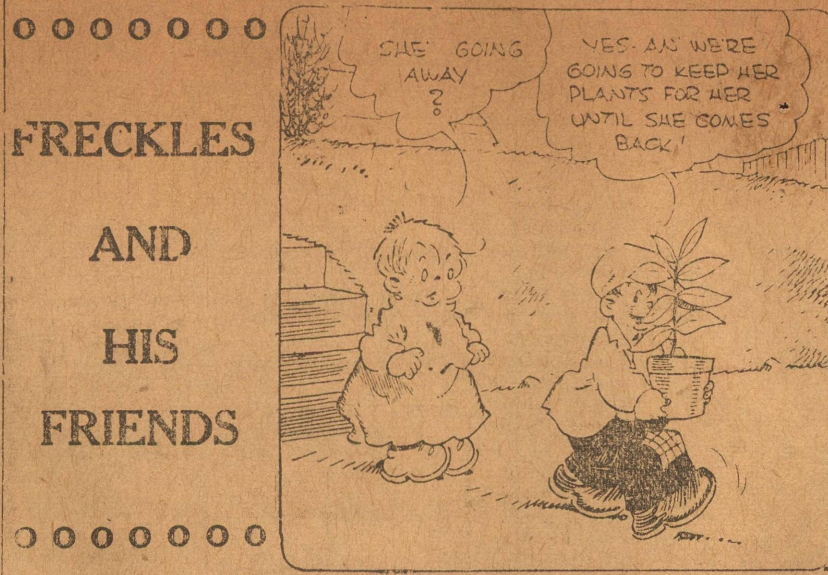


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BIBLE THOUGHT. Thou shalt not see thy brother's ox or his sheep go astray, and hide thyself from them; thou shalt in any case bring them again unto thy brother.—Deuteronomy 22:1.

MAKE RANGER ATTRACTIVE. MAKE RANGER ATTRACTIVE by tearing down those eyesore over head wooden awnings and in lieu thereof put up regular city awnings that can be raised or lowered when necessary.

MAKE RANGER ATTRACTIVE. MAKE RANGER ATTRACTIVE by doing away with country signs that stretch across the sidewalks and using signs like those found in front of one of the hotels and one of the picture-show houses. Electric signs attract the visitors.

MAKE RANGER ATTRACTIVE. MAKE RANGER ATTRACTIVE by putting more electric lights in the residential section. In a city where they have electricity, it ought not to be necessary to carry a flash-light.

The improvements suggested can be made without the expenditure of a fortune. The city dads and taxpayers can get together on the awnings and street sign propositions. They can get together on the street graveling and paving questions.

Streets of Ranger should be as good as the roads that radiate out in every direction. Towns are usually judged by what they wear. Ranger cannot be judged that way. Let's dress her up as she can be judged that way by tearing down the awnings, taking down the obsolete signs, and installing more street lights in the residential section, laying more sidewalks and putting down more gravel and paving material.

DEMAND GOOD FOR USED CARS AROUND RANGER. Used cars in Ranger are staple stocks for the auto dealer. The demand is good and selling is active.

Stocks of good used cars are low in Ranger. The past few weeks have seen stocks almost depleted. One approach of spring gives the working man a peculiar feeling. He, like the business man of means, wants to get out. The auto now is the mode of travel. They can be bought cheap and on easy terms.

Wood Takes Place Levi Anderson, Jr. For Time Being. W. M. Wood of Mineral Wells, a traveling representative of the state banking department, took charge of the affairs of the department here today, succeeding Levi Anderson Jr., who died yesterday.

Johnny Hines makes the world laugh—and "The Live Wire" makes it thrill. Liberty, Friday and Saturday.—Adv.

SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

TONIGHT. Play in Eastland for benefit of district P.-T. A. convention.

A DAUGHTER ARRIVES. Early this morning a daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Elliot. The little lady received a warm welcome even though her arrival at 2:30 was a little early in the day and is reported as being a beautiful plump baby. Both she and her mother are doing splendidly.

RANGER WOMEN ENJOY DAY IN CADDO. A number of Ranger women spent a delightful day with Mrs. Lee Roy Williams, of Caddo, formerly of Ranger, Thursday.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB MEETING. In a meeting characterized by beauty and simplicity, the members of the Thursday Bridge Club were entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. A. N. Harkrider, at the Gholson Hotel. Floral decorations were sweet peats and apple blossoms and sounded the approach of Spring in their dainty beauty and sweet fragrance.

Score cards depicted apple blossoms and new spring bonnets, chic coats and frocks, further asserted that Spring is here. In bridge the high score favor, two hand blocked towels, went to Mrs. Jop Little of Eastland, and the low score prize, a parchment lamp shade, to Mrs. C. A. Craig of Corpus Christi.

For the family and the kiddies and everyone who likes to laugh and laugh and laugh. Liberty, Friday and Saturday.—Adv.

WOODCARFT PICTURE TO BE SHOWN MAR. 4

A "woodcraft picture" will be offered to Ranger on Thursday March 4, at the High School Auditorium, by the Modern Woodmen of America of Ranger. This is a very fine picture, showing the work of the Woodmen, something of their history, their sanitarium in Colorado Springs, where they are doing much to fight the White Plague, and is most educational in every way.

On Tuesday, March 9, State Deputy Robert Vidler will be with them in their big class adoption program, to which event all members of the Modern Woodmen are invited to be present.

Still Playmates And Sweethearts, Married 18 Years

PORT WORTH, Feb. 26.—Playmates in childhood, sweethearts in high school and college and marital partners for 18 years and still profoundly happy. These are the facts in the lives of Prof. and Mrs. William Stuart, members of the faculty of Texas Woman's college that makes them an interesting couple to students in the college.

They both received their degrees of bachelor of arts from the University of Oklahoma. Professor Stuart's thesis on "White Slavery in New York and New Jersey" appeared in the American, a historical magazine.

Bankhead Poultry Raisers Ship Out Two Cars of Fryers

Two carloads of fryers will be shipped by the Bankhead Poultry Producers' association to New York city, it was announced today by F. M. Spurlin of Eastland, association director. The shipment will be made in time to get to the New York market ahead of the eastern poultrymen. This can be done because of the climatic advantages of Eastland county.

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BILIOUSNESS

Retired Minister Tells How He Keeps in Good Form With the Assistance of Black-Draught. West Graham, Va.—The Rev. Lewis Evans, a well-known retired minister, now past 80, living here, has a high opinion of Black-Draught, which he says he has taken when needed, for 25 years.

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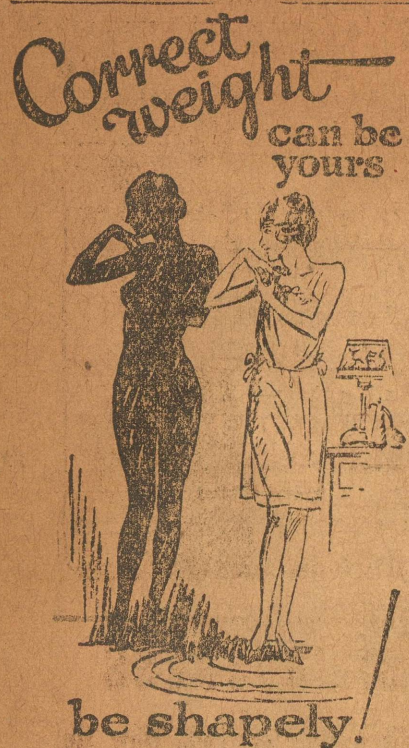
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LIBERTY HARMONIZERS with Jimmie Clemcaw, the silvertone tenor; Horace Oakley, baritone and Dee Little, second tenor.

Johnny Hines THE LIVE WIRE advertisement featuring a cartoon illustration of Johnny Hines and text: "The snappiest parcel of joy and thrills he's ever given—made for folks who love to laugh—who love to thrill—who want adventure and the kind of stuff that makes life worthwhile! You haven't lived 'til you've spent a whirlwind hour with the king of Jesters—Johnny Hines!"

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You just try S. S. S. and watch how quickly you begin to fill out your clothes. Notice your skin clear of unsightly blemishes—your appetite increases—strength comes to flabby muscles and vim and vigor fill your whole system. It's red blood that does it. And S. S. S. surely helps Nature build that red blood.

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MOM'N POP



BY TAYLOR

particular field is literature, she is equally zealous in her interest for architecture, painting, sculpture and music.

In Mussolini's plans for restoring as much as possible the ruins of imperial Rome in the Eternal City, Signora Sarfatti may be said to be the chief promoter. Her plan is grandiose but it is expected to be completed in five years. It includes the terracing down of many business blocks, where excavations will be made to the level of the ancient city. In this manner the walls of the ancient temples will be visible. The district principally contemplated is that in the vicinity of the Pantheon where the major part of the home of the Caesars is thought to exist.

Signora Sarfatti plans to promote modern Italian art so that the twentieth century may be known as a period of great artistic accomplishments. Her plans which have been placed before Premier Mussolini have received his approval but with the proviso: "I am a devotee of art. I want to establish a great art in Italy. For the government, the demands are enormous. We must first attend to necessities—building industry, increasing production and extending commerce. Then we will devote ourselves to art and promote it."

Signora Sarfatti agrees absolutely with Mussolini for, she says, all great art civilizations have been made when there are material riches. She concluded: "America will have her day soon."

Some people are so original they can say things which everyone else has forgotten.

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Gasoline-Milk "Jag" Is Latest In Anti-Pro Circles

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Prohibition agents are worried about a new type of non-alcoholic intoxicant which they say produces drunkards as effectively as the most potent alcohol.

You haven't laughed at you've seen Johnny Hines' biggest—"The Live Wire," Liberty, Friday and Saturday.—Adv.

fashioned alcoholic beverage. A jag-loving but law-admiring genius in Sacramento has evolved the new style drink and Col. Ned M. Green, prohibition administrator, said today he had received a letter from A. R. Shurtleff, in charge of Sacramento enforcement officers, asking for advice.

"The town is full of gas-hounds," the letter said. "Gas hounds is colloquial for those who mix two quarts of milk with one quart of automobile gasoline and drink the result."

"Since they obviously use less than one-half of 1 per cent alcohol to attain their drunkenness, what are we going to do about it?"

The gas-milk cocktail is spreading like wildfire in Sacramento, Shurtleff said. Colonel Green has taken the matter under consideration and may write to Washington about it.

The drink causes imbibers to become fired with the same degree of intoxication as would be brought on by high-powered whisky, but produces a greater desire for hilarity. This condition results in local disturbance of the peace which annoys prohibition agents and police.

In its latter stages, the intoxicant sends its victim into a stupor from which he does not recover for several hours.

The drink is harmful, according to the authorities.

WOMAN AIDS MUSSOLINI IN CZARDOM

By THOMAS B. MORGAN (United Press Staff Correspondent)

ROME, Feb. 26.—Recognized as the generator of the spiritual force of fascism, Margherita Sarfatti, widow of a Milan attorney and mother of a war-torn warrior—awarded gold medal, can count herself as the chief lieutenant of Minister Benito Mussolini.

"I am the minister without portfolio," she told the United Press correspondent.

It was Signora Sarfatti who stood at the side of Mussolini when the Fascist movement was born. Even before that she had been an active collaborator of the Dictator of Italy in the days before Mussolini had given much thought to his plans for seizing power. She had been a Socialist with him and from her profound culture he imbibed deeply the philosophy of the great masters.

In those days, she provided a welcome complement to his tireless brain. He had a thorough grounding of economic and social science and had read extensively in the original German the works of the German thinkers of the nineteenth century. Signora Sarfatti speaks and writes in four languages—Italian, Italian-French, English and German. Mussolini also is well grounded in languages speaking French and Italian and reading with great ease, English, German and Russian, all of which have been self-taught.

Signora Sarfatti is a Lombard blonde and displays a vivacity unusual in one whose passion is culture. She is profoundly devoted to all forms of art, and, though her own

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Women, get well and strong now by obtaining this "Prescription" of Dr. Pierce's of your druggist, in tablets or liquid; send 10c to Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for a trial package of the tablets.

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550 Rooms at less than	\$4.00
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Dan Horn Women's Club Study Pastry And Pie Cooking

An enthusiastic meeting of the women's club of the Dan Horn community was held yesterday, according to Miss Ruth Ramey, county agent. The session was held at the home of Mrs. W. B. Starr and the work was pastry and pie-filling. The next meeting will be held on March 5 at the home of Mrs. Spurgeon Parks, with flower and vegetable gardens as the subject.

The Dan Horn girls club will meet at the schoolhouse on the afternoon of March 5 for a cooking contest.

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- Tall Salmon 15c
- Campbell's Pork & Beans 10c
- No. 2 Tomatoes 10c
- Sugar Corn, 2 for 25c
- Sifted Peas 15c
- 3 lbs. Pinto Beans 25c
- 3 lbs. Navy Beans 25c
- 3 lbs. Black Eye Peas 35c
- 6 Bars P. & C. Soap 25c
- Red Snapper Steaks, lb. 30c
- Fresh Oysters, dozen 15c

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What Can Pimply Faced Boys and Girls Expect

Nobody knows better than the boy or girl who has been slighted time and again by their supposed "best friend," how humiliating it is to have to stand for such "cutting" things when they know they can expect nothing more as long as they don't look attractive on account of a pimply, blotchy or rough skin.

But such heartaches don't have to be put up with. Any boy or girl who is troubled with these skin blemishes can get rid of them if they will just use Black and White Ointment and the Soap. The fact that they sell at the tremendous rate of more than two million packages a year shows how popular they are. They are economically priced, in liberal packages. Any dealer can supply you with both the Ointment and the Soap. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size.—Adv.

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PRO LEADER IN GERMANY IS A WOMAN

By E. A. MATHIS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
BERLIN, Feb. 26.—There is no chance whatever that Germany will go dry in the near future, in the opinion of Frau Dr. Adele Schreiber, leading German feminist and prohibitionist. On the contrary, she believes the consumption of alcohol has be-

come greater in recent years while the number of public houses shows an increase.

"There is a general inclination against prohibition in Germany, Frau Schreiber told the United Press. "A few adherents of prohibition belong to all classes of society to all political parties. But similarly, the adversaries belong to all classes and a resolution in the Reichstag, in favor of a German Volstead act, would unite all parties from the fascists to the communists in opposition.

"Women in Germany as elsewhere oppose alcoholic excesses, but strangely enough, their support of the cause of prohibition is feeble. It is significant that when the socialists moved to discuss the licensing law which the last Reichstag was unable to debate before its dissolution, there was only one woman among the 199 deputies who voted against the discussion of the law, while among sixteen deputies who abstained from voting, there were six women. Of course, the number of women who at least wanted to discuss this law was greater, comprising twenty out of 165 deputies.

"Drink is a man's affair in Germany. One very seldom finds drunkenness among German women, who have a natural gift to be housewives and who try, even under the worst economic conditions, to assure their husbands a cozy home. But the consumption of beer and wine is so much a question of tradition with most German men that a woman hardly dares to protest against it."

Nevertheless Frau Dr. Schreiber is not pessimistic.

"It is mostly due to the bad housing," she said, "that men frequent public houses so often. Give them homes, give them a bit of land to cultivate, and you will see wonders. Whenever German families have had an opportunity to secure a plot of land, the men gave up drink and enjoyed home life and open-air occupations."

"Another favorable sign is the growing hostility against alcohol among the youth. I hope that coming generations will show a remarkable improvement, especially as the interest for all sports, unknown a few years ago, is likely to accelerate this development.

"Although it is not likely that Germany will go dry, it is not improbable that in years to come the consumption of alcohol will be considerably reduced owing to educational measures and to legislative steps like the licensing bill, which at present is the only aim of all adversaries of alcohol in Germany."

TELEPHONE LINES LINK EGYPT WITH HOLY LAND

A long-distance telephone line has recently been installed between Egypt and Palestine and beginning on Dec. 1 last telephone conversations became possible between the principal cities of the Holy Land—Jerusalem, Tel Aviv and Haifa—and Cairo, Alexandria and Port Said, in the land of the Pharaohs. The wires stretch across the Sinai desert which the Israelites traversed in their wanderings in the wilderness, when Moses and Aaron led them back to the promised land.

Japs to Leave Chinese Alone, Says Minister

TOKIO.—A declaration of Manchurian policy has been made in the house of peers by the foreign minister in response to taunts from the opposition that the present cabinet had failed so far to protect Japanese interests in Manchuria and Mongolia.

Inferentially, the opposition takes the stand that Japan should double or treble the number of Japanese troops in Manchuria, to a strength sufficient to enforce a policy of "closed season on all war north of the great wall."

Baron Shidehara, who said he welcomed the opportunity of making a plain statement of Japanese policy towards Manchuria in particular and China in general, replied in effect that Japan will not hesitate to employ all necessary means for the protection of her treaty rights in Manchuria, rights recognized by all the world, but Japan will not go beyond that, nor undertake any action that could be construed as interfering in any domestic affair of China.

If Chinese choose to fight Chinese, in Manchuria or anywhere else, that is their business which Japan will not interfere so long as Japanese rights are not involved and Japanese life and property is not endangered, Shidehara pointed out.

Japan is a party to international agreements to respect the territorial integrity of China and Chinese sovereignty over her recognized territory, and Japan intends to abide by her international agreements, he continued.

POLITICAL Announcements

For County and District Attorney: MILTON E. LAWRENCE, J. FRANK SPAHRKS, J. MIKE FERRELL.

For Treasurer of Eastland County: J. T. SUE.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: V. V. COOPER.

For County Tax Assessor: W. J. (Bill) HERRINGTON.

For County Clerk: R. L. JONES.

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- Campbell's Pork & Beans, per can 9c
- Cocoa, one lb. 25c
- Brown and Powdered Sugar, 1 lb. 10c
- Mother's Oats, each 30c
- No. 2 can Red Pitted Cherries, fine for pies, each 25c
- No. 2 can Blackberries, each 15c
- Swift's Quick Naptha Soap, 6 bars for 25c
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- Baby Beef Stew Meat, per lb. 10c
- Sliced Breakfast Bacon, skin off, per lb. 45c

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agreements to respect the territorial integrity of China and Chinese sovereignty over her recognized territory, and Japan intends to abide by her international agreements, he continued.

It is generally understood that Baron General Tanaka, leader of the main opposition party, who was minister of war when the Siberian intervention took place, favors a much more aggressive attitude toward China. If his party, the Seiyukai, should gain power in the expected general elections this summer, a forward movement by Japan in Manchuria may be expected.

INDEPENDENT PHONE MEN TO MEET SOON
FORT WORTH.—The twenty-first annual convention of the Texas Independent Telephone association is to be held in this city March 16, 17 and 18. R. B. Still, president, and L. S. Gardner, secretary, are planning for a big attendance and an interesting program.

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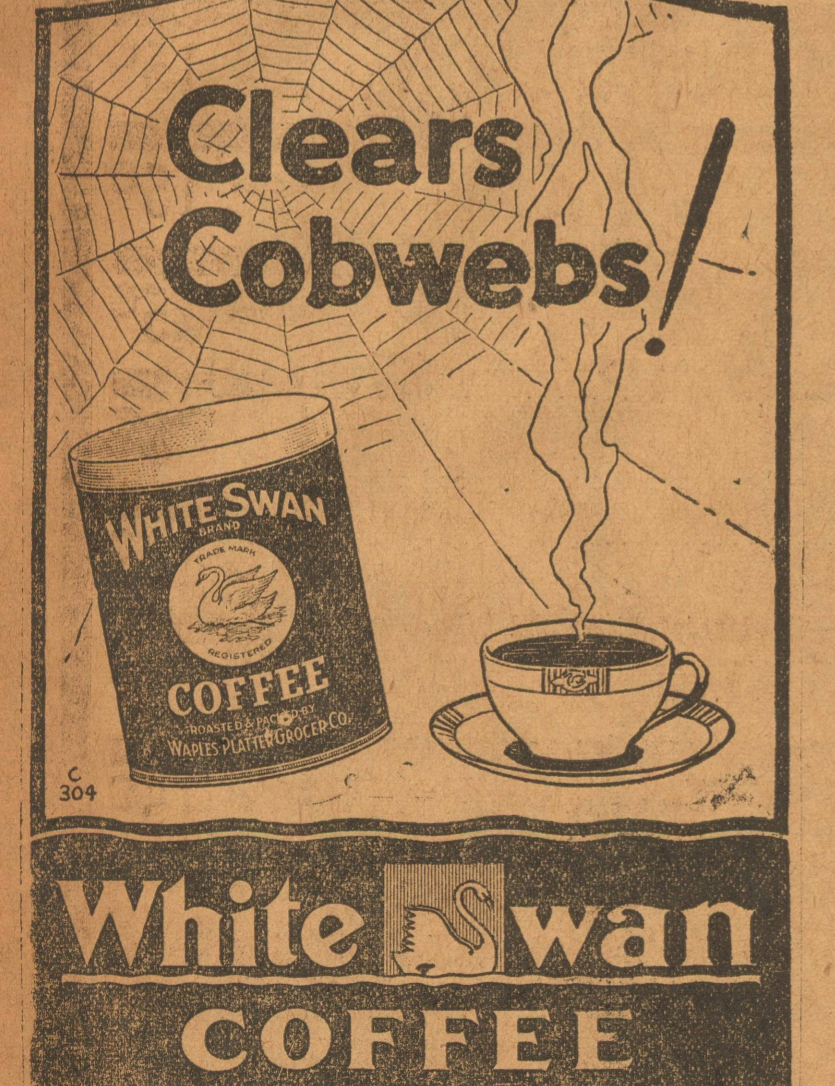
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EX-STUDENTS OF COUNTY TO FEAST IN CISCO

Ex-students of the Texas university residing in Eastland and Stephens counties will hold their annual banquet next Tuesday night at Cisco in the basement of the First Presbyterian.

former years, residing in Stephens and Eastland counties, two years ago organized into what is known as the Oil Belt association, and while local organizations are maintained in the larger towns in the counties, the annual meeting is held in either Cisco, Ranger, Eastland or Breckenridge. This year it is to be held in Cisco and an elaborate program is being arranged for the occasion. Judge Forest D. Wright of Cisco is president, and R. E. Holloway, also of Cisco, is secretary of the Oil Belt association.

It has been the custom of the officials of the Oil Belt association to invite some member of the Texas university faculty to make the principal address at these annual meetings, and this year Professor Mantel, a member of the university faculty, will deliver an address.

Each of the towns represented in the association is expected to contribute at least one number of the program. This program will be announced soon by the program committee, which is composed of C. B. Williams, Mrs. C. B. Williams, Dr. E. L. Graham, and Mrs. F. D. Wright. The committee on arrangements is composed of R. E. Holloway, Leon Maner, Mrs. Guy Dabney, Mrs. W. E. Spencer, and Mrs. A. J. Olson.

Mrs. Minnie Alexander, Baptist Missionary in China, who is here on a furlough, will speak at the Baptist church Sunday morning, March 7.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tyler, C. F. Falls and Ray Landreth attended the State Bankers association meeting at Fort Worth Monday.

Invitations have been received here for the presentation of Mrs. J. F. Robertson of this city by the Dallas Branch of American Pen Women in a feature program in the Palm Garden of the Adolphus Hotel Monday afternoon, March 1.

letters of those who praise him by mail. Further, cranks have been discouraged by the activity of department of justice officials.

President Coolidge has never shown the curiosity toward the daily menagerie of letters shown by former presidents. Harding would often call for a stack of letters selected at random and amuse himself by reading their contents. Wilson often rummaged through the mail and answered a great many letters personally. He considered these letters reliable indicators of the reaction of the people.

But gifts from admirers continue to flow into the white house in an unbroken stream, although practically all presents are now being sent by

manufacturing and jobbing concerns. The latest gift is a newly invented pants presser. Other recent gifts include a washing machine, a golden cabinet phonograph and a weight-pulling apparatus.

JOINT CONVENTION BOOKED IN GALVESTON
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RISING STAR BRIEFS

Special Correspondence.

RISING STAR, Feb. 26.—The Humble Oil Company, who is building a gasoline plant near the city, put fifty men to work Monday on excavations and other preliminary work for the plant.

J. W. Elkins & Company of this city have announced their plans for increasing the size of their store building from a fifty to seventy foot front.

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"FAN LETTERS" TO COOLIDGE FALLING OFF

By JOHN MONTGOMERY, United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON.—President Coolidge, unlike his predecessors, receives practically no "fan" mail.

When Harding was in office, he received from five to seven cranks of mail a day. Most of these were letters of praise, petitions or suggestions. The mail clerks spent a busy day.

Now the white house incoming mail averages about a half a sack a day, a little more than the outgoing mail. Few of these letters are from unknown sources; even cranks seem to avoid writing their troubles to the president.

Several reasons have been advanced for this decline in mail. The most feasible is that President Coolidge has never made any appeal to the "fan" type and never answers the

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LEAVES EASTLAND to Cisco, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Abilene, Sweetwater, 9:35 a. m., 11:40 a. m., 2:55 p. m., 6:35 p. m., 11:25 p. m.

GOING EAST

LEAVES EASTLAND to Ranger, Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 7:55 a. m., 10:55 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 4:25 p. m., 7:55 p. m.

LEAVES RANGER to Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 8:20 a. m., 11:25 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 4:50 p. m., 8:20 p. m.

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