

THE WEATHER.  
West Texas—Tonight and Friday, partly cloudy; warmer in southeast; colder in Panhandle Friday.

# RANGER DAILY TIMES

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BIBLE THOUGHT.  
WAIT PATIENTLY—Wait on the Lord; be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart; wait, I say, on the Lord.—Psalm 27:14.

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## HARRY SINCLAIR WOULD BE CROWNED KING

### WILSON FELLED BY BLOW WHICH REACTS STRONG

#### Party Directing Attack on Great Leader Faces People's Wrath for Misdeeds.

By WALLACE BASSFORD.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Standing in a street of Washington, watching the stately progress of the solemn cortege which bore to its last resting place the poor clay which a few short years ago was the foremost man of all this world, some serious thoughts forced the way without the will. His death came just at a time to force some sharp comparisons and to draw some curious parallels. It came at a moment when great scandals were rending parties, destroying ambitions and sending men to the political bonfire, yet touching not the dying man in any manner whatsoever. His hands were clean, to the end; if there had ever been anything of dross, his closing years and death disclosed nothing remaining in the crucible but gold. On his shroud there was no black smirch of the grafter; in his coffin no space for the cold formulas of political creeds; no room for the hatred of any Nemesis such as followed his every step for a decade. He lived and died free from such political scandal as now threatens the very existence of the party in power.

He Kept the Faith.  
Woodrow Wilson hated the political makeshifts of those physicians who see and treat a single symptom while letting the disease run its deadly course. The land is full of inane nostrum-mongers, peddling their quick remedies about by the carload, while financial tricksters hold the high places and manipulate financial legislation through departmental recommendation, for the easing of their own burdens. Of such men and their ilk he would have nothing; giant that he was, he kept the faith, he fought a good fight, he ran a true course. He will live long in the hearts and history of the people, for he died as the martyrs die.

The blow which felled Wilson in the midst of his vast labors for humanity was a stab at the breast of Freedom. He fell in mid-career, with his work half done, the laurels of his victories at Paris still green upon his brow. The blows of partisan envy and jealousy he took in front, yielding neither to brutality nor blandishments, turning neither to the right nor to the left, but with his face toward that high ideal of Peace on Earth whose most eminent disciple perished on Cavalry. There was iron in the blood of the man and the courage of his high convictions was as those tides of the sea which go on and on forever. His was that stalwart, indomitable courage which chained fortune to his chariot wheel only that he might, from his high vantage point, strike the truer blows at those hideous conditions surrounding the lives of millions of human beings which were to him intolerable.

The death which finally came to him was, doubtless, to the patient sufferer, in the nature of a benediction. In the lingering years there might have been to a lesser soul some satisfaction in the mounting proof that time at last makes all things even.

Robespierre and Fall.  
There came a day, in that bloody holocaust called the French revolution, when that wild beast, Robespierre, was placed on trial for his life. Of all his monumental crimes perhaps the most inexcusable villainy was the execution of Danton. Murderer, yet coward, when his accusers faced him he turned a sickly hue and choked so badly he could not speak. La Source cried out: "The blood of Danton chokes thee, Robespierre!" Today the blood of Woodrow Wilson chokes those political foes who broke his frail body on the rack of battle—his heroic spirit none could break.

### Dry Authorities To Stop Sale Of Liquor At Herrin

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—The federal government today took a hand in the troublesome situation in Williamson county, where the "dry" Klan and the "wet" anti-klan have been at war for supremacy. Attorney Cavanaugh of the Washington office of the prohibition department left here for Herrin, center of the booze war, armed with affidavits to close 123 liquor establishments in Williamson county.

### SEPARATISTS IN RHINELAND ARE MILLING AROUND

#### Communists and Police Clash at Stettin—Gatherings Are Being Prevented.

COLOGNE, Germany, Feb. 14.—One man was killed and eight wounded when communists attacked safety police at Stettin during the night. Communists from Solingen and Bruhl, in the British occupation zone, taking advantage of the anti-separatist disturbance throughout the Rhineland, attacked a detachment of safety police from Cologne. (An official censored report gives the number of communists assembled at 5,000.) The police were surrounded in a bank where they had taken refuge and several were wounded while a number of their attackers fell. The British high commissioner is understood to have requested the inter-allied commander here to have prohibited the congress of communists planned for this month. The Rhineland commission plans to place Pirmasens, where many were killed in an uprising, Wednesday, under martial law. The communists at various places along the Rhine have attempted to take advantage of the disturbance at Pirmasens. At Hamburg an assemblage of about 800 communists was disbursed.

### RANGER ELKS GO IN FINE ARRAY TO ATTEND BRECKENRIDGE MEET

With white ribbons, bearing the words, "Ranger Elks," on their hats, a large number of Elks, members of the Ranger lodge, No. 1373, left here between 11 and 12 o'clock for Breckenridge, where a new lodge will be installed this afternoon.

The installation ceremonies were scheduled to start at 2 p. m. in the Odd Fellows building. condition, following this by a report which caused him to be led before an inquisition of the senate, where, cowardlike, he took refuge behind his "constitutional rights." How evil birds come home to roost! And unless all signs fail a veritable dies irae, or day of wrath, is approaching, when many a political buccaner will walk the plank. The defeat of Mr. Wilson's party in 1920 signified nothing other than that the slanderers had temporarily gotten in their work. The people have had time to stop, look and listen, and they have done it with good effect. A few months will see the whole republican administration hurled from power. Verily, the blood of Wilson is choking a whole party.

Mr. Wilson was the idol of his followers; they loved him as David loved Jonathan; their souls clung to his. His wounds made their hearts bleed. He was pulled down by the political wolves who sought to make capital out of his downfall, but who have won only a brief and transient victory. He went down, but with his flag flying; never a trimmer, he never apologized for his convictions or his actions. As chief executive his record stands with the purest and the greatest. He was not the sort of president who could elevate jack-leg lawyers to the highest places or send stock market gamblers to the courts of Europe.

### STANDARD OIL LAWYER'S VIEW THROWN ASIDE

#### Fall Pays no Heed to Opinion That Lease Would Be "Absurd and Illegal."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Postponing until tomorrow the questioning of Frank Vanderlip, New York financier, regarding his statement that the late President Harding's sale of the Marion (Ohio) Star should be investigated, the senate Teapot Dome investigating committee today got testimony that Attorney General Daugherty gave informal and verbal approval to the naval oil reserve leases and contracts in exchange for oil for storage under which Sinclair and Doheny obtained their oil leases.

The committee was told that Daugherty's opinion was given in the face of a written opinion by a Standard Oil attorney that the proposed leasing plan was "absurd and illegal," that Secretary of the Interior Fall knew of the opinion given by the Standard Oil company's lawyer but did not think it necessary to ask for a formal opinion from Daugherty; that under instructions from Fall the leasing of the Teapot Dome reserve was kept secret, orders being given all in the interior department to refuse any information on the subject.

It was also sworn to the committee that Fall had promised to see that Sinclair "took care of" John Shafer, owner of several newspapers, who claimed an interest in the Pioneer Oil company's claim to an interest in the Teapot Dome, and that Shafer had obtained \$92,000 from Sinclair under an agreement growing out of this claim.

### "Bread Trust" Is Accused of Robbing People of Millions

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—A colossal "bread trust" is robbing American homes of approximately \$1,000,000 daily, it was declared today by Basil Manley, head of the People's legislative service, in a report to Senator LaFollette and other progressive leaders demanding congressional action against the combine.

Bread should be selling at 5 cents for a one-pound loaf instead of for 9 cents a pound, Manley said, basing his statement on the present price of wheat.

If the statement of Basil Manley is correct and the price of bread is exorbitant, it behooves the house-makers of the country to return to the home-made breads that once were used more than the bakers' products.

### COUNTY FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS MEETS IN RISING STAR SATURDAY

Federated club women from all parts of Eastland county are expected to assemble next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Rising Star for the second meeting of the County Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Phillip Pettit, president of the county federations, extends an invitation to all federated clubs to send representatives. Mrs. Frank Perkins of Rising Star should be notified how many from each organization will attend. The president of each club will forward this information. The Alpha Delphians of Eastland will send a large contingent, occupying three cars. Large delegations are expected from Ranger, Cisco and other points.

### CENSUS BUREAU REPORTS ON COTTON CONSUMPTION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Cotton consumed in January, exclusive of linters, totaled 576,644 bales, compared with 610,306 bales consumed in January of last year, the census bureau reported today.

Cotton consumed in the cotton growing states in January totaled 391,038 bales, against 383,959 bales in January of last year.

### Davenport Replies To Jones In Stump Talk At Flatwoods

Judge Joe H. Jones, candidate for judge of the 91st district court, spoke at Flatwoods Tuesday night in the interest of his candidacy and was replied to by Judge George L. Davenport, judge of the 91st district court and a candidate for re-election. A fair sized crowd was present and the debate interesting, according to some of those present.

Judge Davenport is reported to have criticized Judge Jones for keeping his speaking dates so secret and Mr. Jones replied that he was going to speak at Nimrod Saturday night. Mr. Davenport announced that he would be present to answer him.

### DWELLING HOUSE IN RANGER IS FIRE GUTTED

#### Home of Dr. T. J. Earnest, Once the Linscott Property, Burned to Ground.

One of the oldest and best built residences in Ranger, purchased recently by Dr. T. J. Earnest, was practically destroyed by fire of undetermined origin last night. The house, one of six rooms, was located 1,000 feet or more southwest of Desdemona boulevard and Division avenue.

It was a spectacular fire and the hundreds of people taking advantage of the nice moderate weather by going outdoors drove to the scene of the fire. Spectators Are Careless. A careless spectator drove his automobile over the line of hose laid from Division avenue to the house and ruptured a section, which was under 180 pounds pressure. The pumper had to be stopped, a new section inserted and the firemen were again able to go ahead with their work.

Only the presence later of several officers prevented other autoists from rupturing the hose on Desdemona boulevard. This is the second time Dr. Earnest has been burned out in Ranger. Several years ago, a two story brick building which stood on the site now occupied by the J. P. Wooten company, 210 Walnut street, was gutted by fire, which was said to have started on the second floor, made up of apartments.

Everyone Away From Home. No one was at the house when the fire started. Dr. Earnest was in Eastland, Mrs. Earnest was at a local theater, and Mrs. McClanahan, a widow daughter, who lives in a cottage on the Earnest property, was said to have been at a Methodist church meeting. The alarm was turned in at 8:05 p. m. When the two fire companies reached the burning house, it was already doomed.

The fire spread rapidly and it seemed to suddenly envelope the walls and roof in one big blaze. The garage and wash house were saved. Dr. Earnest returned to Ranger in September after staying several years in his properties in Dickens county. He bought the property here of the S. M. Linscott heirs and had it extensively remodeled.

It was one of the best built houses ever inspected by a representative of a Ranger insurance agency, the C. E. Maddocks & Company, a member of the firm said today. There was partial insurance on both the house and furniture. Not a piece of furniture or "stitch of clothing" was saved, it was said.

### COUNTY TREASURER J. O. SUE EXPECTED TO SEEK REELECTION

J. O. Sue, present county treasurer, will be a candidate for re-election, according to his close friends. Mr. Sue is serving his first term, has made an efficient officer and is giving good satisfaction.

For the benefit of the taxpayers of Eastland county Mr. Sue makes up each month a condensed statement, showing the condition of the county's finances and submits it to the newspapers for publication as a news item. This is not required by law, but Mr. Sue takes the position that the people are interested in the matter of their finances and that it is a matter of news.

### OIL SCANDAL IS DRAGGING MANY INTO ITS MESH

#### Vanderlip Starts New Line of Inquiry, But Only One of Several.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Reports of a \$1,000,000 slush fund raised by oil interests provided the senate oil scandal investigators with another startling lead today as they prepared to run down gossip which has dragged the name of the late President Harding into the affair.

Frank A. Vanderlip, New York financier, faced a stern examination by the committee this morning on his statement that the sale of the Marion Star by the late President Harding ought to be investigated. The committee will call on Vanderlip to tell whether this statement was based on information indicating the sale of the Star was connected in any way with the oil leasing scandal, or merely upon rumor and gossip. Vanderlip already has indicated that he has no definite information.

Into New Fields. In a speech at Ossining, N. Y., Vanderlip not only drew Mr. Harding's name into the inquiry, but as alleged Attorney General Daugherty, Senator Reed of Missouri and others, and said there should be a wholesale house-cleaning at Washington.

While Vanderlip was scheduled to be the day's star witness in the scandal inquiry, other developments are pending that threaten to lead the inquirers into new fields and to smirch other names in addition to the long list of those already involved. The million dollar slush fund, according to gossip in the committee room, was provided by oil men interested in leases for government officials. A man close to the Harding administration, although not officially connected with it, was reported to the committee to have drawn more than \$200,000 from the fund at one time.

Waiting For Sinclair. Harry F. Sinclair, now on his way home from Europe, will be subpoenaed the minute he lands and will be questioned about the slush fund, Edward L. Doheny, lessee of the California naval oil reserve, will be recalled for further questioning concerning influence wielded with government officials in connection with negotiations for the leases. Oscar Sutro, counsel for the Standard Oil company of California, will be summoned for questioning concerning some phases of the oil negotiations. The examination of others will have direct bearing upon the charges of fraud and corruption.

An important member of President Wilson's cabinet has been mentioned to the committee as the recipient of hundreds of thousands of dollars of Doheny's money. Meantime the committee has given strong indications that it would reject both men named for the president's special counsel before the end of the day if not withdrawn.

### BAPTIST WORKERS OF THREE COUNTIES HAVE CONFERENCE AT CARBON

The Association of Workers' conference at Carbon Tuesday brought together the Baptists of three counties, Eastland, Stephens and Shackelford, and interesting and instructive addresses were made by many of the delegates. The Rev. A. L. Leake, pastor of the Central Baptist church of Ranger, attended the conference and spoke on the "Budget System."

The conference has employed the Rev. J. T. Ponder and the Rev. Ross Payne, the former as missionary and colporteur, and the latter as educational missionary, for work throughout the district. Mr. Payne is to be in Ranger the first Sunday in April to conduct an institute for Sunday school and Baptist Young Peoples Union work.

The next conference meeting will be held in Mitchell, near the Callahan county line, and it is hoped that by that time, March 12, Callahan county will have been brought into the conference.

### M'Adoo Asks If He Shall Continue In Race for President

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Whether William G. McAdoo shall stay in the presidential race will be determined at a conference here next Monday of McAdoo supporters and others outside the party. At McAdoo's headquarters here it was announced today that in addition to his supporters, a call has been sent out for representatives of the progressives outside the Democratic party and for representatives of labor and the farmers and other liberals.

This action follows a decision of McAdoo to ask his followers to decide if the situation has been changed now that his name has become involved in the oil inquiry.

### PRIEST HELD FOR SLAYING HOUSEKEEPER

#### Police Say He Has Been Ill and Appears Demented—Two Witnesses to Shooting.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 14.—The Rev. J. J. Grady, 60, pastor of St. Francis Xavier Roman Catholic church, was turned over to the coroner today on a formal charge of murder for the slaying of Anna McDonough, 40, his housekeeper. After questioning the priest for several hours, the police announced a belief that he is demented. He is said to have had a nervous breakdown recently and to have been acting strangely for some time.

Margaret McDonough, a sister of the slain woman, is held as a material witness. She and Robert Shield, janitor of the church, are said to have witnessed the shooting. The priest was arrested in the convent adjoining the parish house about two hours after the shooting. He said his revolver went off accidentally while he was cleaning it.

### Plan To Restore German Evolved By Economic Experts

BERLIN, Feb. 14.—General Charles G. Dawes and his committee of international experts are now on their way to Paris convinced they have found a plan whereby the allies may collect reparations and the Germans may be rehabilitated. The plan will, it is believed, be satisfactory to both France and Germany. It will permit the allies to collect reparations and will allow Germany economic control of her industries in the Ruhr and Rhineland.

Under the plan, the maximum amount of reparations that could be collected annually would depend upon the extent the world absorbed German products, it was stated.

Some of the features of the Dawes plans were learned today by the United Press. They include: Gold backed currency, supplanting land mortgages now being backed by renter marks.

A total circulation of 5,000,000,000 marks must be provided, although temporarily a smaller sum, possibly 3,000,000,000 marks, will suffice.

This currency must be backed by 50 per cent gold or its equivalent. The German budget must be balanced. According to experts this should not prove difficult. Germany can help herself through adjusted taxation, but if she can't she must be helped by outside loans. These loans could be subscribed in America, it is believed.

Germany must be free of restrictions now hampering production.

### HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT OIL AND GASOLINE CONTRACT

AUSTIN, Feb. 14.—The Gulf Refining company was awarded a contract by the state board of control to furnish oil and gasoline for the motor vehicles and trucks of the state highway department for the remainder of the fiscal year ending Aug. 31. The gasoline is to be purchased at 2 cents a gallon below the tank wagon price to wholesalers.

### ALBANIA MAY BECOME LAND OF OIL MAGNATE

#### Monarchists of Little Nation Urging Teapot Dome Lessee For Their Ruler.

ROME, Italy, Feb. 14.—A strong faction in Albania is insisting that the Albanian crown must go to Harry F. Sinclair, American oil promoter.

Reports from Tirania tell of a lively struggle going on in governmental circles over the form of government to be adopted and the leader to be selected. The republicans and monarchists appear to be about deadlocked.

The monarchists have several candidates for the throne, the most prominent among them being Harry F. Sinclair, Prince Nicholas of Romania and Prince Sixtus of Parma.

### CISCO WINS COUNTY HIGH CHAMPIONSHIP

#### Carbon Five Play Good Game, But Score 11 to 7 for Cisco.

Even standing space couldn't be bought at the American Legion Athletic club last night when Cisco met Carbon to decide the high school championship in basketball. As early as 6 o'clock, an hour before the game, the crowd began to gather and by 6:30 400 people filled the place. Several hundred people gathered on the sidewalk unable to get even standing room inside the building.

Both teams seemed nervous, the crowd was anxious. Cisco's pep squad and jazz band filled the gymnasium with cheers. Boys and even girls had secured ladders and began to look in at the second story windows, which were barely wide enough to look in at.

At 7:30 sharp the referee started the battle that was to mean so much to one team. It was a close match, close guarding, long, aimless shots, many fouls. The score ended in the first half with Cisco in the lead by only one point. Score 5 to 4.

Each team came back stronger. Carbon sent in Donaldson, and Carbon's team work picked up wonderfully. Each team had about an equal number of shots at the goal but Cisco showed signs of having the best coached team. Final score, 11 to 7.

Cisco—Forwards, Pippin, Alsbrook; center, O'Brien; guards, Huestis, Yeager.

Carbon—Forwards, Gilbert, Reese; center, Gee; guards, Thurman, Donaldson, Rankin.

Referee—Davis. Umpire—Faubion.

### ITALY GETS SCENT OF OIL IN LEASES OF SINCLAIR THERE

ROME, Italy, Feb. 14.—The Rome press scents a "Teapot Dome" in Italy's oil leases and is demanding that the Mussolini government publish the full text of the convention in which Harry Sinclair figured in the survey and exploitation of Italian oil resources.

Thus far the agreement with Sinclair has been kept secret. Negotiations between Harry Sinclair, American oil promoter, and the Mussolini government, whereby the former hopes to obtain control of Italy's oil resources have been temporarily suspended.

The United Press was informed today that the settlement of minor questions is necessary before the oil fields are turned over to a local Sinclair oil company.

It is a fact, however, that the Rome press is demanding loudly to have made public the lease proposals, owing to the "Teapot Dome" disclosures in America.

Sinclair has offered to invest several million dollars in prospecting all of Italy's oil fields and to employ modern machinery without the government making any guarantee. As the offer was better than any made by Italian companies, it is considered likely that he will get the concessions regardless of his American troubles.



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SENTENCE SERMON.
The happiness of the human race in this world does not consist in our being devoid of passions, but in our learning to command them. From the French.

DISCORD IN THE KLAN.
There is trouble in the ranks of the Ku Klux Klan in Texas. "Colonel" Billie Mayfield Jr., tells about it in his weekly, which, heretofore purporting to be a Klan organ now may be presumed to be an organ of part of the Klan that is supporting the candidacy of State Senator V. A. Collins of Dallas for the Democratic nomination for governor of Texas. It is not supporting the candidacy of Felix Robinson, who has the endorsement of Zeke Martin of Dallas, grand dragon of the Klan in Texas, who, according to "Colonel" Billie aspires to be "boss Marvin of Texas."

Apparently it is no longer necessary to maintain secrecy relative to membership in the Klan. It is recalled that Robert Lee Henry of Waco, when urging his candidacy for the United States senate, openly proclaimed his membership in the Klan and said he had special permission to do so. The other candidates, if any was a Klansman, either denied it or kept silent.

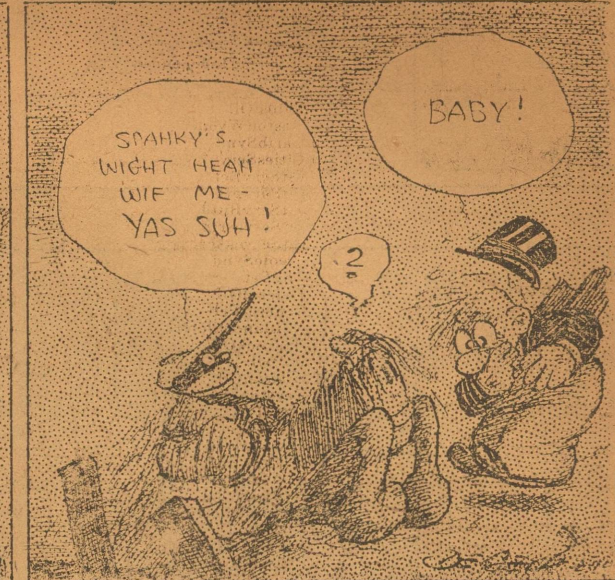
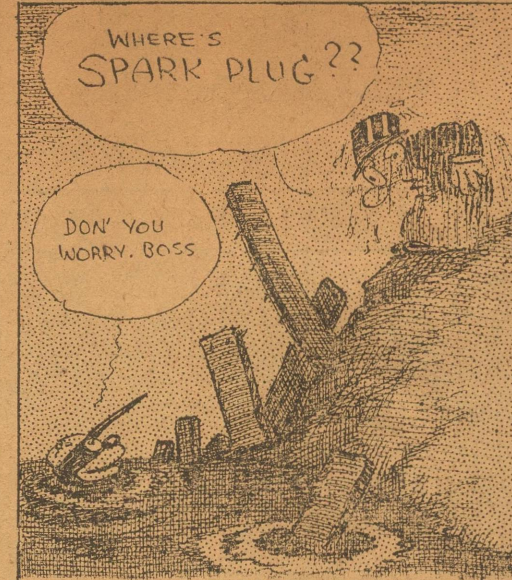
It is assumed that "Colonel" Billie Mayfield is a member of the Ku Klux Klan, thought it is not recalled that he has ever exhibited a permit to declare himself. And he seems to have no hesitancy in announcing which candidates are Klansmen. He says that Ralph Cameron, who appears to have had gubernatorial aspirations, is a Klansman, and also State Senator Collins, the latter an announced candidate for the high office of governor. But apparently he does not know that Felix Robertson is a Klansman, for he says: "Every Klansman in Texas, outside of Dallas, knows he never heard of Felix Robertson before Zeke Marvin's committee announced him as the 'choice of the Klans of Texas.'"

There is discord in the Republican party which gives the Democrats hope for victory in the next national election. If Billie Mayfield is to be believed, there is discord among the Klansmen in Texas, which should give the Democrats of Texas hope for victory over the invisible empire. It is real encouraging to read of discord in the Klan. It arouses the hope there may be some real men in the invisible empire and that these, recognizing a split has occurred, may decide to leave the realm of invisibility and return to the haunts of men where they can argue in the daylight like real men. The fear that all dwellers in the invisible empire were supmen is departing; some of them appear to be real human, even though misled.

Read what "Colonel" Billie publishes about Zeke Marvin, whom he proclaims as the new grand dragon of Texas. Billie says: "As soon as Zeke grabbed the crown off Ralph Cameron's head, he opened up a government factory in the basement of his drug store, over close to where he keeps his prescription whisky." One might infer from this that Zeke Marvin was an old-fashioned state's rights, anti-prohibition, anti-equal franchise, fire eating boss Democrat except that in another sentence Billie infers that Zeke is a "northern Republican coming down here and grabbing control of the Texas Democratic organization."

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG—

4TH DAY OF THE CROSS COUNTRY RACE TO SAN FRANCISCO
SPARK PLUG LEADS SASSY SUSIE BY 3/4 MILES.
WEATHER PERMITTING THE HORSES SHOULD REACH THE OUTSKIRTS OF "MERCED" LATE TONIGHT.
NO DOUBT THE BROADCASTING STATION OF THE "RISCO" EXAMINER WILL GIVE OUT FULL DETAILS OVER THE RADIO—LISTEN IN—
SAN FRANCISCO NEWS ITEM: BILL HINES, WELL KNOWN CLUB MAN, BETS DUFFY CORNELL A FULL WEEK'S PAY THAT SPARK PLUG GETS THE HEBBIE DEEBIE BEFORE THE RACE TERMINATES AND LOSES TO SASSY SUSIE



Election Judges In Eastland County Are Named By Court

The commissioners' court has appointed the following judges and assistant judges for the various voting precincts of the county for the general election in November. These appointments have nothing to do with the primaries. The number and name of each precinct, with the name of the judge and assistant, follows: Precinct No. 1, Eastland, L. A. Hightower, judge; Ernest Lafoon, assistant.

Midcontinent and North Central Texas Crude Oil Prices

Table with 2 columns: Crude Oil Type and Price. Includes Midcontinent (28 to 39 gravity) and North Central Texas (Corsicana, light to heavy) prices.

Table with 4 columns: Month, Open, High, Low, Close. Lists market opinions for New Orleans, Liverpool, and New Orleans Spots.

DALLAS—Interconnection is to be made between the system of electric transmission lines of the Texas Power & Light company and the West Texas Utilities company. The plan is designed to lend additional assurance of the continuity of electrical service in emergencies in any of the inter-connected points.

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

Tele; Times; Wkly Chronicle 2-14-24 I am by this method, at the solicitation of many friends who have urged me to do so, announcing my candidacy for the office of sheriff of Eastland county, subject to the Democratic Primary of 1924.

- List of candidates for sheriff: T. B. Russell, I. N. Roush, Precinct No. 27, Ranger, Ward 3, E. H. Mills, judge; Jack Blackwell, assistant. Precinct No. 28, Ranger, Ward 4, T. K. Taylor, judge; L. B. Frazier, assistant. Precincts 2, 25, 26, 27, and 28 are included in the corporation limits of the city of Ranger.

VITAL STATISTICS OF EASTLAND COUNTY

The following deaths and births have been reported to the county clerk of Eastland county for the period of time from January 10 to February 10: Deaths—Willson Thomas Burleson, male, Eastland; Louis Perroni, male, Eastland; Catherine Mored Daniels, female, Eastland; L. H. Huskey, male, Eastland; Isobell McIntosh, female, Eastland; Euphemy Druesia Murray, female, Eastland.

BUY IT AT HOME POLITICAL Announcements

For State Senator: B. L. RUSSELL, HARRY TOM KING, Abilene. For County Superintendent Schools: MISS BEULAH SPEER.

LODGE NOTICES: Stated convention of Ranger Lodge Knights of Pythias tonight at 7:30 p. m. Visitors welcome. R. ALTHAUSEN, C. C. J. B. HEISTER, K. R. S.

MALE HELP WANTED: WANTED—Young man about 20 years of age to handle the circulation department of the Eastland Daily Telegram; prefer young man just out of high school, who is not afraid of work and ambitious to learn newspaper work; must furnish references regarding character, honesty, etc.; don't apply unless you want to work hard and learn circulation management from the ground up. The Eastland Daily Telegram, 208 So. Lamar st., Eastland.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE: SERVANTS ROOM for rent to colored woman or couple; lights, water, gas furnished; can pay for same in work. Phone 532, Ranger, or 1009 Young st.

AGENTS AND SALESMEN: WANTED—\$100.00 per week man to sell BEST Ford Oil Gauge made; extra commissions. Standard Products Co., 1115 Putnam Square, Plainfield, N. J.

BUSINESS CHANCES: WANTED—Someone with \$12,000 to invest in a good land proposition in South Texas; oil possibilities good. If interested address P. O. Box 1242, Eastland, Texas.

SPECIAL NOTICES: NOTICE—The partnership heretofore existing between L. A. Edmonson and J. H. Corbett under the name of the Eureka Development company has been dissolved by mutual consent on Jan. 2, 1924. Notice is hereby given that neither will be responsible for debts contracted after that date. L. A. Edmonson, J. H. Corbett.

LATEST Magazines, your favorite cigar, cigarettes, candies. Exchange National Bank Cigar Stand, Eastland. HOLDERS of season tickets to the High School Lyceum course can have their money refunded them, on account of the cancellation of the last number of the series, by bringing their tickets to Superintendent E. O. McNew.

DO YOU need money. You can borrow on your auto and pay it back it easy monthly payments. C. E. Maddocks & Co., Ranger.

HIGHEST market price paid for hides. Adams & Co., phone 165, Ranger.

FORMER RESIDENT OF CISCO KILLED IN SAN FRANCISCO: Word has been received of the death in San Francisco of "Uncle" Aaron Wood, who, for many years was a resident of Cisco where he was proprietor of a hotel. He later moved to Stamford and engaged in the hotel business there.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES. WE RETAIL Furniture and floor coverings of all kinds. We wholesale a square deal to all and practice has made it a habit. Cory Furniture Store, next door to Chamber of Commerce, Phone 321, Eastland.

8—ROOM FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Large bed room. Apply 452 Pine st., phone 317 Ranger. FOR RENT—Nice room, modern conveniences; private entrance. 304 Elm st.; gentleman preferred; Ranger.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Modern 4-room cottage on Pine st.; close in. Inquire Room 11, Reavis apartments, Ranger.

4-Room house with water and garage furnished. Mrs. Nannie Walker, Caddo highway, Ranger. FOR RENT OR SALE—5 room house, 2 acres of ground, good garage, plenty good garden spot, fine location for chicken ranch; can buy more ground adjoining place; 1 mile east of town on Spring road. H. G. Wilson, Ranger.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK.

FOR SALE—Quality baby chicks from Standard bred flocks, and bred to lay; S. C. White Leghorns, Anconas and Barred Rocks; \$15 and \$20 per hundred. 501 Corbin ave., Lackland addition, Ranger. D. W. Maloon, breeder.

FOR SALE—1 Jersey cow, 6 years old, and heifer calf, subject to registration, swan color, give 5 gallons or more of milk the year round. Price \$75.00. See J. B. Richardson, janitor at Young school.

PURE Homer pigeons 50c per pair, 319 Armstrong avenue, Ranger.

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Over 150 of the Halsell Farms Already Sold—to Farmers OVER 150 good farmers—the kind who know good land and opportunity when they see it, are coming to the Halsell Farms in Lamb County, Texas—they have come here and investigated what we have and they have bought land—to farm—to make money. A Great Cotton County—Raise one-fourth to one bale per acre—no boll weevil—easy to raise—bring top price. The rich chocolate loam soil, deep and fertile, is also wonderfully adapted to the raising of corn, wheat, feed grains, vegetables, garden truck and fruit. \$25 an Acre—15 Years to Pay! Scores are coming to this land of opportunity and establishing homes. Pure water of fine quality and in abundance. Ideal climate—short, dry winters; long, temperate summers. Good transportation facilities. On the Santa Fe Railroad—Amherst, an up-and-going town is now being built on the property. Schools and churches are being built. Halsell Farms is fast becoming a thriving farm community. Its citizens are the right class of people. Investigate—Now! If you are seeking a real home in an ideal part of the country, where rich land and honest efforts will put you ahead, write at once for full particulars about Halsell Farms. Land is selling fast—write today! Remember this is one of the few remaining big tracts of good farming land that can be bought at these prices on terms. The Halsell Farms Company General Offices: Amherst, Texas

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COUNTRY CLUB BUILDING WITH LOYAL MEMBERS

Action on Clubhouse Project Likely to Be Taken Next Tuesday Night.

Members of the Ranger Country club are showing renewed interest in its activities and development.

For more than a year members of the club have discussed the possibility of a clubhouse.

Committees were appointed at the last meeting on various activities of the club and all are busy attending to the assignments given them.

"It behooves every member of the club to take renewed interest in whatever is being done and planned," said one of the officers.

MUSICAL PROGRAM TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Leo Underwood, cornet soloist, who has been appearing in public frequently this week in Ranger, will direct a program of music, vocal and instrumental, tonight, at the Presbyterian church.

The program will be given between 7:30 and 8:30 o'clock and will be as follows:

- Hymn by congregation. Invocation. Vocal solo, Mrs. A. L. Leake. Vocal and cornet duet, Mrs. Besse Luke and Leo Underwood.

GHOLSON HOTEL ARRIVALS

A. Cohen, Chicago; C. G. Weston, Sweetwater; S. V. Jay, Fort Worth; Mrs. M. Cornwell, Dallas; O. E. Torborn, Fort Worth; H. B. Troutman, Tulsa; Fred S. Dudley, Fort Worth; B. M. Awalt, Mrs. B. G. Spencer, Dallas; R. W. Bonham, Fort Worth; Phil Messer and wife, Graham; M. M. Beasley, Abilene; C. F. Nelson, Dallas; R. L. Griffith, Breckenridge; Cloud McClellan, Dallas; F. W. Carroll, Meridian, Conn.; R. L. Henry, Abilene; K. F. Keon, New York city; J. L. Hudson, Stamford; Hue Mahl, Dallas; D. A. Patterson, Fort Worth; O. H. Black, Dallas; W. R. McNeel and wife, Canton, O.; J. A. Brackney, Miss Louise Fitcheter, Dallas; Miss E. M. Murry, city; Chas. J. Switzgale, Dallas; A. M. Donnelly, Adam Wiblewick, Fort Worth; C. L. Stewart, Abilene; W. S. Carter, F. L. Chase, J. C. Brokaw, E. F. Schmidt, R. A. Crawford, Dallas; J. T. Truk, Waco; Miss Grace Kennedy, San Antonio; H. E. Jackson, Breck; Mrs. R. P. Campbell, Graham; A. Hall, Abilene; B. W. Coulter, West Falls; J. F. Brown, New Orleans, La.; Lec Ellzey, Texas county; J. V. McKenney, G. B. Sanderson, Dallas; Mrs. Norma Wagner, E. L. Mosley, Fort Worth; George C. Hanes, Joplin, Mo.; N. S. Longabaugh, J. Magill, Fort Worth; W. L. Harris, San Angelo; J. W. Sayles, Fort Worth.

BRITISH BARONET EMBRACES 7-DAY A WEEK RELIGION

LONDON.—Sir Archibald Hamilton, who holds two baronetcies, one dating from 1776 and the other from 1819, has embraced the faith of Islam. A stir was created in the English press when he made formal profession in a church at Woking. He plans soon to make a pilgrimage to Mecca.

"My decision was not arrived at without much thought and study," he said in an interview. "Islam requires that its adherents carry their religion about with them seven days a week. One reason which made me turn to Islam was that I found that the average Christian took his Christianity to church with him on Sunday and then completely and apparently willingly forgot it during the remaining six days of the week."

CURB QUOTATIONS FOR OILS AND INDUSTRIALS

Table with columns: Sales, High, Low, Close. Lists various oil and industrial products like Allied Oil, Boston Wagon, Carbide, etc.

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Industrials

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Deductions Allowed From Income Tax on Automobile Account

The following statement is issued by Collector of Internal Revenue George C. Hopkins, of the Second district of Texas:

Deductions allowed taxpayers in connection with the maintenance and operation of automobiles are the subject of frequent inquiries from taxpayers in filing an income tax return. The following is for the guidance of owners and prospective owners.

Such cost, for garage bills, gasoline, repairs, etc., may be deducted as a business expense when an automobile is used wholly for business purposes, or in trade, profession or farming. When used partly for such purposes and partly for the pleasure or convenience of the taxpayer and his family, the cost may be prorated and that part attributable to business or the other pursuits mentioned deducted as a business expense.

The purchase price of an automobile, even when used wholly for business, cannot be deducted from gross income. It is a capital expenditure, deduction of which is expressly disallowed by the revenue act.

I. & G. N. RAILROAD PURCHASE GOES THROUGH

GALVESTON, Feb. 14.—Negotiations for the purchase of the International & Great Northern railroad by the Gulf Coast line, have been completed, it was announced at headquarters of the road today.

TEN NEGRO PRISONERS MAKE GRAND GETAWAY

CORSICANA, Feb. 14.—Search was on today for 10 negro prisoners, who escaped from the Navarro county jail early today. The negroes were confined to one cell and after sawing through a lock and squeezing through a narrow space between the cage and wall, went through an unopened door to liberty.

DON'T JUDGE PICTURES BY THE FRAMES AROUND THEM

Most people are so heartless and possess so little of the quality of human kindness that all they see in anyone is what is on the outside. Naturally those who are handicapped in presenting a pleasing appearance by pimples, blotches, "breaking out," "eczema," etc., their skin are not going to get any attention.

OIL COMPANIES MAKE DIVISION OF LEASES HELD BY THEM JOINTLY

Acreage leased jointly by the Sun company and the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company scattered throughout the Ranger oil fields has been divided, it was learned today.

There was no sale or purchase involved, a Tee Pee company official said. "It was merely a division of materials," the official said. "Production has declined and it made it not practical to operate the leases jointly."

HEFLIN DENIES BEING NOW OR EVER MEMBER OF KU KLUX KLAN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Senator Heflin of Alabama today denied he was a member of the Ku Klux Klan or had been at any time. Heflin made the denial in a speech to the senate answering charges of R. B. Creager, republican notional committeeman from Texas, that Heflin's action in pushing an investigation of alleged land frauds in the lower Rio Grande valley of Texas was prompted by his sympathy for the Klan.

DALLAS SHERIFF SEES FAULT IN TEXAS EXECUTION LAW

DALLAS, Feb. 8.—"As much as I dislike the duty, I think it would be better for a sheriff to execute perhaps a prisoner or two a year, than to have some man at the state penitentiary to become a brute as he would have to become to execute men from all over the state."

BOBBED HAIR CONTINUES QUITE THE RAGE IN PARIS

PARIS, France.—A woman with a chignon is about as popular as a man with a wart on his nose—in Paris! In spite of pictures in fashion magazines of Parisians with sleek, long hair drawn severely back from the forehead and twisted in buns, Greek rolls, chignons, etc., one doesn't see this sort of thing in Paris, except on women of mature years who have long since lost the gist of the styles.

Blondes, while following the boyist cut, usually have the whole head waved and brilliantined in place, as the too severe head dress is not as becoming to the blond as to the brunette. We can say at least this for the new back clip, it certainly saves a lot of elbow strength to say nothing of burnt necks.

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POWELL FIELD SCORES 15,000 BARRELS GAIN

Production in the North and West Central Texas oil fields was jumped more than 15,000 barrels a day for the week ending February 9 by a spectacular increase of output in the Powell-Corsicana fields.

The increase is attributed to the improved operation of pumps and the larger number as the result of the settled weather conditions. The more settled pools held their own.

These figures were compiled by the Fort Worth Star-Telegram's North and West Central Texas Field—

Table with columns: Field, Past Wk, Pre Wk. Lists production for various counties like Burkhurnett, Iowa Park, Archer County, etc.

Total 110,515 111,100 Decrease 585 East Central Texas. Mexico 35,590 35,740 Currie-Wortham 3,291 3,410 Corsican-Pow. 106,035 90,554 Richland 130

Total 145,046 129,704 Increase 15,342

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A NEW DEVICE FOR AN ELECTRIC TOY TRAIN HAS RECENTLY BEEN PUT ON THE MARKET. This device controls the train and when one calls "All aboard!" the train starts off. To stop it, it is only necessary to call the name of a station. It is stated that this device can be applied to any electric toy requiring starting and stopping.

Child-birth

WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., writes: "With my first child I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes. Use 'Mother's Friend' as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradford Regulator Co., Bk. 75, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. 'Mother's Friend' is sold by all drug stores—everywhere."

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CONNELLEE TODAY—TOMORROW



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BASKETBALL FRIDAY NIGHT

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Don't Waste Another Day. When you're worried by back-ache, lameness and urinary disorders—Don't experiment with an untried medicine. Do as thousands of people are doing. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this Dublin resident's experience: L. R. H. Russell, Dublin, Texas, says: "I had a bad attack of kidney trouble which came on from a cold which settled across the small of my back. My back was so lame that when I bent over I could hardly straighten and whatever I did to relieve me was to no avail. I finally began to take Doan's Kidney Pills and one box cured me in good shape. I have had no kidney trouble since. Doan's Kidney Pills will be my medicine for kidney trouble if ever I need them. I recommend Doan's to anyone as being all that is claimed for them." 60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement.

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TWO PYTHIAN SISTERS HOME FOM BRECKENRIDGE.

Mrs. Bob Hansford and Mrs. T. D. Wade returned this morning from Breckenridge, where they attended a Pythian Sisters school of instruction Tuesday and Wednesday. It was an important gathering, and the report they brought back with them, with many present from all parts of Texas.

It is announced in this connection that an important meeting of the Ranger Pythian Sisters will be held within a few days. The call will be issued as soon as possible, the delegates said, and the meeting will be held in the Ranger Pythian hall.

NEW ERA CLUB HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM.

The topic for the New Era club, the life and works of Thomas Nelson Page, was ably led at the Wednesday meeting by Mrs. Frank Greene, who gave the outline of the author's life and works. A review and discussion of Red Rock was given by Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, and an extract from "In Ole Virginia," by Mrs. C. F. Underwood.

Mrs. Buchanan read the burial of George Washington from a newspaper published in 1800, the property of Mrs. D. L. Jameson. A discussion of the various works of Page was interestingly conducted by Mrs. Hagaman.

The party planned for Washington's birthday has been postponed on account of illness in various families. New members elected to the club are Mmes. G. C. Barkley, A. N. Larson and Barton Durrette. Delegates to the Eastland County Federation meeting on Saturday are, Mmes. J. H. Moyer, J. B. Haden and T. B. Scott.

DELPHIANS CONCLUDE GRECIAN STUDIES.

The meeting of the Delphians held this morning concluded the study of Greek life, art and letters. Topics were covered by Mmes. D. L. Jameson, A. G. Jury, M. H. Hagaman, T. B. Scott, N. A. Jennet, C. G. Norton, W. B. Palmer and R. A. Jameson. A discussion of the Bok peace plan was briefly and most effectively led by Mrs. Hagaman, who also distributed to members present copies of leaflets detailing the plan in full.

It was voted to plant two trees on the high school grounds and Mmes. D. L. Jameson and Buchanan were appointed to attend to this. The annual

election of officers is announced for first March meeting. As the Delphian constitution requires that no president succeed herself an entire change of officers is looked for. Appreciation of Mrs. George Bohning as first president and regret that she could not serve another term immediately, was expressed by the club. Assignments for the next lesson on "Early Rome" were, "Roman Government After Abolition of the Monarchy," Mrs. Buchanan; "Struggle of the Plebs for Political Rights," Mrs. Bohning; "Rome's Conquest of Her Neighbors," Mrs. Harkrider; "The Story of Horatius," Mrs. J. H. Moyer; "Coriolanus and Cincinnatus," Mrs. Fitch; "Conquest of Italy and Sicily," Mrs. Grady Wilson; "Politics and Government," Mrs. Shattuck.

The modern topic for discussion will be, "The Effect of Modern Machinery on Democracy."

PERSONALS. Mrs. E. D. Finney has been ill for several days with an attack of appendicitis. It is expected that she will go to Baltimore as soon as she is able to make the journey.

CARL BARNES POST PLANS WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY FEAST Full announcement of the George Washington birthday banquet of the Carl Barnes post, American legion, will be made public Sunday, it was said today following the meeting of the post last night in the Guaranty bank building.

Department Commander, Sherwood and Department Adjutant Folbre for the state of Texas have accepted invitations to be here for the banquet. It will be at the Gholson hotel.

MRS. W. N. WATSON DIES IN HOME AT FORT WORTH

Mrs. F. E. Langston and Mrs. S. W. Bobo left today for Fort Worth, immediately after receiving word of the death of their sister-in-law, Mrs. W. N. Watson, who died Wednesday night in the family home at Fort Worth. Funeral services are to be held in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Watson was well known and had many devoted friends in Ranger, which was her home for several years during the exciting days of oil discoveries. She moved with her family to Fort Worth only last year. Her maiden name was Anna Newberry and her home was in Wise county before her marriage. She was a member of the Baptist church and a devout Christian. She is survived by her husband and by two grown daughters and a grown son.

COLE BUILDING IS LEASED TO PHOTOGRAPHER

The handsome two-story light colored brick structure, known as the

Cole building on South Austin street, has been leased to John Kinberg by the Central State bank of Dallas through the latter's local representative, C. E. Maddocks & Co.

Kinberg is a photographer and it is his purpose to open a high-class art and photography shop on the lower floor and live with his family on the second floor, which consists of several apartments.

Kinberg's lease is effective February 15 and is for one year.

The lower floor was formerly occupied by Clark's hardware store, which was recently closed.

? WHO IS ? 'STUDEE'

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Especially to our good patronage of Ranger, which is highly appreciated, beginning Sunday, February 17, closing our Service Station every Sunday at 11 o'clock sharp until 7 a. m. Monday. We kindly ask you to "fill up" before the eleventh hour. Watch us and see where we go.

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Society AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER

Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor Telephone 224 FRIDAY EVENTS. Twentieth Century club meets at 1:30 o'clock with Mrs. John Thurman. Central Ward P.-T. A. meets at 4 o'clock at high school.

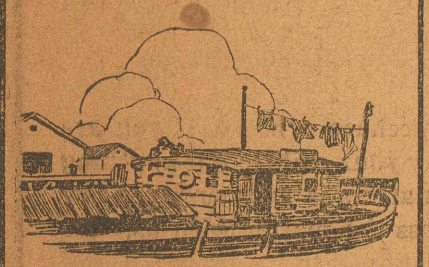
MRS. MAHER HOSTESS AT BRIDGE LUNCHEON.

One of the most delightful social events of the season was the daintily appointed bridge luncheon given Tuesday at 1:30 o'clock by Mrs. Ed Maher at her residence. Decorations and favors in red and white carrying out the Valentine suggestion, were tastefully arranged, and a delicious luncheon was served preceding the game. High score was won by Mrs. John Thurman, cut by

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