

# Ranger Times

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Ethiopian chieftain says his idea of civilized warfare is lines of men meeting in open combat, but forgot to offer his choices for the All-America.

## Public Safety Head Tells Why Hickman Fired

### GAMBLING RAID IS SUBJECT OF LONG REPORT

Albert Sidney Johnston Reads Report Before Investigation Today.

By United Press

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 13.—Tom Hickman was discharged from the Ranger force by the State Safety Commission and not by Gov. James Alfred, Albert Sidney Johnston, of Dallas, chairman of the safety commission testified today before an investigating committee.

By United Press

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 13.—Albert Sidney Johnston, Dallas, chairman of the Texas Public Safety Commission, today told a house of representatives committee investigating the department why Tom Hickman was discharged as senior ranger captain.

Johnston read a long report of the department activities since its beginning last summer.

The publicized ranger raid on Top of Hill Terrace was the first topic discussed. So far as Johnston knew there had been no "tip-off" that the raid would take place. The commission's main dissatisfaction over the incident was that gambling continued when Hickman left after his unsuccessful raid.

Johnston did not accuse Hickman of having anything to do with the prevalence of gambling but said gamblers knew Hickman's heart was not in such raids.

"I don't think Hickman told them," Johnston testified, "but the gamblers knew Hickman's heart was not in it, that he was gone for the night. If he thought so little of his ability he is not the man for us."

"Can you imagine Capt. Bill McDonald (noted Texas Ranger) leaving the camp in the hands of the enemy? It doesn't fit into the picture. Texas have real rangers. Hickman could have stopped gambling by remaining there."

Another complaint Johnston made of Hickman's service was that he failed to bring about a good organization of Rangers. Some private, he said, had not met the captains of their companies.

### Gasoline Plant at Rising Star Opens After a Shutdown

RISING STAR, Dec. 13.—Manager Jim Hubbard announces that the Lone Star Gas plant, six miles east of town, was placed in operation the latter part of the past week after being shut down for the past several months. The plant employs several men, three additional having been put on with the recent beginning of operations.

### Rising Star Mason Gets 50-Year Pin

RISING STAR, Dec. 13.—While at the meeting of the Grand Lodge at Waco the past week J. W. Clark, high priest of the local Royal Arch Chapter, was presented with the 50-year veterans Masonic button by the grand master, the pin being placed upon his lapel in a public ceremony. The button bears the following inscription: "Texas A. F. & A. M., 50 Years."

### Denial Pours Oil on Oil Pact Stir



Has the Standard Oil Company of New York entered an agreement, through a subsidiary, to provide Italy with oil regardless of League of Nations' sanctions? Walter C. Teague (above), president of the oil firm, flatly denied such an agreement, and asserted it would be impossible of fulfillment. Reports from Rome insist such a pact has been made.

### PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District, Friday:

Affirmed—C. G. Foust vs. M. J. Jones et al. Erath.

Reversed and Ordered Transferred—Brooks S. Ramey et al. vs. Day Cages, Erath.

Reversed and Remanded—J. F. Roark et ux. vs. Dickinson Trust Company et al. Dallas.

Dismissed—J. D. Weather et al. vs. C. K. West, Stephens.

Motions Submitted—E. L. Durham vs. Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad Company, defendant-in-error's motion for rehearing; Real Estate Land Title & Trust Company, trustee, vs. Mrs. Charles L. Beyrie et al., appellant's motion for rehearing; J. D. Wrather et al. vs. C. K. West, motion of both parties to dismiss.

Motions Granted—J. D. Wrather et al. vs. C. K. West, motion of both parties to dismiss.

Motions Overruled—The City of Comanche vs. O. O. Brightman et al., appellant's motion for rehearing.

### Winter Ranges and Feed Crop Prospect Is Best Since 1926

AUSTIN, Dec. 13.—The best winter range and feed crop prospect since 1926 pointed to a happy new year for the Texas livestock industry today.

The local office of the federal bureau of crop and livestock estimates brought the brightest outlook to cattle, sheep and goat raisers since 1926. Rain late last month and early this month materially aided Panhandle stockmen, the report said.

### Strawn Lions to Present a Minstrel

The Lions Club of Strawn is presenting a minstrel tonight in Strawn that features a number of excellent acts that would do credit to professionals, say people who saw the dress rehearsal. Mrs. W. L. Downtain has been helping the director of the minstrel and has taught some very clever dance routines.

A number of the members of the Ranger Lions Club have signified their intention of going to the show and all lovers of the old time minstrel are urged to make the trip.

### Bascom Johnson New Manager of Gholson Hotel

Bascom Johnson, chief clerk of the Gholson Hotel, was promoted to assistant manager and auditor, effective today, replacing Jimmie Gray, who has occupied the position for the past two years.

Gray is being transferred to Brownwood, where he will be manager of the Southern Hotel.

Johnson has been an employee of the Gholson Hotel for 10 years and has been chief clerk for a number of years. He is well known in Ranger and has a host of friends who were congratulating him today upon his promotion.

In commenting on his transfer to Brownwood today, Gray said that he was glad to get the promotion but he rather hated to leave Ranger because he had learned to look upon the town as his home town.

Johnson assumed his new duties this morning and Gray is to leave tonight for Brownwood.

### HODGES OAK PARK HONOR ROLL COMPLETE

The Hodges Oak Park School submits the following honor roll for the second six weeks period:

**First Grade**  
High Honors (A average)—Paty Jennings, Rosa Zaragoza, Byron Wheat, Billy Arrington, June Baker, Nadine Brimberry, Hayett Hassen, Wadad Hassen, Erlene Mangum, Billie Beth Rhoads, Montez Squyres.

Low Honors (B average)—Clara Jean Sharp, Charline Rogers, Johnnie Welch, Billy Quinn, James Halton, Jimmie Zaragoza, Milton Alexander, Robert Allen, Bobby Balch, Harry Barney, Joe Don Blacklock, James Walter Jarvis, James Taft Justice, Jack Donald Parrish, Billie Joe Thomas, Mary Lou Williams, Donald Norris, Virgil Stiles.

**Second Grade**  
High Honors—Paul Burton, Dewey McGreggor, Jewell Maxine James, Betty Joe Smith, Babs Snyder, Mary Frances Hamrick.

Low Honors—Evelyn Bryant, Linnie Bryant, Margie Mae Edwards, Mary McHenry, David Jimenez, Ralph Reynolds Jr., Marcus Stein, Stephen Gideon, Betty Allen, Marvin Baker, W. K. Cooper, Norma Jean Heinlin, Evelyn Rust, Loran Squyres.

**Third Grade**  
High Honors—Marie Green, Emma Dell Williams, Norman Durham, Morris George, Jimmie Nottingham, Bobby Arrington, Billie Jean Turner, Rue Joyce Harris, Norma Belknap.

Low Honors—Marjorie Pearsall, Evelyn Blanchard, Lois Scott, Carolyn Clark, Rosemary Bruce, Betty Lou Robinson, Ovis Wright, David Lee Jannesson, Gayle Blacklock, Jewel Harris, Edward Crawford, Margaret Jacoby, Leona Bailey, Jack Cletcher, Douglas Downing, John Richard.

**Fourth Grade**  
High Honors—Gwendolyn Tunnell, July Odell Loughmiller, John L. McKelvin, Virginia Coalsen, Rachel Rose, Minnie Sue Thomas.

Low Honors—Betty Rucker, Helen R. Watson, Leo Jean Reese, Harry Nevelle, Joe Kimbrough, Anecese Hassen, Don Hamer, Della Hartsfield, Louise James, Billy Harrington, G. W. Jacoby, Palmer Ray Kelley, Charles Nichol, Estell Williams.

**Fifth Grade**  
High Honors—Frankie Mae Coleman, Adell Hassen, Reid Hunter, Bob Smith, Johnnie Mae Gable, Jewell Christine White, Wanda Jean Anderson, Gene Gunn, Lillian Ruth Carter, Bonnie Vea Rank, Winifred Gordon.

Low Honors—Meta Ann Scott, Geneva Cooper, Gwendolyn Dawn, Dorene Bruce, Frances Gholson.

**Sixth Grade**  
High Honors—Mary Bell Williams, Katherine Thomas, Wynonie Ivy, Helen Gholson, Beatrice Jones, Howard Stevens, Charles Osteen, Jacqueline Dutton, Nina Hawkins, Oma Gene Martin, Royce Kem, Dean Ervin, Loyd Beck, Roy Gray, Jack Pearsall, Beverly June Smith, Buddie Mack Dutton.

**Seventh Grade**  
High Honors—Bobbie Branton, Billy Clyde Davis, Jerry DeVore, Chloe Jean Harris, Francine Hatley, Fannie Dell Swaney, Maulcie Fay Turner.

Low Honors—R. D. Dawn, Dorothy Christian, Hershel Eyley, Bob Galloway, T. H. Gunn, Billy Ross Hodges, Leta Vernon Howell, Madeline Howell, Bob Hunt, Pauline Kennedy, Darlyene McGregor, Phillip Stidham, Laverne Watson, Lola Spindle, Margaret Watt, Lois Edwards, Herman Bryan, Florence Kidwell, Geletia Davis, Helen Wheat, Laverne Jacoby, Doris Robinson, Dessa Mae Jones.

### NO ACTION TO BE TAKEN ON SELASSIE PLEA

GENEVA, Dec. 13.—Emperor Selassie's demands the league of nations assembly be called to condemn the Franco-British peace plan was rejected today for the time being at least by the assembly president Edouard Benes of Czecho-Slovakia.

The emperor's appeal to the league carried a clear intimation that he never would accept the plan involving the proposed ceding of some of his territory to Italy.

Replying to the Ethiopian emperor, Benes said that inasmuch as the league council composed of representatives of major power would examine the proposals Wednesday there was no need at this time to summon the assembly.

Benes' decision, however, did not eliminate the possibility the assembly in which all league members are represented, may be called later to enable the smaller nations to bring their criticisms of the plan into the open.

Foreign Minister Anthony Eden said, "for the attainment of this objective all of us who are members of the league have bound themselves obligated to take certain measures, application of which is the task of the committee."

He promised Britain would give the sanctions committee all assistance in the plan in its power.

Marte Gomez of Mexico expressed confidence France and Britain would not sponsor a peace plan penalizing a state which has been the victim of aggression and added a warning any settlement would be freely accepted by Ethiopia.

He said Mexico was ready to apply an oil embargo against Italy, but would accept the committee decision to defer action until after the council studies the disputed peace plan.

Despite postponement of action on the oil embargo the penalties committee meeting did serve to restore the recently lagging sentiments of enforcement of sanctions against Italy.

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Police picked him up recently and he was fined for being drunk. A few hours after that he was served with a notice his car was being repossessed.

As a result of being fined he lost his job. Before he reached home someone had stolen two suits, two shirts, an overcoat, and his gloves from his room.

Now he has pneumonia.

### Business Profits Will Be Larger

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Business profits during the last three months of 1935 probably will be higher than for any fourth quarter since 1930, the commerce department said today in its weekly survey.

Industrial activity has shown continued resistance to the slackening usually in evidence at the close of the year, it was stated.

Retail sales indicate the start of a satisfactory Christmas holiday season, the report said.

Usually earnings of industrial and railroad corporations decline in the final quarter, while public utility earnings increase.

### Six Debate Teams Of Abilene Enter Eastland Tourney

ABILENE, Dec. 13.—Six teams from the Abilene High School will go to Eastland Saturday to participate in the invitation debate tournament sponsored by the Eastland debaters. Miss Doris Powell is sponsor of the Eastland group.

Subject of controversy is "Resolved, Government Should Control Cotton Production." Besides Abilene, Breckenridge, Graham, Ranger, and Brownwood are to send representatives.

Comer Clay, coach at the local high school, announced the following Abilene teams will compete: Grace Elizabeth Comper and Lucille Winters; Lottie V. Hobbs and Eleanor Bishop; Juanita Jeanne Hay and Corrine Daniel; Leonard Johnson and J. Whit Reynolds; Cyrus Frost and Fannie Waldrop, and Bill Tippen and Homer Montgomery.

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### Fights to Save His NRA Parley



Exchanging shouts of "fiar" with a delegate and flaying industrial magnates for "real tactics," Maj. George L. Berry, government industrial co-ordinator, shown above at the Washington NRA conference, fought vigorously to save the parley, after scores of manufacturers had walked out on him, hitting at his 13-point program designed to speed recovery.

### Fifteen Lobos In Line For Letters

CISCO, Dec. 13.—Announcement of 15 members of the Lobo football squad who will receive letters—all of them but one either seniors or ineligible for next year's play under league rules—was made today by Coach Dexter Shelley.

The boys will receive their sweaters at the end of this semester provided, however, they pass three-fourths of their courses. If they fail to pass this number, they will have opportunity next semester to retrieve the failure and gain the letter.

Those nominated for letters are: Capt. Roy Burnam, N. F. Barnes, Gerald Merrett, Reuben Wendle, W. J. Beasley, Dick Stansbury, Fred Rylee, Royce Rainbolt, Burl Wagley, Jack McCanlies, Buel Wood, Lander Cleveland, Robert Haglewood, Paul Ivie and Joe Slicker.

Slicker is the only junior eligible, under present interscholastic League rules, to return. Haglewood and Rainbolt are not seniors but length of participation and age regulations catch them.

Only about five of the entire squad will return for the team next year under present regulations.

### West Texas Negro Students Will Vie In Eastland Meet

The West Texas Interscholastic League meeting for negro students of 12 counties will be held at Eastland, April 3, 1936.

The meeting will be the fourth annual convale.

R. W. Stafford, principal of the negro school at Abilene, is director general for the meeting.

Negro students of schools in this section which will compete will include those from the following counties: Jones, Callahan, Shackelford, Eastland, Stephens, Mitchell, Howard, Midland, Runnels, Tom Green and Taylor.

### JUDGE IS VISITOR

District Judge A. S. Mauzey of Sweetwater was a visitor in the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland Friday.

### GRASSHOPPERS INVADE TOWN

HELENA, Ark.—Fishermen dug out their bait cans and jars one night when the city was invaded by millions of grasshoppers. The hordes appeared after dark and covered building fronts, walls, roofs, automobiles and trees.

### BASKETBALL TO START IN RANGER SOON

Although the county basketball team will open in Ranger on Saturday, Coach O. M. Moore announced today that he expected relief of Pat Moore, who expected a game matched for Prindle next week with the county school, with both boys' and girls' teams playing.

Moore expect to hold a basketball tournament, too," Moore said, and no details have not yet been decided and the dates have not yet set as yet. We expect the county tournament to be held in Ranger this year, as the county gymnasium is now ready for the kind of this kind and the first time Ranger has had a basketball tournament.

The high school team began practice this week and is working on practice games and for the week end.

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Mr. Morgan's Income Is Endangered!

When a gentleman who eats as regularly as J. P. Morgan starts moaning low, it must be time for ordinary citizens to begin looking for a ring around the moon or some other sign of bad weather.

Mr. Morgan, returning from Europe, tells reporters that things have been bad, but that they are going to be a great deal worse. All private fortunes in the United States, says he, will be wiped out within 30 years unless taxes and government expenditures are cut.

Then, coming to his climax, Mr. Morgan delivers himself of the following:

Why, even now anybody who makes any money in the United States is actually working eight months of the year for the government—and who is going to be able or willing to do that indefinitely?

All this sounds pretty discouraging and leads one of the inescapable conclusion that the county has not been running itself to suit the House of Morgan at all, of late.

Bad things have indeed happened to this noted financier. He has witnessed financial heresies in high places and has been powerless to stop them. Congress has passed laws to interfere with his time-honored way of doing business, he has been questioned by a Senate committee about his whereabouts on the night of the stock market crash, midgets have sat in his lap, and people have tried to blame him for getting the country into the World War.

All in all, the last few years have not been happy ones for him.

And yet it does seem to be true that even if he is working for Uncle Sam eight months out of every 12, Mr. Morgan after all is doing fairly well by himself these days. He still gets over to Scotland to shoot grouse, and the public prints have not yet announced the sale or decommissioning of his yacht, the Corsair, which is one of the finest yachts in all the world and does not run on small change.

If he has given up his Long Island estate or his London town house, the news hasn't leaked out. The ruddy flush of health that goes with regular meals and plenty of sleep still appears on his cheeks.

Nevertheless, the gentleman undeniably seems unhappy. His idea of the current breathing spell apparently is that it is taking place beneath an oxygen tent, and he seems to want something done about it.

A new deal which fails to leave the world a safer place for multi-millionaires is to him not merely a new deal, but a game of seven-card stud with the deuces and one-eyed jacks wild.

The money changers may not have been driven out of the temple, but it does look as if they are beginning to find the place pretty drafty and hardly fit for human habitation.

This overseas talk of mandates has Ima Spinster all over her.

European Banner

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes clues like '2. Edge of a mountainous country', '13. Melody', '14. Weird', etc.

Large crossword puzzle grid with a central square containing the word 'WHITE'.

MARKETS

By United Press

Closing selected New York stocks:

Table of stock prices including Am Can, Am P & L, Am Rad & S S, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, etc.

Curb Stocks

Table of curb stock prices including Butler Bros, Cities Service, Ford M Ltd, etc.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

Hogs, 900. Top butchers, 940; bulk good butchers, 930-940; mixed grades, 870-925; packing sows, 875 down.

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 126 1/2-135 1/2; No. 2 white, 75 1/2-76 1/2; No. 2 yellow, 72 1/2-73 1/2; Oats—No. 2 red, 37 1/2-38 1/2; No. 3 red, 35 1/2-36 1/2; Barley—No. 2, 53-55; No. 3, 52-54; Milo—No. 2 yellow, 104-106; No. 3 yellow, 99-101; Kaffir—No. 2 white, 104-106; No. 3 white, 99-101.

Records of Relief To Be Maintained

AUSTIN, Tex.—Records of relief activities in Texas will be preserved after the closing of State Relief Headquarters. To keep the records will cost \$100,000. A building for the purpose is being erected in co-operation with the federal government. It will occupy a state-owned site.

Houston Plans Colorful Year Of Observance

HOUSTON, Tex.—Houston, with the San Jacinto battlefield at the city's edge, will stage a ten-day celebration, culminating April 21, the one hundredth anniversary of the victory when gave Texas its independence, as the main event of the prolonged Centennial year observance planned by the San Jacinto Centennial association.

"OUTOURWAY" - - - - - By Williams



"SCRAM! THIS IS MY CORNER"



The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowen



Advertisement for 'SALE' of men's clothing, haberdashery, hats, shoes, etc. Includes text: 'Our 16th Anniversary', 'Offers Unusual Values in MEN'S CLOTHING, HABERDASHERY, HATS, SHOES, ETC.', 'ONLY--- Merchandise of the Better Sort!', 'ONLY--- Merchandise of Well Known Makes!', 'ARE AT YOUR COMMAND!', 'Join the Thrifty Shoppers Meet Your Friends at Our CHRISTMAS STORES THE GLOBE, INC. Ranger and THE MEN'S SHOP Eastland'

Advertisement for 'Dallas Soon to Be Brightest Spot On U.S. Aerial Map'. Includes text: 'DALLAS, Tex.—Dallas will be the brightest spot on the 1936 aerial map of America. Compactly assembled on the Texas Centennial Exposition grounds, when the Southwest's great world's fair opens June 6, will be the greatest electric lighting display on the continent.'

Advertisement for 'THIS CURIOUS WORLD' featuring a kangaroo and a tree. Includes text: 'ALTHOUGH BABY KANGAROOS ARE BORN BLIND, AND ONLY A FRACTION OF AN INCH IN LENGTH, THEY FIND THE WAY TO THE MOTHER'S POUCH WITHOUT ASSISTANCE.', 'RED MAPLES FURNISHED EARLY PENNSYLVANIA COLONISTS WITH BLUE DYES!'"/>



Edw. G. and Mariam



Edward G. Robinson and Miriam Hopkins in Samuel Goldwyn's "Barbary Coast," released through United Artists and coming to the Arcadia Theatre Saturday and Sunday.

DESDEMONA

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bratton, formerly of Desdemona, but now of Georgetown, were delighted to see them on Saturday and Sunday when they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Robert.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dear Santa. I am a little boy six years old. I am going to school and have been a very good boy this year.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dear Santa: I want a tractor, two guns and scabbards. My little sister wants a high chair. I have been a good boy.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dearest Santa: I am a little girl going to school at Union. Santa, I've been good and please won't you bring me a little Shirley Temple doll and a little table and desk?

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dearest Santa Claus: I have been a good little boy. I am seven years old and go to school at Union and haven't missed a day this year.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dearest Santa: We are going to have a school program at our school Friday night and we surely want you to come.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dear Santa: I am a little boy 10 years old. I go to school at Union. I wish you would bring me an air-gun, a fountain pen, and a knife.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dearest Santa: I am a small lad just two years old. I help Mother with the cooking while Daddy teaches school.

Our next program will be presented on the night of Friday, Dec. 20. We hope to start the program promptly at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Henry Gentry and three sons and Calvin Williams were German visitors Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Key drove to Dublin on business Friday afternoon. They were accompanied by De Leon by Miss Nettie Corbell, who visited her mother there.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roe spent Thanksgiving with their two daughters at Abilene. Paul Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Walker is recovering nicely after an attack of pneumonia.

They enjoyed a family re-union as Mr. Robert who has been at Freer for some time came home Friday and stayed until Tuesday and Miss Nell Robert, who is attending John Tarleton college at Stephenville-came home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Daily and little daughter visited at Gorman Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Anderson and daughter, Beatrice, visited relatives at Ranger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee drove to Gorman on business Tuesday. Mrs. Mollie Ende left Tuesday for Kilgore and nearby towns to visit her son, Charles and his wife and her other son, Clay and his wife, Mrs. Nannie Noel, sister of Mrs. Ende, went to Dublin to visit until Mrs. Ende returns.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Stover had as Thanksgiving guests, their daughter, Mrs. John C. Spradley and two sons of Longview and their son, Fred Stover and wife of Conroe.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Gallagher of Cisco and her daughter, Mrs. Dick Cutting of Gorman, were here Wednesday afternoon visiting Mrs. Lee Dabney, Mrs. W. C. Bedford, Mrs. Elmer Lee Anderson and several other friends and former neighbors all of whom were delighted to see them and are hoping they may move back to Desdemona some time.

Friends and relatives of J. T. Henry of Dublin were shocked and grieved to hear of the death of his oldest son, Winifred Henry, who died Monday as the result of an auto-train collision at Dublin. We extend sincere sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Moore drove to Ranger Sunday. A birthday party was given Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Parks, honoring their daughter, Miss Dorothea Parks.

Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Abel a surprise party and shower of miscellaneous gifts was given in honor of a recent bride, Mrs. Elmer Lee Anderson, nee Margaret Moore. Contests and games were enjoyed and delicious cake and hot chocolate were served to about 35 guests.

Rev. H. N. Balderee, the new pastor of the Baptist church was given a surprise Monday when he was presented with a new suit of clothes, ordered through O. A. Kountze, who donated part of the cost of the suit.

M. Daily have asked the reporter to express to their many friends their sincere thanks for the splendid pouncing given them Wednesday night. Among the various supplies given them were sacks of sugar making a total of 65 pounds, several sacks of flour and many other articles of food.

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Major Smedley D. Butler deserted the United States Marine Corps. Butler was scheduled to address the state department of Marine Corps League and at the last moment found he had previously been engaged to speak to the girls at Smith College.

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SPECIAL 8 O'CLOCK COFFEE 3 Lbs. 47c

Red Circle lb. 18c Bokar lb. 22c Lux Toilet Soap 3 bars 18c

Pure Cane SUGAR 10 lb. bag .53c 25-lb. bag \$1.37

Grandmothers Bread loaf 8c Excell Crackers 2 lb. box 19c

No. 2 TOMATOES 3 cans .20c Verigood Brand FLOUR 48-lb. bag \$1.78

Pillsbury's Flour 48 lb. bag \$2.15 Cream Meal 10 lb. bag 30c

JEWEL SHORTENING 8-lb. carton \$1.00

MARKET SPECIALS Fancy Veal Round Steak lb. 25c

Idaho No. 1 Potatoes 10 lbs. 23c WINESAP APPLES 2 dozen .25c

Grapefruit, nice size 96's 3 for 10c

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EDITORIAL The Giver and the Gift Christmas is nearing and we feel it profitable to say a few words about the giving of gifts.

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Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dear Santa: I want a tractor, two guns and scabbards. My little sister wants a high chair. I have been a good boy.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dearest Santa: I am a little girl going to school at Union. Santa, I've been good and please won't you bring me a little Shirley Temple doll and a little table and desk?

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Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dearest Santa: We are going to have a school program at our school Friday night and we surely want you to come.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 9, 1935. Dear Santa: I am a little boy 10 years old. I go to school at Union. I wish you would bring me an air-gun, a fountain pen, and a knife.

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Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Cozart have gone out west for a few days. Little Bobby Gale is staying with his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Grice, while they are gone.

Mrs. J. L. and J. S. Brown and son, Wayne and Mrs. J. H. Wheat visited Mrs. Harry Deal and Mrs. Pearl Price Monday and Tuesday of last week.

Alameda put on a good program the 26th and ninth and tenth grand will put on a program the 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Easter Pilgrim from Breckenridge visited his par-

### ALAMEDA

ents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Pilgrim Sunday.

Miss Ellen Tucker visited in the G. C. Pilgrim home Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Pearl Price visited Mrs. J. L. and J. S. Brown Sunday.

Mrs. S. B. Cozart and daughter, Odessa, visited Mrs. G. C. Pilgrim Monday.

Mrs. Velma Carr visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Melton Saturday night and her aunt, Mrs. G. C. Pilgrim Sunday.

Ernest Calvert and Jim Hart are buying turkeys and they are better than last year.

### STRAWN

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Segars were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hollingsworth in Gordon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Peters of Midland were Strawn visitors over the week-end.

Mrs. Will Creighton has returned from Fort Worth where she has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Drew Housley and daughter, Betty Sue, are visiting in Dallas last this week.

Mrs. Jim Latimer left Saturday for Fort Worth where she will spend this week with relatives.

Marshall Marrs of Ranger and Will Ready spent last week-end in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Disharoon and sons, Allen and Jerry, were Fort Worth visitors last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tucker and daughter, Betty Charlene, of Ranger, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Tucker.

Mrs. Ura Crawford and Mrs. Prena Gordon were Ranger shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Buddie Whatley and children are visiting in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt De Lee of Denton visited Mrs. Lula Disharoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Estes of Caddo were Strawn visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Ashton Durkee and young son, Charles Shaw, of Big Spring, are here for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Williamson and son, Harvey, were Ranger visitors Sunday.

Miss Lorene De Witt of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles De Witt last week.

Lloyd Garrett, who is employed in Pampa, visited in Strawn Saturday.

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Program and Convention Report Round Out P.T.A. Program Cooper School Parent-Teacher association met at the auditorium, this week in one of the red letter meetings of the year. President, Mrs. Roy Wilkes, gave a summarized report of the state convention of Texas Congress of Parent Teachers association which was held at El Paso the latter part of November.

A miscellaneous program provided a delightful feature, with Billy Joan Crawley giving an entertaining reading, Eloise Humble reading, Mr. Baskin's trio, and Caroline Robinson, piano solo.

Members of the hospitality committee served refreshments to over thirty-five members. Christmas Party Carries Gay Decorations A Christmas tree trimmed with tinsel, red, green and blue lights, was outstanding in decorations Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. J. G. McGee, with her co-hostess, Mrs. R. A. Turner, entertained at the home of the former in compliment to members of the Dorcas class of First Baptist Church.

Business for the class was disposed of early in the opening hour, followed with an entertaining series of games. Gifts from the brightly decorated tree were presented guests.

During the serving of dainty refreshments Gloria McGee entertained with readings. Those present: Mmes. Lee Mitchell, R. E. Barker, R. A. Turner, J. F. Byas, Alice Stephens, B. R. Judy, W. F. Barton, H. M. Russell, A. F. Miller, F. W. Arrendale, Joe Pack, R. C. Farwell, C. G. Russell and hostess, J. G. McGee.

Mrs. P. O. Hatley Hostess Mrs. P. O. Hatley welcomed members of Child Study club association No. 2 into her home Thursday afternoon for a program and Christmas party.

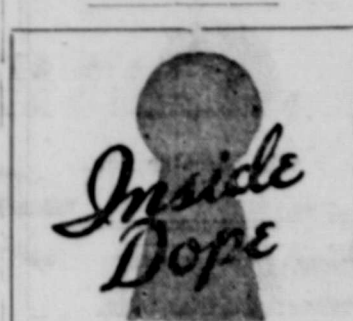
The opening program brought the singing of Christmas chorals. Games when climaxed announced as prize winners, Mrs. W. W. Webb and Mrs. Carl Heinlen. Refreshments were passed to Mmes. Carl Heinlen, Max Ohr, W. B. Emfinger, T. J. Powell, Z. B. Morgan, J. E. Ogg, W. W. Webb, Odell Cole, Saule Perlestein, Onis Littlefield, T. L. Dupree, and J. B. Houghton.

Masquers Club To Present Play The Masquers Club will present "The Coming of Peace" at the Sunday night services of the First Christian Church. The cast includes Mary and Joseph, angels, kings, and shepherds. Practice has been held for the past two weeks with the director, Mrs. Hunter. By Mary Helen Childs, Reporter.

Baylor Belton Representative The Senior High School girls

and the Junior College girls met Monday morning at 11:30 with a representative of Mary Hardin Baylor College at Belton. Several of the girls were interested in his talk and hope to attend the college in the future.

Choral Club The Junior College Choral Club met Tuesday morning with the sponsor, Mr. Lamance. Songs were practiced to be given on programs at several of the churches Sunday morning. The club is progressing nicely and much interest is still being shown in the attendance. By Rena Mason, Reporter.



W. E. Davis of Fort Worth visited in Ranger this morning, the guest of his brother, Clyde H. Davis.

Miss Sallie Ringold left yesterday for Mississippi, where she will visit in various cities with relatives during the Christmas holidays. She was accompanied to Fort Worth by her brother, E. A. Ringold who is transacting business there.

Miss Anice Locke presents her piano pupils in a recital at Central Baptist church tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Friends are cordially invited. Dancing tonight at Trolley Tavern from 10 till 2 o'clock, with Roy Moore and his kings of rhythm playing. Every member is an artist in his line, all combined playing popular dance music for the Friday 13th occasion.

According to members of Child Welfare Club, more dolls are needed—and if you haven't already given yours, won't you do so this week? One gets the real Christmas spirit when viewing the array of lovely toys just finished by Chief Murphy and his boys. The boys are expert toy artists and each season contribute their splendid efforts and time in making toys—just all kind of toys for underprivileged children of Ranger. A highly commendable service and one that has gained them greater praise each Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butler, who reside at Olden, are the proud parents of a nine pound son, who arrived at the City-County Hospital, December 11th. The young man has not as yet been named.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Betts are expecting as house guests this week who are to remain through Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Earnest of Longview, their daughter Miss Elizabeth Earnest of St. Joseph Hospital, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. John Davenport, Longview, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Purman and Homer Short of Monahans.

Mrs. Hal Hunter will present a group of Ranger Junior College students in a Christmas play, "Bethlehem and the Manger," at the First Christian church, Sunday evening. The public is cordially invited.

W. L. Seymour underwent surgery at the City-County Hospital Thursday and is reported to be doing very nicely today.

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High School and Jr. College Notes

By Mavis Murray

College Business Classes Entertained

Three business-course classes were entertained Thursday evening by their teacher, W. W. Jarvis. Students met at the home of Mr. Jarvis at 7:30 to be served punch and play bridge. Prizes were awarded winners following a short Scavenger hunt. From there the students gathered at the Country club for a wicker roast. Those present were: Donleita Taylor, Josephine Riek, Ada Rhea Decker, Mavis Murray, Betty Everett, Eloise Martin, Juanita Cain, Leta Graae Hart, Garland Montgomery, Paul Hodge, Woodrow LaMance, Jack Mooney, Howard Miller, Durwood Barnes, Joe Adams, Buster Powell, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jarvis.

C. L. F.

The formal initiation for the members of the C. L. F. was held Tuesday night at 9:30 at the home of Miss Gladys Pinson. After the annual C. L. F. Christmas banquets, plans were made for next year.

Refreshments were served to Mildred Moorman, Dorothy O'Donnell, Mary Helen Childs, Etta Mae Sikes, Leta Grace Hart, Donleita Taylor, Josephine Riek, Mae Jo Brown, Reba Calloway, Rena Mason, Pauline McGee, Eloise Wellborn, Mattie Beryl Montgomery, Catherine Barker, a former member, and Miss Gladys Pinson. Reporter, Donleita Taylor.

Los Conquistadores Elect Officers

Los Conquistadores, Junior College language club, have organized and elected the following officers: President, Charles Williams; vice president, Bruce Murphy; secretary-treasurer, Rena Mason; reporter, Mattie Beryl Montgomery. It was voted that the club should meet each first and third Monday. Miss Wesley is the club sponsor.

New Hi Yi Members

The following nine students have been elected and initiated into the Hi Yi Club: Gates Barker, Andrew Bruce, Elma Whitehead, E. O. Samms, Robert Johnson, Brin Thomas, Jimmy Ralston, F. P. Brashier, and Jim Galloway.

People May Vote On a Unicameral Form of Legislature

AUSTIN, Tex.—Opening attempts to obtain unicameral legislation in Texas were heard during the lawmakers recent special session.

Sen. G. H. Nelson, Tahoka, sponsored and obtained passage of a resolution urging the 45th legislature to submit a constitutional amendment in the 1937 regular session. Constitutional amendments may be submitted only by vote at a regular session.

Sponsors of the unicameral system believed greater efficiency would result from a single house. Recent legislatures have been criticized for failure to reach agreement on vital problems such as taxation and liquor regulations. Texas representatives now are paid by the day. The unicameral setup would include annual salaries.

Young Democrats Are Pro New Deal

AUSTIN, Tex.—Rebellious Texas Young Democrats, spurred on by the University of Texas group, went forward today with plans to make the state pro-Roosevelt and pro-New Deal.

Joined by Young Democrats in 64 South Texas counties, the Progressive Democrats group formed at the University of Texas now plan inroads on other strongholds of the parent organization. University Democrats withdrew from the state group to support the president and his policies.

Trying to Forget New Gloria Defeat



New York Society Note: The subdued manner of Mrs. Gloria Morgan Vanderbilt (right above) was the subject of comment among smart patrons of the fashionable night club where she half-heartedly made merry with a large party of friends. Earlier in the day she had been informed that she again had suffered defeat in her legal battle to recover custody of her heiress daughter, Gloria.

Mother-in-Law Is Subject of Play at Tent Show Tonight

Only two days are left for Fred G. Brunk's Comedians tent theatre, now playing in Ranger, at the old location, across from the city hall. They are showing under the

"The Young Democratic Clubs of Texas with the exception of the University group are anti-Roosevelt and anti-New Deal," said Herman Wright, law student from Amarillo and former member of the state executive committee. "We have no intention of sponsoring a new party. We wish to coordinate the efforts of liberals in the present party."

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"Three Men on a Cow," a typical western play, is in the effort for Saturday night, one of the funniest, most entertaining and best plays ever written and produced. This comes as the farewell show followed with the Whoopee Show immediately after the feature production.

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### Miriam Hopkins Feminine But Has Mind Of Her Own

The paradox of an actress who is essentially and definitely feminine, yet who knows what she wants and gets it, was etched clear as a crystal in the making of "Barbary Coast," colorful Samuel Goldwyn production, which comes to the Arcadia Theatre Saturday and Sunday with Miriam Hopkins, Edward G. Robinson and Joel McCrea.

That actress is Miriam Hopkins, whose role in the picture is that of the "only white woman in San Francisco" during the wild rough gold boom days of 1852.

Let's watch her analyze and do a scene under the painstaking, careful direction of Howard Hawks, a master of screen movement.

Strikingly radiant with her blonde hair drawn in old-fashioned curls at the back of her head, wearing a billowing black velvet gown with white ermine bordering the low neckline, Miriam Hopkins stands behind the roulette wheel which she runs in the "Bella Donna" gambling palace and cafe. It's a close-up of her alone, speaking

to McCrea, who stands just out of camera range.

"I think this should go fast and quiet coldly toward him," the actress speaks quickly to Hawks, as they are about to start.

"Right! Camera!"

Slowly Miss Hopkins puts a hand across the roulette wheel on to that of McCrea, who has just staked all his gold on one last spin of the wheel.

"You'll write something about the fog, won't you? And how people forget where they are, and who they are. . . . Fourteen on the black!" she exclaims as the wheel stops. "You win again. Pay off, Bill, the game is closed."

"Out," softly barks Hawks, as McCrea starts to reply. Miss Hopkins looks quickly to her director. "I know," she flashes, "I played it too fast. Let's do it again."

They start, but this time Miss Hopkins halts the scene with a "no-good" gesture as she finishes her long line. She knows it was wrong. Hawks, smiling understandingly, soothingly, analyzes her difficulty. "You are so intent on get-

### New Serial At Columbia



John Mack Brown in "Rustlers of Red Dog," new serial starting at the Columbia Theatre Saturday.

ting two words in where there's only room for one."

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"Yes, there's not enough timing."

Again they start; they carry through, smoothly, with tight emotion, to the end of the scene. "Wasn't that it?" queries Miss Hopkins, knowing already that she has given her best. Hawks nods vehemently as he tells his script girl: "Print that, but do one more."

Thus, through eight tedious yet exciting weeks of shooting has it gone. This actress, as do few others, analyzes, discusses, suggests, questions about each and every scene. Every picture means a step either up or down in her career. She watches with keen intuition, and demands frankly that her portrayal be the very best that it can be made. "Barbary Coast" is released through United Artists.

When adjusted for the number of working days October sales showed a decrease of 3.6 per cent from September of this year since there were three more working days in October than in September. Without adjustment either for the number of working days or for seasonal influences, October sales were 8.5 per cent above September.

All but one of the kinds of businesses represented showed an increase from last year. This exception, Motor Vehicle Dealers, showed a decline of three tenths of one per cent. The greatest gain was in furniture and household appliance stores, with an increase of 11 per cent followed by lumber and building material dealers and men's and boys' clothing stores with gains of 10 per cent and 9 per cent respectively.

Without adjustment the greatest gains from September to October were reported by lumber and building material dealers and country general stores, each showing increases of approximately 11 per cent.

Of the 479 firms reporting on October, 249 (52 per cent) reported an increase over October a year ago (44 per cent) reported declines, and 19 (4 per cent) had less than 1 per cent change in sales volume.

A WPA director claims you don't have to be rich to be a patron of art. Just the same, Dora bets that during prohibition he charged as much as Gus or Tony.

### Chief Enemy of Wild Life Is Not Horde of Hunters

**By United-Press**

BEEVILLE, Tex.—The chief cause of the rapid depletion of the nation's wild life is natural enemies and not man, according to R. R. Strickland, traveling-man-sportsman of South Texas.

Game conservation agencies would do well to urge sportsmen throughout the country to kill every animal of prey possible. Strickland has started a movement among farmers against natural enemies of wild bird life in his neighborhood.

"Primarily, it is not man who is depleting our wild life," Strickland said. "The quail, our most prized bird, has many natural enemies in the territory, namely the hawk, owl, snake, road runner, the armadillo, the butcher bird and the ground squirrel."

"During three years on my farm, I have destroyed more than 500 of these natural enemies of quail," he said. "My neighbors have been equally as diligent in killing these pests."

"If sportsmen of South Texas would make it a rule never to pass up an opportunity to kill animals preying on our wild life, we would have within five years, as much game as there was when our grandfathers shot the old flintlock gun."

Strickland advised farmers to leave grain in their fields to feed the birds during winter months. Because of protection afforded on his farm, he said, a covey of 17 quail hatched in the front yard of his home.

### Pampered Champion Off to Show



It's an aristocratic cow that's sheltered by an umbrella when she goes out for a walk and Northwood Winnie is all of that. She's a champion milking Shorthorn and, as befitting her rank, she was given the best of attention here by Miss Lorraine Kerr, as she was led to the Chicago stockyards amphitheater for the opening of the international livestock show, world's greatest event of its kind, attended by thousands. Three million dollars' worth of stock is on exhibition.

Equipped with self-recording timers and thermometers, balloons are released at regular intervals in different parts of the country in the hope they will get into the stratosphere and record valuable information concerning air currents and temperature.

The balloons are 50 inches diameter, filled with hydrogen and carry a double bamboo kite. The delicate instruments are packed in aluminum cases.

When the balloon bursts in the stratosphere, the kites carry instruments safely to the ground.

The experiments were started last March by the Dominion Meteorological Bureau. Most of the balloons have been released in Calgary. Of six released in March and June, four were picked up and widely separated parts of the province. One of the balloons released in June reached an altitude of 91,000 feet and the instrument recorded a temperature of 67 degrees below zero. A March balloon attained the height of 74,000 feet and recorded a temperature of 80 degrees below zero.

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### Retail Sales In Independent Stores Showing Increase

Retail sales of 479 independent stores in Texas reporting to the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, in cooperation with the Bureau of Business Research, University of Texas, increased about 5 per cent in dollar volume for October 1935 as compared with 1934.

### Liquor Control And Pension Work To Start In January

AUSTIN.—Liquor law enforcement in Texas is likely to get into full swing some time after the Christmas holidays.

Administrator Charles R. Miller and his staff, now busy issuing permits and collecting the tax, expect at least another month will pass before their business returns to "normalcy." When the preliminary rush is over, licenses may be issued and the tax collected at a normal rate. Then enforcement problems will be considered.

It has not been determined what sort of an enforcement organization will be formed—whether it will operate directly from a central office in Austin or from several district offices.

Temporary aid in getting the liquor administration started is being furnished by employees of the state comptroller's department, already scattered over the state on tax and enforcement assignments.

The state pension organization will not begin to function until mid-February. Meantime, Pension Director Orville Carpenter is gathering all possible data. He also is sending out summaries of the act that people may know in advance something of its provisions. If the law is amended at the January special session of the legislature, the summaries may not be of much service.

The pension division will require a large number of local administrators.

The pension act requires a large staff. At the same time it limits administration expense to 5 per cent of the amount given out in pensions. Apparently, small salaries will prevail.

Vital statistics registrars will hold doubly important positions when old age pensions are instituted. Perhaps it was for that reason they were allowed to retain fees under the new salary bill which takes effect in January.

It is conceivable that in the future a birth certificate will be the only acceptable proof of age. Now pension applicants may use other proof.

Vital statistics have been kept in some parts of Texas, however, since 1703. There are burial records—perhaps the oldest in North America—preserved in the vault of San Antonio's San Fernando cathedral.

The AAA reduction payment era provides a paradox. A farmer makes his mark by signing his name.

### Porch Preacher Is Unable to Move Christmas Forward

KINGSTON, N. C.—The Rev. James Thomas Buck, negro "porch preacher," has abandoned his three congregations for lack of co-operation.

Buck, despite meager schooling, decided his Christmas should arrive on Sept. 25. The congregations, meeting on the porches of church members, agreed to celebrate the holiday three months earlier than usual.

But as Sept. 25 approached, "it jes' didn't seem Christmasy enough" to the members, and they backed out.

### Balloon Shows 91 Below Zero at a 74,000-Foot Height

CALGARY, Alta. — Canadian scientists are trying to solve the mysteries of the stratosphere with huge "toy" balloons.

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