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THE WEATHER

By United Press
West Texas—Fair Sunday.

"The nation is headed for disaster unless the brakes are applied," cries Senator Robinson of Indiana. The senator's first name is Arthur, and his middle name "Rip Van Winkle."

Room Times Predicted by Business Leaders

DELIVERY FRUSTRATED POLICE THINK

By United Press
FORT WORTH, Jan. 13.—Police today said they had blocked what was believed to be a jail delivery of O. D. Stevens, alleged head of the purported gang accused of the slaying of three men whose bodies were found in the Trinity river last July.

Fights U. S. Gold Hoarding Order



Defying the federal government to seize her \$3000 in gold, Miss Edith M. Thomas, 45, above, faces trial on a Denver jury indictment charging her with hoarding in violation of President Roosevelt's edict.

Clubs to Help Make President's Ball a Success

A committee composed of Mrs. W. D. Conway and Mrs. Pete Jensen, which was appointed to secure the co-operation of the various clubs in town in making the president's ball a success, has contacted practically every club and organization in town, it has been announced, and every organization has indicated that co-operation will be received from every source.

Testifies He Burned Postal Records



"So I took them down to the furnace and destroyed them." A disclosure that may have widespread political consequences was made by James Maher, a Postoffice Department clerk, when, as shown here, he testified that he was ordered to burn the official and personal files of Walter F. Brown while he was Postmaster General in the Hoover cabinet.

VALLEE MAY GET DIVORCE IN ANY STATE

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Rudy Vallee spread on the records today, for all to read, the story of New York's greatest heat wave in 1933—the torrid romance of the beautiful Faye Webb Vallee and Gary Leon, adagio dancer.

Student Slayer of Premier Duca



Nicholas Constantinescu, the Bucharest University student who assassinated Rumania's Premier Ion Duca, is pictured in custody immediately after he had fired the fatal shots at the Sinaia railway station.

PREDICTION IS MADE BEFORE SENATE UROUP

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Boom times for America are just ahead, according to the view today of senators who have combined the opinions of business leaders with knowledge of the situation.

CWA Payroll For Jan. 5 to Jan. 11 Totals \$4,699.35

A total of 420 people received \$4,699.35 through the C. W. A. office in Ranger for the period from Jan. 5 through Jan. 11, it was announced at the C. W. A. headquarters Saturday afternoon.

COUNTY FARM SURVEY IS TO BE MADE SOON

Mrs. Ima Hensarling, operating under the Extension Department of the Texas A. & M. College, will soon be in the field to supervise the New Deal's first step in an effort to aid rural homes in this county. She will make a survey of every rural home in Stephens county and a limited number in Eastland county.

Elks Announce Arena Reopening on Monday, Jan. 22

After many efforts the Ranger Elks club has succeeded in securing the services of Dewey Phippen of Fort Worth and Dallas as matchmaker to put on boxing and wrestling shows at the Elks arena.

C. T. Webb Died Saturday, Burial This Afternoon

C. T. (Uncle Pete) Webb, 86, Eastland county pioneer, died Friday afternoon at his home in the Flatwoods community four miles south of Eastland following an illness that had kept him confined to his bed for several weeks.

Cotton Exchange Heads to Discuss Delivery Plans

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Representatives of leading cotton exchanges will be asked to appear next week before the senate agriculture committee to discuss readjustment of cotton delivery methods, Chairman Smith said today.

15 Workers Who Can Qualify Are Needed by CWA

R. P. Avery, direct relief officer of the Ranger CWA office, announced Saturday that 15 workers who could come within certain qualifications were needed for work under the Ranger direct relief director.

SUPPRESSION OF CONFESSION BEING SOUGHT

By United Press
CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Suppression of Dr. Alice Wynkoop's confession that she killed her daughter-in-law, will be the aim of the defense at the resumption of the trial next week, Milton Smith, her attorney, announced today.

Prohibition Meet Called For Jan. 23

DALLAS, Jan. 13.—A call for a state meeting of laymen and churchmen interested in temperance and law observance, to be held in Fort Worth Jan. 23, will be issued Sunday by Chester Collins of Fort Worth, it was announced today.

Free Kindergarten Classes Started at Cooper Ward School

Kindergarten classes have been organized at the Cooper school, with Mrs. H. L. Baskin in charge, or the purpose of training pre-school children of mothers who are attending the federal adult school.

Times Preparing a Business Directory

The Ranger Times is preparing one of the most complete business directories ever attempted in the history of the city. The compilation of this directory will alphabetically arrange every line of business represented in the city.

Relief Regulations Are Put In Force

Announcement was made at the direct relief office Saturday that regulations had to be enforced concerning distribution of direct relief in all towns in the state and these regulations were in force at the Ranger office as well as at all other relief offices.

Roosevelt Holds Whip Over House

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—President Roosevelt held the whip hand over the house today, his leadership established by a vote of 216 to 141 against the opponents of the first supply bill of the present session of congress.

Prison Break at Huntsville Failed

HUNTSVILLE, Jan. 13.—Their attempted prison break foiled by an unarmed guard, four convicts were back on the penitentiary work pile today, short of their overtime and compensation credits.

Doy Arnold's Fate Still With Jury

HASKELL, Tex., Jan. 13.—The fate of Doy Arnold, accused in the stabbing and beating of his wife in 1932, today remained in the hands of the jury which, as yet, was unable to reach an agreement.

Income Returns of Air Mail Employees May Be Probed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Income tax returns of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, Herbert Hoover Jr., and other national figures came under the scrutiny of senate investigators today.

F. D. R. and N. R. A. Give Baby Name

ALBUQUERQUE, Pa.—Both President Roosevelt and the national industrial recovery act which he sponsored are commemorated in the name bestowed upon the infant daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Jefferson Myers, Aliquippa.

Chamber Commerce To Elect Officers At Meeting Monday

A meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce has been announced for Monday night by Dr. F. M. Kuykendall, president of the organization.

'Crusaders' Will Begin Fight On Legalizing Liquor

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 13.—A fight to nullify constitutional prohibition in Texas was under way here today by the "Crusaders" and representatives of the League for Liquor Control.

Outstanding News of 1933 In A Month-by-Month Survey

DECEMBER
1—Scottsboro jury again finds Patterson guilty.—Richard B. Mellon, banker, dies.
2—Alexander Legge, Harvester chief, dies.—Pan-American Conference opened.

Six Men Killed In Boiler Blast

HAFORD, N. C., Jan. 13.—Six men were killed, one missing and several narrowly escaped death when a boiler explosion wiped out the Eastern Cotton Oil company plant here today.

Ford Transaction Probe Is Dropped

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Examination of Ford Motor company tax transactions was halted by senate investigators today.

J. J. Kimbrow, Old Time Resident, Buried On Friday

J. J. Kimbrow, old time resident of Eastland county, who died at the home of his daughter in Jacksboro was buried in the Eastland cemetery Friday.

Classes Offered In Nursing and Hygiene

Classes in home nursing and hygiene are to be held under the CWA school plan at the high school, it was announced today.

THREE GUESSES

WHO IS THE BRITISH OPEN GOLF CHAMPION?
WHERE ARE THE SIERRA MADRE MTS?



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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

RICHES HAVE WINGS: Labour not to be rich: cease from thine own wisdom. For riches certainly make themselves wings; they fly away.—Proverbs 23: 4, 5.

HOMESTEAD TAXES BY CITIES

Out of a Fort Worth suit, final decision will be made on the legal issue whether cities any longer may tax homesteads now exempted by constitutional amendment from state ad valorem levy.

Withdrawal of such a quantity of taxable values would put the debt ratio of many cities too high for comfort, and cut revenue so as to make the meeting of outstanding obligations highly difficult. Its first effect would be greatly increasing valuations for assessment of other property.

But apparently the danger is very slight. One cannot foretell what court decisions will be, taking into account as they do so much of accumulating law and past decisions.

The wording in city charters is clear: "On all property within the limits of said city subject to taxation for state and county purposes."

Now homesteads are taxed still for county purposes. They are "subject" to state taxation, but exempted by constitutional amendment from assessment or collection of the state taxes until such time as the voters may change their mind.

So, until further amendments are adopted, cities may look with reasonable assurance to keeping their assessments on homesteads.

More important is the state-wide demand, now being embodied in candidates' platforms, to extend the exemption of small homesteads to cover both county and city taxes. Whenever the people get a chance to pass on that, their self-interest would lead to its adoption.

DR. TUGWELL'S FAMOUS BILL ON THE SIDETRACK

Senator Royal Copeland of New York has introduced a pure food and drug bill. Senator Copeland is a physician and surgeon—that is, he was in the long ago. For many years he has been a statesman. He has a seat in the upper branch of the congress. His bantling is to be substituted for the widely criticized Rexford Tugwell's measure. Dr. Tugwell's face has been in the national picture very often in the last twelve months. He is a very pugnacious member of the brain trust. He is said to be brainy as well as militant. He has aroused a lot of opposition the country over—that is, his food and drug bill has aroused opposition. Senator Copeland's bill is said to have the backing of the American Medical association and the American Medical association is said to maintain one of the most powerful organized lobbies in the corridors of Washington hotels and the halls of government. Organization counts. Senator Copeland has an organization behind him. As a sideline his weekly articles on health and wealth and human welfare are syndicated and carried by many American newspapers.

Yes, organization counts—that is, an organization directed by intelligent brains, adroit leadership, close contact with the folks at home and the constant use of the typewriter and the telegraph. It is a merry old world and there is going to be lots of sport before the final adjournment of congress.

A god citizen is one who is willing at all times to make some sacrifice of his time and money to advance the common welfare of his home city.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

THAT a city must plan wisely if it is to occupy its proper place in the world.

In the development it must consider not only the present, but the future as well.

A city must build upon a firm foundation in order that its institutions, industries and population will continue to grow.

A city must have faith in its present and its future and must keep alive that faith in a spirit of friendly co-operation.

Every effort must be made to develop the industries a city now has, as well as the resources of the city and its surrounding country to the fullest extent.

A better understanding among citizens always makes a better city.

Nothing helps as much as helpful cooperation.

Most cities live on the surrounding country, so the closest cooperation should be had between the city and the country. What helps one helps the other.

The more a city grows in the present day, the more does industrial promotion become an important factor in its growth.

The growth of industries means community growth. Help your city grow!

IN CONFERENCE



Married Flirts



YOU quarrelled and you made up. That, Gypsy, discovered, was the sum of loving and living. You got up early, rushed through a hurried breakfast; you ran for the subway, arriving at the settlement house breathless but triumphant. You struggled through the day well enough, but somehow the job never held quite the same interest after marriage as it had before. Always, in the back of your mind, were thoughts of household affairs. The note you forgot to leave for Dinah, telling her to be sure to use up the left-over roast beef in a casserole dish. Otherwise Dinah, with the casual prodigality of her kind, would be sure to throw it out. It was appalling, the waste a maid could and did accomplish, thought Gypsy, in the light of her new knowledge.

Funny, she had heard her mother complain in this way for more than fifteen years; and she had never paid any attention to it. It was just part of Mum's fussing, dear and familiar and usual. Now Gypsy knew what it was to be a wife. To count pennies, to wrinkle her pretty forehead over bills. Strange, when they had married their joint income had sounded positively princely. But now when you had to reckon with rent, light, insurance, and the inevitable sundries which were never foreseen, it shrank to small proportions. Tom needed a new overcoat—at least, Gypsy insisted that he did. His last season's coat was slightly shabby. A young man selling ad- vertising needed to look well dressed, prosperous, no matter what state his private finances might be in.

As for herself, well, it was amazing how the silk stockings wore out. And the little luxuries she had enjoyed as a maiden-maid, curries, waves, and the like—now seemed enormously expensive.

MEANTIME they had time to be happy, the young Wevers. The shadow of Vera Gray had vanished from the scene. She had been a ghost from Tom's past. They had not been invited to Lila's since the night of the dinner party, and so the glamorous and enticing Hilda Blanchard had not again flashed across their path. If Gypsy was still a little sore from the encounter, she managed not to show it. Jealousy is a strange companion. She wanted to forget her emotions of that night, if she could.

One Sunday afternoon she had asked Lila and Derek to tea. She had had some of the young people from Blue Hills—Tip and Sue Canavan and the Blakes. But somehow, although the evening had gone off very well, although everyone had seemed to have a good time, Gypsy had been dissatisfied. She was seeing her home through

Lila's eyes. Nothing had seemed right. The Blake twins had seemed young and callow and rather silly. Before she had thought them such fun. Tip's jokes had fallen flat in the face of Lila's elegance. While everyone else had been in simple things, Lila had worn an exquisite creation of black lace, with her delicate shoulders bare. Derek's morning coat and striped trousers had seemed overwornly formal in the little living room.

"We just don't belong in the same world," Gypsy had said to herself, hurrying about the kitchen, a smock slipped over her red crepe. She had given them paper thin sandwiches and olives and something hot and delicious in a casserole. There had been cocktails, too. Everything had gone smoothly, and still Gypsy was not satisfied.

Afterward, when she and Tom were washing up, she had sighed and said she was tired.

"No wonder. You mustn't do this again. Wears you all out," said practical Tom, dropping a kiss on the back of her neck, where it would do the most good.

"But I like it. We must have some social life. It's only . . ."

She wouldn't go on. She mustn't hurt Tom's feelings.

"We can't live up to the Blaes' way of doing things, if that's what you mean," he told her soberly. "I'm sorry, darling, but we just can't."

Then, suddenly, she was ashamed. She had dried her hands, had fung them impetuously around her face that hurt her through and through.

"You mustn't mind me," she had told him. "I'm just an old grudge when I do housework. It's got nothing to do with Lila. Why, I'm sorry for her . . . she hasn't got you!"

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Sacrament" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, today.

The Golden Text is: "Let us keep the feast, not with old leaven, neither with the heaven of malice and wickedness; but with the unleaven of sincerity and truth" (1 Corinthians 5:8).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Ye also, as lively stones, are built up a spiritual house, an holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices, acceptable to God by Jesus Christ" (1 Peter 2:5).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Our Eucharist is spiritual communion with the one God. Our bread, which cometh down from heaven, is truth. Our cup is the cross. Our wine the inspiration of love, the draught our Master drank and commended his followers" (page 35).

ANSWERS

to today's
THREE
GUESSES

H. DENSMORE SHUTE is the British Open golf champion. The Sierra Madre mountains are in MEXICO. COLORADO recently adopted lethal gas for execution of criminals.

County Farm

(Continued from page 1)

lege, tabulated, digested, and communicated to the federal government at Washington.

When all facts are assembled Uncle Sam will begin steps to aid the farm home. Just what the method will be will be determined by this survey.

Better homes is the intent of the undertaking.

The size of the house, the water supply, lighting and heat arrangements, sanitation and comforts are points upon which the reports will be made.

Mrs. Hensarling and Miss Ramey each stress the fact that this federal government activity is entirely friendly. It has nothing to do with taxes, or loans, or obligations. Rather it relates to a New Deal for American farm homes.

"We will not expect results too quickly, but the government would not go to so great an undertaking did it not have clearly in mind extending its assistance to rural America, which too long has been neglected."

Mrs. Hensarling declares that she believes the federal government recognizes that on the farm still resides that sobriety, character and foundation of national strength that must be perpetuated. The government welfare demands that fundamental attention be given to the comforts, happiness and character of the rural home. That such homes deserve governmental solicitude just as certainly as do great commercial undertakings.

Miss Ramey and Mrs. Hensarling urge complete accord and cooperation with these rural survey workers to the end that the undertaking may be accomplished quickly and with the least expense.

Neither Stephens nor Eastland county is bearing any of the survey expense, but those in charge desire to economize in the matter of public funds required to get the facts of the section's rural homes before the right sources.

COW CHANGED JURY'S

FLINT, Mich.—Rather than the prospect of trying to run their cows for milking after a jury changed its vote and acquitted a verdict of acquittal in the case of a woman charged with slaying her two children, Coroner C. H. O'Neill said today after the jury reported that the vote of 11 to 1 for a guilty verdict. Eleven jurors, anxious to finish the day's chores on the farm before dark, agreed to vote with the "hold-out" juror who was willing to stay all night to prove his point, according to a story told to O'Neill.

CRIPPLED ROBIN PETER

HOLYOKE, Mass.—Mrs. Wood Bennett's favorite pet is a robin, she found, crippled by a fall of a house, so she nursed its broken leg until it was healed, with the idea of setting it free. But the robin preferred the comforts of home to the rigors of the wide open air, and so it still lives at the Bennett residence. Its mistress has named it Robby.

Eastland Ferson

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Castor, Corsicana, were in Eastland on the sad mission of the field for Mrs. Caston's father, Kinnebrew, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Harry Brothel. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Feyschlag, Fort Worth were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Feyschlag, Mrs. E. W. Freyschlag of City, during the Brelsford day. The next evening Freyschlags entertained Joseph Weaver at dinner and had a table afterwards.

Miss Loraine Taylor left this morning for a week-end visit to Anson, and to be in the house of Miss Elizabeth Smith, D. J. F. entertained with a tea that noon, honoring the bride, Miss Mary Brook.

Miss Lillian Garrett of Goshute was hostess to a noon luncheon Wednesday at Connelley's, honoring Mrs. E. W. Freyschlag, Mrs. J. J. Butts and daughter, Mrs. Forest Wright, Miss Jane Butts of Cisco, Mrs. W. and Mrs. Newberry of Calloway, now visiting in Gorman, and O. P. Newberry of that city. Miss Zillah Garrett, hostess, J. V. Jordan returned from Fort Worth, where he spent one week at the bedside of his brother, E. M. Jordan, who seriously ill at his home on a nary hill.

PARIS STYLES

By MARY KNIGHT
 United Press Staff Correspondent

PARIS.—The combination cap-cowl launched by Lanvin is a useful item for the wardrobe because it can be worn with a dress, giving both an entirely different effect. Lanvin borders it with silver fox, the band crossing high at the throat in front and dropping over the shoulders and to the waist in the back, in a big loop.

Swinging from the extreme of over the eye hats, advance whippers for spring predict the halo hat with a little fold back of material that stands up on the head across the crown from ear to ear. The back of the halo hat fits the head much like a baby bonnet. In this way the entire forehead and part of the hair above it is exposed. It gives a youthful line to the face, provided the features are clear and well defined for the exposure.

Worth favors capes and often makes them jackets in front and robes in the back. Much in favor of capes in the back. Much in favor of personal articles, including fruit in olives, coffee, personnel, B. Picken, Kin, Roy J. ghlin, Hu 3, Leonard, Ernest, in ansas.

Ruling Pasha

HORIZONTAL

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 10 Deposited.
 11 To put on.
 12 High mountain.
 14 Self.
 15 Italian river.
 16 He is an official in . . .
 18 Chum.
 19 Rowing tool.
 20 To diversify.
 21 Hops kin.
 22 Pussy.
 23 Having no hair.
 26 Owed.
 27 Payment.
 28 Go on . . .
 29 Rubber tree.
 30 By.
 31 Encountered.
 32 Have of . . .
 33 Animals . . .
 34 To betroth.
 35 Edge of a . . .

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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 15 Nominal . . .
 17 Arabian . . .
 18 Butter . . .
 20 Mover's . . .
 21 Your and . . .
 22 Slash . . .
 24 Brisk . . .
 25 To depart . . .
 26 Notwith- . . .
 27 Half . . .
 28 Superior . . .
 29 Father . . .
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 32 Resembling . . .
 34 Myself . . .
 35 Pronoun . . .
 36 Rocky . . .
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Annual Activities Report of Chamber of Commerce

By WAYNE C. HICKEY, Secretary

As we delve hopefully into the new year, it is fitting that a review of the activities and accomplishments of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce during the past year, 1933, be made. First, however, we must answer that oft-heard question, "What is a Chamber of Commerce?"

A Chamber of Commerce is an organization of individuals banded together, not for the purpose of financial gain or recognition, but for the purpose of making the town in which we live a better place to call home, a finer place in which to rear our children, it is an organization of business men and those who share their viewpoint, for the purpose of promoting the commercial, industrial, and civic interests of the community in which it exists.

The struggles experienced by the Ranger Chamber of Commerce in 1933 have not been easy, but we feel that we have emerged victorious, with a great many worthwhile projects added to our record—made possible only through the splendid cooperation given by its directors, its members, and the citizenship of Ranger as a whole.

In February, the Chamber of Commerce cooperated with the Ranger Retail Merchants association in the annual Chamber of Commerce-Retail Merchants Banquet, which was well-attended and considered a successful affair from every viewpoint.

We sponsored the Second Monday Trade Days for Ranger and cooperated in raising finances for the rodeos which were held in connection with them. These Second Mondays were very successful, created lots of interest, and brought large crowds to Ranger each Second Monday.

This office handled the farmers' applications for seed and feed loans, filling out the necessary government blanks for the farmers free of charge.

Organized the West Texas Chamber of Commerce drive and collected \$200 in memberships for that organization. Also sent representatives to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting in Big Springs.

The Chamber of Commerce was called upon by the government to take the lead in setting up an organization to handle the NRA program in Ranger. The full influence and resources of the local association, including the facilities of the office, were accorded the national officials. The Ranger committee, under the efficient leadership of Dr. P. M. Kuykendall, took up the task for our community and has performed the duties as directed. Hundreds of communications have been received and are on file at the Chamber of Commerce office.

The local Compliance Board, with D. L. Jameson as chairman, has attended to such complaints as have been made. Recently, however, a Retail Trade Council was organized in the Chamber of Commerce to take over the duties of the Compliance Board.

This organization handled and administered the RFC Relief and Work Relief from October, 1932, until Aug. 1, 1933, the Chamber of Commerce furnishing office space, desks, typewriters, and office personnel free of cost to the government in the handling of this work.

Also furnished office space and office personnel for the distribution of Red Cross cloth and clothing and the annual Red Cross Roll Call. Around 400 families were given aid in Ranger, through the cooperation and help of the Chamber of Commerce.

In October, cooperated in three-day Trade Carnival, the largest and most successful free trade expansion program put on in this section of the country in many years. Great crowds attended and took part in the carnival, consisting of booths located on Main street, horse races, band concerts, boxing and wrestling, and other forms of entertainment.

Mailed out cards to every holder of a poll-tax receipt in Ranger asking them to vote on a site for a new federal post office building.

Cooperated with the Retail Merchants association in putting up Christmas street decorations.

The gin was operated last year for the benefit of the cotton farmers in this territory, as well as being a benefit to the merchants and citizens of Ranger. The committee also collected a nice amount of money from the merchants, which was given as a premium for the first, second, and third bales of cotton brought to Ranger.

Cooperated with the school officials in securing the Interscholastic district meet here in Ranger. This was accomplished, and everyone was well pleased with their trip to Ranger and the manner in which the meet was handled.

Cooperated with the Ranger Lions Club in renovating and overhauling the Willow Swimming Pool. This was put in first-class condition and was operated by the Lions club during the summer months.

Co-operated with the Child Welfare association in the handling of the Christmas good cheer fund. The Ranger County club gave a benefit ball and donated the proceeds of same to this purpose. Some 350 sacks of fruit and candy were given to under-privileged children on Christmas eve.

In addition to the fruit and candy, each child was given a toy. The Arcadia theatre gave a benefit picture, admittance being a second-hand toy; this was supplemented by various citizens giving toys, and a sufficient amount was collected whereby no child in Ranger was overlooked. Fire Chief Murphy and his fireboys repaired toys, packed fruit and candy, and helped in the distribution of same.

At present the Chamber of Commerce is backing in every possible manner the building of a municipal gymnasium-auditorium—a worthy project under the supervision of R. F. Holloway, superintendent of Ranger schools. Outstanding among the more recent undertakings is the securing of \$7,000 from the civil works administration for improvements on the Haugland airport of our city. The allotment of this money was secured largely through the efforts of C. J. Moore, chairman of the airport committee of the Chamber of Commerce, who rushed the project through in order that Ranger might take advantage of the \$10,000,000 program of the department of commerce for improvement of municipal airports in the United States. The project will provide employment for a number of men, as well as greatly improving the appearance and usefulness of the field.

In conclusion, we wish to express our pleasure in having had a small part in the great task of making our city a finer place in which to live, and to assure you that our every effort will be expended in the efficient discharge of the year's work which lies ahead.

Tommie Poe Not To Be Candidate For County Judge

Tommie Poe of Rising Star, who has been frequently mentioned recently as a possible candidate for county judge, stated Friday morning that he was not a candidate for the office and added that he would not be a candidate for any county office.

Mr. Poe is a former county commissioner from the Rising Star precinct.

France has raised its quota of imports from the United States by 300 per cent, and England is going to buy more pork from us. Did prohibition ever do that for us?

Dazzling Musical Extravaganza Produced in "Flying Down to Rio"

Behold now a new style of spectacular musical motion pictures launched in Hollywood. Bristling with novelties, glamor and lavishness, studied with brilliant all-star performers, set in a new, exotic locale, and enlivened by 200 dancing girls picked from a roster of 10,000 candidates, RKO-Radio Pictures' musical "Flying Down to Rio" hits a new high peak in entertainment with a basic innovation of an extravaganza enacted in mid-air on high powered biplanes.

"Flying Down to Rio," comes as the first aerial musical show ever staged, was conceived and produced by Lou Brock.

Tapping virgin territory for backgrounds, RKO-Radio Pictures' musical extravaganza "Flying Down to Rio," provides really a show within a show, supplying besides novel entertainment, scenic spectacles worthy of admiration on their own merits.

In addition to this some of the most startling settings in film history were prepared for the musical extravaganza at the RKO-Radio studio. One such setting was a night-club covering 22,500 feet of floor space and built like the interior of a dirigible, with dining tables made of airplane tails, spooners' nooks like dirigible cabins, and a flying orchestra which floated over the heads of diners and dancers in a balloon basket!

The distinguished cast includes Fred Astaire, musical comedy idol of Broadway and London; Dolores Del Rio, a Litan girl in a part that

Funeral Oration Delivered in Rear of Saloon Beautiful in Thought

For beauty of thought and expression, the following sermon, delivered by H. W. Knickerbocker in the rear of a saloon, over the body of Riley Grannan, occupies a place among the literary masterpieces of the west. Knickerbocker was a member of the family famous for its ministers, but at the time of the delivery of the sermon he made no claim other than that of being a prospector.

Although it has been more than a quarter of a century since Riley Grannan died in Rawhide, Nevada, his kindly deeds and noble character are still cherished and reverently spoken of wherever and whenever ractrack men gather. Grannan was a famous plunger and his gets frequently ran as high as \$200,000 on a single race. His was the ready handclasp, the friendly smile and better still, the open purse to those who came to him in trouble.

The following is the funeral sermon delivered by Knickerbocker, reproduced from the Brady Standard:

"I feel that it is incumbent upon me to state that I now occupy no ministerial position. I am only a prospector. I make no claim to moral merit whatever or to religious authority except it be the religion of the brotherhood of man. I wish to be taken only as a man among men, feeling that I can shake hands and style as my brother the most humble of you all. If there may come from me a word of moral admonition, it springs not from a sense of moral superiority, only from the depths of my experience.

"Riley Grannan was born at Paris, Kentucky, about 40 years ago. He cherished all the dreams of boyhood. These dreams found their fruition in phenomenal success financially. I am told that from the position of hellboy in a hotel, he rose to be a celebrity of world fame. Riley Grannan was one of the greatest plungers the continent has produced. He died day before yesterday at Rawhide.

"That is a brief statement. We have his birth and the day of his demise. Who can fill the interim? Not I. Who can tell his hopes and fears? Who knows the mystery of his quiet hours? I do not!

"Riley Grannan was born in the sunny southland of Kentucky. He died in Rawhide. That is the beginning. That is the end. Is there in this picture of what Ingersoll said at the grave of his brother, 'Whether it be near the shore, or in mid-ocean, or among breakers, or at last a rock mark the end of one and all?'

"Born where brooks and rivers run musically through prolific soil, where magnolia gladiolus, like white stars, glow in a firmament of green; where lakes, the greenward and the softest summer breezes dimple the wavelets; where the air is resonant with the melody of a thousand sweet-voiced birds and redolent of the perfume of blooming flowers; that was the beginning. Riley Grannan died in Rawhide, where in winter the tops of the mountains are clothed in the garments of ice and in summer the slithering rays of the sun beat down upon the skeleton of the desert.

"Is there in this picture of universal life? Sometimes, when I look upon the circumstances of life there comes to my lips a curse. I relate to you only my views. If these run counter to yours, believe that what I say is sincere. When I see the ambitions of man defeated, when I see him strugg-

ling with mind and body to accomplish his end, when I see his aim and purpose frustrated only by a fortuitous combination of circumstances over which he can exercise no control, when I see his outstretched hands about to grasp the flag of victory and to seize, instead, the emblem of defeat, I ask, 'What is life?' Dreams, awakening, death. Life is a pendulum between a smile and a tear. Life is but a momentary halt within the waste and then the nothing we set out from. Life is a shadow, a poor player that struts and then is heard no more. Life is a tale told by an idiot, full of sound, signifying nothing. Life is a child-blown bubble that but reflects the shadow of its environment, and is gone, a mockery, a sham, a lie, a fool's visions, its happiness but Dead Sea apples, its pain, the crunching of a tyrant's heel. Omar says it better when he says, 'We are but a moving row of magic shadow shapes that come and go, around with a sunned lumened lantern held at midnight for the master of the show; but helpless pieces of the game we play on the checkerboard of night and day hither and thither moved or checks or slaved, and one by one back into the closet laid. The ball no questions makes of eyes or noses, but here and there strikes the player goes. But He that tossed about it all; He knows! He knows, but I don't. That's my mood. Not so with Riley Grannan.

"If I have gauged his character correctly, he accepted the circumstances surrounding him as the mystic officials to whom the universe had delegated its whole of defeat and victory with equal equanimity. He was a man of placid exterior. His meteoric past shows him invincible in spirit and it is not irreverently that I proclaim him a dead game sport. When I use that phrase I do so feeling it as full of practical human philosophy as it will hold Riley Grannan fully exemplified the philosophy of those fugitive verses, 'It's easy enough to be happy when life goes along with a smile, the man worth while is the man who can smile when everything goes dead wrong; for the test of the heart is trouble, and it always comes with the years, and the smile that is worth the homage of each is the smile that shines through the tears.'

"There are those who will condemn him. They believe that today he is reaping the reward of mispent life. They are those who are dominated by medieval creeds. They are not addressing. They are ruled by the skeleton hand of the past. They fail to see the moral side of a character lived outside their puritanical ideas. Riley Grannan's goodness was not a type that reached its highest manifestations in ceremonious piety. It found its expression in the handclasp of friendship. It found its voice in the word of cheer to a discouraged brother. His were deeds of quiet charity. His were acts of manhood.

"Riley Grannan lived in the world of sport. My words are not minced because I am telling you what I believe to be true. It was the world of sport, sometimes of hilarity, sometimes worse. He left the impress of his character upon us all, and through the medium of his financial power he was able with his money to brighten the lives of all who knew him. He wasted his money, so the world says. But did it ever occur to you

that the men and women of such class upon whom he wasted it are yet men and women? A little happiness brought into their lives means as much to them as happiness carried into the lives of the straight and good. If you can take one ray of sunshine into the night life and thereby create a single hour of happiness, you are a benefactor. Riley Grannan did this.

"God confined His sunbeams not to the nourishing of potatoes and corn. His scattering of sunshine was prodigal. Contemplate. He flings the auroral beauties round the cold shoulders of the north. He hangs the quivering picture of the mirage above the palpitating heart of the desert. He scatters the sunbeams like shattered gold upon the bosom of a myriad of lake. That gem the robe of nature. He spans the canopy of night with star jewels and silvers the world with the reflected beams from on high. He hangs the gorgeous crimson curtain of the accident across the sleeping room of the sun. God wakes the coy maid of the morning to step timidly from her boudoir of darkness, to climb the steep of the orient, to fling wide the gates of morning and to trip over the landscape, kissing the flowers in her flight. She arouses the world to herald with their music the coming of her King, who floods the world with effulgent gold. These are wasted sunbeams. Are they?

"I say to you that the man or woman who by the use of money or power is able to smooth over one wrinkle from the brow of human care or to change one moan or sob into song, or to wipe away a tear, and to place in its stead a jewel of joy, is a public benefactor. Such was Riley Grannan.

'Love, Honor And Oh, Baby,' Just Had to Be Funny

Speed and tempo are the most necessary things in directing a comedy, according to Eddie Buzzell, former stage star and stage director, who recently completed "Love, Honor and Oh, Baby," the hilarious comedy of breach of promise suits starring Slim Summerville and ZaSu Pitts, today at the Arcadia theatre. Buzzell, known for his direction of body comedy and dramas, as well as for his gift at "ragging" or making jokes on the spur of the moment, has successfully worked these into this latest Summerville-Pitts film. From the opening scenes, until the fade-out the story develops like a bunch of firecrackers in a tin pail. Critics who have seen the picture claim that it is the fastest moving comedy in which the ever popular comic acts have appeared.

Buzzell during the taking of the picture revealed his ability to "ad lib"—that is, to insert funny lines and gestures into the picture on the spur of the moment—and this is said to heighten the laugh climaxes. Slim appears as a lawyer who had a whole jail populated with his clients, and ZaSu as a filing clerk who wants to save working girls from having to go to Rochester, a nearby town, with the local banker, a lecherous old vegetarian. The trial which results from her efforts and Slim's remarkable handling of the situation brings down the house.



Streamlining efficiency in motor car design depends largely on rear-end contours. Hudson engineers learned from wind-tunnel tests and, in consequence, the 1934 Terraplanes and Hudsons sweep to the rear as shown here, with no outside-mounted tire to break the flowing lines. The car front contributes only 25 per cent to streamlining possibilities, and the rear and sides 75 per cent.

Air Stream At Rear of Cars Is Most Important

The rear end and side form of the car is three times as important as the front end from an air resistance standpoint, according to wind tunnel experiments recently concluded, states Frank S. Spring, engineering stylist of the Hudson Motor Car company.

Mr. Spring, who is an aviation expert and a flyer, says that this is the first year that the much abused word "streamlining" actually has some meaning. From a wind tunnel standpoint where the resistance to speed due to the wind is accurately measured, cars such as the new Terraplane and Hudsons as well as others which have been redesigned with this factor in mind, are over five times as efficient as previous models.

"It is for this reason," states Mr. Spring, "that in producing an advanced type of car for 1934 the rear has been given particular attention to eliminate the eddies and swirls of the air behind the car. These phenomena are due to the vacuum created behind a blunt ended shape or one in which there are interruptions to the natural flow of the air stream as it closes itself behind a moving body.

"By enclosing the tire within the contour of the body and by providing a flowing sweep to the rear, the efficiency of the 1934 Hudsons and Terraplanes from a wind resistance standpoint has been materially increased. Experiments conducted by aviation engineers over the past year have conclusively shown that only 25 per cent of the wind resistance is affected by the form of the front end considering cars that have the same front area. The rear end and sides of the car account for 75 per cent.

"Of course as the area of the front is increased the wind resistance goes up rapidly and we have kept our front area as low as is consistent with practicability and public acceptance of form. At the rear the form of the body coincides with the natural air stream lines as far as is possible without going into tail length which would make the car unwieldy in traffic and subject to the effects of cross winds.

"As generally happens, in securing one advantage others have come along in consequence. By

County Sanitary Supervisor Calls Meeting Tuesday

Fleming Waters, Eastland county sanitary supervisor under direction of the state department of health and the surgeon general of the United States, with headquarters in Eastland, announces meeting to be held in the courthouse in Eastland at 2 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 16, for the purpose of organizing and correlating the activities of all health agencies in the county so as to conform with the uniform suggestions of the state health department.

CLASSIFIED

9-HOUSES FOR RENT FOR RENT—Five-room modern house; Hodges Oak Park addition. Phone 118. 11-APARTMENTS FOR RENT FOR RENT—Southeast modern furnished apartment. Mrs. Naden Walker, Caddo highway. 12-WANTED TO BUY WANT TO BUY used piano. New Hope Baptist church. See G. C. Edmonds. 13-For Sale Miscellaneous FOR SALE—Black and white Shetland; extra small, very gentle \$35. Call at Prairie Camp, Gray LADIES' Beautiful Silk Hose slightly imperfect, 5 pairs \$1 post paid. Satisfaction guaranteed. Economy Hosiery Co., Asheboro, N. C. 18-Wanted, Miscellaneous WANTED—Housekeeper. Boosting Station, one mile south city limits, Eastland, Carbon highway light job.

Agent Says Selling For Southwestern Is Real Pleasure

D. L. Jameson, local representative of the Southwestern Life Insurance company of Dallas, in submitting copy for an advertisement, run by his company in this issue, stated that any success he might have attained as a representative of the company was not due to himself, personally, but was due to the splendid company he represented. It is due largely to the splendid co-operation received by the agents of the company and the people they serve.

Mr. Jameson went with the Southwestern company in August, 1929, and in every year since he became associated with the company has made a splendid record. He says that it is a pleasure for him to sell insurance for a company that has the confidence of the people like the Southwestern Life Insurance company has maintained from the beginning.

A man in Saskatchewan opened his family Bible and found a \$5 bill that had been there for 20 years. Proving that religion pays—if you don't attend to it too often.

Advertisement for Exide Batteries. Includes text: 'every Sparkplug Checked and Adjusted!', 'JUST ANOTHER SERVICE FOR OUR CUSTOMERS', 'We have installed a new machine to clean and adjust spark plugs... at only 5c each, while you wait...', 'Batteries Recharged \$1.00', 'EXIDE BATTERY Co.', 'J. S. Reynolds', 'Ranger, Texas', 'Phone 60'.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowen

Comic strip titled 'The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowen'. It consists of four panels. Panel 1: A man says, 'WHEN WINDY KUNN THE TOWN PRACTICAL JOKED PLAYED ONE OF HIS TRICKS ON'. Panel 2: A man says, 'SMOOTHY SMITH, THAT CITY SLICKER MADE A VOW'. Panel 3: A man says, 'WHAT A SAP THEY MADE OUT OF THE CHASING WAY OUT HERE TO LOOK FOR A PLACE LIKE THAT!'. Panel 4: A man says, 'WELL, THE FIRST LAUGHERS WILL BE LIES. IT'S OUT A CHOICE LINE OF SQUANKS, BEFORE I FINISH WITH THEM I'LL GO BACK, SO THEY WON'T BE SUSPICIOUS'.

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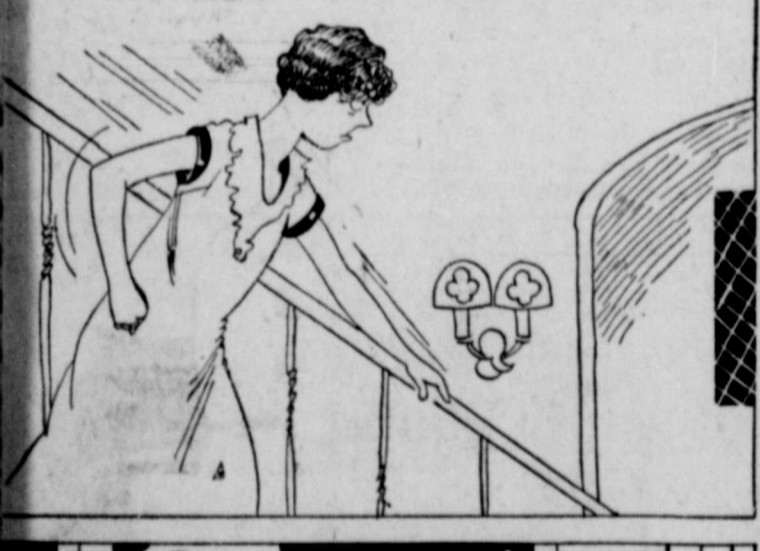
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CRISSCROSS!

THE NAMES OF THE TWENTY-SIX STATES EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER CAN BE FILLED IN, IN THE HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL LINES IN THIS WEEK'S CRISSCROSS. EACH NAME CONNECTS WITH, OR CROSSES AT LEAST ONE OTHER NAME. A FEW LETTERS HAVE BEEN FILLED IN TO HELP YOU.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION

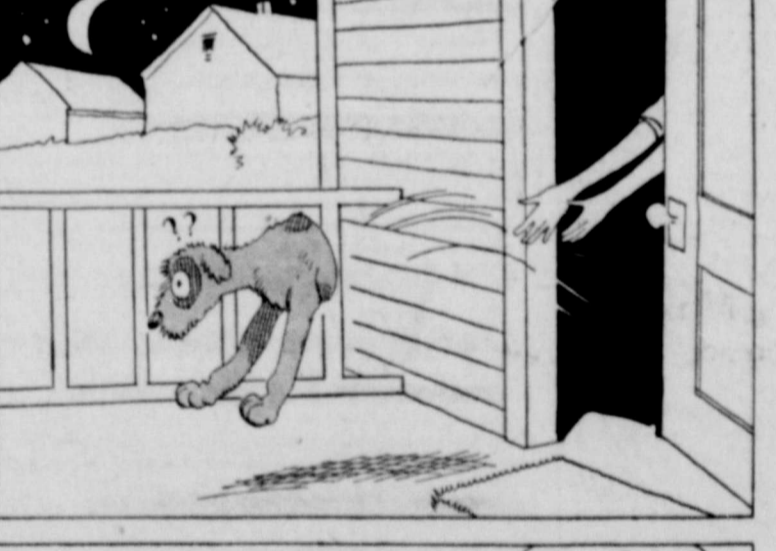
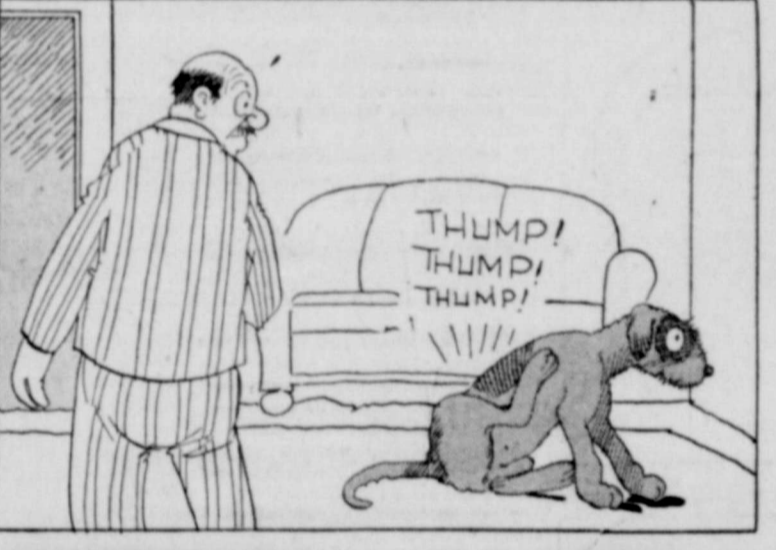
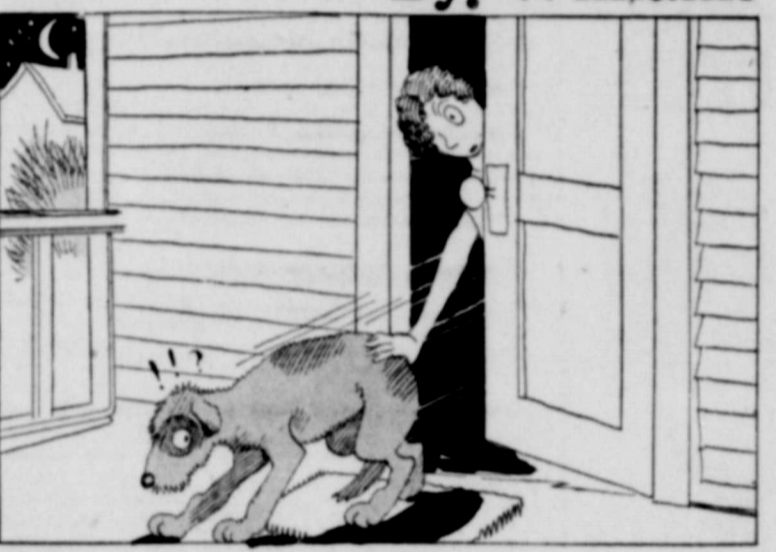
THE WILLETS



Out Our Way



By Williams



Markets

By United Press
Closing selected New York Stocks:

Am Can	95 1/2
Am P & L	7
Am & F Pwr	8 1/2
Am Rad & S S	14 1/2
Am Smelt	43 1/2
Am T & T	11 1/2
Anacosta	14
A T & S F Ry	55 1/4
Auburn Auto	49 1/2
Avn Corp Del	7 1/2
Barnsdall	8
Beth Steel	38 1/2
Byers A M	23 1/4
Canada Dry	25 1/2
Case J I	70 1/4
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Poster Wheel	13 1/2
Fox Film	13 1/2
Freeport Tex	43 1/2
Gen Elec	19 1/4
Gen Foods	34 1/4
Gen Mot	34 1/4
Gillette S R	9 1/4
Goodyear	84
Gt Nor Ore	11 1/2
Houston Oil	21 1/2
Int Cement	30 1/2
Int Harvester	39 1/2
Johns Manville	57
Kroger G & B	24 1/4
Lia Carb	27 1/2
Marshall Field	12 1/2
MK T Ry	9 1/2
Montg Ward	23
Nat Dairy	13 1/4
N Y Cent Ry	35 1/4
Ohio Oil	13
Packard Mot	4
Penney J C	56
Penn Ry	31 1/4
Phelps Dodge	16 1/2
Phillips Pet	15 1/2
Pure Oil	10 1/2
Purity Bak	14 1/4
Radio	7
Sears Roebuck	32 1/2
Shell Union Oil	8 1/2
Secony Vac	16
Southern Pac	20 1/2
Stan Oil N J	25 1/2
Studebaker	5 1/4
Texas Corp	23 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	38
Und Elliott	39 1/4
United Corp	5 1/4
U S Ind Alc	61 1/2
U S Steel	48 1/2
Vanadium	23
Western Union	55 1/4
Westing Elec	37 1/2
Worthington	22 1/4

Curb Stocks

Cities Serv	2 1/2
Elec Bond & Sh	13 1/4
Ford M Ltd	6 1/4
Gulf Oil Pa	59 1/4
Humble Oil	35 1/2
Ning Hud Pwr	5 1/2
Stan Oil Ind	32

Total sales, 70,000 shares.
Sterling, \$5.09 1/4.

These quotations are furnished through the courtesy of D. E. Pulley, 209 Main street, Ranger.

New York Cotton

Range of the market, New York Prev.

	High	Low	Close
Jan.	1088	1088	1088
Mar.	1100	1083	1099
May	1117	1100	1115
July	1132	1114	1132

Chicago Grain

Range of the market, Chicago Prev.

Grain	High	Low	Close
Corn	52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2
May	54 1/2	53 1/4	54 1/4
July	54 1/2	53 1/4	54 1/4
Oats	38 1/4	37 1/4	38 1/4
May	36 1/2	36 1/4	36 1/2
July	36 1/2	36 1/4	36 1/2
Wheat	87 1/4	86 1/4	87 1/4
May	86 1/4	84 1/2	85 1/4
July	86 1/4	84 1/2	85 1/4
Rye	62	60 1/4	61 1/4
May	63 1/4	61 1/4	63 1/4
July	63 1/4	61 1/4	63 1/4

Local-Eastland-Social

Friendship Class
Eightful Meeting
Mrs. Fred Maxey was hostess to the January meeting of the Friendship class of the Christian church at her home this week-end, when five tables were dressed in peasant linens in pink and white and centered in flowers in these colors for the chili supper.

A talk on the affairs of the class was given by Rev. C. W. Lipsey, their pastor, and the business session was conducted by Mrs. J. H. Vaughn, president, with minutes by secretary, Mrs. W. B. Duke.

A voice quartet was given by Mr. and Mrs. Grady Owen, Mrs. D. J. Fiensy and Mr. Bagley.

The evening closed with games led by Messrs. Masner, Cervin, Owen and Pastor Lipsey.

Those present: Messrs. and Mrs. Bagley, Walter Fiensy, A. D. Masner, Grady Owen, D. J. Fiensy, W. H. Cervin, Fred Maxey, Rev. and Mrs. Lipsey; Mrs. Smitham, W. B. Duke and Vaughn.

COLLEGE CAPTAINS WERE HIGH SCHOOL GRID RIVALS

By United Press
HOUGHTON, Mich.—Herman Gundlach Jr., captain-elect of the Harvard football team, and Dominick Vairo Jr., 1934 captain of the Notre Dame eleven, were gridiron opponents in their high school days. Gundlach played with Houghton high and Vairo with Calumet, both members of the Cooper country high school conference.



Ranger Social News

Office 224 Residence 668-W
ARRITTA DAVENPORT, Editor

Announcing
Eastland County Home Demonstration Council, hosts to County Federation, Saturday afternoon, January 20th, 2:30 o'clock.

Officers and members of the Eastern Star chapter, are asked to meet at the Masonic Temple, Monday evening 7:15 o'clock for an important session.

Meeting of Young School Parent Teacher Association, at school auditorium, 3:45, directed by president, Mrs. F. E. Jacobs.

Mrs. Stanley McAlenny will be at home to members of the Columbia Study club, Tuesday morning at 9:30. The book review will be given by Mrs. Leslie Hagaman, who has chosen "All Men Are Enemies," by Richard Ardington. Members are invited to attend this meeting.

1920 Club program, Colonial room Gholson hotel, Thursday afternoon.

come under the sponsorship of the Government Free School of Instruction.

The W. M. U. of the Central Baptist church will meet Monday for the Royal Service program, with Mrs. C. C. Cash in charge. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. O. Walker, 501 Elm street at 2:45 o'clock.

Flans Made
For Industrial Meeting
The G. A.'s and Sunbeam group of the Central Baptist church, held an interesting meeting at the church Saturday morning, presided over by Mrs. E. S. Brink. The hour was made worth while through the giving of a Bible lesson. During the short business session plans were made for a meeting to be held next Saturday morning at which time the morning will be devoted to sewing for Buckner Orphan home. It was also voted to meet once a month in various homes for industrial programs.

There were nine members in attendance.

Mother's Study Meeting Tuesday
The Mother's Study Group of Young ward meets in Mrs. Anderson's room, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Every member of this organization is urged to be present.

Study Association Meets With Mrs. Bourland
Members of the Child Study Association No. 2, met at the home of Mrs. S. L. Bourland Thursday afternoon in their January session.

Due to absence members on program, Mrs. E. L. Rogers, discussed "The Effect of the New Deal On Children." Mrs. Saulé Perlstein, who recently returned from Germany, in an interesting and well informed manner discussed the "Effect of the Hitler Regime on the Children of Germany." This was followed by an animated round table discussion.

Mrs. Bourland, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Clifford Henderson, served delicious refreshments to members and guests: Mmes. Richard Jones, Arlie Hennessee of Eastland; C. E. Maddocks, Carl Henlein, W. Emfinger, Odelle Cole, Y. Wright, Saule Perlstein, Onis Littlefield and Elmer Rogers.

Visits Ranger Friends
C. A. Jones of Kilgore, formerly of this place visited here Friday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Eason and Mrs. Donna Hartman. Mr. Jones was enroute to Los Angeles, Calif., where he will transact business matters before returning to East Texas.

Spend Saturday Here
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hammett of De Leon, were visiting here Saturday.

Cooper P.-T. A. To Have Night Meeting
The Cooper P.-T. A. will hold a meeting of unusual importance and interest to members, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 16.

Judge Fleweller, president of the Ranger school board, will be the principal speaker of the evening. A most interesting program will be presented by the teachers. This meeting is being held at 7:30, so that the parents of the students who are unable to attend otherwise, may attend.

given on the evening of January 30th.

At a meeting of representatives of various civic organizations of the city held at the Chamber of Commerce office Friday morning, committees were appointed to arrange all details. The widely observed celebration is to be held in the spacious Elks clubrooms.

The committee appointed names Wade Swift and George Murphy, of the Elks club; Walter Harwell, Rotary club; H. P. Earnest, Ranger Country Club; Mrs. W. D. Conway, and Mrs. Pete Jensen, Child Welfare club; Dr. Harry A. Logsdon, mayor, and Wayne C. Hickey, secretary of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce.

Mickey Sloan and Harry Henry, active entertainment chairmen, are in charge of securing the orchestra, while Messrs. Murphy, Wade Swift and Mrs. Pete Jensen, will act as hostesses.

This will no doubt be the largest attended social affairs to have been given in Ranger in many moons.

Leaves For Visit To Amarillo
Miss Wilmina Jarvis left Saturday morning for Amarillo, where she will stay indefinitely with her grandmother, who is seriously ill.

Is Christened Billie Beryl
The young daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. William Eason Wednesday, January 10th, has been named Billie Beryl. Mother and baby continue to do nicely.

Club Delightfully Entertained
Mrs. Pete Jensen won high score and Mrs. Saunders second high, Thursday afternoon when Mrs. John Hurman entertained at her home during the mid-afternoon hours, in compliment to members of the Thursday Bridge Club.

A dainty refreshment course was served at the tea hour to the winners and Mmes. Ray Jameson, E. E. Crawford, H. A. Logsdon, P. M. Kuykendall, W. D. Conway, E. L. McMillen and guests, Mrs. W. E. Barker of Stephenville, and Miss Hogan.

Mrs. Finto Named Honoree at Party
One of the most pleasant social happenings of the week just brought to a close was that of the miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. J. R. Finto, naming as honoree, Mrs. Raymond Doss.

A yellow and white color sounded in all room decorations and appointments. Prizes in games and contests were presented Mrs. D. C. Singleton and Mrs. C. K. Padgett.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to the honoree and Mmes. C. K. Padgett, H. S. Packwood, F. E. Jacobs, H. D. Hamilton, J. L. Richardson, J. F. Byas, G. E. Parsons, A. H. Powell, D. C. Singleton, O. H. Wise, H. D. Bishop, C. D. Hartnett, Roy Roberts, Flumley, Roy Moore, Jack Urban, John Hansen, John Barnes, Pink Stafford, R. L. Pearson, Sig Faircloth, Lester Powell, Lee Russell, J. A. Stephenson and H. O. Woods.

Mrs. Jameson Confined to Home
Mrs. Roy Jameson is confined to her home, Pine Street, suffering with an attack of "flu."

"Wayside Weeds." Read Matt. 13:24-30. Plain Bible thoughts in the spirit of love.

Communion services, 8 p. m.

Meet with the ladies Monday afternoon, 1 o'clock, in their social work. Bible lesson 3 to 4 o'clock. Room, 14th chapter.

Bible lesson, Thursday evening, 7:15. Col. second chapter.

Singing lessons under direction of CWA each Wednesday and Friday evening.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Walnut and Marston streets
G. W. Thomas, Pastor.
9:45 a. m., Sunday School.
11 a. m. The pastor will begin a series of sermons on the "All-Authentic Christ." The subject today will be "The Authority of Christ."
2:30 p. m., B. T. S. Zone meeting here at the First Baptist Church.
6:15, Baptist Training Service. H. G. Howard, director. Be on time.
7:15, Evening worship.
Monday—The W. M. S. of the church will visit East Cisco church and render a mission program at 2:30 p. m.
Intermediate and Junior G. A. meet at the church, 4:15 p. m. Misses Estelle Smith and Vashli Baskin, counsellors.
C. W. A. music class meets at the church 6:30 p. m. J. F. Connell, instructor.
Tuesday—Y. W. A. weekly meeting at the church at 7:15 p. m. Mrs. J. C. Corby, counsellor.
Wednesday—7:15, Prayer service.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. H. H. Stephens, Pastor
Bible school, 9:45 a. m., under the direction of Lloyd Bruce, superintendent. Teachers and officers on time at 9:30. Be on time.
Preaching by pastor, 11 a. m. Subject, "The Master's Call to Service."
B. T. S., 6:15 p. m., under Morris Jeffries.
Preaching by pastor, 7:15 p. m. Subject, "The Soul's Choice."
R. L. Maddox will have charge of the orchestra this morning, and those having musical instruments

are requested to bring same and participate in the music.

Monday, 2:45 p. m., the W. M. S. will meet in Royal Service program.

Wednesday, 7 p. m., prayer service. Following the service there will be a community song service.

Saturday, 9:15 a. m., the Sunbeams and Junior Girls Auxiliary will meet at the church under the direction of Mrs. E. S. Brink.

H. B. Johnson, Pastor
Sunday school, 10 a. m., with H. C. Anderson, superintendent.
Golden Rule Bible class, taught by H. S. Von Roeder as Mr. Holloway will be out of the city and Mr. Von Roeder is assistant teacher. Come and join this class. You might enjoy it. Mr. Von Roeder is, by nature, a teacher and you will enjoy him.
Preaching, by the pastor, 11 a. m. Subject, "How Christians May Help Christ." This will be another sermon on service. Communion just before morning sermon. There will be special music at this service.
At 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Theo Steele will reorganize the Senior Endeavor and all the young folks of that age are urged to be present at this time. Mrs. Steele is very efficient in all church work that she undertakes and you will enjoy her efforts in this line of church activity.
Preaching, by the pastor, 7:15 p. m. Subject, "Confessing Christ." We are glad to note interest in Sunday evening services.
The study club will meet with Miss Burla Jane Kohn, Monday afternoon at 2:30.
Let every member of the church, who possibly can, be in the Sunday school this morning and let's show

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L. B. Gray, Minister
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., S. B. Baker, superintendent.
Morning and evening worship on the first and third Sabbaths in each month. The pastor is speaking in Strawn this morning.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
The Presbyterian Young People's Conference, usually held on the fifth Sunday, has been deferred until today. It will begin at 3 p. m., in the Central Presbyterian Church of Abilene. The program is grouped around the theme, "My Brother's Keeper." Chief among the attraction of today will be addresses by Rev. Dr. Ralph Hall, one of the secretaries of the Board of Christian Education, and leader of young people's work. Every attendant on the Presbyterian church and its young people's societies should go to this meeting, if possible.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
James M. Bond, Pastor
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; Walter Harwell, superintendent.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. The night service will be especially in the interest of young people.
Group meetings at 6:15 p. m.

ST. RITA'S CHURCH
Masses today will be at 8 and 10 a. m., by Rev. J. Fernandez.
This is the second Sunday after the Epiphany and the epistle is taken from the Romans 12:6-16, and the Gospel from St. John 21:2. This Gospel tells how Christ attended the marriage feast at Cana of Galilee, and, at his mother's request, changed water into wine for the benefit of host and guests.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
(A Friendly Church)
D. W. Nichol, Minister
Class work begins at 10 o'clock. We will welcome you.
Preaching, 11 a. m. Subject, "Unleash Spirits." Scripture reading Mk. 1.
Communion services, 11:45.
Preaching, 7:15 p. m. Subject,

Cooper School Mid-Term Graduating Class to Have Class Day Tuesday
Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock the mid-term graduating class of Cooper school will hold their class day exercises. The program will be especially interesting, and friends and parents are invited to enjoy this occasion with the members of the class and the other students.

Miss McGowan Entertains Honoring Miss Davis
Miss Pauline McGowan entertained with a slumber party at her home, 800 Young street, Friday night, honoring her house guest, Miss Hazel Davis of Spur, formerly of Ranger.

A Mexican supper was served to house party guests, Messrs. Eva Littlejohn, Marguerite Dennis, Edna Parsner, Jessie May Grant, honoree and hostess, Miss McGowan.

Mrs. Kuykendall to Lead Program On "Mexico"
Mrs. M. P. Kuykendall, will be in charge of the program Thursday afternoon when the 1920 Club meets in the Colonial room, Gholson hotel, for an interesting program on "Conditions in Mexico."
"Reasons For Backwardness" opening the topic will be given by the director, followed with a paper "Mexico Needs Help and Betterment in Economic Conditions," by Mrs. J. M. Gholson. Mrs. Louis Pitcock will offer "Labor Problems," while Mrs. R. R. Stafford will discuss "Recent Problems." Music drawing the lesson to a close will be given by a male quartet. Members are earnestly urged to be present.

Visiting In San Antonio
Mrs. Jimmie Nottingham and young son, Jimmie Jr., left Friday for San Antonio, where they will visit several days at the house guests of friends and relatives.

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