

CITIZEN KILLED WHILE WALKING ON HIGHWAY

Al Smith Accepts Nomination Democratic Party

DEFINES THE POLICY WOULD BE PREFERRED

President Would Seek Amendment of 18th. Volstead Act.

Labor and Politics Making Trouble In Town In Russia

By United Press.
RIGA, Russia, Aug. 23.—Fighting between independent socialist strikers and police was resumed here today. The government was considering proclaiming a state of seige.
Two hundred and fifty workers were arrested today in addition to 400 arrested yesterday. Police were firing in the air to intimidate the rioters.

MISSING PLANE MAY HAVE GOT TO GREENLAND

Ship Seen Sunday Passing Over Village On Island Says Report To Danish Government.

Mrs. Kalkholl Dislocates Knee

Mrs. Frank Kalkholl, living in the Chastain addition, stepped on a loose step at her home late Wednesday evening, slipped and fell, sustaining a dislocation of one knee. She was taken to the Payne & Carter sanitarium and attended by Dr. F. T. Isbell, afterwards being taken back to her home. Dr. Isbell said the injury was serious, but he hoped she would be able to walk before a great while.

French Visitor Finds All Wives In U. S. "Flighty"

PARIS.—American women are too flighty, ready on the slightest provocation to pick up their babies and leave their husbands awaiting the outcome of a divorce suit.
That is the interpretation of American womanhood given to French newspaper readers by Mlle. Germaine Leblanc, following her recent visit to the United States.
"The poor husband enters after a hard day's work. He finds a little note saying 'I'm tired of you, I've decided to leave,'" says the French writer.
"It's not a question of money," she adds, "but merely a desire to change her climate, and the poor husband. On the slightest whim the husband might be asked to seek even Alaska."
The growing number of "double marriages," wherein husbands are trying to find respite from their family exigencies also is mentioned.
Mlle. Leblanc's solution is a novel one. "If we are to have double marriages, why not have double apartments."
A famous fireworks firm, said to be the largest in the world is to supply the day and night exhibitions at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21.

MOMENTS HERBERT HOOVER WOULD LIKE TO LIVE OVER



By Joe King, with apologies to J. R. Williams and "Out Our Way"
The home-coming of Herbert Hoover at the little village of West Branch, Ia., has inspired Joe King, staff artist for the Ranger Times and NEA Service, to draw the above sketch on "Moments That Hoover Would Like to Live Over Again," with apologies to J. R. Williams, the artist who drew the moments that lots of us would like to live over again in "Out Our Way."
King has pictured here some of the moments in Hoover's boyhood at West Branch that Hoover tells

about, himself.
Hoover, after 40 years, still remembers Aunt Millie's famous apple pies, for Aunt Millie was a real cook. "I am able to say now," Hoover says, "that if all the cooks of Iowa were up to Aunt Millie's standard, then the gourmets of the world should leave Paris for Iowa, at least for Cedar County."
And the blacksmith shop of Hoover's father? "I have the brand of Iowa still upon me," says Hoover, "for one of my earliest recollections is stepping barefooted on a red hot chip at my father's blacksmith shop, the scar of which I still carry."

And the old swimmin' hole down by the railroad track? "It's still operating efficiently," says Hoover, "albeit modern mothers probably would compel their youngsters to take a bath to get rid of the clean and healthy mud."
And Cook's Hill, where the boys coasted on their sleds in winter? "We slid down at terrific speed with our tummies tight to the home-made sleds," says Hoover. "It's still a good hill and the old method of thawing out frozen toes with ice water needs no improvement."
And—oh, yes!—the fishing!

"Our compelling lure was a segment of an angle worm and our incantation was to spit on the bait. We lived in a time when the fish used to bite instead of strike—and we knew we had a bite when the cork bobbed. Moreover, we ate the fish."
These are some of the boyhood memories that fill Hoover's visions as he returns to West Branch—and why not? He has received the great honor of being nominated for the presidency, but we'll bet he would trade it for those boyhood days at West Branch—if he could.

Straton Invotes Smith To Answer Him In Georgia

By United Press.
ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 23.—Dr. John Roach Straton, New York fundamentalist and opponent of Gov. Al Smith, has invited the Democratic Presidential nominee "to come south and defend his record," when Straton speaks at a mass meeting here September 4, it was announced today.

YACHT OWNER SAYS HIS SHIP WAS ABUSED

Accuses Coast Guard Cutter On Lake With Firing Across Bow Which Commandant Denies.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 23.—M. S. Bramley, millionaire, whose yacht was fired on by coast guardsmen last night telegraphed a vigorous protest to federal authorities in Washington today.
Bramley said he was cruising near here with a party of friends, two miles off shore, when a coast guard cutter appeared and without warning fired across the yacht bow.
The craft was run into Rocky River harbor where the guardsmen boarded her.
Captain Clark Potts, coast guard commandant, denied the cutter fired on the yacht. He said they believed the yacht was a rum runner for which they had been lying in wait.

JOHN S. BURKS STRUCK BY CAR NEAR RANGER

Dies Within Half Hour, Head and Chest Being Badly Crushed. Accident Unavoidable.

Caught in the heavy traffic of the Ranger-Eastland highway, John S. Burks, 68, was fatally injured about two miles from Ranger this morning at 10:30 o'clock when struck by a car driven by H. S. Howard, superintendent of the tanking department of the Prairie Oil and Gas Company.
Burks was brought to the West Texas Clinic and Hospital at 10:40 o'clock and died at 11 o'clock. He received a fractured skull, his head being crushed, and a badly battered chest. He died without regaining consciousness.
According to traffic officer Bob Hammett, to whom Howard made a statement immediately after the accident, the aged man was coming towards Ranger and was walking on the west side of the highway near the Prairie material yards.
A Ford car coming in the same direction stopped abruptly to give the man a ride into town. Two heavier automobiles following in the path of the Ford, pulled into the middle of the road in order to avoid missing crashing into the car.
Howard, who was going toward Eastland, was driving a heavy sedan and pulled off the highway to miss the two cars that were passing the smaller car. When he saw that Burks was in the path of his car he swerved his machine. The front end of the car missed Burks but the rear end crashed into him. Burks was knocked into the ditch on the west side of the roadway.
The aged man was well known here, having resided on a small farm about two miles from Ranger on the Eastland highway, near the Chestnut and Smith corporation's plant.
One of his sons, Preston Burks is an employee in the bookkeeping department of the Citizens State Bank.
He was born June 18, 1860 in Rusk county. He is survived by his wife, five sons, Preston, Roy and Tom Burks, Ranger, Walter and Lewis Burks, Abilene, and two daughters, Mrs. Homer Irvin of Ranger and Mrs. Frank Pugh, Ranger.
The names of the occupants of the other cars figuring in the accident were not learned.
Howard made a statement immediately after the fatal crash. Hammett said the accident was unavoidable.

Chinese Charged With Murder Of Ten Other Chinese

NEVADA CITY, Calif., Aug. 23.—Long Ying, 29, Chinese, captured near Graf Valley today, as the slayer of ten other Chinese yesterday, has made a complete confession, according to Sheriff Geo. Carter.
The Chinese slayer had taken a large dose of drug when he went on the rampage yesterday, he told the sheriff. He fled for a few more "shots" so he could go on with his story.
The capture was made after an all-night search of the highway between Nevada City and Graf valley.

Former Athlete Pleads Guilty To Serious Offense

EL RENO, Okla., Aug. 23.—R. S. Jones, 25, former basketball star of S. M. U. of Dallas, was sentenced today to 15 years in the penitentiary on a criminal assault charge.
Jones pleaded guilty to attacking a 19-year old El Reno girl, the daughter of a prominent family.

Political Rally For Candidates Here Friday Night

Candidates for the Democratic nomination in the run-off primary will be heard at a big political rally to be held in Eastland Friday night beginning at 8:30 o'clock. Colonel R. Q. Lee, seeking the nomination for Congress, will speak, as will George Bryant and Elmer Collins, candidates for tax assessor; Judge O. C. Funderburk and B. W. Patterson, candidates for associate justice of the 11th court of civil appeals, and John Hart and Virze Foster, candidates for sheriff.
The Eastland band will play.

Dallas Candidates For Football Team Must Stand Tests

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—N. F. Calhoun, director of the public schools health department, has ordered rigid physical examination for all candidates for high school football teams. A hundred boys will report for the test next Saturday.

Two Citizens of Eastland Slightly Injured In Crash

County Surveyor Dan Boone and Judge R. B. Truly were bruised, but neither sustained serious injury, when the Ford coupe in which they were driving skidded on the highway, several miles east of Eastland, late Wednesday night, and went into the ditch, turning turtle. Judge Truly had one hand cut by broken glass.
The new poultry building at the State Fair of Texas is much easier to reach than the old one was. It is located to the right of the main avenue leading from the main gates to the grand stand.

JUNGLE ROARS ON AIR

LONDON.—Americans may soon have the opportunity of listening to the lions roaring around a lonely camp in the wilds of Africa. An attempt will be made to persuade the lions to approach near enough to the microphone for broadcasting. The lions will broadcast on a wavelength of 30 metres between 6 and 8:30 p. m. London daylight-saving time. Short wave sets should be able to pick up this concert.

STARVING MAN PROVES HE IS NOT FOOLING

His Display of Appetite Saves Him From Being Taken Away To Jail.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 23.—Broke and without food for several days, Sol Kaffnes, 40, of Dallas, Texas, entered a downtown restaurant and the proprietor and the police, while Kaffnes begged for food, saying he had eaten nothing since Sunday.
"All right, you can eat and then you go to jail," said the restaurant man.
The ambulance arrived while Kaffnes was devouring his second helping of food and the doctor took one look and turned away, while two policemen sat down near the Texan waiting to escort him to jail when he had finished his third portion and the waiter was bringing the fourth the restaurant proprietor motioned the two men away.
"He was hungry all right," he said. "Let him go. I thought it was a ruse, but the man was starving."

David L. Lay Pioneer Citizen of Eastland, Dies

David L. Lay, one of the pioneers of Eastland county, died in the family home, 608 West Patterson street, at 5 o'clock Thursday morning. Funeral services will be conducted in the Methodist church at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon by the Rev. F. E. Singleton. Interment in the Eastland cemetery.
Mr. Lay was born July 5, in Cherokee county, Alabama, and came to Texas when a young boy. He was a resident of Eastland county about 40 years. Until age slackened his energies, he was a devoted church worker, and he had many friends with whom he always stood high.
Surviving members of his immediate family include his widow, three daughters, Mrs. J. C. Hargrove of Abilene, Mrs. W. H. Lay of German and O. L. Lay of Fort Worth, and also four step-children.

Six Persons Hurt In Car Collision Near Arlington

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—Frank Melton of Graham and his eight-year old son, Frank Jr., were placed under X-ray examination in a local hospital this morning to determine the extent of their injuries in an auto accident on the Ft. Worth-Dallas pike near Arlington yesterday afternoon. It is not thought that either suffered any permanent injury.
J. P. Lott and his wife and twin boys of Fort Worth were injured in the same accident. They suffered principally from cuts from broken glass.
Melton was on his way to the Dallas hospital for treatment for illness when the collision occurred, which resulted in his being taken to the same hospital as an accident patient.

EAGLE SCOUT CHOSEN TO GO ON LONG TRIP

19-year Old Erie, Pa. Boy To Be Byrd's Orderly On Pole Expedition.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Paul Siple, 19, Eagle Scout of Erie, Pa., reported aboard the ship City of New York today to begin his duties as orderly to Commander Richard E. Byrd on the South Pole expedition.
The flight ship of the expedition leaves Saturday for New Zealand, the first of three ships to depart. Siple has never been on the ocean before and does not know just what his duties will be.
"I have much to learn and I must get acquainted first with the men I have to work with," said the scout, who was chosen from hundreds of other contestants.
One of the reporters asked him what his mother said when she learned he was going to the south pole. "She said if the Lord wanted you to be selected to go to the south pole with Commander Byrd then the Lord will bring you back safe."
Paul seems to think that his mother knew what she was talking about.

Death Steps In To Stop Wedding

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 23.—At the time of her death, Mrs. Melus was planning to marry her clandestine sweetheart, Lee P. Kelly, it was testified today as he went to trial for her murder.

MARYS MEET

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind.—The seventh annual picnic for persons responding to the name of Mary has been held at Milligan park. Prizes were given to the tallest, shortest, fattest, slimmest Mary and to the Mary coming the longest distance and to the Mary bringing the most Marys with her. Mrs. Mary Lang, of Crawfordsville, was in charge.

District Judge In Georgetown, Dies

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—Judge Cooper Sanson, 68, of the district court of Williamson county, died at his home in Georgetown this morning, a message to Governor Moody stated. Judge Sanson had been in failing health for a year. He had been on the bench about 8 years.
The Southwestern Dairy Show, to be held in connection with the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21, is to made a permanent feature for the encouragement of the dairying industry in Texas.

Five cars, in addition to the engine, left the track and were piled up and badly damaged. No definite check could be made on the injured, as they were taken to St. Paul by an auxiliary train. None of the injured was thought to be in a serious condition.

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VOTE FOR R. Q. LEE

Previous to the first primary election on July 28, this newspaper advocated no one candidate above another in the race for the Democratic nomination to congress from the 17th Texas representative district.

In the first primary one of these two candidates was eliminated; the other led the field of five candidates. R. Q. Lee of Cisco, farmer, storekeeper, banker, railroad executive—in all of which occupations he had shown marked ability, proved he could make a winning political race against four opponents who were all at home in a political arena.

As a storekeeper Colonel Lee entered the banking business and his bank was successful from the start. The "old-time" country merchants were bankers more or less, anyhow, so he was not inexperienced in that line.

Colonel Lee has been equally successful as a railroad builder. Small feeder railway lines are not only profitable for the builders. Original stockholders of the Wichita Falls, Ranger and Fort Worth railroad, commonly known as Harmon line, and of the Eastland, Wichita Falls and Gulf Railway, commonly known as the Ringline road, can testify to that fact.

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OUT OUR WAY



HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN. J.R. WILLIAMS

SOCIETY

MRS. W. K. JACKSON EDITOR CALENDAR FRIDAY

Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p. m. community Clubhouse. Order of the Rainbow for Girls, 8 p. m. Masonic Temple.

TONIGHT Womanless Wedding: Lower assembly hall Methodist church; some splendid attraction; auspicious Woman's Missionary Society. Public attendance requested.

WOMANLESS WEDDING Tonight, at 8 o'clock, as the peers of the intently familiar wedding March, "Lo, Chh-grin" ring out, the Womanless Wedding train will pass up the aisle of the Methodist church lower auditorium and take station before the officiating preacher, Bert McGlamery, the principles will speak those vows, often as fatal so tender young love.

The bridegroom, Joe Stephens, is that famous person in history who throws the ball, though he doesn't go to Spain to do it.

The Bridesmaids are of the cuffed, blushing rose variety and will have to be seen to be really appreciated.

The entire wedding party is made up of people we are interested in, and surely, no more so than on this night's fatal occasion, when, in their gauzy garments, they reveal their wonderful charms. The production is under the direction of Mrs. T. J. Haley, president of the society. Following is the cast:

Bride—Frank Crowell. Groom—Joe Stephens. Matron of Honor—E. H. Jones. Maid of Honor—W. E. Collie. Bridesmaids—R. L. Perkins, T. J. Pitts, A. E. Herring, T. M. Collie, Lowell Jones, Denn Turner, Thos. Haley.

Groomsmen—R. L. Jones, W. B. Tate, R. S. Conley, Bruce Butler, Joe Shepherd, Will Turner. Girl left behind—W. A. Martin. Father of the Groom—June Kimble.

The baby—Robert McGlamery. Twin Boks—Robert S. James and Bedford Jones. Ring bearer—Francis Jones. Mother of Groom—J. A. Caton. Flower Girls (pretty little things in bouffant dresses)—Gay Parker, Same Johnson.

Preacher—Bert McGlamery. Soloist—A. M. Heats. Bes: Man—F. J. Nicholson. Rejected Lover—Marven McCantles. Train Bearers—B. M. Collie and Wayne Jones. Old maid sister—R. F. Jones.

DELIGHTFUL EVENT USHERS BRIDE SOCIALLY Mrs. Joe C. Stephens and co-hostess, Mrs. R. F. Jones, entertained with a lovely tea from four to six o'clock Wednesday afternoon, at the pretty Stephens residence, 500 Foch Street, and ushered their young sister and daughter into the ranks of matrimony. It was a beautiful setting for the bride, Mrs. Francis Jones, so youthful she had not yet made her girlish debut as Miss Vinetta Buhl, daughter of W. G. Buhl, and the honoree, Mrs. Francis Jones, received with the

hostesses, in an informal way. As the guests entered from the wide gallery, where a pretty bride's table and book was arranged in coverings of green and pink and surrounded by flowers and ferns, and presided over by Mrs. J. B. Johnson. The guests registered in the handsome bride's book.

Delicious iced mint punch was dispensed by Mrs. Clifton Hyatt of Olden, from a receptacle, set deep in the heart of an immense rose. The afternoon calling hours were stimulated by delightful victrola music. The entire home was beautifully decorated with lovely bouquets of cut flowers and many handsome ferns.

This was one of the few seated teas given in Eastland. The diversion, arranged by the house hostess, a bridal contest, was introduced by the arrival of a Western Union messenger, who bore a telegram to the bride, Mrs. Francis Jones, advising her to follow the ribbon to the end of the rainbow and find the pot of gold.

Two ribbons led on false trails, but the third and last ribbon, guided the seeker to a pretty table on the gallery, where was an immense assortment of miscellaneous gifts, including silver from the bridegroom's family, a set of dishes and other useful supplies from the family of the bride, and other lovely things of every kind for the home from friends.

Dainty refreshments of pink and white brick ice cream were served and individual angel food squares led with pink tracteries.

Souvenirs were hand sketches, rolled and tied. Guests were: Mrs. Clifton Hyatt of Olden; Mrs. J. B. Johnson, Mrs. D. W. High, Mrs. J. R. King, Jr., Mrs. Lester Glossier, Mrs. L. E. White, Mrs. Grady Owen, Mrs. W. G. Buhl, and Misses Adrienne Parvin, Genevieve Lyon, Mary Elizabeth Harris, Elizabeth Isbell, Wilena Lambert, Sâdie Brewer, Faye Crossley, Thelma Williams, Jewel Brawner, Mary Pearl Judkins, Ruth O'Neill, Floy O'Neill, Lucile Brogdon, Thelma Reasor, Ida Mae Coleman, Evelyn Henn, Geraldine Dabney, Fays Burgamy, and her house guest Margaret Mingsu and Virginia Norton.

VISITORS BULLETIN TELLS OF RANGER WOMAN The Hot Springs Visitors Bulletin of August 11, carries under the general heading of Visitors of Prominence, a clever account of Miss Mary Bonner Campbell, who was formerly well known in Eastland before she entered the single blessed state, and become editor of the society column for the Ranger Times.

Miss Campbell has many friends in Eastland who will be glad to know that she is recovering health and spirits, and is in that most blessed of all conditions, of enjoying her work. The Bulletin says Miss Mary Bonner Campbell, a member of the vast family of newspaper folk, is playing a return engagement to the Nation's Greatest Health and Pleasure Resort. She is stopping at the Goddard, and bathes every other day at New Imperial.

Miss Campbell, the vivacious little society editor of the Ranger (Texas) daily, says she is completely carried away with Hot Springs, and expects to continue her visit until the winter months. "I think this is the most interesting place," she said during an interview in the Goddard sun-parlor. "I find more interesting people to talk to and places to go, and beautiful sights. And these drinking palaces—I often sit at the Happy Hollow fountain all afternoon and talk to everyone that comes in. And there are more things to write about—newspaper instinct cannot be dormant when one is in Hot Springs. I just want to write and write, all the time—and talk."

Mary Bonner's mother and grandmother were women of literary fame, and her brother is now on the editorial staff of the Ranger paper. She is a former instructor of aesthetic dancing but has forsaken the art of Terpsichore for the lure of editorial pencils, clicking typewriters, and the pungent odor of fresh news ink. She has promised to favor the Visitors Bulletin with her literary talent, and we feel sure her articles will be enthusiastically received by our readers.

MISS MINGUS GUEST OF HONOR AT DINNER Miss Margaret Mingsu of Hico, who is visiting Miss Faye Burgamy, was entertained with a lovely little seven o'clock dinner, Tuesday evening by Mrs. Francis Jones and Mrs. Robert F. Jones, at the residence of the latter.

The menu was served in family fashion, with first course of orange sherbert cocktail, followed by the delicious dinner plate and dainty dessert and coffee.

Dancing to radio music and informal bridge was greatly enjoyed by those present: Miss Mingsu, the honoree, and Misses Edna Day and Faye Burgamy, Norman Caton, Bedford Jones and Robert Steele Jones; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jones.

The table was centered with a green crystal swan set, holding yellow roses, with yellow tapers in the sticks.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS OF AMERICA Oracle Tucker conducted the meeting of the Royal Neighbors of America, Tuesday night. New members were voted into the order. Initiation was set for next Tuesday night, when there will be a large class of candidates. Mrs. Tucker specially requests that every member be present and provided with bounteous refreshments.

New officers were installed Tuesday night. They are: Neighbor Mattie Cook, installed in vice oracle chair; Neighbor Lillie Watson, in recording chair; Minnie Brock in chancellor's chair; Willie Davis as manager.

The installation ceremonies were in charge of Deputy Henry of Ranger. There was a large delegation of visitors, and Neighbor Brown, recorder of the Ranger lodge, was a guest.

REBEKAHS IN SESSION Miss Opal Hunt, Noble Grand, conducted last night's session of the Rebekah Lodge. There were twenty members in attendance. The reporter, Mrs. Roberts, advised that the interest in the contest continues unabated. Drill team practice was again the feature of last night's meeting and will also be next Monday night, when the called session practices.

September sixth is the date for the county competition for the flag, which will be held in Ranger. The Eastland lodge will try to perfect its team for this event.

NOTES AND PERSONALS Mr. C. U. Connelley was making a round of car calls on several yesterday, leaving with each a dainty gift of a portion of Mr. Connelley's birthday cake and some luscious grapes. Friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Connelley suffered no set back from the fatigue of receiving his friends on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Tucker and daughter, Loraine, have returned to their home in Sweetwater, after a two weeks' visit with his brother, J. F. Tucker, and other relatives.

MISS SIMMONS GIVES SWIMMING PARTY Miss Blanche Simmons celebrated her sixteenth birthday Wednesday with a delightful swimming party

held at Trion Park, Olden. The hostess received many beautiful presents. All enjoyed a refreshing swim. Refreshments were served of punch, sandwiches and iced watermelon. Those attending the charming party were: Misses Mildred Higgins of Fort Worth, Frances Harris, Beth Judkins, Edith Farabee, Ruth Lobough, Bessie Taylor, Mae Taylor, Gwendolyn Jones, Thelma Vaughn, Hazel Tillie, Mrs. Ernest Simmons, who acted as chaperon, and the hostess, Blanche Simmons.

Mrs. I. Moldave left today on the Sunshine for New York, called there by the critical illness of her mother, Mrs. Wolf. She was accompanied by her children.

Mrs. J. E. Walker Jr., of Gorman, and her two daughters, Miss Willie Merie and Miss Gerald, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDonald have gone to San Antonio to spend a few days. They drove through in their automobile, first taking their two children to Dallas to visit Mrs. McDonald's mother.

Mrs. W. B. Smith and children have returned from Colorado points, where they spent several weeks.

Old Time Dances and Music to Win Prizes at Casino

Hear ye! hear ye! hear ye! Old time fiddlers and "square dance" experts gather 'round! There's going to be big doin's at Casino Park on Lake Worth next Sunday, August 26th when the first Annual Old Settlers' Day is celebrated at Fort Worth's popular resort with a contest of young fiddlers, old fiddlers, fiddle bands, callers and square dance couples.

Manager of Casino Park has announced that the entire day will be devoted to the entertainment of the old folks and many events reminiscent of pioneer days will be staged for the edification of the revered guests. Mr. Furness has arranged for an elaborate program and there will be \$500 in cash prizes given in the various contests. Prizes will be given to the best fiddle bands; best set of four couples in square dances; best old fiddler.

Instead of the syncopated strains of "My Lovin' Baby" and the other tunes that please the youths of nowadays, but are not so popular with the old folks, the big dance hall at Casino Park will resound with melodious strains of the waltz, the polka, the scottische, the quadrille; old fashioned music that is music.

Miss Jessie P. Street, whose address is 307 Continental Bldg., Fort Worth, Texas, is now receiving entries for the various contests and will be glad to hear from any who may wish to participate in the contest for the cash prizes. Entries may be made up to 2 p. m., the day of the contest either through Miss Street or at the park offices.

In addition to the good old-fashioned entertainment provided for out-of-town folks who visit next Sunday, there will be the usual countless attractions that will be of great interest to all visitors. Many old folks have never taken a ride in a "speed boat"—this is a thrill that no one, old or young, should miss and there are many other forms of amusements that will delight the throngs that will parade up and down the "board walk" old settlers' day. Mr. Furness has arranged for a tribe of Comanche Indians, headed by big chief "Leather face" to pitch their tents at Casino Park and Indian war dances and tribal ceremonies will bring back old memories to many of the early settlers of Texas.

volume, following the record-breaking June activities, that enabled the total for seven months to reach the high position it occupies. July witnessed a slight decline from the lofty June level. Despite the drop, however, last month held a position topped by only August, 1927, and June of this year.

The large volume of contracts recently awarded indicates that the present rapid pace held by construction activities will be continued for several weeks to come, it is stated.

A scale which places the 1913 average at 100 as its basis, shows the index number for July to be 227 as compared with the mark of 221 recorded for the corresponding month of 1927.

Building In U. S. Continues to Go Steadily Forward

WASHINGTON. — More than four billion dollars have been expended for construction operations of all types in the United States since the opening of this year. The figures, based on actual shipments of construction materials, show the volume of operations carried on during the first seven months of this year to be three percent greater than the total recorded for the corresponding period of 1927. The volume of work handled during July was the greatest ever recorded for that month of the year. It was last month's large

DANCE SEE the big dance each Tuesday and Friday nights at Highway Dance Hall, three miles west of Eastland.

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House Dresses Free! With each fall Dress purchased Friday, Saturday or Monday we will give you absolutely free, your choice of any \$1.95 house dress in the house. Pure thread silk to the top, pointex heel, in values you usually pay \$1.50 for. Friday, Saturday and Monday 89c Limit 2 to a Customer

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AGE FOUR

Too Much Sleep May Be Injurious Declares Expert

PITTSBURGH.—Sleep becomes a vicious habit when carried to excess. Dr. H. M. Johnson, "sleep expert" at the University of Pittsburgh, said today. Most people, Johnson believes, get sufficient rest in the course of six and a half to nine hours to carry them through the day and make their work enjoyable.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Eastland Telegram is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July:

- County Tax Assessor—ELMER COLLINS
Sheriff—VIRGE FOSTER JOHN HART
Member of Congress From 17th District—R. Q. LEE, OF CISCO.
Associate Justice, Place No. 2, 11th Court of Civil Appeals—E. W. PATTERSON.

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HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four-room modern home, furnished, paved street, garage, 102 N. Ammerman. Phone 529.
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FOR SALE—120 acres of land, 4 miles north and 1 mile west of Eastland City. Geo. W. Shahan, Eastland, Texas, R. F. D. No. 2, Box 104.
11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four-room house complete, ready to move into, a bargain, 423 East Olive. See Casey Jones.
23—AUTOMOBILES

DIRECTORY of service stations

- Horned Frog Service Station Eastland Nash Co.
Hurt Gasoline Station Eastland Storage Battery Co.
Quality Service Station Carbon Motor Co., Carbon.
Cowan Filling Station R. J. Raines
Midway Station, 4 miles west Joe P. Tow, 5 miles north Eastland Motor Co.
Texaco Jones, phone 123

Louisiana Coeds Facing New Rules For Early Hours

BATAN ROUGE, La.—Co-eds of Louisiana State University here are facing a curtailment of their heretofore almost "go and come as you please" life when the new semester begins in September, all because Governor Huey P. Long believes modern youth has too much freedom.

The edict of the government, imparted to the faculty of the state institution by Mrs. Mary C. Horget, dean of women, deprives the girls of several date nights a week and insures them more sleep.

New Hope

The Baptist revival conducted by Bro. Howard closed Sunday night the baptizing which was to have been Sunday afternoon, was postponed until the second Sunday in September on account of the rain.

Miss Pearl McGaha, of Alameda has been visiting relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Ella Tate of Baird is visiting friends and relatives here.

A Methodist revival began here Monday night, Aug. 20, conducted by the pastor of the Gorman church. Everyone is invited to attend.

Miss Hazel Warren of Desdemona has been visiting "Uncle Wash" Bennett the past week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Y. N. Campbell, Thursday, a fine boy, Marvin Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Bennett are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Aug. 19, Hazel Marie and mother are doing fine.

Macedonia

It was thought that there would be a good cotton crop this year but since the recent rains, the boll weevils and the boll worms are destroying the fruit until the yield will be very small. However, feed crops are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harris spent last Tuesday visiting Claude Shook and family in the Crocker community.

Mr. and Mrs. Shultz Lambert spent Thursday night at Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fountain's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watkins Jr., attended church at Amity Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Swift and family left Thursday for a vacation trip to Corpus Christi. They returned Sunday.

Miss Maydene Walker spent Wednesday afternoon and night with Geraldine Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Faulkner spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Tharp of near Long branch. Ted and Velma Tharp returned home with them for a few days' visit.

Mrs. P. D. Richardson and daughters, Eva and Ethel, visited Mrs. J. L. Harris and daughter, Faye, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Faye Harris spent Friday night with Geraldine Walker.

Olden

Miss Opal Jones is suffering with a broken nose, caused by a fall she received while in swimming one evening last week.

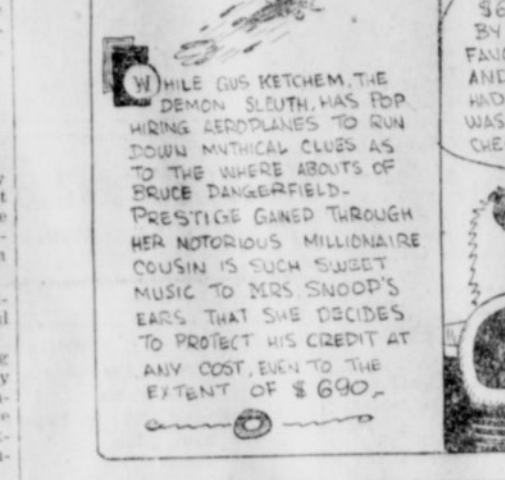
Miss Nannie Allman is in Alexander, Texas, visiting her Aunt Lizzie Allman, who is very ill at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Zummer Butler and family returned to their home in Arizona after a month's visit here with relatives.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



MOM 'N POP



Carbon

Misses Raynelle Rankin and Luella Guy were guests of Dr. W. H. Guy and family of Dublin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Manell and two small children from California are here for a few days' visit with Mrs. Manell's father, W. P. Rankin.

Rev. H. H. Nance and family left Monday for Kerrville where they plan to be about two weeks on a fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gentry, Lucille and Albert, also Mrs. Silas Hocker and daughter, Blanche, of Albany left last week for a ten days visit in Arkansas.

Mrs. S. E. Smith, son, Doyle, and young daughters, Dorothy Nell Marguerite and Francis, were guests of the E. B. Whitsnans Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Truman and children were visiting L. S. Davis and family of Woodson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown who are in school in Denton were guests of W. A. Tate and family last week-end.

J. T. Weaver and family enjoyed a motor trip in West Texas recently, during which time they were guests of relatives in Level-land.

Miss Grace Whisenant was in Rising Star for a short while last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gilbert of Big Springs were visiting relatives here last week. Mrs. W. T. Stubbs returned home with them Sunday for a short visit.

Miss Winnie Rodgers spent last week-end with Miss Effie and Clara Belle High of Ranger.

Mr. Bogus and son of Garden spent last Sunday with his sister, Mrs. A. E. Martin.

Miss Hoyt Wade visited Winnie Rodgers Thursday evening.

Miss Beat McGaha is visiting with relatives near Carbon.

Miss Ruby Apple of Stephenville who will teach in the primary department at Alameda was in the community this week preparing to start to school the third of September.

Mrs. J. M. Elliott and family of Carbon accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Steve Morgan of West, Texas, were evening guests in Mr. C. M. Rodgers' home Wednesday.

Mr. Aaron and Earl Hous spent Sunday with relatives in this community.

DRILLING REPORT

Records for August 21st, 1928, as follows: Kone Production company, Roy Hickman No. B-13; statement before shooting; Brown County, Thos. Benson Survey; producer. Phillips Petroleum company, Roy Hickman No. 15; well record, statements before and after shooting; Brown county, Thos. Benson survey; production increased by shot. Total depth 1283 feet. Guy Dabney No. 1; well record; Brown county, C. E. Brooks Survey No. 1597; gas well. Total depth 1171 feet.



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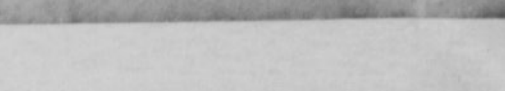
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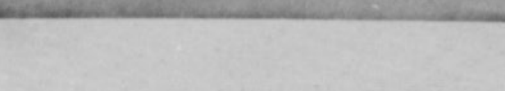
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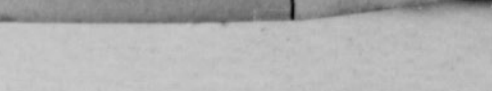
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To the Voters of the 17th. District

It has come to my attention that R. Q. Lee, Candidate for Congress from the Seventeenth District denied in his speech at Abilene that had any knowledge of the stock transaction whereby I lost twenty-five hundred dollars on the sale of the Cisco and Northeastern Railway, that he read an affidavit of J. W. Ray to the effect that he (Ray) bought the stock from me without the knowledge of Lee.

In September 1926, the Secretary of the Board of Directors of Railroad phoned me while I was in Hamlin, that they had a chance sell the road at fifty cents on the dollar. I told him that if I was getting as much as the rest of the stockholders, they could have my stock. My request, Mrs. Olson that day endorsed the stock over to R. Q. Lee subject to the deal being completed.

Walter Ray came to my home on February 14, 1927, and pretended to be paying off the stockholders. I accepted the payment, believing since Ray had been a leading director of the Railroad, he was authorized to make it. I had received no intimation that the stock was being brought in. I signed a receipt for the check, and he took it to Lee and got twice amount he paid me. I DID NOT SELL THE STOCK TO RAY. I accepted payment in the belief that he was authorized to pay. The stock at that time was in Lee's hands, and he permitted Ray to complete the transaction with me, while some other stockholders had received payment.

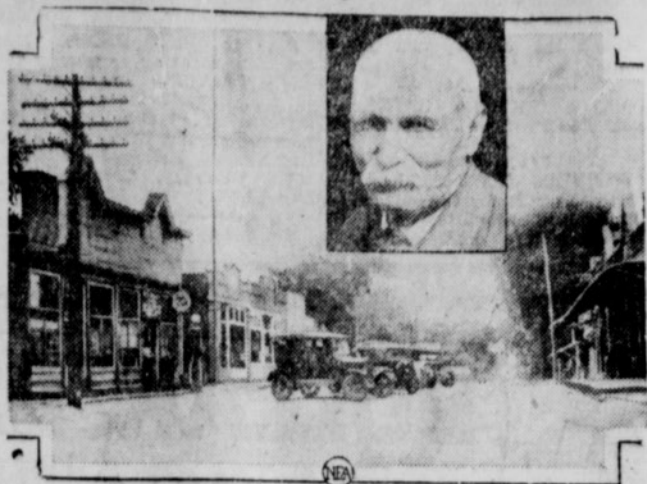
I also notice that Lee claims he was advising stockholders to buy their stock. We received no notification or even an intimation that their stock would be worth par, and Lee had ample opportunity to give us notice.

This statement is made in order that the voters of our district may have the true facts insofar as I was concerned in the Cisco and Northeastern Railway Deal.

Very truly yours, Signed: A. J. OLSON

(Political Advertisement)

Road Is Wealthy Farmer's Gift



When Alexander Coleman of Ft. Madison, Ia., became wealthy he remembered his boyhood home at Hillsboro, which he still owns. He recalled especially how difficult traveling had been for him when he had to take his weekly trips to town. So he had a ten-mile concrete road, costing \$300,000, built through Hillsboro and past his boyhood home, as a memorial and as a help to farmers of the district. The newly-paved main street of Hillsboro, with inset of Coleman, is shown here.

championship of the Americas. Hitchcock realized what a gap Milburn's departure would leave, so he went out and persuaded the veteran Malcolm Stevenson to rejoin the team for the games with the Argentines.

The South Americans have sent a formidable four to the United States. Louis Lacey is a smart, clever mallet wielder and he can put his horsemanship against that of Hitchcock without fear of coming off second best. Horsemanship is the great asset of the Argentine team—all of them are born riders. Nelson, Miles and Kenney work with Lacey like a well-oiled machine. In a recent practice match with a make-shift American four, they loated through the first three crockers, content to stave off the American attack and then start a march down the field. They relied more on surprise formations than on dashing play, and swept aside the opposition with ease.

Baseball Results

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

Texas League. Beaumont 9, Fort Worth 7. Houston 3, Wichita Falls 2. Dallas 12, Waco 1. Shreveport 3, San Antonio 1.

American League.

Philadelphia 6, Cleveland 5. Detroit 7-4, Boston 3-5. Washington 2, Chicago 0. New York-St. Louis, rain.

National League.

Cincinnati 5, New York 4. Brooklyn 3, St. Louis 2. Pittsburgh 10, Boston 3. Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2.

TODAY'S STANDING

Table showing baseball standings for Texas League, American League, and National League with columns for Club, Won, Lost, and Pct.

National League.

Table showing National League standings with columns for Club, Won, Lost, and Pct.

American League.

Table showing American League standings with columns for Club, Won, Lost, and Pct.

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GOING EAST

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.

At Eastland Catch Bus at West Texas Coaches Depot 111 W. Commerce St., Phone 700

Will Be Missed... September 8 when the States four rides out the Argentines for the

Family Menu

BY SISTER MARY

BREAKFAST — Rocky Ford melon, oatmeal, cream, scrambled eggs, broiled tomatoes, papovers, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON — Toasted luncheon sandwiches, cream and apple salad, lemonade.

DINNER — Broiled porterhouse steak, lettuce potatoes, corn on the cob, shredded vegetable salad, pear bread, charlotte, milk, coffee.

Toss shredded head lettuce, cabbage, green peppers, carrots and celery together in a chilled French dressing and serve at once. The vegetables should be shredded and crisped in ice water and then tossed dry in a large square of cheese cloth.

Pear Bread Charlotte

Slices of bread cut one-half inch thick, pears, 1-2 cups milk, 1-2 cup sugar, 2 eggs, 1-4 teaspoon grated nutmeg, 1-4 cup brown sugar, 1-2 teaspoon cinnamon, butter.

Line a baking dish with slices of bread buttered on one side, putting buttered side against the dish. Fill dish with ripe pears, pared, cut in quarters and cored. Sprinkle with grated nutmeg and pour over eggs beaten with sugar and milk. Cover with slices of buttered bread with buttered side up. Sprinkle with brown sugar and cinnamon and cover dish. Bake, covered, for 20 minutes in a moderate oven. Remove cover and bake until fruit is tender and top is brown. Serve warm or cold with a garnish of sweetened whipped cream.

No. 1367 THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Eastland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon E. D. Conger, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, and 91st Judicial District to appear at the next regular term of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, on the first Monday in October, A. D. 1928, the same being the 1st day of October, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of August, A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 13,567, wherein Mrs. Annie Conger is Plaintiff, and E. D. Conger is Defendant, and the cause of action being alleged as follows:

Same is a suit for divorce and plaintiff alleges, as grounds for the same, that the Defendant, without just cause, abandoned plaintiff, and has continued to live apart from her for a period of more than three years.

Herein fail not, but have you

before said Court, on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Eastland, Texas, this 22nd day of August, A. D. 1928.

(SEAL)

WILBOURNE B. COLLIE, Clerk District Court, Eastland County, Texas.

By DOROTHY WATSON, Deputy.

(Aug. 23 and 30; Sept. 6 and 13)

DRILLING REPORT

Records for August 20th, 1928, as follows:

Joe D. Burris et al, J. P. Newton No. 7; intention to drill 8-15-28. Brown county, Patrick Curling Survey; 153 1-2 acres. Depth 1210 feet.

J. P. Newton No. 6; well record; Brown county, Patrick Curling Survey; producer. Total depth 1210 feet.

Roxana Petroleum Corporation, M. L. Smith Nos. 8, 24, 16 and 9; plugging record; Brown county, S. A. M. Survey; 60 acres.

Nolan & Pile et al, J. E. Stevens No. 1; well record, and plugging record; block 5; survey No. 57 Coleman county school land; Coleman county, 40 acres.

Janison & Pollard, J. M. Hinds No. 1; intention to drill 8-7-28. Coleman County, Sec. 75; block 1; G. H. & H. Ry Company Survey; 51 1-2 acres. Depth 2200 feet.

S. W. S. Oil & Gas company, B. S. Boyson No. 1; intention to drill 8-12-28. Brown county, McMillin Survey; 160 acres. Depth 1800 feet.

John S. Baugh No. 3; well record, and plugging record; Brown county, Jno. C. Neal survey No. 636; 160 acres.

Rex-Tex Oil company Py-Tex Oil company, Neal Bamister No. 1; well record; Coleman county, Johnathan Scott Survey; No production; Total depth 1918 feet.

The Midwest Exploration com-

pany, E. F. George No. 3; intention to drill 8-16-28. Brown county, M. Q. Cross survey No. 117; 49 acres. Depth 1350 feet.

E. F. George No. 2; statements before and after shooting; Brown county, M. Q. Survey No. 117; production increased by shot.

Humble Oil & Refining company, Roy Hickman No. 24; intention to drill 8-17-28. Brown county, Thos. Benson survey; 150 acres. Depth 1300 feet.

Simpson, White & Pinkerton et al, J. E. McClure No. 1; intention to drill 8-14-28. Coleman county, block 495; Wharton county school land survey, 2875 acres. Depth 1550 feet.

LONDON TO MELBOURNE The latest schedules show that it should be possible for urgent mails to be all-borne from London to Melbourne by a day-and-night relay system in approximately 179 hours (7 1/2 days). The time for the various stages would be as follows: London to Cairo, 35 hours; Cairo to Karachi, 33 hours; Karachi to Rangoon, 30 hours; Rangoon to Singapore, 18 hours; Singapore to Port Darwin, 33 hours; Port Darwin to Melbourne, 30 hours.

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Millions of Rats Are Put to Death

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 22.—L. C. Whitehead, head of the biological survey of the Federal government here reported 3,690,528 rat tails turned in as the result of 33 organized rat tail campaigns inaugurated in Texas. Boys, girls and adults participated alike in the \$6,500 in prizes offered for rat extermination.

Based on average destruction wrought in one year by one rat, the killing of the rats has saved \$5,532,975 worth of property. In Galveston and Jefferson counties where \$1,700 was used for rat extermination, Whitehead estimates the saving at \$250,000.

Ranchmen are now being interested in the bureau's campaign against gophers and prairie dogs. In irrigation districts the gophers have caused damaging flooding while prairie dog losses are due mostly to the foodstuff destroyed through their digging results in danger to riders and stock.

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Engine

Table listing engine repair costs: Tune motor (including replacement of commutator case, brush and vibrator points if necessary) \$1.00, Grind valves and clean carbon \$3.75 to \$4.00, Overhaul carburetor 1.50, etc.

Rear System

Table listing rear system repair costs: Replace rear axle assembly 2.50, Install universal joint 3.00, Reline brake shoes 1.50, etc.

Front System

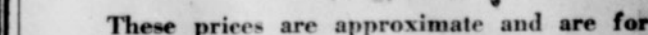
Table listing front system repair costs: Overhaul front axle \$4.00 to 5.00, Rebuild spindle bodies and arms (both sides) 2.50, Replace or straighten spindle connecting rod .75, etc.

Chassis

Table listing chassis repair costs: Tighten all nuts and bolts 3.00, Replace rear fender 1.75, Overhaul steering gear 3.50, etc.

These prices are approximate and are for labor only, because the number of necessary parts needed depends on the condition of each car. The charge for these parts is low, however, because of the established Ford low-price policy.

So that you may get the greatest use from your Model T Ford over the longest period of time, we suggest that you take the car to the nearest Ford dealer and have him estimate on the cost of putting it in good shape. A very small expenditure may be the means of giving you thousands of miles of additional service.



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for cotton if the weevils do not get it.
Rev. F. A. Hollis is conducting a revival meeting at Okra.
G. P. Watson returned from a trip to West Texas, Monday. They had a car wreck while they were gone, but no one was seriously injured.

H. L. Tucker and three sons, Edgar, Willie and Jimmie, have returned to their home in Cleveland, Mississippi after a two weeks' visit in the Throat home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parish's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dulin Monday evening.

A CORRECTION

In the first primary I was eliminated as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Eastland County, Texas. I am reliably informed, and have in my possession a list of a number of my friends who have furnished me the information, that one of my opponent's made various erroneous statements concerning me and my affairs during the campaign preceding the first primary



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election. Among those statements were the following: That I was worth \$50,000.00; that I was the owner of 800 acres of land; that I received \$200,000 per month salary; that I pay \$1,000.00 per year taxes on my estate; that my children were being educated without any expense to me.

In the interest of fair play, and in justice to myself and my children, I desire to correct these errors. None of the above statements are true. It is wholly untrue that I am worth any appreciable sum either in money or property, and that I have any appreciable income from any source. In fact, I am now accepting a position on a salary to support my children and myself. The truth concerning my property, income and my manner of making a living can be ascertained from my closest friends, and from my attorney. I now have in my possession a letter from my attorney regarding my property status, and denying the above reports.

FANNY BURKETT,
(Political Advertising)

The largest day's attendance at the state fair of Texas in 1927 was 209,866. This was on the second Sunday and broke all known records.

PHIL COLEMAN WORLD'S PHENOMENAL Basso

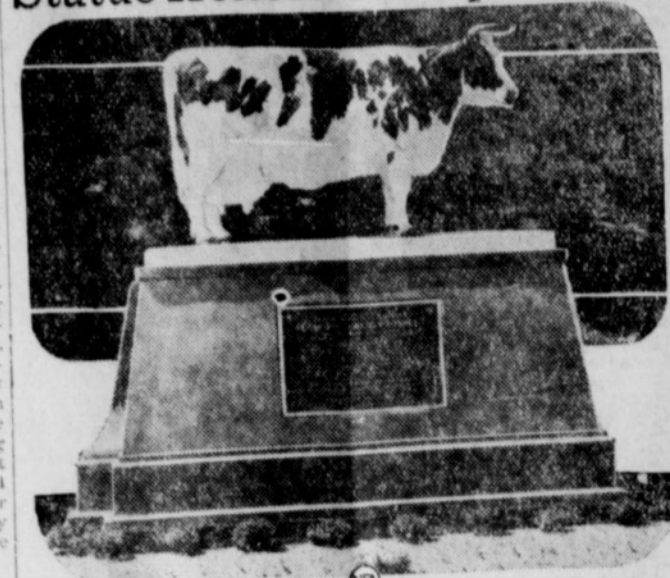


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August 25 and 26

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Change of Program
Each Day



Statue Honors Champion Cow



Historic characters worthy of being immortalized by statues in city parks have a unique companion in the form of Senis Pieterije Prosepot, world's champion milk producer, who died three years ago. Her marble statue, carved by the Los Angeles sculptor, Frederick W. Potter, stands on a farm near Seattle, Wash., where she used to live. Her record was 17,000 quarts of milk in one year.

OUTLINES THE POLICY WOULD BE PREFERRED

(Continued from Page 1.)
In a book "Law and its Origin" recently called to my notice, James C. Carter, one of the leaders of the bar of this country, writes of the conditions which exist "when a law is made declaring conduct widely practiced and widely regarded as innocent to be a crime. He points out that in the enforcement of such a law trials become scenes of perjury and subordination of justice; juries find abundant excuses for rendering acquittals; or persisting in disagreement contrary to their oaths; and he concludes "perhaps worst of all is that general regard and reverence for law are impaired, a consequence the mischief of which can scarcely be estimated." These words written years before the 18th Amendment or the Volstead Act were prophetic of our situation today.

Is For Temperance

I believe in temperance. We have not achieved temperance under the present system. The mothers and fathers of young men and women throughout this land know the anxiety and worry which has been brought to them by their children's use of liquor in a way which was unknown before prohibition. I believe in reverence for law. Today disregard of the prohibition laws is insidiously sapping respect for all law. I raise, therefore, what I profoundly believe to be a great moral issue involving the righteousness of our national conduct and the protection of our children's morals.
"The remedy, as I have stated, is the fearless application of Jeffersonian principles. Jefferson and his followers foresaw the complex activities of this great, widespread country. They knew that in rural, sparsely settled districts people would develop different desires and customs from those in densely populated sections and that if we were to be a nation united on truly national matters, there had to be a differentiation in local laws to allow for different local habits. It was for this reason that the Democratic platform in 1884 announced "We oppose sumptuary laws which vex the citizens and interfere with individual liberty," and it was for this reason that Woodrow Wilson vetoed the Volstead Act.

Wants State's Rights

In accordance with this Democratic principle, some immediate relief would come from an amendment to the Volstead law giving a scientific definition of the alcoholic content of an intoxicating beverage. The present definition is admittedly inaccurate and unscientific. Each state would then be allowed to fix its own standard of alcoholic content, subject always to the proviso that that standard could not exceed the maximum fixed by the Congress.
"I believe moreover that there should be submitted to the people the question of some change in the provisions of the 18th Amendment. Certainly, no one foresaw when the amendment was ratified the conditions which exist today of bootlegging, corruption and open violation of the law in all parts of the country. The people themselves should after this eight years of trial, be permitted to say whether existing conditions should be rectified. I personally believe in an amendment in the 18th Amendment which would give to each individual state itself only after approval by a referendum popular vote of its people the right wholly within its borders to import, manufacture or cause to be manufactured and sold alcoholic beverages, the sale to be made only by the state itself and not consumption in any public place. We may well learn from the experience of other nations. Our Canadian neighbors have gone far in this manner to solve this problem by the method of sale made by the state itself and not by private individuals.

Opposes Saloon

"There is no question here of the return of the saloon. When I stated that the saloon is and ought to be a defunct institution in this country, I meant it. I mean it today. I will never advocate nor approve any law which directly or indirectly permits the return of the saloon.
Such a change would preserve for the dry states the benefit of

national law that would continue to make interstate shipment of intoxicating beverages a crime. It would preserve for the dry states Federal enforcement of prohibition within their own borders. It would permit to citizens of other states a carefully limited and controlled method of effectuating the popular will wholly within the borders of those states without the old evil of the saloon.

Such a method would re-establish respect for law and terminate the agitation which has injected discord into the ranks of the great political parties which should be standing for the accomplishment of fundamental programs for the nation. I may fairly say even to those who disagree with me that the solution I offer is one based upon the historic policy of the Democratic Party, to assure to each state its complete right of local self-government. I believe it is a solution which would today be offered by Jefferson, or Jackson, or Cleveland, or Wilson, if those great leaders were with us.

Other Subjects

"Agriculture, marketing, waterways, flood control, water power, reforestation, labor, protective legislation and other subjects were discussed by Governor Smith, who concluded with the following forecast:
"Victory, simply for the sake of achieving it, is empty. I am entirely satisfied of our success in November because I am sure we are right and, therefore, sure that our victory means progress for our nation. I am convinced of the wisdom of our platform. I pledge a complete devotion to the welfare of our country and our people. I place that welfare above every other consideration and I am satisfied that our party is in a position to promote it. To that end I here and now declare to my fellow countrymen from one end of the United States to the other, that I will dedicate myself with all the power and energy that I possess to the service of our great Republic.

Horse racing will be one of the leading attractions at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21, 1928, as it was in 1927.

Pal of Obregon's Slayer Is Jailed



Upon the assassination of President-elect Obregon of Mexico, Carlos Castro Balda (above), friend of the assassin, escaped. The other day he gave himself up and was jailed in Mexico City. A reward of \$5000 offered for his apprehension was paid to a friend who advised Balda to surrender to police.

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camp out under the stars, will be the feature of the program and fill out the one-day and night session.

HOBO QUILTS THE TRAINS. HE PREFERS AUTOMOBILES

By United Press.
DENVER.—The hobo has deserted the rods for the soft cushions of kind motorists.
"Wise tramps don't seek rail-

road yards to frolic in now-a-days," said J. A. Gross, yardmaster of the Union Pacific. "They are more exacting than they formerly were. The aristocrat hobo in this age of invention paints a sign 'From Coast to Coast,' pins it on his back and starts for Kansas, aiming to fetch up about Thursday, if 'hitch-hiking' is good."

Texas has the largest state fair in the world. In 1927 the attendance was 1,020,317.

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2 1/2 yards bleached or brown Garza Sheeting. 9-4 width, for Dollar Day—
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8 YARDS HOPE DOMESTIC
Bleached Hope Domestic, 36 inches wide, free from starch. Limit of 8 yards for—
\$1.00

8 YARDS BROWN DOMESTIC
36-inch English Print fast colors, values up to 39c yard, special 3 yards for—
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3 TURKISH TOWELS
22x40 two thread Turkish towels, colored stripe borders. A very special value, 3 for—
\$1.00

3 YDS. PRINTS
36 inches wide, good heavy quality brown domestic, smooth finish, special value, 8 yards for only—
\$1.00

BOYS' UNIONS
Sizes 28-32 full cut, excellent quality dimonions for the boy, Dollar Day special, 2 for—
\$1.00

WORK PANTS
Blue with white stripe work pants, values up to \$1.75, for a Dollar Day Special, each—
\$1.00

MEN'S SHIRTS
Men's percale and broadcloth shirts, all sizes, with and without collars attached, solid and fancy colors—
\$1.00

MEN'S UNIONS
Dimity union suits, athletic style, sizes 40-46. This is certainly value at 2 for—
\$1.00

MILLINERY
For Friday and Saturday only, with each ladies' or child's Hat bought \$5.95 or above, we will give \$1.00 off of the regular price.
\$1.00

HOUSE DRESSES
One lot of percale and organdy house dresses in pretty colors and styles, to close out only
\$1.00

BOYS' CAPS
Boys' school caps light and dark pattern. Our regular \$1.25 value for Dollar Day—
\$1.00

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Sheriff's Notice

TO THE VOTERS OF EASTLAND COUNTY

Your Sheriff is up against the hardest fight for re-election that has ever been waged in this county. There have been untrue statements of all descriptions circulated and small issues have been made big to hide the real issue of this campaign.

Let no one be deceived. There is only one issue in this campaign and that is: "Shall the bootleggers have their way in Eastland county, violate our laws, debauch the manhood and even the young boys and girls of our county or shall the bootleggers be sent to the penitentiary where they belong?"

During my term of office THERE HAVE BEEN MORE GRAND JURY INDICTMENTS FOR ACTUAL CRIMES THAN THERE HAS BEEN IN THE COUNTY IN THE SAME LENGTH OF TIME FOR THE PAST 50 YEARS.

Compare this record with the record of my predecessor, whose chief deputy is my present opponent.

Compare this record with the record of my opponent when he was a deputy of Sam Nolley, his commission being recorded in Book 5, Page 149 of the deputation records, county clerk's office. This was only a few years ago and wide-open gambling halls and saloons flourished in his precinct in the broad open light of day.

By their fruits ye shall know them.
I have put in all my time making it hot for the real criminals. I have broken up several cattle-stealing rings and several burglary rings. Most of the big bootleggers have been driven out of the county and others have been sent to jail.

There were two bank robberies during my term of office. One set of bank bandits has been sentenced by the courts, two to death and one to life imprisonment. The other set is now in jail awaiting trial. The opposition has spread the rumor that we have the wrong men, but one of them has confessed the robbery of the Carbon bank and offers to sign a

confession if we will agree not to ask the death penalty. DOES THIS LOOK LIKE WE HAVE GOT THE WRONG MEN?

The opposition has much to say about out-of-county deputies. It would have been wise for me to play politics and to have employed men as deputies who could have thrown me overboard. But I felt that the county was entitled to the best service that the people's tax money could secure. I had promised to do my best to clean up the criminal element in the county. As I was new to the Sheriff's office then, I tried to get experienced officers because things were in bad shape and a big job was confronting us.

One of the two so-called out-of-county men, I brought from Rising Star, the home of my opponent, and he had served down there as a peace officer while my opponent was chief deputy for Mr. Edwards. The people at Rising Star thought so much of this officer that a delegation called on me to urge me to appoint him as a deputy stationed in that city.

The only real out-of-county man on my force left me as soon as the bank robberies were cleared up. I believe that everyone will agree that, while he was here, he did his work honestly and well.

The charge has also been circulated that I did not do my part in pursuing the Cisco bandits. Here is the statement of the Sheriff, two deputy sheriffs and the county attorney of Young County, where the pitched battle was fought and where the last of the gang were captured:

"John S. Hart, Sheriff of Eastland County, was present and took an active part in apprehending the bank robbers and did all within his power in catching them and from the time their trail was picked up in Young County, until they were caught, John S. Hart was on the job and did not let up during all that time in doing his utmost in apprehending these robbers."

A letter voluntarily written to me by two officers of Stephens County—G. H. Deason and R. E. Hickey—states:

"We have been peace officers for many years and, in our entire experience, we have never seen a man who was more alert and who did more to run down and arrest the offenders than you did in connection with the Cisco robbery. If there is anything that you did not do that could have been done to effect their capture earlier, we do not know what it is. You were after them day and night and hardly took time to eat; and Mr. Deason, one of the signers of this letter, was with you continuously for more than 48 hours and knows that you did not take off your clothes during that entire time, but were constantly in search of these men."

These letters are typical of the many letters received from the peace officers of other counties, who took part in the greatest man-hunt that West Texas has ever known.
I have tried to do my duty in order that life and property might be made safer in our great county. With experience I have gained in the past 20 months, I can render you better service if you honor me with a second term.
I was raised in this county; you saw fit to reward me with another county office before placing me in the character as well as I know it myself. The friendship of the splendid people of this county is the greatest treasure that I desire, and to deserve it is my greatest ambition.
Give me your support on Saturday, August 25th, and I pledge you anew to serve you HONESTLY, FEARLESSLY, WITHOUT FAVORITISM, AND TO CONTINUE THE FIGHT AGAINST THE BOOTLEGGERS AND THE OTHER MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED CRIME AND VICE.
Thanking you, I am,
JOHN S. HART,
Candidate for Sheriff, Second Term.