

BOMB PLOT AGAINST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IS THWARTED IN NEW YORK BY ARREST OF 18 REDS

Ranger Gets Earthen Products Co.

\$600,000.00 COMPANY WILL CRUSH THOUSAND TONS OF ROCK DAILY

Problems of crushed rock supply confronting both Eastland and Stephens counties in good roads programs totaling \$8,000,000 on which the counties of the Ranger field have embarked, are well on the way toward solution with the announcement today of a 1,000 ton a day rock crushing plant which will be erected at Ranger.

The Thurber Earthen Products company, a \$600,000 corporation, is the new company which has located its site a half mile east of Tiffin, laid 4,000 feet of track and near the outcropping of an almost inexhaustible supply of limestone has located a series of rock crushers, the largest of which will take a cubic yard of limestone in one chunk.

Mayor M. H. Hagaman, on whose property the new corporation's plant will be located, is associated with directors of the Texas Pacific Coal and Oil company in the new enterprise. Other directors are Edgar Marston, president of the Texas Pacific, J. R. Penn, R. A. Sperry, Messrs. Clark, Butler and Ochiltree, all of the T. P., either in the local or the New York offices.

The new corporation will employ fifty men, most of them skilled workers, a site work will be done largely by machinery. Steam shovels will handle the rock as it is quarried and from the quarries it will pass through a series of five crushers.

The limestone on the Hagaman property, according to expert analysis, is parallel in content with the famous Bridgeport limestone, quarried in Wise county, which is held to be the best in Texas for concrete work.

Besides the laying of the track, officers of the company have secured all the machinery necessary and that which is not already on the way is ready to move at a day's notice.

PROMINENT DEMOCRATIC WOMEN AT PARTY'S BIG BANQUET



Democratic women of prominence from many states attended the re-

Democratic women photographed while in Washington to attend Jackson day banquet.

cent Jackson day banquet in Washington. There was one woman speaker, Mrs. Oleson of Minnesota, shown in the insert at the left. Women committeemen from various states are seen in the group. They are, left to right, seated: Mrs. J. Campbell Cantrell of Kentucky; Mrs. George Bass of Chi-

cago, and Mrs. Maud Murray Miller of Ohio. Standing: Mrs. Frank Hiram Snell and Mrs. Clara Sears Taylor of the District of Columbia; Mrs. Ida McGlone Gibson of Chicago; Mrs. Frazier Bonnie of Kentucky; Mrs. Julia Lawless of Indiana, and Mrs. Patty Jacobs of Alabama.

ONE ALIEN BEING HELD FOR DEPORTATION GIVES INFORMATION OF PLOT

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Search is being made today by the bomb squad of the police department and agents of the department of justice for half a dozen radicals, believed to have been leaders in a bomb plot declared to have been nipped in the bud yesterday by the arrest of eighteen "Reds."

The capture was made possible by the revelations of an alien, held for deportation, who divulged a terrorist plot in an effort to obtain consideration from the government agents.

Evidence of plans for a bomb campaign against government officials was obtained in raids, officers declared today.

MANY TAKEN IN NORTHWEST

SEATTLE, Jan. 20.—Federal authorities here today were examining scores of suspected radicals, taken in raids last night which department of justice agents declared were intended to break the backbone of radical activities in the northwest.

It is reported that 700 arrests have been made but no official check has yet been made. It was indicated this morning that the total probably will not exceed 300.

ALLIES WILL RESUME RUSS TRADE SOON

By Associated Press

PARIS, Jan. 20.—Elaborate plans for the resumption of commercial relations between the Russian people and the allied nations have been worked out and it is expected that the Bolsheviks will permit free interchange of manufactured goods and raw materials.

The distribution of goods among the Russian people will be a comparatively simple matter, it is said, by the Russians, who assisted in the negotiations preceding the announcement of the supreme council.

Surplus stocks of wheat, flax and lumber await export from Russia and all that is needed is ocean tonnage to carry these products to the markets of the world.

LOWER FOOD PRICES

LONDON, Jan. 20.—One of the influences which prompted Premier Lloyd George to put forward a plan to break the Russian blockade, it is learned, was a private letter from the food controller, who pointed out that if arrangements could be made to get foodstuffs from Russia, food prices in England, which primarily depend largely on Russia, would rapidly decrease.

Ask Penny of All U. S. Children for Victory Chimes

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Every child in America will be asked to give at least one penny toward the erection of a set of Victory chimes, which will ring out daily as a reminder of the sacrifices made by the Americans during the war, it was announced today by the newly organized Victory Chimes association.

51 INMATES OF CONFED HOME DIED LAST YEAR

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—During the fiscal year of 1918-19 fifty-one inmates of the Confederate home died, according to the annual report of the superintendent, which has just been filed with Governor W. P. Hobby. The greatest number of inmates at one time was 325, the smallest was 250. There were 87 admissions and 30 discharges.

Considerable space in the report was devoted to denying charges made by the legislative committee, which recommended that the legislature request the superintendent to reinstate the report, but the superintendent refused to do so. The board of managers of the institution was established on January 1 by the board of control act.

U. S. TO PROTEST AGAINST OIL RULES OF MEX

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—Railroad commissioner Mayfield was advised today that as a result of his complaint the regulations imposed on the producers in the Tampico district, the Mexican government threatens to curtail the operations of Texas roads, which use Mexican oil as the American embassy was instructed today to renew its protest against the regulations.

The state department also dispatched the embassy to request prompt information whether the regulations will be rescinded and normal production allowed.

British Ships to Black Sea to Stop Bols

MALTA, Jan. 20.—Orders were received Thursday for a number of val vessels to leave Malta shortly for the Black sea.

Vice Admiral Durobak sailed today aboard the battleship Iron Duke accompanied by three destroyers. It is understood that the ships are used to protect British subjects' interests in the event they are seriously threatened by the Bolsheviks.

Bill Carlisle Is Now Expected to Recover of Wound

CANPER, Wyo., Jan. 20.—Bill Carlisle, train robber and the chief of the wild west heroes of the picture world, is slowly regaining strength and officers of the military believe he will recover from the wound he received when he was shot last month.

U. S. Newspapers Seized in Dublin

DUBLIN, Jan. 20.—American newspapers arriving here during the few days have been seized by the postal authorities, supposedly because of articles referring to Irish affairs.

LOUISIANA IS VOTING TODAY FOR GOVERNOR

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 20.—Louisiana voters today were balloting on the democratic candidates for governor, lieutenant governor and other state officials in the regular primary, the result of which is equivalent to election.

Gubernatorial candidate are John M. Parker, New Orleans, progressive candidate for vice president in 1916, and Col. Frank P. Stubbs of Monroe.

Admiral Mayo to Testify in Navy Hearing Today

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Rear Admiral Mayo, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet during the war, whom Secretary Daniels said ranked today before the senate subcommittee investigating the award of naval decorations.

1 Killed, Several Hurt in Ry. Wreck

EAST LIVERPOOL, Ohio, Jan. 20.—One person was killed and several injured near here today when a Pittsburg-Chicago train on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad left the track near here.

FAMOUS EXPLORER DIES IN BERLIN TODAY

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—Prof. Paul Guesfeldt, famous for his explorations in South America, especially in Chile, died yesterday.

HALF AUSTIN STREET BLOCK TO BE PAVED

Work on South Austin street and on North and South Rusk is going forward under the direction of the General Construction company. Half of the block on South Austin is about ready for concrete and brick. The other half will not be paved at this time, due to the fact that the construction house of the contractors for the Guaranty State Bank building takes up half the street at one point.

Work of relaying water and gas mains on South Rusk is progressing rapidly. The block north of Main, on Rusk, is ready for concrete and brick. The McKenzie Construction company, which has the contract for over fifty blocks of paving, is doing grade work in other parts of town. The embankment at the corner of Walnut and Marston streets has been lowered several feet and a good part of the grade work on Marston street completed. The company has not begun actual paving yet, although machinery for crushing rock and mixing concrete has arrived.

Work has again been started on the permanent school building in Young addition. Several months of enforced idleness has been due to lack of structural steel and crushed rock. Steel arrived last week and a supply of rock has now been received and building is expected to go forward rapidly. The building in Cooper addition has been similarly handicapped.

Allied Diplomats Are in Manchuria

LONDON, Jan. 20.—British, French and Japanese diplomatic staffs have arrived at Harbin, Manchuria, from Chita, Siberia, according to the Daily Mail correspondent at Harbin.

They are unanimous, says the correspondent, that it will be impossible to reconstitute a government of the same character as that of Admiral Kolchak anywhere west of Manchuria.

That which is not worth advertising is not worth buying.

Texas-Oklahoma Civil War Threatens; 15 Rangers Sent To Red River District

GUESTS HERE FOR BANQUET AND MEETING

Though advance sales of tickets for the first annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce have assured an attendance of between 125 and 150, still a few tickets remain and according to E. Y. Jennings, chairman of the banquet committee, will be placed on sale at the door of the Texas Pacific building, where the banquet will be held.

Women will be welcome, as well as men, and members of the chamber are expected to bring their wives and sweethearts.

E. F. Mitchell, chief engineer of the Texas & Pacific railroad, arrived in his special car today, and will attend the meeting of city officials, directors of the Chamber of Commerce and Judge Starves and County Highway Engineer Eccles at the city offices this afternoon. Other guests at the banquet are expected in on afternoon trains.

Between the roads conference this afternoon and the banquet, starting at 7:30 p. m., the guests, including Mayor Bill Davis of Fort Worth, Mr. Mitchell, W. R. Eccles and Judge Starves will be entertained by a committee headed by Ralph G. Stockman and including M. H. Smith, W. O. Norville and L. H. Hagaman.

It is planned, unless the conference holds over until late afternoon, to show the visitors how Ranger looks from the top of the new Guaranty bank building, from Eastland hill and to make trips to Hagaman lake and the Hagaman Refining company plant. Tiffin road is being regraded today that the trip to the lake may be made over roads that have been nearly impassable in the recent bad weather.

All the people haven't the habit of reading the "Want Ads" daily—you should take advantage of our time rates in order to reach those who are negligent.

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—Serious threats by claimants of oil lands in disputes between Texas and Oklahoma that they will take the law into their own hands, present possibilities of civil war along the Texas-Oklahoma boundary, said W. A. Keeling, assistant attorney general, today.

Texas rangers have been sent to that region to prevent the threatening disorders. Both Texas and Oklahoma claimants threaten to shoot anyone who interferes with their occupation of the property, he added.

Keeling will leave tonight for Wichita county. Thirteen rangers have been ordered to report to Adjutant General Cope, who has been in that section for several days.

Keeling said that the disputed territory will be regarded as Texas land unless the federal courts decide it belongs to Oklahoma and until this decision comes, a state force will support and defend those holding land under the Texas claims.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 20.—Fifteen Texas rangers, commanded by Captain Frankling, passed through here this morning en route to some point on the Red river.

The men were fully armed, carrying carbines and supplies of cartridges. Although Frankling refuses to disclose their destination, the men boarded the train for Wichita Falls.

Cuban Sugar Mill Brings \$9,000,000

HAVANA, Jan. 20.—The West India sugar finance corporation of New York is reported as having purchased the sugar mill in Orient province, owned by President Menocal, for \$9,000,000.

It is understood that the property will not be taken over until the present sugar cane crop is ground.

GET ON IT NOW!

There are only ten more days in which you can pay your poll tax. Ranger has paid but 440 poll taxes for 1920. Are you one of the negligent? Pay it today!

REDS BANNED FROM U. S. GET BIG WELCOME

TERJOKI, Finland, Jan. 20.—Russians deported from the United States were given an official reception just outside this village yesterday by a crowd, headed by P. Zorin, member of the all-Soviet executive committee.

After a brief conference with Alexander Berkman, Zorin agreed to permit the whole party to enter Bolshevik Russia.

"There is no question but that they will be welcome in Russia," said Zorin. "We will give them work but first we must provide comfortable homes and feed them well."

Madame Gorky, wife of the novelist, said that Russia opens her arms to "all who are politically persecuted."

Ranger Boosters in Special Car to West Tex. C-C

Members of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and all Ranger boosters who can get away to make the trip to Abilene for the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Thursday night are requested to leave their names and requests for reservations on the Ranger special car with George Hemmingson in the Marston building.

The Ranger special car, which will contain, according to forecasts, a delegation that will give Ranger foremost recognition at the banquet, will be set out and ready for occupancy at 9 p. m. Wednesday. It will leave Ranger at 2:55 a. m., arriving in Abilene the morning of the meeting. The West Texas C-C. program includes action throughout the day preceding the meeting.

Have you the habit of reading the "Want Ads" daily? The very article you need may be for sale.

At the Leading Amusement Houses TODAY

LIBERTY—Tom Mix in "The Feud," Sunshine comedy.

LONE STAR—Ethel Clayton in "More Deadly Than the Male," Prizma, picture in nature's colors; Briggs comedy.

HIPPODROME—"Curing Billy," presented by Wonderful Baby company; picture, Wm. S. Hart in "The Comeback."

OPERA HOUSE—Monroe Salisbury in "Sundown Trail; Serial—Episode No. 1, Pearl White in "The Black Secret."

OPERA HOUSE

Murder Mystery in New Barricade Picture Coming Tomorrow.

"Where's the patient?" inquired the pretty young woman doctor of Jerry Williams.

The scene was the interior of a lone cabin up the mountain trail. "Kitty Kelly, M. D.," had come at the request of Williams, suave and oily proprietor of the Palace dance hall in the little frontier town down in the valley.

"It's just a little surprise party I've arranged," replied Williams. "Just a private party, so's you and I could have a quiet little time here, all by ourselves. Now, wasn't that nice of me?"

Kitty realized her danger and tried to get away, but Williams caught her in his arms and tried to kiss her. But Kitty was a little tigress, when aroused, and battled desperately with her assailant.

The door burst open and young Rand rushed in, grappled with Williams, and a furious fight ensued.

The next night Williams was found dead in the rear of his saloon, and beside him Rand's hat.

This is the mystery which was solved by Kitty in "Kitty Kelly, M. D.," Bessie Barriscale's production for Robertson-Cole, distributed by Exhibitors' Mutual.

LIBERTY THEATER

Artcraft Star's New Photoplay, "Branding Broadway," Is No. 1 Table Picture.

They put "Big Bill" Hart in a dress suit at the studio where he was engaged on his new Artcraft picture, "Branding Broadway," and thereby rendered him as uncomfortable as a man can be under ordinary conditions.

"It made me downright unhappy," confided the Thomas H. Ince star to one of his associates, "to be rigged out in one of these boiled shirt outfits. The collar binds like a brick on a mustang, and I feel as awkward as a crane in harness for the first time. Of course, if art demands that I wear the thing, I'm game, but give me a soft shirt, a pair of overalls and chaps and I'm contented as a Comanche with a bottle of snake-bite."

"Bill" looks well enough in his rig, but he is manifestly uncomfortable. To make the slight concession to his western temperament he wore his brown sombrero when he wasn't working, and the combination was decidedly incongruous. Mr. Hart has accomplished wonders with the picture, which has much of its action in little old New York. It will be shown at the Liberty theater, beginning tomorrow.

Seena Owen, Mr. Hart's leading

woman in the new photoplay, had to acquire the difficult art of flipping pancakes in order to appear to the manor born in a restaurant scene. "Just the same," declared Miss Owen, "my appetite for flapjacks is destroyed. I never want to look another one in the face."

"THE BEAUTY MARKET"

H. S. Cole, Manager Lone Star Theater, Calls It Equal to "The Thunderbolt."

"I can earnestly say that never in the history of the Lone Star theater has a picture as replete with dramatic intensity as 'The Beauty Market,' been shown."

Thus manager, H. S. Cole, of the Lone Star theater, describes "The Beauty Market," starring Katherine MacDonald, the world's most beautiful woman and which he will show at his theater commencing tomorrow.

As Amelia Thordike, a society girl unable to afford the life she is leading, Miss MacDonald portrays one of the most unique characterizations in the history of the screen," said Manager Cole. "She strongly drove home the wholesome lesson that the 'four flusher' and the society fakel must ultimately pay for what has been conceded to them. I can promise that 'The Beauty Market' will be as fine as 'The Thunderbolt,' which met with a wonderful reception when shown here."

HIPPODROME

Full House Sees Opening Bill of Wonderful Baby.

The opening production of the Wonderful Baby Musical Comedy company played to a full house at the Hippodrome theater last evening. The bill entitled "Billy's Night Out" was a two-act musical revue full of pep and punch. It seemed to please the audience extremely well. While being different from any other company that has been through here it is clear cut and free from all the rough stuff that so many companies have used in order to create a laugh. In fact, it is one of the first organizations that have come here without a mile or two of camouflage thrown out in front. The advance press notices do not flatter them at all.

Billy Graves undoubtedly is one of the cleverest comedians that has appeared here in a long time. His jokes are of the variety that any member of the family can sit down and listen to in public without feeling the least embarrassed. Billy is quite a laugh himself and his originality won him favor from the rise of the curtain. He has a new way entirely of putting things over that takes with his audience like flies to fly paper—he makes it stick.

But then Billy or his brother George, the latter the leading man are not all there is to this company. There are others that were received with equal approval. Marion Cavanaugh, the company's popular prima donna, has a beautiful voice and the reception given her by the audience proved that they really appreciated good singing. Miss Cavanaugh has a winning personality which is the greatest asset to her singing that she could have.

Miss Sophie Davis, soubrette, is a little artist in her way of dancing. She also has a very attractive voice with lots of expression and won favor with her first appearance.

The chorus is composed of a bevy of beautiful girls, with good strong voices. They are all clever dancers and have plenty of life that make them an exception to the average seen here.

The Wonderful Baby company has their own musicians, beautiful scenery and electrical effects which is also an added attraction to the program. Tonight the company presents a new two-act musical sensation entitled "Curing Billy." In the advertisement they have made the announcement to

the public to come early and if the house fills up as rapidly as it did last night one had better see the matinee.

FINLAND ABLE TO PAY ALL OF HER OWN BILL

BL W. L. MALLABOR.

Staff Correspondent of International News Service.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—"Finland is able to pay all her debts with her exports and all her taxes with the revenue derived from her imports," was the statement made by Dr. Rudolph Holsti, minister of foreign affairs for Finland, at Helsingfors, to the correspondent of the International News Service as the latter was about to leave Finland for England.

The statement was made by Dr. Holsti in answer to questions put to him regarding the present and future situation of Finland in the world's markets, together with a query as to the reason for the big depreciation of the Finnish mark in the money market.

"It must be remembered," continued Dr. Holsti, "that Finland has had to finance a civil war. It has cost hundreds of millions and as much more has been spent in the reorganization of national defenses. We are now in the happy position of no needing loans to organize a police machine as are so many other states. The loans we are now seeking are for the purpose of increasing the value of the Finnish mark by investment in Finnish manufactures, which will, of course, increase our exports and imports. I am confident that within the next two or three years Finland will be the most flourishing country in Europe."

"Should the warfare against the Bolsheviks continue we look to Great Britain and France to see that the Bolshevik fleet is held harmless. The fleet cannot attack before next May, and in the meantime we will take steps to improve our coastal defenses. In this respect we have had the best foreign advisers and are not in the least anxious. As regards the land defenses, there are more than a thousand kilometers of land frontier, extending from the coast to Lake Ladoga, which is absolutely untraversable; here are no roads and vast forests. The territory the Bolsheviks could cross if it were left defenseless is very small indeed. It is also worth while remembering that north of Ladoga there are a few thousand Finnish volunteers who have crossed the frontier into Russian territory and are well able to hold their own."

"Thus the Finnish regular army would be needed only for garrison duty, with the exception of the two or three regiments sent to the Karelian isthmus between Viborg and Petrograd. We would not have any difficulty in defending Finland against the Bolsheviks, even though they had an army of twice the present size."

"It must not be forgotten that in addition to the regular army we have the White Guards, a volunteer organization of 110,000 men, under the command of Colonel Essen. This gives a strong backing to the regular army and means that we are able to prevent any civil war and to resist the attempts of the Bolsheviks to get control of the country."

CELEBRATES 105TH BIRTHDAY.

International News Service.

BUTLER, Mo.—Having lived during the administrations of all the presidents of the United States except Washington, Adams and Jefferson, Mrs. Elizabeth Schofield celebrated New Year's Day as the anniversary of her birth, 105 years ago.

Mrs. Schofield lives in her own home here, does her own housework and boasts of good health. She and her husband came to Butler in 1867.

CLAIMS HIS PLANE WILL RISE PERPENDICULARLY

International News Service.

STERLING, Col.—Large fields for aerial land stations will be unnecessary if the claims of J. E. Rogers, formerly an army officer, are materialized. Rogers says he has perfected an airplane that will rise perpendicularly from a standing position. His first machine of this type will be turned out in Rexford, Kan., Rogers says.

"Four times the amount of news of these oil fields, authentic news, than any other newspaper carries." This is the opinion of the Times, held by one oil scout.

The Times takes second place for no daily covering the richest oil field in the world.

Humble Finishes Line from Ranger Dist. to Houston

Special to The Times.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 20.—The Humble Pipe Line company has completed its line from the Ranger district to its refinery at Houston. The first run of crude was made through the completed line during the past week.

The line has been under construction for many months having been retarded by delayed shipments of material.

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"Ghost of the Rancho"

Western Picture

Eastside Theater

FINAL DAY OF BIG PICTURE

LIBERTY THEATRE

TOM MIX IN

"THE FEUD"

As Presented by Fox in His New Film Production



This Man and This Girl Formed the Storm Center of Disgrace and Destruction

YOUR LAST CHANCE TO SEE M X IN "THE FEUD"

HIPPODROME

TODAY CHANGE DAILY

NEW PROGRAM Presented by Wonderful Baby

"CURING BILLY"

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The Prince of Comedians

Billy Graves

TONIGHT

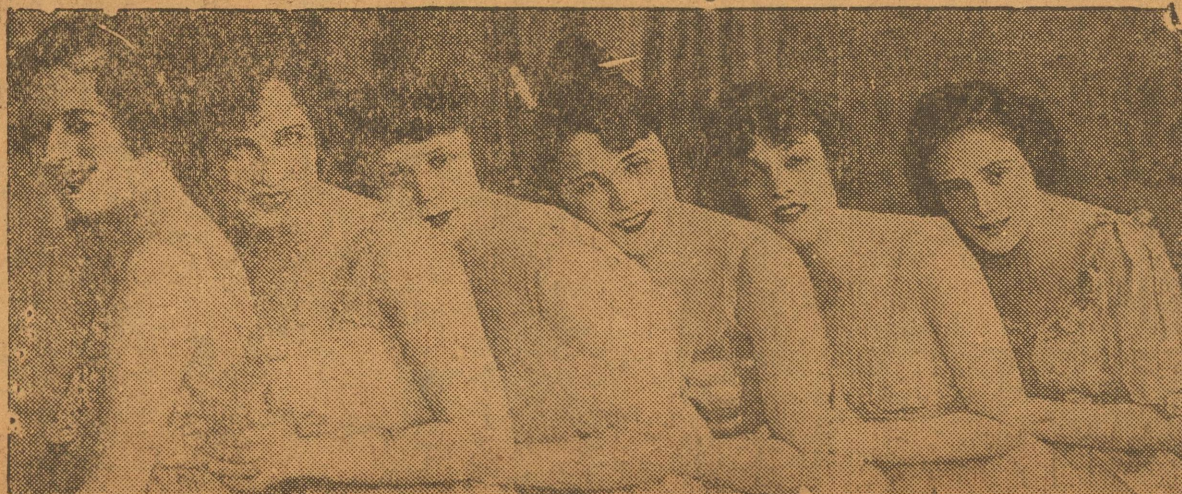
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QUEEN THEATRE

TODAY Al Jennings

in "THE UNEXPECTED SHOT"

—and—

FOOTLIGHT AND PORK Comedy

TOMORROW Tom Mix

—in—

"Moving Picture Cowboy"

WOMEN! WOMEN!

Everywhere, BUT NOT ONE TO MARRY. That was the Situation at Spanish Bar when the miners imported wives in

"SUNDOWN TRAIL"

Featuring

MONROE SALISBURY

LAST SHOWING TODAY

COMING TOMORROW—

A town full of unexpected sickness—Just because the doctor was a woman—and pretty.

Bessie Barriscale

—in—

"KITTY KELLY, M. D."

OPERA HOUSE

MODERN JAZZ DANCING MUST GO, THEY ASSERT

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Old fashioned, keep-your-distance dances are to displace the modern jazz steps, if the nationwide reform movement undertaken by the American National Association of Master Dancing proves successful. The dancing masters, it is announced here, count upon the support of mothers, fathers, daughters' sons, dance hall proprietors, dancing teachers and hostesses—and if necessary the police department—to exterminate the "half Nelson," "body hold," "shimmy lock" and other imported ballroom stunts which are practiced by some dancers.

Cheap and vulgar music is also to come under the ban and, according to a circular just issued by the association, those in charge of community or public dances are urged to show their opposition to undesirable dances by distributing "You—! please leave the hall" cards to those who persist in offending.

The women, it is charged, are often as much to blame as their partners, and, in some cases, dance hall proprietors are advised to pick out ten or a dozen objectionable couples and, if a warning is disregarded, to oust them at once.

"You will soon see," the circular reads, "that you have raised the standard of your establishment and that the loss will be more than made up by double the number of persons who have respect for you and your dances."

Some of the rules and regulations which all are urged to obey follow:

"Dance music should be bright and cheerful, properly accented and the phrases well divided. Cheap, vulgar music of the extreme 'jazz' type invites cheap, vulgar meaningless dancing. It is useless to expect refined dancing when the music lacks all refinement, for, after all, what is dancing but an interpretation of music?"

"The association has adopted the following tempos, it being impossible the masters say, to regulate fast dancing:

- "Waltz, forty-eight measures to minute.
- "Two-step, fifty-four measures to minute.
- "One-step, sixty-six measures to minute.
- "Fox trot, forty measures to minute.

"Dancers should assume a light, graceful position," say the masters. "There should be no jerky half-steps

for these cause undesirable vibrations. Partners should not dance with cheeks close or touching nor should the clasp be tight. 'Neck holds' are positively impermissible. The gentleman's arm should encircle his partner's waist, his hand resting lightly just above the wrist line. The lady's left arm should not encircle her partner's shoulders or neck.

"Steps or movements that cannot be controlled should not be taught by dancing teachers. Short side steps, first right, then left, when done continuously, are not conducive to refined dancing and should not be permitted. 'Shimmy dancing,' a shaking or jerking of the upper part of the body while taking short steps or standing still, should not be tolerated.

"The proper dancing step should be the same as a natural walking one except in exhibition dancing, which properly belongs to the stage, not the ballroom. Exceptionally long or short steps are not in good form.

"Dancing should be from the waist down, not from the waist up. Copying of the extremes used on the modern stage is in bad taste. Remember that the majority of dancers desire to dance according to the best accepted standards, that is, without the slightest of offense to dignity or decorum."

MARQUIS LEADS IN WORK OF REBUILDING RHEIMS

PARIS.—The leadership in the work of reconstructing the ruined city of Rheims is being taken by the Marquis of Polignac, who married an American girl, Miss Singer, of Washington. The marquis comes from the family of great champagne producers. During the war he was a Liaison officer attached to the American press section.

SPATS NOT LUXURIES

LONDON.—Magistrate Chapman, in a Westminster court, has decided that spats are not luxuries and fined a Knitsbridge haberdasher \$250 for selling a pair at \$3.75. He overruled the argument advanced on the dealer's behalf that only the fastidious wear white spats.

FRENCH RUNNER BEATS TIME MADE BY TRAINS

PARIS.—A French distance runner named Guillemot ran eight miles in the fast time of 33 minutes 29.45 seconds, which is a record for France. The course was from Versailles common to Preactalan in the Bois de Boulogne, and Guillemot ran the distance in better time than the railroad trains average between Paris and Versailles. Guillemot is at the Joinville school training for the 10,000 meters race in the Antwerp Olympian games.

California Oil Output for 1919 100,000,000 Bbls.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Oil production in California in 1919 is estimated at 100,000,000 barrels by R. P. McLaughlin, state oil and gas supervisor. This is a slight increase over the 1918 output.

The total value of crude oil at the wells was approximately \$135,000,000, McLaughlin reported. The field price of oil has advanced in just about the same degree as farm products, the supervisor said, adding that "the price of California oil may not be reasonably expected to decline until the general price level of all commodities fall."

"The increase or decrease of the amount of oil in storage has for several years been generally considered as an index for field prices," said McLaughlin's report. "During the past year and a half, however, the effect of stored oil on field prices has been entirely obliterated or neutralized by the general condition of advancing prices of all commodities."

Current statistics by private concerns disagree as to the actual amount of oil now stored but do agree in indicating that stocks were somewhat less than at the end of the year 1919 than at the beginning. This in conjunction with the fact that production was approximately the same as during the previous year shows that the industry has not quite held its own.

Five hundred new producing wells were brought in during the year, the report said, noting that daily production per well declined during the year from 32 to 32 1/2 barrels. In 1916 it was 37 barrels.

The acreage of proved land was materially increased by developments on the Elk Hills district, Kern county, and Richfield district, Orange county, the report said. The total now was estimated at 91,000 acres as compared with 89,212 acres in March, 1919.

Construction of additional hydro-electric power plants is reported as going forward to such an extent that the present annual consumption of oil for generating electricity will be reduced by 2,000,000 barrels.

McLaughlin said waste of oil through improper drilling methods was being decreased under state supervision and that the economic waste of burning crude oil without first extracting its more valuable constituents by refining is apparently being eliminated.

The outlook for the year is encouraging, the supervisor said. He advised further prospecting under direction of qualified geologists to locate new fields in the state.

ITALY COMES OUT OF WAR WITH MORE PEOPLE

ROME, Jan. 20.—Italy has emerged from the war with a greater population than she had before, though with a considerably lessened number of men. This is due to the addition of 2,000,000 by the restoration of Italian territory heretofore under Austrian rule and to the high birth rate which, it is estimated, kept the population up to its normal of 36,000,000, despite the loss of 500,000 by war.

The trend of the population toward the cities is great, but perhaps not greater than in other European countries. Munition works and war industries of all sorts attracted labor which shows no disposition to return to the farms and villages. Many families which became rich during the war have moved to the important cities and are spending their money lavishly for luxuries. One newly-rich family in Rome hung an entire apartment, including the servants' quarters, with elaborate tapestries and purchased seven pianos.

The population of Milan has grown from 599,000 in 1914 to 750,000. Genoa has increased from 200,000 to 300,000. Naples had 668,000 at the opening of the war and now has 800,000. Venice was in danger during so much of the fighting that it was deserted temporarily by much of its population and is no longer now than it was before the struggle began. Florence grew but little during the war and was less affected by the world crisis than any other large Italian city.

Taranto and Spezia, the two great Italian naval bases, have developed markedly. Taranto had about 70,000 inhabitants in 1914 and it now has 150,000. All the allied fleets center there and its shipyards, arsenals and naval supply works have been greatly increased. Ten years ago Spezia had only 7,000 or 8,000 inhabitants. It is now a city of 100,000.

Terni, an industrial city, located sixty miles from Rome, has grown in ten years from a city of 9,500 inhabitants to 54,000. It has greater water power than any other industrial city of Italy.

Naming a New Dance. "Has Prof. Tripps found a name for his new dance step?" "No; but he visits the zoo every day." "What does he do that for?" "He hopes by making a close study of animals and their peculiarities to hit on a name that will sweep the country."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

MANY SOURCES OF ENERGY ARE YET UNTOUCHED

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Sir Oliver Lodge told the Royal Society of Arts recently that if men were capable of harnessing all the atomic energy in a small piece of chalk, or any other matter of a similar size, they would have enough power to raise 100,000 tons to a height of 3,000 feet.

"Up to the present," he said, they had not succeeded in making use of that power, but they were on the verge of doing it. In the wireless telephone there the particles given off by a wire electrically heated to whiteness were employed to break the circuit. So sensitive and prompt were the particles to respond to the electrical stimulus that one could send words at the rate of 300 a minute by the Morse code. By no ordinary mechanical means could this be accomplished.

Among other possible sources of energy, said Sir Oliver, was the ether, and he warned his auditors not to disregard it because it was as real a thing as anything. With regard to the energy emanating from the sun the best thing we could do with it was to utilize it through agriculture. Plants had found out how to use it without first turning it into heat, and we could not better their methods.

Other possible sources of energy were the tides and the waves. With the former nothing could yet be done on account of the vast areas required to form reservoirs. The land so covered would be of much more value if reclaimed and used for agriculture. He preferred to consider the possibility of utilizing the waves if anything were going to be done in that direction.

COLORADO PREPARES NOVEL COMFORTS FOR TOURISTS

GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Col., Jan. 20.—Tourists from the east will be afforded every facility for comfort during the 1920 season here. An improvement has been made by the management of two leading hotels that a dancing pavilion will be built a short distance from the bathing pools and all arrangements will be made to enable the bathers to go direct from their swimming exercises to the dance hall, where they will be allowed to trip the light fantastic in their bathing suits.

"Shimmying in your bathing suit" promises to become a popular pastime in Glenwood.

468 Quakes Felt in U. S. During 1919

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Four hundred and sixty-eight earthquakes were felt sensibly in various parts of the world during 1919. Of that number 97 were felt in the United States, but there was no loss of life or serious damage to property from those in this country. Of the earthquakes occurring in other parts of the world, loss of life was recorded in that of April 28 in San Salvador and one on June 29 in Florence, Italy.

Eighty of the 97 earth shocks recorded in the United States were reported from California. The remainder were felt in various parts of the country from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Kentucky, Arkansas, Utah, Arizona, Indiana, Illinois, Kansas, Tennessee, Washington, Virginia, New Jersey and Michigan all reported shocks during the year.

BURGLAR ESCAPING WITH \$500 CAUGHT BY PANTS

PITTSBURG.—If not for his pants and a picket fence, William Hurley probably would not be in the Allegheny police station facing a charge of highway robbery. As Mrs. Matilda Briceland stepped from a street car in St. Luke's square, Hurley got off, too, and just as the car moved away Mrs. Briceland's purse, containing \$500, was snatched from her hand. Several civilians and one policeman chased Hurley.

He had a good start, however, and would have outdistanced his pursuers if his trousers hadn't caught on an iron picket fence in an alley. The money was recovered.

EX-WINDOW WASHER OWNS CHAIN OF HOTELS IN JAPAN

International News Service. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Returning to the United States as premier tourist hotel magnate of Japan, H. S. K. Yamaguchi of Tokio, by wireless reserved a suite of rooms at the Palace hotel here. He formerly was a window washer at the Palace hotel for fourteen months.

Yamaguchi arrived in the place where he was formerly employed as a window washer as a gentleman of great business achievement. He came to America twenty-five years ago after running away from home to see the world.

It is understood, and not denied, that the mission which brought Yamaguchi back to San Francisco was to effect a working agreement between the local exclusive hostelry and several eastern hotels with his chain of hotels in Japan.

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THE C.-C. BANQUET.

Ranger tonight is the center of a meeting which doubtless will be recalled in days to come as epoch-making in the history of West Texas' fastest growing city. It marks the real start of the larger co-operation of the business men and business interests of the city in efforts that will make this crucial year the city's most successful year to date.

Those in close touch with the conditions which have governed the growth of Ranger and its development as the center of an oil field reaching miles in every direction are agreed that this year is the most important the city will know. Other years may see larger steps taken, more material progress, but not unless the city has first laid and anchored its growth.

Greater Ranger will result from the combined efforts of the men who are able to do things, who are willing to put money with effort and who recognize the potential importance of the present moment, the day at hand, the year of 1920.

The first annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce tonight marks the birth of the greater co-operation.

SIGNIFICANCE OF SECTION SIX.

It is apparent from the vote cast by southern senators that the South is not acquainted with the benefits which it must necessarily reap if section 6 of the Cummins-railroad bill, now in conference, becomes a law. This section was written by Senator Underwood, of Alabama, with a full realization of its value to the railroad properties which serve the South, and it was accepted by Senator Cummins, as drafted, although it has been opposed

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WE HAD A LIL' GAME 'TOTHER NIGHT, WITH TWO STRANGERS SITTIN' IN, BOTH OF 'EM CARD SHARKS, AND THE SHARKS WERE THE ONLY ONES WHO LOST. 'A W - HAW - NOW THEY WANT US TO HAVE ANOTHER GAME! HAW HAW - YOU KNOW WHAT THAT MEANS.

YOU BET I DO! THEY'RE LAYIN' FOR YOU! THEY'LL LEAVE YOU LOOKIN' LIKE A FLOCK OF SEPTEMBER MORNS' NEXT TIME.

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with vigor by the powerful railroad interests, which rely upon the North and the West for their earnings.

Under section 6 the interstate commerce commission is directed to readjust freight rates so as to provide that all rail lines may earn at least 5 1/2 per cent on the money actually invested and when the physical valuation of the roads is finally determined, 5 1/2 per cent upon a fair valuation of these properties.

The group of railroads which will profit most decisively by such a program of rate-making will be the southern roads which, for the most part, have barely remained solvent or have actually gone into the hands of receivers. The financially strong roads like the Pennsylvania, New York Central, North Pacific and the Milwaukee, it is pointed out, will not need protection at the hands of the government and they seem to be hostile to any measure which would allow the poorer roads the same degree of prosperity which they have enjoyed in times gone by.

The South has a very direct and a very important interest in any legislation which will guarantee to its lines of transportation sufficient revenue not only to insure good service, but to make possible extensions, upon which the development of southern territory must depend. It seems to the casual observer that Senator Underwood has initiated a very vital piece of legislation from a southern standpoint, and that he should be given the fullest support in his effort to keep section 6 in the railroad bill. He has this support from certain northern sections, but has not been able to count upon it from that part of the country from which he has a right to expect it.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

BLIND CORONER IN VAUDEVILLE

International News Service.
 ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 20.—Paul Donchoo, Atlanta's widely-known blind coroner, is going into vaudeville. Besides being a coroner and a lawyer, Donchoo is an accomplished musician. He will play the Loew vaudeville circuit during his month's vacation, and if he likes it may continue.

TEXAS WOMAN SUFFERS FROM PAINS IN HEAD

Houston, Texas.—"A few months ago my health became very poor. I was run-down, weak and nervous and could not eat nor sleep. I suffered with pains in my head. I was very miserable when my husband got me a bottle of 'Favorite Prescription' but by the time I had taken this one bottle my health was completely restored. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a fine medicine for women and I take pleasure in giving it a recommendation."—Mrs. N. J. Viss, 1520 Everett St.

San Antonio, Texas.—"For about three years I have been in a run-down condition. I would be so weak at times I could scarcely get around. I was extremely nervous, could not sleep and I was in a miserable state when just recently I was advised to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I have not taken all of one bottle but am feeling better than I have for a long time. I am going to continue its use for I know it is helping me more than any medicine I have taken."—Mrs. H. T. KNIPPA, 913 Burleson St.

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DOG FERO OF THE MARNE DIES; POLICE MOURN PET

International News Service.
 HACKENSACK, N. J., Jan. 20.—There is sadness in police headquarters at Hackensack today. Jerry is dead. He was an Irish terrier, born in Belgium, and was adopted by American soldiers. Jerry swam the Marne during the battle in that sector and escaped all bullets. He was caught over by some soldiers and given to Fire Commissioner R. K. Storm, of Hackensack. An auto ran over Jerry, broke a leg, and it was found necessary to shoot him.

USES PLANES TO MAKE OIL FIELD TRIP

Special to The Times.
 PONCA CITY, Jan. 20.—Using an airplane to make the trip into the Osage, Jack Weir, tool pusher for the Marland Refining company, today overcame the advantages of impassable muddy roads, and claims to be the first oil man to use an airplane for tool pushing. Because of the success of the trip, and of the disadvantages at present experienced by the company due to poor roads, the purchase of several planes is contemplated.

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1734 POUNDER TAKES HEAVYWEIGHT BABY TITLE

International News Service.
 PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 20.—One of the biggest young men in medical records arrived here recently. A fourth child was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson of this city and proved to be such a prodigious chap that the attending staff of physicians and nurses could hardly wait to get him on a pair of scales. They found he weighed seventeen and one-half pounds. The other children are of normal weight, but two of them, twins, together didn't compare with their brother for bulk. Physicians say Oil City will hold the heavyweight baby championship for a long time.

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RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$1,142,535.72
Overdrafts	14,460.90
Bonds and Stocks	6,270.43
Real Estate (banking house)	2,697.51
Furniture and Fixtures	6,686.85
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	26,595.13
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	65,033.70
Cash Items	7,825.42
Currency	59,950.00
Specie	10,669.41
Interest and Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,500.00
Total	\$1,574,235.07

LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	4,003.93
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	26,995.22
Individual Deposits, subject to check	1,275,671.23
Time Certificates of Deposit	21,635.00
Cashier's Checks	180,350.22
Dividends Unpaid	5,000.00
Other liabilities	569.47
Total	\$1,574,235.07

State of Texas, County of Eastland:
 We, R. A. Hodges, as president, and Thos. S. Walker, as assistant cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

R. A. HODGES, President.
 THOS. S. WALKER, Assistant Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January, A. D. 1920.
 (Seal) C. M. PEARCE,
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 R. M. DAVENPORT,
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SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 55:6-13.

Seek ye the Lord while he may yet be found, call ye upon him while he is near:

Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the Lord.

For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts.

For as the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower, and bread to the eater.

So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.

For ye shall go out with joy, and be led forth with peace, and the mountains and the hills shall break forth before you into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands.

Instead of the thorn shall come up the fir tree, and instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle tree: and it shall be to the Lord for a name, for an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off.

LARGE GAIN IN STATE TAXES FOR LAST YEAR

By Associated Press

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—Assessments of property in Texas during 1919 for taxation showed an increase of \$187,475,918 over the assessed values of 1918, according to a summary of tax rolls in the office of the state comptroller. Assessments upon which taxes will be collected this year total \$3,200,295,205.

Land is the item showing the greatest value, and the largest increase also came in land, of which 167,336,544 acres were assessed at \$1,291,098,471. This was an increase of 1,902,320 acres, valued at \$102,703,669. A considerable portion of this increase may be accounted for by the fact that all state lands, when sold to individuals, become immediately subject to taxation, and considerable land was sold between the two assessments.

Assessments of town lots show a considerable growth of Texas cities, if the increase does not happen to be due to unusual activity of assessors in 1919, for their value increased \$29,180,023 and reached \$751,798,343. Horses and mules numbering 1,840,518 were assessed at \$81,102,674, an increase of 145,721 in numbers and \$2,264,768 in value.

Scarcity of foodstuffs and high prices are reflected in the cattle assessment, which shows a decrease of 259,945 in number, but an increase of \$5,696,510 in value. The protracted drought which gripped the cattle country for three years may also have brought about the decrease in number by leaving a scarcity of breeding cattle to stock the ranges renewed by the rains of 1919.

Assessments of 1,640,610 sheep was \$6,798,507, an increase of 134,986 in number and \$942,745 in value. Goats: 1,301,646 in number were assessed at \$3,335,429; increase in number 348,219; decrease in value, \$144,509. Hogs: 882,063, assessed \$4,577,780; decrease in number, 73,364; increase in value, \$97,842.

Dogs in Texas increased only three during the year, according to the tax rolls, but decreased \$18,742 in value. Texas rendered 11,742 dogs, valued at \$158,587. Vehicles of all kinds: \$69,486,670; increase, \$14,753,414. Goods and merchandise: \$142,266,421; increase, \$16,199,226. Materials and manufactured articles: \$28,963,326; increase, \$9,150,842. Manufacturers' tools and machinery, \$42,215,200; increase, \$2,297,043. Steam engines and boilers: \$12,021,295; decrease, \$1,881,439.

Amount of money of banks, \$8,938,172; increase, \$2,919,967. Amount of credit of banks, \$7,074,838; decrease, \$169,454. Amount of money other than banks: \$8,396,787; increase, \$366,888. Amount of money on hand or on deposit, \$29,498,000; decrease, \$9,981,052. Amount of credit other than banks: \$45,488,172; decrease, \$9,359,353. Value of bonds and stocks, \$2,407,310; decrease, \$104,005. Amount of shares of capital stock, \$1,276,380; increase, \$119,662. Value of all property of corporations, \$27,222,900; increase, \$12,372,329.

Miscellaneous property, \$70,705,700; decrease, \$6,378,699. State and national banks, \$78,789,306; increase, \$1,097,824. Railroads assessed in miles, 153,521,380; increase, \$3,932,142. Value of rolling stock, \$30,691,805; increase, \$781,575. Intangible assets, \$146,011,057; decrease, \$400,856. City railroads and interurbans, 12,579,374; increase, \$261,029. Telegraph and telephone lines, \$15,214,365; increase, \$749,169. Steamboats and pipe lines, \$18,276,775; increase, \$4,133,123.

'HIP' AND 'LOCKER' PARTIES BANNED IN CINCINNATI

International News Service. CINCINNATI, Ohio, Jan. 20.—"Hip" parties in hotels and restaurants and the "locker" system in clubs have been banned here.

The home, hereafter, is the only safe harbor for an individual's store of liquor, in view of the U. S. Internal Revenue Collector Steven W. McGrath's announcement that constitutional prohibition is to be enforced.

McGrath says that constitutional prohibition prohibits the sale of liquor for export as well as the slightest movement of intoxicants by the owners, even if no sale is intended.

Anyone owning liquor and who has it stored in his cellar, who wishes to change his residence, must apply for a permit from the federal authorities to move his store of whiskey, otherwise he may be arrested. McGrath says both the liquor and the machine may be confiscated if the owner uses his automobile to transport the liquor for the purpose of making sure that none of it is stolen.

103—SHE ENJOYS HER MORNING, EVENING PIPE

International News Service. LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 20.—Mrs. Mary Regan, Lawrence's oldest resident, has passed her one hundred and third birthday. She is the mother of seven children. Sixteen grandchildren and five great-grandchildren call her "grandma."

ENGLAND STILL SHORT OF FOOD DUE TO THE WAR

By Associated Press

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The shortage in production of food caused by the war has not yet been made good, and is not likely to be in the next year, says Charles O. McCurdy, parliamentary secretary to the food ministry. The wheat crops in exporting countries had run down while the demand for wheat in the importing countries was up, he declared. That was largely due to the fact that crops in Central Europe were greatly diminished. He predicted that the next year would be the most critical since the commencement of the war with regard to supplies and prices of both butter and cheese. The dairy product of Australia would be such below the normal, owing to drought.

There was no prospect of the world's supplies of sugar being increased, he said. As regards meat there was a surplus in the country at the present time but it should not be inferred from this that there would be no difficulty as regards the meat situation in the coming year. In Europe, owing to the ravages of war, the meat products would be down by about 3,000,000 tons. It was evident, he said, that the people of Europe would not be able to eat as much meat as they had in the year before the war.

Mr. McCurdy understood that the requisitions from France, Belgium and Italy at present amounted to between 400,000 and 500,000 tons. He did not see where they were going to get it, but it was evident that if people of this country got as much meat as they needed they would only have it because the rest of Europe was hungry and to a large extent would be starving.

At the present time, however, there was a glut of meat in England and during the next two or three months it would be arriving at a rate at which it would be difficult to dispose of it. There was a serious risk of a large proportion of these cargoes going bad owing to inadequate cold storage facilities.

FINGER PRINTS CAN BE FORGED, SAYS EXPERT

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Officials of the International Association for Personal Identification here, an organization having for its object the "fingerprinting" of every man, woman and child in the United States and Canada, have started an inquiry into the charge made by Milton Carlson, a Los Angeles handwriting expert, that finger prints can be forged.

Carlson says he "forged" the finger prints of a convicted murderer in New Jersey in human blood on a butcher knife, making a perfect thumb impression of a man 3,000 miles away. Experts, it is said, pronounced it perfect. So far as known, the Californian is the first man to announce successful duplication of finger prints, used for the past 1,000 years as an infallible means of identification.

Forged finger prints are possible but ineffective, it is said by officials of the International Association for Personal Identification here. "A criminal," said the secretary of the association, "would not have one chance in a million of success in fastening a crime upon an innocent person by means of a forged finger print. Our researches show that in every case of a reproduced 'print' the lines are too palpably false to deceive a skilled eye. They show an under a strong magnifying glass like a rubber stamp or wood engraving and not like the original finger lines which, by reason of perspiration and oil, are clear and sharply defined."

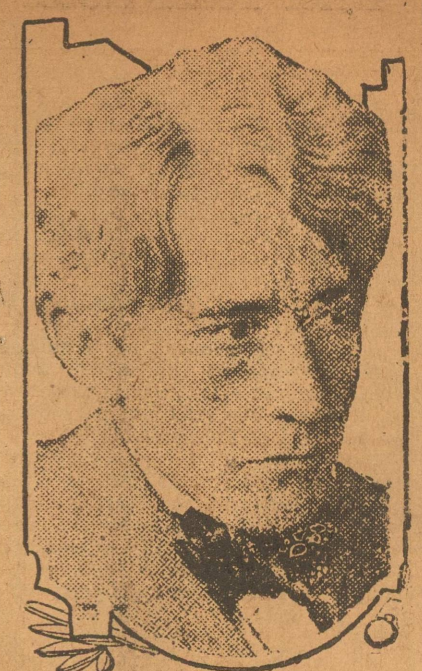
"Handwriting experts may attempt to discredit finger prints because their use detracts from their business but the fact remains that 'finger seals' as the finger prints are called, are an unflinching test so far as identity is concerned. They have practically superseded the Bertillon system in New York state but, until the law is changed, the Bertillon must be used in the penitentiaries. When the lines are blurred, as often happens, a finger print is worthless, but if they are clear it is infallible evidence. It has been shown that if the finger ridges were shaved off or sandpapered they came back.

"It is popularly supposed that finger prints usually are only shown in blood. The fact is that you leave a finger print upon everything you touch. It is quite invisible to the naked eye. The expert, however, will take a bit of powder—a dark powder on a light surface or a light powder on a dark surface—and will quickly 'develop' the print. The powders used are lampblack, graphite, cinnabar, red and mercuric sulphide and dragon's blood.

"Nature has carved on our fingers these 'seals' and they should be put to civilian as well as police use. Undoubtedly they have been the means of detecting thousands of criminals. Hundreds of individuals who come to New York and are swallowed up in this great city, their bodies finally landing in the morgue, might never be buried in the potter's field if we had a national finger print registry of civilians.

The New York finger print organization officials say that despite Mr. Carlson's charge, genuine finger prints are an invaluable aid to identify victims of train wrecks, or other disasters and for ascertaining the identity of persons who have temporarily "lost" themselves.

SLATED TO BECOME HEAD OF NATIONAL BASEBALL COMMISSION



Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis.

When the American and National League moguls meet next month to name a successor to Garry Herrmann as chairman of the national commission—the supreme court of baseball—it is believed they will choose Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis of Chicago. His name has been mentioned several times for the position. Landis is a thorough fan and has shown himself to be fearless in his handling of legal matters.

One-Half Canada Wheat Crop Goes to England Now

By Associated Press

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 20.—Great Britain has received almost one-half of the total Canadian wheat crop, available for export, according to an announcement by the Canada wheat board. Records up to date show that 93,800,000 bushels were exported to the United Kingdom up to Dec. 1, and several million bushels were shipped last month. The value of the total export is about \$80,000,000.

The United States received about 4,700,000 bushels of Canadian wheat, worth nearly \$10,000,000. France, Greece, Italy, Belgium, Gibraltar and Rumania, also received smaller supplies in order named. Since the embargo on shipments of wheat to the United States was lifted "a fair proportion of the supply is moving across the border," it was announced. Available statistics indicate that the remaining surplus for export is about 40,000,000 bushels.

EX-CHIEF OF CHOCTAWS DIES

International News Service. TALHINA, Okla., Jan. 20.—Born in the Choctaw nation of the Indian Territory in 1848, and after living within the limits of that nation his entire lifetime, Gilbert W. Dukes, ex-principal chief of the Choctaws, and said to be one of the most distinguished members of his race, died at his home here a few days ago.

Says Mexico Fast Getting Normal

By Associated Press

HOUSTON, Jan. 20.—The "rebel activity" in Mexico is "barely perceptible" and business conditions in that republic are rapidly approaching "normal," according to a formal statement issued by Victor Blanco, general purchasing agent of the National Railways of Mexico, who stopped here en route to New York where he will attempt to make arrangements for through freight service between Mexico and the United States. "Business conditions in Mexico City were never so good, with plenty of money in circulation," said Senor Blanco. "Banks are resuming, commercial and general trade relations are beginning to grow again, and the mines are working, providing the railways with heavy ore shipments for the United States.

"Business in Mexico is building rapidly with production beginning to reach normal," Senor Blanco said. "Banking interests of Mexico City are again reopening and doing business."

"The rebel business is barely perceptible in Mexico. In practically all the states it is wiped out. It persists in a few isolated districts but in the main the rebel activity has gone out of business."

Senor Blanco, in conclusion, expressed the opinion that "the coming elections in Mexico will be held without trouble and on a fair basis."

Mansfield, Ohio.—Into the discard has fallen the old-time juvenile expression: "Give me a nickel, pop." At most stores now six cents is the prevailing low price. Time was when a five-cent piece would pay for a relishing ham sandwich, admit one to a picture show or serve as a satisfactory wage for the lad who cleaned up the yard, ran errands and did other chores on Saturday. But not any more.

EDITOR BACK AFTER 18 MONTHS WITH RED CROSS

International News Service. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 20.—After eighteen months' service with the Red Cross on the battle fronts of France, Rumania and in the Dobruja, C. A. Bonfils, former managing editor of the Kansas City Post, returned a few days ago to Kansas City. Bonfils has been notified that a D. S. C. and a Rumanian decoration will be awarded him.

Bonfils began his work in France with the famous Forty-second Division as a lieutenant and returned a captain.

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AL HASTINGS, Mgr.

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FOR SALE—Clothing store; choice location Main St.; long lease; unusual opportunity. Apply 102 1/2 Main St.

FOR SALE—Best cigar stand in Ranger, making good money; owner leaving city. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co.

FOR SALE—Cigar, hamburger and confectionery; doing big business. See Thornton, 315 1/2 Main St.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms. Apply 401 Strawn road.

FOR RENT—Furnished 2-room house, good location. Inquire Mrs. John W. Dunkle, So. Austin St.

FOR RENT—Furnished, 2 or 3-room house; davenport; lease; 2 blocks beyond Ranger steam laundry. Mary Atkinson.

LIHT HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, \$10 per week. Ohio Rooms, 502 S. Marston.

REPAIR garage; nice living room upstairs for rent, \$75 per month. Rear Mission hall on Elm St., phone 69 Duncan.

ROOMS—\$8.50 per week for two in a room; nice clean, comfortable rooms; electric lights and gas. Royal hotel, 526 Hodges St.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Store building, 22x70, floored, business section, \$250 per month; bonus \$500. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin St.

FOR RENT OR SALE—A shack, close in. Oasis Confectionery, 318 Elm St.

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To buy triple cheval mirror, 18x40; must be in first-class condition at a bargain. Address R. W. N., care Times.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for second-hand furniture and stoves. Wright Furniture Co.

10—STORES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Main street store, close to depot, \$300; 4-year lease. Small Main St. store at \$150 monthly. John Gaudin, 214 North Marston.

FOR RENT—Dandy store building on Main St., ready for occupancy, 25x140, good lease brick building, \$425 per month. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin St.

FOR SALE—Store building on Main St. brick, immediate possession, right in the heart of things, 25x140; dandy buy as investment and income proposition, and no better location in Ranger to open business in any line; have to act quick. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin St.

Ranger is in the geographical center of four distinct oil pools, the greatest in Texas. It is the clearing house for news of these important operations. When you read it in the Times, it's authentic and fresh.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

42-ROOM HOTEL, modern brick, for lease; large rooms, hot and cold water, bath, etc., heart of business section; better talk quick. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin St.

FOR LEASE—Business lot 25x140, one block of F. & M. Bank Bldg., \$150 per month for 5 years. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin St.

PICTURES enlarged and framed, fancy handwriting, calling cards. Royal Art Co., 509 Mesquite St.

FOR SALE—Garage; best paying and best location in city; liberal terms. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co.

MONEY TO LOAN on diamonds and real estate. Address D., P. O. Box 1846, Ranger.

13—FOR SALE (Real Estate)

L. V. KIRKMAN for real estate and leases. 131 Austin and Pine.

Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin St., can supply your wants in homes, business property or business locations. Ask about us; we have been here long enough to know the best buys and their value, and give you a square deal.

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UNIFORM RULES OF FLYING ARE ADOPTED IN U. S.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The air service of the United States army has formulated uniform rules of flying for the guidance of its pilots, which no doubt will be the basis of all regulations adopted in the future when flying becomes as common as automobilizing.

Some of the precautions prescribed now probably will seem as humorous in that time to come as the speculations and fears concerning motor cars twenty years ago seem to the present generation.

The uniform rules, which supercede varying rules made by different commanders during the war, are one step toward standardization of all flying fields. They are divided into four parts, applicable to hangars, machines, the ground and the air. Some of the more interesting follows:

"Instructors and students in flying will not wear a long coat, or loose clothing that might become entangled in the controls, nor will loose articles such as waste or rags that might jam the controls be left in the machine.

"Ambulances to be on flying field during all flying hours with a surgeon and necessary medical detail in attendance.

"Do not taxi closer than 100 feet to another ship unless mechanic has hold of wings.

"It is advisable to carry a good pair of cutting pliers in a position where both passengers and pilot can reach them in an accident.

"A fire extinguisher will be carried on each machine.

"Riding on steps, wings or tails of a machine is forbidden.

"In case engines fail on take-off, land straight ahead, regardless of obstacles.

"Rules about right-of-way are for guidance only. Collisions are always avoidable. There is no right-of-way. Every pilot must be awake at all times and prevent his machine from getting dangerously near another machine.

"Machines approaching head-on pass to the right at an interval of at least 200 yards.

"If you see another machine, get out of its way. Do not depend upon the other pilot having seen you.

"No vertical banks, steep climbing or zooming will be done under 300 feet.

"All acrobacy, such as loops, wingovers, eights, rolls, half rolls and spins must be completed at not less than 1,500 feet.

"No pilot will fly over a city or town without sufficient altitude to reach a landing place."

Brief Texas Notes

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—Creation of a state board of classification to adjust taxable valuations of the different counties of the state is being advocated in capital circles here.

A careful inspection of the tax rolls from the various counties, which are on file in the comptroller's department will disclose, according to advocates of the plan, that valuations between counties are by no means equal.

Some of the counties are rendering their property at values only about one-fourth of its actual valuation, while others are rendering as high as 50 per cent of the actual value.

Supporters of the plan say that this is brought about by the fact that some counties in their effort to escape payment of state tax, levy a very high tax rate for county government and only require the citizens of the county to render their property at a very low rate.

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—Traffic congestion on the Texas Central, one of the main railroads into West Texas, cannot be relieved soon, said Railroad Commissioner Allison Mayfield, because the track is not sufficiently heavy to bear the traffic which has been thrust upon it by the sudden oil development.

Both bridges and the roadbed limit the size of engines that can be used, and light engines cannot be secured in sufficient numbers to move the freight that has accumulated. This road was built primarily to serve an agricultural and cattle country, the commissioner concluded, and heavy industrial traffic cannot be efficiently handled until the road is practically rebuilt.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Jan. 20.—Resolutions memorializing congress to provide relief for agricultural labor problems in South Texas by lifting restrictions on Mexican immigration and a tentative agricultural program for 1920 were adopted by a meeting of county agents, home demonstration agents, farmers and business men of South Texas at Kingsville.

The program adopted was similar to the one drawn up by the state agricultural meeting at Waco in December. The Kingsville meeting is one of three large district meetings to be held over the state to follow up action of the state gathering at Waco.

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—"Higher education" cost Texas \$3,351,066.65 during the past fiscal year, according to accounts in the state comptroller's office.

It was divided: University of Texas and its branches, \$1,187,779; agricultural and mechanical college, \$1,357,306; state normal schools, \$1,156,969. Each school had a small balance at the end of the year.

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AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—Contracts between an individual and a fraternal society are not complete until the individual has been initiated into the society, the attorney general held recently, but the initiation of the individual subsequent to the delivery of his insurance policy will validate the policy.

TEXAS CRUDE DUE FOR ANOTHER RISE IN PRICE SOON

Special to The Times.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 20.—Texas crude oil is again bringing a premium, which operators think is the immediate forerunner of another advance in price. It is reported that Burburnett crude in some instances is bringing 25 cents a barrel above the listed price, and in a few instances a premium of 10 per cent above the listed price is being paid.

From the Gulf coast comes the report that 35,000 barrels of oil has been contracted for at \$2.25 per barrel, 75 cents above the listed price for Gulf coast crude.

UNIONS START BOYCOTT TO GET 46-CENT EGGS

International News Service.

NOVINGER, Mo.—To use the power of labor unions as a force to bring down the cost of living is the idea of three local miners' unions here. They joined in adopting a resolution to start the campaign, binding their members to refrain from using eggs and butter until eggs are 40 cents a dozen and butter 45 cents a pound.

The campaign is to continue for sixty days, or until these prices are complied with. Other unions are asked to help.

AGED WOMAN RECLUSE FOUND BURNED TO DEATH

International News Service.

EAST ORANGE, N. J.—Miss Elizabeth O. Hoyt, 70, who lived alone at 72 Steuben street, was found burned to death in her home. Neighbors had not seen her for several days. Mrs. Edward Hunkeler, who lived next door, broke into the Hoyt house and found the woman's body in a sitting posture in a chair in the dining room burned almost beyond recognition. It is believed the woman's bed caught fire from a gas stove. Miss Hoyt had lived alone in the house for thirty years.

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0—LODGES

Called Meeting of Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. O. U. W., at 7 P. M. tonight at 7. W. A. C. Chamber of Commerce, W. A. Harrison, W. M., F. E. Langston, Sec'y.

LOST—Lady's plain gold wrist watch between Spring road and T. & P. station. Return to Times office.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Two sets, one black pocket book, one white pocket book. Return to 206 Young St. Mrs. John H. Cain.

LOST—Suit case, between Snow's and Rebold Lumber Co.; \$10 reward. W. Williamson, C. & A. Store.

\$25.00 REWARD—Lost light grey horse, 18 hands high, ranch make, black tail, with light stock saddle and red bridle. Ranger Drug Co.

LOST—One long, slim, raw bone, bay horse, white face pacer; one dun, bay, spotted, roach mane pony; strayed from C. S. Davis farm, two miles from Ranger on Strawn road. \$25 reward for return or any information leading to their recovery. L. M. Gandy, Box 1832, Ranger.

LOST—One barrel horse with white face, bay of left hip. Liberal reward to finder to G. L. Newman at Estes Brand Grocery, 2d Marston St.

2—HELP WANTED (Female)

WANTED—A few good waitresses. Apply W. A. C. Chamber of Commerce, New York apartments.

WANTED—At once, a middle aged woman to mother and take care of some small children; good home and wages for night work. Apply quick. See E. P. Parrish.

HELPFUL EMPLOYMENT at once by wanted men and women, boys and girls, to deliver Western mail telegrams. Apply 206 West.

3—HELP WANTED (Male)

WANTED—Two boys for city routes. See Mr. Banks at the Times office.

4—SITUATIONS

WANTED—Teacher, five years' experience, has experienced in classroom work. Capable bookkeeper or saleswoman. Care L. D. A. Files.

EXPERIENCED accountant with executive ability familiar with details and mercantile business details. Will accept full charge, if man of initiative with reputable concern. Address L. K. O. Ranger Times.

ANYTHING taken a carpenter to do. See Hoover, 508 Strawn road.

WANTED—By experienced bookkeeper, set for books to keep at night. Address J. L. R., care Ranger Times.

POSITION wanted by responsible man as bookkeeper or timekeeper will work in the field. Apply at Young's Rooms, room 2.

WANTED—By man and wife, experienced in management of boarding houses, the operation of some camp. Will handle all own account or for some company. Apply A. F. S., care Times.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and typist send give reference. Address L. G. W., care Times.

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Resume Drilling at Eskota Well

Special to The Times.

ABELINE, Jan. 20.—Active drilling was begun Saturday at Foster & Barnhart's Eskota well, four miles north of Eskota, after a shut-down since the holidays, waiting for a cargo of fuel oil. The well was spudded in before the first of the year, but lack of fuel had prevented drilling. A cargo of 6 1/2-inch casing has been received at this well and everything is in the ground for completion of the 3,500-foot test.

STUNT FLIER'S FOOT CUT IN TWO BY PLANE

International News Service.

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 20.—"Freddie" Owens, an exhibition flier, was struck by the propeller of an airplane while attempting to change planes in mid-air over this city and suffered the loss of half of his right foot. While swinging from a trapeze preparatory to dropping to the ground below him, the propeller of the lower plane struck his foot.

Owens pluckily climbed back up his trapeze and into his seat, and after making a quick landing was rushed to a local hospital. Owens coolly asked for a cigarette and joked with the doctors as he was placed on the table.

BARRETT SAYS UNION PREVENTED SIX WARS

International News Service.

NEW YORK.—The Pan-American union, composed of twenty-one American governments, including the United States, was credited by John Barrett, director-general, with having prevented no less than six wars, including the conflict between the United States and Mexico, in the past thirteen years.

Mr. Barrett made this statement in the course of an address before the City club of New York.

High Cost Follows Victims Beyond Grave

International News Service.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 20.—Physicians hereabout not long ago raised their fees. Then the nurses demanded an increase. The druggists lifted the cost of medicines. The undertaker revised his schedule upward. Now the tombstone man declares he must have 20 per cent more for perpetuating a man's memory.

"It's a hard game this tombstone making," said one manufacturer here. "Everything has gone up but our charges. We're not profiteers like some others, though. We only ask for a person's money when they have no further use for it."

STATE SEEKING TO RECOVER 75,000 ACRES

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—A suit in which the state is attempting to recover approximately 75,000 acres of West Texas land from the Capital Freehold Investment company, is up for trial in the district court here today.

When it comes to news in general of the world and West Texas and its fast-growing city in particular, the Times tells 'em about it.

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WHY PAY RENT?—I will build four-room bungalow for sixteen hundred dollars. R. F. Goy, Ranger, care Barnes hotel.

FOR SALE—Grocery store and meat market. The best business proposition you ever had offered. Answer this quick. W. X. X., care Ranger Times.

IDEAL BUSINESS LOCATION.—Have a lot ideally located for a business, fronting 120 feet on Oak street and 100 feet on Bowie street, in same block with the Ferguson Lumber company. See us quick, 205 F. & G. Realty Bldg.

FOR SALE—Several robbing houses and other property. See us quick, 205 F. & G. Realty Bldg.

12—FOR SALE (Miscellaneous)

FOR SALE—One 16x16 army tent; side walls and wood floor, on Eastland hill. Apply 306 Cherry St., Hodges Oak Park.

FOR SALE—A good young Jersey cow. J. H. E., care Times.

FOR SALE—Furniture for 5 rooms complete; also house for rent. See Mrs. John Cain, 1119 Spring road.

FOR SALE—New beds, tables and rugs at wholesale prices. Commercial hotel.

SPLENDID piano bargain; to avoid shipping to Dallas we offer the piano for sacrifice price; any reasonable terms. Write quick. Will A. Watkins Co., Dallas, Texas.

FOR SALE—Army tent, good condition, walled and floored. See E. F. Rust, Rust lease, Eastland Hill.

FOR SALE—NEW UNIVERSAL 4-CYLINDER ELECTRIC LIGHTING PLANT; HAS NEVER BEEN INSTALLED. SEE BLACK BROS. McCLESKEY HOTEL.

FOR SALE—Two 4-room houses in Hodges Central addition, \$2,875 and \$2,650; one-third cash, balance like rent; these houses are offered for less than they can be built today. Call and secure a bargain. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co.

BUSINESS lot 25x140, one block from McCleskey hotel, \$7,500. Terms \$2,500 cash, balance \$200 per month. Dandy location. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin St.

FOR SALE—NEW DODGE TOURING CAR; DRIVEN ONLY 900 MILES. BLACK BROS., McCLESKEY HOTEL.

THREE furnished houses in Young addition from \$3,600 to \$5,000. This addition has plenty of gas, sewer in and water in lines; electric wires being strung now. Small payment down and easy terms on all of them. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co.

SPECIAL NOTICES

ANYONE with piano for rent please address Mrs. C. G. Harwood, P. O. Box 1756.

GROCERY STORE, doing rattling business; owner in bad health and will sell. See us quick, 205 F. & G. Realty Bldg.

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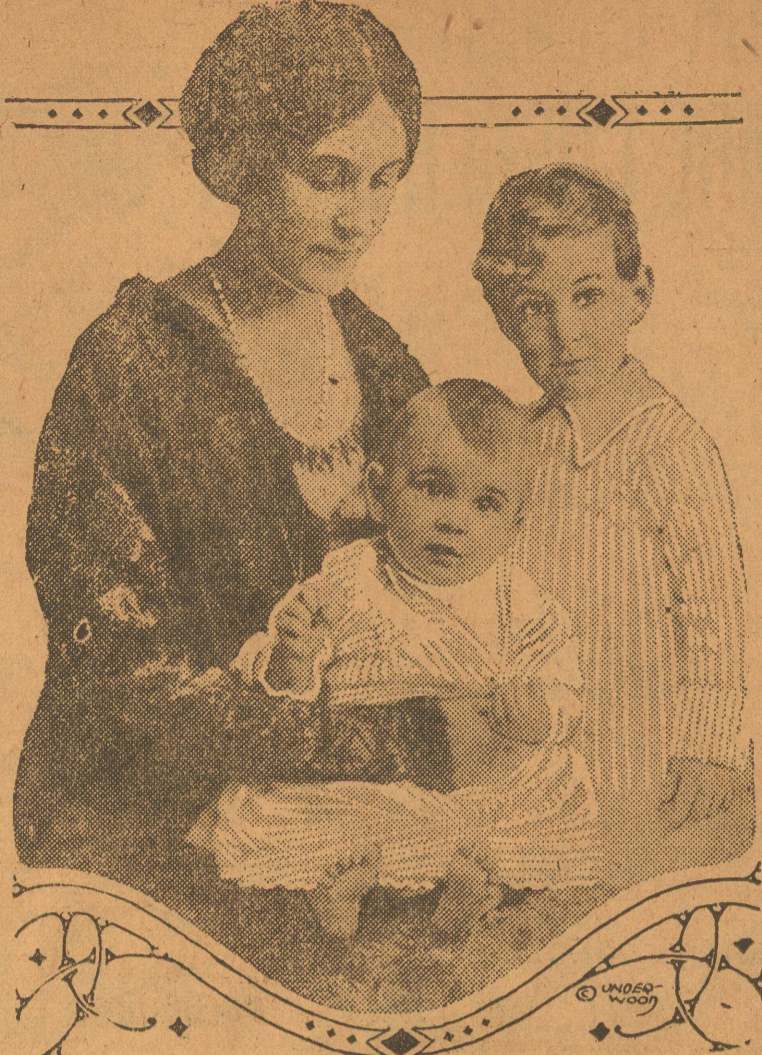
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Live Sport Notes

NEW YORK, Jan. 20. — Reports from various foreign countries indicate that racing was one of the first of the many sports to swing into its stride again within a few months after the signing of the armistice. Records and statistics gathered from numerous sources at the close of the 1919 turf season attest the fact that racing enjoyed a prosperous session and prospects favor a still greater revival during the coming year.

Lord Glanely, who heads the list of winning owners on the English turf for the season of 1919, purchased the derby winner, Grande Parade, as a foal, for 420 guineas. The colt had a very profitable 2-year-old career, particularly while racing over the Irish courses where he finished first several times. Dominion, a stable companion, was the more fancied of the two for derby honors by Lord Glanely and his trainer and even up to the start for last year's blue ribbon at Epsom downs, the hopes of the stable were centered on Dominion, which ran indifferently throughout the race. Grand Parade is the son of a former derby winner, Orby, which was owned, bred and trained by Richard Croker, the American horseman.

Lord Glanely's good fortune in securing such a wonderful foal for so small a sum, extended in other directions as his run of luck was remarkable. His colors were frequently seen in front of the finish in many races for platers and stake horses at all sorts of meetings. Besides his derby victor, which had been retired to the stud, Dominion, Scotwell, Grand Fleet, Skvrocket, the Midshipmate and others of less caliber were winners of forty-two events, while his filly, Bright Folly, was one of the best of her sex in the 2-year-old division. Lord Glanely's winnings, in purses alone, throughout the season exceeded 30,000,000 pounds (\$150,000).

Lord Derby as a winning owner was second, with about \$110,000, and Major D. McCalmont next with \$70,000. King George V won eight races during the season and about \$22,000.

The flat racing season of 1920, in England, will begin with the Lincoln spring meeting on March 22, and the first of the big handicaps, the Lincolnshire, will be run on March 24. The Liverpool spring meeting, which includes flat, hurdle and steeplechase events, will take up the remainder of the opening week, the principal attraction being the Grand National steeplechase, to be run on Friday, March 26.

The dates for the English 3-year-old classics have been announced as follows: At Newmarket, 2,000 guineas, April 28 and 1,000 guineas April 30. At Epsom, the derby, June 2, and the Oaks, June 4. At Doncaster, St. Leger, September 8.

Lady James Douglas, whose horse, Gainsborough, was the winner, the new derby in 1918 won the Oaks, another of the classic races, last year, with Bayuda at Epsom. This was the only winner with which the filly's owner was credited during the season of 1919, but it netted her a sum of \$28,000.

For the sixth time in succession S. Donoghue headed the list of English professional jockeys last year. During the season this popular rider won 129 races out of 532. He finished second 107 times, scored 70 thirds and rode unplaced in 223 contests. Unlike many other jockeys, Donoghue does not find any difficulty in keeping his weight down; in fact he scaled as low as 101 pounds in some of the low-summer races. He rides as a free lance and his services are in great demand. Donoghue's winning average is not quite as good as that of the Australian B. Carlsike, but the latter rode less frequently, scoring 106 winning brackets out of 328 starts.

The betting sheds on the Berlin race tracks handled 200,000,000 marks during the season just ended, which comprised 67 days. The bulk of the betting was on running races.

According to Irish racing statistics the 1919 season was the most successful in the Emerald isle's turf his-

tory. Never before had so much added money been given for purses and plate at the different race meetings throughout the country. The list of winning owners, however, was headed by an English owner of thoroughbreds a Mr. W. Parrish who maintains extensive racing quarters at the Curragh of Vildare. Fourteen of the Parrish horses won 21 events, the cash value of the prizes amounting to \$28,500.

Among the Irish trainers, J. J. Parkinson was easily the most successful as thirty-four of the animals he saddled finished in front in 56 events. Parkinson at one time was closely identified with the care of Richard Croker's racers, both in Ireland and England.

Joseph Canty, who rides equally well over the jumps and on the flat, led the Irish jockeys by winning 65 races, finishing second in 48, scoring 31 third and riding unplaced 75 times showing a percentage of 29.63. H. H. Heasley a member of a family of successful jockeys whose fame particularly as steeplechase and hurdle riders, dates back three generations, was a close second with 63 winning mounts out of 247.

Gloaming, an Australian bred gelding, owned by a New Zealand turf patron, is credited with having won over 14,000 pounds since he began racing as a 2-year-old in 1917. As a 3-year-old Gloaming won several stakes, including the Australian jockey club derby, the New Zealand derby and Great Northern derby and last year he was first in three events of a cash value of over \$11,000.

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Two wells in the west field today are adding between 4,500 and 5,000 barrels new production. Their arrival was timed just after the Mook strike in the Colton Plant pool yesterday. Texas company, with No. 1 on the J. C. Littleton, and Ranger Rock Island Oil company, with Wright No. 2 are the boosters, and the wells they added late Monday are as good as the immediate field has heard from this year.

Littleton No. 1 is doing 2,000 barrels, eight feet in the pay, which was met at 3,467 feet. It may be carried a few feet deeper. It is the fifth well on the tract and one of the best recently. Nos. 5, 6, 7 and 16 are completions, and the total production of the farm is now around 3,200 barrels.

Ranger Rock Island struck the deep pay in Wright No. 2 at 3,192 feet and drilled ahead to 3,503 feet, with initial production of 2,700 barrels. Wright No. 1 of this same company is rated one of the best wells of the Pleasant Grove district. It was completed Sept. 7, better than four months ago, and still is making 1,400 barrels daily.

Scanlon & McCourtie have completed Sue No. 2, with sand from 3,502 to 3,519 feet, total depth 3,520 feet, and initial production of 250 barrels. Champlin & Walker's Roper No. 1 is a completion, sand 3,500 to 3,528, flowing 150 barrels. Humble Oil and Refining company's Patton No. 4 has sand from 3,437 to 3,457 feet and will pump forty barrels.

Red Cross Bureau Seeks 20 Cases to Give Service

Mrs. Phillip Petit, through the mail, last week reached twenty former servicemen and their wives who had problems of allotment, insurance, compensation and other similar problems for settlement. Through the St. Louis office the following cases have been referred to the Ranger office and Mrs. Petit would like to get in touch with any of them at the Red Cross bureau in the Marston building next Monday afternoon:

Mayena Houston, allotment; Dile Bennett, Y. M. C. A. check; Nick Mack, thirty bars; Edgar E. Brandaway, compensation; Virginia Walker, allotment; Irene Eunice Vance, allotment; Edna Ashurst, allotment; Vera Stock, allotment; Leticia Scott, allotment; Pearl Mason, allotment; William L. Benix, compensation; Walter Margas, compensation; Mary Newsom Noble, allotment; Erwin R. Hughes, vocational training.

O. Bernard Smith Plans Modern Hotel and Barber Shop

O. Bernard Smith, large property owner of this city, is installing a fourteen-chair barber shop in his new building on Commerce street, across from the T. & P. depot. The shop will have marble fixtures and the best and most approved equipment.

Mr. Smith stated yesterday that when the new shop is completed it will be one of the best in this part of the state and the equal of any in Fort Worth or Dallas.

The second floor of the new building will be a hotel, containing fifty-one rooms. It will be called the "Hotel Bernard."

Allendale Oil Co. Makes Locations on Schoonover Farms

A. B. Dale, president of the Allendale Oil company, is in Ranger and before returning to Fort Worth will make two further locations for the company on the Schoonover tracts in the Desdemona pool. The O'Rear well No. 1 of the Allendale is cleaning out after a shot of 110 quarts from 2,760 to 2,792 feet. It was making fifty to seventy-five barrels before the shot, but bridged when the nitro was turned loose.

The new locations Mr. Dale will make are No. 1 on each of the two Schoonover tracts held by the company. He will be in Ranger and vicinity until Thursday. Rig and complete string of casing for one of the new operations were purchased in Desdemona Monday.

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Grain Embargo at Gulf Ports Is Cancelled Today

ATLANTA, Jan. 20.—An embargo on the movement of grain to and through all gulf ports, effective since last August, was cancelled today by the regional railroad headquarters here.

ARBUCKLE BUYS HOUSE TO SAVE HIS CELLAR

International News Service. LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20.—Roscoe Arbuckle has completed the purchase of the house he has been occupying that formerly belonged to Mrs. Randolph Huntington Manon. Mr. Arbuckle, who paid \$30,000 for it, has his own explanation of the transaction.

"Had to do it to save my cellar," he grinned. "Authorities won't let me move it, so I bought the whole house to protect it."

HOLLEMAN POOL EXTENDED HALF MILE TO WEST

Special to The Times. EASTLAND, Jan. 20.—The Holleman shallow pool, six and one-half miles north of Eastland, has been extended one-half a mile west by the Magnolia Production company's M. Loper well, the bit went five feet in the sand around 1,920 feet, and the well filled up immediately.

Jackson Oil & Refining company's Coakley No. 1, about three miles east of Eastland, near Olden Switch, that came in some time ago with about 6,000,000 feet of gas and a show of oil, has stopped flowing and machinery is being moved in to drill to 4,000 feet if necessary. The well is making a little water. The present depth is 3,500 feet.

Frank Day Oil company's Downtain No. 1 is showing very little oil at 3,500. This well is in wildcat territory and was expected to prove up the adjacent territory as it has had several shows for oil and gas at different depths.

However, this well will have to reach at least 3,520 before it can be called dry, and from the showings that it has had will probably find oil at that depth.

Eastland Midway Oil company, on the Burnett tract, one mile north of Eastland, will be drilled several hundred feet deeper by its owner, J. J. O'Malley of Paris. It was a small producer that came in last summer, making 75 barrels of oil from 3,150 to 3,220.

Arkansas Natural Gas company's J. Lyvela No. 1, south of Eastland, that made gas from the shallow sand around 1,500 feet, is now flowing water and gas from 1,700.

Disaster Near in Bi-Partisan Treaty Meeting

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Senators participating in the bi-partisan conference for compromise reservations to the peace treaty reported today that they are about to suspend their conferences because of a disagreement over the foreign relations committee's reservation, regarding the equality of voting in the League of Nations.

SAYS ALLIES WON'T GET THE KAISER AT ALL

PARIS, Jan. 20.—Belief that the efforts of the allies to get former Emperor William out of Holland would prove unsuccessful, was expressed today by Baron Kurt von Lerner, Germany's chief representative here.

30 Fishermen Are Drowned in Norway

CHRISTIANA, Jan. 30.—Thirty-seven fishermen were drowned in a gale which struck a fishing fleet near Trondhjem yesterday, according to advices received here today.

Something New; Keeps Bills on the Side of His Wagon

By Associated Press. EL PASO, Jan. 20.—A new departure in bookkeeping is practiced by "Charlie," a Chinese huckster, who sells vegetables to housewives on the north side here. He keeps his accounts on the side of his wagon.

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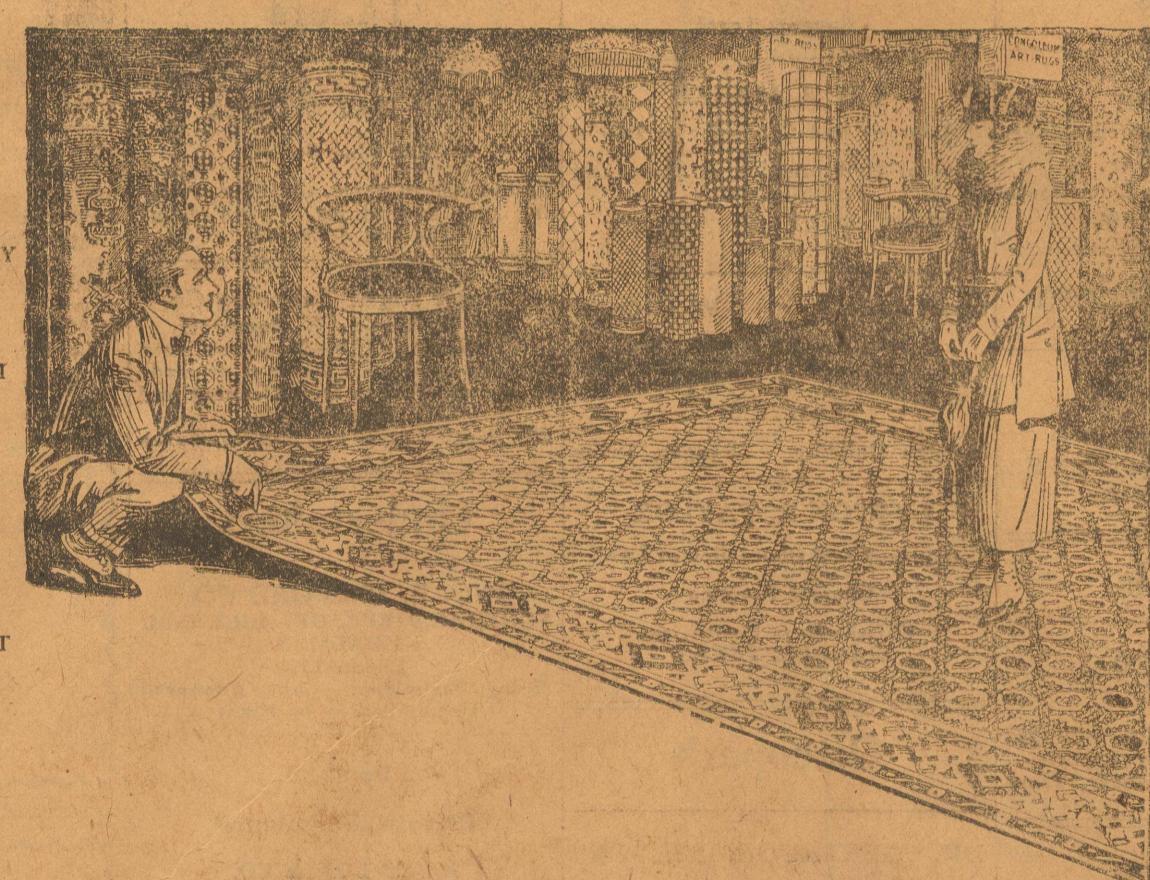
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