proposed for Ranger by the Salvation Army in the near future, if the interest of the citizens is sufficiently manifested in the present nationwide campaign for the Christian organization.

Ranger's quota is \$10,000. The county's is \$30,000. In order to stimulate the campaign it is proposed that not definite...

Always Big Work. "Some people think that since the saloons are gone there is no need for the services of the Salvation Army," said Lieutenant Colonel Wood.

Ready to Install. "For some time we have seen the need of maintaining a corps of workers here, Ranger is large enough; there is plenty of work here to keep such a group busy continuously."

Field Organizer Evans also is in the city to assist in the organization and preliminary of the campaign. He has marshaled his forces and expects a liberal response from the citizenship in the campaign.

N. Y. STRIKE BROKEN; MEN BACK AT WORK

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The strike of the longshoremen and other harbor workers, which paralyzed port activities here several days and threatened to cause a serious food shortage, was broken today when the ferry workers and 15,000 longshoremen returned to work.

ANAHUAC RICE CANAL BOUGHT AT BEAUMONT

Special to The Times. BEAUMONT, Oct. 15.—The Anahuac rice canal, property of the E. W. Brown of Pittsburgh, representing a value of \$200,000, has been purchased by Cant. W. C. Tyrrell of this city.

RECORD TIME IN 'SHING STRING OF TOOLS

Special to The Times. LANG, Oct. 15.—What is a record time for fishing out of an oil well was recently by E. C. tools were fished out in 10 hours.

FIGHTING IN RIGA GROWING MORE FIERCE

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 15.—Savage fighting is continuing in Riga between the Lithuanian troops and the German-Russian army which entered the city last week.

It is reported that great damage has been done to the quays and harbors and many civilians have been killed.

Denikine Now Near Petrograd

LONDON, Oct. 15.—With General Denikine's Cossack army advancing from the south and northwest, his forces are within striking distance of Petrograd and the soviet government of Russia appears to be facing a crisis.

Bolshevik headquarters at Petrograd were closed last Tuesday, according to a Daily Mail dispatch from Revel.

SPEAKS AT ABILENE IN INTEREST OF LEGION.

ABILENE, Oct. 15.—The Rev. John W. Lee, formerly chaplain of the 16th Infantry of the Rainbow Division, spoke here last night to a large crowd of former soldiers, sailors and marines and the general public.

WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 15.—A lone bandit awakened twenty oil workers employed by the Gulf Production company in the north field, lined them up and relieved them of all their cash, amounting to \$39.

Rangerites to Wear Faces to the Front

"There are two places to wear a face—in front, so you can see ahead, and on the back of your neck. Some men make tracks for others to follow and others just look back to see what tracks have been made."

Captain C. C. Chenoweth made this declaration this noon at the meeting of the Citizens' Committee in the drive for funds to pay for Ranger's right of way for the north and south railroad.

At the meeting this noon, the question of working through the theaters was considered by Chairman M. H. Smith, at the suggestion of Lieutenant Arthur Marowitz. An appeal may be made in this way in the last days of the drive, with snappy talks from the stage by convincing speakers, who will present terse reasons for "coming across" to those who have not already done their part.

"See some of these millionaires," is the remark that some of the unbelievers make. If they are referring to some of the oilmen, the committee can show them the original underwriting of the railroad right-of-way and the present figure of \$120,000 entered by the Citizens' Committee which represents the subscriptions of the men who were Rangerites before oil was discovered.

Mrs. A. F. Humphries, the only woman on the Citizens' Committee, has been one of the most zealous workers. She is captain of Team No. 1, and has for lieutenants John E. Milford and Mr. Grubbs. Their territory is the north side of Main street from the T. & P. station to Austin street.

Gompers Is Ill, Over-Work Is the Cause

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Samuel P. Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was reported today by labor leaders to be suffering a nervous breakdown. He is confined to bed by a slight indisposition.

Gompers' illness results, labor leaders say, from months of unremitting work at home and abroad in connection with the peace treaty, the international labor congress at Amsterdam and the steel strike.

He was stricken upon returning home last night after delivering an attack upon the United States Steel corporation for its refusal to deal with the strike committee.

Friends recalled today was the first anniversary of his daughter's death and it is said that fact has aggravated his condition. Those who heard Gompers' impassioned address in the conference yesterday realized he was laboring under a tremendous nervous strain and the announcement of his illness did not come as a surprise.

Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, has been elected chairman of the labor group to act in Gompers' stead.

MAYNARD IS ON RETURN TRIP IN AIR DERBY

NEW MINISTER TO U.S. FROM ITALY NAMED

ROME, Oct. 15.—Baron Romano Avezzano is to be appointed Italian ambassador to the United States. The baron, who has been minister to Greece, arrived at Rome today.

MCKINNEY, Oct. 15.—Mrs. M. J. Sneed, seventy-nine, mother of Rev. Glenn Sneed, pastor at Dallas, died at her home in the Lucas community near here yesterday.

URGES ALL POSSIBLE MEANS BE EXHAUSTED BEFORE ADJOURNMENT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—President Wilson will not sanction adjournment of the national industrial conference here until every possible means of finding a solution of the present industrial situation has been exhausted, White House officials said today.

The President, despite his illness, is understood to have been informed of the tense situation resulting from the controversy over labor's proposal for arbitration of the steel strike. He was said to feel that this should not endanger the ultimate success of the conference.

CITY OF OREL CAPTURED BY GEN. DENIKINE

LONDON, Oct. 15.—General Denikine's anti-Bolshevik army captured the important city of Orel with thousands of prisoners and enormous material.

BIG CHANGE MAY BE MADE IN THE PEACE COUNCIL

PARIS, Oct. 15.—Reports are current in peace conference circles that the peace conference may be replaced by a council of ambassadors, presided over by Stephen Pichon, French foreign minister, with Marshall Foch as his advisor.

ALL ON BOARD WRECKED SHIP ARE RESCUED

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—A wireless message from the steamer Chicago today said she had on board 139 passengers and 159 of the crew of the Fabre line steamer Venezia, which has been abandoned at sea in mid-ocean. The Chicago was due here Saturday.

Retired Rear Admiral Is Dead

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Oct. 15.—Rear Admiral Richardson Clover, U. S. N., retired, aged seventy-three years, died on a train west of Cheyenne today. Clover was enroute to Washington from California.

STAMFORD TRYING TO GET EXPRESS DEPOT THERE

STAMFORD, Oct. 15.—The Chamber of Commerce is making a strong plea, with the American Railway Express for an express depot here. This depot was promised the shippers of Stamford last spring. The case is before the Railroad Commission now and every indication is good so far.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—Announcement has been made in Berlin of the death in Leipzig of Dr. Kuno Meyer, professor of Celtic language and literature at the University of Berlin. As a lecturer Dr. Meyer was widely known throughout the United States.

BURLESON SAYS DEPARTMENT 'WONDERFUL'

ATLANTIC CITY, Oct. 15.—Vigorously turning against his critics in his first public address delivered since entering the cabinet, Postmaster General Burleson today told the National Hardware Manufacturers' association that the postal administration was "remarkable in development, wonderful in organization, and its standard of efficiency borders upon the miraculous."

STEEL WORKS IN OHIO AGAIN ARE IN OPERATION

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Oct. 15.—For the first time since the steel strike began, the Ohio works of the Carnegie Steel company were operating today.

2,400 IN SUIT AGAINST FIVE BIG PACKERIES

MEMPHIS, Oct. 15.—Charges that the five big meat packers are building a monopoly in the grocery business through the ownership of refrigerator cars and alleged discrimination in their favor by transportation systems, are under investigation at a hearing here today before Examiner Bartels of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Other Powers Must Have Fair Show With U. S.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Adoption of textual amendments would mean the defeat of the peace treaty and would accomplish no practical result that could not be brought about by negotiations, the senate was told today by Senator Calk (Republican), Rhode Island.

PRESIDENT HAS ANOTHER GOOD NIGHT'S SLEEP

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—President Wilson had a good night's rest and continues to improve despite a slight headache, says today's official bulletin.

MINE HEAD AND SEC. WILSON TO CONFER AT ONCE

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 15.—Joe Lewis, acting president of the U. M. W. Mine Workers of America, wired Secretary Wilson that he would be in Washington Friday for a conference on the bituminous coal strike.

STRIKE WITHIN A STRIKE IS THE LATEST THING

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—A strike within a strike resulted here today when automobile-owning steel strikers, who have been driving pickets to and from the South Chicago steel mills, for \$8 a day, working thirteen hours, yesterday demanded an 8-hour day with \$10 pay.

COTTON SEED OIL TRADING IS SUSPENDED

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Trading in October delivery of cottonseed oil on the New York produce exchange was suspended today by the board of managers. Inability to make deliveries of October contracts, owing to the port strike was given as the reason.

DAMAGED ROADS AT ABILENE TO BE REPAIRED

ABILENE, Oct. 15.—Re-routing of State Highway No. 30 from T. A. Scola south to the Rannels county line so that it parallels the line of the Abilene Southern Railway has been approved by the county commissioner's court. It is said two and one-half miles in distance are cut off from the road through this strip.

BERLIN UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR IS DEAD

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22 NEW WELLS WITH 21,000 BARRELS IN LOUISIANA FIELD

FORT WORTH, Oct. 15.—Twenty-two new wells with a production of 21,000 barrels of oil are reported from the North Louisiana field during the last week. Increased activity is seen on every hand.

E. A. PEDEN RESIGNS AS FOOD ADMINISTRATOR

HOUSTON, Oct. 15.—E. A. Peden, state food administrator for Texas, has resigned his position and it has been accepted. He tendered his resignation September 15, but with announcement, pending its acceptance, Peden was assigned to post in September, 1917. Peden will have an immediate leave under the new law governing profiteering in...

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KINGS DEMAND SOMETHING NOW, MOURN BAD FATE

By EARLE C. REEVES, International News Service Staff Correspondent.
GENEVA, Switzerland, Oct. 15.—"The pickings of the king business are rather lean," is the statement credited to ex-King Constantine of Greece, by a correspondent who has just visited many of the ousted monarchs and princelings in Switzerland, which has become the favorite bemoaning ground of scores of discarded crowned heads.

Neither Constantine nor Ludwig of Bavaria; nor Karl, nor the others, understand their hard lot.

To the query, "What do you think of the ex-kaiser?" Constantine, the one-time tool of William, replied: "There are some things one can not discuss with newspaper men."

"What about the divine right of kings?"

"I am afraid that is an exploded myth nowadays," Constantine replied; "but all the same, I cannot see why we should be treated so harshly. Kings are simply the servants of their subjects. They have no will of their own and can do nothing without their people's approval."

"Why, then, should we not have been left in peace by the allies, to live our lives and keep our courts as usual?"

"While Constantine has lost his kingly ways and lives in abject terror assassination, Ludwig of Bavaria leads the comfortable life of a country gentleman, walks a great deal and takes a childish delight in having tourists snap him in their hunt for pictures."

"I have no wish to go back," he declares. "I like the quiet life here, the freedom from cares and responsibilities. I am happy now, happier than when the cares of state oppressed me."

"I admit sometimes I feel we have been the victims of base ingratitude, but there are compensations in being able to live one's own life."

Karl of Austria still retains much of the air of royalty. He divides his time between the beautiful castle of Wartegg and a great mansion on the shores of Lake Geneva. Beyond an alibi, he has little to say.

"I do not want to be worried by the politics and the quarrels of the nations," he says.

"I had nothing to do with the making of the war. I have no enmity toward Great Britain or France. Everybody knows that all my life I have been well disposed toward them, and had I been free to determine the course to be taken, my country would not have been in the war."

Members of his suite are more outspoken. Among the many other grievances they spill indiscriminately is one regarding the shooting privileges. Karl has a large estate and loves sport, but, they say, it is a crime that the next estate belongs to a gentleman named Paderewski, who happens to be president of Poland; and Karl dare not overstep the boundaries of his estate for fear of international complications with Poland.

Somewhat, evidently, has put one on the royal party, for investigation shows the Paderewski estate to be many miles up the lake, with many estates intervening between it and the boundaries of Karl's shooting preserve.

Sun's No. 2 Maynard Is Making 750 Barrels

Sun company's Maynard No. 2 is a completion, making 750 barrels, with sand at 3,512 feet. It is the third well this week in that immediate section, five miles west of Ranger, Sinclair and Texas-Pacific's B. L. Danley and T. P.'s Terrell being other producers brought in within the last few days. T. P.'s Terrell A1, reported just over the Stephens county line, is on the A tract, five miles west, in Eastland county.

Magnolia Petroleum company has another on the Connelloe, No. 4, which is making 500 barrels, from 3,422 to 3,440 feet. The well is a mile and a half north of Olden, six miles west and south of Ranger.

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HUN SOVIET IN RUSSIA IS NOW ALL POWERFUL

BY HUGH MUIR
(Special Correspondent International News Service and London Daily Express.)
HELSINGFORS, Finland, Oct. 15.—A terrible picture of life in Petrograd has been drawn for me by an Englishman who has just come out from the stricken city.

There are now in Petrograd 800,000 people under the heel of 6,000 communists, and unless the city falls before the winter many of these people are doomed to certain death by lack of food.

Three hundred British Ex-Im, including 249 women and children, have been unable to escape. Mr. W. the coming winter nobody has been allowed to heat more than a few houses. And they are forbidden to use coal for heating until the temperature has fallen to zero.

Ready costs \$22.80 a pound, while base \$1.48 each, while bread and horse meat are \$5 a pound and potatoes \$2.40 a pound. The only procurable bread is worse than olefins. People with sufficient money to buy food must do so clandestinely, as the sale of food is forbidden by soviet law. One of the saddest sights imaginable is the street market, where starving inhabitants sell their last belongings to keep body and soul together.

At present Germany has driven a bigger stake into Bolshevik Russia than any other power. There is actually a German soviet in Moscow with 20,000 members. They decide many important administrative questions, and are actively preparing the way for exploitation of Russia.

A large tract of land in Volozhina province has been apportioned to a group of German communists who expressed a desire to foster communism. German commercial travelers overrun Petrograd, bleeding the helpless Russians by selling at outrageous prices food substitutes which are unfit for human consumption. These things are, however, greedily devoured by those who can pay for them. The country is being flooded with German saccharine because sugar is unobtainable. Yet in starving Petrograd one can buy Turkish delight less commensurate with saccharine made in Germany. The Russians know that they are being exploited and fettered against their will by German domination.

"Nobody, from Lenin and Trotsky to the humblest peasant, believes in the future of Bolshevism," said my informant. "Even the leaders of the movement know that if the allies fail to crush it, Bolshevism will one day disappear in a cataclysm wrought by the anger of Russia's workmen and peasants, who will purify the country by one of the bloodiest revolutions in history."



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1—LOST AND FOUND

REWARD OF \$25 for delivery or information leading to discovery of horse 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 roached 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. K. Ogden, Desdemona Texas, Box No. 12.

LOST—A black bill fold containing five ten-dollar bills and two five-dollar bills, between the Goforth place and Skinnerville restaurant, on the Sandy route between Ranger and Necessity. Liberal reward if returned to G. W. Hodges at the Plains Gas & Oil Co.

LOST—On depot platform on Saturday evening, a black leather wallet, containing oil stock certificates and bank account, both of which have been cancelled. Other papers of value only to owner. Finder please return to Times office. Liberal reward. F. W. Vongehr.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Yellow Persian tom cat. Missed Thursday night. Liberal reward if returned to Ranger Planning Mill, 210 Lamar St.

LOST—Gold watch, 21 jewel Burlington watch, Oct. 5th. Finder please return to J. S. Pargess, The Texas Pipe Line Co. office and receive reward.

2—HELP WANTED (Female)

WANTED—Colored woman to work in rooming house. Apply Mr. Hazard El Paso Hotel.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Time keeping job with some good company by reliable young man. Can furnish reference. Address C. R. Burnett, care of Reid Furniture.

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5—AGENTS AND SALESMEN

SALESMEN WANTED—We want 3 or 4 Lot Salesmen at once. Can make very attractive proposition. Call at Rooms 9 and 10, Terrell Building. Ask for Mr. Westgate. Kelly Realty Association.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

WANTED—You to know that hem-stitching is done at Richardson-Frown's on Main street.

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. Same old prices—50 cents. Unique Dining Hall (under new management), one block north of post office.

IF THIS AD reaches the attention of Mr. A. L. Barnes, come to Darrell Altshausen at Eureka Tool Co. Ranger, Tex., to see about valuable letter held for you.

ROBERT S. DOUGLAS, please come home or write to your sister.

PETE DEVOTO—Communicate with home immediately, sickness.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Chas. J. Kehrer and C. M. Walls of Ranger, Eastland County, Texas, doing business as the White Tree Filling Station, and the firms of Kehrer & Walls, doing business and operating a gasoline and oil station on the Hodges estate, situated and located in the city of Ranger, Eastland County, Texas, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Chas. J. Kehrer assumes all liability of said business, and is authorized to collect and receipt for all the debts, demands and accounts due and owing said business, and to make all settlements and adjustments of whatsoever character or nature relative to the final adjustment of the matters of said partnership.

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11—WANTED TO BUY

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WANTED—Clean cotton rags at The Times office.

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12—FOR SALE (Miscellaneous)

FOR SALE—Four strings standard drilling tools comprising four well outfit. Full equipment, loose for immediate possession in the Ranger field cannot be sold in part. Price \$50,000. Bryant & company, Suite 208, P. & Q. Bldg., Ranger, Texas.

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FOR SALE—2 show cases, 1 ice box, 1 small fountain. Inquire 307 N. Marston St.

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FOR SALE—Good Roll Top desk and four chairs at a bargain. See Meise & Curtis, over Ranger Drug Store.

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FOR SALE—3 room house with porch well furnished. All good and new. Cheap for cash. Inquire David Crawford, Bryant hotel.

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FOR SALE—1 house including store and Ford, 3 miles north of Ranger at Tidal Oil Co. Call at the Ranger Tobacco Co., Sam Ponzio.

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FOR SALE—Two room house on River Loop. See E. F. Best, Eastland Hill south of Public road.

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BIG OIL POOL EXTENDS INTO ERATH COUNTY

Special to The Times.
JAKEHAMON, Oct. 15.—In addition to the extension of the Hog Creek pool to the northwest toward the Hamill well on the Lewis farm there is a great deal of interest and much activity in the extension eastward into Erath county where the wells of the Erath and Sankey and the Comanche home company have proved superlatively good three miles in that direction from the place and where the well of the Phoenix Oil company on the Martin place has given a further boost to the eastward trend the latter being four miles east of this place.

Erath county tests are attracting more attention now as a result of this eastward extension. Some of the more interesting of these are Thomas & Lelands No. 1 Roberts, drilling at 2,816 feet; Columbia Oil and Refining company's No. 1 Connally, drilling at 2,730 feet; Sinclair-Gulf Oil company's No. 1 Stacy, drilling at 2,255 feet; Texas Pacific Coal and Oil company's No. 2, Lang, drilling at 1,925 feet; big Jack Oil company's No. 1 Jarvis, drilling at 1,925 feet; Gulf Production company's No. 1 Farns, drilling at 4,300 feet; Sinclair Oil company's No. 1 Percy, shut down for repairs at 2,300 feet; Yancy and others No. 1 North, drilling at 4,100 feet; Burt & Griffith No. 1 Kenney, setting casing at 1,525 feet; Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company's No. 1 Fulfer, drilling at 5,500 feet; Skelly & Sankey's No. 4 Anderson, drilling at 1,150 feet; Dixie company's No. 2 Hamilton, drilling at 2,640 feet; Petroleum Products company's No. 1 Robbins, drilling at 1,900 feet. There are several locations and derricks going up in various parts of the country.

Would Make Oil Flows Larger

JAKEHAMON, Oct. 15.—Studies are being made by the bureau of mines, especially by the experiment station of the bureau at Bartlesville, Okla., with the object of securing more of the crude oil within the earth than is now produced. It is the belief of experts that not to exceed 20 per cent of the oil in the developed fields of the mid-continent is being produced.

By better methods of drilling and possibly by control of flowing wells though producing against a back pressure or use of compressed air or electrical or steam pressure a great deal more of the potential production may be secured. Experts of the bureau are working on plans for getting more of the oil out of the ground and laboratory experiments will be conducted to this end.

Express Embargo Promises to Stay

According to Agent Steffins, of the American Railway Express company, prospects for an early lifting of the embargo on express shipments is anything but encouraging.

"We have almost as much stock on hand as ever," he said. "If people would stop the practice of using the express office for a storage depot and would call for their shipments promptly, we might catch up."

According to Mr. Steffins the rainy weather has retarded express movement from the office. People will not call for their packages in rainy weather as promptly as when the weather is good, he said.

"I don't think we will ever handle out more household goods," he stated. "If we get rid of that item we can take care of the rest."

Mr. Steffins said he thought the express company would have offices in the new T. & P. depot, which is to be started soon.

LEGION TO GIVE DANCE ON NEXT FRIDAY EVENING

Plans are being completed for the dance at the Summer Garden Friday night under the auspices of the American Legion.

It had been planned to send out invitations, but on account of the absence of a number of the members at Dallas, the committee last week decided to have the tickets handed by the members and their friends and to place them on sale at large hotels.

The dance will be given for the benefit of the club rooms of the American Legion.

Chaperones on the occasion will be: Mr. and Mrs. George Henningson, Mr. and Mrs. Marokitz, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Goshon, Miss Mabel Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hansford, Mr. and Mrs. Larson, Mrs. John Martin, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Noble, Miss Eleanor Panecost, Miss Watson, Miss Breeding and Miss O'Donnell.

The floor committee will consist of the following: James Jenkins Jr., Messrs. Clegg, Seitz, Warren, Ducker, Knoblesdorf, Kibrey, Black and Owens.

Help This Youth to Find His Dog

If you were a boy and owned a little dog that you thought the world of, you would know how to appreciate the letter which Raymond Taylor writes to the Editor of the Times, and will help the paper and the boy to find the missing canine.

The letter, which is self-explanatory, will give the information by which identification will be made possible.

Dear Mr. Editor:—About ten days ago I lost my dog and I want you to help me find her. She was lost from an immigrant car near the south end of the railroad yards in Ranger.

Mr. Editor, won't you help me? Snowball is the only dog I have and if you put this in the paper someone may tell where she is. If you ever had a dog when you were a little boy, you know how I feel.

Yours very truly,
 Raymond Taylor.

Desdemona Well Making 2,000 Bbls.

FORT WORTH, Oct. 15.—The Carruth No. 2 of the Texas-Oklahoma Drilling & Development company at Desdemona is making 2,000 barrels although uncompleted, according to word received here from Herschel Stine, president of the company.

The well, according to the message, promises to be even better than the Carruth No. 1 which made 3,500 barrels flush production.

Announcement has been made recently that a stock dividend of 25 per cent will be paid this month to be followed by a cash dividend of at least 25 per cent. The bringing in of the Carruth No. 2 and the apparent certainty of getting at least two other wells make it likely that the cash dividend will be much larger than was anticipated.

WADE WHITE LEAVES

Wade J. White, formerly of the Long Bell Lumber company of Wilson, Okla., but more recently connected with the Clem Lumber company at Ranger, has severed his connection with the latter company to identify himself with the Producers Lumber company of Gorman, in which company he will have stock. Mr. White is well known in Ranger. He is an energetic worker and has made many friends while in this city.

Negro Has Hard Luck; Dice Found

In the city court this morning four men pleaded not guilty to alleged vagrancy and after a trial all four were acquitted.

A negro was fined for affray. This negro has hard luck; he was recently tried, along with eight dusky-hued companions on a charge of gaming. He had possession of the dice, according to the testimony of the two arresting officers, and under the circumstances he was the only one that could be convicted. The judge rendered an opinion that he was gambling with parties unknown and fined him ten dollars and costs.

Last night he must have been in a fight with parties unknown, for his opponent's man's a steam getaway, while he had to dig up \$15.40.

MORE FIXTURES RECEIVED FOR POSTAL STATION

Three new desks and some badly-needed chairs have been installed in the local post office. Bids for the furniture were submitted by two or three local furniture houses and the Reid Furniture company was awarded the contract.

Several filing cases also have been received. They were shipped from Augusta, Ga., by express. The filing cases were badly needed in handling second and third class mail and the post office will be in position to give much better service in the handling of such mail when they are installed.

Postmaster R. O. Kelly is anxious to receive bids for the erection of fifteen mail receiving boxes, to be scattered in different parts of town. The boxes will be put on posts set in a concrete base. Bids should be filed before the 25th of this month.

An additional floor carrier has been secured by Mr. Kelly, making four now on the job.

"One reason the carrier service is not more satisfactory is because people fail to have their mail properly addressed," said Mr. Kelly.

Another examination for clerks and carriers will be held October 25. Eighteen applicants were present at the last examination, but there were only ten blank forms. The supplementary examination is being held to give the remaining applicants a chance.

SHIP MUCH DERRILLING MATERIAL TO DESDEMONA

FORT WORTH, Oct. 15.—Skelly and Sankey's Simms Petroleum company and other big oil operators are shipping enormous quantities of derrilling material to the Desdemona field via Stephenville.

CENTRAL OIL CO. HAS DECLARED 10 PCT. DIVIDEND

PE LEON, Oct. 15.—The Central Oil & Gas Association with home office here has just declared a dividend of 10 per cent. This is the second dividend of 10 per cent. This is the second dividend paid by the association in the past 60 days. The first dividend paid was 12 1/2 per cent.

PHOENIX NO. 1 IS MAKING 300 BARRELS.

FORT WORTH, Oct. 15.—Phoenix No. 1 Martin, four miles east of Desdemona, is making 300 barrels. Acreage in that part of the field has never been held as high as obtained in other parts of the field, and now a scramble is on for ground several miles to the east where oil was supposed not to exist.

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REFINERY MEN INTERESTED IN NEW TERRITORY

Several refinery and casing head gasoline men have visited the Hog Creek oil field in the only one in Texas that has no refineries or where there is a good supply of gas that has no casing head gasoline plant. With the arrival of the railroad this condition will be changed as the situation for the products. One of the refiners and casing head men who is impressed with the field after a visit here is James A. Jones of Oklahoma City, who was in this town and the fields adjacent this week. Another refiner who was here this week is Sam Roberson, widely known as an engineer and captain in industry, who was recently a Lieutenant Colonel of engineers in the American Expeditionary forces in France.

No Spare Children

At Police Headquarters
 Says Sgt. Reynolds

Three women came into police court yesterday and asked Det. Sergeant Reynolds a question that also has been asked by many.

"What have you done with your baby?" they inquired. "Has any one adopted yet?"

"Madam," said the Sergeant, "I have two babies but it is not my intention to let them out to any one just at present."

"We heard there was a baby that was picked up by the police and was being held for someone to adopt," explained one of the women.

A number of inquiries concerning the baby have been received at police headquarters and local officers are at a loss to know from whence the rumor originated.

FARMS IN ABILENE VICINITY ARE CHANGING OWNERSHIP

ABILENE, Oct. 15.—J. M. Cunningham, an Abilene capitalist and planter, announces the sale of four of his farms lying to the south and southwest of Abilene to as many buyers. The farms range in size from 198 acres to 201 acres and brought from \$4,800 to \$6,520 each.

There is considerable activity in farm lands in the Abilene country, but on top of the biggest crops in their history the farmers who own land are reluctant to sell. Fancy prices are being paid for most of the land that is changing hands.

Oil Operators Form Combine

FORT WORTH, Oct. 15.—Over one hundred and fifty operators on the Wichita Falls and Burk Burnett district, approximately 60,000 daily production, have banded together to maintain the posted rate in the mid-continent field. The rate is a tentative one, but of permanent when signed a cash 85 per cent of the Burk-Youington, and when the legal agreement is established.

Legion Have My Act Tonight

The America Legion will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the public library. A report will be given on the Dallas convention, and plans will be formulated for the dance to be given Friday night and the minstrel show in the near future.

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"CONTEMPTIBLE BRIBERY"

W. T. Tyler of Washington, director of the division of operations of the United States Railroad Administration, en route to Austin to attend the railroad commission hearing on alleged unsatisfactory service in West Texas, including alleged "tipping," in a statement at Dallas, has another name for the practice of giving switchmen and others extra money for preferential service. He calls it "downright, contemptible bribery."

The public who suffers most from the practice in chorus say, "Amen." In a very simple illustration Mr. Tyler shows the difference in "tipping" Pullman porters and bribing switchmen. Listen to him:

"Here is the illustration in a nut shell: Suppose you and I are receivers of freight in the railroad yards. The Pullman car comes in first. Then by the time your car should be shunted first it is shunted last. However, I see you have a man and pay him money to get your car placed in ahead of yours. The man is named what might be termed 'tipping.' In other words, he has 'sweetened' the trainman."

"Now let us look at it from another angle. The Pullman porter on the sleeper is placed there to render service. Not to carry in your hand baggage, to dust off your clothes, or to black your shoes. All that is extra service. All right. You 'tip' the porter a quarter, we'll say, and he does dust off your clothes and he does black your shoes. That is service for value received. It is not bribery. On the other hand, the switchman is paid to shunt in cars and any inducement that is offered him to put one car ahead of another is pure and simple bribery. Call it tipping if you will. I have a stronger word for it."

It is to be hoped that the hearing at Austin will take full cognizance of the alleged conditions which have prevailed here and that not so much blame will be put upon the switchmen for receiving bribes as condemnation will be expressed for the men who have "sweetened the boys."

WATER BUILDS CITIES.

J. A. Kemp of Wichita Falls says aptly, "You can't build a city without water." And Wichita Falls, acting on that hypothesis, is ready to vote bonds in the amount of more than \$2,500,000 for the damming of Big Wichita river forty-five miles above the city, impounding 500,000 acre-feet of water, sufficient to supply a mammoth city and provide for the irrigation of 100,000 acres of fertile lands. And one good turn demands another: Wichita Falls is getting ready to connect the city with the lake with an approved system of roads.

Ranger has incredibly better chances to make a city than Wichita Falls. Its oil resources are greater. It has no competitors. But it has not yet solved its water situation. Ranger has enough water for ordinary demands but it is not provident nor prudent to go forward with a city on such a rapid expansion basis as Ranger has shown in the last few months without finding a solution. And nature has made possible in the hills to the west a lake which will supply all our needs, whatever we may say against irrigation.

Let us think on our future as it will be affected by our limited water supplies.

WEATHER SERVICE.

The tropical storm which devastated the Texas coast and prostrated Corpus Christi, Rockport and Gregory has an echo. A prominent Houston citizen has charged the United States Weather Bureau with dissemination of incorrect reports and warnings.

causing people of those towns to be put off their guard. The weather bureau in an extended explanation appearing in the press of Sunday proves that it was not its fault that people in those towns did not regard the warnings. It showed its inability, through no fault of its own, to track storms once they got into the gulf. It is now suggested that the government devise a storm chaser, on the order somewhat of the sub-chaser, which will be able to communicate to the coastal weather stations the exact direction and velocity of these great tropical tempests.

EPISCOPALIANS PLAN TO BUILD CHURCH IN CITY

The Protestant Episcopalians of Ranger plan to build a church in Ranger in that near future. The bishop of the Dallas diocese, which includes Ranger, has organized a mission in this city. For the present the membership holds Sunday afternoon services at the public library, but now plan to build a small church. Bishop Moore will visit this diocese in the next week or two. Upon the occasion it is planned to have joint services in Ranger of members of the local church and those of the Eastland diocese. At that time action will be taken looking to the erection of an edifice here.

DALLAS FAIR MAY BE EXTENDED A WEEK

DALLAS, Oct. 15.—In order to recoup financial losses due to the several days of inclement weather at the beginning of the Dallas state fair, it has been suggested that the exposition be continued a week longer than originally planned. The selection of a new Dallas day, when liberal response by local people is expected. The attendance upon such an occasion probably would be around 150,000. The average attendance this year has been less than 40,000 a day, owing to the rainy and disagreeably cold weather.

GRAND JURY INVESTIGATES ALLEGED PROFITEERING

BEAUMONT, Oct. 15.—The grand jury here, upon being empaneled, was this week to take particular note of alleged profiteering in foodstuffs and to investigate alleged violations of the anti-trust law. The investigation is ordered for Jefferson county.

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Stephens County to Vote Bonds for Improved Roads

In addition to the plans that have been made and bonds voted by the counties and precincts from Dublin north to the Stephens county line for road improvements the territory traversed by the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad also will be served with good roads in Stephens county. Following the lead of Eastland county, that recently voted a bond issue of \$4,500,000 for road construction in the oil fields, Stephens county is maturing plans to submit a proposition to vote bonds to the amount of \$3,000,000 for highway construction.

The problem of getting materials onto the ground for development of the oil fields in all the oil belt of Texas is thus being solved in a manner that looked to be impossible a year ago. The Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad will traverse the territory in a central area and

the highways that are to be built will reach out from the railroad into the fields making the movement of materials and supplies relatively easy and expediting drilling operations.

Development of Stephens county has been held back by the long distance to railroad transportation and by bad wagon roads. True, the holdings in Stephens county are large and are in the hands of the major companies to an extent far in excess of the holdings in the Hog Creek pool and this factor will make for slower and more stable development of the field, but the coming six months promise to see a great impetus to the development program in the Stephens and Young county pools.

WHEN IN PARIS ORDER YOUR ROSES FROM LONDON

LONDON, Oct. 15.—In response to a cabled order, English roses recently were delivered to a customer at the Ritz in Paris four hours after they had been cut in the greenhouse of a smart West End florist. They went by Handley-Page from Hounslow at noon and before 3 o'clock they had been delivered at an apartment in the Ritz, the freshest English flowers ever delivered in Paris.

HERBERT SAYS U. S. R. A. IS MISINFORMED

Special to The Times.
AUSTIN, Oct. 15.—J. M. Herbert, president of the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad company, in a statement issued at Austin, declared that the United States railway administration has been misinformed with reference to conditions on that line. It was charged sometime ago by Mr. Herbert that the line was rapidly deteriorating under government control. This statement was denied by the director general, after an inspection of the line.



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Webster's Dictionary says:
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MORE TONNAGE FOR GALVESTON TO HAUL GRAIN

Associated Press
GALVESTON, Oct. 15.—Telegraphic advices received here today say that arrangements have been made by the United States Grain Corporation for additional tonnage to Galveston for the handling of the Texas wheat crop.

HUN OFFICIALS AT MITAU HAVE BEEN OUSTED

Associated Press
LONDON, Oct. 15.—The western Russian central council has ousted the German authorities at Mitau, replacing them with a regime headed by the Russian governor general, according to a wireless dispatch received here today. A state of siege has been declared at Mitau, the message adds.

Cabinet for Police Station Being Made

A cabinet is being built in the back room of the police station to furnish a place for storing the large amount of miscellaneous articles that find their way to police headquarters—property recovered and held for the owner, articles seized in connection with arrests, etc.
The cabinet will fill a long-felt need. Hitherto the police station has been a place where articles were piled up until they were taken to the warehouse. At one time recently there was at least ten thousand dollars worth of stolen goods lying in the station or stacked in the yard.

NO INDUSTRIAL PLANTS IN ABILENE PLANT GAS

Special to The Times.
ABILENE, Oct. 15.—No industrial plants in Abilene are using gas, according to Manager J. W. Dawley of the Abilene Gas & Electric company. The company was ordered by the city commission to cut off all industrial users and plug up the pipes, so domestic consumers might get the benefit of all gas received from the fields.

HIGH SCHOOL LAD IS INJURED AT ABILENE

Special Lensed Wire.
ABILENE, Oct. 15.—Having been run over by an automobile and severely injured, Clarence Newsom, high school student, is reported to be improved and is expected to recover. The accident took place late Monday while young Newsom was riding a bicycle and trying to avoid some dogs which were seeking to bite him. One wheel of the car is said to have passed over his head, inflicting serious injuries.
Newsom is the 15-year-old son of Rev. John Newsom.

HOUSTON SECURES BRANCH OF LARGE WAREHOUSE

Special to The Times.
HOUSTON, Oct. 15.—Selection of Houston as a location for a union warehouse to store 100,000 bales of cotton is announced. The structure will be built by the Union Warehouse corporation. Twenty-six similar buildings are to be constructed in the south, one of which will be at Fort Worth, it is announced.

H. B. Houghton, and oil operator of Oklahoma City, is stopping at the Hotel DeGroff.

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Ida Slayden No. 8, 3225, running 6 1/2-inch.
J. T. Earnest No. 4, rig.
R. L. Howard No. 4, 960, drilling; No. 6, 3480, will shoot with 60 quarts; No. 8, 3535, cleaning out after 30-quart shot.
J. W. Terry No. 5, 3454, cleaning out after 60-quart shot; No. 6, 3276, drilling.
J. R. Woods No. 7, 2425, drilling.
Emma Terrell No. 14, building rig; No. 15, 2440, drilling.
M. V. Brewer No. 2, rig; No. 3, 2550, drilling.
H. A. Demic No. B2, rig.
S. J. Whitson No. 1, 3815, getting ready to shoot; No. 2, rig.
E. Roper No. 4, 3490, tools out, cleaning out; No. 6, 3245, drilling; No. 9, 3245, drilling; No. 13, 3235, drilling; No. 15, 1562, drilling; No. 17, 665, drilling; No. 20, 3225, drilling.
J. T. Roper No. 4, 1025, drilling; No. 6, 3224, drilling; No. 7, 780, drilling; No. 9, rig.
R. A. Maddox No. A1, 2580, drilling; No. 3, 40, drilling; No. 5, rig; Nos. B2, B3, B4, B6 and B7, building rigs; No. A4, rig on ground.
J. W. Fox No. 1, rig.
Nannie Walker No. 1, rig.
E. P. Cannon No. 2, 3405, drilling; No. 3, 230, drilling.
R. H. Darley No. 1, 3095, drilling; No. 2, 1695, drilling.
C. I. Cotton No. 1, 3446, cleaning out; No. 2, 1420, drilling; Nos. 3 and 4, rigs.
W. W. Crabb No. 1, 2150, drilling; No. 2, 2180, drilling.
C. P. Simons No. 1, moving in tools.
B. A. Danley No. 2, 2340, drilling; No. 3, 907, drilling.
O. E. Meador No. 1, 1855, drilling; No. 2, 1335, drilling; No. 3, 335, drilling; Nos. 4, 5 and 6, rigs.
E. R. Hanks No. 1, rig.
L. L. Davis Nos. 1 and 2, rigs.
T. W. Duncan No. 2, 3228, swedging 6 1/2-inch.
W. M. Myers No. 5, rig; No. 6, hauling in rig.
Lillie Hatfield No. 1, rig.
Stephens County.
F. Dempsey No. 1A, 3275, drilling.
Scott No. 1, 3850, drilling.
A. A. Atkins No. 1, 3229, drilling.
H. A. Demic A1, 3573, rigging up (rig buried).

Richard F. Lydon No. 1, 2325, underreaming.
W. H. Goforth No. 2, 355, waiting for water.
George Riddle No. 1, 710, drilling.
L. E. Turner No. 1, 2555, drilling.
Charles Binney No. 1, sand, 3190 to 3273, 1000 barrels; No. 2, 1780, drilling; Nos. 3 and 8, rigging up; No. 4, rig.
I. E. Gardenhire No. 1, 2144, drilling.
Maggie Sparks No. 1, 2175, drilling; No. 2, 3040, drilling; No. 4, rig on ground; No. 7, rig; No. 8, building rig.
E. Y. Jennings No. 1, 3608, drilling.
W. J. Gardenhire No. 1, 3700, drilling.
S. A. Sarges Nos. 1 and 2, rigs.
W. R. Ashmore No. 1, moving in tools.
J. M. Meadows No. 1, rig.
Palo Pinto County.
S. J. Stuart No. 1, 1150, drilling.
S. R. Edmondson No. 1, 3755, drilling.
Throckmorton County.
O. J. Wood No. 1, 770, underreaming.
McCulloch County.
Zelle ranch No. 1, 3420, drilling; No. 3, 381, drilling.
Coleman County.
Miller ranch No. 1, 1315, drilling.

GERMANY TAKES HEAVY TONNAGE OF COTTON

GALVESTON, Oct. 15.—That Germany again is backing a cotton importing company was revealed here in a report showing exports from Galveston in August, when the Huns took 21,747 bales of the fleecy staple, valued at \$3,257,000.
France took first place as importer of wheat from this port, England being a close second.

NORTHEAST TEXAS FAIR IS READY TO OPEN NOV. 1

PITTSBURG, Tex., Oct. 15.—Eight of the fourteen counties embraced in the territory served by the Northeast Texas fair, which opens here October 21 and closes November 1, have arranged their exhibits.

TEMPLE FASTOR TENDERS RESIGNATION TO CHURCH

TEMPLE, Oct. 15.—Without announcing his plans, Rev. W. E. Phillips, rector of Christ Episcopal church, has resigned his charge here, much to the regret of the membership. He came to Temple from Canada about two years ago.

POLES START OFFENSIVE C GERMAN-ROSS

Associated Press
STOCKHOLM, Oct. 15.—The Poles have begun an offensive against the German-Russian forces in the Baltic region, according to a message from Riga.
It is reported that the Poles have captured Kovono, sixty miles northwest of Vilna, near the Courland border.

DESDEMONA WILL GET NARROW-GAUGE RAILWAY

Special to The Times.
AUSTIN, Oct. 15.—Articles of incorporation of the Stephenville-Desdemona Oil Railroad company were approved today by the attorney general's department yesterday. The company, which has a capital stock of \$250,000, will have principal offices at Stephenville.
The road will be twenty-two miles in length—a narrow-gauge. It is the intention to have the road in operation by January.
The incorporators are F. H. Chandler, Charles Neblett and W. H. Hyde.

PECANS BRINGING HIGH PRICES AT SAN ANGELO

Special to The Times.
SAN ANGELO, Oct. 15.—Native pecans are bringing 14 to 18 cents a pound on the local market. Paper-shell pecans bring 20 to 25 cents a pound.

CELEBRATED STATE LAND CASE IS BEING HEARD

Special to The Times.
OCT. 15.—The suit of the state against the Capital Free & Investment company, in which the state seeks to recover 72,000 acres in excess of an allotment to the company, or vacant by reason of sale to small planters, has been begun before Judge George Calhoun here. The case will consume at least two weeks in its hearing. It is one of the largest and most interesting cases to be heard in many years.

WICHITA PRODUCERS TO FIGHT OIL PRICE LOWERING

Special to The Times.
WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 15.—To maintain posted prices for oil in the Mid-Continent field was the sense of a meeting of more than 200 independent oil producers here this week. The agreement is to be effective immediately that the legality of the combine has been established. It is not known but that it might violate the anti-trust laws. At the session information more or less definite was given out that there was to be soon another fifty cent cut in oil here.

MID-KANSAS WELL IN TE DESDEMONA MAKES 400

FORT WORTH, Oct. 15.—The most important development in Stephens county is seen in the Mid-Kansas well, ten miles north of Breckenridge. The well is down to 3,258 feet and is making 400 barrels of oil and a large quantity of gas.

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An Open Letter by W. K. KELLOGG to the Texas Public

I am firmly convinced that TRUTH only convinces in the end.
No matter how a man or an institution may try to distract the public's mind from the main issue by a wilderness of words his product stands or falls upon the truth or untruth of his statement.
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You are the court of last appeal. Try—compare every thick corn flake on the market. Then buy of your grocer one package of Kellogg's Korn Krisp. You and your family eat every bit of it.
If it is not the best thick corn flake you ever ate, your grocer will refund your money.
It costs nothing to find out the truth—and it's very much worth your while.
Very sincerely,
W.K. Kellogg
Pres. Kellogg's Treated Corn Flakes Co. Battle Creek, Mich.

ACTIVITY IN STRAWN FIELD IS INCREASING

STRAWN, Texas, Oct. 15.—The old saying "when it rains it pours," has proven true in the new Strawn oil field. Following the coming in of the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company's well on the Stuart ranch near Strawn, opening up an entirely new territory in shallow oil by gushing in from a depth of 1700 feet with a production now estimated at more than 1,000 barrels, the Foreman well on the Foreman ranch, about three miles east of the Stuart well and seven miles north and east of Strawn is said to be ready to be brought in from one of the best sands found in this section of the state.

This sand is found at a depth of 2,000 feet and has every indication of being one of the best in Texas. Still further east and slightly north, and only six miles from Strawn, the King-gold well is showing some oil and much gas.

The oil is still running over the surrounding acreage and tanks can not be furnished fast enough to collect the ever increasing flow of oil, and the latest reports show that about 20,000 barrels of oil are on the ground. A pipe line is being run to the scene, but it will be a day or so before it will reach the big producer.

Leases in all this territory are beginning to pour and there is much trading at present. News comes that no field shows better indications of becoming one of settled production more than the Strawn field, and the bringing in of new wells almost daily opening up new territory has thrown Strawn in the highlight and she bids fair to be one of the biggest oil cities in the field.

The Caddo field is rapidly drawing nearer to Strawn and the bringing in of two wells on the Dillinger path between Strawn and Caddo extends this field near to Strawn and adds

October 22 Will Be Visitation Day for Public Schools

Wednesday, October 22, is "school visitation day" in the eleventh federal reserve district. A circular has been sent out by Frank M. Smith, federal district director in charge of war loan activities, to all postmasters in the district, urging them to visit schools on that day and make speeches to the pupils on the subject of war savings and thrift stamps.

Enough Workers to Supply Need Now in Ranger

According to Dick Howell, manager of the local free employment bureau, there is enough labor of all classes to demand the supply here. He said not as many men are out of employment now as there were two weeks ago. Carpenters especially are in demand, he said, while there is a surplus of drillers, tool dressers and rig builders.

One reason for this surplus, according to Mr. Howell, lies in the fact that many who follow these trades refuse to work at remote points away from a railroad, and since the field is gradually widening, many laborers drift into Ranger and cause an over-supply locally.

THEATERS

HIPODROME SHOWS FAMOUS FILM "VIRTUOUS WIVES"

Today the patrons of the Hippodrome will be favored with the well known film "Virtuous Wives," in addition to Ruby Pilgreen's musical comedy company in a new sketch "The Traveling Salesman."

What is a virtuous wife? Amy Forrester, around whom Owen Johnson centers the celebrated story of "Virtuous Wives," declares that virtue is essentially a state of mind. Webster's dictionary agrees with this definition, but Andrew Forrester, her husband, explodes society's upper crust in proving his own theory.

CHECKERS OPENS AT LIBERTY THEATER TODAY

Thomas J. Carrigan, who created the role of Cheevers in the Fox screen version of the famous racing melodrama which is to be shown at the Liberty theater today, has one possession which he prizes above all others. It is a letter from the captain of the Zealandia, the transport on which Carrigan served as a sailor during the war.

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crew and the soldiers; and the letter, sent to him after he had been discharged from the navy, expressed the captain's thanks and commendation for his work in keeping the men in good spirits.

Tom Haynie, of the local police force, went to Eastland Wednesday on business of an official nature.

Amy Urban, a well known oil operator of west Texas, is in Ranger transacting business.

Mrs. H. H. Panton, a property owner of Ranger, arrived in town yesterday from points farther east.

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Then he left her in their palatial New York home and went away to Colorado for a year.

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THE TIMES' DAILY SHORT STORY

DAVE'S HANDICAP

By Izola Forrester
Connie held her breath to catch the words over the party wire. It had not been her fault, unconsciously she had picked up the receiver to call a number and the very sound of his voice had made her hesitate and listen when she found he was talking to Hardy Goodwin.

RANGER OIL DRILLER GAINS TEN POUNDS

Yes, sir, it's a fact! I feel better today since taking Orgatone treatment. I have no more time during the next two years," declared W. C. Thompson, a well-known oil driller of fifty years' experience, residing at Ranger, Texas, a few days ago.

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FIVE-YEAR-OLD GIRL DISAPPEARS FROM HOME IN RUST ADDITION; SHE MAY HAVE BEEN KIDNAPED

Isabel Rowland, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Rowland, who recently moved to Ranger from Alabama, is missing.

The child is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Klinger, well known in Ranger. About 8 o'clock yesterday morning her mother dressed her for a visit to a neighbor and while the mother was dressing a smaller child, little Isabel went out to play in the yard. The mother did not miss her for about an hour, and then she decided that the little girl had gone on up to the neighbor's house.

When Mrs. Rowland appeared at police headquarters about 10 o'clock yesterday, she did not seem to be alarmed. She told the officers that she believed her daughter had gone to some of her acquaintances to play and would return later in the day.

Yesterday passed and the child did not appear. Then she became really alarmed. This morning the police were appealed to again. The searching party of women told Chief Peevey that they had been unable to secure any help or arouse any interest in their search.

Officers have been combing the city all day. G. W. Blankenship, who runs a cold drink stand, reported that he saw a little girl answering the description of Isabel at his stand, about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The girl stood watching children eat ice cream and he asked if she wanted an ice cream cone. She didn't have any money. He did not notice which way she went.

Little Isabel is described as being large for her age and rather sturdily built, with very curly brown or reddish brown hair, bobbed short, and blue eyes and fair complexion. She was wearing a pink dress and black shoes and stockings when last seen. She is very pretty and unusually intelligent for her age.

Her father, Perry Rowland, is working on a lease about twenty-three miles from Ranger. An effort is being made to get in touch with him. Her mother is almost prostrated with grief. She and her husband have never had any differences and she scouted the theory that he had anything to do with the child's disappearance.

Police still believe the child may be wandering around in Ranger, but it is hard to understand how and where she spent the night. There was some conjecture along the line of a kidnaping case.

A large party of volunteers, under the direction of the local police, started from the police station shortly after 1 o'clock today to comb the hills surrounding the town.

Speaking of Churches and Cuss Words and Ordinary and Special Tobaccos

Boomer Jones, Tim Beady and Hard John Timps sat on a stack of cement and watched a bunch of workmen pour cement into the basement of the new church. The afternoon was a beautiful one and all of them had dined well. Timps and Beady were lazily puffing their pipes. Boomer Jones rolled a chew of tobacco in one side of his mouth and he was squat thoughtfully through a crack in the lumber pile.

"It's funny," observed Tim Beady, as he shifted his long legs to a more comfortable position—"it's funny to think that this here church is put up with a cuss word for every brick, to make a moderate guess. I reckon maybe two cuss words to a brick. And when it's done it will be dedicated to worship."

PUTNAM GASSER NOW INTERESTS THE OIL GENTRY

The advent of two fairly good sized gassers in the Putnam "wildcat" field in the last two weeks is causing a number of oil men and others interested in the West Texas fields to go there to investigate according to word reaching here.

Indifferently, drilling has been proceeding in the Putnam section for several months. Several years ago the discovery of oil in that country led the more confidential of its citizens to believe that a great field would be opened. They of the Kemp and Kell wells are well of any prominence in the field.

They have come in for recent success. Troubles peculiar to the field and tantalizing to the public mind. Now the well is a success. After two shots the well is an offset to the Cathey, being some oil.

The gasser recently was a south-gasser. The Grant well is reported to be making between 3,000 and 4,000,000 cubic feet. It is situated about four miles southwest of Putnam. The Isohaver well is producing just west of town.

Putnam is at the foot of the hills which find their maximum elevation at Fair. It is approximately 25 miles west of Ranger, on the Texas and Pacific railway.

BRITISH WOMEN MUST ADOPT MINING WALK OF PELICAN

International News Service. LONDON, Oct. 15.—"The walk of the pelican, mining but graceful, deliberate yet dainty, and always alluringly feminine." That will be the new walk of England's new women, as decreed by the long and snug skirts which now are the fashion.

The words are those of a fashionable modiste, who knows.

The ex-government misses who have worn pants, and the war economizers who have reveled in short skirts, will find some initial difficulty in restricting their manlike war stride to this mining pace, but they'll have to do it. Fashionable modistes say so, and fashion itself decrees.

M. S. KETNER BUILDING AT COMMERCE AND WALNUT.

A two story brick building is being erected at the corner of Commerce and Walnut streets by M. S. Ketner. The lower floor will be used for store rooms while the second floor will have twenty one rooms and be used as a hotel.

The building will have all modern conveniences. Construction is well under way and the structure should be ready for occupancy within the next two months.

Atascosa County.

Grayburg No. 17, Grayburg Oil

RAIN DELAYS OIL WORK IN SAN ANTONIO FIELD

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 15.—Drilling operations in the San Antonio district were again hindered by continued rainy weather during last week. Reports coming from various counties through local office say that in numerous cases drilling has been temporarily suspended until the roads leading to several fields have become sufficiently dry to permit the transportation of fuel and supplies. Information obtained from the Alum Creek Oil company's office here is to the effect that this company's well, Wagner No. 1, located a half mile from Anvil, in Wilson county, had been shut down, due to impassable roads. Operations in Gonzales county also are reported to have been delayed, owing to bad weather.

Drilling reports from various oil companies operating in the San Antonio district for the week of October 5 to 11, inclusive, follow:

Atascosa County. Grayburg No. 17, Grayburg Oil

company, twenty-five miles south of San Antonio, drilling; No. 18, twenty-five miles south of San Antonio, rigging up, preparing to drill.

LaGrange No. 2, Witherpoon Oil company, twenty-one miles from San Antonio, rigging up, preparing to drill; No. 3, twenty-one miles from San Antonio, started drilling October 13.

Somerset Oil association No. 1, Somerset field, drilling around 2,000 feet.

Bexar County. Ulf Varnes Exploration company, Lamm No. 1, fifteen miles south of San Antonio, drilling below 500 feet.

Arizona Oil syndicate, H. Peace tract, spudded in. Hamilton Oil company, Hamilton No. 1, Hamilton tract, Somerset field, drilling below 162 feet.

Charlotte Oil & Gas company, Charlotte No. 1, drilling at 550 feet in gumbo formation; Kimble No. 1, drilling at 1,170 feet; strong gas pressure and good showing for oil. Well located near Devine.

Southwest Texas Oil & Gas company, derrick up, to be completed

this week and drilling to start within ten days; located near Charlotte wells.

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 15.—At this week's session of the city commission

a drastic ordinance was passed which prohibits the distribution of handbills on any streets or in automobiles in San Antonio. Until the new legislation was enacted bills could be distributed on side streets, but not in public halls.

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FIVE-YEAR-OLD GIRL DISAPPEARS FROM HOME IN RUST ADDITION; SHE MAY HAVE BEEN KIDNAPED

Isabel Rowland, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Rowland, who recently moved to Ranger from Alabama, is missing.

The child is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Klinger, well known in Ranger. About 8 o'clock yesterday morning her mother dressed her for a visit to a neighbor and while the mother was dressing a smaller child, little Isabel went out to play in the yard. The mother did not miss her for about an hour, and then she decided that the little girl had gone on up to the neighbor's house.

When Mrs. Rowland appeared at police headquarters about 10 o'clock yesterday, she did not seem to be alarmed. She told the officers that she believed her daughter had gone to some of her acquaintances to play and would return later in the day.

Yesterday passed and the child did not appear. Then she became really alarmed. This morning the police were appealed to again. The searching party of women told Chief Peevey that they had been unable to secure any help or arouse any interest in their search.

Officers have been combing the city all day. G. W. Blankenship, who runs a cold drink stand, reported that he saw a little girl answering the description of Isabel at his stand, about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The girl stood watching children eat ice cream and he asked if she wanted an ice cream cone. She didn't have any money. He did not notice which way she went.

Little Isabel is described as being large for her age and rather sturdily built, with very curly brown or reddish brown hair, bobbed short, and blue eyes and fair complexion. She was wearing a pink dress and black shoes and stockings when last seen. She is very pretty and unusually intelligent for her age.

Her father, Perry Rowland, is working on a lease about twenty-three miles from Ranger. An effort is being made to get in touch with him. Her mother is almost prostrated with grief. She and her husband have never had any differences and she scouted the theory that he had anything to do with the child's disappearance.

Police still believe the child may be wandering around in Ranger, but it is hard to understand how and where she spent the night. There was some conjecture along the line of a kidnaping case.

A large party of volunteers, under the direction of the local police, started from the police station shortly after 1 o'clock today to comb the hills surrounding the town.

Speaking of Churches and Cuss Words and Ordinary and Special Tobaccos

Boomer Jones, Tim Beady and Hard John Timpas sat on a stack of cuss words and watched a bunch of boys pour cement into the basement of the new church. The afternoon was a fine one and all were busy. Timpas was lazily puffing their pipe. Boomer Jones rolled a chew in one side of his mouth and spat thoughtfully through a crack in the lumber pile.

speakin' of in the world," said. "Even if the church ain't at the time, it's just as bad as the reason I never would follow public works. I can't follow them with out cussin' more or less and I might say something on a church ground without knowin' it, for you never can tell where a church is going to be built."

BRITISH WOMEN MUST ADOPT MINING WALK OF PELICAN

International News Service. LONDON, Oct. 15.—"The walk of the pelican, mining but graceful, deliberate yet dainty, and always alluringly feminine." That will be the new walk of England's new women, as decreed by the long and snug skirts which now are the fashion.

The words are those of a fashionable modiste, who knows.

The ex-government misses who have worn pants, and the war economists who have reveled in short skirts, will find some initial difficulty in restricting their manlike war stride to this mincing pace, but they'll have to do it. Fashionable modistes say so, and fashion itself decrees.

M. S. KETNER BUILDING AT COMMERCE AND WALNUT.

A two story brick building is being erected at the corner of Commerce and Walnut streets by M. S. Ketner. The lower floor will be used for store rooms while the second floor will have twenty one rooms and be used as a hotel.

The building will have all modern conveniences. Construction is well under way and the structure should be ready for occupancy within the next two months.

RAIN DELAYS OIL WORK IN SAN ANTONIO FIELD

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 15.—Drilling operations in the San Antonio district were again hindered by continued rainy weather during last week. Reports coming from various counties through local office say that in numerous cases drilling has been temporarily suspended until the roads leading to several fields have become sufficiently dry to permit the transportation of fuel and supplies. Information obtained from the Alum Creek Oil company's office here is to the effect that this company's well, Wagner No. 1, located a half mile from Anvil, in Wilson county, had been shut down, due to impassable roads. Operations in Gonzales county also are reported to have been delayed, owing to bad weather.

Drilling reports from various oil companies operating in the San Antonio district for the week of October 5 to 11, inclusive, follow:

Atascosa County.
Grayburg No. 17, Grayburg Oil

company, twenty-five miles south of San Antonio, drilling; No. 18, twenty-five miles south of San Antonio, rigging up, preparing to drill.

LaGrange No. 2, Witherpoon Oil company, twenty-one miles from San Antonio, rigging up, preparing to drill; No. 3, twenty-one miles from San Antonio, started drilling October 13.

Somerset Oil association No. 1, Somerset field, drilling around 2,000 feet.

Bexar County.
Ulf Varnes Exploration company, Lamn No. 1, fifteen miles south of San Antonio, drilling below 500 feet.

Arizona Oil syndicate, H. Peace tract, puddled in.

Hamilton Oil company, Hamilton No. 1, Hamilton tract, Somerset field, drilling below 162 feet.

Charlotte Oil & Gas company, Charlotte No. 1, drilling at 550 feet in gumbo formation; Kimble No. 1, drilling at 1,170 feet; strong gas pressure and good showing for oil. Well located near Devine.

Southwest Texas Oil & Gas company, derrick up, to be completed

this week and drilling to start within ten days; located near Charlotte wells.

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 15.—At this week's session of the city commission

a drastic ordinance was passed which prohibits the distribution of handbills on any streets or in automobiles in San Antonio. Until the new legislation was enacted bills could be distributed on side streets, but not in public halls.

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PUTNAM GASSER INTERESTS THE GENTRY

The advent of two fairly good sized gassers in the Putnam "wildcat" field in the last two weeks is causing a number of oil men and others interested in the West Texas fields to go there to investigate according to word reaching here.

Indefinitely, drilling has been proceeding in the Putnam section for several months. Several years ago the discovery of oil in that country led the more confidential of its citizens to believe that a great field would be opened. The Cathey of the Kemp and Kell was the first well of any promise to be drilled in the Putnam. It was reported to have come in for seventy-five barrels a day. Troubles peculiar to drilling in the Putnam section, however, prevented the well from being drilled. The Cathey, however, shot the well an oil well. The Cathey, in producing some gas, is producing some oil.

The gas struck in the south-west of Putnam. The well is reported to be making 3,000, 500 and 4,000,000 cubic feet of gas a day. It is estimated about four million cubic feet of gas a day. The lease is producing just west of town.

Putnam is at the foot of the hills which find their maximum elevation at Fair. It is approximately 35 miles west of Ranger, on the Texas and Pacific railway.

A number of other wells are being drilled in the neighborhood of Putnam. South of the town two or three derricks may be seen from the window of

FIRE INSURANCE BOARD WANTS HAZARDS REMOVED

Special in The Times.—The state fire insurance commission has appealed to insurance companies as well as others interested to co-operate in removing fire menaces.

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