THE WEATHER
WEST TEXAS—Fair. Warmer in north portion tonight. Wednesday fair. Warmer except in southwest portion.

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Federal officers are still hunting for that $100,000 Gaston B. Means received from Mrs. McLean. Probably want to collect income tax on it.

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Summer Session Is Predicted By John Garner

GRIPINGS

By GUS

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There is yet one dependable source of information which has not been subsidized by the propagandists. That source is none other than Joe Taylor, lexicographer, philosopher and columnist of The Times News. Only last week I ran across a phrase that was meaningless to me and was not explained in our 1932 edition of Webster's dictionery. In my frantic efforts to become smart, I appealed to the editor to tell me what it meant. The closing line ran something like this: "I'll bet six bits that State Joe, the living dictionery on the Times News, doesn't know what the heck is a haute couturedom."

Well, old Uncle Joe, being a former schoolteacher from Clarksville, knows where to find out such things he doesn't already know and is handy to certain sources of information that are easily available to us country journists. He calls up the stylist of the advertising copy writer of one of the most fashionable stores in Dallas and asks them what the heck is a couturedom and if there is such a thing, how does one become haute. The results of his research are told in the next paragraph.

Here's what Joe says:

"You lose your bet, Gloomy. The salons of haute couturedom are the display rooms of the high and mighty dress cutters. They are French, Gustavus, in case you are still eager for instruction. When dealing with fashionable apparel as a topic you have to lean on the Paris dress designers and it involves reference to the tape and scissor contingent. But why should the United Press correspond with your rowels, Gloomy? Why object to learning something you didn't know? Let the man boast of little knowledge. He has too much competition to justify any claim to uniqueness. Democracy is not necessarily a manifestation of contempt for all learning. Demagogy usually finds Demagogues and Democrats are differentiated by the former's self-love to claim fellowship with the Democrate. Democrats are neither proud of their learning nor ashamed of their lack of it, but they brag about neither. Be a Democrat, Gus. You were one in East Texas, weren't you?"

Of course I was a democrat in East Texas. I had to be because the postmaster was seemingly giving satisfaction and that's the only Republican who can hold a job in East Texas. And even so . . . I don't mean to start a political argument out of a French style 1932. But that's the way with those East Texas boys . . . they'll talk in any sort of a conversation about politics if you don't watch them.

Had a little talk with Judge Wilson this morning. I told him I didn't think the newspaper folks in the county would vote for a county attorney because as far as I could tell, there isn't anybody running for the office. The winner of the race will find out that the winning votes will have cost him well over a dollar each. That's figures. That's taking the total cost of the campaign and dividing by the number of votes in the majority. Of course, if all the boys get to lay out on me, I can use my influence to have the whole works scratched from the slate.

I was surprised to learn this morning that King had taken those five pennies and put them with the rubber washers he's swiped on a pipe connection and traded the whole works for a coke. And that after my buying him one yesterday. If his boss ever finds out how much he was sweating on at The Times office yesterday afternoon he'll raise King's pay. King came down and examined gas meters for us. Said we wanted to clean and oil ours because it wasn't running fast enough. He didn't say anything about adding a self-starter and a high speed gear to the mechanism, but I'm not saying anything about the kicker, but I got a right to think, I guess.

Body of Slain Boy Identified

By United Press.

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 17. — The body of a boy found on railroad tracks near Micheaud Sunday was believed identified today as that of Bill (Peewee) Ames, of McAllen, Texas.

The body had 15 stab wounds. Officers believed robbers killed him.

TWO ARRESTED MONDAY NIGHT IN ROBBERY

Chief of Police Jim Ingram of Ranger and Deputy Sheriff John Barnes arrested Chester McKeehan and R. L. Morning Monday night in connection with the theft of groceries from the Waples Platter grocery company last Friday night and the robbery of the Deffebach garage and the Magnolia filling station ond Friday and Saturday nights.

The two youths were place in the city jail and were turned over to county authorithes. Charges of burglary and theft were filed against them pending action of the grand jury.

Former Eastland Woman Buried At Cisco Today

Mrs. J B. Ammerman, 75, of 3537 Travis avenue, Fort Worth, died in a hospital in that city Saturday night. Mrs. Ammerman headed the Central Union of the W. C. T. U. in Fort Worth and was also state parliamentarian of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was installed as a state officer by Francess E. Willard, and until her illness was an active worker.

Born in Missouri, May 23, 1856, she moved with her family to Kentucky when still a young girl. She was married in Kentucky and came to Eastland in 1881, with her husband ,a surveyor and real estate man, whose death occurred three years ago. They lived in Eastland for a time and while here Mr. Ammerman assisted in laying out the townsite. From here they moved to Cisco, where they lived until 1907, going from there to Fort Worth.

Mrs. Ammerman was a sister to the late Mrs. A. H. Johnson.

Burial was held in the Cisco cemetery this afternoon.

ONE DIES IN DALLAS FIRE EARLY TODAY

By United Press.

DALLAS, May 17.—One man was burned to death, several others received injuries, and lives of 14 persons were threatened in an early morning fire here which destroyed a rooming house.

Firemen who fought the blaze for 30 minutes, found the charred body of John B. Middlebrook, 60, in the second floor hallway of the building.

Eastland Will Be Represented At Texas Bar Meet

Eastland will be well represented at the convention of the Texas Bar association at Mineral Wells this week.

Hon. J. E. Hickman, chief justice of the court of civil appeals will be one of the principal speakers on the convention program. Associate Judges Funderburk and Leslie will attend the convention. A number of Eastland attorneys are planning to attend.

Vacation Trip Contest Takes On New Interest

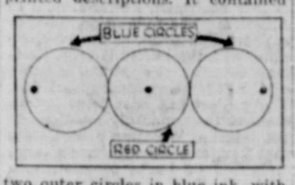
With the announcement today of a 5-to-1 special this week the Ranger Times Monterrey Vacation trip contest takes on new interest. The merchants coo-perating will give 5 votes for each cent paid on accounts during the week.

The merchants held a meeting at the Times office Monday afternoon and discussed the rules of the contest and had an understanding between them that no merchant co-operating would accept votes from another merchant in the contest. It was thought that the contestants would be better satisfied with this arrangement than if the merchants did exchange votes among themselves.

The contestants themselves are holding a meeting at the Times office at 4:30 this afternoon to discuss the rules of the contest and have an understanding concerning the placing of their respective votes in the ballot box.

Symbol Used By Kidnapers

The mysterious symbol with which the kidnapers of the Lindbergh baby signed the ransom note that was left in the empty crib, and which was later used by them in letters relative to collecting the money, is drawn here from printed descriptions. It contained



two outer circles in blue ink, with a circle in red ink in the middle, and a hole in each circle.

In describing the symbol, some have stated that the red circle overlapped the two blue circles, but what purports to be a verbatim copy of the note—giving the family directions for using the symbol in answering — describes it as follows: "Two rings in blue ink with center ring of red. A blue ink line of the blue circles on the outer edge of the red. A hole on the outer edge of each dark circle, and one in the center of the red."

It is said that tracings of the symbol were given to underworld characters who were enlisted to aid Colonel Lindbergh early in the search, but later dropped from the case.

CURTIS SAYS NEGOTIATIONS WERE A MYTH

By United Press.

TRENTON, N. J., May 17. — John Hughes Curtis, Norfolk boat builder, today confessed to police that his activities in the Lindbergh kidnaping negotiations were figments of his imagination, Col. H. Norman Schwartzkopf of the state police announced.

A police bulletin this afternoon said:

"At 4 a. m. this morning, John H. Curtis sat down to a typewriter and himself wrote a complete confession concerning his activities in this case. He stated the boat and all the people to whom he had been referring were creations of his own mind and do not exist in fact."

Veterans' Club Is Organized For Fight For Repeal

By United Press.

HOUSTON. — The Veterans' club, first ex-service men's political organization in the south, was formed for the express purpose of fighting for repeal of the eighteenth amendment, according to its president, R. R. Lewis.

The club was organized last week and already has more than 1,000 members, according to Lewis.

"We expect to enlist about 90 per cent of ex-service men," said Lewis. "There are no dues, it has no connection with any other service organization and it is frankly political.

"We believe the eighteenth amendment has operated with greater evil effect upon the American commonwealth than any other agency in history. It has corrupted public officials, made criminals out of citizens and slowly but surely is undermining the social and economical life of our country.

"We believe by organizing for the purpose of bringing about the repeal of this amendment we may be able to render a greater service to the country."

Hindu Riots Are Still In Progress

By United Press.

BOMBAY, India, May 17. — Riotous fighting between Hindu and Moslems which caused 80 deaths and 950 injuries in four days, spread to the mill area today after armored cars and British troops rushed here had eased the situation in the Hindu quarters.

Causalties in yesterday's warfare in which Hindus and Moslems were ambushed, or burned alive in their homes were 32 killed and 285 wounded.

Local morgues were filled with bodies and hospitals were so hard pressed to care for the injured that many were placed on porches. Guards were stationed at the hospitals to prevent possible raids on the injured.

KAUFMAN—Lions club plans erection of four large welcome signs at entrance of city on each

GOVERNOR OF TEXAS TO HAVE TRYING TERM

By GORDON K. SHEARER, United Press Staff Correspondent.

AUSTIN, May 17.—Texas' governor for the next two years will go down in state history as one of its most famous executives or one of its greatest failures. No medium verdict will be possible on the governor of Texas for 1933-1934.

One view held here is that the next governor faces an almost impossible situation.

The other view is that he has the greatest opportunity that has come to an executive in many years.

Holders of this latter view, and they are many, point out that public apathy no longer exists. A governor has the chance to get the backing of public sentiment for steps that heretofore have met defeat.

The governor of Texas for 1933-34 faces revenue difficulties as his greatest obstacle.

Shrinking property valuations will automatically cut down the state revenue even if the tax rate is driven to its highest possible constitutional limit. Indications now point to the people adopting a constitutional amendment in November freeing homesteads from taxation up to $3,000 valuation. Valuations are made locally. It can easily be foreseen that few homesteads will be paying taxes if the amendment carries. A state income tax, once urged as a substitute for much of the ad valorem tax, apparently will avail little for shrinking incomes have substantiated the claims of its opponents that it is not a sure enough system of state support. An intangible asset tax, also frequently urged, would meet the added opposition now that business should not be burdened in its present trying period.

To offset financial worries, the 1933-34 governor of Texas has an opportunity previous governors have not had to put over many measures. Among them:

A public utility commission. Defeated before, such a measure would now get public support from the people who are again scanning their necessary living expenses. Ice, rejected heretofore as a utility, might be included. Recent developments make it possible that even mills might be so classed.

Curtailment of expenses of government offers the 1933-34 governor a chance to build a great record. With a condition in which officials are voluntarily accepting reductions, the chances to slash state government expense never were more alluring. If state bureaus, commissions, and educational institutions are to be combined, it will be done in 1933-34.

Withdrawal of the attempts to authorize a $300,000,000 state road bond issue removes an obstacle to diverting part of the state highway department revenue to relieve the local road bond burden. Some sort of legislation or constitutional change on that line is likely to be marked up to the achievements of the 1933-34 administration.

Reduction of fees of office and abolition of those not required by constitution offers another chance for popular legislation in 1933-34.

Other interesting fields for government action heretofore impossible, included:

Solution of the traffic problems between motor systems.

Economic as well as physical control of natural resources like oil. Present court decisions give the surface owner no protectable right in the oil under his surface. If a statute or constitutional amendment changed this, there would be an end of the rush to get the oil before it is drained somewhere else. Public sentiment might even support state control of supply based on demand as well as on actual waste. California voted down such a measure, and the Texas legislature heretofore has specifically said price must not be considered in conservation orders. Leadership in the movement for successful conduct of the centennial celebration of Texas independence is essential.

Fear 100 Lost In Steamer Disaster

By United Press.

DEN, Arabia, May 17.—From 80 to 100 persons were feared to have been burned to death on the French passenger ship George Philippar in the Gulf of Aden by survivors of the disaster who arrived here today.

The first of the 675 members of the passenger and crew saved out of some 853 abroad, were brought here today by the rescue steamers Contractor and Mahsud.

The flames were spread rapidly by a high wind, the passengers said and some of those in the first class cabin were unable to get to deck in time to save themselves.

Speakers and Meeting Place of Bar Association

MARTIN W. LITTLETON - former Texan who is one of America's most famous Lawyers

GUY A THOMPSON - President AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

The setting for the annual convention of the Texas Bar Association which will be held May 19, 20 and 21 in Mineral Wells, and the principal speakers for the meeting are shown above. All convention sessions and entertainment features will be held at the Baker Hotel, one of the South's finest resort hostelries, and Guy A. Thompson (upper left), president of the American Bar Association, and Martin W. Littleton, one of the country's most famous lawyers and an ex-citizen of this state, are scheduled as the two principal speakers.

STOCK MARKET TODAY

By United Press.

Closing selected New York stocks:

American Can	37½
Am P & L	7
Am & F Pwr	3⅛
Am Smelt	9⅛
Am T & T	95⅞
Anaconda	4⅝
Auburn Auto	32⅝
Aleska Juneau	10
A T & S F R R	29⅝
barnsdall	4⅛
Beth Steel	12⅞
Byers A M	8½
Canada Dry	8
Case J I	19¼
Chrysler	8
Cons Oil	4⅝
Curtiss Wright	1
Contl Oil	5
Elect Au L	11¼
Foster Wheel	5
Fox Films	2
Gen Elec	13⅞
Gen Mot	10¼
Gillette S R	14
Goodyear	9⅝
Houston Oil	11⅝
Int Harvester	17⅞
Johns Manville	11¼
Kroger G & B	12½
Liq Carb	14
Montg Ward	6½
M K T R R	2⅝
Nat Dairy	20¼
N Y Cent R R	11⅞
Para Publix	2⅝
Penn R R	10
Phillips P	3⅞
Pure Oil	3⅝
Purity Bak	5⅝
Radio	4
R K O	2⅝
Sears Roebuck	17⅝
Shell Union Oil	3
Socony ac V	8⅝
Southern Pac	9⅞
Stan Oil N J	23½
Studebaker	4
Texas Corp	11
Texas Gulf Sul	16⅝
Tidewater Asso Oil	2⅝
Und Elliott	10½
United Corp	5⅝
U S Gypsum	15½
U S Ind Alc	16½
U S Steel	28⅝
Vanadium	7⅞
Warner Pic	1⅛
Westing Elec	23⅞

Curb Stocks.

Elec Bond & Sh	11⅛
Ford M Ltd	3½
Gulf Oil Pa	30
Humble Oil	39½
Niag Hud Pwr	4¼
Stan Oil Ind	19

The following market quotations furnished through the courtesy of D. E. Pulley, phone 629, Ranger, Texas:

New York Cotton.

Range of the market, New York cotton:

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
July	578	566	560	580
Oct.	602	585	586	604
Dec.	617	599	600	619
Jan.	623	607	608	627

Chicago Grain.

Range of the market, Chicago grain:

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Wheat—				
July	58⅝	56⅝	57½	57
Sept.	60¼	58½	59½	58⅝
Dec.	63⅛	61⅝	62½	61⅞
Corn—				
July	33¼	32½	32⅝	32⅝
Sept.	35⅝	34⅝	35⅝	35
Dec.	35¼	34⅝	34½	34⅞
Oats—				
July	23⅛	22⅝	23	22⅞
Sept.	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝
Dec.	24¼	23⅞	24⅛	24
Rye—				
July	40⅞	39⅞	39⅞	40⅝
Sept.	42½	41⅝	41½	41¾
Dec.	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝	44

Kansas Delegates Are For Roosevelt

By United Press.

LAWRENCE, Kan., May 17.—The Kansas delegation to the Democratic national convention stood pledged today to support Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York for the presidential nomination.

ARRESTS ARE EXPECTED IN THEFT OF OIL

By United Press.

LONGVIEW, Tex., May 17. — Arrest of "10 or 12 men" charged by Gregg county grand jury with oil thefts in the East Texas field was expected to begin today and District Attorney John Taylor said the number would be apprehended within two days.

Shortly before the sheriff's office said it had not been issued the warrants for the arrests of those indicted. Gregg county officers said the warrants of arrest would be issued simultaneously and that the clerks had been busy preparing them this morning.

The men were named by the jury which reported 158 true bills of indictment yesterday.

TESTIMONY STARTED IN ROBERTS TRIAL

By United Press.

BRECKENRIDGE, May 17.—Testimony began here today in the trial of Harry Roberts, 27-year-old Throckmorton rancher, on charges of murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Deputy Constable Ollie Parks, at a dance here March 16.

Roberts pleaded not guilty and District Attorney Ben J. Dean announced that the death penalty will be sought.

Roberts is charged by grand jury indictment with having slain Deputy Constable Ollie Parks at a local dance hall the night of March 16.

The defense counsel, headed by Jeff Fowler of Throckmorton, summoned three witnesses in an effort to prove that Roberts could not get a "fair and impartial trial" in Stephens county.

D. E. Marsden, 59, oil field worker, Breckenridge, who has lived here eight years, testified that in his opinion it would be impossible to get a jury to try the case. He declared he had talked with a number of persons who were prejudiced against Roberts.

M. C. Hall, 66, contractor, a resident of the county for 54 years, testified that "in my opinion he can't get a fair trial." He testified that he was not swearing "he cannot get a fair trial."

More Prejudice.

D. E. Davis, Breckenridge house mover, a resident here for 12 years, testified that he did not believe Roberts would be given a fair and impartial trial.

On cross-examination he said there was more prejudice in this case than there were in other criminal cases called.

"Your daughter was at the dance, wasn't she, Mr. Davis?" he was asked by Ben J. Dean, district attorney.

"Yes," he replied.

"And she danced with both Hilton Bybee and Roberts that night, didn't she?" he asked.

"I think so," was the reply.

"And you are prejudiced for Roberts?" he questioned.

"No, I'm not," Davis replied.

Ten witnesses were used by the state in an effort to prove that Roberts could get a fair trial here.

All of the witnesses testified that in their opinion no prejudice existed here, and that Roberts could obtain a fair trial.

SAYS SENATE NOT READY TO ADJOURN NOW

House Will Be Ready By June 4, He Says Today.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, May 17. — A summer session of congress is almost certain, Speaker Garner said today.

The Speaker said he had conferred with Senators Watson and Moses and Representative Snell, Republican, New York, and the three were of the opinion a summer would be necessary.

"The House will be ready to quit by June 4, in my opinion," Garner said, "However, it is extremely doubtful if the Senate will be."

The Speaker indicated the Republican senators were anxious for the convention recess to start about June 4 because of preliminary work to the party meeting.

TAX PROGRAM IS DESIGNED BY THE SENATE

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, May 17. — An intensive program designed to dispose of the billion dollar tax bill within a fortnight was announced today as the Senate defeated a second attempt to increase income and surtax rates.

The Connally amendment increasing normal rates to 4 and 8 per cent and fixing the maximum surtax at 55 per cent on incomes of more than $1,000,000 was rejected, 46 to 31.

Chairman Smoot of the Senate Finance committee announced a program of six night sessions a week.

Pioneer Citizen Of Ranger Dies

Funeral services for S. L. Gibbs, 63, who died suddenly Monday afternoon at the West Texas Clinic and Hospital, will be held Wednesday afternoon at 230 o'clock at the Merriman church, Rev. Baldeer of Abilene officiating. Interment will be in the Merriman cemetery immediately following the services at the church.

Mr. Gibbs had been in ill health for several months. Monday he was taken to a barber shop in Ranger, where he became ill. He was taken to the hospital and died within a few minutes after his arrival.

The deceased is well known in this part of the country, having lived in the county for a number of years. He is survived by three daughters, nine sons, four sisters and three brothers. His wife died about four years ago and is buried in the Merriman cemetery.

Surviving daughters are Mrs. Ruth Jordon, Mrs. Gladys Higdon, and Mrs. Laurr Casey, all of Ranger. Sons surviving are George, Marion, Nathan, Henry and Lee Gibbs of Ranger, Elmer of Dublin, Charlie of Wichita Falls, John of Chandler, Arizona and Thomas of Florala, Alabama.

The sons in Alabama and Arizona are not expected to be present for the funeral services, members of the family said today.

OPENS HEADQUARTERS

By United Press.

DALLAS, May 17.—North Texas headquarters for the gubernatorial campaign of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson were opened today at the Adolphus hotel with Joe K. Morriss in charge.

Morriss managed the 1930 Ferguson campaign in North Texas.

Woman Seeks Two Girls Who Came To Ranger

The following letter received by the Times, is self explanitory:

"Kilgore, Tex.,
"May 16, 1932

"Ranger Daily Times:

"On May 7th there were two girls got on the train about 9 o'clock p. m. in Fort Worth, going to Ranger. Will these girls please get in touch with me at once as it is very important.

"Thanking you in advance,
"MRS. BILL BRITTAIN,
Kilgore, Texas.
Care W. H. Whitsher, Rt. 3."

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GREAT OAKS FROM LITTLE ACORNS GROW

Travis county democrats made history in the convention which sent delegates to the Houston gathering. They placed the delegates under the unit rule and they gave iron-clad instructions for their representatives to call for the abrogation of a two-thirds and the substitution of the majority rule in the nomination of candidates for president and vice president of the United States. They gave positive instructions for John Nance Garner but they told it to the American world that they looked upon the two-thirds rule as a monstrous handicap and the curse of American democracy.

Arizona is one of the newest states. Arizona has a democratic governor, two democratic senators and a congressional representative. Arizona democrats sent a delegation to the democratic national convention instructed to initiate a move for abolishment of the two-thirds rule for nomination of a presidential candidate and to support the candidacy of Gov. Franklin D. Roosvelt of New York.

Regardless of who shall win the presidential nomination the two-thirds rule should be abrogated in order that pease and harmony and victory shall come to the democratic party in the campaigns in the years to come. Travis county democrats are to be congratulated. They did not falter. They flazed the way for democrats everywhere under Southwestern skies. Thirty-six years ago the democrats of Texas abrogated the two-thirds rule and they gave to the state Charles A. Culberson who became the greatest of governors and later one of the ablest and wisest leaders as an American senator that the republic has ever known.

AN UPHEAVAL IN THE BUCKEYE STATE

Ohio is the birthplace of the national Anti-Seloon league. Ohio has been controlled by the drys for many years. Indeed, the republicans and the Anti-Saloon leaguers walked hand in hand in many winning campaigns. Then Robert J. Buckley materialized in 1930 and ran as a democrat calling for the repeal of the 18th amendment. He was elected. This was a decided shock to the republicans and created a nation-wide sensation in political circles.

In the election of delegates Tuesday Gov. George D. White, democrat, made a clean sweep and will have the united support of the Buckeyes in the democratic nominating convention. President Hoover won republican delegates to the national convention. Regardless of all this the two greatest surprises furnished by the Buckeye republicans came in the nomination claimed by David S. Ingalls for the republican gubernatorial nomination and Attorney General Bettman as the party nominee for United States Senator. Ingalls, as under secretary in the Hoover cabinet, ran on a single issue. He called for the repeal of the 18th amendment. His supporters claim his nomination. Bettman ran as a repealer. His nomination is said to be assured. There was a dry candidate in the field against Ingalls and a very popular dry in the field against Bettman. Ohio democrats led off in 1930 when they elected a wet senator and George D. White, a dry democrat, governor. Now Governor White, acclaimed the favorite son of the democrats, is for a nation-wide referendum, after having been for years opposed to any change in the pro laws of the nation. And think of the upheaval in the major cities of Texas.

SENATE AND HOUSE TAX MEASURES

A billion dollars must be raised to meet an extraordinary deficit before the close of the fiscal year and a saving must be made in appropriations of $250,000,000 in order that the federal budget may be balanced. Income tax payers are interested. A compromise measure reported to the senate boosts the income tax rate to three pr cent on the first $4000 taxable income; six per cent on the next $4000; and 9 per cent on all above $8000. The house surtax schedule was retained except that brackets were added to the higher income to boost a maximum of 45 per cent on income to boost a maximum of 45 per cent on incomes over $1,000,000. Reductions in personal exemptions voted by the house from $3500 to $2500 for married persons and from $1500 to $1000 for single were retained. There are to be nuasance taxes galore. All this would have been avoided if the house had accepted the sales tax proposal which would have added $650,000,000 to the billion dollar figures required to meet the deficit to balance the budget "and to preserve the credit of the nation." Really, the republicans were lucky when the democrats captured control of the house of representatives. If the G. O. P. had won control then the responsibility would have been an administration responsibility and handicap in the campaign.

SUMNERS FOR THE DEBENTURE PLAN

Rep. Hatton W. Sumners of Texas has revised the old scheme of export debentures for farm products as a remedy for agricultural conditions created, he contends, by an arbitrarily sliding tariff. The sliding export debenture plan was killed by an American congress in the days of the lame ducks after the president had promised a veto. Now many republican senators and representatives from the West are clamoring for the plan which had the endorsement of the national grange. By the way, the president of the national grange, a republican dry, was defeated for the United States senate in the Ohio primary by a republican wet and this too by a very large majority.

WHERE SMITH TOOK IT ON THE NOSE

Peter Witt of Cleveland is a very noted Ohio democrat and in days agone was a lieutenant of Newton D. Baker and the lamented Tom L. Johnson. Witt is a Smith enthusiast. He had been a power in Cleveland politics. He went out to capture six delegates in the three congressional districts in that city pledged to the candidacy of the New York stopper. His slate was smashed to fragments. Governor White won the delegates, with the understanding that if Governor White failed on the fourth ballot and the deadlock continued, Newton D. Baker of Cleveland will be trotted out to break it. This is the open season for smashing deadlocks and stoppers as well as the plans of the bi-partisan board of control with headquarters on Manhattan Island.

That Little "Forgotten Man"!

BASEBALL

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team—	W.	L.	Pct.
Beaumont	19	12	.613
Fort Worth	19	13	.594
Dallas	18	13	.581
Houston	18	13	.581
Wichita Falls	17	13	.548
San Antonio	15	14	.469
Galveston	12	19	.387
Tyler	9	23	.281

Yesterday's Results.
Fort Worth 4, Galveston 1.
Beaumont 6, Tyler 5.
Dallas 2, San Antonio 0 (10 innings).
Houston 3, Wichita Falls 2.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team—	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	17	6	.736
Washington	19	7	.731
Cleveland	18	12	.600
Detroit	15	10	.600
Philadelphia	11	14	.440
St. Louis	13	17	.433
Chicago	8	18	.308
Boston	4	21	.160

Yesterday's Results.
New York 8, Cleveland 0.
Chicago 4, Boston 3 (10 innings).
Detroit 6, Philadelphia 4.
St. Louis 2, Washington 0.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team—	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	19	9	.679
Boston	16	9	.640
Cincinnati	17	15	.531
St. Louis	14	15	.483
Philadelphia	13	15	.464
Brooklyn	11	15	.423
Brooklyn	11	15	.423
New York	9	13	.409
Pittsburgh	8	16	.333

Yesterday's Results.
Brooklyn 11, Pittsburgh 1.
Cincinnati 6, New York 2.
Chicago 11, Philadelphia 10.
Boston at St. Louis, rain.

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

Costello Band To Play For Dance At Golf Tourney

Ray Costillo and his famous Rythm Rustlers, have been booked to play at the dance to be given at the Ranger Country club in connection with the second annual invitation tournament.

Qualifying rounds for local golfers will start on Saturday morning, May 21, and will continue until Thursday, May 26. Match play will start Saturday and the finals will be played on Sunday.

A bridge tournament for the ladies, a chicken barbecue and a Calcutta pool will be features of the tournament.

Prizes totaling $250 have been purchased and will be distributed on Sunday following the closing of the tournament.

Invitations are being mailed today to golfers in this section of the country and it is expected that approximately 300 will take part in the tournament. There will be golf for everyone, regardless of the score they make. Registration fees will be nominal and will include the barbecue, the dance and the bridge tournament for the ladies.

BENAVIDES—Smith No. 1 Duval County Ranch Lands, brought in recently.

BEHIND THE SCENES IN

WASHINGTON

WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—The sudden, almost last-minute attention accorded federal unemployment relief by Democrats and administration forces is to be explained in about the same way as nearly everything else that anyone does in Washington.

Broadly speaking, nothing much has been accomplished around here in the last year or so unless the accomplices were scared into it. Fear has brought about the moratorium, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, the general rush of politicians into the wet camp and most of the spectacular things that have happened on the floors of Congress.

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Gestures Expected

WHEN politicians find voters everywhere looking at them with an unusually cold and fishy eye and then find unemployment increasing at a time when it ordinarily diminishes, relief funds running out, the unemployed getting demonstrably madder and even an official spokesman of the conservative American Federation of Labor warning of revolt if there is no federal aid, it is natural that they should at least make a few gestures.

Without trying to estimate the significance of the announced impatience of the A. F. of L., one may say that it rudely shocked some gents here who assumed that organized labor's patience was inexhaustible.

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Voters Revolt Feared

ED McGRADY, who has been legislative agent for the federation on Capitol Hill for years and usually acts as its spokesman at congressional hearings, actually told the LaFollette-Costigan subcommittee that if Congress adjourned still ignoring the unemployed he, personally, would "do nothing to close the doors of revolt if it starts."

There is no great fear here of a violent revolution but there is much fear of a voters' revolt.

McGrady is a middle-aged, intelligent fellow, ordinarily conservative in utterance, who has the respect of most members of Congress as well as those interested in labor. He is an ex-soldier. He recently returned from a tour of the country, reporting growing resentment among hungry men and women.

Leaders Lose Patience

"THE leaders of the great union movement in this country have lost their patience after coming down here repeatedly to appeal to committees to do something to stop millions of our people from starving, only to be met with utter indifference on the part of the administration and other members of Congress," he said.

April is a month when a pick-up in business is always anticipated, he pointed out, but the seasonal upturn failed to develop this year. Naming off the large cities, he showed that complete unemployment in the building trades now ranged from 52 per cent here to 75 per cent in New York, 73 in Philadelphia, 60 in New York, 89 in Birmingham and so on. April unemployment increased over that of March by 12, 16 and 28 per cent in some cities. No one, McGrady said, saw indication of an immediate future upswing; the federation expected next winter would be "much worse."

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Want Bread Through Work

LOCAL unions meet in 29,000 centers once each fortnight or month, McGrady said, "and it is safe to say that 70 per cent of the time of those meetings is taken up denouncing those who could and will not give relief.

"We want bread and butter through work, but if we are not going to get it through work the American people are going to get it anyhow, and they have pretty nearly reached the end of their patience.

"I have drawn the curtain to show what the conservative working men in this country are thinking of behind closed doors, in their meeting halls, and in every one of those meeting halls there is a very good representation of soldiers in the late war, and they feel more bitterly about it than the rest of the members. In 17 states, in recent weeks, I have addressed tens and tens of thousands of hungry men and women who want to know why this condition is allowed to go on.

"As far as I am concerned personally I am not going to come any more before this Congress to beg for relief. We, too, have lost our patience and we might as well let the other fellow handle it and be responsible for what is going to happen, because something is going to happen."

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

THAT manufacturers who are persistent advertisers are the ones who enjoy the greatest business. They don't overlook the fact that a business cannot succeed without the aid of advertising.

Modern manufacturers realize that they must tell about their products through the printed page, not once in a while but all the while, or nobody will know them.

It takes persistent advertising to make people know a product and not forget it.

Quality, well advertised, is the world's best seller. People know well advertised lines and want to know them better.

Truthful advertising is the power that keeps the wheels of business moving. When advertising stops, the wheels stand still and business is dead.

People demand well advertised products. A concern that can't meet the demand of the public is at the end of its business life. Only the manufacturers who are persistent advertisers will survive for years to come. will break a business.

The present world trade depression is largely, though not wholly, psychological, and the problem is how best the world can be restored to a normal condition. Many of our politicians seem to think that it can economize itself into prosperity, while most of the rank and file think that we should pay some little attention to making better business for all.

HERE--- AND THERE

By ELVIE H. JACKSON

For many years, Eastland has talked of a county library, and several starts have been attempted by various federated clubs of the city, to install the nucleus of an Eastland county circulating library in our county courthouse. But these efforts never reached any climax other than a genuine attempt, but no realization. Such a movement is now on foot and with fair promise of success, through the efforts of the Eastland County Federation of Women's Clubs, spurred to take this action of establishing an Eastland county library for the benefit of rural schools, through the personal efforts of its president, Mrs. J. M. Perkins, in her office of Eastland county chairman, Better Homes in America. The federation voted to support this project, in co-operation with the Better Homes, Eastland county work, at the opening of the federation season, last fall. The project has been kept before them at their monthly meetings in the interim. Welcome news comes that Ranger clubs will have a large collection of books to contribute to the Eastland county library and that these will be taken to the all-day county federation meeting Saturday of this week, when the North Star club will sponsor the assembling of federations from Coleman, Callahan, Brown and Eastland counties, at the club's headquarters a few miles north of Rising Star. Mrs. W. A. Martin of this city is providing several large boxes in readiness for these book collection gifts. Children's classics are especially desired. The Better Homes work is being pushed with vigor, throughout the county by Mrs. Perkins, and over eight counties of the eighteenth district by the chairman in charge, Mrs. W. K. Jackson. Eastland city's Better Homes week, resulted in the addition of 90 books to the library for colored citizens, a library established by the committee in last year's campaign. The funds from free will offering for library, given jubilee singers concert night, will be invested by Mrs. Glenn Stire, and E. C. Satterwhite, chairman of fund, in a much needed Webster's unabridged dictionary for the use of the colored school children.

The 1920 club of Ranger will entertain with a breakfast at 9:30 o'clock Thursday, and will have as program "Original Essay Day." The president of the club, Mrs. A. H. Allison, has extended an invitation to Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin and Mrs. J. M. Perkins to attend, the latter having been assigned a place on the program.

One of the funniest screen plays seen here in many moons, was "Girl Crazy," at the Lyric, Sunday and last night. A full house yelled with delight over the clever bon mots, and unusual satire in the story.

Eastland misses Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Fagg, who have definitely located in Abilene. However, their week-end visits to heir son, Charles, and his wife, allow friends to keep in personal touch with them.

Can't something be done for the Whiteway park? This big square of desolate rank grass and weeds in the heart of the city is the first landscape that eyes of strangers and visitors take in as they arrive in Eastland at the depot, directly opposite this gaunt memorial of much money spent in the past by the Civic League of Eastland on its upkeep. Fully four wagon loads of rock were dug out of the premises before a dozen wagon loads of dirt was hauled to fill holes and eventually several more wagon-loads of dirt to surface the ground and prepare for grass seed sowing. But money ran out. And so!

Prof. A. J. Campbell visited his father, T. J. Campbell of Dallas, who is at the Baptist sanitarium, recovering from a major ear operation.

The Little Sewing Circle h called off its anticipated social Wednesday night, on account commencement week, and so now doing among the young fo

Mrs. W. G. Buhl of Abilene been very ill, and her daugh Mrs. J. C. Stephen spent the la part of last week with her.

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These days women are tak up all sorts of occupations, make a little money and help fa ily finances. Our doorbell whir its warning 10 times in one day yesterday. A clean, starchy you woman in green sunbonnet, se ing pecan candy; a girl, sell pencils and perfumes; a wom elderly, soliciting hosiery and c ton dress orders; a magazine re der; a woman applying for fa ily darning; a girl, who would fine hand laundry. And so on went. This silent tale of cour and love. We finally left t door ajar, and simply yelled in ply to ring, "We're not at hom

C. C. DIRECTORS HEAR REPORTS AT MEETING

At the meeting of the directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, held at the office of the secretary Monday night, E. H. Mills, president of the Ranger gin company presented a report on the operation of the gin for the past year. A meeting of the directors and stockholders of the gin company is to be held in the near future at which time plans for the coming ginning season are to be made. The report is to be made to the directors of the organization in order that they may aid in formulating plans for the year.

Tom Carpenter, chairman of the agricultural committee, made a report on Second Mondays. He said that they were bringing a number of people, who really lived in other trade territories, to Ranger and that though they were not bringing much money to the town they were forming the habit of doing their trading here.

John Hassen urged that all the merchants make a hibit of visiting the Second Monday as the farmers appreciated any attention paid them by the merchants and these visits would create a feeling of friendship that would mean much to the city.

A motion was carried to have the chamber of commerce appropriate $10 a month to the Second Monday fund for the purpose of providing cash prizes in the horse races and for the bronc busting contests.

Ben Whitehouse made a report on the Oil Belt Sheep and Goat Raisers association and announced that a sale of the wool and mohair would be made in the near future. Dates have not been set for the sale as yet in order that some information on the market and the price of wool might be obtained.

He also reported that the Colony community night school, which has been conducted for the past 13 weeks, would end next Thxursday night. Home made ice cream and cake is to be served at the final meeting, he said, and he urged as many Ranger business men as possible attend.

Roy Gilbreath, vice president, presided in the absence of W. D. Conway, who is in California, where he went to attend the Broadway of America association convention.

Directors and visitors present were Roy Gilbreath, J. E. Meroney, C. E. May, Ben Whitehouse, W. C. Hickey, Morris Leveille, E. H. Mills, H. C. Anderson, H. P. Earnest, Dr. P. M. Kuykendall, Tom Carpenter, A. J. Ratliff, John Hassen, Charlie Moore and R. V. Galloway.

The TINYMITES

STORY by HAL COCHRAN PICTURES by JOE KING

(READ THE STORY THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

AS Windy landed on the ground the happy Tinies gathered round and Coppy cried, "Hurray for you. You've turned a real neat trick.

"You picked wee Duncy off just right, when he was hanging from his kite. And then you brought him safely down. The whole brave stunt was slick."

"Oh, thank you," answered Windy "I am quite at home up in the sky 'Twas fun to take this plane around because it rides so nice.

"I had to pedal all the time so I could make the strange thing climb. I might have had a bad tailspin. That almost happened twice.

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"BUT I remembered what to do. And, say, would anyone of you be pleased to take a ride with me? If so, just hop right in.

"I won't stay up so very long, because the wind is rather strong." Then Coppy shouted, "I will go," and hopped in, with a grin.

When he had had his ride around, the plane came right back to g ground. Then Scouty took his t and was as thrilled as he could b

At one time, when the plane w high, he shouted, "Goodness ma, my! When 'way up near the clo like this, how far a lad can see"

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WHEN they got back to ea they saw a sight that fil them both with awe. "Well, lo at Coppy," Scouty cried. "What he running for?"

"A carpet beater's chasing hi 'Tis well that he's in running trim said Windy Then they looked ag and both began to roar.

The play man, too, thought it w fun to see the little fellow run. just a bit he shouted, "Catch th beater, Coppy boy

"Then you can beat my rugs b me. 'Twill make me happy as c be. And, too, you'll spank th beater. That should fill your he with joy."

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(The Tinies do some real wo in the next story.)

— THIS CURIOUS WORLD —

IN JAPAN, distances were once measured by the number of str shoes a horse wore out in going from one place to another. Eve driver carries along a plentiful supply of "spares" for his horse, an all along country roads the traveler sees discarded worn-out hors shoes. The shoes are made of rice straw which is braided into boot that covers the entire hoof, with strings that tie around th horse's fetlocks.

SILKWORMS outgrow their skins four times during their ra growing period. At the end of this time they quit eating and sp themselves into a silk cocoon. It is this cocoon that makes th silkworm valuable to the commercial world.

NEXT: Where do most of the world's icebergs originate?

INCREASES N DIVORCES FILED SHOWN

By United Press.

O, Nev.—Nevada's act in ing residential require- for divorce seekers result- a tremendous increase in it was disclosed today by w of records for the first e "six week's divorce" law fective.

so-called "easy divorce" nt on the statute books 1931, and in the 12 months approximately 5,200 suits en filed.

parison with a similar for the preceding year is ble because court house are not kept on a May to sis and are not segregated ths. An idea of the increase e gained, however, by a rison with 1930, the last ar period during which the tial requirement was three

2,118 Divorces

1930, with three months as nimum time of residence, e county, of which Reno is incipal population center, d 2,118 divorces—less than e number filed under the ks" residential requirement year starting May 1, 1931. rage, always a profitable deline, held its own from 1931, to May, 1932, but d far behind in percentage rease as compared to di-

1930 Washoe County issued marriage licenses, more uble the number of di- granted in a similar period. 12 months since the "six law became effective, 5,- arriage licenses were issued, less than the number of suits filed.

Good Revenue

ounty fees alone, the rev- rom divorces was in excess 5,000.

marriage license fee of $2 all change in comparison t it netted the county $10,- ring the 12-month period.

mates as to the expenditure divorce seekers and honey- s is difficult because one pend $100 per day and an- work for board and room. ally, the expenditures of e seekers are estimated at ,000 per year, and some ob- believe that is conserva-

GEST WORLD WAR VET

PASO—Albert E. Lawrence, atient at William Beaumont al, claims the distinction of Uncle Sam's youngest World eteran. Lawrence joined the when he was 14 at McAles- kla. He gave his age as 18. born Sept. 10, 1903.

Baby on 3400-Mile Box Car Trip

When his job fizzled out in San Francisco and he couldn't find another, Charles Hyatt decided he'd go back to the paternal roof at Uniontown, Pa., with his girl wife, Reva, and their baby, Charles, Jr., 8 months old. Broke, they started across country in box cars when they could get 'em. Here they are at Cincinnati on the last lap of their 3400-mile journey after 37 days on the road in freight cars and hiking.

Route of First White Settler In Texas Is Traced

By United Press.

AUSTIN.—The route of Capt. Cabeza de Vaca, first white settler of Texas, has been traced across the state by Geologist Robert T. Hill of Dallas, Texas, solely by applying geographical conditions to the Spanish adventurer's account of his early travels.

Dr. Hill not only has been able to mark out the route by references to the country contained in the Spanish explorer's report of his journey, but has followed it on the ground, verifying landmarks.

Part of Dr. Hill's conclusion is that Captain de Vaca, after leaving the Texas gulf coast, where he lived among the Indians for six years, traveled as far west as Bisbee, Ariz.

LAREDO—Plaza hotel formally opened

End of G. A. R. Is Forecast Within Next Five Years

By United Press.

PHILADELPHIA.—Within another five years the Grand Army of the Republic will have ceased to exist as an organization.

This was the opinion expressed by Samuel P. Town, national commander in chief, as he sat in the Pennsylvania state headquarters in the city hall preparing notices for the annual encampment at Springfield, Ill., next September.

"The oldest member of the G. A. R. whom I know is William H. R. Neel, of Philadelphia," he said, "He is 96 and was in business until last January."

In the prime of the G. A. R. Town declared, the membership numbered 500,000 but now the total membership is less than 15,000.

SPEAKING of SPORTS

National League Leads With Rookie Players.

During the first month of the major league baseball season less than two dozen of the 169 recruits tried out by the 16 teams showed indications of becoming regulars.

Several of the outstanding youngsters began to weaken under the pace as early as the first few games of the season, and soon had to be benched. Among this group were Jack Saltzgaver, Yankees' second baseman; Len Koenecke, Giants' left fielder; Harold Anderson, White Sox center fielder, and Al Cohen, Brooklyn left fielder.

Three of the brightest prospects after receiving tests under fire were pitchers — Monte Weaver, Washington, Hal Schumacher, Giants, and Bob Brown, Braves. Weaver beat the Athletics twice. Schumacher pitched a two-hit game in his first start. Brown won his first game impressively.

The National league probably picked up the best crop of rookies, having about a dozen players who seemed likely to hold regular jobs throughout the season.

The following rookies made the best showings during the first month of the season:

National League.

Boston—Pitcher Bob Brown, Shortstop Urbanski, and Third Baseman Fritz Knothe.

Chicago—Second Baseman Billy Herman and Third Baseman Stanley Hack.

Philadelphia—Pitcher Ed Holley and Outfielder George Davis.

Cincinnati—Infielder Joe Morrissey.

Brooklyn—Pitcher Van Mungo.

Pittsburgh — Second Baseman Tony Piet.

New York—Pitcher Hal Schumacher.

St. Louis—Pitcher Tex Carleton.

American League.

Washington — Pitcher Monte Weaver.

Chicago—Third Baseman Carey Selph.

New York — Third Baseman Frank Crosetti.

Detroit—First Baseman Harry Davis, Third Baseman Bill Rhiel, and Pitcher Whitlow Wyatt.

Cleveland, Philadelphia, Boston and St. Louis—None.

AUTO ACCIDENT PEAK HOURS

By United Press.

HARRISBURG, Pa. — Peak hours for auto accidents in Pennsylvania are between 4 p. m. and 8 p. m. on Saturday and Sunday, according to the State Bureau of Motor Vehicles. During the first three months of 1932, there were 2,898 accidents reported within the two time periods.

Pippin Princess Of West Virginia

Miss Mary Jane Youell of Hinton, W. Va., a junior at New River State College, Montgomery, will be "Princess West Virginia" at the annual Shenandoah Valley apple blossom festival in Winchester, Va., in May. The apple princess was selected by Governor William G. Conley, who knows a peach when he sees one.

Animals Are Only Witnesses Of Murder Of Carnival Couple

CONROE, Texas. — Trial of Durel Kendall, 22-year-old Mississippian, for a crime which was witnessed only by a parrot, several monkeys, a raccoon and a wildcat, will be held here May 24.

J. T. Brownlee, 60, owner of the Brownlee Mobile Minstrels, and Martha Smith, were found beaten to death in a tent at New Caney last Dec. 10. The man had been robbed of nearly $1,000. The killer had used a tent stake which lay nearby, and the animals, all half-starved, peered from a row of cages near the bodies.

Kendall, who had been employed by Brownlee as a moving picture operator, was arrested several days later at his Woodland, Miss., home. He had several hundred dollars in his possession.

For a time authorities hoped to obtain information from the parrot, an aged and talkative bird. Hans Nagel, parrot expert, was summoned from Houston, but he failed to make the bird contribute anything but gibberish.

Unable to furnish bond, Kendall has remained in the Montgomery county jail. He has declined to make a statement concerning the double killing.

The trial will be before District Judge S. A. McCall. County Attorney A. A. Turner will conduct the prosecution.

One Car Out Of Every Five Has Unsafe Casings

"One car out of every five on the road today is running on smooth worn tires, unsafe for present day driving conditions, according to local Firestone dealers.

"Motorists are content to go along with unsafe tire equipment only because they do not realize the danger of injury to their families and themselves that they are risking. We find it very difficult to make car owners understand just how fast they really do travel. Most car owners do not have any conception of what speed means in distance covered. Few know that at 60 miles per hour a car travels 88 feet per second, and any car can come to brief in 88 feet, with oncoming traffic, curbs or ditches. Failure of any tire and particularly a front tire means trouble."

"Firestone dealers are presenting these facts to car owners in a special mailing of Firestone dealer co-operative catalogs to 20 million car owners. This is the largest mailing of its kind in history. The Firestone dealer co-operative catalog shows important construction features and the new low price levels. Any car owner who has not received a copy may secure one at Lemley or Texas Service stations, Rangr.

"Right now we are conducting our own safety campaign. Every motorist that comes into our store receives a free tire examination and we can point out whether or not his tires are safe. Anyone who isn't sure about his tires can take advantage of our service. If we can save future troubles we'll be glad to do so."

Lumber Business Shows Improvement

AUSTIN.—For the third consecutive month, there has been an increase in output at lumber mills whose reports are summarized by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. While the usual seasonal tendency is for a slight increase in production from March to April, average weekly production per unit in April this year amounted to 191,240 feet, a gain of 12 per cent over the previous month.

Average weekly shipments per unit also gained during April. At 209,825 feet, average weekly shipments per unit increased 3.8 per cent over those for the previous month and exceeded average weekly output by approximately 10,000 feet.

Unfilled orders at southern pine mills have been gradually declining since the week ending March 26 when the peak for the year so far, 598,657 feet, was reached. At the end of April, bookings were only 499,800 feet, a decline of 12 per cent from those at the end of March.

Jobless Study In Idle Hours

LONDON.—Learn while you do not earn, is the new slogan for unemployeds here.

An experiment started by Morley College for Working Men and Women provide free classes for the jobless in a large variety of subjects. Experienced teachers have offered their services voluntarily.

Subjects range from gymnastics and Greek dancing to psychology and Soviet Russia. Choir and community singing. Play reading, modern literature, public speaking, the art of the cinema, gardening, wireless science, biology and heredity, first aid and hygiene, the industrial and financial crisis and current events are some of the subjects offered.

In the lecture classes, the courses are being so arranged that each day's lecture will be complete in itself and will be worth while even if the unemployed student can only attend for a short period of time.

What is the PRICE OF BEAUTY?

Without health there can be little natural beauty. The wise woman knows that the condition of her body shows itself on her face, her complexion, and in her eyes.

She takes care to avoid constipation. This treacherous ailment frequently causes headaches, sallow skin, pimples, premature aging.

Try the pleasant "cereal way" to protect yourself from constipation. Science has proved that Kellogg's ALL-BRAN provides "bulk" to exercise the intestines, and Vitamin B to tone the intestinal tract. ALL-BRAN also furnishes iron, which helps build up the blood.

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Two tablespoonfuls daily will correct most types of constipation. ALL-BRAN is not habit-forming. If your intestinal trouble is not relieved this way, see your doctor.

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They're off in the race for the free trip to Monterrey....Pick your favorite entrant

Nine of Ranger's most popular young ladies have started out to win the trip. Pick your favorite and save your votes for her. You get the votes by trading with the merchants listed in this advertisement.

The Entrants Are: Miss Lila Harmon, Miss Josephine Williams, Mrs. J. W. Avant, Miss Mary Lou Thrower, Miss Marjorie Maddocks, Miss Charlotte Ratliff, Miss Agnes Reuwer, Miss Pat Coughlin, Miss Jewelle Judd.

5 to 1 VOTE SPECIAL

Votes at the rate of 5 for 1 cent will be given by the merchants for all money paid on accounts with them this week. One exception is the Gholson Coffee Shop, which has a separate 5 to 1 special in their advertisement

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To Be Awarded Free as an inducement for trade by the progressive firms listed below:

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Five-to-One on Special Meals!
This week we will give five votes for a cent on our Special Club Breakfasts, Special Luncheons and Special Dinners.
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W. M. S. Circles Met Monday.

The three circles of the W. M. S. met in joint meeting Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the church. The meeting was opened with a song after which the president, Mrs. J. E. Hickman, conducted the business period. It was announced that on June 16, a district meeting of the W. M. S. will be held in Eastland, at which time several of the high officials will be present. Mrs. Coleman presented a clever fruit contest reminding the society of the box of supplies that will soon be sent to the Rebecca Sparks home. One verse of "Sweet Hour of Prayer" was sung by the society after which the first lesson in the textbook was presented. The theme being "Prayer." The society is taking up for study the book, "The Open Gate to Prayer," under the direction of Mrs. Iola Mitchell. The society was dismissed with the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. The following members were present: Mmes. Ernest Jones, Graham, Dragoo, Parker, Crowell, Sparks, Bender, Mackall, Foster, Jonathan Jones, Crossley, Dulin, Leslie, Stubblefield, W. W. Kelly, Coleman, Griffin, Mitchell, Haley, Moore, Woody, Harris, Hickman, M. H. Kelly, Shearer, T. M. Johnson.

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College Night Notes.

College night at the Methodist church, Sunday evening, when the senior class was honored in sermon, song and hospitality, was made doubly interesting for this year's high school graduating class by the attention to the details of the decoration in Booster classroom, where hostesses for the evening entertained the seniors and their friends, following the church program.

From a punch bowl of delicious fruited beverage, and that was set in a wreath of purple and gold flowers, 125 in all were served this refreshment, with home-baked cake.

Each service plate had an individual nosegay in the class colors of purple and gold. The piano was covered with flowers, carrying out the color scheme.

Hostesses were Mrs. Charles C. Robey, chairman, and Mmes. P. B. Bittle, June Kimble, L. A. Cook, T. J. Haley, F. O. Hunter, Hawley, F. L. Dragoo, Joe Gibson, G. W. Shearer, and Wilda Dragoo.

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Eastland Golfers Enjoy Outing.

The Eastland Golf club is not saying very much about the golf contest with Mineral Wells team, Sunday, but they do speak enthusiastically of their pleasant luncheon party, held at the Mineral Wells Country clubhouse, when the combined luncheon baskets made a festive treat for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Brelsford, Mr. and Mrs. Scott W. Key, Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Angstadt, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Blatt, Messrs. Aubrey Cheatham, W. G. Doughtie, Blair Lewis, and Douglas Jones.

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Annual Election Book Club Tomorrow.

The Book club will meet for a covered dish luncheon at 1 o'clock tomorrow noon, with Mrs. Milburn McCarty.

The annual election of officers will be held, and the yearly drawing of books.

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West Ward School P.-T. A. Box Supper.

Tonight, the Parent-Teacher association of the West Ward school will have a jolly box supper and program in the school auditorium, at 8:30 o'clock.

Boxes will be auctioned off, to limit of 25 cents and 15 cents for children. Chairmen for evening are Mmes. Crowell, Marlowe and Eubanks.

All patrons and friends of the school are invited.

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Eastland County Medical Society Meets Tonight.

A banquet will be held this evening on the roof garden of Connellee hotel, by the Eastland County Medical society, which, in this monthly session, will present a program as follows:

"Some Cardiac Conditions," Dr. Barton.

"Treatment of Early Syphilis," Dr. Schoch.

Delegate's report, Dr. J. H. Caton.

Dr. F. C. Payne is secretary of the society and Dr. Caton, president.

A large attendance is expected.

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Eastern Star Holds Initiation Tonight.

Mrs. Karl F. Page, worthy matron of the Eastern Star, announces initiation ceremony will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in the Masonic temple, a regular chapter meeting.

A distinctive feature will be the presence of the Ranger chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, invited to this function.

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Bluebonnet Club Hostess.

The Bluebonnet club will be entertained by Mrs. Ed T. Cox Jr., on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of her mother, Mrs. Frank Robason.

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Installations of P.-T. A. Wednesday Afternoon.

A beautiful and impressive ceremony in the installation of the new boards of the Parent-Teacher associations, of Eastland high and junior high; of the West Ward school, and of the South Ward Parent-Teacher association, will be held at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, in the high school auditorium.

The formal ceremonial will be conducted by Superintendent Bittle of the public schools.

A program will be presented by two students of Mrs. F. O. Hunter and two students of Mrs. A. F. Taylor, in piano numbers, and readings by two pupils of Miss Oneita Russell.

All those interested in these associations are cordially invited to attend.

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Mexican Atmosphere For Presbyterian Auxiliary Meeting.

Mrs. J. DeRoy Arnold entertained the Womans Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon in novel fashion. The house decorations of Mexican rugs, bric-abrac, vases of flowers, and baskets of Mexican vines, intermingled with thistles and cacti, all emphasising the program on Mexico, that was presented.

An interesting feature of decorations consisted in their genuine nature, as they were all brought from old Mexico.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. M. C. Hayes, and after the usual proceedure, Mrs. Harry Sone, chairman for the program, presided.

Foreign topics in mission work from the Mexican fields, were discussed by Mmes. W. J. Peters and M. Q. Taylor.

National topics were handled by Mrs. J. H. Pangburn. Mrs. R. L. Young of the Baptist church, gave an especial description of her personal work among the local Mexicans, that was both informative and interesting.

The hostess served unique Mexican lunch of frijoles, chili, toasted wafers, green peppers and second course of bananas and coffee.

Misses Florence Perkins, and Barbara Ann Arnold dressed as typical young senoritas, assisted Mrs. Arnold.

Those present were Mmes. M. C. Hayes, R. L. Perkins, James Horton, Louis Pitzner, J. H. Pangburn, Smith, W. J. Peters, Jack Meredith, M. Q. Taylor, Harry Stone and R. L. Young, as guests.

The auxiliary will meet on June 6, at the residence of Mrs. Meredith.

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Monthly Missionary Program W. M. S. Baptist Church

The Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church held a fruitful program, centering about topic, "Christ in the Orient,' led by Mrs. Marvin Hood, chairman of missions, yesterday afternoon in the church.

Hymn, "O Zion Haste?" was led by Mrs. A. J. Campbell. Mrs. O. B. Darby was at the piano for the program.

Mrs. J. B. Overton discussed the first chapter of Hebrews, the devotional period.

"China of Today," was described by Mrs. L. V. Simmons.

"Come and See," a fine talk by Mrs. Eugene Tucker.

"Japan of Today," interesting description by Mrs. A. J. Campbell.

"Monologue of a Japanese Bride," a reading by Mrs. Paul McFarland.

An interesting note of program was a dramatic discussion, between three characters, represented by Mrs. S. C. Walker, Mrs. Jess Seibert, Mrs. W. A. Owen, in a character act, "Voices From the Orient."

Announcement was made of the circle meetings, next Monday, at 2:45 p. m.; Circle No. 1, Mrs. John Norton, hostess; Mrs. Frank Lovett, chairman; Circle 2, Mrs. John Williams, hostess; Mrs. W. P. Palm, chairman. Circle 3, Mrs. Tom Maynard, hostess; Mrs. W. J. Herrington, chairman. Circle 4, Mrs. Carl Springer, hostess; Mrs. R. L. Young, chairman; Mrs. S. C. Walker, president of society.

Those present: Mmes. Lee Campbell, J. Drake, Marvin Hood, Lewellen, O. B. Darby, Jess Seibert, John Norton, Carl Springer, A. J. Campbell, W. A. Owen, Paul McFarland, L. V. Simmonds, S. C. Walker, Nora Andrews, J. P. Truly, Hannah, Lindsey, J. B. Overton, Eugene Tucker, J. V. Drinkard, John Crouch, Cecil Nelson, and Rev. Darby.

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Terrell Will Start Race Wednesday

TYLER, Tex., May 17. — Railroad Commissioner C. V. Terrell will open his campaign for re-election here tomorrow evening. Carl Estes, local publisher, is chairman of the arrangement committee.

Aged News Vendor Killed By Auto

DALLAS, May 17.—The name of J. F. Morse, aged news vendor, was printed today for the first time by the newspapers which he has sold here for nearly 65 years. He was killed by an automobile a few blocks from the Salvation Army home, where he lived.

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Erskine, Plymouth	4.75-20	6.43	12.48
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Essex, Nash	5.00-20	6.75	13.10
Essex, Nash, Olds'bile	5.00-21	6.98	13.54
Buick M., Chevrolet, Olds'bile	5.25-18	7.53	14.60
Buick	5.25-21	8.15	15.82
Stu'b'k'r, Auburn, Jordan, Reo	5.50-18	8.35	16.20
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La Salle, Packard	6.00-20	10.95	21.24
Pierce A.	6.00-21	11.10	21.54
Buick	6.00-22	11.60	22.50
Pierce A.	6.50-19	12.30	23.86
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6.00-20 H.D.	14.50	28.14
6.50-20 H.D.	16.30	31.62
7.50-20 H.D.	26.45	51.60
9.00-20 H.D.	46.50	90.40
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By United Press.

...LHOUN CITY, Miss.—Like ...racter from fiction, Roy Ed... Smith has emerged from the ... past to return here and in... ...e murdered a man, whose ... never has been recorded.

... despite valiant efforts of ...rs and Smith, no corpus de... could be found and authori... ...efused to hold him.

...ell, I'll stay around these ... for a while in case you find ...dy and want to indict me," ... said and he went back to a ... near Driver, Ark., where he ...een working.

...dded by a guilty conscience, ... surrendered to officers at ...da, Ark., with the story that ...rdered Fred Davis, an itin... worker, near here, in April, ... because Davis threatened to ...p the daughter of a friend.

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...udge 88th District Court:
...D. BARKER.
...RETTE W. PATTERSON
...ANK SPARKS

...Sheriff:
...RGE FOSTER (re-election)
...A. (Kid) HAMMETT

...District Clerk:
...L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY
...H. (Bill) McDONALD

...County Clerk:
...C. BEDFORD

...Tax Collector:
...L. COOPER
(Re-election, second term)

...Representative, Eastland ...unty:
...W. COCKRILL

...County Judge:
...YDE L. GARRETT
(Re-election)

...Justice Peace, Precinct 2:
...W. (Pony) HARRISON
...N. McFATTER

...Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
...V. COOPER, Sr.

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Oil Enriches City's Coffers

By United Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY. — Almost $1,000,000 has gone into Oklahoma City's coffers from city-owned oil wells in the adjoining field.

But the revenue cannot be used to pay the mayor's salary, or to pave streets and defray other municipal expense. It must go to civic parks and playgrounds.

After the vast Oklahoma City field, comprising now more than 800 wells, 225 of which are within the city's limits, was discovered Dec. 4, 1929, the city owned much oil property in Trosper park. It sold leases to oil companies. A year later royalty checks began to come in.

Today the city has an oil income from 12 leases. City Auditor's records reveal total payments of $941,368.33.

Through permits to wells drilled within the city, an additional revenue of $219,940 has accumulated. Each permit costs $1,000. The original cost was $10.

Oil lease payments this year total $138,604.22.

Of the 12 leases, Ash Can lease has been the most lucrative. It has paid the city $46,180. More than $15,000 has come from the Pet House lease. Both are in the city dump area.

LESSON-SERMON GIVEN.

"Mortals and Immortals" was the lesson-sermon subject in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, May 15.

Romans 8:16 furnished the golden text: "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God."

The lesson-sermon embraced the following verses from the Bible (Romans 8:8, 9): "So then they that are in the flesh cannot please God. But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you."

Included in the service were the following citations from pages 250 and 265 of the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:

"Mortal body and mind are one, and that one is called man; but a mortal is not man, for man is immortal. . . . The senses represent birth as untimely and death as irresistible, as if man were a weed growing apace or a flower withered by the sun and nipped by untimely frosts; but this is true only of a mortal, not of a man in God's image and likeness."

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser

the MAN HUNTERS

BY MABEL McELLIOTT

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

SUSAN CAREY, 20 and beautiful, has become engaged to ERNEST HEATH, her former employer. She is secretly in love with BOB DUNBAR, millionaire's son whom she met at business school. Heath sends Susan's aunt south to recuperate from an illness and the girl is grateful to him. BEN LAMPMAN, Susan's rejected suitor, shoots himself after wounding Heath. He recovers and goes away. Bob tries unsuccessfully to see Susan but she does not know this. He sees her at the theater one night with Heath and becomes angry. DENISE ACKROYD, debutante, wants Bob for herself. Susan meets Bob at a masked ball and he makes love to her. Denise interrupts.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XLII

THE two men faced each other across the shining expanse of mahogany. Heath was seated, his fingers playing nervously with the ivory handled paper knife. Waring strolled up and down, hands in pockets.

"But tell me what happened!" Heath demanded impatiently. "If what you believe is true they should have come to some understanding that night. I've heard nothing. Everything has gone as before."

Waring shrugged. "I've told you all I know," he explained. "Maybe I've been all kinds of a fool to mix into this at all. But you asked me and I only told you what I knew."

"I'm grateful to you," said the older man stiffly. "I know I can trust you. That's why it seemed a good idea to have you take her to that party. But if they met and if nothing happened why then—!" He raised his brows inquiringly.

"I see the point. You want to go ahead. Well, I don't know but what you're right," Waring said slowly. "They danced with each other. That I'm sure of. And they had a brief tete-a-tete. I must admit I felt like a blooming spy."

"Sorry, old man, but it couldn't be helped. It was in a good cause," his employer reminded him. "That's that. She's had a chance to talk with him and see him again and decide that their little flurry is over. That was what I wanted to be sure of. Well, now I'm satisfied."

"Good." But Waring's tone was dubious and Heath glanced at him irritably.

"Out with it, man. If you've something to say, say it and be done with it."

Waring stared reflectively out across the roof tops.

"It's nothing except that she seemed a bit excited as we drove home," he said lamely.

Heath laughed aloud, relieved. "Is that all? Well, I can see nothing in that. Any girl might be excited coming home from a big party. No, no, you're getting to be an old woman." He clapped the other affectionately on the shoulder. "I appreciate your solicitude, old chap, but honestly, I think it was pretty much wasted. Your imagination was working overtime."

"I hope you're right," Waring muttered.

"I know I am," said Heath heartily. And on that note the conversation ended.

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"WHY do we wait any longer?" Heath asked Susan that night over a table high in a city restaurant. The city lay far flung beneath them, a spangle of lights to north and south.

His complacence was momentarily disturbed by the look she flashed at him. There was something unsettling about that look. "She behaves as though she were afraid of me," the man thought in surprise. He was very gentle.

"Your aunt's coming back on Saturday, isn't she?" he went on. "Well then, why couldn't we have a very quiet ceremony the following Monday and sail from New York next morning?"

With an effort Susan managed to keep her hand from trembling. Steadily she said, "All right. I'll arrange it that way."

The man liked her quiet response. Triumphantly he thought of Waring's hints and fears. Waring had been wrong. The girl was perfectly willing to marry him quickly and go away. That did not look as though she were nursing a broken heart.

That night as Susan brushed her hair before Rose's dressing table she told herself it would be better this way. She would go away, see new sights and new faces, and be cured of the fever which had possessed her so long. Aunt Jessie would be pleased. Everyone would be. There was no use postponing it any longer.

Lifelessly she told Rose, "I'm going to be married Monday."

"My dear!" Awe-struck, the other girl laid down the orange stick she had been using and gazed at Susan. "Try to sound a little more cheerful about it. It's not a funeral, you know!"

Susan summoned a smile. "I know. I didn't mean to seem gloomy. I'm tired, I guess."

"You poor kid, you." Rose hugged her. "Let me send out that beige suit with the fox collar I was telling you about. It's just your size and the style will be perfect for you. That will save your shopping and I can have it charged. You certainly can't," finished Rose robustly, "be married in any of your old things."

Susan agreed without enthusiasm. It was kind of Rose to go to so much bother for her. Of course she should look well for the ceremony. It would be nicer if she could feel excited and happy about it as brides were supposed to feel but since she couldn't she must at least try to look the part.

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THE suit was delivered the following afternoon and with it came pumps of snakeskin and stockings of sheerest silk. Rose had even chosen a tiny turban to complete the ensemble. It was fashioned of myriad small velvet flowers in pale fawn shades.

"Try them on, lovey," Mrs. Milton commanded. Susan obeyed. Listless as she was she could not help a feeling of satisfaction at the effect produced by the new outfit. She looked to herself, slim, straight and remotely elegant as the mannequins sketched on the pages of Vogue.

"You surely are a picture," Mrs. Milton told her, wiping away a sentimental tear. "When I was a girl we thought we weren't married right unless we wore white satin and a long veil, but I declare, no one could mistake you for anything but a bride this minute. Listen, dear, there's the doorbell," she went on rapidly. "My hair's a sight so you go. There's a good child."

Susan flung open the door, prepared to speed some luckless vender of books on his way. Could she be dreaming? There before her stood Bob Dunbar.

"May I come in for a moment?" he asked coolly. "But I see you were going out. Perhaps I can walk along with you."

"I wasn't going out," answered Susan, confused. "I just tried these things on." She bit her lip, annoyed at having made this naive admission.

"All the better then because I want to talk to you for a bit," the young man repeated.

Susan led him into the comfortable Milton living room. She put up a hand to remove the little hat but Bob stopped her.

"Please don't take it off," he begged. "It suits you. Do you know you look marvelous in that turnout?"

"Thank you," said Susan gravely. She was feasting her eyes on the precious outline of his lean face, crested with unruly fair hair.

"Sit down, won't you?"

"I do much better standing," said Bob. "I've had the deuce of a time finding you. Why did you stage an escape scene that night of the ball? You didn't even leave a Cinderella slipper."

"There was nothing else to do," said Susan gravely.

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THE young man set his jaw. "I don't see that," he muttered. "I had only just found you. There wasn't any point in running off like that."

Susan twisted her hands and tried to avoid his eyes. "You mustn't talk that way," she said rapidly. "I can't let you. It's not right."

His laugh rang out. "Who says it isn't right?"

"I do."

"Look here, my girl!" With a single long stride he was at her side. He dropped to one knee, bringing his face on a level with Susan's. "We've got to cut out this nonsense. We're wasting time. I thought we settled all this that night."

"Nothing was settled," Susan said, trembling at his nearness. She could catch the scent of expensive tobacco and shaving soap and Russian leather. His blue eyes, dancing wickedly, were dangerously close to hers.

"I thought you were bright," he mocked her. "I thought you knew what I was talking about." His voice lowered, softened. Into it crept the lover's note that Susan had heard once before.

"My girl," he muttered, covering her clasped hands with one of his own. "My own darling."

Susan's heart melted to him utterly but she sat, rigid and apparently composed.

"Sweetheart, look at me!" Bob commanded.

Unwillingly she turned her eyes to his. "You mustn't," she warned him. "I've no right to listen. You've forgotten—"

"Forgotten what?"

The flush ran over her pale skin clear down to the point where the creamy throat was swallowed up in the aureole of pale fur.

"This—" Susan indicated her outfit. "This is the costume I've chosen for my wedding."

"Your wedding! I won't have it," Dunbar stormed. "You belong to me and to nobody else."

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Ranger Society and Club News

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Monthly Service Program Is Splendid Affair With Mrs. Walker Hostess.

The calendar thus far has been well filled with unusually inspiring sessions for the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church.

Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nannie Walker, Caddo highway, the Monthly Royal Service program was presented under the direction of circle No. 3. Subject throughout the lesson covered in summerized form "Christ in the Orient." Mrs. Walter Reimund, president of the society, gave the devotional, "Better Than Angels."

A prayer "For the Work in China," was well repeated by Mrs. R. H. Hodges. From a well outlined paper, Mrs. McDougal read "East and West." A well chosen topic, "Giving Christ to China," was given by Mrs. Juda. "Japan of Today," a subject of wide interest was discussed in a capable talk made by Mrs. G. W. Thomas. "Giving Christ to Japan," was assigned to Mrs. Love, who offered the topic in a well prepared way.

Oriental Voices: "China," Mrs. Barton, "Japan," Mrs. Mitchell. Questions supplies through these closely associated chapters were answered by Miss Sammie Ruth Matthews, who also was more than delightfully received when giving several readings.

Just as the last number was brought to a close Mrs. Thomas said prayer. The usual brief but pleasant social followed with the hostess serving an ice and cake course to 25 members.

Hostesses were named for next Monday's lesson as follows:

Circle No. 1, with McGee.

Circle No. 2, with Mrs. J. S. Mitchel l.

Circle No. 3, with Mrs. E. C. White.

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Washington Bicentennial Vitaphone Special To Be Shown At Columbia Theatre

"Washington, the Man and the Capital," a Warner Brothers and Vitaphone two-reel special, will be shown at the Columbia theatre, through the booking arrangement of the manager, B. E. Garner, beginning Wednesday afternoon. In keeping with the nationwide celebrations of bicentennial this picture cames as a rare treat.

The cast of characters are well chosen, with George Washington played by Clarence Whitehill, famous New York opera star. This picture should hold strong appeal to all active and federated clubs, socities and various organizations as much time and care has been taken in observing this bicentennial. The production comes most highly endorsed and comes as truthfully the greatest national celebration in 156 years.

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1920 Club To Entertain

The 1920 Club will entertain with a 9:30 o'clock breakfast in the green room of the Gholson hotel, Thursday. Honorary guests for the occasion will include members from Eastland. Plans will be completed and discussed at the called meeting to be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

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Collection Of Groceries For Needy Of Ranger Is Donated Through Bible Class.

A collection of groceries was made Monday afternoon when members of the Church of Christ Bible class freely donated for the worthy cause of furnishing needy families of Ranger with food.

This has been the custom of the members since its organization suggested by the Bible instructor, the Rev. D. W. Nichol. With one meeting day out of each month set aside for this shower of food, the church is deserving of the record of having donated more food to Ranger's unemployed than any other church society in the city.

The lesson study was taken from the 46th chapter of Genesis, with each member taking part in the discussion.

The class is growing in membership and also enthusiasm is apparent at each lesson. When this course has been completed another will immediately follow.

The Bible group yesterday was composed of Mmes. Tom Burke, E. M. Furgeson, Loela Martin, W. B. Pool, W. M. Myers, Reese, D. W. Nichol, W. S. Murray, Lum Love, O. G. Lanier, E. R Green, Edwin George Jr., Elmo Decker, L. Ivy, George Tharpe, J. E. Meroney and Misses Rosa Williams and Grace Holland, of Comanche.

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Public Invited to Open Services At Woodman Circle Hall Wednesday.

The Julia Alexander grove No. 1954 of the Woodman circle will hold lodge hour from 3 till 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the hall. All business will be transacted during that period.

Opening at 4 o'clock promptly an interesting program will be given at which time the guardian, Mrs. C. C. Cash, will preside. The awarding of certificates and 25 year pins will be features of this occasion.

The general public and friends of the grove members are most cordially invited to attend this program.

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Call Meeting For 1920 Club Announced For Wednesday.

A call meeting has been announced for members of the 1920 Club by its president, Mrs. A. H. Allison, for Wednesday afternoon in the Green Room of the Gholson at 2:30 o'clock.

It is quite important that each member attend as interesting matters will compose the hour.

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Royal Service Program Is Observed At Home Of Mrs. O. S. Driskill.

The Royal Service programs hold prominent sway in all Missionary societies this month, according to reports from the organizations reporters and program leaders.

Mrs. O. S. Driskill graciously welcomed members of the Womans Missionary Union of the Central Baptist church into her home yesterday afternoon for the observance of the monthly Royal Service program, given with Mrs. J. E. Ogg, leader.

Devotional and prayer was said by Mrs. A. L. Boyd, with all members singing an opening hymn. "Send the Light East and West" was read by the leader, following with "China of Today" given by Mrs. Pauline Fry, "Giving Christ to China" Mrs. C. C. Cash, a prayer for all work in China, Mrs. L. L. Bruce, special song: "How Long Must We Wait," Mrs. Frank Hicklin, and Mrs. Pauline Fry, "Japan of Today" and "Giving Christ to Japan," Mrs. H. H. Stephens, "A Prayer For Our Work in Japan," Mrs. E. S. Brink, Oriental pictures, Mrs. Mae Williams, reading, Mrs. W. A. Ruewer, "The Japanese Boy," Mrs. Neal Bell Oriental Voices, Mrs. Clyde H. Davis and Mrs. W. P. Powell, closing prayer, Mrs. Stephens.

At the close of the hour, just as the clock chimed five each guest was served with a daintly laid plate of ice cream and cake. Together with the program members the following were present: Mmes R. J. Taylor, Roy Baker, H. Bearden, E. V. Ingram, H. C. Wilkinson, Avant, Effie Williams, Ben Whitehouse, R. F. Hall, O. F. Sides.

Next Monday afternoon Elkin Lockett circle will meet with Mrs. Brink and Rachael Newton, with Mrs. C. C. Cash. The Mission course will be studied with leaders in charge.

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Mrs. Bryan Leads Beautiful Bible Lesson.

Mrs. Gid J. Bryan led the Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church in a beautiful Bible lesson at the church Monday afternoon. The life of Bible characters are given in a very pleasing manner at these lessons. Mrs. Bryan chose from the 25th to the 29th chapters of Genesis.

A delightful interruption was made during the hour when Mrs. I. N. Griffin sang "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer," so well in keeping with the subject. This program was attended by 16 members.

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Club Season is Brought to Close.

The P. G. club brought its most brilliant social season to a close this week-end with a party at the home of Miss Berta Mae Cates, with Miss Cozette Wilkinson as cohostess.

After an enjoyable evening spent in playing games of bridge, the guests were served a delicious buffet dinner.

Many social events have taken place in the club this week. A most enjoyable affair was the slumber party given by Misses Mary Gentry, Pauline Pickett, Elsie Marrs, and Marjorie Buchanan at the home of Mrs. H. S. Von Roeder.

A social hour was enjoyed in the science department of the college when Mmes. Delma Conway and Leila Bethel and Miss Bernice Timmons entertained.

These happy hours are only a few of the many that members of the club have been privileged to enjoy, and while graduation will break up "the old gang," the members who are left are looking forward to an enjoyable season next year.

Ranger High School Notes

MISS JEWELLE JUDD
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Band Holds Final Meeting Monday Night.

The Ranger high school band held its final practice for this year Monday night, Band Director R. L. Maddox states.

Ice cream was served to all the members and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Maddox states that only about five members of the band will not be in the band next year. They are very sorry to lose these members but wish them the best of luck.

Advisories Meet.

All high school advisories met at 3 o'clock Monday. Schedules for next year's work were filled out.

Scheduled Reviews And Examinations.

Scheduled reviews and examinations for today were:

Third period review, 10 to 12.

Fourth period final, 1 to 3.

Those scheduled for Wednesday are:

Third period examinations, 10 to 12 o'clock and second period reviews, 1 to 3 o'clock.

Marvelle Nottingham, former student of Ranger high school and who has been attending school in Oklahoma, was a visitor in high school today.

Roy Calvert, a former student of Ranger high and who is now training in an aviation school at San Antonio, is a Ranger visitor this week.

The Views of An Average Senior Concerning Graduation.

The ordinay senior graduating from high school has a rather queer feeling. When he stops, thinks, and speculates it seems as if the school were picking him up, bodily, and ejecting him out into life whether he likes it or not.

We must not lose sight of the fact that this is an age of specialization. A student is ordinarily in high school three or four years. He leaves with every educative propensity accentuated by these years in this institution. The time to finish your higher education is, Longfellow said, "Act, act in the living present." This can be applied to higher education. The plodder is one who allows his schooling to terminate. Statistics show that out of all cases available of individuals that quit school after they graduate from high school, only 13 per cent ever attend a college or junior college and only 7 per cent ever earn an average wage of $2,500 annually in their lifetime.

Now is the time to finish your education.

RANGER PERSONALS

Miss Margaret Parker, teacher in high school, is ill this week.

W. H. Clegg of Breckenridge was a business visitor here this morning enroute to Mineral Wells.

Mike Thrower left yesterday for his home in Tennessee, after a six weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thrower, Walnut street.

Warner Dramatic Club To Present Play Thursday

Eastland friends of Warner Memorial university, are looking forward to the play, "Ann of Old Salem," to be presented next Thursday night, July 19, by the Thelma Riddie Oramatic club on the boards of the college auditorium.

The setting of the play, in old Salem colony, is full of interest and entertainment, that centers about the story of charming Ann, accused by jealous maidens of bewitching lads of the colony.

Ann laughingly gives them her charm, but through this very jest, is brought before the church for witchcraft.

To free Ann of this dilemma, her sweetheart pretends love for another girl.

In this way, Ann secures pardon and of course, when all is happily over, Roger again declares his love for her.

A trio, cornet, clarinet and piano, will prelude opening of play, and musical specialties will be given between curtains.

Colonial costumes have been perfectly planned, and colorful properties, and furnishings will add historical charm.

The play will begin promptly at 7:45 p. m. A silver offering will be accepted, which will be used to defray expenses of production.

This play features the closing of the spring term of the college, and it is honed every citizen of Eastland will co-operate in this effort, through their attendance, and that these young students will have a full house to reward their efforts.

No price admission.

DEAD DEER'S ANTLERS HURT MAN

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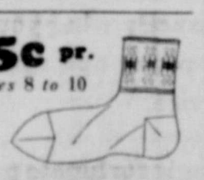

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