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COTTON JUMPS \$12 A BALE IN A SINGLE WEEK

New Orleans is the cotton market center for the South, east and west of the Mississippi river. According to wired reports with October contracts advancing to 7.37 Aug. 10, the price of cotton advanced this week practically \$12 a bale, or nearly 50 per cent as compared with the low price of the season about six weeks ago.

Incidentally, the republican key men surrounding President Hoover have announced that "returning prosperity" will be the battle cry in the fierce struggle to re-elect the great engineer. Indeed, Former Sen. Henry J. Allen of Kansas, publicity director for the republican party, made this announcement: "It is natural for us to believe the business upturn will be permanent."

Standard Oil company of California has reported a net profit for the second quarter of 1932 of \$3,986,302, or slightly more than 30 cents a share, compared with slightly less than 10 cents a share in the light 1931 quarter and 22 cents a share in the first quarter of this year.

As a matter of fact, the great staples of Texas are cotton, livestock, wool and mohair and petroleum. There are other staples which place millions in the pockets of producers. Texas is getting to be a wheat producing state. Its growers were hard hit in recent years. Cotton for a century was the new money crop for the South and the Southwest. Its export business kept the balance of trade on the American side of the ledger.

Livestock prices have moved upward. Wool sales have been very heavy at fair prices. Conditions are said to be very favorable in the livestock sections of Texas. Now it is for the voters to keep prosperity on the wing by seeing to it that the federal aid money of \$15,000,000 is matched dollar for dollar in order that 25,000 idle laborers in the rural sections of the commonwealth shall be given employment at fair wages the coming year.

There is a way to do it. Return Sterling, the constitutional candidate for governor, to the office which he has held with dignity and ability and courage. Repudiate proxy government with its evils by a smashing majority Aug. 27. Keep the constitutional government founded by the fathers in control of affairs and make it possible for a victory for the ideals and practices of all the constitutional governors that Texas has known and push along the car of progress and prosperity until depression as well as the seeds of discontent and disorder are wiped out under American skies.

PROXY GOVERNMENT IN TEXAS A LABOR MENACE

There are 100,000 laborers in Texas dependent upon the construction of highways. Federal aid calls for the state to match dollar for dollar of the money appropriated by the American congress to assist in the work of lifting all Texas out of the mud. A diversion of \$10,000,000 from the highway fund is the plan of the proxyites led by a chieftain who would not be responsible to the organic law of Texas or the advice of his fellow men.

Because of the experience which the federal bureau of federal roads had with proxy government, 1925 and 1926, federal aid for Texas will be jeopardized if the proxy advocate of that form of government which is unconstitutional and not responsible to the statutory law of the state, should win. There is available for next year \$15,000,000 federal aid. Of this amount \$7,000,000 is the regular annual allotment which must be matched with \$7,000,000 state funds.

Now get this: The other \$8,000,000 is the Texas portion of a recent federal emergency appropriation for the relief of unemployment and does not have to be matched with state funds. In other words, Texas has the opportunity to build \$22,000,000 worth of federal highways in 1933 by expending \$7,000,000 in Texas money. Can Texas (the democratic voters of Texas) afford to place in jeopardy this vast amount of highway construction in face of the present economic and unemployment condition?

From many sections of Texas petitions are pouring in imploring Governor Sterling to ask for approximately \$5,000,000 to relieve the immediate necessities of those who are facing hunger in this commonwealth. Why throw away federal aid for the highways? Why vote for the destruction of the highway system? Why vote to throw thousands of workers out of employment? Texans who are qualified voters should get out of their trance and face the real issues involved in this campaign which will be settled at the finals in the last week of the month.

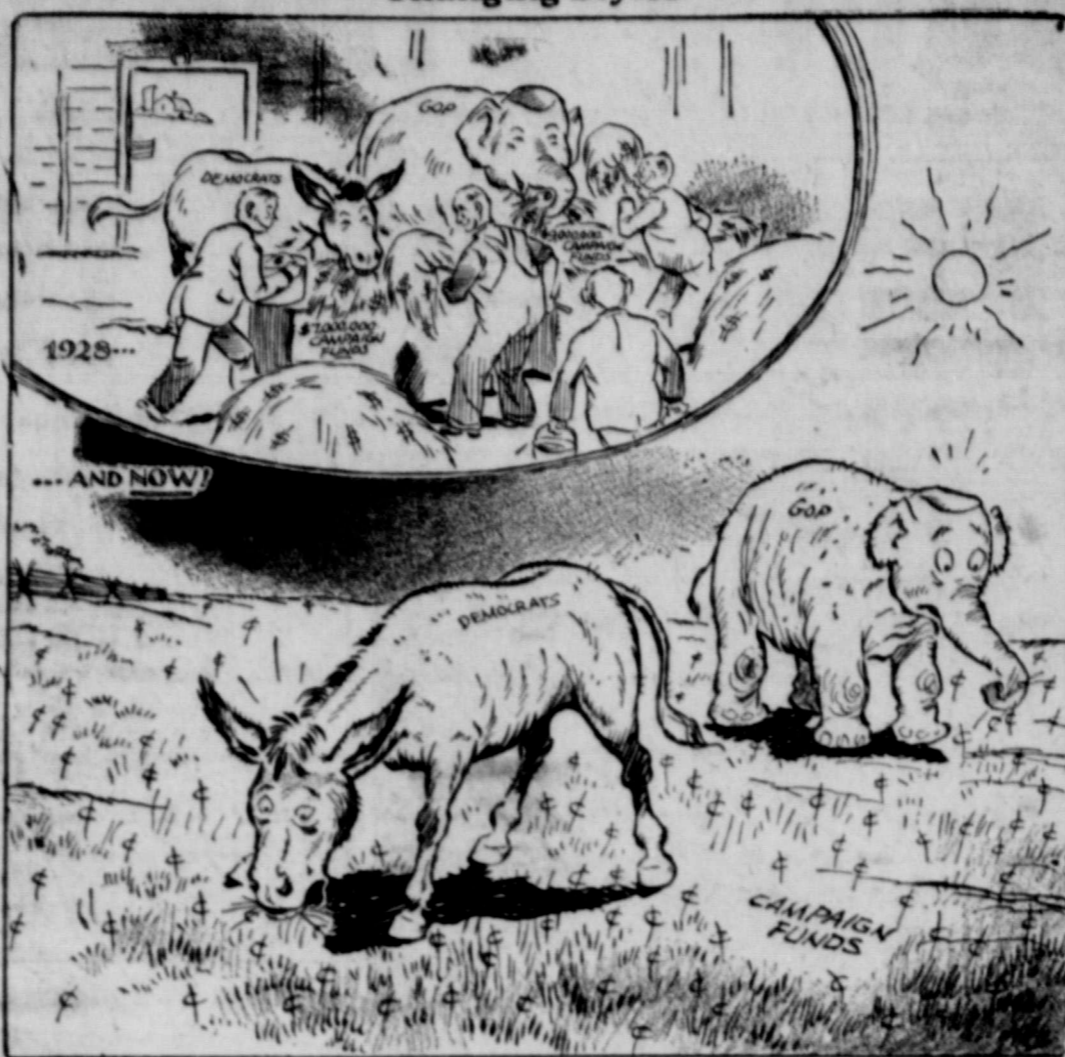
UNCLE SAM CLOSES CANTEENS TO THE PUBLIC

Well, it has come to pass that the United States Army is withdrawing from competition with private merchants. Leavenworth is an army post. It is the location of a federal penitentiary. A war department order has been issued providing that army officers may not purchase food, clothing, cigars and other articles at the post exchanges at Fort Leavenworth. Many Leavenworth merchants were being forced into bankruptcy through competition of the military post exchanges which were enabled to sell many articles at considerably lower than the market price elsewhere.

It is quite interesting to listen to various speakers over the radio paint in colors that would befit Washington, Lincoln or Wilson, the character of various candidates for office whose only qualifications are an itch for public office.

You should praise your home city and boost with all your might.

Changing Styles



Markets

Table listing various market items and their prices, including American Cotton, Am P & L, Am F Pwr, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Alaska Juneau, A T & S F Ry, Barnardall, Beth Steel, Byers A M, Canada Dry, Case J I, Chrysler, Coss Oil, Curtis Wright, Conti Oil, Elect Au L, Elec St Bat, Foster Wheel, Fox Films, Gen Elec, Gen Mot, Gillette S R, Goodyear, Houston Oil, Int Cement, Int Harrow, Johns Manville, Kroger G & B, Liq Carb, Montg Ward, M & T Ry, Nat Dairy, N Y Cent Ry, Ohio Oil, Penney J C, Para Public, Penn Ry, Phillips P, Pure Oil, Purdy Bak, Radio, R K O, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, U S Gypsum, Stan Oil N J, Studebaker, Texas Corp, Texas Gulf Sul, Tex Pac C & O, United Corp, Southern Pac, U S Int Ale, U S Steel, Vanadium, Warner P, Westing Elec, Worthington, Carg Stocks, Elec Bond & Sh, Ford M Ltd, Gulf Oil Ipa, Humble Oil, Husk Hud Pwr, Lone Star, Stan Oil Ind.

Table with columns for High, Low, Close, and Prev. prices for various commodities like Cotton, Wheat, Corn, Oats, Rye, and Soybeans.

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PLANT BLOOMS AT NIGHT
HOQUIAM, Wash.—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Corum have a curious plant which blooms only at night. The unusual blooming has caused much attention and has attracted many florists throughout the Pacific northwest.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



HOMING PIGEONS, unless trained for night flying, roost at night wherever darkness overtakes them. The birds trained by the French for secret night work were kept in darkened rooms from the moment of hatching, and were fed by the light of red lamps. When they learned to fly, they underwent systematic training of homing to a red light. Although results were far from satisfactory, the American army was preparing to teach night flying to some of its pigeons at the time the armistice came.

NEXT: Will a grape float in soda water?

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

THAT promptness in meeting every obligation you owe your home city reflects honesty and a determination to make yourself a real citizen.

Disregard for those things that go to make a busier city indicates poor business judgment and a lack of ambition to help yourself.

You should make your city known far and wide as the best city in which to live and make a living.

The home city, living up to its reputation, will develop faster because its achievements of the past will be surpassed and new standards set for the future.

A safe city in which to invest money is a city that has demonstrated a normal development from year to year, proving its claim to a greater future.

If citizens don't stand together, their city will have no standing anywhere.

A city must not live in the days of yesterday, but in the days of today and tomorrow. The citizens of the home city must pull together and work together in order to keep step with progress.

In many cities there is quite a gap between what the city is and what it should be. It takes men of vision to build a city. Cities that are without men of vision start nowhere and get nowhere.

Real citizens are not judged by what they intend to do, but by what they really do.

PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE with BILL MAYES

There was quite a controversy around the Times office yesterday afternoon about the proper spelling of a word. The word was very simple, but the fact that it is seldom used caused the argument, because most of us had never had occasion to write the word.

The word in question is either crop or craw. It is that part of a chicken where the food is stored after eating and before it reaches the stomach. It popped up in a story and was written "craw." The linotype operator changed it to "crop." The proofreader changed it to "craw" and the arguments started.

In order to get the argument settled a look like we will have to divide the force into the pro and anti crop group and enter into some kind of a contest to decide which is correct. Ernest Glazner and the knothole peeper are on the crop side while Gripping Gus and Herman Peol are in favor of craw. Of course there are one or two who are more or less neutral, but President Hoover and the prohibition question, they may be forced to express their views, even though they do express them in such a way that no one can tell just what they mean.

Gus claims that he is going to make an issue of the question and call on the readers, if any, to rally around the standards of the side they think is right. That may be all right, but it might start a city-wide argument just like it split the Times force into two groups. Being pro-crop and anti-craw, we naturally think we are right just as the anti-crop and pro-craw group does.

Yesterday we went with W. C. Blackmond out to the city pump station and made a more or less personal inspection of the plant. There was a lot that we didn't understand, but it was all mighty interesting, just the same. If everyone in the city could make a personal visit to the plant and have it explained to them, they would get a much better idea of the care and precaution that is taken to see that the city water is absolutely pure.

We are not going, at this time, into a discussion of the plant and the cleanliness of the water, but the trip to the plant was well worth while. Mr. Blackmond showed us the pump room, where a small pumping unit pumps the water from the middle of the lake at a depth of some 18 feet into the purification plant. Here it is sprayed out by a waterwheel arrangement that is an invention of Mr. Blackmond's. The water is spread out so that the first chemical treatment can reach all parts of the water. It is settled to let part of the solids and impurities go to the bottom and the clear water is again treated and filtered before it is pumped into the city mains. Two tests a day are made to see that the proper treatment is being given.

Mr. Blackmond made one test while we were there in order to show us how it was done. The whole arrangement of the machinery, the pumps, motors and other equipment is interesting to see and the purification process, when explained, would convince anyone that the city water is about the best water one could find to drink.

Incidentally, the people of Ranger are very fortunate this year, because, after the spillway of the lake was cut to let out the flood waters some one more rains fell in unusual quantities, so that now the lake is once more full, clear up to the top of the spillway.

Enough water remained in the lake to last the city for a little more than a year without a serious water shortage facing the people. In a year of ordinary rainfall the lake would still lack something like a foot or two of being full.

If you have half an hour or so to spare, and are in any way doubtful about the city water, just drive out to the city pump station and ask to be shown around. If Mr. Blackmond is not too busy at the time we are sure he will be glad to show you the plant, because he is justly proud of it. Then go to the city hall and look over the analysis of the water, made by the state and see how the water comes up to department of health standards of both the state and the federal health departments.

Ely Defends

(Continued from Page 1) state institutions and would not be reflected in any tax reduction whatever. Referring briefly to a comparison of the operations of the highway department under the present administration and under the Ferguson administration, Ely said that Ferguson had been known to ship crushed stone from points in Arkansas and Missouri to points in Texas as far west as Alpine, when there was an adequate supply of stone in Texas much closer and could be transported at a much lower freight rate, besides giving employment to Texas labor.

Under the present system, contracts from the highway department are let to the lowest bidder. The bids are opened in the presence of the whole commission and representatives of the newspapers, according to Ely. Under the Ferguson regime the bids were opened in secret and the contracts let behind closed doors, he contended. "I don't want to antagonize Ferguson supporters," said Ely. "What I want to do is to inform them of actual conditions and show them that Ross Sterling is in spirit and in truth a friend of the masses."

The TIMES STORY BY HAL COCHRAN PICTURES BY JOE



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

ALL through the night the Tines slept, while one kind little monkey kept watch over every one of them until the break of dawn. And then it scrambled from the hut to go and find a coconut. When Scouty woke up he exclaimed, "Our little monkey's gone."

"I hope it doesn't go too far and simply leave us where we are. We may not be so welcome all alone in Monkey Land."

"But, come, let's jump up to our feet and fix our grass beds nice and neat. We'll have our hut slicked up real soon, if each one lends a hand."

ALL of the Tines worked away until they heard wee Windy say, "We've finished here, so now let's go and find some food to eat."

"I do not know what it will be, but anything appeals to me. I am so hungry I can hardly stand upon my feet."

Just then, as quiet as a mouse, the monkey entered their grass house. It startled all the Tines when it chattered long and loud. "Gee! Look!" said Copsy. "A treat. It's brought us some food to eat." The monkey had coconuts for each one in a crowd.

"THIS makes a breakfast for me," said Copsy. "I fairly sing. There's milk in a coconut, as sweet as it can be. Let's take our time and eat one. I think it will be lots of them. We'll go outside one and see what we can see."

When they had finished their meal, wee Duncy said, "Good! And then he bunched outdoors and shouted, 'What luck.' A monkey can just outside and Duncy just rode. The lad was a good bit, but to the monkey's stock."

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Wichita Falls To Have Golf Tourney On September 2

WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 17.—More than 100 golfers, most of them from Northwest Texas, are expected to leave the No. 1 tee at the Wichita Falls Golf and Country club Sept. 2 in quest of the championship of the fifth annual invitation tournament. Early interest indicates the finest field ever to start in the event, and practically every club in this section of the state will be represented.

The fourth Mrs. John's dress for her wedding, which is going to be a mighty tough one to get ready, took two hours to get ready. THE NEEDS OF THE FARM CAN BE HAD HERE. Montgomery Ward & Co., Ranger, Texas.

90-Pound Man Holds State Title

GRAND ISLAND, Neb.—Fat man in Nebraska are having a contest to see who weighs the most. In Livingston, 31-year-old Atkinson butcher, was the first to make a claim. Livingston tips the scales at 435 pounds and he challenged anyone to better that mark. Kenneth Rontfrow, of Grand Island, went Livingston one better and showed that he weighed 452 pounds. A fellow business man, John Knickrehm, weighed 368. But the title holder at present is J. E. Paxton, a taxicab driver from Sargent, Neb. Paxton, who claims that his weight is due to drinking liberally of corn bread and pork, weighs 590 pounds. He is 5 feet, 10 inches, around the waist.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic run-off primary election, Aug. 27, 1932: Judge 88th District Court: BURLETTE W. PATTERSON FRANK SPARKS

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

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OUT OUR WAY



The Newfangles (Mou 'n' Pop)

By Cowan



West Texas Press Association to Meet August 19

By United Press. BIG SPRING.—A full two-day program has been completed for the annual convention of the West Texas Press association to be held Friday and Saturday, Aug. 19 and 20.

The program includes banquets and luncheons and an 18-hole medal-play golf tournament to be run off Saturday.

Charles A. Guy, publisher of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal and president of the association, will make the opening address.

Special attention is to be given the Question Box session Saturday. Questions and suggestions contributed to the Question Box will be brought before the convention.

Ralph Shuffler of the Odessa News-Times and vice president of the organization, is in charge of the Question Box.

The annual banquet will be held Friday night. James M. North, editor of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, will be toastmaster.

Luther Watson of the Nolan County News will be in charge of the Friday morning session.

HOUSTON.—Construction of new church and rectory buildings for Holy Rosary parish, to be started soon.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



for LOVE or MONEY by H.W. CORLEY

BEGIN HERE TODAY MONA MORAN, receptionist in a Wall Street law office, is in love with HARRY TOWNSEND, a well-known and socially prominent, whom she met through STEVE SACCA-BELLI, her childhood sweetheart. Steve and Harry have just returned from South America where—largely by chance—Steve became associated with Harry in operating a diamond mine. Steve believed worthless but now valuable. Steve owns a huge diamond called "The Empress of Peru." Gangsters try to steal the stone but he outwits them. Steve has earned Mona's gratitude by befriending her errand brother, BIRD, sending him to South America and giving him a job at the mine. Mona needs \$500 for hospital treatment for her invalid father. Her employer agrees to loan her the money and then makes an amazing proposal: He tells Mona a wealthy client of the firm wishes to marry her immediately with the understanding she shall occupy her own apartment, have unlimited charge accounts and do whatever she wishes for a year. At the end of that time she may become the man's wife or return her money and a divorce. She asks the man's name and is told it is Harry Townsend. Mona agrees. Her friend, LOTTIE CARL, fashion model, goes over her to the Townsend. There Mona learns it is Harry's wish that she should marry him. She is to marry young Harry and Steve have both asked for South America. However, Harry tells Mona she is to go through with the ceremony. She and Lottie depart immediately. NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXV MONA was relieved to find that her mother accepted the sudden marriage without question. "Married!" she cried delightedly when Mona arrived at the flat and told her the news. "Sure and I thought something was up when you two girls got your heads together. Who is it now—Steve?" Mona shook her head. "Oh, not Steve, Mother! It's Mr. Townsend."

Guest Tickets to Arcadia Theatre



Write A Funny Gag for These Two Lunatics about it. It struck you as being particularly humorous—or with revision might hold possibilities for a good movie gag. Write it down on paper. Fewer the words it takes to describe it the better. Be brief. Address it to Gag Editor, care of Ranger Times, Ranger, Texas, before Saturday night. Prizes are as follows: For the best gag, 10 theatre passes, second prize 7 theatre passes, third prize, 5 passes; fourth prize, 2 passes. Start thinking about your gag now and send it in as soon as possible.

SPEAKING OF SPORTS

By GEORGE KIRKSEY, United Press Staff Correspondent. Writer Jots Down Few Notes on Big League Stars. A few notes on ball players and ball clubs: Rogers Hornsby, deposed manager of the Chicago Cubs, who has put in nearly 18 years in the National league, may transfer his affiliations to the American league next season. He has played with four National league clubs—Cards, Giants, Braves, Cubs—while the others with one exception do not seem to have a place for a man of his caliber. Because of his friendship with Phil Ball, owner of the St. Louis Browns, Hornsby may catch on with them. "I don't know where I'll be next year, but I'll be some place as a player, coach or manager," said Hornsby when he went into retirement for the year on his farm at Anglum, Mo. Lew Fonseca, manager of the Chicago White Sox, told President J. Louis Comiskey, he was ready to resign if he didn't get some more ball players and Comiskey told him to get out and get them himself. Fonseca then went searching through the International league and American association for new talent. National league players regard Floyd Vaughan, young Pittsburgh shortstop, as the best first-year player of 1932. American league players regard Monte Weaver, Washington pitcher, as the best first-year man in the league. The White Sox now have a three-inch red stripe around their hosery, hoping the new color-scheme will change their luck. Two members of the Chicago Cubs are tattooed. Pat Malone has an American flag on his arm and Rollie Hemley a hootchee-coochee dancer on his anatomy. Since John J. McGraw's retirement, George Gibson of Pittsburgh is said to be the strictest disciplinarian in the majors. It's rumored that Frankie Frisch will get a major league managerial job within two years, maybe next season, with some other club than the Cardinals. Lon Warneke, Chicago Cubs' pitching sensation, chews the biggest wad of tobacco in the majors, not excluding Art Shires. The White Sox are thinking of trying to buy Bill Simmons from the Athletics this winter. GHOSTLY BELL SHOT NEBRASKA CITY, Neb.—While Herman Lueck, an Otse County farmer, was putting his horses to pasture the evening air was disturbed by the whirr of flapping wings and the distinct sound of a tinkling bell. Lueck spotted the phenomenon. It was a large bird. When he finally brought the creature down with a shotgun, he discovered it was a common screech owl perched on the neck of the bird. Fathers on the head gave the bird the appearance of a bald-headed eagle. It measured 65 inches from tip to tip.

BASEBALL

TEXAS LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Galveston 4, Fort Worth 3, San Antonio 5, Longview 4, Dallas 9, Beaumont 7, Houston 18, Tyler 6.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. New York 13-7, Detroit 8-3, Cleveland 3, Philadelphia 2, Washington 5, Chicago 3, St. Louis 3, Boston 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Chicago 61-50, Pittsburgh 61-52, Brooklyn 62-56, Philadelphia 59-58, Boston 58-59, St. Louis 56-57, New York 62-60, Cincinnati 51-68.

Today's Schedule

St. Louis at Boston. Chicago at Washington. Detroit at New York. Cleveland at Philadelphia.

Yesterday's Results

Pittsburgh 4, Brooklyn 0. St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2. New York 2, Cincinnati 1. Chicago 4, Boston 3.

Today's Schedule

Brooklyn at Pittsburgh. Philadelphia at St. Louis. Boston at Chicago. New York at Cincinnati.

LETTER GUIDES FLIERS.

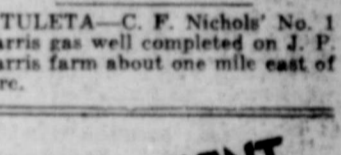
NEWTON, Mass.—A huge letter "N" recently was erected on the Frank A. Day junior high school, in Newtonville, to direct airplane pilots.

SPECIAL PRICE ON Children's Haircuts 25c (High school students included) GHOLSON HOTEL BARBER SHOP Basement of the Gholson

THIS ENGLISH STAR MAKES BOW TO AMERICAN FANS

In Paramount's "Reserved for Ladies," featuring Leslie Howard, who recently played opposite Ann Harding in "Devotion," motion picture fans will see Elizabeth Allan, one of England's most popular stage and screen personalities. This strikingly handsome and intriguing star of the English screen plays the leading feminine role opposite Howard and shares the honors of the picture with that clever actor.

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# Local--Eastland--Social

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**Tonight.**  
Young Women's association, Baptist church, presents missionary playlet, Mrs. J. J. Lambert, director, 8 p. m., lower auditorium, friends cordially invited.  
Called meeting, Flatwood rural club and community, 8 p. m., to discuss Flatwood community fair, and select committees.

**Children's story hour, 9 a. m.,** community clubhouse, Mrs. Fred L. Dragon and Claude G. Stubblefield, chairman program.  
Clove Leaf club, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. W. E. Bradner, house hostess.  
Tahiti group, Camp Fire Girls, 4 p. m., residence guardian, Mrs. W. E. Falm.  
Rebekah Lodge, 8 p. m., L. O. O. F. hall.  
Pythian Sisters, 8 p. m., K. of P. hall.  
Rabbit Breeders' association, 8 p. m., courthouse.  
Elks sport dance, 9 p. m., Elks clubhouse, Harrison Thomas, Lowell Thomas, sponsors.

**Passant Tonight.**  
An interesting program will be presented by the Young Women's association in the lower auditorium of Baptist church, tonight, after prayer meeting service.  
The program playlet is for use in promotion of Baptist work, and character depicted, and names of the various departments of work, are given the persons taking part.  
Several young people of the association will appear. The program is directed by Mrs. J. J. Lambert, counselor for the group.  
All those interested, whether members of this church or not are extended a cordial invitation to attend.

**Entertains With Breakfast-Bridge Thursday Morning.**  
Mrs. A. H. Johnson will entertain at her home on South Seaman street with breakfast at 9 o'clock, Thursday morning, and bridge following, honoring her house guest, Miss Elvise Peterson of Marshall, Miss Letty Belle Wills of Fort Worth, the guest of Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin, Miss Dorothy Eppner of Gorman, guest of Mrs. B. M. Collins, and Mrs. W. E. Beard of Dallas, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. May Harrison.  
This will be one of the smart affairs of the summer season.

**Week-End at Buffalo Gap.**  
Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Little and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cox Jr., returned home Sunday from a wonderful week's camping trip at Buffalo Gap.  
They report a fine time, and are enthusiastic over the site and surroundings.  
They attended the reception tendered Governor Sterling's wife, and state that this smart affair was most enjoyable, and with a large audience present.

**Auxiliary Church of God.**  
The Women's Auxiliary of the Church of God is busy preparing for the coming needs of Warner Memorial university, and work at these various undertakings on each occasion of their meetings.  
Last week a portion of the auxiliary members devoted the day of the work of preserving peaches for the university.  
Yesterday, the auxiliary again met at the university and spent the time working on quilts for the dormitory, for which 17 protectors were made and attached to as many covers.  
The session opened with Mrs. Hatford, president, in the chair, and later the devotional was conducted by Mrs. D. K. Williamson.  
The next meeting will be held at the university and the work in hand will be continued.

**Members present, were Misses: Hatford, J. E. Wilson, B. E. Galloway, Essie Parry, William Mahaffey, E. O. Bailey, Mary Mahaffey, and D. K. Williamson.**  
Many members were busy at their homes canning and this prevented a larger attendance at Tuesday's meeting, it was said.

**Visited Mrs. McGlamery.**  
Mrs. Bert McGlamery was hostess to Miss Clara Belle Lightfoot and sister, Miss Luella Lightfoot of San Antonio, her cousins, from Sunday to Tuesday. The Lightfoots formerly resided in Eastland, their parents being old settlers of this county.  
Part of the time of her visitors and Mrs. McGlamery was spent in Gorman, with Mrs. E. W. Kimble, whom Mrs. H. M. Lightfoot and son, J. C. Lightfoot, the mother and brother of the young girls, were visiting.  
The Lightfoot family had spent the summer in California and stopped here en route to their home.

**Entertaining Guests.**  
Miss Elvise Peterson of Marshall, Texas, who arrived Tuesday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Johnson, was entertained with dinner in kitchen by her host and hostess, whose other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barlow, the party enjoying dinner at the hotel.

**Knights of Pythias Initiatory Program.**  
T. K. P. hall was opened to members and visitors Tuesday night, with District Deputy Grand Chancellor Edward Smith of Gorman in attendance, and Knight Hubert Reid presiding over the meeting.  
C. A. Timmons and Sid Pitzer were given rank of page, by the regular drill team of Eastland lodge, with Karl K. White, captain, directing.  
Talks for the good of the order

**STORAGE WASHING--GREASING**  
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# HERE-- AND THERE

By ELVIE H. JACKSON

**Personality and kindness count** in this world as big assets, and perhaps no person in Eastland, has a larger share of these fine qualities than Bernice Buhl Stephen, wife of Joe C. Stephens of Eastland, who counts her friends by the score.  
Mrs. Stephen is most happy over her success in the Eastland Telegram Monterey contest, which closed with last night's work, in the counting of the ballots of those who remained in this race.  
Several contestants entered, but the final outcome, brought an avalanche of votes to Mrs. Stephen.

**Booster Class Enjoys Picnic.**  
The booster class of the Methodist church enjoyed a picnic and outing at city park Tuesday night when games rounded out a merry evening, climaxed with a wonderful picnic lunch, and iced watermelon feast, enjoyed by Mrs. and Mrs. George W. Shearer, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patterson, Misses Sibyl Truhy, and Jessie Lee Ligon, H. C. Davis, and Mrs. W. W. Phillips, the class president.

**Nettopew Group Elects Officers.**  
An election of officers was held in the Nettopew Group of Camp Fire Girls at their meeting Tuesday afternoon, held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Cattingham, who has been serving as guardian for the group, but who has resigned this office and will act as co-guardian with Mrs. Tom Harrel, who has accepted this important post as guardian of the Nettopew group.  
Officers elected:  
President, Edith Rosenquest.  
First vice president, Helen Rosenquest.  
Second vice president, Katrina Lovelace.  
Secretary, Nora Frances Mahon.  
Assistant secretary, Catherine Garrett.  
Treasurer, Alice Jones.  
Reporters, Janie Stover and Mildred McGlamery.

**Plantation Program For Tomorrow Children's Hour.**  
An old time plantation program which will include dancing, negro spirituals, readings, and old folk songs, will be the entertainment for the children's story hour tomorrow morning at the Community clubhouse.  
A general invitation is extended to all children to be present and parents will be welcome.  
The program is sponsored by the Music club of Eastland and is one of those to be presented under the direction of this club through this month of children's story hours.  
Nine o'clock, Community clubhouse, Thursday morning.

**Novel Dinner Party Sponsored by W. M. S. Methodist Church.**  
The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church entertained with a dinner party in the church Sunday school classroom at half past seven o'clock Tuesday night, in arrangement with a committee that is demonstrating kitchenware and which gives these church organizations an opportunity to make money for their treasury, through their assuming the responsibility of the dinner arrangements, the inviting of guests to the number of 30, and hosting the event.  
Hostesses for this dinner, represented the circles of the W. M. S., and included Mrs. W. E. Coleman, Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, Mrs. E. H. Jones, who, with Mrs. Frank Crowell, acting president of W. M. S., were chairman of arrangements.  
Six tables were prettily arranged with linens, centered with flowers, and appointed for four places each. Circles represented were the Elizabeth Pettit, the A. F. K., and Cretet, and their guests.  
A delicious menu was enjoyed with iced tea furnished by hostesses, their contribution. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Childress, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wahl, Mr. and Mrs. Gayland Poe, Mr. and Mrs. Iva Pratt.  
The next of a series of dinners will be served Tuesday night.

**Eastland Personal.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lanier and twin sons, Rex and Max, of Fort Worth, were guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. Claude G. Stubblefield.  
were given by the district deputy grand chancellor, Edward Smith; Vice Chancellor Powell of Ranger, and H. C. Davis of Eastland.  
The committee on arrangements, J. A. Jones, Artie Liles, and Tom Lovelace, served refreshments of ice cream and cake at close of the meeting.  
Announcement was made that the Knights of Pythias will meet next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock to confer rank of aspirant on the new candidates and that the district deputy grand chancellor will be present.

# Ranger Society and Club News

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**Combined Program Is Heard At Missionary Meeting.**  
One of the most perfectly arranged programs of the entire summer season which has substituted an unusually interesting course of Bible study, was given at the First Methodist church, Monday afternoon, in the form of a combined program, with Mrs. Walter Harwell in charge.  
The hour for the program heard by seventeen members, was opened with the song, "Tolling On," followed with the well selected devotional read by Mrs. Gid J. Bryan. Immediately at the close of this reading Mrs. A. J. Ratliff said prayer.

**Mrs. Harwell grouped together topics chosen from the Missionary News and "World Outlook."**  
Mrs. Leslie Haganam, in her fluent manner, gave a paper on "Prohibition," followed with a relative discussion given by Mrs. L. H. Flowerlin.  
Each member responded nicely to the suggestion made at the last meeting that a shower honor Miss Thelma Colvin of Ennis, Texas, who leaves Saturday to enter the Missionary school of work.  
Mrs. Roy Jameson announced the name of the next book to be studied, opening in early September and which will be given in seven consecutive programs. The book which promises to be even more interesting than those recently finished comes under the title of "Facing The Future In The India."  
Rev. Bryan was a pleasant and most welcome visitor, drawing the study to a close with prayer.

**Misses Ruener and Kribbs Leave Today For Monterey.**  
Miss Agnes Ruener, winner of the Monterey Vacation Contest, accompanied by Miss Bernadine Kribbs, assistant, left this morning for San Antonio, at which city they arrive this evening at 6:15 o'clock.  
The young ladies will spend Thursday in San Antonio, leaving Friday morning for Monterey, the city of enchantment.  
An entertaining program is promised and a happy tour is wished for them.

**Popular Operator Greets Friends at Zuelia Shop.**  
Miss Elouise Hamilton, who for the past year has been associated with the Graziosa Beauty Shop in greeting friends and customers at the recently opened Zuelia Beauty Shop.  
Miss Jewelle Judd is visiting friends at Weatherford this week.  
W. E. Davis of Fort Worth, returned home this morning following an over-night visit with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde H. Davis and son, at their home, Elm street.  
Mrs. Francis Jones of Longview, accompanied by Miss Jeannette Gordon of Ranger, were Mineral Wells visitors today, visiting friends from Oklahoma at the Gray hotel, who are enjoying a summer vacation in the resort city.  
Oscar McCarry of Breckenridge visited here yesterday afternoon at the Texas-Louisiana gas office.  
D. Joseph was a business visitor to Bridgeport Tuesday.

**PARIS STYLES**  
By MARY KNIGHT.  
PARIS—Jean Patou weaves orange into the hat of the moment here. Navy blue and white makes one of the most striking combinations and is trimmed in front with a double row of four little circles of white against a band of blue. The shape is sailorish with a tip tilt toward the stars on the left side back of the ear. It is worn with a dress woven in exactly the same pattern as the hat and trimmed in a plain white organdie collar and cuffs.  
Gloves grow more interesting daily with the variety obtainable in fabrics, design, composition of cuffs and stitching on the reverse of the hand. Golf gloves that button straight up the back of the hand from the knuckles almost, are becoming still more varied than when they first appeared, for the combinations of colors and the contrast in the material for the inner and outer sides, of the hand never allow ingenuity to lag.  
The stitching on the hand has begun to be replaced by fine lines of fur for fall and winter. Gauntlet cuffs with scroll design in corresponding fur are new touches while purses adopt the same standard of attractiveness. Similar fur-trimmed hats are said to be "on the make" thus indicating their wish to co-operate in a good and worthy cause.

**Card of Thanks**  
Since it is impossible to thank each person individually, I take this means of expressing my sincere thanks and appreciation to all those who helped me win in the Monterey trip contest, and to the Eastland Telegram, Kinble Hardware Company, Touths & Richardson Drug Store; Modern Dry Cleaners & Dyers, The Men's Shop, Green Filling Station, Arab Gasoline company, Cash Grocery, Constance Hotel, and Cole Dry Goods Store, who made this trip possible.—MRS. BERNICE STEPHEN.—(Adv.)

# Dallas Man Plans Big Scale Frogger

By United Press.

DALLAS.—Growing frogs for market may become a profitable pastime for A. P. Trewitt who intends expanding his present miniature front yard frogger to one capable of breeding 100,000 frogs each season.  
A year's study of 14 leggy denizens in a pool in his front yard has taught Trewitt everything from their breeding habits to how the finished product can be kept in a frying pan.  
Trewitt developed a special food after the U. S. bureau of fisheries had advised him to "wave meat on a string in front of them because frogs eat only animate objects."  
Later in the course of his observations, the prospective frog farmer discovered the legs would not make the usual convulsive movements while being cooked if the leaders were removed.

Trewitt investigated the market possibilities for frog legs, and found several hotels and restaurants, both here and in neighboring cities were willing to contract for regular orders.  
King Hunting For a New Chef  
By United Press.  
LONDON.—Amidst cares of state, King George had a personal worry. He is looking for a new chef, and he is finding that they do not exactly grow on trees.  
The reason is that his second chef, Gabriel Tschumi, known to all as "Chummy," in the king's service, for 34 years, wants to retire.  
But King George, probably unable to face a future devoid of those delicate dishes for which Tschumi is famous, has persuaded him to stay, at least until the fall, and even then he wants him to prepare meals for very special court functions.

# New Commander of U. S. Fleet

By United Press.

Admiral Richard H. Leigh, who commanded all U. S. submarine chasers in European waters during the World War, is the new commander-in-chief of the United States fleet. His four-starred flag was broken out on the mainmast of the U. S. S. Pennsylvania at San Pedro, Calif., as he succeeded Admiral Frank H. Schofield in the navy's high command.  
Leigh, 62, is a native of Granada, Miss. Graduated from Annapolis in 1891, he saw service in the Spanish-American War, the Philippine campaign, Cuban pacification and the Boxer rebellion and was chief of staff to Admiral William Sims in the World War. He holds the Distinguished Service Medal and decorations from Belgium and Britain.



During his service, "Chummy" has prepared thousands of dishes for notable state occasions, and encountered hundreds of world-famous personages. Queen Alexandra had a special regard for him, and among his treasures are several diamond tiepins she gave him.  
With Andre Cadard, the king's head chef, he traveled with King George on the latter's visit to the groups in France, and cooked the royal meals. The king has presented him with the Royal Victorian medal.

# Spirits Control Chata With World

By United Press.

PORT WORTH.—Spiritualists are entirely at the mercy of the dead in receiving communications from the spirit world, believes L. Sharp, president of the Texas Spiritualists association.  
Subsequently, Sharp said, communication is expected from Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, famous English spiritualist and creator of Sherlock Holmes, when the Texas association convenes here, Sept. 10.  
Sharp said he was confident that the wife and daughter of Doyle had received authentic messages from Doyle's spirit.  
"We realize we are at the mercy of the spirits," Sharp continued. "If, as the ignorant believe, could call up the departed dead, any person we chose, we would long ago have talked with Jesus Nazareth and Julius Caesar."

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