

THE WEATHER  
WEST TEXAS—Tonight and Saturday fair and cooler; probably frost in the Panhandle.

# RANGER DAILY TIMES

REMEMBER  
That while the course of true love never did run smooth, the man who is not true to his family will reap a harvest of tears.

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## HAGAMAN CAN SEE NO SPECIAL SESSION

### ANDREWS WANTS PROHIBITION ENFORCEMENT LAW STRINGENT

## DEMAND SPECIAL SESSION MADE TODAY

### PROSPECTS ARE DARK FOR CALL OF LEGISLATURE

No Extraneous Matter Will Be Allowed To Creep In Says Man

AUSTIN, April 23.—A demand for an immediate special session of the legislature to enact a law validating all the Texas road bonds will be made today on Governor Miriam A. Ferguson by a committee officially appointed for that purpose by the road conference held at Fort Worth on April 14.

### SHREVEPORT IS PROBING CRIME WAVE

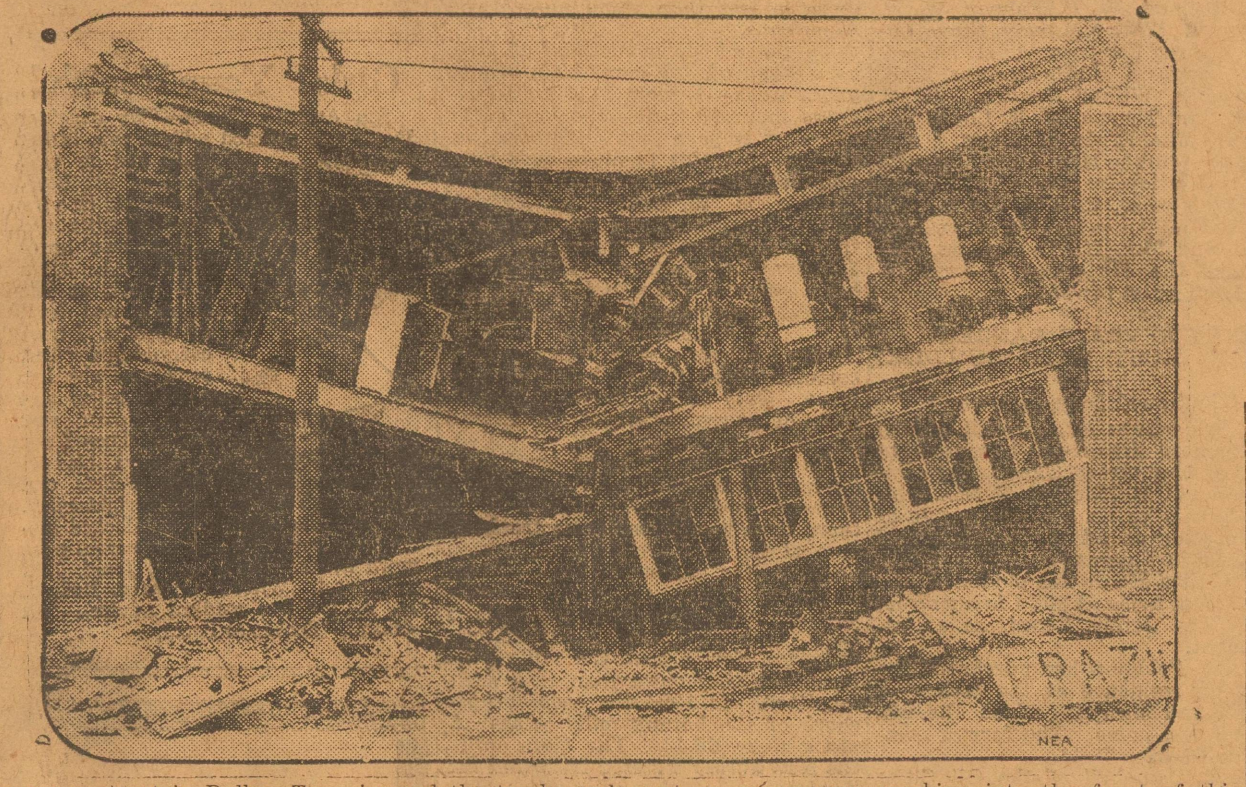
SHREVEPORT, La., April 23.—Officers here today were in the midst of an investigation of vice conditions in remote sections of this parish. A reward of \$1,000 was posted for the arrest of Greene C. Chandler, charged with criminal assault on Miss Myrtle Nash.

### Child Pays Fine Of Father Held On Drunk Charge

DALLAS, April 23.—This story should have a moral to it. A little girl about 10 years old came in to the city hall here and asked: "Please where do you pay a fine?" A kind-hearted officer asked why she wanted to pay a fine.

BLAK COMMUNITY MEN BUY BIG RANCH  
RISING STAR, April 23.—A deal has just been consummated here by the terms of which J. H. Allen and Frank Dunn of the Blake community, near Rising Star, purchased a large ranch near Colorado city, Mr. Dunn getting five sections and Mr. Allen two sections in the deal.

### Street Car on Rampage Wrecks Store



A one-man street in Dallas, Tex., jumped the tracks and went on a rampage, crashing into the front of this furniture store and bringing so much wreckage down about it that it was two hours before it could be freed. The one-man crew, Everett Harrison, the car's only occupant, was unhurt.

### SURVEY REVEALS RANGER IS BUSY WITH BUILDINGS

A survey of building activities in Ranger reveals a number of new structures under way. It reveals a general era of prosperity. In addition to the brick mercantile houses that are going up on Pine and Rusk streets, there are several dwellings recently completed, and a number being built besides those that are being moved.

### Woman Writhing In Agony Found In Front of Auto

SAN ANTONIO, April 23.—Writhing in agony on the pavement in front of her automobile, Mrs. T. D. Ballard was found early today and taken to a hospital.

### Centennarian Dies In Houston; Pioneer Texan

HOUSTON, April 23.—Mrs. Mary Duncan, 102 years old, died early today. She had been a member of the Baptist church for 84 years. She was born in Mississippi and came to Texas as a child. She is survived by 170 great grandchildren.

### MURDERESS IS DENIED HER VISIT

LOS ANGELES, Calif., April 23.—Undersheriff Eugene Biscailus refused today to honor an order issued by Judge Arthur Keetch, authorizing a visit of Clara Phillips, "hammer murderess," to the bedside of her dying mother in San Diego.

### Physicians Plan To Continue Drive Against Quacks

DALLAS, April 23.—Continuing their drive against quackery, Dr. Arthur J. Cramp, director of the bureau of investigation of the American Medical Association now in convention here told of the many styles in quackery in a lecture at one of the sessions.

### Woman Found Dead In Alley At Kansas City

KANSAS CITY, April 23.—Belief that Mrs. Harriet Dowser, found dead in an alley here yesterday was killed by a negro was expressed by the police following an announcement that a street car motorman had seen two negroes and a white woman struggling near where the body was found.

### FRANCE OFFERS NEW PLANS FOR A SETTLEMENT

WASHINGTON, April 23.—France today made a new offer to settle its \$4,337,000,000 war debt to America. The terms, the United Press learned as presented to the American Debt Commission by the French Ambassador Berenger were:

### Brazos Valley Pecan Growers In Session At Breckenridge

The semi-annual convention of the Brazos Valley Pecan Growers' association convened this morning in Breckenridge for a one-day session.

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### DRY WITNESS AT COMMITTEE HEARINGS NOW

### Czar Reviews His Work Of Stamping Out Booze Game

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Congress must enact the prohibition unit reorganization bill before adjournment, if the law is to be efficiently enforced, Lincoln C. Andrews, federal dry czar, told the senate prohibition investigation committee today.

### 7 NEGROES ARE CAUGHT IN A BLAZE

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 23.—Seven negroes are dead as the result of a fire that destroyed a four-story brick store and tenement house here today. Six of the negroes were suffocated and the other was killed from jumping to the pavement from the fourth floor.

### Fourth Victim Of Explosion At School Dead

SHAWNEE, Okla., April 23.—The Benedict school explosion toll stood at four. The fourth victim, Benny Grass, died last night. Travis Harris, 10 years old, was reported today to have an excellent chance for recovery.

### Bond Injunction Hearing Put Off Until May 20th

HOUSTON, April 23.—Hearing in the Dewitt, Lavaca and Fort Bend county road bond injunction case was postponed until May 20, when called in the United States District court here today.

### Proclamation

I, R. H. Hodges, mayor of the city of Ranger, state of Texas, do hereby set apart and proclaim Saturday, the twenty-fourth day of April, A. D. 1926, as official straw hat day in and for the said city.

### GARY WANTS PROHIBITION SUBMITTED

CHICAGO, April 23.—Judge E. H. Gary, head of the United States Steel corporation, and long looked upon as one of the nation's leading crusaders for temperance and prohibition, favors a national vote on the prohibition question.

### JUDGE MUST FACE TRIAL ON MAY 4TH

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Judge George W. English of the Eastern District of Illinois was summoned today by the Senate to appear on May 4 in answer to impeachment proceedings instituted against him by the House of Representatives for misuse of his judicial position.

### PISTOL LAW IN NEW YORK IS DRASTIC

ALBANY, N. Y., April 23.—One of the most drastic criminal bills ever to pass the legislature was approved by the assembly today and went to the governor.

### Weather Good For Carnival

FRANKLIN FIELD, Philadelphia, Pa., April 23.—Ideal weather conditions prevailed this afternoon for the opening day event of the Pennsylvania University relay carnival.

### RANGER MEMBER OF THE HOUSE VOICES OPINION

### Circumstances Do Not Warrant Calling The Legislature Just Now

There will be no special meeting of the Texas legislature called to validate road bonds at this time, according to M. H. Hagaman, representative from the 106th district in an interview today.

### Ma Feels Sure Of Returning To Governor's Chair

DALLAS, April 23.—While "Ma" Ferguson was in Dallas last week to pitch the first ball in the Dallas-Fort Worth game opening the Texas League season in Dallas, she talked about flowers, vegetables and clothes.

### Chiropractors At Sweetwater Win Their Case

SWEETWATER, April 23.—Cases against A. W. Canfill, E. A. Damm, and Charles H. Elliott, chiropractors, charged with violation of the state medical practice act were dismissed upon motion of the prosecution here today.

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SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS SATURDAY. Public library open from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m.

AD LIBITUM REMEMBERS DEPARTING HOSTESS. At a meeting of the Ad Libitum club yesterday afternoon at the Langston apartments, the hostess, Mrs. C. F. Underwood, who goes soon to a new home in Amarillo, was very beautifully remembered by her fellow club members.

Reporters Love For Children Stops Separation

DALLAS, April 23.—A very young mother appeared in the office of the welfare director here recently and sought aid for herself and baby. She contemplated having the baby adopted by other people who would be able to care for it.

FROM BOOK OF BOOKS GOD GUIDES—"Behold, I send an Angel before thee, to keep thee in the way, and to bring thee into the place which I have prepared."

Letter From A Reader

Publisher Eastland Telegram, Eastland, Texas, and Ranger Daily Times, Ranger, Texas: I noticed an editorial in the Eastland Telegram of yesterday in effect, criticizing the Ferguson administration for not calling the legislature in special session.

Music Memory Contest Trophy To Be Awarded

The silver cup to be presented by the Ranger Chamber of Commerce as a prize for excellence in the music memory contest for Eastland county, has arrived and will be awarded soon.

Twilight League Is Organized By All Civic Clubs

The Ranger City Twilight League is the newest baby born to baseball. Its christening has already taken place. Its schedules are forthcoming.

SURVEY REVEALS RANGER BUSHY WITH BUILDING

(Continued from page one.) road has purchased and will occupy the modern five-room bungalow at 817 Pershing street. The former owners were C. E. Maddock & Son.

Girls! Your Health!

Advertisement for Adams & Co. featuring a portrait of a woman and text: "San Antonio, Texas.—My daughter Dove Lee suffered with a pain in her back and in the back of her head."

Eastland Buys Another Pump For Water Works

The city of Eastland, according to City Manager J. H. Cheatham, recently placed an order for a large electric motor driven centrifugal pump to be added to the battery of pumps at the city's pumping station at Lake Eastland.

Ranger Is Best Says Morris Bendix Home From West

"Ranger is the best one after all," was the terse way Morris Bendix of the Globe store, Ranger, put it after his return from a business trip to Arizona, Thursday.

New Shallow Gas Well Is Brought In Near Strawn

A new shallow gas well has been brought in by Fred Spoor in the Ughenau lease near Strawn owned by Cowan Dever et al, said to be good for two and a half million feet.

SATURDAY SPECIALS!

Large advertisement for Saturday specials with a list of items and prices: "BUY HERE FOR LESS, OUR PRICES ARE LOWEST. EXTRA Van Camps Catsup SPECIAL 1 bottle 35c, 2 bottles 36c."

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS!!

Advertisement for O. K. Grocery & Market: "Grocery Specials that you have been looking for—LOOK 'EM OVER! 25 bars Swift Quick Naptha \$1.00, 1 pound Creamery Butter 45c, 2 Saline Crackers 25c, 1 No. 2 1/2 Can Peaches 20c, 3 pound Good Grade Coffee \$1.35, 1 pound can Calumet Baking Powder and one Biscuit Bread Pan free 35c, 1 No. 2 hand packed Tomatoes 10c, Green Beans 10c, Louisiana Strawberries 25c, Sugar, 10 pounds 65c."

Table showing financial condition of CITIZENS STATE BANK. Includes assets like Loans, Bonds, and Cash, and liabilities like Capital Stock and Surplus Fund. Total assets and liabilities are listed as \$614,102.69.

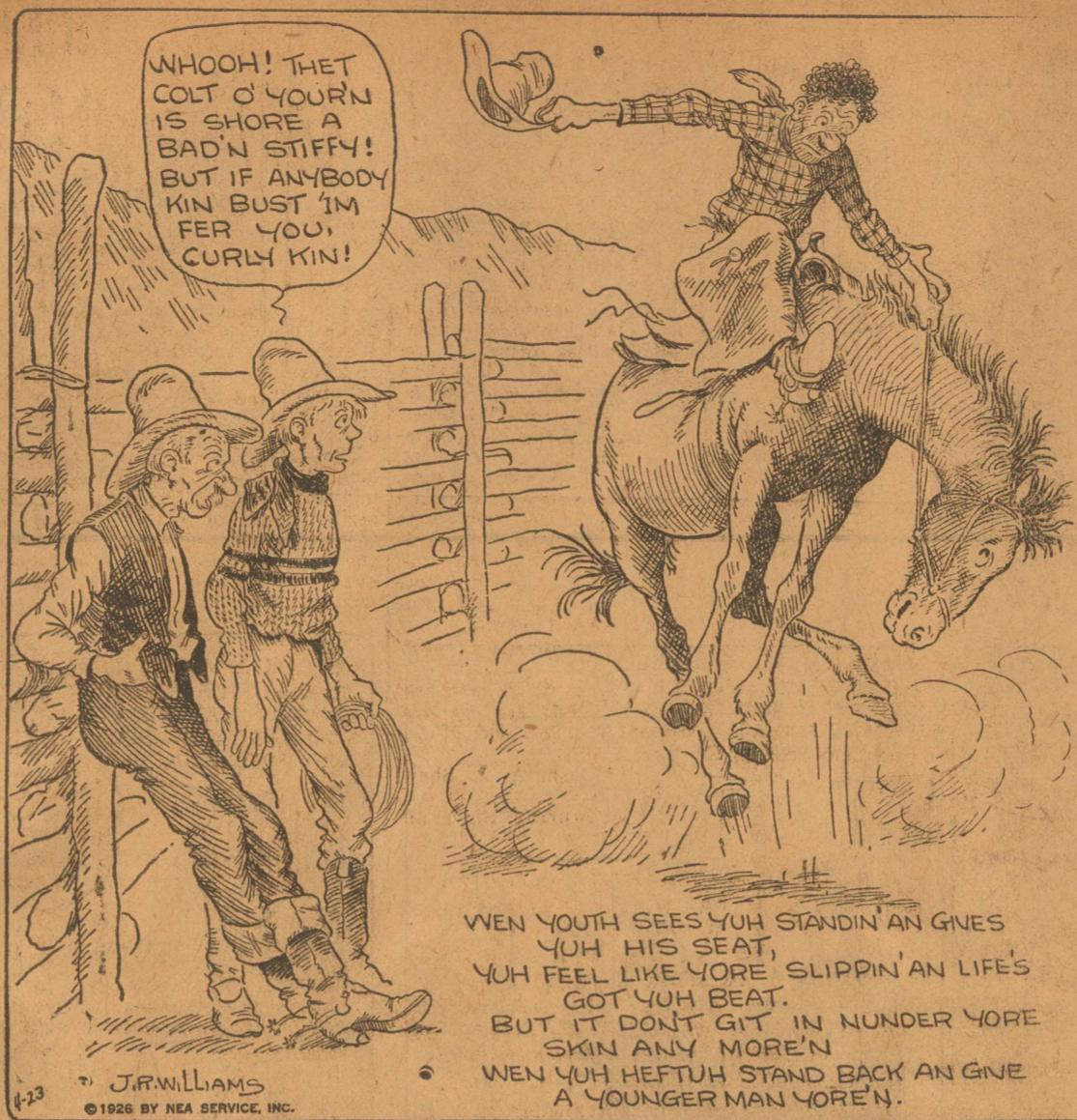
### Dramatic Story Of Privations On Sea Is Related

By United Press.  
SAN PEDRO, Calif., April 23.—A dramatic story of adventure and privation on the high seas was related by the crew of the four-masted barkentine Irene missing since her departure from Gray's Harbor, Wash., 130 days ago.

"I never encountered so many adverse winds in all my 20 years' experience on the sea," said Capt. Allan E. Rosendal, who with his wife and crew of nine men, started the race with her sister ship the Alvene in a race for Florida. The Alvene after being reported missing finally arrived in Florida safely.

"We were blown off our course time after time," said Captain Rosendal, "and we never could get the wind to steer us right. We were within

### THE FOLKS BACK HOME



WHOOH! THE COLT O' YOURN IS SHORE A BAD'N STIFFY! BUT IF ANYBODY KIN BUST 'IM FER YOU, CURLY KIN!

WEN YOUTH SEES YUH STANDIN' AN GIVES YUH HIS SEAT, YUH FEEL LIKE YORE' SLIPPIN' AN LIFE'S GOT YUH BEAT. BUT IT DONT GIT IN NUNDER YORE SKIN ANY MORE'N WEN YUH HEFTUH STAND BACK AN GIVE A YOUNGER MAN YORE'N.

J. WILLIAMS  
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### Sheriff Recovers 108 Joints of Pipe Stolen At Ranger

The recovery of 108 joints of two-inch casing stolen last Sunday night from S. Allen of Ranger, was made by the sheriff's department Thursday. The pipe was found near Rising Star. No clue to the identity of the thieves has been found, it is said.

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The Place of Satisfied Service  
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### ECZEMA

Dries right up!

If you just realized how easy it is to stop fiery, itching, burning eczema by simply building up the red-blood-cells in your blood with S. S. S., you wouldn't waste another minute trying to do it any other way.

That's the only way to relieve irritated, broken out skin of any sort. You lack rich, red blood. Impurities are in your system. The blood is so weak it can't fight back and overcome the enemy, so the impurities break out through the skin.

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Fresh Strawberries  
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900 miles of the canal at one time, and were within sight of Honolulu at another when a tricky wind turned us off our course. Two members of the crew were in a bad condition, suffering from rheumatism and indigestion as a result of living off fish and rain water for weeks at a stretch.

They saw only two ships during the entire voyage.

Seems to be around election time in Spain. King over there picked up a laborer and drove him home.

### Method Known For Identifying Cause of Hay Fever

By United Press.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—The development of a simple and quick method for identifying plant pollens causing hay fever was announced here at the annual meeting of the American Philosophical society by Dr. George T. Moore.

Dr. Moore is the director of the Missouri Botanical gardens at St. Louis.

Physicians have been handicapped in treating hay fever by the difficulties of identifying the pollen which cause it, Dr. Moore explained. "The practice has been to try inoculations of various pollens until the one which caused irritation was discovered. The trouble, however, was that the physician had no way of being positive of the identification of the pollen which he was using for the test.

"We have worked out a special chemical dye which is a combination of acetic acid and the well known dye, Nigroceane, with which the pollen can be stained. This staining makes visible the size and structure of the pores of the pollen. From this a positive identification of the pollen can be made."

### BILIOUS ATTACKS

From Which Kentucky Man Suffered Two or Three Times a Month, Relieved by Black-Draught.

Lawrenceburg, Ky.—Mr. J. P. Nevins, a local coal dealer and farmer, about two years ago learned of the value of Theford's Black-Draught liver medicine, and now he says:

"Until then I suffered with severe bilious attacks that came on two or three times each month. I would get nauseated. I would have dizziness and couldn't work.

"I would take pills until I was worn-out with them. I didn't seem to get relief. After taking the pills my bowels would act a couple or three times, then I would be very constipated.

"A neighbor told me of Black-Draught and I began its use. I never have found so much relief as it gave me. I would not be without it for anything.

"It seemed to cleanse my whole system and make me feel like new. I would take a few doses—get rid of the bile and have my usual clear head, feel full of 'pep' and could do twice the work."



### PUBLIC NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between S. P. Boon and W. B. Carroll, of Ranger, Eastland County, Texas, under the firm name of the Ranger Dry Cleaning Plant was dissolved by the said W. B. Carroll transferring unto the said S. P. Boon his interest in said partnership on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1926.

All debts owing to the partnership are to be received by the said S. P. Boon and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment.

The said S. P. Boon will continue the business under the firm name of Ranger Dry Cleaning Plant, located at No. 122 South Austin Street, Ranger, Texas.

Witness my hand, this the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1926, at Ranger, Texas.

S. P. BOON.  
(April 23-30-May 7)

### MRS. J. W. BABCOCK'S FUNERAL HELD AT GUNSLIGHT

Funeral services for Mrs. J. W. Babcock, who died Wednesday at her home in Gunsight, Stephens county, were held at Gunsight yesterday afternoon. Deceased was 70 years of age and she and her husband, who survives her, had been residents of the Gunsight community for many years.

Gen. Wu Pei-Fui is active in China. Doesn't matter, but he sounds like someone—er—expectorating.

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To those who suffer with  
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We have a limited number of full size  
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the Guaranteed Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic Prescription, that we will give FREE of all cost to anyone suffering from any of the above diseases, and who will call at our store for a bottle.

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to give satisfaction in your particular case, and we will personally refund the purchase price if it does not give satisfaction. Come in and get your FREE BOTTLE today, as our supply of free bottles is limited.

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RANGER

### SATURDAY!

### Official Straw Hat Day

—So says Mayor Hodges Proclamation: Get a new Straw—wear it Sunday!



### Here's Your Straw, Fellows

Any style, shape and weave that you may desire. There are 24 styles to make your selection from, so don't be afraid of not getting what you want. Splits—Sennetts—Yeddos—Bankoks.

Genuine Panamas—And All Fancy Weaves

Reasonably priced, \$3.75 to \$12.50

"MONEY'S WORTH OR MONEY BACK"

### E. H. & A. DAVIS

"The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes"  
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### MILLINERY

In a Special Purchase Sale at

# 33 1/3% Off

Tomorrow we will sell the remainder of a special purchase of fine Hats at a discount of one-third. More than 300 Hats were included in this Sale. Styled for late Spring and Summer in both the large and small shapes.

### A Sensational Hat Offer

Because of the vast quantity offered in one great lot and all at the same reduction. You can't afford to miss it, and we especially invite you to come in tomorrow. Some wonderful values left.

SEE OUR CENTER WINDOW DISPLAY OF HATS

### J. M. WHITE & COMPANY

"We Show the New Things First"



## Shops Now Feature After Easter Sales Of New Garments

By HEDDA HOYT, Written for the United Press. NEW YORK, April 20.—This year many shops are featuring after-Easter sales when nothing but new garments are sold at from one-half to one-third of the last week's price. A few years ago we were dubious about spring sales that came so early in the season as many winter frocks and garments were included among the so-called spring stock. Lately, however, women buy five frocks where they once bought one, and so stores can well afford to offer

vast reductions on new goods. Some frocks are placed on sale when they are shown since they are 'specials' sent out to establish a style. It doesn't pay to wait for the mid-season sales and reductions these days. By the time mid-season has approached most of the unusual models have been sold off and those remaining are soiled through handling. The frocks and suits shown early in the season are usually "picked" stock which has been selected to promote interest in the new season. Many such models are sold at very near their cost since their manufacturer finds that he cannot duplicate them to sell at a profit. Thus one gets an individual model at practically its cost price. Millinery departments always show their best hats just before and just after Easter. One can find shapes now which can't be duplicated later on. Some of them were made to sell

to the fashionable southern resort trade and are distinct models. Of course, imports and costly garments and hats are never sold below cost until the season for selling them is well over. By that time, few women are interested in purchasing them and holding them over for another year. One must be very cautious in buying the vastly reduced garment which originally was high priced. Select a style that will be as good next season as it is this season. Its lines and colors can't be exaggerated and there must be sufficient material to allow for future alterations.

## Cold Weather Retards Texas Corn Planting

COLLEGE STATION, April 15.—In many counties, the cold weather has seriously retarded the planting of corn, or where corn has been planted, cold weather and frost have, in many instances killed out the stand, advises Charles H. Alvord, director of extension service, A. and M. College of Texas. The situation

is growing somewhat serious, and many farmers are contemplating abandoning their corn acreage and planting the land in cotton. The A. and M. College feels that this would be a serious mistake, and would encourage the replanting of corn where necessary, and the planting of such other crops as will insure an abundance of forage.

**Frost Damage**  
Frost damage to corn is never as serious as it appears. It is seldom that corn is absolutely killed by frost, and in many instances, it will sprout out quickly and recover sufficiently to make a good crop. If there is sufficient corn left in the field to insure two-thirds of a stand, it would be better to leave it and work it out, rather than to plow it up and replant it.

**Late Planting**  
While the season for planting corn is getting late, if measured by the calendar, at the same time, it should be remembered that this has been a very backward spring, and the season is not late when the growth of other crops is considered. Much corn land was replanted last week, and it is advised that the planting be continued until a fall crop has been planted. If the land has been bedded up for a considerable length of time, or if it was planted in March and failed to get a stand, it would probably be best to cultivate the beds before planting. This will kill out the grass, weeds, and give the corn a better chance to make a rapid growth. Don't plant in a water furrow. The ground is too cold and the corn will be too late in coming up. In the order of their preference, the varieties for late planting are: Surocropper, Chisholm, Ferguson's Yellow Dent, and, in the southern part of the state, Thomas.

**Forage Crops**  
Sudan grass and sorghum should be planted as soon as possible for forage and hay. These crops can be planted either in rows or broadcast. If planted in rows 36 inches apart, use thirty pounds of cane seed or five pounds of sudan grass seed per acre. If sown broadcast, use 100 pounds of cane seed or twenty pounds of sudan grass seed. When planting in rows, in order to put as much as thirty pounds of sorghum seed per acre in rows 36 inches apart, it will be necessary to use a cotton plate in the planter, or drill an extra large number of holes in the corn plate.

**Grain Crops for Late Planting**  
In the event that late planting of corn should fail to get a stand after the first of May, it would be advisable to plant grain sorghums. These crops do fairly well in East Texas, if we have a dry season. Some of the best types of grain sorghums are: Standard black hull kafkir, dwarf yellow milo, and spur feterita. In the event these crops do not make grain on account of blighting from the effect of the midge, they will, nevertheless, make an abundance of good forage.

## Nebraska City Defends Right To Sell Gasoline

By RICHARD C. WILSON

(United Press Staff Correspondent) LINCOLN, Neb., April 19.—The right of a municipality to enter retail business in direct price competition with privately owned companies will be fought out before the Nebraska supreme court this week.

Lincoln, which has enjoyed lower retail gasoline prices than any other city in the country for the past two years as a result of the municipal-ity owned gasoline filling station, will defend its constitutional right to remain in business. Suit to close the municipal station was brought by the Standard Oil Company.

The question brought up by the oil company involves the moral and constitutional right of a city to enter private business and compete with privately owned firms.

The city gasoline station was opened to combat high gasoline prices. By selling at practically cost, the municipal station forced filling stations of the city to meet the competing price. Whereas gasoline formerly sold for about 23 to 25 cents a gallon, the general price today is 17 to 18 cents a gallon. This price is said to be lower than that of retail filling stations in the oil fields of Oklahoma.

At the same time the voters of Lincoln voted to open the gasoline station they agree to operate municipal coal yard, which retails coal at cost prices. After a bitter court battle against the coal companies, the city won the right to operate its own coal yard.

In its fight to retain the municipal gasoline station, the city defeated the Standard Oil Company in lower court and has received one favorable verdict from the supreme court. The hearing this week will be a reargument of the higher tribunal's last decision, which authorized the city to operate the filling station.

A few weeks ago, automobile owners of Columbus, Neb., near Lincoln, subscribed to a fund to open a gasoline filling station to be owned and operated by the automobile owners of the city. The station sells gasoline at cost and has resulted in lowering gasoline prices in Columbus from 23 to 17 cents a gallon.

## GLOOMY GUS SAYS:

—Before I got into the bottling business I thought Soda Pop was Soda Pop.

—I guess it still is.

—But Keen is so different that you ought to know more about it.

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—If you are at all particular about what you drink you will be interested.

—Every precaution is taken to see that each Keen Drink reaches you a clean, wholesome, healthful beverage.

—You are guaranteed quality by drinking

—KEEN—DEMAND IT!

Southern Ice & Utilities Co.

"SERVICE WITH A SMILE"



it may cost more by the pound, but it always costs less by the biscuit



## ANOTHER NEW ONE

**DORIS**  
A smart one-strap of Parchment Calf, inlaid and stitched with sauterne. Smart New York stage last and full 16-8 spike heel. Popular priced at **\$7.50**

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YOU ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

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"Exclusive Ladies' Store" Ranger  
303 Main Street

## SATURDAY SPECIALS

GREEN BEANS, PER POUND	12 1/2
New Potatoes, per pound	10c
Cucumbers, per pound	15c
Extra Fancy Strawberries, per box	30c
Fresh Country Eggs, per dozen	25c

### Meat Department

Kansas corn-fed baby beef, the best on the market; pork cuts of all kinds, summer sausages, cheese and lunch meats, barbecue, pickles and olives. Plenty of large, fat hens and fryers, live or dressed; have them dressed while you wait.

### FRESH VEGETABLES AND FRUITS

Green beans, new potatoes, radishes, green onions, turnip greens, carrots, cucumbers, lettuce, tomatoes, and celery.

LOOK OUR MEATS AND VEGETABLES OVER BEFORE YOU SELECT YOUR SUNDAY DINNER

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## LOOK!

Green Beans, lb.	10c
New Spuds, lb.	10c
Sweet Spuds, 10 lbs.	.60c
Strawberries, box	.25c
8 lbs. Lard	\$1.35
10 lbs. Sugar	.70c
Carnation Milk, 9 for	.50c
Tall Cans, 5 for	.55c
Tall Salmon, 2 for	.35c
Sugar Corn, 2 for	.25c
15c Tomatoes, 3 for	.25c
3 lb. Pinto Beans	.25c
Fresh Catfish, lb.	.30c
Red Snapper, lb.	.28c
Boston Haddock, lb.	.20c

**City Fish Market**  
Phone 458 311-313 Walnut St.  
Free Delivery—Ranger

**The Boston Store**  
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THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER  
RANGER, TEXAS

STRAW HAT DAY APRIL 24

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RANGER, TEXAS

Tomorrow—  
**OFFICIAL STRAW HAT DAY**

Get under that new straw "katy" tomorrow—or at least select one and let us lay it aside for you to wear when you want it. You will be sure of getting the style you like best if you select now while stocks are complete.

**The Smarter Kind!**

No display in the history of Boston Store compares with our present showing. It embraces everything that all men seek in block, braid and finish. Of particular interest are many with the popular fancy bands.

**\$2.00 to \$5.00**

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY!

## PIGGLY WIGGLY

*All Over the World*

### These Prices for Friday Afternoon and Saturday

<b>SUGAR</b>	10 LBS PURE CANE (With \$3.00 purchase, including one item from market)	<b>43c</b>
<b>COFFEE</b>	1-lb. can C. & S. Red Can Special	<b>42c</b>
<b>LETTUCE</b>	Large Size Head Each	<b>9c</b>
<b>NEW POTATOES</b>	3 Pounds for	<b>25c</b>
<b>STRAWBERRIES</b>	Fancy Louisiana Per Box	<b>26c</b>
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<b>CORN</b>	No. 2 can Primrose or Kohinor 2 for	<b>29c</b>
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EASTLAND

### Trains On Bride's Dresses Now Are Almost Sidetracked

By HEDDA HOYT  
(Written for the United Press)  
NEW YORK.—While prospective grooms are looking over railroad time tables, their intended brides are picking out their trains. The train of the wedding gown has been sort of side-tracked of late. It may start anywhere and end anywhere, despite the fact that tradition has urged them to start at the shoulders and end on floor.

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Fully 90 Per Cent of the Girls and Women Who Are Weak, Nervous, Irritable, Undernourished, Thin and Sallow Are Victims of This Dreaded Malady.

Not until the theory that catarrh of their generative organs is the direct cause of the nervousness, irritability, irregularity and pain so many women suffer from, was proven by the remarkable and almost miraculous results which the phenomenal medicine known as St. Joseph's G. F. P. is doing since its introduction here, did these unfortunate women really know the true cause of their trouble.

And the further fact that they were never able to get rid of these troubles after trying many remedies which were supposed to overcome the cause, only proved more convincingly than ever that St. Joseph's G. F. P. is the first direct specific for this dreaded malady among women.

"The reason this condition is so prevalent among girls and women of today," says one of the leading authorities and specialists on the health and care of the female system, "is because they are undernourished, and their organs are not strong enough to resist the inroads which it makes on them."

A sound stomach, able to thoroughly digest every bit of food you eat, is the first and most vital thing needed by every woman to be healthy and free from pain and irregularity, because without it, no matter how much or what you eat, your food is not being changed into living tissue and strength for nerves and muscles. Without firm, healthy tissue, strong muscles to resist wear and tear of daily excess and steady nerves to withstand exhaustion, a weakened condition is set up, and that is where catarrh gets its hold.

"From then on any one of many nagging and distressing ailments have their beginning, and irregularity, nervousness, irritability, headaches, pains in the back and sides, melancholy and that continually worn-out feeling are the inevitable results."

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Some of the modern girls choose trains that start straight from the hip falling below the hem and trailing on the floor. Others choose those side-panel trains that start at one shoulder only and fall in sweeping train effect. Still others combine both of the above fashions using the double train or the train with a caubose attachment as where one train starts from one shoulder and the other starts at the opposite hip.

This season taffeta, satin and chiffon are the favored materials for the bridal gown. Hems are irregular often being shorter in front and dipping at the sides and rear. Bodices are semi-fitted with snug-fitting sleeves which extend down over the hands. Except in a few instances where the quaint old-fashioned wedding gown is chosen, skirts are short. The bride's maids invariably wear bouffant frocks with skirts trimmed in tiers, ruffles, pleats, godels or circular floating drapes. Bodices are slender and little capes, wide berthas or floating wing panels aid in the bouffant effect. Organdy in pastel colors is a favored material for the bride's maid. Often each maid wears a different shade giving a rainbow effect. Drooping-brimmed horse-hair hats match the color of the gown and they are either trimmed in velvet or with a single huge flower of harmonizing color. Satin slippers also match the maid's gown.

The fringed wedding gown is one of the season's new offerings. In this case the gown is of satin and falls in slender-lines to the hem being trimmed in deep white fringe from hips to hem. The fringe is usually applied in zig zag manner rather than straight about the skirt.

### SCHOOL BONDS CARRY IN RISING STAR

RISING STAR, April 23.—The election for the issuance of school bonds in the sum of \$25,000 in the Rising Star independent school district held last Tuesday, carried by a vote of 121 for as to 114 against.

### TRIAL OF MEXICANS IN SAN ANTONIO POSTPONED

By United Press.  
SAN ANTONIO, April 23.—The trial of eight Mexicans indicted here on charges of attempting to start a revolution in Mexico was set today for May 10 in the federal court. All of the accused men are out on bond.

### Chevrolet Plans Training School For Salesmen

More than 17,000 Chevrolet retail salesmen will be trained in 3,700 national sales schools conducted under the auspices of the Chevrolet Motor Company during May to insure the automobile buyer accurate and complete information on the car he is considering purchasing.

Dealers throughout the country are being instructed in conducting the schools, which will consist of five evening classes to be held in the period from May 10 to May 24. The dealers themselves have been selected to head the schools because of their intimate acquaintance with their sales forces and their knowledge of local conditions in their territories.

A text book, "Selling Chevrolets," prepared for the salesmen to study, is regarded as the most complete book of its kind ever evolved in the automotive industry. It sums up the experience of years of intensive study and investigation within the Chevrolet selling organization and is filled with authoritative information on the improved car.

Salesmen will be examined at the close of each class, through written answers to a questionnaire covering the points discussed. Men attaining an average grade of 80 per cent or more on the entire course will be presented with an award of merit signed by R. H. Grant, vice-president and general sales manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company. The certificate will be enclosed in a fine leather case.

"I consider this to be one of the greatest educational efforts ever attempted in an industry," said Mr. Grant. "Thousands of men will be trained simultaneously to prove their method of work, to stimulate them to greater success and to make them assets to their community. Efficiency of the Chevrolet sales organization will be greatly increased by the sales schools and the car purchaser will benefit through dealing with well-informed salesmen thoroughly familiar with the Chevrolet car."

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### In the Courts

Suits filed in district courts:  
Ollie Walton vs. J. G. Walton, divorce.  
The Munn Oil company vs. Webb T. Eby, appointment of receiver.  
Eighty-eighth district court orders: Mae Smith vs. E. R. Smith, divorce and custody of children granted plaintiff.  
Mrs. Carrie Daves vs. M. W. Daves, divorce and custody of children granted plaintiff.

**CIVIL APPEALS.**  
Proceedings in the court of civil appeals for the eleventh supreme judicial district of Texas, at Eastland, Texas.  
Thursday, April 22.—Motions submitted: A. A. Griffith et al. vs. J. E. Johnson, plaintiff in error's motion.

R. W. Haynie vs. Jack Barnes et al., appellant's motion for rehearing, overruled.  
General Accident, Fire & Life Insurance company vs. Huit Looney, appellee's motion to dismiss appeal.  
City of Dublin vs. Fort Worth & Rio Grande Railway company, appellee's motion for rehearing.  
W. R. Sanders vs. C. L. Baker, agreed motion to postpone submission.

Friday, April 23.—Actions on motions: Wichita Valley Railway company vs. Arthur Williams et al., appellee's motion to certify, granted.  
Merchants Cotton Oil company vs. Acme Gin company, appellant's motion to re-tax costs, granted.  
James P. Stinson et al. vs. W. A. Graham et al., appellant's motion to advance, granted.  
J. E. Gossett vs. H. P. Williams, appellant's motion for rehearing, overruled.  
J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs.

### Ford Coupe Stolen; Stripped Is Recovered

A 1925 Ford coupe belonging to Roy E. Gunn and parked in front of the Southland Hotel, was stolen some time early Thursday night and later recovered by the sheriff's office some five miles north of Eastland at about 11 p. m., stripped of all casings and lights.

Cisco, April 23.—The recent rains that fell in this vicinity added only a few inches of water in Lake Cisco. The rise in Lake Bernie was some more.

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### Who Buys For Your Family?

- Just the other day there was a piece in the papers telling of a husband who was allowed \$1 a week spending money—the balance of the family income going to the wife for household expenses, insurance and savings.
- This is an unusually drastic division of earnings—yet economists declare that 75 percent of the money spent in America today is spent by women—whether for automobiles, food, men's clothes, travel, cosmetics, books or the theatre.
- For this reason the advertiser must reach the women in the home with his message—but how?
- In Eastland county there is only one answer to that question—by using the Times and Telegram papers.
- For these are delivered into the homes throughout the length and breadth of Eastland county's 935 square miles by exclusive carriers and dealers, reaching practically every worthwhile home in the towns and rural districts.
- The women of Eastland county read either the Times or Telegram in the home where the greater part of the money is spent.

Average Net Paid Circulation for 6 Months Ending March 31, 1926

TIMES	3205
TELEGRAM	1789
TOTAL	4994

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### These Women

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**

Early in the story HARRY MORTON, middle-aged, handsome, rich, unmarried and the guardian of AUDREY MORTON, has thrown out of his house in Crofton a shabby stranger whom he called "SMITH." Smith claimed to be Audrey's step-father. To get rid of him, Morton sent him to a job in South America.

At the end of the last installment Audrey has just received a letter from Smith.

Audrey is wildly in love with her guardian. So is NONA, a stage girl. Morton, to turn Audrey's mind from him, has let her see him with Nona and other women, and also has thrust JOHN PARRISH, his secretary, into her company. In addition to his Crofton home, he maintains an apartment in Scranton.

Audrey slaps Parrish when he says Morton is not the proper man to be her guardian.

To learn how other women fascinate Morton, Audrey has just started exercises in a gymnasium, where girls' muscles are stretched for stage

dancing. Discussion of this career is interrupted by receipt of the letter from "Smith."

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
(The names and situations in this story are fictitious.)

**CHAPTER XXIII**

"I'd never mistake that penmanship," commented Morton.

Audrey looked at him with a gasp of interest. There was a note in his voice that she never had heard before.

"You hate him!" she exclaimed.

Morton turned the letter over and inspected the signature.

"P. H. Smith," he read aloud, without answering her.

The handwriting was singularly clear and beautiful—the writing that is peculiar to architects, and engineers, and accountants, and others who make precision their life's work.

Morton turned to the beginning, and read, half aloud:

"At Sea, the 21st.

"I expect to mail this at the first port we touch. There is something that I know of deep interest to you. The knowledge is worth money to you—and to me. I am willing to sell my knowledge. You have access to your guardian's funds. He is wealthy. Upon receipt of five thou-

sand dollars from you, in the form of any negotiable paper, I will give you information that I am quite sure you never have had. What do you know of yourself, and of your guardian? Do you know who your mother was? Do you know who I am? Maybe you will not care about this last item—until you have received word from me, in return for your five thousand. Then you will be much interested. Knowing something of women, I am quite sure you will show this letter to Morton. Knowing something of him, I am sure he will give no explanation. Again drawing upon my knowledge of women, I am fairly assured that sooner or later you will transmit to me the sum I have mentioned. Curiosity in this case is legitimate. From time to time I shall inquire at the office of the International Express Co., in Buenos Aires, for a letter (with enclosure) from you, addressed to the undersigned."

Audrey took the letter from Morton's hand and looked at it again.

"Isn't he horrible?" she cried.

"Does he really know all those things?"

Tossing the envelope on the table, Morton paced rapidly up and down the room for a few moments.

"Audrey," he said, abruptly, "you are a rich woman. I have made over to you half of all I have. You may send him the money he asks, if you wish."

Audrey leaned back against the desk.

"You hate him!" she said again.

"I have every reason to hate him," Morton said solemnly. "There was a time when I would gladly have strangled him to death, if it had not been for you—for the effect it would have upon you!"

The girl's eyes had something of worship in them. "You always have been thinking of me, haven't you?"

"Always," he answered. He moved nearer her. "Do you wish to send him the money? He can tell you what he says he can tell."

"I'll never do it." Her voice rang with sincerity. "I would be cheating you if I did it."

The man sat down, and with his elbows upon the desk, rested his chin

in his hands. After a long silence he spoke again.

"Dearest," he said, "there are terrible things that can come into the lives of innocent people. Sometimes they are made to suffer for things that are not their fault at all; things they have nothing to do with, except pay the penalty.

"I have been trying to shield you."

She moved nearer to him.

Leaning over, she almost whispered: "Daddy, is that man my real father?"

He was startled. With a quick gesture he seized her arm and pressed it with his fingers until she winced.

"No!" he shouted. "No! Praise God, you didn't enter the world under THAT handicap!"

He relaxed his grasp, and with a little sigh she passed her hand over his cheek.

"I'm so glad!" she said, softly. "Ever since I first saw him I've wondered that—a little. And I hated him so—I hated his eyes and the way he looked at me and at you."

Looking into the distance, and tapping on the table with his fingers, Morton spoke, monotonously, as of a subject which he dreaded.

"Smith is not his name, of course," he said. "It is a good enough name for his present purposes. And he is a bad man. A very evil man, who has caused much needless agony to people who never harmed him."

He thought a moment before he went on. "There is a kink in the minds of men, sometimes, that makes them a danger to everyone with whom they come in contact. He is like that."

Swinging around in his chair, he looked at Audrey, his lips twitching as if he were about to weep. She put her arm around his head and drew it to her bosom, crooning over him.

He went on speaking, in the same dead, colorless tone. "He did a great wrong to you, sweetheart. You were too young to know about it—you were a little baby. I hope you never will know about it. I've tried to keep it from you. I always shall try."

"There, there!" She smothered his

check. "Don't worry about him any more."

Morton shook his head. "I am not worrying about him. Whenever I desire I can put him where he can harm no one else. But Audrey—if I do that I'll hurt you."

She held him closer to her.

"I guess he knows that," she surmised, with a wise little nod. "That's why he didn't care if you saw his letter."

"I suppose so," he assented. "Evidently he feels that if he has five thousand dollars he can't be independent of me and the job I gave him in the Argentine. The money would be gone, though, before long."

He gave a short laugh. "He never was skillful with money. They kept him for two long terms in the penitentiary because of his—well, carelessness. That was why we didn't get to see him at our house for eighteen years or thereabouts."

The girl shivered. "A jail-bird!"

"Worse than that," he supplemented. "A disease—a walking small-pox—a plague!"

It was an auspicious time for Parrish to begin his new role as Audrey's guardian.

After her conversation with Morton the girl slipped away to the washroom, and when she returned, the rouge was gone from her lips and her lashes were innocent of the mascara they had worn when she came.

Parrish entered Morton's office by one door as Audrey came in at the other.

Morton held up an admonitory hand.

"Don't hit him again, Audrey," he warned, his eyes crinkled in a quiet smile.

The girl drew herself up stiffly and then relaxed as she caught her guardian's glance.

"If it were—if it were any other day, I WOULD slap him again," she said, turning her shoulder conspicuously toward Parrish.

"Coast is clear, Parrish," commented Morton. "Make your peace with the young lady."

Parrish made a defensive gesture. "I only did what I thought w

right and she attacked me!" Plainly his grievance had not wholly died away.

"You deserved slapping," she said. "How can you say anything against my daddy when he's treated you so well?"

"Oh, tut, tut, tut!" Morton got up, and placing his hand on Parrish's shoulder, took the girl by the hand. "I don't care two hoots in— in the hereafter what anybody says about me! Parrish is a good young man and he thinks I'm a bad old one."

"That doesn't worry me. He means well when he tells you to beware of me. We ought to encourage people who mean well. They are needed in the world."

"Although—" he turned to Parrish—"some well-meaning people make idiots of themselves. Eh, Parrish?"

The young man hung his head. "I

don't admit I'm an idiot."

"You are, though," interposed Audrey, briskly.

Morton moved his hand to her shoulder, and still holding to Parrish, gave them both a brief shake.

"Hush!" he commanded. "Don't act like two children putting out their tongues at one another."

"Parrish, you are instructed to take Miss Morton wherever she wants to go, each afternoon and evening. Audrey, he'll be along to see that you're not harmed in any way. Now behave yourselves."

Parrish looked covertly at Audrey.

"Well, come on!" he said, turning to the door.

"Do I have to go with him?" she asked Morton.

"I'd rather you had somebody to watch out after you," he said, gently. "This new career of yours isn't any too safe, you know."

(To Be Continued)

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Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	18,039.75
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Furniture and Fixtures	8,000.00
Cash on hand	37,621.59
Due from approved reserve agents	56,706.81
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	258.36
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund	6,970.83
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	11,209.57
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange, undoubtedly good	2,036.33
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$850,073.38</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Certified Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, net	3,809.72
Dividends unpaid	160.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	10,056.60
Individual Deposits subject to check on which no interest is paid	683,068.25
Public Funds on Deposit	26,772.28
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	16,206.47
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$850,073.38</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF EASTLAND:

Wes S. A. Lillard Jr., as vice-president, and I. E. Beavers, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

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**DOTHAN NEWS**

Special Correspondence.  
DOTHAN NEWS, April 22.—On account of the heavy rains the farmers have done very little planting. The hail Sunday afternoon beat up most of the gardens and did some damage to wheat and oats.  
L. D. Richardson and family of

Long Beach, Calif., are visiting T. J. McCarver and family.  
There was a good attendance at Sunday school Sunday morning. The young people divided their class into two classes. They are to have a contest beginning next Sunday. The class getting the most tallies will be entertained at the close of the contest by the losers.  
Mr. and Mrs. Allmon and son, Weldon, and Arvel Moudy, spent Saturday and Sunday in Millsap.  
C. W. Bostick spent a few days last week with relatives at Wills Point.  
Miss Ramey visited the girls' home

economics club Friday morning at 10 o'clock.  
Will Pippen and family of Haskell spent the week-end with relatives in Dothan. They were intending to stop in Abilene Sunday afternoon on their way home to see their daughter, Mattie Letha, who is attending McMurray college.  
Miss Wilma Mason of Cisco attended Sunday school here Sunday morning.  
M. E. Bowen and children, Justine and Francis, of Abilene, moved to Dothan this week. Mr. Bowen will assist Arvil Monday in their grocery store.

Brother Terry of Cisco, who preaches here every third Sunday, could not be with us last Sunday. He was called to the bedside of his sick sister in Shawnee, Okla.

**Spoiled Child Becomes The Narcotic Fiend**

B. S. A. BARKER  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
DALLAS, April 21.—Hysteria in adults is largely due to the indulgence of fond parents in allowing the youngster to desire its goal by "throwing a tantrum," Dr. M. S. Gregory told his associates in the seventy-seventh annual convention of the American Medical Association here today.  
"If the baby gets what it wants by a tantrum it will react when grown up in the same manner—a condition the individual cannot control," Dr. Gregory said. "If the child has been trained to meet reality, then as an adult, he or she will meet reality and remain well."  
Pointed statements from other speakers on the opening program of the eight scientific sections of the association which got under way today, bore out the oft-repeated admonition—see the physician first.  
Infections of the eyes oftentimes are the "kickbacks" from infections and diseased sections elsewhere on the body, eye specialists pointed out. Irritation of an infected area drives the harmful germ into the blood and it is carried to the eye tissues.  
Injection of chemicals and dye substances directly into the veins to combat boils, abscesses and similar growths has benefited hundreds of patients, Dr. Hugh Young of Baltimore told the surgical section.  
High blood pressure may be successfully combated by the injection of a liver extract prepared from fresh liver tissues and purified, according to Dr. A. A. James and associates in the Pharmacology and Therapeutics division. On the other hand, Dr. Ralph Majors of Kansas City described the use of a substance called "guanidine" as an elevator of blood pressure. While yet in

the comparative experimental stage, Dr. Majors was confident that the treatment would tend to ward off senility's effects.  
The high mortality rate among cancer sufferers results largely from procrastination, according to Dr. George B. Eusterman of the Mayo Clinic. More than fifty percent of the cancer fatalities result because the sufferer has waited too long to consult a physician and undergo an operation, Eusterman declared. He also pointed out that sixty-five percent of cancer patients are between 50 and 75 years old and that there are four men to one woman who suffer from cancer of the stomach.

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