

SENTENCE SERMON. A man who shows himself too well satisfied with himself is seldom pleased with others, and they, in turn, are little disposed to like him.—La Rochefoucauld.

FIERCE BLAZE STARTED BY HOT CINDERS

COUNTY CONVENTION DENOUNCES KU KLUX KLAN

ABSOLUTE HARMONY FEATURES MEETING OF EASTLAND COUNTY DEMOCRATS FOLLOWING PRIMARY

Resolutions Adopted and Speeches Made in Opposition to Hooded Order, Scoring Its Organ in Eastland, Endorsing Candidacy of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson for Governor and Urging H. P. Brelsford for State Executive Committeeman From This Senatorial District.

Eastland county democrats assembled in county convention in the 91st district court room Saturday afternoon, denounced the Ku Klux Klan as un-Christian, un-American, undemocratic and a menace to the continuance of a democratic form of government in this country.

A resolution denouncing in severe terms the Oil Belt News, the Klan organ in Eastland county, and the tactics used by it in the recent political campaign in the county was also passed, as were resolutions endorsing the candidacy of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson for governor.

RANGER BAND GIVES CONCERT TUESDAY NIGHT

First Open-Air Performance Will Be at Main and Marston Streets.

The Carl Barnes Post of the American League, Ranger, is meeting with splendid response on the part of the local merchants who evidently appreciate the fact that the city needs a band for very many reasons, and that a band must have support in order to exist.

The chair appointed as a committee on credentials: John M. Gholson, Dr. E. W. Kimble, James Irby, John Nobles, Mrs. Earl Conner, Mrs. William Reagan.

Delegates to state convention: Joe Burkett, H. P. Brelsford, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, James E. Ferguson, Senator W. J. Rodgers, Earl Conner, R. A. St. John, W. O. Russell, J. Frank Sparks, John M. Gholson, Sanford J. Dean, Wade Swift, Walter Murray, Milburn McCarty, C. U. Connelley, O. F. Chastain, O. C. Funderburk, Harve Vestal, M. G. Robertson, Lanham Brown, Fred Tate, J. S. Davis, Dr. E. W. Kimble, W. S. Birge, Walter May, L. D. Dunaway, W. C. Yeager, L. R. Pierson, Joe Weaver, Mrs. O. C. Funderburk, Mrs. Joe Burkett, Mrs. A. H. Johnson, Mrs. C. U. Connelley, Mrs. Phillip Pettit, Mrs. William Reagan, Jacob Lyerla, J. L. Noble, Clan Horn, Homer Moorman, H. B. Horn, Forest D. Wright, J. E. Walker, Jr., J. M. Williamson, Joseph Weldon, Bailey, W. F. St. John, A. B. O'Flaherty, Mrs. F. Q. Lee, R. Q. Lee, Mrs. W. E. Spencer, Rufus Cox, R. W. Edwards, A. D. Babney, R. L. Rowe, Rev. Mr. Johnson.

EASTLAND GUN CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS AND ARRANGES FOR SHOOT

The Eastland County Gun Club elected officers at the Chamber of Commerce offices Friday night, for the purpose of carrying forward the interests of those who enjoy shooting in Eastland county, and especially in order to handle efficiently the big shoot to be held in Eastland August 31 and September 1.

James Horton was elected president, T. H. Landon vice president, and Guy Sherrill, secretary-treasurer. Several committees were appointed to handle the various affairs of the shoot, and other arrangements perfected, which will make this shoot one of the big events of the year for Eastland. Already a number of experts have indicated that they will come, and a large crowd is expected to be present during the two days.

INFANT CHILD DIES FROM COPPERHEAD SNAKE BITE

CISCO, Texas, Aug. 2.—After being bitten several times on the hand and shoulder by a copperhead snake, the 6-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. White died here Thursday. The parents were sleeping on a pallet with the child between them when the snake crept in and attacked it.

OFFICIAL COUNT OF EASTLAND COUNTY VOTE

Figures Reported by Executive Committee to County Convention.

Two run-off elections for county officials, one for justice of the peace, one for constable and one for a precinct chairman are shown by the official canvass by the Eastland County Democratic Executive committee of the returns from the Democratic primaries of Saturday, July 26, submitted at the county convention yesterday. The run-off election will be held Saturday, August 23.

The run-off elections will be between T. J. Cunningham and C. L. (Clyde) Garrett for judge of the county court-at-law; R. W. Edwards and J. D. Barton for sheriff; L. C. Gorton and Haden Neal for justice of the peace, precinct 1, place 1, and between J. L. Nobles, R. L. Smith and D. W. Switzer for chairman of precinct 21 at Mangum. There are three in the latter race because Nobles and Smith tied for second place.

The official canvass shows the following returns: For U. S. Senate—Morris Sheppard 4,267; John F. Maddox 801; Fred W. Davis 1,355.

For Governor—Miriam M. Ferguson 1,054; T. W. (Whit) Davidson 262; V. A. Collins 96; Lynch Davidson 682; Dan Moody 2,380; Joe Burkett 2,380; W. E. Pope 146; Thomas D. Barton 634; Felix D. Robertson 1,342.

For Lieutenant-Governor—Will C. Edwards 2,283; Wallace Malone 902; John D. McCall 1,386; Barry Miller 1,924.

For Attorney General—P. M. Nelson 1,611; Edward B. Ward 2,985; Dan Moody 1,040; John C. Wall 1,040.

For Commissioner of Agriculture—Robert E. Sparkman 3,245; George B. Terrell 2,976.

EASTLAND NOW VIRTUALLY FREE OF MOSQUITOS

Oiling and Ditching in Early Summer Proves Very Effective.

Eastland is practically free of mosquitoes as the result of the splendid work done by Jay Phillips, who has charge of the campaign here against the mosquito.

Following is Mr. Phillips' report of his work to the State Board of Health for the month of July:

Place of Operations—Lakes, tanks, storm sewers, streams, cisterns (both top and underground), abandoned wells, etc. A total of 37 places treated. A number of small tanks have gone dry since June report.

Character of Operations—Oiling, ditching, draining, removing of water moss from the edge of some of the lakes, etc.

Progress of Operations—Splendid, due to much dry weather and hard work.

Conferences—Many with city management and citizens generally.

Publicity—Both daily papers have frequently commented favorably on the results of our efforts.

Remarks—The whole citizenship appear highly pleased with the comfort they now have because of so few mosquitoes. I believe all are doing their best toward complete extermination of the pests. Oil used for the month, 600 gallons, all donated.

MacDonald Fears Trouble in Ireland May React on Him

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The Irish conference, attempting to solve the border dispute between Ulster and the Irish Free State adjourned at 5:10 p. m. today without reaching a decision. No statement was given out and it was obvious that the conferees were dissatisfied.

The government, it was forecast, will introduce legislation designed to effect a settlement of the argument by treating early next week and the fate of the MacDonald cabinet may hang in the balance. The prime minister, who was able to attend only a part of today's meeting because of the inter-allied conference, obviously was worried. He said it was probable he would make a statement on the Irish situation in the house of commons Monday.

President Cosgrove of the Irish Free State, who was here for the meeting, insisted he would return to Dublin tonight, and he did not say when he intended to return.

WISCONSIN NATIONAL GUARD WILL NOT JOIN DEFENSE DAY PROGRAM

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 2.—The Wisconsin national guard will not take part in national defense day, September 12, it was announced today. In an order issued by direction of Governor John J. Blaine, Adjutant General Ralph Imhell today declared the governor feels that the test of mobilization is inadvisable, and that the Wisconsin national guard will take part only on a call by the President of the United States issued in a national emergency.

Governor Blaine's statement contends a national defense day inadvisable because it would stimulate a national military movement and that it would be worth more to America to hold a demonstration that would lead to universal peace. He also objected to the plan on the ground that it would create an unwarranted impression in foreign countries.

Governor Blaine further attacked the mobilization scheme on the ground of inconvenience, as advanced by Governor Charles W. Bryan of Nebraska, in his recent statement.

The Wisconsin civil eventive is a close friend and political ally of Senator Robert M. La Follette.

DEFENSE WILL PRESENT 'SPLIT PERSONALITIES'

Alienists Build Up Series of Fantasies for Two Wealthy Young Murderers.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Another fantastic addition to the trial of Nathan Leopold Jr., and Richard Loeb will be built up next week by Dr. William Healey of Boston, who will take the stand Monday at the judicial hearing before Chief Justice John R. Caverly to tell of his findings in the examination of Leopold and Loeb.

Like Dr. White, he is to present a series of startling figures on the "split personalities," approaching the two youths from a psychometric standpoint for measuring of the intelligence. Dr. Healey promises to show the mental powers before and after the killing of Franks. He expects to show the growth of criminalistic tendencies and the reasons therefore, concluding with a supreme effort, the perpetration of what they hoped would be the perfect crime.

Crowe Wants Jury. State Attorney Robert E. Crowe failed for the second time today to force the mental condition of Nathan Leopold Jr., and Richard Loeb before a jury.

While cross examining Dr. William A. White of Washington, alienist who appeared in defense of the millionaire youths, who murdered Robert Franks, 14-year-old school boy, Crowe attempted to force the witness to state if in his opinion the boys were insane.

The defense objected to this action and the objection was sustained by Chief Justice John R. Caverly. Failing in this direct attempt, Crowe tried by various subtle ways to force Dr. White across the thin line of mental responsibility to insanity. Each time he met with repulse. Crowe's contention was that such a question must be heard by a jury.

Crowe scored what he considered a successful attack on the credibility of the defense alienist when his demand for Dr. White's original report on Leopold and Loeb was refused by the defense. Crowe declared that Dr. White, in his first report, found Leopold and Loeb insane, but when the defense changed its mind and the defense changed its mind and the defense changed its mind and the defense changed its mind.

Crowe made a vigorous effort to tear down the fantasy life defense. He attempted to show that the super-intellectuals with emotions of a child of five years—the crux of the defense—were mature, both mentally and emotionally.

"Would a man with the emotions of a child of five, when brought into a serious predicament, ask that the names of girl friends be not divulged, for fear of bringing them embarrassment?" he asked.

"Not necessarily," the alienist replied. "Would a child of five show consideration for other people's feelings?" asked Crowe.

The alienist replied that the question would be difficult to answer as a general proposition.

GOVERNING COUNCIL OF FEDERATION OF LABOR SUPPORTS LA FOLLETTE

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 2.—Labor will support La Follette, according to the supreme council of the American Federation of Labor which so voted today. The action was taken after an all-day discussion among the 11 council members and the decision is understood to have been without dissent. Details of the report were withheld until Sunday night by Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation and chairman of the council, who declared that the facilities for issuing the report were so limited that it could not be issued before then.

The council made only a few changes in the wording of a report drawn by its campaign committee, headed by Gompers. The action does not bind any of the three million organized laborers to any organized movement.

NEWTON D. BAKER NARROWLY ESCAPES SERIOUS INJURY

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 2.—Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war in the cabinet of President Wilson, narrowly escaped serious injury in a street car collision here today, in which five were injured, several seriously, and a score of others cut and bruised. Baker was standing beside the motorman of a 2-car train as it sped around a curve and crashed into another train.

UNIFORM PRICES WOULD BENEFIT EGG PRODUCERS

Poultry Breeders See Benefit of Marketing Association and Many Joining.

The work of organizing the Bankhead Poultry Producer's association is going forward, at least one-third of the required number of hens having been signed up to date, according to Secretary George W. Briggs of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, who is devoting considerable time to the project.

Many contracts have been signed at Eastland, Cisco, Ranger, Carbon, Gorman, Seranton, Rising Star and Desdemona and many more are to be signed, according to those working on the matter.

The purpose of the organization, which has been often stated, is to provide a market for the poultry and poultry products of the raisers in this section. Under existing conditions, some farmers are selling their eggs at from ten to twelve cents per dozen under the market price and under the price being paid other farmers. This is because those farmers who are grading and classifying their eggs for sale, are being shown preference by the buyers.

With the marketing association functioning this would not happen, as each producer's eggs would be properly graded and stamped and all eggs of equal value would be a uniform price according to grade.

Poultry raisers are not being urged to join the association, it is said. They are merely being offered the opportunity, for it is more to their benefit to have the marketing association than anyone else.

One American Flyer Goes on Alone and Reaches Iceland

U. S. CRUISER, RICHMOND, HOUSTON BAY, Orkney Islands, Aug. 2.—Lieutenant Erick Nelson and his flying companion, Lieutenant John Harding Jr., are flying on alone after losing track of their companions on the American round-the-world trip. They reached Hannaford, Iceland, at 4:40 p. m. today. The distance is 335 miles between the two airplanes, piloted by Lieutenant Lowell Smith and Leigh Wade, circled back to the Orkneys after running into dense banks of fog. They will attempt to go on tomorrow.

The American destroyers and cruisers acting as station ships for the flyers, remained at their posts. The three planes soared up from Houston Bay at 9:30 a. m. but ran into an unexpected fog and became separated. Smith and Wade later came together of the convoy.

The cruiser Richmond put to sea under full steam to race in the wake of the speeding Nelson and give aid if needed. A message was sent by radio to the torpedo boats Reid and Billingsley warning them that Nelson was on his way alone and asking that a close lookout be kept for him. The two ships had positions along the route to Hannaford. A report was received at 2:30 o'clock that Nelson's airship had been sighted and it was believed that he was returning to the Orkneys, but a later report showed that he was continuing on his way to Iceland. The cruiser Richmond then returned to Houston Bay.

Smith and Wade may be able to fly to Hannaford tomorrow and from there the planes will fly across Iceland to Reykjavik, the capital. The airmen will rest in Reykjavik and then jump to Indian Harbor, Labrador, 575 miles distant.

STATE NAMES MORE DEFENDANTS IN SUIT TO RECOVER OIL LAND

AUSTIN, Aug. 2.—In a supplemental petition filed in the district court of Travis county, the attorney general names additional defendants in the suit brought by the state to recover title to a strip of land in the Humble oil field in Harris county and \$50,000.00 damages for oil and gas taken from the tract. The defendants now number 50.

The additional defendants named are: Gertrude Goldman, E. F. Woodward, H. H. Lee, E. G. Floeter, H. S. McCarry, O. C. Wright and M. D. Colman. The attorney, in the supplemental petition, asks that each defendant be required to furnish an inventory of all oil taken from the land since January 1, 1900, and to state when sold, to whom sold and for how much.

FIRE IN CADDO CAUSES SEVERE BUSINESS LOSS

Destroys Half Block in Center of Town Before Flames Are Brought Under Control.

Eight business houses and one vacant house in Caddo were destroyed early Saturday morning by fire, causing property loss of approximately \$15,600, partially covered by insurance. The fire started in the rear of the Granbury meat market, where some trash had been burning the previous evening. It is believed that the fire had not been extinguished and had been smoldering until the wind fanned the sparks into a blaze.

The buildings destroyed were all tin or frame and covered about a half block. The fire was checked at one end by a concrete block building and by an iron-clad building at the other end.

The citizens of Caddo put up a valiant fight to prevent the flames from crossing the street into the main business section before the Breckenridge and Ranger trucks arrived. Ranger department received the call at 5:10 a. m. and three regular firemen and three volunteers went leaving four regular firemen on duty in Ranger. The combination hose and chemical truck went from here expecting that the Breckenridge pumper would be on the job for the pumping. The Breckenridge truck met with some kind of an accident on the way, which prevented the firemen from using the pumper so the lines were laid from two plugs and the flames were kept from crossing the street, although the water pressure was decidedly weak. A small hose obtained from the Prairie Oil and Gas company, was the only means Caddo citizens had to fight the fire until the Ranger department arrived and laid their hose.

The flames were under control by 7 o'clock and breakfast was served to the hungry firemen from Ranger and Breckenridge by the Caddo Mercantile company, in appreciation of the work done and the store also gave a car to one of the Ranger men who had lost his on the way to Caddo.

The business houses destroyed were as follows: Granbury Meat Market, \$3,000; Kleberg's law office, \$1,500; Wood & Vannoy barber shop, \$1,500; Davis Meat Market and Grocery store, \$3,000; insurance, \$1,500; Caddo hotel, Mr. Zellars, tenant, 3,000; Ford Cafe, \$800; Shooting gallery, \$1,000; Pannmill Tailor shop, \$2,000.

Mrs. Ferguson Holds To Second Place in The Primary Returns

DALLAS, Aug. 2.—Mrs. Miriam Ferguson of Temple, Texas, wife of James E. Ferguson, former governor, and candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, maintained her lead over Lynch Davidson of Houston tonight that virtually assures her a place in the run-off primary, August 23, against Felix Robertson. The vote is practically all in tonight, according to officials of the Texas Election Bureau. Little change is expected. Complete returns are in from 222 of the 252 counties and incomplete returns from the rest. Mrs. Ferguson was leading Davidson by 6,035 votes, according to figures of the bureau at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

The number of ballots cast a week ago is estimated at 700,000, and 932,947 votes have been counted. Election bureau figures are: For Governor—Barton 29,222; Burkett 21,417; Collins 24,772; Lynch Davidson 138,113; T. W. Davidson 122,323; Dixon 4,250; Ferguson 60,875; Pope 144,348; Pope 17,069; Robertson 191,663; For Lieutenant-Governor—Edwards 194,447; Malone 60,675; McCall 100,340; Miller 205,567; For Attorney General—Melson 88,818; Moody 282,794; Ward 103,632; Ward 110,702.

ONE KILLED, FIVE INJURED IN RIOT IN MEXICO CITY

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 2.—Political tension was high here today following a riot between civilians and militarized police and firemen, in which one civilian was killed and five were wounded.

The fighting took place near the national palace, when police and firemen attempted to disperse a procession demonstrating against high taxes.

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BIBLE THOUGHT. GOD'S KINDNESS.—For the mountains shall depart, and the hills be removed; but my kindness shall not depart from thee...

BUY "MADE AT HOME PRODUCTS"

Because many of the grocery stores in Ranger are bringing in and urging customers to buy bread made elsewhere, bakers have been finding it unprofitable to operate bakeries in Ranger.

Every resident of a town, property owner, trader or worker, or a member of a family of one of these—receives something from others in the town and owes a duty to do something in return.

In the case of bread, the product of Ranger bakeries is known to excel products from the outside.

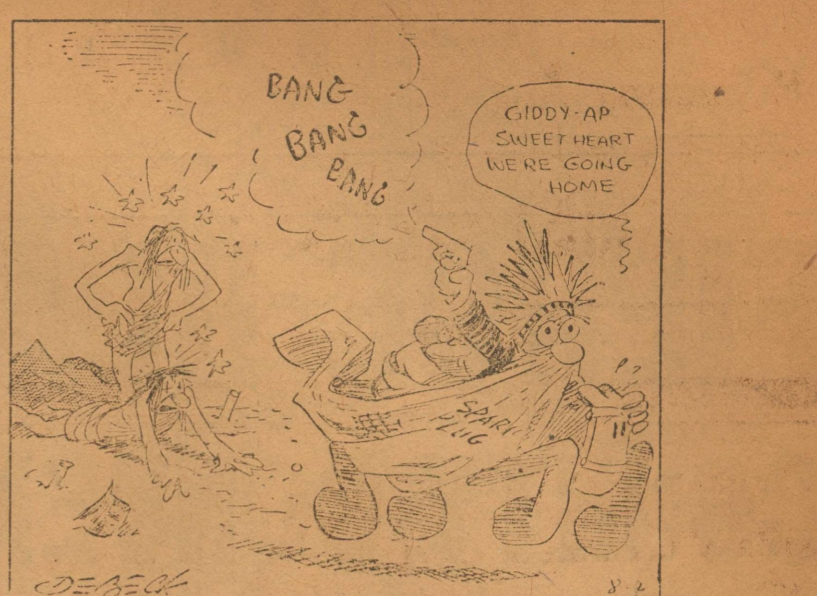
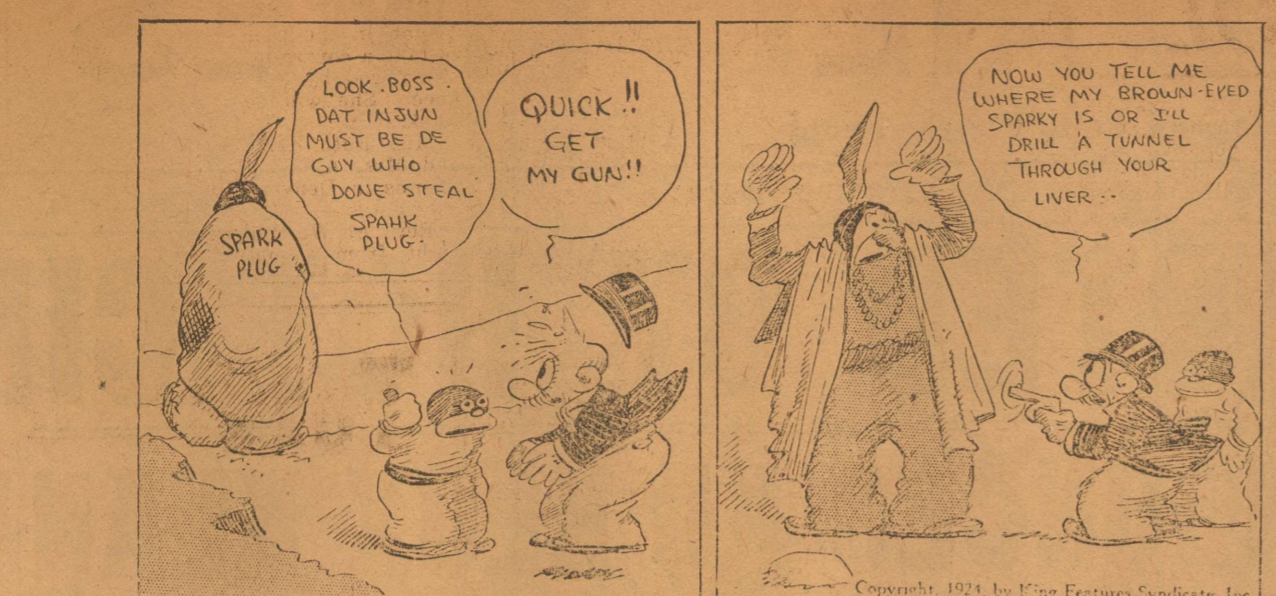
Some grocery stores claim their customers ask for the outside-baked bread. Of course, merchants wish to please their customers, but it is claimed by a number of customers that the merchants frequently try to persuade them to buy bread baked elsewhere in preference to the Ranger product.

What is true of bakery products is equally true of all local manufacturers and trade, not only in Ranger but in any town. The people owe it to their neighbors, their fellow workers, their fellow merchants and fellow property owners to buy whatever they need, so far as it may be possible, from local manufacturers and traders.

ABSOLUTE HARMONY FEATURES MEETING (Continued from page one.)

Late Saturday afternoon Chairman McCarty received a ruling from the attorney general to the effect that the county executive committee did not have the authority to make a recount of the votes in the absence of a contest. The result in this case was

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG—



then declared as shown by the returns. The question of paying the judges and clerks for holding the election came up. It was found that there would probably not be sufficient funds to pay the statements rendered...

Son of Bell county, is a candidate, in the run-off primary, for the high office of governor of Texas, and, "Whereas, the said Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson is a true Democrat, a home-making, home-loving, patriotic and devoted Christian lady and mother, as well as being of southern blood, Texas-born, and Texas-raised, and a woman of high intellectual attainments and of outstanding ability, a staunch prohibitionist and against bootlegging drug stores, and,

SOCIETY AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor Telephone 224

MONDAY High School P. T. A. called meeting 9 a. m., at high school. Presbyterian auxiliary meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. A. Shaw.

TUESDAY Columbia Study Club meets at 10 o'clock with Mrs. L. L. Roll. Ice cream social by high school P. T. A. 8 o'clock at Main and Marston.

WEDNESDAY Rotary Club luncheon 12:15 o'clock at Gholson hotel. Ad Libitum Club meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. C. Palmer.

THURSDAY Lions Club luncheon 12:15 o'clock at Gholson hotel. FRIDAY Young Matrons Bridge Club meets at 10 o'clock with Mrs. G. D. Chastain.

HIGH SCHOOL P. T. A. MEETING CALLED MONDAY

Owing to the fact that the date of the ice cream social has been changed from Thursday to Tuesday night, the called meeting of the high school Parent-Teacher club will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock instead of Tuesday as previously announced.

AD LIBITUM CLUB TO RESUME MEETING WEDNESDAY After several weeks of recess the members of the Ad Libitum Club will meet again on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. C. Palmer, 426 Pine street.

MRS. JAMESON HOSTESS AT EVENING PARTY Mrs. Roy Jameson was hostess Friday night to members of the Wednesday Luncheon club and their husbands.

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lain; Mrs. A. Ferguson, inside guardian; Mrs. L. R. Roll, outside guardian; Mrs. H. L. Young, past grand; Mrs. J. A. Rapp, right supporter to noble grand; Mrs. F. Brown, left supporter to noble grand; Mrs. Ruby Carville, right supporter to vice grand; Mrs. L. Sims, left supporter to vice grand; Mrs. R. J. Taylor, district deputy was the installing officer assisted by members from the Desdemona lodge. A number of visitors were present. After the installation refreshments were served in courses.

BUSTER MILLS GIVES DELIGHTFUL EVENING PARTY A number of young friends of Buster Mills were entertained by him on Friday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Mills, 1201 Oddie street, his sister, Miss Murkle Mills, assisting. Various games were played and the telling of fortunes by a "Gipsy" furnished many thrills.

METHODIST LADIES TO HAVE SPECIAL MEETING A called meeting for business purposes will be held Monday afternoon at the church by the ladies of the Methodist Missionary society. All are asked to make a special effort to attend as this important business must be disposed of.

MRS. WALTERS HONORED AT AFTERNOON PARTY Mrs. C. O. Terrell and Mrs. Sanford Terrell entertained Friday afternoon from 4 to 6 at the home of the latter with a delightful open house party honoring Mrs. Edgar T. Walters of Fort Worth, their sister-in-law. Those calling during these hours were: Mmes. Howard Gholson, J. E. T. Peters, M. L. Holland, T. L. Lauderdale, Rex Outlaw, W. J. Brahaney, J. F. Drenthof, Boots, W. P. Davenport, R. M. Davenport, J. D. Davenport, W. J. McFarland, E. H. Mills, C. E. May, M. H. Hagaman, C. I. Phillips, V. V. Cooper, George Riddell, L. L. Neal, Shell McDowell, James Garner, Baudick, Misses Sue Dean, Beulah Bowles, Ella Davenport and Helen Dawson. Various games played and delicious sherbet served. The many old friends of Mrs. Walters enjoyed the opportunity of meeting her again.

GOVERNMENT SUES FOR OIL LEASE IN ELK HILL RESERVE LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 2.—Oil lands in the Elk Hill naval petroleum reserve valued at more than four million dollars, now leased to the Belridge Oil Co., will be returned to the government under the terms of a suit filed in the United States District Court by United States District Attorney Burke.

REPARATIONS QUESTION APPROACHES SETTLEMENT LONDON, Aug. 2.—The settlement of the tangled reparations question through application of the program worked out in Paris by a committee of experts, headed by Gen. Charles G. Dawes of the United States, seemed well on its way to achievement tonight.

REBECCA LODGE 140 INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS Rebecca Lodge 140 of Ranger, I. O. O. F. held its annual installation of officers on Monday night at the lodge rooms on Elm street. The new officers installed are: Mrs. J. B. Heister, noble grand; Mrs. R. H. West, vice grand; Mrs. A. H. Blackwell, warden; Miss Rose Fairless, conductress; Mrs. Ernest Williams, chaplain.

Speeches Are Made. When the business of the convention had been finished, Senator W. J. Rodgers made a short talk in which he said that, although the Oil Belt News had said that he voted for James E. Ferguson in the impeachment proceedings against him when he was impeached as governor, such was not the case. He said that while it was true Ferguson was impeached, Mrs. Ferguson was not impeached and that he had confidence in her and would vote for her for governor in preference to Felix Robertson, the klan candidate.

C. U. Connelley, on the request of the convention, made a short talk. He said that he attended the first Democratic convention ever held in Eastland county and that at that convention Truman Conner, brother of Earl Conner, and present chief justice of the court of civil appeals at Fort Worth, was elected as a delegate to the state convention.

Senator H. P. Brelsford paid a tribute to Mrs. Ferguson and Mr. Ferguson. He said that there was something good in a man and something to admire about a man that would make the fight for vindication that James E. Ferguson had made in Texas.

Mrs. Phillip Pettit of Cisco, said that she had been a Democrat for a long time before she had the right of the ballot, that she was against the klan and believed it to be unconstitutional. M. H. Hagaman of Ranger, said that she was opposed to any form of invisible government and that no government was ever destroyed from without, but from the foe within.

Senator Joe Burkett told of a recent visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson at Temple. He said that he was going to attempt the organization of his senatorial district for Mrs. Ferguson and asked that his friends support her. He said that the klan had already started the report that Mrs. Ferguson was a Catholic, but that it was untrue. He told his hearers that they may listen for most any kind of lies to be told on Mrs. Ferguson in the coming campaign as "that is the way the Ku Klux Klan fights."

Resolutions Adopted. The committee on resolutions was composed of: O. F. Chastain, J. Frank Dean, Lanham Brown, F. A. Brown, O. C. Funderburk, Mrs. R. Q. Lee, Mrs. O. F. Chastain and Mrs. M. H. Hagaman. The resolutions reported by this committee were adopted unanimously.

This committee brought in a resolution in which the principles of Democracy as advocated by Thomas Jefferson were endorsed for renewed allegiance, religious tests for public office or public trust condemned, the fostering of racial or religious prejudices declared un-Christian, un-American and un-Democratic, and further reciting: "Every American citizen is entitled to an equal share and participation in the solution of all questions affecting the common welfare, and it is his right and duty to cast a free and untrammelled ballot, and to secretly control and dictate how and for whom its members shall vote, if permitted to succeed to any extent in such practice, become a menace to the continuance of a Democratic form of government in this country."

Believing that the time has come for a good Democrats to take a positive stand for the control of public affairs by the openly expressed will of a free citizenship, as opposed to domination from the Imperial Palace at Atlanta, Ga., we denounce the Ku Klux Klan and its tactics, and here now consecrate ourselves to unrelenting warfare upon that organization until it is driven from participation in all governmental activities, national, state and county.

"We deplore the unjust and unfair methods of the klan in the recent campaign in Eastland county, and avail ourselves of this opportunity to especially express our disapproval of the Oil Belt News, the official organ of the klan in this county, and the manner in which it libeled and slandered many good and honorable men who dared to openly oppose the klan. A newspaper which will resort to such a practice is not worthy of the support of the citizens of this county, and is not entitled to the consideration and respect of decent people.

Endorsing Mrs. Ferguson. A resolution offered by Joe Burkett and recommended by the committee, then adopted unanimously by the convention, is as follows: "Whereas, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Come and bring your boys and girls. We have classes for all ages. On account of absence of regular pastor, preaching services at 11 a. m. will be conducted by one of the laymen.

METHODIST CHURCH. H. L. Munger, pastor. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m., subject: "A Summer Thought." At 8 p. m. he will preach on "A Famous Emigrant." This will be preceded by the usual half hour of song, with some special musical numbers. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. You are cordially invited to attend all of these services.

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking my friends for their votes and support in my recent campaign. The loyal and confidence of my friends in me is a treasured possession and I will do all in my power to do my duty as an officer. It is my desire and purpose to serve every lawyer, juror and patron of the office with the same fair and courteous service. SAM DAVIS. (Advertisement)

EASTLAND PERSONALS Elzo Been and family expect to leave Monday on a motor trip to San Antonio. Tom Cox and Boss Murray of the Carbon country were Eastland business visitors Saturday morning.

Jess Hale of west of Carbon was trading in the city Saturday. Mrs. John Moore has returned from an extended visit to her son in California.

WHITE HOUSE FLAG AT HALF MAST IN MEMORY OF PRESIDENT HARDING By United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—One year ago tonight death suddenly struck down President Harding in San Francisco. A few hours later President Coolidge took the oath of office in the parlor of his father's home at Plymouth, Vt., his father administering the oath.

Washington flag was half-masted today in memory of the late President. The White House flag was half-masted today in memory of the late President.

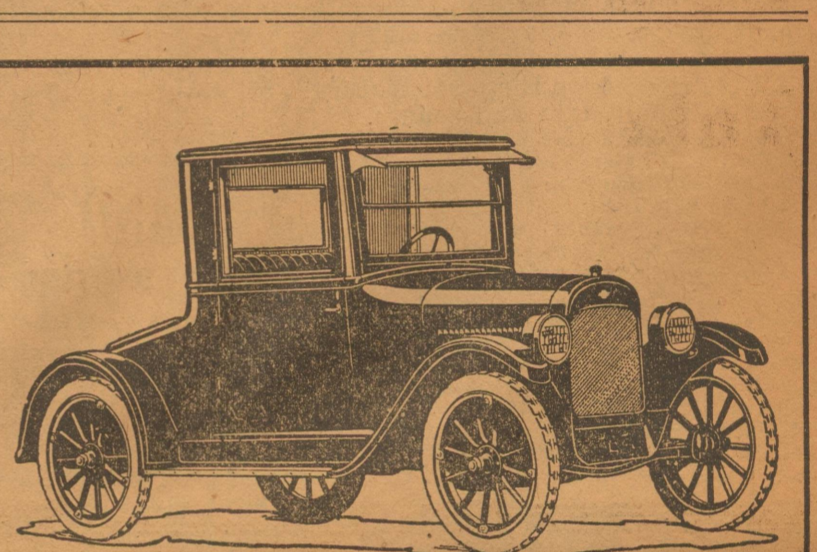
THREE INTERESTING EVENTS ANNOUNCED AT CARBON Special. CARBON, Aug. 2.—Elder Gist of San Antonio, Church of Christ evangelist, will begin a series of meetings here Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Methodist tabernacle. J. W. Vaughn will have charge of the song service.

Professor Kazemire, head of the poultry department of the A. and M. college, will speak here on Poultry Saturday afternoon, August 9, at 3 o'clock at the Methodist tabernacle.

An announcement of a public working at the Jewell cemetery, a few miles southeast of Carbon, has been made for Tuesday, August 5.

REED UPHELDS PLANS TO TEST NATION'S DEFENSE By United Press. KANSAS CITY, Aug. 2.—Governor Bryan and other officials who refused to co-operate with the defense day program of the President, are making a serious blunder, Senator James A. Reed of Missouri, said tonight. "The pretense that if we make preparations to defend our borders from an attack, we will thereby create a lust for blood, is the limit of absurdity," Reed said. "The purpose is to develop the best possible plan for mobilization of our resources, so that nations will be reluctant to attack us."

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Mrs. Minnie Tackett and Fanny Maude Tackett, a minor, of Eastland county, and Mrs. Belle Sanders, joined by her husband, J. W. Sanders of Georgia, have filed suit in the 91st district court for \$9,300 alleged damages against the Humble Oil and Refining company.

The plaintiff's petition alleges among other things that they are the rightful owners of certain lands located near Ranger, Texas, on which the defendants have certain leases and that the terms of the leases have been violated and broken by the defendants.

**SUITS FILED.**

Suits filed in district court:

W. L. Farmer vs. A. S. Nabors et al.; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. G. B. Mitchell; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. W. B. Ware; J. C. Dyer et al. vs. H. H. Adams et al.; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. J. E. Kuykendall; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. J. E. Rotrammel; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. C. C. Low; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. F. K. Seiver and Minnie Seiver; Rose Shelton vs. R. A. Shelton, divorce; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. C. T. Harrell; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. G. T. Thos. Washburn; J. L. Nabors; Mrs. G. B. Binkard vs. W. A. Binkard, divorce; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. W. P. Littlejohn; J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. S. P. Seastrunk.

**BUY IT AT HOME**

**OLDEN**

OLDEN, Texas, Aug. 2.—A number of young people enjoyed a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sharps Friday evening. Among those present and reporting an enjoyable time were: Misses Edna Naylor, Grace Bullard, Ethel Colburn, Travis Bullard, Gussie Fox, Rebecca Wright, Stella Weatherall, Katy Pledger, Lavette Fox, Mary Weatherall, Clara Mae Fox, Bessie Bockman, Myrtle Sharp, Veta Hawkins, Alice Maynard. Messrs John Colburn, Cecil Ray, Gray Smith, Gabe Colburn, Arnie Fox, Roby Akens, Lester Hawkins, Andy Fox, P. G. Wright, Tom Fox, Nathan Wright and Euel Stikes.

Miss Merle Howell invited several friends to her home Friday night to help entertain her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Howell, who were visiting.

Music and games were enjoyed by Oliver Moon, Lola Branscum, Hester Brown, Otis Young, Flora Branscum, Thompson Pickens, Beulah Young.

Lester Brown received a message Friday night that his mother, Mrs. Brown of Sipe Springs, was very ill in a hospital at Gorman.

J. L. Wilson and family of Roscoe, N. M., were visiting old friends in Olden this week.

Doyle Yielding is visiting relatives in Olden.

M. A. Ohriant has returned home from Greenville.

Mrs. C. E. Zernial and baby have gone to Houston for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Rayford, who has been visiting her son, W. Q. Rayford, has returned to her home in Fort Worth.

Miss Lucille Lucas, who spent two weeks visiting in the J. E. Lucas home, has returned to her home in Breckenridge.

Miss Clara Mae Fox has returned home after a few weeks visit with relatives at Lamesa.

Mrs. J. B. Caldwell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Allard of Decatur.

Miss Ruby Fox of Staff, visited relatives in Olden this week.

Mrs. G. W. Collins is on the sick list.

Mrs. W. T. Landrum and baby of Atoka, Okla., have arrived for a visit with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John Mathews.

Mrs. C. S. Dixon has come from Gorman to spend a few days with friends in Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Howill of Post City, spent a few days this week in the C. A. Howell home. They left Saturday for Stephenville.

Miss Eunice Hamilton is visiting relatives in Stephenville.

Mrs. H. S. Cox and children, who have spent a few weeks in Olden, have returned to their home at Whitesboro.

Mrs. W. C. Lee has returned home from the Eastland sanitarium.

Mrs. Eugene Keenan and children are visiting relatives in Robert Lee.

W. M. Ray and John McGarvey have returned home from Marlin.

Mrs. J. H. Seecke and children are visiting in New Mexico.

Mrs. Kirby and children of Burk Burnett, spent a few days in the George Munn home here.

Jim Waldron of Roscoe, has joined his wife here who is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Munn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vanhebler of Putnam, were visiting in Olden this week.

Mrs. Chas. Peterson has gone to Terrell to join her husband.

Rev. Mr. Bills will fill his regular

appointment at 11 a. m. Sunday. He is engaged in a meeting at Flatwoods at present.

The Ladies' Missionary society gave a cake sale Saturday. The proceeds will go to the church building fund.

Miss Kirby Lee Archer is improving. She has been very ill in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Miller and Mrs. Dixon leave today for Gainesville where Mrs. Dixon will visit her son, Dennis.

Jack Moore left recently for California, where he and Mrs. Moore will make their home.

**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Watson and daughter, Miss Dora, are expected back today from Fort Worth where they went last week to attend the marriage of their son and brother, Max Watson, to Miss Elizabeth Slaughter, of Stephenville, which was expected to take place in Fort Worth on Saturday.

Mrs. C. N. Ochiltree's sister, Mrs. Charles Sigler and children, and her mother, Mrs. Esther Cherry, returned last week to their homes in Oklahoma, after several weeks visit in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar T. Walters of Fort Worth are visiting in the families of Dr. C. O. Terrell and Dr. Sanford Terrell, brothers of Mrs. Walters.

Mrs. Roy T. Dowdy and daughter, Odessa Fay, June and Jane of Fort Worth, are guests in the family of Mrs. W. J. McFarland.

Jack Clements, recently operated

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on at the Clinical hospital for appendicitis, is able to be out again.

Mrs. A. W. Hall returned to Sequoiah in the Ozarks last Thursday to take a course in social work as administered by the Methodist conference. She will be away about two weeks.

Miss Ruth Hall, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Hall, is visiting friends in Denver, Colorado Springs and Estes Park.

Rev. A. W. Hall returned Friday night from a meeting he has been

conducting at Carbon and will be at home the rest of the summer filling his pulpit as usual.

J. A. Pitecock was removed to the Baptist sanitarium at Fort Worth where it is expected he will undergo an operation.

A. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. John Hassen and Mrs. Edna Maxey of the Boston Store, leave today for New York on their annual fall buying trip. They expect to be away about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Bollinger left

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Saturday for a ten days' trip to Lutesville, Mo., their children, Lilla Beth and Junior are with their aunt in Clyde, Texas.

Miss Carrie Belle Covington of Port Worth is spending the week-end with Mrs. S. R. Barton.

Dr. and Mrs. Harkrider and guests the Misses Vaughn, are spending the week-end camping.

Mrs. M. R. Newnam and children returned Friday night from Houston where they have been for the last month.

Mrs. R. H. Hodges returned Thursday night from Austin, where she was called by the serious illness of her mother who was better when Mrs. Hodges left for home.

Mrs. Eric Holland, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Mabel Woods, at the DeGroff hotel, returned Wednesday to her home in Fort Worth.

Miss Mary Massa leaves today on the Sunshine for Tascaloosa, Alabama, where she will spend two weeks visiting relatives.

Henry Schmidt left Saturday for a two weeks vacation in Houston, his former home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dyer left today for an automobile trip through Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis and family are leaving today for an automobile trip over West Texas and Colorado.

Mrs. Earnest of California is visiting in the families of her sons, Harry P. and Roy Earnest of the Prairie camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Deffebach returned Friday night from their wedding trip in South Texas.

Mrs. Charles R. Walts' guests are her sister, Miss Pauline Brown and niece, Miss Claudine Williams, of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Mrs. E. J. Wiss and daughter, Betty Jane, left Saturday morning for Wyoming, where she will visit relatives at Cheyenne and other cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Marston, who formerly lived in Ranger, are now located in El Paso, Mr. Marston being connected with the Tri-Cities

grocery company, the same firm with which Earl Taylor, also formerly of Ranger, is connected. Friends in Ranger have received word recently from Lytton R. Taylor telling of the death of his father and sister, who reside in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart and children have returned to their home at Stamps, Ark., after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brooks.

Another residence is being moved onto the Main street lot just west of the Sweeney home. This section of the city is fast being made an attractive residence section, especially desirable because of the paved streets.

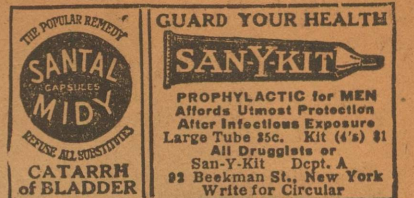
AMERICAN FLOUR IS POPULAR IN GERMANY BERLIN.—Farmers of Pommer-

ania and Mecklenburg are struggling hard under the competition of American wheat growers who sell their products of high-class wheat at prices slightly lower than those for German rye, which, for bread-baking purposes, is of considerably inferior quality. With Hamburg for center of distribution the northern part of the country is absolutely swamped with American wheat flour, making it impossible for them to market their products, even though they sell below cost of production. Farmers fear that, the first inroad made, the firms handling American wheat will strive to extend their business all over Germany.

GOV. NEFF REAPPOINTS TWO STATE OFFICIALS AUSTIN, Aug. 2.—Governor Neff

today reappointed Charles E. Baughman as commissioner of markets and warehouse for the term ending Aug. 27, 1925, and reappointed E. M. Holton as a member of the state fire insurance commission for the term ending Feb. 1, 1926.

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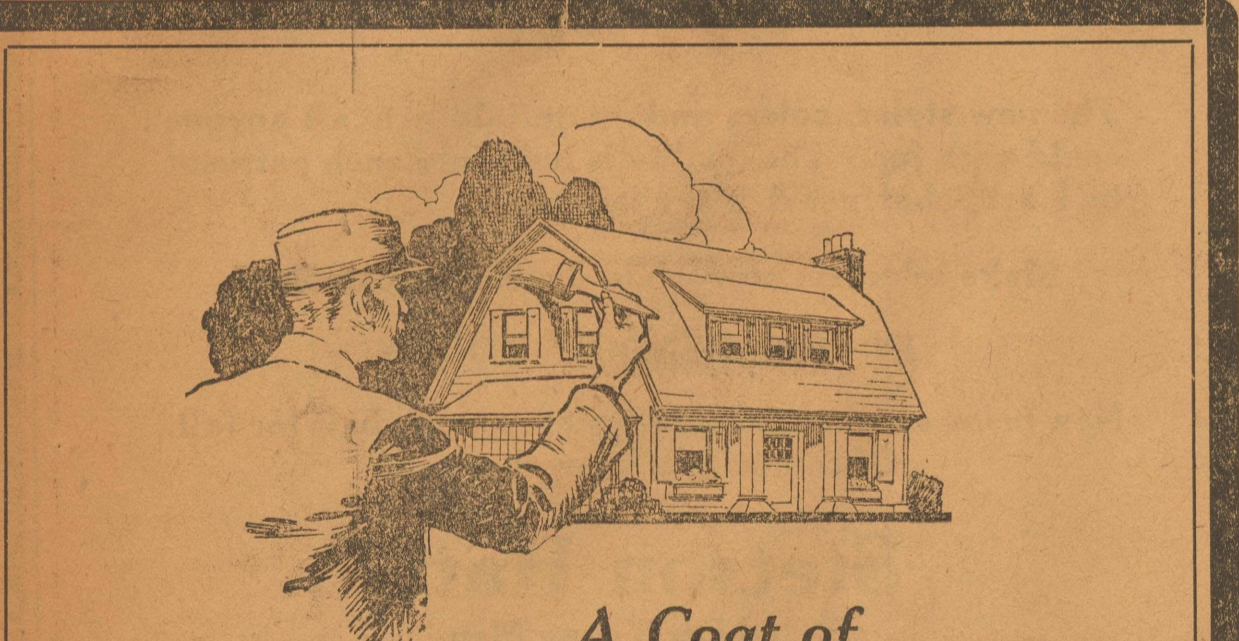
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 Gentlemen:  
**PREVENTION OF ACCIDENTS.**  
 Re: Premises located at 213-17 Main Street, Ranger, Texas, Insured under Policy No. R-261386.  
 Our Inspector, Mr. R. J. Furr, made an examination of the premises at the above location and reports as follows:  
 The machinery, roofs, cornices, doors, walls, stair treads, floor coverings windows and screening, outside fire escapes, plastering and lighting fixtures are in satisfactory condition.  
 There are no hazardous conditions in the sidewalks or alleys and the public entrances are in good condition.  
 The fire exits are free from obstructions and the openings to the elevator hoistway are in good conditions and safe.  
 As far as could be seen from a careful examination of the premises same was found in satisfactory condition except the railing around the opening over the lobby which is not substantially anchored and to prevent accidents it should be repaired.  
 The recommendation herein is made in the interest of ACCIDENT PREVENTION which we are certain will appeal to you, and we therefore trust that we may have your co-operation in this direction and your advice when this matter has had your attention.  
 Very truly yours,  
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### JURY WHEEL TO BE FILLED WITH NAMES FOR ENSUING YEAR

The jury wheel from which Eastland county juries for the ensuing year are to be drawn, will be refilled some time between the 1st and 15th of this month. The names with which the wheel is filled are taken from the poll tax list and are placed in the wheel in the presence of the sheriff, tax collector, county clerk, district clerk, tax assessor or a deputy of each and in the presence and under

the supervision of the district judge. At the time the wheel is refilled the jury for the September term of the 91st district court will be drawn.

### KLAN IS CHARGED WITH DOMINATING SCHOOL BOARD

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Aug. 2. Charges that eight members of the Oklahoma City school board are members of the Ku Klux Klan were made by Mrs. Arthur Burkett, president of the Federated Patronesses club. The charges followed the election of Charles Pope, local attorney, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Charles Evans yesterday.

## REASONS GIVEN FOR THE RULE 'BUY AT HOME'

### Ranger Retail Merchants Association Gives Good Advice To Citizens.

In a communication sent out by the Ranger Retail Merchants association, a few of the many reasons why residents of Ranger should "Buy in Ranger" are set forth. The letter says:

"As Ranger is our home, the place where our interests are centered, merchants and customers should all work, boost and pull together to make it a better place in which to live.

"The entire business world today is becoming more and more conscious of the fact that to stabilize general conditions, it is necessary that every person recognize an obligation and an opportunity of supporting their home institutions. As the farmer is fast learning the lesson of making his living at home, he is also learning that it is his obligation to support the retail merchants who are doing business in his community. In fact, it is just a simple truth as well as good business to lend every support possible to every institution that has for its purpose the up-building of any particular community.

"If every person in our town and community will spend every dollar they possibly can in Ranger, each dollar so spent makes its contribution to the general public good. Naturally, the basis of our commercial life depends upon the prosperity of the individual at home. It is a well accepted fact that the prosperity of any community and the prosperity of any trade territory is dependent upon the success of all the people who live in that trade territory. Therefore, we should patronize our home merchants, who are the taxpayers and the backbone of the town and community.

"In this way, each dollar put in circulation makes a substantial contribution to every department of business and serves in this way every person residing within that territory.

"Cities are not built by hot air and windy conversation, but by real men and hearty co-operation. The citizen who devotes his energies wholly to private affairs, refusing to take part in public affairs, who prides himself in the fact that he minds his own business, is blind to the fact that his own business is made possible by the prosperity of all."

### SECRETARY HUGHES NOW IS VISITING GERMANY

By United Press. COLOGNE, Germany, Aug. 2.—Secretary of State Hughes arrived tonight and was greeted by German officials and the United States consular force. He will reach Berlin tomorrow.

### ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SHIRAS OF SUPREME COURT DIES

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 2.—George Shiras, associate justice of the United States supreme court, retired, died in a hospital here today after a lingering illness. He was 92 years of age.

### 0—LODGES

Stated Convocation Ranger Chapter No. 394, R. A. M., Friday night, August 1st at 8 o'clock. Important business to come before the chapter. All members are urged to be present. Visiting Royal Arch Masons welcome. A. F. HARTMAN, H. P. C. F. UNDERWOOD, Sec'y.

### 1—LOST AND FOUND

LOST — In Eastland, gent's brown handbag, letters F. L. D. carved on end; contained lady's wearing apparel. Reward. Return to 606 South Daugherty, Eastland. Phone 440-W.

### 2—MALE HELP

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### 7—SPECIAL NOTICES

BICYCLE AND FIXIT SHOP—Keys fitted and duplicated; talking machines and typewriters repaired. 204 S. Rusk St., Ranger.

### 8—ROOM FOR RENT.

BOARD AND ROOM—Good meals, clean rooms. Loflin Hotel, 319 Elm street.

### 9—HOUSES FOR RENT

SMALL modern house, close in. See Dr. Weir, Phone 97 or 200, Ranger. FOR RENT—3-room house, 220 S. Austin St., Ranger. ONE unfurnished house. Apply 623 N. Marston street, Ranger.

### 11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT.

FOR RENT — Housekeeping apartment, everything furnished. 418 Hodges St. Phone 145.

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, 113 North Austin. Inquire at Fritz Delicatessen, Ranger.

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### 12—WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—All kinds of good grain and feed sacks. Star's Feed Store, South Bassett St., Eastland.

### 13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—A note for \$25 given by Harvey Whetzel, an oil field employe living three-quarters of a mile south and one-fourth of a mile west of Pleasant Grove. Married man. Will sell to highest bidder. Address correspondence to Box 308, Ranger, Texas.

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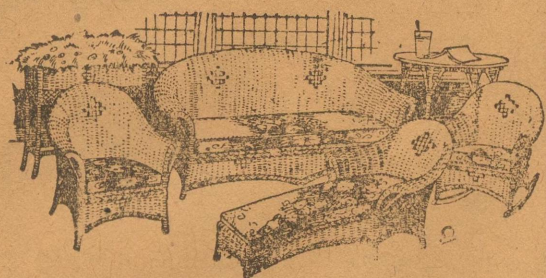
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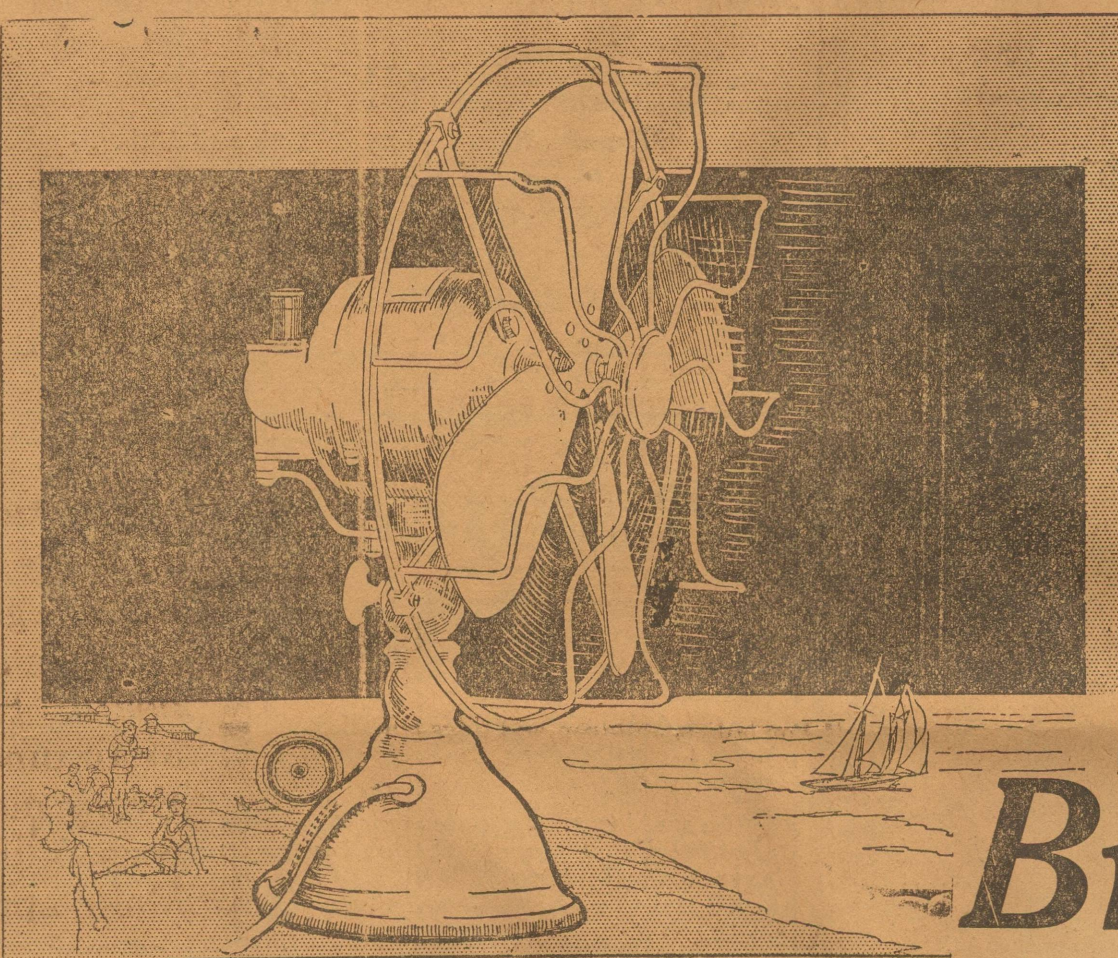
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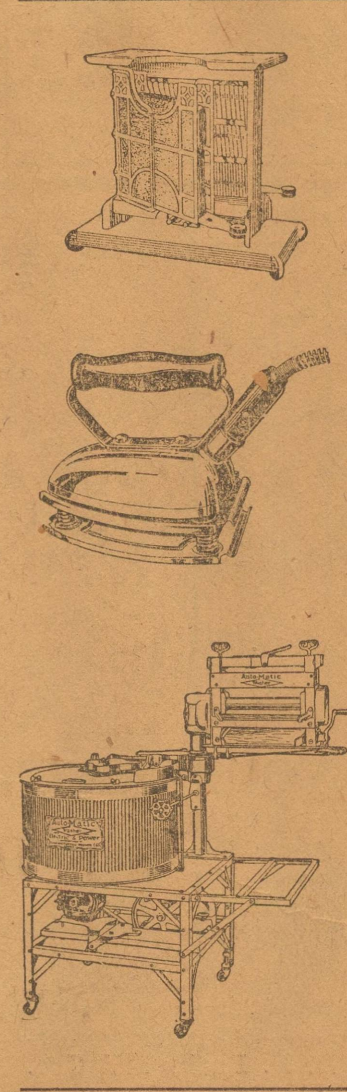
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OFFICIAL COUNT OF EASTLAND COUNTY VOTE

(Continued from page one) For County Judge— L. H. Flewelling 3,367 Ed S. Pritchard 3,762 (Majority for Pritchard 395) For County Clerk— Ernest Jones 3,685 Ernest E. Wood 3,407 (Majority for Jones 278) For Tax Assessor— George Bryant 3,418 W. J. Herrington 3,590 (Majority for Herrington 172) For Tax Collector— John S. Hart 3,766 F. O. Rosenquest 3,831 (Majority for Hart 435) For County Treasurer— John T. Sue 6,979 For Sheriff— Will H. Smith 776 R. W. Edwards 2,866 C. S. Jamison 251 J. D. Barton 3,930 (No majority for any candidate)

For County Attorney—

W. J. Barnes 3,541 Frank Judkins 3,444 (Majority for Barnes 97) For District Clerk— W. B. Collie 3,961 Miss Eva Leveridge 3,290 (Majority for Collie 671) For County Supt. of Schools— Miss Beulah Speer 7,114 For County Chairman— Milburn McCarty 3,617 S. P. Rumph 2,878 (Majority for McCarty 739) County Commissioners. For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1— V. V. Cooper 1,743 Lee Williams 1,630 (Majority for Cooper 107) For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2— W. M. Burns 1,041 W. R. King 269 (Majority for Burns 772) For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3— J. T. Poe 842 For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4— Birt Brittain 824 H. S. Stubblefield 528 John I. Chesley 177 (Majority for Brittain 119) Justices of the Peace. For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1— V. O. Vandiver 619 Sam J. Day 182 Sam Day 856 (Majority for Sam Dal 55) For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2, Place 1— L. C. Gorton 775 Haden Neal 669 S. R. Black 190 (No majority for any candidate) For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2, Place 2— I. H. Erwin 919 J. H. McFatter 768 (Majority for Erwin 151) For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3— W. P. Guest 7 W. H. Jackson 1 (Majority for Guest 6) For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4— W. E. Lusk 12 J. H. Duke 1 (Majority for Lusk 11) For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 5— J. T. Chapman 944 Whitley 126 W. R. King 2 (Majority for Chapman 816) For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 6— J. L. Stevenson 603 J. H. McDonald 888 (Majority for McDonald 285) For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 7— T. R. Deens 372 G. W. Hardin 234 John Duke 2 Emory Duke 0 (Majority for Deens 127) Constables. For Constable, Precinct 1— J. Z. Green 163 M. N. Seaborn 751 W. E. Richardson 700 (No majority for any candidate. The precinct includes Eastland, Mangum and Olden.) For Constable, Precinct 2— S. A. Landers 504 John E. Boyd 49 R. L. Faircloth 253 C. C. (Tish) Hamilton 843 (Majority for Hamilton 42) For Constable, Precinct 3— M. A. Wooten 6 C. E. Mitchell 1 W. H. Jackson 1 (Majority for Wooten 4) For Constable, Precinct 4— J. H. Lilly 12 Bon Huntington 2 (Majority for Lilly 10) For Constable, Precinct 5— J. R. Todd 977 Bob Eberhart 54 A. C. Quinn 2 (Majority for Todd 919) For Constable, Precinct 6— C. S. Looney 909 J. B. Washburn 264 Ross Marchman 354 (Majority for Looney 291) For Constable, Precinct 7— Sam Henry 131 Virge Foster 33 Ervin 3 Joe Lilly 4 B. B. Huntington 4 (Majority for Henry 50) Public Weighers. For Public Weigher, Justice Precinct

No. 1—

J. H. Massey 2 J. H. O'Neill 7 (Majority for O'Neill 4) For Public Weigher, Justice Precinct No. 2— W. P. Barkston 9 Pat Nolan 1 (Majority for Barkston 8) For Public Weigher, Justice Precinct No. 7— John E. Smith 342 S. J. Poteet 210 (Majority for Smith 72) County Surveyor. Twenty-nine candidates received votes for the office of county surveyor, but only three of them were seriously in the contest. Dan Boone, receiving a total of 241 votes, had a majority over all of 110 and was declared the nominee over: Otis Hunter 55, Sherman Roberts 30, C. C. Hoeker 6, J. H. Hicks and Harris 1 each, John M. Gholson and D. A.

Hodgins 3 each, Saunders Gregg, W. I. Clark, H. K. Clark, T. S. Ross and T. J. McCarver 2 each and 1 for each of the following: Tanner, Bush, Jack Tindall, Luther Bean, J. W. Carter, Charles Bobo, M. H. Smith, J. F. Dean, Hughey King, Ed Finney, M. K. Collie, E. C. Shipp, John H. Fay, Bill Cross, Gus Coleman and W. T. Gregory.

Precinct Chairmen. Precinct 1: J. M. Ferrell 1,352, C. C. Robey 113, T. L. Overby 3, R. N. Grisham 1, Earl Conner 1. Majority for Ferrell 1,234. Precinct 2: R. M. Davenport 405, W. P. Guest 5. Majority for Davenport 400. Precinct 3: W. H. Jackson 1. Elected. Precinct 4: W. E. Lusk 7, J. H. Duke 1. Majority for Lusk 6. Precinct 5: A. B. O'Flaherty 376, J. D. Barker 6. Majority for O'Flaherty 370. Precinct 6: R. W. Marcell 945. Elected. Precinct 7: D. E. Jones 390. Elected. Precinct 8: W. C. Bedford 3, J. H. Rushine 9. Majority for Rushine 6. Precinct 9: C. N. Browning 28, C. M. Curry 10, J. E. Lamb 1, E. F. Alexander 1, H. L. Vestal 1. Majority for Browning 13. Precinct 10: W. J. Jones 3, Jess Blackwell 1. Majority for Jones 2. Precinct 11: None chosen. Precinct 12: W. S. Abbott 211, W. C. Gorman 185. Majority for Abbott 26. Precinct 13: S. R. Perry 590, Thos. J. Pitts 7. Majority for Perry 583. Precinct 14: J. W. Gage 28. Elected. Precinct 15: R. F. Cox 1. Elected. Precinct 16: None chosen. Precinct 17: C. W. Hocks 5, Ed Townsend 2, W. N. Compton 10. Majority for Compton 3. Precinct 18: W. F. Whaley 34, Joe North 1, Geo. Mayer 3, Jack Horner 1. Majority for Whaley 29. Precinct 19: L. D. Donaway 35. Elected. Precinct 20: J. T. Brown 6, W. L. Brogdon 46. Majority for Brogdon 40. Precinct 21: J. L. Nobles 3, R. L. Smith 3, D. W. Switzer 4, N. B. Gray 1. No majority for any candidate. Precinct 22: W. J. Poe 29, N. S. Kinard 1. Majority for Poe 28. Precinct 23: W. R. King 5. Elected. Precinct 24: Hiram Brooks 1, W. L. Townsend 1, Sah Hitt 6, Ben Williams 2. Majority for Hitt 2. Precinct 25: O. V. Davenport 175. Elected. Precinct 26: W. C. Overholzer 1, Walter Murray 257. Majority for Murray 256. Precinct 27: T. O. Bray 319. Elected.

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# RANGER TAKES SLOW GAME FROM PARKS

### Score of 13 to 9 Indicates That Each Team Was Somewhat Wild at Times.

In a slow drawn out game Ranger let Parks camp down with the small end of a 13 to 9 count. Parks camp was out fought, and out played all through the game.

The Nitro wrecking crew were on their good behavior yesterday afternoon and were satisfied with slugging two pitchers all over the lot for a total of 15 hits and 13 runs. Home runs by Dinsmore and Flynn with men on base spelled doom to the Parks camp aggregation.

Snodgrass was as wild as a cyclone in Kansas, walking nine men and presenting Parks camp with the majority of their runs. Snodgrass, whenever he could locate the plate, pitched airtight ball, as he struck out ten men, but he was also hit freely,

as 12 hits were made off of his offerings. Airtight defense saved him several times when he was in a nasty hole.

The two teams will lock horns again this afternoon at Nitro park at 3:30 o'clock. Smith will probably do the hurling for Ranger and Sealy will work for Parks camp.

Ranger		AB. R. H. PO. A. E.					
Wright, 3b.....	5	1	1	4	0	0	
Dinsmore, ss.....	3	4	2	3	3	1	
McCasland, lf.....	4	2	3	1	0	0	
Flynn, 1b.....	5	3	3	6	0	0	
Lory, c.....	3	0	0	10	1	0	
Scroggins, cf.....	5	1	4	1	0	1	
Estes, 2b.....	4	0	1	2	2	1	
Gates, rf.....	3	0	0	0	0	1	
Snodgrass, p.....	3	2	1	0	0	0	
		35	13	15	27	6	4

Parks		AB. R. H. PO. A. E.					
Edmondson, 2b.....	2	1	2	4	1		
Bonds, lf.....	5	1	2	3	3	1	
Sisk, 3b.....	5	0	1	2	0	0	
Ramsay, cf.....	5	0	1	0	0	0	
Johnson, c.....	4	2	1	2	0	1	
Newport, 1b.....	5	2	2	13	0	1	
Lessner, ss.....	5	1	4	1	0	1	
Purvis, p.....	2	0	0	0	2	0	
Marston, cf.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	
		38	9	12	24	14	5

Score by innings: R. H. E.  
Parks .....001 051 120-9 12 5

Ranger .....130 412 02x-13 15 5

Summary—Sacrifice hits, Bonds, McCasland, Lory 2, Snodgrass. Two base hits, Sisk, Scroggins. Three base hits, Newport, Estes. Home runs, Johnson, Flynn, Dinsmore. Stolen bases, Sisk. Pitchers, Snodgrass, Purvis, Ramsey. Innings pitched, 9; 4-2-3, 3 1-3. Hits off pitcher, 12, 7, 7. First on balls. Snodgrass 9, Purvis 1, Ramsey 1. Hit by pitcher, Sisk.

Dinsmors 2. Wild pitches, Snodgrass 3. Passed balls, Lory 1. Double plays, Dinsmore unassisted to Flynn, Bonds unassisted to Newport. Umpires, Price and Polsky. Time of game, 2 hours 45 minutes.

### AUTO DRIVER MAKES NEW ENDURANCE RECORD

By United Press.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 2.—Allen Fisher, who set a new world record for the continuous driving of an automobile, was stopped this afternoon after 144 hours, 39 and 9-10 minutes, beating the old record by 19 hours. He was forced to stop the endurance contest when a doctor driving with him discovered his heart was missing the regular beats and said that continuance of the contest would be dangerous to his life.

# Baseball Results

## TEXAS LEAGUE.

### Standing of the Teams.

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	23	7	.767
Dallas	21	9	.700
Shreveport	15	14	.517
Beaumont	13	17	.433
San Antonio	12	18	.400
Wichita Falls	12	19	.387
Galveston	11	21	.344

### Saturday's Results.

Fort Worth, 4; Dallas, 1.  
Shreveport, 3; Wichita Falls, 2.  
Galveston, 5; Houston, 0.  
Beaumont, 9; San Antonio, 7.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

### Standing of the Teams.

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	58	44	.569
Washington	57	44	.564
Detroit	56	44	.560
St. Louis	50	48	.510
Chicago	48	52	.480
Cleveland	46	55	.455
Boston	44	55	.444
Philadelphia	42	59	.416

### Saturday's Results.

St. Louis, 12; New York, 8.  
Philadelphia, 12; Cleveland, 4.  
Boston, 7; Chicago, 3.  
Detroit, 8; Washington, 3.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

### Standing of the Teams.

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	62	35	.639
Chicago	55	42	.567
Pittsburg	53	42	.558
Brooklyn	53	46	.535
Cincinnati	52	51	.505
St. Louis	41	58	.414
Philadelphia	40	47	.412
Boston	37	62	.374

### Saturday's Results.

St. Louis, 0-7; Philadelphia, 3-8.  
Cincinnati, 2-19; Boston, 0-2.  
Brooklyn, 9; Chicago, 7.  
Pittsburg, 7; New York, 6.

## T. & P. OFFERING DELIGHTFUL EXCURSION TO THE BORDER

In order that persons able to get away for only a short vacation may have an opportunity to enjoy a recreation trip at small expense, the Texas & Pacific railroad announces a mid-summer excursion to El Paso at a very low rate for the round trip. A special train will leave Ranger at 1:40 o'clock p. m. and Eastland at 2:05, Friday, August 8. It is due to arrive in El Paso at 8:45 o'clock Saturday morning, August 9, and after allowing the excursionists two days in which to enjoy the sights of the border, will leave for the return trip at 7 o'clock, Sunday, August 10. Excursionists will have an opportunity to visit Juarez, across the Rio Grande and also see something of the development that is going on along the border.

# OLDEN LOSES 10-INNING GAME TO THURBER

Olden and Thurber mixed it Saturday afternoon for 10 innings with Thurber coming out on the long end of a 4 to 3 score. The game was fast and hard fought and was one of the best seen on the Thurber field this year.

Hudspeth hurling for Thurber had a shade the better of Ludwig of Olden in a pitchers' battle. Hudspeth allowed 6 hits, struck out 8 men and walked 5. Ludwig gave 8 hits, struck out 5 and walked 4 men.

Olden made three errors in the 10 inning which accounted for Thurber's last and deciding tally. White reached first on an error and advanced when Ludwig muffed Dalmasso's sacrifice and both men were safe. White scored when an error was made off McKinn's line drive.

Score by innings: R. H. E.  
Olden .....000 021 000 0-3 6 3  
Thurber .....002 000 010 1-4 8 0

Umpires: Polsky and Peal. Time of game 2 hours and 7 minutes.

## THREE MEN CHARGED WITH ROBBERY NEMIR BROS. STORE

One Mexican has been arrested in connection with the robbery of the store of Nemir Bros. in Eastland early Friday morning, according to the sheriff's department here. The arrest was made in Ranger. None of the stolen goods have been recovered.

Two Mexicans and a negro are said to have been implicated in the robbery. One of the Mexicans went to the store early in the morning, while one of the Nemirs was at breakfast and engaged the other one in the front of the store while the other Mexican carried the goods out at the back of the building and loaded them onto a truck which the negro was driving. They got away with about \$300 worth of clothing before the robbery was discovered.

# Mineral Wells and Ranger Golfers to Play Match Today

Mineral Wells golf team will play the Ranger Country club golf team at the Country club course this afternoon at 1 o'clock and it is necessary that all members of the team be on hand by 12:30.

Mineral Wells will bring an experienced team of golfers for the tournament today and Captain W. A. Smith of the Ranger team requests that every man who possibly can, to be sure and be on hand when 1 o'clock rolls around.

With only one more tournament to be played in the Oil Belt Golf association the Ranger team is making an energetic effort to improve their standing in the association, and the captain of the team is especially anxious for the entire membership of the team to be present tomorrow as Mineral Wells will have approximately 20 experienced players present and ready to play.

## GHOLSON HOTEL KITCHEN TO HAVE LATEST DEVICES

The kitchen of the Gholson hotel is to have the latest devices for cafe equipment. The kitchen will be fitted with electricity in every way possible.

Charles McLarty, representative of the Hobart Manufacturing company of Troy, Ohio, with district office at Dallas, was in Ranger last week making arrangements for the installation of Hobart Manufacturing company food preparing machinery, designed for soup straining, potato whipping, cream whips, biscuits, French pastry, etc. The hands do not touch any mixture as all of the machinery is operated by electricity. In other words, the new fixtures being installed are the "wheel brakes to the kitchen."

All of the leading hotels and restaurants in the country have the Hobart food mixing machinery installed.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 2.—Higher corn prices will continue and prices will go to a higher level with much benefit to the farmers of the middle west, James A. Patton, wheat king, said. Corn jumped 2 1/2 to 4 1/2 cents a bushel today.

# THANKS!

On July 31st, we wound up our first year's business in Ranger.

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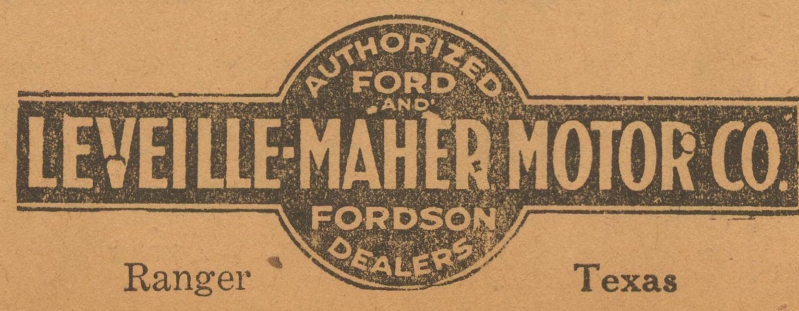
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  - 1 Studebaker Touring Car ..... \$550.00
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  - 1 Paige Roadster ..... \$100.00
  - 1 Buick Roadster ..... \$50.00

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## GUARANTY FUND BANK

MOTORCLICIST SLIGHTLY HURT COLLIDING WITH CAR

Howard Franklin of Ranger, was slightly bruised and his hip badly skinned when his motorcycle and the Studebaker sedan of Mrs. J. A. Pitcock collided at Austin and Walnut streets Saturday morning.

JOHN W. DAVIS PLANS TO CAMPAIGN IN THE WEST

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—John W. Davis will open his campaign about September 1 with a

speech in some western state, Clem Shaver, chairman of the Democratic executive committee said tonight. A number of invitations have been received, but the choice of any city has not yet been made.

FORMER BANKER PAYS FINE TO AVOID BENCH WARRANT

OKMULGEE, Okla., Aug. 2.—J. Roy Brown, president of a defunct state bank here, paid a \$4,518 fine for receiving deposits in a defunct bank yesterday after a bench warrant had been issued for him by Judge Jed Streetsman of the district court.

DEATH LURKS AT GRADE CROSSINGS IN TEXAS

AUSTIN, Aug. 2.—Thirteen persons were killed and 33 others were injured in 20 accidents at railroad crossings in Texas during April and May, according to reports received by the railroad commissioners.

RIVAL CANDIDATES DECLARE NEITHER BELONGS TO KLAN

AUSTIN, Aug. 2.—Lon A. Smith and W. A. Nabors, who will be can-

didates in the run-off primary for railroad commissioner, today issued statements denying that they are members of the Ku Klux Klan, and at no time were affiliated with that organization.

GOLF CHAMPION ANNEXES ANOTHER TITLE IN CANADA

MOUNT BRUNO, GULFPORT, Quebec, Aug. 2.—Leo Biegel of Washington, holder of the Metropolitan championship of the United States, today annexed the Canadian championship when he turned in a record of 282 for 72 holes.

T. K. NEAL, PIONEER CITIZEN OF RANGER DIES AT SON'S HOME

T. K. Neal, 87, pioneer resident of Eastland county, died Saturday morning at the home of his son, Haden Neal, Hillcrest addition.

Decedent was a member of the Presbyterian church and had been a resident of Ranger for the last 29 years. He is survived by two sons, Otto Neal of Salt Lake City, Utah, and Haden Neal of Ranger.

Interment will be held from the cemetery at Cisco at 10 o'clock this morning.

WEDDING FOLLOWS SUIT FOR BREACH OF PROMISE

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Aug. 2. Mrs. Laura Maddox, 33, and Dan Weddle, wealthy oil man of Newkirk, Okla., were married today. A week ago Mrs. Maddox sued Weddle for \$50,000 heart balm, alleging Weddle had failed in his promise to marry her, after winning her heart.

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CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 2.—Major Petro Zanni, Argentine aviator who is attempting an eastward flight around the world, took off from Bunda Abbas today for Karachi, India.

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