

# Ranger Times

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No.

The government did \$18,000,000 worth of business in candies last year, according to a statistic. Maybe it's because so many people are burning them at both ends.

## BATTLE OF BRIDGES ENDS SATURDAY

### 4-H Club Members Leave for A. & M. College

#### TWENTY-SIX ARE ATTENDING SHORT COURSE

Leave in Special Car Saturday for Annual Instruction at College.

The Eastland county delegation to the annual A. & M. College short course, numbering 26 persons, including men, women, boys and girls, left at 10:30 this morning in a special car over the Texas & Pacific railroad for College Station to be present at the opening of the program Monday morning, July 27. Miss Ruth Ramsey, county home demonstration agent, accompanied the party. County Agent J. C. Patterson preceded the party to College Station two or three days ago.

Included in the list of representatives from Eastland county were the boys and girls, members of the various 4-H clubs that had won the right to make the trip for their clubs, and the women chosen by the women's clubs to represent their clubs. Others attending were men and women especially interested in the line of work to be covered by the short course program and who went to College Station to attend for what benefit they could get out of the instructions.

County Agent J. C. Patterson went to College Station Wednesday to take equipment used by the Eastland county fair at Eastland last year, the A. & M. college having adopted the Eastland county fair plan as a model for other county fairs over the state.

Miss Agnes Bryant, Rising Star will make the trip at the expense of the college as chaperone for the group. Among those making the trip were:

Boys—Bennie Trot, Pleasant Hill; R. L. Tucker, Jr., Pleasant Hill; Wesley Latham, County club; Virgil Barton, Carbon club; Alvin Montgomery, Flatwoods; J. F. Reynolds, Cook; Almus Melton, Alameda.

Men—Bert McGlamery, Eastland; Louis Pitzer, Eastland; J. P. McCracken, Cisco; Doyle Craighead, Flatwoods; J. S. Echols, Carbon.

Girls—Willie Mae Garrett, Flatwoods; Lucille Sheridah, Pleasant Hill; Beulah Walker, Cook; Neva Wilson, Union; Josie Walton, Alameda.

Women—Mrs. J. M. Mitchell, Grapevine; trip awarded by Grapevine women's club; Miss Hallie Hill, Okra, trip awarded by County Federation of Women's club; Mrs. John Foster, Flatwoods, trip awarded by club; Mrs. J. S. Turner, Flatwoods, going on her own expense; Mrs. Louis Pitcock, Ranger, trip awarded by club; Mrs. E. McAnally, Friendship, trip awarded by club; Mrs. W. H. Brooks, Cook, trip awarded by club; Mrs. H. H. Harrelson, Nimrod, trip awarded by club; Mrs. L. C. Owens, Grapevine, trip awarded by County Federation of Women's club as winner in living room contest; Mrs. Emma Montgomery, Cook.

#### Bullock Revival To Start Tuesday

Rev. R. T. Capps will hold a revival meeting at the Bullock Methodist church on the Caddo highway beginning on Tuesday night, July 28 and continuing through Sunday week, he announced today.

Everyone is issued a cordial invitation to be present and take part in these meetings.

#### Grand Jury Will Convene Monday

The Eastland county grand jury will reconvene Monday to take up work started earlier in the court term and before its recess. One of the matters expected to be investigated by the grand jury is that of the death of Jackie Henbest, killed in an auto accident on the highway near Eastland last Sunday.

#### Guest Tickets to Ranger Show

The Ranger Times has guest tickets for Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wagner to see

'The Miracle Woman' Now playing at the Columbia Theatre, or any other show.

#### LINDBERGH'S ROUTE TO JAPAN



This map shows the trail that Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and his wife will follow on their forthcoming flight from New York to Japan via Canada, Alaska, Siberia and the Kurile islands. Some of the principal refueling points and the distances are: New York to Ottawa, 550 miles; Ottawa to Churchill, 1230 miles; Churchill to Baker Lake, 390 miles; Baker Lake to Aklavik, 1100 miles; Aklavik to Point Barrow, 550 miles; Point Barrow to Nome, 550 miles; Nome to Karaginsk, Siberia, 900 miles; Karaginsk to Petropavlovsk, 370 miles, and down the Kuriles to Tokio, 1120 miles. No definite schedule will be maintained, according to Colonel Lindbergh.

#### BOY KILLED COUNTY'S SCHOOLS OF VITAL IMPORTANCE IN RUNAWAY AT PIONEER

By R. KENNETH EVANS. In efforts toward success in this day of advanced commercial, social and economic development, lack of a sound educational foundation is recognized as the greatest barrier, which is almost universally found to be insurmountable.

During the pioneer days, when brains in wrestling from Dame Nature her wildernesses, not so much attention was paid to the establishment of educational facilities yet those who were striving to make this an important unit of the country realized that were they able to combine the elements of learning and strength their tasks would be materially lightened. To lay the ground work for the future generations to be relieved of the handicap of insufficient education those pioneers established schools in Eastland county before the city of Ranger came into existence. From this foundation has grown the excellent modern school system which maintains today and from which Eastland county youngsters embark on life's road equipped with the fundamental problems which they have to face and conquer for success.

#### County Officials Endorse a New Health Measure

A bill now before the legislature and having far reaching sanitary significance is being endorsed by County Judge C. L. Garrett and County Health Officer Dr. F. T. Isbell. This is House Bill No. 8 by R. L. Reader which has for its object the improvement of rural health by elimination of insanitary methods of disposing of human wastes. By outlawing the surface toilet this bill will allow small towns to control insanitary conditions within their limits and around their water supplies, require construction of camps to use proper disposal methods and bring better sanitation to the mushroom oil towns.

To the farmer it will bring a clear realization of the dangers of the open surface toilet and the well-informed man. This should stimulate the installation of the sanitary pit toilet which can be constructed by the farmer himself with a few boards and the labor of digging a hole.

At Diney, Tex., a wholesale pit privy construction program has been instituted and it has been found that when using new boards the cost of each pit toilet is only four or five dollars according to the mayor's estimate. This cost will save scavenger fees of around \$45 over a period of five or six years, to say nothing of the saving in sickness which will be effected for the entire community.

TO PREACH SUNDAY Rev. Geo. W. Shearer, who is engaged in a revival meeting at Scranton, announced Saturday afternoon that he would be in his pulpit in the First Methodist church of Eastland Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, but that he would return to Scranton for the Sunday night service there.

The meeting at Scranton, Dr. Shearer stated, would continue through next week.

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#### DEATH TOLL OF FLAMES REACHES 26

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 25.—Fire raged through the four-story brick building of the Little Sisters of the Poor home of the aged here last night and early today, burning to death 26 of the helpless, aged inmates and injuring 175.

It was feared many of the injured would die. None is admitted to the charitable institution under 60 years of age. There were 106 men and 125 women inmates and 16 nuns in the structure.

Evening vespers had been said, lights turned out and all occupants in bed when the fire started in an arway on the fourth floor. Flames burst through the roof and passersby gave the alarm.

Helpless inmates on the fourth floor sounded the first warning inside the building. They thumped on the floor with keys kept beside their cots and awakened the mother superior.

Mother Agatha groped her way through the hall, lighted only by the flames, to the first floor and rang the house fire alarm. Nuns started organizing those inmates able to walk and led them to the fire escapes.

Outside arrival of the first fire department and the screams of the frightened and injured attracted hundreds to the scene. Six alarms brought out all available fire equipment. The crowd grew to thousands.

Citizens and firemen made their way into the building and brought out the dead and injured. Cars were commandeered and within a few minutes nearby hospitals were filled with the victims.

Only two of the dead had been identified early today.

#### OFFICERS RAID CISCO AND RANGER WOMAN IS HELD AFTER A SLAYING

County officers and federal officers raided the United States Marshal Walter Holmesley and Sheriff Virge Foster made a series of liquor raids in Ranger and Cisco Saturday afternoon and placed six people under arrest.

In Ranger the home of G. O. Kimbrough was raided, and between 10 and 12 gallons of whisky seized, according to the officers. From there they went to the home of Pete Munos, where a quantity of whisky was said to have been seized and an arrest made. One Mexican woman, whose name was not learned, was also arrested in Ranger when liquor was found on the premises, the officers said Saturday night.

The three arrested in Ranger were taken by federal officers to Eastland, where they were questioned. They were then turned over to federal officers, who took them to Abilene to file charges in federal court there.

In Cisco, two negroes by the name of Jenkins were arrested in two raids and a quantity of beer and whisky seized, the officers said. Ira Lashley was also taken into custody in Cisco and was taken with the other prisoners to Abilene, where charges were to be filed.

The raids came unexpectedly and the officers swooped down upon the two towns without warning, made the raids and left with their prisoners before it was known that they were conducting the raids.

#### Ranger C. of C. Directors Will Meet on Monday

The directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce are to meet at the office of the secretary on Monday night at 8 o'clock.

This is an important meeting and all members have been sent special notices to be present. One of the matters to come before the directors will be the petition to the interstate commerce commission urging the 15 per cent increase in freight rates that has been asked by the railroads of the nation. At this meeting the directors will decide whether they will take any stand in the fight and if so which side they will take.

#### Royal Romance



The romance of beautiful Princess Ileana, 22, above, of Rumania, and Archduke Anton of Hapsburg, famed as an aviator, who are shown above in their latest pictures, holds the spotlight of interest in European court circles.

Announcement of their wedding date, July 28, ended the rumors of weddings and engagements that have trailed the princess since she became of age.

#### COUPLE IS FOUND DEAD IN AN AUTO

HOUSTON, July 25.—A secret married young couple, one a Rice Institute beauty and the other a recent student of the university, were found slumped in a parked car near death here today.

Both died on the way to a hospital without saying a word. The girl, who had retained her maiden name and whose marriage was only revealed after the tragedy, was Miss Hazel Glover, 18, and the boy was Dan P. Stratton, 19.

Physicians were unable to determine immediately the cause of the deaths but it was attributed to "violent poisoning of some kind" by the first to examine them.

The boy was slumped over the wheel and the girl, in an evening gown, was on the back seat.

HOUSTON, July 25.—Death climaxed the collegiate romance and marriage of two Rice university students here today.

And with death came the story of the marriage of 19-year-old Dan P. Stratton to two beautiful girls during the last few months.

Stratton and Miss Hazel Glover, 18, co-ed beauty queen at Rice Institute, were found dying in a parked car today. It was revealed they were married here June 25, but few if any of Miss Glover's friends and relatives knew of the union.

Investigation by officers revealed Stratton had married a 16-year-old Houston high school girl March 3.

The girl's mother said she did not know of the marriage when questioned. The former bride is now vacationing on a West Texas ranch.

Mrs. E. C. Smith, his aunt, said he told her he and Miss Glover were married but he was having the ceremony of the first marriage annulled.

Piercing and agonized screams drew attention today to a parked car in the residential section. Stratton and Miss Glover were found suffering from some violent poison. They died a few minutes later, neither speaking a word.

Miss Glover had never assumed the name of her husband.

#### RANGERS OPE APPROACHES COURT ORDER

CARS STREAM ACROSS BRIDGE AND CITIZENS STAGE BIG CELEBRATION SATURDAY.

DURANT, Ok., July 25.—Governor W. H. Murray arrived at 7:30 p. m. tonight and relieved Adjutant General Charles F. Barrett of command over the Oklahoma National Guard unit maintaining martial law here.

Governor Murray established headquarters in an old brick building at the bridge head and to charge of the troops.

DENTON, July 25.—Screaming fire sirens and automobile horns celebrated the opening of the R. River free bridge near here Saturday.

Ranger Captain Tom Hickman, commander of the Texas office guarding the approach, opened as soon as news was received that Federal Judge T. M. Kennerly had temporarily dissolved the injunction closing it.

The first automobiles to cross included the machines of the Government-Winnipeg motorcade which had been held up here on the possibility of the bridge being opened.

A long string of motor cars lined the approach as Captain Hickman started to remove the barriers.

The crowd broke into cheer and men and women piled from their automobiles, many aiding in removing the barriers.

Barrels of water, kept near in case of fire, were emptied into the highway by enthusiastic fire bridge boosters.

When the rangers gave the signal that the bridge was opened a string of traffic, estimated to include 2,000 automobiles and pedestrians stretching more than a mile, crossed the bridge from the west.

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#### DAILY AVERAGE PRODUCTION OF OIL DECREASES

AUSTIN, July 25.—Daily average production of 808,879 barrels of petroleum in Texas during the first half of 1931 showed a decrease of 3 per cent from the 834,210-barrel average for the same period of the preceding year, according to compilations of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Daily average production in the entire United States declined 12 per cent during the same period. Imports amounted to 15 per cent less than during the first half of 1930.

June production average 973,047 barrels daily in Texas and 2,463,487 in the United States as a whole, representing declines of one per cent and 7 per cent respectively as compared to May. The bureau's statement showed that Texas output was 14 per cent greater and that of the United States 4 per cent less than during June, 1930.

Production in Texas by sections during the first half of the year was as follows: Panhandle, 36,817 barrels in 1931 and 96,800 barrels in 1930; North Texas, 58,329 barrels in 1931 and 81,555 barrels in 1930; West Texas, 26,041 barrels in 1931 and 55,977 barrels in 1930; West Texas, 228,417 barrels in 1931 and 223,018 barrels in 1930; East Central Texas, 216,174 barrels in 1931 and 20,318 barrels in 1930; South Texas, 68,337 barrels in 1931 and 68,962 in 1930; Coastal Texas, 154,694 barrels in 1931 and 117,778 barrels in 1930.

#### HOUSTON WINS FIRST GAME OF PLAYOFF SERIES

BEAUMONT, July 25.—Houston defeated Beaumont, 3 to 2, this afternoon in the first of five playoff games to decide the winning team of the first half of the Texas league season.

The second game will be played in Beaumont tomorrow and the third will be played Monday night at Houston.

#### TEXAN DIES IN MINNESOTA CRASH

CASS LAKE, Minn., July 25.—A trick maneuver 50 passenger coach wove at relatives on the lake shore of structural weakness in the ship was blamed today for the crash of a monoplane here which took the lives of four passengers and the pilot.

The dead included Dr. Charles C. Gault, 38, former professor of physiology at the University of Texas.

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POURING OIL ON TROUBLED POLITICAL WATERS

Texas lawmakers are in session. They appear to be throwing oil on political waters. They are going to hear the great and the near great.

Minority Leader John N. Garner has been invited to appear before the august body of lawmakers and explode his views. John N. Garner has troubles of his own. He is the national leader of his party and all powerful on the banks of the Potomac. He may be speaker some day. Uvalde is not an oil field. John N. concerns himself with all issues of importance while congress is grinding. He will have to face many issues next winter. There will be many problems hitting the donkey on the nose.

There are million experts ready to appear before the lawmaking body. Indeed, it will not be necessary to employ the rangers to drag them if the lawmakers will give the hint. Harry F. Sinclair has won an injunction against the prohibition order. He is dipping heavily in the East Texas field. There are others who are satisfied with conditions as they are. Really, petroleum is a problem with 1000 angles and on Aug. 14th the clock will be turned back in order for the grinding process of the hopper to carry on with a rapidity that has not been known in other years.

A governor has his own troubles. A lawmaker has his own. They are piling up under the big dome and the happy man is the man in the tree tops who is watching the procession as it wobbles along.

FARM TENANTS AND OWNERS IN TEXAS.

According to a noted Washington correspondent farm tenants exceed farm owners in number in 168 out of the 254 counties in Texas. These are 1930 census bureau figures. Acres operated by owners exceed the number of acres operated by tenants by 22,000,000 and the farm acreage operated by tenants exceed the farm acreage operated by owners in only 61 counties. Value of land operated by owners was \$68,000,000 in round numbers, compared with a value of \$31,000,000 of land operated by tenants. Navarro had more than 6000 tenant farmers. Twelve counties had between 4000 and 5000. A surprising feature according to Bascom N. Timmons was that tenants exceeded owner farmers in the larger portion of northwest Texas counties. That is, there was a large number of counties where tenants exceed owner farmers than there was where owners exceed tenants. Many of the rich black land counties have thousands of tenants and many Texas counties were closely divided between owners and tenants.

Val Verde county led all other counties in owner acreage. Fifty-nine counties had at least twice as many tenant farmers as owners. Among Grimes county's 3223 farms there was not a single farm operated by a farm manager. Distribution in that county was 2218 tenant farmers and 1357 owners.

In many of the great cotton producing counties there are many more tenants than owners who direct their own farms. Is soil conservation important to Texans?

FALL BEHIND THE BARS.

Albert B. Fall is behind the bars of the New Mexico state prison. Regardless of party ties, leading republicans and leading democrats of New Mexico, have appealed to the president for a parole or suspension of sentence for the aged, broken and disgraced man. Fall has thousands of sympathizing friends in New Mexico. He has them in the city of El Paso.

Indeed, there are outstanding lawyers, democrats to the core, in the city of El Paso and on the western front of Texas, who believe the story that the Doheny thousands was a loan. They do not believe that it was given in the nature of a bribe. In their youthful and penniless days Fall and Doheny had been fellow prospectors in the wilderness of New Mexico and Arizona as well as in the wilds of Old Mexico. Doheny became one of the oil kings of America. Fall became a judge of the high court of New Mexico, a United States senator and a cabinet officer. He never amassed great wealth. All the world knows what happened to Fall. All the world knows what happened to Doheny regardless of his immense fortune. There is one thing certain. Those who were fellows with Doheny in his poverty stricken days never appealed to him in vain for financial assistance after he had become one of America's multi-millionaires.

TEXAS SUGAR HAS THE CALL.

"If all the sugar consumed by Texas was produced in this state, approximately \$6,000,000 would be kept here each year," remarked Roy L. Tennant, member of the board of control, to press representatives. The state uses approximately 532,000 pounds yearly for its institutions. Sugar to be used in the institutions next year will be Texas sugar. Mr. Tennant told the reasons why and furnished the main one: For each hundred pound sack of Texas refined sugar bought in Texas, \$1.23 remains in the state, while for each hundred pound sack of out of state refined sugar used in Texas, only 28 cents remains in the state. Well, why not the Texas product? Why not keep Texas money in Texas?

SPANISH TITLES ARE ABOLISHED.

Spain is a republic. It is to be governed by a president and a congress. Its first legislative act was to abolish all titles; but way down here in Texas colonels are safe. In Kentucky to be a colonel is to be an aristocrat, an excellent judge of the fragrant mint julep with trimmings, and ever devoted to blue grass, beautiful women, fast horses, and to the American privilege of placing a dollar on a favorite pony. Texas colonels have some of these privileges but not all.

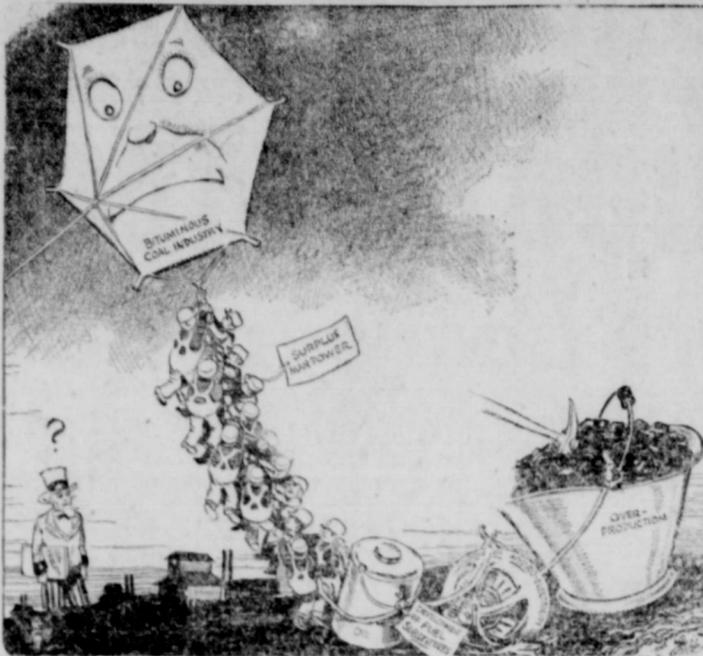
Personality is the vague something that enables you to get by in a dress suit without making anybody wonder what restaurant you work in.

Note to girls: The easiest way to keep from being insulted in a car is to move the head from side to side when asked to climb in.

On vacation from the arduous duty of writing 200 words a day, former President Coolidge can now devote more time to his duties as an honorary Indian Chief.

Unless a moratorium is declared on that summer salutation, "Is it hot enough for you?" there is going to be a bora-bora.

Too Much Tail for the Kite!



DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE Shawnee, Okla.

That every citizen should heartily support any plan that is for the glory of the home city.

Development does not come unassisted. If you don't keep your eyes open for the opportunities that pass your way, they will go on to some other city.

Some other city is always trying to entice them their way.

Cities must always be made attractive to people with capital before they can be developed very fast.

New industries won't tarry long in looking over a prospective city as a location unless living and business conditions are good.

A city may have all the advantages in the world, but it can't get anything or anywhere until it shows a progressive spirit.

As long as a city lacks that spirit and where the people show a lack of loyalty to their city, just so long will a city stand still or progress backward.

In many cities the citizens seem to lack an appreciation of the worth of the home city.

Lack of home pride will hold any city back.

Markets

Closing selected New York stocks:

Table listing various stocks and their closing prices, including American Can, Am P & L, Am Smelt, Auburn Auto, Aviation Corp Del., Beth Steel, Byers A M, Case J I, Chrysler, Curtiss Wright, Elect Au L, Fox Film, Gen Elec, Gen Mot, Gullite S R, Gulf Stream, Houston Oil, Int Harvester, Johns Manville, Kroger G & H, Lig Carb, Moming Ward, Nat Dairy, Para Public, Phillips P, Pure Oil, Purity Baking, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Stan Oil N Y, Studebaker, Texas Corp, Texas Gulf Sul, U S Gypsum, U S Ind Ale, U S Steel, Vanadium, Westing Elec, Worthington.

Carb Stocks. Cities Service 10.4 Ford M Ltd 11.4 Gulf Oil Pa 54 Stan Oil Ind 24.4

Eastland Revival To Continue 10 Days

The revival meeting being conducted in Eastland by the Rev. Lon R. Woodrum, Nazarene evangelist of Collinsville, will continue for at least ten days, members of the congregation, announced. Services are being held each evening under a tabernacle on the old high school grounds.

The co-operation of people of all denominations and the public in general are invited.

Lenz and Culbertson, bridge experts, wrangling as to the merits of their systems, plan to settle it out in a game. They'll lay their cards on the table, as it were.

Some folks can't keep their minds off motoring. Even in bathing they use inner tubes.

Daily WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—Threats of very serious political trouble in the west had to come along at a time when the administration was almost completely occupied with the threatening situation in Europe.

The farmers are supposed to be madder than ever and the familiar old agricultural issue is likely to flare more importantly both in the next session of Congress and in the 1932 campaign than anything that arises from developments on the other side of the Atlantic.

The Republicans have been worrying seriously about the farm states ever since the 1920 elections and their apprehension has continued to increase. For many years "farm revolts" have been threatened with almost monotonous regularity and none of them has ever come off.

Political reports from Kansas have been just as extraordinary as the news of 25-cent wheat. That supposedly good old Republican state, when it was a lot happier than it is now, elected a Democratic senator and a Democratic governor and cast nearly 290,000 votes for a candidate whose name had to be written in on the ballot.

How Awesomely! Reports agree that at this time Kansas would vote with grim fervor for a Democrat for president, which would be an awesome spectacle indeed. No one can promise Kansas with any assurance that she will be much better off a year from now.

Large batches of mail coming to Capitol Hill indicate that Kansas has no monopoly on farmer discontent and that the desire for a "farm moratorium" is keen in states which customarily elect more than radical candidates than Curtis, Senator Arthur Capper and Henry Allen.

The 1932 campaign begins unofficially, however, when Congress meets this winter and signs new point to the ferrest farm relief battle yet fought. Chances are very good that both houses will pass an export debenture bill or some other drastic measure which Mr. Hoover will be bound to veto.

Redistricting Is Not to Come Up at Special Session

AUSTIN, July 25.—House members are making sure there will be no changing of their districts at this session.

Though the subject was unlikely to be submitted, members said a resolution has been circulated and has received signatures of over 100 representatives, asking that the subject be withheld from this session. That will delay its effectiveness to 1925.

Some fear was held that the congressional redistricting subject might open the way for representative revision ton. House members have started a strong fight to limit the number of members from the big-city counties, contending that changes to meet the present population swing would "give the cities control" of the body's organization.

Mexican Priest is Killed in Church

VERA CRUZ, Mexico, July 25.—One priest was killed, another hurt and a policeman injured today when a group of eight men entered the Church of the Ecencion and fired on the cleric.

BRIDGES OPENED

Denison side, turned and recrossed the bridge. Many cars crossed from the Oklahoma side.

GOVERNOR MURRAY TO TAKE CHARGE

By United Press. OKLAHOMA CITY, July 25.—On advice from Muskogee from F. C. Lewis, assistant attorney general that a sweeping federal court order had been issued enjoining Charles F. Barrett from officiating as a state guard at the Durant-Denison Red River bridge, Gov. W. H. Murray said he would go this afternoon himself and take personal charge of the martial law area.

Lewis, armed with the federal court order, was flying from Muskogee to Oklahoma City.

"I shall go to Durant and take charge of operations down there myself. I would not tell anyone to do anything I would not do," he said.

Governor Murray's statement said: "This reminds me of phrase in my language lessons when I was a boy. When judges turn traitors what may we expect of the common people?"

"An injunction or other proceeding against General Barrett, a direct personal official and the military representative of the governor, is a suit against the state."

"As governor of the state I shall maintain its sovereignty and perform the duties enjoined upon me, recognizing no superior authority except the president of the United States."

AMARILLO, July 25.—Governor Murray or anyone else who violates the temporary injunction by barricading bridges over the Red river will be cited or contempt of court.

Federal Judge Nebbett said tonight as he boarded a train here en route from Oklahoma to Mexico.

Shown a United Press report that Murray was on his way to the Red river "battleground" near Durant to take charge of his troops there, Judge Nebbett declared he did not believe the executive would defy the federal injunction granted earlier in the day to the Red River Bridge company.

The New Mexico jurist appeared satisfied to await further developments.

He smiled when referring to a threat of Governor Murray to have him impeached. He said he expected to return to Muskogee, Okla., Aug. 4, when a permanent injunction probably will be issued.

Production of Cotton Goods in Texas is Down

AUSTIN, July 25.—Production of cotton goods in Texas during the first half of 1931 totaled 22,169,000 yards, a decrease of 29 per cent from the 31,153,000 yards produced during the corresponding period of 1930, according to compilations of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Sales fell only 23 per cent from 25,340,000 yards in 1930 to 19,587,000 yards in 1931, with unfilled orders at the close of the first six months of the year amounting to 27 per cent more than last year.

Sales during June exceeded production for the first month this year," the bureau's report showed. "They were above the corresponding month of 1930 for the second successive month. Production was the smallest for any June since the Bureau of Business Research records began in 1926, falling 14 per cent below June of last year. Sales exceeded those of June, 1930, by 26 per cent, reaching the highest figure since October, 1930.

A total of 3,834 bales of cotton were used by Texas mills during June, compared to a total of 4,174 bales in May and 4,854 bales in June, 1930. A total of 26,279 bales were used during the first six months of the year, compared to 35,811 bales during the same period of last year. During June 149,678 spindles were active, compared to 146,000 in May and 164,000 in June, 1930.

Output during June totaled 3,513,000 yards of cloth, compared to 4,573,000 in May and 4,089,000 in June, 1930; sales totaled 4,020,000 yards compared to 3,045,000 in May and 3,186,000 in June, 1930; and unfilled orders totaled 5,328,000 yards, compared to 5,691,000 in May and 4,164,000 in June, 1930.

Houston Flier is Injured in Crash

HOUSTON, July 25.—Frank Hendricks, Houston flier, was burned late today when he landed a plane that burst into flames while he was flying at 1,000 feet.

He crashed one wing but managed to extricate himself and stagger away. The plane was destroyed.

ARIZONA CUTS COTTON ACREAGE

PHOENIX, Ariz.—Lack of profit in cotton resulted in an automatic curtailment of acreage in Arizona, a survey just completed reveals. The decrease in acreage this year was 17 per cent, there being 178,000 acres of cotton in the state now as compared with 215,000 for 1930.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



CRACKS IN THE DOME

AUSTIN, July 25.—Representative Harry Graves' plan to give the state another court in which its fixed-venue cases may be tried is due for praise when it comes up in the house. It will be cited as an example to follow instead of the creation of new courts for ambitious counties.

His plan is to spread Judge Harry Dolan's Williamson county district court to Travis county as well. Representative Graves said the court can give state cases at Austin at least four months of the year, and that at the time when the two Austin district courts are most crowded. . . . It won't cost a cent.

That appeals to Representative Eugene V. Giles of Austin, who will support the proposal. . . . Representative T. H. McGregor also stands ready to support it.

There is a district courtroom ready for the tribunal in the new million-dollar Travis county courthouse.

When it comes to carving out the three new congressional districts, sponsors of the bill will be sure of the hearty support of the Texas Women's Christian Temperance union. . . . Mrs. Claude De Van Watts, state president, considers the redistricting a means of assuring "prohibition patriots" an opportunity to elect tried and proven drys in all sections of the state. . . . It will be remembered that the regular session let a bill die that would have, in case there are candidates for congressman-at-large, required them to pair off for places rather than have a free-for-all race. . . . As it is now, the three highest candidates would get the places. . . . If, and if.

The oil conservation bill doesn't say anything about soil and water, though importance of their conservation is recognized by both the legislature and the executive officials. . . . Dad Short, in his talk, convinced the legislature they mean more for the ultimate well-being of Texas people than all the oil. . . . "You never saw an oil field

cause people to go barefoot and hungry," he said.

The new conservation committee sets up convenient machinery in which can be placed soil erosion stream flow, surface and underground water conservation, reforestation and other conservation work when the legislature gets around to it from the emergency oil matter.

A legislative committee will be at work for several months on the plan to combine all agencies dealing with conservation. . . . Setting up the new agency dealing with oil and gas now will help, not hinder, expanding it into a general conservation control agency later.

Eastland Camp Fire Girls Get Charter

The Eastland Camp Fire Girls, organized about a year ago, have been granted a charter by the national camp fire girls' organization. Mrs. Ioon Harrell is matron of the local camp.

Meetings are held weekly on Wednesday evenings. The girls are now engaged in taking tests required by the order. These include swimming, walking of 50 miles in a month, sleeping a certain number of hours outdoors, etc.

Each of the members are making a ceremonial robe, getting ready for a ceremonial meeting to be held soon.

Last Friday the girls paid a visit of inspection to the Eastland ice plant and to the Eastland telephone exchange to study those plants.

The camp is also conducting a school in junior health work with Mrs. Margaret Hassley as instructor.

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### SPEAKING OF SPORTS

By L. S. CAMERON, United Press Staff Editor.

**United Press Staff Editor.**  
The one big conversational subject among United States sports writers has nothing to do with Davis cup challenge rounds, the league baseball races, or the validity of Max Schmeling's claim on the world's heavyweight championship. It does concern the United States' balloon golf.

This new ball, which is lighter than the one in use last year, is the object of several magazine and newspaper crusades. It has replaced prohibition (well, at least) as a safe room argument.

Most of the opinions voiced and acted are to the effect that the new ball is a menace, a result of a conspiracy, a conspiracy and a thumping nuisance.

Occasionally one finds a star player who will come out with the opinion that it's a better ball. And there's a dub here which writer either doesn't care which ball is in a vogue, or who believes the one is at least as good as the other.

But, as pointed out above, the night of the discussions are "the" balloon sphere. To the writer, this seems to be something that is definitely too bad, again in this writer's opinion, to favor it or like it, favor it or like it, the bowls of protest will substitute a lost cause. The new ball, one believes, is just as much here to stay as is clean baseball, traffic problems and humanity in the summer months.

**Ball Seems to Be**  
The United States Golf Association with Herbert H. Goss, head of the United States Golf Association and with other members of U. S. golf's official body, as well as with players of some real fame, have convinced that this is so.

While the U. S. G. A. is presently conducting painstaking tests, making exacting observations and preparing data on scores made with the new ball and the old, one believes that the final vote will be a return to the old ball.

A chief reason for the official favor already found for the larger ball is that it keeps the game getting better and better, many golfers which used to require a stout drive-and-pitch status.

There's one bit of comfort in the present situation. If Ramsay and his companion officials believe the old ball should be restored, it will be. There is no sport today more clearly governed. This is the way of saying that golf is fortunate in having honest, capable, sincere and hard-working "tops."

By LEO H. PETERSEN  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
Pacific Coast League  
**Produces Many Stars.**

When it comes to producing talent for the majors, the Pacific Coast League, probably the strongest Class AA minor league in the country, is in a class by itself.

No other base-ball organization comes close to the coast circuit in the number of players sent to the "big time." Of course, some of the stars who graduated from the western organization had experience in class B minors before playing their wares along the Pacific.

But for the most part, they can trace their success back to the training they received in the coast loop.

This year alone, 59 players who were developed in the coast league are either playing in the majors, or have been loaned out on option. Of that number, ten are with the Brooklyn club, one of the contenders for the National League championship.

The Bob players are Finn, Slade and Warner, infielders; Herman, Frederick and Boone, outfielders; Lombardi, catcher; and Quin Thurston and Vance, pitchers. All of them, with the exception of Warner and Boone, are playing a big part in Brooklyn's success this season.

Finn, Slade, Warner and Boone formerly played with the Missions; Lombardi from Seattle; Thurston, St. Francisco; Lombardi, Oakland; Quin, Vernon; Vance, Sacramento; and Frederick, Salt Lake.

Seven former coast leaguers are with the New York Yankees. They are: E. Reese, Rhoads, Hoag, Lazo, McEvoy and Gomez.

Thirteen former coast league stars the majors are: New York Giants—Verges; Chicago Cubs—Blake, May, Root, Kachout, Baecht; Washington Senators—Crowd; Philadelphia Phillies—J. Elliott; Pittsburgh Pirates—Grantham, Fred, Kromer, Osborn, Shur and the former brothers.

St. Louis Cardinals—Johnson; Philadelphia Athletics—Cramer, Casper, Mahaffey, McDonald, Pasano; Cleveland Indians—Averill; Chicago White Sox—Blue, Cisley, Fonseca.

Louis Browns—McNeely; Detroit Tigers—Owens, Johnston; Boston Braves—Berger, Shoely, Smerick, Cunningham; Boston Red Sox—Oliver, Rhyne, Berry.

**ASY FOR BOY HUNTERS**  
By United Press.  
NASHVILLE, Tenn.—A new Tennessee game law eliminates requirements to hunt and kill boys under 17 and any women.

### BRUSHING UP SPORTS

By Laufer



**GLEAMS FROM THE DIAMOND**  
AL NIXON  
PLAYED LEFT FIELD AND CENTER FIELD FOR BOSTON IN ONE GAME AND MADE 3 PUTOUTS AT EACH POSITION.  
CLEVELAND AND PHILADELPHIA DIVIDED IN ERRORS IN A SINGLE GAME.  
MAY 16, 1918.  
RED CHENEY MADE 5 WILD PITCHES IN ONE GAME—ST. LOUIS VS. BROOKLYN, JULY 9, 1918.  
SAM BOHN, PLAYING WITH THE CINCINNATI REDS, SCORED 2 RB-HIT GAMES IN ONE SEASON.  
ONE HIT OFF COURSE OF THE CURB AND ONE OFF VANCE OF BROOKLYN. THE LATTER TIME BIEBE, WHO WERE OUT IN THE NINTH INNING.

### Longhorns Lose To De Leon, 3-1

The Eastland Longhorns failed to hit in the pinches at Desdemona Friday and were drubbed by the De Leon Cats, 3-1 in the first round of the Desdemona baseball tournament. The Longhorns had numerous chances to score but failed to deliver when men were in scoring position.

The game was a fast pitchers' battle between "Chilli" Overboy and Ray Howe, both allowing only five hits. The Cats received several breaks and took advantage of them to score two runs that proved to be defeat for the Longhorns. Eastland's lone marker came in the eighth on Curtis's single, a passed ball, and Overboy's single.

The Longhorns played Saturday and will play today in the Desdemona tournament.

Eastland

AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.	
Watson, 1b	4	0	2	10	0	1
Ligon, 2b	4	0	0	2	4	0
R. Coleman, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	1
T. Coleman, lf	4	0	0	3	1	0
Stubs, ss	4	0	0	0	3	0
LaFon, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Curtis, c	4	1	1	4	0	0
Morris, rf	3	0	1	0	6	0
Overby, p	3	0	1	0	6	0
1-Day	1	0	0	0	0	0
2-Miller	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	1	5	27	10	2

De Leon

AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.	
Shaver, c	4	0	0	8	0	0
Warner, 2b	4	1	1	2	2	1
Alford, ss	2	1	0	2	3	0
Harvey, 3b	4	1	0	3	2	0
Scott, cf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Sneed, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Sharp, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Brownlee, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	0
Howe, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Total	29	3	5	27	8	3

Summary—Two-base hits, Scott; double plays, Sneed; Brownlee; strike on balls, Overby 2, Howe 1; strikeouts, Howe 8, Overby 4.

### ADOLPHE MENJOU SHOWS ROMANTIC TECHNIQUE IN "THE GREAT LOVER"

Technique in making love is taught in good measure by "The Great Lover," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's new picture which will open today at the Lyric Theatre in Eastland.

The story, adapted from one of the most successful stage comedies ever written, presents the suave Adolphe Menjou as a famous French operatic baritone whom women cannot resist. Among the love affairs which engage his attention are those with Irene Dunne of "Cimarron" and the volcanic, Russian Baclanova.

Comedy elements enter the tale through such capable impersonations as those of Ernest Torrence, valet to Menjou; Cliff "Ukulele" Edwards as a grand opera press agent, and Rosco Ates as a stutering reporter.

The main romance of the piece concerns the struggle for the affections of Irene Dunne between Menjou and Neil Hamilton, straight from his success in "Strangers May Kiss" and "Laughing Sinners."

"The Great Lover" was directed by Harry Beaumont, director of "Our Brushing Brigs" and "Dance, Fools, Dance." It was adapted by Gene Markey and Edgar Allan Woolf from the play by Leo Ditrichstein and Frederick Fanny Hatten.

You will always find the Lyric cool and comfortable regardless of how hot the weather is, as a new washer air cooling equipment has just been installed and now in operation. This equipment is of the very latest type made especially for theatre use keeping the temperature inside the theatre at a comfortable degree.

### Wales Coins Many Slogans When He Makes Speeches

By United Press.  
LONDON.—Creator of Slogans is the latest title conferred upon the Prince of Wales. This unofficial, yet recognized, degree follows numerous titles and notable accomplishments credited to Britain's favorite son.

Several years ago the Prince, during a speech, said, "Buy British." His utterance soon became a profound British sales byword throughout the world, and especially the British Empire.

During another speech he said, "British and Best." Overnight the new slogan became a national advertising campaign. It is now used constantly in speeches and articles. It is said to have inspired the slogan now used in South America of "Buy from those who purchase your products."

Recently the Prince visited Eastbourne. He did not attempt to coin a slogan meant for national consumption, but what he did say won the hearts of Eastbourne and gave the Chamber of Commerce and progressive businessmen a slogan. They had searched for months to find a suitable byword to express the charm and beauties of the famous seaside watering place.

The prince has given it to them.

### At Ranger, Columbia, Today



Sam Hardy and Barbara Stanwyck in "The Miracle Woman"

It is "Eastbourne's health properties are good for old and young alike."

### POTATOES GROW WITHOUT VINES

By United Press.  
NEW SOMERSET, O.—D. E. Yocum, farmer near here, has accidentally grown potatoes which have neither vines nor buds. The seed potatoes he planted this spring multiplied without any of the plants appearing above the ground.

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County School News

B. E. McGLAMERY, County Superintendent

County Meeting of School Trustees

The annual meeting of the trustees of all the common school districts in Eastland county for the coming school year will be held in the county courtroom in Eastland on Friday, Aug. 7, 1931.

The county school board will meet on Monday, Aug. 3, 1931, for the purpose of classifying the schools of the county and determining such other business as may come before it.

The last day for making transfers is July 31, with the exception that the county board may make such adjustments of high school students as the classification of the schools may make necessary during the month of August.

County Superintendent B. E. McGlamery will be at College Station during the week of July 26-31, in attendance at the eighth annual conference of county superintendents and rural school supervisors.

About School Bus Service. A recent article in the Texas Outlook, our Texas school journal, says, among other things, that 2,000,000 school children were transported to schools in United States during the last year.

We are using buses in Eastland county that have cost originally all the way from \$500 to \$2,200. The buses are being driven over routes that run from 10 to 40 miles per day over all kinds of roads and in all kinds of weather.

At Scanton the bus owned by the school district has been maintained at an average cost of \$1.75. At Tommy the cost was \$1.88. At Alameda the average cost for the two buses was \$2.

At Cross Roads the cost was \$2.95. This bus carried students to both the local school and to the Ranger High school. At Flatwoods the average cost was \$4.25 per pupil, but this bus carried only 21 pupils.

At the present time it looks as if we would have at least five additional buses in operation for the coming school year.

Movie Actress' Fractured Back Is Mending



A new-found friend, named "Vertebrae," is shown above sharing with Evalyn Knapp, film star the good news of her promised recovery.

When there is a quart or more, cottage cheese immediately comes to mind, but when there is only one cup or less and there is baking to do, the most satisfactory way to save the milk is to use it in cakes and cookies.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

SO often we find we have varying amounts of sour milk on hand during hot weather that a few suggestions as to how to use it may prove helpful.

Molasses Cookies. One-half cup butter, 1-2 cup lard or other shortening, 1 cup granulated sugar, 1 cup baking molasses, 1-2 cup sour milk, 1 tablespoon ginger, 2 teaspoons soda, 4-12 cups flour, 1-4 teaspoon salt.

Rolling Oats Cookies. One cup granulated sugar, 2-4 cup shortening, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon soda, 4 tablespoons sour milk, 1 egg, 2 cups rolled oats, 2 cups flour, 1 cup raisins seeded and chopped.

One and one-fourth cups flour, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 2 eggs, 1-2 cup melted butter, 1 cup sour milk, 1-2 teaspoon soda.

It is a good practice to serve water in hot months because the digestive juices work more efficiently when diluted. It should not be taken in large amounts to wash down half masticated food.

Boths will be used to display the different phases of Y. M. C. A. work in Canada and the United States.

Among the foreign personalities who will attend is Dr. Toyohiki Kagawa, of Japan, who will lecture at one of the meetings.

Heavy storms and rains may wash surface water into the safe wells and reservoirs, making the water unsafe for the time being.

The morning sessions will constitute an introduction to the work of the day and will be led by delegates representing different continents or countries.

The first evening will be devoted to the opening session, in the course of which a report will be presented regarding the work of the Young Men's division of the World's Alliance since the meeting at Helsingfors and the official appointment of various committees.

On the second evening there will be an illustrated presentation of the work of the association in Canada and the United States.

The meetings will be held in the auditorium, where booths will be assigned to the various nations of the world. These are to be decorated with national flags.

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RANGER CHURCHES

ST. RITA'S CHURCH

Masses today will be at 8 and 10 o'clock. Fr. Collins. This is the Ninth Sunday after Pentecost and the Gospel read today is taken from St. Luke XIX, 41-47.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

L. J. Power, pastor. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Walter Harwell, superintendent. 11 a. m., and 8:15 p. m., preaching by the pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

H. B. Johnson, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m., E. L. Nelson, superintendent. Golden Rule class for men, taught by Mr. Holloway.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

H. H. Stephens, pastor. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, T. J. Anderson, superintendent. 11 a. m., preaching by pastor, subject, "Our Unanswered Prayer."

Professor Traces Athletic Activities From Ancient Times To Present

AUSTIN, July 25.—From time immemorial, athletic and social activities have been important and interesting phases of higher education, declared Dr. C. F. Arrowood, professor of the history and philosophy of education at The University of Texas.

"The noteworthy characteristics of American institutions are the large number of students enrolled, the relatively large number who work their way through school, and the growth in recent years of co-education."

"Footraces and other forms of athletic sports were indulged in as part of the curriculum of Greek schools. Social competition was as keen as today; new students were met at the harbors as they came to enroll, and were eagerly sought in modern day parlance, as 'pledges' for the different groups."

"In the Middle Ages, the mature men released their superfluous energy by engaging in tournaments, a form of athletics. Young bloods were taught, along with other phases of education, music, chess, game hunting, both with falcons and with hounds. In modern European educational centers, fencing is one of chief diversions. Just back of all these athletic contests and the social note, the desire for social contact is the chief factor."

Dr. Arrowood declared that at present there are more than 650 colleges and universities in the United States, with staffs of administration and instruction numbering some 63,000 persons and with a combined student body of more than 800,000 individuals.

The heart of the work of these institutions is teaching, a function accomplished through schools and colleges of arts and sciences, medicine, law, engineering, business administration, education, pharmacy, dentistry, journalism, home economics, and, except in state schools, theology.

Dr. Arrowood outlined the duties of the various administrative and teaching groups, from the president, through the deans, the registrar and the bursar, to the

professors, associate professors, assistant professors and instructors. He spoke of the powers and duties of governing boards, and told of the activities of the financial advisors often employed by the richer institutions for the administration of their properties.

"The traces which remain, examined by a magnifying glass, show an escutcheon of an alliance between two celebrated families. It is a question whether this was done by her parents and then cut out when they decided to return to their families, who may have had no knowledge of their love tryst in Paris, and put the girl in the orphanage."

The official record in the French government shows that the birth certificate of the shepherd-beggar had been tampered with in the great volume of the 1st Arrondissement. Certain marginal annotations had been scratched out and there is no clue from that record as to who her parents may have been.

Mule Catches Catfish While Taking Drink. HICKORY FLAT, Miss.—James Mannon was watering one of his mules in Hell Creek.

The mule suddenly raised his head, sneezed a couple of times, and out from his mouth came a ten-pound catfish.

EASTLAND CHURCHES

HAS PROHIBITION FAILED SUBJECT OF SERMON TONIGHT IN CHURCH

Rev. H. D. Tucker, pastor of First Methodist Church of Eastland, announces that he will speak at 8 o'clock on the subject, "Prohibition Failed?"

The Rev. Mr. Tucker is extending a special invitation to all neighbors, judges and all county officers to attend this service.

In making the announcement Mr. Tucker stated that his message would be a frank discussion of the national prohibition law and the manner of their enforcement and how the wet press of America is making an effort to defeat these laws.

Everybody invited to attend service. FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST. Lamar and Plummer streets. Sunday Service 11 a. m., Sunday School 9:45 a. m., Testimonial meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m., Reading room open Tuesday, Friday, 2 to 5 p. m. All are welcome.

METHODIST CHURCH. Regular services Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m. by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Sunday night regular union services on the lawn across the street from the church. Rev. Baldwin, the Church of God will be speaker.

An automobile was driven over the rockets in Berlin recently. This probably more desirable than the usual run of back-seat explosion.

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Y.M.C.A. PLAN WORLD MEETING AT CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, O.—Representatives from 40 nations are to attend the 43rd international convention and the 20th world's conference of the Young Men's Christian Association opening here on Aug. 4.

TATTOO MARKS MAY PROVE GIRL OF ROYAL BLOOD

PARIS.—European experts in heraldry are studying a minute design reconstructed from bits of the tattooed skin of Marthe, a Normandy shepherd-woman and beggar, 40 years old, who may prove to be the illegitimate daughter of a duke and a princess belonging to illustrious royal families of Europe.

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### Sam Houston Life Is One of Youngest But Is Now Also One Of Important Business in Ranger

By R. KENNETH EVANS  
The Sam Houston Life Insurance company is one of Ranger's newest but largest business institutions. It is a capital stock company, issuing standard, modern forms of policies. It is operated along the same sane and conservative lines as other standard companies and the splendid volume of business reflects the confidence and welcome of the company to Central West Texas.

Life insurance is an actual necessity, guarding as it does against financial disaster and conserving the credit of the entire world. Of this necessity have been born the many large and great American and foreign companies. For the first time in history Texans paid Texas companies more premiums in 1930 than went to foreign companies and the West Texas people, through their patronage already accorded the Sam Houston Life have demonstrated their loyalty to the slogan "Western money—western made, should be kept in West Texas for western trade."

On Feb. 24, 1931, the Sam Houston Life purchased the beautiful five-story building on the corner of Main and Austin streets for its home office and on February the charter was granted the company. Since that time the company has enjoyed more than \$1,500,000 in business and indications and prospects are that the volume will be doubled before the beginning of the new year.

In calling attention to insurance as a safe investment the following article, quoted from Best's Insurance News, might be of interest:

"We would call to the attention of our subscribers an interesting article appearing in the World's Work for June entitled 'Our Banking Troubles.' According to this article, during the ten years from 1920 to 1930 there were 6,649 bank failures, of which 882 were national banks and 5,467 were state banks.

Iowa leads the list with 573, closely followed by North Dakota, Minnesota, Nebraska, South Dakota, Missouri, Georgia, Oklahoma and Texas had 250. The best state in the District of Columbia with only one failure while Rhode Island and Delaware have only two and Vermont, New Jersey, New Hampshire, Nevada and Maine only three each.

"The insurance agents should realize that in many rural communities the banking system as at present devised is very unsatisfactory and that the high premium insurance policies offer an investment to the people living in these communities which cannot be surpassed."

Again quoting from the same publication and giving figures on insurance companies over the entire United States we find: "Admitted assets now stand at \$20,249,000,000; capital at \$180,000,000; surplus and similar funds \$1,140,000,000; net reserve \$15,917,000,000; total income \$5,181,000,000; total disbursements \$3,581,000,000; total paid policy holders, \$2,408,000,000; insurance written, \$21,629,000,000; insurance gained \$4,052,000,000; insurance in force \$114,375,000,000."

"These figures are staggering and we believe of the very greatest interest. It will be noticed that in spite of the fact that 1930 was not a good year the gains by all companies amounted to \$4,000,000,000, which figure checks with our increase in insurance in force over last year. Other items of interest are the fact that the surplus figure stands at almost the same as the previous year, while other figures, except insurance written, show increases along this line. The insurance written likewise remains approximately the same as last year, which is verified by the reports of the life insurance presidents and life insurance sales research bureau. The ratio of surplus to net reserve has decreased somewhat and now stands at 7 per cent for all companies."

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### Expert Defends Soviet Butter

MOSCOW.—An eloquent defense of the quality of soviet butter has just been made by Prof. R. E. Gerlach, of the Moscow Institute of Large Meat and Milk Farming.

The statement was prompted by the publication of charges in the English press that butter imported from the soviet union contained an Asiatic insect.

Prof. Gerlach described the mechanism of the dairy industry in various parts of his country and showed that it has resulted in higher and cleaner products than before the war.

"A most careful control of the whole process of butter production," he wrote, "has been established by the commissariat of agriculture through a commission organized especially for this purpose. At the same time the commissariat of foreign trade, through its trade commission, has introduced rigid inspection of the quality of butter produced, not only in Siberia and the Ural region, where export butter is made, but also in the Leningrad port, from which it is shipped."

"Thus the quality of export butter is subjected to examination three times: first, during production; then in the places of concentration for export and lastly before loading into refrigerator ships."

### Indiana Engineer Sees Success For Five-Year Plan

NEWCASTLE, Ind.—A simple answer as to why the five-year plan will succeed in Russia is given by Charles Butterworth, home here on a vacation after more than a year in the Soviet country, where he was employed as an engineer.

"The plan will succeed," Butterworth said, "because anything that they have at the end of five years, or any given period will be just that much more than they started with. In fact," he added, "four or five consecutive five-year plans should succeed there."

Butterworth, who worked in a large tractor manufacturing plant, said he planned to return to Russia late in July.

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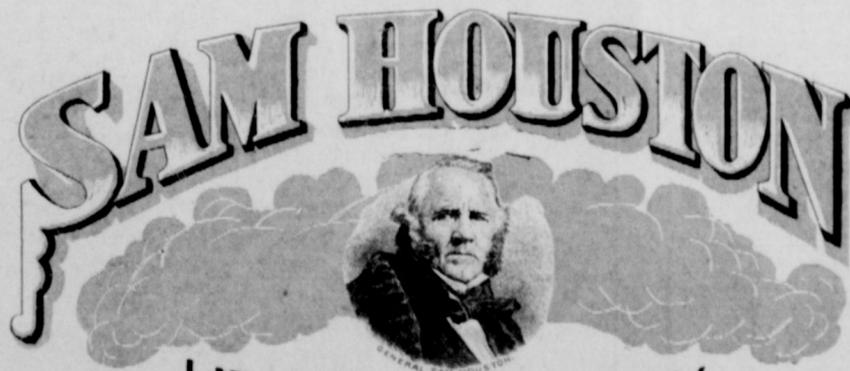
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### ACTRESS SAYS MUSSOLINI IS STAR MATERIAL

By United Press.

PARIS.—Mussolini would have made a marvelous actor, according to Cecile Sorel, famous French actress of the Comedie-Francaise, had politics not destined his career otherwise.

The celebrated player of "grande coquette" roles on the Paris stage spent an hour in conversation with Il Duce recently. After her interview she expressed great sympathy and understanding for the man who governs his country with an iron hand but whose people, he says, know that he loves them. "One governs only by love," he said, revealing one of the secrets of his power.

"What a great artist he would have been," said Mlle. Sorel in an article written in the French journal Comedie. "Immobilized, concentrated, mysterious, he observes everything and reveals nothing of himself save to those to whom he wishes to convey his feelings. And if his ideas and his personality are so fixed within interest, his thoughts are able, like blades of steel, to carve expressions on his face. I saw him, time and again, express, in almost the same instant, graveness, irony and tragedy. What an actor he could have been!"

Mussolini is a thousand men in one, and the voices of thousands speak through him. His will is like an anvil that always finishes his act with a smile. His silence is eloquent. His heavy black eyebrows hide nothing of his expression and when news comes to him, the slightest word distends his entire countenance and wrinkles his broad forehead until he resembles a powerful lion. His smile is the most bewitching and tantalizing I think I have ever seen in the world."

Mlle. Sorel reminded the Duce that Napoleon often attended French masterpieces and applauded their interpretation by the actors and actresses, and that Talma was his friend. To which Mussolini responded that he was going that evening, to hear "Le Misanthrope," because politics also was an art. The artist created his inspiration, he explained, while the politician created by decision, and that the two went hand in hand in matters that involved the spirit.

"To give wise laws to a people," he said, "one has great need of artists."

"In his presence," Mlle. Sorel affirmed, "I understood the secret of his success. Thanks to him, his country works, prospers and is happy. He has brought about a liberation of human misery. He spoke to me of international politics, great European events and of the future of the races. He seems to hold in his hands a map of the universe and to know how to measure the danger, the counterbalancing forces, and to balance them in a way that brings good fortune to everyone. His people obey him and follow his dictates because they know that he has a high regard for them, and that is it for their own good in the end."

### Aged Slave Now Deals In Second Hand Clothing

By United Press.

PARIS, Tex.—Hobbling along the streets of Paris with three old suits hanging down one crucifix and six pairs of second-hand shoes dangling from the other, "Uncle Henry" Mitchell, 86-year-old negro, is a quaint reminder of slavery days in the South. "Uncle Henry" is now in business for himself as a second-hand clothes dealer.

The aged negro, then a slave, moved to Texas from a Mississippi plantation during the Civil War. Passersby who have a minute to spare are regaled with tales of crossing the "big rivuh," and of shooting deer where this Southwestern city now stands.

### Now Playing Arcadia, Ranger



REGINALD OWEN, ROBERT MONTGOMERY and CAUBREY SMITH in "THE MAN IN POSSESSION"

### COUNTY SCHOOLS

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der the control of the board of education of Ranger independent school district. This college is affiliated with the state department of education, Austin, Texas, and is a member of the Association of Junior Colleges in the United States.

A full year's course in college work is offered which permits graduates of Ranger Junior college to enter senior colleges and universities and finish in two years to attain a degree. Work is offered in seven departments which include: Business administration, education, English, history, mathematics, foreign languages and sciences. The requirements for entrance are 15 credits on a language basis from any of the affiliated high schools. Students who have as many as 13 of affiliated work are received on "conditions" according to O. G. Lanier, registrar. These conditions are that the credits lacking be made up in the next two years.

Students coming from unaffiliated schools are required to take entrance examinations under the supervision of a committee. Students completing 10 full courses of 60 semester hours or its equivalent are awarded a diploma of graduation.

Much attention is paid to the welfare of students who come here from a distance and the faculty is always glad to co-operate in placing a student in a comfortable home nearby. Good room and board can be obtained at prices ranging from \$35 to \$45 per month.

Ranger may well be proud of its modern high school, erected in 1923 to bring that department of the educational system to a par with other communities in the state. Built of brick to accommodate the four years of high school work and the two years of work offered in the Junior college, the structure cost \$250,000. The building is modern in every respect, with a steam heating plant to keep an even temperature during the winter days and a ventilating system installed in the walls to keep the air, summer and winter, incirculation insuring a full measure of health preservation.

Nine laboratories, fully equipped, enable the teachers to give the students the most modern and scientific instruction in all of the general sciences. Physics, chemistry, biology, home economics, clothing, food conservation and preservation, mechanical drawing, manual training and vocational agriculture are the subjects taught that call for laboratory work.

In addition, a large auditorium seating 750 persons gives room for dramatic productions, chapel, school programs and public gatherings. The stage is well equipped, giving an opportunity for students to get experience in the many phases of appearing before

the public, a training that has come to be invaluable and necessary in many of the present-day professions.

The gymnasium is well equipped and boys and girls basketball teams with other gymnasium work is part of the regular athletic program and the result has been that many local honors have been brought to Ranger by "the team."

With an enrollment this year of 567, of which 300 are in the senior class, the school this year did not fall below its average in high standing and number of students. The various student activities include music and for the last three years the girls won the state meet in choral work.

The question, "What kind of school have you?" often asked by the family about to move into a new community, is answered in Ranger by the statement that the local high school has the highest rating it is possible to get in the state. The school has a grade A rating with a faculty of 23 teachers, two assigned to the special work of teaching music and expression and the equipment being above that demanded by the state department of education.

Students from the school often qualify to compete in states and district contests and this year was no exception. The state typewriting contest and the debating contest for boys' teams were all attended by representatives of the Ranger High school.

No less efficient than the Junior college and the high school are the six grade schools of Ranger. All of them modern, they are adequate for the pupil enrollment of the city. With gas and steam heat, the buildings are warm and ventilating system is such that air is constantly circulated, a measure necessary for wide awake children in classrooms.

Plays, musical programs, and other entertainments each year give the pupils an experience in extra curricular work that stands them in good stead, whether they enter the high school, for high learning or go from the grades into the beginnings of any business or profession.

Thirty-five teachers make up the faculty in the ward schools. All of the schools are of brick construction, with the exception of the colored ward school which is of frame construction. The buildings cost a total of \$216,500 and have always been considered a good investment. Located in the center of the wards they serve, they are easily accessible to students in all parts of the city.

The cost of the buildings: Bridges Park ..... \$37,808 Young Ward ..... 77,669 Cooper Ward ..... 75,875 Merriman Ward ..... \$28,149 Tiffin Ward ..... 27,000 Colored Ward ..... 600

"We have one of the best school systems in the state," said O. G. Lanier, school registrar. "Our Junior college is one of 16 in Texas and has been visited by educators from several states. The system we have worked out is being copied in many parts of the country and our graduates range as high and above many so-called 'junior college averages.'"

### America's Largest Hydro Plant To Be Ready By Winter

By United Press.

COLUMBIA, Pa.—The largest hydro-electric plant on the American continent, the Safe Harbor Dam, near here, on the Susquehanna river, will begin delivery of power early next winter.

Six turbines, with an output of 225,000 horsepower, will be used at the start. Later six additional turbines will be installed, to boost productive capacity to 510,000 horsepower.

In constructing the dam, workmen removed 1,720,000 cubic yards of rock and earth, the builders estimated.

The mile-long dam and power house required 460,000 cubic yards of concrete, 11,500 tons of structural steel and 5,500 tons of reinforced steel. Twenty miles of railroad tracks are in service.

Before the project is completed, it will have used 15,000 railroad carloads of materials of various kinds.

When completed, the Safe Harbor Dam will be linked with the plant at Holtwood, so that both can be operated as a single unit.

455,086 DOGS LICENSED

HARRISBURG, Pa.—Pennsylvania now has 455,086 licensed dogs in the state, according to a check by the Agriculture department. Officials estimated that there are thousands of dogs unlicensed and pointed out that 3,153 dog owners had been prosecuted this year for allowing their animals to run uncontrolled.

### FOUR NATIONS SPEND BILLION FOR ARMAMENT

By United Press.

LONDON.—The ragged pockets of the four leading countries of Europe disgorge more than a billion dollars each year for armaments, despite their poverty pleas.

This situation confronted Secretary of State Stimson, America's "disarmament salesman" upon his arrival in Europe recently. Shortly before President Hoover's proposal for a one-year debt moratorium had finally been accepted in principle by France.

His visit is looked upon here as the natural "follow-up" of the debt conversations directed in London and Paris by his cabinet colleague, Secretary of Treasury Mellon.

The total cost of national defense in the four countries during 1929 was \$77,700,000 pounds or \$1,351,000,000. Great Britain, under the leadership of a Labor Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald, is the only European power that has translated into action her oft-repeated desire for disarmament.

Sizable reductions have been made in appropriations for the British navy in the last decade. In 1921 the budget authorized the expenditure of \$441,861,500 as compared with approximately \$258,700,000 this year.

Although Stimson is assured of a valuable and energetic ally in MacDonald in the cause of disarmament, British officials have announced no further reductions would be made by England until other nations had followed her earlier lead and likewise scaled their fighting forces downward.

French naval appropriations for 1931 totaled 3,437,905,235 French francs as compared with 797,804,914 francs in 1922. Italian naval expenditures showed \$81,066,748 appropriated in 1921 and \$80,795,701 in 1931.

Failure of the two powers to agree at the London naval conference and at subsequent meetings is held responsible for these high appropriations by Italy and France 12 years after the World War. The differences between the two Mediterranean powers, which have thwarted the efforts of some of Europe's best diplomats, accentuate the difficulties confronting the general disarmament conference in Geneva in February, 1932.

FLEES WITH BALL AND CHAIN

By United Press.

ASTORIA, Ore.—Astoria police have decided L. A. Matson can't be trusted. And it will be a long time before they let Matson, known as "Jumbo," sleep in their jail as a prisoner again. "Jumbo," frequent police guest, disappeared and took with him the ball and chain with which he was fastened.

### Modify Cotton Fumigation in Texas, New Mex.

Special Correspondent.

WASHINGTON.—The secretary of agriculture announced today an amendment to the pink bollworm quarantine regulations, effective Aug. 1, modifying the conditions under which permits are issued for the movement of cotton lint from sections of Texas and New Mexico infested by the pink bollworm.

Heretofore both fumigation and compression have been required as safeguards to prevent baled cotton lint from carrying pink bollworms to uninfested areas. The new amendment authorizes the plant quarantine and control administration, under certain conditions, to issue permits for the interstate movement of compressed but unfumigated bales of cotton lint produced in areas so lightly infested with the pink bollworm that in the judgment of the department any possible danger of spread of that insect in baled lint would be prevented by high compression without fumigation.

In connection with this order, the department states that recent investigations have confirmed the importance of compression as a measure for greatly reducing or, under most favorable circumstances, entirely eliminating infestation in the bale.

Administration instructions issued by the plant quarantine and control administration in connection with this amendment specify the following areas as those in which the pink bollworm infestation is so light that in the judgment of the administration fumigation of the material may be omitted without involving risk of spread of the pink bollworm:

The amendment covers the counties of Chavez, Eddy, Otero, Dona Ana, and Luna, in New Mexico, and the counties of Pecos, Reeves, Ward, Loving, El Paso, Winkler, Andrews, Ector, Midland, Crane, and Upton, in the state of Texas, and a small part of the southwest corner of Hudspeth county, Texas.

The area in Hudspeth county consists essentially of the north bank of the Rio Grande from a point immediately west of the town of McNary to the western border of the county.

The release from fumigation applies only to square bales which have been compressed so that they have a density of at least 22 pounds to the cubic foot. Permits for the shipment from the areas named of compressed but unfumigated cotton will be authorized by the department, says, under conditions that relate primarily to the protection of the bales from contamination by cotton seed and to the sterilization of all cotton seed produced in the gin which bales the cotton.

CUERO — Guadalupe Pecan Growers association being formed as branch of National Pecan Marketing association.

### BOY KILLED

(Continued from page one.)

Gay Lee took a pair of gentle mules belonging to Mr. Lusk, and a wagon and went to the pasture to haul rock. The party stopped at a well to get a drink and while getting back into the wagon, the team started off. Before Gay Lee, who was driving, could get hold of the lines, the wagon hit a rather deep ditch, throwing the youth over the dashboard on to the wagon tongue between the mules. This frightened the animal, and they broke into a run. All of the children were thrown out of the wagon but none of them except Gay Lee were injured.

The boy became entangled in the lines and was dragged by the running mules until the wagon struck a tree and the mules broke loose from it. When he was picked up by an ambulance his right arm was all but torn off, his right leg was broken in three places and he was hurt internally.

The assistance of other boys who were near was secured and he was placed in a car and the children started driving him to Cross Plains, eight miles away. Upon their arrival at Cross Plains they were advised by physicians to take the injured boy to a hospital as quickly as possible. They then went to Rising Star where he was placed in an ambulance and rushed to the hospital at Eastland.

Physicians at the Payne hospital did what was humanly possible but his life could not be saved.

Those with Gay Lee when he was injured said he never complained of his injuries. Being a Boy Scout he remembered what had been taught about first aid work and tried to tell his companions how to use this knowledge in stopping the flow of blood from his wounds. None of the party were scouts, however, and were unable to do anything for him in that respect.

In the hospital and while on the operating table, he recognized Chief of Police Lee Reid, and spoke to him. He remarked that he was getting very sore. Soon after this he lapsed into unconsciousness and never rallied.

Funeral services will be conducted from the First Methodist church in Eastland at 2:30 this afternoon. Dr. Geo. W. Shearer, pastor of the Eastland Methodist church, assisted by Rev. O. K. Morton, pastor of the 12th Street Methodist church of Cheet, will conduct the funeral which will be in charge of the Hammer-Barrow Undertaking company of Eastland. Burial will be in the Eastland cemetery.

The active and honorary pallbearers will be members of the Eastland Boy Scout troops, many of whom came home from the annual encampment in progress near Mazon to attend the funeral.

Gay Lee is survived by his parents, two sisters, Joyce and Betty Joe, and a brother, Edgar. He was the oldest of the four children. Among the out of town relatives in Eastland for the funeral are Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Reese, Mrs. A. L. Tolle and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Lusk.

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**Amendment to the General Sanitary Ordinance of the City of Eastland, Texas.**

Adopting an Amendment to the General Sanitary Ordinance of the City of Eastland, Texas, Providing Rules, Prescribing Penalties, and declaring an Emergency:

**IT IS ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF EASTLAND, TEXAS:**

Section 1.—That Rule 7 of Section 2 be amended to read as follows: All owners or occupants of premises in this city having privies, such premises must, if within ten feet of any public sewer, make permanent sanitary connection with same. Where no sewer exists, owners or occupants of such premises must construct a pit toilet or privy to the following specifications: Pit must be three feet wide, four feet long, and five feet deep, if possible, but must not be less than four feet deep. Said pit shall be floored with a fly and anti-rodent covering, all seat openings must be covered with hinged doors, and not less than a three-inch board must extend from the floor through and not less than eighteen inches above the roof, such toilets or privies, when constructed, must not be used unless same have been inspected and approved by the city sanitary officer.

Section 2.—That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this amendment are hereby repealed.

Section 3.—That any person who shall wilfully violate any of the provisions of this amendment shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction therefor shall be fined in any sum not less than Five Dollars (\$5.00) and not more than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00).

Section 4.—In view of the emergency of this imperative public necessity creating an emergency, this amendment shall take effect immediately and after its passage and publication.

Passed and approved this the 26th day of July, 1931.

J. M. McCULLOUGH, Sr., Chairman of the Board of the City Commissioners of the City of Eastland, Texas.

TEST—W. C. MARLOW, City Secretary.

## MOM'N POP



## Broadway and Side Streets

By JACK GAVER, United Press Drama Editor.

NEW YORK.—The road looms large on the New York theatrical horizon these days. The small towns and the large towns west of the Hudson, the one-night stand, the split week and the one week or more centers are receiving more attention, on paper at least, than at any time in 10 years.

"Revive the road" and "Save our stage" are slogans which theatrical organizations are shouting as battle cries in what is hoped will be a determined effort to do right by those long-neglected places where the cinema rules as king.

The general view is that the time is ripe to bring the road and its thousands of dollars back into the legitimate theater fold. Many hold the view that the talking pictures are losing their hold, are slipping to the low point to which the silent pictures admittedly had slipped just before sound gave Hollywood a new lease on life.

**Blame for Condition.**

But regardless of that, those connected with the theater, both acting and production organizations, show some signs of waking up to the fact that the poor conditions on the road are due largely to faults of the legitimate itself. Poor shows, poor casts in touring companies, negligent supervision from New York offices, lack of interest in what plays the different sections of the country wish to see and many other deplorable mistakes are in process of being corrected.

The Theater Guild, with its large subscription lists in the large cities, has joined with several leading producers in offering productions by the latter as part of the guild's subscription season. This is distinctly a step forward, because the guild will see that its own high reputation is maintained.

The theatrical press representatives' organization has joined in a campaign to revive the road, using the slogan "Save our Stage" as a rallying cry. Improper press relations have played their part in the past in creating bad impressions on the road and any step in the right direction by these men will be a big help.

**Powerful Combination.**

Although nothing definite has resulted yet from many rumors concerning a get-together by the powerful Shubert and Erlanger organizations, which control most of the legitimate theaters, there is reason to hope that these two groups will find a basis for co-operation.

A lot of attention is being directed to the one-night stand towns, some of which haven't seen a flesh-and-blood play in 20 years. Minnie Maddern Fiske, the guild and a few others found some of these places highly profitable. Gone are the days of the old-time

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



## Berry Pickers Catches Fish In Big Battle

By United Press.

FLORENCE, Ariz.—The truthfulness of this fish story is sworn to by several fishermen here.

Recently Early Coffrey, while on his way to a berry patch across the Shoals creek which empties into Lake Wilson, noticed a jumping object in midstream. Believing it to be a human body, he rowed out to find two huge catfish in deadly combat.

The larger fish, which afterwards was found to weigh 90 pounds, had a small catfish in its mouth. Coffrey succeeded in getting the two fish to the shore and with the aid of onlookers separated them. The larger fish had completely swallowed the head up to the gills of the smaller catfish, which weighed 45 pounds.

Ashore, the men found the larger of the two fishes almost dead from its struggles, while the smaller one did not seem the worse for the experience.

# Heart of Liane

by MABEL McELLIOTT

## BEGIN HERE TODAY

Liane Barrett, daughter of Cass Barrett, an actress, meets and falls in love with Van Robard, handsome man of the world. Cass begs Liane not to have anything to do with him, without explaining why. Muriel Ladd, debutante who shares Liane's duties at the theater box office at Willow Stream, L. I., professes to be in love with a reporter, Chuck Desmond. Later she announces her engagement to Robard and Liane tries to forget him. When her mother is taken seriously ill on tour, Liane rushes to her. Cass recovers but her doctor blames her of some mystery concerning the girl's birth.

Conversing at Mrs. Cleespaugh's magnificent home, where Liane has been staying, Cass chafes at being under obligation to her hostess. So when Clive Cleespaugh asks Liane to marry him, a marriage in name only, the girl agrees.

Tressa Lord, a house guest of the Cleespaughs, is rude to Liane and attempts to break off the engagement. Liane is threatened with blackmail and goes to Shane McDermid, a policeman who had once befriended her. Shane scares off the blackmailers but warns the girl she has an enemy. At ball given for the Crown Prince of Slavaria, Liane disappears. She is kidnapped and taken to a lonely house on the shore. During a struggle with one of her captors, she falls, cutting her head. Desmond Clive and McDermid are all hunting for her. Clive and a police officer, McHugh, pick up the trail of a girl in a sedan. McHugh makes the girl lead the way to a house he suspects may hold Liane.

## Aimee Ties Knot as Son Weds



NEA Los Angeles Bureau  
"I now pronounce you man and wife," said Aimee Semple McPherson, evangelist extraordinary, as she officiated at the marriage of her son, Roy, 18, to Lorna Dee Smith, 20, of Alva, Okla. Before thousands who jammed her Angelus Temple at Los Angeles. Here you see Aimee with the bride and groom, the newlyweds showing how all married couples should act.

what anguish there might be in simple motion.

At last she reached the front door. There was an old-fashioned chain lock. With painstaking care she unlatched it and the door swung quietly on its hinges.

She felt her heart pounding in her throat. Softly she swung the door to, felt her way in her slippers in her hand, across the splintered porch. Salt air rose gratefully to her nostrils. The unmistakable breath of the south shore marshes was in the wind. In the dark she began to run. Where she was going, she knew not. Anything was better than that terrible house and the people in it.

Liane suspected some trick, some barricade. It seemed conceivable that those men had left the place with only Holly to guard it. They had reckoned, perhaps, without her determination and courage.

Her thin stockings were torn by brambles and barberry. Her hair was disarranged, her face scratched. There was no moon, and for this Liane was grateful. The dark shawl of the woman called Molly covered the girl's moon-pale frock.

She heard steps running toward her. A man's steps. Determined ones. Two windows of the room were, both closed and locked. The doorway with the fat woman guarding it. There must be a way!

The girl feigned drowsiness. Slumped in her uncomfortable chair she pretended to nod. The room was warm, the air stale and heavy. The fat woman, after one or two intent glances at the relaxed form, also closed her eyes. Still and alert as any wild animal, Liane crouched in her chair. Presently the woman of the woman's breathing resolved itself into snores. She was asleep!

Liane waited a minute, two five. Then with infinite caution, her head still throbbing, her pulse sounding noisy as an alarm clock, she began softly to creep. Four steps to the door. She had passed her captor! Her heart stood still. The woman stirred ever so faintly. Liane remained quiet as a statue. She waited another endless 60 seconds. Then she began again softly to crawl into the hall. A board creaked ominously under her weight. Tears of frustration rose to her burning eyes. But the fates were with her, and the fat woman snored on.

The house seemed utterly silent. Terror, icy and inescapable, gripped the girl's heart. She was still giddy from her fall. Fearfully she fixed her eyes on the dull face of the slumbering woman. Somewhere in the house a mouse began to gnaw at a partition. The sound struck through the quiet like thunder on a summer night. Liane shivered. But her intent gaze on the countenance of her guard could discover no change there. The woman slipped deeper down in her uncomfortable chair.

Inch by inch the girl began to move again. A board creaked and her feet were slow to her throat. Nothing now should keep her from that door! Anything, Liane thought hysterically, was better than this grim and horrible room.

She thought of her two captors. Where were they? Lurking just outside, no doubt, waiting to snare her as she ran from the trap they had laid. She refused to believe this. The errand they had dispatched themselves upon must have been an important one. They had thought her ill as well as frightened, and counted on the old woman to guard her easily. With infinite caution Liane took another step. Never, never had she known

## British Planning A New Air Line

LONDON.—Inspired by the late Lieutenant-Commander Glen Kidston's flight from London to Cape-town in six days in an American monoplane, plans have been laid for the establishment of a London-Cairo air line using Ford tri-motored airplanes, and making the flight regularly in six days against the 11 days of the Imperial Airways route.

The new company, which is known as the Anglo-African Air Lines, Ltd., is scheduled to start Sept. 1. Instead of following the East and Central Africa route used by the Imperial Airways, the new company will follow the African west coast.

W. G. Pudney, a former war-time pilot with many years of commercial flying, will be chief pilot and in charge of the ground organization.

In the initial stages of the operation of the new line, American-built Ford monoplanes will be used, but as soon as the new Ford plant at Dagenham, near London, is in operation, in 1932, the firm will use British-built Ford airplanes fitted with either British Jupiter air-cooled or Napier water-cooled engines.

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**Pretty Bridge and Shower Honors Mrs. A. H. Baker.**

Included among pretty complimentary affairs of last week, with delightful features of entertainment arranged for hours throughout the mid-afternoon, was the bridge party and shower honoring Mrs. A. H. Baker, with Mrs. E. C. Byers as hostess at the home of Mrs. Frank Champion, 900 Cypress street. Crepe myrtle in the colorful tones of rose and pink was clustered as centerpieces for tables and room decorations.

Bridge was played at tables reflecting harmonizing tints of the color motif. High score for the afternoon was made by Mrs. Joe Bloodworth of Eastland.

As a pleasant surprise to the honoree, who is leaving in the near future for Gladewater where she will make her home, was a handkerchief shower with an exquisite selection of "hankies" presented her in wrappings blending with the lovely color notes of rose, green and pink.

A salad and appetizer course was served on trays laid with linen and appointed with attractive glass and silver service. Those composing the party guests with the honoree were: Mmes. Joe Bloodworth of Eastland, Bob Hamrick, Langston, Martin Walker, Frank Champion, Tom Yerker, Matlock of Olden, Guy Raney of Olden, and the hostess.

**Carl Brumhew to Present Summer Class in Musical Program.**

Carl Brumhew will present his summer class of students in a well arranged musical program on Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The entertainment will be held in the auditorium of the First Baptist church. The public is most cordially invited to attend.

**Mrs. Shipp to Entertain Home Demonstration Club.**

Mrs. E. C. Shipp will entertain the Co-Workers Home Demonstration club at her residence on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are especially invited to be present.

**Loyal Women's Class Celebrates Anniversary.**

The Loyal Women's class of the First Christian church celebrated their first anniversary with a luncheon and afternoon social with Mrs. R. C. Stidham on Friday at her home, Tee Pee camp.

The table, centered with a mound of summer flowers, was made more attractive with pretty appointments, where covers were laid for 15 members and one guest. Following the luncheon, a business period was opened at which time new officers were elected for the ensuing term.

One year ago when this class was organized there were four active members. Today there are 32 who take much interest in helping to make the work the most interesting of any organization of its kind.

The celebration was enjoyed by the following members and guests: Mmes. Ingram, H. A. Matthews, Lee, Jack Blackwell, M. Litton, T. Colburn, Ott Hay, E. L. Nelson, J. F. Donley, John Wallace, Andrew Bruce, H. B. Johnson, and Misses Allie Jo Nelson, Theo Stidham, daughter of the hostess, and the Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the church.

**Miss McDowell Complimented With Party While in Grace.**

Cecelia Shelline McDowell has returned home following several days' visit in Cisco as the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Tunnell and her grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Tunnell.

On Thursday afternoon the young visitor was named honoree at a most enjoyable theatre party, after which they returned to the home of Mrs. Olin Tunnell, where a delicious refreshment course of ice cream and cake was served and party favors of novel fans tied with pink bows of dainty ribbon were presented each little miss attending.

In late evening the group motored to the pretty Cisco lake, where swimming was greatly enjoyed until a late hour. Other features of entertainment complimented Cecelia Shelline during her visit.

**Mrs. Sappington Presides At Woodman Circle Meeting.**

The regular meeting of the Julia Alexander Grove No. 1954 of the Woodman circle met at the hall last week with the district manager, Mrs. Della E. Sappington presiding over the interesting hour of facts which were gathered.

Mrs. Sappington gave a splendid and most interesting talk with summarized reports from the national convention which convened at Buffalo, N. Y., last month. There were 16 members with one honor guest, Mrs. Cole of Fort Worth, present for this meeting.

The group period was closed promptly at 4 o'clock to meet at the hall next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.



WHEN THE BEST GETS THE WORST OF IT. JR. WILLIAMS

**Mr. and Mrs. Powell Honor Miss Dunaway of Midland.**

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Powell entertained with a delightfully arranged bridge and slumber party at their home Friday evening in honor of Miss Lillian Dunaway of Midland, formerly of Ranger.

High score in bridge was won by the honoree, the prize being a beautiful hand-painted picture in pretty bright colorings. An ice and dessert course was served at the close of the games before hours of slumber to Misses Frances Carothers, Mattie Ben Shipp, Naomi Matthews, Mildred Matthews, Marie Crutsinger, Shug Wallace, Agnes Reewer, Theo Stidham, Wilda Duke, Willie Matthews, Dee Powell, and honor guest, Lillian Dunaway.

An early breakfast consisting of two courses was enjoyed Saturday morning, with the guests departing following a most pleasantly spent evening and morning.

**Funeral Services For Joan Lewis Held Saturday**

Funeral services for Joan Lewis, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis were held from the First Baptist church in Ranger Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Rev. G. W. Thomas officiating.

Interment was in the Evergreen cemetery immediately following the services at the church.

Funeral services at the funeral were P. E. Moore, Nath Pirkle, E. M. Glazner, L. E. Gray, Dr. Bob Hodges and S. A. Young.

The young girl had been ill for about a week and her condition had been considered critical for some time. On last Saturday she was operated for appendicitis and had been very low since the operation.

After being reported at the point of death, she rallied and her condition was thought to be a little improved. She took another turn for the worse and it was found that another operation was necessary. She was operated again Friday night but never recovered, dying about 2 o'clock Saturday morning.

**Personal EASTLAND**

Dr. Don Peterson of the state department of health was in Eastland Friday supervising the drouth relief health work.

Jim Morris was a visitor in Weatherford Friday.

Mrs. L. D. Hillyer and daughter, Brazel, of Brownwood spent Friday and Saturday in Eastland.

Reagan Coleman, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coleman and family will leave Monday for Edna, Texas.

Gilbert Folsom left Saturday morning for Coville, Kan., where he will spend two weeks visiting his parents.

Miss Blanche L. Tanner, who has been spending her vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Tanner, left this morning for Denver, Colo. Miss Tanner was elected to represent the State of Washington at the annual convention of the International Educational Association which meets in Denver this week. Delegates from 50 countries of the world will be present. From Denver, Miss Tanner will return to resume her duties as principal of one of the public schools in Seattle, Wash.

Miss Frances Heffley is spending her vacation in Waco.

**RANGER Personal**

Miss Norma Jones has returned from a visit spent with friends of Wichita Falls.

Ernest Latham visited his parents in Bowie the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cherry and daughter, Joan, of Dallas, are week-end guests of Mrs. Cherry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Ghosion.

Miss Imogene Jones has returned home following a visit with her sister, Mrs. Seth Cannon of Arlington. Miss Jones has recently accepted a position as assistant in the lunch room and sandwich shop of Cliff Henry.

Mrs. Mossie Cherry returned to Fort Worth today after several days' visit as the guest of the Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Johnson, Marston apartments.

Herman Pool has returned from a visit to Throckmorton, where he visited relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Nichol and family have as their week-end guests, Miss Linnie Hooten, of Lamesa.

Mrs. E. C. Byers and Mrs. A. H. Baker have returned from a visit to Big Spring, where they were guests of Mrs. Baker's mother.

Miss Elnora Larsen of Cleburne is the week-end guest of Miss Elizabeth Moore at her home on Cypress street.

O. P. Shannon and wife of Dallas are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moore and family.

Prof. and Mrs. R. D. Bryan have returned to their home in Cleburne after a visit in the Moore home.

Mr. and Mrs. Esker Curtis have as guests today Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Angus of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Angus, parents of Mrs. Curtis, and Mrs. Mose Cauthon of New Mexico.

J. S. McDowell and F. C. Ware were visitors in Brackenridge yesterday.

**School Bans Girl Smokers As Teachers**

By United Press.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.—Girls who smoke need not expect to get a job teaching in the public schools here.

W. T. Robinson, superintendent of schools, said "the average parent would not want his or her child under a smoking teacher. So we don't employ girls who smoke, if we know it."

Every applicant for a teaching position must tell Supt. Robinson that she doesn't smoke if she gets the job. Sometimes he even examines their fingers for cigaret stain. This system isn't so successful, though, he explained, because it is too easy to remove the stain with lemon juice.

The superintendent said he did not require his male teachers to abstain from smoking, "but I have talked to them about it."

**TO CONSIDER FRANCHISE**

M. McCullough, mayor of Eastland, is credited with the statement that a special meeting of the Eastland city commission will be held at 7 o'clock next Friday evening to consider propositions of private capitalists for a special gas franchise for Eastland.

**PUSHES CART TO WEST COAST**

By United Press.

WHEELING, W. Va.—C. W. Darmon, this city's official push cart pusher, is en route to the coast pushing his push cart. The push cart pusher reported to friends here a slight accident to his cart at Sistersville, W. Va., when an outcast pushed the cart over a hill, damaging it considerably. Darmon had the cart repaired and pushed on, he wrote.

**PORT ARTHUR — TWO LARGE EASTERN TEXTILE MILLS CONCERN RECENTLY SECURED OPTIONS OF 492 ACRES OF LAND BETWEEN HERE AND BEAUMONT, WITH VIEW TO CREATING COTTON MILLS AND FACTORY TOWNS ABOUT THEM.**

**GROWS IN TREE**

CORNISH, Me.—A strawberry plant grows out of the crotch of an elm tree at Main and Cumberland streets, eight feet above the ground.

**SOCIAL AFFAIRS and CLUB NEWS**

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**Adult Health Club Met Friday**

The Adult Health Club met Friday morning, July 24, at 9 o'clock, at the community clubhouse. Mrs. Margaret Hassley is the director of the club. Six members attended the meeting.

The next meeting will be held Saturday morning, Aug. 1, at the home of Mrs. J. C. Stephen, 500 East Foch street.

**Dr. Wilson To Deliver Union Sermon Tonight**

Dr. J. T. Wilson, president of the Warner Memorial University, will deliver the message at the Union Service across from the Methodist church this evening. The service will begin at 8 o'clock. There will be special instrumental music and special songs. You are cordially invited to attend.

**Church of Christ Bible Class To Meet Monday**

The Church of Christ Woman's Bible class will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the church for the regular weekly meeting. All members are urged to attend.

**Methodist W. M. S. To Meet With Special Hour Monday**

All Methodist ladies are cordially invited to a garden party Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. L. Fagg will be hostess from 4 to 6 o'clock. Mrs. T. L. Fagg will be house hostess with Mmes. Ed Graham, R. E. Sikes, T. M. Collier, F. M. Kenney and Ed T. Willman, co-hostesses.

**Announcements of Weddings Received**

Announcements have been received at Eastland from Lubbock announcing the approaching marriage of Charles Fagg of Eastland, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Fagg of Eastland, to Miss Elizabeth Rodgers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. S. Rodgers of Lubbock.

The wedding will take place at the First Presbyterian church in Lubbock at 10 a. m. August 1st.

After a brief wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Fagg will be at home in Eastland.

**Food and Drug Inspector Gives Favorable Report**

T. J. Selman of Austin, State food and drug inspector who has been a business visitor here for the past three days, closely checking the general food and drug conditions of soda fountains, markets, groceries, wholesale houses and other places, reports a most commendable and favorable condition in Ranger.

Mr. Selman is an efficient inspector and states that he feels no hesitancy at any time when he finds conditions necessary for extreme complaints. He complimented Ranger most highly in his conversation yesterday afternoon in regard to the cleanliness of each place he visited.

Ranger as a whole, measures up to the standard of any city he has had occasion to inspect, he said.

Mr. Selman stressed one point of marked importance to the community as a whole. This was the cleaning away of weeds on vacant lots. He was assisted while here by Wade Swift, sanitary officer of Ranger.

**ARIZONA HOTELS PROSPER**

PHOENIX, Ariz.—Arizona with its population of less than half a million, enjoys an annual hotel business of more than \$6,000,000, a Chamber of Commerce survey disclosed. A large portion of the hotel income is from eastern visitors who spend the winters in Southern Arizona, with the summer business of the northern highlands swelling the volume considerably.



**PARIS STYLES**

By MARY KNIGHT

United Press Staff Correspondent

PARIS.—Lunching at the Ritz in Paris is one very accurate way to find out what's what and who's who in smart clothes. We read about these things, what chic women should wear, etc., but it is much better to step around to a few places where they constantly gather and see what they actually are wearing.

For one thing, then, printed chiffons are adding themselves definitely to garden scenery. They are a weight lighter than the printed silks, also to be found at such gatherings. For a while it was feared that printed chiffons would yield their fashion honors this summer to their solid color sisters, but with the advent of much sunshine they could not keep out of the picture with their gay flowered loveliness.

For another thing, plain black and white crepe is here to stay. The Marquise de Casa-Maury wore this combination in a Worth model called "Robinette." It was plain black crepe with white butterflies applied on the surplice neckline and cuffs. The wrap that went with it was a short waist-length jacket with cape-sleeves that were pleated. It had a long oval shaped neckline with a round narrow collar. Black and white accessories completed her ensemble.

And for still another thing, blue wool marquisette with white is a happy combination. The Princess Aga Kahn wore it recently and aroused much favorable comment. It was dark blue wool marquisette with white georgette handkerchief collar and cuffs embroidered in dark blue. Her accessories were all white and all right.

**Head of Texas Rangers Will Lead Footballers East**

By United Press.

AUSTIN.—Cambridge, Mass., home of Harvard University, will be invaded by 1,500 Texans, led by W. S. "Bill" Sterling, adjutant general of Texas and head of the Texas rangers, when Texas University meets Harvard at football Oct. 24.

Sterling, wearing cowboy boots, large combieiro and the remainder of the Texas ranger uniform, and carrying a \$300 hand-carved pistol, will accompany the students to the east.

Invasion of the Texans will be the second southern university to go east this winter led by a state official.

Governor Huey P. Long of Louisiana will accompany the Louisiana State University Tigers to West Point.

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