

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY.  
The Nazarene never preached  
boycotting because of differences  
in religious belief. Doctrine of  
love opposes masks.

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West Texas—Tonight, fair weather.

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## CHARGES ARE FILED AGAINST HOSPITAL

### PROHIBITION REFERENDUM VOTE BECOMES ONE OF BIG ISSUES

## MORE MISTREATMENT CHARGES ARE FILED

### MEXICAN FARM PRISONERS ARE COMPLAINANTS

Mrs. King Sends Letter To Superintendent for Further Information

SAN ANTONIO, March 11.—Forwarding to Col. Walker Sayles further reports of brutalities among the guards on the state prison farms, Mrs. J. E. King, today said she had been informed of mistreatment of prisoners at a farm maintained for Mexican prisoners.

One letter to her Mrs. King said, charged mistreatment even to the extent of guards setting on prisoners faces. The letter to Mrs. King said in part "We have been treated like mules. He (referring to one of the officers of the farm) is the worst of all. First, he is always drunk and he beats us in the fields with a water hose until he leaves us half dead, for the simple reason that a man can't keep up with the squad.

There are men working here who are sick and need medical attention but they are all working. The state doctor comes out about once a month and he is the same way. He tells you that if you ain't got fever, you ain't sick."

### SECOND FALL IS FATAL TO BRIDGEMAN

DEL RIO, Texas, March 11.—Albino Martinez, 28 years old, a bridge worker, fell twice today from a trestle on the Southern Pacific bridge near Langtry. The first time he did not sustain a bruise, the second time the fall killed him instantly.

### CATTLEMEN WILL MEET IN EL PASO

FORT WORTH, March 11.—El Paso was selected as the 1927 convention site of the Southwestern Cattle Raisers association, and R. M. Kleberg, ranch owner of Corpus Christi was elected president at the final session of the golden anniversary celebration today. Officers elected were First Vice President J. Malcolm Sheldon, Romero, Texas; Second Vice President, C. P. Slaughter, Dallas; Treasurer W. E. Connell, Fort Worth; Secretary, E. B. Spiller, Fort Worth.

### Harrison Trial Is Under Way; 6 Jurors Chosen

Six jurors had been accepted in the case of R. H. Harrison, charged with the murder of Perry White, when the 91st District court recessed at noon until 1:30 this afternoon. An odd feature was that of the first 12 veniremen examined, five were named White, though none were related to the deceased.

Little difficulty is being experienced in obtaining a jury and testimony is expected to begin during the middle of the afternoon.

Judge T. J. Cunningham and Milton Lawrence are representing the defendant. County Attorney W. J. Barnes and Assistant County Attorney Gilvie Hubbard are being assisted by Judge J. R. Stubblefield and Judge R. L. Rust.

### BOYLAND HOT AFTER MEXICO FOR EXPULSION

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Demand for the withdrawal of diplomatic recognition of Mexico as a result of expulsion of American citizens because of religious teachings, was made in a resolution introduced in the house today by representative Boyland, New York Democrat.

### Police vs. Photographers



Photographers John Painter and Charles Farley examine what was left of their \$2,500 motion picture camera after Passaic, N. J., police got through with it. They tried to photograph attacks of the police on Passaic textile mill strikers.

### 2 DISASTERS AVERTED ON ATLANTIC

NORFOLK, Va., March 11.—Two near disasters occurred within a few hours, when an army dirigible took a dive and fell 900 feet into Hampton Roads and the United States Steamship America was swept by fire.

Three members of the crew of the dirigible were rescued by a rum chasing launch. The steamer America was tied up for repairs in Newport News. It was damaged considerably, the fire having swept five decks.

### Christian Wants Attorney General's Job; He Admits

AUSTIN, March 11.—That George Christian, ranking assistant attorney, will become a candidate to succeed Dan Moody, was strongly indicated today when Christian's associates gave out a statement that he has the matter under advisement, and if decides to make the race, he will in the next few days resign his position and actively enter the campaign.

### PRESBYTERIANS WILL DISCUSS NEW CHURCH

That the building of a new Presbyterian church in Ranger is taking concrete form is conclusion drawn from an announcement made by Rev. G. D. Robison, pastor of the church calling for a meeting tonight at the Chamber of Commerce at 7:30. At this meeting Rev. Mr. Robison wants to meet the men of the Presbyterian church, officers, members and friends. Plans for carrying out the instructions of the congregation for a building campaign will be formulated.

### BOSTON STORE OWNER ARRIVES IN NEW YORK

The Boston store, Ranger, received a wire from A. Joseph this morning saying that he had arrived safely in New York and expects to be in Ranger among his old friends in a few days.

### BOY BANDITS HOLDUP CAR IN SAN ANTONIO

SAN ANTONIO, March 11.—Two stylishly dressed boy bandits held up the motorman and conductor of a West End street car, and its one passenger late last night and secured \$18.50 and some cigarettes. The boys entered the car as passengers and after riding a short distance whipped out revolvers and made the men hold up their hands.

### MA PARDONS CONVICT TO DEPORT HIM

AUSTIN, March 11.—Fred Berger, a convict in the Texas penitentiary, was pardoned today by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson for the purpose of deportation to Germany. Berger, known under the alias of Bernhard Horst Enftbberger, was convicted in Tarrant county in 1922 on 12 felony cases of forgery and passing forged instruments and was sentenced to six years in prison. Immediately upon his release from prison he is to be turned over to the immigration agents and will be returned to his family.

### SELF DEFENSE PLEA GETS MAN SHORT SENTENCE

DEL RIO, Texas, March 11.—William E. Gyer, 29, of Houston, was given a three-year suspended sentence here today by a jury on submission of charges of killing Ed A. Taylor, 65, of Knox City. Taylor was chopped to death with an axe last December. Gyer pleaded guilty, claiming self-defense.

### DEATH PENALTY FOR SLAYER OF YOUNG WOMAN

PHILADELPHIA, March 11.—A verdict of first degree murder and the death penalty, today were asked for by David L. Marshall by District Attorney Charles Edwin Fox, in his opening address to the jury, charging the malefactor with the slaying of Anna Mae Dietrich. Fox made his address immediately after the joint recess which was called on completion of the jury.

### SENATE NAMES SUB COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE

Referendum Vote Over Nation Creates Big Stir Among Leaders

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The senate judiciary committee decided today to appoint a subcommittee to consider the pending bill for the modification of the prohibition law. The sub-committee would decide whether the beer hearings should be held, and would report to the committee which would make the final decision.

The prohibition question now is looming up as one of the big issues in congress, especially so since the newspapers have begun to take a referendum vote on the subject. Papers scattered in all the states from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico are taking a straw vote.

It is one of the most expensive referendums ever held in the United States, as well as one of the most far reaching. Light wines and beer are what are demanded by the anti's, not the return of whisky.

### DRYS FIGHT REFERENDUM PAPER VOTE

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Dry leaders sent out the word today to their followers to avoid the newspaper polls on prohibition, claiming that these polls are one-sided, open to "repeaters" and not at all indicative of the real sentiment in the land.

The leaders warned that the dry question has been settled in an "orderly fashion" and the polls were superfluous.

### VOLSTEAD ACT LOSING OUT IN VOTE

NEW YORK, March 11.—Newspapers throughout the United States are conducting a poll on prohibition, attempting to ascertain public sentiment toward present liquor laws.

In most of the polls newspaper readers are asked to submit one of three opinions—the present prohibition act should be continued, the act should be repealed, or the act should be modified so as to permit the sale of light wines and beers.

While the ballots generally are printed only in newspapers, some publications have mailed them to a list derived from the telephone or city directory.

Returns from 11 cities well scattered geographically thus far show a tremendous leaning toward some change in the existing situation. Those wanting either repeal or modification number 75,971 to 7,042 who are satisfied with the present law.

	For Present Law.	For Repeal or Modification.
New York Daily News	392	16,882
Oklahoma City News	32	160
Atlanta Georgian	32	1,103
San Francisco Daily News	831	9,681
Chicago Herald-Examiner	538	14,315
Cincinnati Enquirer	89	1,300
Cleveland Press	1,318	17,707
Boston Traveler	3,397	13,097
Washington Post	118	1,125
New Orleans Times-Picayune	24	601

### Foe of Cancer



"Cancer bacillus? Sure I've discovered it. And it's extremely large, shaped like the letter S, with nodules at the ends," reports Dr. Josef Schumacher, of Berlin, pictured above. As a result of his work, new treatment methods are forecast.

### CHINESE MUST OPEN TAKU BAY OR FACE MUSIC

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The United States government in an agreement with other protocol powers, has decided to intervene forcibly in the Chinese situation unless China immediately removes the mines from Taku channel and other obstructions to foreign shipping.

Unless China meets these demands which is considered probable, joint naval action by the United States and other foreign Asiatic fleets to open Tientsin harbor, is inevitable.

In a joint note to the Pekin government and military commanders made public by the State Department today, the powers protested against such shipping obstructions as a violation of the 1901 treaty, and threatened protective measures to be applied against either party without discrimination.

### INCOME TAX RETURNS TO BE SEPARATE

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Commissioner of Internal Revenue Blair ruled today that pending the receipt of an opinion by the attorney general on community property, husbands and wives should be allowed to continue to file separate income tax returns, and each to return one-half the community income.

Taxpayers in Nevada, Arizona, Idaho, Louisiana, Texas, Washington, and New Mexico are affected by the order.

### SIX LEADING RANGER WOMEN ALLEGE MISMANAGEMENT, FAVORITISM TO 2 DOCTORS

Improvement in Condition of Coolidge Seen

CLEMENTS, Va., March 11.—An improvement in the condition of Col. J. C. Coolidge, father of President Coolidge, was reported by Dr. Albert M. Cram, following a visit to his patient this noon.

"The colonel seems a bit better today," he said. "His appetite is still poor and he is little weaker as the result."

### REPUBLICAN TARIFF TO BE REAL ISSUE

By PAUL R. MALLON, United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Republican leaders in congress have decided to accept the democratic challenge to fight out the next congressional elections on the tariff issue.

Arrangements were made in the senate today whereby Senator Robinson, democratic floor leader, may obtain adoption of his resolution specifying that the finance committee conduct an investigation of the flexible provisions of the present republican tariff and the way it is being administered.

Senate republicans led by Chairman Smoot of the finance committee are confident the investigation will furnish food for their side, as well as for the democrats and they are content to let the resolution go through.

The republican argument is that republican business has been built up to a period of prosperity behind the republican tariff wall and that to cut it down would open the flood of foreign competition upon American manufacturers.

The democratic appeal will be made to the farmers, on the ground that most industries with the exception of agriculture, are protected under the present system.

The inquiry may be begun within a few days as both sides are anxious to clear up pending charges.

Under authority of the Robinson resolution the committee will inquire into the regulations and procedure of the tariff commission with processes used to determine the cost of production of commodities in the United States as compared with competing countries.

On the evidence both sides will go to the people in November.

### Daughter Aids Reconciliation of The Stillman's

NEW YORK, March 11.—The reconciliation of James A. Stillman and his wife after years of litigation "just worked out itself," according to their daughter, Mrs. Henry P. Davidson, who arrived home with her husband from Paris on the White Star liner, Majestic, today.

"When we left mother and father in Paris they were happily reconciled," the former Anne Stillman said. "The first we knew of the reconciliation was when we received a radiogram from them aboard the Olympic while we were in Egypt. They asked us to meet them in Paris and we hurried there to see them."

Asked whether she had any part in bringing the couple together, Mrs. Davidson said she had tried for a reconciliation a few years ago, but was unsuccessful. The recent reunion was a complete surprise to her, she said.

### Hearing Will Be Held Friday Morning In Court House, Probe

Serious charges of mismanagement of the City-County hospital at Ranger and the revelation of the fact that the board of directors of the institution has not met since the hospital opened its doors featured a session of the commissioners' court of Eastland county in the courthouse yesterday afternoon.

A delegation of six ladies, Meses. Jack Sivalls, W. E. Mitchell, L. C. Gorton, George Aymer, Gifford Clegg, George Bohring and Philip Pettit, from Ranger, appeared before Judge Ed S. Pritchard and the commissioners to lodge serious accusations against the manner in which the hospital is being conducted.

Discourtesy to the public, lack of consideration for patients, an unwillingness to receive charity cases, favoritism for one or two doctors, excessive charges—these were some of the allegations hurled at the management of the hospital.

Not Represented. There was no one present representing the management, consequently there was no reply to these charges.

It was developed at the meeting that the term of the hospital board of directors—in whose hands is lodged control of the hospital—expired in the fall of 1924, nearly two years ago, but that the city commissioners, who jointly have the power to name new directors, were unable to agree and consequently no directors have been selected.

Judge Pritchard has called a joint meeting of the Ranger commission and the commissioners' court to be held in Eastland at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning for the purpose of agreeing on new directors. The meeting is open to the public.

Mrs. Philip Pettit of Cisco, who attended the session yesterday, stated that she was appointed as a director of the hospital in November, 1922, but that, when two years had elapsed, she presumed that she was no longer a director as no notice of re-appointment was given her. It is believed, however, that technically the directors named nearly four years ago by Judge C. R. Starves are still directors as the general rule of law is that an officer holds his place "until his successor is elected and qualified."

No Directors. No notice of a meeting of the directors since the hospital was opened two years or more ago has ever been received by Mrs. Pettit, she said. The law is that the board shall meet once a month according to the statute as read at the meeting yesterday.

Mayor Hodges of Ranger is on the board of directors and he was quoted yesterday by one of the delegation from Ranger as having declared no meeting of the hospital board had been held since the institution was opened. Another member of the board has moved from Ranger to Abilene, it was stated.

### MORE BODIES TAKEN FROM THE COAL MINE

ECCLES, W. Va., March 11.—Work of clearing the debris from No. 5 shaft of the Crab Orchard improvement company's mine, where an explosion occurred Monday night as rescuers worked frantically to free the men believed to be still alive.

During the night the workers discovered another body, bringing the total recovery up to 15. More bodies are expected to be recovered today.

### HOPES A RE BLASTED OF FINDING ANY ALIVE.

Hope that any of the four men still entombed in shaft No. 5 of the Crab Orchard improvement company's mine following the blast Monday night were alive, was abandoned today. Mine officials said work was being rushed and the clearance of the debris was expected to be finished some time today, allowing the rescue squad to explore the mine.

### FRENCH WAR DEBT MAY BE SETTLED SOON

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Secret negotiations for settling the French \$4,000,000,000 war debt to the United States are being carried on by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon and the French Ambassador Berringer.

Los Angeles, March 11.—Scheduled to appear in a Pasadena court today in a disturbance charge, J. Herbert Frank, well known film actor, committed suicide in his apartment here today.

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**FARM SCIENTIFICALLY.**

Secretary of Agriculture W. M. Jardine sounded the bell of warning in his address before the Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association Wednesday when he advised the producers of beef and meat animals to improve their herds. The old slipshod pioneer methods will not do. The outlook for the beef producer is bright. The prospects for the farmer who raises his own meat and meal are bright. The prospects for the man who raises mutton and goats are bright. However, they must use scientific methods to improve their herds and increase production.

The past few years have seen a general decrease in the supply of meat animals. In cattle it was due to the heavy marketing of calves and she stock. The advent of the man with the hoe on the plains and in the Panhandle as well as in West Texas caused the decrease. The world's population is increasing. Financial and other reports show that more men are employed now than for several years.

Those men and their families must have meat. Texas is the breeding ground for the best beef, mutton and goats in the world. This has been demonstrated at the international exposition in Chicago, the Royal show at Kansas City, and the Fort Worth exposition.

The past week has demonstrated that Eastland flocks of poultry can hold their own with the rest of the world. To maintain that place, scientific methods must be used and the slogan should be the best is none too good for Eastland county.

**FIFTY YEARS OLD.**

Time and distance were practically annihilated 50 years ago Wednesday, when the late Graham Bell heard the first tinkling of the bell on his first phone. The continent was united by a slender wire. Time was saved in business. The telephone has practically revolutionized all kinds of transactions. The man living in any town in Texas can sell his million barrels of oil to the corporation in New York in a conversation of less than five minutes.

The progress that has been made in developing that industry is nothing short of marvelous. Every time one picks up a telephone receiver, the thought should arise in his mind, "How wonderful is the workings of God." The great Architect of the Universe used Alexander Graham Bell as an implement with which to benefit his children and connect them into one family.

Men are prone to kick at the service of the telephone at times. Men are prone to say unkind things about the corporation.

But, would those same men go back to the days of long ago before the phone was perfected as it is today?

Would they do without a phone in their place of business? The telephone is a public utility and taking all in all gives the public efficient service.

It has been but a few days ago, since the telephone operator called up the police in Fort Worth early in the morning to get aid to prevent a robbery of a bank. It has been but a short time since a young woman operator saved hundreds of lives by notifying towns of an impending disaster and getting relief to stop the ravages of a fire.

Alexander Graham Bell lived to see his dream realized and the entire world practically connected by phones.

God bless the day the phone was perfected. An instrument that saves life and can be used to transact business. Think of the benefits derived from an invention 50 years old. In a few minutes a doctor can be called to come to the bedside of a sick child and relief given. This could not have been done before the phone came into use.

**Win Diving Honors**



As the former Betty Becker this mermaid won the Olympic diving title in 1924, beating Alleen Ringin and Carol Fletcher among others. Recently as Mrs. Elizabeth Becker Pinkston, she capped the national fancy diving crown in high springboard competition at Tampa, Fla. Mrs. Pinkston represented the Cara Del Mar club of Santa Monica, Calif., and whipped a high class field. Her sensational performance was one of the big features of the get-together. During the last few years she has been stepping to the front rapidly in natorial circles and now ranks with the stars.

**Big Audience Grooms Paddock At High School**

An enthusiastic and attentive audience greeted Charles W. Paddock in his lecture on "The Spirit of Sportsmanship" at the Ranger High school last night. The audience while not as large as had been anticipated by the sponsors, seemed well pleased with the message that Mr. Paddock brought.

He will return to Ranger next year to talk to the boys of the various athletic teams. Paddock will run in Fort Worth Saturday and will lecture at T. C. U. Friday night.

**Evening Gowns Hold Spotlight At Joseph's Show**

Evening gowns, displayed by the entire cast of models, was the feature that brought to a close the Joseph's spring style show. The closing number was most effective, employing each model, frocked in evening gowns that for beauty of line and fabric beggar description. The style show was witnessed by even a larger crowd last night than the night before and each number modeled received an enthusiastic round of applause.

As usual little F. P. Brasher was the headliner and did his stuff in the manner of Broadway star. He varied his entrance last night by appearing with little Miss Elizabeth Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Patterson, who while a little too timorous to go quite as near the edge of the runway as her escort, was every inch as attractive and dear.

The men came in for their innings also, as W. E. Carlisle, showed to an advantage what the men will wear this spring. Sports, semi-sports, afternoon dresses, coats and evening dresses, all came in for their share of glory.

There were many outstanding creations. One ensemble suit was a gorgeous affair. Its coat was black, with a lining just exactly like the material of the dress part of the suit, which was rose and black, in a diagonal design. This was worn by Miss Flahie. All colors in gowns and hats displayed hinted loudly that the spring and summer would at least be colorful. There was no dreary stuff. Colors were pronounced and vivid. Hats were both small and large and shoes ran a gamut of styles almost indescribable—for shoes certainly played their part in the style show.

Wonderful bags. Some smart leather affairs, with short and long straps, some handsomely beaded bags, strictly tailored, some little classy things just big enough for a hankie and street car fare. All alluring and necessary adjuncts to midday's toilet.

Joseph's store is to be congratulated on the splendid style show just completed. It is an enterprising project, put on with more or less expense and lots of work. Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Durham gave several vocal numbers, accompanied by Miss Nell Tibbels. Ray Judy and Will Scott played the piano and the saxophone and the following models helped to make the style show the success it was. Misses Marie Flahie, Hilda Andrews, Cleo Rice, Katherine Hall, Mmes. R. J. Taylor, C. C. Patterson, and Young Herman, F. P. Brasher, W. E. Carlisle and Elizabeth Patterson.

**FLATWOOD ODD FELLOWS MERGE WITH EATSLAND**

Twenty-five members were added and the territory of the Eastland lodge was greatly enlarged when Carbon lodge No. 252, I. O. O. F. merged with Flatwood lodge No. 572. The Flatwoods lodge is the Eastland lodge of the Odd Fellows.

The membership of the merged lodge is now approximately 160. The lodge passed Cisco in membership on Jan. 1 but is still exceeded by Ranger and Deadman. W. G. Cotton is noble grand of the Flatwoods lodge which meets each Tuesday night.

**Valley Watches Graduate Work Developing Land**

COLLEGE STATION, March 11.—The people of all the Rio Grande Valley are watching with keenest interest the development of the tract of land which was awarded last year to C. D. Whitman, graduate of the A. & M. College of Texas in 1922, by the American Rio Grande Land and Irrigation Company. Twenty acres were given Mr. Whitman as the award which was offered a graduate of agriculture from the College by the Company, in order to demonstrate to the farmers of that district the possibilities of the land when farmed by experts, using scientific methods of agriculture. The land was selected by a committee of A. & M. College officials, from the finest holdings of the company, in the vicinity of Mercedes. Carrying out the conditions of the grant, Mr. Whitman will live on the land and develop it personally for a period of five years, engaging particularly in the production of vegetables, poultry and citrus fruits.

When Mr. Whitman took possession of the land it had been cleared by the company and prepared for irrigation, and was ready for cultivation. The amount of work and improvement that has been accomplished in the short space of a year is remarkable, according to Dean E. J. Kyle of the A. & M. College of Texas, who recently visited the farm. "The development of this project will be of tremendous importance to the rapidly developing Valley region," said Dean Kyle on his return after a tour of the Valley to select the tract of land which will be awarded by the company to an agricultural graduate of the college this year. "No doubt the practices and methods of this one trained farmer will be imitated by hundreds of other farmers who are looking for more profits from agriculture."

**Subterranean Spring Affects Kansas River**

By United Press. SHARON SPRINGS, Kas., March 11.—A volcanic shaped lake is slowly filling with water here, and the bed of the Smoky Hill river is disappearing as the result of a subterranean cave in which started yesterday. The river bed took a drop of 200 feet yesterday, leaving a hole over 150 feet wide. The hole is slowly filling with water from the subterranean springs and Smoky Hill river, which is almost dry at this time of the year, soon after the river dropped. The banks started to crumble in, leaving a funnel shaped hole.

The cave-in is reported to be widening this morning. It is thought it will fill before the week is out leaving a small but deep lake. To keep finger prints and dirty marks off your wall paper have it all pasted on the ceiling.

**SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS**

**TONIGHT**  
 Woodmen's Dance at Legion Hall at 9 p. m.

**FRIDAY**  
 Little Theatre at Merriman School at 8 p. m.  
 Banquet at Methodist Church at 7 p. m.

**MODERN WOODMEN'S DANCE TONIGHT**

The Rainbow Serenaders with their seven clever music makers, will furnish the music for the Modern Woodmen's dance tonight at the new American Legion Hall. This is the first dance that the Modern Woodmen have staged and the response to their efforts is expected to be most hearty. Music will start promptly at 9 o'clock and continue on an on. Ever since the announcement of this dance members and friends of the lodge have been looking forward to it with much pleasure.

**ST. PATRICK'S DANCE ANNOUNCED**

The Junior Twentieth Century Club of Cisco, announce a dance for St. Patrick's Eve, March 16, at the recreation hall at Humbletown. Those who are fostering the dance say it will eclipse any former social events of the pre-Easter season. The Southern Night Hawks of New Orleans will furnish the melody. There will be a Charleston contest and refreshments will be served. The members of the club are extending an invitation to Rangerites to be present.

**DISPENSING BEAUTY**

Miss Anderson is a very interesting woman, who with charm and tact, gained from long years of travel at home and abroad, is dispensing beauty at the Boston Store this week. She represents the Madame De La Mar's Beauty Preparations, and is giving facial treatments free. Her French Creme Powder, liquid rouge and fragrant lotions are indeed beautifiers, toning up the most jaded skin and the tired eyes. As Miss Anderson works she talks. Tells you little beauty secrets that she has acquired, or take you with her to some foreign port, or tells you something of the history of her products and when you emerge all prettier and up from the miracle of her skillful fingers and dainty products, you are refreshed physically and mentally. Miss Anderson is stopping at the Southland, and will be at the Boston Store all the rest of the week.

**PROGRAM FOR METHODIST CHURCH BANQUET**

The following program will be given at the Methodist church tomorrow evening. All the songs will be Irish and the other musical numbers will also suggest the melodies of Erin, for it is a St. Patrick's Day program. The banquet will begin at 7 o'clock.  
 Vocal Duet—Mmes. H. Durham and C. C. Patterson.  
 Piano Solo—Mrs. M. R. Newham.  
 Vocal Solo—Miss Helen Howdeshell.  
 Reading—George Allison.  
 Violin Duet—Evelyn Long and Margaret Lee McDonald.  
 Piano Solo—Miss Nell Tibbels.  
 Cornet Solo—Leo Underwood.  
 Vocal Solo—Mrs. W. R. LaPrelle.  
 Cornet Duet—Floyd Killingsworth and Atury Harkrider.

**DANCE FOR MRS. HOLMGREEN.**

A colored orchestra from Cisco furnished the music for a delightful dance, given last night in the green room of the Gholson, in honor of Mrs. Jennie Holmgreen of San Antonio, by her hostess, Mrs. Early Northrup. Since being in Ranger Mrs. Holmgreen has been the honoree

of a number of informal affairs, perhaps none more enjoyable than the dance of last evening.

Punch was served throughout the evening and dance was prolonged until the wee sma' hours of the morning. Those enjoying Mrs. Northrup's hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gholson, W. R. Bowden, Jack Price, L. P. Lawton, J. F. Dreinhofer, Guy Cummings, Louis Fleck; Mmes. Howard Gholson, John D. Gholson, Albert Riddle, George Bohning, May Harrison; Misses Till, Mary Polvogt, Bennetto Overley; Messrs. Levy of Fort Worth, J. L. Thompson, J. B. McLaughlin, Barnum, Everts, the guest of honor, and Mr. Early Northrup.

**CHOIR PRACTICE. TONIGHT**

Mrs. LaPrelle director of the Methodist church choir, announces that the work on the Easter cantatas will start tonight and wants every member of the choir who possibly can to be present.

**PERSONALS**

Miss Christine Carter who is just recovering from two week's illness with flu left today for her home in Fort Worth where she will recuperate until Monday.

**High School Boys Delight Lions Luncheon**

As an aftermath of Ranger High School's successful athletic records, Masters Galloway and Mills, entertained the members of Ranger Lions Club at noon today with some novel athletic stunts. Prof. R. F. Holloway was also present and talked in behalf of the Educational Council that he with the assistance of fourteen Ranger clubs is launching. He explained its workings, its ideals and its benefits to the community at large.

Luncheon was served at 12:15 at the De Groff and other than the stunts of the two high school boys and the talk by Mr. Holloway, the program was all routine work.

**LISTON BLACK SEES FEW OLD LANDMARKS**

Liston Black, one of the Black Brothers, who had their page in boom history of Ranger, is in Ranger from his home in Los Angeles, Cal. Mr. Black and his brothers were operators on a large scale here, and maintained offices in the Paramount Hotel.

While he sees many changes for the better, still Mr. Black says there are a lot of old landmarks here to remind him of Ranger's hectic days of 1919-1920.

When you burn the brush from the spring prunings, spread the ashes on the garden—great potash fertilizer and it also adds lime.

There are many new wrinkles in fertilizer being put into commerce as a result of experiment station work. Urea is reported as the greatest nitrogen carrying fertilizer yet developed. It will be offered this spring. It is worth experimenting to see if it lives up to scientific predictions.

**RANGER BOY SCOUTS POSTPONE MEETING**

Ranger Boy Scouts will not meet tonight as planned, but will have their regular meeting Friday night in the American Legion hall.

**CONSTIPATION WRECKS HEALTH**

Get sure, permanent relief with Kellogg's ALL-BRAN

Don't let this hideous disease wreck your health with its poisons. Constipation may be the father of more than forty ills and ailments. Yet there is an easy way to relief and health—read Mr. Herman's letter: "Your Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is wonderful. I had been suffering with constipation for thirty years and was all knocked out, hardly able to work. I have been using your ALL-BRAN for six months and I am a well man, feel fine, and as regular as a clock. I don't know how I could live without my bran." H. T. HERMAN, Healing Springs, Virginia. Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is guaranteed to permanently relieve con-

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For the convenience of the tax-payers in this district we have secured an adequate supply of forms for making returns of 1925 income.

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### Family Of Eight Without Clothes, Salvation Army

Out of clothes is a report that comes to the Salvation Army from a family of eight, who have been down with the flu for the past three weeks. The six children range in age from 3 years to sixteen and all need clothing. According to the report of the Salvation Army they have provided themselves with food but their crying need is for clothes. Two of the family now are in bed, and one is just up. Any one having clothes to contribute to this afflicted family, who live out on the Starn highway, will notify the Salvation Army, phone 318, their bundles will be called for and delivered.

### A THREE DAYS' COUGH IS YOUR DANGER SIGNAL

Persistent coughs and colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold action: it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth. Of all known drugs, creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for persistent coughs and colds and other forms of throat troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the infected membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs. Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of persistent coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, bronchitis and other forms of respiratory diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. Creomulsion Company, Atlanta, Ga. (adv.)

### SETTLEMENT OF DAMAGE SUIT STUCK, \$20,000

By United Press. BROOKLYN, March 11.—The jury which has deliberated upon Albert Strong's \$50,000 alienation suit against Charles Z. Weiner, had been out a long time and Albert began to get nervous. "Charley," he said, in effect, "suppose we settle out of court." It was agreed that they settle for \$4,000. Two attorneys stepped up and told the court. Five minutes later the jury came in. "We have awarded Strong a \$20,000 verdict," they said. But the settlement "stuck."

### Former Ranger Banker Makes Good on Coast

Ira I. Thurman, a former resident of Ranger and a brother of John Thurman, of this city, has been elected vice president of the Seaboard Commercial and Savings Bank of Wilmington, California. Mr. Thurman was associated with his brother John Thurman in the Peoples State Bank here, and left for California about four years ago. He opened the Bank of Wilmington and assumed the duties of cashier and member of the board of directors in the new bank. This bank proved very successful, its growth reaching more than a half a million in a year's time. The Commercial National Bank of Los Angeles began negotiations for the purchase of the bank, and in 1923 the deal was consummated and Mr. Thurman was placed in the position as general manager and served as such until he accepted his present appointment. Before coming to Ranger Mr. Thurman had some eight years of banking experience in Big Spring.

### WEAK EYES? CAMPHOR

If you have weak, aching eyes try simple camphor, witchhazel, hydrastis, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. One small bottle helps any case weak, strained or sore eyes. Aluminum eye cup free. Oil City Pharmacy, Ranger.—Adv.

### Bankers Favor Movement To Help Farmers

The Eastland County Bankers' Association, which met in Eastland last night, went on record as endorsing the Boy's Movement for better stock, better crops, etc. They agreed to underwrite \$500, as their part of the money to be used for the awarding of prizes for the greatest amount of cotton grown, and feed stuff of various kinds raised on a given number of acres. Details of this will be worked out by a committee from the Bankers' Association, and Rotary and Lions clubs of Cisco, Eastland and Ranger. Practically every bank in the association was represented at last night's meeting, which was one of the best attended since its organization. The next meeting will be held at Cisco on the second Wednesday evening in June.

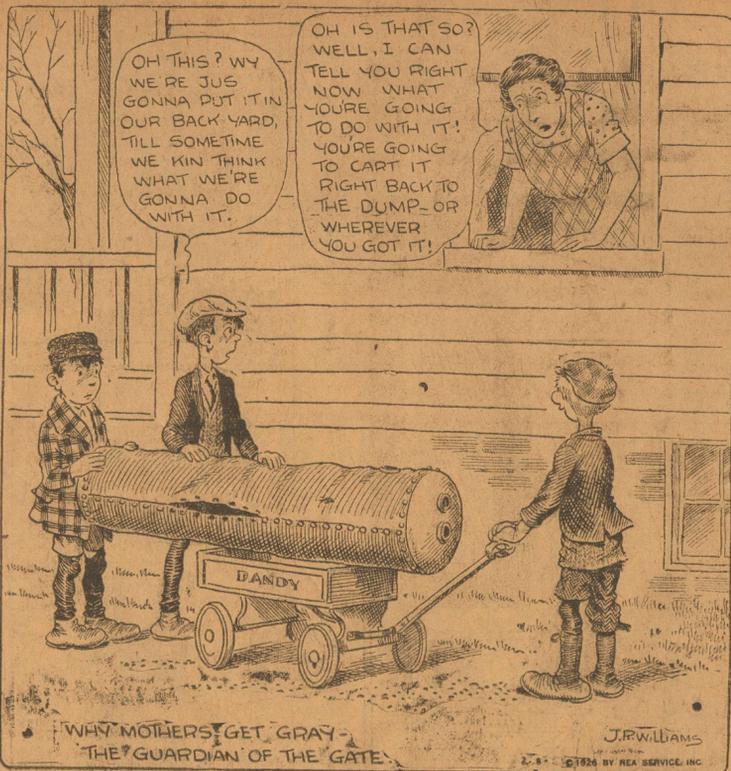
### Youth Seeks "Pen" To Get Education Wounded In War

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 11.—The penitentiary as an educational institution was lauded in the county court here when Elzer Lavigne pleaded for such a sentence instead of usual commitment to jail when he appeared for trial on a robbery charge. "Send me to the Big House, or I'll kill myself," the prisoner said. "I want to be where I can learn a trade." Lavigne, a French-Canadian, was wounded four times during the war. He declared he wasn't strong enough to do manual labor and that the war had interrupted his studies.

### Graham Man "Ad" Manager Of Texas Outlook

FORT WORTH, March 11.—H. H. Avants of Graham, Texas, has been employed as advertising manager for the Texas Outlook, the official magazine of the Texas State Teachers' association. He will assume his duties April 1, and will make his home in Fort Worth, according to R. T. Ellis, secretary of the association. Avants, who for the past five years has been superintendent of young county schools, has had several years' experience in newspaper and periodical advertising. The Texas Outlook, which started as a quarterly publication in 1919, is now one of the largest teachers' journals in the nation and is published monthly.

### OUT OUR WAY



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY—THE GUARDIAN OF THE GATE.

### In the Courts

#### District Court Orders

Orders and judgments of the 88th district court: southern Life Insurance company vs. Cisco Chamber of Commerce, judgment for plaintiff. A. L. Brantley et al. vs. Vernon J. Rose et al, judgment for defendant. C. R. Starnes, county judge of Eastland county, vs. Security State Bank & Trust company et al, consolidated with county school trustees et al vs. Ed Hall, commissioner, et al, order substituting Chas. O. Austin, now banking commissioner, for Ed Hall, as defendant.

Marriage Licenses: A. M. Jamison and Miss Gertrude Harwood, Ranger. Walter Laminack and Miss Allie Wayne Wood, Abilene, R. T. S. T. Hall (colored) and Irene E. Faithful (colored), Marlin.

Births: Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Allison, Eastland, girl; Luther A. Carter, Eastland, girl (twins); Julian Cole, Carbon, girl; O. D. Brazzel, Carbon, girl; E. D. Fleming, Eastland, girl; Mike Morgan, Carbon, boy; Karl Frederic Page, Eastland, girl; Knox E. Reed, Carbon, girl; William Benjamin Clone, Eastland, girl; Frank Seaborn, Carbon, girl; Allen Oxford Tindall, Eastland, girl; Ilan Wesley Cartwright, Eastland, boy; Edward Carl Eary, Gorman, boy; John W. Fannell, Gorman, girl; Burton Henry Gorman, boy; I. Mol-dave, Eastland, girl; James C. Short, Gorman, boy; Ben Weise, Nimrod, boy; William Franklin Miller.

Deaths: William M. Lowery, male, Cisco; Mary J. Notgrass, female, Nimrod; James Rumbaugh, female, Cisco; John Burton Harris, male, Rising Star; L. Spoon, male, Cisco; Little Shepherd, female, Cisco; N. J. Winn, male, rural; Horace Benjamin Duggan, male, Eastland; Marion L. Clarke, male, Rising Star; Margaret Catherine Haley, female, Gorman.

### Decision of Road Case Be Brought Up At Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, March 11.—An announcement that a meeting of the legislative committee of the Texas highway commission is to be held in the near future to consider the effect of the recent decision of the United States supreme court in the Archer county road bond case was made Wednesday by W. T. Wheeler, secretary of the organization. Official call for the meeting is to be issued by Leonard Pittston of Sealy, chairman of the committee. A large number of leading citizens representing every part of the state will be invited to meet with the committee. The supreme court's decision in the Archer county case, Wheeler said today, involves approximately \$100,000,000 of district road bonds and will tie up completion of a large number of miles of highways which are now under construction. It also will prevent, he believes, the starting of other highway projects, which means that highway building in the state will be materially handicapped until the situation is remedied.

### Decrease Noted In Unfilled Steel Tonnage Orders

NEW YORK, March 11.—The United States Steel unfilled tonnage report showed a decrease of 269,917 tons for February, according to reports issued Wednesday. Unfilled tonnage on Feb. 28, was 4,616,822 tons against 4,882,739 on Jan. 31; 5,033,364 on Dec. 31, and 5,284,771 February, 1925.

Better sit in your old comfortable chair all you can before spring cleaning comes and gets it.

### More than 360 recipes in the famous DR. PRICE Cook Book

Write today for FREE copy of this helpful cook book, covering all branches of cookery.

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### Too Weak to hold a broom

No woman whose strength or vitality is low should struggle on, fatigued and ailing, day after day, without correcting her condition. Are you suffering from these signs of run-down health—backaches—dizziness—exhaustion—headaches—loss of appetite—indigestion—constipation? Beware of these warnings! Don't go on suffering when perhaps all you need is a good general tonic. In Lyko you get just the right formula to tone up the whole system. Your well-being is maintained only when stomach, bowels, kidneys and liver are all working properly. One of the medicinal ingredients in Lyko aids digestion; another keeps the bowels open; another acts on the kidneys; another corrects a torpid liver. Thousands of men and women who have tried everything else without success claim Lyko is the most wonderful general tonic they have ever used. They prove that you, too, can get back your old-time vim and vigor. Why not get a bottle of Lyko from your druggist today and let it help you regain the glorious health and happiness that make life a joy?

### Lyko Helped His Wife

An Oklahoma man, Mr. Galison, tells about the help Lyko gave his wife after other remedies had failed. His letter says: "The wonderful relief Lyko has given my wife! She has been taking all kinds of medicine which did no good. I saw Lyko advertised and got it and it is doing her lots of good."

### He Gained 17 Pounds

Mr. Johnson, resident of Kansas City, was amazed at the way Lyko built up his run-down constitution. He says: "When I began taking Lyko I was thin and gaunt, weighed only 130 pounds, and felt a great lack of pep. Now I weigh 147 pounds, am full of energy and never feel tired."

Order lime for the cabbage patch, gypsum for the irises, sheep manure and cow manure, commercially prepared for the annual beds, and bone meal for almost everything. This is a long lasting fertilizer that can always be given with advantage except in dry sandy soils where it is inert.

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## When your Child has Croup

IN cases of spasmodic croup or kiddies' colds, the child's suffering and your anxiety will find quick relief through the soothing, healing, medicated vapors of Vicks VapoRub. When Vicks is rubbed over throat and chest at bedtime it acts in two ways at once:— (1) It is vaporized by the body heat and inhaled direct to the inflamed air passages and lungs, loosening the phlegm and easing the cough; and (2) At the same time it warms and stimulates the skin like a poultice, "drawing out" the soreness and pain. Colds are usually better by morning and croup is often relieved with one application.

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### QUICK SERVICE GARAGE

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—We repair any make of car—Terms can be arranged—Humble Gas and Oils

Cars Washed Phone 23

Breckenridge-Eastland-Ranger STAGE LINE

G. A. LONGLEY, Mgr.

Leaves Breckenridge 9 a. m. and 12:30, 9:30 and 5 p. m. Leaves Ranger 8 and 11:30 a. m. 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m. Connection with Graham, Olney and Wichita Falls 9:30 and 1:20 cars out of Breckenridge. Connection with Sunshine trains. Breckenridge to Eastland...\$1.00 Breckenridge to Ranger...\$1.50 Ranger Ph. 396 Breckenridge Ph. 352

### SPECIAL

—Eugene Permanent Marcel this month, only \$12.50. Make application early. Phone 240.

### The Blue and Gray Beauty Shop—Eastland

### John J. Carter

Plumbing and Heating

Shop Phone 607—Residence 565-J  
201 East Main St. Ranger

### Wanted:

Four ladies, familiar with handling expensive clothes to assist the wardrobe mistress, Greenwich, Follies.

See Manager at Lamb Theatre, now.

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RENOVATED One Day Service Ranger Steam Laundry

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### Vulcanizing and Re-Treading a Specialty

Get 3 Tires and Tubes, Second Hand Tires—All Work Guaranteed—Best Equipped Shop in County

### CITY VULCANIZING SHOP

200 W. Commerce St. Eastland, Texas

for Economical Transportation

# CHEVROLET

and Now Tax Reduction Allowed

Effective at once, the delivered price of all Chevrolet models is reduced. Chevrolet buyers will be given the benefit of the recent tax reduction though it does not become officially operative until March twenty-ninth. Thus for the third time since the first of this year Chevrolet emphasizes its supremacy in dollar-for-dollar value.

### First—Reduced Prices

Early in January Chevrolet announced sweeping price reductions.

Prices F. O. B. Flint, Mich.	
Touring	\$510.00
Roadster	510.00
Coupe	645.00
Coach	645.00
Sedan	735.00
Landau	765.00
1/2 Ton Truck (Chassis Only)	395.00
1-Ton Truck (Chassis Only)	550.00

### Then—The Improved Chevrolet

Shortly thereafter the Improved Chevrolet was announced at these reduced prices. Instantly it met with such an increase in popularity that it became necessary to break all previous production records for January and February.

### And Now—A Further Saving

Although the reduction in automobile taxes does not become officially effective for some time, the full amount of this reduction is now passed on to Chevrolet buyers. Thus Chevrolet again emphasizes that principle of value on which it has built the greatest success ever attained by any manufacturer of modern gear-shift automobiles. Come in! See the Improved Chevrolet! One ride will be a revelation!

## OILBELT MOTOR CO. INC.

"LARGEST IN WEST TEXAS"

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### QUALITY AT LOW COST

## RANGER STATE BANK

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## A GUARANTY FUND BANK

Safety—Service—Satisfaction

Long-Felt Wants Promptly Filled By These Want Ads

1-LOST AND FOUND LOST—Key ring, two pass keys, tag with American National Bank... LOST—New 30x5 General cord tire... LOST—One white female hound, tail bobbed short...

7-SPECIAL NOTICES BUTTON-HOLES made to order, 35c per dozen... RUMMAGE SALE BARGAINS—4 blocks east, 2 north Young school...

INCOME TAX SERVICE MADDOCKS & SON, 207 MAIN STREET, RANGER, TEXAS.

THREE-PIECE suits cleaned, pressed and delivered for \$1.00... MONEY TO LOAN on Eastland county farm land only...

FURNITURE refinished, repaired, upholstering, stoves fixed... REPAIR and carpenter work...

REPAIR and carpenter work; furniture upholstering... DRAPERY curt 50c, rainwater shampoo 50c...

HOUSES FOR RENT FOR RENT—Two-room house; gas, water, lights... FOR RENT—Modern five rooms and bath...

APARTMENTS FOR RENT FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartments... 12-WANTED TO BUY WANTED—Sour cream...

WILL BUY your cattle; also a few milk cows for sale... SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices...

WANTED—Second-hand furniture... 13-FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS FIELD SEEDS—Well re-cleaned...

FOR SALE—Toledo scales... 22-POULTRY AND PET STOCK W. M. RUSH, D. V. M.—Ranger Veterinary Hospital...

FOR SALE—Peanut hay, 50c per bale... BARGAINS in used tires; have plenty of Ford sizes...

15-HOUSES FOR SALE LOOK—Five rooms, sleeping porch; close to school... FOR SALE—One 5-room house with 3 acres...

16-AUTOMOBILES WHY PUT new parts on old cars? BRAND NEW 1926 Ford coupe with five Lee puncture-proof tires...

AUTO SALVAGE CO.—A million auto parts, new and used; wholesale and retail... 1925 Standard Six Studebaker, in A1 condition...

1924 Chevrolet roadster, looks good, runs good... ONE-TON Economy trailer, practically new...

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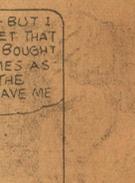
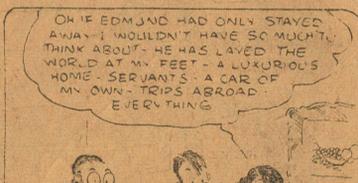
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

REMEMBER, MOM—IF YOU GO OVER TO TAGS HOUSE DON'T YOU ASK HIS MOTHER FOR ANY BREAD AND JAM



Mon'n Pop

LORETTA DEAR, YOU'RE NOT EATING A THING—



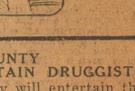
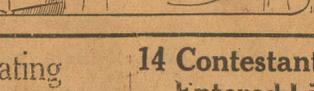
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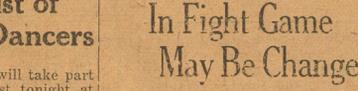
OH IF EDMUND HAD ONLY STAYED AWAY—I WOULD'N'T HAVE SO MUCH TO THINK ABOUT—HE'S HAD THE WORLD AT HIS FEET—A LUXURIOUS HOME—SERVANTS—A CAR OF HIS OWN—TRIPS ABROAD EVERYTHING



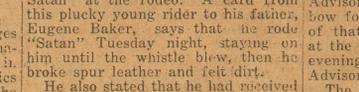
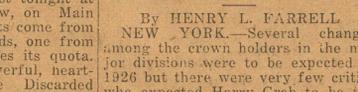
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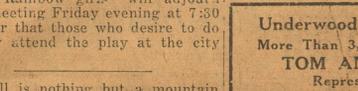
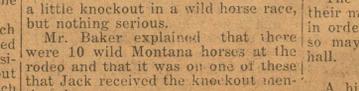
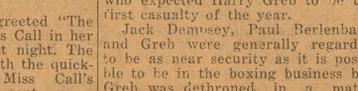
THAT'S JUST IT—I DON'T CARE FOR HIM—I LOVE CHICK!



THEN DEAR IF YOU LOVE CHICK THAT SHOULD DECIDE THINGS—YOU'LL FORGET EDMUND IN TIME—



YES I KNOW—BUT I CAN'T FORGET THAT THE RING HE BOUGHT IS THREE TIMES AS LARGE AS THE ONE CHICK GAVE ME



BY TAYLOR

Law Regulating Pedestrians Up For Test Case

AUSTIN, March 11.—Whether cities have the right to regulate pedestrian traffic, is involved in the habeas corpus case of George W. Armstrong from Tarrant county...

14 Contestants Entered List of Tent Dancers

Fourteen contestants will take part in the Charleston contest tonight at Brunk's comedian show, on Main street. These contestants come from all parts of the oil fields...

Crown Holders In Fight Game May Be Changed

NEW YORK.—Several changes among the crown holders in the major divisions were to be expected in 1926 but there were very few critics who expected Harry Greb to be the first casualty of the year...

BAKER MASTERS Rainbow Girls To Greet Mother Advisor Friday

Jack Baker has ridden "Black Satan" at the rodeo. A card from this plucky young rider to his father, Eugene Baker, says that he rode "Satan" Tuesday night...

Eastland County White Leghorns Winning Prizes

Eastland county white leghorns are still winning according to R. L. Poe of Cisco, who has just returned from Fort Worth where he entered his American white leghorn chickens in the poultry exhibit...

Blue Blazers Playing ONE OF THE BIG SPECIALS TO BE SHOWN AT THE LAMB TODAY AND FRIDAY

The most astounding rescue ever performed on the screen—a boy swimming under water beneath the flaming surface—getting a rope ashore and carrying his loved ones hand over hand—above the Satanic tongues of fire that leap at their feet!

WOUNDED A COW IS FINED \$5, AND CASE REVERSED

AUSTIN, March 11.—The court of criminal appeals Wednesday reversed and dismissed prosecution in the case of W. B. Reeves, from Henderson county, fined \$5 on a charge of wounding a cow...

Oakley School Stages Another Good Program

The second meeting between the members of Oakley school and Ranger citizens, will be staged Saturday night at the Oakley schoolhouse. The program committee has submitted the following program...

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Me and the old bronc continued our voyage of discovery Wednesday Bronc used his tail for a sail. I used my sombrero for a rudder and we put in at several ports without anchoring at any. But you bet, we saw some real estero movements. One whole farm, I think was moved across the road in the wind—all except what lodged in our hair.

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and the Eastland county man who paid \$25 for a rooster.

It was O. G. Phillips of the Long Branch community who sold those melons. And he has never quite raised and selling them, to say nothing of the \$800 worth of hog sold last season, all fattened off of Spanish peanuts he raised himself on his 204 acre farm, or the eleven boxes of cotton and tons on tons of fertilizer.

"I make it a point never to sell peanuts except on the hoof," Mr. Phillips told me in strict confidence. (That's why I am putting it in the paper.) In other words, when you eat hog meat raised on his farm, you are eating nut meat—meat fattened on the peanuts which, he says makes his land richer every year.

To W. J. Speer, living just outside of Carbon, goes the palm for buying that first high priced rooster—cockereel. It was a Rhode Island Red—Texas bred. Mr. Speer had exactly 3,000 chickens on his ranch the day the rooster was there. He has more than 1,000 laying white leghorn hens and a 12,000 egg capacity incubator which he runs at full capacity, selling off the baby chicks, and has orders booked for the entire output down to March 22. About half the eggs he hatches are laid by his own hens; the remainder by customers' hens.

Mr. Speer was one of the first if not the first men in Eastland county to go into chicken raising on a large scale. He feeds commercial feed entirely but may, later utilize the water on his ranch to produce his own feed.

If the wind isn't too high tomorrow, and the old bronc's tail holds out, we may steer into some port—probably Carbon where they raise so many watermelons it causes a rise in the creek and are going out after oil and gas to light up the melon patches and shoo away hungry newspaper men who threaten an onslaught on their patches next summer.

SCRANTON NEWS

SCRANTON, March 11.—Rev. Charles H. Puckett filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning and evening.

The little 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lane has been real sick but is reported improved at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Belew and children spent Sunday with relatives in Cross Plains.

"Uncle" Dim Lane recently celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday. Those who were present at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lane and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Ledbetter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Speagle and children have returned from a visit to relatives at Dan Horn.

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YELLOW STUB

BEGIN HERE TODAY  
Henry Rand, 55, a business man, is found murdered in a cheap hotel in Grafton. Police find a woman's handkerchief and the stub of a yellow theater ticket.

Janet Rand, his daughter breaks her engagement with Barry Colvin because of the "disgrace." Jimmy Rand, his son, goes to Waterton, where the theater is. The stub is traced to Olga Maynard, a cabaret singer.

Jimmy meets and falls in love with Mary Lowell. Later he encounters Olga. She faints at hearing police want her for murder. Mary, out with Samuel Church, a wealthy lawyer, sees Jimmy lift Olga into a taxi and misunderstands.

Olga tells police the stub might have come into possession of a man who "picked her up" two nights before the murder. Jimmy receives mysterious warnings to leave Waterton and later is attacked by two men but escapes.

With Jimmy and Mary estranged Church gets Mary's promise to marry him. Jimmy accuses her of marrying for money.

Jimmy and Olga, out one night, see a man they both recognize—she as the man who got the stub, he as one of his assailants. The man escapes, but they identify him by his police picture as Ike Jensen.

Church, motoring with Mary, runs over a dog. His heartlessness causes her to break their engagement.

Olga tells Jimmy that Church, because she had refused to have anything to do with him, had caused her to lose several jobs. Jimmy realizes Olga is in love with him and is deeply troubled. She offers her lips and he kisses her.

Mary writes Jimmy a letter, explaining that she had broken with Church. The office boy sticks the letter in his pocket and forgets it. That evening Barry tells Jimmy he met a smart lawyer that day. "His name," said Barry, "was Church." NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXXVIII

"Good Lord!" Jimmy exclaimed at the mention of Church's name. "Everywhere I go I hear nothing but Church—Sam Church."

Barry regarded him in bewilderment. "Why, what's wrong with you?"

"Oh, go ahead, Barry. Don't mind me. You said you had met him today? How come? Explain."

"Well, I'm representing a client with a big damage claim against the Z. and R. railroad. I've got a good case, too. This fellow Church is the attorney for the railroad. It seems he defends all, or nearly all, of their damage suits."

"I met him today, and he had a proposition for setting out of court, but it wasn't big enough money for me and I told him so. I'd rather take a chance on fighting him, but as I say he's a smart baby and he told me today how he could throw a lot of obstacles in my way and even keep delaying the case until we get ready to throw up the sponge."

"Watch him," cautioned Jimmy. "I've heard he was a jury fixer."

"What? A big lawyer like him."

"I'll tell you a few things about Sam Church, Barry. Listen."

"Can you imagine a skunk low enough to persecute a girl the way he did Olga Maynard?" Jimmy finished.

"Well, why doesn't somebody get after him? Why doesn't she tell that story to the police?"

"You make me laugh, Barry. Who'd believe her. And how could she prove anything. My boy, Sam Church makes his money do a lot of loud talking for him."

"How do you know that Miss Maynard was telling you the truth?"

"Don't be such a skeptic, Barry," said Jimmy wearily. "Do I look like a fool?"

"I think you're a fool to be staying here, with people taking pot shots at you out of the dark. And I think if the lady is charming enough, and according to you she is all of that, why, you might be willing to give her something better than an even break."

"Oh, you're an utter fool. Won't you ever get any sense?"

"Sure you haven't fallen for her, Jim?" Barry was grinning broadly.

"You fat slob," Jimmy was laugh-

ing in spite of himself. No one could resist Barry Colvin's grin. Jimmy raised his fist threateningly. "If it was anybody but you, I'd take you by your fat neck and choke you."

He grabbed Barry's arm and tried to "talk sense" to him. "Now listen. In the first place, I'd believe anything about Sam Church—O'Day told me an earful and I know by my own limited experience with him that he's a regular snake in the grass."

"And in the second place—oh, well, what's the use of talking about it?"

"And in the second place," grinned Barry, "there's no sense to what you're saying in the first place. You sound like the fellow who was arrested because his dog had bitten a

thing about it?"

"Barry, you fool, you don't understand. I can't go to her, crawling, and tell her where she's making a mistake. What kind of a position does that put me in?"

"Well, if you don't speak up for the things you want in this world, you don't get them. You're mooning about the fact it's the thing that's out of reach that we want most. Go on and grab it. If you don't, I'll go to her myself and spill the whole story. Suppose I had curled up and quit when Janet broke off with me. It's your darn stubbornness. . . . You're even more stubborn than I than Janet."

"And, by the way, I might as well



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boy. He told the judge his dog wouldn't bite in the first place, didn't have any teeth in the second place, and in the third place he didn't have any dog in the first place."

"You're hopeless, you good for nothing slyter," Jimmy laughed outright, and then, more seriously, he asked, "By the way, if you were up at the Z. and R. offices today did you see a girl by the name of Lowell?"

"Saw a lot of girls, Jim. Some of them were knockouts."

"Did you see Sam Church talking to any girl?"

"No. Did I miss anything by not seeing Miss Lowell? Who is she, anyway?"

"Mary Lowell is the most wonderful girl in the world, Barry. The words came unheeded from his lips before he could think."

"You're a liar," grinned Barry, jabbing him in the ribs with his elbow. "The most wonderful girl in the world is your sister."

But he looked at Jimmy with a keen, appraising eye and detected the expression of pain on Jimmy's countenance. "Why, what's the matter, Jim? Is it as bad as that? What did she do to you?"

"I'll feel better if I unload my troubles on you, Barry. In your ignorant way you asked me if I had fallen for Olga Maynard. No. Perhaps I'd be better off if I had. I fell for Mary Lowell, and I fell hard. And now she's going to marry Sam Church."

"The young lady seems to know what side her bread is buttered on. Sam's got the heavy dough, I hear."

"You wouldn't say that, Barry, if you knew her."

And then he told Barry the whole story, beginning with his first meeting with Mary. . . .

"And so you see, Barry, Olga in a way is the innocent cause of the whole mixup."

"Well, why don't you go to Mary and explain the whole thing?"

"Not now, Barry. It's too late."

"Why you darn fool, are you going to sit back and see her marry

danger of being found."

"Well, I'm sticking, Barry. I'm sorry." He raised his hand and let them fall again to his side. "Until I see it through."

"Well, maybe I can see your side of it, Jim," Barry laid his hand on the other's shoulder. "But," he declared through compressed lips, "if anyone tried to harm Janet, I'd kill him."

"I know you would, bless your old heart. I said once before, and I repeat it now. If it's the last thing I do on this earth, I'm going to kill the man who murdered my father."

The fog that hung low over Waterton's streets when they went in the theater had lifted by the time the performance was over, and they walked out into a clear and starry night.

In the midst of a discussion that centered about two love-sick young tools they heard sharp cries some distance up the street. Promenaders turned their heads inquiringly and then hastened toward the swifly gathering crowd.

"Come on, Jim," Barry grabbed his arm. "Maybe it's a fight. Maybe someone's getting pinched."

It was a fight. Standing on tip-toe on the outer fringe of the crowd they could see two struggling figures locked in a desperate clinch as they scuffled near the curb. They fought silently, with grim intensity, wholly oblivious of the crowd that hemmed them in.

Then suddenly there was a parting of the two forms and a sudden darting in of one of them, a swift flash and then the sickening sound of the impact of fist on jaw. One of the figures dropped—dropped like a log, his head striking the curb with a resounding smack. He lay still.

"Did you see that?"

"Good Lord, what a sock!"

"He's killed him!"

The mutterings of an idle, curious crowd. . . . Then there was a quick movement, a swift shuffling

and bodies tensely straining.

Someone in the crowd set up the cry: "Stop him! Stop him! There he goes!" (To Be Continued)

Bedford Section  
Man Wants Road  
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C. E. Spruill of the Bedford community was a business visitor in Eastland Wednesday. Mr. Spruill states that, with the exception of two miles, there is a splendid road from Eastland into his community, but that Eastland merchants are losing much of the trade of the people in that section because of this two miles of bad road.

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For County Clerk: R. L. JONES.

For County Tax Collector: CLARENCE A. LOVE.

**Eastland Lawyer To Defend Woman On Murder Charge**

Judge R. L. Rust of Eastland has been employed to defend Mrs. J. V. Jenkins of Marietta, Okla., who is charged with being an accomplice in the death of her husband, who was shot to death on his ranch in Love county, Oklahoma, near Gainesville, Texas, on Nov. 7, last.

The Jenkins lived in Eastland in

**CHENEY NEWS**

*Special Correspondence.*

CHENEY, March 11.—The nice showers we have been having and the sunshine is making things around Cheney look good. Gardens are doing nicely, some corn is up, while some farmers are just now planting.

Health conditions are somewhat improved over last week as there is not so many cases of the flu. The school attendance, which was cut rather short on account of so much illness, is about up to normal again.

Both the boys' and girls' basketball teams of Cheney won over the Cross Roads boys' and girls' teams in games played a few days ago.

Walton Mosley is home from Abilene where he is attending school, for a visit with homefolks.

An old-time dance at the Hollis Snell home last Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd, as was a social gathering at the Andrews home.

Attendance at singing Sunday afternoon was not as large as it should have been on account of so much flu in the community.

L. C. (Uncle Clark) Ainsworth

**Sabanno News**

*Special Correspondence.*

SABANNO, March 11.—Church and Sunday school here was not so well attended Sunday on account of so much flu in the community. Most every family in the community has had one or more cases, there being four cases in the Joe Erwin family, and Mrs. Sarde McCan and children all have it.

Little Edna King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King, is able to be up after a case of the flu.

Mrs. E. L. Laminack and son, Walter, of Hamby are visiting Mrs. Laminack's son, Moody, and wife, this week.

Mrs. Joe Brown and son, Chester, have moved to Chillicothe. Noel Black will work Mrs. Brown's place this year.

Miss Allie Woods was the guest of Misses Jessie and Viola King, Sunday.

Miss Gladys Erwin and Miss Hazel Atwood were guests of Miss Ethel Fore last Sunday.

Mrs. L. M. Barron visited Mrs. Robert Dotson, Sunday afternoon.

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was buried at the Cook cemetery following his death Tuesday. "Uncle Clark" was one of the old settlers of Eastland county, having settled near Cheney before there was any Cheney here. He is survived by six children, five daughters and one son, as follows: Mrs. G. D. Barton, Ranger; Mrs. J. H. Fox, Swensondale; Mrs. J. W. Blackwell, Sweetwater; Mrs. T. C. Weeks, Gorman; Mrs. Ed. McMillan, Desdemona; and J. H. Ainsworth, Ranger. Deceased was 83 years of age at the time he died, while on a visit to his daughter at Swensondale.

**McMurry Gets In Scholarship Society of Texas**

*Special Correspondence.*

ABILENE, March 11.—McMurry was admitted to full membership into the scholarship societies of Texas, without condition and restriction at its recent meeting in Georgetown on Feb. 22. Prof. W. C. Holden was the McMurry representative at this meeting which convened at Southwestern university.

This organization was formed five years ago with 15 charter members and last year Simmons university and Howard Payne college were admitted. Five more members were accepted this year, McMurry being allotted charter 20.

The slogan of the society is "Scholarship," and its objects is the stimulation, development, and recognition of scholarship and these elements of character which make scholarship effective for good.

The McMurry chapter of this society is to be formed soon, according to Professor Holden. Its name is yet to be decided, but its membership will be very small this year, only one senior and three juniors being eligible. The membership eligibility requirements include a good reputation and character.

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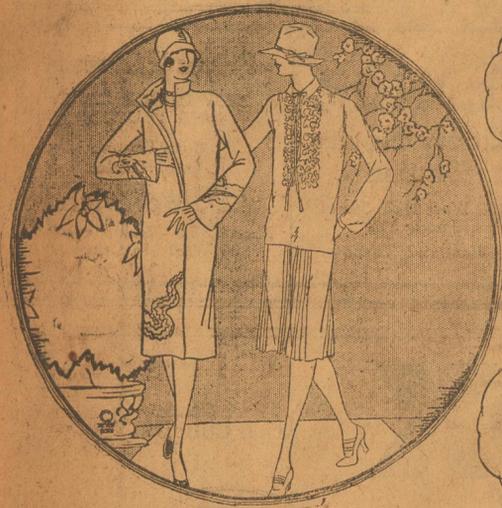
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