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## NEW NRA BILL DRAWS FIRE OF REPUBLICANS

### COMMITTEES ON CLEANUP TO MEET MONDAY

A meeting has been called for Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce office of the chairman of all committees in the cleanup campaign. Dr. W. Palmer, the director general of the campaign, and G. A. Murphy and Mrs. E. L. McMillen, general chairmen, will meet with them. The purpose of this meeting is to get a report from the chairman of each committee regarding the progress since Monday. As yet very few committees have reported their activities to the Chamber of Commerce office or to the general chairmen, and it is necessary at this time to check up and see what is being done, and if some of the committees are inactive it is hoped that during this meeting they will be inspired to perform their duties assigned to them for the cleanup campaign.

The chairmen of the various committees who are asked to be at this meeting are as follows: Merchants committee, J. C. Smith; hauling committee, Wade Swift; housing committee, R. A. Jameson; speakers committee, L. H. Flewelling; real estate committee, C. E. May; Boy Scouts committee, B. S. Lemma and R. A. Steele; street beautification committee, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman and Mrs. W. B. Crossley; fire prevention committee, C. E. Maddocks; railroad committee, Mrs. John Gholson; high school and junior college committee, H. S. Von Roeder; ward school committee, Mrs. H. S. Packwood, Mrs. Louis Pitcock, Mrs. H. H. Durham, and Mrs. George Fenger; police committee, Mrs. Pete Jensen; publicity committee, F. D. Hicks; health committee, Mrs. G. E. Robinson.

### Route Boys Meet With Success In New Start Drive

Reports of acceptance of the Eastland Telegram's special subscription offer to Eastland residents were told Saturday by Eastland Telegram carriers. The offer of becoming an Eastland Telegram subscriber for five weeks at a cost of 10 cents was said by the carrier boys to be readily accepted by many. The bicycle contest for which all boys are working is meeting with success from every angle, the route boys and the paper declared.

### Mrs. Herrington Dies In Fort Worth

Ward was received in Ranger Saturday afternoon of the death of Mrs. Josephine Herrington, who passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Fowler in Fort Worth, following an illness of over two years. Services are to be conducted in Desdemona Monday afternoon. The decedent is survived by 10 children, all of whom are living. She is the grandmother of Bill Herrington of Eastland and Mrs. Max Ord of Ranger.

**THE Ranger Times**  
Has Guest Tickets For MR. AND MRS. E. H. MILLS  
to see Wallace Beery in "WEST POINT OF THE AIR"  
Monday at the Arcadia THEATRE  
Call at Times Office and Get Your Ticket

### Broadway America Motorcade to Visit In Ranger, Eastland

The itinerary of the annual Broadway of America motorcade, which leaves San Diego, Calif., on April 5, has been received from Leo Hetzel, first vice president. The motorcade will arrive in Cisco at 2:10 p. m. on April 8, will arrive in Eastland at 2:35 and in Ranger at 3:00 o'clock. Ten minute stops will be made in each of the towns. After leaving Eastland county an overnight stop will be made in Fort Worth, another in Hot Springs on April 9, and the third in Memphis on April 10 before arriving in Nashville for the annual convention, which is to be held April 12 and 13.

### DUST STORM IS RENEWED OVER WIDE SECTION

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 30. A new dust storm blotted out the sky over southwest Kansas today, borne on a strong northerly wind, moving into Oklahoma. The Kansas City bureau said it probably would strike Texas during the day. Meade, Kan., reported "the worst dust of the season." About half the business houses were closed. Street lights burned and highway traffic was stopped. Visibility at Dodge City, where a wind of 38 miles was reported, was reduced to 300 feet. A 22-mile wind picked up clouds of dust at Goodland, in northern Kansas. Indications were that the southwest part of the state would experience the worst effects of the storm. Falling temperatures and precipitation were forecast for Missouri and Iowa. Snow was falling over the northwest plains.

### Huge Narcotics Stores Seized

NEW YORK, March 30.—Narcotics reportedly valued at more than \$1,000,000 were seized by federal agents today in a surprise raid. Agents described the haul the "biggest seizure of narcotics in history." Several were said to have been arrested. Details were withheld because agents hope to seize other members of the ring. Today's raid was based on information obtained in the nationwide federal cleanup campaign. Several agents were said to have posed as addicts to obtain information leading to the higher-ups and the headquarters of the ring.

### WET VOTE DUE IN THE HOUSE NEXT TUESDAY

AUSTIN, March 30.—Texas legislators holidayed today while wet and dry leaders counted noses for a prohibition vote in the house early next week. Representative Emmett Morse of Houston and his associates in managing the resolution for repeal of constitutional prohibition have decided to call for the vote on it Tuesday. That an amendment would be submitted in some form was a foregone conclusion. The fight will be over whether repeal is to be submitted as a clear-cut proposition or with provisions. Those for repeal say they want assurance there will be no return of the saloon. People will not vote for repeal if they are not guaranteed against the saloon, is their argument.

### HAMILTON NOT BELIEVED TO BE IN OKLAHOMA

By United Press  
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 30. The department of justice today discounted reports that Raymond Hamilton, No. 1 southwest desperado, was in Oklahoma. Roadways in northeast Oklahoma were under guard last night after reports had been received at Tulsa that Hamilton and a companion were headed that way. Officers had lost their trail in Arkansas. John Little, in charge of the Oklahoma City division of investigation, said the reports were apparently erroneous. "We have no men out looking for Hamilton now. Neither have we any men out at Miami, where Hamilton was watched for. We have a number of men out in east Oklahoma on routine assignments and are always looking for Hamilton, but this report looks like a false alarm," he said. Little said reports indicated no trace of Hamilton and his companion had been found in the state.

### Colored Federal Adult Classes Do Much for Negroes

Editor's Note: The following is a report on the work being done by the negro students under the federal adult school.

By CHRISTINE SMALL, Instructor

"Before the federal adult school came into existence there was a large number of our people, old and young, who could not even read and write, because they were deprived of the privilege of going to school. After the adult school started a large number of them took advantage of this wonderful opportunity. Among these are J. A. Desborn, Sam Hampton, Carl Lewis, W. E. Colman and many others, including an employee of Montgomery Ward & Co. Some of the ones mentioned above could not even read and write. Since attending the adult school all of these can read and write and most of them can work arithmetic. "One of the students, an employee at a garage, had tried faithfully to get a position through the mail. Not having enough education he failed to be successful in his efforts and had to give it up. After attending the school regularly he was able to write a business letter and get a direct answer. In this way he made \$1 more. He is one among the best scholars in the school.

"When Mrs. R. I. Schooley started to school she had been out for more than 30 years and had forgot all of her school work except reading and writing. Since attending school she has learned to add, subtract, divide, multiply and now can work problems very rapidly. "Another group of younger people, more advanced, is taking English, science, etc. Those in the English class are sure improving in writing and in their everyday conversations. We have in this group a young minister, of whom we are all proud, who is very good in this work. Others in this group include janitors, chauffeurs, cooks and maids.

"We see that the old can be taught as well as the young and good benefit derived. We find that a man of 70 will or can learn almost as fast as one of 18. "I voice the sentiment of the community when I say that Ranger colored citizens certainly appreciate the wonderful effort the government has put forth and are thanking you very much for it. We sure hope it will be possible for it to become permanent."

### Man and Wife Confess Furnishing Guns to Prisoners

OTTAWA, Kans., March 30.—A railroad section foreman and his wife admitted in jail today they had supplied firearms and explosives to have been used in a frustrated break at the Kansas penitentiary.

### Court Changes Date For Petit Jurors To Be Summoned

Petit jurors originally scheduled to be summoned Monday in 88th district court will be called for April 22, an order of that court on file Saturday showed.

### WHY BE PESTERED?

(An Editorial)

At this season of the year we find a large number of ITINERANT PEDDLERS calling from house-to-house endeavoring to sell their wares. It is Spring, the roads are good and it is easy for those itinerants to move from one city to another. There have been several CREWS of peddlers operating in our midst of late—they are here today and gone tomorrow. Then another GANG invades the community trying their sales arguments, using their free samples—and special bargains on the housewife in the hope of securing the order. They are peddling practically every class of merchandise—underwear for feminine wear—yes, even ready-to-wear frocks—you can imagine securing the desired fit by ordering a dress from a sample swatch of material and a picture of "how it will look." It's hard enough to step right into a garment that fits perfectly in one of our ready-to-wear stores where there is a stock arranged on the racks for your inspection and fitting at the time of selection.

If the housewife answered the door every time to the summons of the Peddlers she would be weary by night and possibly not in any too good humor at night time. And the lure with which their hook is baited is the old time often disproved argument that they can sell cheaper than the local business firms. Time and time again the gullible buyer has learned the expensive lesson that the "cheap goods" were of INFERIOR QUALITY OF WORKMANSHIP and was not satisfactory. Besides once a purchase is made from the Peddler it is not an easy task to get an exchange when same is not satisfactory—as in most every case it has to go BACK TO THE MILLS and you are required to again wait several days, sometimes weeks before you have the merchandise ordered, and then it might not be just what you ordered in which case you most likely keep it rather than go to the trouble and delay of another exchange experience.

In this paper we are carrying a series of articles to acquaint the buying public to the Peddlers Wares—Service and Methods of doing Business—especially pointing out the FACTS which should convince every housewife and thrifty shopper that merchandise bought from the peddlers is NOT "as cheap as the Peddlers would like to have you believe" due to the fact that there are MANY COMMISSIONS to be paid on every order.

If you have been stung on Peddlers wares you know that it was NOT always the merchandise values that interested you and induced you to purchase, but it was the salesman's Glib Tongue that relieved you of the CASH DEPOSIT IN ADVANCE on your order.

### "Under Six Flags" To Be Presented Here Next Monday

"Under Six Flags," with the wonder map, is to be shown at the high school auditorium Monday morning at 11:15 o'clock, it has been announced by H. S. Von Roeder, principal of the school. Admission prices are to be 10 cents for a single admission, 15 cents for two or five cents if an entire advisory attends.

The presentation is reported to be the most thrilling story ever told by one of America's greatest authorities on Texas, a story which alternates with laughter and sympathy, admiration and pride, presenting incidents of honor patriotism, sacrifice, hardships, battle, romance and adventure.

The wonder map contains over 240 lights, 62 separate circuits, over 1,000 feet of wire, cost in excess of \$1,000 and has Spanish missions shown in green lights, forts and parishes in light orange lights, battles in red, cities in white, rivers in blue and lines of march of Texas and Mexican armies in lights of different colors. The map is eight by 10 feet in size.

The presentation "Under Six Flags," and the wonder map is made by the historical lecture bureau, established in 1928 in Waco.

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OTTAWA, Kans., March 30.—A railroad section foreman and his wife admitted in jail today they had supplied firearms and explosives to have been used in a frustrated break at the Kansas penitentiary.

Frank Thornbrugh, 41, and his wife said they hid six sticks of dynamite and a number of guns under a bridge near the prison at Lansing for Thornbrugh's nephew, Cecil Thornbrugh, who is serving a term for murder. Officers discovered the plot by decoding a letter from Thornbrugh's wife.

### HARRISON IS AUTHOR OF THE NRA EXTENSION

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The new NRA bill, brought into the open for the first time, drew a withering fire from its critics today. They intend forcing major revisions. The initial attack was led by Senator William E. Borah, republican, Idaho, and William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor. Supporting them were other influential senators. Senator Pat Harrison, democrat, Mississippi, chairman of the senate finance committee, which drafted the extension measure, introduced it for the avowed purpose of bringing the entire NRA question down to brass tacks and removing uncertainty which the administration felt was hindering recovery.

Donald Richberg, new deal coordinator and temporary chairman of the NRA board, whose week of testimony before the committee influenced drafting of the bill, said it was introduced at this time so that all "could tell what they were for or against."

### Congress Is Still Pondering Relief

WASHINGTON, Mar. 30.—The chances of 2,500,000 men to get work relief jobs this spring was started today in a congress-new deal scrap over what part of a dollar spent for public works should go for wages. Administration refusal to accept an amendment restricting projects under a \$900,000,000 loan and grant allocation to those where \$1 out of every \$3 would go for labor, was voiced by PWA administrator Harold Ickes. Ickes and other cabinet members said the bill would make the \$4,800,000,000 work relief measure unworkable.

### Adult Classes Are Holding Interest Of Many Students

Many are now taking advantage of the courses being offered in the federal adult school, it was reported Saturday by Mrs. Louis Pitcock, and all are enthusiastic about their work. All teachers are also enthusiastic over their work. The classes have students ranging from 16 years to 70 years of age and all seem to be most grateful for the opportunity to learn.

One man, 45 years of age, who walks eight and a half miles to school, has missed only three nights. He has recently found employment for which he gives the school credit. This man says, "One of the greatest opportunities ever presented to men and women of America is being offered today—a chance to learn."

For those whose early chances were limited or whose educational careers were interrupted by faulty judgments or by events beyond their control, the classes in the federal adult school are a golden opportunity, those in charge say. A great interest is being shown in the choral groups. Classes are held each Monday night at the Odd Fellows hall from 7 to 10 o'clock. The advanced group meets each Wednesday night at the same hour in the Bundick home, Hunt street. The group which meets Friday night at Bullock is growing rapidly. Last Friday night there were 50 in attendance. Everyone is eligible to enter these classes.

### Julius Wright In a Critical Condition

Julius Wright of Ranger, who was injured in an automobile accident near Abilene several weeks ago, was reported Saturday to be in a very critical condition in a hospital at Abilene. The report said that his condition was so serious that he was not expected to live. Julius Wright is well known in Ranger, having once been in the real estate business and was at one time in the cleaning and pressing business. Later he was a deputy constable under W. A. (Kid) Hammett.

### Bacteria Tests of Water Arranged by City of Eastland

Eastland will send samples of water each month to the state department of health for bacterial tests, Walter Gray, city secretary, announced Saturday. The tests will be additional to the twice-a-week tests of a private laboratory in Dallas, the city secretary said, who pointed out the precaution Eastland is taking to safeguard the purity of the water supply. Arrangements for the state tests, which will be free to the city, was made last week with a visiting state health inspector who advised them inspected the city disposal plant and lakes.

### SIX CARLOADS POTATOES TO GO FOR RELIEF

H. E. Driscoll, Eastland County relief administrator, announced Saturday that six cars of Irish potatoes, containing 216,000 pounds, had been received and would be distributed over six counties in this section of the state. The distribution by counties will be as follows: Stephens county, 18,000 pounds; Palo Pinto County, 30,000 pounds; Erath County, 24,000 pounds; Comanche County, 18,000 pounds; Brown County, 26,000 pounds; Eastland County, 100,000 pounds.

It was reported at the same time that another shipment was on the way to this section and would arrive within a few days, and that out of this shipment Eastland county relief offices would receive 114,000 pounds of the potatoes. Relief officers over the county will be notified when their potatoes leave arrived in Eastland so that they can go for them. Mr. Driscoll said in his report Saturday.

### Relief Work Due To Resume Mon.

Work relief projects will resume Monday, County Administrator H. E. Driscoll announced Saturday. Projects were halted Thursday evening due to non-arrival of April relief funds.

### House Committee Of Cleanup Drive Contacts Families

The house committee, a subcommittee under the highway beautification committee of the Ranger cleanup drive, has about completed its work, with everyone living on the highways from city limits to city limits being visited. Splendid co-operation from the householders in agreeing to plant flowers and shrubs, seeds for which can be secured from the New Era club and the 1920 club, has been reported, as only two families have refused to beautify their yards.

### L. C. Keel Held In State Prison

L. C. Keel of Ranger, convicted and sentenced in Palo Pinto Saturday, was conveyed to the state penitentiary Sunday, Steele Hill, county deputy, reported Saturday. Keel, charged in Stephens and Eastland counties, will likely be returned to the counties by the Stephens county sheriff, officers said.

### Standard Size Hen Laid a Midget Egg

Mrs. C. D. Stagner, who lives on Ranger route 3, brought in a freak egg to the Times office Saturday. The egg, which was laid by a normal size Plymouth Rock hen, was smaller than the end of one's thumb and was hardly as large as a partridge egg. This was the only small egg of this kind the hen has ever laid, Mrs. Stagner said.

### FOUR MILLION ALL LEFT FOR RELIEF FUND

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The federal emergency relief administration has only \$4,000,000 left to feed and clothe the nation's 22,000,000 needy after Monday, officials said today. The money would meet usual relief expenses for less than a day. Officials said, however, "no one will be forced to go hungry, because of this temporary shortage." April allotments cannot be made, they said, until their fund is replenished from the \$48,000,000 which remains out of the \$310,000,000 PWA money—empounded last December by President Roosevelt to meet relief needs. FEPA's new \$880,000,000 fund for direct relief is tied up in the administration's \$4,880,000,000 re-employment bill pending before congress.

### Violence Flares In Miners' Strike

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., March 30.—Violence and bombings flared today in the strife-torn anthracite fields. Shortly after Attorney General Charles Margiotti and Superintendent of State Police Major Lynn Adams arrived with instructions to investigate the bombing of an automobile, owned by a Wilkes-Barre judge, an explosion shook dwellings. The blast did little damage, but was considered to mean striking miners intended to maintain their "reign of terror."

### Colony Faculty to Present Free Play

The faculty of the Colony school is to present a free play at the school auditorium Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, to which the public is cordially invited. The play to be presented by the teachers is "Winning Schemers." Those who will have a part in the play are Miss Carey, Miss Briscoe, Miss Waters, Miss Griffith, Mr. Smith, Mr. Cooksey, Mr. Thomas, and Clifton King.

### Olden Man In Jail At Eastland On a Double Charge

Oscar Meroney of Olden was in Eastland county jail Saturday charged with threat to take life and disturbing the peace, Eastland county officers reported. Charges against Meroney were filed in Justice of the Peace Milton Newman's court in Eastland by J. B. Matlock of Olden on Tuesday.

### COLD WAVE IS PREDICTED FOR THIS SECTION

DALLAS, March 30.—Warnings that a cold wave from the Rocky Mountains was descending on Texas and would bring freezing weather to the Panhandle was issued here today by Dr. Joseph Cline, federal meteorologist. The federal forecaster said the low barometer at Amarillo, which stood at 29.64, meant a sharp temperature drop. At that hour, 9 a. m., the temperature at Amarillo was 55 degrees, compared to 22 degrees at Denver.

### What we can't understand is why Papa Dionne objects to someone taking away from him the job of walking the floor nights with five babies.

Bill Introduced So All Can "Tell What They Are For and Against"

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### The Nerve of Some People

A conversation heard in one of the local business houses in Ranger today... goes something like this: "No, I'm not interested in one of your suits of clothes," we have local merchants here who support the schools, pay taxes, contribute towards the upkeep of the police and fire departments, who protect my property, give liberally towards everything for the betterment of the community and I am staying with the people who have made it possible for me to stay in business." The above is typical of the itinerant peddler. He tries to sell a suit of clothes to a real business man... of course his proposition was rejected. A few days ago a man was admitted into the home of one of Ranger's business men. The man attempted to sell the lady of the house a pair of shoes. After much argument and waste of time the good lady finally got it over to the PEDDLER that her husband sold shoes and again invited him to leave. These are just two instances of local interest. Many more will be cited from time to time in the columns of The Times. Watch for the itinerant peddler—do not let him in the house!

## VOTE ON CITY ELECTION DAY, TUESDAY







### Citizens Are Being Urged to Ballot in The City Election

Tuesday is election day in Ranger, when a mayor and four city commissioners are to be elected to office by the voters of Ranger. The entire city commission, including Dr. Harry A. Logsdon, Mayor, Colonel Brashier, E. H. Moore, Judge W. S. Adamson and Walter Harwell, is seeking reelection.

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urged to turn out and vote in the election Tuesday, as the work done by the present city commission has been outstanding throughout the two years these men have been in office and a vote of confidence in them and in appreciation of the splendid work they have done has been urged by a number of the leading citizens of the town.

The vote in many city elections has been light in Ranger, but it is hoped by many that a good turnout of the citizenship will be noted on Tuesday afternoon, if for no other reason than to lend their stamp of approval and encouragement to the commission for the work they are carrying on in behalf of the entire citizenship.

### Rangers Draw Blank Before Grand Jury

By United Press  
FORT WORTH, March 30.—Texas Rangers drew a blank as far as their raiding efforts in Fort Worth were concerned, it was revealed today.

Six persons charged with liquor law violations following several raids last week were non-billed today. Over \$10,000 worth of gambling equipment and liquor were seized and destroyed in the raids on prominent downtown night spots.

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### Scouts Are Working On Cleanup Drive

R. A. Steele, scoutmaster, has reported that both Troop 9 and Troop 10 are working on the Ranger cleanup campaign, in an effort to win the prize for the largest pile of trash in the city.

Their dump is just east of the First Baptist church, where a good showing has already been made. If they are awarded the prize the proceeds will be used toward sending two scouts to Washington to the national jamboree, to be held next August.

Anyone in town having trash they wish hauled can notify the scouts and they will add it to their pile, it was stated.

### CHANGES NAME

Authority of 88th court to Mrs. Lula E. Cox to change her name to Mrs. Lula E. Roach was given last week, according to an order on file Saturday.

### THE WEATHER

West Texas—Sunday partly cloudy, colder except in Panhandle. Livestock warning. Temperature 24 to 32 degrees with freezing southward to Abilene and probably to Dallas by Sunday morning.

Every time we buy a paper to read all about the big hold-up, it turns out to be just another Long filibuster.

### Ranger May Select Pageant Princess

A letter has been received by the Chamber of Commerce from the Mineral Wells Chamber of Commerce, stating that a big centennial pageant will be staged in Mineral Wells Friday night, April 19, and Ranger has been urged to select a princess at the coronation of Queen Texas.

A number of towns in this section of the state are being asked to select ladies to represent them as princesses in the ceremony.

### Judgment for Soto In Injury Suit

Judgment for Isabel Soto in the sum of \$406.38 from Metropolitan Life Insurance company has been ordered in 88th district, a court order on file Saturday showed.

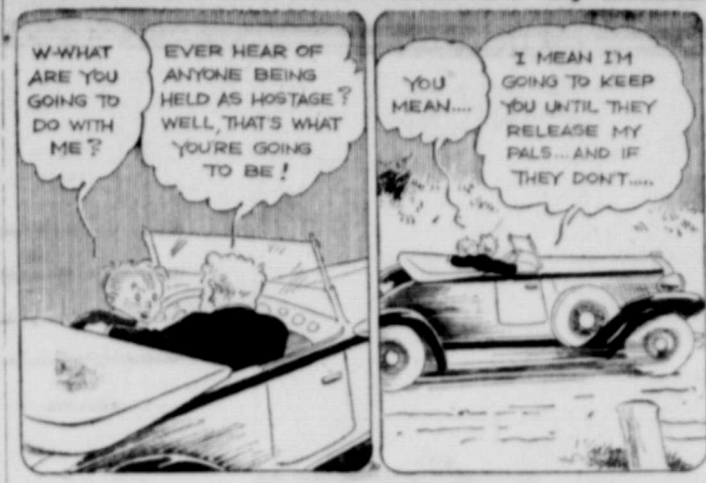
Attorneys fees of the plaintiff in the sum of \$300 were also approved.

Soto, employee of the Texas & Pacific, was found to be permanently disabled by a jury which judged the case on special issues.

### Honored by Friends On 73rd Birthday

In observance of her seventy-third birthday, friends of Mrs. Margaret Kellet of Eastland, South Bassett street, gave her a birthday shower Thursday.

### FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



### WARD WEEK

- Rayon Lingerie: Wards Regular Price 19c
- Women's Hose: Wards Regular Price 21c
- Men! Fancy Sox: Wards Regular Price 17c
- Boys' Shirts: Wards Regular Price 44c
- Handkerchiefs: For Men and Women 4c
- Play Suits: Wards Regular Price 40c
- Table Oilcloth: Ward's Regular Price 21c Yd.
- Bleached Muslin: Wards Regular Price 9c Yd.
- Sylvania Prints: Ward's Regular Price 12 1/2c Yd.

### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING RANGER BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION

Notice is hereby given that a stockholders' meeting of all stockholders of the Ranger Building & Loan Association is hereby called to meet at its office, 212 Main street, Ranger, Texas, Friday, May 3, 1935, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of going into voluntary liquidation and transact other business necessary for the liquidation and

final cleaning up of the affairs of the association. All stockholders are hereby requested to be present.

E. A. RINGOLD, President.

### CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our sincere appreciation to our friends for the words of sympathy and for the beautiful floral offering during the illness and death of our dear mother—Mittie Pettitt, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Pettitt, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pettitt.

If those Kansas dust storms continue, anyone who wants to visit the state may have to organize an archeological expedition.

### Just a Bit Personal

Mrs. Rena Conway of Dallas is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Conway and children.

Miss Meiba Gamble, student at State university, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gamble, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ratliff and young son, James, are spending the week-end with relatives at San Angelo.

Miss Marguerite Navokovich is home after a visit to Amarillo where she attended funeral services of Mrs. E. M. Walker of that city, widow of the late Dr. Walker, who died in 1932. Those surviving Mrs. Walker, is a daughter, Mrs. Ivo Navokovich; a sister, Mrs. J. B. Beard of Weslaco, Texas, and a brother, Stuart Miller of Wichita Falls. The deceased had been in bad health for the past few years and underwent an operation some 10 days ago. Her recovery was indicated as favorable several days following the operation until a heart complication developed which claimed her very suddenly. She is well known throughout West Texas and has friends in Ranger, having visited in the Navokovich home on several occasions.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pettitt and three-year-old son, W. R. Jr., left for their home, Crystal City, Saturday afternoon after attending the funeral services of Mr. Pettitt's mother, held Wednesday.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Weslaco and Marston G. W. Thomas, Pastor Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; W. A. Lewis, superintendent. Morning worship, 11 a. m. The pastor will speak on "Christian Fruit-Bearing." Baptist Training union, 6:30 p. m.; Rupert Ringold, general director. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Sermon theme, "The Heavenly Voice." The W. M. S. will meet at the church for a business session Monday afternoon at 2:30.

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### CLASSIFIED

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- YOUNG WOMAN, single, desirous housekeeping and take care of children in private home, for room and board and small salary. Write to Box 212, care Ranger Times.
- ADDRESS envelopes for advertisers. Earn \$15 weekly; experience unnecessary; stamp brings details. Hercules System, Box 287, Detroit, Mich.
- SPECIAL employment for married women; \$15 weekly and new spring dresses free representing nationally known Fashion Frocks; no canvassing; no investment; send dress size. Fashion Frocks, Dept. W-1887, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- SEARCHING FOR WORK? Marinello Beauty School has successfully placed many of their graduates. Enroll now! 4505 Ross ave., Dallas, Texas.
- CUSTOM HATCHING—Bring your eggs any Monday, 105 South Marston st.
- MONEY—Automobile loans. Your present note refinanced. Payment reduced. New cars financed. Money advanced on most anything of value. Immediate service. Confidential. D. E. Pulley, 209 Main st., phone 629.
- BROWN'S BONDED TRANSFER & STORAGE CO., 111 So. Marston, Ranger.
- AUTO LOANS—No delay; small payments. C. E. Maddocks & Co.
- 9—HOUSES FOR RENT
- FOR RENT—Furnishing 6-room house; newly papered; on paved street, 602 Main st. Ask at Joseph Dry Goods Co.
- FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment; modern. 417 Pine. Phone 299-J.
- 11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT
- FOR RENT—Apartment. MS home for sale or trade. 321 East Main st.
- 12—WANTED TO BUY
- WANTED TO BUY—Work stock. J. B. Ames, Gholson hotel, Ranger.
- 13—For Sale, Miscellaneous
- FOR SALE—At a bargain, gas range, practically new. Call 9613-F3.
- FOR SALE OR TRADE—Large kitchen cabinet. Act quick. F. A. Overholser, 801 Young.
- PRACTICALLY New Battery Radio Set, used only short time. Will sell at a bargain. See it and hear it play at Exide Battery Co., Ranger.
- Both Junior and Intermediate Girls Auxiliary will meet at the church at 4:15 Monday. Y. W. A. Tuesday evening at 7:15. Mid-week services at 7:15, Wednesday evening.

**LOOK AHEAD WHEN YOU BUY A CAR**

**HENRY FORD** said thirty years ago that he wasn't just selling cars—he was furnishing transportation. If you bought a Ford, Mr. Ford recognized his responsibility to furnish service for it, to keep it running satisfactorily until it wore out.

And that is Ford policy today just as it was in 1905. Buy a Ford car, whether new or used, and you are entitled to the benefits and economies of Ford Service.

That is why thousands of well-equipped Ford Service Stations dot the world. You can get the help of trained mechanics, and genuine Ford parts, in almost every village and town.

And more than that—you can get the help of the Ford factory when it comes to major repair work. Ford has done something different to save your time and money. Ford Service has an Engine Exchange Plan by which in a few hours you can have an engine installed which has been reconditioned at the factory. And you save at least one-third the cost of an ordinary engine overhaul. You can get the same Exchange Service on smaller units such as carburetor, distributor, generator, fuel pump.

In many communities, Ford dealers are adding Neighborhood Service Stations in order to bring Ford Service closer to you. They are also installing the scientific new Ford Laboratory Test Set, which tells in a minute what is wrong with any engine or electrical system.

All this is to give you more satisfaction in the use of your Ford car, at less cost. We believe it will cost you far less if you own a Ford and use Ford Service.

**FORD MOTOR COMPANY**

WE CAN MAKE DELIVERY ON ANY 1935 MODEL FORD—SEE THEM ON DISPLAY AT  
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Ranger, Texas  
Phone 217

**MONTGOMERY WARD**  
Ranger, Texas

STOCKS? BONDS? MORTGAGES?

**How Would Your Beneficiary Invest Your Life Insurance Proceeds?**

If your wife had a substantial sum of money today, how would you advise her to invest it? If you were not in the picture, the difficulties of investing safely would be increased.

**Let Southwestern Life Conserve Your Policy Proceeds**

The proceeds of Southwestern Life policies may be left with the Company to draw interest at the guaranteed rate of not less than 3 1/2%. Instalment payments are substantially increased over the guaranteed rate. In this way, beneficiaries share in the Company's prosperity.

By selecting one of our Settlement Options, you can make sure that your insurance will accomplish its full purpose.

Assets . . . \$44,438,438.04  
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### ISSUES WARNING

## CHIEF OF POLICE Warns THE HOUSEWIFE

NOT TO PAY CASH IN ADVANCE TO PEDDLER ON ANY ORDER!

### WARNING

To The Citizens And Housewives of Our City

#### This Is A Warning

To beware of strangers posing as solicitors, salesmen or inspectors calling at your home.

They should not be admitted until their credentials have been checked up and verified.

and you are SURE you are dealing with local people or Representatives of Local Firms.

#### In Many Cases

STRANGERS WITHOUT RELIABLE CREDENTIALS have been "spotters" or locators for professional criminals and according to police records lack of caution on the part of the householders has often resulted in costly property losses and bitter experiences.

Do Not Pay Cash in Advance to a STRANGER on an order—as TOO OFTEN THE CUSTOMERS HAVE NEVER RECEIVED ANYTHING FOR THE CASH ADVANCED.

#### Do Not Cash Checks

Or Issue Checks to Strangers on an order. This applies to business firms as well as all others. Many times such checks have been "altered" and later cashed by an innocent party.

#### It's Better To Be Safe Than Sorry

—be SURE you know with whom you are dealing before allowing admittance to your homes.

#### In Case You Are Suspicious

PHONE TO POLICE AT ONCE. DO NOT DELAY IN THIS as it will aid the Police Department to locate any intruders at once.

#### One Need Not Be Afraid

of offending the honest salespeople known to you as a citizen or a representative of a local business firm as THEY WILL HAVE THEIR CREDENTIALS with them. Protect yourself—protect your home. ASK FOR CREDENTIALS unless you are personally acquainted with the party calling.

JIM INGRAM

Chief of Police, Ranger



# What The American Demands for his dollar is SERVICE

Mrs. Housewife---Yes, Mr. Business Man too---Let's

## LOOK AT the FACTS As They Really Are---

What Service Does the Peddler Render to You for Your Dollar as compared to the **RANGER** Business Man?

### THE PEDDLER OR DOOR BELL RINGER OFFERS



In almost every instance---you buy from small size sample swatches or pictures---and trust to luck, after waiting days---sometimes weeks---that your purchase **IF Received**, will prove satisfactory.

Sometimes thru high-pressure-methods you are induced to pay a CASH DEPOSIT, on an order of this bootleg-merchandise, later finding financial conditions do not permit you to complete the contract---Who Loses? Do You Get Back Your Cash Deposit???

You are induced to buy in excess of your needs---thru a cleverly prepared sales talk, on a **saving of small consequence** to be made thru ordering in quantity lots. The amount of the immediate cash deposit seems small and you are tricked into a larger purchase. Many times "**Something Free**" is offered you as **BAIT** to secure your larger order.

The Peddlers, with their unknown merchandise---questionable bargains and unethical methods of selling can well be classed as **bootleggers of merchandise**. Every time you turn over a dollar to a door-to-door canvasser you are speculating on the return you will get for your money. Have you ever stopped to **THINK** of the possibility of these Peddlers as carriers of **DIRT** or **DISEASE**?

Yes Even In The Busy Office Will Be Found The **Persistent Pest** who infringes on the employer's time. Haven't you had one of those breezy salesmen breeze into your office---and ask for a few minutes of your employer's time (only not always in such a polite manner)---and then he proceeds to high pressure you into an order---and in many cases you place an order to rid yourself of the **Pest**. This class of Professional Peddler is a slicker and can talk himself into a sale by making indefinite promises as to deliveries on orders, as well as to exaggerate, without any effort the quality of the article he is selling. You see him **Only** today.

**Your Merchant Offers You** merchandise---which you can examine at the time of purchase---yes, you can **TAKE IT WITH YOU NOW**---Why **WAIT**? ---There is no room for uncertainty. And after you get home and should you find your purchase not exactly what you expected you can exchange it with your merchant, and you are **NOT** required to wait ten days or two weeks. He has **his stock** of goods in **Your City** for **immediate SERVICE**.

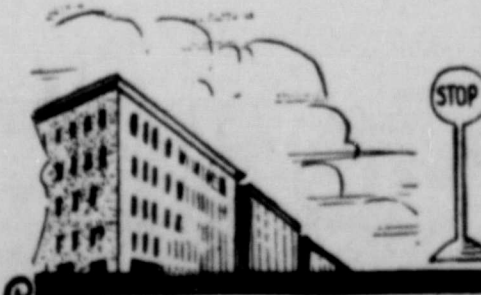


Your Merchant can not afford to oversell you thru high pressure methods---because he is depending upon you for your future patronage. He expects to stay. The peddler may never see you again---in fact in many cases **he hopes he won't**.

Your Merchant offers his Personal Friendship and Acquaintance---which are factors in your business relation that can not be contracted with any **long distance manufacturer**.

### Play Safe See What You Are Buying

---beware of the Special Authorized Representative who tells you He is the **ONLY ONE** selling his line who is allowed to **collect in full the cash** on your order. **Nuff Said**.



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DO NOT CONFUSE REPRESENTATIVES OF LOCAL INSTITUTIONS WITH ITINERANT PEDDLERS. Many good local firms have outside salesmen who must call at your house in order to sell their merchandise. Every one of these salesmen carry credentials which identify them with your local firms---they are only too glad to show their credentials and they are selling merchandise that is backed by the local firms they represent... they are your local merchant and should be received as such.

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Special Purpose Of Life Insurance

By C. F. O'Donnell, President, Southwestern Life Insurance Co. Since 1928 one hundred billion dollars of life insurance has lapsed or otherwise terminated in the United States. This is the amount of life insurance that was not continued until death or until the maturity of the endowment policy.

The lapse figure can be compared with the amount of life insurance which is now in force in the United States which amounts to ninety-eight billion dollars. The comparison suggests the possibility that people might use more care in buying life insurance.

Life insurance companies have a selfish purpose in trying to reduce the high lapse of life insurance. It is also true that a reduction in the lapse of life insurance would be beneficial for the insurance buying public.

Life insurance companies have found out that insurance which is bought for specific purposes stays in force better than life insurance which is bought without a specific purpose in mind. For that reason the life insurance business has developed plans for special purpose life insurance. Special purpose life insurance may be designed for three principal purposes:

- 1. To provide an income to a family during the period which is necessary for the rehabilitation of the family following the removal from the family circle of the principal income producer.
2. To provide a monthly life income for a designated person. This designated person may be the widow of the insurance buyer, or the life income may be for the insurance buyer if the insurance buyer lives beyond the working years of life.
3. To provide educational funds for the higher education of children.

The Southwestern Life Insurance Company reports that during the last six years there has been a tenfold increase in the use of life insurance for special purposes.

MARKETS

By United Press Closing selected New York stocks:

Table listing various stocks and their closing prices, including Am Can, Am P & L, Am Rad & S S, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Avn Corp Del, Barnsdall, Bethlehem Steel, Bingham A M, Canada Dry, Case J I, Chrysler, Cons Oil, Curtis Wright, Elec Au L, Elec St Bat, Freeport Tex, Gen Elec, Gen Foods, Gen Mot, Gillette S B, Goodyear, Gt Nor Ore, Gt West Sugar, Houston Oil, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Johns Manville, Kroger G & B, Lig Carb, Marshall Field, Montg Ward, Nat Dairy, Ohio Oil, Pennsy J C, Phelps Dodge, Phillips Pet, Pure Oil, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, Southern Pac, Stan Oil N J, Studebaker, Texas Corp, Tex Gulf Sul, Tex Pac C & O, Ind Elliott, Union Carb, United Air & T, U S Ind Ale, U S Steel, Westing Elec, Cities Service, Ford M Ltd, Nix Hud Pwr.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

"Reality" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, March 31.

The Golden Text is: "Thou, O Lord, shalt endure for ever; and thy remembrance unto all generations." (Psalms 102:12).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Remember the former things of old: for I am God, and there is none else; I am God, and there is none like me." (Isaiah 46:9).

The Lesson-Sermon includes also the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Reality is spiritual, immaterial, immutable, immortal, divine, eternal. That only is real which reflects God." (pages 335 and 478).

Eastland Personals

Karl Tanner left Saturday for Omaha, Neb. Frank A. Lovett attended a district insurance luncheon Thursday in Abilene.



OTTO HONK



The Willets



By Williams



Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Vauter Jr. will leave for Paris Monday to make their home in that city. Mrs. Ernest Payne is visiting relatives in Midland. Rev. Roland King moved to Eastland Friday from Abilene. Mrs. Elmer Rachael, who recently has been confined to her home with illness, is reported improved. E. D. Hair visited in Fort Worth Saturday and today. Otto Barton underwent an appendix operation Friday at Payne hospital.

Fletcher McWilliams of Ranger was an Eastland visitor Saturday. Miss Bessie Mae Braly, student at College of Industrial Arts at Denton, spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Braly.

Whisperings of scandal came in the wake of the mysterious faltering, but these were met by denials from those closely involved. "His heart refused," was the explanation of Jockey Wilson.

Then, it was said, the king stepped in. He had no actual power but his influence was partly responsible for a swing to the cabinet plan. The young premier, and admirer of President Roosevelt's new deal, had won a victory 107 to 54 in the chamber of deputies on his plan to devalue the belga 25 per cent, and thus permit Belgium to take a "leave of absence" from the gold standard. The crisis threatened repercussions in the European gold bloc. The state failed to respond as readily as had the chamber of deputies. It was feared he would fail to receive a vote in the senate.

Kidnaper's Death Sentence Affirmed. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Mar. 30.—The state supreme court today affirmed the death sentence of Walter McGe, convicted leader of the gang that kidnaped Miss Mary McElroy, daughter of Kansas City's city manager. His execution was set for May 10.

Brussels Cabinet Clinched Victory On Devaluation. BRUSSELS, March 30.—Premier Paul van Zeeland's new cabinet apparently clinched a victory on currency devaluation in parliament today after King Leopold was said to have intervened at the eleventh hour to end the governmental crisis.

Garment Workers Are Denied Writs. AUSTIN, March 30.—The state supreme court today refused writs of habeas corpus to release garment workers of Dallas, held in contempt of court. No opinion was filed with the order.

Try a WANT-AD!



