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Curtailement Army Air Mail Service Ordered

IS ISSUED TO PREVENT LOSS OF LIFE

Every Precaution To Safeguard Fliers Will Be In Future.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—President Roosevelt today ordered curtailment of army air mail service to stop excessive loss of life.

As the order was being announced, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh was concluding a conference across the street with Secretary of War George Dern.

The curtailment was ordered by the president after a conference with Gen. Douglas MacArthur, chief of staff, and Major General Benjamin Foulois.

The president acted after the deaths of four more army airmail pilots which brought the total list of fatalities to 10 in less than three weeks. Announcement of President Roosevelt's decision was contained in a statement issued by Stephen Early, the president's secretary.

Early's statement follows: "Curtailment of airmail carrying by the army was ordered by the president after a conference with General MacArthur and General Foulois.

"The effect of the order will permit elimination of certain routes now flown by army airplanes; planes and personnel on necessary lines to be flown only when every safeguard humanly possible has been taken and thorough precautions of saving casualties which have been far too great despite assurances given the president the army could carry the mail.

"It is recognized that in 19 of the 30 days in which the executive order has been in effect, that fliers have been faced with unusually severe weather, rain, snow and storms and so forth.

"Nevertheless the president feels the loss of life had been far too excessive with the hazards that have prevailed."

Dern said that neither cancellation of the commercial airmail contracts nor the possible restoration of the airmail to commercial companies was discussed between himself and Lindbergh.

Baylor College Asks Eastland 'Hi' to 'Play Day'

BELTON, Texas, March 10.—The department of physical education at Baylor college has extended an invitation to Eastland high school and 85 others to attend on May 4 and 5 the second annual high school play day.

Representatives from high schools throughout the state will meet here to join in playing for play's sake. There will be no inter-school competition, but color teams will compete. This system makes getting acquainted easier and a more definite feeling that play is the main factor.

Former County Official Buried in Eastland Sat.

The funeral services for George Bryant were held Saturday afternoon.

Bryant, former tax assessor and resident of Eastland, died in Fort Worth, Thursday, March 8.

She 'Figures' High In Skating World



She's just captured her eighth world's figure skating championship, but when smiling, dimpled Sonja Henie of Norway arrived in New York, as shown here, she intimated she might quit competition. "One can't keep on being a champion forever," the 21-year-old champ said.

MEETING TO DISCUSS FAIR LOAN CALLED

H. C. Davis, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, is in receipt of a letter from the regional office of the public works association, to which the Eastland County Community Fair association, some weeks ago, made application for a grant and loan of \$87,000, advising him that the loan and grant had been approved by the regional office and by that office forwarded to Washington for further consideration by public works association officials.

Because of this letter and some other matters the Eastland County Community Fair association officials has issued a call for a mass meeting for 2 o'clock Monday afternoon in the offices of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce in the Masonic building at which further plans for securing the loan and grant applied for will be discussed. Business men especially are urged to attend.

Mr. Davis pointed out in his call for the meeting that the matter was of importance to every citizen of Eastland county since it is a county-wide affair. He also stated that the Community Fair association directors from other towns and communities had been notified of the meeting to be held Monday afternoon in Eastland and requested them to be present.

Democrats Will Face a Test at Illinois Election

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The first test of the national political sentiment since Franklin D. Roosevelt swamped the republican party in 1932, will begin one month from today in state-wide Illinois primaries.

Barring political miracles the democrats will come out of this general election still safely in control of both houses. Some sound republican politicians expect their party to lose up to four seats in the senate and to gain at the outside about 50 or 60 in the house.

The democrats have a clear majority of 191 seats in the house and overturn of so many this year is unlikely.

Bids On Highways To Be Opened Mon.

AUSTIN, March 10.—The state highway commission today announced bids on national recovery highway projects estimated to cost \$905,000 will be opened here March 26.

Among the projects was a Santa Fe viaduct for Highway 1 in Sweetwater.

TIGHTENING OF CODES WILL BE STARTED SOON

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The NRA today acted to tighten code enforcement, hailed announcement that the refractories industry had adopted the president's appeal for reduced working hours and increased pay, and prepared for return of several high officials to private affairs.

The code authority for the refractories industries, here for the NRA conference, agreed to adopt a 36-hour week and maintain present weekly wages. This action is expected to mean re-employment for 2,000 workers. New wage provisions will increase minimum wages of common labor 10 per cent.

The fate of the administration appeal for such action in industry was still uncertain with no intimation whether an executive order might be issued or other action taken in the face of protests by industry spokesmen that further reduction of hours and wage increases meant disaster.

The refractories industry, mines, clay and manufacturers of fire brick and material for production of steel iron and glass.

Theatre Officials Visit Here Friday

Carl Hoblitzelle and R. J. O'Donnell, officials of the Paschal-Texas theatres, were guests of B. E. Garper, manager of the Arcadia theatre Friday afternoon.

The two officials were enroute from El Paso to Dallas and stopped off in Ranger for an inspection of their properties. Before visiting in Ranger they were guests of John Burke, manager of the Lyric Theatre in Eastland.

Regulations For Transportation Are Urged By Eastman

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Congress and President Roosevelt were called on today by Federal Transportation Co-ordinator Joseph B. Eastman to provide legislation for federal regulation of motor and water transportation systems.

The two systems, he said, should be placed under jurisdiction of the interstate commerce commission, which guides the railroads, in an effort to harmonize transportation problems and remove present "chaotic conditions."

Alameda Bond Sale Is Taken Up With State School Board

C. F. Blanton, superintendent of the Alameda school, and O. G. Lanier of Ranger, were to leave today for Austin to see about printing and selling \$5,000 in school bonds, which were voted by the Alameda school district recently.

The two are to enter into negotiations with the state board of education to see if that organization can purchase the bonds, which are to be printed by an Austin bond printing company on transcripts furnished by the company and approved by the attorney general's department.

AGED SISTERS REUNITED

HOUSTON, Tex.—Sisters separated for 45 years were re-united when Mrs. Carrie Leonard Gelsinger, 60, of Chambersburg, Pa., rushed here to the bedside of Mrs. M. L. Adams, 72. The postmaster at Chambersburg, former home of Mrs. Adams, and the chief of police here effected the reunion.

Deputy Cowed By Wooden Gun



Taken prisoner with a wooden pistol by John Dillinger, desperado who escaped from county jail in Crown Point, Ind., Deputy Ernest Blunk is shown here after his return home, telling the story of how he was forced to accompany Dillinger and a negro murderer in their flight. Blunk and a garage-keeper were ejected from the fugitives' car near Peotone, Ill.

Capacity House Greets Program Of Music Club

The Methodist church had a capacity audience Friday night, a most responsive one, on the occasion of the two piano concert, in which the Eastland Music Study club presented guest artists, Mrs. Minnie H. Maher and Mrs. Wanda Drago-Beall of San Angelo, assisted by Miss Doris Mullins of Colorado, and the Drago Octet, in a program of sterling merit, and unusual selection.

The church was graciously decorated in Grecian design by Meses. F. V. Williams and T. J. Haley, and the exquisite indirect lighting was done by the Texas Electric Service Company.

Attractive programs, with the complimentary cards of merchants who made the program possible, presented the order of music, opening with a very difficult (Bach) Andante, by Maher and Beall.

Their work throughout their program was perfectly timed, and in exquisite harmony. Perhaps the most outstanding in their group numbers were the Dance Macabre (Saint Saens) and The Flower Waltz, Tschaiokowsky.

These artists were great favorites with the audience, and made them a gracious encore response.

Mrs. Martin's beautiful voice, pliant and sympathetic, was heard to advantage in "The Swallows" and in Cadman's tender "At (Continued on page 3)

'Crashing Thru' Depicts Life of 3 Generations

"Crashing Thru," a three act apic drama being sponsored by the Eastland Lions Club, will be given Wednesday and Thursday nights, March 14 and 15, at the Connelley Theatre at 8:15 o'clock.

Former Outcasts Are Now at Work Over the State

AUSTIN, March 10.—Thousands of industrial outcasts who once aimlessly roamed the state in search of food and shelter were at work today in 12 transient camps in Texas.

They were but a portion of the 21,255 unemployed enrolled in transient camps at the beginning of 1934. Last February, 10,000 such jobless men were being cared for, of whom 4,800 were single men.

An average of 15,000 cases are cared for each day, according to estimates announced today by the director of the Texas relief commission transient bureau. Less than 10 per cent of these men are hoboes, he said.

Doye Arnold Trial To Start Monday

BAIRD, Texas, March 10.—The third trial of Doye Arnold of Breckenridge, charged with murder in the death of his wife on Sept. 10, 1932, will start here Monday.

At his first trial at Breckenridge in October, 1932, Arnold was assessed the death penalty. The case was appealed, reversed and remanded for new trial at Haskell. The second trial resulted in a hung jury.

Judge Milburn Long of the 42nd judicial district will preside at the trial next week. A special venire of 80 men had been summoned.

The defense counsel will be headed by L. H. Welch, Breckenridge attorney. The state will be represented by Ben Dean of Breckenridge, J. R. Black, district attorney of the 42nd district, and G. E. Mitchell, county attorney for Callahan county.

Lease Prices In Palestine Soar

PALESTINE, Texas, March 10. Lease prices soared skyward as operators rushed to purchase all possible acreage today after the blowing in of the second high gravity gusher in Anderson county in two weeks.

The No. 4 Monnieg of the Tide-Texas Seaboard company's wildcat, southwest of here, blew in last night while being washed. The oil tested a high gravity of 42 per cent and flowed 12 barrels the first hour through a quarter-inch choke. The flow has increased steadily since.

Aged Man Drops Dead In Ranger

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Benjamin Franklin Gooden, 82, who dropped dead while at his work in Ranger Friday. The services were conducted at Evergreen cemetery, where the body was buried.

The decedent was overcome and died while working at the home of J. A. Throver. Mrs. Throver had prepared a meal for Mr. Gooden, who was doing some yard work for her, and when she went to call him she found that he had dropped dead. He had made his home in Olden for a number of years and was well known in Ranger, where he had worked for some time.

DILLINGER IS GATHERING A GUNMAN GANG

CHICAGO, March 10.—John Dillinger, Indiana outlaw, today was believed to have recruited a new band of gunmen from Chicago's gangland following the riddling of a police automobile with machine gun slugs.

The shooting episode occurred as the result of another appearance of the truthless desperado on fashionable Lake Shore Drive yesterday to steal a powerful automobile.

Dillinger has been identified through pictures as the gunman who forced James Gaskin, a chauffeur, from the sedan of his employer. The outlaw was aided by three other men in stealing the automobile, Gaskin said. The outlaw carried a machine gun similar to the weapon taken from the Crown Point, Ind., jail during a jail break a week ago.

After Gaskin reported the automobile theft, police were warned to be on the watch for this car and for a gray sedan in which Dillinger's companions accompanied him.

Results Given In Declamation Contest Friday

The results of the precinct declamations for representatives to the county meet held March 9 were as follows, according to E. E. Layton, director:

Ward School, Junior Girls—First, Dorothy Jean Bruce, Hodges Oak Park, Ranger; second, Virginia Garrett, West Ward Eastland; third, Melba Ruth Wood, South Ward, Eastland.

Ward School, Junior Boys—First, Jerry Bailey, South Ward, Eastland; second, Jim Galloway, Hodges Oak Park, Ranger; third, Bob Hodges, Young Ward, Ranger.

High School, Junior Girls—First, Doris Lawrence, Eastland; second, Lucille Johnston, Morton Valley; third, Jean Adams, Olden.

High School, Junior Boys—First, Johnny Jarrett, Olden High; second, Frank Lovett, Eastland High; third, Willard Balch, Ranger High.

High School, Senior Girls—First, Mary Frances Hunter, Eastland High; second, Margaret Pickett, Morton Valley High; third, Frances Edwards, Olden High.

High School, Senior Boys—First, Tom Harrison, Eastland High; second, F. C. Williamson, Ranger High; third, Bob White, Olden High.

Judges—Mrs. Ed Willman, Eastland; M. B. Hair, Ranger; Mrs. C. A. Wilson, Olden.

CWA to Work Only 650 People For This Week

According to information received at the county CWA headquarters in Eastland, 650 people will be employed in projects throughout the county for the week which began Friday. This is in contrast to the quota of the week previous which was 739. The decrease from the preceding week approximates a 12 per cent cut.

Heads Medical Association



Dr. J. H. Caton of Eastland, president of the Northwest Texas Medical Association, who will preside at the meeting of that association in Wichita Falls, March 13.

Doctors Meet at Wichita Falls On March 13th

Arrangements have been completed for the Northwest Texas Medical Association meeting to be held at Wichita Falls on March 13. Dr. J. H. Caton, Eastland, and Dr. W. G. Phillips, Fort Worth, president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of the association, had charge of the making of arrangements and program.

At the meet there will be two discussions by doctors not members of the Northwest association. These will be by Dr. Sam E. Thompson of Kerrville, president of District 5-6 association, and president-elect of the Texas Medical Association, which will meet at San Antonio in May, the other discussion will be contributed by Dr. J. Stewart Cooper of Abilene of District 4 Association.

The Northwest association comprises the counties of Wilbarger, Knox, Baylor, Haskell, Throckmorton, Wichita, Archer, Young, Stephens, Eastland, Palo Pinto, Jack, Clay, Montague, Wise, Tarrant, Parker, Callahan and Shackelford.

Oil Proration Orders Issued

AUSTIN, March 10.—An initial order for enforcement of strict oil proration was announced today. It requires producers to have a man watch the flow of every flush well every hour, day and night, and to report daily on each well. Besides providing the first accurate check, the order will give employment to 40,000 men, it was estimated.

WARNING!

The danger of flying kites in the vicinity of electric wires was explained today by officials of the Texas Electric Service company, who are appealing to parents to warn youthful kite-fliers to keep away from wires.

"Several fatal accidents already have occurred this spring as a result of boys flying kites too near electric wires," according to J. E. Lewis, district manager of the electric company, "and we want to impress on parents and children the dangers of letting kites and kite strings come in contact with wires. Above all, children should be cautioned never to use metal wire in the place of string when flying kites, for if the wire should fall across an electric line, the current would flash to the person holding it."

"Whenever kites become entangled in electric wires, don't climb poles or use long sticks to remove it. Call the company and a lineman will be sent to get it down, if possible. Another wise precaution is not to fly kites during a rain, as a wet string is almost as dangerous as a wire should it come in contact with an electric line. Kites with metal frames, or wood frames, braced with wire, should not be used."

"Employees of the company will visit local schools within the next few days and make a further explanation of the dangers of flying kites near electric wires."

Major Ocker Freed By Court Martial

FORT SAM HOUSTON, March 10.—Major William C. Ocker, famous blind flying expert of the army air service, was free today on charges or speaking derogatory of a superior officer.

A court-martial jury of nine officers deliberated only 15 minutes before unanimously finding Ocker not guilty of the charges.

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TEXAS PENAL INSTITUTIONS AND THEIR INMATES

All who are interested in penology and the handling of the prison wards of the state should read the annual report of the Texas prison board of the system. Gen. Mgr. Lee Simmons received a splendid tribute from the pen of W. A. Paddock, chairman of the board, for his remarkable management of the system and his achievements along the lines of an administrator. This is the third year of management for Simmons, he having taken charge in the spring of 1930.

As a foreword he places it in the record that the policy of the prison board as executed by the management "is sound and should be continued uninterrupted." He bluntly states that his policy "will always be to look after the human side first and the business side second." His conviction is that the more "we look after the human element properly the better the results from a business standpoint." He frankly admits that his view is contrary to that of many who think that a "prison system is to make money WHEN IN REALITY ITS MISSION IS TO REMAKE MEN."

To those of that view Mgr. Simmons asks that they study his report and see whether or not the policy of looking after the health welfare and recreation pays. He reminds the Texas public that three years before he took charge, with a prison population of 12,732, there were 1694 escapes and 1278 major punishments; that the last three years with 16,446 prisoners there have been 306 escapes and 512 major punishments, notwithstanding the fact that Jan. 1, 1933, the Ferguson farm was converted into an all-trusty farm with no one under guard and with a population of about 125 there were only four escapes. From a school attendance of 136 in 1929 there is an increase to an average of 2420 in 1933, 696 prisoners being taught to read and write in 1933. More significant than all, since the system was organized in 1849 there had been a 10 per cent escape of prisoners up to 1931 and since then only 2 per cent. Some system, some humane management and some notable achievement in the mission "to remake men."

Speaking of the financial side, the Simmons report shows that there has been returned to the state treasury almost \$1,000,000 unexpended from appropriations for the year 1932 and the year 1933 "and yet there has been spent about \$300,000 during these two years for permanent construction which has to be charged to our total operating costs."

Many new buildings, roads, levees and drainage ditches have been constructed. Much pasture land has been cleared and a large increase in livestock has been obtained "yet there has been a decrease of \$200,000 in our pork and beef purchases in 1933 in comparison with 1929. According to the report, the decreased cotton acreage has gone into food and feed for the prison live-at-home policy and for the producing of products for other state institutions the management having canned in 1933 over 400,000 cans of vegetables at the prison plant, a sufficient quantity for the prison system and its inmates and the various supported institutions.

Moreover, average operating cost per prisoner from \$391 per prisoner in 1929, the year before the present management took charge, to \$224 in 1933 should be regarded as a splendid showing and a demonstration that the policy of the prison board and its general manager has been productive of satisfactory results.

Lawmakers and taxpayers are invited to read the report. The verdict of Lee Simmons is "the policy of the prison board is sound and should be understood by the public." He was drafted for the job. He was born on a farm in North Texas. He has owned and operated farms very successfully in bygone years. He is a product of the public schools and institutions of higher learning under the skies of Texas. Friend and critic admit that he has made a marvelous record in the three years he has been handling the prisons and the penal farms of Texas.

PASSING OF MRS. HENRY HUTCHINGS

Mrs. Henry Hutchings has passed on to her reward. She was the wife of Gen. Henry Hutchings adjutant general of Texas and commander of Texas soldiers in the World War. She was a native daughter of Travis county. She was prominent and held high position as a member of the American Legion auxiliary. She was a member of the Gold Star mothers. She was president of the American War mothers. She was active in the organizations of the Texas Republic and the Daughters of Confederate Veterans. A son, Maj. Edward Hutchings, was killed in action in France during the World War.

After a happy married life of more than 50 years Mrs. Hutchings passed on peacefully on the journey to that invisible land of promise. Sincere sympathy of a legion of friends goes to the bereaved husband and surviving children of this woman patriot who figured in the World War work, who was ever active in the work of patriotic organizations and ever a loving wife and mother of the old school of Americans.

Public opinion should be so molded that it would make the Buy at Home movement so big that all your citizens will realize that a dollar spent in your own home city helps to build your city, an da dollar spent in some other city helps build that city. Help build your own home city.

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THE WHISTLE RUSHER.

LAND GOES BEGGING

EL PASO, Tex.—Six acres of valuable Rio Grande Valley land can't find an owner. State officials, wanting a strip of it for widening a highway, could find no owner, but discovered an unrecorded deed for the property to one J. Archuleta, who died without heirs.

REVOLUTION IN CURRICULUM

ISTANBUL.—The most important department in the new Turkish University is the "Institute of

Revolution," designed to teach the youth of Turkey to be real republicans. No undergraduate will be given a degree from the University until he has received a "revolution certificate."

STUDENTS WORK WAY

SOUTH BEND, Ind.—Five hundred and twenty-one students of University of Notre Dame are working their way through school on jobs provided by the University and 75 others have jobs in the city, according to a check-up by Comptroller F. W. Lloyd.

Spanish Moss Gives Cajuns Good Living

HOUMA, La.—Hundreds of Cajuns and "swamp angels" daily pick Spanish moss from cypress and other native trees in the lowlands of Herboonne and sell it to a modern gin here. Large quantities of the gray branches, lending a ghostly air to vegetable hair drape from tree to tree in the swamp woodlands. After picking the moss, work-

ers clean out the leaves and pieces of branch, and string it out on fences and houses. Moisture in the atmosphere and heat from the sun change the light gray color to glossy black. It is then ginned and pressed into bales of approximately 80 pounds each. Furniture manufacturers, mattress makers and upholstery industries use the product.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Man" is the subject of the lesson-subject which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, today. The golden text is: "Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the son of God" (1 John 3:1).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Of his own will begat he us with the word of truth . . ." (James 1:18).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Man, made in His likeness, possesses and reflects God's dominion over all the earth. Man and woman as co-existent and eternal with God forever reflect, in glorified quality, the infinite Father-Mother God" (page 516).

PRISONER CHANGES CLOTHES

SEATTLE.—Steve Costello under sentence of 5 to 20 years for robbing a gasoline station, persuaded another prisoner in the county jail, who was charged only with drunken driving, to change clothes with him, and walked out of the jail without question.

RARE BIRD FOUND

SCITUATE, Mass.—A bird known as the Dovekie, belonging to the auk family and rarely seen in this part of the world, was found by Mr. and Mrs. John Ketter. Usually inhabiting the Far North, its presence in the temperate zone was attributed to the extreme cold weather.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By



The ROMANTIC RUNAWAY

BEGIN HERE TODAY PABLITO, a handsome 17-year-old youth, works at the postoffice of millionaire JIM FIELD. When Field's daughter, ESTELLE, arrives he falls in love with her almost at sight. Pablito knows nothing of his parents—titled Englishman and a servant girl. As a child he ran away from ANTELA, the beautiful old estate in whose care he was left. Since then he has lived with the KUBERS, who have been hiding him for a murder years before. TED JEFFRIES, a guest at the Field home, sees Noyes and recognizes him. Noyes flees to the swamp where he overhears a man and girl plotting to rob the Field home during a masquerade party next evening. Pablito gives Noyes money to go to Havana and promises to meet him there later. Pablito is planning to go to the masquerade in order to see Estelle.



Suddenly, he had a curious conviction that someone was watching him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER IX PABLITO left the "Silver Dart" with a young man who was waiting to convert it into an ornate gondola. There he made his way to the servants' quarters. There he found excitement that was made manifest through loud talk and occasional high pitched laughter. The servants were excited by the prospect of the good time of which they would have glimpses and also because it was rumored that on this occasion Field intended to outdo past extravaganzas.

"Too bad you all won't be here tonight," Jack commented. "I've seen such parties before," Pablito answered. "Not like this here one. This is the biggest yet." Pablito picked up a sweater, sung out, "So long!" and turned toward the gate of the patio where Pete waited in the car the servants used. They drove over sandy roads and through waste areas toward the strip of beach where Pablito always moored the small boat to which he had attached a power engine. In this he waved goodbye to Pete, started the engine and made for home—the strip of land that would be lonely tonight. But it would not be for long. Pablito realized, smiling. At nine he would be coming back to the camp. Back to talk with Estelle if the fates were kind—and he prayed they would be. Back to the glitter and to a masquerade that would be doubly real for him.

He planned some of the things he would say to her and said them half aloud. The screech of a swooping gull seemed to mock him and he replied to it in kind. Then, remembering, he turned his face toward the stretch of water beyond which lay Cuba. He had always hungered to go there and now he was going, but with a reluctance dimming his eagerness to view new scenes. There was often, he decided, an irony about one's granted wishes. By this time the boat was realized it was apt to seem less alluring. But he knew that Field had a big place outside of Havana. Perhaps it was barely possible—He might see Estelle there. At this prospect Pablito fell to dreaming again.

Suddenly he remembered Noyes. He hoped Noyes was comfortable and that he had kept enough money to insure meals and a roof that would cover him. Sometimes the stars were put out by rain and then one needed a roof. Pablito's brow furrowed, thinking of Noyes, who needed care.

But he could not be down hearted for long on such a night and presently he was thinking of Estelle once more.

FIELD'S camp at 10 that night was filled with a colorful throng—ladies of Venice, torch-bearers, Pierrots, Columbian, nuns, priests, señoritas of old Spain. There were grown-ups turned to children just for the night. Russian royalty, Watteau milk maids, pirates, every variety of soldiers, Italian peasants, Sieliani Bahermen, Lady Hamilton, Bonapartes, Queen Elizabeths and many others. Bright hues rich fabrics and fantastic designs were to be seen on all sides. There was a wide range in the costumes because of the wide range in personal tastes. And back of all the revelry was the grandeur made by a man who saw no reason against spending money except the lack of it to spend.

Pablito pulled his small boat to shore and walked to the camp. This took half an hour in spite of the fact that he knew the way perfectly and walked swiftly. He had been reassured and given courage by his appearance. His physical charm still well to the north he had chosen and, as the night had not cooled, the brown of his skin made

him indeed seem the Spaniard who walks calmly into the ring smelling of blood and dust, a short handled, keen-edged weapon in his quick, nervous hand.

Pablito had not forgotten the dagger. He had plunged it into his sash so that only the hilt showed. Within a little distance of the camp he heard music and stopped at the edge of a stunted pine woods to adjust his mask. Suddenly he had a curious conviction that someone was nearby watching him. But he could see no one and went on quickly.

After he had disappeared a girl's voice said, "No one but a flatterer would come from this way."

"If a man answered her roughly 'If anyone else is planning our little game he'll come out at the short end!'"

"What'll you do about it?" "I'll watch him. I had a good look at him and if I see him again I'll know him."

The girl shivered from nervousness. "I don't like it," she said. "I got a funny feeling, Beau." The words seemed to have become a chant with her.

The man answered by cursing her with sincere and deep feeling.

PABLITO knew how Estelle was going to be dressed. He had learned this from the maids who always approached him on the least excuse to coquette and try to exact from him some slight show of interest. There was something about the youth which coupled with his physical attractiveness made him the target for converted

feminine advances. Estelle he had been told was to be a wood d'art, clothed in green and carrying musical pipes of the sort with which she is said to have disported. She was to wear her hair hanging loose and bound with a garland. Her feet and legs would be bare.

One of the servants had begun to make a comment about this costume but had halted it abruptly at a long and coldly appraising stare from Pablito. Early in the day, of Pablito's employment at the camp there had been an occasion when he had said to another servant named Zeke. Up until that moment Zeke, who had a quick and governable temper, had had things very much his own way thrashing anyone who disagreed with him.

The affair had established a reputation for the blond youth and after that Pablito went his way unchallenged. The other servants were careful not to say anything they had reason to feel he would dislike.

Having made his way through a fringe of scraggly, under-nourished fir trees, Pablito found himself looking at the beginning of the party.

The setting was more dazzling than he had dreamed it could be. In spite of his knowledge of tropic nights and their power, even unaided, to enchant.

He did not at first see the one for whom he was looking. Doubtless she was standing somewhere in a corner looking on, a little shy and conscious of her bare legs and feet.

The music flared forth then and up the beach he saw dancing on the huge platform that had been erected for that purpose.

A GIRL in a Spanish costume and a man in the costume of a treader strolled through the crowd about this time. The girl walked too well. There was a rhythmic undulation of her shoulders, a sinuous sweep of her hips that made one of the New York guests think of a small salon with gray walls and scarce draperies where manikins paraded to display French costumes.

"Clever, that!" the woman said admiringly, as she looked after the girl and the stocky, short man beside her. "Fancy the wit that would make one disguise one's walk!"

Her companion shook his head, smiling a little. "Field has all sorts of friends," he said. "She may not be disguising her walk after all!"

The girl who had passed them was saying anxiously to her companion, "Do you know where he is now?"

The man answered her with a smile, "Yes." "Watcha goin' to do, Beau, if he walks off with the best before we begin to comb the place?" she questioned in a whisper that was made shrill by nervousness. "Mind your business, will you, and I'll tend to mine!" the man responded in an angry undertone. "If you must know it, he's goin' to leave with us tonight! I'll fix it some way I generally can fix things when I hafta, can't I?" "Yes," the girl agreed lifelessly. She knew that well.

Contract Let for Ford Building At World's Fair

The general contract for erection of the Ford Exposition building at the Chicago World's Fair has been awarded to the W. E. O'Neil Construction company of Chicago, it was announced today by Mr. C. B. Ostrander, manager of the Dallas branch of the Ford Motor company. Construction work, which already begun, is to be completed before June 1. Fourteen hundred tons of steel will be used in the building, which will be 900 feet long and rise 110 feet at its highest point in a huge central rotunda. Specifications call for 700,000 square feet of fire-resistant wall board, 1,600,000 feet of lumber, 5,000 yards of concrete and 160,000 square feet of metal work will be used in the interior and exterior. The Ford building, one of the most modern and most architecturally advanced buildings in the world, is being built on a site of 110 acres. The building will be one of the largest of a Century of Progress situated on an 11-acre frontage of 1,100 feet. A five-acre lake shore is a part of the project, though this was included in today's contract.

USE BALKAN RULER

Answer to Previous Puzzle

A grid puzzle with numbers and letters. The grid is 12 columns wide and 12 rows high. Numbers are placed in the top row and on the right side. Letters are placed in the grid cells. The puzzle is titled 'Balkan Ruler'.

A portrait of a man with a mustache, looking slightly to the side. The portrait is framed within a grid-like border.

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Stamping Dance Seen Down to Rio

the modern dance... with the Carioca... tango dem... for the first... musical ex... Down to Rio... while performed... in this film, is in... within the talents of... all-room dancer. The... the added feature of... able to crowded floors... ed a "tete-a-tete tan... the foreheads of the... are supposed to touch... the progress of the... The Carioca is ex... the rage with the...

ago an attempt was... a similar dance... by Vernon Castle. It... the "Maxixe." Though... brought considerable... late impresario of ball... it proved too diffi... an oil... Carioca, according to... who supervised "Fly... to Rio," is a derivation... Maxixe, retaining its... discarding most of the... evolutions.

for the dance was writ... Vincent Youmans, cele... composer of such hits as... "Nanette," and other mu... sical productions.

Down to Rio," RKO... featuring Fred Astaire, ... Rio, Raul Roulien, ... and Gene Raymond, ... what is claimed... the greatest novelty ever... for the screen when a com... show is staged in the... performers doing their... the wings of airplanes... as Fred Astaire, of "Whoopie"... treated the picture.

Sees NRA As Part of U. S. Life

Persons who... NRA recovery codes are a... thing in American eco... are due for a surprise, be... Dr. E. A. Elliott, head of... Christian university school... and an NRA official... recovery codes will become... part of the American... system, Dr. Elliott be...

is no question but what... of NRA will con... cease reser... he said. "However, these... modified from time to time... will be a maximum of benefit... greatest number of people... and extend will become the basic... of industry."

one of the foremost... authorities of the... and an enthusiast over... program, has spent sev... in Washington, D. C.,... official.

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How Giant Air Liner Met Doom on Mountainside



Eight crash victims lay dead in the crumpled wreckage of this huge air liner when it was found, after two days' search, wedged at a grotesque angle between giant, snow-laden pines on a bleak mountainside 30 miles from Salt Lake City, Utah. A crowd of sightseers here views the wreck at night in its stark setting. The plane had struck almost vertically. Its nose was buried deep in the ground and the tail, broken off, jutted at a queer slant into the air.

Aggie's Process of Man-Making



Here is Wynne Gibson as "Aggie Appleby, Maker of Men" carrying on her hilarity in the RKO-Radio comedy hit with her co-star Charles Farrell. Zasu Pitts and William Garvan are also seen in prominent featured roles.

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Cocktail Flats Wetting Parched Utah Throats

By GEORGE D. CRISSEY United Press Staff Correspondent SALT LAKE CITY, Utah.—The net result of repeal in dry Utah, the state that cast the deciding vote against national prohibition, has been to revive cocktail flat operations and apartment house bootlegging.

Speakeasies, heretofore operating in defiance of both state and national laws, now are legal nationally and, with sobs, the owners have seen the thirsty turn up their noses at the raw brands of legal liquors offered. Still being thirsty, the drinkers sought other places and, naturally, such places sprang up to take care of them.

In short, corn liquor from Nevada and Wyoming and sugar whisky from Idaho and Utah itself remains the favorite with local drinkers.

And the speakeasies, due to interference by internal revenue men interested in collecting federal taxes only, dare not handle the moonshine product.

But apartment house operations are different. A half dozen revenue men cannot search every individual apartment in a city of 150,000 persons. So the moonshine drifted to the apartments, and the drinkers, unable to stomach the blend whiskies smuggled here from adjoining wet states, followed the moonshine. That hurt the speakeasies.

Immediately following repeal, revenue men became active and all the illegal fancy drinks disappeared from uptown bars. They had to go legal, from the federal viewpoint. Authorized blends and gins, the latter not a bit better than the bathtub type, were the

only beverages available. The cocktail flats, being more isolated, did better than that, with the ultimate result that there are four times as many as there were.

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Tells Probers of Army Deals



Harry Woodring, assistant secretary of war, is shown telling the House Military Affairs Committee of army business deals now being investigated by a District of Columbia grand jury. Woodring told of huge (but as he believed, justified) profits made by aviation supply builders. Contracts for sale of surplus army material were also under survey.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

State of Texas, County of Eastland. Be it so ordered by the City Commission of the City of Eastland, Texas that an election be held on the 3rd, day of April A. D. 1934, at which election there shall be elected two Commissioners to succeed Commissioners Frank Castleberry and N. A. Moore whose term of office expires on that date.

Be it further ordered that the names of all candidates for said office shall be filed with the City Clerk, at the City Hall not later than five (5) o'clock P. M. on the 26th, day of March A. D. 1934.

Said election shall be held at the City Hall in the City of Eastland, Eastland County, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed Managers and Clerks of said election, to-wit:

Oscar Wilson, Presiding Judge and Clerk. Eugene Day, Judge and Clerk. Russell Hill, Clerk. G. M. Harris, Clerk.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of the special charter of the City of Eastland, Texas, adopted by vote of the people of said city on the 16th, day of May A. D. 1919, and under the constitution and the laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters shall be allowed to vote.

A copy of this order, signed by the Chairman of the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Eastland, Texas, attested by the City Clerk, of said City shall serve as proper notice of said Election.

Passed and approved this 5th, day of March 1934. D. L. Kinnaird, Chairman Board of Commissioners. Attest: J. F. Little, City Clerk. 3-6-28.

If you keep on worrying Insult about leaving, some day he's going to surprise the country and quit—Then what?

Single Fruit Fly Starts New Objective To Suppress Pest

By United Press. NUEVO LAREDO, Mex.—Finding of a single fruit fly in the garden of the American consul here has extended the federal government's war on the insect to this city.

Mexico is cooperating with United States and Texas authorities in eradicating the Mexican fruit fly, Anastrepha ludens, bane of many orchardists.

Dr. Alfonso Damp, federal entomologist of Mexico, said on his visit to the American consul's garden here that several experimental campaigns were being conducted. These will be extended to all states if they prove successful, it was understood.

From October, 1931, to September, 1933, the Mexican plant protection service destroyed 1,035,940 guayaba trees, 61,293 Mexican plum trees, 326 bitter orange trees and 2,000 tons of fruit in the state of Sinaloa and Nayarit.

In another project 125,777 trees were cut down, 17,257 were topped, 1,157 were not permitted to bear fruit, and 1,681,145 kilograms of fruit was buried. A kilogram is slightly more than a pound.

FROZEN FISH REVIVE By United Press. DEER LODGE, Mont.—Peter Hackensack set out to catch a mess of trout through the ice and came back with an aquarium. As fast as he caught them he tossed them onto the ice and they were quickly frozen. He testifies, with witnesses to back him up, that he took the fish home, put them into a tub of water while he had dinner, and an hour later found every trout alive and swimming in the tub.

Simmons Invites Senior Students To High Program

ABILENE, Texas, March 10.—An invitation is extended to all high school seniors living within a radius of 100 miles of Abilene to attend senior high school day, Saturday, April 28, to be held on the campus of Simmons university.

The occasion will be sponsored by the women of the Abilene Baptist churches with the co-operation of Baptist women throughout this section of the state.

High school senior day will consist of a program given by Simmons students and faculty in the university chapel at 10 o'clock, followed by a noon picnic dinner on the campus with Simmons as host. In the afternoon visitors may take the opportunity to inspect the plant of the institution.

Transportation to and from Simmons university will be provided. All students who wish to remain over night have a welcome awaiting them in the homes of Abilene.

This invitation is not extended to Baptist students alone but to high school seniors of all denominations.

Sponsors of the movement hope that this "get-together" of high school seniors residing in this section of the west may prove to be an occasion of real fellowship and genuine enjoyment.

Speakers from the sponsor group are to visit the different high schools and communities, deliver invitations in person and explain further plans for senior day.

Capacity House— (Continued from page 1)

Dawning" She had an understanding accompanist in Mrs. Beall.

The Dragoon Oetel was simply stunning not only in their execution, but in poise and personal appearance. The group included the leader, artist, violinist Wilda Drago, and Margaret Hart, Catherine Carter, Joe Earl Uttz, Alma Williamson, Eida Lindsley, Clara Jane Kimble, who also accompanied (piano) two numbers, and Mrs. Arthur Vaughn.

Their opening number, "Andante," from Surprise Symphony (Haydn) was in balanced harmony, without piano accompaniment, and was noted for its delicate values in shading. They received an overwhelming ovation, and responded with a charming encore.

The conclusion of the program was climaxed in the "Polonaise" (Arensky), Maher and Beall, a brilliant interpretation, and one understood and highly appreciated by the audience.

The entire program was given as published, and proved a most outstanding musical treat.

The audience included guests from Breckenridge, Ranger, Cisco, San Angelo and Vernon.

Mrs. Art H. Johnson, general chairman for the concert, Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, president of the Music Study club, and officers of the club, Mmes. W. K. Jackson, Turner M. Collie, T. J. Haley, F. Q. Hunter, H. O. Satterwhite, A. F. Taylor, assisted by Mmes. Francis V. Williams, Howard McDonald and Miss Lovaine Taylor, received in the vestibule of the church, and presented the programs, handsome eight-page folders, from office of Eastland Telegram. Miss Betty Perkins made a charming page, and presented the lovely flowers tendered the artists.

Nearly the entire personnel of the Music Study club membership, either actively assisted in receiving and ushering, or attended, bringing groups of guests.

The program met with a most hearty response from the audience, and this expression of appreciation was gratifying not only to the sponsoring club but to the artists presented.

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For County Attorney: ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?

For Sheriff, Eastland County: VIRGE FOSTER B. B. (BRAD) POE.

For County Clerk: ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?

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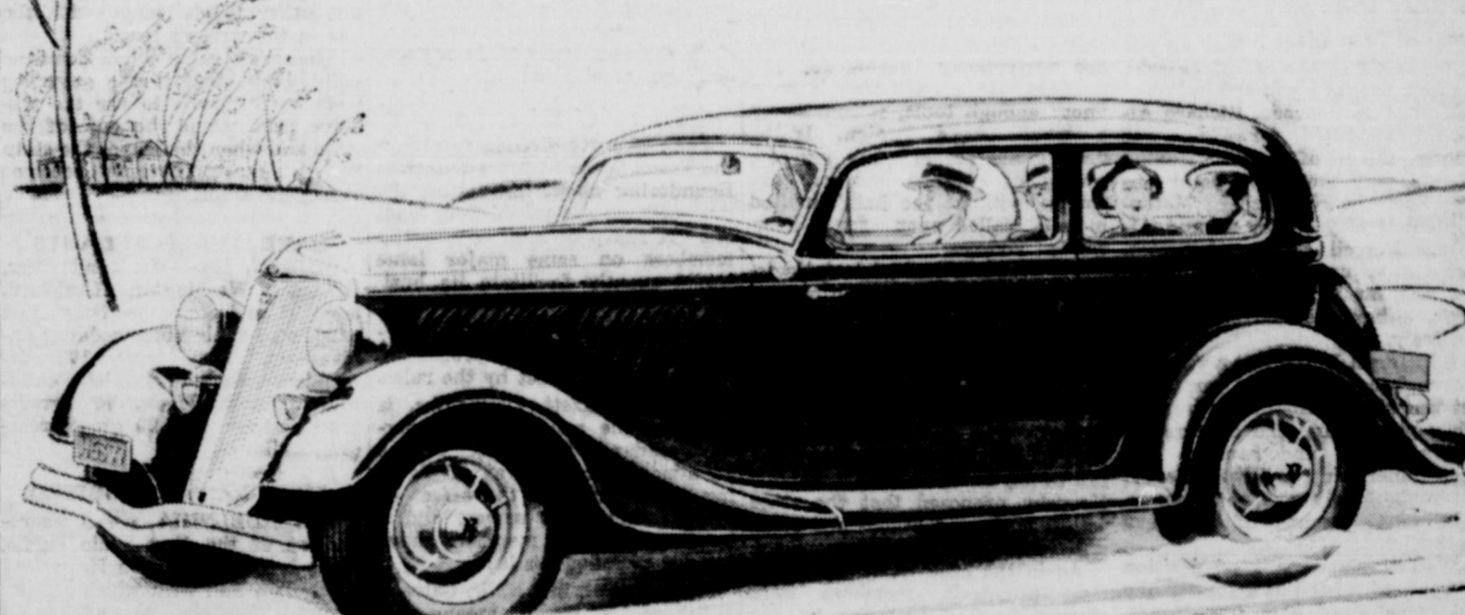
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Garden and Yard Hints From Club Women of County

Canning Pecans
Mrs. Henry Capers, food supply demonstrator of the Bass Lake home demonstration clubs recommends the following method for preserving surplus pecans to be used in the summer months. Pecans left in the hull will get old during the summer months and before the next season.

Use pint jars (clamp style). Wash jars and put in pan of water and bring to boil. Wipe jars entirely dry.

Shell and sort pecans, set in stove and heat but do not scorch. Fill jars with 1 inch of top; crush one sheet of parchment (butter) paper and put in top of jar. Partially seal jar, set in pressure cooker. After steam begins coming out, start counting time and leave in 7 minutes. Then close pet cock and bring to 5 pounds pressure. Release pressure immediately, remove jar from cooker and completely seal. Set in cool place.

Tile Cutting Bed
Hollow cement tile used for cutting beds by yard demonstrators of the home demonstration clubs has been satisfactory during the dry months of the year. The tile placed one foot in the ground furnished water to the roots of the plants. This water gradually comes through where the tile is placed end to end and the water spreads one and one half feet up and out. The beds are made six by ten feet and approximately 300 cuttings can be rooted at one time. Mrs. Louis Pitecock, yard demonstrator of the Ranger Co-Workers club, Ranger, reports the bed finished and 100 cuttings out. These plants are to be used in the planting of aer yard and the yards of the co-operators of the club.

TCU Won The Southwestern Title Without a Star

By W. W. COPELAND
United Press Staff Correspondent
FORT WORTH.—Can it be possible that Texas Christian university won the Southwest conference championship this year without a single individual star?

That question is causing considerable comment here as an aftermath of the 1934 basketball season which Texas Christian finished with 10 victories and two defeats to far outstrip any other contender.

Those who favor the theory that the brain of Coach Francis A. Schmidt was the greatest factor in the triumph point out that there was not an individual star on the team, unless it was Elbert (Flash) Walker, forward and sparkplug.

True, they concede, Richard Allison, towering forward, was among the conference's leading scorers, but they also point out that Zachary of Southern Methodist could play circles around Allison. Derrell Lester, at center, was a good jumper, they maintain, but was far from a flash on the floor, either defensively or offensively.

Big Hersel Kinzy was a valuable player because of his versatility but was slow compared with many other players in the conference. Myers, guard and captain, had good generalship and was steady, but undoubtedly was not comparable with Bacchus of Southern Methodist.

Walker played out of position all season. Listed as a forward he did guard duty both on offense, because of his adeptness at handling the ball, and on defense, because of his speed in retreating to the enemy basket. In carrying out a guard's task he was the most outstanding man on the team, but it was doubtful he will receive all-conference rating.

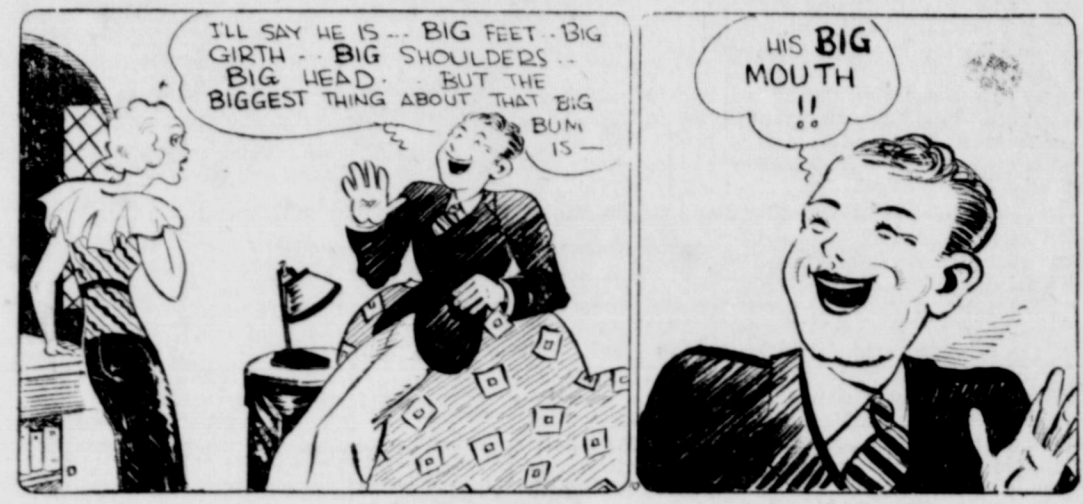
Some point out that it would be entirely possible, and within good reason, that an all-conference team might be picked without even naming a T. C. U. player on the team, despite the team's triumph.

Allison, with his large individual scoring, probably would get the most consideration, but they argue that there are at least three or four better forwards in the conference, including Jack Gray of Texas and Zachary.

It was Schmidt's ability to drill thoroughly his team that brought the victory. With a slow, towering team, far from superb at handling the ball in a fast-breaking game, Schmidt schooled his men to handle the ball carefully, and keep it in their possession until a virtual certain shot presented itself.

Coach Schmidt attributed the success of the team, not to individual stars, but to the unselfish teamwork of all members. It was the co-ordination, the willingness to let the other fellow shoot, and the complete harmony of the squad that were the greatest factors, Schmidt said.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



Inner Workings of a Legislative Session Seldom Appear In Its Daily Records As Printed

By GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press Staff Correspondent
AUSTIN, March 6. — Inner mechanism of a state legislative session never is fully chronicled in its records, and frequently escapes observation.

Galleries see arm-waving orators make impassioned pleas for or against bills. The speakers only may be filling in time. Old legislators recall few speeches that have changed votes. Occasionally an influential member is used as a "bell wether" to attract others who lack definite views, but mostly, the speeches go on while floor workers scamper about the hall lining up votes by personal appeal.

When the call goes out during a roll call for "enforcement of the rules," it means that members are pursuing their floor campaign for votes even after the voting begins. Rules forbid that.

An impressive gallery sometimes is herded into exert an effect on wavering members. Some measures are called up only to block others. Resolutions are particularly usable for this purpose. If a resolution is on a "hot" enough topic, it can tie up a whole day's session. If the "resolution period" has expired, prominent citizens suddenly are found "without the hall," invited in and called upon for a long-winded address.

There are lots of tricks in legislating but more in preventing legislation.

The legislature frowned on what seems to be a thoroughly practical proposal of Senator John Hornsby, Austin. The state long has been exacting penalties from those who fail to pay taxes on time. Senator Hornsby proposed that the state follow business methods and offer a discount on taxes paid promptly.

As in the case with most practical proposals, members were prompt to find obstacles in the constitution. It would violate the clause requiring that taxation be

equal and uniform, they said. Adding on to the tax when it is not paid does not violate the "equal and uniform" clause because the tax remains the same and the additional part is merely a penalty. Whatever it is called, it has to be paid.

J. L. Robinson, veteran journal clerk who has recorded the proceedings of every regular and special session of a Texas house of representatives since 1892, may retire. Miss Bessie Evans, who has been assistant journal clerk for many sessions, probably will succeed "Uncle Jim" if he decides not to seek the position in the 44th legislature.

Bob Barker, chief clerk of the Texas senate, made a seconding speech on the closing night of the recent session. Every senator had spoken for the selection of Senator Margie Neal as president pro tem. Lieutenant Governor Edgar E. Witt recognized Barker to "second" the nomination, too.

Lack of party division results in the Texas house of representatives floundering about much of the time without recognized floor leaders. A sharp division of the 150 members on some major issue would greatly facilitate its business.

There are individuals who largely shape the course of procedure, within the course set by the rules. George Moffett, Chillicothe, is probably the most powerful personal leader in the house. He has an almost uncanny way of figuring out in advance the effect of various legislative moves, and a large group of members have learned to follow his lead.

That Moffett and R. W. Calvert, Hillsboro, a leader among the newer members, are both organizing a campaign to make J. E.

Ford, McGregor, next speaker, speaks well for Ford's chances.

When the supplemental appropriation bill failed to pass the special session of the legislature there fell with it the rewards proposed for capture of Clyde Barrow, Raymond Hamilton and Joe Palmer. The rewards had been authorized in an appropriation for the executive office. Hamilton, a convict with 263 years of accumulated sentences, and Palmer were the major prisoners released in last January's sensational break at the Eastham state prison farm.

Proposals to renovate the state capitol and to erect a state courts building at Austin, both with federal assistance, also fell with the appropriation bill.

When conferees were considering issuance of new relief bonds and the question came up of the effort and time required for the governor's signature on bonds, it was suggested that a St. Louis machine firm has a pantograph machine by which many signatures can be imposed at one writing.

It is so constructed that as the writer moves a pen, other pens at sufficient space intervals to lay out other bonds, move with the one in the writer's grasp.

The hitch came when someone pointed out that if the governor went to St. Louis to use the machine, she would be out of the state and when she leaves the state the lieutenant governor becomes acting governor.

HAVE 171 DESCENDANTS
JOPLIN, Mo.—Mr. and Mrs. George Washington Lankford, aged 91 and 87 respectively, just celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary. They have 171 descendants, including eight children, 66 grandchildren, 77 great-grandchildren and 20 great-great-grandchildren.

FIRST RADIO EXHIBITED
PHILADELPHIA.—A reproduction of the first radio outfit, made by Dr. Heinrich Hertz 47 years ago, and with which he discovered "Hertzian waves," is on exhibit at the Benjamin Franklin Memorial here.

By HAMLIN

ALLEY OOP



By Cowen Cancer Experts Praise the X-Ray

PHILADELPHIA. — An effective treatment for certain forms of cancer, recently announced from the Middlesex Hospital in London, has been used with gratifying results in the Temple University Hospital, Dr. William N. Parkinson, dean of the university medical school, said.

The treatment, known as the fractional X-ray method, was discovered by Dr. Coutard, a French scientist.

"We have followed the method here for the past three years," Dr. Parkinson said, "and have had very satisfactory results. "It is not applicable to all cases of cancer. In fact, there are special types in which a few large doses of X-ray will accomplish

more than a so-called "Coutard series."

"We have used the method in cases of cancer of the tongue, oesophagus, lungs and practically every part of the body, but it will be necessary to continue the work for several years before we will be certain which methods are best suited to each type of cancer."

CLAIMS MASTODON BONES
By United Press
BURLEY, Idaho.—Claim to the skeleton of a prehistoric mastodon under the mining laws has been made by James Okelberry. He discovered one of the femur bones of the skeleton and staked out the land near the discovery. The bone, measuring four feet seven inches in length, was discovered on land owned by Mrs. Viette Anderson nearly Burley.

PAY BIG VARMINT BOUNTY
HARRISBURG, Pa.—The State of Pennsylvania has been paying more than \$1,000 a day bounty on undesirable animals killed or captured by hunters. In one month bounties were paid on 30 wildcats, 1,878 gray foxes, 22,471 weasels, and three goshawks, a total expenditure of \$30,488.

BROTHERS REUNITED
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—Geo. and Louis O'Dell, brothers, who were separated 48 years ago when their mother died, were reunited here by a mutual friend who had heard their stories and recognized a similarity of physical features. Once in the intervening time they had lived only half a block apart.

Report Shows Air Travel Is Safe
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—An index to the increasing safety of air travel was contained in a report of Roy C. Farn of the Kansas City report.

The report showed 35 passengers embarked on the barked from planes in 1933 without accidents.

With a total of 19,111 and 18,240 takeoffs, serious accidents and occurred, according to Total poundage of at the airport totaled The poundage totaled decrease of 78,039 per 1932.

Total passenger including commercial army operations, show of 5,520 for the year, 1933 total to 51,056, 1,553 army flyers used in 1933.



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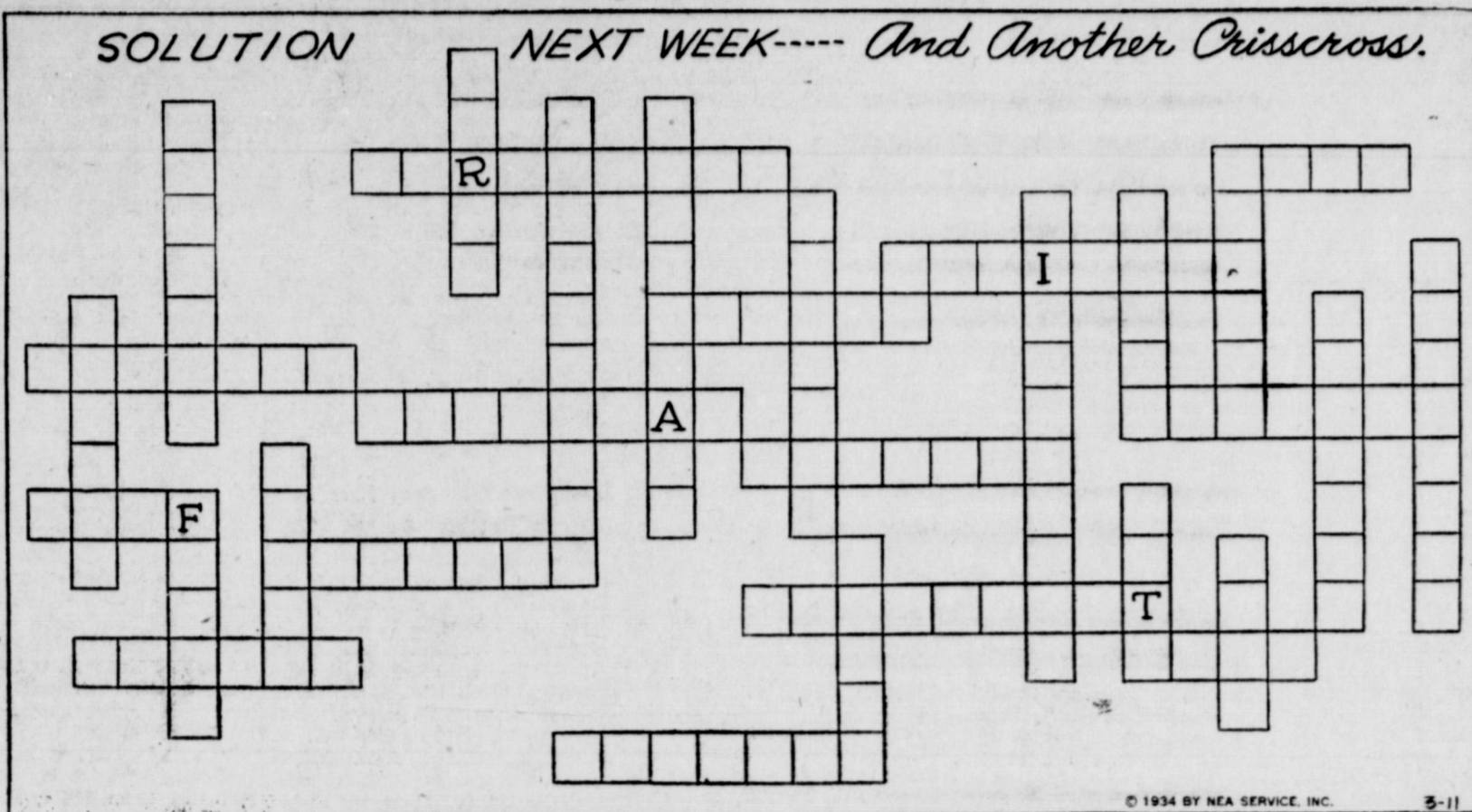
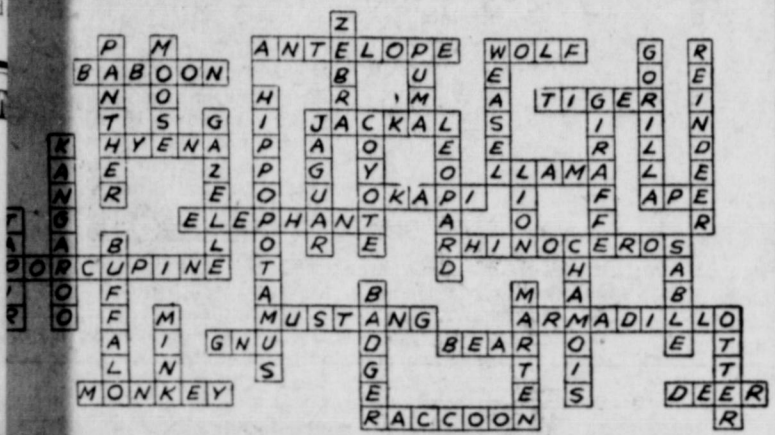
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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION



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PROCEEDINGS IN COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

Affirmed—H. W. Evans vs. Mrs. Mary J. Beard et al., Bexar; Eugene Belzung vs. Owl Taxi et al., Bexar.

Reversed and Remanded—San Antonio Public Service Co. vs. Mrs. Rosie Fraser et al., Bexar; Arthur M. Scholz vs. Sandy-Andy Community Stores, Inc., Bexar.

Dismissed—Citizens State bank of Cross Plains, Texas, vs. Sallie Hollingsworth Benton et al., Calahan.

Motions Submitted—A. M. Ferguson et al. vs. Joe Lee Ferguson, plaintiff in error's motion for rehearing; A. M. Ferguson et al. vs. A. S. Mauzey et al., plaintiff in error's motion for rehearing; T. E. Ballard vs. Floyd Shock et al., appellant's motion for rehearing; Citizens State bank of Cross Plains, Texas, vs. Sallie Hollingsworth Benton et al., joint motion to dismiss; Jose Tallahas, Ind., etc., vs. Winc Chon et al., appellant's motion for rehearing; Republic Underwriters vs. Cecil C. Howard, appellant's motion for rehearing; A. M. Ferguson et al. vs. Joe Lee Ferguson, appellant's motion for extension of time for filing transcript and statement of facts; A. M. Ferguson et al. vs. Joe Lee Ferguson, appellant's motion for permission to present oral argument on motion for rehearing; A. M. Ferguson et al. vs. A. S. Mauzey et al., appellant's motion for permission to present oral argument on motion for rehearing; Joe Dean Jr. vs. N. H. White, appellee's motion for rehearing; J. Clark Taylor Jr. vs. A. S. Mauzey, petition for injunction; Panhandle & Santa Fe Ry. Co. vs. G. D. Burt et al., appellee's motion to postpone submission.

Motions Granted—Citizens State bank of Cross Plains, Texas, vs. Sallie Hollingsworth Benton et al., joint motion to dismiss.

Motions Overruled—Panhandle & Santa Fe Ry. Co. vs. G. D. Burt et al., appellee's motion to postpone submission.

Cases Submitted—Abilene & Southern Ry. Co. vs. J. C. Bagwell et al., Taylor; S. Nelson Baggett vs. Texas Employers' Ins. Asso., Taylor; W. L. Hays vs. James Shaw, banking commissioner, et al., Taylor.

Cases to be Submitted Friday, March 16—Jesus Mendoza et al. vs. Texas & Pacific Ry. Co., Howard; The Farmers State bank of Haskell vs. R. G. Stoker, Haskell; Panhandle & S. F. Ry. Co. vs. G. D. Burt et al., Scurry; Employers' Reinsurance Corp. vs. Joe Brock, Haskell.

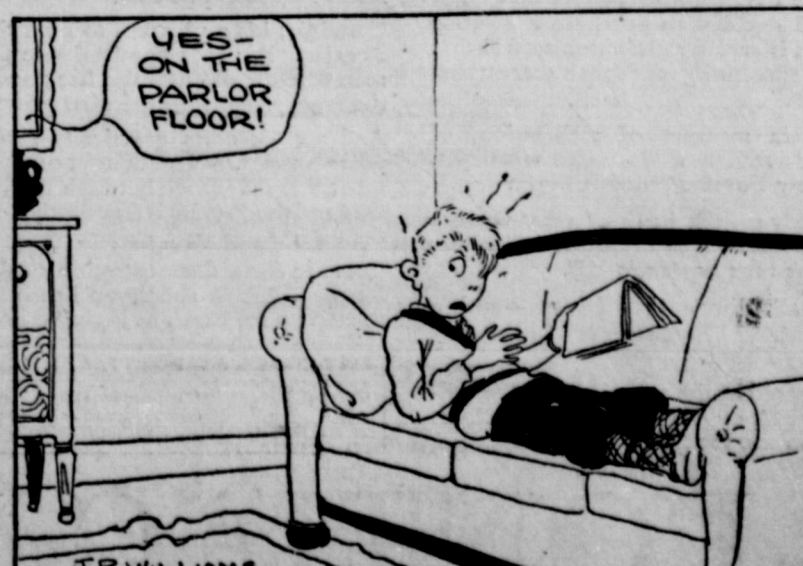
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CALENDAR

Sunday

Intermediate Epworth League, 6 p. m., Methodist church. Senior Epworth League, 6 p. m., Methodist church. Baptist Training School, 6:30 p. m., Baptist church.

Monday

Womens Missionary Society program, 2:30 p. m., Methodist church. Week of prayer program, 2:45 p. m., Baptist church.

Ladies Aid society, 3 p. m., at Christian church. Ladies' Bible class, 3 p. m., at Church of Christ.

Boys and Girls World club and Children's Circle, 2:30 and 3 p. m., Methodist church.

Friendship class of Christian church, social meeting, 7:30 p. m., residence of Mrs. Lewis Pitzer; Mrs. A. D. Masner, co-hostess.

Young Womens association of Baptist church, 7:30 p. m., Miss Geraldine Terrell, house hostess.

Brilliant Reception Follows Concert Mrs. Art H. Johnson, general chairman for the Eastland Music Study club concert given in the Methodist church Friday night opened her home on South Seaman street to a large group of callers, following the close of the concert.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson received in the handsome reception rooms, with Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, president of Music Study club; Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite, incoming president, and sister of the hostess; the guest artists honored Mrs. Minnie H. Maher, Wanda Dragoo-Beall, Doris Mullins Martin, Miss Wilda Dragoo and Mrs. Howard McDonald, Turner M. Collier, F. I. Dragoo, T. J. Haley, and Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, officer of the State Federation of Music Clubs.

The house party group in the library included Mrs. W. A. Hart, E. H. Hinrichs, D. F. Houle, F. O. Hunter, Agnes Harwood Doyle, A. F. Taylor, Connie Price, W. P. Leslie.

The tea table in the spacious dining room was charmingly appointed in handsome Madeira linen and centered with a reflector holding a canary colored wide vase filled with glowing yellow flowers, encircled by silver birds.

Silver trays of mints, nuts and delicate cakes, spaced the table. Mrs. W. K. Jackson presided over the coffee service, and Mrs. W. E. Stallter poured tea.

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Breckenridge guests: Mmes. John Ward, Misses Kathleen Haynes, Ruth Hightower, Jennie Lauderdale, James, Hyatt.

Cisco guests: Rev. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Graham, Misses Fee, Misses Alice Johnson and Graham.

From Brownwood: Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGhee.

Music Club members of the house party who were unable to attend included: Mmes. Rosenquest, Tom Flack, P. L. Crossley, F. A. Jones, P. B. Bittle and Donald Kinnaird.

This was one of the most outstanding and artistic events of this social season and marked a special calendar day in the social affairs of the Music Study club of Eastland.

Alpha Delphians Enjoy Outing The Alpha Delphian chapter was charmingly entertained on

their club day, Thursday by Mrs. Claude G. Stubblefield at her home in the country near Carbon.

A covered dish luncheon served about four small tables, Madeira covered, and centered with souvenir miniature booklets inscribed with a group of Shakesperian quotations, and with covers in green, carried out a St. Patrick Day motif and indicated that places for the club members.

The menu of baked chicken, carrots and peas and hot rolls, had second course of fruit salad, and last course of ice cream, cake and coffee.

Between courses, the original verses of the members, relating how they had earned their \$1.00 dues, were read, and afforded considerable amusement.

Following luncheon the program was opened by the president, Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin, in a brief introduction of the study for the day, Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice."

Mrs. W. Fred Davenport, leader of program, opened the numbers in a wonderful preface, giving historical background of period of play.

Mrs. P. L. Crossley discussed acts 1, 2 and 3, in dramatized fashion, and Mrs. John Harrison, presented an interesting interpretation of the concluding acts.

The topics were presented by Mmes. N. N. Rosenquest, Francis V. Williams, and Frank Crowell, Miss Sallie Morris concluded this group with a fine analysis, in answer to question, "Do Shakespeare Plays Educate?"

Mrs. McLaughlin closed in a most complete summary. Those attending: Mmes. W. E. Stallter, N. N. Rosenquest, Francis V. Williams, John Harrison, W. Fred Davenport, William Hart, P. J. Crossley, Frank Crowell, W. J. Herrington, Ora B. Jones, C. G. Stubblefield, J. R. McLaughlin, Miss Sallie Morris and Mrs. Guy Parker, warmly welcomed as a new member.

Attended Texas Library District Meeting The Texas Library and Historical commission's first district meeting held in Abilene at the Carnegie library Saturday, was attended by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, who had as her guests, Mrs. Lewis Pitcock of Ranger, president of Eastland County Federation; Miss Ruth Ramey, Eastland County demonstration agent, and Miss Cecelia Haas, librarian of Eastland Public Library.

Mrs. Perkins was one of the speakers on the program.

J. J. Sewing Club Met in Cisco Mrs. Clarence Moon was hostess to the J. J. Sewing club Thursday at her home in Cisco entertain-

ing with a covered dish luncheon at noon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Whittle of Paris.

The menu of roast beef, creamed cabbage, escalloped potatoes, dill pickles, whole wheat muffins, and pear salad had last course of ice cream, cake and coffee served about an oval table centered with spring flowers, to Mmes. Clyde Walker and Frank Bond of Eastland; Mmes. L. V. Steffey, Cecil Adams, and Mrs. Dr. Brown of Cisco; Mrs. Whittle of Paris and hostess.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Brown the second Thursday in April, when a knitting lesson will be the occupation.

Civic League Essay Contest The Civic League of Eastland announces that the awarding of prizes in the Eastland county history contest, will be made at the League meeting Wednesday afternoon of this week, at the community clubhouse.

The entrants are students of the Junior High school, who have been engaged in the work of compiling their essays the past three or four weeks.

They were required to gather their material for their papers from the talks on the history of Eastland county, made each week and given by Mrs. Charles Fagg, Mrs. Hubert Jones and Judge Virgil T. Seaberry and that covered the experiences of early settlers, bringing the story up to the time of the oil boom.

Prizes to be awarded are \$2.50 given by Mrs. Dave Wolf of the Fashion, for the best essay, and \$2 by the Civic League for the second best, and these will be presented by Mrs. Scott W. Key, chairman of social service committee and who arranged the contest for the league.

The program will also present an address by County Judge Clyde L. Garrett, "The Government of a Texas County," and will conclude with music by pupils of Miss Wilda Dragoo.

Every member of the league is requested by their president, Mrs. W. K. Jackson, to consider it their responsible duty to attend this meeting, and to bring a guest.

Program opens 3 p. m., sharp, community clubhouse.

Stanley Joe Stephen Celebrates First Birthday Wide-awake, bright-eyed Stanley Joe Stephen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stephen, had his first birthday celebrated at the family home by his mother, Friday afternoon, in a most clever and intriguing 1933 baby show, entrants in this year being accompanied by their fond mothers, who appreciated as much as did the little

guests, the pretty table in the dining room in its dress of white, pink and blue, standing under a canopy of streamers in these colors and centered with the lovely birthday cake, iced in white and topped with one pink rose that held one wee blue taper.

Birthday greetings were traced around the cake in pink and blue icing. At the party hour each mama sliced the cake for her babe, as she voiced a pretty greeting for Stanley Joe.

The cake was served with delicious iced tea. Favors were chicken balloons with the name of each baby guest in either pink or blue letter tracing.

The pretty circle of bright-eyed youngsters was an interesting thing to behold.

The invitation list included Mary Annel Kinard, Julia Brown, Joyce Ann Simmonds, Janell Day, Jane Daugherty, Nancy Elizabeth Freyschlag, Mary Elaine Conley, Jeanine Howard, Janice Wood, Mary Elizabeth Mouser, Joel Mar-Jones, Billy Gene Sikes, Daniel Krause, Dickie Sparks, Ferrell Hargus, Herman Hague, Jr., Thomas Gilbert Patterson, and the honor baby Stanley Joe Stephen.

Mothers: Mmes. Garner Kinard, L. C. Brown, L. V. Simmonds, Guy Patterson, Francis M. Jones, R. E. Sikes, Neal Day, M. C. Daugherty, Julius Krause, J. Frank Sparks, E. E. Freyschlag, Horace Conley, Veon Howard, W. M. Wood, June Hergis, J. M. Mouser, Herman Hague.

Misses Merle Hillburn and Emma Barrett assisted with the babies, and the mothers registered for them in Stanley's baby book.

High School Assembly The assembly program of the Eastland high school Thursday afternoon, was opened by Principal W. P. Palm with a group of announcements concerning the inter-scholastic league meeting.

The entire period was given to the Rhythm Band of Cisco, comprising 50 children, under direction of Mrs. Stephenson of that city.

The work was very interesting, and the numbers presented included, "March of the Brigade," "Daffodil Waltz" and "La Soiree?"

Bouquets of yellow spring flowers graced the handsome rooms, and at close of a delightful evening, dainty refreshments were served in the yellow color motif, of orange ice, angel food cake, cheese carrots, tea and coffee, poured by the hostess from a tea wagon service.

Favor in the game, a handsome Madeira buffet scarf was awarded Mrs. Art H. Johnson.

The traveling favor, perfume, in a morocco case, went to Mrs. O. F. Chastain. The honoree was presented a luster-ware pitcher, in the chosen color motif in shades of yellow and gold.

Guests were Mmes. Earl Conner, W. S. Poe, O. F. Chastain, Otis Harvey, Herbert Tanner, Art H. Johnson, J. P. Finley Little, Charles Fagg, Joseph M. Perkins, Thomas Butler, W. K. Jackson, and honoree, Mrs. R. S. Rodgers.

Senior Epworth League At a late hour Friday afternoon the senior Epworth league of Eastland was notified by the Ranger Epworth League that the announced district meeting of the league had been called off indefinitely.

The district meeting was to have been held in the Ranger Methodist church at 7:30 p. m., Friday.

The Eastland transportation committee, Miss Betty Perkins, and Rex Gray had already perfected their arrangements for cars, which were cancelled.

Informal Evening Mrs. Allen Dabney entertained with a very delightful three table contract affair at her lovely home, on Thursday night, in honor of Mrs. R. S. Rodgers of Lubbock, who was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Fagg, the past week.

The tables were attractively appointed in quaint springtime girl talleys with matching score books. Favors in the game had dainty

wrappings of celophane with wide yellow gauze ribbon ties.

Conferred Maurice Mullings of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mullings, has had the honor conferred upon him by the state university of Texas, of being elected to membership in Tau Beta Pi, the highest honor given to a student in the Aeronautical engineering division, which is given usually in the senior year of the student but has been conferred upon young Mullings in this, his junior year.

Will Entertain Mrs. Volney Taylor The Civic League of Eastland, the chairman club, is co-operating through their appointed committee, with committees from the Thursday Afternoon club, and the Junior Thursday club, in arranging a mode of entertaining to honor Mrs. Volney Taylor, state president of T. F. W. C., who will spend the forenoon of the day, on which she will be the honor guest of the Eastland County Federation, to be held in Ranger, with friends in Eastland.

The committees will meet at the call of the Civic League committee.

The personnel of the three groups includes: Civic League, Mmes. J. M. Perkins, W. E. Chaney, B. E. McGlamery, Eugene Day; Thursday Afternoon club, Mmes. James Horton, Ray Lerner,

Ben E. Hammer; Junior Thursday club, Miss Ruth Ramey, Miss Collins, Miss Sadie Brevins, Miss Edna Day.

A book shower will be given by the County Federation, on the day the Ranger session.

Visiting Artists Entertained Mrs. Minnie H. Mayer of Angelo and Mrs. Doris Martin of Colorado were guests of Mrs. A. T. Johnson Thursday evening to Saturday morning, then they return to their homes, following the appearance on the guest artist club concert given in the dist church, Friday night.

Mrs. Wanda Dragoo of San Angelo, also presents the guest this week-end parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frego.

Eastland Person Mrs. P. P. Blalock of Big is the week-end guest of Mrs. B. P. Bittle.

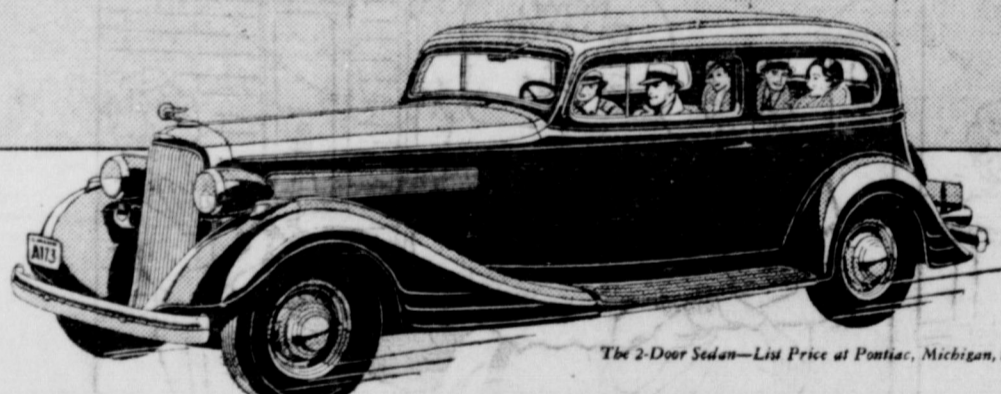
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mc are on a visit to Kerrville.

V. A. Thomas and family attended the Fat Stock show at Worth Saturday and today.

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