

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Fair, cooler in south portion tonight. Thursday fair.

Ranger Times

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A proposed bill would forbid private loans to defaulting nations. More government interference. A man can't even lose his money the way he wants to.

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FOUR KILLED IN PLANE CRASH AT LEWISVILLE

BUS COMPANY REWARD TO GO TO OFFICERS

DALLAS, April 18.—A \$500 reward offered by the Southwest Greyhound bus lines for the capture of bandits who held up a bus last week, will be paid to Oklahoma City officers, it was announced today.

F. Freeman, company division manager, said the Oklahoma officers, after shooting Calvin Elmer and arresting Elmer in connection with the bus and other robberies, recovered part of the property taken in the holdup.

Freeman said Oklahoma City officers advised him Green had tried to lead them to where the luggage was concealed at Fort Worth.

The bus company will take legal action to recover \$220 found on Elmer for return to passengers the bus who lost money in the holdup.

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 18.—John Spencer, alias Dave Stovall, was shot in several southwestern states, died early today of a wound received when he tried to escape from an officer's trap.

He was suspected as being one of the three men who held up a bus near Weatherford last week and a number of robberies.

County officers said Elmer was captured after the shooting last night, had confessed that he and Spencer were in the bus robbery.

Base Pierce, deputy sheriff, said Spencer once through the door when the man attempted to escape by running between two buses after a woman led officers to a hideout.

Disarmament Hope Vanishes Today As France Sends Note

LONDON, April 18.—Hope of a general disarmament vanished today as Edrope settled down to a businesslike future.

The British government is issuing a climatic "white paper" this morning, detailing the failure of negotiations to date.

It will include the text of yesterday's discouraging French note, declaring France will not submit to rearmament of Germany, and actually suspending further disarmament negotiations.

The French note apparently has no further move up to Great Britain. It was believed the "white paper" would be in the hands of an explanation to the world, showing how far Britain is gone in trying to promote an agreement and absolving her of responsibility for the failure.

Blanton Flays D. C. Officials' Doubled Wages

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Disclosure that many district officials have had salary increases of more than 100 per cent within the last decade are contained in the printed hearings on the district supply bill recently reported.

Tabulations were submitted by Representative Blanton, democrat, of Texas, who sponsored the proposed tax reduction.

The district government, he said, has "too many assistants, and too many third and fourth assistants; there has been too much enlargement of little unimportant bureaus, in my judgment, and our commissioners ought to cut them down in the interest of the taxpayers."

Among the salary increases specifically cited by Blanton occurring between 1923 and 1933 were the following:

The district commissioners jumped from \$4,000 to \$9,000; the secretary of the board, \$2,700 to \$5,600; the purchasing officer, \$3,600 to \$5,400; the collector of taxes, \$4,000 to \$6,000; auditor, \$4,000 to \$5,000; corporation counsel, \$5,500 to \$9,000; the principal assistant corporation counsel, \$3,000 to \$7,000; municipal architect, \$3,600 to \$7,500 (now \$6,500); superintendent of trees and parkings, \$2,000 to \$5,200.

Juvenile judge, \$3,600 to \$7,000; director of public welfare, raised to \$8,000; superintendent of jail, \$1,680 to \$4,440, and a variety of chief clerks.

During the course of his remarks Blanton observed that "A few fellows at the top get most of the raises. I want to see everybody get a living wage."

Guard Maintained Around Confessed Slayer of Girl

SHREVEPORT, La., April 18. National guardsmen maintained a close guard around the county jail and courthouse today following two futile efforts by a mob to storm the building and take Fred Lockhart, 38, accused of murdering and assaulting Mae Griffin, 16-year-old Shreveport girl.

Fumes from scores of tear gas bombs used by defending officers hung over the entire business district until early today.

At the height of the turmoil last night, more than 5,000 persons were packed in the streets around the courthouse. Deputies, armed with machine guns and rifles guarded the doors and the small elevator to the jail on the seventh and eighth floors.

The mob began gathering soon after police announced that Lockhart had confessed he stabbed the girl, Sunday, and assaulted her.

A. E. and C. T. Morgan, members of the Morgan Construction company of Dallas, successful bidders on the highway construction project on Highway 1 in the city limits of Ranger, arrived in Ranger late last night to begin preliminary work in connection with the building of the highway.

C. T. Morgan, who will remain in Ranger to oversee the actual construction work, said today that he was in receipt of a telegram from Gibb Gilchrist, state highway engineer, to the effect that a work order on the project would be issued Friday or Saturday of this week and moving of machinery and equipment could be begun immediately upon receipt of the order.

A. E. Morgan, the other member of the firm, will be in Ranger until preliminary details are completed, after which he will take care of the office details for the company at Dallas.

It was stated this morning that 110 working days had been specified in the contract, but that for

How Six Met Death When Bus and Truck Crashed



Here are two pictures of the appalling wreckage left by the collision of a bus and a freight truck, which killed six and injured 14 near Elyria, O. Seats of the bus, top photo, were ripped from their moorings and splintered to matchwood, the left side, where the six were killed, bearing brunt of the impact. Side of the truck, below, was caved in. Both drivers miraculously escaped death. The crash occurred when the driver of the bus swerved to avoid a parked truck, and met the moving truck almost head-on.

B. M. Collie Is Rotary Speaker at Meeting Today

In the absence of Walter Harwell, president of the Rotary club, H. C. "Andy" Anderson presided and presented B. M. Collie of Eastland, who spoke on the responsibilities of a Rotarian.

He pointed out that if the ideals of Rotary were lived up to and if each member would live up to his individual responsibilities, Rotary would have a decided place in the community in which it served.

Members of the club who would play on the service club team were announced as being R. B. Canfield, H. C. Anderson, H. S. Von Roeder, Edwin George Jr., H. F. Earnest, C. B. Pruet, and Dr. G. E. Haslam.

Visitors at the meeting were B. M. Collie and C. D. Birdsong.

Old California Landmarks Nearly Hidden From View

HANFORD, Calif.—Buried from view of passersby in the barren hills of the Devil's Den district near here, one of California's oldest landmarks is succumbing to the elements.

The landmark, a towering, upright rock, bears in faded letters the inscription: "Rock of ages cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee." Faintly visible numerals reveal the passage was painted in 1880.

County Tax Collector E. W. Houston said the basin below the rock once was the only source of water for many years over the vast plainland country.

Jesuit priests, on long treks from the coast into the barren inland country, used the pool as an oasis on their journeys. The water no longer is available there, a series of dry years having left the basin dry.

Sophisticated Co-Eds Cleaning Up World

PHILADELPHIA.—Sophisticated co-eds will lead the way out of a "messy civilization," in the opinion of Ruth Dorsey, dean of women at Drexel institute.

"The modern girl is faced with a rotten world, presented to her by her ancestors," Dean Dorsey said. "She will have a big part in making it a better world for her children."

The present girl is afraid of nothing, competing in all work and play. She isn't afraid of men and has no illusions of masculine superiority. She has met men on her own terms, and found them no better and no worse than she herself.

"The college girl of today is a credit to her parents, her sex, and herself."

Court Orders On Real Estate Sales Are Possibility

AUSTIN, April 18.—Possibility district court orders against forced sales of real estate under the original moratorium act may be extended, was suggested from the state supreme bench today when the court met to hear arguments in 14 appealed cases.

Attorney Walter Wolke, Houston, suggested to the court that all the cases had become moot. He said that even should the court decide the cases today no sales are possible before June and the act under which the stays were issued expires May 1.

Court Holds City of Cisco Must Pay Its Bondholders

ABILENE, April 18.—The city of Cisco absorbed a major blow, in Federal Court here Tuesday, in its protracted struggle over municipal debts but kept the litigation alive by filing motion of appeal to the Fifth Circuit Court at New Orleans.

Ruling opposite to former judgments in the noted case, Judge William H. Atwell held for the plaintiffs, Charles F. Bullard and others of New York City, who for three years have been appealing from adverse judgments rendered both in the court here and by the New Orleans circuit court. Judge Atwell's decision ordered payment and interest on defaulted bonds amounting to \$775,000 to the plaintiffs and payments of approximately \$75,000 to intervenors, a total of \$848,000.

Original judgment in the suit, entered here in November, 1931, and later sustained in part and reversed in part by the Fifth Circuit of Appeals, was reversed last Nov. 15 by the United States Supreme Court and the suit remanded back to trial here.

Flatwood Church to Have Services Sun.

Following the Sunday school hour at Flatwood Sunday there will be the morning worship service, communion, and sermon, subject, "What It Is to Be a Christian."

The Sunday night service will be held at 7:45 o'clock. There will be singing and preaching; subject, "The Cost of Discipleship." A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to come to services Sunday.

AIR LINES SUE FOR CONTRACTS AND DAMAGES

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Legal action to force restoration of cancelled air mail contracts was filed in District of Columbia supreme court by four air lines while senate investigators continued inquiry into air mail activities during the Hoover administration.

Four suits were filed against Postmaster General James A. Farley by Boeing Air Transport, Inc., National Air Transport, Inc., Pacific Air Transport, and Varney Air Lines, Inc. All are subsidiaries of the United Air Craft and Transport Corporation.

Farley was sued personally to set aside his contract cancellation order and for damages resulting to the four lines.

Karl A. Crowley, solicitor of the Post Office Department, charged the action was a "weak effort to evade the law which prohibits anyone from suing the government without its permission."

"The suit should have been filed in the Court of Claims," Crowley said. He explained if the cancellation had been signed merely "James A. Farley," without the designation "Postmaster General," the action might have been taken against him personally.

Moon River Rancho Cast Will Appear On The Arcadia Stage

Characters in the play, "Moon River Rancho," which is to be presented by the Ranger high school senior class, are extremely active now, preparing for the parts they are to portray and getting up public interest in the presentation.

This afternoon at the chapel hour a skit from the play was presented at the high school auditorium.

Tonight at 9 o'clock they will appear on the stage of the Arcadia theatre, and will present the same skit for the audience. Their time this afternoon after school and Thursday will be taken up with final dress rehearsals and preparations for the show.

The stage decorations have been installed, with the exception of a few minor details, it was said today, and everything is about in readiness for the opening Friday night.

Thursday afternoon the cast will appear again, this time in a parade on Main street, according to present plans.

The play is being sponsored by the senior class and the proceeds will go toward the repairs needed on the auditorium curtain. It is being directed by Mrs. A. Neill and Mrs. R. L. Malldox. The admission price will be 10 cents for children under 12 years of age and 25 cents for adults.

Garner's Brother Suicide in Texas



Jolly Garner, (above), 48-year-old brother of Vice President John N. Garner, shot himself to death in his El Paso home. Long a customs guard, Garner was said to have shown signs of a nervous breakdown.

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STOCKHOLDERS T.P.C.&O. MEET AT THURBER

THURBER, Texas, April 18.—The annual meeting of stockholders of the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company was to be held today and with it reported important changes were to be made in the management of the concern.

Recent activity in the company's stock on the New York exchange has been attributed in some quarters to a purported impending change in the personnel of the management.

Today's meeting opened at 10 a. m.

The company's stock has been sold by the thousands of shares this week on the New York exchange. Monday's sales were above 20,000 and Tuesday they reached a peak of 47,000 shares. This unusual activity was believed indicative of an intended change in management.

"STRANGE SUGGESTION"

ISTANBUL.—A request to join in a competition to find the best way to form a union of the governments of the world has been received by the Istanbul Chamber of Commerce from the United States Institute of History. The Turkish press commenting on the letter, says, "It is a very strange suggestion."

OTIS M. (RED) MOORE, SNYDER, HIGH SCHOOL COACH, ELECTED TO REPLACE COACH CURTIS

At a meeting of the Ranger school board, held Tuesday night, Otis M. (Red) Moore, coach of the Snyder high school, was elected as coach of the Ranger High School Bulldogs for the 1934 season. Coach Moore was notified today of his election and indicated that he would arrive over the week-end for a 10 days to two weeks spring training period with the 1934 candidates for positions on the 1934 team.

The new coach attended Abilene high school for four years, playing on the high school football teams coached by Shotwell, who later went to Breckenridge high school. He played on two state championship teams while at Abilene. Graduating from Abilene high, he attended Simmons university five years, receiving his B. A. and Master's degree and acted as assistant football coach for two years.

After graduation from Simmons he went to Snyder, where he coached in high school five years, winning two district championships and two regional crowns, and finishing second in the district once.

ALL VICTIMS BADLY BURNED IN ACCIDENT

Plane Burst Into Flames As Storm Was Brewing Around Craft.

DALLAS, April 18.—The charred bodies of four Dallas men and women, killed in a plane crash 20 miles northwest of here, were returned to Dallas today.

The victims, burned beyond recognition after the ship burst into flames last night were: Harry Fowler, veteran pilot, who was at the controls.

Lillian Rose, 18, Fowler's fiancée. Jack Poole, 34, friend of Fowler. Mrs. Jewel Morgan, 21, beauty parlor operator.

The quartet had dinner at Love field airport last night, then took off in the plane at 10 p. m., for an unannounced destination.

Attendees at the field said they apparently planned to take a short ride and return here. A half hour later farmers living near Lewisville, Texas, saw the plane fall to earth during an electrical storm. Cause of the mishap was not determined.

Streams swollen by heavy rains made access to the scene difficult. The bodies were not removed from the cabin until after daybreak today.

Surprise Move Is Taken In Trial Of Bishop Cannon

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Attorneys at the conspiracy trial of Bishop James Cannon, today obtained subpoenas requiring the United States attorney general to bring into the court letters of Rep. George Pinkham, Republican, Mass., who first accused the bishop of violating the corrupt practices act.

This surprise move was expected to result in a full airing of the "bucket shop" and stock market charges made against the bishop when he was conducting his campaign against Alfred E. Smith in 1928.

Trotsky Awaiting A Refuge Abroad

PARIS, April 18.—A charge that Leon Trotsky was prepared at any moment during the fatal riot of Feb. 6, to speed to Paris and lead a revolution, was published today by the newspaper Le Journal.

As the exiled Russian leader, ordered to leave the country, sought a refuge abroad and was prepared to make a dash through the country in a motor car, Le Journal and other newspapers augmented reports of the secret police with lurid details of Trotsky's alleged activities.

His secretary told the United Press: "We are going to leave today or tomorrow, depending on word from Paris."

Spring Business Recovery Is Noted

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Highly desirable spring business recovery is here, Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins said today in reporting employment and payroll gains for March.

Miss Perkins said employment climbed 418,500 and weekly payrolls jumped \$12,004,000 in private industry last month. She hailed the increase as signs of a "definite spring recovery which is highly desirable."

The increase means, she said, a return to private industry of about 2,750,000 workers since March 1923, and an estimated increase of weekly payrolls of \$79,000,000.

Man, Long Wanted For Burglary, Is Now In County Jail

A man wanted in Eastland for burglary was arrested Tuesday in interview by Steele Hill, Eastland county deputy sheriff. He had been on the loose for two years.

The man arrested by Hill is charged with two burglaries and robberies which includes the robbery of the Waples Platter grocery house in Ranger two years ago.

He is being held in the county jail.

S. W. BOBO UNCHANGED

Reports from the bedside of S. W. Bobo, who has been critically ill for some time, today indicated that his condition was unchanged today and that he was still in a very serious condition.

IN GOVERNOR'S RACE

POTTSTOWN, Pa.—Among the 16 candidates for the republican nomination for governor is Tighman E. Hausman, 44, a meat cutter, who surprised friends here by obtaining 2,500 names on petitions he circulated in nine counties. He is father of six children.

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MORRIS SHEPPARD DEAN OF THE AMERICAN CONGRESS

Sen. Morris Sheppard is the dean of the American congress, a somewhat exalted honor to say the least. Rep. Edward W. Pou of North Carolina died. He was one of the ablest of Southern statesmen. He was one of the fairest. He was a scholar in politics. He was modest and manly. He had culture and poise. He was fair-minded. He never played to the galleries. He never made use of the vocabulary of the blatterskite. His speech was as refined as his presence was gentle—and commanding.

John L. Sheppard was a famous judge in the piney woods section of Texas. He was elected by the voters of his district as their representative in congress. He died in harness. From boyhood he had been a close personal and political friend of James Stephen Hogg. This was away back in 1902. His son, Morris, had graduated with the highest of honors in one of the historic universities of the East. The friends of his father rallied the state over and the son was elected to the congressional vacancy caused by the death of the sire. Many of those who lent their influence to the elevation of the son to the high post his father had held predicted that the young man would serve out the term and then step aside.

Well, Morris never stepped aside.

He represented the old first district of East Texas for 11 years.

Joseph Weldon Bailey retired from the senate.

Morris Sheppard had become a national figure. He was a pro and a dry pro. He was one of the national leaders of the pros as well as the democratic party.

He was elected to the senate to finish the unexpired term of Bailey by a Texas legislature and the people re-elected him every six years ever since. Regardless of criticism on his pro stand, Morris Sheppard has had a long and successful career. He has ever been close to the great body of voters.

A letter from a constituent is a command to Sheppard. He is a strict party man. He enters the primaries. He bows to the wisdom of the majority. He is classed as a liberal on all economic issues. He is ever close to the people and to the so-called people's measures. He followed the flag of Roosevelt until victory came to the skipper of the ship. He refused to take orders from the Anti-Saloon League and allied organizations in 1928. He never dodged nor evaded the issue. He declared that Alfred E. Smith had been chosen as the candidate by the party of Thomas Jefferson and he campaigned the country over in that ever memorable campaign. He may not agree with all the legislation enacted but he felt that "the ox was in the ditch" and that drastic measures were just as necessary in economic wartime as they were in the days when the nations of the earth resorted to the sword to re-establish the peace of the world. Those who know him, or rather those who are close to him and enjoy his confidence, predict that he will be a candidate for re-election in 1936.

EDUCATION SAID TO BE THE MOST POWERFUL WEAPON

Mrs. William A. Becker of New Jersey, one of the original 13 colonies, came all the way to Texas to attend the convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution. This golden nugget of wisdom is taken from the address of the visitor from afar: "Education is the most powerful weapon in the hands of any nation. The security of our profession, preservation of our ideals and perpetuity of justice and liberty under law depends upon character." Also, it is ever wise to keep the powder dry.

The city that does not seek something better than it now has is going to lose out.

Half-time boosters don't do much for a city. It takes full-time boosters to bring home the bacon.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK
By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

THAT you will always find it to your advantage to buy from the business concerns of the home city. They can furnish you what you want, and usually at a little less than you can buy elsewhere.

Prosperity for a city depends upon its industry and business being properly supported.

The development of business for a city is not only a problem for the local business men, but is a problem for the entire citizenship, for prosperity for a community can be gained only by better business for the community.

Too many communities are handicapped by having too many citizens who earn money at home and spend it elsewhere.

Some people say "BUY AT HOME" and then forget to do it themselves. What kind of a city would your city be if all citizens were like them?

Money spent in your city makes YOUR city grow. Every citizen must have faith in the home city. It takes faith to make a city grow. Show your faith! Spend your money at home!

More and More Complicated The Railroad Situation Gets



PLAN \$2.48 SPREE

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Federal employees of the Binghamton Weather Bureau are planning a "spree" on the money they expect from the retroactive feature of the five per cent restoration of salary decreases, voted them recently.

COLLEGE DANCE BAN LIFTED

NEW CONCORD, O.—Dances bridge parties are now reality for Muskingum college students here. The institution's board of trustees has voted to lift an all-time ban on the two diversions, barred during the nearly 100 years existence of the school.

The ROMANTIC RUNAWAY

BEGIN HERE TODAY
PARLITO, a handsome youth accused of a murder he did not commit, escapes from Key West to Havana with two sisters, BEAU and LOTTIE, MARCIA TREADWAY, who could prove Parlito innocent, fears scandal and complete silence.
In Havana Parlito, under the name of "Junius," becomes celebrated as a boxer and he and Beau open a gymnasium.
Parlito loves ESTELLE FIELD, daughter of rich Jim Field, and she loves him. They meet and plan to marry, but Field takes Estelle on a yachting cruise. Two years later, believing Parlito lost to her, she becomes engaged to ALEC DAVIES.
SIR AUBREY, a titled Englishman and Parlito's father, has been carrying on a search for him, employing BILLINGS, New York detective.
Believing Estelle faithless, Parlito spends months in aimless travel and then returns to Havana. Beau and Lottie welcome him eagerly.
Meanwhile Field has lost his fortune. Davies breaks his engagement to Estelle and she and her father decide to return to America. Marcia Treadway, who goes to see them off, asks Field if he knows where Parlito is.
NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XLII
FIELD chose his words slowly. "I know that he's wealthy," he said. "and—well, I don't think I'll tell you any more, Marcia. Something I did a few years ago hurt the boy pretty badly. I'm not at all ways quite so black as they paint me, you know. I wouldn't turn him over to the police now—even if I could."
"If you'll forgive me for saying it, Marcia, Ted Jeffries wasn't much good. There was no loss there and, as I said, I hurt the boy. At least, I heard so."
"But," Marcia interrupted tensely. "I can free him! I mean of those old charges. That's what I wanted to tell you, Jim. I went to Theresa Jeffries' rooms the night of the masquerade party. I followed Ted there. I had seen Theresa on the water with that naval man we called 'Red.' I thought it was safe, and Ted had been avoiding me all evening. I meant to see him and have a reckoning with him." He had hurt me—badly. I was mad about him and I wanted to accuse him and—to make him suffer. I wanted to hurt him—if I could—the way he'd hurt me. When I went in Theresa's rooms he was hunting through her desk. For letters, I think.
"I stood in the doorway for a moment, watching him. Then someone stepped from the dressing room. I thought it was Theresa's maid and stepped back into the hall but when I heard scuffling I looked into the room again. There was a short, stocky black-haired man leaning above Ted. It wasn't Parlito! He didn't do it! Jim! He didn't murder Ted. I'm not ashamed to tell about it now—about being there. It's been terrible knowing—"
"Parlito," said Field slowly. "is in Cuba. He goes by the name of Junius now. He's the boxer."
A MOMENT later Marcia was beside Estelle again. "I'm going

with you!" Marcia sang out. Her cheeks were blazing and her eyes bright. "I'm going with you!"
Laughing unsteadily she went up the long gang plank with them. "I shall buy a toothbrush and I'll be draped in a sheet but just the same I'm going with you!"
She found that there was a state room available—a good one. A gentleman from St. Louis had failed to claim his reservation.
"Marcia," Estelle asked, "what does all this mean?"
She stood in the doorway of Marcia's room. The boat was at ready moving.
"Sit down darling, and I'll tell you. Do you remember the boy who used to work at your father's camp—the one called Parlito? They said he killed Ted Jeffries. Well, he didn't do it!"
Estelle accepted Marcia's invitation to sit down and did so rather suddenly.
"Good heavens, child, you're pale!" Marcia interrupted herself. "Shall I get you a drink?"
"No, go on!" Estelle urged. "Tell me about Parlito."
NORRIS NOYES sat in a New York law office. He was freshly awoke, his beard trimmed to a point and his gray hair glistening. Across the desk from him sat his attorney, tilted back in his chair, fingertips touching as he looked at Noyes.
"And now," said the attorney, "since the unpleasant—aura, shall we say?—of gossip has cleared away you will be able to take up once more the life to which you were born. You can have all the comforts that you so richly merit by your superb action, take up your old interests again—"
"I want to find the boy I've told you about," Noyes answered flatly. "That's the only thing I'm interested in."
"You have unlimited funds to aid you in your search for him, Mr. Noyes."
Noyes arose, nodding. He said, "You won't forget that remittance I asked to have sent to the old woman who has my shack in Key West?"
"That will be attended to."
"Thank you. I suppose that is all."
"Drop in when you can, Mr. Noyes. We'll be delighted to see you. Shall I—ah—put your name up for the Lotus Club?"
"No. Thank you quite as much." He went away, realizing that he did not want either praise or sympathy. The thing that he had suffered for had been his own doing. He had married a very young girl whose beauty had later lost its appeal. Then when his need for more sustenance than there is in physical loveliness became acute he found Jessie Martell who was not beautiful but whose words sparkled with wit and understanding and who saw something of interest in every dull surface. She had fed his mind and given him the companionship he sought.
Evening after evening he had spent with her in her home before she learned that he was married.

Markets

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Am Can 104 1/4
Am F & L 8 1/8
Am F & Pwr 10 1/4
Am Rad & S S 15 1/4
Am Smelt 43 1/4
Am T & T 123 1/4
A T & S F Ry 69
Anaconda 16 1/4
Auburn Auto 49 1/4
Avn Corp Del 8 1/4
Barnsdall 9 1/4
Beth Steel 43
Byers A M 28
Canada Dry 27
Case J I 69 1/4
Chrysler 53 1/4
Comw & Sou 2 1/4
Cons Oil 12 1/4
Contl Oil 21 1/4
Curtiss Wright 27 1/4
Elec Au L 45 1/4
Elec St Bat 19 1/4
Foster Wheel 16 1/4
Fox Film 45 1/4
Freeport Tex 22 1/4
Gen Elec 34 1/4
Gen Foods 38 1/4
Gillette S R 11 1/4
Goodyear 36
Gt Nor Ore 13 1/4
Gt West Sugar 30
Houston Oil 26 1/4
Int Cement 30
Int Harvester 41 1/4
Johns Manville 57
Kroger G & B 32 1/4
Liq Carb 30 1/4
Marshall Field 18 1/4
M K T Ry 12 1/4
Mont Ward 31 1/4
Nat Dairy 16 1/4
N Y Cent Ry 35 1/4
Ohio Oil 13 1/4
Packard Mot 5 1/4
Penney J C 67
Phelps Dodge 17 1/4
Phillips Pet 20 1/4
Pure Oil 12 1/4
Purity Bak 16 1/4
Radio 8 1/4
Sears Roebuck 50 1/4
Shell Union Oil 9 1/4
Socony Vac 16 1/4
Southern Pac 28 1/4
Stan Oil N J 45 1/4
Studebaker 7
Texas Corp 26 1/4
Texas Gulf Sul 36 1/4
Tex Pac C & O 4
Und Elliott 45
Union Carb 45 1/4
United Air & T 23 1/4
United Corp 6 1/4
U S Gypsum 41
U S Ind Ale 53 1/4
U S Steel 51 1/4
Vanadium 27 1/4
Western Union 56
Westing Elec 39
Worthington 26

Curb Stocks
Elec Bond & Sh 17 1/4
Ford M Ltd 8 1/4
Gulf Oil Pa 67
Humble Oil 45 1/4
Lone Star Gas 6 1/4
Niag Hud Ind 6 1/4
Stan Oil Per 27 1/4
Total sales, 1,540,000 shares.
Sterling, \$5.13 1/4.

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New York Cotton
Range of the market, New York cotton—
Prev. High Low Close
May 1175 1165 1165 1162
July 1185 1175 1175 1173
Oct. 1200 1190 1190 1187
Dec. 1210 1201 1201 1199

Chicago Grain
Range of the market, Chicago grain—
Prev. High Low Close
Corn—
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FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Bloss



of 3,359 children in nursery schools taught by 262 teachers at a cost of \$5,410.
Experts in illiterate education claim the average adult illiterate can learn to read in 31 lessons.

CISCO NEWS ITEMS

CISCO, April 18.—News has been received here of the death Monday in Springfield, Mo., of Mrs. Beatrice Bedell, who, from 1920 to 1933 was employed at a local department store as a milliner.
Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Brown were guests of Mrs. Frank Bond who entertained Monday night with a "42" party at her home in Eastland.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Doyle of Ranger were guests of friends in Cisco Monday.
Miss Zilla Garrett will arrive today from Gorman to be the guest of Mrs. J. J. Butts.
Miss Ruby Rae Swift had as guests during the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Sargent and family

MINE OPERATIONS ENDANGERED

HARRISBURG, Pa.—Resumption of operations in small anthracite collieries is endangering fish in Pennsylvania streams which draw fishermen from parts of the country. The fish commission is planning a West Virginia's sick residents are allowed a gallon of liquor month, so if they only say the sick, they'll be sick.

A Famous Beauty

Answer to Previous Puzzle
HORIZONTAL
1. Who is the famous beauty in the picture?
11. Insane.
12. One receiving the title to property.
14. Female sheep.
16. Frozen deserts.
18. To rub out.
19. To scrutinize.
20. Kingdom.
22. Collection of facts.
23. Adhered closely.
24. Weaving frame.
26. Portal.
27. Credit (abbr.).
29. Forest.
31. Old French measure.
32. Bird note.
33. Boy.
35. Toots gently.
36. Existed.
37. To eject.
39. To go away.
40. Fruit.
42. Wigwag.
44. Three.
45. To perform.
47. Like.
49. Toward.
50. Neuter pronoun.
51. Sun god.
52. High terrace.
54. Limited.
56. She is an ——— by profession.
57. Philanthropy.
13. God or wail.
15. She is ——— by race.
17. Not soft.
19. Black hair.
21. Debatable.
23. Peruses.
25. Cow's cry.
26. Inevitable.
28. Sloping way.
29. To accomplish.
31. Morinda in fiction.
32. Lunar spot.
34. To eat sparingly.
35. Poverty.
38. Incarceration on the teeth.
39. Drink of the gods.
41. Stream.
42. Japanese god.
43. Incarnation of Vishnu.
46. What is left after?
48. Dry.
51. To soak fish in the sun.
53. Street.
55. The \$5.2416.

Nation Spends \$95,000 to Get Rid of 'Aints,' 'You-alls'

By United Press
AUSTIN, Tex.—The Federal government is spending \$95,000 a month in Texas to rid the state of "aints," "you-alls," and other marks of illiteracy.
In February, 58,054 adult students were enrolled in the educational relief program. They were taught by 1,738 teachers at a cost of \$64,884. Of the total number of students, 2764 were classed as illiterates.
The U. S. Census of 1930 showed Texas to have 156,815 male and 151,366 female illiterates, a total of 308,121 or 6.8 per cent of the total population for that year.
Total native white illiterates, however, was 46,848. Colored races were credited with 90,225 illiterates, foreign born 7,136. Illiterates and near-illiterates in federal-sponsored schools in Texas are taught reading, numbers and spelling, along with other elementary subjects. "Advanced" adult students study English, mathematics, science and similar subjects.
The Educational Relief Commission also provided for instruction

STARR TELLS WHY HE SIGNED L. C. KEEL BOND

In a communication addressed to the Cisco Citizen and published in that paper in its issue of April 13, W. B. Starr, who was one of the signers of the bond made by L. C. Keel, charged by complaint with burglary and theft in connection with the robbery of the Ranger National guard armory on Feb. 19, gives his reasons for signing the bond.

Mr. Starr's article says in part: "It would seem as if Mr. Keel occupies a rather unique position at this time. Without even being indicted, some people have already accused him guilty, and have condemned him severely. Prior to the commission of his present alleged offense, back a month or two ago, Mr. Keel was arrested at Eastland, and confined in the jail for several days. It seems at that time, he was guilty of leading a delegation of Eastland county citizens to the county seat to protest against some acts of injustice in connection with the operation of the CWA program in Eastland county. Of course, all informed people know that this indignation must have been misled, and it is well known to the public that the administration of the CWA in Eastland county has been without reproach. An investigation has proved that it has been carried on with the highest degree of efficiency. No petty grafting or maladministration has been disclosed, therefore it was indeed presumptuous for any body of citizens to require into the administrative matters of the CWA.

"It seems as if a great deal of the prejudice against Mr. Keel is due to his having been active in organizing the CWA workers in this county. Just why some people should take this stand is hard to understand, unless it is an account of some false rumors to the effect that these workers' organizations expect to lead in a forcible revolution against our government. The writer has been a visitor at several of these meetings, at different places in the county, and has never heard a word uttered that would substantiate these rumors. He has also talked with many people who have heard Mr. Keel speak at meetings. All these members of his audiences report that he has never made a statement calculated to provoke violence, and it is well known that the rank and file of the CWA workers' organization at Ranger, where Mr. Keel lives and is best known, believe him to be innocent of the present charges against him.

"Several days after Mr. Keel's arrest, and when it was found that it was hard to secure bond for him, some of his friends in the CWA workers' organization at Ranger thought of W. B. Starr, and so his attention was brought to my attention. I believe my friends who know me, will believe that I am about the last man on earth to abet crime or violence. If our country were invaded, it is possible that I would fight for my home and country, but in all internal matters pertaining to the government of this country, I am for a free press, free speech, agitate and educate, then leave the results to the will of the people, as registered at the ballot box, abiding by the same until another election, when a better informed public might advance to higher ground in their struggle for economic freedom. If this is revolutionary, then I am a revolutionist. Investigating Mr. Keel's case, I decided he was due some consideration. I also know that the charges against him would make many men afraid to render him aid, so that he might prepare to properly defend himself. The result was I signed his bond."

Supreme Court Says Judges Write Much In Opinions

AUSTIN, Tex.—Judges, like others, are prone to write too much. That is the fly in the ointment of the Supreme Court's recent ruling that from now on, Commission opinions, approved by the court, shall have the full force of opinions by the court itself. Heretofore the court approved or disapproved the decision; it did not attempt to endorse all the reasoning.

Two examples illustrate: An opinion written in a Court of Criminal Appeals case, mentioned that the case was under an old statute, not under one passed by the 43rd legislature. Newspaper men remember passage of no such act, though one was recommended by a legislative committee. Inquiry showed the act had not been passed. The reference was eliminated from the opinion. It was merely surplusage and did not affect the decision.

Another judge seen by a colleague puzzling over a decision, asked the trouble. "I don't know what it means," said the judge. "Who wrote it?" he was asked. "I did," he confessed.

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OUT OUR WAY



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowen



Cotton Farmers Due to Receive a Huge Federal Fund

By THOMAS O. HURST
United Press Staff Correspondent
DALLAS.—Texas cotton farmers knocked out by the depression, are due to receive more than \$32,500,000 from the federal government for their co-operation in the 1934 cotton acreage reduction campaign, a United Press survey disclosed today.

In addition to this amount, cotton farmers throughout the state also will receive very substantial sum through sale of their 1934 crop.

The depression "bugaboo," which caused marketing prices for King Cotton to collapse to a figure that actually made production of the commodity cost more than was profitable, has practically disappeared, H. H. Williams, state agent for the Texas A. & M. college extension service, said.

The disappearance of this depression nemesis has brought an upward trend in the market price of the cotton. This upward trend, coupled with the reduction acreage contracts signed by Texas cotton farmers a rental payment of 3 1/2 cents a pound on the average yield

for the five-year base period of the acreage retired. This figure totaled approximately \$25,400,000, according to the survey.

More than half of this figure is scheduled to be paid to Texas cotton farmers in the late spring. The remainder will be paid sometime in August and September.

In addition to the 3 1/2-cent price per pound on the average yield, the government has offered a parity payment of one cent a pound, or \$5 a bale, on 40 per cent of the five-year average production reported on contracts. This figure, the survey showed, totaled more than \$7,100,000.

The parity payments are sched-

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uled to be made early in December of this year.

The United Press survey showed that approximately 5,400,000 acres have been contracted to be retired from the 1934 production by Texas cotton farmers. The figure represents complete returns from 215 counties, and involves 221,992 contracts. Incomplete reports from 11 counties also are represented.

The above counties from which the figures were compiled represent officially the cotton producing counties of the state.

Definite figures were unavailable for the survey due to the rapid changes taking place as more cotton farmers sign the reduced acreage contracts.

Average individual retirement from cotton production under each of the 221,992 contracts amounts to approximately 24 acres, the survey revealed.

The five-year plan for Texas, from 1928 through 1932, the base period, was slightly in excess of 16,000,000 acres.

A 40 per cent retirement, the survey showed, would mean a reduction of cotton acreage in Texas by 6,500,000 acres during the year 1934. Under the government reduction program it is hoped such an acreage reduction will materialize.

By the time a final check is made, it is believed the total retirement for Texas will reach or exceed 5,600,000 acres, which is 35 per cent of the five-year average and the minimum per cent for retirement specified in the contracts signed.

State Historical Association to Meet At Austin April 20

By United Press
AUSTIN.—Archives and libraries of Austin and the University of Texas will become the mecca for members of the Texas State Historical association April 20 and 21.

The association's 38th annual meeting here will feature reports on progress made in locating "lost" and unique documents pertinent to the state's history.

S. E. Ashbury, Texas A. & M. college, has been studying "lost" documents with a view of compiling a bibliography of documents mentioned "second-hand" in books, articles, and letters, but of which no actual trace has been found.

Bygone events of significance in the making of a state will live briefly again during the association's convention here. Topics on the first day's program include "The Santa Fe Expedition" by H. Bailey Carroll, Austin; "Fort McKavett, Texas," by Col. M. L. Crippens, San Antonio and New York, retired army officer.

Addresses will include "Georgia's Contribution to the Texas Republic" by T. B. Rice of Greensboro, Ga.; and "Governor Hogg," by W. F. Garner, history professor at Stephen F. Austin Teachers college.

"Lost Documents," by Ashbury and "Silent Years in Texas History," by Dr. C. E. Castaneda, Del Rio, are discussions scheduled for Saturday morning, April 21. Other speakers will be Trueman E. O'Quinn, Austin, private collector of Texas; Prof. W. P. Webb, University of Texas; J. Evetts Haley, state director of the federal historical investigation; and R. C. Crane, Sweetwater historian.

Sheriff Is Armed With Machine Gun

By United Press
HOUSTON.—Machine gun desperadoes will be met by some of their own tactics if they ever encounter Sheriff T. A. Binford of Harris county.

Targets, punctured with holes shot from Binford's sub-machine gun at 125 yards, adorn the wall of the sheriff's office. He and his chief deputy, Norfleet Hill, keep in practice with the weapon which was given Binford by his deputies.

Two more machine guns have been asked for his department by the sheriff. With the three guns he believes he will have strong enough opposition for any desperado.

Furniture Dealers To Meet April 23rd

By United Press
GALVESTON.—The annual convention of the Retail Furniture association of Texas here April 23 to 25 is expected to bring between 400 and 500 people.

H. E. Dill of Dallas, executive secretary of the association, said approximately 200 furniture dealers would attend the meetings and bring members of their families with them.

Max West is considering buying a bullet-proof automobile, but that can't protect her against the killing looks of other women.

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Instruments
Warranty Deed—M. A. Glenn to N. E. Work, half acre out of M. A. Glenn tract of the W. J. Smith survey, \$100.
Release—Ranger Building & Loan association to M. A. Glenn, 60 acres of W. J. Smith pre-emption survey, \$100.
Right-of-Way—J. W. Foster to S. W. Pipe Line company, 80 acres out of L. Pamplin survey, \$25.
Sheriffs Deed—J. L. Noble by Virge Foster to W. G. Williamson, SW-4 of sec. 8, blk. 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey in E. Cy., \$600.
Deed of Trust—Alice Strickland Johnson et vir to E. H. Strickland, trustee, benefit of Claude Strickland, part of lots 4 & 5, blk. 32, Cisco, \$1.00.
Deed of Trust—J. A. Bearman to E. Parker, trustee for First National Bank, Fort Worth, half interest in oil and gas lease described as S-40 acres of E-80 acres of NW-4 of sec. 80, blk. 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, being S-40 acres of 80-acre tract of land; 4-16 interest in 96.6 acres out of NW part of sec. 80, blk. 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land in Eastland county.

District Court
In Re Liquidation of Texas State Bank, sell note.
W. H. McDonald vs. J. B. Ames et al, injunction.

Cars Registered
Wilbur C. Clough, Cisco, 1934 Pontiac sedan, Muirhead Motor Co.
Mrs. R. L. Poe, Cisco, 1934 Ford sedan, Nance Motor Co.
W. H. Hayes, Cisco, 1934 Ford sedan, Nance Motor Co.
L. R. McGill, Ranger, 1934 Chevrolet truck, Anderson-Pruett, Inc.

Marriage Licenses
Ned Jones and Miss Ada Terry.

Instruments
Power of Attorney: L. A. LeClaire et al to C. J. LeClaire, SW 1-4 of sec. 42, blk. 3, H&TC Ry. Co. lands.
Bill of Sale: C. M. Root to E. C. Brand, Banking Commissioner, Stanley Hotel building, located on Lots 11 and 12, blk. B-2, \$1.00.
Deed: C. M. Root to E. C. Brand, Banking Commissioner, Lots 11 and 12 and E-2 of 13 and 14, blk. B-2, original town of Eastland, \$8434.61.
Bill of Sale: Cyrus B. Frost to C. M. Root, 3-8 interest in Stanley Hotel building, located on lots 11 and 12, blk. B-2, Eastland, \$475.
Warranty Deed: W. S. Adamson to Mark Williamson, 97 acres out of NE part of lot 1, TandNO Ry. Co. survey; 50 acres of Mary Fury survey, \$1837.00.
Deed of Trust: M. H. Perkins to Mrs. M. H. Perkins, 80 acres of section 4, blk. 4, HandTC Ry. survey, \$2500.00.
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Sheriffs of State Do Not Cooperate With Ranger Force

AUSTIN, Tex.—State Ranger headquarters lack a liaison officer. Despite the Rangers' reputation for fearlessness and effectiveness, seldom do they learn of a bank robbery or a hi-jacking until informed by the newspapers or press agencies.

Whether due to jealousy, for getfulness or other causes, sheriffs notoriously neglect to call the Rangers when they notify other officers of such things.

Chief L. G. Phares of the State Highway Patrol has installed mechanical equipment in his office which keeps him in direct contact with police reports in the patrol's search for the slayers of patrolmen at Grapevine. Ranger headquarters lack such equipment.

For fingerprints the Rangers must rely on the state penitentiary or Austin police headquarters. Headquarters here deny knowledge of the reported equipment of a Ranger automobile for pursuing bandits. It was reported to have been armored and to have bullet proof glass.

Scientists insist the heart has nothing to do with love. Just fall in love with a man without a heart, and see how far you get!

IS EPILEPSY INHERITED? CAN IT BE CURED?
A booklet containing the opinions of famous doctors on this interesting subject will be sent FREE, while they last, to any reader writing to the Educational Division, Dept. 903, 545 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

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In sea foam spray,
An elfin beauty you flaunt.

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Of palest green,
A lovely sight you are.

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Political Announcements

This paper is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary Election in July, 1934:

- For County Judge: **W. D. R. OWEN**, **CLYDE L. GARRETT**
- For County School Superintendent: **CLAIBORNE ELDRIDGE**, **T. C. WILLIAMS**
- For County Treasurer: **JOHN WHITE**, **MRS. MAE HARRISON**
- For Sheriff: **VIRGE FOSTER**
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: **HENRY DAVENPORT**

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Seated Tea Outstanding in Thursday's Social Affairs

The seated tea to be given by the 1930 club in compliment to the honor guest, Miss Mary Marshall, head of the fine arts, College of Industrial Arts, Denton, and Thursday Afternoon Study club of Eastland, together with all other federated clubs, is listed in the society calendar as the most outstanding affair to mark Thursday April 19.

The program opens at appointed hour, 3 o'clock, under the direction of Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, president. A splendid attraction during the hour will be that of an art exhibit under the personal direction of Miss Marshall. This exhibit will be open to the public all day Friday.

The afternoon feature comes in observation of Friendship Day, annually celebrated by the local club and its personnel of prominent Ranger clubwomen.

The delightful entertainment will take place in the pretty Colonial room, Gholson hotel. Special decorations will be featured for the honorary occasion through the artistic ability of the decoration committee.

Wise Use of Radio Discussed at P. T. A.

"Wise Use of Radio" was interestingly discussed by Mrs. Bill Larson, leader of Young school Parent-Teachers association program Tuesday afternoon, 3-4:30.

Following the discussion came a complete as well as inspirational report offered by Mrs. Herbert Stafford, who acted as delegate to the First District conference meeting held at Fort Worth April 6-7. Other delegates attending, named Mrs. J. E. Jacobs, president, and Mrs. H. S. Packwood, incoming president.

Final plans were made for the summer round-up which is to be held Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Mrs. A. N. Larson, Mrs. Bill Lawson, and Mrs. H. S. Packwood, were named as a committee to be in charge of this school. The hour was made more successful through the attendance of a number of parents, who have given their individual aid in making the year one long to be remembered for the outstanding achievements made thus far.

Junior Band Practice Thursday Evening
Junior band practice according to Director E. L. Maddox, will be held Thursday evening at the usual hour, 7:30 o'clock. All members are asked to report for this period of practice.

Married At Walters, Okla.
Mrs. Ray Faircloth and John Mitchell were married at Walters, Okla., Monday, April 16, with the ring ceremony used. They are now at home, Strawn road.

Mrs. Hagaman's Address Well Received At Study Club Hour
The address, "The Importance of Religious Training in Early Childhood" given by Mrs. M. H. Hagaman in her fluent speech and manner at the Mothers Study club meeting held at Young school on Tuesday afternoon proved a very worth-while hour and was well received by the group of mothers in attendance.

As the address drew to a close a round table discussion was opened and enthusiastically entered into by the members led by Mrs. C. B. Hutchinson, who presided during the program.

Members present: Misses. Bill

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Lawson, F. E. Jacobs, Herbert Stafford, J. F. Byas, H. D. Bishop, W. W. Jarvis, C. B. Hutchinson, Annie Anderson and Mrs. O. L. Phillips, a visitor.

Students Parade and Band Concert Thursday Afternoon

Ranger high school students composing the graduating class will hold a parade Thursday afternoon beginning at 3:45 during which time a band concert will also be given by R. L. Maddox and band members. The parade comes prior to the senior play, "Moon River Ranch," to be presented at the high school auditorium, Friday night.

Dinner To Honor Miss Marshall
A 7 o'clock dinner to be given at Acorn Acres tearoom Thursday evening will honor Miss Mary Marshall, who will arrive Thursday morning for a short visit in Ranger.

The seated tea, colonial room, Thursday afternoon 3 o'clock will also name her honoree. Miss Marshall will be the house guest of Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, while here.

Ranger Hostesses Compliment Junior Beethoven Club Members

A delightfully arranged entertainment complimented members of the Junior Beethoven club Tuesday afternoon at the 4 o'clock hour at the home of young Miss Esta Ivon Smith, with Misses Bessie Lou Robinson and Geraldine Pirkle acting as co-hostesses. The hour opened with a business session presided over by the club president, Joyce Newham of Eastland, bringing the election of

Arcadia Today



Lionel Barrymore and Mae Clarke in "This Side of Heaven"

new officers, as follows: President, Anna Jane Taylor; first vice president, Hazel Irvin; secretary, Nona Faye Irvin; treasurer, Gladys Larson; critic, D. A. Robinson; Ranger reporter, Esta Ivon Smith; Eastland reporter, Ruby Lee Pritchard; pianist, Joyce Newham.

The musical program opened with piano number by Josephine Murry, emphasizing the lesson subject, "Instruments of the Orchestra." A complete topic carrying this subject was given by Kathryn Carter. Country Gardens by Granger, was played by Mrs. O. B. Denny; Resumé of Beethoven, Anna Jane Taylor; Minuet in G, Geraldine Pirkle; News of the Federation Clubs, Mrs. Taylor, and piano selections by Esta Ivon Smith and Pleas Moore Jr.

The hostesses served a dainty

course of ice cream and cake, with fruited punch, with plate favors of white and pink sweet peas tied with bits of silver ribbon, suggesting the club colors.

Those present: Catherine Carter, Anna Jane Taylor, Joyce Newham, Ruby Lee Pritchard, Donnie Dulin, all of Eastland, and Ranger pupils, Gladys Larson, D. A. Robinson, Pleas Moore, Jr., Esta Ivon Smith, Mrs. O. B. Denny, Hazel and Nona Faye Irvin, Bessie Lou Robinson, and visitors, Mrs. C. A. Smith, Mrs. Nath Pirkle, Mrs. Robinson, and Mrs. Taylor, instructor.

The next meeting is to be a picnic the third Tuesday in May.

Personally Speaking

Tom Russell of Colorado, Texas, was a business visitor in Ranger Tuesday.

Little MIA Imogene Reynolds of Desdemona, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Reynolds of that city has been quite ill for the past few days.

Ed Huffman of Desdemona was a pleasant caller at the Times office the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson of Fort Worth, are visitors at the S. W. Bobo home, Bobo Avenue.

Mrs. Frank Pearsall of Thurber visited here Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Murrell are now at home, Gholson hotel, having moved to their apartment from their former residence, 306 Summit street.

Those attending the district Baptist Association meeting at Abilene Tuesday serving as representatives from the Women's Missionary Union, Central Baptist church were: Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Stephens, Mrs. W. H. Reuser, Mrs. J. E. Ogg, Mrs. E. S. Brink, Mrs. T. A. Arney, Mrs. R. J. Taylor, Mrs. H. Bearden and Mrs. Roy Baker.

C. L. Carr of Dallas is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Dixon.

Miss Mary Marshall, head of the Fine Arts Department, College of Industrial Arts, Denton, will arrive in Ranger Thursday morning to attend the tea Thursday afternoon honoring her at the Colonial room. She will be the house guest of Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, Tiffin road.

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