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over 15: Richard Nunn... a Lois Nelson in charge... Ward Winners—Junior... ith Gary, first; Oletha... ond; Valera Richardson... rior boys, Fred Frost... his Leslie, second; Rob... land, third. Miss Sidney... n in charge.

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Denver Kidnap Search Widens



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Patrolman Johnny Boyd, who was engaged as an additional policeman to do night duty in the city of Ranger, made two arrests Friday night.

Two Arrested on Charge of Theft

Appeal Is Made For Needy of the City of Eastland

EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING

PLAYGROUND BASEBALL MEET HELD FRIDAY

Rangers Hold Five After Bank Robbery

Letter in Paper Confesses to Theft

Newspapermen To Change Meeting Site

Eastland Baptist Revival Planned

Four Killed As Train and Auto Collide

By United Press
OVERTON, Texas, March 11.—Bodies of four members of the family of Fred Russell, killed when a Missouri Pacific train struck the family automobile here, will probably be removed to Sweetwater for burial, it was indicated this afternoon.

The family moved here a short time ago from Sweetwater. The dead are Fred Russell, 40; Mrs. Fred Russell, 35; Willie Merl Russell, 4, and the 1-year-old Russell baby boy.

Russell was driving when the group attempted to cross the train intersection here. He apparently failed to see an approaching freight.

Willie Merl and the baby were killed instantly, their parents dying at the hospital.

Millie Jean, 3, a fifth occupant of the car, suffered a concussion of the head, but is expected to recover.

Fred Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell, are residents of Sweetwater.

Faith, Love, Oxygen, Work Miracle



For exactly a week Charlotte Condit, 6 weeks old of Covington, Ky., was kept alive by oxygen administered to fight double pneumonia. After the third day, the mother, Mrs. V. T. Condit, fainted from exhaustion. The baby, still nursing, was fed with an eyedropper. Charlotte, shown above in the oxygen tent as her mother keeps vigil, is expected to recover.

Ranger Junior College Is In Play Contest

The Masques Dramatic club of the Ranger Junior college presented a one-act play, "Green Shadows," in the state one-act play contest which was held at Hillsboro, Friday, March 11.

Of the nine Junior colleges represented, the Lon Morris Junior college, the San Antonio Junior college, and the Gainesville Junior college won the right to compete in the finals to be held Friday night.

This was Ranger's first year to be represented in the state meet and though they did not place, the Masques are looking forward to next year's contest with confidence.

Ranger Merchants Who Donated to Extra Police Fund

Following is a list of business and professional men who have already paid in the amount necessary for the purpose of hiring two extra patrolmen for the business district of the city at night for the week beginning night of Thursday, March 9:

Roy A. Parneson, city secretary; Joseph Dry Goods company, J. C. Smith Dry Goods company, Killingsworth, Cox & Co., United Dry Goods store, Swaney's Pharmacy, Clyde H. Davis, Scott's Store, Love Brothers Barber Shop, C. E. Madocks, Insurance, Variety Stores, J. C. Penney company, Bobo & Bobo, Gentry's Cash & Carry Grocery, Southern Ice & Utilities company, Oil City Pharmacy, Texas Drug Store, M System Grocery, Hassen company, Robinson Auto Supply company, Ranger Furniture Exchange, Mills Brothers Grocery, Burton-Lingo company, H. Keith, T. P. Filling Station, City Tailors, The Globe, F. W. Woolworth company, Lottio Davenport, Bill's Dry Cleaning plant, C. E. May, Insurance, Ranger Furniture Exchange, American Legion Bowling and Shooting club, Ranger Dry Cleaners, Quick Service Garage, McDonald Plumbing company, Anderson - Pruet Chevrolet Agency, Piggly Wiggly, Shamrock Sandwich Shop, Rogers Dry Cleaners, Texas Electric Service company, Texas-Louisiana Power company, West Texas Clinic, Texas Service Station All Tune, Exide Battery company, Lone Star Garage, Gulf Station, R. L. McCleskey, Henry's Serviet Station, Clarke's Radiator & Body Works, Ranger Tire Shop, F. W. Chambers, J. B. Houghton Garage, Marathon Service Station, Schooley Bakery, Levell-Maher Motor company, O. K. Grocery & Market, Gholsion hotel, Gholsion hotel coffee shop, Shugart Studio, Plumley Brothers Garage, Eureka Tool company, Paramount Drug Store.

The Eastland county playground baseball meet for class B and rural schools was held at Olden Friday afternoon. Most of the schools had teams there to represent them and an exciting afternoon was spent in determining the county champion of this sport.

In the first round for class B teams for boys, Carbon won from Cranton, Alameda won from Colony and Desdemona won from Olden. Morton Valley drew a bye and did not participate in this round. In the contests among the class B teams for girls, Colony won from Alameda, Carbon won from Cranton, Olden won from Desdemona and again Morton Valley drew a bye.

In the semi-finals for boys in this class, Carbon defeated Alameda and Desdemona defeated Morton Valley. For the girls' teams, Colony defeated Carbon and Olden defeated Morton Valley. In the final games Desdemona took first place for the boys' teams by trouncing Carbon, and Colony won for the girls' teams by getting on the long end of the score in the game with Olden.

Only four rural schools had boys' teams at the meet and these contests were soon decided when New Hope won from Flatwoods and Romney defeated Yellow Mound. Then New Hope took the championship by winning from Romney. Following these games Flatwoods played Yellow Mound for third place and won.

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Officials in close touch with all sections of the stricken area estimated that at least 125 persons lost their lives and buildings in a dozen cities came tumbling down.

Other estimates indicated the death toll might be as high as 250. An accurate count was impossible today.

Recurrent quakes today added to the hazard of searching the ruins and slowed a check on the disaster's toll.

The city of Long Beach was hardest hit and the death toll grew hourly as authorities cautiously dug in the ruins of buildings.

Every city south of the nearby mountain range felt the shock. Long Beach, Compton, Los Angeles, Garden Grove, Buena Park, Watts, Bellflower and Huntington Park bore the brunt of the quake.

New tremors followed by the score. The Carnegie Institute seismograph laboratory reported the number of shocks registered there exceeded 125.

The equivalent to martial law existed throughout the stricken section with sailors and marines from the United States battle fleet and soldiers supplementing regular police officers and the national guard.

Last night police Chief Clarence Webb of Santa Monica chartered an airplane and sent an officer to survey the damaged area. In the smoke and fog the plane crashed near Baldwin Hills. Officer, the pilot and a passenger were burned to death.

Police in Long Beach said business property alone was damaged \$10,000,000. This did not include damage to private dwellings. Officers said at least 50,000 homes either were destroyed or damaged.

Ambulances each hour brought additional relief as all cities within a radius of 50 miles rushed all available doctors, nurses and medical supplies to the area.

Doctors performed operations on the streets in Long Beach in the glare of automobile headlights. Heavy fog and smoke hampered relief.

At Seaside Hospital in Long Beach, floors were covered with fog and rain water. Operations of the bursting of water mains. Doctors and nurses worked standing in the water.

LOS ANGELES, March 11.—The 29-story city hall, tallest building in Southern California, today was ordered closed to the public, pending a survey of possible earthquake damage.

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

GOD'S OPPORTUNITY: The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise.—Psalm 51: 17.

LIFTING NATION OUT OF DITCH

A plan for business by scrip has been launched by the New Orleans Clearing House association to meet the banking emergency. Under the plan, frozen accounts could be liquidated by issuance of checks, provided the receivers of the checks would open new accounts in the banks on which the checks were drawn and in return would withdraw only through checks. New Orleans bankers explained it amounted to the use of checks as scrip.

There are bank moratoriums everywhere. Indeed, the moratorium plan has been inaugurated by governors and lawmakers of the powerful commonwealths as well as the lesser commonwealths. President Roosevelt is ready to carry on. A special session of the new congress is coming. Sanity will rule. Courage, guided by clear thinking, on the part of the representative men and women of America in the world of finance, in the world of commerce, in the world of trade, indeed in all fields of activity tells us in the very near future the dawn of a better and brighter day will reward those of us who never lose their heads and are ever on the firing line of intelligent endeavor.

Nathan Adams of Dallas told the Texas lawmakers that business would be restored to normal within 30 days after emergency legislation is enacted. He pointed to an experience of 1907 "when conditions were righted within a short time." He insisted that Texas was in better shape than nine-tenths of the union and it was a statement of facts as they exist.

He said a bank holiday would not have been necessary if Texas had not been affected by outside influence. Moreover he said he did not believe it would be feasible to place the same restrictions on the country banks as on city institutions, and also that he did not believe that a bank would be forced against its will to limit withdrawals.

There were lawmakers from other sections who took the opposite viewpoint. Adams very bluntly said that after depositors' withdrawals were limited, his institution was not going to lend money to anybody "unless it means putting men to work or keeping them at work." All of which is a reminder that out of state corporations are said to have been largely responsible for the emergency which called for a five-day moratorium in order that the lawmakers be given an opportunity to enact legislation covering all the ground for the protection of the institutions of Texas and all those who do business with the banks and bankers of the commonwealth.

Now it is for the lawmakers to crack down on the relief measure necessary. Incidentally, it is for all the people to keep cool and remember that normal minds are the minds that in the last analysis shape the high destinies of communities and commonwealths and nations.

WHERE SALES TAX PLAN WON

A states sales tax levying on all goods incomes of individuals and corporations was passed by both houses of the Indiana legislature and the measure sent to the desk of Gov. McNutt. Really, these Hoosier lawmakers are quick action Americans.

There are many bright spots in the black cloud of depression and now is the time to seize those bright spots and enlarge them rather than dwell upon the blackness. So let us get ready to receive the advantages that are before us.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

THAT jay-walking and jay-driving are a menace to public safety.

Some people forget safety first.

The congestion of motor traffic in the business sections of cities makes it necessary that both the jay-walker and the jay-driver obey the traffic laws.

Some jay-walking is done thoughtlessly, some is done because they don't know any better, and some is done through pure meanness.

Some cut diagonally across the street without thought of self or motorist.

They often step in front of an oncoming car.

Some meet with accidents that a lifetime cannot repair.

Some are killed.

Some jay-drivers still stick to the middle of the street, cut corners and pay no attention to traffic signals.

Most of them get away with it.

Some of them are arrested, some fined and some of them go to jail.

The penalty for jay-driving could be made so severe that it would be stopped to a great extent.

One Dictatorship That Can't Be Tolerated



31ST AND 32ND PRESIDENTS



The last few moments of Herbert Hoover's tenure as president were spent in the company of his successor, Franklin D. Roosevelt. Here are the thirty-first and thirty-second presidents as they left the White House for the ride to the inauguration ceremonies at the Capitol.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

Illustration of a brush turkey with text: 'THE BRUSH TURKEY OF AUSTRALIA, DOES NOT TAKE CARE OF ITS YOUNG! THE EGGS ARE COVERED UP IN DECAYING LEAVES AND LEFT TO HATCH.... THE YOUNG ARE FULLY FEATHERED WHEN THEY HATCH, ON EMERGING, THEY MAKE THEIR OWN WAY. LEEK, A PLANT RELATED TO THE ONION, IS THE NATIONAL SYMBOL OF WALES. THE WELSH WEAR IT IN THEIR HATS ON ST. DAVID'S DAY! WILLIE HOPPE HELPED SUPPORT HIS FAMILY BY GIVING BILLIARD EXHIBITIONS WHEN ONLY SEVEN YEARS OLD. THE LEEK seems to be the aristocrat of the onion family, but just why it has gained such a favorable place in Welsh history is a matter of some doubt. One theory is that decisive battles in the early days of that country were fought, and won, in the onion fields. At any rate, the plant holds a distinguished position, and beautiful music, "The Leek Overture," has been written in its honor.'

Yokuts Puzzle To Historians

By United Press SALINAS, Cal.—Felipe Encinal, aged Indian, maker of horse-hair lariats, is dead. And with his passing at his lonely ranch in Pine Canyon, southern Monterey county, interest again centered today on the little known tribe of Yokuts, of which he and his two brothers, Tito and Dolares, were the only surviving members. The Yokuts, one of the unsolved mystery races of the North American continent, have been a puzzle to historians and genealogists. University of California faculty members have made a close study of their language, which is unlike that of any other Aborigine in the world, and if their customs, which are as distinct as their language. Felipe and his brothers asserted they originally came from the East, being driven toward the Coast by a great drought over a period of many years. History shows the Yokut Indians were converted to the Christian faith by the padres Sitjar and Serra, who founded the Mission San Antonio de Padua, near Jolon, in 1771. Felipe's age, like the history of his tribe, is clothed in mystery. But it is known he was well past 80 when he died.

"DEPRESSION" ROBBERY FOILED

PORTLAND, Ore.—A "depression" robbery in which the holdup man used his fists instead of a gun, turned out to be a draw. He tried to pummel R. Kohara, Japanese merchant, into giving him money, but Kohara's son and a passer-by leaped on the thug and floored him.

ANSWERS

to today's THREE GUESSES

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN was known as the Great Commoner. Only FOUR STATES in the Union are larger than the Philippine Islands. CORONADO sought the fabled cities of Cibola.

League Action Is Called Blunder

By United Press CHICAGO.—The United States made the greatest blunder in modern history, according to Prof. William E. Dodd of the University of Chicago.

The strangest part, the professor indicated, was that it was caused by a minority, an accident and individual attitudes despite the fact that a great party and half the voters in the other favored another course. It started, he said, with the November election of 1918 when the nation withdrew its support from President Woodrow Wilson. It ended with the refusal of the senate to ratify the treaty of the League of Nations in 1921, the professor contends.

In 1918 the war-hated race hatreds swayed otherwise intelligent voters, the professor said. German-Americans naturally opposed the leadership of the president while Irishmen apparently blamed him for not defeating Britain as well as Germany.

Prof. Dodd's contentions follow:

Denied the support of his country, the president was the only leader called upon to negotiate the Treaty of Versailles and the armistice so handicapped. The tentative league appeared to satisfy the desires of all. Col. Roosevelt said it must be adopted. Taft, Bryan and Root wanted the Monroe Doctrine included.

Handicapped, the president supported a treaty which he did not fully approve in order to get the association of nations that might prevent war and which later could be improved.

He broke down supporting it. In the 1920 election with the democrats and 31 republican leaders backing it, the democrats were defeated. In the senate in 1921, three democrats led the fight against their own party's proposal and it again was defeated.

Thus the accident of an election, war-bred race animosities, and the collapse of its chief supporter, all conspired to defeat the league, the greatest blunder of modern history, Prof. Dodd stated.

Jap War Ministers

Crossword puzzle grid with clues: HORIZONTAL: 1 Allment or food. 6 Japan's minister of war. 12 Living in the country. 13 Dandies. 15 To enliven. 17 Sinister. 19 Cover. 20 A hare in its first year. 22 and con? 23 Incrustation on a sore. 25 A woman who sings sweetly. 26 Earthy matter. 27 Shafts sunk to obtain oil. 29 To bow. 30 Cuplike spoon. 31 Caterpillar hair. 33 Queen of the heaven. 34 Right (abbr.). 36 City. 38 Braided. 39 Either. 40 Three (prefix). 42 Condition of atmosphere. 44 Prophet. 45 Wind instrument. 47 Male ancestor. 48 Proffered. 49 Confines. 51 Rule. 52 Acts as a model. 53 Promontories. 55 Healthier in mind. 56 Desiccative. 57 Edible fungus. VERTICAL: 1 Nuptial festivals. 2 Queer. 3 Verbal. 4 Husbands or wives. 5 Young fish. 6 Loved exceedingly. 7 Cud of a ruminant. 8 Entrance. 9 To recognize as heir. 10 Order of crustaceans. 11 Author of the...

Slump Reveals Unusual Coins

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Penny wisdom among unemployed here, plus the help of two young men, plus the help of two young men, unusual depression sports on record. The young men have given the game a trick monicker, numismania. The game began some months ago when W. T. Dudley and Francis Pirie, cashiers at one of the three penny restaurants run for unemployed and needy by the Macfadden Foundation, discovered that some of the money turned in was made of tin. The collectors are proud of two commercial worth. Even the perfect Indian to undergo save that on its saving, and is an Indian-ness who will top design has been replaced by the of a Chinese man whose feet are "someone" that the depression general circulation.

"I want my telephone put back, please"

HARDLY a day passes but that some person who gave up his telephone service in recent months orders it restored. In many cases, people feel that it is false economy to be without a telephone... that the small cost of the service is repaid many times each month in convenience, in time and actually in money saved. Others mention the loss of pleasant, impromptu social "get-togethers" when their friends are unable to reach them by telephone. It is all true... what these former friends of ours say. Telephone service costs so little its value is so great that in many instances it really doesn't pay to do without it. If you are missing your telephone... just get in touch with our business office. We'll send a man out with a telephone in a hurry. Southwestern Telephone Co. Telephone



Ranger Social News

ARRITTA DAVENPORT, Editor — Phone 224, Ranger

Jean Bartrug Entertains
 Eighth Note Rhymn Club
 Young Jean Bartrug, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bartrug, of 1408 Desdemona boulevard, entertained members of the Eighth Note Rhymn club, with a delightful musical program recently given under the direction of Miss Annie Katherine Newnham, daughter of Mrs. M. R. Newnham, teacher of the club.

The party of music was opened with the following program played by the talented young hostess: "A Merry Harvest Time," "The Wavelet," "Happy Land Sketches," "Happy Shepard," "Vol Planning."

After a thorough study of the life of "Beethoven," musical games filled the remainder of the hour. The pretty refreshment plate repeated in the appropriate color scheme of green and white used throughout the decorations. Members presented were: Gloria Stewart, Alice Louise Henry, Morris Newnham, James Ratliff, Maurice Chastain and Mrs. Newnham and daughter, Annie Katherine.

1923 Club To Be Guests
 of Eastland Thursday Afternoon Club

The usual annual "Friendship Day" program will be observed in Eastland Thursday afternoon when the Ranger 1923 club's personnel will be special guests of the Thursday Afternoon Study club.

The program listed in the year book will be carried forward until the next date of meeting. Members are asked to note this out-of-town visit and postponed lessons.

P. T. A. To Elect Officers
 At Tuesday's Meeting

According to the program chairman, Mrs. Ira Goforth, all members of Hodges Oak Park Parent-Teachers association should be present for the meeting to be held at order Tuesday afternoon at 2:45 at which time a part of the year book will be devoted to the election of new officers. The program in connection with this feature of importance will be given under the direction of Mrs. Barney Carter.

Ladies' Auxiliary To Study At Home of Mrs. Thompson

Ladies auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will study at the home of Mrs. Sam Thompson Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The usual study of the Bible and foreign missions will be given under the direction of Mrs. Gray. Members are asked by the house hostess to be present for this interesting lesson.

Ivy Leaf Study Club Met on Thursday

The Ivy Leaf Study club met in an all-day session Thursday at the Mission temple with Mrs. John Hassen directing the study in an always interesting and capable way. A delicious covered-dish luncheon was served at noon by the ladies. Those enjoying this pleasant day

were Mrs. J. F. Dreinhof, A. J. Baum, A. J. Bartrug, G. T. Williams, J. F. Donley, R. J. Taylor, D. Joseph, V. V. Cooper, John Hassen, F. D. Hicks, Bill Clardy, J. W. Harman, and Misses Ann McEver, Marie Kohn, Marguerite Harmon and Emily Dreinhof.

Progressive Rebekah Lodge To Have "Tacky" Party

All members and friends are invited to be present at the hall on Tuesday evening at 7:15 o'clock. The lodge will be called to order at 7:15 followed with a "tacky" party. Plans have been made for a very pleasant evening's entertainment and a large attendance is desired.

Columbia Study Club Meeting With Mrs. Chastain Tuesday Morning

Mrs. Garvin Chastain will entertain members of the Columbia Study club at her home Tuesday morning, at 9:30. "The Last Adam" will be given by Mrs. Pete Jensen and all members are asked to attend.

Child Study Association Elects New Officers at Meeting

Mrs. Elmer Rogers very pleasantly entertained Child Study Association No. 2 at her home Thursday afternoon at which time the attention of all members were engrossed in the election of new officers. The business period of the hour was capably presided over by the outgoing president, Mrs. Odell Cole, who has served in a very commendable manner throughout her term of office.

New officers who are to serve during the ensuing term name Mrs. W. E. Avant, president; Mrs. Elmer Rogers, first vice president; Mrs. Onis Littlefield, second vice president; Mrs. Max Ohr, secretary; Mrs. Odell Cole, treasurer; Mrs. H. Stein, press reporter, and Mrs. Lee S. Galley, historian.

A paper on "Social and Economic Changes in the Home and Family," opened the program, interestingly given by Mrs. Stein. Mrs. Cole followed closely with the well rounded subject, "First Things First."

During the brief social drawing the profitable lesson to a close the hostess passed a plate carrying a color scheme of green and white. The delicious refreshment course consisted of sandwiches, pie and coffee.

Members enjoying the lesson were Mrs. H. Stein, Odell Cole, George Rhoades, Saule Perlstein, Max Ohr, P. Bourland, and hostess.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. P. O. Hatley, the second Thursday in April. Members are invited to be present at that time.

Mrs. Swift Entertains With Shamrock Bridge Affair

Accentuating the closely approaching St. Patrick's day, Mrs. Wade Swift entertained with one of the most colorful affairs of the month at her home, South Com-

ONE LOVE

by LAURA LOU BROOKMAN
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BEGIN HERE TODAY

JANET HILL breaks her engagement with ROlf CARLYLE after learning he has been going out with BETTY KENDALL, a society girl and niece of a member of the company for which he works. Janet is secretary to BRUCE HAMILTON, advertising manager of Every Home Magazine, and Rolf is employed in an advertising office. Janet is still much to love with Rolf but he has declared their engagement didn't mean anything and accused her of not really wanting to marry him because she insisted on postponing the marriage until they had saved some money.

Janet is lonely and unhappy. One night on a street car she meets JEFFREY GRANT, young engineer who has recently moved to the rooming house where she lives. A few nights later MOLLIE LAMBERT, who lives across the hall, persuades Janet to come on a blind date. Mollie's escort is AL SCHILDNER and Janet's is FRANK MULLINS, a business acquaintance of Al's.

They go out to dinner. Janet decides Mullins has been drinking and is embarrassed by his attentions. Due to his awkwardness she dancing the foxtrot against another couple, looking up to see it is Rolf Carlyle and Betty Kendall.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XV

It was only for the fraction of a second that Janet's eyes met Rolf's. Then he bent his head and said something to the girl in his arms. She smiled and a moment later they were out of sight, lost among the other dancers.

For an instant the lights, the din of the orchestra and the figures of the men and women about them seemed to Janet to blur into a hazy jumble. She felt as though she might fall and clutched at Mullins' shoulder.

He frowned. "That guy bumped into you, didn't he?" he said. "Who does he think he is? For two cents I'd give him a smack in the jaw! That's what he needs, the big—"

"Oh, no!" Janet whispered, terrified. "Please!"

"Guys can't bump into my girl!" Mullins protested crossly. "Why don't he look where he's going? Where is he now?"

He craned his neck but by this time Rolf and Betty Kendall were across the room. Janet was afraid there would be trouble. She couldn't bear that. Anything in the world but that! She must stop it some way.

"Let's not dance any more," she said quickly. "It's so crowded and the air seems stuffy. I'd rather go back to our table."

"All right," Mullins agreed but the agreement was half-hearted. Slowly they made their way among the other dancers. Mullins continuing his sly protests that "no guy could bump into his girl and get away with it."

Janet sank into the chair with relief. She closed her eyes and then an instant later opened them. Everything about her was just as it had been. The room was like a nightmare.

Mullins held a silver cigarette case toward her. "Have one?" he offered.

She shook her head and he helped himself to a cigaret, lit it. "Listen, baby," he suggested, "why don't you and I have a little drink together? I've got some swell stuff. It'll do you good!"

Janet smiled. She didn't know quite how she managed it but she said evenly, "No, thanks. I—I don't feel like it just now. But

have it yourself if you'd like it." Mullins eyed her doubtfully. "But this is good stuff!" he insisted. "Aw, come on, baby! Don't be like that!"

HE went on talking but she didn't bear him. Across the room two figures—a man and a girl—were silhouetted sharply. They were dancing together slowly, gracefully. Janet, watching them, caught her breath. She didn't want to look at the two figures but she couldn't help herself. The man's head was bent forward slightly and the girl was smiling up at him. She was not very tall. She was slender but not too slender. Her white dress was one of the few evening gowns in the room, a strikingly simple dress that rippled to the floor and was untrimmied except for a splash of crimson at the waist. The ivory whiteness of the satin was in perfect contrast with her dark hair and vivid coloring. A pretty girl—oh, yes, a very pretty girl. Only a girl who was happy, sure of herself and sure of that happiness, could smile with such twinkling gaiety!

It was the first opportunity Janet had had to see Betty Kendall close at hand and now that she was here in the same room with her she could not really see her. The pain stabbing at Janet's heart brought a mist before her eyes. She was aware only that this other girl was dancing with Rolf Carlyle, that she was beautiful and wore lovely clothes and that Rolf was looking at her in a way that said as plainly as words could, "I love you." Only Rolf had danced that way with Janet—

She turned quickly, blinked away the hot tears that were so perilously near. She must not look at Rolf again, she told herself. She must not let him know, not let anyone in the world know about the pain in her heart!

"I won't!" she told herself sharply. "I won't watch him dancing with her and making love to her!" It was a foolish resolution because the picture of Rolf Carlyle—sweet and handsome in his dinner clothes—was engraved indelibly in Janet's memory.

All at once she became aware that Frank Mullins was saying something. That he had asked a question and was waiting for her to answer it. She hadn't the faintest idea what he had been talking about.

"I'm sorry," Janet apologized. "I'm afraid I wasn't listening."

"I said," Mullins began pompously, "that a little drink will do you good. Do us both good. Here—"

HE was reaching toward a pocket to produce the flask when suddenly the music stopped and the dancers returned to their seats. Mullins paused, glancing about him. In the next moment Mollie and Al Schildner were beside them, flushed and smiling. Mollie swept into her chair with a sigh.

"Why, I thought you two were dancing!" she said. "Say, it's a crime to waste swell music like that."

"We were," Janet explained, "but the room was so crowded I thought I'd rather not dance."

The other girl gave her a quick glance. "What's the matter, Janet?" she asked in a different tone. "You look sort of pale. Don't you feel well?"

Janet caught at the suggestion. "It's—just a headache," she said. "Would you mind if I don't go on

to the theater with you? I hate to leave the party but I know I'd feel better at home. You mustn't come with me—not any of you. Please don't! If someone will call a cab for me I'll just say good-night."

There were objections. They'd all go with her. At 8:30. He'd go for the car right now. Well, then, Mullins would go. It ended finally as Janet wished. Mollie Lambert, reading something in the other girl's eyes, settled that.

"I hate to have you leave, honey," she said, "but of course if you think you'll feel better at home that's the thing to do. And if you'd really rather go alone, that's for you to say. Come on, boys, let's all scam. The show begins at 8:30 and if we don't start we'll miss the first part."

Janet had never in her life been more grateful to anyone than when, as she was getting into the taxicab, Mollie caught her hand and squeezed it. "Good-night, honey," Mollie said. "I hope you'll feel lots better."

She didn't say anything more but Janet understood. Mollie, too, had seen Rolf Carlyle dancing with Betty Kendall.

"I'm sure I will!" Janet assured them. "Good-night."

She did feel better, too, even though an hour later her pillow was wet with tears.

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She liked Pauline better than the others because she never asked questions. All of the girls at the office had known of Janet's engagement. They knew, too, that Rolf wasn't coming to the Every Home office any longer, that he didn't wait for Janet now or meet her at the drug store corner. Such gossip flies quickly in an office the size of the Every Home establishment.

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Determinedly Janet tried to conceal her unhappiness. She tried to forget by working harder, by going for long walks, by taking books from the circulating library. She enrolled at the Y. W. C. A. for a class in beginning French.

Still she could not forget Rolf. She couldn't even hate him.

She left the office one evening in late March, stepping out into a drizzling rain. It was cold, too. Janet raised her umbrella, drew her coat closely about her neck. At the street corner she hesitated. She wasn't thinking about the rain or the cold wind. She was thinking that she was utterly miserable.

"I can go on this way!" Janet told herself desperately. "I can't! Something's got to happen!"

And, sure enough, only a little later that evening something did.

(To Be Continued)

Pleads for Labor Law Liberalization



Continuing her advocacy of liberalization of all labor laws, Frances Perkins, New Secretary of Labor, is shown making her final appearance as New York state commissioner of labor before the senate and assembly committee on labor and industry at Albany, N. Y.

Western Zoos Get Discarded Lions

By United Press
 COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo.—The effete East may be overcrowded with lions, but there is plenty of room for Leo in the West.

Recent news dispatches have reported that African lions in captivity have increased so rapidly, and that the depression has so cut into the budget of eastern zoos and circuses, that the lion market is distinctly bad. So bad that you can't even give a lion away.

Not so in the West. Spencer Penrose, who has one of the finest

private zoos in the country, has given four lions away recently. One pair went to the Denver zoo, and another to the zoo at Garden City—and both zoos were glad to get the animals.

HONEY PAID FOR EDUCATION

ALMA, Mich.—A sweet way to get an education is by the production of honey, according to Howard Potter and Barker Brown. Both have paid their way through Alma College by raising bees. Last summer the two handled 150 swarms of bees, which yielded 15,000 pounds of honey. In a generous mood, the bees furnished two crops of honey.

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Here is unfolded the whole pageant of Rome in the time of Nero—at once the most dissolute and the most colorful period in Roman history. Here is the dramatic contrast between the palaces of the patrician Romans and the humble, hidden abodes of the early Christians—on the one hand the wicked Empress Poppaea in her luxurious bath of asses' milk; on the other, the Christian girl, Mercia, ministering to the tortured and hunted among the people of her faith.

And here, as a climax to the whole spectacle, is the Circus Maximus with its gladiatorial combats, its wrestling matches between black men and bears or crocodiles, its battles between Amazons and dwarfs, its chariot races, and its featured event—the feasting of the Christians in the lions. Here, in short, is an unforgettable panorama of an age of blood and licentiousness and passion and majesty.

As the cruel sensualist, Poppaea, Claudette Colbert is also responsible for a performance of unusual brilliance. Elissa Landi rises to new and unexpected heights of emotional acting as the Christian girl, Mercia, and Fredric March surpasses anything he has ever done for the screen as the favorite of Nero's court, Marcus Superbus, whose love for the Christian girl proves stronger than tradition, wealth, position or even life.

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Believers of Valleys

WESLACO, Tex., March 11.—The "Believers of the Grande Valley" are holding their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Fry, 128 men's singles, 128 men's doubles and 128 men's triples.

Following the meeting, the entry list which is open only to those who take their citizenship seriously, will assemble at the home of Mrs. W. H. Fry, 128 men's singles, 128 men's doubles and 128 men's triples.

SEATTLE

Public ping pong has advanced to the point where regulations have been worked out concerning the cost of the game. Men are to wear solid-colored shirts or vests on the court. Articles of instruction have been prepared and the game has advanced to the point where regulations have been worked out concerning the cost of the game.

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HOOKS and SLIDES

BY BILL BRAUCHER

Rockies Hold Out
FOLK, here's a peculiar situation several young men who spent all of last season in the minor leagues are holding out against the salaries offered by major league teams.

The young men are Ted Gullie of the Browns, Bill Knickerbocker of the Indians and Pete Jablonowski of the Yankees. Of course these young men are not rookies in the sense that they never have worn big league uniforms. Jablonowski played his curve ball for the Indians for a year or so before he finally was traded to the Red Sox.


Pete Perks Up
BUT Knickerbocker never played a game of big league ball. The rookie shortstop hitchhiked from Los Angeles to Toledo for a try-out in 1930 and slept under the grandstand until the first pay day. Evidently Bill has been learning his lesson.

After the Red Sox had let Jablonowski go, the Yankees farmed him to Newark. The Polish pianist picked up from that time, winning 11 and losing one for the Bears last year. Pete returned his contract with an invitation to come again.

Added to the rest of the Yankee holdout problem is that presented by James DeShone. Mister DeShone was purchased by the Athletics from Harrisburg and optioned to Jersey City. Last year he was sent to Sacramento in the deal that brought Tony Freitas to the A's. James went ahead and won 19 games while losing six in the Coast League and he figures that's something. When the Yanks purchased him from Sacramento they also bought an argument.

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Mayor Conducted a Huge Cattle Feeding Program

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Goodman has 5,750 head of cattle, all but one steer, which were shipped from Hearst's Babcock ranch in Chihuahua state, Mexico, and expects them to gain 100 per cent in weight when the 200-day experiment ends.

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As much as 50 wagon loads of the ground maize-corn mixture is fed each morning. The cattle are kept in 27 pens covering 10 acres.

Couple's Lives Have Parelled

DALLAS, Texas.—A queer parallel in the lives of Detective and Mrs. J. C. Simmons appeared when they were issued poll tax receipts. He was 46 and had lived in the state, county and city 46 years. She was 45 and had lived in the state, county and city 45 years.

Investigation showed they were born within six blocks of each other, made mud pies together and lived within three blocks of each other before they were married.

Houston Buffaloes To Be Managed By Carey Selph

Editor's Note—Following is the first of a series on Texas League baseball teams. Others will follow.

By STUART E. JONES

HOUSTON.—Fred Ankenman, president of the Houston Buffaloes, believes youth is an important factor in successful baseball and around that belief will be moulded his 1933 team.

When the Buffs take the field for spring training March 13, their activities will be directed by Carey Selph. Upon this personable young second baseman Ankenman has staked most of his hopes for

Lee Stebbins, another of last year's veterans, Selph will be at second base, Eddie Hoek, popular third baseman of past seasons, will be back at that position.

As candidates for utility man, Ankenman has signed Kelly Scott, captain of the 1932 Rice Institute baseball team and erstwhile football star at that school. Scott was one of eight athletes suspended from Rice for dishonesty in mid-year examinations.

Lindsay Brown, of Mason, Tex., will be another utility man.

Three new faces will be seen in the outfield. They are Gene Moore who played for Dallas in 1930, and who was bought from Cincinnati last year; Ernie Parker, sent here by the Cardinals on option from Denver, and Leon Riley, who

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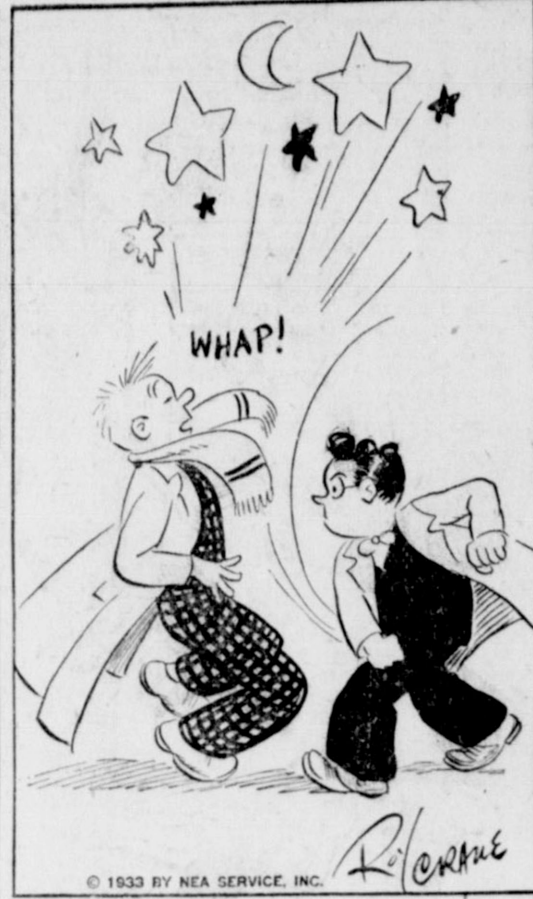
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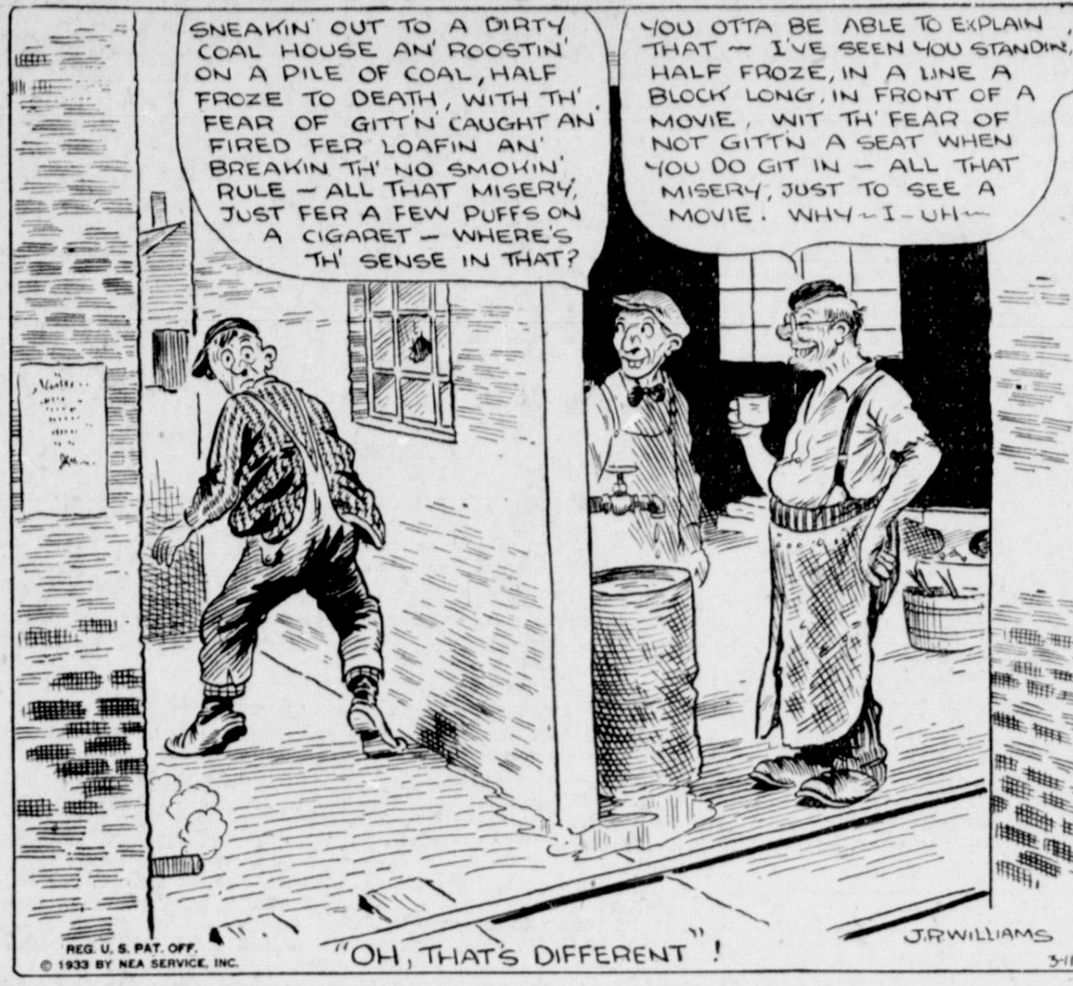
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LEGAL NOTICES... shall be held under the the special charter of the city Texas, adopted by a vote of the 1918 day of May, A. D., the constitution and the of this state, signed by the the Board of City Commis- of Eastland, Texas. The Clerk of said City shall serve tie of said election. signed this 4th day of 1933.

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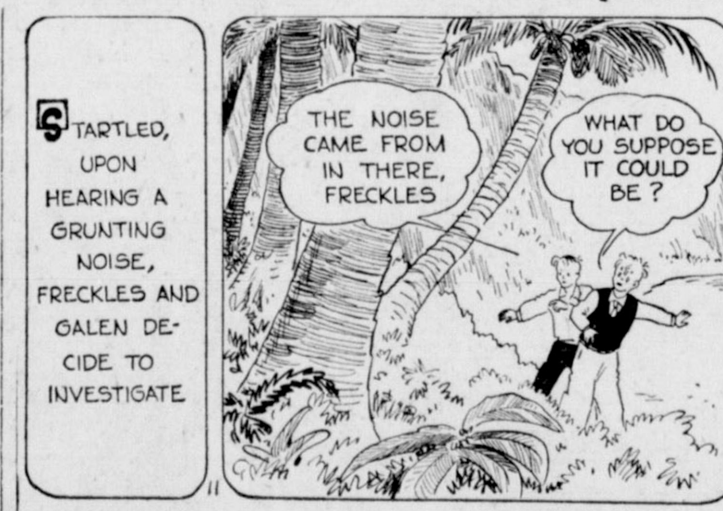


The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowen



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



RANGER CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Gid J. Bryan, pastor "If my people which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land."

CHURCH OF CHRIST (A Friendly Church) D. W. Nichol, minister The interest being manifested by the young people in their class work is indeed gratifying.

ST. RITA'S CHURCH Masses today will be 8 and 11 o'clock, by Rev. P. Ruano. The usual Lenten devotions will be held on Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH H. B. Johnson, pastor Sunday school, 10 a. m. with Mr. Von Roeder, superintendent.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. W. H. Muston of Eastland will preach at the morning hour and Rev. Charles Williams will fill the pulpit at the evening services of the Central Baptist church.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching service, 11 a. m. B. T. S., 6:30 p. m. 7:30, sermon. Wednesday evening, 7:15, choir rehearsal.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES "Substance" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, to-day.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS DIRECTORY RANGER, TEXAS

If you wish to buy or sell anything you will find it listed in the classified business directory of the leading business and professional firms of Ranger each Sunday in the Times.

Auto Parts Used auto parts. "We tear 'em up and sell the pieces." Batteries for any car. We will accept anything saleable for cash.

Auto Supplies Complete line of new replacement parts for Fords and Chevrolts. Also parts for all makes and models of cars.

Beauty Shops Mrs. Jo McCleskey has leased the Loflin Hotel and Beauty Shop. She is a Sellers graduate and has had six years' experience.

Barber Shops People patronize our barber shop because of the pleasant surroundings and efficient barbers.

Coffee Shops Drop in for a delicious cup of coffee at any time. Our food is delicious, well cooked, and appetizing.

Confectionery Latest in magazines, newspapers, jig-saw puzzles. Complete line fresh candies, cigarettes, cigars and tobaccos.

Dry Cleaners Best dry cleaning, hat work, rug cleaning, etc. Prices are very low. Customers' goods insured by us.

Motor Freight Lines For fast, economical and safe transportation of your general merchandise, short hauls or coast-to-coast, call 49.

Radiator-Body Works Clarke's Radiator & Body Works—Tops, seat covers, curtains, glass, furniture upholstery, etc.

Dry Cleaners We wish to call your attention to our spring offering of M. Born and Kahn Co. tailored clothes.

Variety Shop Variety Store & Fixit Shop, A. H. Williams, proprietor. Repair guns, typewriters, taking machines and anything; keys fitted and duplicated; safes opened and repaired.

Florist Ranger Floral & Nursery Co. Nursery stock, vegetable plants, pot plants, and cut flowers for all occasions.

Real Estate A. F. Hartman, P. & Q. building, phone 69—Have the best bargains in ranches ever offered from the small farm to several hundred-thousand-acre cattle ranches.

Sandwich Shops The place to eat! Where there's high quality and low cost. Our dinner-plate size hamburger for dime is famous all over the South.

Service Station Sinclair Service Station, offering the famous Sinclair products and Willard batteries. Washing and greasing, tire repairing.

Sewing Machines New and used Singer Machines at low prices. You can buy a Singer as little as \$2 per month.

Shoe Repair Old shoes made like new, at a very reasonable price, by skilled workmen. We can save you money by repairing your shoes.

T. C. U. Begins Baseball Practice FORT WORTH.—Baseball candidates of Texas Christian university started practice this week for a 10-game schedule.

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Sunday
B. Y. P. U., 6 p. m., Baptist church.
Choir concert, 7:30 p. m., public invited, Methodist church.

Monday
Rotary club, 12:15 p. m., luncheon, Connellee roof.
Public library, 2 to 5:30 p. m., community clubhouse.

W. M. S., Methodist church, program, "Looking Through the Missionary Dollar," 2:30 p. m. Public invited.

W. M. S., Bible lesson, 2:45 p. m., Baptist church.
Bible class, 3 p. m., Church of Christ.

South Ward School Parent-Teacher association, called meeting.
Pythian Sisters temple, 7:30 p. m., K. of P. hall.

Supervised Contract club, 7:30 p. m., Mrs. J. H. Cheatham Sr. hostess.
Choir practice, 7:30 p. m., Methodist church.

B. P. O. Elks, regular meeting, 8 p. m., lodge.

Honors for Talahi Group
Recent honors awarded the Talahi group of Camp Fire Girls, at their civic league public demonstration program, which opened with chorus, "Wheloh for Aye," brought the candle-lighting ceremony with honor for Helen Butler, Joyce Newman and Joe Earl Uttz.

Song, "Burn Fire, Burn," exemplified Camp Fire law and birthday slogan.
Talk on Camp Fire work, Margaret Frye; story of Helen Keller, by Lurline Brawner.

Seven crafts and its relation to birthday slogan, "Making the Most of Me," May Gates.
Many Moons; activities of 1932, Katherine Uttz.

A Day in Camp, Elizabeth Ann Harrell, Song, Walking Song, given by new member, Hazel Randolph. Awarding of honors, Camp Fire Girls Credo, Catherine Cottingham.

Now Our Camp Fires Burn, beautiful ceremonial:
Faggot finder and trail makers, Kathleen Cottingham and Elizabeth Ann Harrell.

Gypsy, Elizabeth Ann Harrell. Follow-up and frog, Helen Butler, Catherine Uttz, Margaret Frye, Joe Earl Uttz, May Gates, Lurline Brawner, Joyce Newman, Kathleen Cottingham. Fish, Kathleen Cottingham. Nature lore, special Red Cross honor and five big honors, to Elizabeth Ann Harrell.

National tree honor, to all the group. National needlework guild to all the group. Special social honors, Helen Butler, May Gates, Lurline Brawner, Kathleen Cottingham, Elizabeth Ann Harrell.

The work of Camp Fire Girls has been arduous and highly successful in local circles, under supervision of Mrs. Tom Harrell. The Eastland organization belongs to the National Camp Fire group.

Attended Oil Belt Association
The banquet of the Oil Belt Educational association held in Breckenridge, Friday night, had Eastland attendance of P. B. Bittle, superintendent of Eastland schools; W. P. Palm of Eastland high; E. E. Layton, junior high, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brothers, and George Taylor.

Intermediates Organize
Organization work was perfected in the intermediate Royal Ambassadors and girls auxiliary group at their session Friday afternoon, opening with song service led by Miss Opal Hunt, their director, and followed with prayer.

Miss Bennie Kate Wood was elected president, Miss Della Webb, vice president, Miss Cecil Seale, secretary-treasurer, for one-year term.
Committees will be appointed next Friday, at session 4:15 p. m., in the church.

The group captains, Cecil Seale and Geraldine Terrell, reported their groups respectively included Miss Bennie Kate Wood, Pressley Webb, Cecil Walters, and Miss Della Webb, Miss Opal Hunt, and Billie Walters.

The attendance contest is waged between these groups. The session was held in the class rooms of the Baptist church and Miss Faye Taylor was a visitor.

Eastland Girl Makes Find Record
Miss Anna Laurie Rosenquest, freshman student in Baylor college, has the record of making straight A's in all class work.

Miss Rosenquest has also made the Beta society and the Scholarship society. She was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Rosenquest, between terms, from Friday to Monday.

Talahi Group Meets
The Talahi group of Camp Fire Girls met with Mrs. Tom Harrell, as honor guest at the home of Lurline Brawner, Friday evening.

Kathleen Cottingham, president of group, opened the brief business session. The girls will take canned goods and clothing for the charity work now in hand by United Charities.

Deep regret is felt over the giving up by Mrs. Harrell, their guardian, and their member, Elizabeth Ann Harrell, who were presented farewell gifts by the girls, of silk hose and a handsome sweater for Elizabeth Ann.

Following the session the hostess served ice cream and cake. Adjournment was taken to the Lyric theatre performance, chaperoned by Mrs. Harrell and Mrs. Brawner, and attended by Joe Earl Uttz, Joyce Newman, Katherine Uttz, Norma Vickers, Kathleen Cottingham, Helen Butler, Margaret Frye, Lurline Brawner, and Elizabeth Ann Harrell.

Making Clippings Books
Members of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, gather on Monday and Thursday afternoons of each week, from 2 to 5 p. m., in their church, to work on clippings books which will be presented in time to all organizations of Eastland, including the clubs and library.

The volumes so far completed are of unusual interest and have contents clipped from the Christian Science Monitor.

Of these the book arranged by Agnes Harwood Doyle contains the pictures and histories of the 12 famous women of the United States that were selected for national honors, and headed by Mary Baker Eddy. The volume is handsome and will be donated to the library of the West Ward school.

An equally handsome clippings book of miscellaneous news has been prepared by Mrs. C. A. Martin as gift for South Ward school library.

Mrs. Earl Woody has compiled a clippings book on prohibition, which will answer every student's inquiry. This gift goes to the Eastland junior high school library.

A volume of miscellaneous literature clippings handsomely arranged by Mrs. W. A. Baines, is ready for the Eastland high school library. The books are of value and a genuine assistance in research work.

Music Club Delightful Meeting
The Music Club of Eastland held an interesting session Friday afternoon, opened by club president, Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, with minutes by Mrs. T. J. Haley, recording secretary, approved.

Invitation from the Thursday Afternoon club to attend the seated tea, honoring Mrs. Perkins and for date of Thursday next, was presented.

The study course for next year

PLEADS FOR MERCY



Fredric March, as Perfect of Rome, pleads before Nero, played by Charles Laughton, for the lives of the Christians ordered slain for making "The Sign of the Cross." Claudette Colbert, as Poppaea, cruel wife of Nero, is determined, however, that they should die. This picture is coming today to the Arcadia Theatre.

was discussed and will be concluded later.

Welcome was extended Miss Lillian Thompson, new members, Mrs. Fred L. Drago, valued member following her long absence of months, and to guest of afternoon, Mrs. J. R. Webb.

The program directed by Mrs. A. F. Taylor, opened with assembly singing of "Texas, My Texas."

Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird presented a piano rendition of Guion's Valse Arabesque. Mrs. J. R. Webb was guest substitute for Mrs. A. H. Johnson, and sang Guion's "Howdy Do Miss Spring."

The suite for violins (Veneth) was rendered by Clara June Kimble, Joe Earl Uttz, Evelyn Long, Catherine Carter, Mrs. Arthur Vaughn, and Wilda Drago.

The song, "The Flower Fair at Peking," brought the program to a climax, given by Mmes. T. J. Haley, H. O. Satterwhite, Grady Pipkin, A. H. Johnson, J. B. Leonard, and Wilda Drago.

The program concluded with the cowboy song, "A Home on the Range," interpreted by John M. Knox, A. E. Herring and B. M. Collier.

Choir Concert Tonight
Methodist church choir concert given in Methodist church is announced for tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

The program will open with a hymn, congregational, and an anthem by choir.

Piano solo, "Valeik" (Morjeks), Olive Kiloough.
Mixed quartet, "In the Garden of Prayer," Mrs. J. B. Leonard, Mrs. Grady Pipkin, B. M. Collier, John M. Knox.

Anthem, "At Even Tide."
Trio, "Tender Apple Blossoms," Mrs. J. B. Leonard, Mrs. Grady Pipkin, Miss Wilda Drago.

Voice solo, "The Ninety and Nines," Mrs. Pipkin.
Anthem, "Come All Ye People" (Adams).
Hymn.
Benediction by pastor, Sam G. Thompson.

Wilda Drago, director; Mrs. Joe A. Gibson, pianist. Public invited.

Funfest Program
The senior department of the

Methodist church Sunday school will be entertained with a funfest party in the lower assembly room of church, on Tuesday evening so announces Mrs. J. E. Hickman, director of the department, and Mrs. Bert McGlamery, hostess of the Sunday school, superintendents for the evening.

Eastern Star Study Club
Study progresses in A and B work under direction of Mrs. J. W. Thomas and Miss Sallie Morris in Eastern Star work, in preparation for the school of instruction which they have been advised will not be open until after the minks resume payments.

Advice was received from the district deputy, Mrs. Joiner of DeLeon, by Mrs. D. J. Fiensy, deputy. Initiation was announced in Eastern Star, for next Friday night. Those present, Mmes. L. E. Gates, Wynne, John Rosson, W. F. Miller, Eugene Tucker, W. W. Kelly, D. J. Fiensy, J. W. Thomas, Misses Mabel Hart and Sallie Morris.

Home Makers Class News
M. L. S. club met with Mrs. R. L. Slaughter Friday afternoon in a delightful session of needlework and planning of games for the Home Makers class party, which Mrs. Artie Liles, social chairman of class, will have charge.

The monthly party will be hosted by Mrs. Morgan Myers, next Friday afternoon, assisted by co-hostesses, Mrs. Horace Condeley, captain Group 3, and group members.

At close of a delightful hour attended by Mmes. William Shirriffs, Wortham Seale and Artie Liles, the hostess served a chicken salad sandwich, lemon pie, and coffee.

The next meeting is changed to Wednesday of this week, account of the class party.

Bible Institute Closes
The Bible institute held at the First Christian church, opening Wednesday afternoon, closed Friday night.

An unusually fine attendance has been registered for the two sessions each day.

Rev. John W. Tyndall, lecturer, Bible teacher of Randolph college, had subject Friday afternoon, "The Lord's Supper."

The evening lecture, "Man of Mystery," was given before an audience of 100 people. The song service was accompanied by the church orchestra, with Mrs. James A. Beard at piano. The service closed with prayer by Mrs. Tyndall. The institute went over big, and was a great success.

Alpha Delphian Session
Mrs. John Harrison was a delightful hostess to the Alpha Delphian chapter Thursday afternoon.

The program was conducted by the president, Mrs. A. J. Campbell, and Hebrew literature the subject had preparatory reading by Mrs. Claud G. Stubblefield.

Industries and Arts, Mrs. Marvin Hood; Hebrew Poetry Classified, the Hebrew Epic, Mrs. Karl Page; Hebrew Fiction, Mrs. N. N. Rosenquest; Wisdom Literature, Mrs. W. J. Herrington.

Lyric Poetry, Mrs. A. J. Campbell. Son of Songs and Hebrew Drama, parts assigned Mrs. W. K. Jackson, were filled by proxy with supplied literature and a picture presented the chapter and awarded Mrs. Rosenquest.

The president's summary concluded the unusually fine program. Mrs. Harrison served dainty refreshments of cream frappe and vanilla wafers. The club will meet next with Mrs. N. N. Rosenquest. Those present, Mmes. Karl Page, J. C. Day, Claud G. Stubblefield, Fred Davenport, W. J. Herrington, Marvin Hood, N. N. Rosenquest, A. J. Campbell, John Harrison, and Miss Sallie Morris.

Oil Company Suit Is Again Postponed

By United Press
BEAUMONT, Texas.—Lensing by major oil companies at an unprecedented rate on the Conroe "trend" has enroched fortunate Beaumont residents by approximately \$200,000 within the past 60 days.

The influx of oil lease money, according to oil men "in the know," has helped increase bank deposits by \$250,000 during that period.

The "play" on the Conroe "trend" extends roughly from Conroe, 40 miles east of Houston in Montgomery county, east through Jasper and Hadden's Ferry, Leesville, La., Alexandria, La., to Vicksburg, Miss.

At the Connellee



BIRCH, Magician, who appears at the Connellee theatre, Eastland, this week

LEGAL RECORDS

Filed in County Court
I. N. Griffin vs. General Motors Acceptance corporation, appealed from justice peace court No. 2.

Eureka Tool company vs. C. F. Giamon, suit on note.
Eureka Tool company vs. R. A. Disney et al, suit on account.

Filed in 91st District Court
RE: Guardianship of Chas. T. Robinson (a person of unsound mind), appealed from county court.

James Shaw, banking commissioner, vs. Jack Muirhead, suit on note.
Howard D. Roland vs. Sam Houston Life Insurance Co., account for labor.

Ranger Personals

Mrs. Frank Talkhoff is confined to her home suffering with influenza.

W. L. Cornelius, who has been on the sick list for the past several days, is able to sit up and hopes to be back working in his garden soon.

Shop Department Installed in New Chevrolet Agency

Anderson - Pruet, authorized Chevrolet dealers of Ranger, have installed a complete repair department, with a complete line of Chevrolet parts.

R. A. Arnold, who was formerly foreman of the repair department of the Oilbelt Motor company of Ranger, will be in charge of the repair department, assisted by Jimmy Jones, mechanic.

Arnold has received instruction in all the Chevrolet service schools and is competent to do any work on all makes of automobiles. Jones has also been instructed in mechanical work on all models of automobiles and is considered a capable and thorough mechanic.

Legislative Bills May Cause New Word to Be Coined

By United Press
AUSTIN.—Clarence Ousley, for many years one of the most noted editorial writers in Texas, once told a legislative committee that, though he had followed the writing trade for more than a quarter of a century and prided himself on some knowledge of words and skill in their use, he did not pretend to say what a word meant when put in a law.

So pertinent is this comment, that a large per cent of the laws now being offered in the legislature take no chance with legal construction of the words. Acts open with a miniature dictionary telling just what words in them mean.

Punctuation still offers a judge a chance to construe the meaning as he deems best, but he can no longer fall back on a distinction between "or" and "and." Most of the laws now use conjunctive phrases in duplicate.

Therefore a bill reads like this: "Any person who engages in the business of buying and or selling."

Sometimes they write it "and or"; sometimes "and-or," and sometimes "and (or)."

Which suggests the next lexicographer might as well include a new word "and-or."

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