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G. O. P. CONVENTION OPENS IN CHICAGO

From the results obtained so far, they'll soon have to change it to the gone-but-not-forgotten man.

PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE with BILL MAYES

Three minutes late to work this morning for the second time in the two years and three months we have worked for the company and all because B. E. (Bled to Death) Garner talked to us five minutes too long on Main street and on our arrival found a letter from Marie P. McCallum, neatly typed in which he gave the solution to the problem about the engineer's name and also a piece of poetry.

Being constitutionally opposed to printing poetry in a newspaper, or having ethics, or something, we were tempted to throw it in the waste basket, but thought better of it. The poem is signed with apologies to Kipling, and everyone else.

"If you can keep your shirt" the poet writes, "when all about you are losing theirs and blaming it on Hoover. If you can see the firm get on without you and find a job as a piano mover. If you can make one heap of all your winnings and stake it on a recommend stock, and lose, and start again at your beginning, and still not put your overcoat in hock. If you can walk with queens and keep your virtue, or talk with kings, nor fail to make a touch; if you can greet the wolf with 'O nerts, you old bum you don't intimidate me, much.' If you can fill the old giving creditor with \$60 worth of good, clean fun; Then you'd make a good newspaper editor, than which there's nothing worse on earth, my son."

The writer claims to have picked up the poem in a trash can, probably while looking for something to eat during the Hoover prosperity, but disclaims and agreement with the author, presumably referring to the part about newspaper editors in the hopes that it will be published. The only thing we know worse than a newspaper editor is a lino-type operator (no wisecracks from the operator, please) and the operators here claim that a half-witted printer's devil with his brains knocked out would make a first class editor.

We went to the courthouse Monday afternoon to see what we could find out and the only thing we found out were the office holders, all of them being in Ranger candidates while the horse traders traded horses at the other end of the Second Monday grounds.

We did find Bert McGlennery on the job, overjoyed at not having to run for office again this year on account of a supreme court ruling that county superintendents were elected for four years in 1930. He said that he did not have a complete list of county school teachers for the coming year as yet as all contracts had not been turned in, but said that there were about 10,000 more school teachers than there were schools and that 2,500 more would be graduated this year, so he had no fear that teachers could not be found.

Joe Jones was reading in the Atlantic Monthly about congressmen and senators putting relatives on the government payroll. He told us that few were not guilty of doing this and read us a letter from Henry Fields who defeated Senator Brookhart on a campaign based on the fact that the practice was general over the entire senate and house. Joe's children are all too young to get on a payroll, though.

Miss Ruth Ramey told of four new home demonstration clubs that have been formed in the county in the past month and that one of the trouble makers were having raising enough money to send 4-H club boys and girls to the A. & M. short course this year. The county has been sending from 30 to 40 each year and to date enough money has been obtained to send but three at \$13 each.

On the courthouse lawn we found the candidates straggling in from Second Monday. J. W. Cockrell from Gorman said he was giving away his car as a fast rate having distributed 20,000 to date and needing 25,000 more. The candidates are so thick around the courthouse lawn that they have to carry a large handful of cards to keep some other candidate from mistaking them for a private citizen.

A civil suit had been in progress in the 88th district court but much progress was not being made as nearly all the lawyers and witnesses are now busy handing out cards that they probably haven't much time to think about court cases.

A boy brought us in another Akron-type egg yesterday. He said that it was laid by a hen belonging to E. E. Blair on the Breckenridge highway, but was not sure what kind of hen laid it. He said they had Rhode Island Reds, "Downneckers" and another kind of hen, but he had for

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Aviatrix's Death Held Suicide



Grieved because a sandstorm had destroyed her plane, Mlle. Lena Bernstein (above), famous 27-year-old Russian aviatrix, killed herself by drinking poison in champagne, according to the decision of an inquest held at Biskra, Algeria, Mlle. Bernstein, whose body was found at the Biskra air field, had gone to Algeria to prepare for an attempt to recapture the straight line flight record now held by Mrs. Amelia Earhart Putnam.

RANGER C OF C DIRECTORS IN SPECIAL MEET

Directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce met in called meeting Monday night and heard reports on the highway 89 situation and on the Broadway of America motorcade to San Diego in May.

R. F. Holloway urged that the Chamber of Commerce get out more advertising or publicity on the Ranger Junior college, saying that support of that organization would mean much to the institution. He gave figures to show the growth of the school and said that constructive work at this time would do more than at any other time because people were sending their children to school as near home as possible in order to eliminate expense. A committee of three was appointed to work with him in this matter.

W. D. Conway, president of the Chamber of Commerce and delegate to the Broadway of America association convention at San Diego, made an interesting report on the trip and the aims and accomplishments of the association. He said that the road was now an all-weather road, but that there were a few strips that were not paved, but that these places were graveled and traffic could pass over them in any weather.

A report on the injunction proceedings at Palo Pinto was also made by Mr. Conway, who urged the support of the merchants and the people of Ranger in getting the work completed as quickly as possible. Ben Whitehouse made a report on the canning plant, which is now in operation under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Walker. He said that many had been visiting the plant and getting prices on canning.

Tom Carpenter made a report on Second Monday, saying that much was being accomplished along these lines and that the crowd was better than was expected, because of the favorable weather for the farmers to work their crops.

A report was made by W. C. Hickey on the distribution of Red Cross flour in Ranger, giving the number of sacks that had been distributed. He said that the shipment received on Saturday, June 4, was the last of the 90-day supply that was to be received in Ranger and reported that 24,000, 000 bushels of wheat of the 40,000,000 being donated by the government has been ground into flour and practically all of it had been distributed.

Those present at the meeting were W. D. Conway, president; Tom Carpenter, Roy W. Gilbreath, Ben Whitehouse, John Hansen, Charlie Moore, R. F. Holloway, R. V. Galloway and W. C. Hickey.

Lake Hagaman Is Again Filling Up

Rain Monday night raised the level of Lake Hagaman about three feet, it was reported today, leaving the water level but about two to three feet below the top of the spillway.

The damage to the spillway has been repaired and the work was completed in time to compound all the water that fell along the watershed of the lake Monday night.

HOUSE IS SET TO PASS BONUS BILL TODAY

WASHINGTON, June 14.—The house was set to pass today the \$2,500,000,000 bonus demand by an army of hungry and destitute World war veterans converged on the capitol from the ends of the nation.

Bonus advocates, however, lacked 42 of the two-thirds majority necessary to pass the bill over President Hoover's certain veto. Republican leaders claimed 56 votes against the bonus in the senate, seven more than a majority, so the bill may never get to the white house.

Abilene Mayor Calls Gas Rate Mass Meeting

ABILENE, Texas, June 14.—Mayor Lee B. York has called a conference of West Texas mayors and other interested citizens in Abilene next Thursday to consider a rate "readjustment" announced by the Community Natural Gas company. The mayor's announcement said the readjustment would result in higher rates to domestic consumers. Company officials said the increase would be small, due to a sliding scale they are considering.

Many Attending Revival Prayer Band Meetings

All the prayer bands of Ranger Central Baptist revival had a large attendance last evening. These bands meet at 7:30 each evening and forty-five minutes are given to prayer, song and scripture reading. Never has Central had so many in its prayer circle nor so spiritual atmosphere prevailing.

The pastor spoke last night to a very large Monday night crowd on "The Abiding Christ," the Christ who is the same yesterday, today and forever. A special feature of this meeting is the wonderful singing by two large choirs led by a fine orchestra under Mr. Madrox.

The people are singing with a spirit, God's word is preached with power and sinners are being saved. God's promises are true and he has said "My words shall not return unto me void."

Central Baptists are expecting greater things than they have yet received. God's spirit is striving with the unsaved. Christians are being revived and the revival is going in a splendid way. Pastor Stephens urges the people of Ranger to not miss a one of these services. Members of Central should be in every service. Members of other churches are most cordially invited to attend. People of no church preference will find a warm welcome. Bring your unsaved friends with you.

Tonight's subject will be, "Decision." Tomorrow morning, "Faith."

Prayer bands at 7:30.

England Cables Consul-General About Shape Case

LONDON, June 14.—The government cabled the British consul-general at New York today requesting his report on the suicide of Violet Sharpe, servant in the household of Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow. The British press blamed the third degree methods of New Jersey police investigating the Lindbergh kidnapping for the girl's death.

Officials did not know when the report would arrive here. It was expected by mail from Washington.

Creager Re-elected As Committeeman

CHICAGO, June 14.—R. B. Creager of Brownsville, was re-elected republican national committeeman from Texas and also head of the Texas delegation at the state caucus last night.

Mrs. Lena Gage Moore of Brownsville was chosen national committeewoman.

Some Conventional Remarks



Everett Sanders (left), former secretary to President Coolidge and sergeant-at-arms of the Republican National convention, and Ralph E. Williams (right), Oregon committeeman who has the job of convention manager, are shown discussing final preparations for the big G. O. P. party in the Chicago stadium starting June 14.

Most New Taxes Will Become Effective On June 21 Or After

Editor's Note: Pursuant to numerous requests, this paper again presents a complete list of the taxes in the new revenue bill and the dates upon which they become effective.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—Most of the new taxes voted by Congress in the \$1,118,500,000 bill become effective on June 21. The measure, signed by President Hoover on June 6, provided for its being put into operation 15 days later.

The excise taxes on various manufactures will be paid by the manufacturers on all goods they release into the channels of trade on June 21 or after. The public will begin to feel these taxes as the goods move to distributors and wholesalers and then to the retailer. Some of the special levies such as that on admissions will be felt by the public at once on June 21.

The new income tax rates—4 per cent on the first \$4,000, 8 per cent on the next \$4,000 and surtaxes up to 55 per cent on incomes over \$10,000—will be levied for the calendar year 1932. Returns are due on March 15, 1933. The 15 1/2 per cent corporation tax is in the same class.

March on the new estate and gift taxes, but that tax will apply only to that part of 1932 from June 6 onward, instead of to the whole calendar year. The estate tax rate goes into effect on July 6. The increased second class rates become effective July 1. The tax on the use of boats starts on July 1.

All the rest of the new taxes become effective on June 21. They are:

Excise Taxes

Lubricating oil, 4 cents a gallon.

Mrs. Graziola Dies Tuesday Morning

Mrs. Louis Graziola of Ranger died at the City-County hospital of Ranger this morning after being a patient for the past week. Funeral services are to be conducted at the First Methodist church of Ranger by Rev. Gid J. Bryan, pastor of the church, at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Interment will be in the Straw cemetery immediately following the services at the church.

The deceased is survived by her husband, Louis Graziola, with whom she has been connected in the beauty parlor business in Ranger for several years, and an infant daughter, Mary Emma, one week old. Mrs. Graziola is well known throughout this part of the county.

Ranger Masons To Meet Tonight

Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., will confer the Entered Apprentice degree on one candidate at the Masonic temple, corner of Rusk and Elm streets. Eight o'clock is the time announced for opening the lodge and all Masons are invited to attend.

COMMISSIONERS COURT MEETS

The Eastland county commissioners court met in regular session Monday with all members present.

Only routine business came before the court.

CONGRESSMAN DIES IN MIDST BONUS SPEECH

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Representative Edward E. Edick, Tennessee, died today a few moments after collapsing in the midst of a speech in the house in favor of the Patman soldier bonus bill.

The congressman's wife, Mrs. Willa Edick, was in the public gallery listening to her husband's speech. When he collapsed, she rushed downstairs to the floor.

Dr. George Calver, house physician, arrived almost immediately in the speaker's lobby, where Edick had been taken. Attempts were made to revive the stricken congressman but Dr. Calver soon announced that his task was hopeless.

The house immediately recessed for 10 minutes with the apparent intention of adjourning until tomorrow, putting over the debate and vote on the bonus bill until that time.

Federal Agents Raid Speakeasies As Delegates Meet

CHICAGO, June 14.—There were 13 fewer places in Chicago where a thirsty visitor to the republican national convention could quench a pre-Volstead thirst today.

While wet demonstrators paraded through the Loop in a noisy celebration, raiding squads of federal dry agents descended last night on 13 places, seven of them in the Loop.

Methodist Women To Hold Annual Sale Saturday, June 18

Arrangements are being made for an annual sale in Ranger on the coming Saturday, June 18, to be held by the Women's Missionary society of the First Methodist church.

Mrs. B. A. Tunnell, president of the society, says that one of the local Methodist women, will be in each of the leading grocery stores, to sell the full line of Kellogg cereals, on that date. In addition to a guaranteed sum, which the society will receive, the cereal manufacturer is offering two bonuses.

The first of these will go to the W. M. S. as a whole for reaching a specified quota on all Kellogg products. The other bonus is to be paid to the individual women, in whose store the largest number of Kellogg Corn Flakes is purchased.

The plan of the sale as the local women have accepted it, is a continuation of a plan started some months ago, in the east. The Kellogg company has appropriated a sum of money which is to go to different women's organizations throughout the country, for this and similar kinds of work. It is through this appropriation that the Methodist women are benefitting and having their opportunity of bringing outside capital into Ranger.

Reservations Are Made For Contest Winners In Mexico

Reservations have been made for the winners in the Monterey Vacation contest to be the guests of the Gran Hotel Ancira while in Monterey.

Gran Hotel Ancira is one of the finest in the city, being a fireproof structure with all modern conveniences. A staff of English speaking employees is maintained there for the serving of guests who speak English rather than the native language of the country.

A letter from the manager of the hotel says that he will be delighted to number the winners among his guests and offers his services as well as his employees services to make their visit there a most happy one.

Akron Is Moored At Parris Island

PARRIS ISLAND, S. C., June 14.—The Akron was moored here today awaiting favorable weather to continue its flight to Lakehurst, N. J. The dirigible arrived here from Sunnyvale, Calif. in 53 hours. The rest of the trip will take about 16 hours.

Former Coolidge Aide Sees Hoover



An eleven-hour conference at the White House with President Hoover... then, as pictured here, C. Ransom Slomp, former secretary to former President Coolidge, was off for the Republican national convention at Chicago.

Two Liquor Raids Made In Ranger

Chief Police Jim Ingram and Deputy Sheriff John Barnes made a raid on the home of Shorley Derrington, Lakeside Drive, Ranger, and confiscated a half-gallon jug of whiskey and about 100 gallons of beer.

Derrington was turned over to county officers and made bond.

Jack Roach made a raid on a house in negro quarters, alleged to be owned by "Black Cat" negro. One negro woman, Lola Harris, was arrested on vagrancy charges and fined \$15.70. A quantity of beer was found in the house, the officer said.

Mistaking Baby For Lindbergh Child Results In Suit

GALVESTON, June 14.—An echo of the Lindbergh baby kidnapping was heard here today when Mr. and Mrs. William C. Moss, parents of Jerry Moss, who was mistaken for the stolen baby, filed a \$20,000 damage suit against Justice Randolph Pierson and Constable Ed Licata. The petition alleges that the arrests were made without investigation of the true facts.

Prompt Printery Has Small Blaze

The Ranger fire department was called to the Prompt Printery today when a light connection caught fire and threatened to catch the building.

A push-button switch shorted when the lights were turned on, causing a flame to run down the length of the wire toward some of the machinery. When the firemen arrived they pulled the hood switch and got the blaze out without any damage being done other than to the light fixtures.

STOCK MARKETS TODAY

Closing selected New York stocks:			
American Can	38 1/2	United Corp	5
Am P & L	5 1/2	U S Gypsum	12 1/2
Am & F Pwr	2 1/2	U S Ind Ale	31 1/2
Am Smelt	7 1/2	U S Steel	26 1/2
Am T & T	85 1/2	Vanadium	7 1/2
Anacosta	4	Warner Pie	1
Auturn Auto	65 1/2	Westing Elec	22 1/2
Alaska Juneau	8 1/2	Worthington	11
A T & S F Ry	28 1/2	Corp Stocks	
Barnhill	8 1/2	Cities Service	2 1/2
Beth Steel	8 1/2	Elco Bond & Sh	7
Byers A M	10 1/2	Ford M Ld	2 1/2
Case J I	24 1/2	Gulf Oil Pa	24 1/2
Chrysler	6 1/2	Ning Hud Pwr	9 1/2
Coca Cola	4 1/2	Long Star	4
Curtis Wright	4 1/2	Stan Oil Ind	17 1/2
Contl Oil	11 1/2	The following market quotations furnished through the courtesy of D. E. Pulley, phone 629, Ranger, Texas:	
Foster Wheel	5 1/2	New York Cotton	
Fox Films	10 1/2	Range of the market, New York cotton:	
Gen Elec	10 1/2		
Gillette S R	9		
Goodyear	12 1/2		
Houston Oil	10 1/2		
Int Harvester	15 1/2		
Johns Manville	13		
Kroger G & R	12		
Lia Carb	12 1/2		
Mont Ward	3 1/2		
M K T Ry	1 1/2		
Nat Dairy	17		
N Y Cent Ry	11 1/2		
Ohio Oil	7		
Penney J C	16 1/2		
Parr Publix	2 1/2		
Penn Ry	8 1/2		
Phillips P	3 1/2		
Purity Bak	5 1/2		
Radio	4		
Sears Roebuck	14 1/2		
Shell Union Oil	6 1/2		
Socomey Vac	1 1/2		
Southern Pac	25 1/2		
Stan Oil N J	3 1/2		
Studebaker	10		
Texas Corp	10		
Texas Gulf Sul	14 1/2		

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HIGH COST OF HIGHWAYS IN ARKANSAS

There is a special grand jury grinding in the city of Dallas dealing with alleged illegal contracts awarded by county commissioners in which competitive bidding was avoided by a very simple device; that is, special auditors alleged in their report that the device was made use of by servants of the people. Charles H. Newell, editor and publisher of the Texarkana Press, is a former resident of Dallas. He was engaged in newspaper work in that city for years. Well, the Texarkana Press carries the following editorial news story: "The Arkansas supreme court decision Monday that all costs plus highway contracts for amounts in excess of \$1000 could by no stretch of the imagination be called legal was a shocking way to inform the people that their highway commission has spent illegally nearly \$3,000,000 and probably as much as \$6,000,000. Nothing could more clearly emphasize the low moral state in which officials handling the state's largest fund have sunk." Is there a remedy? Or a chance for recovery? The Press says, "the decision opens the way for suits to recover a vast sum paid to favorite contractors who were showered with lucrative contracts without competitive bidding. It rebukes equally the assistant attorney general deputy that gave the commission the opinion that such contracts were proper." Dallas taxpayers are up in the air. They are demanding straight political action; that is, they are insisting that a new broom sweep clean, and they are clamoring for new brooms to be placed in the hands of new servants who will do some sweeping. Now it is said that the state highway audit commission of Arkansas will hold a special meeting for the consideration of unauthorized expenditure totaling nearly \$6,000,000. Arkansas is a democratic state. Arkansas is dominated and ruled by democrats. Arkansas is a rural state, an agricultural state, and according to the Press, there is a revolt all along the line on the part of indignant taxpayers.

SENATOR TOM CONNALLY OF TEXAS

Senator Tom Connally of Texas played a leading part in the making of the billion dollar revenue bill. He made a terrific fight for a tax on foreign crude. He voted for a higher tariff on lumber. Not that he is a protectionist, but in the great grab game of protecting important staples or products of his own state. All this called for the following comment—made by the editor of the Port Arthur News: "If we have read Washington tax developments aright, Senator Tom Connally of Texas is responsible for one of the principal cogs in the tax bill which will hit the man in the lower income brackets. The man earning \$4000 a year will pay 12 times as much as he does now; the man earning \$10,000 will pay five times as much; those with incomes of \$100,000 or a million dollars will pay but twice as much." Well, those who have must pay. They must do their part. They are Americans. The government is their government. A huge sum was necessary to wipe out the deficit. It had to be raised. Perhaps a sales tax would have been better, but a senate crushed the sales tax idea and a democratic house deleted the sales tax item from the huge revenue bill. Their leaders said it would be a "tax on the poor." Regardless of what the leaders said, rebel democrats and all others, a manufacturers sales tax would have been, perhaps, the best source of method of obtaining the billion necessary. It is too late to argue as to the ills or the benefits of the sales tax. It was necessary to produce the coin as a result there are as many nuisance taxes as there were in the years of the most costly war in the history of the world and perhaps the education that the people will be given will convert them to the sales tax plan of raising additional revenue whenever additional revenue is necessary for the support of the government. President Hoover has signed the billion dollar revenue measure. Now it is for the people who have it to pay the freight.

WHY A CITRUS QUARANTINE IN THE MAGIC VALLEY?

Why a citrus quarantine in the lower Rio Grande Valley? This is the answer: The limited shipping season is a part of the Mexican fruit fly control and eradication program placed by the three lower Rio Grande counties on themselves. Under the general test control law the county court is given the authority (in conjunction with the commissioner of agriculture) to adopt compulsory programs on insect eradication programs when such is the wish of the people involved. Let us forget, the Mexican fruit fly was found in the lower Rio Grande Valley about 1927. Practically every state in the union following this discovery placed a quarantine against Texas—prohibiting citrus fruit, peaches, and many other commodities from moving into those states. According to J. M. Del Curto, chief of horticultural inspection and quarantine, the industry began a program of eradication of the pest which was quite successful the first year but could not affect definite permanent relief on account of the continued shipments of infested Mexican fruits up to border points. Matamoras and Reynosa, Mex., are large centers of tropical fruits that are brought from the interior of Mexico and constitute a continual source of infestation. Mexico, however, is co-operating to the extent of adopting the same limited season for fruit to remain on the trees as the local project requires. It is through this procedure that valley grapefruit are kept free from maggot infestation. Moreover the program, as stated, is one initiated by the local county courts of the valley and is not imposed upon the people except indirectly by other states who would place quarantines against the movement of fruit unless this control procedure were maintained. It is the duty of a newspaper to spread the light. The Times is spreading it.

SENATE DEMOCRATS PREFER THEIR OWN RELIEF BILL

Senate democrats prefer their own general relief bill. Almost to a man they are battling for it. All this in the face of the fact that the Garner bill was sent to the senate, referred to a committee and where it may rest in peace until after the national conventions of the major parties have adopted platforms and nominated standard bearers and adjourned.

A whole lot of cities stand still or go back at the expense of the public, just to please a few narrow-minded citizens.

The Pit and the Pendulum!



St. Louis Plans Move To Get U. S. Economy

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—The first unit of what may become a nationwide organization for government economy and reduced taxation, city, state and national, to be known as "The Public, Inc.," has been formed here by the Chamber of Commerce.

Approximately 1,000 business firms already have enrolled in the organization, which is described by its sponsors as a "non-political voters' organization" to pledge political candidates to a genuine and vigorous economy program.

Inquiries from other cities have indicated intentions to form similar and affiliated organizations. Letters have been received from approximately 25 cities. An enrollment of 1,000,000 voters is expected.

The platform of The Public, Inc., as announced by C. W. Gaylord, chairman of the board of the Chamber of Commerce, provides:

1.—A budget balanced through economies and not through increased taxation.
2.—The control of government spending and the elimination of waste.

3.—A "pay-as-you-go" policy with no demands on government for functions which the taxpayers cannot afford.

4.—A definite pledge from candidates for economy and lower taxes.

5.—A vote for candidates who promise economy regardless of party label.

The Public, Inc., in addition to pledging candidates to government economy and reduced taxes, will carry on a chain campaign to get every interested taxpayer enlisted in the move and will offer an information service to its members and to industrial employers.

The organization, which is open to all persons interested in a reduction in governmental costs and taxation, is designed to give the unorganized public an effective method of registering its attitude on all matters of government relating to expenditures and taxes.

"So Big" Showing At Lyric, Eastland
Barbara Stanwyck in "So Big," will be shown at the Lyric, beginning three days run today.

Selma Peake in Edna Ferber's novel, "So Big," appears as a young girl, then as a mature woman, later as one on the verge of old age.

These changes in age, result in a most brilliant picture of centuries of the early 80s, the 90s, and the 1900s.

Stage settings are periodic and wonderful. The beautiful and tragic role of Selma Peake, is relieved by the exquisite characterization done by Dickie Moore, a most noted child actor, only 5 years old.

"So Big," one of the most widely read of the Ferber novels, deals with the history of a dreaming girl, who met life so bravely, and love's misfortunes with undaunted gallantry.

It is said that the story and the actress were made for one another.

She is supported by a host of famous names, including George Brent, Arthur Stone, and the famous child actor, Dickie Moore, and a big cast of prominent players.

3,000 Enroll In Texas Summer School

AUSTIN.—Nearly 3,000 students have enrolled in the University of Texas summer school which began June 8.

Visiting members of the faculty include: John G. Beatty, Southern Methodist University; William C. Brinkley, Vanderbilt; Cardinal Goodwin, Mills College; John C. Patterson, Westminster; Dr. A. M. Proctor, Duke; and Dr. Joseph J. Weber, Valparaiso university.

— THIS CURIOUS WORLD —



SLOT+IS CANNOT SUPPORT THEIR OWN WEIGHT IN AN UPRIGHT POSITION. IF PLACED ON THE GROUND, THEY CAN MOVE ALONG ONLY BY GRASPING AT OBJECTS IN THEIR PATH, AND PULLING THEIR PRONATE BODIES FORWARD.

A BULLET HAS MORE PENETRATING POWER AT 30 FEET THAN AT 2 FEET. A BULLET "WOBBLES" FOR SOME DISTANCE ON LEAVING THE GUN, AND THEN SETTLES INTO ITS EFFECTIVE COURSE.

AT ONE TIME IT WAS BELIEVED THAT THE WATER, AT THE GREATEST DEPTHS, WAS OF SUCH DENSITY THAT ANCHORS COULD NOT PENETRATE IT. IT IS NOW KNOWN THAT IN PLACES WHERE THE WATER PRESSURE IS SEVERAL TONS TO THE SQUARE INCH, THE DENSITY IS NO MORE THAN THAT OF A SALT WATER LAKE, AND ANY OBJECT THAT SINKS AT THE SURFACE IS QUITE CERTAIN TO CONTINUE TO THE VERY BOTTOM.

NEXT: Of what use are box constrictors to man?

IN THE EXTREME DEPTHS OF THE OCEAN, WATER IS ALMOST OF THE SAME DENSITY AS THAT AT THE SURFACE.

Today is the fourth anniversary of the Connally hotel in Eastland. On June 14, 1928, the hotel was opened with a formal ceremony and banquet and dance. Mrs. W. A. Deck is manager. It will bill her "Mama Deck" and it makes her pretty mad.

Eastland has every right to be proud of the Connally hotel. It is a city hotel in a small town, if you ask me. Incidentally, it is one of the largest taxpaying, if not the largest taxpaying institution in Eastland. On behalf of the friends of the hotel and the friends of "Mama Deck," I want to congratulate her and wish her every success.

This being June 14, it is Flag Day. And I haven't seen a single flag. Terribly patriotic as we are, I thought the Elks Club always had some sort of a ceremony for Flag Day. I guess it's my fault that I didn't make mention of it in advance so you folks could fly your flags today. Am I supposed to think of everything?

Yard And Garden Judging Delayed

At a meeting of the yard and garden committee, headed by Mrs. T. L. Lauderdale, which was held in the offices of the chamber of commerce Monday, it was decided to postpone the judging of the yards and gardens entered in the contest until the first of next week.

This action was taken because of the fact that there had been so much rain for the past two weeks that many had not been able to work their yards and gardens. There are about 125 yards and garden boxes entered in the beautification contest.

Last Half Taxes Due On June 30

We are authorized by County Tax Collector T. L. Cooper to call attention of the taxpayers to the fact that all who paid the first half of 1931 taxes before Nov. 30, 1931, have until June 30, 1932, to make payment of the last half of 1931 taxes without penalty or interest.

GIVES HOME AS CLUBHOUSE PORTAGE, Wis.—Mrs. Zona Gale Brees, famous novelist, has presented her home on the banks of the Wisconsin River here to the Women's Civic League of Portage, for use as a clubhouse.

PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE (Continued from page 1)

He offered to let us keep the egg, but the last one like it we got remained on our desk several days and someone broke it and we had to clean up the mess it made, so we told him to eat it for breakfast this morning. We hope he did and that it was good.

OIL NEARS NEBRASKA PHILLIPSBURG, Kan.—Productive oil wells now have come to within 30 miles of the Nebraska state line. A commercially profitable well was recently brought in on a new field, located just south of here. The point at which the well was brought in is about 30 miles directly south of Alma, Neb. The well was brought in at a depth of 4,000 feet and flows in excess of 20 barrels per day.

GRIPINGS

By GUS

This column is published as a daily feature and may not be construed as representing the editorial views of this paper. What follows is merely what one man thought at the time it was written, and the writer reserves the right to change his mind concerning any subject, without notice, explanation or apology.

"The depression is over." Thus quoth Herbert Stafford this morning. The reason for the announcement was that as soon as the Republican National convention got under way in Chicago, Herbert's business started picking up in Ranger. We knew those Republicans would make things better if they ever got their heads to working and got their convention started. It won't be long now until we'll all be back on our feet again so we can re-elect the present administration. Maybe!

Fire Chief Murphy was having a lot of trouble this morning. It wasn't the fire department that was troubling him, it was the fact that he is also city engineer and thereby, according to some people's idea, he is responsible for the surface drainage of the city. The rain last night washed out a lot of culverts and washed a lot of half grown potatoes out of the ground in more gardens than one. And Engineer Murphy was given the blame.

I got my information third hand, but I'm inclined to believe that Murphy didn't order that flood last night. He has had two previous in the last 10 days and this one last night must have slipped up on him. But being a broadminded public servant, he naturally gets the blame for the washing up of the gardens and will probably miss a few messes of greens this summer on that account.

The politicians . . . I mean candidates . . . were thick on the streets of Ranger yesterday. I saw Burette Patterson, Frank Sparks, Grady Owen, Milton Lawrence, Lewis Crossley, John Thurman, V. V. Cooper, Oscar Chastain, Tom Cunningham, J. W. Cockrill and maybe more. All of them handing out cards and shaking hands. Oh Yes, Joe Jones was here too. They had a big speaking and a mild mud slinging down at the stock pen where Trades Day was taking place. Lonnie Flewellen introduced the speakers.

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"I feel like I'd been swimming," Gee! It didn't feel so good to me. Who threw that splash of water? I am soaked right to the hide."

"The elephant played a trick on you," said Scouty. "It was mean, do, but he was only playing. He thinks the water came."

"Remember, you brought him a bucket. The whole thing is a fault, I think. A big beast has no better, so I don't think he's blame."

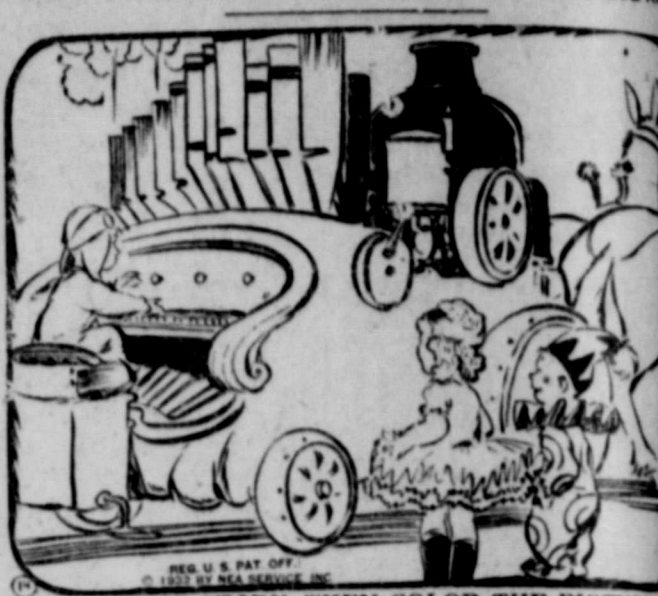
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The Tynmites



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

THE elephant, dressed like a clown, began to swing his trunk around. "He's thirsty," shouted Duncy. "I can help him out. I think."

You Tynmites all wait right here. I know where there's a bucket, near. I'll fill it up with water and then give Slim Jim a drink."

Off Duncy ran and soon he found the bucket, sitting on the ground. He filled it up with water and then walked back to the bunch.

They put it near the big beast's feet. The elephant drank it. "That's a treat," I told you," shouted Duncy. "That I had a happy bunch."

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BY ROOBY DUTCHER NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON.—Angry utterances, perhaps induced mainly by election worries, and frayed nerves, are frequent in Congress during these days of strife and strain.

But members sometimes find themselves hampered to the point of exasperation. Formal rules are invoked to prevent them from calling each other hasty names and, despite their immunity from the legal consequences of anything they say on the floor, the dictates of expediency are even forcing them to moderate the language they use toward ordinary citizens.

Unhappy Huey WITNESS the unhappy plight of Senator Huey Long, the Louisiana "kingfish," who was told that he couldn't say Senator Joe Robinson of Arkansas, his own party's floor leader was influenced in his votes by his corporation law clients.

He pulled Paragraph Two of Rule XIX on Huey, reading as follows: "No member in debate shall directly or indirectly, by any form of words impute to another senator or to other senators any conduct or motive unworthy or unbecoming a senator."

That's a funny rule in more ways than one. Huey had to sit down until someone—it was John Blaine of Wisconsin—made a special motion allowing him to resume.

A "Harsh" Word MEANWHILE, Congressman Florello H. LaGuardia, the New York insurgent, was being asked to expunge from a committee record the word "contemptible" which he had applied to President E. L. Cord of the Century Air Lines in connection with a pilots' strike following pay cuts.

Chairman Sam Rayburn of the House Interstate Commerce Committee begged LaGuardia to strike out the "harsh word" because, he said, when another sent had been similarly criticized previously "the committee had to hear him for two days." That seems to be the citizen's flat method of retaliation at attacks from Congress.

But what really creates complicated commission is a raspberry tossed by a representative at a senator, or vice versa. One calls attention to the recent exchange of puns between the peppery Little Senator Carter Glass of Virginia and the ex-presiding congressman, Fred Britten of Illinois.

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Ranger Society and Club News

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Interesting Lessons Are Reported For W. M. S.

Interesting and well carried out lessons are reported for members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, at circle meetings held with individual hostesses at their respective residences Monday afternoon at 2:30.

Group No. 1 were invited to the home of Mrs. Levi Neal, west Main street, at which period Mrs. C. H. Dunlap had complete charge of the program. Following a business session called to order by the leader, the Rev. C. W. Thomas, pastor of the church took charge of the Bible lesson which is being conducted in the form of a course of series of Bible chapters.

Drawing to a close an inspiring lesson review, Rev. Thomas signed chapters from the Old Testament for the next study for Monday afternoon, June 20th.

Mrs. Mitchell presented the lesson for group No. 2 at the home of Mrs. Roy Russell at which period of the hour was devoted to the study of 1296 Bible questions being solved by the members.

Mrs. R. H. Hodges opened her home to circle No. 3, with Mrs. Nanette Walker giving the devotional from the 48th chapter of Genesis. Immediately following

the well chosen devotional, Mrs. Hodges assumed charge, giving in an instructive manner the lesson from the Royal Service course.

Each group was well attended and members who are not enjoying vacations during the next two weeks are urged to attend the next lesson.

Return Home From Motor Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Latham, returned home last night following a two weeks' motor trip to cities of Old Mexico, including the popular city of Monterrey. Their return home included a pleasant visit through Carlsbad Cavern and other interesting points of New Mexico. 2500 miles were covered during the Lathams' vacation. They were the house guests of Mr. Latham's parents of Bowie, over the week-end.

Dinner Entertains Ranger Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harrell of Eastland, very pleasantly entertained with a prettily arranged dinner at their home Sunday, naming as honorary guests Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lanier and children of Ranger, who were guests throughout the day.

The dinner also served as a compliment to the host who has business interests in East Texas, and who was spending the week-end with his wife and family.

The Rev. Mr. Lanier was cordially invited to deliver the morning sermon held at the Church of Christ, which proved highly inspirational to the large audience.

Daughter Is Named June Lee

The young daughter born to Mr.

and Mrs. L. S. Galley at the West Texas Clinic and hospital this morning, has been named June Lee. The new arrival and mother are doing nicely.

Popular Representative With Fashion Studio Of Dallas Is Guest Of Brother, Dr. Shackelford.

Mrs. Mary A. Thomason, of Dallas, who is associated with West Texas district representative with the Fashion Studio, is in Ranger, visiting as the house guest of her brother and wife, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Shackelford and son, west Main street.

Mrs. Thomason, has many acquaintances here, having visited in the Shackelford home on former occasions.

Son Is Born To Mr. and Mrs. Ribble, of Caddo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ribble of Caddo are happy to announce the arrival of a son at the West Texas Clinic and Hospital Sunday, June 12th. The son has been named Marlin Seal.

Child Study Club President Announces Call Meeting

Mrs. Odell Cole, newly elected president of Child Study club No. 2 announces a call meeting for Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at her home, Tee-Pee camp.

Every member of the club is especially invited by Mrs. Cole to be present for this important session.

Lesson On Exodus Is Given By Rev. Nichol.

Rev. D. W. Nichol, pastor of the Church of Christ and instructor of the ladies Church of Christ Bible society gave an educational lesson in the form of a lecture selecting chapters of Exodus as the lesson subject.

This society organization as usual was well attended. Each member present added to the supply of charity for, by donating canned goods or groceries of some kind as has been the custom for the past few weeks. This group of Bible class members have aided greatly in helping supply the needy of Ranger.

WEAVERS OPEN OWN MILL

By United Press.
STAFFORD SPRINGS, Conn.—A group of unemployed weavers has banded together in a co-operative industry at the village of Orvilleville, near here. Twelve weavers have leased an idle mill and started production.

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CREAM
VERMIFUGE**
For Expelling Worms

BAGLEYS STORE

Eastland Rotary Club Entertains Guests Monday

The Rotary club registered an attendance of 19 members at their noon luncheon Monday, on roof garden of Connell hotel, and the following visitors, C. E. May of Ranger, Carl Augustadt of Eastland and McCurdy of Tulsa, who is connected with the Jarecki Supply company.

Dr. W. E. Chaney, president, presented J. E. Lewis in a classification talk on electricity and distribution of power, a very engrossing talk.

A classification talk on dentistry was interestingly given by Dr. Chaney.

Mrs. Deck served an appetizing luncheon plate to new members, W. P. Palm, principal Eastland High school; Carl Johnson, representing Economy Dry Goods Store; Arl Williams, the Beauty Drug company, and F. O. Hunter, the Eastland Lumber company, and the Rotarians.

Adjourned to same hour next Monday.

Youth Sets Two Marksmen's Record

By United Press.
AUSTIN—Two records for veteran riflemen of the Texas Rifle association to shoot at were set here by a slender 16-year-old Houston youth named Paul Farren.

Banging away with a regulation army rifle, Farren hit the bulls-eye 40 consecutive times on a 300-yard range at Camer Maury. The next day he shot 35 consecutive bulls-eyes over a 600-yard course.

"I started shooting in 1929 out on a hunting trip," said Farren. "When I learned I could shoot straight, I entered the state rifle meet last year for the first time."

He started older gunners at that meet by hitting the bulls-eye 34 consecutive times at a range of 500 yards.

Blind School Boys Hold Track Meet

By United Press.
WATERTOWN, Mass.—Boys attending the Perkins Institution for the Blind, here, may be sightless, but that doesn't prevent them from competing in the most active of sports.

Annually they meet the boys from the New York Institute for the Blind in a track meet, which comprises 50 and 75-yard dashes, in which the sprinters are guided by taut wires; the hop, step and jump, the standing broad and high jumps, and the shot put. Many of the blind youths have become remarkably proficient in certain sports.

RANGER PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Howell of Grandview, were visitors here Monday, enroute to Pecos, where Mr. Howell is employed as telegraph operator and depot agent. While at home in Grandview, Mrs. Howell has charge of an insurance agency.

Mrs. B. A. Tunnell and small daughter Gwendolyn, are visitors in Cisco today, guests of Mrs. Tunnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniels.

Firestone Tires Are Offered Without Tax

The Texas Service Station and Lemley's Service station are offering Firestone tires and tubes at this time in order that the motorist might be able to buy tires and tubes before the federal tax goes into effect.

The recent passage and signing of the federal tax bill places an excise tax on all tires and tubes sold after June 21 and motorists who secure their tire and tube needs at this time will not have to pay this excise tax.

Blindness Strikes Mrs. Mooney Today

By United Press.
CHICAGO, June 14.—Blindness struck at "Mother" Mooney today as she started for the republican national convention to plead the cause of her convict son.

"Mother" or Mrs. Mary Mooney, the mother of Tom Mooney, who is in San Quentin prison in Calif., serving a life sentence for the 1916 Preparedness day bombing in San Francisco, was sitting in the office of an attorney in the Loop when her sight suddenly failed.

How Young Lady's Health Improved

THOUSANDS of cases, like described below, have been reported in which better health followed the use of Cardui by women:

"When I was a young girl," writes Mrs. W. H. Quinn, of Milroy, Ind., "I was run-down and in bad health. I was delicate, thin and pale. I was nervous, at times. My mother knew of Cardui and thought it would be a good tonic for me to take. I took three bottles and my health improved a great deal. My mother was pleased."

I kept on taking it for a while. I have been in good health ever since."

Many a young lady has been spared untold suffering because her mother knew about Cardui.

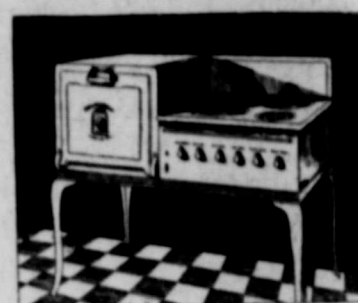
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She is but one of the more than a million modern-minded women who enjoy care-free, automatic electric cookery. And think what it means to her! A cooking fuel as clean as summer sunshine and as fast as electricity itself. A kitchen as cool as a mountain lake. A range as accurate as a stop watch. Afternoons of leisure, without thought of kitchen tasks.

With all of these advantages, is it any wonder that more than a million women have already changed to electric cookery? You, too, may cook this easy way for about a penny per person per meal. Investigate today.



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ANOTHER 5 to 1 WEEK FOR CASH PAID ON ACCOUNTS

Contestants can pick up lots of extra votes this week by urging their friends to pay their accounts with the merchants during the week.

NOTE TO CONTESTANTS:

Please be more prompt about exchanging your small votes for larger ones and placing your votes in the ballot box. The rules say once a week.

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

A. J. RATLIFF
FLOUR and FEED

Gold Chain Flour — Red Chain Feed

QUICK SERVICE GARAGE

NATH PIRKLE

Repairs — Gas — Oil — Storage

E. H. & E. P. MILLS
GROCERIES

Corner Walnut and Rusk Streets

OIL CITY PHARMACY

E. E. CRAWFORD, Prop.

GLOBE

CORRECT DRESS FOR MEN
220 MAIN STREET

GHOLSON COFFEE SHOP
NOTTINGHAM BROS.

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.

YOU'LL ENJOY EACH MEAL!

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Everything in Dry Goods, Ready-to-Wear and Shoes

RANGER TIMES

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HERE--- AND THERE

By ELVIE H. JACKSON

When the Akron, in all her livered beauty, floated majestically over Eastland Sunday afternoon, two thousand feet above the ground, the monster fish looked like some diminutive whale, cleaving the fluid waves of air, as she glided her seemingly slow and majestic course.

One cannot help but wonder why it is that humans have to resort to the forms in nature for all their inventions.

It would seem, that with the unlimited materials and resources to be drawn from, that inventions could be made in some shape or form that nature has never as yet attempted.

But so far, through the centuries, inventions have demonstrated that the work of God in nature, is superior to anything humans can attain.

The submarine is built like an enormous fish, with its pointed nose for the diver, its fins, and the tail end resembles a fish. The airplane, is simply an enlarged bird, form; the motor is an adaptation of the chariot of fire. Even the electric fans have no novel idea or plan in their construction. For ancient Egyptians and Romans hung gorgeous banners of embroidered cloths that were kept moist with water, across their palace rooms and slaves stood beneath them against the walls and waved six-foot long, bronze poles which were attached enormous fans of feathers, tinsel and gold, which they agitated the air, to create a breeze, cooled by the wetted banners, through every pore of the day and night. The modern fan is simply a substitute of electric power for manpower, and both originated from the study of the winds that envelop the earth. It is great to be an inventor but it is greater still to remember that a human being has ever yet been able to invent, make or build with their hands, a living man, woman or child.

DINNER REWARDS CONVICTS
By United Press.
WAUJUN, Wis.—Members of the state prison baseball team here who have a heavy summer schedule of "home" games, enjoy a special dinner whenever they win.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election, July 23, 1932:

For Judge 88th District Court: J. D. BARKER, BURETTE W. PATTERSON, FRANK SPARKS

For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER (re-election) W. A. (Kid) HAMMETT

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

For County Clerk: W. C. BEDFORD

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

For Representative, Eastland County: J. W. COCKRILL

For County Judge: CLYDE L. GARRETT (Re-election)

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

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: V. V. COOPER, Sr. JNO. W. THURMAN

For Tax Assessor: JOHN HART

For Constable, Precinct No. 2: G. J. MOORE JOHN BARNES W. C. (Uncle Bill) NIVER

1—LOST AND FOUND
OST—Glasses in blue case, between postoffice and 712 Cypress street. Phone 602, Ranger.

OST June 4, near Wolfs, white old diamond filagree pin. Return to Duncan apartments, Cisco. Reward.

FOUND—Purse on Ranger street; owner describe contents. Oddie st., Ranger.

2—HELP WANTED, MALE
WO MEN for permanent local work. Car essential, thorough training, good pay and splendid opportunity. Fuller Brush company, Box 265, Wichita Falls.

WANTED—Three neat appearing, pleasant out-door work, good pay. E. D. Day, Gholson hotel, 10 p. m. to 4 p. m., Ranger.

3—BUSINESS CHANCES
TEACHERS and college men; healthy outside position and no experience necessary; remuneration \$1.00 per hour. Write C. B. Jones, 917 Staley bldg., Wichita Falls, Tex.

4—SPECIAL NOTICES
MOVING TO EL PASO Thursday, Friday. Will return in three days, desire passenger. Address E. X. Y., Eastland Telegram.

RANGER TRANSFER & STORAGE CO. Phone 117.

5—WANTED TO RENT
WANTED TO RENT—House or apartment, furnished or unfurnished, close in; must be reasonable to permanent tenant. Joe Thompson, at Ranger Times.

6—AUTOMOBILES
FOR SALE—1927 Chevrolet coupe body, good shape; a bar in Peerless Garage, Eastland.



THE FIRST LAP. By J. Williams



Frigidaire and Electrical Appliances. Texas Electric Service Co.

THE NEEDS OF THE FAMILY CAN BE HAD HERE. Montgomery Ward & Co. Ranger, Texas

Joseph Dry Goods Co. Ranger's Foremost Department Store 208-10 Main St. Ranger

LEAP YEAR BRIDE

By L. C. BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TODAY

CHERRY DIXON, 19 and pretty, falls in love with DAN PHILLIPS, newspaper reporter whom her wealthy, aristocratic parents have forbidden her to see. When Cherry learns Dan's telephone number, she has been kept from her job. Her father discovers this and threatens to send her to California. Cherry defies him and orders her to leave.

she goes to Dan, tells him what has happened and asks him to marry her. The ceremony is performed that night by a justice of peace.

Cherry looks for an apartment but is discouraged to find them so expensive. Dan works late one night on a tip that TOMMY 'ALLI' gangland chief, is coming to Wellington. Cherry accidentally gives this news tip to a reporter on the rival newspaper. The other paper gets the story and Dan's boss threatens, "One more slip and you're dead."

DIXON HAD AN UNUSUAL CRITIC, helps Cherry find an inexpensive apartment. Dan and Cherry move from the hotel. Cherry, loaded with groceries on her first morning expedition, meets MAX PEARSON, handsome friend of Dan's.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XVIII

CHERRY left Pearson relieve her of the heavy packages. She stepped into the roadster, settling herself with a sigh. "This is awfully kind of you," she said.

Her shoulders ached painfully and she was beginning to realize how tired she was.

"Not at all! Not at all. What in the world have you been doing? Buying out a grocery store?"

She told him about the apartment. "We're going to have our first dinner there tonight. It will be the first meal I've ever cooked. I'm only beginning to learn about housework."

Pearson said he was sure the dinner would be a success. Suddenly with a rush of confidence Cherry found herself telling him all about her trials of the morning. Max Pearson wasn't hard to talk to or frustrating though he had read all those books and knew so much. He seemed really interested in the things she was saying.

"That's where we're living." She pointed out the building a few doors ahead. "There on the right. You must come to see us soon. If I weren't such an amateur at cooking I'd ask you to dinner."

"That's a promise I'm going to hold you to. I'd like very much to come."

Pearson's dark eyes flashed in a smile. Cherry thought he seemed utterly sincere and was touched. She was grateful a moment later when he insisted on carrying the packages up the stairs for her.

The second floor hallway was dark. Cherry found the latch, turned her key in it and the door opened.

"The place is a sight," she apologized. "I haven't had time to half finish and things are thrown every way."

Pearson showed the sacks of groceries on a chair. He stood in the middle of the room, hands in his pockets, and looked about. "It's homelike," he said. "I believe you've actually begun to make this room look like yourself. Yes, it's very attractive."

He swung about, facing the girl. "You have personality," Pearson said. "Did you know that? Of course you're beautiful but it's personality that makes you different from everyone else. That's why I like you. Few people have it, you know. They're like so many dry sticks or stones. You're real - your self. And you're lovely and exciting and - well, I hope we're going to be friends."

Cherry said, "Why, of course. Dan thinks so much of you. He'll want you to come to see us often."

"And you and I will be friends?" The girl's cheeks were tinged with pink. "I hope so," she said.

ALMOST immediately, rather abruptly Pearson departed. Cherry was a little puzzled by his manner. He really did seem rather unusual. But he had been friendly and she never could have managed all those packages alone.

There was no time to think more about Max Pearson. Cherry put away her coat and hat and set to work preparing dinner. She got out the cook book and hunted for instructions for cooking beefsteak. When she had found the place she propped the book open, then decided it was a little early to put the steak on the fire. She unwrapped the other packages. They seemed to fill every available bit of space in the kitchen. She had bought fresh peas because the grocer had suggested them. They were in a huge sack - two pounds. Cherry dumped the peas on a newspaper because there was no pan large enough to hold them. Armed with a paring knife she sat down to remove the pods. She did this laboriously, cutting off the ends of each pod and removing the peas one by one. The sunlight had disappeared by the time she had finished and long shadows darkened the room. Cherry straightened her shoulders. Oh, how they ached! Her feet were smarting. All day she had been wearing the only sort of shoes she owned - tiny, thin soled kid pumps with - Louis XVI heels. They were not the sort of shoes to wear tramping up and down stairs and working around a kitchen. She turned back to the cook book to find out how to prepare the potatoes. There were a dozen recipes - potatoes julienne, potatoes au gratin, potato souffle. Cherry read them all and decided the easiest way would be to bake them. She tried to light the oven and wasted half a dozen matches before she succeeded. The potatoes looked rather grimy. Cherry scrubbed them, thrust them into the oven and shut the door. It was almost 5 o'clock and Dan would be there any time now. The

dinner was far from ready. Cherry, flushed and nervous, bustled about. She put the peas on to cook, in a pan almost filled with water, dumping in a cup of salt. The steak went on next. She did not know that the skillet should be smoking hot and greased with fat before the meat went in.

In a flurry of anxiety she left the kitchen and began to set the table. There was no table cloth. The dishes had to go on the bare table top and this was a disappointment to Cherry who had visioned a table with flawless linen, shimmering crystal and silver—the sort of dinner table to which she had always sat down in her own home. There should have been candles glowing softly and a bowl of flowers.

The odor of burning beef steak suddenly recalled her to the kitchen. Oh, dear, something was wrong!

SHE caught the iron skillet handle to take it from the flame, then cried out in agony. Her whole hand was scorched. The pain was terrific and tears filled her eyes so that she could scarcely see. Something must be done about the meat! It was burning and the smoke and fumes became worse every moment. Cherry did the only thing she could think of. Groping, half-blinded, she drew a cup of water from the tap and poured it into the skillet. There was an enormous sputtering sound and clouds of steam.

The girl turned on the water tap and held her injured hand under it. How good the cold water felt! The minute she took her hand away the stinging began again.

An unfamiliar sizzling sound caused her to turn back to the stove. The water covering the peas had boiled up and was dripping over one side of the pan.

Cherry choked back an exclamation and pushed the pan from the blaze. That would not do, though. The peas would never cook unless they were over the fire. Perhaps they were done. She fished out one and tasted it. Horrible!

Cautiously Cherry dipped off some of the liquid, placed the dish over the blaze and turned it lower. Her burned hand was still painful but she could not spend more time holding it under the water.

Who would have imagined that cooking could be so difficult! Everything was wrong and everything was to be done at once. She had not even started with the celery. There were the strawberries to be washed and hulled. The rolls—horror, what had she done with them?

Moaning involuntarily because her hand was so painful, Cherry began searching for the rolls. It was no use. She must have forgotten to buy them.

Forgetful of steam and smoke and the mingled odors of burned beefsteak and vegetables, Cherry sank into a chair. The rolls—the

one thing they might have eaten without cooking—were not there.

DAN was comforting when he arrived and viewed the ruined supper. He made Cherry sit in a big chair with her hand wrapped in an oiled bandage. Then he made a trip to the neighborhood delicatessen and returned with rolls and some packages of breakfast food. Dan was persistently cheerful and finally won Cherry from her dark mood.

"Of course you can't learn it all in one night," he told her. "Nobody could. You're going to be one of the best cooks in Wellington one of these days. And right now you're the prettiest!"

"But I'm no cook at all. I spoiled everything I bought and it cost such a lot! Oh, Dan, I'm not the right wife for you at all. I don't know how to do anything—"

He answered convincingly and shortly. They finally ate a meal consisting of bowls of breakfast food bespattered with strawberries and covered with cream, celery, cups of steaming strong coffee and cheese.

Afterward they washed the dishes and put them away. It was too late and they were too tired to plan anything else for the evening.

Cherry did not even remember to tell Dan about her meeting with Max Pearson.

The week that followed was the busiest, the most exhausting and the most disappointing. Cherry Phillips had never known. She had much to learn and to unlearn. She found that trying to prepare the sort of meals she would have ordered in a hotel dining room was a mistake. Simple food and simple recipes were best with the limited facilities of the tiny kitchen.

There were mornings when the milk was sour for breakfast because Cherry had forgotten to order ice. There were evenings when the chops were like rubber, the potatoes underdone and the dessert hopeless.

A bright spot in the week was the visit Sarah O'Fallon paid the apartment. For one thing, Sarah insisted on taking off her coat and stirring up a batch of muffins. She showed Cherry exactly how to do it. Sarah had practical suggestions galore and all of them proved helpful.

Cherry's housekeeping improved. They had been in the apartment 10 days when Dan suggested casually, "Mind if I ask Max to come out tomorrow evening?"

Cherry said, "Of course not. Ask him for dinner."

It was Max who called next day to say the invitation had been eagerly accepted. It was a rainy, dismal morning. Cherry, looking out the window, was pleased at the prospect of spending the evening at home. She was pleased at the thought of seeing Pearson again.

She did not dream that so long as she lived she was never to forget that night.

(To Be Continued)

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY SISTER MARY
NEA Service Writer

It wasn't so many years ago that a bride attacked her first days in the kitchen with prayers and tears. Experience often proved a "dear" teacher and good results were attained only after a long period of trial and error with its consequent waste of materials. Now modern methods used with modern food products have demonstrated that long practice is not necessary. Accuracy in measuring and in following tested and reliable recipes is the keynote of good cooking.

There are three factors which must be measured accurately every time a meal is prepared or a cake is baked. Time, temperature and ingredients, measured exactly, all determine the goodness of the finished product. A reliable recipe will tell you how much of each ingredient to use, how long and at what temperature to cook the confection.

Use Standard Measurements

Then you will need standard cups and spoons to measure the ingredients. An ordinary coffee cup or teaspoon should never be used for there is a difference and that difference may mean the ruin of a recipe. A tablespoon means a standard measuring spoon level full and while the difference between the two is small, the difference may mean the ruin of a recipe. A standard measuring spoon level full and while the difference between the two is small, the difference may mean the ruin of a recipe.

Remember that flour is sifted once before measuring. It should be piled lightly in the cup and the cup tapped lightly to fill the air

holes, but it should not be packed down.

All dry ingredients such as sugar, salt and soda should be sifted to free them of lumps. Brown

Tomorrow's Menu
BREAKFAST: Halves of grape fruit, cereal, cream, popovers, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON: Asparagus cream salad, toasted cheese sandwiches, spice cake, milk, tea.
DINNER: Salmon loaf, potatoes au gratin, new beets, ginger salad, strawberry fluff, sponge cake, milk, coffee.

SUGAR should be rolled before measuring.

To use a measuring spoon, fill it full and level it with a spatula. Cupfuls are leveled in the same way. The material is piled above the top of the spoon or cup and then a spatula or the blunt straight edge of a case knife is drawn across the top. Never dig a measuring cup into flour.

To measure one-half spoonful, divide the whole spoon lengthwise. The sets of spoons which consist of tablespoon, teaspoon, 1-2 teaspoon and 1-4 teaspoon are very convenient and make for accuracy.

If you are baking you must be sure that the oven is heated to the correct temperature. If your oven is not equipped with a thermostatic heat-control, get a portable oven thermometer to guide you.

The time element is more difficult to settle arbitrarily because many things such as atmosphere, condition of ingredients and materials used in the cooking utensils enter into this phase of cookery. However, most recipes give the time within a few minutes and with this the cook must use her own judgment.

It's amazing how soon accuracy becomes a habit. Once this habit is established, it's very easy to have perfect results every time.

AT RANGER HOSPITALS

West Texas Clinic and Hospital
Jess Quill, employee of Wichita Falls Southern railway company, who sustained painful burns Saturday, is reported by hospital attendants as resting well.

Mrs. J. G. Wheat is a patient this week.

A naturalist says that many fish can travel faster than an express train. At, he forgot to add, many others think they can.

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MONTALBA—Work started on graveling Highway 19 leading from here to Henderson county line.

VICTORIA—Work nearing completion at New Guadalupe river bridge at south end of Moody street.

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Martha Dorcas

Announcement

Mrs. Will A. Martin, president of the Martha Dorcas class of the Methodist church, announces a class meeting on Thursday afternoon, in the class room, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

A program and a social hour will be in charge of hostesses: Mrs. Guy Quinn, S. M. Harris, Odum, Sargeant, T. J. Haley, Dwyer, Adams, Creamer, Whitley and Virge Foster.

W. M. S. Methodist Church

Has Interesting Program

A program on citizenship and training of children was presented by the Women's Missionary society of the Methodist church yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, in the booster classroom.

The session was opened by Mrs. Frank Crowell, acting president, and program was prefaced by the song, "Have Thine Own Way, Lord," followed with prayer by Mrs. Fred L. Drago.

The minutes of Mrs. M. H. Kelly were approved. The program was opened by Mrs. Drago, who substituted for Mrs. W. C. Marlow, whose attendance was prevented by illness.

The major topic for discussion, "Crime," was introduced in a talk on "The Boy Bandit," by Mrs. Jack London.

"The Making of a Gangster" provided an interesting talk by Mrs. Drago, who stated that the average age of the gangster was 19 years, and gave the background that was conducive to lawlessness in youth.

The devotion by Mrs. B. E. McGlamery brought a fine talk on "Citizens' Preventative Means for Crime."

The hymn, "Open Mine Eyes, That I May See," concluded the program, for which Mrs. T. J. Haley was accompanist.

Next Monday afternoon the W. M. S. will present a literary program with Mrs. Iola Mitchell as teacher, who will discuss the seventh and eighth chapters, "Open Gates of Prayer."

Those present: Mrs. Frank Crowell, Earl Bender, S. M. Kenney, B. E. McGlamery, B. L. Markall, M. H. Kelly, J. Frank Sparks, F. L. Drago, Guy Dunnham, Robert Pierson, Claud Stubblefield, Jack London, Ed Graham, T. M. Johnson, W. W. Kelly, T. J. Haley, Iola Mitchell, B. D. Gates, J. C. Stephen, W. E. Coleman, W. P. Leslie, C. C. Ligon, Dulin, and Little Rae June Stubblefield.

Children's Hour Tomorrow

Afternoon Club

The children's hour will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock in Community Clubhouse, and those children who have not registered as members, are also invited to attend.

The story will be related by Mrs. Leslie Gray, who will give a group of negro dialect yarns, that are intensely interesting.

The month of June is in charge of Mrs. Perkins, and others will be assigned for July and August story-telling hours as chairmen, who in turn appoint their own raconteurs.

CALENDAR

Tonight

Dragoo studio recital, 8 p. m., auditorium, Methodist church, public invited.

Wednesday

Children's story hour, 9 a. m., community clubhouse; Mrs. J. M. Perkins, chairman; Mrs. Leslie Gray in charge. All children invited.

Public library open 2 to 5:30 p. m., community clubhouse, Bethany class, 3 p. m., Mrs. Lewis Pitzer, house hostess.

Boys' and Girls' World club, 4 p. m., Methodist church.

Prayer meeting services, 8 p. m., all churches.

A treat is in store for the children. In addition to the new story, there will be the display of the little theatre, on the stage of which a colorful scene from Lotus Blossom and Moon Flower, told last week, will be depicted.

A genuine reproduction of a proscenium opening, with black velvet hangings at either side, was arranged. The stage is laid in genuine Chinese miniature rug. Pale green lanterns, most artistic in design, swing across the stage from pendant silk ropes.

A gold and scarlet four leaved screen, in one corner, is balanced by a blue screen, with purple and gold embroideries in the other.

The Lotus Blossom sits at ease on a stool with a paper fan in her hand, and a huge fan back of her. While Moon Flower, the little drudge, stands beside the teakwood table, ready to pour tea from the set of genuine Chinese drinking vessels, in miniature form.

All furnishings are real Chinese art objects and the entire setup is exquisitely artistic. The stage was made by Messrs. A. H. Johnson and J. M. Perkins and the setting and furnishings are due to the artistic taste and nimble fingers of Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Perkins.

The story of the setting is illustrated in the furnishings and by paper fans and lanterns. Little Lotus Blossom and little Moon Flower were required to carry fire in paper and wind in paper before they were allowed to visit their home so runs the ancient Chinese legend. And this is the Chinese account of the origin of the first paper fan and first paper lantern.

A different story will be built on the stage by the children under the direction of Mrs. Johnson at the morning story hour Wednesday following Mrs. Gray's entertainment.

It has been suggested that this would be a keen way for the little theatre to announce an intended play, by arranging a scene from the production on a miniature stage for display downtown.

The children's little theatre may be found in Wolf's window.

Informal Bridge is Given By Mrs. Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Johnson arranged two tables of bridge last night in honor of Mrs. Johnson's guests, Miss Elva Rogers and Miss Dorothy Smith of Marshall.

The informal little home evening was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Conner, Mrs. Allen D. Dabney, Sam Conner and Earl Conner Jr.

Iced punch, cakes, and mints were served.

Committees Appointed for Cisco District Convention

Mrs. Frank Crowell, president pro tem of the Women's Missionary society of the Methodist church, has appointed the following committees, in charge of the coming Cisco district convention, which opens next Friday at 9 a. m., for an all day session in the Methodist church in Eastland, with the noon luncheon served by women of the society.

Several noted out of town district officers will be in attendance.

Committees: Reception—Mrs. Frank Crowell, T. J. Haley and W. W. Kelly.

Registration—Mrs. E. H. Jones, Earl Woody, M. H. Kelly, and Guy Parker.

Decorations—Mrs. J. Frank Sparks, J. C. Stephen, and Earl Bender.

Table—Mrs. W. F. Davenport.

Iowa Rivals



Prohibition promises to be the dominant issue in Iowa's senatorial election next November for Louis Murphy (top), of Dubuque, has won the Democratic nomination on a dripping wet platform, while Henry Field (below), colorful Shenandoah seedman, who defeated Senator Smith W. Brookhart for the Republican nomination, is an out-and-out dry. That's coffee Field is drinking. You can tell by the spoon in the cup.

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The background of lovely flowers, floor lamps with shaded lights and fern-bordered choir rail, accentuated the beauty of arrangements over which a soft light was shed by the side wall candle sconces.

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T. M. Johnson, Harris, Gates, Frank Castleberry, R. E. Sikes, T. M. Collier, Kinard, Jack London, Food and Serving—Mrs. A. H. Johnson, B. M. Collier, H. O. Satterwhite, W. E. Coleman, Jonathan Jones, Dunnham, Griffin, and James Harkrider.

A pianist will be appointed later and music will be provided during the luncheon hour.

Each member of the society is requested to contribute one covered dish for the luncheon.

For particulars phone Mrs. Crowell, 326.

Eastland People Assisted Generously With Sunshine Singing Convention Hospitality.

Mrs. W. T. Young and Mrs. J. M. Smith express their thanks to those who furnished a bedroom and luncheon for the T-P Sunshine singer delegates on their recent convention and the tourist camps, which donated a cabin each for use of guests.

The personal hospitality was extended by Judge R. L. Rust, J. W. Harrell, Mrs. Iola Mitchell, W. E. Coleman, J. F. McWilliams, W. E. Stallter, A. L. Gargaley, R. F. Jones, E. C. Cathey, R. D. Mahon, T. L. Cooper, J. C. Day, Frank D. Robertson, J. N. Norton, Milton Newman, A. E. Leclair, Clyde L. Garrett, E. L. Woods, Frank Tucker, R. L. Rowe, L. O. Lynch, W. C. Marlow, Howard Breck, A. E. Herring, L. J. Lambert, Sterl Turner, and Mrs. W. T. Young, and J. M. Smith.

The camps were "The Modern," P. Michael, proprietor; "Gary's," H. C. Fary, proprietor, and "Red Top," J. Finney, proprietor.

The Connelise hotel contributed five rooms for guests' use.

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THIS IS the posy-edged scarf, a new fashion forecast for summer evening wear. It is usually of chiffon ends attached to a collar of small flowers.

students not presented last night, will begin at 8 o'clock. Public invited.

Church of Christ Bible Class

The Women's Bible class of the Church of Christ was hosted by Mrs. H. E. Lawrence yesterday afternoon at her home.

Mrs. L. Herring presented a fine lesson, concerning the imprisonment of Paul.

The program opened with the song, "Lord, I Give My Life to Thee." Prayer was led by Mrs. J. B. Downtain.

It was announced that the Bible class will meet next Monday at the residence of Mrs. Pickett in Hillcrest.

The hostess served a refreshing iced course with angel food cake squares to Mrs. John Fehl, W. L. Harbin, Jim Harrell, J. R. Boggus, Claud Crossley, H. C. Duke, J. R. Crossley, M. P. Herring, J. B. Downtain, S. S. Brawnner, L. Herring, W. W. Walters, W. T. Self, H. E. Everett, E. N. Coplen, James Graham, Clifford Fehl, Guy Sherrill, R. B. Reagan, B. E. Roberson, and guests from the Methodist church, Mrs. M. E. Champion, D. G. Hunt, L. J. Kilgough, and Milton Lawrence.

The meeting was dismissed by Mrs. J. R. Crossley.

W. M. S. Baptist Church Enjoys Rev. Muston's Lesson.

The Women's Missionary society of the Baptist church have changed their hour of meeting to 4 p. m., for the hot summer months, and met with the response of a good attendance at their session held Monday afternoon, conducted by the president of W. M. S., Mrs. S. C. Walker.

Mrs. T. J. Pitts was at the piano for the program, which opened with the song, "Close to Thee," followed by invocation by Mrs. Marvin Hood.

A novel speaker was introduced, Miss Henderson of Baylor college at Belton, engaged in advance propaganda for the college, and who made a stirring appeal for Christian schools.

The Baptist workers' conference, in session in Caddo today, was announced. Also that dinner would be served on the grounds by the women of the Baptist church of Caddo.

An absorbingly interesting lesson by Rev. W. H. Muston, the Book of Matthew, was given.

The speaker stated the period in which the book was written was 68 A. D., and that the key word of the book was "Kingdom," or "Fulfilled," and that the book was divided into five divisions. First, the proof that Jesus was the Messiah; second, entrance of Messiah on his work; third, teaching and work of Messiah; fourth, suffering of Messiah; and fifth, trial and resurrection of Messiah.

A missionary program under the direction of Mrs. Marvin Hood, who will be assisted by the Y. W. A. girls on the program, which has "Christian Education" for subject, will be presented next Monday afternoon by the W. M. S.

Those present: Mrs. S. C. Walker, Nora Andrews, W. P. Palm, John Williams, T. J. Pitts, Joe Neal, R. L. Jones, Lillie Herndon, A. J. Campbell, Jim Drake, Lee Campbell, Marvin Hood, R. L. Young, and house guest, Miss Maxine Packett; Miss Young, Miss Henderson of Belton, and Rev. Muston.

So far the only thing the republicans and democrats have agreed on is that the farmer should get higher prices for his crops and that food prices in the cities should be lowered.

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FIND VITAMIN A SOURCE

By United Press.

MADISON, Wis.—Pure carotin, the yellow coloring matter present in carrots and tomatoes, is the most common source of vitamin A, but vitamin A is colorless, according to reports of experimentation at the University of Wisconsin college of agriculture. They also demonstrated that feeding of pure carotin to laying hens does not result in any appreciable increase in the yellow color of the yolks of eggs laid by these hens. Crude carotin extract, however, did produce a change in the yolk color, indicating that other colored compounds than pure carotin are responsible for the pigmentation of egg yolks.

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