

NUMBER OF DEAD IN STORM REMAINS UNCHANGED; REMOVAL OF WRECKAGE ARDUOUS TASK FOR MANY

NOVEL DEVICE USED TO CARRY WILSON'S WORDS TO SAN DIEGO AUDIENCE

By Associated Press. SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 19.—President Wilson will address what is expected to be the greatest audience of his present speech-making tour in the interest of the peace treaty with Germany, here today when he speaks in the stadium.

The President will be stationed in a glass inclosure in the center of the field and his words will be carried to the crowd by means of a specially constructed mechanical device.

The President was due to arrive at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. It is expected that he will make his second address here at a dinner given by Mayor Wilde. The President and party will spend the night in Coronado, according to the present plans.

GOOD ROAD BONDS WILL MEAN GREATER PROSPERITY FOR ALL; NECESSITY IN LOCAL OIL FIELD

EASTLAND, Sept. 19.—Considerable enthusiasm is being manifested in Eastland county over the proposed bond issue for the construction of good roads. The proposition of whether or not the people of the county desire a system of hard surfaced roads will be presented for definite decision on Sept. 27th.

the saving in hauling over an improved road to be five cents per ton-mile, even though experience demonstrates that the correct amount is two cents. Using this data it will be seen that the saving in hauling in two years will pay for the road in full. Or, consider as the interest on the investment at six per cent, it would permit an expenditure of something over \$150,000 per mile for the road.

Only one county in this state has proposed a larger issue than this, which was passed without difficulty. While Dallas county holds this distinction at the present time, the distinction is not nearly so remarkable in the case of Eastland county. The assessed valuation of this latter county two years ago was approximately eleven million dollars.

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RESIDENTS OF ABILENE ARE LOST IN STORM

Special Leased Wire. ABILENE, Sept. 19.—Several Abilene people were at Corpus Christi during the storm and at least one is dead and several other residents are missing.

Mrs. C. M. Cash, wife of Dr. C. M. Cash, former mayor of San Benito, is listed as missing. She was visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Fuller, at Corpus Christi. Mrs. Fuller and her three children also are missing.

Mrs. W. O. Shackelford of Abilene saw the name of her niece, Maurine Card, among the list of those drowned. The child's home was at McAllen.

Telegrams have been received reporting the safety of W. T. Redell and family of Abilene, who were at Corpus Christi during the storm. Ben C. Johnson, local cotton man, who also was in the storm-stricken city, is safe, according to a telegram to his wife. Many Abilene citizens have relatives in the storm area and have been unable to hear from them.

NORTH TEXAS FIELD GAINS 7,000 BARRELS

FORT WORTH, Sept. 19.—There is a gain of approximately 7,000 barrels in the daily average production for North Texas over the output for last week.

The principal gains for this week were registered in Stephens county and in the Northwest Burkburnett field, each of these showing a gain of approximately 3,000 barrels. Small gains were registered also in the Ranger pool and in the Desdemona district.

The total daily average of the whole territory is 254,500 barrels. Of this amount 155,500 barrels come from the Ranger or Southern territory and the remaining 99,000 is from the Wichita Falls territory.

The principal producing areas, together with the average daily output of each, follow: Burkburnett, 87,000 barrels; Electra, 10,500; Ranger, 62,500; Stephens county, 45,500; Desdemona, 45,500. The remainder of the production comes from the smaller pools, Iowa Park, Petrolia and Holliday, in the Wichita Falls district, and from the small pools at Morgan and Strawn and from Coleman and Brown counties in the Southern territory.

Desdemona and Stephens County Have New Wells

FORT WORTH, Sept. 19.—The Desdemona district and the Stephens county fields afforded about the only completions reported Thursday. The Texas company's N. J. Brooks No. 1, in the Parks pool, south of Breckenridge, is making 1,000 barrels at the usual Stephens county depth.

The Stanford No. 1, of the D. & R. Oil company in the Caddo field is showing for 375 barrels and the Mid-Kansas company's Carey No. 4, also in the Caddo district, is making two barrels. This company has succeeded in getting only very small wells out in its Carey Nos. 2, 3, and 4.

The Carey No. 1, the big gusher of Stephens county, is still making something like 1,000 barrels.

In the Desdemona pool Maschow and associates have a 1,000-barrel well on the Rushing town lot in the southeast part of town. Moore and associates, also on a Desdemona town lot, have a 500-barrel well in their Cowan No. 2.

FEAR MANY LOST ON SHIP, STORM TORN

By Associated Press. HAVANA, Sept. 19.—Two Cuban gunboats are searching the northern shore of the island for a trace of the Spanish steamship Valbanera, nine days overdue.

The steamer, which has several hundred passengers aboard, was caught in the tropical hurricane. Several times her wireless calls have been heard, but they were too faint to learn her exact location.

Contributions For Sufferers Are Received

Ranger has not awakened to the need of helping the unfortunates who were made destitute by the hurricane which swept over the Gulf ports Sunday. Two contributions were received today at The Times office:

C. E. Cobb, \$5.00; Robert Byrnes, \$5.00. The offer made by Pilots Bill Hinkel and Bob Kennedy of the Oil Fields Air Line, for a program of aerial stunts over Ranger if some public-spirited individual or individuals would subscribe the sum of \$500 to the flood relief, still stands.

Inclement weather today held up the program of sight-seeing flights, proceeds of which were to be turned entirely to the fund.

EXECUTION OF FRENCH SPY IS POSTPONED

PARIS, Sept. 19.—Announcement was made this morning of the postponement of the execution of Pierre Lenoir, convicted of communicating military intelligence to the enemy, who was to have faced a firing squad at dawn today.

The place of execution was ready when a party of lawyers, a chaplain and a military justice asked Lenoir if he wished to say anything. The condemned man asked the privilege of confronting Joseph Galloux, the former premier, now under arrest for the same charge. When the request was made known to the under-secretary of military justice, the execution was ordered postponed.

STAMFORD BANKS ARE IN FINE CONDITION

Special to The Times. STAMFORD, Sept. 19.—Total individual deposits of the three banks here amounted to \$1,360,001.95 according to official statement rendered on the roll of the controller for Sept. 12. This is an unusually good showing for the time of the year, and especially so when compared with the two years previous to this.

REGENCY WELL MAY BE COMPLETED SOON, REPORT

SAN SABA, Sept. 19.—Oil is reported to be standing at a depth of 1,250 feet in the Regency well, known commonly around here as the Young well. The well was thought to be abandoned for a while, at a depth above 1,200, but drilling has been resumed and indications are that the well will be a completion soon.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE TO ENTER POLICIS

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—The Anti-Saloon League will enter politics immediately, it was announced today, to enforce the demand that the political parties next year nominate candidates for president who are open to pledged to unreserved enforcement of the prohibition amendment.

COAL AND OIL ARE FOUND IN JOHNSON CO.

Special Leased Wire. When drilling thirty feet of coal is said to have been struck in Johnson county.

STAGE SET FOR OPENING ACTION AT JAKEHAMON

Jakehamon is the interest focus of the country. West Texas is talking the new townsite, watching it and packing up its kit bag to make ready to visit it and be there at the opening of the sale Monday morning.

Five hundred letters in the offices of the Hamon & Kell interests in Ranger, from every sort of business man, asking about the new town, if reservations can be made and what price the lots will be held at, indicate the business interest that is felt in the new railroad town on the Hamon & Kell railroad, twenty miles south of Ranger.

The house which will be the storm center of the sale Monday morning is complete—a seven-room structure. The station for Jakehamon, a 339,000 structure, in the hands of H. F. Killingsworth, a Ranger contractor, starts today. The work of building the new townsite is complete. The stage is set for the rapid action of the opening.

George McQuaid, publicity director for the Hamon & Kell interests, returned Thursday from Fort Worth and Dallas, where the extensive work of printing preparatory to opening the new oil field town is being finished. An abstract, printed in non-partial type, covering page after page, will prove to each purchaser the valid title to the property he purchases.

The plans of the new town are in the printers' hands now and copies may be in the offices at Ranger by Saturday. They will be ready for distribution in Ranger, and Jakehamon by Sunday, at the latest. Each lot will be plainly marked with the price, it will be a matter of "first come, first served," and no reservations prior to the opening have been made.

Between 5,000 and 6,000 men will be there for the opening, is the estimate Mr. McQuaid makes. They will pour into Desdemona and Jakehamon from Ranger, from Stephenville and from Dublin, with wagons, trucks, automobiles and mayhap, on foot. They'll have to get there, and no doubt some of the pioneers will rebel against the arbitrary rates which the service car pirates will put into effect for the day.

Two Texas Rangers, specially appointed by Governor Hobby for this duty, already are on the site and will handle the task of keeping order in the new town. It is expected that there will be too much business to allow much time for lawlessness.

A bank will be on the job from the minute of the opening to provide deposits and transaction of banking. Walter Nance of Mena, Ark., will establish it, with a safe and a tent to house it as his banking paraphernalia. It will be called the First Bank of Jakehamon and will be succeeded later by the First National Bank of Jakehamon, as soon as the national charter is granted.

Col. Jake L. Hamon, who returned to Ranger Friday from a business trip to Oklahoma, Col. Holman, Capt. McFarland and Mr. McQuaid and others of the Hamon party will make the drive to the new townsite Sunday morning, to be on the ground for the opening.

CISCO SENDS AID TO CORPUS STORM VICTIMS

Special Leased Wire. CISCO, Sept. 19.—Postmaster R. A. St. John of this city called upon the citizen residents and all visitors coming in his way and asked for donations for the aid of the storm sufferers of South Texas Wednesday. A liberal amount was secured and a wire was sent authorizing the relief committee to draw on a local bank for amounts secured.

Cisco citizens always respond promptly to such calls. The people remember how well sympathizing friends throughout the state came to their aid in 1895, when this city was completely wiped up by a cyclone, laying to waste within a few moments the entire city.

A large amount of cash was secured for the storm sufferers, as it was not certain that ships could be gotten through quick enough. Many people of this city have relatives at Corpus Christi and have endeavored to get wire donations, but failed.

STORM DEATH LIST IS EXPECTED TO GO HIGHER; ONLY FEW IDENTIFIED

By Associated Press. CORPUS CHRISTI, Sept. 19.—With long stretches of the Nueces bay shore line yet unvisited by searchers and in fact, the wreckage here yet unremoved, the death list in Sunday's storm which swept this portion of the Texas gulf was expected to undergo a further revision upward today.

Last night of 284 bodies which are reported to have been buried, only eighty-two were identified. With no material change in the death roll reported today, the work of clearing away the debris from the streets occupied most of the attention of the relief directors, and wreckage left by Sunday's storm and tidal wave is being moved rapidly from the downtown section.

The warm sun aided materially in the work, as the removal of the wreckage left mire formed from the sand and other sediment brought in from the bay by the water.

Military control in this city and vicinity passed from federal to state jurisdiction at noon today, in accordance with the request by Governor Hobby. Colonel John A. Porter, who has been in command, announced that a truck company and its facilities had been placed at the disposal of the mayor.

Efforts to confirm the death of Bishop P. J. Nussbaum of the Corpus Christi Catholic diocese were unsuccessful today, although his name was included in the official list issued last night as among the "identified dead." He was in New Orleans, the latter part of last week.

ACROSS U.S. ALLIES GIVE FLIGHT WITH TREATY TO 14 STARTED THE BULGARS

By Associated Press. MINNELA, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Carrying fourteen passengers, the Lawson air liner left today for Washington on the first leg of its proposed trans-continental flight.

After the delegates had assembled Premier George Clemenceau, president of the peace conference, spoke briefly and was followed by General Theodoroff, head of the Bulgarian mission.

Although the United States was not at war with Bulgaria, she was a signatory to the treaty for the purpose of adding her influence in securing observance of the League of Nations, which is an integral part of the pact.

FOWLER TALKS FOR ROADS ON TRIP SATURDAY

C. S. Fowler, state highway commissioner, who presented strong arguments for the passage of the road bonds when he talked at the Chamber of Commerce smoker at the Liberty theatre Wednesday night, will get back into the fight for better highways in Eastland county Saturday morning, according to a telegram from him Friday.

He offered to speak in Desdemona and Gorman and if possible in Eastland, and arrangements have been made by A. Learned of the Road Roads committee of the Chamber of Commerce that he will be able to be in two of these places, at least. Telegrams have gone out to Dr. Snodgrass at Desdemona, to Dr. Kimball at Gorman and to Senator Breakford at Eastland to make arrangements for the meetings.

The type of roads that at present make Eastland county a profane expletive in the mouth of every tourist and shipper will make this trip a difficult one, over more than fifty miles of unspeakable roads. Mayor Hagaman, George Hemmingson, and Mr. Learned will make the trip with Mr. Fowler, leaving Ranger at 8:30 a. m.

DR. COLLINS TO SPEAK AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Dr. Collins, of Denton, Texas, a noted evangelical preacher, will hold services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and Sunday night.

The public is cordially invited to attend these two services and it is hoped that a large number will take advantage of the opportunity to hear Dr. Collins.

DEEP TEST FOR OIL BRING MADE NEAR MERRILL

FORT WORTH, Sept. 19.—A deep test for oil is being made by the Sheppard Oil company near Merrill, about half mile west of Beitz. The well is now setting 30-inch casing. There are 200 feet of oil in the well at six feet now.

BALEMORE, Sept. 19.—The Sovereign Grand Lodge, Independent Order of Oil Fellows and affiliated bodies, finished their annual convention here today.

STEL WORKERS GET READY FOR STRIKE

PITTSBURG, Sept. 19.—An headquarters of the steel and iron workers' strike committee today prepared a list of 200 vehicles a day.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—A nationwide strike of Baptist ministers, unless they are granted higher salaries, was advocated today in a statement issued by Charles A. McAlpine, member of the national committee of northern Baptist laymen.

SAYS PREACHERS OUGHT TO GO ON STRIKE

"If I were still a minister and my salary was not more than \$800 per annum, which is the average salary of a minister, I would go on strike."

STATE OF SIEGE AT MOSCOW IS REPORTED

Helsingfors, Sept. 19.—The newspaper Prada of Petrograd today published a soviet government proclamation declaring that a state of siege exists in Moscow.

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# Where Ranger Fills Its Market Basket

Firms on This Page Are Merchants Whom The Times Feels It Can Recommend to Housewives of Ranger and to Buyers for Camps and Oil Co.'s

## Armless Judge Says Texas Best in World

DALLAS, Sept. 19.—"France and England may be all right for Frenchmen and Englishmen, but Texas is the only place for Texans," declares Judge Quentin D. Corley, armless lawyer, who has just returned to his home here after two months' service in England and France offering cheer and consolation to men who lost limbs in the recent war.

Judge Corley, although armless, can, by devices of his own invention, do most of the things possible for a normal man. He resigned as county judge of Dallas county two months ago and went to Europe solely to offer encouragement to disabled men and to show them by his own example that a man need not despair of his future usefulness merely because of the loss of a limb or two.

Judge Corley's itinerary was arranged by the British Red Cross and the British ministry of pensions. He estimates that he spoke to 15,000 men crippled in battle during his trip through London, Leeds, Birmingham, Manchester, Liverpool and Glasgow. Later he spent one week in France.

The English cripples appeared very bright and cheerful, despite their handicap, said Judge Corley, who quoted statistics compiled by the British war office showing that 58 men who served with the British army lost both arms, 1,000 lost both legs, 1,600 both eyes, and 36,000 lost either a leg or an arm.

"England is facing a reconstruction problem far exceeding that of the United States," the judge said. "Many men are idle and production is at a low ebb. However I believe conditions will turn out all right in the end. Food rationing still is in effect and a fuel shortage is imminent."

"There is no doubt but that if the United States and its business men will take advantage of the present opportunities this country can control the trade of the world in the next five or six years."

### DRILLING ACTIVITIES IN JACK COUNTY FIELD

The Chamber of Commerce of Jackboro, Jack county, has issued the following bulletin of drilling activities in that county:

D. Mackenzie, J. W. Knox No. 1, located on the Knox terrace near the center of the Patrick Osborn survey, two and three-fourths miles east of Jackboro, drilling at 975 feet.

Bennett Oil Corporation, J. W. Knox No. 1, located on the Knox terrace near the center of the Elisha T. Robinson survey, four and one-half miles southeast of Jackboro, shut down awaiting tools.

Casden Oil & Gas Company, Victor Stewart No. 1, northwest corner T. E. & L. Company survey No. 2, 783 fifteen miles northwest of Jackboro, drilling at 2,700 feet.

Casden Oil & Gas Company, Cheryholmes No. 1, northeast corner of the Irwin survey, twelve miles northwest of Jackboro, drilling at 3,700 feet, showing oil.

Southern States Oil Company, Cheryholmes No. 1, center of G. & B. N. survey No. 4, eight miles east of Jackboro, drilling around 1,500 feet.

Hatson & Jackson, Lindsay estate No. 1, southeast corner of Isaac N. Wright 640-acre survey, eight and one-half miles north of Jackboro, shut down at 1,015 feet.

Frontier Oil & Gas Company, David Lindsay No. 1, west central part of Isaac N. Wright 1,420-acre survey, nine miles north of Jackboro, trip, awaiting tools.

S. R. Felt, Dr. J. Younker No. 1, south of Wood county school land survey, fourteen miles north of Jackboro, drilling around 1,400 feet.

Great Plains Oil & Gas Company, Green Brothers No. 1, southwest corner T. E. & L. Company survey No. 2, 730, twelve miles south of Jackboro, 1,370 feet, closed down pending readjustment of drilling contract.

### Inspection of All Meat Urged

Special to The Times. WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The stability of the livestock and meat industries of this country depends on public confidence, and until the public has assurance all of its meat is wholesome the work of establishing public confidence will be incomplete. At present about two-thirds of the meat consumed is federally inspected and stamped accordingly by the United States department of agriculture, but until some more effective steps are taken toward insuring proper inspection of the remaining one-third which is inspected only by the state government, the public, as a whole, can never feel certain that the meat supply is guaranteed wholesome. These statements were emphasized by Dr. John R. Mohler, chief of the bureau of animal industry of the United States department of agriculture, in an address on Sept. 16, before the American Meat Packers' Association, in session at Atlantic City. The bureau of animal industry, he said, has just completed a survey of municipal and state meat inspection. The data gathered show that less than one-third of the cities in the United States with a population of 5,000 or more maintain any kind of meat inspection. Where inspection is maintained it is frequently incomplete. Less than one-fourth of the cities reporting indicated that ante-mortem examinations are made and in many cases little assurance was furnished that condemned meats were actually withheld from distribution.

Local Inspection Important. "If your association has any real interest in municipal and state inspection," Dr. Mohler continued, "my remark would be incomplete if I did not urge upon you a close study of the conditions and problems."

The days of resisting inspection he said, are past, as is the idea of a mere pretense of inspection is repugnant to the public. The destruction of condemned meat, he stated, is no more wasteful than condemning the use of wooden cars in a trail of steel cars.

An inspection worthy of the name, Dr. Mohler stated, must be thorough, including an examination both before and after slaughter and study of the organs as well as the meat itself. Such inspection can be given at a low cost. The bureau of animal industry maintains its very thorough inspection service at a cost to the people of less than 6 cents for every animal slaughtered. The amount covers both ante-mortem and post-mortem inspection and the final examination of the finished product.

Only Interstate Meat Affected. Federal inspection applies to all slaughter houses and packing plants engaged in interstate or export trade. Where the products of the establishment are consumed entirely within the state the national government has no authority to inspect the animals it slaughters or the products it produces. It has been found that federal inspection covered, in 1918, 75.1 per cent of cattle slaughtered, an increase of 13.7 per cent over the corresponding figure in 1914. In the same period the per capita consumption of beef increased 13.5 per cent. Dr. Mohler thinks that, with the similarity of the figures, may be largely a coincidence, it is significant that federal inspection of meats has "something to do with the amount which people eat. In view of such conditions, he said, it is obvious from the standpoint of public service that

changes in local meat regulations should be made that will insure the people of the country with some meat and ample supply. He told of a woman who recently appeared before the city council of San Diego, Cal., which was debating

council. She explained that Uncle Sam's children were just as valuable to her as Uncle Sam's were to him.



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- Bananas, per dozen ..... 50c
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BY A DAILY TIMES WANT AD

# 100-Acre Royalty Sells for \$75,000

EASTLAND, Sept. 19.—On the southwest corner of the Brooks heirs' tract, four and a half miles south of Eastland, the Southwestern Oil Development company's well, which has been making five hundred barrels by heads for several days, forty-five feet in the black lime at a depth of 3,369 feet struck a sand at 3,385 feet. This well is flowing 1,200 barrels of oil and a great deal of gas after having drilled into this sand and about three feet. Drilling temporarily has been suspended because the tools cannot be kept on the bottom of the hole, owing to the oil and gas pressure.

A few hundred feet east the Ocean Oil company's well is flowing 1,200 barrels at a depth 3,414 feet. On the pleasant Grove church lot, Balentine's number two well has a good showing of oil today in the top of the lime at 3,320 feet. Offsetting the Pleasant Grove cemetery lot on the J. W. Turner tract the well of Barclay and others is making 200 barrels of oil apparently in the top of the big pay.

Three and a half miles north of Eastland on the Peoples tract, the Empire Oil and Fuel company is down 3,550 feet in a hole in which it expects to reach the pay sand at 3,566 feet. A good showing of oil was obtained in the top of a black lime.

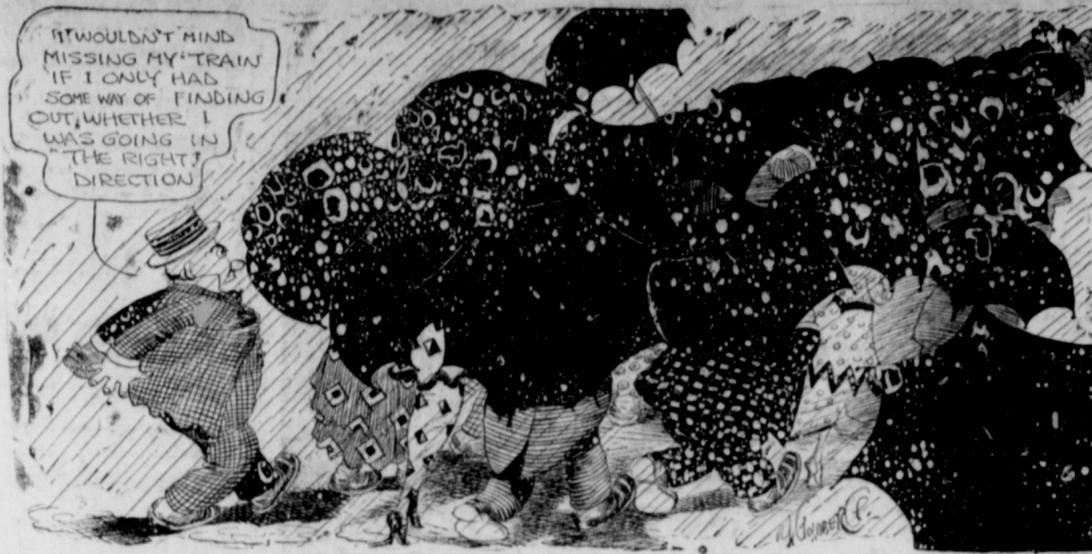
The Arizona Oil company well on the Kincaid tract, a mile and a half north of Eastland began making from 200 to 400 barrels of oil in the top of the black lime today and much interest in the territory in which it is drilling is being taken.

Hereafter nothing but small production at best has been looked for from the direction in which the wells lie, but it looks now as if something big will be brought in there. The Kincaid is immediately west of the Brelsford tract, on which there is a well that has averaged 70 barrels a day for some time. Senator Brelsford who owns the tract which contains 800 acres, today sold the royalty in an undivided 100 acres out of it for \$75,000. His well, which is 300 feet east of the Kincaid line is not included in the sale.

## NEW UNIVERSITY COACH IS READY FOR TRAINING

Special to The Times.  
AUSTIN, Sept. 15.—"Doc" Ghent Graves, captain-elect of the 1920 Longhorns, has written the coaches of the University of Texas that he will be on hand for the pre-season training, which begins September 15. Football enthusiasts of 1919 will recall the marvelous work of Graves at during the Texas-A. & M. game Thanksgiving, when he downed A. & M. backs time after time for big losses, besides several sensational forward passes. Graves is a Galveston boy and this marks his fourth year of attendance at the university. He promises to be one of the most popular captains Texas has had.

# RUBE GOLDBERG'S BOOBS—Wanted, a Traffic Law to Regulate Umbrellas



## OJINAGA IN RUINS CAUSED BY REVOLUTION

By Associated Press.  
OJINAGA, Mexico, Sept. 19.—Rearing their crumbling walls along the sky-line of the south bank of the Rio Grande the ruins of Ojinaga, opposite Presidio, Texas, tragically exemplify the ravages wrought in Mexico by eight years of revolution. The town, which frequently has been mentioned in newspaper dispatches recently as headquarters of Gen. Antonio Pruneda, who was instructed by his superior to co-operate with the American punitive expedition, has been bombarded several times and has been in the hands of many masters. Years ago it was a flourishing little city, doing considerable business with the American side.

Today it is a wreck. The customs house, the walls of which are gaily decorated in colors of pathetic tawdriness, as if to conceal the underlying shabbiness of the structure, the ancient church, which has escaped comparatively scathless; the flat-roofed, one-story military headquarters; a few dingy shops—these are the Ojinaga that is; and scattered throughout the town are the empty and cracked shells of buildings that were.

Ojinaga's ruin is more nearly complete than that of most other revol-

racked Chihuahua towns. Chihuahua City has been battered and buffeted by war, but it still wears at least the semblance of some prosperity. Juarez has gone through many an ordeal of fire and sword, yet it retains a certain air of bustle and gaiety. Not so with Ojinaga. Her own citizens are quickest to admit the town's utter desolation; but they also are quick to add that when normal conditions are restored Presidio's twin again will come into its own.

## TWO MEXICAN TOWNS IN BITTER FEUD

By Associated Press.  
PRESIDIO, Sept. 19.—Bitter as the feud between Athens and Sparta is that which has existed for years between Cuchillo Parado and Coyame, two Chihuahua towns that figured in the news recently during the latest punitive expedition into Mexico. The quarrel between the two communities arose many years ago over the question of boundaries. At first there was bloodshed; now there is merely smoldering hatred, which is kept alive largely because Cuchillo Parado favors Francisco Villa and Coyame is strongly federal in its sympathies.

"Cuchillo Parado is a city of widows and orphans," said Cime Ben-gochoa, Mexican consul at Presidio, commenting upon the strong ill-feeling that prevails between the two

places. "So many men have been slain in battle that few males of fighting age are left.

"The present official name of the town is 'Twenty-fifth of March,' in commemoration of a battle fought there between Mexicans and the French on that date in 1862. The name of the town was changed by the Mexican government, because 'Cuchillo Parado' (upright knife) had an unpleasant ring. The natives of the place, however, continue to use the descriptive name, which originated from the peculiar sharpness of the mountain ridge in the region."

## SAYS HE'S NEPHEW OF EX-MONTENEGRO KING

By Associated Press.  
ANACONDA, Mont., Sept. 19.—Louis Jukanovich, machinist employed by a smelter here, declares he is a nephew of former King Nicholas I and Queen Milena of Montenegro, and a cousin of Queen Helena of Italy. His brother, Elijah V. Jukanovich, is in the service of the American Red Cross in Montenegro. He left here two years ago to become an interpreter, loss of an eye having prevented his entrance into military service. Many of his relatives, Jukanovich says, are in Serbian prisons, among them Marko Jukanovich, who, he says, served as minister of state during the rule of King Nicholas. The fact that his brother, like himself, is an Amer-

ican citizen, keeps him out of difficulty with Serbian authorities, Jukanovich says.

## MEXICAN LABORERS GO TO NORTHER STATES.

By Associated Press.  
CORPUS CHRISTI, Sept. 19.—Many Mexican laborers, brought into the United States to relieve the acute labor shortage in border states, are leaving farms and going to states as far north as Pennsylvania and Minnesota, according to J. A. Burnett, United States immigration official with headquarters at Laredo. To bring these men back to southern farms where they are under contract to remain is costing the federal government much money, he says.

"Hundreds of Mexicans are being brought across the border under terms of a temporary arrangement which was formulated to relieve the labor shortage in this section," said Mr. Burnett. "Many of these laborers break their contracts and some have been found as far north as Pittsburgh and Duluth. It costs a great deal of money to get them back, but the government will see to it that they are returned to their stations and eventually to Mexico."

Mr. Burnett called attention to the fact that all requests for laborers from Mexico must be made directly to the San Antonio office of the United States Employment Bureau.

## Marriage Licenses

Henry Lovell and Ethel Greenwood, both of Carbon.  
William L. Trim and Mary Katherine Davis, both of Ranger.  
Lester Frost and Edith Crotwell, both of Eastland.  
Louie Boyd and Mrs. Hattie Fleming both of Strawn.

## ABILENE COLLEGE TURNS MANY AWAY

ABILENE, Sept. 19.—In spite of extraordinary efforts to prevent such an occurrence, Simmons college was forced to turn away many students yesterday because no place could be found to put them. Every dormitory is full to overflowing and all available rooms in private homes in the vicinity of the college are occupied. As many as three persons are in one room in the dormitories and all spaces in the halls and alcoves have been taken as bedrooms. Repeated appeals from President J. D. Sandefer for citizens to open their homes to the students met with ready response, but still not enough rooms could be found.

The twenty-eight annual session, which began yesterday, will be the best in the institution's history. It likely will be Simmons' last term as a college, as steps are afoot to turn it into a university next year.

## MRS. COPE OF ABILENE LOSES RELATIVE IN ST

By Associated Press.  
ABILENE, Sept. 19.—Mrs. George W. Baker, one of the victims of the storm at Corpus Christi, was an aunt by marriage of Mrs. Jesse Cope of Abilene. Mr. Baker, Mrs. Cope's uncle, is also an uncle of State Treasurer John W. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker owned the Pavilion Hotel at Corpus Christi and spent their winters at that place, having gone there recently from their home at Coleman, where they have extensive property interests. According to a telegram to Mrs. Cope, Mr. Baker escaped safely from the storm.

A new Democratic daily paper will be established in Texas with in the next sixty days, according to Charles F. Greenwood, chairman of the State Democratic Advisory Committee. Both Houston and Dallas are under consideration as possible homes for the new paper.

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Oil and gas leases, mineral deeds, and royalty contracts filed in the office of County Clerk Earl Bender are: J. Frank Beard to H. M. Murray, part of W 1/2 of 160 acre tract out of S. H. Key survey, part of 80 acres out of A. J. Gray survey, part of 200 acres patented to Wm. Chapman, Eastland county, assignment, \$1, etc. L. S. Black to J. B. Wade, part of E half of D. S. Richardson survey, Eastland county, assignment. L. A. White to A. A. Hutton, part of survey 48, block 2 H. & T. C. Ry. Co., Eastland county, assignment, \$3,000. Joseph M. Weaver to Sun Co., part of NW 1/4 section 24, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., survey, Eastland county, assignment, \$1, etc. J. J. Patterson to A. A. Hutton, part of A. Smelser survey, Eastland county, assignment, \$1, etc. F. A. Loftis to G. A. Wood, part of 5 acres out of J. O. Sue tract in S. J. Robinson survey, Eastland county, assignment, \$1, etc. Jesse Cargile et al to H. M. Cargile, part of SW 1/4 section 455, S. P. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county, assignment, \$1, etc. W. E. Jones to W. V. Thraves, part of 2 acres out of 143 acres in section 125 of H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Stephens county, assignment, \$1, etc. J. T. Hyatt et ux to J. C. McKinney, part of 160 acres patent to W. M. C. Wallace, Patent No. 347, assignment, \$1. Ira Lee Dabney to W. W. Wheatley, part of 125 acres out of D. S. Richardson survey, Eastland county; royalty mineral deed, \$34,000. L. Anaris to J. C. McKinney, part of 258 acres out of D. & D. A. Mingo, Eastland county, royalty contract, \$500. F. A. Hyatt et al to J. C. McKinney, part of 125 acres out of W. C. Justice survey, Eastland county, royalty contract, \$4600. W. H. Puet et ux to A. A. Tate, part of land patent to G. W. Robinson, Patent No. 109, Volume 7, Eastland county, royalty contract, \$500. R. A. Porter to W. W. Wheatley, 1/2 acre.

part of 100 acres out of Juan A. Cebella tract, Eastland county, royalty contract, \$2,000. Liff Sanders to W. W. Wheatley, part of 100 acres out of Juan A. Cebella tract, Eastland county, royalty contract, \$1,000. R. C. Shovate to J. P. Sevel, part of 136 acres out of D. S. Richardson survey, Eastland county; \$37,400. C. H. Power et ux to J. A. Templeton et al, part of J. R. Stubbiefield survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$1,000. Edwin A. Cox et al to E. T. Morgan, part of 60 acres, patent to J. P. Juan Carbelle survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$11,750. R. E. Leacher to D. N. Eurlison, part of Wm. De Moss survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$1,900. O. Thurman to A. E. Wood, part of 500 acres patent to O. H. Priddy, patent No. 258, Juan Carbelle survey, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$1. Frank Vaughn to W. W. Wheatley, part of Juan A. Cebella survey, containing 100 acres, Eastland county; royalty contract, \$4,000. F. A. Loftis to G. A. Wood, part of 4 acre tract out of SE corner of 8 1/2 of NE 1/4, section 4, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., Eastland county; mineral deed, \$1. F. A. Loftis to G. A. Wood, part of 196 acres out of J. O. Sue tract, S. J. Robinson survey, Eastland county; mineral deed, \$1. F. A. Loftis to G. A. Wood, part of SW corner of 4 acre tract served for Robolfe Cruz, Eastland county, mineral deed, \$1. Mrs. A. B. Mosley et al to J. I. Wallace, part of 70 acres out of NE corner of W. I. Wofford tract, Eastland county; mineral deed, \$1000. E. S. Aldrich to Flourney Carter, part of one acre out of SE subdivision 4, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land, Eastland county; mineral deed \$10. etc.

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The people of the U. S. got their first real chance to show their appreciation of General Pershing's services overseas when he led the famous First division, also just returned, in the parade in New York. Thousands lined Fifth avenue to cheer the commander and the division. War Secretary Baker, other government officials, Cardinal Mercier, just arrived from Belgium, and other notables waved too, cheered and smiled at Pershing and the men as they swung past the reviewing stand.

Girl's Loss of Her Memory May Be Cause of Mystery

McALESTER, Okla., Sept. 19.—New developments in the kidnaping of Miss May Herd Sunday just before her intended wedding, raise more of a mystery of the whole affair. One was seen by one person to get into taxi-car on Monroe street. Witnesses testified yesterday to seeing the automobile with her at that time for the abduction. Joe Atkinson, a North Side resident saw the cabby car described by the other racing along North Main street, a woman lying in a man's arms in the back seat. "Just a newly married couple," he remarked to his wife, and did not think any more of the incident until Miss Herd's disappearance became known. Jack Willie Caldwell, a barber and his wife, driving north of the Jefferson Knottway, picked up Miss Herd shortly after noon Sunday at the Meko hotel, according to the Caldwell. She had started to walk to Indiana to meet some friends, she told the Caldwells. The girl insisted on being put down at Roams, three miles further, explaining that her brother was coming by in an auto truck very soon. "Yes, sir, positively that is the girl," Caldwell said after seeing Miss Herd at her home. "Don't remember ever seeing that woman," Miss Herd said later to Carl Honk, county attorney. Paul Kerbs declared he saw the girl walking on the road at another point. A little later hour, he and Caldwell described her dress in exact detail. Blue dress, black hat and stockings with green in them. Caldwell says Miss Herd appeared to be perfectly normal. Physicians at Roams, who saw her when she entered that place in a stupor, declare they made medical tests which showed that the girl had not been "drugged" by either chloroform or ether. Those interested in the case say the possible way in which to make the two accounts fit, is that Miss Herd suffered a relapse of memory such as she had undergone before being drugged unconsciously by some drug ministered by her principal abductor. Sol Herd, her mother, said that several times her daughter's mind had been blank for several hours. When Miss Herd was 13, she was injured by falling from the old airplane in Mr. Green's care, wandering about until midnight, staggering much in the name 2,730, A when she went into Crowder here, 1910. Her readiness is that I woke an on a lot of pretty women related at the time. When made for the new kidnaping, it has been interested in

having it done. No arrests have been made yet. Mrs. Herd returned Monday from Spavinaw, where her husband is guard over a convict gang, and where her son, Pete, is seriously ill from poison. John Worthington, 23, who was to have married Miss Herd Sunday, says: "We are going to married as soon as May gets well." Miss Herd said that is her intention too. She has almost recovered from the shock of her experiences.

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THIS MAN EATS MONEY; DOCTOR'S BILL IS RESULT.

CLIFTON, Texas, Sept. 19.—Accepting a jocular challenge to receive payment for \$125 worth of gasoline by catching the money in his mouth, Clayton Tension, local garageman, is out of pocket \$125 for a doctor's services, but otherwise suffered no ill-effects from a peculiar experience. The purchaser of the "gas" twirled the money at Tension who caught the first two times in his mouth. Next came a nickel which the garageman missed. The twirler announced that the next "shot" would be a silver dollar and Tension prepared to receive the larger piece of metal. The coin struck well inside the mouth, producing an involuntary gulp. Tension swallowed the dollar. A specialist removed the coin with the aid of instruments and the X-ray fee amounted to \$125.

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## THE TIMES' DAILY SHORT STORY

### IN DAYS TO COME

By Dora Moilan.

Mary Flarity's thoughts were on the substance of the note rather than its form when she wrote the date, April 22, 1936. It did occur to her that it was not strictly necessary to date a note to one's own father informing him of one's intended elopement when one purposed to depart from the ancestral root-tree that very day, and the enlightening communications was bound to be found soon after. But it was down, and time was precious.

Her plane was waiting. The head mechanic of the Flarity hangar had finished overhauling it not a hour ago, assuring Mary that with her driving, he would back it to outfly any machine her father owned.

Mary had answered, "Keep mum on that score to dad, Oscar," at the same time slipping him a trifling tip of fifty.

The note finished, Mary secured it to the cushion on her dressing table with a pin, as has been the custom of eloping maidens since time immemorial. Next she climbed into a suit of fur-lined leather, which caused her to look exactly like a brownie, packed a rather small bag with garments of sheer silken texture and looked for the last time on her luxurious rooms.

For Mary was under no delusions as to what her father's attitude might be toward this step she was about to take. His wealth was great, his social position unquestioned. He had always been kind to her and she loved him. It was only a matter of loving Adrion Loure fellow more—much more. So well did Mary love Adrion that she was entirely willing to give up all the luxury to which she had been born, to live in poverty and social ostracism with the man of her choice.

With a sigh at the unpreventable perversities of life, Mary walked out of the Flarity mansion, stepped into her plane and flew straight for the college town where Adrion, unfortunate inheritor of his father's temperament, and nothing else, drew his meager salary for the only toil for which he was fitted.

Adrion was waiting at the appointed spot. It was his unluckiness to the young men of her own set that had attracted Mary in the first place. They were big and strong; Adrion was undersized. They talked to her only of sport, social matters and money; how much they earned in how few hours a day. Adrion could talk well on a hundred subjects; books, art, flowers, music and the great outdoors.

But this man chosen from outside her own world by Mary to be her husband possessed a fine sense of honor. He felt it his duty to inquire for the last time whether she fully realized what she was giving up for his sake.

"My dear," he questioned, "have you thought that we won't be able to keep this?" placing his hand on the delicate wings of the artificial bird which bore them so swiftly aloft. "My salary couldn't stand the larger day, to say nothing of the upkeep. I did hope we might have one of the four-hour servants, but alas," Adrion paused to sigh, "I read only this morning that they are striking for more pay and fewer working hours."

Just at that moment Mary turned

into a much traveled air-lane and carefully guided her plane in and out among the traffic. "Don't worry, Adrion; my grandmother did her own housework when she was first married; and what one woman has done, another can. The only thing that bothers me now is that something may happen to delay us and give father a chance to put some obstacle in our way. She's doing two hundred miles an hour now and I'll keep here there till we get out of the crowd; after that the sky is the limit."

Mr. Flarity arrived home that evening during an interval between the departure of the fourth relay of servants and the arrival of the fifth. It was when the latter had been on duty an hour that one of the maids brought Mary's note to him. She had discovered it while preparing Mary's room for the night.

What he read sent Mr. Flarity flying—literally. He took his fastest plane and even had the forethought to carry along two bags of gold with which to bribe the air-traffic cops or pay fines, as the need might be. Mary's plane was distinctive, it bore her private emblem. Its course was not hard to trace, but the bold bag was nearly depleted when Mr. Flarity alighted in front of a roadside inn somewhere in the northern part of Alaska. "No," the clerk informed him, "there is nobody by the name of Flarity registered here. Yes; there is a Mr. Lonfellow—and a Mrs."

Mary was not one bit surprised when her father was announced, and remarked to the husband of her choice that they had best have him up and get it over with. "I know just what he will say, Adrion dear, and I know he won't rest till he does say it. Let's be kind to him and give him his chance now."

Mr. Flarity's face was purple with anger added to high living. "How dare you—you—shrimp!" he bellowed, as soon as he faced the guilty pair. "You little whippersnapper son of a common ordinary college president, and nothing but a humble professor yourself, to entice my daughter!—the daughter of a master plumber, whose father was a master plumber before him? You who toil five hours a day for your bread and butter, and she could have married a carpenter with the social standing and unlimited means of his kind! It's my money you're after, you swine! But you get none of it, either of you, after signing this disgrace—upon my family name!"

Adrion was mute; he had no case to plead. Mary, thought, decided that her forbearance had lasted long enough. "Father," she interrupted, "I've married a man of humble station and obscure birth. He toils long hours, it is true, for his petty recompense. But he'll spend his evenings at home—he belongs to no union!"

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# HARD LUCK JOHN TIMPS VIEWS MATRIMONY WITH QUALMS FOR THE FUTURE

By PAUL C. YATES.

"I aint such a bad lookin' feller for a man of thirty-five," remarked Hard Luck John Timps, as he surveyed himself in a cracked mirror and twisted his mustache to note the effect. "It's a wonder, though, I aint white-headed, if trouble would turn a man's hair white. There's many a worse lookin' man got married, and I 'low most of 'em repented of it afterwards."

"It aint as if I haven't figgered a heap on matrimony, and this letter I got from Lucy Alcane down at Shady Grove puts me to studyin'. It's just a nice friendly letter, though she signs her name, 'Yours truly, Lucy,' at the end, and that might mean some encouragement. And again, the stamp is set catycorners on the envelope and there aint a doubt in my mind that there's a hidden meanin' to that, if I just know what it was."

"If the whole country around there hadn't heard of me shootin' Zeke Brannon's old white cow when I was on the way to a party one night, I might go back and see Miss Lucy. I aint been able to study out what I thought I was shootin' at. I never was known to hit anything with a six-shooter before. I know cattlemen that would let me shoot at their herds for pastime if I would furnish the ammunition."

"Now, if I married Miss Lucy—and I don't misjudge but what I could, Zeke Brannon would be in an awful humor on account of claimin' her hisself and he would make me pay \$75 for the cow. Of course, I wouldn't let that keep me from marryin' a girl I was in love with, but still, seventy-five bucks is a heap of money to have to pay for merely killin' a man's cow and marryin' his girl; and since I aint got \$75 or no fractional part of it, all I would be inclined to do with Zeke's case would be to take it under consideration."

"Then, women is so uncertain; if I married I might be in doubt as to who was bossin' the household. It would be just my luck to unmarry in'ty marry some strongminded lady with a temper like dynamite and the disposition of a vinegaroon. Then the first thing I knew I'd find myself on the shovel gang or doin' some other kind of work I aint fitted by nature to do."

"I knowed a couple back in East Texas named Abe and Martha McBrawl, that got along so lovely it made me leary of double harness. Abe McBrawl made it a point of honor never to break his word, under no circumstances, and his wife, Martha, was always braggin' that nobody ever done her an injury without somethin' awful happenin' to them soon afterwards."

"One day Abe got mad because his wife fed all his seed corn to the chickens and he swore he would get even with her. He said she was always fussin' about his keepin' a few dogs and he had respected her wishes so far and hadn't kept more'n a dozen or fifteen, but now he aimed to luy as many dogs as she had chickens."

"He started out over the country that day and when he come home at night he had thirty-seven dogs of all descriptions. He shut 'em up in the barn and they fought and scratched all night. It took a'j the groceries in the house to feed 'em."

"When he woke up next mornin', after gettin' about thirty minutes' sleep, his wife was laughin' at him because thirteen more chickens had hatched out durin' the night. He started out agin, but he had to travel so far buyin' up surplus dogs that he didn't get back for two days and nights. When he got home the old lady was in high glee and couldn't scarcely wait to tell him that three of his dogs had been killed in a fight and he was still shy that many."

"He was awful gloomy for a while, but when he went out to feed the dogs he found that one of the maids scratched under the barn and broke into the henhouse and eat five chickens. This put him in a good humor agin and he run to the house to tell his wife."

"That night neither one of them

## PREMIER REJECTS BRITISH PLAN TO NATIONALIZE MINES



Justice Sir John Sankey, chairman of the English coal commission, has rejected the British plan to nationalize the coal mines. He has assured the public that the coal industry is stable and confident. He has assured the public that the coal industry is stable and confident.

got a wink of sleep. The racket was heard several miles around and the neighbors begun to talk about gettin' a mind specialist out to investigate the old couple.

"Next day McBrawl noticed that one of his dogs was actin' funny and foam'n' at the mouth and in a few hours he died. Things went on pretty much without accident for the next week. McBrawl sold a team of mules and a spotted calf to raise money to feed the dogs and his wife was settin' every hen on the place to raise more chickens."

"Then one night when McBrawl opened the door of the barn to throw some meat to the animals he found they had all gone mad. They took out after him and he climbed a tree in the yard. His wife locked the doors and stood at a window and laughed at him till some of the dogs broke into the poultry yard and killed every chicken on the place."

"The mad dogs spread all over the country and for three weeks people was afraid to travel without goin' in gangs and carryin' guns. They had the old couple up before the grand jury for an investigation and public sentiment got so strong agin them that they had to leave the country to keep from bein' mobbed."

"I run across them a few years later, in another part of the state, and they was gettin' along just fine together."

"But Lucy Alcane aint that kind. She wouldn't object to dogs and if I marry her I don't aim to keep over six or seven, at the most."

## THIS OIL COMPANY TO PAY 50 PCT. DIVIDEND

FORT WORTH, Sept. 19.—The Ross-Saunders-Moorehead oil company which recently moved its offices to Fort Worth, probably will pay a dividend of 50 per cent in the near future on its capital stock of \$150,000, according to T. B. Saunders, one of the organizers of the company. There are 2,000 shareholders in the company, which operates in the Desdemona field, Moorehead well No. 1, which came in for a flush production of 2,200 barrels, has settled down to a regular daily producer of 750 barrels. The company is drilling two other wells on its Moorehead tract; No. 2, is down 1,000 feet and No. 3 is a rig.

"The Ross-Saunders-Moorehead company has sufficient funds in its treasury to pay a 50 per cent dividend, and I presume we will declare one at our next meeting," said Mr. Saunders. "There are 2,000 shareholders on our books. Mr. Saunders has been in the banking business in San Augustine for eighteen years. He is a native of Gatesville, where his father and uncle were in the banking business many years. The Ross-Saunders-Moorehead combination directs the operations of four companies all of which are operated in Fort Worth. These companies are: Ross-Saunders-Moorehead, capital \$150,000.

Ross-Hoover-Saunders, capital \$103,000.

R-S. H. Oil company, capital \$250,000.

Ross Bros. Oil & Refining company.

The Ross-Hoover-Saunders Oil company has 59 acres in the Desdemona field; 8 acres of the J. A. Brown tract, 1 acre of the Terry tract, and 50 acres in the lives farm. Brown well No. 1 is down 2,000 feet, and the company has just spudded in a new well on

the Terry tract. The first hole drilled on the Terry tract. The first hole drilled on the Terry tract was abandoned at 2,700 feet when the drilling tools were lost in the well.

The R-S-H Oil company controls 20 acres in the Alexander tract, Stephens county; 5 acres in the Goodwin, Desdemona; 3 1/2 acres in the Arthur, Desdemona. The company is drilling the Goodwin and Reed acreage.

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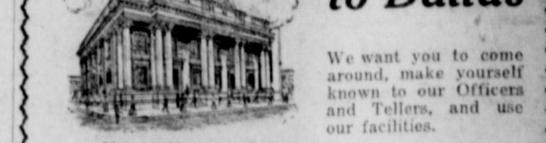
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## Wichita Great Western Plans To Extend to More States

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Wichita Falls' biggest insurance institution, the Wichita Great Western Underwriters, announced Saturday several plans to extend their field of operations to take in several new states. The company, which is made up of home capital and which has on its advisory board some of the leading men of Texas in financial circles, expects to bring into local bank deposits through their underwriters, hundreds of thousands of dollars in new capital during their new fiscal year. The Wichita Great Western Underwriters started in business just a year ago and during the last twelve months secured on their books more than five million dollars insurance, over three million dollars more in hand at the close of the twelve months' period. The company writes fire insurance on the reciprocal plan, and were able at the end of the year to refund to their policy holders 52 per cent of the premiums paid. According to Mr. Mabry, who is one of the executive officers of the company, this remarkable result was obtained through the careful selection of preferred risks. The person of the institution is well known to the Southwest as being the

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Where They Play Today. New York at Pittsburgh. Brooklyn at Cincinnati. Boston at Chicago. Philadelphia at St. Louis.

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Special to The Times. ABILENE, Sept. 19.—A letter of peculiar interest, as throwing a side-light on the state of affairs in Germany, has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Christopher from their daughter, Mrs. Mattie Sentina, and the latter's daughter, Miss Amy Sentina, who make their home in Berlin. Mr. and Mrs. Christopher had not heard from their daughter in three years. The letter follows: "My Dear Mama and Papa: "What a joy it is, after so long a time, to be able to talk with you a little. I hope you are as well as Amy and I are. We are longing to see you all and as soon as we can get a pass we will return home—I trust, at the latest, November of this year. Easter we had news of you through the American mission and at once I made up my mind to go home. Oh, how happy we will be when we have one another again! I am not able to write much; do not know if my letter will pass. It is only an attempt to give you news of us. We have had no trouble in Germany. We have lived as undisturbed as before the war. Naturally, we have suffered in the scarcity of food as well as in the experiences of everything in Europe. My business has been good. I was able to have what we needed. Butter costs \$8.50 a pound. We are now eating corn bread, beans and salt pork from home. I would rather have a can of lobsters and a can of pears than anything. Now, wait until we are with you, then we will have lots to talk about and you will give me butter and eggs at a more reasonable price than we are able to get here. We are living in the same flat, though the rent is now terrible for me; still, God helps me to keep all ends together. Do write to us, my dear ones, as soon as you can; we are longing for a word from you. Tell how you all have lived since last we heard from you. I pray God you are well and have not forgotten your dear children in distant Germany. Give my regards to those who ask after us and give my love to the Tillet family. "With a heart full of love, from your, "MATTIE AND AMY."

MORE KINDERGARTEN SCHOOLS, HIS PLEA



Dr. Philander P. Claxton would like to see all American kindergartens. Dr. Claxton, who is U. S. commissioner of education, has issued a statement pleading for more kindergarten schools and urging parents to send their children in localities where this advantage has not been provided he suggests that parents acquaint the school authorities with their desire to have this grade established for their little ones.

MAN ARRESTED AT STRAWN ON FORGERY CHARGE

An arrest has been made at Strawn in connection with two alleged forged checks to the amount of about \$200, which have made their appearance at the First National bank. The checks bear what purports to be the signature of Cawley Bros., who declare that they are exceedingly clever. They were cashed at Strawn two or three days ago. The man alleged to have committed the forgeries was a former employe of Cawley Bros., at Canyon Switch. He was an exceedingly clever man, according to reports, and was very efficient in his work and drew a high salary. A few days ago he quit his position and it is said there is good evidence that he was in Strawn on the day the checks were cashed. The bank pronounced the checks forgeries as soon as they arrived and instructions were wired to officers at Strawn to pick up the man suspected of the crime. The man arrested denies any connection with the affair according to a report received here. It is said he has been removed to the Palo Pinto jail. According to this report the employes of the bank where the check was presented and cashed said if the man arrested was not the one who presented and cashed the check he was his "twin brother," but so far they have not made affidavit to the effect that he is the man. It seems that so far the evidence is largely circumstantial and it is not known what disposition will be made of the case.

Fines as Bond for Traffic Offenders

Eight persons pleaded guilty to violation of a traffic ordinance, at police headquarters this morning, and the amount of their fines was accepted as a cash bond, since there will be no session of city court until Judge Davenport returns from Abilene. Two men pleaded guilty to vagrancy.

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Cotton Buyers Are Thick at Sweetwater

Special Lensed Wire. SWEETWATER, Sept. 19.—Probably more cotton buyers are located in Sweetwater to purchase this season's cotton than ever before in a West Texas town. A few of them will buy cotton in other towns in this territory and have made this place headquarters on account of its accessibility from other points. The rains Tuesday and Wednesday checked the movement of cotton for the time being, but it has really opened up in full swing and the gun soon will be running at their full capacity. While a number of cotton pickers have been employed in the country, the demand for hands is great.

HIGHLAND PARK LOTS SOLD BY W. I. BURT

W. T. Granger, proprietor of the Granger hotel, has purchased two valuable lots in Highland Park addition. Mrs. Anne Humphrey, a well known real estate operator, also has purchased a lot in Highland Park addition.

ASKS CONGRESS TO POPULARIZE FISH TO LOWER H. C. I.



Dr. H. Frank Moore, acting commissioner of fisheries, has asked congress, through Secretary Redfield, to appropriate \$100,000 to carry on activities of the fisheries bureau in obtaining fish for sale to the public and to popularize fish as a food through extensive publicity. It is pointed out that this would help lower the cost of living by providing a cheaper table commodity.

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WANT ADS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED WITH CASH. TRACKAGE PROPERTY for sale; corner lot, 150x140 feet on track, this track to be completed in an operation within ten days; across alley south of Musker Tool Co.; ideal location for wholesale houses; price, \$10,000; also have all the close-in trackage properties in Ranger. W. A. Hyatt, room 51, McCleskey. FOR RENT—Furnished light house-keeping rooms over Midway garage. FOR SALE—Forty acres of land, platted for townsite, adjoining Erwin Heights, 1 1/2 miles east of Ranger, on Strawn road. Address C. S. Davis, 422 Palo Pinto Street, Weatherford, Texas. WANTED—By young man, 25 years old, position as timekeeper or payroll clerk; can furnish best of recommendations. Address Timekeeper, 214 North Travis. SCHUMAKER BOARD \$42 Per thousand. Office Robinson Bath House. ROOM—Light housekeeping, with plenty of soft water. 122 Fannon st. If John P. Haden sees this ad please write to his mother at 3208 Manzano St., Paso, Texas. If anyone knows of a whereabouts please let her know. I would thank you. STED—A second cook for a camp fifteen miles, 2 miles from Ranger. Good cook and good man. W. R. Wadsworth address or word at Oil Well Supply Co. E light house-keeping rooms. Answer at Ranger Hardware Co, 210 1/2 street. AVE \$1,000 to invest with serious business proposition; furnish A1 references. What have to offer? Address XX Y Z, care Times. RESIDENCE for sale; fine residence in Ranger; modern; respect; water and sewerage; in possession; size of lot; located in best residential section. See W. A. Hyatt, room 51, McCleskey. WANTED—A second cook for a camp fifteen miles, 2 miles from Ranger. Good cook and good man. W. R. Wadsworth address or word at Oil Well Supply Co. E light house-keeping rooms. Answer at Ranger Hardware Co, 210 1/2 street. AVE \$1,000 to invest with serious business proposition; furnish A1 references. What have to offer? Address XX Y Z, care Times. RESIDENCE for sale; fine residence in Ranger; modern; respect; water and sewerage; in possession; size of lot; located in best residential section. See W. A. Hyatt, room 51, McCleskey. WANTED—A second cook for a camp fifteen miles, 2 miles from Ranger. Good cook and good man. W. R. Wadsworth address or word at Oil Well Supply Co. E light house-keeping rooms. Answer at Ranger Hardware Co, 210 1/2 street. AVE \$1,000 to invest with serious business proposition; furnish A1 references. What have to offer? Address XX Y Z, care Times. RESIDENCE for sale; fine residence in Ranger; modern; respect; water and sewerage; in possession; size of lot; located in best residential section. See W. A. Hyatt, room 51, McCleskey.

THE POPULAR



Buying some clothing is like cashing a strange check— ... If he shows his credentials— It's easy sailing. I'll show the credentials ... of my clothing ... to you, or anyone else, ... right in my window. ... There are seven points to good clothing. ... And GOLD BOND CLOTHING is good clothing. Clear new patterns and fine imported mixtures a features of the new

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for Fall. I have one shirt for every man in Ranger—

—And a dozen to suit any one taste— —Silk Shirts, Crepes, Pussy Willows, and a brand new batch of

Balloon Silk Shirts

(See My Window) Men's Hose—Saturday Special—Black only, Silks and Lises ... 39c Solid color Shirts at a special price of ... \$2.50

The POPULAR

WANTED—Couple to take two unfurnished rooms; good well water; no objection to children; easy walking distance to town. See Hicks, at Times office. NEW CHEVROLET, 5-passenger auto; trade for home or sell; has never been used. Inquire Cox, Liberty theater. FOR SALE—Three-room house, furnished; Dr. Tibble's addition. Apply at Dr. Tibble's. FOR SALE—One 2-room house, close in, \$250. One 5-room house, close in, \$750. One 3-room house, close in, \$475. One 2-room house, close in, \$375. One 20-room house, close in, \$6,000. One restaurant and rooming house, bringing \$800 per month. Oil station, good location, \$2,000. Lots for sale from \$200 up; \$10 cash, \$10 per month. See our rental list; business locations, houses and lots to lease. We have them. List your property with us. C. A. HARRIS REAL ESTATE CO. 208 South Austin Street. FOR SALE—Four houses and six lots on Spring road in Young addition; terms cash. C. A. Love, at F. & M. State Bank. STOLEN—One Ford car, license No. 355519; engine No. 2998967. Car stolen in front of McCleskey hotel, Ranger, Texas, night of September 17; has new spring shock absorbers; casing in front came on car; 1919 model; has bumper brace rods front and back; \$10 reward for return. Roy Rice, Oil Well Supply Co., Ranger, Texas. FOR RENT—Clean rooms 401 McCleskey.

The Natatorium

"Ranger's Paradise"

# RANGER TRAFFIC SITUATION AIRED AT BIG MEETING

At a meeting of the Executive Board of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce held in Fort Worth Thursday morning, the Ranger traffic situation was reviewed and explained.

Overman, vice president from Ranger oil fields and George W. Johnson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, went over the situation at Ranger. They reviewed the general conditions of the traffic congestion in the oil fields in the agricultural districts of West Texas, stating that the situation was not sufficient to require the purchase of additional equipment and facilities.

Mr. A. Whaley, manager of the Texas Chamber of Commerce, discussed the general conditions of the traffic congestion in the oil fields in the agricultural districts of West Texas, stating that the situation was not sufficient to require the purchase of additional equipment and facilities.

WHEREAS the Traffic conditions of both passenger and freight have become so congested in West Texas in the oil fields and agricultural districts that immediate relief is demanded in order to handle the material and supplies of the fast developing oil fields and the grain, forage and cotton of the agricultural section of West Texas as it is impossible for the railroads to handle the same under the present equipment and system, and.

WHEREAS there is at the present time great inefficiency in the handling of passengers and freight, and that not sufficient accommodations are provided to take care of the passengers traveling from Fort Worth to Ranger and other towns along the T. & P. Ry., compelled to ride in overcrowded coaches and even stand in the aisles from Fort Worth to Ranger and other stations along the line of said railroad; and that the business interests in general, and the Municipal developments of the City of Ranger in its street paving, sewerage and gas systems are greatly hampered and delayed, owing to it being impossible under the present conditions and inefficiency of the railroad service to handle and deliver the materials, equipment and even food supplies that are being shipped to Ranger, and that like conditions exist in the cities of Wichita Falls, Lubbock and other towns in the oil districts, and.

WHEREAS, there is a prevailing tendency among the railroad men to demand and accept tips for the spotting and delivery of cars containing material and supplies at their destination and upon the sidetracks for unloading, and for the placing of empty cars for loading owing to great and urgent demand for the same.

WHEREAS, it is resolved that the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, representing two thousand members and over two million people, hereby respectfully request that the United States Railroad Commission give immediate relief to the above congested points and to the inefficient railroad service in the points of Ranger, Wichita Falls, Lubbock and all intermediate and adjoining towns in the oil district and in the agricultural towns demanding consideration in West Texas. That a terminal manager be assigned to Eastland and Stephens county districts and one be assigned to Wichita Falls county district. That additional passenger service and equipment be furnished immediately upon the T. & P. Ry., between Fort Worth and Ranger and other points along this railroad. That the United States Railroad Commission take the proper steps to stop the tipping of railroad men in order to have them promptly needed material and supplies delivered at their destination.

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As a result of the meeting a resolution was adopted which read as follows:

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That a copy of this resolution be sent to the United States Railroad Commission at Washington, D. C., to the Texas Commission at Austin, Texas, and to the Press of the State.

## THEATERS

ANITA STEWART IN "THE PAINTED WORLD"

The tragedy of a mother fighting finally at the cost of her life to keep her daughter from learning that she made her living as a masked beauty in a Moulin Rouge is pictured in "The Painted World," the Vitagraph picture which will be shown at the opera house today.

This big, human-heart drama was written by Jacques Futrell, especially for the Vitagraph and gives Anita Stewart what unquestionably is one of the strongest roles of her screen career. She is Yvette, the tenderly reared daughter to whom the secret of her mother's life is revealed when her unspeakable father for the first time comes into her life, brutally tells the truth and boasts that the child, too, shall come to the painted world when he needs her.

The closing scenes take Yvette within the gates, because she has no other way to turn, and they also take her out again.

## PERSONALS

Miss Dorothy Outlaw, daughter of Rex Outlaw, a well known oil operator of this city, has gone to Sweetwater to visit her grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Outlaw.

Mrs. S. D. Stroud has returned from a week's visit to Sweetwater.

Mrs. F. W. Melvin is visiting in Sweetwater this week.

E. C. Taylor and George Spears of Oilton, Okla., are in Ranger on a business trip.

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## PUBLIC MUST TAKE FREIGHT OFF PLATFORM

The Texas & Pacific freight depot crew unloaded 254,000 pounds of freight Wednesday and more than that amount Thursday, according to C. B. Jones, freight and passenger agent, all of which was "less than carload" goods.

Thursday Mr. Jones had on a pair of blue overalls and was hard at work welding a grappling hook. He stopped long enough to state to a Daily Times reporter that it is intention to put the freight on the platform as long as there is room and it would be up to the public to get it off.

## TEXAS F. OF L. PRESIDENT MAKES SURVEY OF FIELD

George H. Slater, president of the Texas State Federation of Labor, is in Ranger investigating labor conditions and making a general survey of the field.

Mr. Slater plans to spend the next several days in this work and during this time he will make his headquarters in Ranger. His headquarters are in Galveston.

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And a Two-Reel Comedy  
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Saturday  
ALICE JOYCE

—in—  
"THE CAMBRIC MASK"

And a Big V Comedy

## HIPPODROME THEATER

TODAY

MITCHELL LEWIS

In "Jacques of the Frozen North"

Comedy, "Circus Day"

—and—

DANNY DUNCAN

and His Dancing Girls  
In a Rollicking Comedy—

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