

# Ranger Times

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In choosing young men for positions, business men do not always believe in sciens.

### THE WEATHER.

By United Press.  
West Texas—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Somewhat unsettled north portion.

# OKLAHOMA ROOPS ENTER BRIDGE WAR

## ABOUT THIS AND THAT.....

Now that Dr. Tanner has de-livered a memorandum on con-trover-sies with this column by ter-ri-fy-gly giving us membership in his free ice water club we will have to look elsewhere for material to fill the customary space in the upper left hand column. Being a Republican, Dr. Tanner probably thinks as though he has won the vic-tory in our dispute and being a Democrat we are so accustomed to defeat that you could probably call a draw like Walker and Sharkey in their recent fight — the judges called it a draw but each fighter thinks he won.

And in the meantime the little dispute that has been referred to in the public prints as "The Battle of the Bridges" and the "Bat-tle of the Barricades" is appar-ently nearing a more or less sat-is-factory conclusion. Governor Murray has suggested that some sort of a quilling bee be held on the bridge — probably meaning that it should be put to some use—much to the concern of Governor Sterling. Then the Governor requested the senate to authorize the Red River Bridge company to sue the State in order that the status of all con-cerned could be determined. It is hoped by the governor that it may be definitely settled in 15 days but the governor estimated that it would take the legislature two weeks to cure the ills of the oil industry and so far all they have done is ask questions and their two weeks is almost up. In the meantime the price of oil has been boosted 18 and 22 cents a barrel more than it was bring-ing a short time ago, which may and may not have been an in-direct result of the oil session at Austin.

The boost in price of oil comes at an opportune time for everyone concerned, particularly one Ranger lady who received word yesterday that her son-in-law had brought in a well estimated at close to 4,000 barrels a day and has been increasing. Mr. O'Connell, the son-in-law of Mrs. John Dunkle of Ranger own an in-terest in the well with the Texas Company announced an im-mediate raise in oil prices over a large part of the state. The price should be doubly welcome to the owners.

Company I, 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guards, with head-quarters in Ranger, is preparing the annual encampment to be held at Palacios beginning on July 31 and lasting for 15 days. The members of this company have been drilling for some time in preparation for the annual en-campment and will be ready to start on their trip to Palacios on the 31st of July and last for 15 days.

The Boy Scouts of the Oil Belt have been making a good showing this year under the leadership of competent scoutmasters and their hikes and camps are becoming more in-teresting each year.

And while on the subject of camps it might be well to say that the Future Farmers of America have just completed a three-day encampment at Lake Cisco, which was attended by boys from all over Eastland and surrounding counties and boys from as far away as Taylor, Winters and towns in the extreme west portion of the state. Like the National Guard and Boy Scout encampment, this is growing each year in its popularity and it offers the boys of the farms a chance to get together, learn more about their fellow members and to receive some valuable instructions from the vocational agricul-tural teachers and county agents. Next Monday the 4-H Club boys leave for the annual A. & M. short course at College Station and the members who will make the trip are showing much interest in this trip which furnishes the "thrill that comes once in a lifetime" for many of them. It seems that every-one is getting off for a little re-creation except the editors, who have to keep the pen nib writing on what others are doing on their vacations.

Yesterday we found a worn and much used New Testament. If anyone who reads the New Testam-ent would be guilty of reading it down the drain, let them know that they will be held accountable for it. We have a Testament that has been used so little that it is as good as new.

## LIVESTOCK SHIPMENTS INCREASE

Special Correspondent.  
AUSTIN, Forwardings of all classes of livestock in Texas dur-ing June amounted to 34 per cent more than during June of last year, according to the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas.  
"Large shipments occurred among all classes of livestock, with sheep increasing 92 per cent, cat-tle 37 per cent, calves 13 per cent, and hogs 13 per cent," the bu-reau's report said. "For the first six months of the year, however, total shipments were 8.5 per cent less than for the like period of 1930. During the first half of the year, hog shipments declined 48 per cent, cattle 16 per cent and calves 1.4 per cent. On the other hand, shipments of sheep amount-ed to 197 per cent more during the period than during the corre-sponding six months of last year."  
Compared with May, June ship-ments of sheep declined 66 per cent, cattle 37 per cent, calves 31 per cent, and hogs 6.4 per cent.  
Shipments for June totaled 4,048 cars of all classes of livestock, compared to 3,931 cars in June, 1930. Total receipts for the state totaled 965, compared to 1,352 in June, 1930.

## STATESMEN OF SEVEN NATIONS ENROUTE HOME

LONDON, July 24.—The states-men of seven nations were en-route home today after conver-sations this week which resulted in temporary financial relief for Germany.  
They left details to be worked out by the financial experts who have been here all week, waiting until cabinet members of the seven powers decided how far their governments could go to aid Ger-many.  
The experts will work out de-tails of the Hoover plan for a war debt holiday and make recom-mendations on how to put it into effect without disrupting budgets.

## Grass Widow Is Vegetarian's Wife Is Boy's Answer

COLUMBUS, O.—A skeleton in a man with his inside out and his outside off, according to a recent school student's answer to a question in a test given by the re-search department of Ohio State uni-versity.  
Among other answers in the test were:  
A grass widow is the wife of a vegetarian; a man who marries twice commits bigamy; in Chris-tianity a man may have only one wife—that is called monogamy; a goblet is a male turkey; SOS is a musical term meaning "same old, softer"; to germinate is to become a naturalized German.

## Another Atlantic Flight is Failure

NEW YORK, July 24.—The second attempt at trans-Atlantic flight in a week failed today when Russell Boardman and John Po-lakoff, young Massachusetts fliers, dumped their load of gasoline and returned to Floyd Bennett airport a few minutes after taking off for Turkey.  
Loaded down with 723 gallons of gasoline, their monoplane Cape Cod sped down the long runway and took to the air over Jamaica bay. The heavy weight of gas, however, held the ship low and it was barely 20 feet in the air.  
When the plane reached Brook-lyn, across the bay from the Bar-ban Island field, it was barely skimming along above the water. They dropped 415 gallons of gaso-line and the Cape Cod rose higher as they swung it around and came back to the field.  
Gasoline sprayed out behind.  
"We probably spoiled someone's breakfast and I am sorry, but it was a matter of life or death," Boardman said.

## TO CONDUCT NAZERENE REVIVAL

Loniie R. Woodrum of Cillings-ville will conduct a ten day meet-ing of the Eastland Nazarene church starting Friday evening, July 24, at 7:30 o'clock. The serv-ices will be held each evening on the old high school site. The pub-lic is invited to attend the serv-ices.

## 150 Injured as Rival Mine Union Forces Clash



Stones, bottles, chairs and loudspeaker horns flew and 150 were injured when National Miners Union forces clashed with United Mine Workers of America adherents at an open air meeting at Canonsburg, Pa., in the recent flare-up of labor troubles. This picture shows the battle at its height.

## Graf Zeppelin On Polar Trip

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Germany, July 24.—The Graf Zeppelin started north today on the first phase of its flight to the pole.  
The great dirigible moved into the air at 9:50 a. m. and sped toward Berlin, where it was due about 4 p. m., the first stop on its daring voyage since it circled the world in 1929.  
The route lay northeastward toward Leningrad and thence almost due north toward the pole.

## To End Marine Training in 1932

MANAGUA, —If present plans are carried out, the organization and training of the Nicaraguan na-tional guard, the country's new military force, will be completed by 1932 and the guard will be turned over to the Nicaraguan government. By that time, under the present scheme, all of the U. S. marines now on duty here will have been withdrawn.  
The national guard numbers 2,100 officers and men, and the military academy near Managua is training Nicaraguan officers, graduating a class every six months. These graduates are com-missioned second lieutenants.  
The national guard is a smartly-appearing organization, uni-formed and equipped similarly to the marines. Many marine offi-cers are rarely, however, that they should be given a longer time to train the organization. One marine officer, serving with the guard, thinks 10 years would be an adequate period. He remarked that enlisted men in the marines are rarely well trained or com-petent to act as non-commissioned officers until after their first com-mission of four years.

## Body of Man Found in Lake Near Stamford

STAMFORD, Texas, July 24.—Weighted down by five window sash irons, the body of Steve Pow-ell, about 75, was found today lying face down in shallow water of No. 3 lake two miles west of here. He had a bullet wound through his head. Powell, a recluse employed by the Swenson Land & Cattle company, was last seen Tuesday. He lived alone.  
His body was found by an em-ployee of the Arledge Independent Ice company, who had gone to the lake to attend a water pump.  
Funeral services were to be held today. He was survived by two sons at Dallas and a daughter at Fort Worth.

## TRUCKS POPULAR ON FARMS

HARRISBURG, Pa.—At least one out of every four farms in Pennsylvania now has a motor truck, according to a survey made by the State department of agri-culture. Farms with motor trucks have increased from 27,034 to 40,260 during the last seven years de-spite a decrease of about 15 per cent in the number of farms, the department said.

## HUGE GARFISH CAUGHT

CLARKSDALE, Miss.—A 300-pound garfish was caught here recently by R. P. Armistead on a baitless line. The fish was eight feet long, two feet thick and had a head one and one-half feet wide with teeth one and a half inches long.

## PAY BOOSTS CUT OLD FASHIONED CHURCH SUPPER

CHICAGO.—The traditional benefit and social, or the com-munity "pound party," for the im-poverished village preacher has disappeared because his salary has been increased.  
A system whereby the more highly paid clergymen are assessed a small percentage of their salar-ies has been adopted by a Cali-fornia conference of the Metho-dist Episcopal church.  
"This is in line with the gen-eral movement to raise the stand-ard of ministerial remuneration," said Dr. John Thompson, pastor of the Chicago Temple.  
"We already have a modified form of that equalization process in effect in the Rock River con-ference," he continued. "We also have what might be called a min-imum wage in Chicago for Metho-dist preachers. As superintendent of the City Missionary society, I guarantee a minimum of \$2,000 and parsonage to every active clergyman who has a family."  
"Several months ago a move-ment was launched in the Rock River conference for a voluntary contribution by the higher paid ministers up to 2 per cent of their income to be distributed among the pastors and missionaries in the poorer districts. Virtually all agreed to co-operate.  
"All over the country this move-ment is under way, with confer-ences either voting a compulsory assessment, as in California, or making it voluntary, as here in the Rock River conference. I expect to see it presented on the floor of the next Methodist general con-ference at Atlantic City in May, 1932, by leaders from Chicago."

## Negro Attacker Executed Today

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, July 24. Joshua Riles, negro, paid with his life today for a criminal assault upon an expectant mother at Gal-veston last September.  
Riles was electrocuted in the death chair of the state peniten-tiary here on the morning of his thirty-first birthday.  
He denied guilt of assault upon the young white woman until the last.

## Phoenix Judge Aids Youthful Violators

PHOENIX, Ariz.—Youthful viol-ators of the law are treated kind-ly in Phoenix as the result of an order by Superior Judge J. C. Niles to eliminate the crime rec-ords of delinquents after they have demonstrated a desire to go straight.  
The order called for the destruc-tion of records of all cases where the ex-delinquent had lived in harmony with the law for two years following completion of pro-bation or release from the indus-trial school.  
Keeping a permanent record of juvenile crime tends to brand a youth as a criminal, Judge Niles explained.

## Magnolia Raises Central Texas Price

DALLAS, July 24.—The Mag-nolia Petroleum company, sub-sidiary of the Standard Oil of New York, today announced a price of 40 cents a barrel for crude oil in Central Texas. The area includes Mexia, Wortham, Corsicana, Pa-nola county and Lytton Springs.

## Storms Holding Up Robbins' Trip

SEATTLE, July 24.—Stormy conditions continued to hold Reg Robbins and Harold S. Jones here today, awaiting more favorable re-ports before starting their second attempt at a non-stop refueling flight to Tokio.  
They were impatient over the delays but declared that weather conditions would have to be good before they started as they wanted to make this attempt success-ful.  
Robbins said that the plane was all ready to go and that the start would be made Saturday or Sun-day if storms moved away from the Alaskan coast and the present fair weather along the Siberian coast continued.

## Rev. H. H. Stephens Is Back at Home

Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Stephens have returned to Ranger after be-ing absent for the past two Sun-days at Christoval.  
Rev. Stephens will fill his pul-pit at the Central Baptist church at both the morning and evening services this Sunday.

## Man Confesses To Ghoulish Action

HENRIETTA, Texas, July 24.—Clay county authorities today held John Daniels, 54, who confessed to opening an aged woman's fresh grave, removing a Bible from her clasped hands, and was unable to explain the motive for his ghoul-ish act.

## OIL MAN IS QUIZZED IN OIL PROBE

AUSTIN, July 24.—East Texas oil was described as more valuable than that produced in West Texas by R. C. Holmes, president of the \$800,000,000 Texas corporation, in his testimony before the senate.  
Senator Thomas Pollard of Tyler questioned Holmes for several hours during today's session. He drew from the oil magnate denials that East Texas oil was more val-uable than Pennsylvania oil. He said, however, the East Texas oil was worth more than the West Texas oil.  
"Then why," Pollard asked, "are you paying less for oil in East Texas than you are for oil in West Texas?"  
"East Texas oil is more valuable but if a man offers you oil at a dime a barrel you are not going to insist on paying him 50 cents," Holmes replied.

## El Pasoan May Be Executed In Chihuahua City

EL PASO.—Claiming he is the victim of race prejudice, friends of William J. Meers, 28, of El Paso, are putting forth every ef-fort to save him from the death sentence at Chihuahua City, Mex-ico, for the murder of a Juarez waiter.  
A report to high government of-ficials of the United States states that his death sentence, pro-nounced simultaneously with ac-quitment of an Oklahoma deputy sheriff for the slaying of two Mexican youths—was a cousin of President Ortiz Rubio of Mex-ico—indicated that the judge of the Chihuahua criminal court was in-fluenced by the Arduo killings.  
First Death Penalty.  
Officials at Juarez, across the border in Mexico, said they could not remember when the death sentence has been meted out for murder in Chihuahua. Judge Fran-cisco Davilla Navarro pronounced the death sentence late in June, a few hours before an Oklahoma jury returned a verdict of acquit-tal of a deputy sheriff in the slaying of two Mexican youths.  
The death sentence was pronounced despite the suggestion of a district attorney that a sentence of 20 years' imprisonment be given.  
Congressman R. E. Thomson of El Paso has enlisted the aid of the state department to make an ap-pel for the youth.  
He has appealed the sentence to the Chihuahua state supreme court. Many telegrams have come to Governor Andres Ortiz of Chihuahua from United States residents be-lieving that the death sentence be-coming of the youth should be com-muted.

## May Face Firing Squad

On the other hand, telegrams and letters are being directed to Governor Ortiz by Mexican labor and student organizations asking that he take no part in commuting the sentence, but allow the Amer-ican youth to face a firing squad.  
Meers was convicted of killing Antonio Visconti, a Juarez waiter, in the belief he was Manuel Vil-lar, noted border character, who allegedly killed Meers' father dur-ing an attempted holdup of a pay-roll in El Paso in 1924. Villar was captured in Mexico but the Mexican authorities refused to sur-render him for trial, Young Meers swore he would avenge the death of his father personally.

## Free Bridge Bill May Be Passed

AUSTIN, July 24.—The Texas senate bill designed to open the free bridge over the Red river was approved by the house state af-fairs committee this morning. Sen-ator Jake J. Loy of Sherman, author of the bill, came to the house at once and predicted the bill would be passed today.  
There was a remote possibility that its passage would result in opening the free bridge today.

## Ohio Pilot Lands Plane In Backyard

COLUMBUS, O.—Fred Gugle was piloting his Curtiss-Wright junior monoplane over Hexley, a suburb, when he ran out of gas. Gugle looked for a landing place. He was losing altitude rapidly. Of the immediately available places, the back yard of Frank Rutherford looked best. Gugle skimmed over several houses and set down to a perfect landing.  
He called Port Columbus, near-by, for gas and took off a few minutes later from the same place.

## FIRES SWEEP THRU FORESTS OF NORTHWEST

MISSOULA, Mont., July 24.—Driving cattle and wild life in great herds before them, flames roared and crackled through the forests of three western states and threatened to create one of the most dangerous situations in the history of the section.  
A score of fires were burning unchecked through thousands of acres of timber, grass and brush lands in Montana, Idaho and Wyoming. Millions of dollars in property damage was threatened. Hundreds of head of cattle and wild life already had perished.  
Additional fire fighters were re-quested at almost every fire. The overtaxed forestry service, faced by fires which threatened to be worse than the holocaust year of 1929, was near the exhaustion of its resources.

## Body of War Herc Claimed

AUSTIN.—After nearly 14 years of rest in a lonely grave on the desolate coast of western Ire-land, the body of Ernest H. Gragg, first Texas boy to lose his life in line of duty in the World War, is coming home to be reinterred in Arlington national cemetery on July 31.  
Gragg was the son of Robert H. Gragg, state armor guardiamen—Mrs. Robert H. Gragg, a son and a daughter, accompanied the body from Queenstown to Washington, where it arrived July 19. Full military honors will be accorded the youth—an armor guardiamen—at the funeral services in the na-tional cemetery. A bronze tablet placed on the grave in Ireland by the American Legion post at Car-pus Christi, will be placed in Memorial hall at Arlington.  
Young Gragg enlisted in the navy at Corpus Christi in March, 1917. Soon he was assigned to the armed guard service on the mer-chant ship Rochester, carrying supplies from Baltimore to Liver-pool. The boat after was torpedoed by a German submarine on Nov. 2, 1917, and sank. The crew, buffeted about for five days and night by a storm, finally were cast on the rugged shores of Ireland, suffering from cold and hunger.  
Gragg died after land had been sighted and within an hour of landing. Seven of the 13 men in his boat had already perished. He and three others were buried in a lonely fishing village. Last summer, his father and mother, on a Gold Star mothers pilgrim-age, visited his grave. They were so disappointed at its surround-ings and loneliness that on their return they decided to remove the remains to America.  
Arrangements were made to have the remains reinterred in the national cemetery, and one of Texas' heroes soon will be nearer home.

## Gasoline Bomb Found in Prison

JOLIET, Ill., July 24.—A crude-ly devised gasoline bomb capable of causing a heavy explosion was found today at Stateville prison as guards started a cell to cell search of the penitentiary buildings of reports that prisoners were plot-ting a break.  
The bomb was found in a cell of a prisoner who had been plotting a break.

## Scout Camp Is To Close Sunday

Reports from Camp Martin, the Boy Scout camp near Mason where the scouts of the Oil Belt are holding their annual encampment, in-dicate that the scouts are having a fine time. A number of parents of the boys from Eastland, Ran-ger, Rising Star and Breckenridge have already visited and others will go before the camp closes.  
The court of honor will be held Saturday night, July 25, and the camp will close Sunday morning, July 26.  
Eastland had 29 scouts present at the opening exercise.

## Golfer Gets Two Birdies On 1 Drive

LOS ANGELES—Two "birdies" on one drive is the record Al Rhein, local golfer, established on the Crenshaw Golf Fairways. But Rhein had to combine hunting with his golf to accomplish it.  
Rhein had sent his ball on a 280-yard drive when a flock of blackbirds rose from the far end of the fairway. The ball pierced the flock and killed two of the birds.  
The unusual occurrence was witnessed by Rhein's companion, Ted Winslow, professional on the driving range, and three other golfers.

## ARE OPPOSITE RIVER FROM 4 TEXAS RANGERS

Man Says Ranger Strength Underestimated After a Sock on Jaw.  
DURANT, Okla., July 24.—Sovereign Oklahoma's army—32 boys, all under 21 years and armed with heavy rifles—today stood on one end of a toll bridge spanning the Red river and defied "all of Texas" to attack.  
Commanding these 32 youth were a general, a colonel, three captains and a lieutenant. Across the way were the forces of Texas—four state rangers.  
These Oklahoma boys repre-sented martial law over a strip of land 200 feet wide and 1.7 mile long, proclaimed by Governor W. H. Murray to be territory sacred from invasion.  
At the crack of dawn, Okla-homa's army, moving in a farm tube truck, was sent to the battle front. Early-rising farmers in stead of seeing soldiers with their faces set in determination, heard shouts of a gang of boys. They were greeted with waving rifles.  
By the time the sun was up the young soldiers were lounging on the toll bridge approach, plowed up and made impassable by the governor, who issued his solemn declaration of martial law.  
The major engagement of the campaign so far came last night. An Oklahoma man, rumored to be a sniper, sneaked across the toll bridge, not yet opened to traffic because of legal action brought by the toll bridge company, to the Texas line and there taunted the rangers.  
He slipped a left-hand punch to the jaw and returned, to report that the enemies' strength had been underestimated.  
Five posts were established in the Oklahoma war zone, with three soldiers at each station. Four were placed to guard the bridge and the remainder of the army sat at intervals along the highway.

## Program for Band Concert Friday Night

The regular weekly band con-cert in Ranger will be presented tonight by the Lone Star band with the following program:  
Over the Top (Crosby); King Lear, overture (Hazel); Trombone solo, For You (Dulin).  
If You Can't Sing, Whistle popular (Hart);  
Mister Bill, overture (Alford);  
A Perfect Day, cornet solo with trombone obligato.  
Whistling in the Dark, popular (Barrett).  
I Miss a Little Miss Who Misses Me in Sunny Tennessee, popular (Scymour);  
Stars and Stripes Forever (Souza).

## Goolsby Dies In Marshall Hospital

MARSHALL, Texas, July 24.—Thomas Scott Goolsby, 25, famous lost memory victim, died here today of complications resulting from an automobile crash July 14.  
Goolsby, a former Emory uni-versity football player, lost his memory four years ago when slugged by bandits between For-sythe, Ga., his home, and Macon. Except for a brief period last week after the crash, Goolsby failed to regain his memory or recog-nize his parents. They and his wife were at his bedside.

## Guest Tickets to Ranger Show

The Ranger Times has guest tickets for Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Dennis to see "Extravagance" now playing at the Col-umbia Theatre, or any other show.



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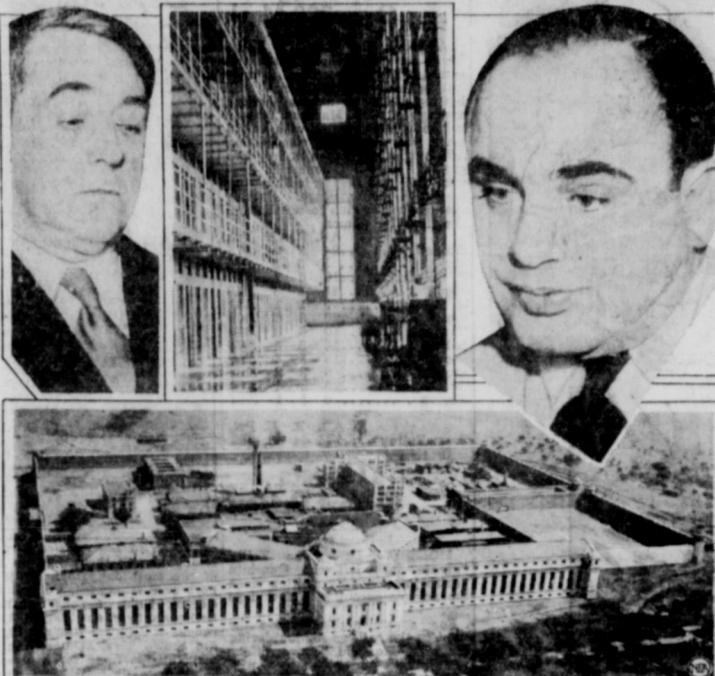
### County Notes

#### OAKLEY NEWS

OAKLEY, July 23.—Health of the community is good. Everybody in good spirits over the fine rain that fell last week. Ernest Morton and wife are the proud parents of a fine boy, Basson Martin says it is the finest grandson in the world. Tuck Goforth is serving on the grand jury in Breckenridge this week.

Alvin Mayhall, R. A. Barker and C. P. Adams went to Breckenridge Wednesday where they met Tuck Goforth and the county superintendent of school business. John Lester and Miss Marjorie Mayhall were happily married last Sunday. Oakley claims the championship on marriages this year. There have been six couples of this community made happy by marriage since New Year. Anyone that can beat that let us know. We might have a few more before the end of the year. Norval Adams, Dock Mills, Bart Frazier and Eldridge How-

### Where Al Capone Will Serve Time in Prison



The federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., to which Al Capone, Chicago gangster, is to be sentenced by Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson of Chicago on July 30 for income tax evasion and liquor law violation, is shown above with a view of the interior of one of the cell houses. Capone is shown at the right and Judge Wilkerson at the left.

#### COLONY NEWS

COLONY, July 23.—We are indeed thankful for the beautiful rains we have had the past week. They have done the crops no end of good. The farmers are still planting and we feel sure that the seed will thrive with such moisture in the ground.

Mrs. Lester Carr and daughter and C. H. Stuard left here Saturday morning for Corpus Christi where they will join Mr. Carr. Mrs. Carr will be remembered as Miss Marguerite Stuard.

Mrs. Jessie Jordan, who has been ill for some time, has not improved much.

Mrs. O. C. Bowen is improving after a long illness and operation.

Mrs. H. C. Thompson and daughter, Miss Marian Graves and children of Eastland and Miss Vernon Thompson visited A. C. Thompson Saturday night where they enjoyed ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Calhoun a few days last week.

Bill Gregory of Pleasant Grove visited in this community Sunday.

COMMERCE.—This city being considered as location for oil refinery.

Frankell 4. The pitching of Thad Henderson featured the game with Frankell.

"Grandma" and "Grandpa" Carter are back home at C. P. Adams, after an extended visit to Fort Worth and Weatherford.

#### STAFF NEWS

STAFF, July 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Hazard were business visitors in Olden Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Suterwhite were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Macie Hyatt of Gorman Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Fonville of Eastland is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard.

A fine rain fell here last Wednesday afternoon, which was much needed. J. R. Cason and family and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Hazard of this community, "Sig" Faircloth and family and Rev. K. C. Edmonds and family of Ranger, were guests in the M. O. Hazard home Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served, consisting of ice cream and cake. All present report an enjoyable time.

A revival meeting will begin on Friday night before the first Sunday in August at the Staff Baptist church. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

#### UNION NEWS

UNION, July 23.—Mrs. Jessie Fox of Breckenridge is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Several from this place attended church at Merriam Sunday and Sunday night.

Crops are looking fine since the rain Wednesday night.

Miss Ruby and Thelma Nabors and Ada Terry visited Bertha Lea Taylor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor and

#### CHEANEY NEWS

"Grandma" Taylor and Miss Carrie Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Taylor, all of Eastland, visited in the home of W. U. Fox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kanet are the proud parents of a fine baby—born the 11th. Mother and baby are both doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Terry were shopping in Ranger Thursday.

Mr. Barker and son R. L. are moving to the Davis place.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Bond who visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fox Tuesday.

# WALES TAKES HAND IN SALE OF AIRPLANES

LONDON—The Prince of Wales is busy in an after-sales campaign with Latin America, and Britain is cheering him and aiding him in his determined efforts.

His latest move is to boost and help demonstrate British airplanes to Colonel Don Arthur Merino, assistant air minister of Chile. Merino has been here since June as the guest of the British government and air ministry. A suite at the Ritz Hotel and two aide-camps have been provided for the Chilean air chief, who is making an extended study of British aviation with a view of purchasing airplanes for Chile's air force.

On July 2 the Prince of Wales entertained Colonel Merino and Enrique Villegas, Chile's ambassador to the Court of St. James at a banquet given at St. James' Palace. A number of notable British aviation figures attended. The Prince, Britain's most enthusiastic royal air devotee, knows he has a good product to sell as far as planes are concerned. The condition of the air industry in Britain is especially sound at the present time and during the past ten years aviation has led all other British industries in growth.

The speed and performance of British airplanes are points of which the Prince is fully aware. He knows his product, since he flies continually in various types of civil and military planes, and owns two private airplanes. Frequently he takes over the controls himself. The United Press understands that the Prince has flown with Merino and that he has explained various points about British machines just as Merino discussed subjects pertaining to Chile's air force when the Prince visited the South American republic last February.

Inspires Confidence Speaking Spanish and handling the controls, Britain's crack salesman impresses prospective buyers with his personality, which in turn inspires confidence in his product. During the weeks since his return from his Latin American tour the Prince has held numerous conferences with South American diplomats and prominent business men. Almost weekly he entertains some official stationed in London. When Britain's favorite son plays golf a member of the foursome is usually some Argentine, Brazilian or Chilean. During the past three weeks he has taken frequent lessons from Jose Jurado and played a number of matches with the pleasant little Argentine professional.

# BASEBALL

## TEXAS LEAGUE

Club	W	L	Pct.
Houston	17	7	.708
Beaumont	15	10	.600
Dallas	14	11	.560
Wichita Falls	12	13	.480
Fort Worth	12	13	.480
Shreveport	10	14	.417
San Antonio	10	14	.417
Galveston	8	17	.320

Yesterday's Results. Fort Worth 4, Beaumont 2. Wichita Falls 4, Houston 2. Shreveport 5, Galveston 4. San Antonio 1, Dallas 0.

Today's Schedule. Fort Worth at Beaumont. Dallas at San Antonio. Shreveport at Galveston. Wichita Falls at Houston.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Club	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	57	25	.728
Washington	57	25	.620
New York	51	36	.586
Cleveland	44	46	.489
St. Louis	41	48	.451
Boston	34	54	.379
Detroit	34	58	.370
Chicago	31	59	.344

Yesterday's Results. New York 7, Detroit 6 (12 innings). Philadelphia 5, Cleveland 2. St. Louis 6, Washington 4. Boston 13, Chicago 4.

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

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	57	24	.702
Brooklyn	51	41	.554
New York	47	39	.547
Chicago	48	41	.539
Boston	44	43	.506
Pittsburgh	38	48	.442
Philadelphia	37	52	.416
Cincinnati	33	57	.367

Yesterday's Results. New York 4, Cincinnati 2. Pittsburgh 17, Brooklyn 6. Boston 6, Chicago 3. Philadelphia at St. Louis, rain.

Today's Schedule. Boston at Chicago. Brooklyn at Pittsburgh. New York at Cincinnati. Philadelphia at St. Louis.

## 330 SPEAKEASIES CLOSED

BUFFALO, N. Y.—The number of saloons and speakeasies packed in the Buffalo district during the last fiscal year was 330, according to the federal report. This is estimated by observers at from five to ten per cent of those which now flourish on the Niagara frontier.

# BRUSHING UP SPORTS

By Laufer



WON THE FIRST STAKE RACE EVER HELD ON THE NORTH AMERICAN CONTINENT—THE QUEEN'S PLATE—'BLOODING TRACK, TORONTO, ONT.—1860—'

NIGHT BASEBALL QUIRK: INDEPENDENCE AND JORIN (NO.) BASEBALL CLUBS PLAYED A TRAINING GAME THAT STARTED IN JUNE AND ENDED IN JULY, 1930.

# HOKY AND SLIDES

Henry L. Farrell

**KODINS KAMPANT**  
THEY may have laughed when Uncle Robbie's Balmness Boys started off the season with a tail-spike. But when they started to play!

**Hot Spanish Blood**  
A LITTLE episode that occurred when the team was in St. Louis recently forecasts some furious action between the two teams when they meet again.

**ALAMEDA NEWS**  
Special Correspondent. ALAMEDA—Rain is needed in this community. The majority of the grain has already been threshed.

# French Build Toy Dirigible

PARIS—While still opposed to the building of huge rigid dirigibles of the Zeppelin and Akron type, the French government has had constructed and successfully tested a novel pony dirigible which represents the maximum of lightness or commercial efficiency yet attained by small rigid airships.

# UNIFORM COLLECTED EVIDENCE

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# New Backfield Coach Named For Mavericks

Announcement was made today that Orville "Buddy" Brothers, stellar athlete for the past four years at Texas Tech, has been named backfield coach of the Eastland High school. Brothers is attending the coaching school now being held at Texas Tech and will be ready to take over his coaching duties about the first of September.

**DID YOU KNOW THAT—**  
BILLY BURKE 239 over the Skinto course has become more remarkable when you recall that Bobby Jones played it in 252 five years ago. . . . Burke was using the new ball, Jones the old. . . . The Western Open has been a fixture since 1939. Ed Dudley's winning score of 230 equaled the fourth best score in the history of the event. . . . Tommy Armour's record 273 of two years ago was made over an easy course, the Okauchee Country Club at Milwaukee. . . . There were 36 scores better than 200 that year.

**Retort Courteous**  
LOPEZ had a pretty good day out of side of that. The fiery little Brooklyn catcher protested violently when Empire Donnelly interferred with a throw to second base. Lopez, whose facial resemblance to Mickey Cochrane is remarkable, also can peg a word or two that burns.

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# Eastland Team Still Batting Over 300 Mark

Although the Eastland Longhorns have lost their last two games it has not been due to their hitting with seven players still batting .300 and a team batting average of .305. Marshall Watson is leading the sluggers with a .375 mark. Ray Morris is also hitting .375 but he has played in only two games. Terrell Coleman is next with .368 and Legion is following him with .348 average. Batting averages of the club roster through the first five games:

Player	AB	R	H	Pct.
Watson	24	8	9	.375
Morris	8	3	3	.375
T. Coleman	19	6	7	.368
Ligon	23	4	8	.348
R. Coleman	3	1	1	.333
Smith	20	3	6	.300
Turner	10	0	3	.300
LaFon	18	3	5	.278
Brown	15	4	4	.267
Stubbs	9	3	2	.223
Overbey	19	5	4	.210
Norton	6	3	1	.167

# Negro's Ghosts Desert Prison

MONROE, La.—Ike Tellis "ghosts" have left the Ouachita parish jail merrily smitten since the negro's execution a few days ago. For several nights before he went to the gallows for murdering his wife, Ike held "conversations" with ghosts and other men who had been hanged, and who assured him the death was not as bad as it seemed.

**Longhorns Play In Desdemona**  
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# JAPS START SUNDAY PAPERS

TOKIO.—The Tokio Asahi and Osaka Asahi, two large Japanese chain newspapers, shortly will have two sets of latest machines for making stereotypes, according to the Japanese Editor and Publisher. The latest machines are now on their way to Japan from London.

# Noted Flyers to Dare Jungles



NEA Los Angeles Bureau. Ready to risk their lives on one of the most dangerous air journeys ever attempted, Colonel Art Goebel, right, famous southern California flyer, and Harold Byrd, cousin of Admiral Richard Byrd, are shown here at Los Angeles mapping the route for a non-stop flight over the jungles of South America, Africa and Asia. Their plane will be powered with a 450-horsepower, crude-oil-burning Diesel engine.

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TOKIO.—Two Japanese dailies in Dairen, South Manchuria, the Manshu Nippo and Dairen Shim-bun, started to issue Sunday evening papers in addition to their regular morning and evening papers every day.

# Tariff To Aid Soft Coal In Canada

HAZLETON, Pa.—The Canadian bituminous industry will be stabilized by the Canadian taxation of United States coal, Thomas B. Kennedy, international secretary, United Mine Workers of America, said on his return from a visit to the Nova Scotia coal fields. Kennedy said that, in his opinion, the 40-cent tariff on Pennsylvania anthracite would not seriously affect Canadian consumption of hard coal. He saw beneficial results to anthracite, however, in the \$1 levy on coke included in the new Canadian tariff schedule.

The mine union leader reported that the soft and lignite mines of Canada are producing about 14 million tons, about half of their capacity. The average importation of bituminous into Canada is 19 million tons, he said.

# COUSINS SEEK SAME OFFICE

JACKSON, Miss.—Two cousins with nearly the same names are running for office in Mississippi. They are Greek L. Rice, for attorney-general and Greek P. Rice, for district attorney.

# Wind, Tide Exile Ship Guests 2 Days

SAN BENITO.—Guests aboard the Gulf Breeze, 58-foot yacht of Al Parker, Olmito, were forced to spend the night anchored in the Gulf of Mexico when a cent storm caused the tide to rise so high that they could not get through Brazos de Santiago Pass. When the tide had receded a party of six was brought in and having been outside for over 48 hours. In ordinary weather a yacht is taken on extensive cruises including the West Indies and South American ports.

TURKEY—Dealers estimate 600 hales of mohair will be shed here this year, compared with 37,000 last year.

WHITES CREAM VERMIFUGE For Expelling Worm SEELY DRUG STORE

# THE "BEAUTY" THAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN!



Nothing is sadder than a girl who just misses being beautiful. Often the reason is simple—improper disinfection. The poisons from constipation often cause pimples, sallow skin, dull eyes—headaches and even serious disease. But every girl can banish the evils of constipation by eating Kellogg's ALL-BRAN regularly. Its bulk sweeps the system clean. Two tablespoons daily are a wonderful health prescription. Try it with milk. Add fruits or honey. Delicious when combined with canned peaches. ALL-BRAN is non-fattening. Ask for Kellogg's—the original ALL-BRAN. In the red-and-green package. Made by Kellogg in Battle Creek.

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# Grocery & Market

CANTALOUPE	OLIVES	WATERMELONS
Weatherford, large, dozen 15c	Plain—Quarts 29c	Weatherford, 30-lb. average 15c
BANANAS, doz. 12c	CRACKERS 2 Lbs. 27c	ORANGES, doz. 17c
GRAPES, 3 lbs. 25c	PEACHES Sliced or Halves No. 2 1/2 can 19c	PICKLES, sweet, qt. 29c
POTATOES, 10 lbs. 19c	Kraft CHEESE 1/2-lb. Package 19c	SPINACH, No. 2 1/2 can 18c
APPLES, New Gravenstein, doz. 29c	KAY SPREAD Pimento-Cream Glass 19c	FRUIT FOR SALAD, No. 1 can 23c
ENGLISH PEAS, lb. 18c	Assorted Luncheon Meat Loaves, lb. 19c	GREEN BEANS, No. 2 can 9c
BLACK-EYED PEAS, 2 lbs. 5c	CALF LIVER, lb. 28c	FRENCH DRESSING, each 19c
GREEN BEANS, lb. 11c	BOLOGNA, Ring, lb. 12 1/2c	Sweet POTATOES, No. 2 1/2 can 16c
LEMONS, large, doz. 29c	BACON, Slab, sugar-cured, lb. 19c	FRENCH DRESSING, each 19c
Assorted Luncheon Meat Loaves, lb. 19c	SALT PORK, lb. 14c	PEANUT BUTTER, 33c
CALF LIVER, lb. 28c	BRISKET BEEF, lb. 8c	Sweet POTATOES, No. 2 1/2 can 16c
BOLOGNA, Ring, lb. 12 1/2c	BACON, Sliced, sugar-cured, lb. 23c	Kream Krust FLOUR, 48 lbs. \$1.05
BACON, Slab, sugar-cured, lb. 19c	LOIN, T-BONE STEAK, lb. 23c	KREAM KRUST FLOUR, 24 lbs. 55c
SALT PORK, lb. 14c	HAMBURGER MEAT, lb. 10c	SANDWICH SPREAD, lb. 20c
BRISKET BEEF, lb. 8c	CHUCK ROAST BEEF, lb. 15c	Marshmallows, lb. 19c
BACON, Sliced, sugar-cured, lb. 23c		BUTTER, Alta Vista, lb. 25c
LOIN, T-BONE STEAK, lb. 23c		TOMATOES, fresh, lb. 6c
HAMBURGER MEAT, lb. 10c		SOAP, 5 bars 14c
CHUCK ROAST BEEF, lb. 15c		SALT, 2 boxes 9c
		CHEESE, No. 1, lb. 19c
		STRAWBERRY PRESERVES, 1-lb. 25c

# City Fish Market

PHONE 458 RANGER FREE DELIVERY

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY

BANANAS Golden Ripe 2 dozen for 25c
SUGAR Pure Cane 10 pounds 49c
VINEGAR Extra fine quality 19c gallon
COFFEE Our Special 2 lbs. extra good grade 25c
BREAD Any Kind! Fresh! 4 1/2c
MILK Carnation 3 large or 6 small for 23c
PINTO BEANS, re-cleaned, 4 lbs. 14c
FLOUR High Grade 48 lbs. 87c Guaranteed
Meal—(free show ticket) 20 lb. 46; 5 lb. 14c
SHORTENING, Swift's Jewel, 8 lbs. 87c
SALT PORK JOWLS, fresh, pound 9 1-2c
New Potatoes, No. 1, red or white, 10 lbs. 15c
TOMATOES, large cans, 3 for 24c
EGGS, fresh country, 2 dozen 27c
LEMONS Large and Juicy 23c dozen
Spaghetti or Macaroni, 3 for 14c
LAUNDRY SOAP, Swift's Quick Naptha 10 for 25c
Sanitary Paper, 3 large rolls for 12c
Chinaware Oats, large boxes, each 24c
Lye, large boxes, 3 for 23c; Salt, 3 for 13c
Onions, White Bermudas, 5 lbs. for 14c
Blue Ribbon Malt, 3-lb. can 49c; Caps 22c
Hills Bros. Coffee or M-J-B, lb. 38c
Syrup, extra good grade, gallon 63c
Fresh river Catfish, sliced, pound 34c

Trade here every day and save money!

# Agricultural Extension News

From the Office of the County Agent and Home Demonstration Agent

## Rabbits Damage Crops

Reports continue to come to the County Agent in the effect of rabbits doing a great deal of damage to the growing crops. This is usually confined to melons, pumpkins and melons. Metal states that they have damaged his corn and melons to the extent of \$1000.00. It is time to time this column is given suggestions for the control of rabbits but these suggestions need to be reviewed from time to time for the benefit of those who failed to read prior suggestions. In the winter when there is little food for rabbits in the proper time for their wide efforts at their food but one to the fact that they are doing practically no harm at this time it is difficult to get interested in their control when they are making their depredations there is so much to be done to get the rabbits to eat food materials. Plans should be made for a united drive against them this coming winter when they will eat most any kind of food.

## strychnine mixture being placed

small pills in the runs killing large numbers where the rabbits are doing their crops. Another method that is now being tried out successfully around Rising Star and other points is the salt lick or salt block, where in one ounce of strychnine is mixed with one pound of salt and a small amount placed in approximately 16 inch by 16 inch holes in short 2x4 blocks. Recently a great many rabbits have been killed with the poisoned corn used for killing crops. This preparation costs about ten cents per pound and there is a small supply available at the county agents office. Communities interested in making up a batch of the poisoned corn will be given assistance in making up a supply. Several neighbors might well go together and make up a bushel of corn and thus have adequate supply of rabbit bait available for all in that section. This corn will kill crows, rats, etc. and in fact anything that eats it. Communities should act together as it is almost useless for just one man to do poisoning of pests if his neighbors fail to attempt to control these crop destroyers.

## Farmers Short Course

Sunday morning, July 26th, the Eastland county delegation will leave for the A. & M. College Annual Short Course. The trip by rail may be made at a total cost for every expense for the week of \$12.50. Anyone caring to drive down and camp in the College tourist camp may do so at even less expense. Most any farmer who will attend this meeting and absorb some of the things that are offered may feel sure of increasing his income at least a hundred dollars per year. The investment in this trip should be a most profitable one. The A. & M. College has invited you to be there this year. Eastland County will be represented in so of the state conference. (Continued on page 7)

# Weekly Sunday School Lesson

## Christianity Spread by Adversity

Text: Acts 7:59-8:4; 11:19-21. And they stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus receive my spirit.

And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep. And Saul was consenting unto his death. And at that time there was a great persecution against the church which was at Jerusalem; and they were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judaea and Samaria, except the apostles.

And devout men carried Stephen to his burial, and made great lamentation over him. As for Saul, he made havoc of the church, entering into every house, and haling men and women committed them to prison. Therefore they that were scattered abroad went everywhere preaching the word.

Now they which were scattered abroad upon the persecution that arose about Stephen traveled as far as Phenice, and Cyprus, and Antioch, preaching the word to none but unto the Jews only.

And some of them were men of Cyprus and Cyrene, which, when they were come to Antioch, spake unto the Grecians, preaching the Lord Jesus.

And the hand of the Lord was with them; and a great number believed, and turned unto the Lord.

### The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for July 26, Christianity Spread by Persecution, Acts 7:59-8:4; 11:19-21.

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D.

Editor of The Congregationalist.

The early growth of Christianity is a striking illustration of the uses of adversity. Paul at one time, referring to the persecutions which he had suffered rejoiced that the things that had seemed so unfavorable to himself had turned out for the growth and progress of the great cause to which he had completely devoted his life. What Paul said concerning himself in general, and the early Church in general, and has been true throughout its entire history. This fact has some times found concrete expression in the saying that "the blood of martyrs is the seed of the Church."

If it be the most hopeful fact in the economy of the universe that truth crushed to earth does rise again, that spiritual facts and forces instead of being stifled by opposition and destructive agencies are as seed sown into the earth, that truth and grace grow upon the unavailability of their surroundings.

### Christianity's Power.

Probably one should not push the recognition of this to the point of suggesting that opposition and persecution are necessary for the growth of ideals and the triumph of moral convictions. That is not the logical conclusion to be drawn. The logical conclusion is, rather, that spiritual ideals and moral forces are inherently stronger than anything else, and no opposition can destroy them.

The power of Christianity is undoubtedly demonstrated in its history. Not only is it a history of the major conquests of the world against wrong and of good over evil in the larger conflicts of life; it is a history of transformations in the inner experience of men and of power in world leadership for right and truth realized through that transformation that we call salvation.

Consider this early martyrdom of Stephen in its effect upon Saul, whose change of heart is signified in the change of name that makes him known to us as Paul. We have no record of all that happened in Paul's life, but we know that deep in his consciousness there was embedded the fact of Stephen's faith and courage in the face of death, and that aroused the questioning that on the way to Damascus was to challenge and transform his life.

### Effects of Persecution.

But the effects of the persecution were not confined to one man's experience even though that man became a remarkable world traveler and did more than any other individual to spread the Gospel throughout the ancient world. The fact of this persecution of the early Church was to drive the Christian groups and individuals to various cities, and in this way the Church became established in Antioch, where the disciples were first known as Christians, and in parts beyond Antioch. The fact that Jews were already scattered in various places gave to these Christian disciples, who were also Jews, a faithful field for their ministry, and the conversion of Paul as an agent of the movement of migration among the early Christians and the appeal of the new gospel to the Jews in every city where they went, that the growth of the early Church, which seems one of the most remarkable phenomena in history, is really explained by the spiritual enthusiasm associated with these outward causes.

### Law of Growth.

The Gospel, however, was something that could not be confined to one race or to one class. Very quickly its power to save and bless Gentiles as well as Jews, and black men as well as white men, was demonstrated. The breadth and fullness of the Gospel in its power in the souls of men created, in fact, new problems of outlook as the spirit of prejudice came in conflict with the new spirit of grace and truth. It is always so in the progress of the Church. The more real our religion becomes, the more definitely does it create new problems in contact with a selfish and sinful world. It is through these new challenges and these new conflicts that progress comes,



And it is as true today as it was in these days of the early Church that "the hand of the Lord" is with those who go forth in his name and in his spirit, and the effect of their witness and their labors is always that others believe and are "turned unto the Lord." This is the law of growth in the Christian church, and wherever Christians observe it it brings its results.

## Desdemona Holding Three Day Picnic and Baseball Tournament

The citizens of Desdemona are having an old fashioned picnic and barbecue with a baseball tournament Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 24, 25 and 26th. The entertainment is being given under the auspices of the Desdemona Parent-Teacher association. In addition to the baseball games there will be a big free barbecue on July 24; an old settlers parade at 10:00 a. m. and an old fiddlers contest at 1:00 p. m. The old fiddlers will contest for cash prizes. Four fast clubs, Desdemona, De Leon, Sipe Springs and Eastland will play baseball, liberal cash prizes to go to the winners. The games will be called at 2:30 p. m. each day and each day a double header will be played. In case of rain the game for that day will be played the next day. There will be an admission charge of 25 cents for adults, ladies free with a paid admission. Boys under 15 years of age admitted for 10 cents. Those in charge of arrangements for the three-day affair are planning for a large crowd for each day of the entertainment. Those attending are asked to bring luncheon on the 24th, except the barbecue, bread and pickles which will be furnished free.

## Rev. Neal Greer To Speak In Eastland

Rev. Neal Greer of Rising Star will preach at both the morning and evening services at the Baptist church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. T. Turner, who is in Berlin with his wife. Mrs. Turner is taking treatment for a recent throat infection and having her tonsils removed. Highway No. 40 extending from Dallas and Kaufman, designated as Federal route.

## SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY SISTER MARY, SEA Service Writer. THE new housewife is often perplexed as to the proper method of boiling a lobster and removing the flesh for use in salad or other made dishes. Lobsters always should be alive up to the time of boiling, and remember that a live lobster is an active creature and can't be trusted alone on the kitchen table. The safest plan is to boil it as soon as it comes from the market. In the first place, be sure to have a kettle large enough to accommodate the lobster, with plenty of water to cover him completely. Add one tablespoonful of salt to six quarts of boiling water. The water must be boiling vigorously. Grasp the lobster by the neck and plunge it headfirst into the rapidly boiling water, immediately immersing the entire body. Boil for five minutes, then reduce heat and cook slowly for 15 minutes. Remove from kettle, place on claws to drain and wipe dry. Remove Meat at Once. As soon as the lobster is cool enough to handle, remove flesh. To do this first break off the two large claws and the four pairs of small ones. Then break apart the tail and the body at the joint. Fold tail in left hand with the hard shell side against the palm. With a pair of sharp scissors cut a slit through the center of the internal membrane of the tail. Now hold tail in both hands and spread slightly. Carefully break flesh from shell and remove the flesh in a single piece. Run a sharp knife carefully lengthwise through the center of the tail, and very carefully remove the intestinal vein which runs the entire length. This vein always is white, but it differs in color, being sometimes red, white or black. The body is pulled from the shell, leaving the stomach, and is not edible. The gills, stomach and intestines are the only parts not eaten. The green substance is the liver. The sides of the body are covered with woolly gills which are the lungs. Pull off all the gills and break the body in several pieces. Remove all the pieces of flesh found between the bones. This meat is very sweet

and tender. The coral which is the roe is used as a garnish. Break open the large claws, using a hammer or nut-cracker. It is a good idea to disjoint the claws first, since this makes it easier to remove the claw meat in whole pieces. There is a bony membrane through the center of the meat in the large claw which can be removed by cutting through the meat at the base of joint and sitting lengthwise at the long side. Cut the shell from the small claws and remove this meat with a skewer or nut pick. Or leave the small claws whole and use them for garnishing. Chill the meat thoroughly before using. If you buy your lobster boiled at the market, be sure it is freshly boiled. The shell should be a bright red and when the tail is straightened it should spring back quickly. This shows that the lobster was alive when boiled. Select Heavy Lobster. When you choose a lobster, select one heavy for its size. Its shell should be hard and a mottled bluish green in color, slightly streaked with black. Lobsters vary greatly depending on the locality from which they come. One lobster weighing two and one-half pounds will yield about two cups of finely cut meat. Two to three pounds is the average weight of a lobster. It is advisable to use lobster meat within 15 hours after cooking. If it is to be kept for this length of time season it with salt and cayenne and store in covered jar on ice. Then omit salt and cayenne from the final seasoning when it's prepared for use.

Ranger, Texas

# SPECIAL PRICES FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

MILK	Carnation brand	3 large cans or	6 small cans	23c
KELLOGG'S	Rice Krispies	2 for	15c	
SUGAR	Powdered or Brown	3 boxes	23c	
JELLO	ALL FLAVORS	3 pkgs.	23c	
CRACKERS	2 pound box Salted			27c
POTTED MEAT	Banner Brand	6 cans for		19c
SALMON	Tall Chum	2 cans for		23c
COFFEE	6 O'clock Brand	2 lbs. for		45c
FLOUR	YUKON BEST	48-lb. bag	\$1.10	
COMPOUND	Jewel or Advance	8 lb. pail	85c	
FLOUR	MORTEN'S CROWN	48-lb. Bag	89c	24-lb. Bag 49c
RAISINS	4-pound bag	37c	2-pound bag	19c
DRIED APPLES	2-pound bag			27c
DRIED PEACHES	2-pound bag			25c
DRIED APRICOTS	New Crop	2-pound bag		29c
Ivory Flakes	OXYDOL	IVORY SOAP		
3 med. size	Large size, ea.	3 med. bars	25c	
Large size, ea.	3 small size	2 large bars	27c	
SOAP	12 bars for Guest Ivory	47c	SOAP CHIPS	39c
Sunbrite Cleanser	4 boxes for	25c	P & G SOAP	35c
10 bars for				
PINEAPPLE	Armour's Veri-Best PEARS	Armour's Veri-Best APRICOTS		
Sliced or Grated No. 1 Flats	No. 1 Size Cans	No. 1 Size Cans		
2 Cans	2 for	2 for	25c	
HOMINY	19c	PORK & BEANS	23c	
VAN CAMPS	3 medium cans	VAN CAMPS	3 cans	
PEAS	2 No. 2 cans White Swan Luncheon	39c	TOMATOES	25c
No. 2 size, 3 cans				
POTATOES	Salad Dressing	VINEGAR		
Large Reds or Whites	Mrs. Dalton's	Pure Distilled Bring Your Jug		
10 Pounds for	Pints	Gallon	29c	
19c	19c			
PRODUCE	MARKET			
BLACK-EYED PEAS, snaps and shells	lb. 2 1/2 c	PORK ROAST, lb.	17c	
GREEN BEANS, young and tender	2 lbs. 25c	BACON, sliced, pound	25c	
CANTALOUPE	6 for 14c	BABY BEEF ROAST, seven cut, pound	15c	
Rocky Fords		LAMB ROAST, pound	13c	
GREEN PEPPERS, large size	2 lbs. 15c	LAMB LEG lb.	17c	
APPLES, Gravenstein, med. size	doz. 27c	LAMB STEW, lb.	8c	
LEMONS, large, size, juicy	doz. 23c	FULL CREAM CHEESE, pound	17c	
ORANGES, large size	doz. 27c	DRY SALT JOWLS, pound	9c	
CARROTS, 3 bunches	10c	SMOKED BACON, pound	18c	
		FRYERS, dressed, pound	28c	

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LEMONS Good ol' lemonade doz 20c

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Daguerreotype Is Only Picture Of Betty Ross

By United Press. EVANSVILLE, Ind.—A dim daguerreotype, believed to be the only existing original likeness of Betty Ross, maker of the first American flag, is owned by Captain John Veatch, who lives here.

Scene from picture showing at Arcadia Theater in Ranger today and tomorrow.



The Paris to Tokio plane is called the Hyphen because, perhaps, it is just the thing in which to make a dash.

Golden Rivet Launched Building of World's Largest Lighter Than Air Craft for United States Navy

Trial and Tours Will Be Watched By Millions in Belief That Design May Revolutionize Travel Over the Entire Earth.

By LEO F. BARON, United Press Staff Correspondent. AKRON, Ohio.—On a sunny November day in 1928 a golden rivet was driven into the "master ring" of what was to become the largest, the fleetest, and designedly the most dependable lighter-than-air craft ever built.

Among the thousands who gathered at the Goodyear-Zeppelin air-dock for the ceremony which formally started construction work were Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, U. S. N., and Paul Litchfield, president of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber company.

The Akron is obviously superlative. In length the Akron is 785 feet, the Graf, 776 feet, and the Los Angeles 658.3 feet.

Its nominal gas volume is 6,500,000 cubic feet, nearly twice that of the Graf and three times that of the Los Angeles.

The diameter through its thickest section is 132.9 feet, the Graf is 100 feet and the Los Angeles, 90.7 feet.

Should the three ships be moored side by side, this dimension would perhaps more than any other demonstrate the Akron's massiveness.

In height, its 146.5 feet is 44.5 feet greater than the Graf and 42.1 feet greater than the Los Angeles.

Its power rooms contain eight engines, capable of developing 4,480 horsepower as against five engines with 2,750 horsepower and five with 2,000 horsepower of the Graf and Los Angeles respectively.

Its maximum speed per hour is 83.8 miles, the Graf's is 80 and the Los Angeles, 73.1.

Its capacity gas supply can carry it 10,580 miles without refueling, based upon an average cruising speed of 50 miles per hour.

At the same speed, the Graf can cover 6,125 miles and the Los Angeles but 4,000.

One Stop Around Globe. On this basis of speed the Akron could circumnavigate the globe via the Post-Gatty route with a single stop.

The Graf Zeppelin established a number of records. Its flight around the world in 22 days was one which was surpassed only a few weeks ago by Wiley Post and Harold Gatty.

Its ability to fly under the most adverse weather conditions constituted a great step forward for aeronautics.

Its size, supported by its quality of safety, drove home the possibilities of trans-oceanic air transportation.

The Los Angeles, the grizzled veteran of the three ships, achieved its worth at an earlier date. Its use of non-inflammable helium gas instead of the inflammable hydrogen as an elevating agent reduced the hazards of this type of flying to a negligible state.

The features which have contributed to the success of the Graf and the Los Angeles have been incorporated in the Akron and scores of new ones added.

It was the co-ordination of these features that probably prompted Admiral Moffett and Goodyear President Litchfield to visualize an epoch of aviation when the Akron takes the air.

Cost Over Five Million. The Akron has cost more than \$5,000,000 to build. Externally, its length appears abbreviated by its extreme width, which was so designed to furnish compactness and facilities for greater helium storage.

The hull is built up of rigid metal framework to withstand heavy loadings. Inside are the gas cells, containing the helium, or lifting gas. More than 12 acres of fabric were used in making these cells.

Wrapped about the hull is a taut fabric outer cover, chemically treated and metalized, to serve as a waterproofing agent and a protection against the elements.

This cover is designed to reflect rather than absorb the heat of the sun and at the same time to provide a smooth flying surface.

The rigidity of the hull will enable one portion of the gas cells to become inflated without impairing the appearance of the ship, this in contrast with the non-rigid dirigibles which sag when the helium is unevenly distributed.

points in the hull, their position permits the loss of buoyancy without causing a "list" in the ship.

Three triangular-shaped gangways extend through the length of the dirigible. Two are placed symmetrically at the bottom part of the ship while the third runs along the top center of the hull.

This feature is a departure from previous designs, which provided only a single corridor at the bottom from nose to tail.

The Akron's corridors are so arranged that easy accessibility is granted to any section of the interior.

Safety Features. Every known safety feature has been designed in the Akron's plans. Safety valves have been installed to dispose of any surplus expansion of helium which would react to changes in altitude.

Temperature and barometric pressure, under ordinary flying conditions, these devices are unnecessary for safety since the amount of helium is so regulated before the ascent that proper space exists in the gas cells to accommodate whatever expansion may occur on that specific flight.

To reduce the mathematical possibility of over-inflation, however, the designers installed the gas valves to take care of any extraordinary conditions, or emergencies.

The over-pressure valves, installed at the top of the ship, open automatically when the emergency arises, or else can be opened from the control room if release of helium is conducive to greater speed.

Helium can be let out at the rate of 500 cubic feet per second by these valves.

Contrary to the average opinion, the possibility of damage from fire or lightning is almost negligible.

Hazards of gasoline fires no more exist on the Akron than on the average automobile. The engine rooms are constructed of fireproof walls and elaborate fire-fighting systems have been installed from stem to stern.

Free ventilation prevents the accumulation of gasoline fumes and gas-eight electrical connections prevent ignition of any local fumes.

Designers say the Akron is immune to lightning bolts. A bolt of lightning, they point out, would be dissipated because every metal part is bonded to another to act as a Faraday cage.

Despite the general opinion that lightning is a menace to dirigible traffic, records show that only two have been struck and these were both inflated with the highly inflammable hydrogen gas.

Although a dirigible the size of the Akron could be made to accommodate 1,000 persons, the navy's new war bird will carry only 10 officers and a crew of 50.

These, however, will find every comfort of an ocean liner when they step aboard for the maiden voyage.

Rooms for officers and crew are near the middle of the ship, on either side of the central corridor.

Each sleeping room is provided with four comfortable berths. In the same unit of room are a large gallery with ample cooking facilities, mess rooms and lavatories.

The control car is located forward, abutting below the stream-line of the dirigible, and built as an integral part of the structure.

Because of its projection below the streamline—which incidentally is the only projection on the hull—the room was built on trolleys to accommodate the trolleys and the crew which operate them.

Directly above the control car is the radio cabin, the commanding officer's cabin and the hull.

The eight gasoline engines housed in separate rooms, each side of the ship, in the hull and placed 70 feet apart. Each engine will use approximately 120 pounds of gasoline at cruising speed.

All will not operate simultaneously and general inspection and force the idleness of two motors while the others are operating.

One of the most interesting features, perhaps, from the viewpoint, in the Akron's construction is the provision for air-planes.

Naval experts say that dirigibles, being weak points of helplessness in warfare, should be strengthened that type of warfare.

Consequently a compartment was built inside the hull for five air-planes. The compartments are five feet long and 60 feet wide, provided at the bottom with lappable doors.

When the dirigible is simply opened, the planes are lowered on a track and detach themselves to take off from mid-air in the same manner as the dirigible when ready to return.

CHURCH TO FLYING SCHOOL. PORTLAND, Me.—Within the past 10 years the building at 142 High street has served successively as a church, theater, indoor golf course, boxing arena and aviation school.

SPEARMAN — New whiteway system completed and \$80,000 paving program more than half completed.

PIGGY WIGGLY Quality Meats At Piggly Wiggly! EASILY PREPARED for HOT WEATHER Meals. Best Grade HAM pound 39c BOILED. VEAL OR BABY BEEF SEVEN ROAST lb. 15c POT ROAST lb. 10c DRY SALT BACON lb. 12 1/2c DRY SALT JOWLS 3 lbs. 25c FRYERS Dressed lb. 27c SLICED BACON lb. 24c CHEESE lb. 19c GILTEDGE FLOUR 48 lbs. 82c. Also includes JELLO, SOAP, LUNA, POTTED MEAT, FRUITS and VEGETABLES, MILK, COFFEE, COMPOUND, BEANS, TEA, SALTINE FLAKES, GRAPE JUICE, POST TOASTIES.

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**Life Is Popular**  
By United Press.

NEW YORK—Club life among girls here has been put under the microscope by the Bureau of the Welfare Council and has been found to be a very popular thing among the young generation.

A council's report of a study of 48 settlements and neighborhood houses shows that girls are greater club joiners than boys; that it is not always easy to secure admittance to a boy's or girl's club, but that in most of them the members must be acceptable to a majority of club members; that it is not easy to remain in a club once you have gotten in, as your dues of 3 cents to 50 cents a week must be paid; that a majority of clubs are organized under penalty of expulsion; that social activities are most popular; and that religious or instructional activities are least popular.

The Welfare Council found 1,700 clubs, with close to 100,000 members, among the settlements, Jewish, Italian and Irish girls predominate, but every other nationality is represented, many of them in the same club. The only club which included in club membership, the report says, are those whose needs for recreation and social opportunities are as great as, or greater than, those of any group.

A study of clubs was conducted by Louise P. Blackham and Fern Farris, of the Research Bureau of the Council.

**MOM'N POP**  
By Cowan

HO! HO! GLADYS UNCLE MIKE WANTS YOU ON THE PHONE

WE WOULDN'T TELL ME, BUT SAID I'D GET THE SURPRISE OF MY LIFE AND ASKED ME TO COME RIGHT OVER

NOW WHAT! YOU FINNEGANS HAVE MORE SURPRISES ON THE FIRE THAN ANY FAMILY I EVER KNEW!

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I WONDER WHAT UNCLE MIKE HAS UP HIS SLEEVE? GREAT GRIEF! I HOPE HE ISN'T WISE TO OUR TRADING OFF AUNT HANNAH'S OLD CHAIR

**Editor Writes Of Tabloidia**  
By United Press.

NEW YORK—Emile Gauvreau, managing editor of the New York Mirror and one of the most important forces in the development of tabloid journalism in America, is the author of a novelized expose of tabloid methods called "Hot News" just published by the Macaulay Company.

Gauvreau, a former New England newspaperman, was given the task several years ago of starting the New York Evening Graphic, a MacFadden paper, and personally developed many of the sensational phases of gathering and presenting tabloid news.

He originated the "composograph" method of superimposing one picture on another to illustrate an event in the news when it was impossible for the photograph of the actual event to be taken.

Gauvreau, in his book, shows how the tabloid editors "make their own news" when things are quiet in the newspaper world. He presents a vivid picture of the aggressiveness and enterprise of the editors and reporters on these papers, and of their constant, feverish fight to hold and increase circulation.

It is evident from the text of "Hot News" that Gauvreau was the anonymous author of the serial "Adventures in Tabloidia" that appeared in a weekly national magazine recently.

"Hot News" will soon be produced as a talkie by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

**FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS**  
By Blosser

EXTRA!

OSCAR HAS MYSTERIOUSLY DISAPPEARED FROM KINGSTONS SUMMER PLACE, ON PARADISE LAKE, WHERE THE BOYS ARE SPENDING THEIR VACATION....

WHICH DIRECTION WILL WE LOOK FOR OSCAR? GEE! HE SHOULD KNOW IT'D BE HARD TO FIND ANYBODY WHO GOT LOST UP HERE IN THIS COUNTRY....

I KNOW IT—THAT'S WHAT HAS ME WORRIED!!

LISTEN... I'LL TAKE OUT IN MY CANOE AN' SEE IF I CAN SEE ANY SIGNS OF HIM....

I WONDER IF THAT HECTOR RUBY HAS ANY THINGS TO DO WITH OSCAR DISAPPEARIN'... MEBBE HIS FINDING IT HAS BEEN BAD LUCK... LOOKS LIKE IT....

**NOTICE**  
Ranger, Texas

Regular meeting B.P.O.E. No. 1373, tonight

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**Denver Plans Welcome For Episcopalians**  
By United Press.

DENVER—The kind of old-fashioned western welcome with a "grubstake" of every service and convenience it has to offer, will be made voluntarily to delegates to the General convention of the Episcopal Church here in September.

Denver will tell the churchmen, "you're up a mile, so smile."

To begin with, the city has placed the municipal auditorium at the disposal of the Episcopalians.

Auditorium to be Church

This building, scene of the gatherings of many national and international conventions, literally will be turned into a church. A specially constructed altar and altar rail will be installed, around which the white-robed dignitaries may gather with all the solemnity of their custom.

Not to be outdone by the city, the state has offered liberal use of its capitol building to the House of Bishops for their conferences and upon questions of social and moral import.

Branch of Post Office

A branch post office in the Scottish Rite Temple, offered as another meeting place by the Masonic fraternal order, will be opened during the busy days of the convention.

All of the leading hotels are contributing courtesy services. The city's four radio stations will give daily periods for remarks of the noted speakers.

Business will cooperate in an elaborate decorative scheme. Clubs will provide guests cards and golf privileges for the distinguished guests.

To top it off, the churches of every denomination will issue special invitations to the visiting prelates to address their congregations during the conference.

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**Heart of Liane**  
by MABEL McELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Liane Barrett, 18 and lovely, falls in love at first sight with Van Robard, handsome man of the world. Liane's mother, Cass, warns her not to have anything to do with him. At Willow Stream, L. L. where Cass is playing summer stock, Liane meets Muriel Ladd, lebanite, said to be in love with a reporter, Chuck Desmond. Elsie Minter tells Liane there is gossip about Robard and Muriel's mother.

When Cass is taken ill on tour Liane rushes to her. Cass babbles in her delirium of some mystery concerning the girl's birth. The rich Mrs. Cleespaugh invites Cass to return to her house to convalesce. Clive Cleespaugh asks Liane to marry him and, piqued by the announcement of Van's engagement to Muriel, she accepts.

Tressa Lord, a house guest at the Cleespaughs, is rude to Liane. When the engagement of Liane and Clive is announced Tressa begins to plot against her with the editor of the blackmail sheet Liane goes to Shane McDermid, police officer who once befriended her, and he settles the blackmailers.

Shane warns Liane she has an enemy. At a ball given for the Prince of Slavaria, Liane disappears. Chuck Desmond, Clive and the Prince go off in separate cars hunting for her. Liane is taken to a lonely house on the shore and one of her captors terrifies her so that she falls and strikes her head. She is left in charge of the old woman, Molly.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXVII

Clive cursed himself for a witless fool to have lost even 40 seconds in fruitless conversation. "And I may be going the wrong way," he groaned. He swerved in before two green lamps marking the police booth at the crossroads.

"Girl kidnaped from the Hut Club," he said briefly to the uniformed man who stuck his head out of the box. "We were told the car headed back toward town." Clive's face was white, grim.

"I'll go along with you, Mr. Cleespaugh," the policeman said respectfully. He spoke a few succinct words into a mouthpiece before locking the booth.

"This may be a hell of a wild goose chase," Clive offered, keeping his foot on the accelerator until the dial hand spun to 70, "but it's the only way we know. There may be a clue."

In the mirror he could see the lights of the big car behind. Grimly he kept that patent shoe foot on the gas pedal. There was a sort of relief in driving furiously.

Fool, idiot, dolt. He cursed himself roundly and silently as he drove. To think he had permitted the child to get out of his sight for a single moment, especially after that anonymous letter he had received a few days before.

"Watch out," the letter had said. "The Powers don't want this marriage to go through. He warned." It had been signed "Well Wisher" and Clive had laughed it off as the work of some harmless crank. Well, he knew better now. God, to think of Liane in the hands of gangsters!

"That's a police car up ahead," Mr. Cleespaugh, the man beside him said after a minute. "Better draw up."

Two youngsters in uniform, six-footers both, thrust their heads out of the Ford and one asked, "Where the hell d'you think you're going?"

Officer McHugh leaned out into the glare shed by the dashlights. "You kids get along there and let the law take its course," he advised presently. "Mr. Cleespaugh and I are on the trail of a Jersey sedan. Seen one this way?"

"The woods are full of 'em," one of the young policemen said. Then, "Say—I did notice those fellows in one that passed a few minutes ago. The driver was all dressed up but had a cap on. I said to myself that was kinda funny."

Clive cried, "Did you notice if there was anyone in the back seat?"

"The shade was down. I didn't think much of it because some of these birds don't like the lights on the mirror."

"You're not bad, Deleahanty," said Officer McHugh, with an air of kindly patronage. "I'll be speakin' to the chief about yer. The words floated back for Clive was already on his way.

Where was Liane at this moment? Were the beasts frightening her? Clive shuddered. He said aloud, "If they lay hands on her, by the Lord, I'll—" His hands tightened at the wheel. The older man glanced at him curiously. "Take it easy, boy," he advised kindly. "If it's for ransom they took the girl, don't fret. They'll not mishandle her. They'll be wanting your money. They'll return her safe and sound. I make no doubt there's a letter at the house waiting, askin' you to leave the packet at so-and-so's corner."

"If it's only money they do want!" Clive groaned.

Officer McHugh said pacifically, "I'd be slowin' down a bit now. We're coming into the village and I don't know are the lights at Main Street workin' this time of night or not."

Clive slowed obediently. A suburban sedan with a young woman at the wheel rattled across the intersection, the driver throwing an annoyed glance at the car whose brakes had screeched so unmercifully.

"Late hours for a woman to be out alone," observed McHugh. Then he clicked his teeth together. "Seen that woman some where," he ruminated. He said to Clive, "It's a hunch! Follow that car."

Clive, certain that the man had lost his wits but unwilling to lose sight of any clue, however faint, veered about, getting home late and winking up the road ahead of them.

"She belongs in a gang down by the shore," McHugh said rapidly. "They've a queer place with a shady name to it. Some strange goings on. I hear they've conspired the trail of the little dash light, winking up the road ahead of them."

The little car ahead had begun to gather speed now that Clive's powerful engine had picked up the trail.

"Maybe she's only a nice girl, getting home late and frightened," Clive thought. He raged at McHugh in his heart.

The girl's car dodged into a side road. "Hard going there," the policeman said. "Can you make those boys?"

"I can make it," Clive said, tightening his lips.

Suddenly the tail light of the car ahead became stationary. Clive, realizing she had stopped, bumped up alongside.

A white, thin-lipped face looked out at them. "Who are you fellows?" the girl demanded. "What do you want?"

The policeman continued to stare her down.

The girl said again, "What do you want?" in a thin, disagreeable voice.

Clive thought in the split second before McHugh answered her, "We're waiting time, Fools!"

McHugh opened the door, climbed out. He ambled casually over to the cheap little car, drawn up there in the glade. He drawled, "Just wonderin' where you're goin' in this time of night."

The girl said impatiently, "I've been visiting my cousin over at Rockville Center. I'm just getting home. You cops—"

Her whining tone sounded innocent enough. But the policeman...

**AGRICULTURE**

(Continued from page five)

tests this year July 27 to July 31, inclusive: the living room contest by Miss Hallie Hill, member of the Okra Home Demonstration Club, who won first place in district No. 3 in the contest. Miss Hill competes with a home demonstration club member from each of the other 8 districts. Mrs. L. C. Owens, member of the Grapevine Home Demonstration Club represents Eastland county in the state contest. In addition to these representatives there will be 22 other girls, 8 women, 6 boys and 4 men. The delegates from the county leave from Cisco, Eastland and Ranger Sunday morning, July 26. By the T. & P. to Ft. Worth and on special West Texas train out of there on the I. & G. N.

Watermelon Rind Sweet Pickles

7 pounds prepared watermelon rind, 3 pints vinegar, 4 pounds sugar, 3-4 oz. cloves (whole), 2 sticks cinnamon, 1-2 ounces ginger root.

Prepare 7 pounds of rind. Remove all pink and green rind. Cut these pieces into uniform strips, either No. 1-2 1-2 inches by 1-2 inches, or No. 2-1 inch by 1-2 inches. Combine vinegar, sugar and spices, and cook until sugar is dissolved. Add the strips of rind and cook until clear and tender. Seal in sterilized containers. Fill jars to overflowing. Pack rind firmly in jars and use a small bit or stick cinnamon bark for garnish. Store in cool dark place.

Tomato Catsup (Powell)

2 tablespoons salt, 4 tablespoons

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**Sports Writer Is Planning Awards For Dog Heroes**

By United Press.

DALLAS—Every dog has his day but the hero dogs of Texas will have a big one in November when Oswin K. King, publisher of Uncle Jake's Sports Weekly, presents them with medals for their heroism.

Uncle Jake has announced that he will receive candidates for the awards up until Nov. 1. The five dogs doing the most heroic work will receive the medals. Their are no strings attached to the awards, King said, and no expense on the part of the dog owners or dogs.

(To Be Continued)

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**SOCIETY and CLUB NEWS**  
 MISS ARRITTA DAVENPORT  
 Editor  
 Phone 224 Ranger

**Juniors to Render Interesting Program Sunday Evening.**  
 The following program will be given by the Junior League at the First Methodist church on Sunday evening:  
 Leader, Edith Buskirk.  
 Opening song, "This Is My Father's World."  
 Scripture lesson.  
 Prayer.  
 Song, "There Is Beauty All Around."  
 Reading, Bernice Ashcraft.  
 Story, James Whitley.  
 Piano Solo, Electra Pearson.  
 Bible story, Mrs. Boon.  
 Business.  
 Closing song, "How Strong and Sweet My Father's Care."  
 Benediction.

**Popular Couple Are Married in Breckenridge This Week.**

An event of wide appeal to a large group of the younger set which helps to mark the society calendar and uphold the standard for weddings during the mid-summer season took place the middle of this week when Miss Jewel Cullpepper, popular Ranger girl, and Mr. Paul Keeton of Thurber, son of Mrs. Mabel Keeton of Fort Worth, were married in Breckenridge, Tex., by the Rev. Mr. Byers, pastor of the church, officiated.

The bride was charmingly gowned in a beige frock, finished with harmonizing accessories. Those acting as attendants were, Mrs. B. S. Lemma, sister of the bride, Miss Merle Hale and Miss Marguerite Lester, close friend of the couple.

Mrs. Keeton is associated with Montgomery-Ward and company, where she has acquired a host of friends through her charming personality. Mr. Keeton is a popular and well known employee of the T. & P. Coal and Oil company, holding an office position in Thurber.

Mr. and Mrs. Keeton are at home in Ranger, where their many friends extend most sincere good wishes.

**Child Welfare Club To Meet at Acorn Acres Tearoom.**  
 The Child Welfare club will meet at Acorn Acres tearoom on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

**Miss Underwood Entertains in Honor of Robert Love.**  
 Miss Fanny Underwood, most delightfully entertained at the home of her parents, Lone Star Plant No. 101, this week with a surprise birthday party in honor of Robert Love.

The room decorations reflected a lovely color scheme of pink and green, foliage plants of pink geraniums in full bloom, with their own deep green foliage added a touch of blending color to the massive clusters.

At each table where games of bridge was enjoyed, the motif was repeated in a striking manner, through the tallies score pads and table covers, together with the dainty motifs forming the centers being primarily of pastel shades combined with fern.

Ladies' high score prize, a beautiful hand painted handkerchief, was won by Mrs. Barney Marlow, and high for the gentlemen, an attractive hand carved ash tray went to Roy Underwood.

Following bridge, dancing furnished delightful entertainment for the remainder of the evening. While the tables were being cleared and laid with dainty linens and appointed with silver and crystal, a large angel food birthday cake was presented the honor guest, topped with pink candles and encircled with birthday greetings.

The delicious cake was cut by Robert and served with fruited ices to the following who composed the guests for the happily celebrated occasion: Misses Mary Jane Bond, Beatrice Jennings, Grace Jennings, Rebecca Matheny, Lillie Love, Loris Wanda Marlow, Melba Love, and Messrs. Robert Love, Jack Love, Raymond Steele, Roy and Howard Underwood, John Love, of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Marlow, and Mrs. Ella Love of Desdemona.

The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. J. M. Underwood. Mr. Love received many useful and attractive gifts in token of his birthday.

**COLORED STRAWS FOR MEN.**  
 PARIS.—Threatening to turn the boulevards into a riot of color, the first tinted straw "sailors" for men have made their appearance. They are like the ordinary hard straw hats except that they are green, blue, brown and red. Merchants declare that the public has not responded as rapidly as was expected and white straws still dominate.

**CROSBYTOWN**—160 carloads of wheat shipped from city up to late date.



**Personal EASTLAND**

Dr. H. B. Tanner is spending today in Desdemona.

Dr. S. P. Rupp of Fort Worth was a visitor the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tully and family leave Saturday for Ada, Okla., to spend ten days with Mr. Tully's father.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Armstrong will spend the week-end in Kerrville.

Ralph Reesor of Duncan, Okla., is visiting friends here.

Miss Lillian Williams, who underwent an operation for appendicitis last week is reported to be doing well.

Pettit Castleberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Castleberry, who underwent a minor operation in Dallas last week, is doing well and will soon be removed to his home here.

JEFFERSON—Local bank statements show deposits of nearly \$500,000.

**Man-Sized Fiddle Puts Drunk Back On Water Wagon**

GLOBE, Ariz.—Seeing a violoncello for the first time while under arrest for being intoxicated caused one Globe man to "go on the wagon forever," Sheriff Charles R. Byrne reported.

A rancher friend of the sheriff left the violoncello at the county jail where a repair man was to call for it.

"I'm off the stuff forever," the drunk shouted suddenly. "It's time to quiet when I see fiddles as big as men."

Try as they would, deputy sheriffs could not convince the prisoner that he wasn't seeing things. The violoncello was gone when he awoke in the morning and he marched from the jail a reformed man.

**BLIND MAN RUNS FOR OFFICE HICKORY FLAT, Miss.**

Although blind since childhood, Leban V. Renick is running for the state legislature.

**RANGER Personal**

Clyde H. Davis has returned from a business visit to Dallas.

Mrs. William Mayes and Miss Marjorie Clark, have returned from a short visit to Dallas. They were accompanied home by Misses Anne and Bessie Taylor, sisters of Mrs. Mayes.

Mrs. Ty Grasianno left this morning for a two weeks' visit in Wichita Falls, where she will be the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Gilbreath and small daughter are visitors in Sweetwater today, where they are attending the J. C. Penney district meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Underwood and family had as guests at their home, Lone Star Plant No. 101, this week Mrs. Ella Love of Desdemona and John Love of Gorman.

Lawrence Hollowell and Archie Mills have returned, following a week's visit in Austin and Thordale. Mr. Hollowell and Mr. Mills were guests of Mr. Hollowell's parents in the latter city.

**TOKIO**—The Korumin Shim-bun, one of the leading Japanese dailies here, has started to issue the regular Sunday papers in tabloid form.

The Kokumin Sunday afternoon paper is the first issue in Tokio, appearing in tabloid form.

**WOODSHORO**—N. Bergvall, contractor, will rebuild bridge near F. J. Born place, on Woodshoro-Bayside highway, three-fourths of a mile from here.

**SOCIAL AFFAIRS and CLUB NEWS**

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**AT RANGER HOSPITALS**

**West Texas Clinic**  
 M. J. Whalen, who has been a patient for the past four weeks was able to be removed to his home this week.

Miss Alyene McCarty of Graham underwent an operation for removal of tonsils Wednesday afternoon.

James Fox of Graham was operated for removal of tonsils yesterday.

Tom Bryant of Cross Plains is a patient this week and is doing very nicely.

Ira Clemmer has been removed to his home following an operation.

Mr. Hutchinson of Weatherford is resting very comfortably.

Mrs. Everett Smith who underwent an operation several days ago is resting well.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin was operated yesterday morning for removal of tonsils.

**City-County Hospital**

Attendants report a slight favorable change in the condition of little Jo Ann Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis, who is critically ill, following an operation last Sunday night.

**Dean Declares Musicians Still Have Opportunity**

GREENCASTLE, Ind.—Opportunities for persons interested in music still are plentiful, according to Dean R. G. McCutchan, who has completed 20 years as head of the De Pauw University school of music here.

Dean McCutchan agreed that the radio and sound pictures have thrown a large number of musicians out of work, but added that this loss was offset by the excellent opening in the musical education field.

"The period of unemployment has had little effect on the music profession," Dean McCutchan pointed out. "Although the time for placing of teachers does not arrive until August, nearly all those who were graduated from the De Pauw school of music this year already have been given positions."

**STYLISTS SHOW FASHIONS FOR FALL, WINTER**

PARIS.—While the status of Napoleon in the Place Vendome fails to cast even a cooling shadow on the sweltering fashionable entering and leaving taxis at the door of the Ritz; and while friends, relatives and countrymen seek the ocean breezes of the blue Mediterranean along the Riviera, Parisian couturiers are emerging from tons of fur and winter materials that have gone into the exotic garments they are exhibiting to the buyers.

With ears to the grounds week in advance to catch the rumblings of fashion for the winter of 1931-32, we learn that the new collections are going to create a greater amount of interest than those of many winters due to the rather sudden turn of affairs introduced with the Empress Eugenie's hat. While at present the smallest item of woman's wardrobe, this diminutive object of fashion has exerted sufficient influence within less than a month to change the entire trend of styles for the last 100 years.

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THE NEW 1930 Paris hats and the new 1931 way to wear them—dipped low over the right eye and worn high over the left ear showing a great expanse of hair. This model is of dark brown felt trimmed with brown and yellow ostrich.

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**BAKE SALE**

Ladies of the First Christian Church  
 SATURDAY, JULY 25  
 Starts 9 a. m., lasts all day  
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**Dirigible Draws Tourist Crowd**

AKRON, O.—The Washington Monument and Niagara Falls, long an objective for tourists, for months have had a rival in the U. S. N. "Akron," which is rapidly nearing completion.

Moored in the Goodyear-Zeppelin airdock, the Akron has drawn hundreds of thousands of tourists from every state in the union and many foreign countries since construction work was started more than two years ago. The image of its vast duraluminum framework and mammoth dimensions has been imprinted upon minds that speak a score of languages and more of dialects.

Airdock officials report that an average of from 1,200 to 1,400 tourists from states other than Ohio view the dirigible daily. From 25 to 40 states are represented in this influx of visitors.

BANDERA—260,000 pounds of clip wool was shipped from here to Boston during the recent week on consignment.

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