

GULF NO. 1 GHOLSON POOL 250 BARRELER BIG INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET WILL BE HELD IN RANGER 12 ARE KILLED IN ARKANSAS CYCLONE

MANY SUFFER FROM LOSS OF HOMES IN AREA

Whole Families Are Found Dead Beneath Ruins of the Houses

By United Press.
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 18.—The death toll of a terrific cyclone that wrought devastation near Benton, Ark., late last night, rose to 12 today, as rescue workers went from house to house through the devastated area, seeking out the dead and injured.

At least 35 more have been seriously or slightly injured and have been taken to the hospital in Benton and surrounding towns.

Telegraph and telephone lines in the storm ravaged area were blown down and the only information available here today, came from the rescuers, who are making a canvass of this district and administering to the victims.

Dozens lost their homes and belongings as the wind swept houses along with it and uprooted trees.

The twister struck near Delight, (Continued on page 3)

Firemen Discuss Standardization Of Equipment

Help the town that helps itself was the attitude taken by firemen attending the twenty-seventh district fireman's association at the Eastland city hall Thursday afternoon. The meeting was called for the special purpose of discussing the standardization of fire equipment in the district. This discussion soon led to criticism of those towns that do not or have not put themselves in position to receive fire fighting aid when it arrives.

It was said that there are some towns in the twenty-seventh district that have made only limited provision for fighting fires and that when the towns respond to their calls for help the town making the call had not been in position to receive the help.

The meeting developed considerable enthusiasm and went on record as favoring a call in every town in the district until full cooperation and complete standardization of equipment have been brought about. The next meeting of the district firemen has been set for Breckenridge and it to be held there next Thursday afternoon, March 24. District members are to be notified of the meeting by J. E. Cheatham, Eastland city manager and chief of the twenty-seventh district firemen's district.

Covering Up.
Another matter that came in for considerable discussion was that of "covering up." It was agreed for example that should Eastland answer a call to Cisco it would be the duty of Ranger fire department to cover up Eastland. That is to have a company in readiness at the Ranger station in case Eastland should have a fire and ask Ranger to respond.

Only three towns in the district, Eastland, Ranger and Strawn were present at the Thursday meeting. Eastland had a large delegation of interested citizens present. Ranger was represented by fire chief G. A. Murphy and C. C. Patterson, while Strawn was represented by Chief O. M. Hurst and Captain Charles Watson.

Cooperation.
Speeches on standardization and cooperation were made by Chief Murphy of Ranger, Chief A. W. Hennessy of Eastland, C. C. Patterson of Ranger and Chief Hurst and Captain Watson of Strawn.

Rev. W. J. Nelson, pastor of the Eastland Baptist church and George Waverly Briggs, manager of the Eastland chamber of commerce, also spoke on cooperation.

The meeting was presided over by J. E. Cheatham, chief of the district. C. C. Patterson of Ranger acted as secretary and Rev. Nelson opened and closed the meeting with prayer.

Following the meeting a sandwich lunch was served to those present.

New Ambassador and Daughter



Ambassador Paul Claudel, new envoy from France to the United States, declares the American Legion convention in Paris this year will do much to prove that French-American unity is unbroken. The ambassador is pictured with his daughter, Reine.

MUSIC MEMORY CONTEST HELD IN EASTLAND

Connelllee Park Now Undergoing Repairs Hence The Change

The county interscholastic meet will be held in Ranger April 1 and 2. This was decided last night when the executive committee of the interscholastic league met at Eastland. The invitation to come to Ranger and hold the meet was extended the committee by Prof. O. G. Lanier, and unanimously accepted.

The change in places, since it was first announced for Eastland, was necessitated by the incomplete condition of the Eastland athletic field. The old Connellee park, where athletic events heretofore have been held has been torn down and a handsome new park is under construction but it cannot be completed in time for the meet.

All the events of the annual meet will be held in Ranger with the exception of the music memory contest, which will be held in Eastland on the night of March 31, at the south ward school.

An influx of at least 1500 people will pour into Ranger on those days for the event. Usually there are some four or five hundred contestants in the various events, and in addition to these teachers, parents and other pupils of various schools attend the affair.

Supply Homes.
On account of some of the contestants coming from the outskirts (Continued on page two)

GOVERNOR WHITFIELD IS NO MORE

By United Press.
JACKSON, Miss., March 18.—Governor Henry L. Whitfield of Mississippi died at 4:15 this morning after a long battle with blood poisoning. The governor lapsed into unconsciousness at noon Thursday, shortly after directing his funeral arrangements in which he asked that his rites be simple and that friends send no flowers. He also requested that his military staff act as pall bearers and that the state flag be draped round the casket.

At 9 o'clock Thursday night he opened his eyes and faintly smiled at his wife and then went back to sleep from which he never returned. He had been sinking rapidly since his return from a Memphis hospital several months ago. His leg was amputated at a Memphis, Tennessee, hospital in an effort to check the spread of poison.

Experts Testify That Bull Whip Is Not Deadly

By United Press.
BRYAN, Texas, March 18.—Five experts with the lash, men who for years have wielded the whip to punish prisoners today came to the defense of W. T. Hill, charged with the murder of Wiley Zeigler, whom the state charges was whipped to death. They testified that they had whipped great numbers of men and that in their opinion lashes with a "bull whip" could not cause death.

Testimony of the "whip experts" was the high spot of Hill's defense.

PIONEER BAPTIST TO PREACH SUNDAY

Rev. William F. Harris of Cleburne, Texas, one of the pioneer ministers of the Baptist denomination of Texas, will occupy the pulpit at the Central Baptist church, Ranger, Sunday morning.

The Rev. Mr. Harris is here visiting his son of the Harris & Word Welding company. Everyone is invited to be present at this service.

NOW MANAGER

By United Press.
NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Neal Ball, former big leaguer, who gained fame through an unassisted triple-play, is managing the local club of the Eastern league.

Sues Ford for \$1,000,000



Aaron Sapiro, organizer of farmer's cooperatives who is suing Henry Ford for \$1,000,000 because of criticisms published in the Dearborn Independent, Ford's weekly paper. Sapiro complains he was termed a member of a "conspiracy of Jews to control the world's food markets."

Consul Stabbed



Herndon W. Goforth, United States consul at Sao Paulo, Brazil, who was stabbed and dangerously wounded at the consulate there by David Ward, an American, according to reports received by the state department at Washington. Ward, it was said, was provoked because of failure to collect a debt he claimed from Brazil and had been ordered from the consulate when Goforth was attacked.

Death Penalty Demanded In Love Murder

BYROR, Okla., March 18.—The death penalty for Ben Schuh, young store clerk, charged with "love murder" of Leonard Greer, Spavinaw store keeper, was demanded of the jury today by E. H. Johnson, special prosecutor and brother-in-law of the murdered man.

Johnson journeyed from Harlan, Ky., to plead as a special prosecutor in the case.

THE GREAT WAR TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

March 18, 1917. Three American ships, the City of Memphis, the Illinois, and the Vigilantia, sunk with 22 men missing; reported as clear-cut "overt act," making war inevitable.

In view of the crisis President Wilson requires the railroad union to abandon their proposed strike.

The Germans abandon Peronne and Noyon in their retreat.

GOVERNMENT WILL APPEAL CASE OF COOK

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, March 18.—The department of justice officials indicated today that some action may be taken by the government to prevent Dr. Frederick A. Cook from being released from the Leavenworth penitentiary on a probation writ issued by Federal Judge James C. Wilson at Fort Worth, Texas.

It was pointed out that the 1925 probation law was intended to allow federal judges to free conditionally law violators only at the time sentences were passed and not after a prisoner had served a portion of a jail term.

"The case undoubtedly will be taken to a higher court for a decision," Edward Dodge, assistant to Attorney General Sargent said.

"Determination of the question will have a far reaching effect on the judicial machinery of the country," he continued.

In the meantime, Dr. Cook will be at liberty, discharges from Leavenworth stated.

Formal notice of appeal already has been filed by District Attorney Henry Zweifel.

Under the probation law, which was invoked in this case, it is really a vacation from his fourteen years sentence and at the end of five years will have to return. Under the parole law, a close watch is kept of the prisoner until his time expires and then he does not have to return. The probation law is comparatively new. The new law is a radical departure, according to Judge Wilson and is without a parallel in that it gives the judge pardoning powers not possessed by the president.

Tulane Student Takes His Own Life; Shot Through Head

NEW ORLEANS, March 18.—Harold P. Bergeret, 26, an architectural student at Tulane university, committed suicide at the home of his father here today, firing a 38-caliber pistol bullet into his head. He died instantly.

Members of young Bergeret's family believe a nervous breakdown, brought about by overstudy, was responsible for the suicide.

Aggie Students Are Forbidden To Take Any Baths

COLLEGE STATION, March 18.—Students at the Agricultural and Mechanical College were forbidden to take baths for a day or so this week, it developed today when news of a temporary tie-up in the water supply of the college leaked out.

Though no official announcement was made by the college heads, it was determined that sand caved in on the wells that supply the institution, and while there was no imminent shortage, the reserve supply was diminishing so that the boys were forced to join the "great unwashed" for a brief period.

The wells were blown out however, and Dean Bolton, head of the college, engineering department said today the water supply was in the best condition in the history of the school.

PRODUCTION EXTENDED LATEST WELL

Drills Are Active In That Sector; Once It Was Abandoned

Gulf No. 1 on the Duffer track, and three-eighths of a mile from Duffer No. 2 in the Gholson pool south of Ranger came in last night for an estimated flow of 250 barrels a day. This is the fifth producer, and no dry holes encountered so far.

This well extends the Gholson pool almost a mile south and is one of the most valuable additions to the pool so far. Gulf No. 1 was started even before the first Duffer test. A national machine was used, which was discarded when the well reached 2200 feet, and after the Duffer No. 1 came in so unexpectedly at a new pay level, and a Standard rig was substituted.

Today the well is being cleaned out and its production is expected to increase.

The latest producer in this sensational field, which is not yet three months old, found the sand at 3275 feet, which is a somewhat shallower depth than the other wells in the pool have found the sand, as practically all of them picked it up at 3470.

To the northeast of the Duffer wells the Parrish No. 1 is drilling at 3125 and the Price Russell, still a bit further north than the Parrish is drilling around 1800 feet.

Barkley and Crotty, drilling on the Terrell, in an easterly direction from the Duffer wells, are drilling around 1000 feet.

In the Ramsower Pool northwest of Ranger, the Higginbotham No. 1 Tee Pee Coal and Oil company is getting ready to pull the big casing at 3670 feet, preparatory to drilling the well to a depth of 3715, where the pay is expected to be found.

WHOLE TOWN OUT ON HUNT FOR FIENDS

By United Press.
COFFEYVILLE, Kans., March 18.—Many business houses were closed here today while merchants and their clerks shouldered shotguns to join a posse which is searching over two counties for three negroes who brutally assaulted Miss Julia Mooney, 19, and Miss Marguerite Akers, 17, here early today.

The negroes entered the house where the girls were alone at about 1:30 a. m. through a bathroom window, dragged them from their beds and then assaulted them, while muffling their screams for help.

One negro crept upon Miss Mooney and seized her by the throat before she awakened, and one other put his hand over Miss Akers' mouth to prevent an outcry.

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FROM THE HOLY BIBLE
 Prayer for Humiliated Nations:—
 Arise, O Lord; let not man prevail; let the nations be judged in thy sight. Put them in fear, O Lord; let the nations may know themselves to be but men. Psalm 9:19, 20.
 Prayer:—Blessed are the meek for they shall inherit the earth.

MORE HOUSES.
 Eastland, Cisco and Ranger are in need of more houses to take care of the influx of newcomers. Houses are at a premium in the three cities, especially in Eastland and Ranger. The influx of the Wentz office force has more than taxed Eastland to supply homes for new citizens. Something more than a year ago we advocated more houses and predicted a large number of new families were coming to this section to live and begged the property owners of the leading towns to be ready and not be found wanting as was the case when oil was first discovered.
 There is not a habitable house in any of the three towns vacant. There may be some vacant shacks. Even when the boom collapsed there was never more than enough houses to meet the demand. Of course there were numerous shacks vacant, but these were torn down and the best of the material used in building habitable houses.
 Homes are needed, and something ought to be done.
 Both Eastland and Ranger have building and loan associations organized. Property owners should take advantage of them and borrow some money and build houses. The houses will pay themselves out.
 The families coming now are just the advance guard of what is to come. Eastland, Ranger, Cisco and other towns ought to be ready and prepared to take care of them. They are not going to stay unless they can find comfortable homes. They will not live in shacks. We have been reliably informed that high rent was offered for a home in Eastland, but the young couple could not move out, it was their own home.
 Preparation is a big thing, especially for a town. Unless we can entertain folks we should not invite them to our homes. Towns through their chambers of commerce have a standing invitation extended for newcomers, good citizens. The towns ought to be able to entertain them by furnishing them with a habitable house. Shacks will not do. They do not lend dignity to the town. Build habitable houses and charge reasonable rent and you will see your town grow.

LENTEN MEDITATIONS.
 God can do no wrong. This does not mean that every act of God must be right because He is God.
 "Nothing can be good in Him which evil is in me," the poet wrote.
 "Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?" asked Job.
 Sometimes the ways of God are mysterious, but He cannot be unjust. There can be no good trait in us which is not found in God, only greatly multiplied.
 And there are attributes of love and mercy infinitely greater than any we can possibly possess.

EASTLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
 The service at 11 o'clock Sunday is one of the most important services of the year. It is the annual congregational meeting. Reports will be heard from the various organizations, and one or two short talks by laymen. Every Presbyterian who can possibly attend should be present, and visitors and friends are cordially welcome.
 The evening service will begin at 7:30 and will last one hour. The pastor will be in charge.
 The Sunday school will convene at 9:45 a. m.
 The church auditorium has been repaired and the wood work refinished. Come and see the improvements that have been made.
 An opportunity will be given at each service for people to unite with the church. L. R. Hogan, pastor.

EASTLAND METHODIST CHURCH.
 10:55 a. m., "The Child in the Midst"; 7:30 p. m., "Is There a Hell?"
 Special music. Frank E. Singleton, pastor.

His Joker a Deuce of a Card



—NRA, Los Angeles Bureau
 John R. Walker, of Los Angeles, had told his wife, Jean, he was worth a million dollars, but after their marriage she asserts she had to pay all the bills. When he sent her a Joker, the former Denver nurse took it to court and got an annulment.

SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

TONIGHT.
 Junior New Era Bridge party at Legion hall at 8 o'clock.
1920 CLUB HOLMES PROGRAM.
 The 1920 club met on Thursday afternoon and enjoyed a program on Oliver Wendell Holmes, led by Mrs. J. M. Moseley, who also gave a paper on "Holmes as a Conversationalist." Mrs. Moseley's other contribution to the meeting was a great bunch of jonquils, which seemed to smile a welcome from the president's desk.
 The humor of the Autocrat was given by Mrs. L. H. Flewelling; Mrs. Garvin Chastain read an article on his society verse and his serious verse and Mrs. John M. Gholson had a paper on Holmes versatility. In the business session that followed the program, Mrs. Ghent Sanderford was elected to membership in the club, an amendment to the constitution that came up at the last meeting, to limit the term of officers to one year only, was adopted. The amendment was offered by Mrs. E. L. Shattuck.

BENEFIT BRIDGE TONIGHT AT LEGION HALL.
 Everything is in readiness for the benefit bridge to be given tonight at the American Legion hall, by the members of the Junior New Era club. Prizes will be given, good eats served and a pleasant evening for all is predicted. Those who haven't already bought tickets, can pay at they enter.

METHODIST CHURCH CHOIR ELECTIONS.
 The Methodist church choir held its annual election of officers last night, with the following officers elected for the ensuing year: president, Mrs. M. F. Peters; vice president, Ed Dixon; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. J. F. Warren; librarian, Mrs. A. H. Allison; pianist, Mrs. Walter Harwell.
 A sacred concert is being planned for Easter night and actual practice will begin at once on this program.

PERSONALS.
 Mmes. Bob Hodges, Ross Hodges, J. E. Matthews and Miss Sue Dean motored to Fort Worth Wednesday for the day.
 Miss Clara Marie Braswell of Clarksville, a niece of Mrs. O. L. Phillips and a student at C. L. A. will spend the week end with her aunt.
 Miss Beulah Speer, county superintendent, was a visitor in Ranger today.
 Mrs. Mae Healer, Mrs. J. C. Demme, Helen Howleshall and Wilma Simer, attended the interscholastic league meeting last night at Eastland high school.

Spelling Lists In Big Demand After Contest
 Special Correspondence.
 AUSTIN, March 18.—Spelling lists of the interscholastic league do not have their day of intensive use to be discarded once the league spelling contest is over. Letters to the University of Texas league bureau from school teachers over the state show that in a great many cases these lists are used for spelling texts or to supplement others. In several schools the spelling lists are used in every grade.
 The awakening interest in electricity for home use that is now being displayed in England and parts of Continental Europe is creating a foreign demand for American ideas. A number of experts in the household employment of electricity are now talking and writing for Europe. One of these, Mrs. Christine Frederick of New York, sailed early in February for England, with several reels of moving pictures illustrating home electrification. These she will use in teaching English women how to "do it electrically."
 Great decrease in crime is anticipated in Ohio. The penitentiary is so crowded that no more prisoners may be admitted.
 DALLAS—The quarterly meeting of the southwest division of the Natural Gas Association of America is to be held in Dallas April 12 and 13.

Music Memory Contest Held In Eastland

(Continued from page one.)
 of the county, it will be necessary that homes be provided for them, as they live too far to make the return trip home on Friday night. A committee of Lions and Rotarians will look after this part of the arrangements.
 An athletic events will be held at Lillard field, with the exception of Tennis and volley ball, which will be held somewhere near the high school. Declarations and debates will be held at the high school and in other places to be designated later.
 W. Z. Bates of Eastland is director general of the meet and all matters pertaining to the meet will be under his leadership with directors for each department working under his charge.
 On Friday the preliminary events both literary and track and the finals in declamation and debate will be held. On Saturday, indoor baseball, essay, extemporaneous speaking, arithmetic contest and finals in all field and track events will be held. A full program, with some new schedule of events will appear as soon as it is compiled.
 This will be, as far as can be learned, the first time that Ranger has entertained the interscholastic meet for years, and much interest is being manifested among school officials, the Lions and Rotary clubs and others, in the event.
 Lillard field, which is one of the finest athletic fields in West Texas is amply large to take care of all events and the high school auditorium is well arranged for the staging of the indoor events of the meet.

HIGHER COURTS.
 Civil Appeals.
 Proceedings in court of civil appeals, eleventh district, Eastland, Texas.
 March 18—Mortons submitted; Western Oil Sales corporation vs. Bliss & Wetherbee et al., appellant's motion for rehearing; J. A. White vs. John M. Spellman, appellant's motion to lie in wait; Charles O. Austin vs. C. U. Connellee, appellee's motion for rehearing; Texas Employers Insurance association vs. E. T. Fitzgerald, appellant's motion for rehearing; Pittsburgh Glass company, Henry C. Beck et al., appellee's motion for certiorari.
 Cases submitted: Security Union Casualty company vs. Clarence Alsop, Stephens; G. W. Thorne vs. A. L. Thorpe, Eastland; J. A. Ketter et al. vs. J. M. Radford Grocery company, Taylor; C. F. Hill et ux. vs. Taylor county et al., Taylor.
 Cases set for submission for March 25: Charles O. Austin, commissioner, vs. Barney Carter, Eastland; Citizens State bank of Wheeler et al. vs. First National bank of Mineral Wells, Palo Pinto; J. L. Scott Construction company et al. vs. Jennings Lumber company, Taylor; Hanlon Gasoline company vs. W. A. Henley, Stephens; Hugh Jennings et al. vs. Sovereign Camp W. O. W., Eastland.
 Decisions: Mitchell, Jones & May vs. Mrs. M. M. Dabney, from county court of Callahan county, affirmed; Potomac Insurance company vs. J. M. Easley, from district court, Taylor county, affirmed; Haweye Securities Insurance company vs. Mrs. Velma Cashion et vir., from district court, Eastland county, affirmed; J. D. Colvin vs. Mollie Lee Tomlinson et vir., from district court of Eastland county, affirmed.
 Actions on motions: S. E. E. Jopling et vir. vs. Stella Cartwell, Darghardt et al., appellant's motion for rehearing overruled; E. H. Carlton et al. vs. Ray T. Hoff et al., appellee's motion for rehearing, overruled; E. H. Carlton et al. vs. Ray T. Hoff et al., appellant's motion for rehearing, overruled; J. A. White vs. John M. Spellman, appellant's motion for leave to file brief granted; Pittsburgh Plate Glass company vs. Henry C. Beck et al., motion for certiorari, granted.

OFFICE OF WEST TEXAS COACHES DOLED UP

The West Texas coaches office in the lobby of the Gholson hotel, Ranger, is all dolled up in some new furniture. Two new wicker rockers, and a wicker settee, with overstuffed cushions, have been added to the furnishings of the office, and are most inviting and attractive.
 The managers of the big bus line seem ever anxious to make travel as comfortable for their patrons as possible, either while they wait for a bus or ride on one.

PRESBYTERIANS TO REPEAT "TWO MASTERS" SUNDAY

"Two Masters," a three-act play presented at the Presbyterian church, Ranger, on last Sunday night, will be presented again on Sunday night, in response to many requests for a second presentation.
 Special music has been arranged in connection with the play.

FALFURRIAS—Shipments of English peas being made from here by R. H. Orne.

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COOK MUST FACE MORE CHARGES

By United Press.
 CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 18.—A bench warrant for Dr. Frederick A. Cook was sworn out here today by United States Attorney A. E. Bernstein. This was the first step toward forcing his return here and trial for authorities at Cleveland.
 Simultaneously Bernstein notified Warden D. T. White at Leavenworth Federal prison to hold Cook for authorities at Cleveland.
 The indictments against the Arctic explorer, physician and oil stock promoter, voted in 1923, were described in the latter communication.
 Dr. Cook, who was admitted to parole yesterday is certain to be held to answer the Cleveland charges, Bernstein believes. No federal prisoner may be freed on parole if indictments in the United States court are pressed against him, according to Bernstein.
 Bernstein reviewing the indictments said that Cook had defrauded Clevelanders of \$1,000,000 by sales of his Petroleum Producers association stock.

FASTEST CHESS GAME.
 By United Press.
 LONDON.—The "world's fastest chess game" has just been played by two London women. It was played on an Imperial Airliner flying from London to Bagdad. They called their games, "hundred-mile-an-hour chess."

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4 Scout Troops Are Organized In Ranger Churches

Four troops of Boy Scouts were formed in Ranger, Thursday night, and the first work of actual organization was launched. The troops were organized at four Ranger churches, which will serve as their meeting places. However, the troops will be known by number and will not represent any church.
 A troop committee consisting of S. P. Boon, G. P. Edwards and Ray Campbell, organized the boys into a troop at the Methodist church, with Vernon Deffebach as scoutmaster and J. L. Turner, assistant scoutmaster.
 At the Presbyterian church, the troop committee consisted of J. B. Preston, F. L. Carroll, John W. Thurman and Saunders Gregg, with J. E. Cox and H. T. Earnest as scoutmaster and assistant scoutmaster, respectively.
 Troop committee at the Christian church consisted of E. L. Walton, T. D. Martin, Cliff Moore, and J. M. Searcy, with J. E. Fletcher, scoutmaster, and John T. Arant, assistant scoutmaster.
 At the Central Baptist church, J. C. Smith, J. L. Harris and Earl Campbell formed the troop committee, with W. F. Clardy acting as scoutmaster.

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Taylor Press Publisher Now Heads Rotarians

By United Press.
 AUSTIN, March 18.—George B. Peeler, publisher of the Taylor Press, and president of the Taylor Rotary club, was elected district governor of the forty-seventh district Rotary international at the annual conference here today. He succeeds Harry Hodges of Houston, who served as district governor the past year.
 The conference will not select a place for the next district gathering, selection to be made by district council next fall.

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 Watch for our big opening sale which will be announced soon. We are open nights for your convenience.—Thank you.

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SATURDAY SPECIALS

Potatoes, best Idahos, 10 lbs.	35c
Coffee, fresh stock Santos Peaberry, 3 lbs.	\$1.00
Tomatoes, per can, 10c; per doz. cans	\$1.15
Matches, 6 boxes	25c
Soap, Lava Oil, per doz.	87c
Mother's Oats, per box	30c
Compound, 8-lb. bucket	\$1.15
Baking Powder, Calumet, 10-lb. can	\$1.60
Pork and Beans, Van Camp's, No. 2 Can	10c
Eggs, per doz.	18c
Pork Sausage, per lb.	25c
Home-made Chili, per lb.	22c
Shaw Bros. Best Butter, lb.	51c
Rib Roast, per lb.	11c
Chuck Roast, lb.	15c

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Many Suffer From Loss of Homes in Area

(Continued from page one.) Pike county, where four houses were blown down and a man and woman probably fatally injured by the falling timbers. Many others barely escaped death by taking refuge in storm cellars.

The storm struck near Benton, in Salina county, killing 12 persons, in a farming community northwest of the town, and injuring a score of others.

A number of houses were blown down in that district.

It struck College Hill, Klondyke, Willis, Alexander, and Mountain View inflicting injuries to farmers and families and heavy property damage.

The most pitied character in Benton which was gripped in grief today is Mrs. Ella Cash, who lost six members of her family. Mrs. Cash hurried to the home of Mrs. Edgar Smith, her daughter, after the storm had spent its fury to find her four children and two grandchildren dead beneath the brick and timbers where the house once stood. Edgar Smith, her son-in-law, was so badly injured, he is not expected to live.

Miss Beulah Speer, county superintendent of schools announced Friday that all rural schools that have been enrolled to take part in the rural school exhibit will be taken care of at Ranger as they were cared for last year by the city of Eastland.

A New York judge decided that two drinks do not make every man drunk. The coroner can tell you about some of the others.

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HARRY WOODBURY

Believing that her son, Harry Woodbury, is somewhere in the Texas oil fields, Mrs. F. H. Woodbury, 503 West First street, Pittsburg, Kansas, is seeking the aid of newspapers in an effort to locate him. The young man is 24 years old, soft blue eyes, brown hair, fair complexion and even featured. He is five feet and nine inches in height and weighs 130 pounds.

He left the Kansas state hospital at Topeka, Kansas, in the midst of a storm on the evening of January 17. He has been traced through Oklahoma to Dallas, Fort Worth and west as far as Breckenridge, where it is said he expressed the intention of securing employment in nearby oil fields.

The boy's mother expresses the belief that her son fears confinement in the hospital should he return home or be located. However, she states that he has been fully released from the hospital and that it is solely for his happiness and the comfort of his family that he is being sought. A reward of \$25 is offered for information that will bring the mother and her son together.

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C. C. Patterson, secretary of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce and the Ranger high school orchestra will go to Cheaney Saturday night to enjoy a play being given at that school, and the orchestra will furnish the music for the acts, and in between times.

This is one of the first rural school meetings to be attended by Ranger folks for some time, but is the forerunner of many more.

DEL RIO—"Las Noticias," new paper, being issued by Dan Gonzales.

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Merriman Ready For Singers Meet Next Sunday

Elaborate arrangements have been made for the monthly singing meet to be held at Merriman on Sunday afternoon March 20 at 2 o'clock. A large attendance of those interested is expected and several unusually splendid musical numbers have been arranged for the occasion.

Among the special features will be violin selections by Miss Wilda Drago and Miss Dorothy McCannies, piano selections by Mrs. J. Andrews and several numbers by the Hunt family.

Following is the complete program: Quartet: Arranged by A. A. Branscum. Quartet: Arranged by Ed. Castleberry. Quartet: Arranged by W. E. Davis. Piano number, by Mrs. Violet Taylor. Piano number, by Mrs. J. Andrews. Violin numbers, by Miss Wilda Drago. Violin numbers, by Miss Dorothy McCannies. Trio: Arranged by Judge R. L. Rust. Quartet: Arranged by W. E. Hollman. Duet, by Misses Lola and Bonnie Branscum. Trio: Arranged by Ewell Bond. Class song: Arranged by Pat Butler. Quartet: Arranged by Joe Hunt. Solo, by Opal Hunt. Quartet: Arranged by E. L. Brummett. Quartet: Arranged by J. D. Brown. Solo, by Mrs. Fred Hays.

Eastland Sends Delegation To North Star Club

At a meeting of the entertainment committee of the Eastland chamber of commerce Friday morning, arrangements were made for a delegation of the organization to attend the North Star woman's club meeting at Rising Star tonight.

George Waverly Briggs, manager of the chamber is one of the speakers on tonight's program. At the meeting arrangements were also made for an Eastland delegation to go to the district meeting of the West Texas chamber of commerce which meets at Baird next Wednesday. Following the Baird meeting a number of Eastland citizens will accompany president A. P. Dugan and Manager Homer D. Wade of the West Texas chamber of commerce on a tour of several oil belt towns.

Non-Greek Letter Club Organized At University

AUSTIN, March 18.—Tejas club at the University of Texas is the only non-Greek letter organization on the campus, which is operated on the same principle as the fraternities. This men's club was organized about a year and a half ago for the purpose of association between several of the students who wanted to form a club. Growing out of a small membership, this club now has 40 active members, 15 of which reside at their clubhouse, two blocks from the university. They own their furniture and lease their house, which is the same plan adopted by the fraternities. The club has a group of officers and a house manager the same as the fraternities.

Present officers of the club are: Tom J. Renfro, of Mullin, president; Richard H. Davis Jr., of Jolly, secretary; W. Eldon Hancock of Austin, treasurer; and Arthur W. Baldwin of Houston, house manager.

Sapiro Proposes Finish Fight On Henry Ford

By United Press. DETROIT, Mich., March 18.—Aaron Sapiro insists that he is out for a finish fight with Henry Ford in his million dollar libel suit against the world's first billionaire. "I'll never give this thing up now," he said, discussing reports that went around that he had intimated to Ford's attorneys that he would drop the suit if the Dearborn Independent, even at this late day, would retract the charges it made against him. "I am going through with it regardless of what it does to me or to anyone else," he said. "I am right and I am going to have vindication. As far as any settlement on an apologetic basis, it seemed entirely out of the question, for Ford's representatives merely laughed at the idea of the Dearborn Independent retracting."

Gorman Folks Enjoy 42 Party Blackwell Home

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Blackwell entertained with a 42 party Thursday evening at their home in Gorman. Green and white being the color for the occasion their beautiful home was decorated with white carnations, pear and plum blossoms. The score pads were shamrocks with white pencils in harmony with the St. Patrick tallies.

Large decorated trays were used on each table filled with delicious shamrock salad, bread and butter sandwiches, coffee and shamrock mints. Plate favors were little green pipes.

Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. G. T. Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Dean, C. H. Grow, Carl Herrington, T. E. Richardson, Williams, R. J. Wolf, S. Scales, H. T. Wood, Glen Hummel, Frank Morrow, J. W. Cockrill, Miss Homes and Truman Shelly.

Out of town guests were: Mrs. Canad and Miss Juda Martin of Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Walker of Breckenridge, Dr. and Mrs. Kerykendall of Desdemona and Mrs. Sallie Blackwell Bishop of Eastland.

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MARINES DISPLAY FIGHTING SPIRIT IN CHANEY PLAY

In "Tell it to the Marines," Lon Chaney's latest starring vehicle which comes to the Lamb theatre, Ranger, on Tuesday and Wednesday, the real fighting spirit of these devil dogs is brought to the fore. Lon Chaney, as a tough, hang-up sergeant who bel-



For Chaney "TELL IT TO THE MARINES"

lows his orders to the shivering rookie, is a war in himself. His crude treatment of these rookies evidences the psychology used in the marine corps today. The ordinary, "onery" rookie who joins is put through tiring, back breaking drills, long, fatiguing marches and general all-around duties which spell work and sweat. These are the duties of the ordinary rookie. Imagine then, when a "wise guy" who thinks he knows everything and who believes the marines can't do much without him, imagine what happens to him when he joins. Such is the type portrayed by William Haines, one of the boys from Kansas City. And when Lon Chaney discovers this fact, well, you can't do any more imagining until you see the picture for yourself.

PACKAGE LOAN LIBRARIES POPULAR AT UNIVERSITY

AUSTIN, March 18.—Over 7,000 package libraries have been sent out from the package loan library of the University of Texas since Jan. 1, according to Miss LeNoir Dimmitt. The package libraries are loaned for two weeks, but are frequently renewed for a similar period of time.

HAPPY—New high school to be erected here.



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Woman's World Fair Will Open Chicago May 19

By United Press.
By MAX BUCKINGHAM.
CHICAGO, March 14.—The varied activities to which women have turned in the past 15 to 20 years will be depicted in the third annual Woman's

World fair which opens May 19 and lasts until May 27.
Women who make a living tilling the soil will be here to tell other women how agriculture is a good woman's industry; embroiderers will speak of the ease of making money from the little frivolities which go to make up pretty homes; successful chemists and well known public speakers will be here.

The entry list for the annual affair is large this year and presents a far flung geographic representation. Women from every clime of the world and from almost every industry have signified their intention of attending this year's world fair, which is intended to show that woman in industry has reached a place where recognition should be given.

One of the principal events of the world's fair is the annual famous women's luncheon. This year the event is attracting nation-wide attention and some of the best known women of the country will be in attendance. The governor of every state in the union has been asked to appoint one emissary to attend the luncheon.

The list of those who have signified their intention of attending includes:

Judge Florence Allen of Ohio; Mary T. Norton, representative in congress from New Jersey; Mrs. Percy Pennybacker of Texas, former president of the National Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. LeRoy Springs of South Carolina; Mrs. Letta Jewell Brown of West Virginia; Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith of Iowa; Mrs. D. E. Ericson of Nevada.

The list of speakers for this famous women's luncheon will be varied, the committee in charge of arrangements

has announced, and will cover almost every field of endeavor in which women have entered.

The exposition is to be divided up in special days. There will be a sports day; a high school girls' day; a women's clubs day; a republican women's day and a democratic women's day; a day for famous women and a day for art and letters.

The close of the exposition will be a carnival.

Want Historic London Stone Moved Again

By United Press.
LONDON.—Representations have been made to the City of London urging that the famous London Stone be moved from its present position in the wall of St. Swithin's church to the Guildhall or Charing Cross.

The London Stone was once used to measure distances on the great military road leading from London. It was formerly on the south side of Cannon street, but was moved to the present site in 1798. Before it was moved weather and buffets of medieval carts had chipped and worn it from the original pillar to a small stone landmark.

It is argued that the situation of the stone in its present position is not suitable for measuring distances and that placing it at Charing Cross or Westminster Bridge would again allow its practical use as a point from which distance could be measured.

Straw Hat Helps McGraw Choose New Giants



JOHN MCGRAW

John McGraw is looking his New York Giants over at Sarasota, Fla., from eyes beneath a straw hat which he brought over from Cuba. Many rookies must the Giant's leader look over this year, and the straw hat was taken to Sarasota to prevent Old Sol from bearing down too heavily on his eyes while doing so.

McGraw is not making any rash predictions this early in the year about copping the National League bunting, but he feels sure that veterans acquired in winter deals and rookies he brought up will make the Giants dangerous from the start.

Fans Watching Two Managers Their First Year

By BERT M. DEMBY, United Press Staff Correspondent.
CHICAGO, March 18.—As the baseball teams of the National league make ready for the start of the 1927 flag chase, middle western interest centers around the chances two managers have of getting their teams under the wire first.

These two men are Joe McCarthy of the Cubs and Robert (Bob) O'Farrell of the Cardinals.

O'Farrell, of course, takes the center of the stage. Bob has quite a job cut out for him. He begins his first year as a manager with a team that is a world's champion outfit—something almost unheard of in baseball.

Should the team slump, the man who was voted the most valuable player to his team in the National league in 1926 is bound to get the major part of the blame. In addition to this, O'Farrell is faced with the task of supplanting the greatest idol St. Louis ever had as manager—Rogers Hornsby.

It is recognized that the Cardinals are not as strong on paper as Hornsby's management made them. It remains to be seen whether or not O'Farrell can supply the Hornsby ingredients which made the team a winner last year.

McCarthy's case is different. A man who had never even played big league baseball, Joe took hold of the Cubs last year and slid them into a first division berth after they had been in the rut the year before.

For this achievement, McCarthy was praised all over the baseball world. He enjoys the elusive distinction of having accomplished in one season the task of being accepted as a manager who knows what he is doing and who is not afraid to go out and do it, regardless of what other people say. That is a distinction which many managers have striven for years to obtain.

McCarthy's chief trouble last year was that he did not have the hitting power needed in pinches which developed time after time in practically every game.

Joe's pitchers were good ones. Many times they lost encounters which two good hitters—one of them of the 340 type—would have turned into easy victories. Charley Root, in particular, pitched several of those hard-luck contests and with any kind of hitting at all behind him last year, this speed ball artist would have been among the leading pitchers of the league in runs won and lost.

But, all things considered, McCarthy has proven himself a capable boss; one who, if given the material, can build a team that will make any outfit hustle to beat it.

THE NEWS HAS WIT

While the Texas legislature is adopting the mocking bird as the official state warbler (shades of Crockett!) Chicago is deciding to buy an armored car in which to fight crime. Sufficient for the wit of the day is the news thereof.

Kansas retains her chivalrous glory when the supreme court decides that a man should not beat a woman even if she is trying to take his seat in a street car.

Mr. Ruth is paid \$70,000 a year, while Mr. Coolidge gets slightly more \$75,000. But then Mr. Coolidge puts in a longer season, you know.

Mr. Coolidge, by the way, is seeking a cool place in the west for his vacation. All he has to do is knock at any farmhouse door.

M'LEAN—Electric light and ice plant of this city, which was municipally owned, will be taken over by Southwestern Public Service company.

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Charleston Causes Riot In Brazilian Club

By United Press.
RIO DE JANEIRO.—The Charleston is blamed for a riot in a Rio de Janeiro club in which three policemen were injured, a number of Charleston dancers arrested, and the interior of the club extensively damaged.

The North American dance is barred in several Rio clubs, among them the Club Gymnastico Portuguez. In the latter club, during a charity tea dance, several young Brazilians began to throw their feet to the Charleston tempo, and protested when a director of the club stopped the music and asked them to leave the floor.

In a few minutes a free-for-all war in progress between the Charlestons and the fox trot-maxixe-tango adherents. Chairs and pictures began to fly. Women and children sought exits. The first three policemen who



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Epileptic Boy Artist Loses His Talent by Cure

By United Press.
MOSCOW.—A successful cure for epilepsy is ruining a highly talented artist here and giving both artists and medical men a new mystery to fathom. The remarkable story of a talented 12-year-old boy became known in connection with an exhibition of the artistic work of lunatics and sufferers of nervous ailments, just opened at the Moscow Polytechnic institute.

The 12-year-old peasant boy, as he came under recurring fits of epileptic attacks, produced pictures and drawings of a rare artistic beauty and executed with unusual artistic technique, according to competent critics. After attacks had passed, however, the work of his pencil was not better than that of many boys of his age.

He is now under treatment in Moscow and as the physicians are succeeding in their efforts to cure his epilepsy, his work is falling from its high degree of talent. It is expected that he will soon be completely cured, at which time artists expect him to produce no more worth-while drawings.

French Premier Has Remarkable Gift of Memory

PARIS.—Premier Raymond Poincare has a "photographic mind."

This remarkable gift, which is extremely rare, enables the French premier after he has written a document, letter, etc., to repeat the text word for word from memory, without misplacing even a single word. The length of the text makes no difference.

Poincare gave a vivid example of this recently in connection with his appearance before the chamber of finance commission with regard to France's financial situation. Poincare gave out in advance to the press a long, written statement of what he would tell the commission. The stenographic record of what Poincare told the commission, speaking extemporaneously, with no notes or paper before him, accorded exactly with every word of the statement given out previously at the ministry of finance.

Episcopalians To Hold Crusade Three Churches

The Episcopal churches of Ranger, Cisco and Eastland are to have a crusade with services beginning Monday morning, March 21, in St. John's church, Eastland. The Rev. Mr. Garner, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd at Terrell will be the crusader, and will continue the services at St. John's church each evening at 8 o'clock, beginning Sunday and continuing through Friday of the same week.

During the week there will be one morning celebration of the holy communion in Ranger and Cisco, the day to be announced later, and also a conference of church members at each place. All members of the Episcopal church and all others interested are cordially invited to attend these services. Eastland is selected as the mission station this year because of its central location. Members of the church in Breckenridge will also attend.

EL PASO—Herald building sold to Louis L. Dent, Inc., who will spend \$750,000 remodeling property.

arrived became casualties. Finally the Charleston forces were surrounded and taken to the police station, but the advocates of less strenuous dances were by that time too weary to continue the program.

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United States Again May Win Olympic Games

By United Press.
By BERT M. DEMBY,
United Press Staff Correspondent.
CHICAGO, March 14.—A general summation of world track and field athletics at the present time points to another victory for the United States when the 1928 Olympic games are held in Amsterdam, Holland.

However, and it is not so surprising, the margin that this country has today—on paper, of course—is very much smaller than that enjoyed in past years. Winner of the track and field section of the games every time they have been held since they were revived in 1886, America next year will face the stiffest competition in history.

Despite the earliness of this prediction, for a year is a long time in athletics, even at this time it is quite possible to make a rough estimate of the athletic strengths of the various countries as they compare with each other.

New Stars.
It seems quite impossible to figure probable individual winners for in 12 months new stars may shine forth and stars of the present day may have dimmed or gone out entirely.

There is one condition that certainly cannot do the chances of the United States a great deal of good, though it is possible that it may do little harm.

That is the present difference between the Amateur Athletic federation, the National Collegiate Athletic association and the Amateur Athletic union.

Colonel Henry Breckenridge representing the N. A. A. F. and General Palmer Pierce of the N. C. A. A. resigned their places on the American Olympic committee. They are said to have quit because they "had been placed in an impossible position by the action of the A. A. U. majority on the committee."

Just exactly what the complaints were is not quite definite but be that as it may, the fact remains that the organizations which both of these men represented, have backed them by indorsing their stand.

Controversy.
This controversy seems quite important. The "war" does not mean that colleges which hold memberships in the N. C. A. A. will not be allowed to enter competing athletics in the Olympic trials, but some kind of a compromise between the factions could do nothing but good.

To get back to the actual Olympic possibilities, the United States seems as strong as it ever was but the facts that point to a stiffer form of competition in 1928 are those surrounding the great improvements other nations have made.

Exactly what has brought about the change in the class of foreign track and field athletics is indefinite but it is quite likely a combination of circumstances, no little of which were the successful tours of this country of such athletes as Nurmi, Hoff, and Ritola. Undoubtedly the prestige won by these athletes has influenced a greater interest in athletics across the Atlantic.

Hurdles-Sprints.
As things stand now we should score the bulk of our points in the field events, hurdles, and sprints. The longer distances likely will develop into a hot fight between Finland, Sweden, Great Britain, and Germany. The marathon may have an entry from Canada that will be hard to beat.

The United States and Great Britain certainly look best in the 800 and 400 meter runs and on paper England seems to have the best of us.

Hodges Oak Park Teams Win Two Baseball Games

The Ranger championship in the girls' baseball teams was decided yesterday afternoon after the Hodges Oak Park school girls defeated the Young school team. Miss Wilma Simmer of Hodges Oak Park school was their coach and Carl Snapp was yell leader at all of the games.

The team members are Jean Williams, Marie McKeen, Maude Bruce, Opal Hulin, Grace Jennings, Agnes Barnes, Avis Barnes, Bertha Moack, Eloise Woodell, Marie Carter.

Hodges Oak Park school, Ranger, defeated Young boys yesterday afternoon in a score of 13 to 5. This afternoon they are playing Cooper and if they defeat Cooper they are in line for the city championship. The game today was played at Young school.

Russian Tribe In Arctic Kick On Tax Rebate

By United Press.
MOSCOW.—Word has reached the capital that the tribe of Samoyeds living in the Arctic ice fields 1,600 miles from the nearest railroad at Tobolsk, Siberia, are deeply offended because the Soviet government relieved them of all taxes. An epidemic had killed many of their reindeer and impoverished them to such an extent that the government cancelled all tax levies to give them a chance to recover.

"It is a sign of disrespect to us," a speaker declared at a meeting of the Soviet of Samoyeds, amid cheers. A resolution demanding that the tax of the tribe be resumed was overwhelmingly adopted. It developed that the Samoyeds were afraid that if the government did not tax them it would not care for them.

At the recent Soviet elections, forty three percent of the eligible Samoyeds voted, families traveling long distances in their skin-covered sledges to discharge their civic duties. Notices of the election had been "mailed" to the voters months ago on wooden postal cards, guaranteed not to be damaged by ice and water.

Collins Back to First Love as Player for Mack



Off with the new love, on with the old, the saying might be reversed for Eddie Collins, manager of the Chicago White Sox last year, is again back with Connie Mack's Philadelphia Athletics, the team for which Collins starred years ago as a member of that famous "million dollar infield." The picture was taken in the A.'s training camp at Fort Meyers, Fla.

English Women Athletes Collapse Cross Country Run

By United Press.
LONDON.—Nervousness, caused by timidity, is given as the collapse of a number of women athletes in a recent cross-country race. This weakness is an inheritance of the Victorian era, according to the Ilford Athletic club, which staged the race.

Many of the women competitors stumbled and fell along the course and a staff of medical attendants were kept busy ministering to them. Photographs of young women lying prostrate on the ground completely fagged out were published and caused something of a shock.

It was pointed out that many of the girls who collapsed were among those who had missed their train and arrived late. The race was held up for them and the letter of the club to the press states that this unforeseen delay in the plans upset the others who were waiting on the ground. The letter said:

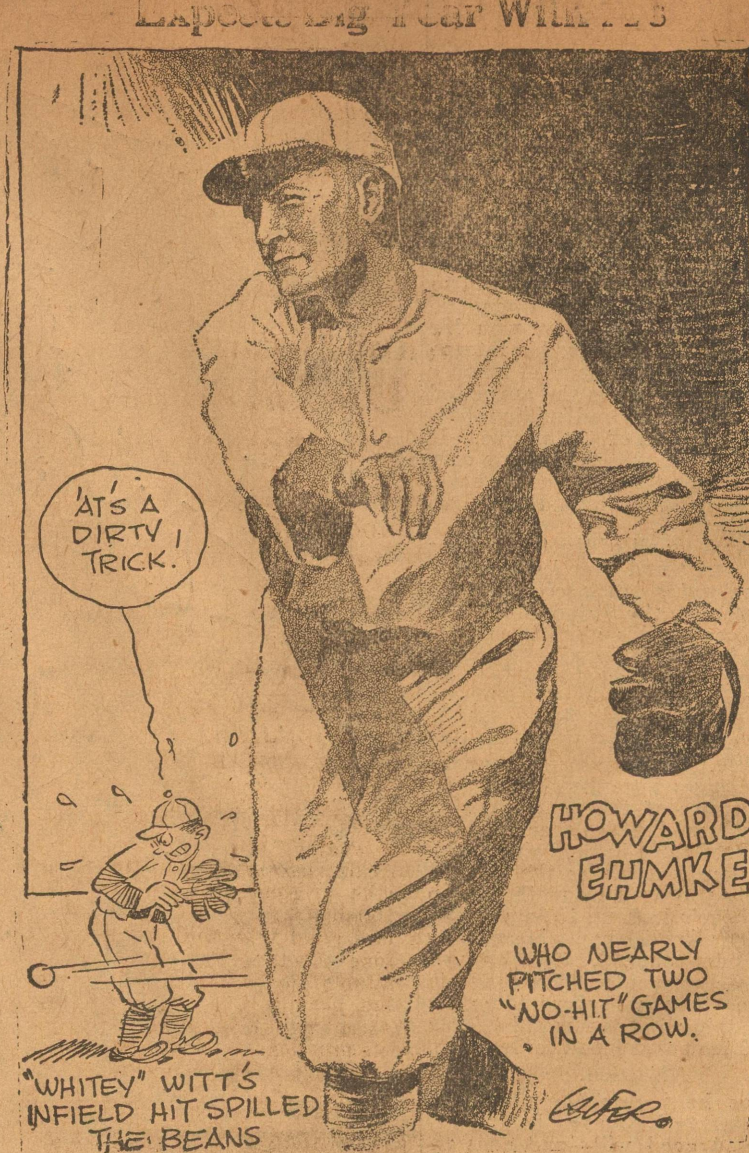
"One of the women had an attack of nerves which lasted two or three minutes—banded down from the Victorian age—although this particular competitor has been running for four years and lately won the three-mile cross-country championship."

The incident has aroused critics of strenuous women's athletics.

Oxford is Out After Cambridge Rowing Scalp

By United Press.
LONDON.—Eager to win at all costs the annual boat race with Cambridge this year, Oxford is trying an experiment that has not been attempted for fifty years. The crew is being stroked on the bow side of the boat.

This change from the normal positions in the boat is due largely to expedience. The most experienced oarsman in the squad is E. C. T. Edwards, Oxford's captain, who rowed last year at No. 7, there has been a shortage of stroke-side material, and although several men have been tried at stroke, none has shown the power of Edwards. So Edwards has been



Howard Ehmke, who has served under many bosses during his career as an American League pitcher, believes he will have one of his greatest seasons under Connie Mack this year. Ehmke, by the way, is one hurler who almost pitched two successive no-hit games. He hurled such a feat against his present club in September, 1923, and would have hurled another when he faced the Yankees, four days later had not the official scorers been a bit lenient on a bingle made by Whitey Witt.

moved up to leader, but still pulling his bow-side oar.

Edwards was quite willing to change over to normal side, but the Oxford coaches advised against this because they feared he would feel uncomfortable and they are inclined to think that the bow-side stroke system will work out well in future years, because as a rule, there are more

good oars for the stroke side.

With Edwards, thus stroking No. 7 is very well handled by H. F. Kingsbury, the former Yale oarsman, and another American, J. S. Merrill, formerly of the University of California is the favorite candidate for bow position. Unless there is a further drastic shuffle, America will be well

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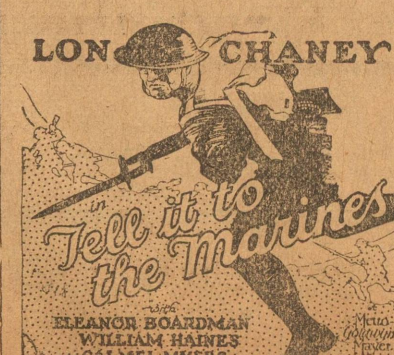
Quinine Cocktails Latest Drink To Be Served in Bars

By United Press.
LONDON.—"Cocktails" made from cinnamon and quinine instead of the usual ingredients were offered to quench the thirsts of members of the committee in charge of the arrangements for London's biggest public ball of the year—the Stage Guild ball—when they met to draw up final plans recently.

Mr. Nicholas Hennen, chairman of the committee was responsible for the "dope" because he thought cinnamon and quinine was so much better for his colleagues than cocktails.

"The mixture," he said, "looks like a cocktail and tastes like one."

Holding their noses and making



Lamb and Connellee
TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

PRINCE OF WALES NORMAL YOUTH AND IS THOROUGHLY DEMOCRATIC IN HIS VIEWS AND HIS HABITS

By MINOTT SAUNDERS.

United Press Staff Correspondent. LONDON.—Twenty years ago the boys of Osborne college, then an exclusive school for naval cadets, received a new very raw recruit. He had straight blond hair, baby blue eyes, pink cheeks and an angelic expression. He was short, and his figure was so slight that he appeared about three years younger than his mess-mates. He was modest and retiring. He said he "felt rather like a lost dog."

They called him "The Sardine." Today that boy, now a man approaching his thirty-third birthday, is the most widely loved individual in the world. He is photographed, written about and discussed more than any other person alive. He has probably traveled more and been acclaimed by more people than any other man in history. He is vivid and picturesque, yet his nature is that of a romance. He is the outstanding personality of the twentieth century. He is the Prince of Wales.

Wins Public. His high estate thrust upon him by the accident of birth, H. R. H., has succeeded in winning the hearts of his people, and in gripping the imagination of men, women and children of other lands and other races. He has become a tradition of the British empire.

How has this little man managed to make good? Accident of birth alone cannot explain it. He has had great advantages, but also he has faced tremendous difficulties. As the heir to a throne he has been denied much that other boys, making their way in the world, receive as a matter of course to humanize and develop them. Yet potential king that he is, he is prince of good fellows. He is also one of the busiest men in the world. His duties are enormous and of a most painstaking character. The demands of state upon him are highly important and intricate, yet the ministers of his majesty's government, find him a willing and a capable worker. His job was thrust upon him, and how he has tackled it, with its manifold complexities, is a lesson to those who move in lesser lines of endeavor.

No Class Feeling. For the man himself, and for the prince as a symbol of state, H. R. H. is as welcome in the beer halls and dark alleys of Whitechapel as in the luxurious and aristocratic drawing rooms of Mayfair. He is above party privilege and politics. Class feeling fades before his presence. The remarkable demonstrations of love and adulation which he inspires in the high and the low wherever he goes would appear more to measure the greatness of the man than to testify to the significance of his rank.

Other outstanding men have been acclaimed in this generation, but none with the unbroken record of the Prince of Wales' enjoy. David Lloyd George was a great popular hero at the close of the war, but political intrigue stripped him of his power and his fame soon faded. For a time Woodrow Wilson occupied the forefront of the world's stage, but he made many enemies and they quickly overwhelmed him. At the moment the great figure in continental Europe is Mussolini, but he has marched to dictatorship with the mailed fist, while at home and abroad his foes conspire to remove him. Five overt attempts have been made against his life.

No Enemies. The Prince of Wales, in contrast,

has no enemies. Even his most outspoken critics find little foundation for their complaints, and they may usually be found pressing forward to observe and honor him when he passes by. H. R. H. has won his friends by his kindness, his intense humanity, and his deferential manner toward all men. He is the appointed leader of four hundred million people, yet he is one of the people. If he has little weaknesses, they are only the weaknesses that his people have, and his people understand and love him for them.

After visiting all of the "dominions over the seas" and practically all of the protectorates and interests of the British empire, the Prince of Wales is now directing his attention to his people at home. Successful as he was as "ambassador of empire", H. R. H. is now solidifying ties of sentiment between the crown and those subjects who see little of the happier side of English life. He is making systematic pilgrimages into the slums, visiting the homes of the poor, chatting with fathers of families over their oil-cloth-covered table in the living room, and graciously drinking the humble tea hastily prepared by mothers who in their hovels look up to him as the ideal young Englishman. He usually appears unannounced, with only a single male companion, and conducts himself as though it were the most natural thing in the world for a prince of the royal blood to be there.

Affection. And as he passes through these narrow streets he leaves behind affection and good will—and consternation in the confused minds of bolshevik agents who try to work among the class which the prince is glad to visit.

H. R. H. is particularly interested in the Kennington district, where his chief London properties are located. He visits the poor there as their landlord, and is always solicitous about their welfare, anxious to listen to their difficulties and to help them wherever possible. Kennington points with pride to two men. The other is Charlie Chaplin, who was born there.

Recently the prince visited a meeting of ex-service men in the dock district. He was there as an ex-service man himself and the old principles of the war were felt again. During a lull in the entertainment one of the moving spirits of the meeting who was the keeper of a common "pub," found himself with the prince and, feeling somewhat embarrassed, asked H. R. H. if he would have a drink. The prince readily consented. Together they walked across the street and stood at the public bar, each buying the other a "bitter." As if by magic a great crowd appeared, and the saloon was jammed with boisterous, unkempt men and women of the working class.

"Blimey, me, it's the Prince of Wales," said one of the men. H. R. H. caught the spirit of the occasion and, with a happy impulse, stepped behind the bar and proceeded to draw and serve the beer himself. His triumph was supreme. The thick glass which he drank is now in an ornate glass frame in that bar, a sacred souvenir.

Twenty years ago he smiled like a regular fellow when they called him "The Sardine." Today he smiles in the same fraternal fashion in answer to their greetings, somewhat differently expressed, but no less affectionate. He remains unspoiled, which probably explains why he is so greatly loved.

The Man Who Married a Widow



ped around to the "diggings" of other fellows for a chat and a smoke, and welcomed others informally, usually, with some biscuits and a drink. When the racket in a neighbor's room bothered him he would not file a complaint, but usually got out his Scotch pipes and drowned out the opposition. He always tried to elude crowds, and for a long time could not get used to being stared at by the curious.

Fellowship. The prince's character and feeling of fellowship developed to a marked degree at Oxford, but it was during the war, which interrupted his schooling, that he really found himself. He went through the rigorous training necessary to fit a man to be an officer, and learned how to obey as well as to command. There his social position did not count. He liked the life and became a good mixer, a quality for which he is perhaps most admired today. As a junior subaltern in the Grenadier guards, he was always ready to do "fatigue," though he might have got out of it. "If I don't do it," he once told an adjutant, "somebody else will have to do it for me, and I'm not having any of that."

Young Edward at this time was five feet, six inches tall and weighed only about 115 pounds. When the recruits fell in he knew his place under the army practice of lining up from the right according to height. H. R. H. always good-naturedly went to the end of the line. He has acquired the common touch.

The war records of the Prince of Wales is well known. He got to France only after the greatest difficulty, and exercising pressure on his father and ministers who could help him. When it was pointed out to him that he might be killed, he answered, "I have brothers and a sister who can take over my job; let Mary do it, she's got brains." He was never allowed to realize his ambition to "go over the top," but he visited front line trenches and he became a tremendous inspiration to the troops. They saw he was playing the game, too, and his popularity grew.

Still Kicking



Mr. and Mrs. Will Abbe, of Ida Grove, Ia., call their 32-year-old male Geewhizzit, *introduce* name should be Cypria. Recently Geewhizzit helped them celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. Geewhizzit pulled them to the quiet places when they were courting.

Lions To Father Interscholastic Meet April 1-2

Lions Holloway, Newton and Larson were elected as delegates to the Lions convention to be held at McAllen, in May, at the weekly luncheon of the Lions club, Thursday.

Plans were also made for the Lions invasion of Weatherford one night during Lions week, which will be held in that city in April. At that time the Ranger Lions will put on a program.

R. F. Holloway, superintendent of the Ranger schools, laid before the Lions the matter of the coming interscholastic meet, on April 1 and 2, stating that for certain reasons it was not convenient for Eastland to entertain the meet this year, so the club instructed Mr. Holloway to invite the officials to have the meet here. A committee of Lions was appointed to confer with the Rotary club at their next meeting, to ask their cooperation in securing homes for contestants and other necessary arrangements for the meet.

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How Doctors Treat Colds and the Flu

At Carnarvon, Wales. David's investiture as the Prince of Wales took place at Carnarvon, Wales, July 13, 1911. This ceremonial impressed him with his high station and the serious requirements of his office, and his natural reserve increased.

His naval training ended with a three months cruise on the Hindustan and then he went to France to broaden his education and perfect his French. He liked the emotional characteristics of the French people, and his love for France remains unchanged today.

At Oxford the young prince lived like an ordinary student, but certain restrictions were imposed. He was not allowed to enter into debates, with the result that for years he was not an easy talker. He did not attempt to conduct himself with royal dignity, or to put on airs. He dropped

Prince of Wales Now Undergoing Training to Assume Duties of King of Great Britain; Sardine

By MINOTT SAUNDERS.

United Press Staff Correspondent. LONDON.—In these days heroes are made, not born. This is largely true in the case of the Prince of Wales. Although he was born in direct succession to the throne of England, and has always been surrounded by the glamour of royalty, he has won his fame and friends by his charming personality. The natural impulses and human qualities of the man himself have transcended the inexorable restrictions of his station in life and are responsible for much of his popularity.

Edward Albert Christian George Andrew Patrick David, born June 23, 1894, the eldest son of the then Duke and Duchess of York. The first three names were, respectively, the names of the reigning king, the late Prince Consort and Queen Alexandra's father. He was given the last four names in honor of the patron saints of England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales. Within the intimate circle of his family he was called David. Physically and by instinct, he was just an ordinary baby, subject to the usual aches and pains and the infantile penchant for putting everything into his mouth. In childhood his rank was a great handicap to him because he couldn't do many of the little things that a child likes to do.

"As a kid, it was the very devil," he once remarked.

Devoted Grandson. King Edward, who was very devoted to his little grandson, used to tell a tale to show that David in his early years had no conception of his high estate. He was asked who Pakin Warbeck was, and David replied, "He wasn't; he was the son of a king, but he wasn't; he was the son of respectable parents."

David's first great ambition was to be a locomotive driver. The prospect of being Prince of Wales didn't particularly appeal to him. On one occasion, at the age of 10, when told by his tutor not to do a certain thing, he retorted petulantly: "It's no use being Prince of Wales some day unless I can do what I like."

David saw his parents and grandparents as quite ordinary men and women, and therefore he couldn't see how he was any different from ordinary boys. Nor did he wish to be. This happy trait has never left him.

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2—HELP WANTED—MALE WANTED—Salesman with car to sell Fuller brushes; no experience required; good commission. For appointment write J. C. Walker, general delivery, Ranger.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED YOUNG LADY stenographer wants position. Can take your dictation right. For interview phone 47, Ranger.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES NOTICE—A. M. E. Methodist church given a dinner Saturday at lunch hour in Texas State building, 50c per plate. We ask the support of white people. Committee on soliciting J. L. Maxwell, Hattie East, Mary Harris, Frank Harris and Walter Love.

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13—FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE—50 squares sheet rock wall board. 50 squares metal ceiling, electric light fixtures. Fritchard, S. Commerce st., Ranger.

21—LEGAL NOTICES ELECTION ORDER. Be it ordered by the board of trustees of the Ranger Independent School District that an election be held at the city hall, in the city of Ranger in said Ranger Independent School District on the 2nd day of April, 1927, for the purpose of electing four (4) school trustees for said Ranger Independent School District.

A. L. Duffer is hereby appointed manager of said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and said election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding other elections.

The returns of said election shall be made to the county judge in accordance with law.

A copy of this order signed by the president and attested by the secretary of this board shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the president shall cause notice of said election to be given in accordance with law.

In testimony whereof, witness the signature of the president and secretary of said Ranger Independent School District and the seal thereof hereunto affixed, this 10th day of March, 1927.

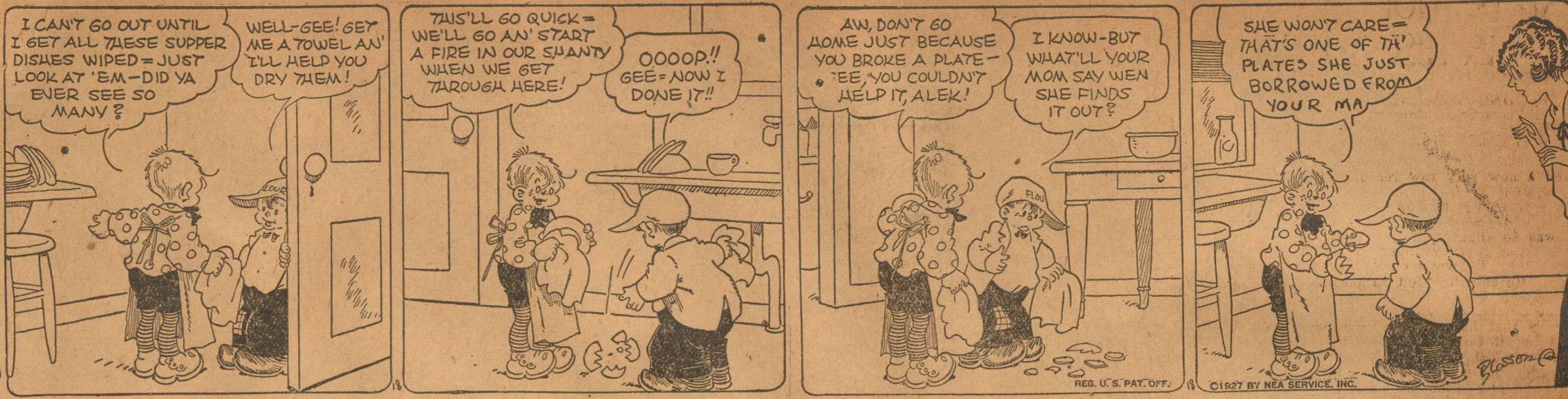
(seal) JNO. M. GHOLSON, President Ranger Independent School District.

Attest: IKE H. ERVIN, Secretary.

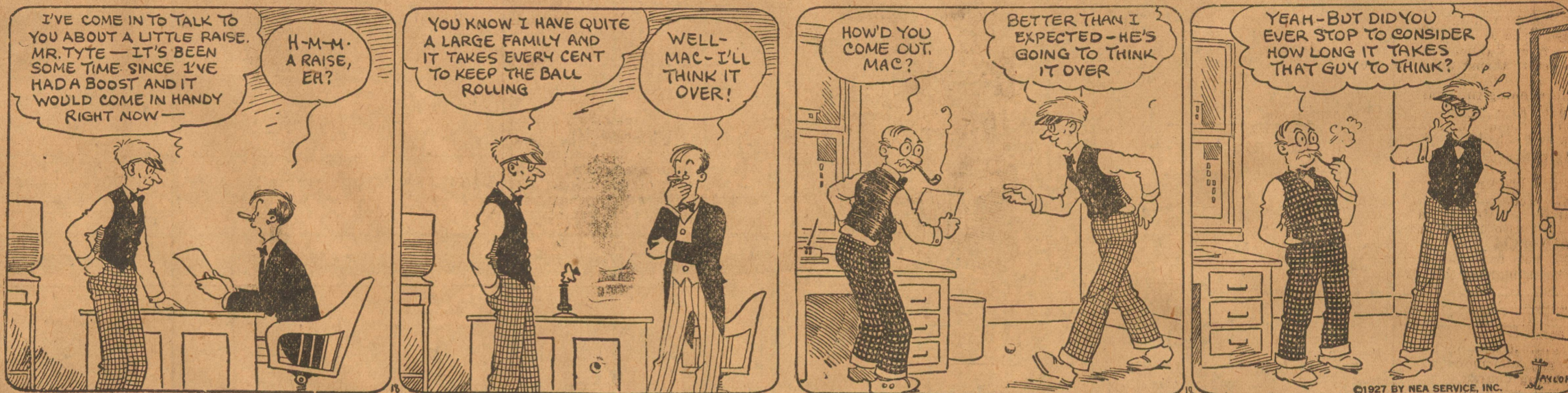
No. 2099. In the Matter of the Guardianship of Johnnie Elma Dobson, Anna Belle Dobson, Emma Jane Dobson, and Jackie Vivian Mignon Dobson, Minors.

In the County Court at Law, Eastland County, Texas. Notice is hereby given that I, W. L. Dobson, guardian of the estate of Johnnie Elma Dobson, Anna Belle Dobson, Emma Jane Dobson, and Jackie Mignon Dobson, minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order authorizing me, as the guardian of the estate of said wards, to make a mineral lease, upon such terms as the court may order and direct, on the following described real estate, belonging to the estate of said wards, to-wit: The undivided four-ninth (4-9) interest of the said minors (subject to a life estate in favor of W. L. Dobson in one-third) in and to that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Eastland county, Texas, being a part of the N. H. Hooe survey, containing 26 acres, more or less, and being 26 acres out of the

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Mom'n Pop



By Taylor

Tonkawa Hills Name Suggested For Beauty Spot

Special Correspondence. SWEETWATER, March 18.—Out from the town of Sweetwater is a beautiful wooded range of hills extending toward Buffalo Gap. Picturesque with mounted growth of scrubby cedar, the hills stand an unnamed scenic beauty spot of the state.

Judge R. C. Crane, president of the West Texas Historical association, at the request of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, has suggested a title for the cedar hills. He believes the wooded slopes should be called Tonkawa hills.

According to Crane, the name of the Tonkawa should be honored by the whites, and he suggests that the wooded range be called after the friendly Indian tribe in order to perpetuate their name.

The historical society has asked Manager Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to lend support of that organization in securing legislative designation of Tonkawa hills as official name for the hill range near Sweetwater.

21—LEGAL NOTICES S. E. corner of said N. H. Hooe survey; beginning at the S. E. corner of said N. H. Hooe survey; thence N. to a point on the E. B. L. of said Hooe survey 237.5 vrs.; thence W. parallel with the S. B. L. of said Hooe survey to a point on the E. B. L. of a tract owned by D. T. White; thence S. with White's E. B. L. 237.5 vrs. to a point on S. B. L. of Hooe survey; thence E. along the S. B. L. of said Hooe survey to place of beginning and being all of the land owned by above named minors covered by description in releases of date July 23, 1926, recorded in Vol. 270, page 479 et seq. of deed records of Eastland county, Texas.

Said application will be heard by said court and by the judge thereof, at the courthouse in the city of Eastland, Texas, on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1927.

W. L. DOBSON, Guardian of the Estate of Johnnie Elma Dobson, Anna Belle Dobson, Emma Jane Dobson, and Jackie Vivian Mignon Dobson, Minors.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK S. C. WHITE LEGHORN hatching eggs for sale at \$1.50 per setting. See O. K. Key on Duffer farm, one mile west on Pleasant Grove highway.

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23—AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring car; a bargain. C. S. Welsch, Ranger Times.

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Standard Poison Bran Mash Good For Cut Worms

Special Correspondence. COLLEGE STATION, March 17.—Heavy damage to garden and field crops by the cutworm is reported in advices reaching the extension service, A. & M. College of Texas, from various sections of Texas.

Charles H. Alvord, director of the extension service, has announced: Urging use of the standard poison bran mash in combatting the ravager, Director Alvord said: "In many sections where damage has appeared county agents and gardeners have made prompt use of the standard poison bran mash. This has resulted in absolute control of the insect. The effectiveness of this remedy has been so thoroughly proven this year that there is no doubt of its general effectiveness."

Commenting on the reports of cutworm damage, Director Alvord said: "For several weeks past, reports have been reaching College Station of heavy damage being done to garden crops by cutworms. The same damage is also being reported to such field crops as are growing at the present time. Observation of cutworms in gardens and fields indicates that their damage in many sections may be expected to continue up to the middle of April or perhaps a little beyond, or later in our northern sections."

"In some counties corn has been planted is being destroyed by the worms and it is probable that damage may be reported where corn is replanted. This may result not only in the reduction of corn acreage but may increase the cotton acreage by that much. The present damage to gardens with a likelihood of its continuance during the next month is also a matter of seriousness when it comes to the live-at-home program. Considered from every aspect, the present cutworm infestation, which is

much more severe than has been experienced in a number of years, is of especial importance in Texas this season."

The formula for the poison bran mash, urged for use in combatting the ravager, is given by R. R. Reppert, entomologist, extension service, as follows: Paris green or white arsenic, one pound. Coarse wheat bran, 20 pounds. Lemons finely ground in a meat chopper (and juice included), six fruits. Cane or sorghum molasses, two quarts.

Water sufficient to make a moist mash that will not be sloppy. "The formula should not be varied in the slightest detail," said Mr. Reppert. "The poison and bran should be mixed together thoroughly and the liquid materials, including the finely chopped lemons, are mixed together and added to the bran. Thoroughly mixing with later additions of water if found necessary. The finished mash should be thoroughly wet, yet of such consistency that it will readily fall apart. A good test is to squeeze

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District Agent To Speak at North Star Club Meeting

Miss Helen H. Swift of College Station, district home demonstration agent, will be one of the principal speakers at the meeting of the North Star Women's club tonight at the Bland home just north of Rising Star. She will address the club on the lines of club work. She will remain in Eastland Saturday going over the progress of home demonstration work in Eastland county with Miss Ruth Ramey, home demonstration agent.

Other speakers at the club meeting and banquet tonight will be Mrs. Charles Norton of Eastland, Mrs. Philip Pettit of Cisco, J. C. Patterson, Eastland county agricultural agent, Mrs. R. Q. Lee of Cisco and Dr. T. T. Roberts, president of Randolph college.

Secretaries of the various chambers of Commerce in Eastland county will also make short talks.

Cross Roads

Special Correspondence. CROSS ROADS, March 18.—The party at M. and Mrs. Earl Bickelwell's Saturday night was well attended. Those being present were Messrs. Frank Blythe, Hughs Pate, Wells Needham, Georgia Albert Bumpers, Harrell Davis, Jack Wright, Buck Weekes, Willis McGlothlin, Lloyd Watson, S. A. Smith, Mitchell Campbell, Garret Hise, Fred Scott, Willis Blackwell, Ralph Hise, Elbert Young, Harland Rose, and Willis and William Weekes; Misses Iva Hise, Leola Young, Lavelle Gammill, Lola Watson, Beatrice Jennings, Louise White, Alta Faye Mosley, Myldred Clemmer, Jurldyne Weekes, Bernyce Snell, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Scott of Eastland.

Miss Jurldyne Weekes spent the week-end with Miss Bernyce Snell of Ranger.

R. L. Hise and son, Garret, have gone to Fort Worth on business.

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Water sufficient to make a moist mash that will not be sloppy. "The formula should not be varied in the slightest detail," said Mr. Reppert. "The poison and bran should be mixed together thoroughly and the liquid materials, including the finely chopped lemons, are mixed together and added to the bran. Thoroughly mixing with later additions of water if found necessary. The finished mash should be thoroughly wet, yet of such consistency that it will readily fall apart. A good test is to squeeze

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Bargain Rates Will Be Put On For Conference

Special Correspondence.
DALLAS, March 18.—Bargain rates will be placed at the disposal of persons attending the state-wide conference called for March 23 at Dallas by the Texas Daily Press League. Rail officials at St. Louis Wednesday advised S. W. Papert, president of the league, that fare-and-a-half rates would be available and applicable on Texas lines for the occasion.

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league, but designed for participation in by representatives of all state interests, will map out the itinerary and decide the date of departure of the "All-Texas special" train for its tour of the principal cities of the north and east. It is expected that the trip will be started about the middle of May. The special train will carry, in addition to a heavy quota of Texas business men, exhibits of the state's products and resources to be presented in material form in the business and manufacturing centers of the north and east. Approximately a score of scheduled stop-overs have been tentatively agreed on for display of the exhibits and their inspection, Papert said.

Dispatch of the "All-Texas special" train was agreed on by the league following the favorable reception of more than 250 pages of full-page advertising setting forth the potentialities and resources of Texas through the press of the nation in the last few weeks, Papert said.

Disillusionment of those who think of Texas in terms of the "tengallon hat and chaps" of fiction and, in their place, presentation of evidence of the state's enormous possibilities as a future manufacturing territory is the goal of the "All-Texas special," according to Papert. Working on the plan of "appealing to the mind instead of the eye," the conservatively-dressed modern business man will replace the cowboy and his accoutrements on the "All-Texas special" tour.

CHINESE JUNK

There's war in China over foreign concessions. The Chinese are a patient people, but when the British introduced those wide pants there was bound to be trouble.

In China they do everything backward. That's why they're so good at reversing the English.

Anyhow we hope the trouble ends before any more generals get into it. We've learned about all the names we can stand.

The Jewish people should quit going back to Palestine and settle in China instead. They ought to do well where there are so many old Chinese junks.

FOUR KILLED WHEN TRAIN HITS AUTO

By United Press.

WELLSVILLE, Kans., March 18.—Four persons including a mother and her child, were killed here late last night, when the crack Santa Fe passenger train dragged a small coupe more than 200 feet down the right of way and ripped it to pieces.

A four year old boy was so seriously injured by the impact that he, too, may die.

The dead: Mrs. Bessie Jewett, Ottawa, Kan., and her two year old son; Mrs. Pauline Petrel, 36, Wellsville; Wm. Hayes 25. The injured, Jess Gregory 4 year old son of Mrs. Petrel.

Sweetwater Drive For Membership In W. T. C. of C. Good

Special Correspondence.

SWEETWATER, March 18.—More than three score and ten Sweetwater citizens are now members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce as a result of a membership drive staged here recently by staff officials of the regional organization. That number represents approximately a 100 per cent increase in membership here. It is thought that by the time of the big annual convention of the West Texas chamber at Wichita Falls May 16 and 17, an additional substantial number of members will be added to those who come in this month.

Rural School Trustees to Be Elected April 2

Attention is called by the county school superintendent to the election of school trustees in all rural districts on Saturday, April 2. The county school board is also to be elected.

Three members of the county board are to be elected at this time. They are members for precincts 1 and 4 and a member from the county at large. W. R. Jessery of precinct 2 and W. E. Cooper of precinct 3 are hold overs on the county board. G. C. Daniels is now chairman of the board and member from precinct 4. J. A. Beard is the member from precinct 1 and W. P. Roach is member of the board from the county at large.

Agents Organize 2 Demonstration Clubs in County

J. C. Patterson, county agricultural agent, and Miss Ruth Ramey, home demonstration agent for Eastland county organized boys and girls clubs at New Hope and Kokomo on Thursday afternoon.

At New Hope the following officers were elected: Floyd Eison, president; Glen Asher, vice president; Jettie Fay Wright, secretary-treasurer, and Ha Mae Hamilton, reporter.

Officers of the Kokomo club are Ooley McNeely, president, William Lassiter, vice-president, and Zelma Johnson, secretary-treasurer. Additional officers for this club will be elected at the next meeting.

PATTERSON MOVING FAMILY TO EASTLAND

J. C. Patterson, recently elected as county agricultural agent for Eastland county is moving his family from Breckenridge to Eastland. Patterson has purchased the Frank Crowell home on College avenue.

COUNTY SCHOOLS RECEIVE \$11,385 FROM STATE FUND

Miss Beulah Speer, county school superintendent announces that state aid money to the amount of \$11,385 has been received from the state department of education. She states that this money together with January tax money to the amount of

At The Lamb Today



Douglas MacLean in his latest Paramount Comedy "Let It Rain"

It won't be long now until our stage and screen Apollos will be acknowledging from every billboard that they "love to see a woman smoke a cigaret."

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\$48,445.37 and the \$9 per capita will relieve all indebtedness of the rural new building construction started schools of Eastland county to date, here since Jan. 1.

FINAL CALL

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FIRST-OF-THE-SEASON SALE ENDS WHEN THE DOORS CLOSE TOMORROW NIGHT

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NEW SPRING COATS

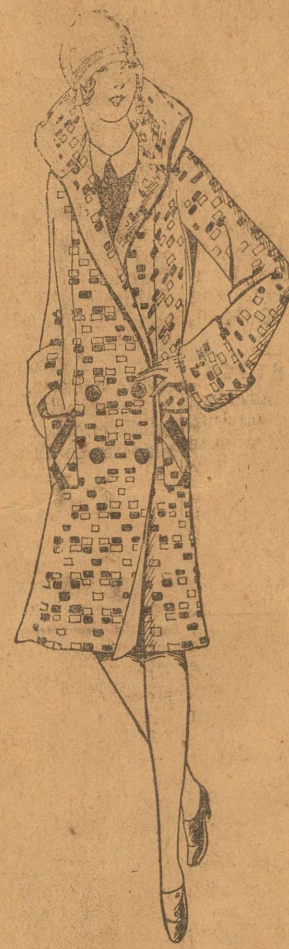
HERE IS A VALUE RECORD IN LADIES' SPRING COATS, MANY ARE FUR-TRIMMED, ALL ARE NEW; VALUES TO \$22.50

HERE ARE FROCKS

IN NEW COLORED SILKS That did sell up to \$17.50 for

\$15⁸⁵

\$9⁸⁵



Ladies' put aside any impression you may have that a real smart Coat cannot be bought for this price. Remember they formerly sold up to \$22.50. They are truly handsome Coats, some lavishly trimmed with summer fur, the popular shades in the newest materials. Many are nifty Sport Coats in decidedly new plaids. Now offered at this price to make the greatest value occasion in the history of this community.

These Dresses are a featured value in this great First-of-the-Season Sale. They reflect the effort that has been put forward to make this an outstanding value occasion. The Dresses themselves show many features found only on the real high priced Frocks. They are new Frocks in the most wanted shades for Spring.

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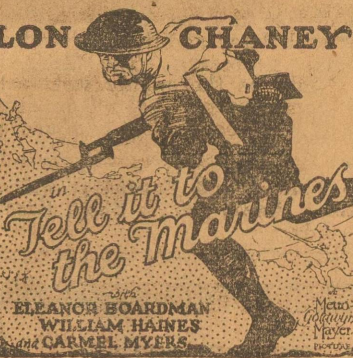
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Then there are pre-Easter styles that will win lovers of pretty hats. It is impossible to describe their sheer beauty. We ask you to see them.

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A shipment of new Frocks in Elizabeth and Flat Crepe and Georgette. These are large size dresses from 36 to 48 and priced special at

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Fountain of Youth Found at Last In Rio De Janeiro

By United Press.
RIO DE JANEIRO.—A genuine fountain of youth was discovered in Rio De Janeiro when police routed twelve youths, mostly street urchins, from a fountain in a public square in which the boys were making their headquarters.

The realization of Ponce de Leon's dream came about when a woman from a suburb, seeking work in the city, seated herself before a large statue, surmounted by a fountain, in Plaza fifteenth of November and scanned the help wanted column of a morning newspaper. She placed her pocketbook on a bench beside her. Soon two urchins appeared, and while one engaged her in conversa-

tion, the other grabbed her pocket-book and ran.

Both boys made directly for the statue, climbed up its side, and vaulted over the edge of the fountain. The woman called police, who followed the route taken by the boys, but found only gently spraying water instead of the two culprits. Further investigation revealed a hole down which the boys had disappeared, and after threats of being drowned or smoked out, several boys climbed reluctantly from their refuge of stone and bronze.

The boys told police that the members of their band, twelve in number, slept every night in the fountain of youth.

STAMFORD—Marland Oil company erecting derrick in Swede settlement, 12 miles southeast of here.

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Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads stop all pain quicker than any other known method. Takes but a minute to quiet the worst corn. Healing starts at once. When the corn is gone it never comes back. If new shoes make the spot "touchy" again, a Zino-pad stops it instantly. That's because Zino-pads remove the cause—pressing and rubbing of shoes.

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SIMPLE THING RUINS A WOMAN'S CHARM

Very often, because of a weakened and run-down condition, girls go hopelessly through that period of life when all their companions are looking forward with eagerness and rapture to the day when they shall realize the greatest ambition of their lives and become happy brides.



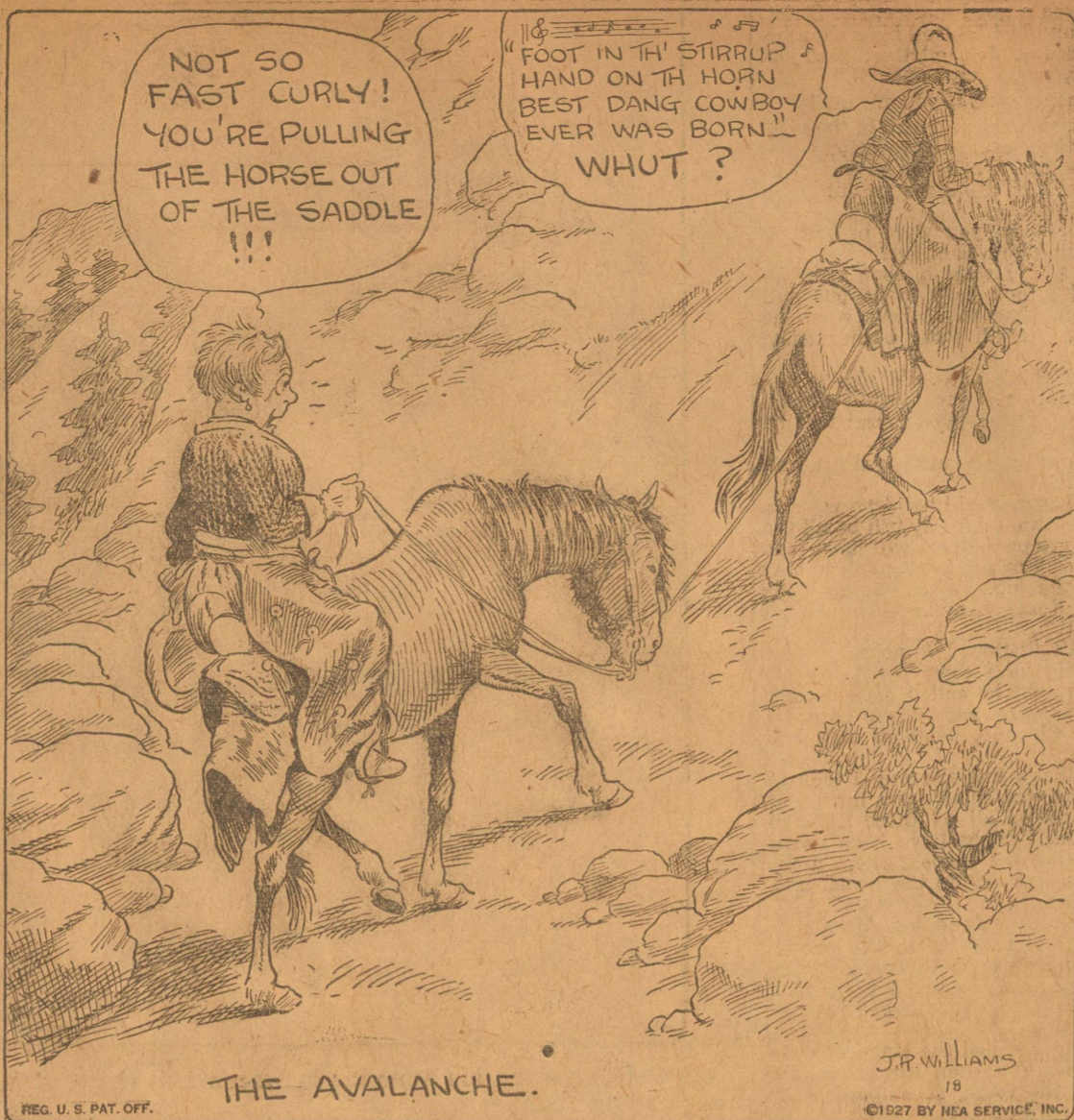
Fortunately, nowadays thousands of girls who were weak and run-down are finding St. Joseph's G. F. P. builds them up.

In Oklahoma City, Miss Jennie Platt, who lives at 222 W. Noble st., says, "I feel so much better and stronger and enjoy life so much more now I am using St. Joseph's G. F. P., I want all girls to know about this wonderful medicine."

In many instances St. Joseph's Antiseptic Powder used externally in connection with St. Joseph's G. F. P. will be found very soothing.

Women have used St. Joseph's G.F.P. for over 50 years!

Out Our Way



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Timidity Is Not Disease, Says Jury in Paris

By United Press.
PARIS.—Is timidity a disease? A Paris jury has decided it is not in spite of expert declarations to the contrary.

The jury was called on to judge the guilt or innocence of Dr. Philippe Martinie, accused of practicing medicine illegally because his assistant in the application of a method to cure timidity, Jean B. Detreux, was not a qualified practitioner.

The method of Dr. Martinie, who is a specialist in nervous diseases, consists in having the patient, when he goes to bed in complete darkness, repeat until he falls asleep one of eight formulas printed on luminous plaques.

The first night he sees the formula, "I am calm." He continues to repeat this until his eyes close. For the second night the magic words are: "I am entirely at ease." And so on, gradually gaining control of his nerves until on the eighth night he can say with certainty: "I am afraid of nothing." Then he is cured.

Detreux was concerned chief in the sale of the plaques. Nevertheless the authorities considered that Dr. Martinie was acting against the law. Professor Balthazar, declared in court that timidity is a nervous disease which in certain cases is the precursor of insanity, especially in young persons. The defense ridiculed this, asserting that it is often noticed in perfectly healthy persons. The jury agreed.

Woman's Dress And Bobbed Hair Hard on Artist

By United Press.
LONDON.—Bobbed hair and the skimpiness of the modern woman's clothing are making the portrait painter's task a difficult one, according to John Collier the well known artist.

"Woman's dress today is admirable from the hygienic viewpoint," Collier asserted here recently, "but it makes the painter's task difficult because there are none of those ample, flowing draperies which used to be valuable to portraiture."

"Any more when a woman comes to sit for me I ask to be allowed to go around to see her wardrobe that I can choose a suitable dress for her. Shingled and bobbed hair are becoming monotonous, because there is a lot of character in hair and when some women have it cut off they lose all their individuality."

"From a painter's point of view it is a pity such fashions ever came in."

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Host Forgets Dinner While Guest Hungers

By United Press.
PARIS.—Minister of War Paul Painleve, several times premier and government minister of France, and one of the outstanding scientists of the world, is extremely absent minded.

His friends tell this story on Painleve: Edouard Herriot, now minister of public instructions, ex-premier, who also is recognized as having one of the best minds of France, received an invitation to dinner from Painleve. The latter, on receiving Herriot, expressed his pleasure, and the two statesmen engaged in a customary learned conversation. The talk drifted from the political situation to the Einstein theory; came 9 o'clock, 10, 11. Herriot by this time was ravenous, and exploded:

"But, Monsieur le President, I thought you invited me to dinner!" Painleve was astonished. "Why, I forgot all about dinner, and let me see, there is nothing prepared. But, come, we will find something."

And the two statesmen went to the kitchen and prepared an improvised meal, mostly consisting of eggs, wine and bread.

HIGGINS—30 carloads cattle shipped from this point for eastern markets on recent day.

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PALE & PEAKED

Texas Lady Was Advised by Her Mother To Take Cardui, Which She Did With Good Results.

Hamilton, Texas.—Mrs. Gladys Poitevin, of this city, says: "At times I suffered awfully with pains across my back and through my sides. I would have to go to bed and stay two or three days at a time. It was very worrisome. I managed to keep going, but... did not enjoy myself at all."

"One day my mother remarked on how bad I looked. She said: 'You look so pale and peaked, why don't you take a bottle of Cardui?' She had taken it herself a number of times, and it had always improved her health, so she thought I had better try it."

"I got the Cardui and began taking it, and from the first dose or two I could see a change for the better. The first thing I noticed was that my appetite was improved. I began to be hungry and I enjoyed my meals. I slept better at night. My rest was so much quieter that I got the benefit from it. I kept on with the Cardui and took it for several months. The pains in my back and sides grew less until they finally quit bothering me."

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was unbearable. During that time, I used all kinds of salves without receiving any real benefit. After taking six bottles of S. S. S., I was cured of this dreadful disease. I recommend S. S. S. to anyone suffering from eczema, because I cannot praise it enough for what it has done for me." Cleophas Forte, Soldiers and Sailors Home, Quincy, Ill.

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LEAVES EASTLAND to Ranger, Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 8:05 a. m., 10:55 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 4:20 p. m., 7:55 p. m., 10:35 p. m.
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WHAT HAS HAPPENED BEFORE:

Death strikes Garrett Folsom while bathing at Ocean Town, N. J. It is thought at first he is a stroke victim, but investigation shows he has been stabbed to death beneath the water. Folsom's swimming companions had been Roger Neville, a business partner; Mrs. Helen Barnaby and Carmelita Valdón. It is established that Folsom, just before his death, had been standing next to Ned Barron, known as the copper king. Anastasia Folsom, eccentric and masterful sister of the dead man, arrives and takes command. At the inquest it is learned that the death weapon was a pichaxe, an Oriental knife, and that it had been bought on the boardwalk. It is also established that one Croydon Sears is a fancier of curious knives. Anastasia engages Titus Riggs, an architect, to work on the case. Dan Pelton, the dead man's nephew, arrives, and asks Anastasia if he may have the curious French dolls in Garrett Folsom's room.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY:

"Yes, of course," Anastasia said. "Lord knows I don't want the people being so interested?" "Hear it on the train coming down here," Dan Pelton answered. "On the stage contraption that brought me from the station. In the lobby as I came through. At the desk as I waited to hear from you. The tongues are wagging all around." "Did you—did they suggest any names?" "There seem to be names in the air—the Tracys, who are they?" "Nonsense, they're people who

stood by. They only knew Garry slightly, if at all. But gossip means nothing. I have a detective engaged—that is, he's not a detective, but I propose to make him over into one. "Fine plan!" said the nephew with sarcasm. "Yes, it is," said Miss Folsom, quite unconcerned at his sneer. "I want you to know him—Riggs is his name. Now, Dan, first of all, if you're going to take these rooms of Garry's—and I think it's a good idea—help me find another suite, for me and Paxton, and you get hold of Ross to help us move." "Good, auntie. How do I get hold of Ross?" "The dead man's former valet was summoned and seemed willing enough to take service for the present with the nephew of his late master. "We've met before, Mr. Pelton," Ross said, "though not often. And I'm glad to stay here, hoping I may be of some use in helping Miss Folsom find the villain who used that dagger." "Yes, we're all going to do all we can in that line," Dan agreed, and then they set themselves to the matter of getting more rooms. "What sort of comments do they make on my uncle, Ross?" Pelton asked, casually, as they were at last by themselves and Ross was unpacking his new master's belonging. "Well, Mr. Pelton, that's a hard question, because I dislike to say hard things of Mr. Folsom, even if they're only the speech of others. But he was not highly spoken of by many, sir." "Yet few down here knew him." "More than you'd think, sir. Many a man knew him or knew of him who

has only said so since he's gone."

"You liked him, Ross?" "He was a good master, sir. Strict, indeed, and insistent on his orders being carried out to the letter. But just and fair, and liberal enough."

"In money ways, you mean?" "That, yes, sir, and also in the matter of time off and vacations and amusements. Whenever he was to be out himself he'd bid me go out for a bit of an outing."

"I see. And you were in bathing the morning he was killed?" "Yes, sir. I went in soon after he did, and I took care to be out and dressed in time to be here when he came in. Shall you bathe today, sir?"

"No, I think not. I'd like a dip, but I think my aunt would object. You know, Ross, the funeral will be tomorrow."

"Yes, sir, but not exactly a funeral, is it, sir?" "Not what it would be if we were in Chicago. But I daresay it'll be all the services my poor uncle will have read over him. For my aunt plans to stay here on the job. What do you think about it, Ross? Any idea who did for my uncle?"

"No, Mr. Pelton, I've no idea. Mr. Folsom did have some—well, what I suppose might be called enemies, sir, but they were not down here. I mean in Chicago, business men and such."

"Yes, that's just the way I look at it. Yet he was killed down here. But perhaps, any or all of those Chicago business men might have been down here and no one suspect their presence in the crowds on the beach and in the ocean."

Dan Pelton joined his aunt for luncheon, and they sat in the public dining room, quite indifferent to the curious eyes that watched them and the busy tongues that wagged in gossip about them.

They had reached the stage of coffee and cigars when Roger Neville came into the room, accompanied by Mrs. Valdón.

The pair at once came over to the table where Miss Folsom sat and renewed their acquaintance with Pelton.

Dan was glad to talk to Neville, and proposed that they all go up on the veranda, or deck, for a chat.

The others, who were already, assented, and they went, joined later by Mrs. Barnaby, who had not before met Pelton.

She annexed him at once, as she did any available man, and exclaimed, admiringly:

"I declare, the more I see of the Folsom family the better I like them! Poor dear Mr. Folsom was such a darling and Miss Folsom is truly magnificent. And now, you, Mr. Pelton! You're the son of another sister?"

"Yes, my parents died years ago, and my aunt and uncle have looked after me."

"Fortunate boy! Except, of course, this terrible tragedy. But we won't talk of it, shall we? For you must have some relaxation from the nerve strain and sorrow of the occasion."

"That's just it, Mrs. Barnaby. 'Oh, call me Duchess, they air do.' 'Glad to. Suits you, too. How well Mrs. Valdón is looking.'"

"Carmelita. Yes, she's in great form this summer. You're staying?" "As long as you will be kind to me."

"Why, you little rascal! I do believe you're a flirt! So much so, that he said frivolous things without thinking, and always without meaning. It was second nature to him to compliment women, and young or old, he used the same jargon."

But he suddenly became aware that a sort of council was about to convene. Anastasia, intent on her one pursuit, had found Tite Riggs in his usual corner of the deck, and she pounced upon him, dragging the rest of her flock with her.

"Now, we must talk," she decreed. "We are secluded here, and I have gathered the ones I want about me. Who is this young man, may I ask?"

Anastasia had a way with her that often robbed of rudeness remarks that would have been insufferable in another. She eloked benignly, as she spoke, on Robin Sears, who had only a moment before paused to speak to Riggs, whom he knew.



Dan Pelton joined his aunt for luncheon and they sat in the public dining room.

"This is Mr. Sears," she was told, and as Robin was about to pass on, Miss Folsom laid a detaining hand on his shoulder.

"Please stay," she said, a little peremptorily. "You are the son of the Mr. Sears who bought daggers at the auction last Thursday night?"

"Yes, Miss Folsom; does that interest you?" Robin responded. "One of Anastasia Folsom's characteristics, and perhaps one of her besetting sins, was a quickness to take offense."

She did so in this instance, and retorted sharply: "Very much. Will you be good enough to grant me a short interview?"

"Of course he will," Tite Riggs answered for him, and a little bewildered, Robin sat down.

With a gesture he seemed to fling the rest of her crowd into nearby seats, Miss Folsom, sitting directly in front of Robin, began a fire of questions.

(To be continued)

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Japan, America And England Are To Be Entente

By J. W. T. MASON
(Written for the United Press)

NEW YORK—Japan's unequivocal acceptance of the American proposal for a new naval limitations conference shows that the shrewd diplomats at Tokyo have decided not to throw in their lot with the lesser European power, including France Italy.

Japan is still chafing under the provision of the American immigration law which places the Japanese on a lower level than the lowest Europeans but this fact is not allowed to interfere with the judgment of international affairs at the Tokyo foreign office. Japan is increasingly casting her lot, internationally, with the most progressive western nations and in this respect is showing far more vision than any of the major countries of continental Europe, with the exception of Germany.

The Japanese are so far from the western world that they are able to get an impartial view point, much as the United States, because of its aloofness from Europe, is in a position to judge European events impersonally. The Japanese, however, can include America as well as Europe in their distant range of vision. It is, therefore, a unique endorsement of the correctness of the American plan for further naval reductions which Japan gives by

supporting the Washington policy without reservations.

Critics Views

Those critics who express fear lest Japan will turn toward the Orient and Russia and join in a combination against the western world can find little satisfaction in Japan's present attitude. The Japanese are no more bound racially to the Orient than America is bound racially to Europe. The United States does not regulate its international policies by the fact that it is a western power. It encounters constant criticism from the other western powers and makes its own international plans without any thought of western hegemony.

Similarly, Japan is developing her foreign policies without considering the fact that the Japanese are eastern. Japan desires a progressive national development and her future requires the maintenance of friendly relations with the other progressive countries of the world, irrespective of their geographical situations. Especially does Japan need peace for her growth.

The problems of Japan are predominantly domestic and concern economic improvement, higher material progress and a wider distribution of wealth among all the people. No war can accomplish these results. The population problem of Japan is really a secondary one, which the Japanese eventually will settle, as they have always done in the past, by limiting their increase to the capacity of their own territories to provide adequate sustenance.

The evolution of Japan, materially, is the hope of the country. The Japanese statesmen realize this fact and they are subordinating all

other inclinations to it. The acceptance by Japan of the American naval reduction proposal is not only an act of friendship but it is also an indication of the sound judgment of the Japanese government, in establishing a permanent line of direction for Japan's evolutionary progress.

There is an increasing bond of mutual interest developing between the United States, Japan and Great Britain which may well play a paramount part in world affairs. These three nations lead the world as naval power and the world is controlled today not by armies but by its navies. Sea power is the predominant force, a fact which was first pointed out by an American, the late Admiral Mahan, and has since won the approval of the world's leading strategists.

ABOUT HIRSUTE TAPESTRIES.

America needs more whiskers, says a New York pastor, declaring beards once were symbols of righteousness and success. In those days, whenever a man misplaced his razor for a couple of days he would be elected an elder in the church.

During the civil war whiskers went to such lengths that a man with a smooth face would be rejected for military service.

Cigaretts and the rising costs of fire insurance did much to bob the vogue of facial tapestries.

It used to be fun to watch a man with heavy chin foliage try to acquire the contents of a beaker of beer. Now he hasn't either the beer or the whiskers to waste it on.

This whisker propaganda looks suspiciously like some "Sell More Soap" advertising. Men who used to buy soap for their whiskers now buy it only for their vests.



The girls this spring are to wear serpentine coats like the one pictured above, fashion has it. The material is of snakeskin, trimmed with leather and gold embroidery. The hat is trimmed with snakeskin, too, and the shoes match.

England Busy Building Ships For Protection

By United Press.

LONDON.—Progressive naval construction "according to plan" will be carried out by Great Britain during the coming fiscal year, H. C. Bywater, well-known British naval expert declared in a recently published article here.

Bywater declared that the British admiralty's building program for 1927-1928 has been completed and includes provisions for the laying down of 18 new ships during that period. It is estimated that these new vessels, together with the large volume of new construction now on hand will run the naval estimates of the coming year well above the present year's estimate of \$290,500,000.

The end of 1930, which marks the end of the seven-year building program instituted by the Labor government in 1924, will see England \$320,000,000 richer in ships, but that much poorer in treasury, he asserted.

\$48,250,000.

The new fiscal year, he declared, will find work begun on three new cruisers, one of 10,000 tons, and the other two of 8,000 tons each, nine destroyers and six submarines, all at a total cost of \$48,250,000. The appropriation for the preliminary work on these ships and progressive work on ships already under construction will reach \$53,613,000 he said.

Including the ships covered by the 1927-1928 estimates, Bywater pointed out, the following new vessels have been provided for since March, 1924 when the labor government passed the program: 12 cruisers of 10,000 tons, three cruisers of 8,000 tons, 11 destroyers, 12 submarines, 4 gunboats, two depot ships and a 55,000 ton floating dock for the new British naval base at Singapore. The total cost of this tonnage alone is estimated at \$205,000,000.

Six Cruisers.

Beyond this, Bywater declared, the British program provides for the construction between 1928 and 1930 of the following additional vessels: six cruisers, an aircraft carrier, 18 destroyers, 12 submarines, and three auxiliary craft, at a total cost of \$115,000,000.

It is expected, he said, that the navy's personnel, which now stands at 103,125 officers and men, will

Soviet Russians Now Are Dancing The Charleston

By United Press.

MOSCOW.—The Charleston has penetrated triumphantly to the remotest parts of the soviet union. Music stores in Moscow and other large cities report that the demand for phonograph records of Charleston music is brisk even among the benighted peasants, many of whom acquired phonographs in the 1920 famine period by exchanging grain for the talking machines of city-dwellers.

Far from being forbidden, as had been reported, the Charleston is sweeping Russia. There are even

faint signs that the Black Bottom may gain favor and details of that dance are anxiously sought. In a few workmen's clubs the Charleston has been banned, but this has not checked its popularity.

The earlier dances brought over from the United States, such as jazz, the fox trot and the "sheemy," still have their ardent devotees. Jazz, in fact, and the fox trot were used prominently in a number of theatrical productions during the winter season.

A Russian ship is operated entirely by women. We wonder if they put one another in curling irons.

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Bobbed Hair Now Popular With Factory Bosses

By United Press.

LONDON.—Shorn tresses, the shorter the safer, is the verdict of factory heads and health officers on the present styles of hair-dressing for women. Statistics show that bobbed and shingled heads have caused fewer accidents.

"Bobbed hair has been one of the greatest blessings to women factory workers as regards safety, health and cleanliness," said Ben Turner, president of the National Union of Textile Workers. "The fashion has certainly prevented many accidents. Not for two years have we had a case of woman's hair being caught in the machinery, whereas such accidents used to be rather frequent."

While the White House is being fixed up, it wouldn't be a bad idea to send in some experts to revise the White House dictionary, which seems to give the pronunciation of hostile as "hostyle."

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We invariably give full value for the money on every article we sell at the regular price and when we offer a reduction from the marked price, you can readily see that you can save money.

Attend this sale and see for yourself that we are giving high quality merchandise in seasonable styles, materials and colors for less money.

TO US this sale has a double significance—to you it has only one, the saving of money, but we are planning great things for the future of the Boston Store Ready-to-Wear and we want to impress our patrons with our policy of merchandising high grade ladies ready-to-wear at prices comparable to those offered in larger cities.

We know we can, and do, sell our goods at low comparative prices because our huge buying power permits us to buy accordingly.

Secondly, our Mr. John Hassan will leave soon for New York on his second buying trip this season and we know from experience that he will be starting shipments to us immediately. We want to reduce our stock to make room for new arrivals, and have reduced the prices on all ready-to-wear for this one week of quick selling.

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SOcial affairs this Spring will call to their especial time and place the most charmingly clad women that many seasons have seen. She whose dress is gayest will "be fairest of all," so Paris decrees. Faithful to the mode, these frocks are successes for the Spring and at these low prices will not last over a few days.



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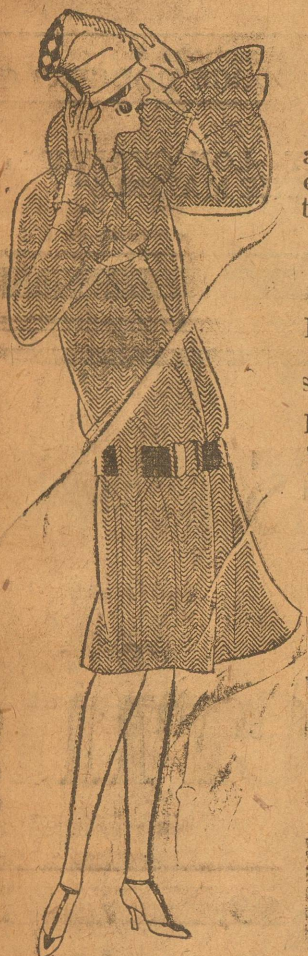
In this group are our very finest dresses, priced as high as \$45.00. Some of them have not been in stock a week yet and express the very highest of the textile art. In quality of material and workmanship they cannot be excelled and come in a gorgeous array of newest Spring colors and color combinations.

Values from \$39.75 to \$45.00

Now

\$29.75

SPRING COATS



For Dress or Sport Wear

Trimmed, tailored, restrained—the lines are straight and slender. The fabrics are silks and satins, the lighter weight woollens which lend themselves to superior tailoring and trimmed light colored fur or self trimmed.

Tan and Gray Sport Mixtures

Fancy mixtures and plaids in tan and gray coloring—new effects. The materials will give many months of satisfactory service—and the colors are practical.

Ideal coats for motoring—and for general daytime wear. Especially desirable, too, on account of the low price—entirely satisfactory!

All Marked in Plain Figures

WILL BE SOLD AT A SPECIAL

DISCOUNT

OF FROM

25% TO 35%

SPRING MILLINERY

The new Hats are simple, yet with touches of artistry that require the utmost skill to fashion. Not in years has there been such a range of ideas, both in contour and trimming. These hats are not shop-worn nor out-of-date patterns but are the very newest styles and colors for Spring. Divided into three groups.

The Boston Millinery Department has new hats coming in almost every day. The fact that Mr. Hassan buys for the Hassen chain of stores enables us to use our buying power to advantage in Millinery and permits us to offer hats of the highest quality at comparatively low prices as a regular thing, but a glance at the prices below will tell you that there's big values offered.

In These Three Groups You'll Find The Hat You've Enviously Wanted

GROUP 1

Stunning hats for sport, dress, or afternoon wear. Featuring draped Berets, hair-lined turbans, rippled and irregular brims and high, draped and creased crowns.

Values to \$4.85

FOR

\$2.95



GROUP 2

Many flower-trimmed models. In this special group you will find smart styles in hats for travel, sports and dress wear. Spring's loveliest colors are included, and the cleverest trimming devices featured.

Values to \$8.50

FOR

\$4.85



GROUP 3

You will immediately recognize these hats as fashion's most authentic creations. Each one breathing individual distinction, newness, and subtle chic. Each a genuine value.

Values to \$12.50

FOR

\$8.75

A Sale You've Wished For

You've wanted something just a little better but maybe you thought you couldn't afford it.

You've seen these fine dresses, coats and hats at the Boston Store and said to yourself, "My but I wish they'd have a sale."

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE—
COME EARLY SATURDAY

YOU'LL REGRET IT, IF YOU MISS IT

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In
Texas

The Boston Store
Hassen & Company
THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER
PHONE 50 RANGER, TEXAS

Postoffice
Drawer 8
Phone 50

Sale Lasts a Week

But don't wait too long if you want to get in on these great values and have the full assortment to pick from.

We've marked these prices down to where the price alone would sell the goods, but with such quality at such a low price, there'll be a grand rush for the choice articles.

MARCH 19th to MARCH 26th