

TODAY'S NEWS TODAY!

Eastland Telegram

10c WEEK Delivered To Your Home

Senate Rejects Beer As Taxation Measure

GRIPINGS By GUS Jack Lewis called me over this morning and let me interview him. He is now laying claim to the golf championship of West Texas. It's one of those round robin, proxy championships like the high school football eliminations, but it's a championship just the same and I think Jack's friends ought to recognize him in some way and give him a cup - even if it's just a collapsible drinking cup.

U. S. Girl Braves Death in Revolt



Bravely sticking to her post in the American legation at San Salvador while bullets whizzed around her in the recent unsuccessful Communist revolt, Ruth Kirker, the legation's chief clerk, was accorded the plaudits to the United States for a vacation. The modest heroine is seen here as she arrived in Los Angeles on the liner Santa Elisa.

VERDICT IS EXPECTED IN ROBERTS CASE

BRECKENRIDGE, May 18.—Trial of Harry Roberts, 27, on charges of murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Deputy Constable Ollie Parks at a dance, neared an end today with Judge C. O. Hamlin charging the jury and attorneys making arguments. The case went to the jury at 1:30. A verdict is expected before night.

New Champ Clark Eyes Capitol



Assured the sage advice of a "Champ Clark," though he's only 9 years old, and the help of curly-headed twin boys like those pictured above, it's little wonder that Bennett Clark, St. Louis attorney, has no trepidation about handling the job of a United States senator. Clark is a candidate for the Democratic nomination in the Missouri primaries. Pictured here with Mr. and Mrs. Clark are their three sons, Marsh, 3, beside his mother, his twin brother, Kimball, between his father's knees, and behind them, Champ Clark, 9, namesake of the late picturesque Champ Clark, long speaker of the House of Representatives.

JOHN CURTIS IS WATCHED BY OFFICERS

HOPEWELL, N. J., May 18.—John H. Curtis, bankrupt Norfolk business man who wove a cruel fantasy of "contacts" with kidnapers in the hope of personal gain, was under close watch today to see he did not escape the police or try to cheat their investigation in the Lindbergh kidnaping by suicide. Curtis, according to state police officials, had not attempted suicide since coming into their hands last year.

Men Win Prize—For Stupidity



The ladies, bless 'em, certainly take the men "for better or for worse," when they take them at all, according to an analysis just completed by Professor V. A. C. Henmon, University of Wisconsin psychologist. Because, according to his report, while some men are more intelligent than the highest standard for women, lots of males are far dumber than the gentler sex ever could be.

DEBATES ARE HEATED WHEN BILL CALLED

Billion Dollar Tax Bill is Still Being Considered. WASHINGTON, May 18.—The senate today rejected a proposal to legalize beer for the purpose of taxation and as a source of revenue for a public construction program.

Then Jack Lewis defeated Guinn last Sunday at Mineral Wells. It was more or less of a talkative game in which volleys of repartee were exchanged between the contestants and possibly the scorekeeper may have erred, but Jack emerged winner by the narrow margin of one up and now says he is champion of West Texas. Eastland should be proud of being the home town of said champion and I make the motion that he be recognized as such with some sort of a fitting ceremony.

SCHOOL BOARD SELECTS FOUR NEW TEACHERS

At the meeting of the Ranger school board, held Tuesday night, several teachers who were not elected at the last meeting were selected for the 1932-33 terms. M. B. Hair of Daingerfield, Texas, was elected as teacher of Spanish in the high school and junior college. Miss Burrage of Abilene was elected as librarian.

DEATH TOLL IN CRASH MAY REACH SEVEN

PORT NECHES, Texas, May 18.—The death toll of a train-automobile crash which claimed five lives outright near here last night today was expected to be raised to seven with the deaths of two of the four injured anticipated momentarily.

CONVENTION WORDAGE PUT AT 8 MILLION

CHICAGO, May 18.—Enough words to fill an 8,000,000 word telegram will be transmitted from Chicago about the republican and democratic national conventions if anticipations of telegraph company experts are correct.

June 5 Last Day To Enlist In Local National Guard

Word has been received in Ranger that no members of the national guard company will be taken to the national guard camp at Camp Hulen this year who have not had at least two months active service with the guards prior to Aug. 6.

THURSDAY IS SENIOR DAY, RANGER HIGH

The senior class of Ranger high school will observe senior day at the high school chapel Thursday morning from 10:30 to 12 at which time the public is cordially invited to be present and be the guests of the class.

Eastland County Medical Society Meets Tuesday

Eastland County Medical association met in monthly session Tuesday night, presided over by Dr. J. H. Eaton, president. The banquet table seated Dr. Robert M. Barton and Dr. School of Dallas; Dr. E. L. Graham and Dr. S. C. Hale of Cisco; Dr. F. C. Payne and Dr. J. R. Dill of Rising Star; Dr. M. L. Stubblefield of Gorman; Dr. T. L. Yauderdale, Dr. E. G. Haslam and Dr. J. A. Shackelford of Ranger.

Confidential note to Miss Frances Cotton: According to my promise, I am herewith giving you certain information you requested. The Ranger high school commencement exercises will be held Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. The commencement address will be given by Honorable W. P. Leslie of the Court of Civil Appeals in Eastland.

STOCK MARKET TODAY

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes American Can, Anaconda, and various other commodities.

Ranger Sergeant Is Made Captain By Gov. Sterling

AUSTIN, May 18.—J. B. Wheatley of Waxahachie, sergeant in headquarters company of the Texas Rangers, today was named captain of Company C by Governor Ross Sterling to succeed Captain Light Townsend.

Colony Club To Meet Thursday

The last meeting of the Colony Community club will be held Thursday night at the Colony school, at which time entertainment by a quartet from the American Legion Tickville band of Ranger and home-made ice cream and cake will be features of the closing night of the series of 13 meetings that have been held.

Special Venire Is Called For Brothers Trial

RICHMOND, Texas, May 18.—A special venire of 150 men was called for the trial today of Jeff and Homer Howard, brothers charged with the killing of Charles Fromme, 24-year-old Houstonian. Fromme was shot to death in a hotel lobby here last Feb. 20 while hundreds of American Legion convention delegates looked on.

Highway and Bridge Contracts Not To Be Let

AUSTIN, May 18.—Nineteen highway and bridge projects subject to letting on May 26 and 27 were withdrawn today. The federal bureau of public roads failed to approve specifications, it was announced.

Ranger Girl Will Graduate With John Tarleton Class Special Correspondent. STEPHENVILLE, May 18.—Vada Frazier of Ranger is one of the 32 students of John Tarleton Agricultural College expected to receive her diploma at commencement exercises Monday morning, May 23.

Headquarters For Garner Will Be Opened June 2nd

DALLAS, May 18.—State Senator Walter Woodul of Houston today announced Chicago headquarters for Garner will be opened June 3 at the Sherman Hotel. Woodul is head of the Texas Garner-for-president organization.

Court Ruling To Stabilize Crude Oil Production

FORT WORTH, May 18.—The United States supreme court decision in upholding the Oklahoma crude oil curtailment act will have a stabilizing effect on proration throughout the country, oil leaders said today.

House To Insist On Long Session

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Speaker Garner and Republican Leader Snell today joined in a statement notifying the senate that house leaders would insist on congress staying in continuous session until tax, economy and appropriations legislation have been finally passed.

Children Saved \$364,000

BOSTON.—These may be hard times, but Boston's school children have managed to put a total of \$364,000 aside for rainy days. The latest check-up of savings bank accounts revealed this figure.

TREES REPRESENT 13 STATES REVERE. Mass.—Twenty trees—one from each of the original 13 states—were planted on the lawn of the new legion building. They were donated by the governors of the various states.

WEATHER By United Press. West Texas—Fair, warmer in north portion tonight. Thursday fair, warmer in east portion. U. S. MAILS (Mail for Fort Worth or beyond 10:30 a. m.) Daily West—12:00 m. Daily East—12:18 p. m. Airmail—Night planes, 4:00 p. m. Day planes, 8:30 p. m.

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HERE--- AND THERE

By ELVIE H. JACKSON Eastland

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Publisher Hearst and William Gibbs McAdoo have many old scores to wipe out. They knifed Smith in two campaigns. Smith had led fights against Publisher Hearst and William Gibbs in other campaigns.

There will be many surprises in Chicago. There will be many faces turned to the wall and in the coming November election there will be senators and representatives thrown in the ditch.

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Did You Ever Stop to Think

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

JOHN L. BRADY, Co-Publisher of the Blackfoot (Idaho) Daily Bulletin, Says:

"I was brought up on a farm. That was a good many years ago and things have changed. Possibly peddlers still come through the country with their wares and unfold them to the housewife. Their coming was anticipated with pleasure by the youngsters of my day. These peddlers would unroll their packs and display the most gorgeous colors. Oftentimes Mother would be persuaded by the youngsters to buy things which we did not need in times when many things were sorely needed and not to be had by the large family.

"Advertising is a good deal like that. If a merchant makes a flamboyant appeal he sometimes entices people to buy when they do not need or cannot afford, especially in such times as these. The after-effects are not good. A suspicion is created. Many times since I have been in the advertising business I have known merchants to make circus appeals which were highly enticing, but which left a bad taste with the customers.

"It is my observation that the best advertisement is the one that intrigues in a quiet, effective way by creating a desire which women at once begin planning how they can satisfy. Resulting purchases save valuable floor space and make for friendly relations.

"The advertisement which creates a desire to investigate has performed its second best purpose. If a woman wants to see an article from an advertisement she has gone a long step toward buying. Customer confidence is created by merchants carrying out their promises. It is then that women feel safe in buying other articles they see in stores that are not advertised, but which they accept with the same implied guarantee. Importunities of salesmen have almost entirely stopped, but so much advertising is discontinued which does not make a legitimate appeal. These are troublesome times and advertising must be carefully spread before the public."

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These courses are especially designed for teachers of vocational agriculture now teaching in the Stephenville area. The announcement reads: "Ag. Ed. 5108, Evening Schools. Advanced methods of organizing agricultural evening schools on a participation basis. (Two credit hours.)"

"Ag. Ed. 5118, Evening School Problems. A study of selected problems in adult agricultural education. (Two credit hours.)"

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PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE

with BILL MAYES

We have a hard job ahead of us for the next week or 10 days.

A golf tournament is to be held in Ranger on Friday, Saturday and Sunday of next week and we are supposed to have a story in the paper each day telling something about the tournament and all that kind of thing. At least the Country club bunch is expecting us to do so and we have always tried to give the Country club as much publicity as we can, not because it is the CC, but because it helps to fill space and gives us something to write about from time to time.

WOUND "Separate" Crops

EACH of the three plans is based on the idea of separating crops into two parts, first that for domestic sale and consumption behind the tariff wall which is now ineffective on crops which have export surpluses, and second, that for sale abroad. The bill makes it entirely optional with the Farm Board whether to use any one or more of the plans.

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READ THE STORY THEN COLOR THE PICTURE

ALL of a sudden Cobby turned and then the carpet beater learned that there were clever little tricks it didn't know about. Brave Cobby shouted, "Here I go!" And then he tackled, straight and low. This threw the beater to the ground and made the "Tines" shout.

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Local--Eastland--Social

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Methodist Church District Meeting Here In June The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held a joint session of the three circles Monday afternoon, in the church class rooms, with opening presided over by Mrs. Hickman, the president, and introduced by the singing of the chosen hymn.

A district meeting of the W. M. S. will be held June 16, in Eastland, it was announced. Several of the state officials and district officers will be present. The box of supplies that is to be sent soon, to the Rebecca Sparks Home, was brought to mind by a clever fruit contest, conducted by Mrs. Coleman, and which was original and suggestive. The hymn, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," by society, was followed by the first lesson in the text book now being studied. The theme, "Prayer," was beautifully developed. The society is studying the book, "The Open Gate to Prayer," under the able direction of Mrs. Zola Mitchell, an experienced Bible teacher.

The next meeting will be held in the church, when the second Bible lesson will be taught by Mrs. Mitchell, the study leader. The Lord's Prayer, in unison, dismissed the session, attended by Mmes. Ernest Jones, Ed Graham, Fred Drago, Guy Parker, Frank Crowell, Earl Bender, J. Frank Sparks, B. L. Mackall, Ida Foster, Johnathan Jones, Crossley, Dulin, W. P. Leslie, Stubblefield, W. W. Kelley, W. E. Coleman, Griffith, Iola Mitchell, T. J. Harty, Neal Moore, Earl Woody, Harris, M. H. Kelley, George W. Shannon, T. M. Johnson and president Mrs. E. Hickman.

Accompanies Husband To Bar Association Judge J. E. Hickman who is attending the bar association in Mineral Wells, is accompanied by his children, Mrs. Hickman, in the assistance of her husband's campaign for associate justice of the supreme court. Her personal contact with clubwomen and her knowledge of Texas and its affairs is a great advantage.

Old-Fashioned Social West Ward School Success This colorful atmosphere of yesteryear box lunch social obtained in every preparation made by the Parent-Teacher association of the West Ward School, for their informal entertainment of patrons, their guests and friends, last night.

The school colors of purple and orange were carried out in old style bouquets of larkspur, and yellow roses, that centered the small tables laid for the box supper, and placed in the lunch room opening out of school auditorium, where the reception was held. Guests were welcomed by president of the P.T. A., Mrs. Ernest

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland. By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable 31st District Court of Eastland county, on the 17th day of May, 1932, by H. H. Housholder, clerk of said court, upon a judgment in favor of the Bridgeport Machine Company, a corporation, against the defendant herein, as set forth in the Eleventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas at Eastland, Texas, Dec. 5, 1930, and as follows: Said judgment as reformed provides that the Bridgeport Machine Company, a corporation, do pay to the plaintiff herein, E. A. Clayton the sum of \$1842.67, with interest thereon from the 9th day of July, 1932, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and costs of suit and against S. A. Hopkins and United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company the sum of \$1842.67, with interest thereon from July 9, 1932, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum and one-half of the costs of appeal. Said judgment as reformed further provides for a foreclosure of a materialman's lien against all the defendants in said cause of action to-wit: Lillian A. Hopkins, S. A. Hopkins, Albert Garley, Trustee, L. M. Lacy, The Consolidated Gasoline Company, a corporation, K. Todd, D. C. Shepard, W. P. Price, Harry H. Fletcher, E. A. Clayton, and S. A. Hopkins versus E. A. Clayton et al., No. 13548, and placed in my hands for service, I, Virge Foster, as sheriff of Eastland county, Texas, did on the 18th day of May, 1932, levy on certain real and personal property situated in Eastland county, described as follows, to-wit:

The all and one and other mineral leasehold estate on the following described land situated in Eastland county, Texas, to-wit: The north one-half of section 45, block 4, H. T. By Co. survey, less 80 acres off the west end of the one-half section, less 2.5 acres off the south side of the northeast one-fourth of said section, and less the following described 49.3 acre tract siting at a point on the west boundary line of the 240 acre tract, 998.4' south of the N. W. corner of said 240 acre tract; thence south 1896.4' to a stake and stone mound set for original S. W. corner of said 240 acre tract; thence east along the south boundary line of 240 acres to the 13th and 14th corners; thence north 1078.9' to stake for corner; thence west 567.9' to stake for corner; thence north 819.7' to place of beginning, containing 49.3 acres, which said leasehold estate is located in Eastland county, Texas.

Which judgment upon appeal was, by the Honorable Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas, at Eastland, Texas, on the 5th day of December, 1930, affirmed as to the foreclosure of a lien upon the above described leasehold for the sum of \$1774.67, with interest thereon from July 9, 1932, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and judgment thereon awarded against S. A. Hopkins and United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company for the sum of \$1842.67, with interest thereon from July 9, 1932, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and judgment thereon awarded against Lillian A. Hopkins, S. A. Hopkins, Albert Garley, Trustee, L. M. Lacy, The Consolidated Gasoline Company, a corporation, K. Todd, D. C. Shepard, W. P. Price, Harry H. Fletcher, E. A. Clayton and S. A. Hopkins, and on Tuesday, the 7th day of June, 1932, at the courthouse door of Eastland county in the city of Eastland, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell said real property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Lillian A. Hopkins, S. A. Hopkins, Albert Garley, Trustee, L. M. Lacy, The Consolidated Gasoline Company, a corporation, K. Todd, D. C. Shepard, W. P. Price, Harry H. Fletcher, E. A. Clayton and S. A. Hopkins by virtue of said levy and said order of sale. And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Eastland Telegram, a newspaper published in Eastland county. Witness my hand this 18th day of May, A. D. 1932.

VIRGE FOSTER, Sheriff, Eastland County, By D. J. JOBE, Deputy.

Beauty-Bids for Poster Honor



From the way we see this model situation, it's an 11-to-1 bet that McClelland Barclay, famous artist, will find the subject he wants for his painting of the "typical American girl" cheering her Olympic team on to victory. Vivacity as well as beauty is Barclay's standard of the ideal feminine rooster and he finds everything up to standard at the University of Southern California where he's pictured with the eleven co-eds from whom he'll make his selection. Smart fellow, Barclay. See his pad and pencil!

Order of the Eastern Star Entertains Guests

The Order of the Eastern Star of Eastland, entertained a large number of out-of-town guests, Tuesday night, on the occasion of the initiation by the chapter of Mrs. Margaret Ashley and Mrs. Artie Nicholson.

The Masonic Temple was beautifully decorated with mounds of roses and larkspur, that topped the stations.

The ceremony was conducted by the worthy matron, Mrs. Karl F. Page. Out-of-town guests from Ranger included Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Paschall, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rigby, Mmes. C. D. Poe, Veland Bobo, Emma Donley, Vela Stidham, Grace Driehoffer, Mabelle Gordon, Esther Bundick, Katherine Williams, Grace Younce, Florence Bundick and Misses Marie Kahn.

Nita Williams of Desdemona, Mrs. Betty White of Blackwell, Okla. About 50 members of the Eastland chapter attended. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served in the banquet hall at close of evening.

Public installation for the new officers is announced for May 31. Miss Margaret McLaughlin Entertains The handsome McLaughlin residence on South Seaman street, was open to the friends of a daughter of the house, Miss Margaret McLaughlin, on Tuesday evening, who entertained with dancing to radio and phonograph music, young folk of Eastland, Olden, Ranger and Cisco, assisted by her brothers, Jimmie and Gordon McLaughlin, and mother, Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin.

The rose garden was lighted for the occasion, and delicious iced fruit punch served between dances. Guests were Miss Ella Jay Ingram, Floyd Killingsworth and Cecil Cole of Ranger; Miss Elizabeth Doye and Dick Mancil, Quincy Lee, Allan Boone and Carroll of Cisco; G. C. Smith of Olden; and Misses Jane Angstadt, Elizabeth Day, Madge Brelsford, Maureen Robinson, Dolores Tanner, Evelyn Hearn, and Melvin Lobach, Lee Grubb, Billie Cheatman, Ralph Simmons, Blair Lewis, Neal Day and Jimmie and Gordon McLaughlin of Eastland.

The Rebekah lodge meets in I. O. O. F. hall, 8 p. m., Thursday night. A surprise is in store for members.

"Anne of Old Salem," will be presented on the boards of the Warner University auditorium stage tomorrow (Thursday night), 7:45 o'clock. The Thelma Riddle Dramatic club is putting on a most creditable performance under direction of Miss Frances Ward, professor of English of the university. Public invited complimentary.

JOBLESS PARTY PLANS SESSION

ST. LOUIS.—Preparations are being made here for the national convention of the Liberty-Jobless party Aug. 17 to select candidates for president and vice president.

Heads Publishers



New president of the American Newspaper Publishers Association is Howard Davis (above), business manager of The New York Herald Tribune.

STORE CLOSED! ALL DAY THURSDAY Getting ready for the 4TH ANNIVERSARY SALE Opens Thursday Evening at 8 p. m.

The UNITED

Parrots Losing Old Time Ability Of Fancy Cussing

CHICAGO—"Folly wants a crar-rker. I'm & @! it," is obsolete.

That well rounded vocabulary of the parrot of grandmother's day, with its oaths, is giving way before the influence of crooners, et al. But it is not only the radios that have deleted the rousing cuss words.

"We buy fewer parrots from sailors, now," said one pet show head. "We used to get parrots in here that had been around the world and knew cuss words in seven languages. Some of them were kicked old fellows, 30, 40, and 50 years old. Now our birds come directly from South America and Mexico. They are young and innocent, if you except possibly a few pinkish Spanish exclamations."

That explains the absence of profanity that used to delight the ears of visitors and small boys, but the new expressions seem weak, and this is due to the influence of radios.

"While they are about the store they sometimes pick up a line: 'Come in, look around.' This is a real bargain. The funny part is that they frequently say things at the right time. I had one that once called for coffee every morning and would scream, 'I'm a Democrat.'"

"I've seen birds with vocabularies of 200 words, but they talk less as they advance in age. African grays are probably the best talkers, but the Panama parrots and the double yellow-headed Mexican birds also are good. Then come red-headed Mexican parrots, the Amazon parrots, the South American macaws in blue and gold, scarlet, scarlet and blue, maroon and other colors.

"A parrot almost has as much personality as a human being. Some are friendly, some coy, some exceedingly wicked and touchy. An intractably cross parrot will scream, swear and tear up everything in sight when angered," the pet shop keeper concluded.

Louisiana's Skyscraper-Capitol Awaits New Chief Executive



Mirrored in the quiet waters of University Lake, Louisiana's towering new capitol building at Baton Rouge is pictured here as it awaits formal dedication May 16 when Governor-elect O. K. Allen is inaugurated into office. The capitol, built at a cost of \$5,000,000, is said to be the tallest building in the south. It is 32 stories in height, its topmost part being 439 feet from the ground. The lake reflecting the rear of the building in this striking photo, once was a bayou upon which, tradition says, stood a red stick from which Baton Rouge derived its name. The stick divided the hunting grounds of two Indian tribes.

Cow Is Arrested As A Burglar

SAN JOSE, Calif.—This isn't a bull story—it's about the only cow in history known to have been arrested as a burglar.

Patrolmen Kenneth Alseberge and L. E. Guptill received a radio alarm that a burglar was breaking into the home of J. O. Montgomery. They sped to the residence, and on reaching it, deployed with ready shotguns, prepared for any emergency.

Patrolman Guptill sighted a huge something near a window of the house. "Stick 'em up!" ordered the officer. Then Patrolman Alseberge yelled: "Don't shoot, Gup! I don't think she means any harm."

Then the "burglar" gave vent to a mighty "Moo-ooo-ooo." She was standing in a flower bed under a window of the home. Officers placed her under arrest, charged with burglary. But because the city jail had no provisions for criminally-inclined cows, she was staked out in a vacant lot near the jail.

But when police went to produce Hossie next morning for her preliminary hearing, she was missing. Now she's a fugitive from justice and a warrant has been issued for her arrest.

GET 27 BEAVER COLONIES

HARRISBURG, Pa.—State trappers remove 27 colonies of beaver from streams in Union, Centre, Potter, and Snyder counties because of the damage they were causing to the forests. The beavers were transferred to more favorable localities within the state.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many dear and loyal friends for words of sympathy and deeds of kindness shown during the illness and loss of our beloved daughter and sister, Gladys. We also thank each of you for the beautiful floral offerings.—(Signed) FATHER and SON, Enoch and Jesse Minter.

BASEBALL

TEXAS LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include Beaumont, Dallas, Houston, Fort Worth, Wichita Falls, San Antonio, Galveston, Tyler.

Yesterday's Results

Table with columns: Team, Score. Rows include Galveston 4, Fort Worth 3, Dallas 5, San Antonio 4, Tyler 8, Beaumont 4, Houston 7, Wichita Falls 6.

Today's Schedule

Table with columns: Team, Location. Rows include Fort Worth at Galveston, Dallas at San Antonio, Wichita Falls at Houston, Tyler at Beaumont.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include New York, Washington, Cleveland, Detroit, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Chicago, Boston.

Yesterday's Results

Table with columns: Team, Score. Rows include New York 2, Detroit 0, Philadelphia 2, Detroit 0, Chicago 7, Boston 3, St. Louis 11, Washington 7.

Today's Schedule

Table with columns: Team, Location. Rows include St. Louis at Washington, Chicago at Boston, Cleveland at New York, Detroit at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include Chicago, Boston, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Philadelphia, Brooklyn, New York, Pittsburgh.

Yesterday's Results

Table with columns: Team, Score. Rows include Cincinnati 2, New York 1 (10 innings), Pittsburgh 3, Brooklyn 1, Chicago 9, Philadelphia 4, St. Louis 4, Boston 3.

Today's Schedule

Table with columns: Team, Location. Rows include Boston at St. Louis, New York at Cincinnati, Philadelphia at Chicago, Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.

6 PLY RIVERSIDES at 4 PLY PRICES

Advertisement for Riverside tires. Features two tires with numbers 1-6 on them. Text: WHY BUY THIS WHEN YOU GET THIS 6 ply RIVERSIDE for SAME MONEY 6 full plies from bead to bead.

Riverside Tires now at lowest prices in history!

Table with columns: SIZE, EACH, PAIR. Rows include 29x4.40/21, 30x4.50/21, 32x4.75/20, 34x5.00/19, 36x5.25/19, 38x5.50/18, 40x5.75/18.

Think of this—the BEST tires we have ever sold! The LOWEST prices in our history! The GREATEST tire values we have ever offered! That's what Ward's offer you today! A genuine full 6 ply Riverside for the usual price of other 4 ply tires. A FULL 6 ply Riverside at the lowest price at which any heavy duty 6 ply tire has ever been sold. And 6 full plies (sometimes referred to as "6 plies under the tread") mean more strength, more mileage, more safety, more satisfaction, MORE VALUE! Riversides are one of the oldest and most famous makes of tires in America. They have been sold for 20 years. Millions are in use today—on all makes of cars, on all sorts of roads, in all kinds of weather. Riversides are made by one of the largest tire companies in the world. They are of the highest quality it is possible to produce. They are built to the most exacting set of specifications in the tire industry. They are backed by the strongest guarantee ever written. We'll match Riversides on the road against any tire made and beat it in price. So why be satisfied with other 4 ply tires when you can buy FULL 6 ply Riversides for the same money?

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BIG INCREASES IN DIVORCES FILED SHOWN

By United Press.
RENO, Nev.—Nevada's act in liberalizing residential requirements for divorce seekers resulted in a tremendous increase in filings, it was disclosed today by a review of records for the first year the "six weeks' divorce" law was effective.

The so-called "easy divorce" law went on the statute books May 1, 1931, and in the 12 months since, approximately 5,200 suits have been filed.

Comparison with a similar period for the preceding year is impossible because court house records are not kept on a May to May basis and are not segregated by months. An idea of the increase may be gained, however, by a comparison with 1930, the last full year period during which the residential requirement was three months.

2,118 Divorces
In 1930, with three months as the minimum time of residence, Washoe county, of which Reno is the principal population center, granted 2,118 divorces—less than half the number filed under the six-weeks' residential requirement for the year starting May 1, 1931.

Marriage, always a profitable Reno sideline, held its own from May, 1931, to May, 1932, but dropped far behind in percentage of increase as compared to divorces.

In 1930 Washoe County issued 4,480 marriage licenses, more than double the number of divorces granted in a similar period. In the 12 months since the "six weeks" law became effective, 5,100 marriage licenses were issued, slightly less than the number of divorce suits filed.

Good Revenue
In county fees alone, the revenue from divorces was in excess of \$125,000.

The marriage license fee of \$2 is small change in comparison and yet it netted the county \$10,000 during the 12-month period. Estimates as to the expenditure of all divorce seekers and honeymooners is difficult because one may spend \$100 per day and another work for board and room. Generally, the expenditures of divorce seekers are estimated at \$5,000,000 per year, and some observers believe that is conservative.

Jobless Study In Idle Hours

LONDON.—Learn while you do not earn, is the new slogan for unemployed here.

An experiment started by Morley College for Working Men and Women provide free classes for the jobless in a large variety of subjects. Experienced teachers have offered their services voluntarily.

Subjects range from gymnastics and Greek dancing to psychology and Soviet Russia. Choir and community singing, play reading, modern literature, public speaking, the art of the cinema, gardening, wireless science, biology and heredity, first aid and hygiene, the industrial and financial crisis and current events are some of the subjects offered.

In the lecture classes, the courses are being so arranged that each day's lecture will be complete in itself and will be worth while when if the unemployed student can only attend for a short period of time.

Lumber Business Shows Improvement

AUSTIN.—For the third consecutive month, there has been an increase in output at lumber mills whose reports are summarized by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. While the slight increase in production from March to April, average weekly production per unit in April this year amounted to 191,240 feet, a gain of 12 per cent over the previous month.

Average weekly shipments per mill also gained during April. At 209,825 feet, average weekly shipments per unit increased 3.8 per cent over those for the previous month and exceeded average weekly output by approximately 10,000 feet.

Unfilled orders at southern pine mills have been gradually declining since the week ending March 26 when the peak for the year so far, 598,657 feet, was reached. At the end of April, bookings were only 499,800 feet, a decline of 12 per cent from those at the end of March.

End of G. A. R. Is Forecast Within Next Five Years

PHILADELPHIA.—Within another five years the Grand Army of the Republic will have ceased to exist as an organization.

HOKY AND SLIDES

Henry L. Farrell

McCarney Speaking
You can always depend on Will McCarney for a story. The official commentator of Heavyweight Champion Max Schmeling has been in strange spots and seen odd things. So when he starts wagging his chin something sure to be interesting pops out. Here's a little yarn he relates about Billy Petrolle, the Fargo Express.

"Never see a guy like him, so unconcerned. He could fill his pipe in the corner between rounds and I'm not surprised."

"A few years ago Jack Hurley brings him from Fargo, N. D. to New York. The guy was out of training at the time. One afternoon, I'm sitting talking to Hurley when he'll take the evening off and see a show. He buzzes Jack for a couple of bucks for a spaghetti dinner and the show, which is two bucks.

Promoter on the Spot
"It's about half-past six, and Hurley and I are still sitting there telling each other lies when the phone rings. It's some promoter in Newark and he has a story about Ruby Goldstein running out on a fight which leaves him not in such a swell fix. He wants Petrolle to sub."

"Hurley don't even know who the guy is that Goldstein is supposed to box. He asks how much and I can hear \$500. I always was pretty fair at hearing numbers out of a telephone transmitter.

"We dash out trying to find Petrolle. We have him paged in the theater. In about five minutes he comes out, packing his teeth.

"Not bad," says Billy, "see if you can dig me up another one like that for tomorrow night, will you, Jack?"

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BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer

Bits about Pitchers

ROLLIE MAYLOR
PITCHED 6 YEARS IN THE MAJORS FOR THE ATHLETICS BEFORE HE WON A SHUTOUT GAME

MONIE WEAVER
DRIVE WASHINGTON ROOKIE, PITCHED A SHUTOUT IN HIS FIRST START THIS YEAR— HIS SECOND START IN THE MAJORS.

JOE K. FAHEY
PITCHED A BALL WITH SUCH FORCE IT BROKE HIS ARM WITH A LOUD CRACK THAT COULD BE HEARD IN THE GRANDSTAND— HEMINGWAY HIGH SCHOOL, KINGSTREE, SC., APRIL 15, 1932.

TV COBB, GREATEST BATTER OF ALL TIME, HAD MORE TROUBLE BATING AGAINST CARL WEILMAN, A COMPARATIVELY OBSCURE LEFT HANDED OF THE BROWNS THAN ALL THE OTHER GREAT PITCHERS HE FACED (ACCORDING TO TV'S OWN) ADMISION.

ON HECK-OUCH!

POP!

HELLO SHOWER?

WAS IT A GOOD SHOW
"IMAGINE the guy. He don't even ask who he's going to fight or where, or doesn't put on any spunk about not being in shape, or how much. He just likes the show and hates to leave without getting his two bucks' worth. But finally Hurley drags him off and away we go. Petrolle all this time has no idea where we're going.

SPEAKING of SPORTS

By STUART CAMERON, United Press Sports Editor.

1932 Big Come-Back Year in Sport World.
If 1932 isn't remembered for anything else it surely will go down in the sports record books as the "comeback" year. With only four months of this leap-year completed, more veterans of the track, ring, and links have announced plans for recapturing laurels, which they held in their youth, than you can count on the fingers of both hands.

Some are serious in their ambitions; others appear to be capitalizing on former reputations in an attempt to recoup financial losses.

For the last few years Jack Dempsey always has held the position of being boxing's most famous "comeback" possibility. The week that Jack didn't announce his intention of regaining his former title never seemed to occur.

Now, however, Dempsey finds himself almost crowded out of the picture by other lesser luminaries of the ring, who are determined to show the present crop of boxers just how the old timers fought.

The boxing "comebackers" are divided into two groups: those actually engaged in returning to the ring and those who have merely announced their intention.

In the former group are Benny Leonard, Jack Delaney and Paul Berlenbach. Leonard has met with some success and now is actually asking for a fight with Jimmy McLarnin. Delaney has made several appearances in Connecticut while Paul Berlenbach shows up now and then in minor fight clubs in New York.

In the latter class are Jack Johnson, Jess Willard, Georges Carpentier, and Jack Britton. Johnson and Willard have said they are contemplating comebacks while Carpentier and Britton have been working out regularly recently.

Out at Jamaica race track two familiar figures to turf followers are riding the comeback trail—Earl Sande and Lavelle (Buddy) Ensor. Ensor, the leading jockey of a decade ago, is 30-odd years old and has rounded himself back into his old form. Sande, suspended for three days shortly after the opening of the racing season here, hopes to climax the year with a victory in the Kentucky derby.

Earl has ridden three derby winners and is thus tied for the record with Isaac Murphy. Another win for the Earl will give him undisputed possession of a title that should be his for a good many years.

And when the boys begin socking the ball around in the U. S. open golf championship this year out at Freshmeadow Country club, Flushing, L. I., another old timer may make a bid for former honors. Jerry Travers is the name and about 13 years ago it was as familiar to golfers as those of Bobby Jones and Walter Hagen today. Travers has joined the ranks of the so-called "businessman" golfers and hopes to make a few odd cents at the game he played so many years as an amateur.

Sixteen tournaments were held from Dec. 1 to April 1 with \$33,000 distributed in prize money, only \$5,000 less than was distributed in 1931. The Agua Caliente

tour was reduced from \$25,000 to \$15,000 and the \$15,000 La Gore tournament was called off entirely.

One hundred and thirty-two professionals participated in the money winning, with 25 of them annexing \$1,000 or more.

Keep Your Eyes On That Smile



Miss Alice Cash of Glendale, Cal., cashed in on her contagious smile, but she appears to have other claims to lure the eye. She was chosen out of 15,000 contestants in a southern California "smile contest." Among many prizes, she was awarded an airplane trip to San Francisco and a week's vacation in the coast city, on which she is starting in picture above.

Gene Sarazen . . . \$7,859
Fred Morrison . . . 5,708
Harry Cooper . . . 3,896
Paul Runyan . . . 3,523
Wiffy Cox . . . 3,517
John Golden . . . 2,923
Olin Dutra . . . 2,540
Walter Hagen . . . 2,460
Joe Kirkwood . . . 2,407
Johnny Farrell . . . 2,150
MacDonald Smith . . . 2,100
Ralph Guldahl . . . 2,017
Billy Burke, the national open champion, was 16th with \$1,785.

Among the prominent professionals who finished near the bottom were Bobby Cruikshank with \$18, Mortie Dutra with \$204, Al Espinosa with \$360, Mike Turnesa with \$400 and Abe Espinosa with \$843.

Route of First White Settler In Texas Is Traced

AUSTIN.—The route of Capt. Cabeza de Vaca, first white settler of Texas, has been traced across the state by Geologist Robert T. Hill of Dallas, Texas, solely by applying geographical conditions to the Spanish adventurer's account of his early travels.

Dr. Hill not only has been able to mark out the route by references to the country contained in the Spaniard's report of his journey, but has followed it on the ground, verifying landmarks.

"A ONE CENT INVESTMENT"

Do you remember when the penny had purchasing power? There was a time when our grandfathers used this small coin to encourage good behavior. Peanuts, popcorn and candy money—there was power in a penny in those days! Today, even the price of "good behavior" has gone up and the American boy thinks in terms of nickels and dimes.

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..... and save your time, health and energy as well as your money.

LONE STAR
Community Natural Gas Co.
GAS SYSTEM

Savings Can Be Effected By State If Legislators Agree To Work Out \$7.50 a Day Salary As Suggested

By United Press.
AUSTIN.—Approximately \$55,000 will be cut from the expense of sessions of the 43rd legislature if other prospective members join in the suggestion of Trueman O'Quinn of Beaumont and serve for \$7.50 a day instead of the \$10 paid members of the last legislature.

The constitution allows \$10 a day for the first 120 days of a session. Including the lieutenant governor who draws the same pay as members of the legislature there are 182 men on the \$10 a day payroll during the session.

Beside the salary the members receive 10 cents a mile as travel expense in going to and from the session. Actual railway fare is 3.06 cents a mile.

O'Quinn argues that in starting an economy campaign the legislators should begin at home with their own pay. The Constitutional \$10 is only a maximum figure. The actual pay, within that amount, is set by legislative resolution.

Economy moves already being suggested for the next year include: Reduction of state salaries. Reduction of fees specified for numerous offices. Abolition of a fee system is possible only by constitutional amendment.

Two additional budget checks. Under an act of the last legislature the governor will prepare a budget as well as the state board of control. Under other provisions the State board of education is checking reported duplicate work done unnecessarily by the state colleges and universities. Requirement that all fees collected by department be paid into the state general fund and that all expenditures be under legislative appropriation. Now some departments like the game department are permitted to expend the funds they collect.

Consolidations of state agencies upon which a report is being made by Chicago efficiency engineers employed by a state legislative committee. Refusal to pay increased salaries

of fees provided for in laws that have only fictitious justifications.

Until the efficiency commission reports little valuable data is had on expenditures of state departments. Amateur investigators are heralding the amount for travel, automobiles, meals, hotel bills of various departments. Until a committee reports need for the travel and the reasonableness of the expenditures, presentation of the indicative of little.

For local governmental agencies, the economy machine authorized at the last session is heralding the amount for travel, automobiles, meals, hotel bills of various departments. Until a committee reports need for the travel and the reasonableness of the expenditures, presentation of the indicative of little.

Before Oct. 1 the state under this law must file a "itemized, complete financial statement" for the state, date of Aug. 31. For county county judge is budget officer.

SYRIANS TO ENTER COL. ASHLAND, Wis.—Apply have been received from youths in Syria for permission to enter Northland College near

HARRISBURG, Pa.—hours for auto accidents in Pennsylvania are between 4 p. m. on Saturday and 8 p. m. on Sunday and according to the State Bureau of Motor Vehicles. During the three months of 1932, there were 2,898 accidents reported the two time periods.

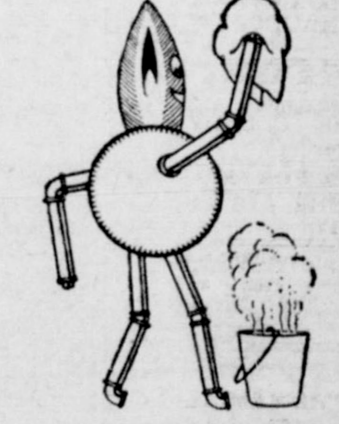
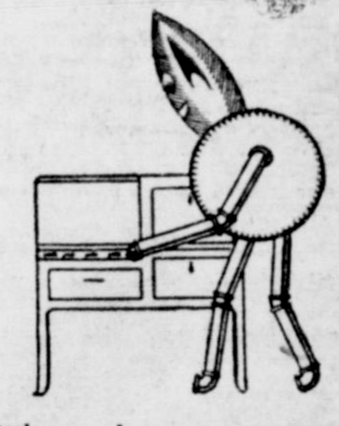
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By State To Work On Archaeologist and As Suggested What Sought

By United Press.
CAMEY, Texas—Men usually look for and what they earnestly intend to search.
 A sort of philosophy is borne by the experiences of two Meadling the amount of money.
 automobiles, and probably a collector of various departments.
 and reports on the travel and the expenses of the expedition.
 presentation of the results of the expedition.
 cal governmental exhibit of relics of now extinct Indian tribes. He has searched throughout this section which are the most fertile in get system for both.
 governments. At here's the queer part. arrow head while hunting same appropriate. Gilliland has seen only one going to be a rattler—while on his ill was finally passed with the legal commission on the bodies but did get so they will.

POLITICAL NOUINCEMENTS

is paper is authorized to make following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary on July 23, 1932:
 Judge 88th District Court: **D. BARKER**, **GRETTIE W. PATTERSON**, **SANK SPARKS**
 Sheriff: **IRGE FOSTER** (re-election), **A. A. (Kid) HAMMETT**
 District Clerk: **L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY**, **H. (Bill) McDONALD**
 County Clerk: **J. C. BEDFORD**
 Tax Collector: **L. COOPER** (re-election, second term)
 Representative, Eastland County: **W. COCKRILL**
 County Judge: **LYDE L. GARRETT** (re-election)
 Justice Peace, Precinct 2: **W. (Pony) HARRISON**, **N. McFATTER**
 Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: **V. COOPER, Sr.**
 Tax Assessor: **OHN HART**
 Constable, Precinct No. 2: **J. MOORE**, **OHN BARNES**
 LOST AND FOUND—German police dog; name of "Colonel." Ranger, for reward.
 HELP WANTED. MALE—ESMAN to work Ranger and county. Selling business neatly. Only local man consideration. Nationally advertised line. Permanent connection. Merchants' Stores, Inc., Tower Bldg., Kford, Ill.
 YOUNG MEN—Large organization will qualify ambitious men for 18 for positions in salesmanship. Must be willing to study in time until ready to start at salary. Write Box AAA, care of Times.

7-SPECIAL NOTICES

WAVES guaranteed, \$1 up. ne 9515, Loflin Hotel, Ranger. MONEY TO LOAN on automobiles. C. E. MADDOCKS & Ranger.
 HOUSES FOR RENT—6-room house, 417 1/2, \$25 per month. C. E. May, Main st., Ranger.
 APARTMENTS FOR RENT—RANGER TRANSFER & STORAGE CO., Phone 117.
 FOR SALE—Miscellaneous—SALE—Blackberries and berries. Mrs. John Young, Ranger, Texas.

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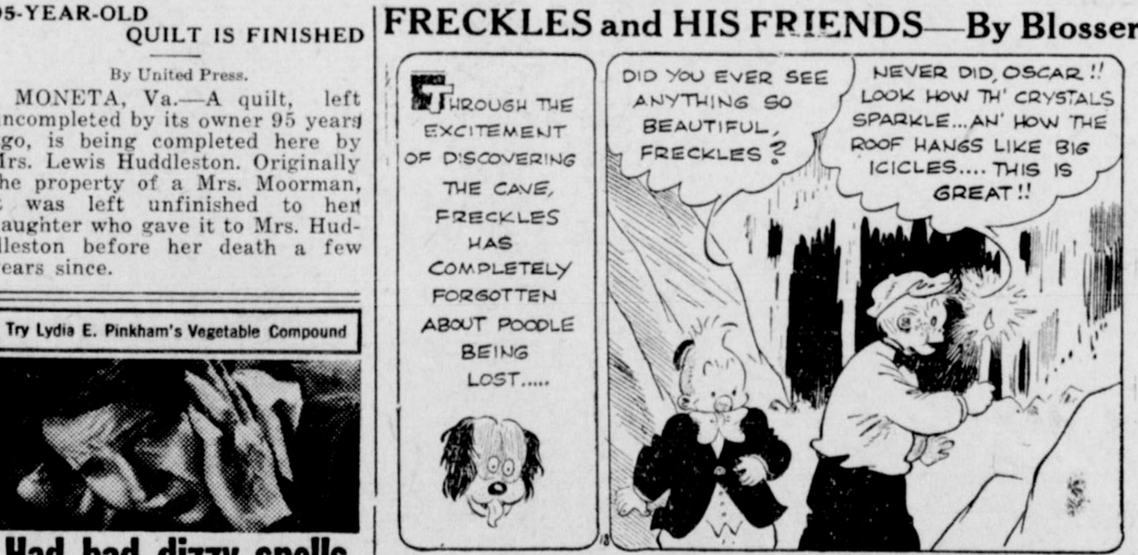
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OUT OUR WAY



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BEGIN HERE TODAY
SUSAN CAREY, 20 and beautiful, has become engaged to ERNEST HEATH, her former employer. She is secretly in love with BOB MILTON, millionaire's son, whom she met at a school. Heath sends her suit to recuperate from a business and the girl is grateful. BEN LAMPMAN, Susan's rejected suitor, shoots himself after wounding Heath. He recovers and goes away. Bob tries unsuccessfully to see Susan. He is here at the theater one night with Heath and another singer, DENISE ACKROYD, debutante, wants Bob for herself. Susan meets Bob at a masked ball and he makes love to her. Denise appears and says she and Bob are engaged. Susan runs away. When Heath urges an early marriage she agrees. Waring tells Heath that Susan cares for another. Almost on the eve of the wedding Bob comes to see her.
NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XLIII
ERNEST HEATH did not fully understand the impulse that drove him to call on Susan before dinner. He could not have explained it to himself, but here he was rushing along in a taxi through the familiar, shabby streets. It was curious, he mused that this drab environment could have produced a girl such as Susan. You could be proud of her in any company, he thought. He gloated at the prospect of showing her the world. It would be like opening a trinket box to the gaze of an admiring child. At this time next week she would be his bride. They would be sailing on blue waters with the future stretching ahead of them a paradise.
 He felt suddenly humble, suddenly afraid. He had never expected life to be so good to him. He had given up hope and now, amazingly, a whole new vista had been shown him. All at once he was impatient to see Susan and tell her something of what was in his heart. He was not an inarticulate man, but he was shy and it was often difficult for him to conquer his inbred New England reserve.
 It was early spring twilight. The western sky deepened from rose to mauve and then to lilac. Almost without warning night closed in. The taxi jolted over the old pavements.
 Heath dismissed the driver at the corner and paid the fare. Suddenly he began to feel rather foolish about his unannounced visit. It was simply that he had felt he must see Susan at once. There was no rhyme or reason to the impulse. He was moved by one of those inexplicable promptings which occasionally change and color an entire life.
 His steps quickened as he came in sight of the Miltons' house and he went up the steps lightly, on eager feet. His hand was almost on the brass knob of the door opening into the tiny vestibule when he stopped, arrested.
 That was Susan's voice. There was trouble in it and pain, too. Without meaning to, without conscious design Heath listened. What was that she was saying?
 "I can't possibly do it now! I've given my word and I mustn't go back on it!"
 The listener stiffened at the reply. A man's voice pleading yet dominant, said: "But darling, we've gone all over this before. There's no sense in it. It would be much more honorable for you to tell him you love someone else. He'd be a good sport about it."
 The girl's voice sounded as though she had been weeping. "I can't! I can't, I tell you! Wildly the words went on. "Oh, why did we find each other too late? Why couldn't you have told me all this last summer? It would have been so perfect then."
 The man in the shadow waited to hear no more. Quietly he went down the steps. So that was the way of it then! He felt no anger, only a deep and abiding sadness. What a fool he had been! Of course the child would turn to someone of her own age. Why shouldn't she? It was as natural as a flower turning toward the sun. He had been a blind and selfish idiot not to have seen it earlier. Waring had warned him and had been right.
 For a long while Heath pondered how to find a graceful way out. He must manage to save Susan's pride as well as his own. A servant pointing into the library late that night, found Heath still at his writing table. The crumpled papers in the wastebasket testified to agonies of literary composition. Heath was folding several thick, creamy sheets and putting them into an envelope. "I wish you would take this and mail it at once, Simon. I don't want it to wait until morning. And by the way," as the servant turned to go, "I'll be leaving tomorrow instead of Monday, so be sure to have my things packed by noon."
 Simon began to ask questions but his employer stopped him brusquely.
 "I've changed my plans, that's all," he said. "Get along like a good boy and drop that in the box."
 After the man had left Heath sat for a long while with his head in his hands.
 SUSAN let herself into the house and stood for a moment to gain

Aviation Choice Of Injured U. S. Cavalry Officer

PORT WORTH.—Aviation would be the choice of Col. Selah R. H. (Tommy) Tompkins, once known as the "cussingest" Cavalry officer of the United States Army, if he were entering the service today.
 The 68-year-old bearded idol of the seventh Cavalry is nursing a broken leg in a hospital here. The cause of the accident, an ancient cause the famous officer to draw heavily upon his drill ground vocabulary to express his feelings. After 43 years of Indian wars, Philippine insurrections and Mexican border warfare without a scratch, he broke his leg spitting from a window.
 "There's nothing like feeling a good horse under you but aviation offers the thrills today," said Col. Tompkins. "This may sound funny from an old bloke who fell only nine feet out of an apartment window and broke his leg."
 He inserted several man-sized "cuss words."
 "Yes, I guess I was the cussingest officer in the army," he said. "I fought in the days when officers gave orders out in the open, not by telephone in dugouts. I had a reputation of being pretty hard boiled. When I spoke to the men they didn't need an interpreter. I didn't wet nurse them. They all like although I sometimes shocked my Superiors."
 Though Colonel Tompkins goes aloft frequently with his flying friends and says he would become a pilot if younger, he is still loyal to the Cavalry in which he served 43 years and in which his father, grandfather and brother were officers. His most treasured possession is a gift from his men, a watch engraved with the arms of the Seventh Cavalry.
 "This machine warfare is making it hard on the horses but armored cars and tanks will never replace Cavalry. There are places even in Texas where machines would be helpless. Any way there will always be cavalry to escort the president at inaugurations if nothing else."
 This Colonel's comrades, tell stories of how he rode at the head of his column in battles against Indians, of how two men at his elbow were killed in the 90's in the Dakotas and of how a companion was killed directly behind him in the Mexican Expedition in 1916 with Gen. John J. Pershing in search of Pancho Villa, famed bandit.
 Although retired, Tompkins has not given up military life. He is an honorary Colonel of the 112th Cavalry of the Texas National Guard. He camps with it each year at Mineral Wells.
 He is in excellent health, countenance ruddy and still enjoys a frisky horse. For the most part he contends himself with reading and is well versed in international affairs, politics, philosophy and fiction. Cross-word puzzles are a favorite at times when he is reminiscing on bygone days.

Colonel To Hold Celebration Over 40-Year Service

PORT WORTH.—A 57-year-old colonel, who joined the army "just for the fun of it," will complete 40 years of military service on May 23.
 The quest of adventure started Col. Allen F. McLean on a military career that carried him through two major wars, landed him in foreign capitals as a government representative and in 1922 brought him an assignment as official translator at the Washington naval limitations conference.
 As a youth, barely 18, he "stretched" his age to 21 to join the Connecticut state militia at Norwich, Conn. That was May 23, 1882. The same spirit of adventure caused him to resign as captain in the Second Ohio cavalry to enlist as a private in Brig. Gen. T. M. Anderson's forces assigned to the Philippines at the outbreak of the Spanish-American war.
 A military life that 14 times took him across the Pacific ocean was nearly blighted in peaceful tactics in 1924 when he was thrown from his horse while assigned to the First cavalry at Marfa. His back was broken and his hip crushed.
 For 23 months, the man who had seen much action in the field, without serious mishap, lay in a hospital at Fort Sam Houston and Hot Springs.
 He was transferred to Fort Worth as head of the military science and tactics department in the city's schools.
 Colonel McLean was born in Philadelphia, April 2, 1875. The lure of the cavalry caught his youthful fancy. Joining Anderson's forces as private, he was a sergeant at the close of the Philippine expedition. He received his commission as second lieutenant in 1902.
 After two trips on garrison duty to the Philippines, he was assigned to the American embassy at Tokio in 1914. In 1917 he returned to the United States, joined the Third cavalry and spent two years in France. There he was elevated from captain to colonel.

Fear Is Felt For Cathedral

LONDON.—Many Londoners seem to be in constant fear that St. Paul's cathedral will either crash to earth some day soon, or sink away into the ground on which it rests. The newspapers recently have carried long stories about both possibilities.
 There is a far more logical basis for the sinking theory than for the more disastrous one. Gigantic St. Paul's (together with most of the city of London) is only cunningly balanced on wet sand, with its foundations no deeper at any point than four and a half feet below the crypt floor.
 As long as the sand remains wet, there is no peril, but during drouths the cathedral already sinks several thousandths of an inch. If the underground springs and streams which keep the sand moist were dammed by excavations for any huge modern building nearby, St. Paul's then would be doomed.
 For the purpose of exploring and charting the streams and lakes which underlie the city, and by this means to establish the exact danger to St. Paul's if any large new building schemes were commenced in the neighborhood,
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22 Ranger Eastern Star Members Enjoy Eastland Program.
 Twenty-two Eastern Star members motored to Eastland last evening attending the program of the Eastland chapter, which was well given and thoroughly enjoyed.
 In late evening ice cream and cake were served. Ranger members are greatly indebted to Eastland and hope at an early date to be in position to return their pleasant compliment.

Rose Luncheon Honors Oklahoma House Guest.
 After a period of more or less social lethargy, society has awakened with renewed vigor through the visits of out-of-town spring guests. Series of parties will continue to blossom like flowers in a Persian garden and teas, dinners, luncheons and to say nothing of weddings will make gay the remainder of spring and summer.
 Social functions for the past few days holds one of the loveliest affairs to have complimented out-of-town visitors for several seasons, when Mrs. Charles A. Conley entertained with a rose luncheon at her pretty home, 1009 V. Talious street, honoring her niece, Miss Mary Jane Scott, of Oklahoma.

The dining table carried appointments of pink and white, centered with a mound of roses made more lovely with sprays of fern.
 A choice menu of three courses were served displaying beautiful service.
 Bridge was arranged to supply diversion for the afternoon hours played at daintily decked tables where Miss Mary Louise Stephens made high score, and Miss Kathryn Galloway, low. An exquisite piece of lingerie was awarded for high and a neat vanity case as low. The gracious hostess also presented in pastel wrappings a guest prize.
 Places were designated for Misses Scott, Florene Killingsworth, Alla Ray Kuykendall, Macon Younce, Katherine Galloway, Mary Louise Stephens, Mary McCarty and Jane Conley, of Eastland.

Delightful Program Draws P. T. A. to Close.
 After a period of successful and profitable P. T. A. sessions many are being drawn to a close with various entertainments.
 Numbered among delightful affairs to have been given during the past few days was that of the Merriam P. T. A. program presented at the school auditorium before an audience which taxed the seating capacity and left a large number of guests standing.
 The hour of colorful entertainment was opened with musical numbers given by the popular Merriam rhythm band followed with a solo sung by little Miss Imogene Dixon, who has proved quite a favorite in social circles. Due to unusual talent in the Dixon family another vocal was sung by Gaston Dixon, accompanied at the piano by his accomplished sister, Miss Betsy Dixon.

Miss Janet Holmes, well liked high school teacher of Ranger, presented her "Melody Maids" in songs accompanied by Miss Merle Stewart. These delightful singers are Misses Crystelle Head, Macon Younce, Marjorie Clark and the director.
 Another feature of the program much in the limelight and proved exceedingly clever in the opinion of every member attending was that of the American Legion Tickville band, under the personal direction of Dr. Harry A. Losdon, prominent Ranger physician. This

band has gained more recognition than possible any other in the state, having appeared at a host of conventions entertained over radio stations and scored an immense hit at the State Legion convention held at El Paso last Aug.
 This affair was arranged by the principal, Mrs. Homer Smith, capably assisted by Miss Doris Mitchell, associate teacher.
Installation of Officers By Mrs. Maddocks Is Pretty Affair.
 The inspiration of P. T. A. work was prettily expressed yesterday afternoon when members of the Young school assembled at the auditorium at 3:45 for the impressive service of installation of officers conducted by Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, one of Ranger's most highly valued club women.
 After a period of two years it was made necessary for new officers to relieve the outgoing officers who have proven their personal worth through untiring efforts and the great accomplishments of many projects.
 The work which is held valuable for true members was summarized in a pleasing way for each member parent and officer. The interest taken by parents in this form is of great help in the early training of children. Even though a number of members were reported not present the year as a whole has been well worth while and commendable efforts has been achieved.
 The following officers will serve throughout the new year under the leadership of the new president, Mrs. Reese; first vice president, Mrs. A. N. Larson; second vice president, Mrs. C. O. Bolin; third vice president, Mrs. D. H. Bishop; secretary, Mrs. S. B. Boon; treasurer, Mrs. Bob Hodges; parliamentarian, Mr. Jarvis, principal; and press reporter, Mrs. C. L. Childs.
 Appreciation was extended the outgoing president, Mrs. B. H. Peacock and her associates in office for the splendid work completed.
 Each member is looking forward to next fall when the P. T. A. will again become one of the leading organizations of its kind.

Mrs. Gorman and Miss Wolford to Entertain With Recital.
 Mrs. W. C. Gorman and Miss Lotta Wolford will entertain with a recital presenting piano and expression students, Thursday evening, at 8:15 at the Young school auditorium.
 Parents and friends are invited to attend this spring entertainment.

Orchid and White Featured at Pretty Honorary Affair.
 Tints of Orchid and white were prettily combined for the color theme featured last evening when Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith were honored with a "42" party given with Mrs. George Robinson, hostess at her home on Spring road.
 A profusion of ferns and thistles intermingled with spring blossoms afforded a lovely setting for the playing tables dressed in complete appointments. Mr. Smith, who holds the position of superintendent at Colony, will assume duties for another year. It was at this occasion a beautiful potted plant was presented Mr. Smith from the faculty.
 Just as the last game was brought to a pleasant climax the hostess served a refreshment plate appointed with miniature colonial bouquets in color of rose, orchid and green.
 Places were marked in an artistic manner for the honor guests and Messrs. and Mrs. L. C. Corksey, Anderson, W. W. Jarvis, Mrs. Lillian Neal, Eastland, and Misses May Mayes, Lucille Vaughn, Blanche Johnson and Mr. Carl Brumbelew.

Smart Breakfast to Climax 1920 Club Study Season.
 The 1920 Club and its president, Mrs. A. H. Allison, with a number of honorary guests will compose the group who will be served with a smart breakfast at Acorn Acres team room Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock.
Merriman Commencement Services to Be Held on Friday Evening.
 Merriman Commencement Services will be held at 8 o'clock Friday evening, with a Cantata "Three Spring Months" an outstanding feature. In this program 45 children will take part and all parents and friends are invited.
Ranger Dancing Students to Present Brilliant Recital.
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In Reign of Terror at Country Home
 Confronted in her bedroom by a crazed Japanese servant who shouted his intention of murdering her entire household, Mrs. Dora W. V. Boice, above, sportsman of Cherry Valley, N. J., risked her own life and was twice wounded when she gave the alarm. George Petty, upper left, a horse trainer for Mrs. Boice, rushed to her assistance. Two other employes, Larry and John Daly, the latter pictured upper right, were threatened by Yanashita, the servant, during the reign of terror. Larry Daly was slain in a struggle with the Japanese, who finally committed suicide.



CHICAGO MAN OFFERS SCHEME TO END SLUMP
 By United Press.
 CHICAGO.—A major move toward ending the depression and putting the country back on its feet was advanced today by Carl D. Thompson, secretary of the Public Ownership League of America.
 Pointing to 1,000 or more solvent cities, towns and villages in the United States who wish to build, or extend public properties in the way of city electric light plants, water works, power plants and sewage disposal systems, Thompson indicated that credit extended to them by the Federal government would permit extensive building operations, increase employment and yet safeguard public money and not increase taxes.
Taxation in Most Schemes
 "The trouble with most schemes for ending the depression," said Thompson, "is that they involved increased taxation. Building roads, schools, parks and buildings means increased taxes although it does aid unemployment. This suggestion would not do that. Cities applying to the government for loans would secure them with bond issues. By investing the money in revenue producing enterprises the amortization of the capital and interest would be assured."
Building Program
 With the cooperation of the federal government, Thompson believes that sound cities, with good collateral could enter upon a building program that would eventually save the people thousands of dollars annually while increasing employment. He mentioned a \$5,000,000 Diesel engine factory normally employing 2,000 people with a staff of 200. A turbine company cut to 400 from 4,000. They in turn would draw on the steel industry, construction companies and on down the line.
 "Where would the government, already more than two billion dollars in the red get money to loan," repeated Thompson. "Easy. While this is not quite in line with the purpose of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, they should be able to borrow from them. Then there is the Postal Savings Bank Millions are being deposited in this bank because people have the confidence that the government is behind it. Now these deposits are turned over to other banks. Cities and towns who want to build can afford to pay as high as three and one-half or four per cent for loans. Their collateral—a bond issue giving a lien on the city—is good. They are sure of repaying from the revenue and profits."

PARIS STYLES
 By MARY KNIGHT, United Press Staff Correspondent.
 PARIS.—Madame Schiaparelli says that the knitted silk, or wool bonnets are proving irresistible to most of her clients, "many of whom prefer them to any other hats. Their comfortable lightness and variety of shape and the fact that one can put any number of them in a bag without using precious space and that they can be worn equally well for sports or town makes them ideal for the woman who travels or motors and likes to be comfortable as well as chic."
 Madame Maurice Chevalier, who is leaving shortly for Cannes, bought several of them. She chose a black silk bonnet finishing in a point with a narrow band winding around it in a black and white suit. The dress has a tiny abbreviated white crepe blouse with a wide girde tying in a bow at the side. The high waisted skirt with long tucks marking the natural waistline is of black crepon, as is the short jacket, open in front, that completes the ensemble.
 CUERO—H. LeVand will open dry goods store in Grossman building on Main street.

Ranger Rotarians Hear Pearson At Meeting Today
 Walter Harwell and L. R. Pearson, in charge of the entertainment for the Ranger Rotary club today, presented a good program that was enjoyed by all present.
 Jean Williams rendered two vocal solos, accompanied on the piano by Miss Wilma Beard. The two girls are pupils of the Ranger Junior college and are connected with the musical organizations of the school. Their selections were well rendered and were well received by the Rotarians.
 Judge Pearson made a talk on conditions and expressed his confidence in the country coming back from the depths of the depression.
 He said that the American people had never failed in an emergency, though the extremists are saying that we are slipping both morally and financially, the speaker said that he had nothing in common with them and did not believe in their prophesies, and that he thought we were in no danger.
 He said the government was founded for religious and political freedom and to stress his point he brought out that no wars in which the United States had been engaged had been aught for financial or territorial gain. He said the American people were not fighters for money or position but for a principle.
 The United States is slowly coming out of the difficulties under which we have been living, he said, and he believed we would be stronger and healthier for our experience.
 Ben Whitehouse made an announcement concerning the meeting of the Colony Community club and Dr. Kuykendall and Miss Pat Coughlin were appointed to try to get up a delegation of Rotarians to attend.
 Visitors at the meeting were Claude Allen of Fort Worth and Lonnie Owen of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Return From Wichita
 Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Murphy returned to Ranger today from Wichita, Kan., where they have been at the bedside of Mrs. Murphy's mother, who is in a critical condition.
 Chief Murphy today said that Mrs. Dadisman, Mrs. Murphy's mother, was in a critical condition and that there was little hope for her recovery.

United Prepares For Anniversary Sale
 The United Dry Goods store will be closed all day Thursday in preparation for the big Fourth Anniversary sale that is to be put on by the local store.
 Advertising concerning this big sale will be carried in this paper on Thursday and Friday of this week announcing special prices that may be had on merchandise

Prosecutor Has An Unusual Record
 LAMESA, Texas.—The way of the transgressor is hard.
 At least that's the conclusion of Dawson county transgressors since the advent of District Attorney Tom L. Price on Jan. 1, 1927. For 124 cases in which Price has been prosecutor, 119 have resulted in convictions.
 Price has tried 275 cases in the district courts, and only 15 have resulted in total acquittals.

Ranger High School Notes
 MISS JEWELLE JUDD
 Editor

Senior Class Day Tomorrow From 10:30 to 12.
 The annual senior class day is to be held tomorrow. Senior chapel will be held from 10:30 until 12 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

The program has been very attractively worked up by the president, Roy Stevens, and his committee. The program will consist of the reading of the class will, class prophecy, class poem, dedication of seats to juniors, the valedictory and salutatory addresses and the class song given by all the members of the senior class.
 This will be a very interesting program and the seniors urge everyone to be present.

Scheduled Examinations For Thursday.
 Examinations scheduled for Thursday are, second period, 1 to 3 o'clock; first period, 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock.

Miss Cuba Crabb was the weekend guest of friends in Breckenridge.
 Letters for Tennis Announced.
 Coach Bonner announced in

high school Wednesday that those who would receive letters in tennis this year were J. F. Whitefield, Hubert King, Rayford McNabb, Robert Rudolph, and Leo Healer in junior college.
SONS OF CONFEDERATES TO HOLD MEETING
 By United Press.
 RICHMOND, Va.—George R. Tabor, commander-in-chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, has issued general orders covering the 37th annual convention here June 21 to 24 in connection with the 42d annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans.

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