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NEGRO RUNS AMUCK, WOUNDS 2 WOMEN CIVIC LEAGUE OF EASTLAND IS TO HOLD FLOWER SHOW

KEEPING THROUGH THE KNOTHOLE

By BILL MAYES

Wanted—One ladder, about 25 feet long, to be used by department in trying to break into the press box from side of the fence at Lillard field on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The ladder is to be returned to the owner Sunday morning.

had so much luck in securing field glasses for Cleo to use to watch the football game from his hospital bed that he thought he might be able to do something about seeing the game. We have made only two trips to the high school to see the game and have secured five pairs of glasses. As this is the first time it looks very much like the glasses are all we will get, so if it is so report of the Abilene paper game in Sunday's paper every indulgence of the fans is urged as we did not get to the press box until it was too late to get a pair of glasses.

As it would be almost impossible to write notes from a bit sent, we won't attempt it.

Next week we promised the fans, if any, not to mention the case again unless there were developments. There are new developments. They run like this: Cleo has asked a mandatory injunction, or something, to force Oil Belt executive committee to see their name on the schedule for the year and let them play all.

hearing on the plea of the defendant in the eleventh court of appeals consumed all one noon. The court gave the attorneys for Cleo until Friday for the filing of their briefs and until Monday morning for filing of briefs.

The state executive committee of the interscholastic league filed a bond on appeal but the district committee to supersedeas which is claimed by counsel for the district committee to supersede the judgment of the trial court and extend the district committee from arranging a football game in compliance with the court.

torneys for the district committee filed the supersedeas bond and attorneys for the district committee are now contesting the validity of the supersedeas bond.

the court of civil appeals in going to the case shortly, and the length of time to take is still indefinite.

of which means something but we are unable to do just what it means. As near as we can figure it out it means the Cleo officials believe that the suit is equal to a football vic mandamus beats a forward and an injunction beats four kind, a royal flush or a down from the 50-yard line, maybe a supersedeas bond is the best defense a team can work.

the suggestion would be that Bulldogs get themselves about supersedeas bonds of their and serve them between the Abilene, Eastland, Woodward and Breckenridge pep squad and are going through their

pep squad and band will be out tonight for the first pep rally of the season. We seen the pep squad together, not in uniform and we have some of them in uniform, but in formation with the rest of squad and our prediction is the Ranger pep squad will be better than the Abilene pep squad and we will let Prexy Ann be the judge, in spite of fact that we know he will be judged and we have pre-conceived ideas about which looks the best.

will be seeing you at the pep and at the game Saturday—get in.

WEATHER By United Press. East Texas—Partly cloudy to dry. Probably local rains to Saturday. Warmer in and north portions tonight.

Livestock Men To Hold Meeting At Courthouse

A meeting of citizens of Eastland and adjoining counties is to be held at the Eastland county courthouse in the county courtroom tomorrow (Saturday) at 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of organizing the Eastland County Better Livestock Association, electing officers for same and discussing plans for the organization. Those interested in such an organization are specially urged to attend.

Eastland county, it has been pointed out, affords every need for raising of livestock and it costs no more to raise and care for registered and high class stock than it does for common stock. These questions will be among those discussed at the meeting and those interested in any phase of the livestock industry are invited to attend the meeting Saturday and express their opinions on the matter.

Another matter scheduled for discussion at the meeting Saturday is plans for a livestock show, where the better grades of stock will be exhibited. It is proposed to hold such a show in the near future.

Eastland county, for some years, has been developing into one of the leading counties in the goat industry. Many Eastland county goats and hogs sold in Texas and other states are recognized as some of the finest to be found anywhere. So if you are interested in registered hogs goats, sheep, cattle, horses or any other livestock be sure to attend the meeting Saturday.

PLANS FOR AN INTER-CITY SHOOT MADE

Representatives of the Eastland, Ranger and Breckenridge rifle clubs met in the office of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce Thursday night and worked out plans for the closing inter-city shoot of the clubs.

It was agreed at the beginning of the season that each of the three towns would purchase a silver cup, one cup to be presented to the winning rifle, pistol and skeet teams.

The shoot will be held on Sunday afternoon, beginning at 1 o'clock and a large number of rifle, pistol and shotgun enthusiasts are expected to be present.

Eastland and Breckenridge will compete over the skeet range for possession of the skeet cup as each team has won three matches and the shoot Sunday will be the deciding match of the season.

Visitors are issued a cordial invitation to be present Sunday afternoon to witness the last of the series of inter-city matches between the three towns.

Forty and Eight To Hold Smoker

La Societe Forty and Eight of Ranger is to hold its annual smoker in conjunction with the American Legion post of Ranger on Thursday night, Nov. 10, in the Legion hall.

FLOWERS WILL BE EXHIBITED AT EASTLAND

Entries Must Be Taken To Nemir Building On the Dates Mentioned.

The Civic League of Eastland will present the Annual Flower show, Friday, Oct. 28, and Saturday, Oct. 29, all day and evening, in the Nemir building, on North Lamar street.

This annual event is open to all of Eastland county and is an outstanding feature in Eastland's civic program of the year.

Mrs. J. C. Patterson, president of the Civic League, announces Mrs. Horton as chairman of flower show and Mrs. W. P. Leslie, assistant chairman.

The following committees appointed by flower show chairman will be large instrumental in making the Civic League Flower show the success it has always been.

Those entering flowers and other exhibits may get in touch with any member of committee designated as caring for different departments of the show.

To secure prizes for awards: Mrs. W. C. Marlow, Mrs. Dave Wolf, Mrs. W. P. Palm.

School exhibits committee: Mrs. B. E. McGlennery, and Mmes. Guy Durnam, Frank Crowell, Guy Parker.

Classification committee: Mrs. W. P. Leslie, Mmes. T. E. Payne, E. E. Layton.

Judging committee: Mrs. B. M. Collier, Mrs. W. B. Pickens.

Program committee: Mrs. J. M. Perkins, Mrs. A. H. Johnson.

Publicity committee: Mrs. W. K. Jackson, and Mmes. W. E. Stallard, G. S. Sire.

Arrangements of flowers committee: Mrs. M. J. Pickett, Mrs. T. A. Bendy; Messrs. J. M. Perkins, and Smith.

Receiving flowers committee: Mrs. Mitchell, Mmes. D. S. Eubanks, and J. D. Blankenship.

Exchange booth, register: Mrs. R. E. Sikes, Mmes. Eugene Day, Shelton, and Sam Butler.

Arrangements Made for Distribution of Red Cross Cotton Cloth in Ranger

Arrangements have been completed in Ranger for the distribution of the 5,000 yards of Red Cross cloth to the needy of this section of the country and the distribution center is to be opened for business on Monday morning, Oct. 24 at 9 o'clock, it was announced today.

The cloth being received is Ranger's pro rata share of the 40,000,000 yards received from the mills of the country by the Red Cross for distribution among the needy of the nation. This cloth was furnished through a donation of 100,000 bales of cotton held by the federal farm board, which has been made up into cloth. A total of 500,000 bales have been donated by the government for this purpose, so the share received by Ranger is approximately one-fifth of the total to be received.

The building formerly occupied by the Texas Electric Service company has been secured, free of any rental, from T. C. McHarg; C. G. King, local manager of the Texas-Louisiana Power company, has installed gas fixtures and will furnish gas free; A. N. Larson, local manager of the Texas Electric Service company, has had lights installed and will furnish electricity; Wade Swift, chairman of the Ranger Elks club charity committee, has donated \$5 in thread to be used in making garments; the local office of the Singer Sewing Machine company has loaned 10 sewing machines, and J. E. Meroney, Ranger chairman of the Red Cross, has agreed to install tables and shelving in the building.

A schedule whereby the ladies of the various churches in the city will be in charge has been worked out. On Monday morning, ladies from the Catholic church and the Church of God will be present and will take care of all requests; on Tuesday the ladies of the First Baptist church will be in charge; on Wednesday the organization

headquarters will be in charge of ladies from the First Methodist church; Thursday has been allotted to the ladies from the Presbyterian church and the Church of Christ; Friday the ladies from the First Christian church will supervise the work, while Saturday has been designated as the day on which the ladies from the Central Baptist church will be in charge.

Any ladies who wish to do so are invited to aid on any day they can and all housewives who have buttons, patterns, or hooks and eyes that would be suitable for use on children's clothes are urged to donate them to the cause.

The first allotment of cloth received in Ranger will be used exclusively for the manufacture of children's clothing. Any lady who has a sewing machine and can make her children's clothes or who has a neighbor with a machine that can be borrowed will be given the cloth and will be allowed to make the clothes for her own children. Those who do not have machines or do not know where one can be borrowed will be assisted in making the clothes in the distribution headquarters, where they will be helped by the ladies from the churches.

Applications for aid will be made at the Chamber of Commerce, where details as to the contention of the family will be taken into consideration. A voucher calling for as many yards of cloth as can be allotted to each family will be filled out and taken to the Marston building at the corner of Main and Marston streets. There the cloth will be issued by the ladies in charge on that day, and who will assist the mother in making the clothes, where necessary.

Mrs. W. D. Conway will act as general chairman of the headquarters, but the ladies from the various churches will be in charge of the headquarters on the days mentioned above.

GARNER ASKS HOOVER ABOUT HIS PROMISES

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—President Hoover today was called upon by Speaker Garner, democratic vice presidential nominee, to say why the promises he made in other days have not been carried out.

"Mr. Hoover must do more than apologize for things as they are. He must answer, on his own record," said the speaker in a statement accusing the president of taking credit for democratic-inspired legislation and of failing to carry out his campaign promises of four years ago.

President Hoover will launch another vigorous attack on Governor Roosevelt in his speech in Detroit tomorrow night. Next Tuesday Secretary of the Treasury Ogden Mills intends to answer the democratic nominee's bonus speech at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Berrie Trial Is Halted By Illness Of One of Jurors

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Oct. 21.—Trial of Rev. S. A. Berrie, charged with murder in the alleged poison death of his first wife, was delayed today when a juror became ill. At the same time the 52-year-old verse-writing pastor said he positively would not appear as a witness in his own defense.

BOTH TEAMS ANXIOUS FOR FIRST TILT

Eagles Will Be Battling To Break Down Ten Year Old Tradition.

Abilene will not only be fighting a determined Bulldogs team on Saturday afternoon, but will be bucking a 10-year-old tradition which says that an Abilene team

shall not defeat a Ranger team at Lillard field. On several occasions this tradition has been threatened, but never, in the past 10 years, has it been broken.

Back in 1926 the Bulldogs won from the Eagles. In 1927 the game was played in Abilene and in 1928, when Abilene went into the state finals and won from Port Arthur, Ranger held Abilene to a tie to keep the tradition intact. Again in 1930 the Eagles threatened to break down the tradition but the game ended in a scoreless tie.

A pep rally is to be held tonight with the band and pep squad meeting at the high school at 6:45 and marching down to Main street in a group, where yells, band music and short talks will be on the program. No announcement has been made as to who will be the speakers.

No games have been played that would serve to give a comparative scoring ability of the two teams. Abilene has played three games, lost one and won two, while Ranger has played three, lost two and won one. Abilene went down in defeat before Sweetwater by a score of 20 to 0, won from San Angelo by a score of 9 to 6, and won from Lubbock, 7 to 0.

The Bulldogs played the first game of the season against Amarillo, losing by a score of 13 to 0, lost to Central High of Fort Worth by a score of 6 to 0 and won from Weatherford High by a score of 14 to 0. It was in the Weatherford game that the Bulldogs suffered their most severe reverses, losing one of the most valuable players in Cleo Gray, who suffered a broken leg.

Abilene is reported to have suffered no injuries in the three games played, and the team has a (Continued on page 6)

Second Officer Dies In Liquor Truck Battle

TEXARKANA, Texas, Oct. 21.—Deputy Sheriff J. C. Crain, wounded when his partner, Melvin Brackman, was killed in a brush with liquor runners, died in a hospital late last night.

Officers continued their search for the killer whose identity was disclosed by members of a group of seven persons arrested yesterday. Suspects held included Pauline Norman, who, wearing men's clothes, jumped from the liquor-laden truck and fled just before the shooting of the officers.

Sterling Catches Fish At Rodeo

CORPUS CHRISTI, Oct. 21.—Governor R. S. Sterling today caught the first tarpon in a tarpon rodeo being staged at Port Aransas, near here. The governor's catch measured five feet four inches.

Valls To Support Democratic Ticket

LAREDO, Texas, Oct. 21.—District Attorney John A. Valls, who subpoenaed James E. Ferguson to explain charges of illegal voting in Webb county, will support Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson for governor.

"I am a democrat," he said when questioned about the way he would vote.

Ranger Singers To Meet At C. B. Church Oct. 23

The first meeting of the Ranger Singers association met Oct. 14. The executive board is composed of Dr. A. K. Wier, president; W. W. Jarvis, vice president, and Ed Dixon, secretary-treasurer. The following business was transacted: An advisory board was appointed, consisting of J. E. Meroney from the Church of Christ; H. L. Buskin, First Baptist church; Dr. A. K. Wier, Central Baptist church; E. T. Walton, First Christian church; Ed Dixon, First Methodist church, and L. R. Winegar, Church of God.

The following were designated as publicity committee: J. E. Meroney, Dr. A. K. Wier and Ed Dixon.

The object of the above named organization is for the promulgation of vocal music interest in Ranger and the adjacent territory. It is strictly interdenominational and non-sectarian in its scope and we covet the sympathetic co-operation of all lovers of music in this vicinity.

The first session of this association will convene at the Central Baptist church, Ranger, Oct. 23, at 2 p. m.

A number of prominent out-of-town music instructors have promised to be with us, among whom are the Rippeet quartet, and other prominent singers. The public is invited.

CONVICTS IN ANOTHER RIOT AT KINGSTON

MONTREAL, Canada, Oct. 21.—Convicts in Portsmouth penitentiary at Kingston, Ont., staged another riot this morning, reports received here said. It was understood at least half a dozen prisoners have been shot or otherwise injured since trouble began several days ago.

Guards stood ready to launch a gas bomb attack if necessary. Prison officials, it was reported, planned to starve the rioters into submission. The 210 men in the revolt have possession of the kitchen and powerhouse, but the siege was expected to bring the convicts to terms.

There was no estimate of how long food supplies now in the prison commissary would last.

All reports were unofficial, gleaned from hesitant guards, who came through the prison gates for a few hours' sleep at their homes. They would not confirm reports that 40 guards were held by the rioters as hostages.

Troops of the Royal Canadian horse artillery remained within the outer walls today, ready for any emergency.

Grand Chapter of Eastern Star To Meet Oct. 25

FORT WORTH—Convention of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of Eastern Star, here Oct. 25-27 will be a golden jubilee celebration and a home-coming for many of the 5,000 delegates.

The grand chapter was organized in Fort Worth, May 5, 1884. Mrs. Belle P. Tomlinson, Wallace, worthy grand matron, will preside over convention sessions of the order, which has a membership of 65,500.

Visits to the three Masonic institutions in Tarrant county are planned during the convalescence. Ten Fort Worth Eastern Star chapters will act as hosts to the delegates. Other officers of the grand chapter are Mrs. Riva Burnett, Miami, associate grand matron; W. F. Easterling, Del Rio, associate grand patron; Miss Cora Possey, Arlington, grand secretary; Mrs. Rose Potter, Texarkana, grand conductress, and Mrs. Hattie Mitchell, Fort Worth, associate grand conductress.

OFFICERS KILL CRAZED MAN AFTER CHASE

Houston Is Scene of Battle To Death With Maniac.

HOUSTON, Oct. 21.—Joe Mel-brew, 42, negro, was shot to death by detectives here today after he set fire to a servant house and ran amuck with an ax and a scythe, injuring two women who had employed him as janitor.

Detectives killed the negro after he had been cornered with his weapons and refused to surrender. Mrs. F. C. Little, one of Mel-brew's employers said she refused the negro a loan of \$4 and a few minutes later noticed the servants house in the rear of her home in flames. Later the negro attacked her and Mrs. M. H. Atkinson with both ax and scythe. Both women suffered severe cuts about their hands and arms.

Application Is Made For Texas Aid By Sterling

AUSTIN, Oct. 21.—Application for \$1,487,750 in loans from the reconstruction finance corporation today were en route from Governor Ross S. Sterling's office to Washington. The requests were tabulated by the East, West and South Texas Chambers of Commerce.

Requests include Abilene, for Taylor county, \$18,750; Cisco, for Eastland county, \$40,000; Midland, for Midland county, \$2,000; San Angelo, for Tom Green county, \$25,000; Sweetwater, for Nolan county, \$9,000; and Palo Pinto for Palo Pinto county, \$5,000.

Previous requests from several large cities that have already gone ahead, total about \$1,210,000.

Tennis Finalists Named for Ranger School Tourney

In the preliminaries, semi-finals and quarter finals of the Ranger High school tennis tournament, the following results were posted after the play. Bruce Murphy and Raymond McNabb are the finalists and will compete for the championship of the school.

Preliminaries. Durwood Barnes defeated Buster Higdon, 6-0; 6-0; Frank Conley defeated Dink Benson, 6-1; 6-1; George Allison defeated Frank Paschal 6-0; 6-0; Bruce Murphy defeated L. C. Gray 6-0; 6-2; Fred Reese defeated Jeff Rawls 10-8; 2-0; Max Williams defeated Reynold McNabb defeated Fred Hughes 6-4; 6-4; Ernest Glazner won from James Whiffield by default.

Semi Finals. Durwood Barnes defeated Max Williams 6-1; 6-2; Frank Conley defeated Ernest Glazner 6-0; 6-1; Bruce Murphy defeated George Allison 10-8; 6-3; Rayford McNabb defeated Fred Reese 6-1; 6-0.

Quarter Finals. Bruce Murphy defeated Durwood Barnes 10-8; 9-6; 7-5; Rayford McNabb defeated Frank Conley 6-2; 6-4.

Rodeo Committee Of Post To Hold Meet

A meeting of the rodeo committee of the Carl Barnes Post of the American Legion, together with the executive committee of the post, was called today for 5:30 in the office of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce.

Plans for a rodeo are to be worked out by this committee, assisted by Sig Faircloth. Anyone interested in the plans is invited to be present at the committee meeting.

Man Kills Couple In Rent Quarrel

SEMINOLE, Okla., Oct. 21.—Because Amos Bruner, 35-year-old tenant, farmer, refused to give Z. I. Williams, his landlord, crop rentals from his land, Williams killed Bruner and his wife in a corn field two miles west of here today.

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

OUR CONFESSION: God is our God forever and ever: he will be our guide even unto death.— Psalm 48: 14.

"APOLOGY FOR VOTING FOR HOOVER"

Another democratic prodigal has returned not only to the house of his fathers but to the ancient democratic faith of Thomas Jefferson. Robert L. Owens of Oklahoma is the recent com.

County Notes

ALAMEDA NEWS

ALAMEDA, Oct. 21.—Farmers are busy pulling and thrashing peanuts here.

The third and fourth grades of Gorman v. the third and fourth grades of our school Wednesday evening.

The Mustangs plays Olden Friday evening. The question is, who's going to win? The games will all be played at the schoolhouse.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blanton was enjoyed by a large crowd Friday night.

Miss Edna Earl Cason of Ranger was the guest of Miss Dorothy Quinn Saturday night. She is attending Ranger Junior college.

This community was shocked when T. L. Cooper of Olden was killed. He is formerly of this community and leaves many friends.

DESDEMONA

County Comr. Gilford Gray was here on business Friday.

Clay Simmons of Olney visited his sister Mrs. Claud Lee, and family Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Campbell were called to Palestine Saturday by the accidental death of her brother, Walter Read who was an employee of the Humble company.

A. C. Robert made a business trip to Lamesa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Walker and daughter, Miss Aline Walker, returned Friday evening from a few days stay with Mrs. Walker's mother in Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Brown and their brother Arch Brown, spent the weekend at the Dallas fair.

Mrs. Joe Cook formerly of Desdemona but now of Gorman was the guest of Mrs. M. P. Williams and Mrs. R. J. Krapf Wednesday.

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The Foreign Legion



DERRICK SHADOWS

By V. MARIE STEPHENS

This column is used as a feature and should not be construed as representing the editorial views of the paper.

If you've never cried shamelessly on your best friend's shoulder because your team was losing and it meant a lot to you, and if you've never pounded the man in front of you on the head and barely escaped kissing him for good measure when they suddenly made a touchdown and the score stood 7-6 in your favor when the final gun shot . . . then you've missed the Santa Claus in the happiest Christmas of your life.

Homecoming! The word is a beacon to alumni everywhere, guiding them back year after year to the traditions and walls of a favored Alma Mater.

Do you own a scrap book or a diary? Isn't it silly . . . isn't it grand to look back and reminisce through pages and pages of memories? For to remember is to live again, and to live again is an incentive toward better things.

I heard a young lady remark the other night that men just simply didn't care for girls with brains, and I agreed with her when she said it. But since then I've been thinking, and have reached the conclusion that maybe that is true because there are no girls with brains.

Prior to Sept. 16, 20,513 bales of cotton ginned in Hunt county.—Commerce Daily Journal.

County News

THURBER NEWS

Special Correspondent.

THURBER, Texas, Oct. 21.—The Thurber Panthers went to Stephenville Thursday to play football against Stephenville high school.

Last Tuesday night Mmes. Cicero Harris, J. H. Milburn and Homer Blackwell chaperoned a large number of young folks on a picnic to Mingo creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Byers are happy to announce the arrival of a fine boy in their home Monday, Oct. 17.

E. A. Starr has been very ill for the past 10 days, but is reported improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Vaden and little son of Gordon were Sunday visitors here in the home of his sister, Mrs. Green Bridges and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Farr visited in Dallas over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Starzinger and also attended the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Morrison and children spent the week-end in Breckenridge with her parents and other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin of Stephenville visited here one day recently in the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Whitworth and family.

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Edward and Earl, of Mineral Wells, visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers and also attended services at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Keown and children of Gordon visited in our city one night recently with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Deaton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Miller visited in Ranger Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Ivy spent the week-end in Gordon with her daughter, Mrs. Jasper Knopp and family.

Miss Marion Short of DeLeon was a guest the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Green Bridges.

Messes. Billy Castelle and William Unhut of Strawn were Thurber visitors Sunday afternoon.

Miss Galena Bridges, who teaches at Palo Pinto and Miss Alma Bridges who attends Ranger Junior College, spent the week-end with homefolks.

Miss Flota Livingstone, who attends John Tarleton college, spent the week-end at home.

Jesse Milburn and Odie Venable were Strawn visitors Sunday afternoon.

Roy Bowers visited relatives in Dallas over the week-end.

Those who attended the Erath Baptist workers' conference at Victor Tuesday were Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Tidwell, Roy Bowers, Mmes. Uel Keith, W. W. Mitchell, L. T. Hobbs, Ed Autrey, George Foster, M. N. Singleton, Mrs. T. E. Hale and Miss Anna Belle Tidwell of Iredell.

Thurber won the banner for the best attendance.

This scribe would like to say that the Desdemona letter alone each week is worth the price of the paper, as Desdemona is her old home town. She will be remembered in that town as Jennie Bull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bull, who were once pioneer residents of what was once known as "Hogtown," but later called Desdemona in honor of Des Wynne.

LONE CEDAR

Special Correspondent.

LONE CEDAR, Texas, Oct. 21. Sunday school was well attended last Sunday. An interesting lesson was discussed. Everyone is invited to attend this wide-awake Sabbath school. Services begin promptly at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Terry and two daughters, Ada and Arleta, accompanied by J. W. Green, made a trip to Breckenridge Sunday.

While there they visited in the home of G. A. Fox, whose daughter, Darlene, has just undergone a serious operation. She is doing nicely at present.

Ruby Earle Nabors is spending this week with her sister in Eastland.

M. C. and W. R. Whitehead have not started back to school yet. M. C. still has a very bad leg. W. R. has had a very bad cold, which, coupled with a fever now and then, has kept him out of school.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Anderson have moved south of Cisco. Reports have it that they will operate a service station and cafe. We wish them luck.

Ned Whitehead returned Wednesday from near Haskell, where he has been working. He reports that the farmers in that vicinity have a large crop of cotton this year.

OLDEN NEWS

Mrs. W. L. Edwards of Lamesa, Texas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. L. Russell and family of Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. Massey, the new proprietors of the Tri-Me cafe, report that their business has started off better than they had expected and is improving daily.

The Olden P. T. A. Halloween carnival promises to be bigger and better than ever. It is to be held down town this year instead of at the schoolhouse, as in previous years. Many new attractions have been added.

Mr. W. McMinn of Olden has traded his farm near Denton to Mr. Rotrammel for his land near Olden. Mr. Rotrammel formerly of Olden, has been living at Commerce, Texas.

Mrs. J. W. Pickens has returned to her home at Overton, Texas, after having spent six weeks here with her son, J. T. Pickens, who is a teacher in Olden High school.

Friends of H. E. Snyder of Ranger, formerly of Olden, are sorry to learn that Mr. Snyder is seriously ill at his home in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lewellan spent a few days in Olden before returning to Haskell, where they expect to be for some time. Mr. Lewellan has rented a farm near Chickasha, Okla., for next year and expects to move within the next two months.

Two cases of diphtheria have developed in this community this week. Miss Carry Etta Watson and Leon White are ill at their homes.

Walter Lee Connell spent the week-end with his father and family here. Walter Lee is attending John Tarleton college at Stephenville.

C. L. Ford and family visited relatives here Saturday night. They were accompanied by their guest, Willis Singleton of Graham.

Folks here have been digging their sweet potatoes this week. They say this has been a banner year for sweet potatoes not only in the abundance of the yield but in the high quality of the potatoes.

Several have taken their potatoes to the Ranger curing plant to insure against losing them. Others are trying the old method of banking them in a pit with straw packing.

Jack Stanton visited in Abilene Wednesday night.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Colburn were ill the first part of the week.

Ancient Italian Race

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**Saturday.**  
 Junior Missionary Auxiliary, 9:30 a. m., Baptist church; Mmes. J. P. Truly, Lee Bishop, and Miss Opal Hunt, directors.  
 Talahi group, meet 9:30 a. m., Camp Fire clubhouse.  
 Elizabeth-Anne studio, 9:30 a. m., Connelley roof.  
 Public library open 2 to 5:30 p. m., community clubhouse.

**Methodist Church Choir Gives Recital in DeLeon.**  
 The choir of the First Methodist church of Eastland presented a recital at the First Methodist church of DeLeon, Thursday night, to an interested and appreciative audience.  
 Three anthems of diversified character were numbered on the program which includes a group of piano solos, brilliantly performed by Clara June Kimble, and a dou-

### Black-Draught Clears Up Sluggish Feeling!

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ble violin group by Wilda Drago, who gave an arrangement by Kreisler of "Old Folks at Home," and a most artistic "Barcarolle." The program included also a group of numbers by the 9:43 quartet, B. M. Collie, M. L. Keasler, John M. Knox, and A. E. Her-ring, accompanied by the latter with guitar.  
 A gem of the evening was the mixed quartet in the sacred number, "Come Unto Me," by Mrs. Grady Pipkin, Wilda Drago, B. M. Collie, and John M. Knox.  
 The choir was directed by Wilda Drago, and Mrs. Joe A. Gibson was accompanist.  
 At close of program, the entire party enjoyed a supper in the lower auditorium of the church.  
 The recital and all arrangements were under direction of A. E. Her-ring, chairman.

**Readers Luncheon Club Colorful Mexican Luncheon.**  
 Mrs. J. E. Hickman was hostess at her residence to the Readers Luncheon club Thursday when a delightful Mexican atmosphere prevailed in arrangements of the two-tables laid with red and white checked luncheon cloths, and serviettes, centered with a potted cactus in small green jardiniere of frilly papers with places indicated by red linen lipstick handkerchiefs carrying out the national colors of Mexico, in red, white and green.  
 The menu was purely Mexican, hot and nourishing, in tamale loaf, enchiladas, Spanish rice,

### Ranger Society and Club News

ARRITTA DAVENPORT Editor Ranger Phone 224

#### Factory Representative To Give Demonstration at Ward's Next Week.

Lynn Harman, factory representative will open a series of cooking demonstrations which are to extend through Saturday of next week, on Monday afternoon, Oct. 24th, at 3 o'clock, at Montgomery Ward company.

Much enthusiasm is manifested through these demonstrations and are always welcomed by Ranger housewives.

The demonstrations each afternoon will be given with a Windsor Pressure Cooker. This cooker is gaining in popularity each day for its many advantages, which have thus far been proven highly valuable for housewives.

The session will be conducted in a very interesting manner and every lady in Ranger, is extended an invitation by Mr. Harman and Montgomery Ward, and company to attend, beginning with the first demonstration.

#### Recent Bride Is Honored With Surprise Shower.

Mrs. J. E. Daniels, who before

Santone rolls, sombrero salad, coffee and pralines.  
 Following luncheon a charming afternoon was spent with their needlework by the group, during the discussion by various members of club, of nine amendments to the state constitution, to be voted on Nov. 8, these including the Texas Centennial proposed for 1936.

Guests of the hostess were Mrs. George W. McKinney of Chicago, and her mother, Mrs. Ed Graham, whom she is visiting; Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin, and Mrs. L. J. Ayling.  
 Members attending, Mrs. B. M. Collie, Mrs. Leslie Gray, Mrs. T. J. Haley, Mrs. W. B. Collie, Mrs. James Horton, Mrs. M. L. Keasler, Mrs. W. H. McDonald, Mrs. Grady Pipkin, Mrs. J. M. Perkins, and Mrs. Carl Springer.

**Little Card Club Entertains.**  
 Mrs. Theodore Ferguson was a charming hostess to the recent meeting of the little card club, when two tables were arranged for contract, and a delicious tea plate with caramel pie and coffee, served at 5 o'clock, following the interesting game.

Guests of the club were Mrs. Walter I. Clark, and Mrs. H. S. Howard, and members present, Mrs. Carl Angstadt, Mrs. Curtis A. Hertig, Mrs. Alex Clarke, Mrs. Bryan Brelsford, Mrs. McMurray of Cisco, and hostess, Mrs. Theodore Ferguson.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Hertz next Tuesday.

**Benefit Play for Charity Auspices South Ward P.-T. A.**  
 Mrs. J. M. Armstrong, president of the South Ward Parent-Teacher association, announces that the play, "Ghost House," will be presented under the auspices of the South Ward Parent-Teacher association, for the benefit of charity, the nights of Nov. 4-5, in the high school auditorium.

The casting committee, Miss Seaberry, Mrs. J. Frank Sparks, Mrs. Austin H. Furse, and Mrs. Virgil T. Seaberry, will meet with the director for the play, who arrives from Kansas City Monday, and will be in consultation that day, with Mrs. Armstrong and committee.

Brisk work will be necessary, it was stated, in order to put the play across, so that all rehearsals and arrangements may be completed and a perfect performance given of the "Ghost House," on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 4 and 5, two weeks from today.

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her marriage of only a week ago. Love, guard, and Ray Adkins, was the former Miss Pauline McGown, was the honoree of a pretty affair at her home this week when a group of girl friends called in early evening, immediately turning the visit into that of a well carried out surprise miscellaneous shower.  
 The gifts were presented in pretty white wrappings and finished with vari-colored bits of ribbon.  
 Punch and cake was served to the honoree and members of the Fidelis class of the Central Baptist church, which includes the teacher, Mrs. Frank Hicklin, and wife of the church pastor, Mrs. H. Stephens and Misses Ruth Elmore, Vera Hunt, Lorene Crow, Katherine Birdsong, Ora Mae McGee, Opal Dell Brown, Velma Brown and Hazel Davis.

**Martha Dorcus Class Finishes Lovely Comfort.**  
 The Martha Dorcus Sunday school class of the First Methodist church met in an all-day session at the church, Thursday and devoted the hours of the day in finishing the lovely comfort which is now on display in the window at Killingsworth-Cox company.

While shopping view this handsome piece of handiwork, which is only one of the many attractive comforts made by this group of members.

**Elks' Dance Proves Gala Affair.**  
 The dance given at the Ranger Elks' Club Thursday evening, opening the fall social season, proved a gala and most delightful function, as couple glided over the well kept floor with musical hits produced by Clayton Hunt and his seven-piece dance band.

With the evening brisk and crisp enough to hint in a pleasing manner the change from summer to fall, dancing was no doubt proved a favored mode of diversion, judging from the large number of dance guests present for the Elks' entertainment.

New drapes have been hung in the dance hall, presenting a neat and attractive background effect. New acquaintances were made and several visitors welcomed by the hospitable entertaining committee.

Out-of-town guests, registered from Eastland, Cisco, Breckenridge, Strawn and Fort Worth.

### BOTH TEAMS ANXIOUS FOR FIRST GAME

(Continued from page 1)  
 number of players back from last year. The lineup shows Wyatt, Pool, Cogdell, Blackmon, Middleton and Galbraith from last year's squad, all of whom saw service but only two are listed as lettermen.

There are six 1931 regulars on the team this year. The veterans are Stanley Smith, center; Glynn Wyatt, half; Pete Barber, tackle; Lennon Blackmon, half; Veryl Hughes, guard, and Pug Cox, guard.

Among the ones who saw service on the Bulldog team last year, some of whom were in but a few games, are J. L. Jones, fullback; Aaron Anderson, half; Gloyd Lyon, half; John Bray, center; Squint Williams, guard; Herbert

Love, guard, and Ray Adkins, tackle.  
 The roster of the two teams follows:

Ranger.			
No.	Name	Pos.	Wt.
22	Cole	H	150
24	R. Jones	H	130
28	Walsh	H	146
32	Briley	H	155
33	Lee	G	152
34	Blair	E	150
38	P. Bray	E	155
40	Wardlen	G	155
42	Bunton	C	150
43	Kidwell	T	156
44	Lyon	Q	160
48	Hill	T	153
52	Mitchell	E	149
54	Standard	T	163
55	Williams	G	150
58	White	H	147
62	J. Bray	C	172
64	Love	C	175
66	Anderson	H	178
68	Britt	E	184
72	Jacoby	T	177
74	Adkins	T	183
77	Jones	F	200

Abilene.			
No.	Name	Pos.	Wt.
1	Ackers	E	143
2	Wyatt	H	146
3	Pool	Q	138
4	Cogdell	H	159
5	Blackmon	H	159
6	Elmore	E	149
7	Houghton	E	149
8	Savage	Q	132
9	Middleton	F	187
10	Galbraith	Q	132
11	Baldwin	E	136
14	Estes	E	160
15	Thornton	T	152
16	Morton	T	190
18	McGrady	G	142
19	Able	C	150
20	Barbian	G	168
21	Hunt	C	164
22	Pennington	F	148
23	Black	T	172
24	Simpson	T	180
25	Slate	G	180
26	Wood	G	165
28	Andrus	T	161
32	Hughes	G	164
33	Smith	C	189
34	Barber	T	186
39	Davis	T	176
41	Hardin	G	167
43	Shytles	G	138

Flatwoods Boy Tells of Trip To Texas State Fair  
 (By Roy Bennett of Flatwoods, one of the Eastland County Club boys who won free trips to the State Fair Educational Encampment, Six hundred club boys from all over Texas attended this three day camp as guests of the State Fair. Transportation was provided by the Texas & Pacific Railway Co.)

One would be surprised at what you see at the State Fair. It shows what a great state Texas is. To go down through the Hall of Champions made one feel proud that he is a Texan. In this Hall of Champions were placed the ribbon winning livestock. I saw the largest bulls, cows, horses, hogs and mules that I have ever seen. I really didn't believe there were hogs as large as I saw.  
 The County Exhibits were good. Although Eastland county only got eighth place, they had a real good exhibit and lots of people were always grouped in front of the booth discussing the crops grown here. Eighth place is pretty good as that with all of those exhibits that looked almost perfect, and I think it is something to be proud of.  
 I also visited the club poultry exhibits and saw some real poultry. I saw some blue ribbon rabbits from Eastland too. Hoot Gibson's rodeo was really worth while. Texas still has some real cowboys

and cowgirls. They really did some good riding, roping and bull-dogging. I also saw and shook hands with Hoot Gibson, one of the most famous cowboy movie stars. He said he "thought Texas was a great state and enjoyed being here for the state fair."  
 Free admission to some good shows was a part of the entertainment. We went to the Palace Theatre downtown once and I enjoyed it very much. I saw Alice Joy and the Dream Girl Follies at the Fair Park Auditorium which was a sure enough treat. They did some acrobatic feats really worth while seeing.  
 After each meal we always had some distinguished person to talk to us. Mr. Payne, the State Club Agent, made several good speeches. Several Dallas business men who are Fair directors also visited with us and made inspirational talks.  
 I met and became acquainted with lots of club boys from all over the state and I enjoyed this very much. I like to make new friends and find out what they are doing in club work in other places.  
 This was one of the finest trips I ever took and having been awarded the trip on my club report, and record, I appreciate it all the more. Of course it cannot be valued in dollars and cents but I know what I saw was worth a lot to me. It is a trip to be remembered by a club boy, and any club boy may win a trip if he will work and try.  
 I want to thank the Texas & Pacific Railway Company because they furnished the transportation to boys and girls club trip winners who live along the T. & P. lines. I think Mr. Webb is due to vote of

thinks for making it possible for so many boys and girls to see the State Fair who would never get there without this help.  
 ROY BENNETT,  
 4-H Club Member of Flatwoods.

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