

SCORES ARE INJURED WHEN 2,000 LONGSHOREMEN AND HUNDREDS OF WORKERS STAGE PITCHED BATTLE

MANY SHOTS FIRED AND MISSILES OF ALL KINDS ARE USED FREELY TODAY

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Scores of persons were injured in a pitched battle between 2,000 striking longshoremen and several hundred men on their way to work at the Bush Terminal docks at Brooklyn today.

Many shots were fired and sticks, stones, bricks and clubs were used freely. Police reserves were hastily summoned and ten men were arrested.

The disturbance occurred at Forty-third street and 50th avenue, Brooklyn, and was waged along both sides of the street for two blocks before being quelled by the police, who used clubs freely.

One policeman was struck on the head with a brick and seriously injured. Those who were arrested were badly up and their wounds were dressed by police surgeons. The arrested men were taken to a hospital.

U.S. CONSUL REPORTED RELEASED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—William Oscar Jenkins, American consular agent at Puebla, Mexico, kidnapped and held by Mexican bandits for \$150,000 ransom, was released after payment of the ransom, the state department was advised today by the American embassy at Mexico City.

HANFORD, Cal., Oct. 27.—William O. Jenkins, wealthy manufacturer and American consular agent at Puebla, Mexico, probably was at liberty today, after being held a week by Mexican bandits for a \$100,000 ransom, according to word received by his father, John Jenkins of Hanford, from Miss Annie Jenkins, the consular agent's sister.

The message did not indicate whether the ransom was paid or whether the efforts of the Mexican government in response to urgent demands from the American state department effected the release.

FIND NO TRACE OF BODIES OF 9 DROWNED IN LA.

BASTROP, La., Oct. 27.—Although Bartholomew bayou has been dragged and dynamited, no trace was found today of the bodies of nine persons drowned Saturday night when a ferry overturned at Donners, six miles north of here.

The ferry was overturned when a mule plunged overboard and caused a stampede among other livestock.

AMENDMENT OF JOHNSON TO THE TREATY IS LOST

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The Johnson amendment to the peace treaty, proposing that the voting power of the United States in the League of Nations be increased to equal that of Great Britain and her dominions, was rejected today by a vote of 40 against 40.

A new surface for the passenger platform in front of the Texas & Pacific station is being put down.

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The street is now being cleared.

PUNISH THIEVES

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AUTOS STOLEN IN FIVE MONTHS IS FRISCO RECORD

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 27.—The record of stolen automobiles in this city for the first five months of the present year is the highest ever recorded, according to figures compiled by the police.

Professional thieves were taken for the first time in the city.

TAKE STEPS FOR ACTION IF COAL STRIKE CALLED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Measures to meet the situation which would result from the threatened strike of bituminous coal miners Saturday were considered today by administration officials.

No reply from the officers of the United Mine Workers of America to the demand of President Wilson that the strike be called off is expected until after the miners' executive committee meets in Indianapolis Wednesday, but in the meantime officials took cognizance of the statements of strike leaders that it was physically impossible to withdraw the strike order by November 1.

The administration's program for dealing with the strike naturally will not be disclosed until the strike develops.

RANGER OIL MAN WAS PROFESSOR AT UNIVERSITY

AUSTIN, Oct. 27.—A member of the faculty of the University of Texas in February of this year and now president of a million-dollar oil corporation, is the story of Grover Hartt.

Mr. Hartt left his position in the university to form a law partnership at Ranger, February 1, last. He later successfully managed a \$150,000 oil company and brought in the Mary Elizabeth well at Deedlemona. He is now president of the American Oil & Refining association of Ranger.

Previous to his connection with the university, Mr. Hartt was superintendent of schools at Timpson.

U. S. MAY BUY BIGGEST AIR SHIP IN WORLD

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The early closing of a contract for the purchase by the navy department of the British dirigible R-38, the largest airship in the world, now under construction in England, was expected at the department today.

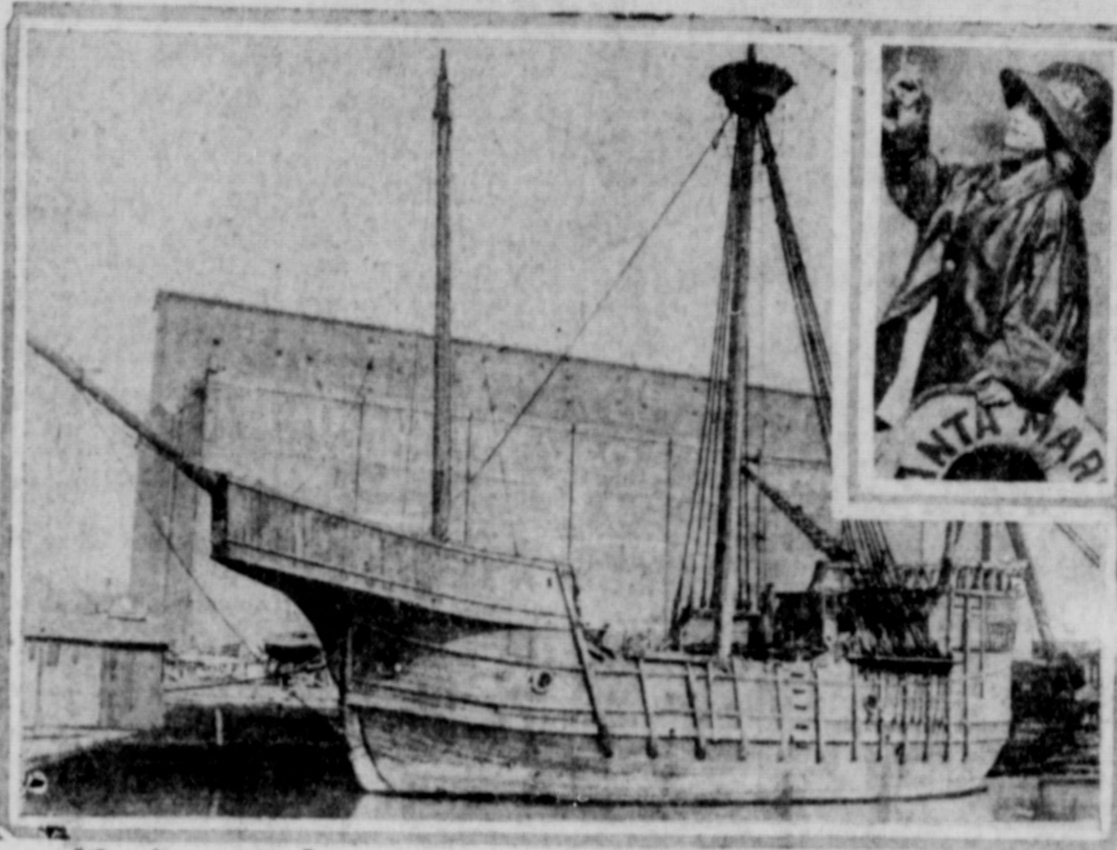
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The Santa Maria, Christopher Columbus's Caravel, Skippered by Pretty Miss



"Santa Maria" and its youthful skipper. The ancient ship Santa Maria, aboard which Christopher Columbus first came to these shores, is still in good repair and is resting on the Caumette river, near Chicago, the farthest inland port in America. The ancient vessel is occupied by Captain Peterson and his family, who act as caretakers. The inset shows pretty Miss Florence Peterson, acting skipper of the Santa Maria.

BRITISH AND U. S. LABOR UNREST ARE MUCH ALIKE

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Morning newspapers here give a large amount of space to the American labor crisis and parallels are drawn with the present situation across the Atlantic and the industrial events in Great Britain since the first of the year.

"The general resemblance is remarkable," says the Chronicle, which suggests that some profound underlying rhythm is the cause of labor unrest. "We fear President Wilson's illness will make it extremely difficult for him to meet the demands of the situation," the newspaper adds.

MINERS' HEAD SAYS FORCE NOT "ALLAY CRISIS"

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 27.—Prefacing his announcement with the statement that he had received no communication from government sources as to President Wilson's stand against the threatened strike of the soft coal miners Nov. 1, John Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, today declared that "the widely heralded intimation that force may be resorted to, will not serve to allay the crisis."

Pres. Continues to Grow Better

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The production in the billion and makes of the big gas.

Prairie Has Good Gusher On P.T. Roper

Prairie Oil & Gas company has a good well on the J. T. Roper tract, No. 6, which is in the sand and flowing eighty barrels an hour today and is not yet completed. Top of the sand is 3,409 feet and the well is drilling at 3,420 feet. It probably has at least three more feet of sand to go, and may even increase its present production of around 2,000 barrels.

Two other wells, of six operations, are completed.

1,000,000 TO BE AFFECTED BY SPAIN LOCKOUT

MADRID, Oct. 27.—More than 1,000,000 persons throughout Spain will be thrown out of employment November 4 if the decision of Spanish employers at Barcelona declaring a lockout is carried out.

In Barcelona alone 300,000 men and women will be affected.

It seems probable that the elements throughout the country will take some action to meet the situation.

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WORLD TRADES UNIONS MEET AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Labor leaders of many nations, practically all of them accredited delegates to the international labor conference which will convene here Wednesday, gathered today when the International Federation of Trade Unions opened its first conference since its organization at Amsterdam.

Delegates from Germany and Austria are among those who are expected to attend the conference. No important action is expected to be taken by the conference until tomorrow.

COAL STRIKE TO AFFECT THIS STATE LITTLE

AUSTIN, Oct. 27.—The coal shortage arising from the impending miners' strike would affect Texas least of all states, according to Allison Mayfield, railroad commissioner.

Practically all the important railroad lines of Texas, he said, use crude oil for fuel and considerable traffic could be maintained without coal.

J. Walter Morris Re-Elected to Head Texas League

J. Walter Morris of Fort Worth was re-elected president of the Texas league at the annual meeting of baseball magnates Sunday at the Metropolitan hotel. Wilbur P. Allen of Austin was re-elected vice president—a lifetime position, and Charles H. Miller of Corsicana also was elected vice president. William B. Ruggie, sports editor of the Dallas news, was named assistant secretary and statistician of the league.

Present at the league meeting were Paul La Grave, Fort Worth; Walter Salm, Wichita Falls; W. J. Johnson, Galveston; Donk Roberts, Houston; Ham Peterson and Joe Hassell, Dallas; J. H. Shepherd, Beaumont; and A. R. Jett, Beaumont. Morris held the proxy for Shreveport and Roberts for San Antonio.

The \$500,000 league was adopted by the league and the franchise to W.

PROHIBITION BILL IS VETOED BY PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27, 4 p. m.—President Wilson today vetoed the prohibition enforcement bill.

SEARCH FOR 2 MEXICANS WHO SLEW AIRMEN

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 27.—Plans were put in operation today in Lower California and Mexico, as well as at Washington, looking to the arrest of two Mexican fishermen accused of murdering Lieutenants S. Connelly and Waterhouse, American aviators who flew into Mexico August 21 and subsequently lost their lives.

The identity of the accused men is known both to Mexican and American officials. It was announced officially when the bodies of the American flyers were brought here on the destroyer Aaron Ward from Bahia Los Angeles, Lower California, and because of friendly relations between the American Government and Governor Canto of Lower California, comparatively little difficulty is anticipated in apprehending the accused men.

61ST BIRTHDAY OF T. ROOSEVELT OBSERVED IN U.S.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—New York joined with the nation today in observing the sixty-first anniversary of Theodore Roosevelt's birth. Hundreds journeyed to Oyster Bay to visit the great American's grave, while a varied program of memorial services were held here.

Today marks the close of Roosevelt week, during which a successful campaign has been conducted to raise funds for a memorial for the former president.

THEY GOT HENRY FORD ONCE FOR SPEEDING

IRONWOOD, Mich., Oct. 27.—Koski received word recently that a small automobile, with a party of men, passed through the Bessemer suburb, doing about forty miles an hour.

The sheriff took the trail, which brought him to a local hotel. He immediately accosted the party and notified them to appear in justice court the next day.

"All right," said the leader, quietly, "we'll be there."

"Your face looks familiar; what's your name?" asked the guardian of the peace.

"Ford," was the reply.

"Henry?"

"Detroit?"

"You bet."

"Well, court opens at 9 o'clock today," said the sheriff, turned upon his heel.

Ford, his son, Ed, and other associates were made to appear in the upper peninsula.

GALLAGHER DIED AT

Carl Gallagher, who was shot in the gun battle in the house of Marjorie Grill on Pine street at an early hour last Monday morning, when Curtis Shiner was instantly killed, and who was taken to St. Paul's hospital in Dallas the following day, died at an institution at an early hour this morning, according to an Associated Press dispatch received by Times this afternoon.

Gallagher was the first man to fall in the battle, which took place at an early hour when the men had gathered in the house. He was shot in the neck and the bullet ranged downward in his body.

Gallagher was known locally by a large number of oil workers.

Funeral arrangements are unknown here.

CITIZENS AT CISCO HIGH STREET

CISCO, Oct. 27.—Citizens at Cisco, Tex., consoled to make their first of last week. Meed, contractor street, have a day. A working by a by of v of o' t d.

Hunting Moran Sand.
Sinclair Gulf is drilling on the Reynolds, two miles east of the Central ranch, on section 4, G. H. & H. Railway company survey. The Sinclair company has drilled two wells on its lease, the first to 1,252 feet on an oil sand, and was abandoned on account of a crooked hole. The rig was skidded over seventy feet southwest and a new well drilled. This well is approximately 950 feet deep.

Texas Panhandle Oil & Gas company's Drigger No. 1, is drilling at 1,000 feet. This well is on section 70, block 13, T. & P. Railway company lands. The owners expect to pick up a shallow strata of sand found between 1,000 and 1,200 feet.

Texas company's ebb No. 7 is near the Moran sand, found at 2,300 feet. It is a deep test and is expected to go 5,000 feet.

Texas-Cushing company's Proctor No. 1 is at 2,012 feet, and though the casing has not been set it is expected that the six-inch well will be lowered to 3,300 feet, is possible, before having the size of the hole. Proctor No. 1 is located on section 191 of the Eastern Texas Railway company lands, approximately nine miles northwest of Albany.

Texas-Cushing company's No. 1 Colbert, on the R. V. J. Wilson survey, section 28, is temporarily shut down awaiting the outcome of a difference which has arisen between the contracting driller and the owners as to the interpretation of the contract.

Texas Oil & Gas company, drilling the No. 1 Black on the northwest corner of section 394, Texas Immigration & Land company survey, had a fine showing of oil at 561 feet. It is drilling at 1,725 feet.

PAID \$4,000 FOR SHAVE.
LET IT GROW AFTER THAT

International News Service.
CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 27.—Col James J. Barhart, who served in the Civil war, has an unusually long and flowing beard. He confessed recently why he had allowed it to grow. The colonel said his last shave was in Atlanta during Sherman's march to the sea. When the barber charged him \$4,000 for the money for the work he never again would touch a razor.

INTEREST IN TITUS COUNTY OIL PROSPECTS

MOUNT PLEASANT, Oct. 27.—There is oil development in Titus county has received considerable interest here by geologists and oil men. The reason for the activity at this time is explained by the fact that the state geological survey made north of this city seems conclusively to connect his county with the Caddo, Louisiana, fields.

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MIKADO OF ALL MANKIND IS JAP'S BELIEF

TOKIO, Japan, Oct. 27.—An interesting editorial indicating how the League of Nations has moved the Japanese and how the "divine attributes" of the Mikado are considered to fit the royal family as leaders of the league appeared here in the "Niroka."

The translation reads: "The Imperial Family of Japan is as worthy of respect as is God, and is the embodiment of benevolence and justice. The Imperial Family of Japan is parent not only over 60,000,000 people, but of all mankind on earth. In the eye of the Imperial Family all races are but one and the same. It stands above all racial considerations. All human disputes, therefore, may be settled in accordance with its immaculate justice. The League of Nations, which is proposed to save mankind from war, can only attain its real object by placing the Imperial Family of Japan at its head.

"To attain its object, the league must have a strong punitive force of superior national, and superior racial character, and this force can only be found in the Imperial Family of Japan."

TOWN'S RAISIN SHIPMENTS CAUSE OF MUCH COMMENT

International News Service.
OURAY, Colo., Oct. 27.—Federal agents are skeptical over the assertions and declarations of hundreds of consignees here that the carload of raisins being received are to be used for "strictly food purposes." During the past six weeks ten carloads of raisins have arrived here, and raisin bread, raisin cake, raisin pie, raisin delicacies will be the "staff of life" in the mining camps hereabouts if all the shipments go into food stuffs.

"Raisin wine" say the Federal agents, with a known smile.

PREACH SERMONS IN PLAIN ENGLISH ADVISES PASTOR.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., Oct. 27.—Preach your sermon in plain English, Saxon and outside of the church meet the man on the street in his own terms. This was the advice given to Methodist Episcopal clergymen here by Rev. Dr. Appleton Bash, of Pittsburgh.

"Avoid church phrases when addressing persons outside the church," he said. "Talk in terms that will be understood. Don't expect to interest the man outside by using such phrases as 'being born again' or 'washed in the blood of Jesus.'"

PROFESSOR PREFERS REAL BOLSHEVIK TO BOUDOIR TYPE

International News Service.
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 27.—"Give me the out-and-out, above-board Bolshevist every time to the Bolshevist of the 'boudoir' type, who uses his inherited wealth to stir up mischief," declares Professor Thomas N. Garver, Harvard economist, in an interview in Crimson, the college daily.

"I respect the former much more so than the latter.

"Bolshevism cannot be stopped by argument. The only way to combat the direct reactionist is to demonstrate to him that there is more force on the side of anarchy and upheaval. Bolshevists claim that their only desire is to allow labor to use its own tools. This is camouflage. What the radicals really want is that labor should own the tools of production without paying for them.

"The great moral question before the world today lies in choosing the method of prospering. Man may be divided into two groups. First, those who wish to secure wealth by making men afraid to refuse it to them; the second, those who work for prosperity by making themselves useful, helpful and indispensable.

"If we allow the principles of fear to conquer we are drifting toward another Dark Age; if the men who are upholding the principles of peace and industrial friendliness between the employer and employe triumph civilization will advance."

DEATH SENTENCE COMMITTED TO LIFE—ESCAPES FROM JAIL

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 27.—Governor Hugh Dickey made a brief but feelingful pronouncement on the baseness and general unworthiness of ingratitude last Thursday when he learned of the escape of Joe Webb, whose sentence to be hanged he had committed to life imprisonment about two weeks ago. Webb effected his second escape from the Chattooga county chain-gang Tuesday. He escaped from the Fulton County Jail some time ago but was recaptured.

"There's ingratitude for you!" exclaimed the Governor today. "I am surprised and reined that executive clemency should be so little appreciated." The Governor at once began consideration of offering a reward for Webb's capture.

PERSONAL

Judge G. L. Davenport returned this morning from a business trip to Abilene.

A. L. Walker, a business man of Chicago, is in Ranger looking after some oil interests.

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American People Declared Buying Abnormally Now

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Business continues to reflect the greatly increased buying power out of the abnormal wage distribution and agricultural prosperity of the last three years, according to the last report of the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago concerning the Seventh Federal Reserve District. About the only tendency toward conservatism observable, according to the report, is among the merchants, who, "despite the lavish buying of luxuries and other merchandise" are carrying comparatively small volumes of stocks. This is attributed partly to limited supplies of raw material and continued high prices, causing them to hesitate to stock up "in the face of an inevitable readjustment to a lower level."

"A growing tendency to expand manufacturing plant capacity instead of increasing present plant efficiency to care for the present demand" is noted and the banks report heavy borrowing throughout the Middle West. Both agricultural and manufacturing interests "call for a use of credit equal to, if not greater than a year ago when we were at war," the report says.

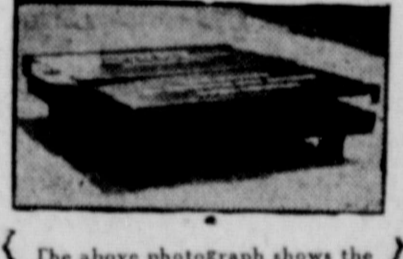
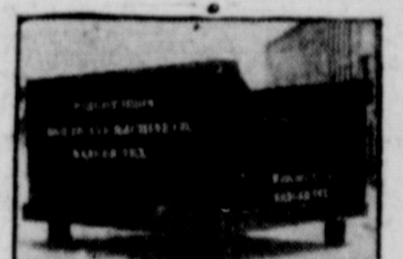
Further indications of the "disposition to capitalize war conditions and prices" are seen in the advancing of rentals and prices in real estate. Iowa land is not changing hands as rapidly but there has been no decline in prices, while in Wisconsin and Illinois the demand for land is keen and prices are advancing. Indiana also reports an active demand for farm property but in Michigan, except in the industrial centers, the realty situation is more nearly normal.

Major Butte Heads Pipe Line Dept.

AUSTIN, Oct. 27.—Major George C. Butte, professor of law at the University of Texas, who has just assumed the duties of pipe line expert and chief supervisor of natural gas and oil conservation, with the State Railroad Commission, expects to return to his position with the University when he shall have completed the work of organizing and placing in good working order the new department of the commission. It was only at the earnest solicitation of the members of the Railroad Commission that President R. E. Vinson and Judge J. C. Townes, dean of the Law Department, consented to the loan of Major Butte for the important work that he has now undertaken. He was granted a leave of absence for a year. In addition to his thorough knowledge of law, Major Butte had several years practical experience as an oil operator in Oklahoma, where he learned all branches of the industry. During the war he served a year as chief of the foreign intelligence section of the general staff at Washington with the rank of major. During his connection with the Railroad Commission he will continue to give his lectures on oil and gas contracts at the University.

Why Wait Till Saturday? CRYSTAL BATHS AND TOILETS Now Open

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The demand for automobiles is characterized as "unstable" and numerous plans are being devised to finance manufacturers and dealers, "some of these involving an increase cost." Because of the shortage of freighters, dealers are driving automobiles on their own wheels for delivery as far away as a thousand miles.

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KOOKEN WA ALARMED OVER HIS WIFE'S CONDITON

Burt Kooken, a well known carpenter living at 511 Calhoun Street, Wichita Falls, Texas, while in Young's Drug Store, a few days ago made the following statement to the Orgatone representative regarding the benefits his wife has derived from the use of Orgatone.

"When my wife began taking Orgatone," said Mr. Kooken, "she could hardly get outside the house, she was in such a bad shape. She can now do all of her own housework, and actually she feels better than she has in years. She has been suffering terribly with stomach trouble and indigestion for several months, and it was alarming she was going down so fast. She lost her appetite and she couldn't eat anything that would agree with her. After eating, her stomach would fill up with gas and she would get sick and awful nervous. No matter what she would eat it would all do her the same way, and I really don't see how she managed to endure some of the suffering she has gone through. She was badly constipated and so nervous she couldn't sleep and was so run down and weak she couldn't hardly do anything in the way of housework at all. In fact, she was in a very bad run-down condition and I was uneasy about her constantly. She had tried so many medicines without getting relief it had begun to look like she would never find the right medicine for her case.

"But I tell you, Orgatone took right hold of her troubles and she began to brighten up almost as soon as she started taking it. Her stomach trouble and indigestion have all left her now and she sleeps fine every night. She don't have any pains in her back now, and she is stronger than she has been in a long time. She has more life and energy and hasn't had one of those hurting spells in her stomach since taking Orgatone. Orgatone certainly is a fine treatment, and I'm glad to recommend it to everybody."

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

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LEARN MAN RELEASED

Harry Wodell, an alleged forger who is alleged to have swindled banks of Ranger, Eastland and Cisco out of thousands of dollars, and who was recently arrested in Petersburg, Ind., is at large again.

When a local officer, armed with extradition papers from the governor of Texas, warrants and everything necessary to bring Wodell back, arrived in Petersburg, he found Wodell gone. The officer had wired the sheriff to hold him, under all circumstances, and he was bitterly disappointed at the sheriff's failure to comply with his instructions.

The officer from Ranger found the sheriff on his forty-acre farm near town.

"Yes, I had him," said the sheriff, but he was such a nice young fellow I kinder felt sorry for him, and when he told me he wasn't guilty I let him go and told him to stick around town. No, I ain't seen him since. I kinder believe he's left here; I dunno."

The sheriff went up town with the officer from Ranger. He pointed with pride to the jail at Petersburg. An examination disclosed the fact that it was overgrown with moss and in a sad state of decay. Wodell is said to have been the first prisoner confined within its walls in four years.

"I really believe that young fellow deceived me," said the sheriff, when he told the officer from Ranger goodby.

New Drilling Co. Gets Under Way

The Crescent Drilling and Development company, of Ranger, now in process of organization, held its first meeting of trustees last week. This company is being organized for the purpose of contract footage drilling and will begin active operations soon. The capitalization is \$200,000, with shares \$100 par value. The trustees are well known business men of Ranger, Fort Worth and El Paso, and their wide business experience assures the company success.

The Crescent Drilling and Development company secured the services of H. H. Daniels, as field superintendent. He has had twenty years experience in the oil business. The company officers are such men as R. G. Crowder, vice-president, and Jennings, secretary. The premises are located at 313 1/2

FOR ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL CLOSING TODAY

International News Service. OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Oct. 27. Former Rough Riders, wherever they are today, will take leadership in the celebration of the birthday anniversary of Theodore Roosevelt, their former colonel, and late President. Today marks the close of the \$5,000,000 memorial campaign, and as a fitting close to the great campaign, on the birthday anniversary of the famous leader, the veterans of San Juan Hill are expected to do their utmost to push the fund. Colonel John J. McGraw, state chairman of the Oklahoma memorial fund committee, made the suggestion, and it was at once adopted upon by many survivors in this State.

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All classes of help wanted. We furnish employment for all parts of the oil field. Drillers, tool dressers, carpenters, cooks, waiters and waitresses. We can furnish on short notice most any kind of a man or lady you want. We have a complete filing list with references as to character and ability. Phone 187 for what you may need, or call at 121 South Austin, Room No. 2, Racine Building.

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Oil and Gas Leases, Royalty Contracts

Assignments, mineral deeds, royalty contracts and oil and gas leases filed in the office of County Clerk Earl Bender.

R. E. O'Rear to C. B. Moore, part of Sec. 18, League 1, McLennan county, school land, Eastland county; assignment; \$1.

L. C. Hivick to G. L. Childress et al, 100 acres out of 160-acre tract patented by J. W. Odom, assignee, Eastland county; \$1.

W. L. Andrus to C. W. Alexander, part of the Abraham Smelser survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$2,400.

S. D. Dennis to H. M. Owen, one-sixth interest out of sec. 5, blk. 4, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, Eastland county; mineral deed; \$333.33.

T. A. Russell to O. P. Morris, 194.5 acres out of N. part of sec. 51, blk. 5, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract; \$1,000.

T. A. Russell to O. P. Morris, SW 1-4 of sec. 9, blk. 4, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, Eastland county; royalty contract; \$1,000.

T. S. Allen to James W. Gardner, 20 acres out of W 1-2 of N 1-2 of SE 1-4 of survey 45, blk. 2, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$2,000.

James W. Gardner to Charles H. Day, 20 acres out of survey 45, blk. 2, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$1,000.

E. W. Fry to D. G. Vick, land about six and one-half miles from Eastland in William Ahrenbeck & Bro. survey No. 2, Eastland county; assignment; \$500.

E. W. Fry to D. G. Vick, 1-64 interest of land in Eastland county, assignment; \$500.

P. E. Beck and wife to W. F. Beck, part of N 1-2 of SE 1-4 of sec. 14 of S. A. & M. G. Ry. land, Eastland county; assignment; \$1.

R. L. Seastruck et ux to H. D. Whittington et al, two acres of land out of Turner tract and S. J. Robinson survey, Eastland county; mineral deed; \$10.

W. W. Sidons to A. A. Tote, six acres out of George W. Robinson survey, Eastland county; royalty contract; \$950.

Warren Wagner to William A.

Morgan, one-half interest in land out of Abraham Smelser survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$10.

Warren Wagner to William A. Morgan, being the W 2-3 of 450-acre tract out of Abraham Smelser survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$10.

Warren Wagner to William A. Morgan, a tract of 50 acres out of Sec. 14, S. A. M. G. Ry. survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$10.

Warren Wagner to William A. Morgan, one-half interest in land out of E. Moore Survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$10.

Marigold Oil & Refining company of Texas, 16.5 acres out of Harvey Kendrick survey, Eastland county; assignment; \$1.

C. L. Anderson et al to W. D. Murrell, 179 acres out of William DeMoss survey, and part of E. M. Thomas subdivision, Eastland county; royalty deed; \$100.

THEATERS

HOUDINI, HANDCUFF KING, AT LONE STAR THEATER

In San Francisco he allowed his hands to be handcuffed behind his back and more than seventy-five pounds of ball and chain to be locked to his body. Thus manacled he leaped into San Francisco bay. Failure to release himself would have meant instant death.

With the thermometer flitting about the zero mark he leaped, heavily handcuffed in the Detroit river and freed himself under the ice.

He was imprisoned in a sealed plate glass and escaped without even scratching the glass.

He passed through a solid wall, three feet thick, and made a five-ton elephant vanish into mid-air at the New York Hippodrome, while an audience that jammed the doors went wild.

Who? Who else but Houdini, the greatest self-liberator, illusionist and motion picture stunt star the world has ever known; and in his Paramount-Artcraft picture, "The Grim Game," he

Apartment Houses Are "Race Suicide Centers," Says Western Judge

International News Service.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 27.—Apartment houses are branded as "race suicide" centers in a decision just handed down by Judge Martin Foran. "The folding bed," the judge declared, "is the skeleton which every apartment dweller has in his closet. When we see a woman exercising a pit poodle dog, clothed in soft wool raiment and attached to a silken cord, we know an apartment is nigh. But we see no smiling children gamboling about the doors."

The judge's opinion accompanied a decision upholding the police power of a municipality to prohibit the erection of apartments and enforce building restrictions.

"Construction of apartments," he declared, "will not solve the housing problem so long as the rapacity of avaricious landlords is permitted by law. The reflection that these devouring profiteers, in sowing the winds of selfishness, may reap a whirlwind of justice affords no consolation to the outraged tenant who finds his rent increased 100 per cent or more."

"Many Cleveland apartments are in control of such profiteers, whose pernicious activities keep pace with their conscienceless cupidity. They laugh with fiendish glee at building codes, attack building restrictions, corrupt politics and fatten upon the necessities of the poor."

"In the daytime the door of the closet is closed," said the judge, referring to the folding-bed apartments, "the skeleton is not in evidence, nor is any opportunity given to air it before people sleep in it again. It remains hidden during the day, and at night, it clutches in its bony embrace the victim, who sleeps in the carbon dioxide-infected clothing."

Marriage Licenses

Ray Coast to Miss Mary Brightwell, Gorman.
S. W. Heilrick to Miss Julia Compton, Nimrod.

NEW TRAFFIC AGENT HAS ARRIVED TO OPEN OFFICE

J. B. Shackelford, division freight and passenger agent for the Texas and Pacific, with territory from Fort Worth to Big Spring, and headquarters in Ranger, arrived in Ranger this morning from his former home at Abilene, to get things in condition for

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TODAY AND TOMORROW

Jesse L. Lasky Presents

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"There is more excitement in one reel of 'The Grim Game' than in any five reels of celluloid we have ever seen unwind." Such is the typical comment of a New York critic on the thrill power of this wonder-picture of screen dare-deviltry.

Throughout the civilized world, Houdini is recognized as the greatest wizard that ever lived. In "The Grim Game," an amazing drama of love, mystery and adventure—he adds to his marvelous exploits still others that have never before been performed.

See the fight in the clouds and the crash of men and airplanes to earth—a thrill you'll never forget! Also—Briggs' Saturday Evening Post Comedy—"New Folks in Town." It hits the laugh spot.

FREE—Souvenir Photos of the beautiful Katherine MacDonald given away at every performance today and tomorrow.

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KATHERINE MACDONALD

In the romance of the strangest marriage on record—"THE THUNDERBOLT"

The story of a man who married a beautiful woman in order to deny her the right of motherhood.

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The House of Tailors in Ranger

the opening of the agency which the company has established here.

Mr. Shackelford will be office manager and will direct traffic in the oil fields and in those parts of the territory contiguous which has been badly congested for the last several months.

Mr. Shackelford was formerly passenger and freight agent for the Abilene and Southern railroad company with headquarters at Abilene.

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And a Comedy;



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RANGER ALLEYS TO BE GRADED AND KEPT UP

Ranger's alleys will be graded, probably with a power grader, which the city has had on approval, and the streets and alleys will be kept in passable condition, through the work of a street supervisor. Action in these matters will be taken at the meeting of the city council this afternoon.

No work has been done on Ranger's alleys and the result is that few of them are passable. Many of them are eyesores, even from the street, and are menaces from the sanitary standpoint, largely because they are not graded and maintained.

The power grader, a sixty-horsepower tractor pulling a heavy scraper, could cover the entire business section in a day, according to City Manager Turner. If the city purchases it, the machine will be put to work at once.

Streets that have been permitted to deteriorate and become filled with holes, after being graded, will be kept up, and the supervisor of streets and alleys will be responsible for their maintenance.

The board of commissioners will have the question of money for street maintenance to meet, but the funds will be raised, pending the sale of city bonds.

His neck was broken. The body was sent to Edna, Texas, by the Milford Undertaking company. Correll was 26 years old. He is survived by his mother, who lives at Edna.

Inspector Owens Resigns Position

F. S. Owens, building inspector, has resigned to accept a position as superintendent of work under a large contracting firm of Ranger. His resignation will be presented at the meeting of the board of commissioners this afternoon. His successor has not yet been chosen.

Inspector Owens' relations with the city administration have been pleasant and it is through no misunderstanding that he is leaving the city's employ. Owens, who is attractive from a salary standpoint and he was not justified in refusing it, he stated.

CATERPILLAR TRACTORS

Arrival of Caterpillar tractors for building in Jukehamon is under way despite the heavy rains, the freighters using caterpillar tractors for the work. The hotel being built by Capt. E. F. McFarland will be completed in three weeks. The big hardware and furniture house of E. O. Flood is nearing completion. Ten or twelve other business houses that have been delayed by lack of materials are also nearly ready for occupancy.

A. C. McLennan and his associates, who have the natural gas franchise for Jukehamon, are making progress in laying the mains, and there will be gas available in a few days. Work has been resumed on the depot at Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth Railroad here, and it is expected to be completed by the time trains are in operation to this place within the next forty or fifty days.

PRESIDENT'S VETO NOT TO AFFECT STATUS HERE

AUSTIN, Oct. 28.—In a statement given out today the attorney general's office says that the veto of the prohibition act by President Wilson will in no way effect the enforcement of prohibition in this state.

BODY OF GALLAGHER IS SENT TO RAMONA, OKLA.

DALLAS, Oct. 28.—The body of Carl L. Gallagher, 27 years of age, who was shot through the neck at a dance a week ago, and who died at Paul's sanitarium early yesterday morning, was sent today to Ramona, Okla., for burial.

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TRUE LOVERS SEVERED WHEN GRUDGE BEARER FORCES MARRIAGE ON GIRL

How the love of Ruth Pomeroy and Spencer Vail was denied them in order that Bruce Corbin might vent his spleen against the Pomeroy family is the unusual incident around which most of "The Thunderbolt," starring Katherine MacDonald, and which will be shown at the Lone Star theater tomorrow and Thursday.

TWO NEW FOX PLAYERS AT LIBERTY THEATER

William Fox has added to his force two more clever motion picture artists. They are Albert Ray, whom he is starring—and Elinor Fair. They will be seen at the Liberty theater Wednesday in a new play, "Married in Haste."

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SPECIAL! TOMORROW AND THURSDAY
Katherine MacDonald
—in—
"The Thunderbolt"
The story of a man who deliberately marries a beautiful woman to deny her the right to motherhood.

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Albert Ray
with
Elinor Fair
will explain in
"Married in Haste"
William Fox Comedy—Packed With Clean Fun
Sunshine Comedy —and also— Fox-News

LIBERTY THEATER Wednesday, Oct. 29

because of his young wife to keep his own money away from him until he has done so. He does make good finally; but the road that he and his bride travel meanwhile is beset by many obstacles—most of them laughable. In their poverty they are mistaken for crooks; but his wife, always with her eye on the main chance, helps hubby into a position in which he does something beside spending money.

PERSO

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. V. lene are visitors in R. D. H. Eyer, of the J. company, has gone to business trip.

FORGERY SUSPECT HELD BY RANGER POLICE

A 20-year old youth giving the name of Charley V. O'Comer was arrested by local officers as a forgery suspect. A check signed by the proprietor of a pool hall was found in his possession. Today it was learned that he had cashed a similar check yesterday, to the amount of \$28.00.

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Return Engagement of
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NEW COMEDIES—NEW COSTUMES
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Special to The Times. SAN ANTONIO, C. Antonio has on hand a tons of bituminous coal daily consumption here weather is about 300 tons tries of the city use comes from Texas mine

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