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Report Shows Decrease in Cotton Acreage

GRIPINGS

By GUS

This column is published as a daily feature and should not be construed as representing the editorial views of this paper. What follows is merely what one man thought at the time it was written, and the writer reserves the right to change his mind concerning any subject, without notice, explanation or apology.

A customer asked me this morning where to go to get scissors sharpened. I scratched my head and thought, but to no avail. There is no local scissors sharpener that I know of. I thought and thought and couldn't think of a scissors sharpener either in Ranger or in Cisco. Then the thought struck me with great force, "Gus, you should go into scissors sharpening as an adjunct to the gripping business."

So now I'm in the market for a scissors grinding machine complete with book of instructions and suggestions on how to conduct a scissors grinding business. If any of the customers know where I can buy a scissors grinding machine with a small down payment, I'll make it possible, practicable and profitable for every pair of scissors in the county to be sharpened. No more may the Sunday morning hair cutting for the family be postponed because the scissors won't cut hair. No more may the family sewing be left undone for the same reason. I think I have finally found a hobby I'll like, provided I can get a grinding machine.

It begins to look as if I might be compelled to start up another column in this paper dealing strictly with picture shows and other amusements. I'm making trouble with my show managers. Johnny Burke got a little peeved because I penned his picture, last week. Bel- ticket window that indicated clearly to me that he wasn't altogether in a recipient mood and so I didn't try to get into his 20-cent show on a dime like I had planned. Lew Waid, being a comparative stranger to these parts, doesn't know whether to cultivate my mood with my enmity. And Honest Garner has threatened to give me a regular pass to his show to keep out of this column. Imagine that. I'm open to a proposition from the show managers and swimming pool operators, bowling alleys and shooting galleries. If the proposition is sufficiently attractive I'll open a special column for the same. Provided it's o. k. with the boss. The latter goes without saying.

Among the strange things to happen in this curious world is Julius Krause giving me a necktie. All I did was admire the tie and tell him how pretty I thought it was and he peeled it off and gave it to me. I tried the same thing on Hubert Toombs this morning but Hubert was not susceptible to my flattery. He expects to wear a much higher compliment on the tie I was wearing, which happened to be the one Julius gave me.

Judge Funderburk left yesterday for a few days trip to be spent visiting in the central part of the state. He expects to wind up at his old home town of Palestine about the 27th and do some booting for his friend Judge Hickman. If everyone in Texas knew Judge Hickman as we folk in Eastland county know him, he would have a cinch on election. If folks here will write back to the folks in the other part of the state and tell them to get out and get the judge a few votes, his victory over his opponent would be much easier. Arrangements are being completed to furnish mailing pieces to those who will use them and send them to their friends who can in turn use them for Judge Hickman.

When you ask a man to vote for any candidate you are only using an appeal which will likely be forgotten by the time you are out of sight. If you ask a man to use his influence to get others to vote for your candidate, you are complimenting that man by admitting that he has influence and the appeal to his vanity will more often than not cause him to get out and work for your candidate. All of which is a little political psychology that practically every man who has ever run for office knows. Therefore, if you mail a letter to some Hickman literature, (Continued on page two.)

Sterling Will Make Three Talks In the County

Governor Ross Sterling will include Eastland county in the itinerary of his present speaking tour according to information received from Sterling headquarters this morning. Sterling will speak in Ranger Thursday morning at 11 a. m. After his address in Ranger he will proceed to Eastland where he will speak at 2 p. m. From there he will go to Cisco and address the voters there at 4 p. m.

LIBBY HOLMAN IS CLOISTERED IN SMALL INN

By United Press.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Aug. 9.—Libby Holman Reynolds, free on bond to await trial as the alleged slayer of her husband, suddenly changed from her black mourning garb to an attractive tan ensemble early today and vanished. She fled from the public, whose adoration she once sought as a Broadway star.

The widow, indicted jointly with Ab Walker, young friend of her wealthy young husband, Smith Reynolds, had been cloistered in the little inn at Reidsville, about 48 miles from here. She had planned, it was said, to spend the night there.

About 2:15 a. m. today a blond young man entered the lobby, looked around, approached the sleepy clerk and asked:

"Are any reporters in the lobby?"

"They are all in bed," the clerk replied.

With that the stranger hurried upstairs to Libby's room and a few moments later he came down with her, accompanied by a young man, said to be her brother, and by her nurse.

Libby, who had been heavily veiled and dressed in black, wore a tan hat and sweater, tan skirt, white shoes and stockings. She also wore gold-rimmed spectacles as she never wore on Broadway.

The four hurried across the lobby, stepped into a waiting sedan and sped away northward. Libby's father, meanwhile, slept peacefully in the hotel here at Winston-Salem.

Official Count Gives Cunningham A Slight Lead

ABILENE, Texas, Aug. 9.—Names of Oliver Cunningham of Abilene, incumbent, and Wilbourne B. Collier of Eastland, were certified yesterday by James P. Stinson, as candidates to enter the Aug. 27 run-off election, for the place of senator from the 24th district of Texas.

Stinson's certification was made on the basis of official tabulations received by him from county chairmen of the 12 counties composing the 24th senatorial district. Cunningham led Collier by 475 votes, tabulations show. Total vote for Cunningham was 11,763 and for Collier 11,288. Y. L. Thompson of Haskell received 3,846 votes and Andrew M. Howsley of Albany received 9,090.

Convention of the 24th senatorial district will be held at the Abilene Chamber of Commerce, Saturday, Aug. 27, at 10 a. m., with Stinson, the district chairman, presiding.

Following are the official figures announced by Stinson:

County	Cunningham	Thompson	Collier	Howsley
Callahan	782	118	744	522
Eastland	235	358	596	118
Fisher	1075	232	361	204
Jones	1650	478	558	1227
Haskell	705	1142	481	705
Mitchell	524	174	506	438
Nolan	1262	262	844	507
Seury	520	287	591	631
Shackelford	283	148	292	1612
Stephens	450	202	658	1510
Throckmorton	154	117	192	858
Taylor	4077	583	1163	780
Totals	11763	3816	11288	9090

Still Captured As Boys Left Nude

From the sheriff's office comes the story, told by Loss Woods and Virge Foster, of locating 10 gallons of whisky and a still, 20 miles southwest of Eastland, on the Mitchell farm, in a raid they made at 11 a. m., Monday.

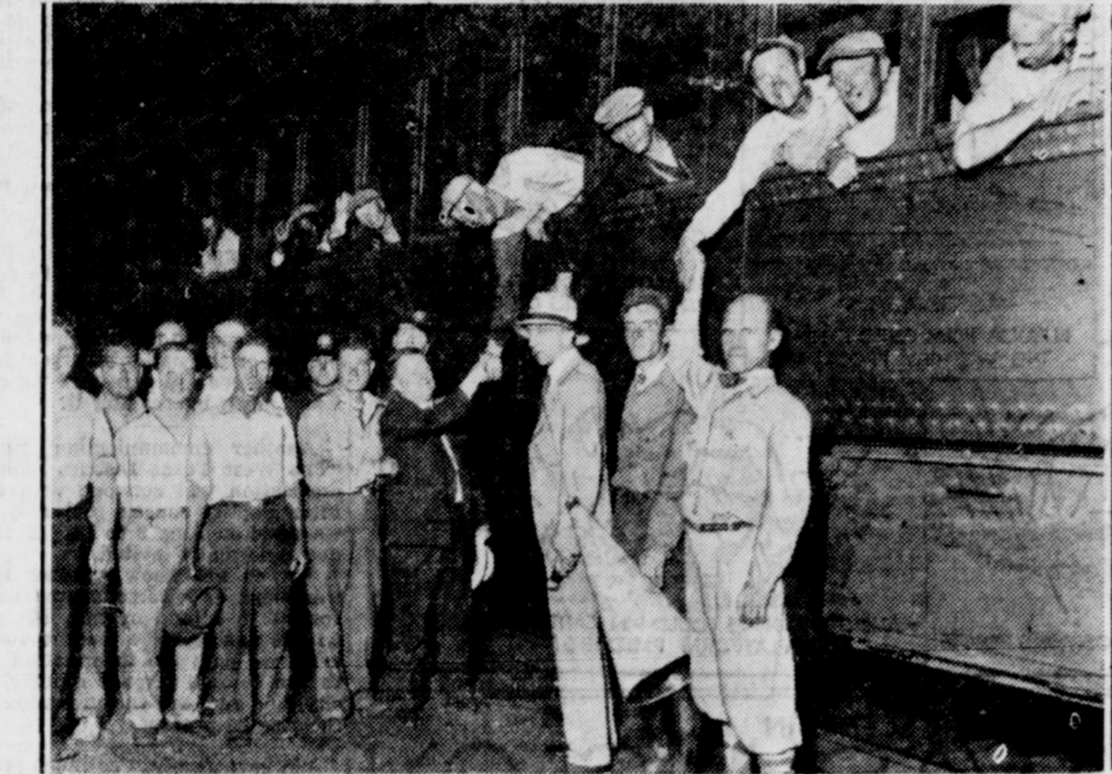
They also located and took three suits of clothes lying on the bank, when they found three boys in swimming in Sabanno creek. They brought clothes still and whisky to town and expect to get the boys soon, as they know who they are.

Hoover Receives Mattern, Griffin

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—James Mattern and Bennett Griffin, Oklahoma and Texas aviators, who were unsuccessful in their attempt to fly around the world, were received by President Hoover today.

After the men were introduced by Secretary of War Hurley the president told them he had watched their flight with interest. "I wish you good luck in any future adventures," he said.

The B. E. F. Rides Home—and on the Cushions!



It was the beginning of the end for the Bonus Expeditionary Forces as the first trainload of veterans left Johnstown, Pa. Mayor Eddie McCloskey, who had been their host after they were routed from Washington, had told the men they were no longer welcome—but that they could ride home in style. So here we see Mayor Eddie, in the dark suit, shaking hands with one of the veterans as a contingent of 1050 were started toward their home communities. Trains were being prepared to accommodate the remaining 550 men and women.

Eastland Rotary Club Hears Plan For City Field

The Rotary club held its usual meeting during the noon luncheon hour on Connellie road, Monday, with the president, James Horton, in the chair, and Secretary Curtis A. Hertig ready with minutes of past session, and taking reports. The program was confined entirely to the subject of aviation, opened for discussion, following the introduction of the speaker-guest, Mrs. Agnes Harwood Doyle, presented by the program chairmen for the day, F. O. Hunter and Curtis Hertig.

Mrs. Doyle launched immediately into her subject, when called upon by President James Horton, with the statement that she had thought of preparing a fine speech, but decided afterward to just give them facts about aviation, the benefit an aviation training field would be to Eastland, and the advantage to the city of having such a field.

She said if there were a project undertaken as had been suggested to try and secure the government field, it would mean a tedious wait of six months or longer, and much red tape; and if secured, the city would have to pay the government the \$300 still owing Mrs. Susan Steele, on the land, which the American Legion incurred and has not paid.

This would be as much money, she stated, as is required to establish the city field, which would be an accomplished fact, by the time the government dealings could be instituted, with the hangar yet to build.

That Eastland could be the center of this community in repairing planes, and dwell on the amount of patronage and business Eastland would receive in the event a city owned aviation field was established for training purposes.

Much interest was expressed in the various points presented by Mrs. Doyle, and a round table discussion on aviation followed.

The speaker closed her informative talk by quoting Ella Wheeler Wilcox's poem on "Are You a Lifter, or Are You a Leaner?" declaring Eastland was her home town, and she was unselfishly interested in the opportunities presented for the city's welfare.

The president appointed Leslie Gray, chairman of an investigating committee on the aviation project, with authority to select his own committee, and instructions to report the result of his investigation to the Rotary club next Monday.

Dr. H. B. Tanner, secretary of Chamber of Commerce, also a guest of the club, discussed the outlook for the fair.

The president will appoint a committee from the Rotarians later on, which will meet with committees from other organizations to consider the project of having a fair.

Program committee for next week was announced as Curtis Kimbrell and Carl Johnson.

STERLING TO REQUEST AID FOR JOBLESS

AUSTIN, Aug. 9.—Gov. Ross S. Sterling will be asked to call upon the federal government for \$5,000,000 or \$6,000,000 as unemployment relief funds for Texas, it was decided at a meeting of members of the state unemployment committee here today.

Exact amount will be determined after the gathering of statistics from various communities. Assembly of this information was placed under the direction of state Labor Commissioner Robert Gragg and his department.

Breck Bowlers Win In Match With Ranger

Breckenridge bowlers got revenge Monday night for the defeat they suffered at Ranger the previous week by defeating the Ranger team by a score of 2290 to 2014 at Breckenridge Monday night.

In the previous match between the two teams Ranger won by a small score. Another match is to be played in Ranger on next Monday night.

Plans are underway for a series of tournaments between the Lions clubs and the Rotary clubs of the two towns, according to word from Breckenridge. The club teams are being organized in the Dynamo City and challenges are expected to be hurled at the local clubs in the near future.

Scores in the match Monday night were:

J. Brewster	133	181	148	462
E. O. M. Cain	137	117	137	391
Sweeney	127	133	153	413
Henderson	177	180	159	516
Jones	150	197	161	508
Total	724	808	758	2290

E. Birdsong 169 177 136 482
F. Kill'worth 125 164 95 384
Pearl Cox 122 144 129 395
R. Jameson 103 125 228 288
A. Ingram 134 124 151 409
Hutchings 116 118 116 350
Total 653 725 636 2014

Killingsworth and Cox on the Ranger team each made two fouls during the bowling, which kept the Ranger score from being higher.

Good Government Party Is Formed

DALLAS, Aug. 9.—George W. Armstrong, of Fort Worth was named candidate for governor and Charles P. Smith, Henderson, was nominated for lieutenant governor at the state convention of the Good Government party here today.

Hermit's Casket Serves As Table During His Life

PERRIN, Texas.—Far from the bluster of his native Paris, France, the giant hermit of the Jack county hills sits beside the coffin in which he is to be buried—waiting for death.

That coffin, covered with a cloth, serves Albert Schnocke as a dining table in his remote little shack, away from the world. Eight years ago he drove into town with a neighboring rancher and out of his life's savings bought the black, satiny casket with the silver handles.

On top of the casket is a plate with the engraved words, "At Rest."

Schnocke passed his 90th birthday a short while ago—an event he celebrated by eating dinner spread on the coffin.

Little is known of this strange recluse, who began a hermit's life within the recall of only the oldest inhabitants. He cannot hear. He speaks in barely more than monosyllables. From his fragmentary speech a little of his life was learned.

Schnocke was born in Paris in 1842. He left France in youth to seek adventure in America. He joined the Union forces in the Civil war and was mustered out of service at old Fort Richardson, at Jacksonville, Texas.

He bought a few acres of land and a small hut near here. He fashioned his clothes from sacks and lived off the herbs and wild life of the hills. He was pictured as a "wild man" and only the bravest neighbors went near his cabin.

Old settlers' folklore describe him as having killed more Comanche Indians during the early Indian wars than any white man.

What induced Schnocke to lead the life of a hermit, he alone knows. He never has married and has no known relatives. He never writes nor receives letters. His pastime is reading. His favorite work is Balzac's "A Bachelor's Establishment." On the bed beside the coffin are a score of books such as Sarah Bernhardt's "Memoirs of My Life," "Modern European Civilization," and "Memoirs of the Empress Eugene."

In the one-room hut are a bed, a rude table, a trunk, two chairs, and a block iron kettle for cooking in the fireplace. But the coffin is the principle furnishing and Schnocke is grimly proud of it.

On the rare occasions when visitors call, he unseals the lid of the coffin, shows them the casket, and with his shirt sleeve shines the plate with the engraved words "At Rest."

Garner Picks His General Aide

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Charles S. Hand, former New York city sanitation commissioner, has been appointed general representative of Speaker John N. Garner, democratic nominee for vice president, it was announced today.

He will leave at once for Texas. He formerly was a political writer on the World and New York American. He was selected by Garner with the approval of Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt, it was learned.

VOTERS WILL DECIDE UPON 9 AMENDMENTS

By GORDON K. SHEARER, United Press Staff Correspondent.

AUSTIN, Aug. 8.—Texas voters will have nine proposed changes in the state's constitution to pass upon on general election day, Nov. 8.

Still remembering the last constitutional amendment and how it failed to work as had been heralded, the voters probably will scan the new proposals with careful eye. The last amendment provided for 120-day sessions of the state legislature with 30 days for offering bills, 30 days for hearings, and 60 days for action. It was heralded as providing a business like schedule with one long session to replace numerous short ones. In connection with it legislators' pay was doubled. Then came the awakening. The legislature at one swoop swept aside the provisions for division of time, exercising a four-fifths vote prerogative which the people assumed would apply only to taking up individual measures out of turn. The 120-day session lasted 131 days and has been followed by two special sessions and a third announced for September.

The amendments the people are asked to authorize this time are:

- (1) To allow the legislature to release delinquent taxes which have been due for 10 years.
- (2) To exempt from state taxation \$3,000 of the assessed taxable value of all resident homesteads.
- (3) To authorize the legislature to make an appropriation for the proposed Texas Centennial celebration in 1936.
- (4) To lessen the vote required to vote funds for seawalls, breakwaters, and sanitation in counties bordering on the Gulf of Mexico.

Now two-thirds of all the property owners must vote for such improvements. If the constitution is changed as proposed only two-thirds of those who participate in the election must vote for bonds.

- (5) To require those voting in elections to fix an address on a political subdivision must have rendered property for taxation.
- (6) To combine the offices of tax assessor and tax collector.
- (7) To save court costs in sale of property for delinquent taxes and to provide more liberal opportunity for redemption. Now double the sale price must be paid to redeem the property. If the proposed constitutional change is made recovery can be made inside a year for 25 per cent and a dollar recording fee and for 50 per cent and the recording fee the second year.

(8) To return the constitutional provisions as they formerly were regarding the use of the permanent fund for the University of Texas. A recent amendment permitted the regents to pledge the income to raise a building fund.

- (9) To extend voting and office holding privileges to men in military service as reserves.

Police Recover Wrecked Auto

CISCO, Eastland, charged with taking a 1926 model Ford car from in front of the Palace theatre, belonging to young Swindle, who resides on the Lake Cisco road, was released on a \$1,000 bond Sunday.

According to reports, Johnson, after driving the car from its parking place on Broadway wrecked it on West Fifth street between Avenues D and E when he collided with a parked West Texas Utilities car.

Suspicious when Johnson ran from the car immediately following the accident, Policeman E. O. Hendricks pursued him by automobile, and arrested him near the Carmichael grocery at A Avenue and East Sixth street. Johnson, in his haste, had left his handbag in the car.

The man was placed in the city jail Saturday night and turned over to county authorities yesterday.

Ranger Woman Is Hit By Truck

Mrs. O. H. Burkett of Ranger was painfully injured at noon today when she was struck by a truck belonging to Speed's bakery. She was taken to a local hospital where several stitches were taken in her head. She was later released from the hospital and was taken to her home.

Witnesses of the accident reported that Mrs. Burkett would probably have been more seriously injured had she been a few seconds earlier in crossing the street. The reports said that she was walking across the street when she was struck by the front fender of the truck.

Able Seawoman



The Russian merchant marine has its gobs, and also its gobettes. Women are allowed to serve as ordinary seamen, and are expected to qualify as third officers after two years at sea. One of the girl sailors here is shown lowering a ladder from a Soviet motor ship anchored in the Thames.

13 YEARS AGO

Items Culled From the File of The Ranger Daily Times.

Surplus enthusiasm on the part of those interested in the sale of Stanton Oil company's stock led to the announcement Friday morning that the Stanton's J. H. Suderth No. 1 was a 2,500 barrel well. According to the general manager of the company, the well is not completed.

J. R. Nichols, president of the Mary Elizabeth Oil company reports that the Mary Elizabeth No. 1 on their 15-acre holding on the Marmon Foote tract, a mile and a half east of Desdemona, is a 1,000 barrel well.

A new post office is being sought for Strawn. The proposition has been taken up with Congressman Blanton and officials at Washington.

TEXAS LEAGUE Standing of the Teams:

Team	W. L.	Pct.
Dallas	25 16	.625
Houston	23 15	.603
Port Worth	22 16	.579
San Antonio	19 20	.487
Beaumont	17 20	.459
Shreveport	16 20	.444
Waco	16 20	.405
Galveston	16 25	.390

Miss Ruth Hagaman, who has been attending school at Boulder, Colo., and Fred Hagaman, her brother, who has been visiting in Amarillo, arrived in Ranger Tuesday night, on the Sunshine Special.

Roy Speed Is Injured In Car Wreck Monday

Roy Speed of Ranger was painfully injured in an automobile accident near Lampasas Monday night, according to telephone reports received in Ranger early today.

Mr. Speed had been to Bertram, where his father was ill, and on his return to Ranger Monday he received word that he had died. He left Ranger about 11 o'clock Monday night to attend the funeral and near Lampasas his car turned over. Mr. Speed received cuts and bruises about the head and face and received a badly fractured arm.

He was taken to a hospital in Lampasas, where his condition was reported as not serious. He is expected to be able to return to Ranger the latter part of the week.

Ranger Masons To Meet Tonight

Announcement has been made that Ranger Masonic lodge will meet tonight at 8 o'clock, Elm and Rusk streets, for the purpose of conferring the Master's Degree on one candidate. Visiting Masons are given a special invitation to attend this meeting.

SMALL CROP IS PREDICTED; YIELD IS FAIR

Price Increase Adds 14 Million Dollars To Income Of Farmers.

AUSTIN, Aug. 9.—The smallest Texas cotton crop since 1922 was forecast today by federal and state departments of agriculture here. The 1932 crop was estimated at 3,825,000 bales. Condition was placed at 69 per cent of normal. An indicated yield of 134 pounds per acre was forecast.

Yesterday's price rise on the cotton market added \$14,000,000 to the probably income of Texas farmers, state agricultural commissioner, J. E. McDonald, estimated.

Texas farmers planted 14,182,000 acres in cotton this year according to the cotton report. On the basis of an average abandonment of 3.6 per cent 13,681,000 acres will be harvested.

Cotton condition by sections was reported as: Northwest Texas, 80; North, 69; Northeast, 59; West, 82; West Central, 77; Central, 66; East, 65; South, 59, and Southeast, 66 per cent of normal.

Scores Made In Eastland Golf Match Sunday

The following are the individual scores made in the Eastland-Phillips-Co golf match Sunday afternoon:

- T. D. Powell lost to Barnett, 5-4.
- J. T. Hammett lost to Meredith, 5-4.
- W. Wright lost to Conner, 6-5.
- E. Roberts defeated Key Jr., 1-10.
- Dr. Sellers lost to Doug Jones, 2-1.
- F. Tunnell lost to R. Jones, 1-19.
- R. Newton lost to Joe Stephen, 4-2.
- P. Davis lost to B. Lewis, 3-2.
- Ted Smith lost to Blankenship, 3-2.
- M. E. Crossley defeated Harkrider, 2-10.
- C. Hammett defeated J. B. Johnson, 1-19, 20 holes.
- H. T. Schooley lost to Fields, 3-1.
- E. Schaffner lost to Poole, 6-5.
- M. Harvey defeated Funderburk, 1-19.
- Wright lost to Funderburk, 4-2.

Man Arrested On Shoplifting Charge

A young man who gave his name as J. D. Nichols and his age as 20, was arrested in Ranger by Det. Sergeant Patterson on a charge of shoplifting.

The man was alleged to have been caught in the Scott store after taking some shoe strings and a comb. He was taken to the police station by Manager Hutehins of the Scott store, who lodged complaint against him.

He was later released in the custody of L. R. Pearson.

Republicans Score Garner, Roosevelt

DALLAS, Aug. 9.—An attack against Franklin D. Roosevelt and John N. Garner, standard bearers of the Democratic party, was made today by Harvey H. Haines, temporary chairman of the state Republican convention in session here.

The Port Arthur speaker declared it was the purpose of the Democratic party to furnish alcohol rather than food and raiment as a relief program.

G. R. Getts Is Injured In Fall

G. R. Getts was slightly injured this morning when he fell from the scaffolding in the Joseph store in Ranger, where he was working.

He was given medical treatment and was able to resume his work. He received several cuts and bruises but sustained no serious injuries.

WEATHER

West Texas—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday.
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Daily West—12:00 m.
Daily East—4:18 p. m.
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FACES IN THE POLITICAL PICTURE

Politics is a funny game. There are politicians who, like the ostrich, hide their heads in the political sands and invite exposure of the political sun to the trunk and the arms and the legs and the feet. Joseph K. Morris, proxy campaign manager at Dallas, announces a list of Hunter managers "who have gone over to the Ferguson's." First on the list is James I. Marlow of Wichita Falls. Marlow has been active in the politics of the Wichita country for years and years. He has ever been an active and outspoken supporter of the proxy standard-bearers. He had to line up for Tom Hunter in the early preliminaries. There was no other place for him to go. Then when Hunter's face was out of the picture, the very resourceful Marlow returned to his first and his last love.

Guy Holcombe, ever active in state politics, according to Morris of Dallas, was the Hunter Travis county manager. There has not been a campaign in recent years that Holcombe has not been an active worker and close confidential adviser of the head of the House of Proxy. Well, Hunter was shut out on July 27, and the irresistible and good-natured Guy found himself the morning after, or rather when all the returns were in. Really, the ostrich is a wonderful bird. If given pursuit on the plans in the lands where he does his trotting, he buries his head. Then the hunters shoot his carcass full of holes. Throughout the periods of American history ostriches have shown themselves in all the campaigns of the past—that is, active and wily politicians who imitate the ostrich head work and do the sand dive act when run to the corner.

"While the light holds out to burn, the vilest sinner may return." Former U. S. Senator James Thomas Hefflin has repented of his political sins. He has made the bold announcement that he will take the stump this fall in behalf of Franklin D. Roosevelt and John Nance Garner, speaking in Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, California and other Western States. He predicts the election of the Democratic standard-bearers by one of the largest majorities the party ever received and that Alabama and the entire South will be democratic by a landslide in November. Whataman!

Now the national farm-labor party leaders have decided to draft Senator Smith Wildman Brookhart of Iowa as their presidential standard-bearer. Brookhart received the beating of his life when Henry Fields ousted him from a senatorial seat. Now he must find a place to land.

Mayor James J. Walker of New York promptly branded as a lie the story that he would seek the democratic gubernatorial nomination this year. Lieut. Gov. Herbert H. Lehman is the choice of Frank D. Roosevelt, Alfred E. Smith and all the important democratic leaders of the Empire State. He is a very able lawyer, a very rich man, a humanitarian at all times; he is ever willing to help the underdog out of the ditch; he is a welfare worker with voice and hand and purse and the democrats of New York expect to land him as the successor of Franklin D. Roosevelt. At least this is the way it is written in the Empire State democratic book of destiny.

ANOTHER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE NAMED

President Hoover has shifted his cabinet line-up for the fourth time in four years. Robert Patterson Lamont, the secretary of commerce, resigned. Robert is an engineer financier. He had to return to Chicago to protect his private business and handle his own affairs. Roy Dikeman Chapin of Detroit is his successor. He is an automobile manufacturer. Lamont, when he accepted office four years ago, was an officer or director of a dozen of the biggest corporations in America. President Hoover congratulated him in accepting the resignation on account of "the great sacrifices Lamont had made." Of course, all men of affairs make immense sacrifices when they accept cabinet positions. Now Secretary Chapin will be the commander-in-chief of the department of commerce and will house himself in the commerce building erected through the energy as well as the advice of the president at a cost of \$17,500,000. Secretary Chapin is at his desk. When he accepted the position the president whispered in his ear he believed "the change in public psychology for which everybody has been praying already had taken place." Hail to the outgoing and welcome to the man who is in! Perhaps it will usher in this famous prediction made by the president just before his election in 1928: "The standard of living among the workers of our city population is the only standard in the world which permits them to purchase ALL THE FOOD THEY CAN EAT." Well, hasten the day in city and country for the unemployed, white collar or no collar, regardless of "previous condition of servitude."

COMMON MANAGEMENT FOR THE LUMBER INDUSTRY

Common management of production and marketing operations by American lumber companies as an emergency measure has been recommended to the timber conservation board by a special survey committee. This committee urged banks to give consideration to policies intended to stabilize the lumber industry and that lumber companies' stocks be reduced by an additional 3,750,000,000 feet. All the economic doctors are busy. All the business heads who are ruled by common sense and long experience are busy. "As for the American eagle he continues to flap his wings on high, and the flag is still there."

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

A good athletic training is not only a means to health and strength, but it is an education in self control, obedience and cooperation, all of which are of no small importance in the battle of life.

Cities that do not believe in advertising themselves are steadily retiring into the background.

Putting the Presidential Campaign on a Sporting Basis!



HERE--- AND THERE

By ELVIE H. JACKSON

Housekeepers' problems are not very easy during this excessively hot weather. And if the "lady of the house" is her own chief cook and bottle washer, it behooves her to plan matters in such a way that her housekeeping won't exhaust all her strength, and that she will be able to preside at her evening table in a cool, dressed and dignified mien.

If she has to fuss around in a hot kitchen the last hours of a hot afternoon preparing a hot dinner for 6 o'clock, she isn't likely to be cool or dignified, not to speak of being dressed, when the dinner hour arrives.

A woman of many years experience, in living a double life, but of an innocent vintage, that of housekeeper and business woman, finds the problem solved by cooking the vegetables in the early morning hours for the evening meal, and setting the dishes aside to cool, then covering them, and later placing them in the ice box until 15 minutes before they are required to be reheated.

Then the pyrex dishes are placed on the unlighted stove on the grate or even in readiness for the heat to be applied some 20 minutes later, in time for the evening meal.

This is done so that there will be no danger of the dishes cracking, from having been in the cold box. The food will be found delicious, fresh, and far more appetizing than had it appeared upon the table, just dragged off the stove at the hour of serving, and presided over by a perspiring and kimono dressed woman.

If you are to have tomato salad dip the fruit in boiling water for one second, peel, place the fruit in a glass dish, cover and put in the ice box, until time to slice in the evening.

Wash the lettuce, lay the leaves in a damp cloth, fold to exclude air and lay on the ice.

It is no task to shake the crisp leaves out at the last moment, to slice the tomatoes and arrange your salad on the glass platter, which has been placed in the ice-box to cool.

As for meats, this housekeeper bakes a four-pound roast, which lasts four days, and is served either "as is," or sliced, or at the last, as a ragout, with onions, and which is cooked in the early cool hours of the day.

The same procedure may be followed with desserts. A delicious two-egg cake is baked and served with either custard or fresh fruit, on successive days. These quantities applies to a family of two or three, and will be found to be sufficient for a four-day supply.

The coolest way in which to cook the roast is, to place the meat in one of those old-fashioned iron ovens, which is a three-legged iron spider, with heavy iron lid.

Place the meat in boiling water and turn the fire to a low heat. There will be little heat in the kitchen from this way of cooking meat, and at the end of two and one-half hours, the roast will be ready to be taken from the pot.

Strain the liquor, thicken with three or four teaspoons of cornstarch dissolved in cold water, and a delicious gravy results, which can be reheated and served at the hour desired.

BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—The telegraphic exchange between Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York and President Hoover about the St. Lawrence river power development, irrespective of its political aspects, grew out of a gigantic project to make a deep waterway from the Great Lakes to the Atlantic Ocean which will supply as a by-product more electricity than is now consumed in all the homes of the United States.

The primary objective is to dredge the channel of the St. Lawrence so deep that vessels of ocean-going size will be able to steam in and out of the lakes, furnishing an all-water route for the grain and other products of the middle west.

One or more dams must be built, since locks are necessary, and the big river will then be so harnessed as to make available a tremendous amount of power. Power experts are figuring that there will be 2,200,000 horsepower to be derived from the power development at the International Rapids section and the American share, one-half, would be equivalent to around 5,000,000,000 kilowatt hours.

Treaty First Essential

A TREATY with Canada is essential for execution of the vast scheme, since the two countries are mutually interested and any dam would be impossible without mutual consent. The treaty will outline how the job is to be done and will allocate the cost as between the two countries.

The power project on the American side of the river will be entirely in the state of New York, which will build the powerhouse, superstructures and install the machinery and equipment bearing the cost of that and also a share of the cost of works common to navigation and power.

The treaty is somewhere near the signature stage, but no part of it will be given out until it is submitted to Congress for senatorial ratification and an enabling act.

Marion Nixon and Ralph Bellamy In Feature at Lyric

The amazing adventures and glorious romance of "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," as vivified in the Fox production featuring Marian Nixon and Ralph Bellamy, will occupy the screen at the Lyric theatre, Eastland, beginning today. The choice of dainty, wistful, appealing Miss Nixon and tall, handsome Bellamy to enact the leading roles in this important feature picture came, it is said, as a reward for splendid work in recent successes.

Miss Nixon, who will be recalled, scored individually opposite the Charles Farrell in "After Tomorrow," then repeated her success in her brilliant performance with Warner Baxter in "Amateur Daddy." Bellamy, who until now has had the tip-hill struggle of establishing himself in unsympathetic, or "heavy" roles, was given the romantic part of Dr. Adam Ladd because of the capable manner in which he portrayed the German officer in "Surrender"; his important character study of the juvenile court judge in "Young America," and his depiction of the incorruptible police captain in "Disorderly Conduct."

Lavishness of production in both locale and settings is promised in the current version of the Kate Douglas Wiggin and Charlotte Thompson masterpiece. It was filmed on a special reconstructed Sunnybrook Farm, near Santa Cruz, Calif., with the reproduction of a New England blizzard in which the dramatic climax occurs.

GRIPES by GUS

(Continued from Page 1)

don't ask him to vote for Hickman but tell him that you know he is influential in his community and that he can do a lot of good for a mighty good man if he can see fit to go among his friends and use that influence for Judge Hickman.

Information has just been given me that Governor Sterling will pass through the county on his speaking tour Thursday. He will speak in Ranger at 11 a. m., at Eastland at 2 p. m., and at Cisco at 4 p. m. It will be remembered that Tom Hunter led the race in this county in the first primary with Mrs. Ferguson running second and the governor third. The Ferguson vote will, of course, remain. However, those who voted for Hunter have it in their power to say which candidate shall carry the county in the second primary.

It's no use for old Green Per Simmons, operator of the filling station at Pine and Austin to go hear anybody speak. He is soured on the world and wouldn't vote for anybody that's already in office and wouldn't vote for anybody that had a chance of winning if he could help himself. I am looking any day for him to come out and be county chairman for some new party being organized. If he were to fall in the river, his contrariness would make him float upstream.

WATCHMAN ROBBED ON JOB

SPOKANE, Wash.—Watchman George Deal was robbed of \$70 while on the job.

PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE

with BILL MAYES

Today we are in receipt of a letter from William McCraw, district attorney of Dallas. When we saw the envelope sticking out of the pile of mail on our desk we wondered what a district attorney at Dallas could want with us, but we got up courage to open it and see. "I am mailing you," the district attorney writes after leading off with "My Friend," "a copy of Sam Achison's 'Joe Bailey.' It is a splendid narrative of political activities during a very interesting period of Texas history. Please accept this volume with my compliments and believe me to be.

"Yours truly,
"WILLIAM McCRAW."
So far we haven't received the copy of the volume to which the letter refers, but we are sure that when it does arrive it will be very much interested in reading it. Joe Bailey was in power before we were old enough to be interested in politics or the nation's current history, but we are sure that we can learn much by reading it.

Another communication reads "The West Texas District Baptist association will convene with the First Baptist church (colored) in Eastland on Aug. 9 to 14. Everyone is cordially invited."
We do not know whether this was meant as a personal invitation for us to attend or not, but we will be unable to be present. However, we pass the information on to the colored Baptist readers, if any, and forward the invitation to them to be present.

We have received so much sympathy in the past few days that we are beginning to feel sorry for ourself.

Last Saturday, we believe it was, Dr. Palmer was commenting on the scarcity of news at this time of the year. We agreed. He said that all day he had not heard of a thing that would make a newspaper story, and though he had not been looking for stories he was sure that it must be a task, and a disheartening one, to try to find any local news. Again we agreed. He said that he could never tell what a Saturday would bring in his profession. Some Saturdays are busy days and others are not.

Then yesterday Mickey Carlin commented along the same lines. He said that with the sun shining as hot as it was at the time it must be a job to walk around the town looking for news. He didn't help us to cool off, either.

Then this morning W. C. Blackmond came in to check up on some of the votes in the Times-Southland Greyhound Monterrey vacation trip he thought he was due and found the business office busy cleaning the dust off the cash register. He asked us if we were getting any news and we admitted that we were finding very little.

He said that for a while, until news became more plentiful again, our mind might get as dusty as the machinery in the cash register.
So we are starting out the day with the idea that it will be a task to find enough to fill up the column of today's paper, which will probably make the job harder than it really is. When one feels that there will be lots and lots of news his job doesn't seem so thankless.

Which reminds that so far no word has been received from the national guards, who are encamped at Camp Hulen for two weeks. Before he left Captain Hickey promised to drop us a letter now and then and let us know how things were going. So far we haven't had a line from him. The company is probably so busy that no one finds time to write, especially during the first few days of the camp.

Social Item: Robert Craft Campbell, alias Bobby, scribe of the Breckenridge American, was reported riding around the streets of Ranger Sunday night in a car so long he had to drive out to Caddo to turn it around.

Clothing Prices For Fall Are Higher

Whether this will be welcome news to the buyer or the seller, is a matter for each to figure out for himself.
Sid Pitzer states he has been notified that the wholesale cost of fall merchandise is from 8 to 15 per cent higher than was the case three weeks ago.

Eastland County Potato Growers Receive Blanks

Sweet potato growers who had their fields inspected for disease last fall for certification of seed have received blanks for use in requesting inspection again this fall. Other growers may secure this inspection service free of cost by applying direct to the Texas Agricultural Department at Austin or by notifying the county agent.
Application should be made during August so that the inspector may be scheduled in the county for sufficient time to visit all fields where he is wanted.

This inspection service aids the grower in producing disease free seed even though no seed or plants are to be offered for sale and should be utilized by all sweet potato growers. A state law prohibits the sale of sweet potato seed or plants that are not certified as being free of disease. The law has not been enforced giving growers opportunity to get inspection if it was desired.

The TINYMITES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

THE large balloons were pricked so bad that, really, it was very sad. "There is no chance to fix them," whispered Duncy, with a frown.

"If we just had some glue I know that I could fix them so they'd blow right up again, but now, I guess, they're doomed to all stay down."
Then Scouty said, "I'll try my luck. If we can find where they were stuck, we might plug up the pesky holes with little bits of wood."

"Hand me my mule. It seems the worst. That's why I'll try to plug it first." But, when he tried, the plugging didn't turn out very good.

"Oh, my, it leaks to beat the band," said Copsy. "It won't even stand. There's no sense trying any more. We're through with them, I guess."
And then poor Duncy loudly cried, "Why did we take this crazy ride? It seems that we are always getting into some bad mess."

"Oh, well, there's no use crying now," said Scouty. "I am sure, somehow, that we can get this forest, if we look around. 'I'll lead the way. Just see.' They looked and looed, then, tired out, all flopped on the ground."

IT wasn't very long until Tinymites were still. As there came some little snoring lads were all tired out. Of course, not one of them saw a monkey, high up in that gazed down on them, in what it was all about. The monkey soon dropped ground and amongst the Tinymites. And then it was Duncy just as tight as could be.

Before the lad could say "The monkey gave himself and, with poor Duncy in his hand, climbed right back up the tree." (Copyright, 1932, NEA Service)

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Penney J C	21%
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Penn Ry	15%
Phillips	7%
Prairie O & G	7%
Pure Oil	5%
Purity Bak	9%
Radio	7%
R K O	4%
Sears Roebuck	24%
Shell Union Oil	6%
Southern Pac	11%
Stan Oil N J	35%
Studebaker	5%
Texas Corp	16%
Texas Gulf Sul	19%
Tex Pac C & O	3%
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Worthington	17%
Ohio Oil	10%

Buck Hops Off On Long Flight

By United Press. NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 9.—ert Buck, 18-year-old boy left Metropolitan airport here 4:05 a. m., EDT, today on a mile flight to Mexico City. Buck planned six stops en route in his plane, "The Yankee per."

Company Reports Record Business

By United Press. ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 9.—Cola company today announced that its second quarter of ending June 30, was the largest history in point of sales, due heavy advance purchases of the in anticipation of the federal

Mrs. A. S. Treloax Tells Experience

Long Beach, Calif.—"A part of mine urged me to try Sargan will always bless the day I this advice. I have taken five tles of this wonderful medicine am now enjoying the best health have had in years. Sargan Mass Pills proved to be exactly what I needed for constipation. This is the first time in years don't have to dose myself with purgatives."—Mrs. A. S. Treloax Long Beach, Calif.

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Michigan Weather Aids Potato Crop

By United Press.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. — A rain and the cool weather of July have caused Michigan farmers to anticipate the largest potato crop on record. The rains have produced large sets of potatoes and the cool weather has swelled the bottoms. The prices were of high quality, about \$1.25 a bushel, a premium over Virginia Carolina Irish cobbles. Early planting also thrived under these conditions and the crop is moving to market two weeks ahead of normal.

Lecturer complains that he has been able to find a hat that suits him. Perhaps he could change his restaurant.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This paper is authorized to make following announcements, subject to the Democratic run-off primary election, Aug. 27, 1932:

Judge 88th District Court: BURETTE W. PATTERSON
FRANK SPARKS

Justice Peace, Precinct 2: T. W. (Pony) HARRISON
J. N. McFATTER

Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: JNO. W. THURMAN

Tax Assessor: JOHN HART

LODGE NOTICES

ATTENTION MASONS — Called meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. & M., Tuesday, Aug. 9, 8 m. Work in Master's Degree. E. M. DONLEY, W. M. J. M. GLAZNER, Sec.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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BASEBALL FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS — By Blosser

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Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Beaumont	27	14	.659
Dallas	27	14	.659
Houston	23	19	.548
Tyler	20	22	.476
Longview	19	22	.463
Galveston	17	23	.425
Fort Worth	16	25	.390
San Antonio	14	23	.378

Yesterday's Results.			
Dallas 7, Fort Worth 2.			
Houston 2, Beaumont 1.			
San Antonio 7, Galveston 4.			
Tyler 9, Longview 0.			

Today's Schedule.			
Fort Worth at Dallas.			
Tyler at Longview.			
Galveston at San Antonio.			
Houston at Beaumont.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	72	35	.673
Philadelphia	64	55	.536
Cleveland	54	44	.553
Washington	51	48	.510
Detroit	54	49	.524
St. Louis	48	58	.453
Chicago	36	68	.346
Boston	26	79	.248

Yesterday's Results.			
Washington 7, Cleveland 6.			
Boston at Detroit, rain.			

Today's Schedule.			
New York at St. Louis.			
Philadelphia at Chicago.			
Washington at Cleveland.			
Boston at Detroit.			



IT'S THIS WAY, FRECKLES: ANYTHING SO GREAT AS THIS INVENTION OF MINE OUGHTA BE UNVEILED... LIKE STATUES AN' STUFF... SO I'M DOIN' IT BY UPSETTIN' TH' SHED! SEE?

IT'D BE A LOT EASIER TO JUST BRING IT OUT, WOULDN'T IT?

NO! I THOUGHT OF DOIN' IT THIS WAY, BEFORE I STARTED TO WORK ON IT... HEAVE HO!

for LOVE or MONEY by H.W. CORLEY

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

MONA MORAN, receptionist in a Wall Street law office, is in love with BARRY TOWNSEND, rich and socially prominent. She met Barry through STEVE SACCAHELLI, her childhood sweetheart, who returns to New York after three years' absence. Steve has been in South America where, largely by chance, he has become associated with Barry, owner of a diamond mine long believed worthless. Together they have made the mine pay and are now business partners. Steve owns a huge diamond called "The Empress of Peru," LOTTIE CARR, fashion model, John Mona, Barry and Steve on several dinner and dancing engagements.

MONA's brother, BUD, becomes involved with gangsters who plan to steal his big diamond. Steve suspects this, traps Bud, and when he confesses helps him escape to South America where he is given a job at the mine.

Some time later Barry invites Mona, Lottie and Steve to spend Sunday at his uncle's palatial country home. They enjoy the trip in Steve's motorcar. While the girls are taking off their wraps Lottie confides that Barry has told her he is in love with Mona.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XVIII

MONA felt frozen in her tracks. "At Sherry's" she asked. "You went to tea with Barry at Sherry's?" "Yes." "But I didn't know—I mean you didn't!" Lottie nodded shamelessly. "And a very good tea it was too. Barry wanted to talk to me, silly!" She went on in a different tone, "We couldn't stand very well on the street corner! You see it happened this way. My name is in the telephone book. Barry told me it took him an hour to find my last name and then he had to call the shop. How he remembered even the first is a mystery to me! He generally calls me 'Hey, you!' Haven't you noticed? Well, he asked me to tea, said he couldn't make it dinner because of another engagement.

"I met him at 5:30 and right away Barry wanted to know if he had been herring in between you and Steve. Said Steve would hand you over even if the day had been set for the wedding if he thought Barry loved you because that's the way Steve is. Anything Barry wants Steve hands over!" "Barry has done a lot for Steve too," Mona said unhesitatingly. "Yes, and he's dying to do a lot for you. Listen! I told him on my honor that you only cared for Steve

In a sly way I said it was the same with Steve. Pals in school days and all that."

Lottie's eyes grew softly reminiscent of that tea hour when Barry had blurted out his love for Mona. "Well," she concluded, "I guess I'd better leave some of this for him to tell you first hand. It's quite an earful, let me add! Isn't it time to go down stairs now? I'm starved!"

Arm in arm, the two girls went down the broad staircase. Barry met them below.

"Thought you had disappeared permanently!" he said. "Let's go! Breakfast is waiting."

HE led the way past the drawing room, past his uncle's library, to the dining room. A fire crackled on the hearth, licking the birch logs with which Mason, now and then, replenished it. Mrs. Faxon was absent, but Barry explained they would see her at dinner. Mason served the delicate viands cooked by Jean, his wife.

There was orange juice, cereal with thick cream, an oyster omelette with delicate curls of bacon, muffins and coffee.

Steve ate as though he enjoyed the food and Mona observed how at home he seemed in Barry's environment. Barry frequently tossed tidbits to the dog, his left hand dangling to caress a velvet ear.

"Want to have a look at the grounds?" he asked as they rose.

Unathletic save on the dance floor, Lottie vetoed the walk. "You two run along," she urged with a sly wink at Steve. "I have something I haven't told Steve about."

"Go ahead," Steve said. "I've something I've been wanting to tell Lottie ever since I met her." But his smile was for Mona.

Barry found a beret and huge sweater for Mona and presently they set off. Half a dozen dogs greeted them excitedly as they appeared on the lawn. Mona and Barry stood for a moment, the crisp air filling their lungs.

"Great stuff!" cried Barry, breathing deeply.

"And yet," Mona pointed out, "you're leaving it."

"Oh, yes! My business, you see, isn't here."

They set out briskly on the road leading toward the stables.

"You must rough it at the mines," Mona said.

MONA felt frozen in her tracks. "Careful of the rug there," he called as he swung the door open. Too late! Mona had not seen the carpet rolled at her feet. She tripped and stumbled. Barry caught her. "Great Scott, you aren't hurt!" He raised her in his arms, a fragile burden, and swung her into the room.

On her feet once more, breathless, Mona stood laughing. Barry regarded her seriously. "That's an old-fashioned custom, isn't it? I've heard it somewhere. Swinging one's bride over the sill!"

MONA felt frozen in her tracks. "Strangely, Barry avoided her eyes and went to explore the living room of the camp. He knelt at the fireplace and nodded with approval when he saw that a fire had been laid. Without speaking Mona followed him slowly.

The room was cold and chilly. The rugs had been rolled and were standing about the walls, the chairs dusty and old but comfortable. There were camp beds, denim covered and pillowed. Tables, a wide buffet at one end and beyond a kitchen, well stocked with staples and canned goods.

Barry, busy at the closet now, was taking rapid stock of the supply. "Do you think it would be fun to have supper down here?" he asked. "I'll get Jimmy to hunt up some steaks and we can bring Jean to fix something to go with it. I'll cook the steaks on the grill myself. That's something I miss at the mine!"

"I'd love it!" Mona told him, tremulously.

He had said the word "bride" and then, without warning, he had apparently forgotten her. He had deliberately dropped the subject.

Barry closed the kitchen door, kicked at the wood basket, tested the lights, and said finally, "Well, shall we go back? We seem to be more or less deserting our guests, don't we?"

Looking at him, Mona realized that he had not been conscious of the pronoun. They went out on the veranda and Barry locked the door, replacing the key.

"You're shivering," he said abruptly. "We'd better walk rapidly."

(To Be Continued)

Arcadia Feature Blue Ribbon Award Winner In July

Every once in a while a motion picture comes along that proves conclusively a film can be entertaining for the whole family and at the same time an outstanding commercial success. Such a picture is "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," the July winner of the Associated Publications' Blue Ribbon award.

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" opens at the Arcadia theatre, Ranger, Thursday and Friday.

This Fox film, featuring Marian Nixon and Ralph Bellamy, was the overwhelming choice of the National Screen committee, composed of leading civic, religious figures, newspaper dramatic critics, and theatre owners throughout the nation. The production outdistanced its nearest competitor, Paramount's "Lady and Gent," three to one in the balloting of the distinguished committee.

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" thus joins that select group of Blue Ribbon winners as one of the outstanding picture for family entertainment.

And "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" richly deserves such signal recognition. It is clean, it is wholesome, it is sweet, it is entertaining for the whole family. In short, it is one of those pictures that sweep away the barriers of age, race and previous condition of servitude. Innately human, pathetically real, comically natural, "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" deals with the eternal verities of life.

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" is adapted from the immortal play by Kate Douglas Wiggin and Charlotte Thompson. The play was sensationally successful. The book has been read with avid eagerness by girls of the past generation. It occupies a prominent spot in libraries of girls today. Quoting from the Associated Publications review in the July 14 issue: "a living refutation of a vagrant idea that a picture must border on the salacious to be a success."

Robbie's Record

AS far as record books go, your Uncle Wilbert Robinson formerly held the lucky batting championship. Back in 1892, just

40 years and one month ahead of Burnett's orgy, Robbie poked six singles and one double in seven times at bat for the old Baltimore Orioles, then of the National League.

Forty-four players are credited with the feat of making six hits in six times at bat. Only nine have equaled that record in the last 10 years. Paul Waner of the Pirates was the last to perform the trick with three singles, two doubles and one triple in a 1926 game. Tris Speaker, who set the major league record of 11 consecutive hits, took up four games to do it.

Although Burnett broke a record, his hits weren't particularly valuable, except for his private batting average. He moved up exactly 21 percentage points from an even .300, but scored only four times and batted in only two runs. Several of the other 21 players in the same context bettered that in two punches.

Cheap Investment

BURNETT is only 25. He hasn't cost the Indians a cent, aside from salary and a few doctor bills. They picked him up at Lakeland, Fla. average 1927 when he averaged into training camp unannounced from University of Florida and asked for a trial.

He owned a reputation for speed at Florida—on the cinder track, on the diamond and on the gridiron. He is fast, I guess, but he's the slowest looking man I ever saw. He runs tight and laboriously, not in the easy, swinging stride of Ben Chapman. His throwing arm is strong. His hitting is good. His fielding isn't so hot, but then it's the base. Cleveland has had at shortstop since Joe Sewell started to slow up.

Outside of baseball, Burnett stays in the background. He isn't noisy, except for socks and neckties. He'll play a game of cards, read a book or go to the movies. He's a married man—and has been for almost five years.

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Ranger Personal

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark and children were visitors in Anson Sunday.

Alton Davenport has returned from a visit spending his time here where he visited his sister, Mrs. R. P. Tulley, and husband.

Miss Ora Mae McGee, employe of Scott store, has returned from a week's visit spent with friends and relatives of Cleburne and Stephenville.

Mrs. Bill Dorsey, who has just recently returned from a visit to Wichita Falls and Seymour, will leave tomorrow for a visit with relatives at Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram returned home last night after a trip to the Rio Grande, where fishing was enjoyed on the river. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Connell, who will remain on their vacation several days longer.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Thomas and family had as week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Hensley and daughter, Mary Jo Ann, and son, Lem Paul, of Anson. The latter guest spent last week in the Thomak home, returning home with his parents yesterday.

Miss Gera Dean Pulley, accompanied by a friend, Miss Herma Joan Gerardy, of Dallas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pulley.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fallon of Bluff Dale are visiting in Ranger this week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walker.

Mrs. B. A. Tunnell and young daughter, Gwendolyn, spent today in Cisco with the sisters of Mrs. Tunnell, who will depart for their homes in Oklahoma and Tennessee tomorrow. They were called to the bedside of their mother, who succumbed last week, following several week's illness.

Three School Boys On Long Cruise

By United Press.

FORT WORTH.—Three Fort Worth high school students have set sail on a two-months adventure among the treacherous swamps of Southern Louisiana.

Snakes, alligators, and pictures will be their objective on the expedition. The youths, Fonville Winans, Raymond Orren, and Owen Libscomb, have sailed from Beaumont in a 26-foot cabin cruiser for the mouth of the Mississippi where they will turn into the interior and the swamps.

On their boat, which they shipped from here to Beaumont, they have 500 feet of motion picture film. Besides a picture of wild

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Young Women's auxiliary, 8 p. m., Baptist Church. Mrs. L. J. Lambert, counselor.

Wednesday

Boys and Girls World club, 9 a. m., Methodist Church, Mmes. F. L. Drago and C. G. Stubblefield, directors.
Public library open 2 to 5:30 p. m., Community clubhouse.
Fayer meetings, services, 7:30 p. m., all churches.

Christian Church, choir practice, 8 p. m., Wilma Beard, director, Mrs. J. A. Beard, pianist.
Mrs. Art H. Johnson, hostess to Sunday school class, 8 p. m., at residence on South Seaman street.

Entertaining

Guests
Alice M. Jones returned home Saturday from the W. Beall Smith ranch near Godfrey, accompanied by her young friend Lucy Beall Smith, who will be her guest several days.

Mrs. O. C. Funderburk is entertaining her niece little Miss Pauline Strickland of San Antonio who arrived today.

These young girls are very popular and always welcomed by their young friends in Eastland.

Plans Cancelled

Honoring Rev. Shearer Birthday
The Martha Dorcas Bible class of the First Methodist Church were greatly disappointed that they were unable to hold their surprise birthday party. Monday night, which was planned to honor their pastor, Rev. George W. Shearer, and was to have been held at the parsonage, with Mrs. Shearer as one of the group of hostesses.

All preparations had been completed for a delightful evening. Members of the class were hastily informed about noon by Mrs. W. A. Martin, president of the Martha Dorcas, on Monday, that she had been notified, by Mrs. Shearer,

that it would be impossible to go on with the entertainment, as both she and Dr. Shearer were leaving early that morning for Fort Worth.

The Shearers had been apprised of the sudden death of a young friend in that city, the name sake of Mrs. Shearer, and daughter of one of her intimate friends, and were leaving immediately in their car for Fort Worth.

The class meeting will be held later on date not announced.

W. M. S. Baptist Church Has Bible Study

The Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church held their delightful Bible study meeting Monday afternoon, in the church classroom, with the president, Mrs. S. C. Walker, in the chair.

Hymn, "Majestic Sweetness Sits Enthroned," was followed by the devotional from the XI chapter of Luke, led by Mrs. A. M. Hearn.

Prayer by Mrs. Frank Lovett, prefaced a splendid discussion of chapters of Matthew IV, V, VI and VII, brought by the Rev. W. H. Muston.

This one of the very finest lessons the society has enjoyed this year.

Announcement was made that Mrs. Marvin Hood would be leader of the missionary study next Monday afternoon.

Several members who have been out of the society for some months, were sincerely welcomed upon their return, and included Mmes. Lee Bishop, Frank Lovett, and Don Brewer. Others present were Mmes. T. J. Pitts, L. V. Simmonds, A. M. Hearn, Marvin Hood, J. P. Truly, S. C. Walker, Ancil Owen, O. A. Cook, L. J. Lambert, J. B. Overton, Joe Neill, Cecil Nelson, Jess Seibert, Miss Sallie Morris, and Rev. Muston.

Four o'Clock Club Organized

The Camp Fire Girls, Elva Lee Jones, and Elinor Ruth Ferguson, of the Talahi group, have organized the "Four o'Clock Club" as a part of the requirements of the Torch Bearers rank, the third and highest rank in Camp Fire work.

The club must be in action for at least nine months in order to have requirements count towards rank.

This little club was organized Aug. 1 and held its second meeting at the home of Elva Lee Jones Monday afternoon yesterday, at 4 o'clock.

Following the call to order, the greeting song was given, ensemble and two stories were told.

"The Wishing Table," was charmingly given by Elinor Ruth

Ferguson, and "Three Languages" was cleverly related by Elva Lee Jones.

Games were then enjoyed by those present, Mary Fay Beskow, Frances Beskow, Marjorie Murphy, Elizabeth Jones, Elva Lee Jones, Elinor Ruth Ferguson, Charles Beskow, Temple Ferguson, Warren Ferguson.

The club will meet next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the Theodore Ferguson home, with their daughter, Miss Elinor Ruth. All members are urged to be present.

W. M. S. Methodist Has Fine Program

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held a Bible study and business session, Monday afternoon, in the church classroom, Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, local treasurer, presided in the absence of both president and acting president, Mrs. J. E. Hickman, and Mrs. Frank Crowell, the latter not arriving until near the close of the session.

A letter of deep and sincere appreciation was read from Mrs. John M. Gholson and family, expressing their thanks for the many kindnesses offered during the illness and death of Mr. Gholson, one of Ranger's most prominent and truly valuable citizens.

Mr. Gholson, at the time of his death, had a letter in the church of which he had been a member for years.

In consideration of the active part taken by the Gholsons at all times, the ladies of the society served a well prepared luncheon at the Gholson home to members and a host of friends who called at the home during the hour prior to the services, held on the day of July 21.

Just before the meeting was drawn to a close Mrs. A. H. Allison rendered in her beautiful and well trained voice a classical solo, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Stanley McAnelly.

Closing prayer was given by Mrs. E. H. Mills.

Early Morning Swim Enjoyed By Ready Class at Willows

Refreshing swims enjoyed at intervals during the warm summer days continue to hold sway in outdoor amusements. The social calendar for the entire summer has been filled to a large extent with informal and impromptu swim parties, climaxed with early sunrise breakfasts, picnics and interesting motor tours, just for the lark of going places.

The Willows was a scene of color this morning afforded through the bathing suits naming practically every color and combination when many enjoyed a dip and swim, in the well cared for pool which only last week was drained and refilled with clear and healthful water.

Numbered among the swimmers this morning, were seen a group of young men composing the Ready Sunday school class of the First Baptist church, of which Dr. Walter Jackson is teacher. The party, together with Dr. Jackson, met at the pool at 6 o'clock and enjoyed the cool morning which can only be realized through an entertainment of this sort.

TENTS HELD CONVICTS

By United Press.
WALLA WALLA, Wash.—When the state prison population broke all records with 1,376 inmates, tents were erected as sleeping quarters.

Ranger Society and Club News

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Business Session Composes Hour at Missionary Society

The Women's Missionary society meeting of the First Methodist church, of which Mrs. B. A. Tunnell is president, was opened yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock with the song, "Take Time to Be Holy."

Mrs. G. O. Strong read the devotional preceding the summarized reports heard from all active officers.

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Eastland Friends Heard From

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins writes her friends from Gleasondale, Mass., that she is enjoying reading the Eastland news, and appreciates the news of her friends which she finds in the Eastland Telegram.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins had a very pleasant visit this last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan, nee Elinor Norton formerly of Eastland, now living in Boston.

Bible Lesson is Held

Members of the Bible class of the Church of Christ assembled at the church yesterday afternoon for the lesson subject taken from the twelfth chapter of Exodus. The hour of study was made interesting to all through the clear

Russell, Bruce Harris, J. B. Ponder, Ben Davis McGee, B. Presslar, Paul Bray, Downing of Oklahoma, visitor, Gordis Hodices, Andy Jackson, Forrest Webber, and Dr. Jackson.

Mrs. W. A. Teatsorth Hostess Bible Class

The Bible class of the Church of Christ held a fine study session at the home of Mrs. W. A. Teatsorth, who entertained the class in most hospitable manner following the program, the home being most beautifully decorated for the afternoon with bouquets of golden glow.

The program opened with the hymn, "Face To Face," with Mrs. L. Herring as song leader.

Mrs. L. Herring led the lesson from "Philemon," and "Hebrews," introduced with prayer by Mrs. B. E. Robinson.

The Bible class reported food and clothing that had been delivered to a needy family. They have a committee that looks after this class of work, and these reports are made at intervals.

The class will meet next Monday at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Argee Fehl.

Mrs. Snyder was a guest of the afternoon and others present were Mmes. Argie Fehl, E. R. O'Rourke, John Fehl, Downtain, J. R. Bogguss, H. E. Everett, Guy Sherrill, Bud Coplen, James Graham, N. K. Prutley, C. P. Fehl, J. R. Crossley, B. E. Robinson, H. E. Lawrence, Ira Hanna, L. Herring, Walters, Reagan, Dan Childress, and W. A. Teatsorth.

The hostess served a delicious fruited punch and cake during the social hour.

Will Entertain Sunday School Class

The Sunday school class of young boys and girls, of which Mrs. Art H. Johnson, is teacher in the Methodist Church, will be entertained by Mrs. Johnson, at her residence on South Seaman street, at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening.

A lovely time is expected in this delightful home, Mrs. Johnson is proverbial for her hospitality, and graceful entertainment.

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All members who were unable to attend at this lesson are asked to be present next Monday afternoon, at which time continuation of the chapter of Exodus will be studied.

Fidels Class to Be Entertained With Swim Party

A swim party planned by the teacher, Mrs. Frank Hicklin, will entertain members of the Fidels Sunday school class of the Central Baptist church Wednesday morning at 6:15 o'clock, at the Willows. Every member is invited to be present.

Gleaners Class to Swim at Willows Wednesday Morning

The Gleaners Sunday school class of the First Baptist church will enjoy a morning swim at the Willows Wednesday at 9 o'clock. After the swim party watermelon will be served to all attending.

Wears Becoming Model of Blue For Pretty Ring Ceremony

Attired in a becoming and smartly fashioned blue ensemble in two shades of blue, a color combination which has already been pleasingly dictated for fall and winter wear, matched with all white accessories, including hat, stude shoes, bag and gloves, Miss Folly Jones, former associate of the West Texas Clinic and Hospital, became the bride of Mr. A. H. Kenchen, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kenchen of Breckenridge, Saturday, Aug. 6, with the ring ceremony read by the Rev. A. L. Aulick, pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church at Oklahoma City, at 4:30 o'clock.

The young bride who gained a score of friends while making her home in Ranger for a period of two years, attended Farmville college, at Farmville, Va., later finishing from business college, at Fort Worth.

Mr. Kenchen is a graduate of A. & M. college and is a popular employe of Phillips Petroleum company at Oklahoma City, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Kenchen is a sister of Mrs. J. B. Stackable of Fort Worth, and Mrs. W. H. Dakin of Breckenridge, both of whom are formerly of this city.

The friends of this young couple wish them much happiness.

The king of Abyssinia is reported about to give his subjects a constitution. If this thing keeps up, Kingfish Huey Long will be the only absolute monarch left.

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Texas Regents And President To Camp Out For a Week

By United Press.

AUSTIN.—Nine regents of the University of Texas, President H. Y. Benedict and State Land Commissioner J. H. Walker will "camp out" on the plains of West Texas this month during an extensive tour of university lands.

Equipped with a large tent, pots and pans, the party will leave Austin Sunday, Aug. 21, for a week's excursion. Seventeen West Texas counties, in which the university owns 2,000,000 acres of land, will be visited. The itinerary includes four oil fields: The Taylor-Link in Reagan county, the Penn in Ector county, and the Church-Fields in Crane county.

Dr. Hal P. Bybee, geologist and miner; Frank F. Friend, surveyor; and E. J. Compton are planning the tour. Compton is in charge of grazing lands for the board for the lease of university lands.

The party will camp on the prairie except for two nights when

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university bank houses camps will be occupied. Regents planning to trip are Judge R. L. H. tin; R. L. Holloway, Edward Crane, Dallas; Walter, Corsicana; W. M. O' Worth; Frank Young, Dr. Edward Randall, John T. Scott, Houston, He Waggener, Dallas.

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Blue Ribbon Picture

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