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From World's
Greatest Field**

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CAPITAL AND PUBLIC WILL CONTINUE CONFERENCE DESPITE WITHDRAWAL OF ORGANIZED LABOR GROUP

Bernstorff declares U-boats Germany's Death blow

U.S. RESERVE BANK HAD A PLAN TO DENY CREDITS TO ENTENTE ALLIES

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, Oct. 23.—Questioned yesterday by members of the committee investigating the responsibility of German officials for the war, brought from Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to Washington, the declaration that since returning to Germany and learning the inner details of the proceeding when peace was offered, he was convinced that Germany had no intention of accepting President Wilson's offer to negotiate peace.

He started his hearers by declaring the United States federal reserve bank had a plan mapped out to deny the entente nations credits, but this was spoiled by the submarines.

Count von Bernstorff said that President Wilson repeatedly told him that if Germany met him on the submarine proposition the President would see about the hunger blockade.

GRAIN CROP OF TEXAS WILL BE MOVED AT ONCE

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—Prevailing instructions of the federal railroad administration provide that when cars can be released at ports and primary markets, the preferential supply over all other requirements must be given grain, and especially that upon the ground, according to a telegram to Governor Hobby from Director General Hines today.

The fullest co-operation by the railroad administration in the movement of the Texas grain crop will be given, said the message, which is in reply to one from the governor, in which he stated that unless the Texas grain crop moved promptly millions of bushels would spoil.

GOMPERS SAYS LABOR MUST GET RECOGNITION

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation of Labor, reiterated today that unless the employers' group in the national industrial conference agreed to the declaration that workers without discrimination have the right to organize it was useless for them to continue deliberations.

GOVERNMENT IS DEFRADED IN CONTRACT

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—The Chicago real estate board is considering the award of the flat janitors union for 70 per cent wage increases, an 8-hour day and the elimination of basement living quarters.

A strike is threatened by the janitors unless their demands are met.

HEAVY RAINS FALL OVER
PORTIONS OF NORTH TEXAS

Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Real relief for the railroad congestion the Texas oil fields were promised to a delegation of Texas congressmen by Director General Hines of Railroads today. The Texas delegation presented the matter in straight-to-the-point talk, and the conference lasted two hours. The Texas delegation did most of the talking.

As a result of the conference, Mr. Hines will take up the matter with Congress at once, and it is confident that something to meet every one's belief that our congestion will be effected within the very near future.

BAYLOR CHARTERS TRAIN FOR FOOTBALL GAME

WACO, Oct. 23.—A special train has been chartered by students of Baylor university for the trip to Austin, where on Saturday the Texas football team will be met. The train will pick up several scores of students from the Baylor Female college.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—Criminal prosecution, at least of army officers and civilians, and the institution of a civil suit to recover \$15,000,000 which he estimates the government has been defrauded of in connection with a \$40,000,000 munitions contract, involving the Standard Steel Car company at Hammond, Ind., will be asked in a report to congress by the sub-committee which investigated the case, according to Chairman William Graham.

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Special to The Times.

DALLAS, Oct. 23.—In the last forty-eight hours heavy rains have fallen over the northern and western parts of the state, adding to the serious aspect of gathering crops, only 50 per cent of which have been harvested.

In North Texas three persons are known to have been drowned and others were injured. Train service has been interrupted on a number of roads.

VAL VERDE COUNTY IS
LOOKING UP FOR OIL

Special to The Times.

DALLAS, Oct. 23.—Interest is at a white heat here over the report that oil in varying quantities has been found in the E. H. R. Green well on the Whitehead ranch in Val Verde county. It was known that a shooting was found at 1,500 feet. The producing oil is said to have been encountered at 2,100 feet.

MERKEI WANTS NEW PASSENGER TRAIN, TOO

Special to The Times.

MERKEI, Oct. 23.—Business with the Texas & Pacific railroad at this point has increased so largely that an additional passenger train to handle traffic into and out of Merkei seems to be imperative. An effort will be made to have the railroad commission put on another train.

IF THESE MEN GET 30-HOUR WEEK AND 30 PER CENT MORE WAGES, FOR WHICH THEY THREATEN TO STRIKE, COAL PRICES WILL SOAR



* Coal miners at a meeting; their president, John L. Lewis, and a glimpse at some of their homes.

If the bituminous coal miners of the country, who have voted to cease production of coal at midnight on Friday, October 24, 1919, win their fight the price of coal will soar, as the principal item of cost in the production of coal is wages. They demand a thirty-

hour week and an increase in wages of sixty per cent. Secretary of Labor Wilson is doing his utmost to avert a walkout.

SPANISH KING SEES SCENES OF BIG BATTLES

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Oct. 23.—King Alfonso, concluding a brief visit to France, left here today on a special train for London.

Over the historical battlefields of Verdun yesterday, the King walked with Marshal Petain, chief defender of Verdun during the tremendous struggle fought during February and March, 1916. The Spanish king placed a wreath of orchids in the military cemetery and then proceeded over the battlefield, making numerous questions.

He professed surprise when he learned that Verdun was not prepared for the German offensive against Verdun as is generally believed. He was told that the Germans attacked almost without warning.

"We knew the enemy's plan six weeks before the attack when we began constructing a formidable system of railroads leading to Verdun," said Marshall Petain.

They expect to reach New York between December 1 and 15.

TO DETERMINE
ACTION ON COAL
STRIKE TODAY

By Associated Press.

WICHITA, Oct. 23.—Action of the coal miners and operators today on the proposal of Secretary of Labor Wilson for a cessation of their differences will determine the future course of the government in its effort to avoid the strike of a half million

bituminous coal miners November 1.

The proposal would grant the miners increased wages but ignore the union demand for thirty-six hours a week.

The Houston company filed an intervening petition in the case when the hearing was resumed today.

THE HOUSTON CO.
IN FIGHT AGAINST
BIG 5 PACKERS

Special to The Times.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—The Magdalena Provision Company of Houston, Texas, has joined with the National Wholesale Grocers' association and others who are seeking to have the United States interstate commerce commission abolish the alleged special privileges which, they charge, permit the five big packers to ship non-perishable products in refrigerator cars.

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PILOTS START TRIP, RANGER TO NEW YORK

Special to The Times.

FORT WORTH, Oct. 23.—The value of Texas production has increased 250 per cent within the last two years, according to figures compiled by the Wall Street Journal.

Texas now is producing oil at the rate of \$0,000,000 million barrels a year and is classed as the third largest oil producing state in the country; in fact, in the quantity of production Texas is surpassed only by California, having passed Oklahoma in output several months ago.

The value of the Texas production in 1916 was \$11,835,000. The value of last year's output was \$38,313,000.

The value of all the high-grade oil produced in North Central Texas is 1 per cent of the total valuation of all the oil produced in the United States. It is considered very likely the value of North Central Texas production will be much greater for 1919.

STUART WELL AT
STRAWN GOES
TO 800 BARRELS

Special to The Times.

FORT WORTH, Oct. 23.—Interest continues to grow concerning the Stuart well of the Texas-Pacific Coal Oil company north of Strawn in the southern part of the Palo Pinto county, as the well continues to increase in production. The well is now reported from reliable sources to be making 800 barrels a day. Two weeks ago when the well came in it was rated as a 500-barrel producer.

The Stuart well has only a few feet of sand at a total depth of 1,700 feet.

ANTI-PICKETING LAW
PASSED AT BEAUMONT

Special to The Times.

BEAUMONT, Oct. 23.—The passage by the council of this city over the veto of the mayor of the anti-picketing ordinance prohibiting picketing of mercantile and industrial establishments has resulted in grave disorder in this city. A large number of unions are at the point of calling out their forces, it was said here today.

BELA KUN HAS
ESCAPED FROM
PRISON CAMP

Special to The Times.

MERKEI, Oct. 23.—Bela Kun, former director in Hungary during the communist regime, has escaped from an internment camp at Vienna and has gone to Italy, where he is engaged in promoting a revolutionary movement, according to a Geneva dispatch to the Tagesschau.

Scrapers After Mud
on Main Street

Special to The Times.

HOUSTRON, Oct. 23.—Wind and water in the last thirty days have brought development work in the coastal oil field almost wholly to a standstill. First, the wind either wrecked or damaged the derricks so as to make them unsafe, and then the rains came and have made the roads impassable for heavy hauling, so drilling operations are without material to go on with the work, especially in wildcat territory.

Near Splendors, in Montgomery county, a crew working on the Black Hawk Petroleum company's test was marooned on the derrick

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HOPE WORST
OF NORTH TEXAS
FLOOD IS OVER

By Associated Press.

DALLAS, Oct. 23.—Clearing skies today over Dallas and vicinity and many other sections of North Texas caused the hope that the flood menace would soon pass, although a number of rivers and creeks already are out of their banks.

Roads in the affected districts are impassable and several minor washouts have been reported by the railroads. In Dallas the Trinity river continued to rise slowly today and persons in the bottom lands have been warned to remove their livestock to higher ground.

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Drillers Are
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on Top of Derrick

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Denies Ordered Troops.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Director General Hines of Railroads today denied published reports that he had threatened to have troops sent to New York to take the place of express strikers.

"This report is entirely without foundation and to avoid misunderstanding, I desire to deny it immediately," Hines said.

Scrapers After Mud
on Main Street

A mud scraper, a derrick and a horse combined to lessen the depth of the mud on the paved portion of Main street Thursday.

The mud was so deep in places that it would have been difficult to conceive a stranger than somewhere in the depths beneath the turbid surface was a nice brick pavement. The improvement the two wrought was noticeable.

IOWA GOVERNOR SAYS PEOPLE TO HAVE COAL

By Associated Press
DES MOINES, Oct. 23.—Governor Harbing said today he would exercise whatever powers would be necessary to see that coal is mined in Iowa if the threatened strike takes place and continues until the public begins to suffer for fuel.

THESE STUDENTS DEMANDED A FIVE-HOUR WORKDAY

MADISON, Ind., Oct. 23.—The local high school was threatened recently with a strike by the students, who demanded a five-hour workday. Instead of eight hours, which the study schedule now provides, a petition headed "A Petition of Right," was signed by 125 pupils and declared that unless the five-hour day was granted by Superintendent Long of the city schools, that the pupils would go on a strike.

After a conference between Superintendent Long and members of the high school faculty, it was announced that, if the strike materialized, all pupils under 14 years old would be forced to return under the state compulsory education law and those more than 14 years of age would be locked out until such time as the pledges themselves to abide by the rules.

When the hour set for the strike arrived, none of the pupils walked out. Superintendent Long explained to the pupils that the state law calls for a certain number of forty-minute periods each day for a "commissary" high school. He said the schedule as arranged allowed only for the prescribed number of periods with only fifteen minutes for passing from room to room and the schedule could not be shortened without conflicting with the state law. He promised, however, to shorten the schedule next term, if possible.

Some of the signers of the petition, when asked why they were demanding shorter hours, declared that "staying in school so late spoiled the entire day." They said their attempted strike was not connected with the steel strike and that they had no intention of trying to affiliate with the American Federation of Labor.

FISH YARN? THERE IS ALWAYS ONE BETTER

International News Service.
LONDON, Oct. 23.—That is the worst of those fish stories. Some body always comes along with hot tea.

Recently the Evening News told the V. A. D.'s story of the frozen fish that came to life in the cooking pot. Then a correspondent—a naval officer, it should be said—easily puts that to shame.

"An interesting experiment was tried some little time ago," he writes, "with an ordinary herring."

"The fish was put into a large bowl of salt water and every day a small quantity of the water was removed and an equal quantity of 'fresh' was substituted, until eventually the fish lived and the water was purely fresh water."

"The owner was so pleased with the success of his experiment that he then tried removing a very small quantity of water daily until the bowl was empty, and found that the herring did excellently, entirely without water, and as it was so lively in the empty bowl he had to put him in a cage."

"Here he lived happily, hopping from perch to perch just like a bird until one day some sudden noise startled him and he fell into his water trough, and—was drowned!"

THIS BELGIAN WAR DOG FIXED WITH WOODEN LEG

CLEVELAND, OHIO, Oct. 23.—Not all the veterans of the world who lost limbs in battle were humans. Blight, a Belgian war dog owned by Dr. A. E. Cunningham, a young man of this city, had an artificial leg and walks with a crutch.

Blight is a survivor of the battle of the Argonne and was found necessary to amputate his leg because of paralysis that followed a shell wound suffered while he was mascot of a motor transport train. Dr. Cunningham fitted the dog's wooden leg.

"He didn't like it at first," the veterinarian said. "He tried to gnaw the strap that held it on but when he found they wouldn't come off, he finally gave up trying."

According to Dr. Cunningham, Blight sometimes forgets about his wooden leg, especially when he tries to shoo flies from about his ears, and once he almost put out one of his eyes in this way.

STATE PRISONERS HAVE AMPLE FUNDS ON HAND

Special to The Times.
AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—The financial statement of the state prisons which were submitted this week shows that receipts for September from all prisons as \$34,024 and disbursements of \$110,479 during the month, with a balance of \$896,078 on hand.

ENGLISH SMUGGLER IS GIVEN SEVERE PENALTY

Special to The Times.
HOUSTON, Oct. 23.—Fined three thousand dollars and given twelve months in the federal penitentiary was the penalty doled out to George Henrion, an Englishman, convicted by the federal court here this week for smuggling opium into this country.

WINS ODD WALKING WAGER.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 23.—Andrew Volman, aged sixteen, at Clevelands, famous for his skill, has won a bet of \$1,000,000. His "Pitman" was a boy of unusual size, weighing 150 pounds, and he was able to walk 100 miles in 24 hours. He covered the market place over 2,000 times.



'END OF ROAD' AT QUEEN FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Roosevelt Memorial association. The money received from exhibitions of his picture goes to the Roosevelt Memorial fund.

LOUISE GLAUM PRODUCTION SHOWING AT LIBERTY

This is an extraordinary motion picture prepared for the war department commission on training camp activities as a part of the social hygiene campaign of the United States government. It handles certain social and sex problems in their relation to women with a frank statement which is a direct consequence of a new attitude engendered by the war. These problems have been made at once more acute and more complex by the war. War conditions have disturbed the emotional equilibrium of the people and have tended to multiply the intricacies of sex relations, particularly among young girls brought into social contact with the soldier. The film is intended to stimulate and strengthen the efforts being made to teach the womanhood and girlhood of the country the vital need of right social adjustments.

The production is in seven reels and requires an hour and three-quarters to show. Every moment of the time is filled with human interest graphically pictured. Into the main story have been woven supplementary stories and incidents, each drawn from actual life and each with a social bearing upon a possible crisis in the lives of certain types of American girls. In a relatively brief space of time many typical situations have been covered which should make a strong appeal to each person in any audience.

IRGINIA HAMMOND, FORMER SOUTHERN LEADING WOMAN

Virginia Hammond, one of the best popular players on the stage, will be seen in "Miss Crusoe" the latest World release, at the Hippodrome today. Miss Hammond, who will be remembered for her splendid work in "The Rattler," in which she was co-star with Earl Metcalfe, was former leading woman for E. H. Sothern in "If I Were King" and several of Mr. Sothern's Shakespearean productions.

In "Miss Crusoe" she does excellent work—the best she has done in years, those who have seen this picture say.

LIBERTY OBSERVES ROOSEVELT WEEK WITH SPECIAL PICTURE

At the Liberty theater fittingly observes Roosevelt week with an unusually interesting two-reel picture of the former president's ranch life in North Dakota, together with a visit to his favorite hunting grounds in Montana and Wyoming. It is being shown under the auspices of the

HIPPODROME THEATER

TODAY

Ruby Pilgreen

And Her Big Chorus in the Musical Comedy

"The Wrong Flat"

AND VIRGINIA HAMMOND IN "MISS CRUSOE"

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TODAY

Fred Griffith's Musical Company

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A funny rural comedy.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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The END of the ROAD

The Picture With a Purpose

HAVE YOU TAUGHT YOUR DAUGHTER WHAT SHE SHOULD KNOW?
Children Under 14 Not Admitted

NEW PAINT AND PAPER STORE OPENED IN RANGER

In the remarkable J. Parker Read,

Jr., production, "Sahara," starring Louise Glaum in a story by C. Gardner Sullivan and personally supervised by Allan Dwan, there are expanses of hundreds of feet of scenes in which no one becomes conscious of the intrusion of a single narrative or spoken title. This unusual production, which is a Hodkinson release, is the attraction today at the Liberty theater.

FIFTEEN MEN STEAL \$25,000 WORTH OF WHISKEY

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—Fifteen men today forced their way into the Old

“new” Distillery company’s ware-

house in the South Side section and carried away \$25,000-worth of whis-

key.

MOST COMFORTABLE PLACE IN THE CITY

Opera House

Pine Street Between Austin and Marion High Class Motion Picture Theater

Today—

MARY MILES MINTER

—in—
"The Eyes of Julian Deet"
—and—
"ELMO THE MIGHTY"

Tomorrow—

CORINNE GRIFFITH
—in—
"THIN ICE"

TRY A DAILY TIMES WANT AD

LOUISE GLAUM IN SAHARA

A Picture That Will GRIP YOU and HOLD YOU

Every Moment From Beginning to End

also

Fay Fincher in "Rowdy Ann"

A Two-Reel Christie Comedy

and

"THROUGH THE ROOSEVELT COUNTRY WITH ROOSEVELT'S FRIENDS"

(Showing Roosevelt's ranch life in North Dakota and his favorite hunting grounds in Montana and Wyoming)

Today and Tomorrow

AT

The LIBERTY



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First National Bank

Ranger, Texas

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GREAT TRAFFIC INCREASE HERE IS MANIFESTED

That the Ranger station of the Texas & Pacific railway is doing a colossal business—something unparalleled in railroad traffic—is revealed in an article which was prepared recently for the Manufacturers Record of Baltimore by J. L. Lancaster, federal manager for the Texas & Pacific railroad. Excerpts from the article show how the industrial breeze is blowing:

"Two years ago Ranger was a little village and the road's earnings at that station during the month was \$8,845; but the last monthly figures available show that in August, 1919, the earnings were \$728,916. Two years ago on passing track of sixty-four cars capacity was ample for Ranger, but now there are forty-one industrial tracks, with a total capacity of 839 cars, besides yard trackage of 769 cars capacity, within Ranger's switching limits."

"The freight warehouse and platforms have been enlarged to several times their former capacity. The railroad also built a three-mile pipeline to supply sufficient water to the greater town. Furthermore, it has built between Strawn and Cisco, industrial tracks with total capacity of 1,284 cars and yard tracks for 1,029 cars. Since October, 1917, the road has purchased forty-four locomotives, more than half of which are for freight service, and all but seven—which are for passenger trains—for switching. In addition to this, twenty-five more locomotives have been ordered for delivery in November. Many new cars also have been added to the equipment."

BIGGEST SURPRISE OF GOLF SEASON WAS DEFEAT OF MRS. GAVIN IN TITLE MATCH



Mrs. W. A. Gavin, at left, and Miss Alexa Stirling.

One of the most interesting developments and probably the greatest surprise of the entire golf season was the defeat of Mrs. W. A. Gavin by Miss Alexa Stirling in the final tilt for the women's national golf title. Mrs. Gavin's play during the season, combined with her experience and steady play in past championship contests, made her the choice among the link experts. Miss Stirling, young Atlanta star, defeated her in easy fashion, winning six up and five to play.

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RUBE GOLDBERG'S BOOBES—They All Flop Sooner or Later



HOUNDS

By Paul C. Yates

I owned some dogs, yes, quite a few; They caused a damage suit or two, At night they raised a ballyhooh And split the air with raucous sound. But yet they couldn't seem to catch The "mule year" in my cabbage patch; In fact, they loved to lie and scratch And watch the rabbits romp around.

These dogs slept peacefully and hard While polects stormed by poultry yard; They yawned and stretched and then retired When wolves took off my turkey hen. But they could tree the family cat, Depend on them to compass that! They loved to chew my Sunday hat And chase the pigs around the pen.

DORMITORY FOR THE TEACHERS IS SECURED.

Special to The Times.

WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 23.—The residence of J. A. Kemp, at the corner of Indiana and Twelfth streets, has been leased by the school board and converted into a dormitory for city school teachers. Due to the fact that teachers could find no place to board they were resigning. The new order is saving the day here.

"FLU" EPIDEMIC MAY NOT RECUR THIS YEAR.

Special to The Times.

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 23.—Col. Francis A. Winter, Southern Department surgeon, in a statement issued yesterday declares that he believes possibility of an epidemic of the influenza has passed, but he urges that the public be not too optimistic in this respect. He has recently made a thorough investigation of conditions

among the soldiers and at the various forts and outposts of the army.

HOSPITALS CAN GET BIG LOT OF BOOZE AT DALLAS

DALLAS, Oct. 23.—Are the hospitals of Dallas prohibition in their belief also?

Some time ago the department of justice announced that it had on hand 250 gallons of whisky which would be distributed among the hospital of Dallas upon application, but only one local hospital has made request for its share.

Unless the remainder is taken away

Difficult.

A certain judge, after passing sentence, always gave advice to prisoners. Having before him a man found guilty of stealing, he started thus:

"If you want to succeed in this world you must keep straight. Now, do you understand?"

"Well, not quite," said the prisoner, "but if your lordship will tell me how a man is to keep straight when he is trying to make both ends meet, I might."—London Tit-Bits.

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of MARMON, APPERSON, HAYNES and other fine cars. His associates are equally capable in sales and executive lines. THAT IS FACTOR NO. 2.

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Investigate Us Fully!

We are offering our shares AT PAR—\$20 each. Our capitalization is only \$1,000,000—much of which has been sold and has gone into our factory and equipment. Our financial statement has been filed with all reputable mercantile agencies.

Shares PLUS Is Our Proposition!

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THE NEW TRAIN.

After months of relentless appeal by the West Texas Railroad Commission of Texas has decreed that train service between Fort Worth and Sweetwater must be improved with the installation of an additional passenger train each way.

Only last Sunday the Texas and Pacific put on another train to relieve the congestion in the oil fields, particularly in the Ranger section. This train is operated only as far west as Eastland. The Oil Field special operates only as far west as Baird. The latter carries a great complement of passengers from Fort Worth to Cisco, but from there to the end of the run this train rarely carries over fifty persons, because, as it is pointed out, there is no place to go. This is no reflection on Baird. The extending of this train to Abilene and Sweetwater means that the traffic of this train will be increased several hundred per cent and the relief of the three regular trains west will be great.

It is to be hoped that the Oil Field Special which leaves Ranger at 1:50 a. m. will be the western extension. The Oil Field Special eastbound would leave Sweetwater around 5 o'clock of evenings. Abilene and Sweetwater would be the chief beneficiaries from the new train, but Ranger also would be greatly benefited from the new service. With the installation of the new train from Abilene to Wichita Falls, much of the heavy traffic which has been carried by Fort Worth will be diverted via Abilene, improving the service on all railroads.

The Times believes that this is another clear manifestation of the effectiveness of the great new organization which represents West Texas—the West Texas Chamber of Commerce—which is working day and night in devious ways to bring about a fruition for West Texas. This organization has done more for this great scope of country than a century of legislatures.

PROFIT SHARING.

Profit-sharing is the only safe and sound solution of the labor question. The man working for a mere salary will not put as much into his labor as he would if he owned a part of the stock and was enjoying a dividend, small though it might be. Its possession would mean that if he struck he would be striking against his own self and interests.

The big companies have seen the handwriting on the wall and are making it possible to content their men. And after all, no large corporation or concern which aids its employees in this way loses. That fact has been repeatedly demonstrated.

Let a man know that he is not only an employee of a company but a part of it—then he will put his whole life in it. Let him be able to buy stock in the company for which he works and when he wishes to dispose of that stock to sell it back to the employers or fellow workers and not let it be injudiciously distributed.

ARDMORE WELL MAKING 1,200 BARRELS PER DAY.

Special Leased Wire.
 ARDMORE, Okla., Oct. 23.—The Westin & Duval well on the Dillard farm, in section 22-4s-2w, went into the second sand and with the drill twenty feet in the pay, the production is 1,200 barrels a day. The well is due to reach another sand.

SNYDER WELL READY TO BEGIN DRILLING NOW.

Special Leased Wire.
 SNYDER, Oct. 23.—The Deller for the Elko well near Snyder came out yesterday and says they are getting along well with the drilling at the Walker location and is ready to drill.

STATUE OF WASHINGTON AND PAINTINGS OF U. S. HEROES ADORN INDEPENDENCE HALL OPENED IN VERSAILLES PALACE



Glimpse of hall, showing George Washington statue and oil paintings and officials arriving to dedicate hall.

An American hall of independence has been established in the historic Versailles palace in honor of America's aid in the war. The hall contains statues of George Washington and other noted Americans, and paintings of many American presidents and Revolutionary leaders.

TEXAS TO OBSERVE ROOSEVELT'S BIRTHDAY

BAPTISTS PLAN RECONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

BODY CHARGED WITH DUTY OF OUTLINING HOW 75 MILLION CAMPAIGN CAN PROMOTE THAT TASK REACHES FIELD—DR. LOVE OUTLINES THE NEED AND ISSUES CALL



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To make a general survey of the economic, social and religious conditions in Europe with a view to recommending to the Baptists of the South where and how they can still meet effectively in the reconstruction of that continent through the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, a commission composed of Dr. J. F. Love, secretary of the Foreign Mission Board at Richmond, Va.; Dr. Z. T. Cody, editor Baptist Courier Greenville, S. C., and Rev. Everett Gill, missionary at Rome, Italy, who is returning after a leave of absence in this country, and who will serve as guide and interpreter to the other members, is now in England for a conference with the Baptists of Great Britain and will go from there for an inspection of France and Belgium.

Another brief conference will be held with the Baptists of Switzerland, after which a trip will be made through Italy and a survey of the new republic of Czechoslovakia conducted. From Prague, capital of Bohemia, the commission will go into such parts of Russia as are open, and the foreign trip will be concluded with an inspection of Palestine, where the missionary work formerly done in Syria, Persia and Galilee by the Illinois Baptist Association has been turned over to the Foreign Mission Board.

There are approximately 4,250 Baptist churches in Europe today, with 3,900 pastors and missionaries and 566,500 church members. It is announced by the headquarters of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, and a considerable sum from this campaign will go toward succoring needy families of Baptists and others in the warring regions as was in the propagation of the gospel and the establishment of Christian institutions there, it is announced.

NATIONAL BIRD WILL BE SCARCE AND HIGH

International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Early reports from the production centers of the turkey indicate that there will be a shortage and a general trend toward record prices. The shorting of the "national bird" will, according to the records, end the present shortage of game, which is becoming acute throughout the country. Texas, one of the largest turkey producing states, sends a flock much better than the average.

PLAY AT UPTON HAS NATIONALITIES IN CAST

KILLER OF PRAIRIE CHICKENS ARRESTED.

Special to The Times.

AMARILLO, Oct. 23.—One man was fined \$10 and costs before a local judge for alleged killing of prairie turkeys recently.

RANGER DAILY TIMES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1919.

Gold Mining Camp Seeking Real Minister

WINNIPEG, Man., Oct. 22.—They are looking for a minister in the gold and copper camps of the Athabasca lake country in Northern Manitoba, but he will have to measure up to the miners' own specifications. Here is their advertisement that appeared in the Pas Herald.

"Wanted—Minister of the gospel for Athabasca camp; must be a good poker player."

"None of those namby-pamby dude preachers need apply," said Tom Powers, who brought the ad to the Pas. "We want a ne'er-do-well who wears a Mackinaw jacket and stuffs his pants in his boots and can paddle a canoe and trek on snowshoes and play poker and give a good account of himself in a knock-down drag-out row."

"If he can throw his legs under the mahogany with the gang and show them as a good short-card player, he'll certainly command their respect. There's a lot of poker going on and if the parson wants to pan color in his missionary work among us rough lads, the poker table will be about as good a pulpit as he can find."

Since the recent sensational gold strike at Goose Lake there has been a rush of miners and prospectors to the Athabasca region, one hundred miles beyond the Pas, which is at the northern terminus of a spur of the Canadian National railway's trans-continental line. The army of gold seekers is made up of settlers and farm laborers from the farming country to the south and of old-time mining men from all over Canada and the United States. Many of them are veterans of the Klondike and Nevada stampede.

Prospectors are out in the woods everywhere in the Athabasca lake country. Everybody has the gold fever. New camps, as wild and as picturesque as those of bonanza days in the American west, are springing up like magic. The whole country is overlaid with gold, silver, and copper. Scientists say the ore body is the richest and most extensive on the continent.

Religious bodies in Winnipeg are planning to answer the "Macedonian cry" from the north. The Salvation Army has hurried a worker into the new field. Rev. C. W. Gordon, known to literature as "Ralph Connor," famous old-time sky pilot of the lumber camps, chaplain for two years with the Canadian army in France and now pastor of St. Stephen's church in Winnipeg, says the miners ought to get the kind of man they want.

"I will take this matter up with the churches at once," said Rev. Gordon. "I think we can find the right man. No four-flush will do. You can't put over a bob-tail straight on those fellows. A minister to get results among them must play the game like a man from start to finish and draw a full house every time he preaches."

KATY TO PUT ON 100,000 ACRES PROVED UP IN STEPHENS CO.

Special to The Times.

STAMFORD, Oct. 23.—W. E. Williams, general manager of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway, arrived here with his group of department experts Tuesday, coming on a special train. The party met with a number of the business men at the office of the Chamber of Commerce and discussed the conditions of railroad business here. The freight business is greater than was ever anticipated and the M. K. & T. freight depot will be re-opened.

Another passenger train will be operated between Waco and Stamford. This train will leave Waco at 8 a. m. as solely an express train. It will arrive in Dublin at 6 a. m. and then arrive in Stamford, arriving at Stamford at 1 p. m. Returning, the train will leave Stamford at 1:30 p. m. and arrive at 12:30 a. m.

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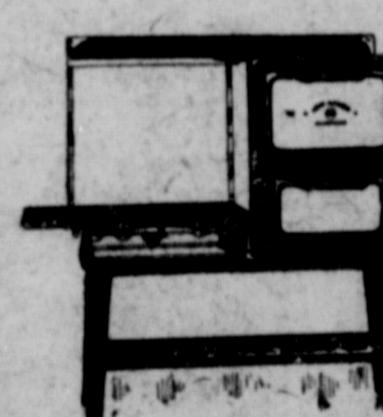
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Oil and Gas Leases, Mineral Deeds, Royalty Contracts—Eastland County

Filed in the office of County Clerk Earl Bender, Oct. 20, 1919:
H. R. Redwine to J. H. Abel, 160 acres off the east side of section 4, block 1, T. & N. O. Ry. lands, Eastland county; mineral deed, \$2,000.

W. F. Anderson to J. A. Spear, 1½ acres out of the H. W. Funderburg survey, Eastland county; mineral deed, \$1.

Jim Rundrant and wife to A. C. Reed, 60 acres out of block 3, James Jett survey, Eastland county; mineral deed, \$475.

C. L. Claborn to A. C. Reeds, 301 acres out of the D. H. McFadden survey, Eastland county; mineral deed, \$900.

L. L. Buck to B. Palmer, portions of section 50, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; mineral deed, one Ford automobile.

D. L. Cipiton to L. F. Shanblum, 3 1/4 acres out of section 21, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$1.

D. M. Cranfill and wife to Will Darden, part of section 79, block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$1.

J. H. and L. M. Abel to J. N. Fox, 3 1/4 acres out of section 33, block 2, E. T. B. B. Co. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$1.

J. H. Abel to J. N. Fox, 160 acres off of the east side of section 4, block 1, T. & N. O. Ry. lands, Eastland county, royalty contract, \$1.

C. B. Goodwin and wife to J. H. and L. M. Abel, 106 2-3 acres out of the T. & N. O. Ry. Co. survey No. 1, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$1.

W. R. Richards and wife to Elmer Collins, being 154 4-10 acres out of the George Miller survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$200.

P. L. Taylor to L. Fred, one acre out of the John W. White survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$400.

T. S. Allen to J. M. Lowe, 90 acres situated on the waters of South Leon river, being part of the NW 1/4 of section 30, block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$150.

L. C. Miller to W. M. Harlan, all of the SE 1/4 of section 125 of H. T. & B. R. R. lands, Eastland and Stephens counties; royalty contract, \$500.

G. S. Singletary to E. A. Beskow, 50 acres of land out of the Abraham Smetzer survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$300.

W. B. White and wife to W. W. McNeese, 385 acres out of the George W. Robinson survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$200.

C. E. Parker Jr. to R. N. Skinner and W. T. Nicol, the NE 1/4 of section 10, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$4,000.

C. E. Parker to G. S. Flagler, 160

acres of land out of section 10, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; assignment, \$1.

Scott Braden to E. F. Woomer, SW 1/4 of sec. 123, blk. 2, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, Fisher county; assignment, \$1.

R. E. O'Rear to Will Stith, 21 acres out of Thomas Mullryne survey, Eastland County; assignment, \$1.

A. J. House to George Beggs Jr., E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of section 8, block 2, E. T. R. Co. survey, Eastland county; assignment, \$1.

C. E. Parker Jr. to Frank W. Crandall, 160 acres of land out of section 10, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; \$2,100.

C. E. Parker Jr. to J. Robert Douglass, 160 acres of land out of section 10, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; \$1,100.

R. R. Peel et al. to C. E. Parker Jr., 160 acres out of section 10, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$200.

O. D. Dickinson to Hughes Petroleum Co., 30 acres out of NE 1/4 of sec. 3, blk. 4, H. & T. C. Ry. land, Eastland county; royalty contract; \$1.

E. J. McQuillan, lot 142 of W. B. Lewis subdivision of N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of sec. 14, Eastland county; \$2,800.

W. R. Richards et al. to G. H. Albers, survey No. 2, D. & D. A. lands, Eastland county; royalty contract; \$1.

C. E. Parker Jr. to C. B. Livermore, 160 acres out of section 10, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$2,100.

J. A. Mingus to W. J. Thompson, 80 acres out of the McLennan county subdivision of league Nos. 3 and 4, Eastland county; assignment, \$1.

J. A. Mingus to Clyde Newberry, 80 acres out of the McLennan county subdivision of leagues Nos. 3 and 4, Eastland county; assignment, \$1.

E. P. Henon to O. A. Owens, two acres out of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of sec. 63, blk. 4, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, Eastland county; mineral deed, \$200.

G. L. Rickard et al. to Rickard Texas Oil company, NW corner H. T. & B. R. R. survey No. 2, Eastland county; assignment; \$1.

Charles J. Kehrer to C. H. Ray, lot 12, blk. 29, original townsite of the town of Ranger, Eastland county; assignment; \$800.

W. B. Andrews to W. M. Lange, tract of ten acres out of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 sec. 14, D.

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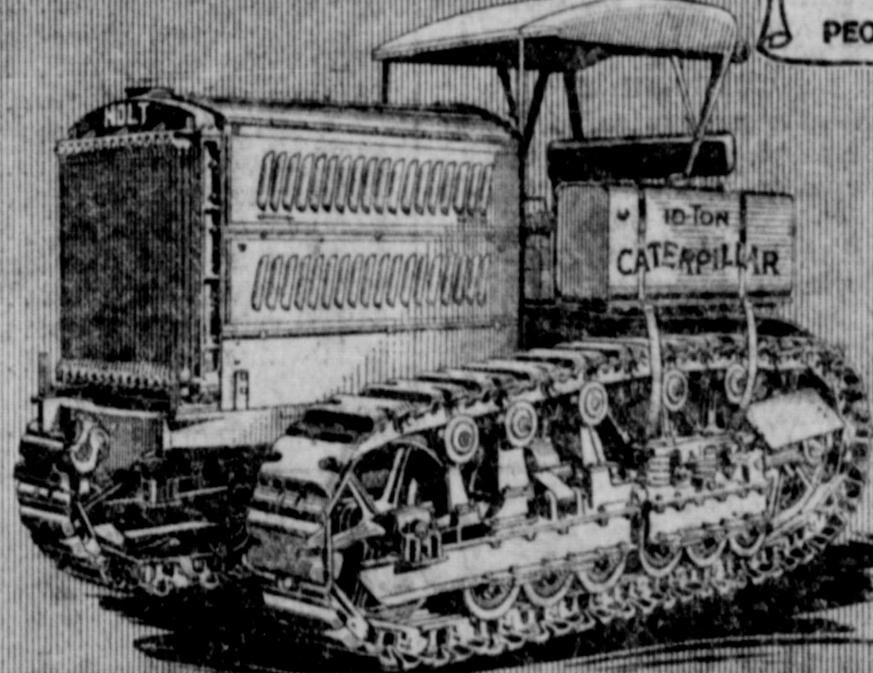
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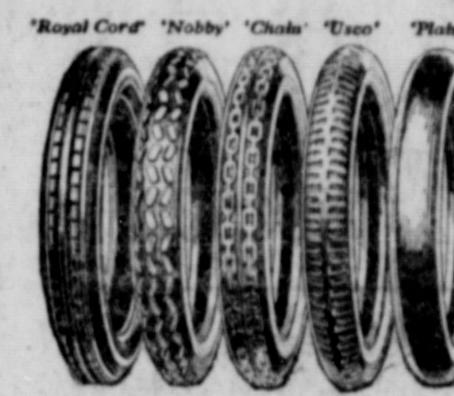
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Gingham

50c and 45c value, sale price	37c
40c value, sale price	33c
35c value, sale price	24c
36-Inch Percale	
40 and 45c value, sale price	29c
32-ich, sale price	24c

Blankets

\$15.00 value, sale price	\$12.48
\$12.00 value, sale price	\$9.98
\$10.00 value, sale price	\$8.45
\$9.00 value, sale price	\$7.45
\$8.50 value, sale price	\$6.95
\$7.50 value, sale price	\$6.24
\$6.00 value, sale price	\$4.98
\$3.50 value, sale price	\$2.89
\$2.50 value, sale price	1.95

Men's Union Suits

\$2.50 value, sale price	\$1.98
\$2.00 value, sale price	\$1.69
Wool Union Suits	

\$6.00 value, sale price	\$5.19
\$5.00 value, sale price	\$4.39
\$4.50 value, sale price	\$3.98

Men's Dress Shirts

\$15.00 Crepe de Chine	\$11.95
\$12.50 Silk, sale price	\$9.95
\$11.50 Silk, sale price	\$8.45
\$9.50 Silk, sale price	\$7.95
\$8.50 Silk, sale price	\$6.95
\$7.50 Silk, sale price	\$5.95

Madras Shirts

\$3.50 value, sale price	\$2.89
\$2.50 value, sale price	\$1.98
\$1.75 value, sale price	\$1.48
Wool Shirts	

Leather Vests

\$21.50 value, sale price	\$16.95
\$17.50 value, sale price	\$14.95

OIL KING COAT Special, \$13.95

Men's Sheep Skin Coats

\$21.50 value, sale price	\$16.95
\$17.50 value, sale price	\$14.95

Caps

\$3.50 value, sale price	\$2.89
\$2.50 value, sale price	\$1.98
\$1.75 value, sale price	\$1.48

Men's Leather Gloves

\$1.50 value, sale price	\$3.75
\$3.50 value, sale price	\$2.89
\$2.75 value, sale price	\$2.30
\$2.00 value, sale price	\$1.69
\$1.50 value, sale price	\$1.29

Canvas Gloves

25c value, sale price	20c
20c value, sale price	15c
15c value, sale price	10c

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\$3.50 value, sale price	\$2.98
\$3.00 value, sale price	\$2.68
\$2.25 value, sale price	\$1.89

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\$13.50 value, sale price	\$10.98
\$8.50 value, sale price	\$6.95

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\$10.00 value, sale price	\$7.95
\$7.50 value, sale price	\$5.45
\$9.50 value, sale price	\$7.95
\$5.50 value, sale price	\$4.45

Boys' Shoes

\$7.50 value, sale price	\$5.45
\$4.00 value, sale price	\$3.25

Children's Shoes

\$5.25 value, sale price	\$3.95
\$4.50 value, sale price	\$3.75
\$2.50 value, sale price	\$2.05

Ladies' High Top Shoes

\$17.50 value, sale price	\$14.45
\$12.50 value, sale price	\$10.45
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Ladies' Shoes

\$6.50 value, sale price	\$5.50
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Set Your Alarm for the Date--9. a. m., Friday, October 24

It is your misfortune if you miss it. Set your alarm clock for the date. Sale opens Friday, Oct. 24th, at 9 o'clock. Lasts fifteen days only. On Friday, October 24th, at 9 a. m. the doors of this store will swing open on the grandest, most startling and most bewildering mass of bargains ever witnessed in Ranger. We realize keenly that we must offer special inducements in the way of low prices and we most certainly do. We want no man, woman or child to be disappointed. We want you to come expecting much and we will see to it that you do not go away disappointed. Entire stock marked in plain figures

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WE ARE ABSOLUTELY FORCED TO REDUCE OUR STOCK

People of Ranger and Vicinity: At this time we find our store heavily overloaded with merchandise; in fact, every shelf, every counter, is completely undershoved with seasonable fall and winter merchandise. We wish to turn \$40,000 of our stock into actual cash in the next Fifteen Days. We know that in the regular course of business this would be impossible. So we have turned our stock over to the Wade Hampton Sales Co. of Oklahoma City and have given them the orders to sell the goods no matter what the cost or how great the loss. Wade Hampton, the willing carrier of this message of economy into the homes of the people of Ranger and vicinity, is here at work with a large force marking, tagging and displaying this tremendous stock so that not the slightest disappointment will meet you as you enter the doors of the sale. No misrepresentation or exaggerated prices will be allowed during this sale.

Sale Positively Opens Friday, October 24, 9 a. m.

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\$60.00 value, sale price	\$42.95
\$50.00 value, sale price	\$39.45
\$35.00 value, sale price	\$24.75
\$22.50 value, sale price	\$17.45

Ladies' Coats

\$110.00 value, sale price	\$87.45
\$90.00 value, sale price	\$72.45
\$60.00 value, sale price	\$43.95
\$35.00 value, sale price	\$27.95
\$30.00 value, sale price	\$23.45
\$25.00 value, sale price	\$18.95
\$20.00 value, sale price	\$15.95

Cotton Flannel

45c value, sale price	37c
40c value, sale price	33c
35c value, sale price	29c

9-4 Sheeting

\$1.00 value, sale price	79c
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Men's Bootees

\$25.00 value, sale price	\$19.95
\$20.00 value, sale price	\$16.45
\$16.50 value, sale price	\$13.45

Ladies' Skirts, Silk and Wool

\$37.50 value, sale price	\$29.95
\$32.50 value, sale price	\$24.95
\$25.00 value, sale price	\$19.45
\$22.50 value, sale price	\$16.95
\$20.00 value, sale price	\$14.45
\$17.50 value, sale price	\$12.95
\$15.00 value, sale price	\$10.95
\$12.50 value, sale price	\$8.95
\$10.00 value, sale price	\$7.45
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Ready-Made Sheets

\$3.50 value, sale price	\$2.84
\$3.00 value, sale price	\$2.45
\$2.50 value, sale price	\$1.95
\$2.00 value, sale price	\$1.69

Bleached Pillow Cases

50c value, sale price	39c
45c value, sale price	34c
35c value, sale price	27c

Outing

40c and 35c value, sale price	29c
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Misses' and Children's Coats

\$5.00 value, sale price	\$3.95
\$20.00 value, sale price	\$15.45
\$17.50 value, sale price	\$13.45
\$15.00 value, sale price	\$11.95
\$12.50 value, sale price	\$9.95
\$10.00 value, sale price	\$8.45
\$7.50 value, sale price	\$6.29
\$6.50 value, sale price	\$5.19

Ladies' Union Suits

\$2.00 value, sale price	\$1.69
\$1.75 value, sale price	\$1.49
\$1.50 value, sale price	\$1.29

Misses' Unions

\$1.50 value, sale price	\$1.29
Bear Brand Waist Union Suit	

\$1.25 value, sale price	\$1.10
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Children's Dresses

\$3.00 value, sale price	\$2.45
\$2.25 value, sale price	\$1.79
\$2.00 value, sale price	\$1.69
\$6.00 value, sale price	\$4.98

Dress Goods

BROADCLOTH	\$6.50 value, sale price	\$5.24
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SILVERTONE CLOTH	\$6.50 value, sale price	\$5.48
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SERGE AND WOOL GOODS	\$3.50 value, sale price	\$2.77
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\$3.00 value, sale price	\$2.45
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\$2.50 value, sale price	\$1.95
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WOOL AND COTTON SUITING	\$2.00 value, sale price	\$1.65
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\$2.00 value, sale price	\$1.65
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\$1.50 value, sale price	\$1.29
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\$1.00 value, sale price83c
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75c value, sale price63c
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Bath Robes

\$12.50 value, sale price	\$10.45
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\$11.50 value, sale price	\$9.45
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\$9.00 value, sale price	\$7.45
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\$8.50 value, sale price	\$6.95
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5,000 Helpless Orphans in South Are Asking the Privileges of a Home

Baptists Are Providing For That Many at Present in Fifteen Institutions But as Many More Are Waiting For Admission--The 75 Million Campaign Plans to Meet That Need.



A Group of Boys and Girls in the Tennessee Baptist Orphans' Home near Nashville who are being cared for and trained for useful lives.

Does your heart go out to the worthy boy and girl bereft by the Grim Reaper of father and mother, and left alone in the world without the fostering care of those to whom they are naturally most dear in the world?

Then you will understand why Southern Baptists have established orphanages in fifteen states, are caring for 5,000 such children in those homes and training them for useful lives in the world.

But the need is far greater than the ability of these institutions to meet it. While five thousand children are being cared for in these orphanages, there are on the waiting list of these institutions fully five thousand more equally worthy, fatherless and motherless boys and girls who want the privileges which these orphanages afford but which must be denied them for the present because there is no room with which to shelter more of them.

So when the Baptist 75 Million Campaign was launched for the enlargement of the work of the denomination along general lines in an effort to meet growing spiritual needs in the homeland and throughout the world, the sum of \$4,700,000 was apportioned to the orphanages, this sum to cover a program of five years, as the \$75,000,000 sought in the campaign will be raised in cash and five-year pledges during Victory Week, November 30, December 7.

In the homes that have been provided for the orphans facilities are provided for giving regular schooling of the same character that is afforded in the public schools, beginning with the kindergarten and continuing to the tenth and eleventh grades in the

2 MEN SHOT BY POLICE AT YOUNGSTOWN.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Oct. 23.—Two men were shot by the police in a fight here today when the attempt was made to arrest several foreigners, who were suspected of firing the home of mill workers.

HINDEBURN IN "CIVIES," ORDINARY LOOKING PERSON.

MANCHESTER, Eng., Oct. 23.—Picture, if you can, the great and martialistic Hindenburg in "civies."

A very ordinary looking individual he is, according to a Guardian correspondent who has viewed his daily walks in Hanover. He seems ready

JAPAN TO SEND NEW AMBASSADOR TO U. S.



Mr. K. Shidzawa was recently named by his government to succeed Viscount Ienji as Japanese Ambassador to the United States. This new photo of him has just been received from Japan.

France Gets Ready for Rush of Tourists Soon

International News Service.

CHATEAU-THIERRY, Oct. 23.—

Chateau-Thierry and all the surrounding towns that saw the first bursts of America's real fighting-men, are getting ready for the gone. In their places are slender '220 drive of American tourists; in act, they have been practicing for old French paintings, are such signs who managed to break through garrisonine Gordon gins," "Manhattan cocktails," "All kinds of whiskies," and still quite good.

Judging by the haste with which things are being made ready for "les Americans," there will be more American cafes and restaurants around this neck of the woods next

spring than there are in many a well-populated American town. Some of the precious old French cafes that were once a delight to the eye are being rudely transformed into imitation Broadway joints that are a surprise to the returning civilians.

On the south bank of the Marne, in one of the streets where American

regulars of the Third division held their ground under a hell of fire and stopped the German advance, there was, until June, 1918, a little restaurant that was famous to persons touring the Marne country. The soups and the meats the French chef prepared there spread his fame broadcast.

Bouresches, Lucy-le-Bocage, Clerges, Jaulgonne, Remeis and other towns now linked with American history—the work of rehabilitation is going forward rapidly, but there will be plenty for the Americans to see even a year hence. The French are employing the light railways once used to haul munitions to the front to carrying supplies to villages remote from main railway lines and are making rapid progress in leveling ruined buildings, cleansing streets of debris and making the war district more habitable. The trenches and foxholes where American troops once dugged the ground under German fire are mostly filled up; but Belleau Wood remains as it was when the marines made their famous attack, and such villages as Vaux and Jaulgonne will show for many years the effects of American and German artillery fire.

Now all that is sadly altered and

the Englishwoman has established

what a great sign announces to

the world to be an "American Restau-

rants."

The cushioned benches are

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and the waiters who once sang

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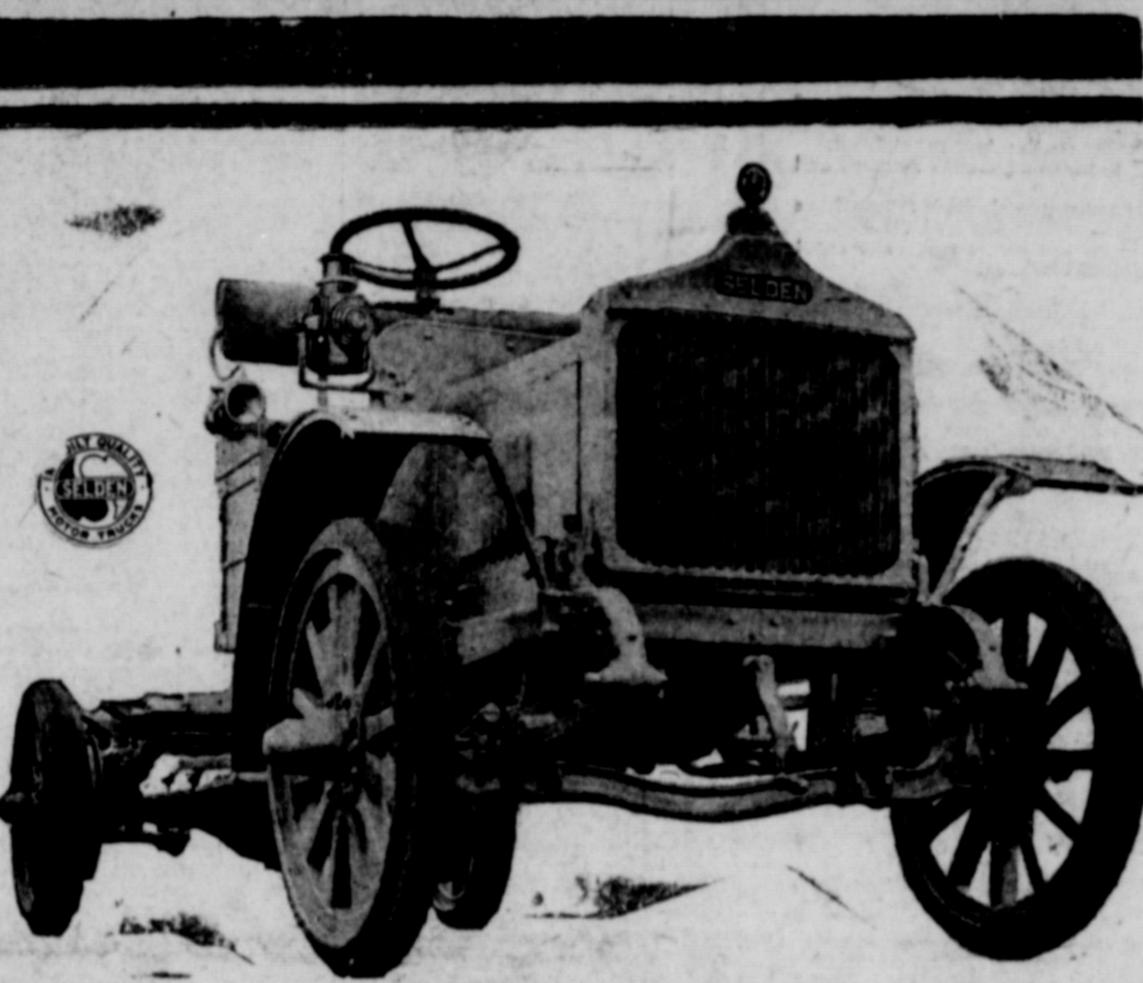
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Yep, There's a Little Food in Old Europe

International News Service
LONDON, Oct. 23.—An American just returned from Copenhagen gives his impression of the Danish race as follows:

"8 a. m.—Several cups of coffee, eight or nine slices of thick bread with thicker butter.

"10 a. m.—Breakfast. Bacon and eggs, beefsteak and potatoes, much bread and butter, beer and cream cakes, all in double quantities compared with American standards.

"Noon—Smorgord, the national dish, consisting of fifty-eight varieties of fish, meat, eggs, vegetables and cheese, well and truly laid on thick bread with thicker butter.

"For the Dane is an eater between meals and the smorgord is his standby. The most popular is a four-story affair and is typical of all the fifty-eight varieties, the same list of which is handed to you in every restaurant. It consists of thick bread and butter, cold roast beef, fried onions and a fried egg, all laid one on top of the other. It cost twenty cents and is a lunch by itself; but alas, smorgord does not agree with American appetites.

"The Danes eat smorgord all day long; in the stalls at the theater, at the cinema, in the concert hall and at boxing contests.

"4 p. m.—A craving for coffee and creameries satisfied.

"Automatically whenever you sit down in a cafe pastries bulging with cream are set in front of you, and the waiter thinks you a very poor mortal if you decline them.

"6 p. m.—Dinner. Several smorgords, a couple of fish, fried veal with sautéed potatoes, beer, coffee creameries.

"11 p. m.—Lobster and creameries beer.

"All the world and his wife were ship the lobster in Denmark; you see children in their prams eating it.

"No, not every Dane is a millionaire. He only eats like one."

SCRIPTURE

II. Kings 4:32-37.

And when Eliash was come into the house, behold, the child was dead, and laid upon his bed.

He went in therefore, and shut the door upon them twain, and prayed unto the Lord.

And he went up, and lay upon the child, and put his mouth upon his mouth, and his eyes upon his eyes, and his hand upon his hands; and he stretched himself upon the child; and the child sneezed seven times, and the child opened his eyes.

And no called Genez, and said, Call this Shunamite. So he called her.

And when she was come in unto him he said, Take up thy son.

Then she went in, and fell at his feet, and bowed herself to the ground and took up her son and went out.

To Raise Big Sum for Ill Soldiers

Associated Press

AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—The executive committee of the Benevolent War Risk society met today to make definite plans and organize for a campaign to raise a half million dollars fund for the erection of a hospital to care for tuberculosis patients who have been in the military service.

OIL COMPANY CAN GIVE UP OIL LEASE

Special to The Times.

FORT WORTH, Oct. 23.—The right of an oil company to give up an oil lease under the "surrender clause" recently has been upheld by the United States circuit court of appeals in St. Louis. In the same decision the opinion was handed down that the lessor of the land had no such right. In short, the oil company can give up its contract without further obligation should it desire to do so.

HEADS COSTA RICA GOVERNMENT UNTIL COMING ELECTIONS

Special to The Times.

FORT WORTH, Oct. 23.—The Cincinnati Reds' world's champions, are prominent among San Saba leaseholders. They have the right idea of "oilng up" for the proverbial rainy day. Billy Burns, at one time star pitcher for the Washington Americans, is still in San Saba, the home of his childhood, where he is playing the oil game. He predicts that he will be equally as successful in oil as in baseball.

DEVELOPMENTS IN WAR-RIDDEN RUSSIA



Bolshevik control territory within black line.

1.—The forces of Gen. Denekine have captured the important city of Chernigov, north of Kiev.

2.—The position of the Bolsheviks in Moscow is reported to be growing more untenable daily since the fall of Kursk, a scant 300 miles away. A counter revolution is expected to break out during the Bolshevik second anniversary celebration early in November.

3.—The Bolsheviks have been signally defeated at Ilovinsk, north of Tsimlyansk, by the forces of Gen. Denekine.

4.—The Bolsheviks have also been defeated on the Archangel front.

5.—The Germans are still bombarding Riga, using trench mortars and gas shells.

6.—The Lettish army is increasing its resistance. Lettish troops have recrossed the Dvina river, and are prepared to hold Riga at all costs.

7.—German shipping has been ordered off the Baltic sea. The coast of the Baltic states is now in a state of virtual blockade.

KEMP-MUNGER WELL A SENSATIONAL ONE

Special to The Times

WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 23.—With initial production of 2,000 barrels, which may be considerably improved with further drilling, the Kemp-Munger well, brought in eight miles southwest of this city last Monday, is causing great excitement in Wichita Falls and about the well and leases are rising in price magically. While there is some shallow oil in this section it is not enough to cause any surprise.

NEAR EAST CONFERENCES UNDER WAY AT YONKERS

International News Service

YONKERS, N. Y., Oct. 23.—The first of a long series of conferences of the Near East Relief Commission on the condition of affairs in Western Asia began here yesterday. More than 300 Government officials, religious leaders, & State representatives interested in the work are attending the conferences. At the opening session Governor W. A. McCorkle, of Virginia, and Louis Heck of the State Department at Washington, spoke.

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\$500,000 OIL DEAL MADE FOR INTEREST IN GARBER FIELD

Special to The Times.

LAWTON, Okla., Oct. 23.—This city's biggest oil deal this week took place when N. A. Robertson and Alex Walker, both of Lawton, bought one-half of the lease of the Cootie & Quadrangle Oil company in the Garber, Okla., field for \$500,000.

The new 2,000-barrel well of the Cootie & Quadrangle company, which was brought in last week, is located on this lease.

CINCINNATI REDS HAVE SAN SABA ACREAGE

Special to The Times.

SAN ANGELO, Oct. 23—Daily freight service for less than carload will soon be instituted on the

TREASURY OFFICIAL TO HEAD OIL COMPANY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Registrar of United States Treasury will resign in the near future to become head of the R. E. Seaman Oil company, it was announced here today.

MUNGER WELL CAUSES BIG RUSH TO WICHITA.

WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 23.—Every train is bringing new crowds of oil men and other visitors to this city. The new rush is caused by the bringing in of the Kemp-Munger-Alen well, which opens a new field in this territory.

DAILY FREIGHT SERVICE FROM SAN ANGELO ASKED

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Santa Fe railroad, it was announced yesterday, as a result of the continual representations of the Board of City Development. Only three times a week package cars have been run out of here during the war and to this date.

The Orient has been asked to put on the daily service, too.

VETERAN OF GREAT WAR VISITING SISTERS HERE

James C. Travis, who enlisted four years ago with the Canadian army at Winnipeg and served valiantly until discharged, and who was recently discharged at Camp Devens, Mass., is in the city visiting his sisters, Mrs. W. V. Cox and Miss Hattie Travis. He re-enlisted for a four-year term at the close of hostilities.

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ALL ORDERS MUST BE ACCOM-

PANIED BY THE CASH.

No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

The above rates are for consecutive Daily and Sunday insertions without change of copy.

No cuts or black-faced type allowed.

No type above 10-point light face allowed.

No advertisements accepted on a "till forbid" order; a specific number of insertions must be given.

Notice to discontinue advertisements must be given in writing, otherwise we are not responsible.

We reserve the right to place all proper classifications under the proper classification and to reject clean or objectionable copy.

For Classified Advertising

HELP WANTED (Male)

HEALTHFUL EMPLOYMENT AT GOOD PAY—WANTED—Men or women, boys or girls to deliver West Union Telegrams. Apply at 206 Rusk St.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Experienced stenographer desires permanent position with wood firm; can furnish reference; graduate of the Alamo City Commercial and Business college of San Antonio. Address Miss Sara Wilson, 129 Fir Street, San Antonio, Texas.

MAN AND WIFE want steady work in camp out of town. Address R. D. Ranger Times.

EXPERIENCED MECHANIC, married, with thorough knowledge of machinery, gasoline engines, electricity and motion picture cameras, wants position as acetylene welding, wishes position. Address C. H. C., care Daily Times.

VANTED—Position as timekeeper and stenographer; five years' experience. Address Miss Dunigen, Box 30.

6—BUSINESS CHANCES

WANTED—To buy small business; my kind considered; grocery preferred. P. O. Box 895.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

GRANGER HOTEL
Everything new and up to date.
211 North Austin Street.

SOPHIE S. DO'GLAS, please come
one or write to your sister.

YANTONIC HOUSE to share nice 5 room
house on Strawn road, easy walking
distance to town. Plenty well watered.
See Hicks at Daily Times office,
phone 224.

YANKEE KNOWING O. E. Mathis
lease notify his wife at Prince Ru-

lank Co.

NOTICE is hereby given the public
that all business relations heretofore
existing between the undersigned W.
J. Boland & Charles E. Hughes of
the Ideal Sheet Metal Works hereto-
fore conducted in the city of Ranger,
Eastland county, Texas, are here by
dissolved and notice is further given
that I will not be responsible for
any purchases that Charles E. Hughes
may make or for any contract or
transaction that he may enter into
after his name or in my name or
in the Ideal Sheet Metal Works name.
Reward paid for information. J. V.
Powder, lot 7, McCleskey addition
Eastland.

OST—On Caddo-Ranger road, bet-
ween hotel and laundry. Return to
White House Hotel, Caddo, or Times
office, and receive \$20 reward. A. F.
Yatt, Box 47, Caddo.

STRAYED—Two brown mare mules,
about 15 hands high, weight about
300 lbs.; not sheared and are old;
strayed from barn Oct. 4. Reward
for information leading to recovery
or for return of mules. Lincoln
Bank Co.

OST—In McCleskey addition
Thursday morning, three miles; one
span of 16-hand red mules; one horse
mare, with rope halter, and
one 15-hand mule without shoes. Re-
ward paid for information. J. V.
Powder, lot 7, McCleskey addition
Eastland.

OST—Bunch of keys in amusement
arcade, 216 Main street, marked "H.
Rowley, Ranger, Texas." Finder
please return to owner at above ad-
dress and receive \$5 reward.

1—LOST AND FOUND

OST—On Caddo-Ranger road, bet-
ween hotel and laundry. Return to
White House Hotel, Caddo, or Times
office, and receive \$20 reward. A. F.
Yatt, Box 47, Caddo

Aerial Vagabonds Hop Off Carrying Ranger's Message of Wonderful Growth and Prosperity

BY LARRY SMITS.

They're off! On their way to New York city, by a somewhat devious route, by way of Tulsa, and Topeka, and Des Moines, and Kansas City and Chicago, Lieutenants Bill Hahnel and Bob Kennedy, formerly of the army and the Ranger-Desdemona air service, are carrying the aerial message of the wonder city of the Texas oil fields to the folks of Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and New York state.

With the co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce, The Ranger Daily Times has printed a bulletin of the leading activities of the premier oil city and these leaflets will flutter down from the winging vagabond ship of the skies to the spectators below.

Ranger is probably the first city in the United States to take advantage of the most recent kink in aerial advertising.

In the early grammar school days, the boys of the old home town used to sacrifice an occasional Saturday to the pursuit of god, in a manner of speaking. They spent the day in what they called "peddlin' bills." These notices of sale by department stores, were delivered, in theory, to each doorstep in the old home town. For which each boy peddler received four bits for the day's work.

A really energetic boy, peddler, bills, covered six to eight miles of village streets in a day.

Now comes the aggrandized bill peddler, covering, instead of a few weary miles, a breezy half a thousand in a day, delivering his wares, not to a single doorstep, but to a city, watching his graceful course and waiting for his aerial message.

After two days of waiting, when clouds and overhanging skies made travel by air unpleasant and landing fields boggy, Thursday dawned bright and clear.

At the field at the end of Hunt street, from which the boys have made many flights during their stay in Ranger, waited the slim structure of spruce and lines which is their vehicle in the airy region. Shrouded in the coverings which protect against wind and weather, it little resembled the winged chariot of the cloud spaces.

Canvas and tarpaulin removed, the two pilots strapped their suitcases to the foot board on each side of the fuselage. One cannot tell, when she starts on an aerial journey, whether the caprices of the air will permit his safe arrival at his destination. So Bill and Bob are prepared, at least, with a change of clothes and a few travel needs, against a forced landing in some farmer's cornpatch, miles from the city to which their luggage has been sent.

They clambered into the plan, Bill in the front seat, Bob in the back, and adjusted the safety belts which insure their "staying with it" at any dizzy angle.

"Off and choke," called the mechanic, standing in front of the propeller. Bob repeated the call, signifying that the spark was off and the mechanic swung the long mahogany stick over several times that the cylinders might drink in their charges of gas.

"Contact," repeated Bob.

The mechanic gave the stick a sharp swing, the motor coughed, barked and then settled to an even staccato ratatap that told that every cylinder was doing its share. For a few minutes the motor ran at this speed, warming up, and then the roar deep-

BAND TOGETHER TO KEEP BURK CRUDE STABLE



Prince wearing Indian regalia that goes with title of chief.

Special to The Times
WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 23.—Having for its purpose the keeping of the price of Burkhardt crude oil to the posted midcontinent level, the Wichita County Oil and Refiners' Association has been organized here. John W. Thomas, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association, has been chosen as general manager.

The second agreement which has been entered into by the members of the Association is as follows:

"We, the undersigned, hereby mutually associate ourselves into an organization to be known as the Wichita County Oil Producers' and Refiners' Association. The object and purposes of this association shall be:

"1. To lend the efforts of this association to the enforcement of all laws of the State and Federal Governments for the conservation of oil.

"2. To lend the efforts of this association to improve the conditions of marketing oil in Wichita county and to said end urge all pipe lines, who are in fact common carrier lines under the laws of this State and under Federal laws, to be so classified and regulated by the proper authorities to the end that the oil may be received by said lines proportionately from the producers and no discrimination practiced.

"3. To lend the efforts of this association to all regulations which may be adopted for the purpose of preventing fire.

"4. To use the efforts of this association to prevent theft or unlawful acts destructive to the property of the members of this association and to assist in the prosecution of such offenders."

The members of this association hereby pledge themselves not to make contracts for sale of their oil which violate the law and regulations pertaining to common carrier lines under the laws of the United States or the laws of the State of Texas."

Facsimile of Poster Air Voyagers Will Distribute

RANGER TO NEW YORK CITY BY AIRPLANE

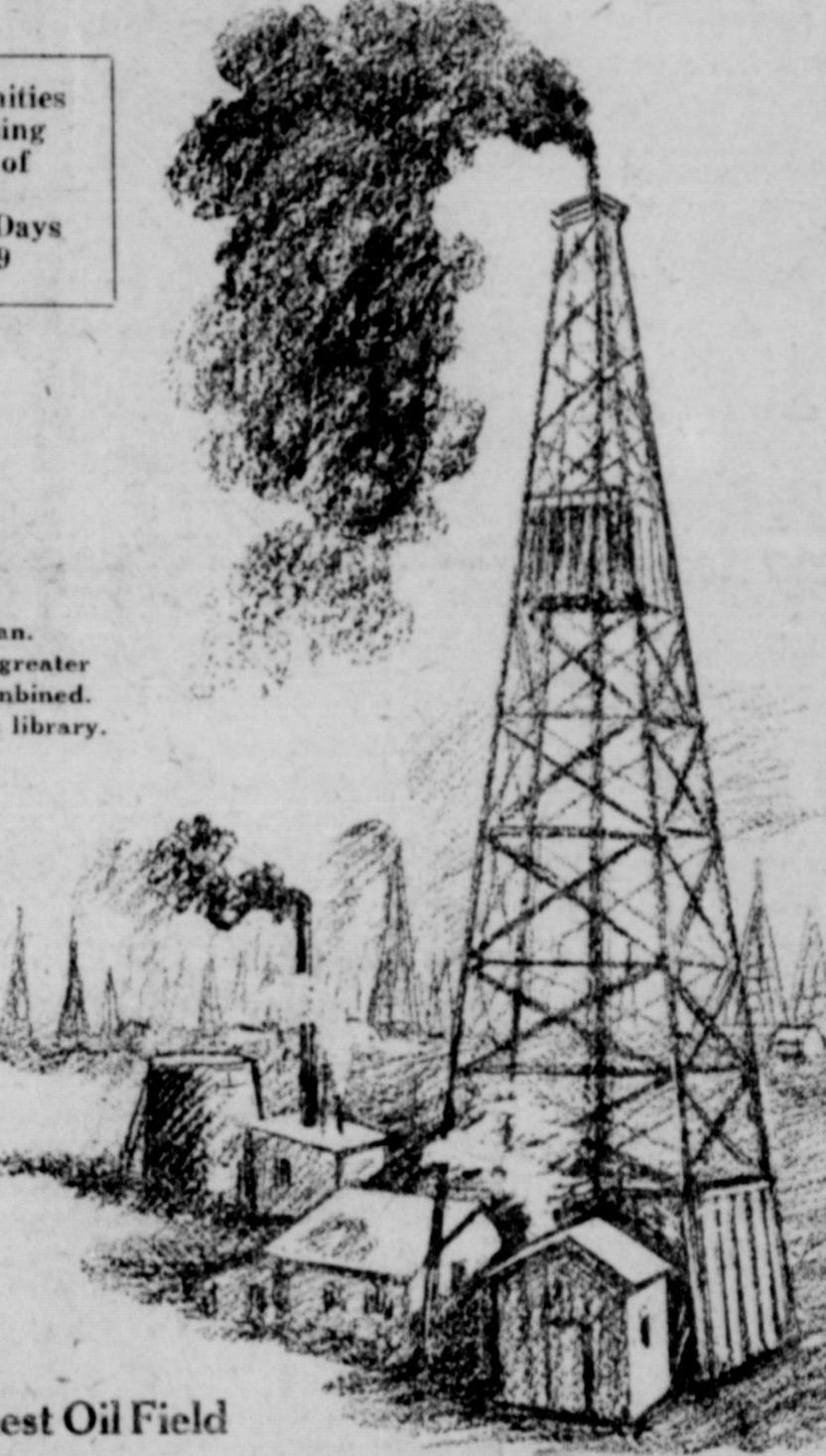
LIEUT.
BILL HAHNELLIEUT.
BOB KENNEDY

Voyaging from the Premier Oil City of Texas to the Premier City of the United States, send Greetings from the Skies.

RANGER—700 Population in 1917; 35,000 Population in 1919; 50,000 in 1920.

Half-Billion-Dollar Oil Industry. Daily Production of 70,000 barrels.

Eight oil refineries.
Excellent health rate.
Eighteen lumber yards.
Ten trunk oil pipe lines.
Best school system in Texas.
Six gasoline casing head plants.
One hundred operating companies.
Thirty miles of trackage within city.
Twenty-five oil well supply companies.
Three million dollar building program.
Two thousand teams hauling to the fields.
Climate second to none—moderate winters.
Paving program covering sixty-nine blocks.
Five banks with total deposits of \$8,000,000.
Thirty freight trains a day in each direction.
Largest City between Fort Worth and El Paso.
City Manager-Commission form of government.
Fifteen hundred motor trucks operating to oil fields.
Two railroads; franchise granted for oil field interurban.
Three-quarter million dollar monthly freight business, greater than that of Fort Worth, Dallas and New Orleans combined.
Fine residences, theaters, lodges, labor temple, public library.

Opportunities
Surpassing
Those of
the
Golden Days
of '49

For Further Information

write

Ranger Chamber of Commerce

Ranger Daily Times

(Member Associated Press)

The News Organ of the World's Richest Oil Field

ORDER FOR PIPE LINES
TO HANDLE OIL PROTESTED.

PERSONALS

Special to The Times.

WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 23.—Protest against an order of the Texas Railroad Commission to the Magnolia and Texas Pipe Line companies, to the effect that they run one-fourth of the production of the leases of a certain operator, of which they learned through press dispatches, has been wired to the commission by the newly-organized Wichita County Oil and Refiners' Association. The wire calls attention to the alleged inequity of the order, pointing out that the estimated possible production of the two pools near Burkhardt is 300,000 barrels per day, a fourth of which would be 75,000 barrels, while the carrying capacity of the two pipe lines mentioned, at present the only trunk lines operating in the field, is only about 30,000 barrels per day.

**ISSUE WARNING TO WATCH
FOR COUNTERFEIT W. S. S.**
International News Service.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Watch out for counterfeit war savings stamps. This is the warning issued here and being followed closely by merchants. The warning was issued by William J. Morris, assistant treasurer of the United States at the San Francisco mint, and is made for national observance.

CLEBURNE, Oct. 23.—In order to make Sunday funerals will be voided at Cleburne as the result of a pastors' conference. The action was taken in order to prevent the necessity of florists, grave diggers and others having to work on that day.

**CHIROPACTOR IN ON
TRIAL AT GAINESVILLE.**

Special to The Times.

GAINESVILLE, Oct. 23.—The trial of Dr. S. C. Holmes, chiropractor, charged with practicing medicine without a license, is on trial in the district court here. It is attracting great attention.

EXTRA SESSION OF
U. S. COURT OF WACO.

WACO, Oct. 23.—A special term of federal court has been called for Nov. 6 in order to dispose of a number of naturalization cases. The regular term of court begins Nov. 10. Judge Duval West of San Antonio will preside.

What About Your Eyes?

Can You Look Into Your Own Eyes
and See What Is Wrong?

Truly speaking, you cannot. If troubled with your eyesight, better consult the specialist in charge of our Optical Department, Dr. S. M. Michelson, Optometrist and Optician, whose practice is limited to detecting and correcting errors of refraction and scientifically adjusting glasses. You will make no mistake in having him test your eyesight or furnish you with glasses. Every pair of glasses is made in our own shop, under his own supervision, with 25 years of successful experience. He grinds your lenses while you wait. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Bernstein & Weinberg

Ranger's Leading Jewelers Corner N

OVERTON GAINED TWELVE POUNDS

"I have actually gained 12 pounds on four bottles of Orgatone and I now feel like a brand new man," said J. H. Overton, residing at 202 Calhoun Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas, a few days ago.

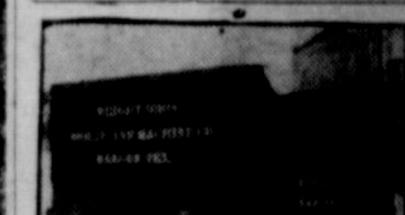
"For four months before I started on Orgatone," continued Mr. Overton, "I was feeling so bad it was impossible for me to do a thing; but here I am, a well man and I can never forget Orgatone the longest day I live for the good it has done me.

"I had been in bad health going down hill for almost a year. Treatment and medicine did me no good and I kept getting worse. For about six months I suffered from what the doctors called a dead liver and chronic constipation. My blood was very affected and I had the most terrible headaches, which made me so nervous I could hardly sleep and many a day I was in misery every hour out of the twenty-four.

"My stomach pained me all the time and everything I would eat came back. I had no appetite and besides I could swallow anything scarcely at all without causing gas to form. I did everything I could hear of to find relief, but nothing helped me and I had little hope of finding a medicine or treatment that would suit my case.

"A fellow workman who had used Orgatone and received such very beneficial results urged me to give it a trial. I felt a change for the better in just a few days and it seems to me my recovery is almost like a miracle. I improved right along every day and now I haven't a sign of my old troubles for the good work of Orgatone has relieved these conditions. My appetite has improved wonderfully and everything I eat tastes just fine, nothing hurts me. That shows my stomach is in good shape and what fine work Orgatone Treatment has done for me. I enjoy everything there is to eat and my pain and misery are all gone, and I think Orgatone Treatment is the greatest medicine that ever was made. I have gained 12 pounds on four bottles and am now working every day. It has made me what I am today and I would be unappreciative of the good I have received not to let others know about it. I recommend it because I feel it my duty and if anybody trying to get relief from their troubles will either call or write me I will take pleasure in answering them."

Orgatone is not a so-called patent secret remedy, but a new, scientific treatment, absolutely free from alcohol in any form, and is sold in Ranger by the Ranger Drug Company exclusively, under the personal direction of a special Orgatone representative.



The above photograph shows the

Wright Knocked-Down Forge

Ready for use and ready for shipment.

Cheaper than old type forge.

Easier to move and erect.

Sold by all leading supply houses.

WRIGHT BROS. BOILER & MACHINE CO.

P. O. Box 777 West Main St.

Ranger, Texas



"AIDA"

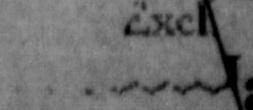
That stirring Grand Opera will be at Fort Worth next week.

It is a beautiful story and truly a Grand Opera.

Read the story in "The Land of Music" before you see

explore and hear our

great



TEXAS PACIFIC TO START NEW TRAIN TO WEST

The state railway commission yesterday issued an order requiring the Texas & Pacific railroad to install an additional train between Fort Worth and Sweetwater. The order was issued following the protest of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, the Abilene Chamber of Commerce and the Sweetwater Board of Development. At present only three trains each way are operated between Baird and Sweetwater, two eastbounds operating so closely together that they are duplications of each other, though the westbound trains are better distributed over the period.

The installation of the new train does not mean that an additional one will be operated through the oil fields, for there already are five each way, the fifth having been put on last Sunday; but the extension of the service of one of the two trains, which either stops at Eastland or Baird, probably the latter. Local railroad officials are unable to determine which of the trains would be extended, but it seems improbable that the new train will be run farther west than Eastland, because the same engine, coaches and crew which man it must return and sufficient time must be allowed for possible delays westward so the return schedule can be met.

The Oil Field Special, which leaves Ranger at 1:50 a.m., will in all probability be the extension, which should arrive at Abilene at 5 a.m. and at Sweetwater at 7 a.m. The eastbound train probably would leave Sweetwater at 5:30 p.m. and Abilene at 7:30 p.m., arriving at Ranger at the same time as at present. However, local officials think it might be possible for a radical change of the entire train schedule on the road through Ranger, making the distribution of the operation of trains through here more even and convenient.

The Abilene Chamber of Commerce has for months vainly sought officials of the road for another train, but was told it was impossible. However, figures reveal that business is superabundant between Baird and Sweetwater for the installation of an additional train each way; in fact, the ticket sales of stations on that division show passenger traffic has increased 400 per cent in the last two years, but passenger service has remained the same as that three years ago.

Porter A. Whaley, secretary of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce; B. F. Bennett, secretary of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce; George Sheppard, secretary of the Sweetwater Board of City Development, and others have been working on this proposal several months. The installation of an additional passenger train on the Wichita Valley railroad from Abilene to Wichita Falls indicates that an unusually quick and convenient route will be opened between Ranger and Wichita Falls by Abilene until the Hamon & Keil line shall have been put into operation.

Ranger in Need of City Attorney

Judge Nichols has resigned as city attorney, to devote his time to business. Earl Adams, Jr., who has acted as city attorney much of the time in Judge Nichols' absence, stated today that private interests demand all his time and he does not expect to be connected with the office after today.

Judge Nichols and Judge Adams have filled the office efficiently and well at a personal sacrifice. They are actively interested in the Mary Elizabeth Oil company and the American Oil and Refining Association.

A successor to Judge Nichols has not been appointed.

THIEF KEEPS SADDLE TURNS HORSE LOOSE

R. C. Findall, of the City Market, telephoned at police headquarters this morning that some one stole a horse and a fine saddle from him last night. The horse was round about ten o'clock this morning, but the saddle is still missing.

It is the theory of local officers that the thief rode the horse to an out-of-the-way place in order to safely dispose of the saddle.

Mr. Findall placed a value of \$150 on the saddle. It was made by S. D. Myers, famous saddle maker, and was highly valued by Mr. Findall for personal as well as monetary reasons.

The Ranger Steam Laundry reported the theft of a set of double harness from their barns back of the laundry, on North Austin street.

LEGAL ATTORNEY BACK FROM DALLAS HOSPITAL

Attorney Ove Overton has returned from Dallas, where he underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils. He was away five days and returns much improved. He has resumed his practice here.

COTTON BELT ROAD CONDITION REPORTED

Special to The Times.
AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—The report of Engineer E. D. Parker of the Texas Rail and Construction on the condition of the railroads of the St. Louis Southwestern railroad in Texas has been submitted to the commission but, due to the latter's heavy business, has not yet been studied and report made. However, it is known that certain stretches of line are in a poor condition and will be found to be in worse condition when the report is made. In a state of Grace, the report states, the railroads are in a good condition and while the new U-effect at the neckline.

PUBLIC INTEREST IN POISONED BABIES TURNS TO GOLD; FATHER'S MONEY GONE



Edna Luitkart (above) and her sister Shirley, as callers see them today at Columbus Hospital, Chicago.

Little Edna and Shirley Luitkart, the Pontiac, Mich., girls whose demented mother gave them bichloride of mercury with murderous intent, not only will live but will have a good education, thanks to public generosity. A newspaper in Detroit and another in Chicago are raising a fund for the girls, which already totals several thousand dollars. Their father, Roy Luitkart, has spent all his money in restoring them to health.

Hard Luck Timps and Tim Beady Meet a Self-Confessed Singer

By PAUL C. YATES.

Tim Beady and Hard Luck John Timps were playing a game of dominoes in Beady's shack on the East hill when someone knocked at the door.

"I bet it's somebody with a gun," whispered Timps. "Come in," he called.

A tall, slim man entered the room—so slim he could have jumped through a six-inch pipe after eating a full meal. His hatchet-shaped face drooped forward on a spindly neck, his clothes were torn and travel-stained, and there was a suggestion about him of having traveled many miles over rough roads.

The stranger sat down on a box which Beady proffered him and stared at his two hosts in impudent silence.

"My name is Washington Jones," he said at last, in a melancholy, nasal, querulous tone, but some people call me 'Blind Side' Johnson and other unkind nicknames, such as 'Missing Link.' I am a singing teacher by profession. I stopped in Dublin, on the Katy railroad, a few days ago. I wouldn't have minded stopping if the train I was riding had stopped at the same time, but the train was going down grade and went off the track. Their failure to stop the brakes. Their failure to work suddenly annoyed the brakeman and he must have decided to lighten the load by throwing off ballast so the brakes wouldn't be under such a strain. The first thing he threw off was me."

"I made an impression when I stopped in Dublin. It was on a cement sidewalk. For the first time in several weeks I had struck a town where they didn't run me out. I wasn't able to walk."

"Within a couple of weeks I was able to use a crutch and this made me so happy I began to sing. An old dog, which lived in the yard of the jail where I was a guest, began to howl. Every time I sang he howled. Neighbors said he was howling most of the time."

"Before I had been in jail a week several people living nearby made money to pay my fine and I was released. I decided I would give a vocal entertainment in Dublin, charging an admission of 25 cents for the privilege of hearing my wonderful voice. I had a large number of handbills struck, on a promise of future payment, and the hour of the concert found the church house I had engaged for the occasion packed to capacity."

"Without preliminary remarks I mounted the stage and started singing my favorite song, 'I Hear You Call Me.' The jail yard dog must have thought I was calling him, for he started to howling outside the door."

"A murmur of recognition traveled through the audience and they heard their bad taste by crying up cobblestones from the floor and throwing them in my direction. One of the cobblestones knocked me through a back window. I decided to leave without waiting to collect gate receipts."

"I intended going south, but I distinctly saw seven North stars and I just have been confused as to direction. It was all the fault of the fall-down dog. He followed my all day yesterday, and every time I tried to sing my voice in music he started to bark. It was most depressing. I only blow my nose and cry when I am sick or dysentery, am not married to Gary, I—Raymond's a savory odor that surrounds his flavor kitchen. I will

AD CLUB HAS JINX TRAISING "ALLEGED" TRIP

The Fort Worth Ad club has found the jinx in the weather the forecasters are doing out in the oil fields. The club's trip of inspection and pleasure scheduled for Ranger tomorrow has been called off indefinitely, it was announced yesterday by Rose Ady, secretary of the organization.

About fifty members of the organization had arranged for two special Pullmans to reach Ranger early Friday morning. They had planned to "take in" Rangers on a large scale and to visit the oil fields, see wells "shot," watch drilling operations and learn something of a really live city. Rain and mud—Ranger's two greatest enemies—conspired.

This is the second or third time the Ad club has set dates to appear on the stage of action here, and on each occasion the jinx has trailed them.

Special arrangements had been made by the Chamber of Commerce to bring interests and oil companies to show the ad men the beginning of the war in 1914 and she realizes that reconstruction problems are quite as serious as war problems and she is determined to help. She has already contributed a big thing to the work, for she has learned the Braille system that she might instruct the blinded soldiers, and she has organized circles to make Braille books. Now she wants to know "What next?"

Operations of Magnolia Company

Magnolia Petroleum company operates:

T. W. Connell, No. 8, 3295, drilling; No. 9, 1499, drilling; No. 10, rigging up; Nos. 11, 12, 13, rigs; No. 14, 2300, drilling; No. 15, rig; No. 16, rig on ground; Nos. 17, 18, rigs; No. 19, rig.

R. S. Harris No. 2, rig.

W. A. Harris No. 2 rig; No. 3, spud.

No. 4, rig; No. 6, location; No. 10, location.

W. E. Rock No. 9, plugged at 3335 to 390 to 2958, abandoned; No. 10, 3256, drilling.

N. B. Harris No. 3, 3454, completed 200 barrels.

W. E. Rock No. 11, 2175, underreaming; Nos. 13, 14, 15, rigs.

J. T. Nash Nos. 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, rigs.

Nannie Walker No. 2, 3275, reaming.

J. P. Boles No. 1, 2060, drilling.

GOOD ROADS AMENDMENT
PASSAGE IS SOUGHT

Speciel to The Times.

AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—The state highway commission is working long hours and assiduously to interest the voters of Texas in supporting the proposed amendment to the state constitution permitting the issuance of \$75,000,000 in bonds for the rebuilding of a superior system of highways in Texas. C. A. Avery, one of the commissioners, says that while there is a great deal of road building proceeding at the present, he believes the best good to the people can come from the voting of the bonds by which superior roads can be built.

SANITARY INSPECTORS
LEAVE CORPUS CHRISTI.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Oct. 23.—The state health authorities have removed all their sanitary officers from Corpus Christi and left the situation to the local authorities. Conditions have shown a wonderful improvement in the last ten days.

GIRL IS FAMOUS
FOR HER MEMORY

Abbot Hutchins, who has been connected with the detective department of the Ranger police force for several months, has resigned his position with the force.

Mr. Hutchins left yesterday afternoon for his home near Haskell, Texas. Mr. Hutchins stated before leaving that he would go to work on his farm, four miles from Haskell. He may take the position of sheriff of Haskell county, which has been offered him, it is understood.

Mr. Hutchins has done very efficient work on the Ranger force, notably in capturing six alleged express thieves, who are thought to have operated as an organized gang to steal local express shipments in wholesale lots.

Occult Science Teacher Moves.

Mrs. L. Osborne, teacher of occult science and spiritualistic worker, has moved to 303 South Austin street, Cottage room No. 3.

VALUABLE CARGO OF
COTTON LEAVES PORT

Speciel to The Times.

GALVESTON, Oct. 23.—One ship left port here this week with a cargo of cotton valued at \$5,682,360, breaking all former records. The ship was the "Indian."

SNYDER IS WITHOUT
LIGHTS OR POWER NOW.

SNYDER, Oct. 23.—Snyder has been without power and lights for several days due to a breakdown in the plant. George H. Wilcox has been sent to Dallas to purchase new machinery for the plant. It may be several days before operation will be resumed.

Gay Zenola MacLaren.

Gay Zenola MacLaren has added a new profession to the already long list of "Things That Women Can Do." She reproduces the best plays of Broadway perfectly, after hearing them but two or three times. She is the author of "The Girl Who Sang," "The Girl Show," and the government sent her to Panama five times to entertain the workers when "the big ditch" was being dug. A Miss MacLaren has never seen a text of a single play she has presented.

The combination of tricotine and satin is always a happy one, for it means a practical and at the same time a smart frock. This one by Lady Duff Gordon has the bib tunic of tricotine over the satin foundation. A silk cord and tassel finished the belt.

C. P. H. THE HOME OUT-

LOOK

ADDITION

THE IDEAL PLACE TO LIVE

W. W. Burger, Sales Manager

OFFICE ON ADDITION

RANGER DAILY TIMES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1919.

STRANGER PAYS FINE OF SOLDIER-VAGRANT BECAUSE OF UNIFORM

This morning a man walked into police headquarters and told the desk I hate to see him before," said the man, "but the sergeant he would pay the fine of a soldier who was yesterday convicted of vagrancy and fined one dollar and costs, amounting to \$11.40. The ex-soldier had no money with which

to pay his fine and he was put to work on the streets, along with a number of other prisoners.

"I don't know the lad and never saw him before," said the man, "but

the American uniform in such manner. I have two boys who just got back

from France and I have a kindly

feeling for all who went through the hardships of war."

IF USED IN AN OFFICE, DORSEY HAS IT

DORSEY STATIONERS LITHOGRAPHERS OFFICE FURNITURE DORSEY BUILDING Commerce and Poydras Sts. DALLAS.

THE BUSINESS MAN'S DEPARTMENT STORE

IF YOU BREAK YOUR TRUCK FRAME

There Is Really Only One Way to
Permanently Repair Broken Truck
and Automobile Frames—the U. S.
Army Method Used in Ranger by
the Brown Welding & Machine Co.

Most truck frames are broken by
excessive vibration under heavy load.
This vibration travels from the ends
of the springs along the frame and
looks for a weak spot to fight the
vibration from the other end of the
frame.

This weak spot is usually found on
the tension or bottom flange of the
frame at a place that has been drilled
for a spring hanger, cross-member or
motor support, or else at the point
where the cab and body meet.

The Army method of welding
frames (patented by C. H. Brown,
Proprietor Brown Welding Company,
Ranger and El Paso.)

(Advertisement.)

BBB SPECIALS BBB

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