

THE WEATHER  
By United Press  
WEST TEXAS—Fair, not so cold in Panhandle, Friday partly cloudy, warmer.

Horses and elephants, who can sleep while standing up, have nothing on a man. He can slumber while walking back and forth and holding a baby.

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## ALIBI WITNESSES TESTIFY AT HENRY TRIAL

### LECTION WITH NO CANDIDATE MAY BE POSSIBLE HERE

Selection would be held in Ran... Saturday without any candidates running for office.  
A. Ringold, secretary of the... board, stated that... had filed for a place on... ballot in the election Saturday... in which two school trustees... the Ranger Independent school... stated that no one had filed... a place on the ballot in the... election Saturday, in which two... school trustees of the Ranger... independent school district are... supposed to be elected. This is the... first time, Ringold, who has spent... years as secretary of the... can remember when no candidates had filed.  
Ringold explained that if no one... for the positions on the ballot... the election would be held just... same, in order to comply with... law. Ballots with blank lines in... names can be written will... furnished and anyone who... to do so can vote.  
No one should vote, which is... under the present circumstances, the... two retiring members... board would be retained in... until the board could... their successors and swear... into office. The board is... to appoint members to... vacancies, and this would... done in case no one was...  
The ballots will be held open as... as possible, Ringold stated, so... anyone decides to run for one... the positions he may do so.

### His Experiment Gives Vision of Manless World



A human race composed entirely of females was the theoretical possibility seen by biologists after Dr. Gregory Pincus (above) of Harvard University announced that he had successfully fertilized an egg from a female rabbit entirely by physical and chemical means. The egg was removed from one female, synthetically fertilized, and then transplanted to another "mother," where it appeared to develop normally.

### NINETEEN ARE KILLED IN A GEORGIA GALE

CORDELE, Ga., April 2.—Cutting a three-block swath entirely through the city of Cordele, a tornado today killed at least 19 persons, injured scores and caused \$500,000 property damage.  
Hundreds were without homes as the storm slashed a lane about seven miles through Crisp county and Cordele.  
The city stadium was turned into a hospital for the injured. Ambulances rushed others to Macon and Americus.  
The Red Cross dispatched disaster workers to the stricken city. Gov. Eugene Talmadge stood ready to give any aid needed. It was possible national guards might be called for.  
The tornado was the worst of a series of storms that swept the south. Concord, N. C., was struck by a tornado today, with \$100,000 property damage resulting. A check did not indicate anyone was seriously injured.  
Another storm struck last night near Athens, Ga., causing about \$5,000 damage and killing some cattle. No loss of life occurred, according to first reports.  
Power lines were down in Cordele and the city was without power. The storm struck here, its worst blows in the residential section and a negro district.  
Two schools were demolished. An eye witness said the scene of destruction was terrible, with many homes reduced to kindling.  
"The storm swept through the town but did not hit the business section. The dead and injured are being removed," the witness said.  
After smashing through this city of about 7,000, the storm also struck a little settlement five miles east of here and it was reported great damage was done there, also.

### Winter Spends the Early Spring In Texas On April 1

Winter had its April Fool joke which Texas orchard men were hardly in a mood to appreciate Thursday.  
A belated spring norther Wednesday night sent temperatures skidding to the freezing mark as far south as Dallas and Ft. Worth and nipped fruit orchards in the northern and western sections of the state.  
Extent of the damage could not be determined Thursday as forecasts held the prospect of another chilly night.  
Amarillo, where spring weather had prevailed several weeks, felt the bite of 14 degrees, Abilene reported 28, Palestine 36, El Paso 40, Del Rio 48, Port Arthur 56, Galveston 58 and Brownsville 68.

### BLIND WOMAN FATALLY BURNED, BLIND HUSBAND AND A YOUNG DAUGHTER SERIOUSLY BURNED

Mrs. John Y. Owens, 36, blind woman who lived at Okra, died in a Gorman hospital Thursday morning at 8:45, as the result of burns received when her home at Okra burned at midnight Wednesday.  
Her husband, 48, who is also blind, and a daughter, 3, are also in the hospital in a critical condition from burns they received, with physicians holding out little hope for the infant's recovery.  
The Owens family was in bed at the time the fire broke out, according to reports, and the three were trapped in the flames, three other daughters and two sons escaping uninjured. A defective fuse was believed to have caused the fire.  
One of the daughters walked three miles to the home of a neighbor, who carried the injured to the Blackwell sanitarium at Gorman, where they were given medical treatment.  
Funeral services for Mrs. Owens are to be conducted at Okra Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Higginbotham Bros., of Gorman, in charge of funeral arrangements.

### Says He's Loser as Townsend Aide



Besides giving my full time to the Townsend movement, I am thousands of dollars out of pocket," telegraphed Edward J. Margett (above), the Townsends' San Francisco area manager, to the House Committee which is investigating the nation-wide movement. Margett said that his commissions even exceeded the \$1,800 to \$2,100 a month at which they had been reported by Committee Counsel James E. Sullivan, but that out of those sums he had to pay all employees' salaries and other expenses in his area.

### SAY THEY SAW HENRY ON DAY OF THE MURDER

Character Witnesses Also Put On Stand By The Defense Counsel.

At 2:30 the defense had used seven character witnesses all of whom said that the reputation of Raymond Henry, defendant in the "hanging skeleton" case, was good while that of Pete Fenwick, T. R. Crosswhite and M. E. (Sandy) Tyler, state witnesses, was bad.  
The witnesses who testified in Henry's behalf were E. F. Bucy, Rising Star road contractor; W. A. Williams, Rising Star; Tom Montgomery, Rising Star; B. M. Carroll, Rising Star; Jess Parker, Andrews county ranch hand, formerly from Rising Star; D. A. Zellers, Rising Star Carpenter, and Sterling White, Rising Star farmer.

### Scrimmage to Be Held On Friday

O. M. Moore, coach of the Ranger Bulldogs, announced today that the football game scheduled today between the 1935 and 1936 football teams had been postponed until Friday afternoon 4:30.  
The postponement was decided because of the tennis finals of the interscholastic league meet. It will be the last spring training season scrimmage.

### CLEMENTS HAD OBJECTED TO TOWNSEND AD

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Robert Clements, resigned Townsend official, today told the house inquiry of a fanciful suggestion he once made for a patent medicine advertisement that would feature an endorsement by Dr. F. E. Townsend and a picture of a "naked woman."  
The adventure was described by Clements as an attempt at levity when House committee members questioned him about a letter he wrote to M. D. Cerg, Los Angeles, identified as advertising manager for the Townsend Weekly.  
Clements wrote Cerg objecting to proof for a patent medicine advertisement. He went on to say he had never taken the pills taken in the ad.  
"But Dr. Townsend said he has taken them by the handful and they cured him of everything," Clements wrote.

### Grandview 4-H Club Has Meeting

The Grandview 4-H club met in a called session on March 26, 1933 at 1 o'clock. At this time Mr. Barnhart, assistant county agent, was present. He discussed the thing that each boy was to use as a demonstration. He also gave a very interesting discussion on trench silos.  
The club members present were Thomas Grisham, Etember J. Stacy, Edward Walker, Jack Choate, Charles Walker, George Standley, Duval, Elroy Bethay, Billie Green, Walter Ray Browning, Raymond Thompson, J. R. Thompson, and Elzo Browning.  
Visitors present were Tom Grisham, George Snyder, Estes Browning, Bill Simpson, Calvin Brown and Mr. Campers. All of these men are progressive farmers in the community. We invite them, and others, back to the meetings.

### Coal Miners Cheer For Roosevelt

GREENSBURG, Pa., April 2.—Twenty-five thousand miners returned to the bituminous fields of western Pennsylvania today pledged to support President Roosevelt. Gathered here to celebrate the third anniversary of the seventh day, members of the United Mine Workers of America repeatedly cheered President Roosevelt's name.

### Californian Well Pleased With Bride Gov. Allred Found

AUSTIN, April 2.—Samuel Frank, California Legionnaire, today thanked Gov. James Allred of Texas for helping him find "the best and most beautiful" girl in the world and proposed to marry her publicly at the Texas Centennial Exposition.  
Frank, a former Fort Worth and Denver minister, wrote Allred asking aid in finding a Dixie bride, preferably a Texan. Allred turned the letter over to newspapermen and the stories brought widespread correspondence.  
Those persons who have had previous service in CCC are asked to bring discharge papers with them at the time of application for reselection. (This is important.)  
Selection cannot be made of youths who are not members of relief families, WPA or those assigned to WPA or Resettlement Administration.  
Members of families who have recently been dismissed from the WPA due to reduction of quota may be selected provided the family is in need of relief at this time.  
Youths selected at this time will be stationed in a camp outside the state, possibly New Mexico or Arizona, transportation and other expenses being paid by the War Department.

### CCC TO TAKE YOUTHS FROM THIS COUNTY

Notice has been received by the Eastland County Relief Office of an enrollment period of the Civilian Conservation Corps of a limited number of youths to be selected between the ages of 17 and 28, inclusive, other qualifications as follows:  
Single or separated by divorce.  
Unemployed at the time of application.  
Boys of families receiving commodities and other forms of relief from County Welfare Agencies, employed by or certified to the Works Progress Administration, on direct relief or Rural Resettlement Administration.  
Only one member in CCC at a time.  
Men on probation or parole, or men with criminal records are not eligible.  
A man who received an administrative discharge or a dishonorable discharge at the termination of his previous enrollment is not eligible for reselection. An applicant whose honorable discharge papers carry the notation "not considered worthy for re-enrollment" is ineligible for re-selection.  
A man who has served less than four full months during his initial enrollment is ineligible for reselection, regardless of type of discharge.  
A man honorably discharged and otherwise eligible may be re-selected provided that his previous service was not less than four full months, regardless of length of previous service.  
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### CHANCES FOR BRUNO SEEM TO BE BETTER

TRENTON, N. J., April 2.—Bruno Hauptmann's chances of escaping the electric chair tomorrow night, increased today as the Mercer county grand jury opened new lines of inquiry in its consideration of the Lindbergh baby murder.  
Gov. Harold Hoffman, who believes Hauptmann did not commit the crime alone, went before the grand jury, indicating their investigation might extend beyond 8 p. m. Friday.  
There was no official word from the jury as to how far it would inquire into the murder and the case of Paul Wendel who wrote and then repudiated a confession of the crime.  
But with the appearance of the governor to urge that the mystery be solved before Hauptmann is put to death; with the preparations of Attorney General David Wilentz to go before the jury in opposition to any such delay; and with reports that Dr. John Condon, who paid \$50,000 ransom for the kidnapers four years ago today, would be called, there was every indication the jury would be unable to complete its inquiry before the hour now set for Hauptmann's death.

### Few Farmers to Hear New Farm Program Explained at Meet

Meeting of all the farmers in the Commissioners precinct No. 1 has been called for Wednesday, April 2, at the American Legion hall at 8 p. m. for the purpose of discussing the new government program.  
The county has been divided into five units and Ranger is in the one which comprises all commissioners precinct No. 1.  
Farmers interested in the new program have been urged to attend and hear the program outlined and explained. After the session a committee to handle the work in this precinct will be organized.

### Slain Sheriff Was Well Known Here

W. E. Goodman, former sheriff of Shackelford county, who was found shot to death at his home in Moran Wednesday, was well known in this part of the county, as he had made many trips here on business.  
It was believed that his death was caused by accidental discharge of a shotgun he had taken from his home while investigating a gasoline theft.

### Alameda 4-H Club Met On Sunday

The Boys' 4-H club of Alameda met March 26 in the high school auditorium.  
We discussed the carrying on of our demonstrations, the time of the meetings, and the meeting of all the 4-H club members in Eastland county, which is to be held sometime in the near future. Our club meetings will be held at 12:30 o'clock on the first and third Wednesday of each month.  
There was a short talk given by the club on "The Trench Silo," by Mr. Barnhart.  
The members present were: Monroe Johnson, James Dean, S. C. Love, Earnest Hitchens, Mazon Ferrell, Rex Elrod, Jimmie Calvert, A. G. Smith, S. J. Munn, Jack Walker, J. Elrod, Harold Ham, Warren Camron, Ross Elrod and J. P. Melton.

### Scranton Boys 4-H Club In Meeting

SCRANTON, March 24.—The Scranton boys 4-H club met in the Scranton High school, their second time with their assistant county agent, Hugh F. Barnhart, on March 24.  
Mr. Barnhart talked to the boys about their projects and passed out farm record books for the boys to keep their records of the farm through the entire year. Mr. Barnhart's next visit to the club he will show the boys how to terrace.  
The boys are showing a great interest in their work, and invite any parents to visit our club which will meet every second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 12:30.

### Milburn McCarty Gets Demo Notice

Word was received from headquarters of the Democratic National Campaign Committee of Texas signed by Chairman Hon. Sam Rayburn and Hon. Myron G. Bloslock by Hon. Milburn McCarty of Eastland Thursday morning that he had been appointed a member of the State Advisory Committee of the National Campaign Committee of Texas. McCarty has been a lifelong Democrat and has given much of his time to the service of the party.

### Vera Stretz's Fate Rests With Jury

NEW YORK, April 2.—Vera Stretz must face the possibility of death when a jury today or tomorrow deliberates the charges against her for killing Dr. Fritz Gebhardt.  
Judge Cornelius Collum today denied all defense motions, including one to throw out the first degree murder charge and confine the jury to counts of second degree murder or manslaughter.

### Donations Sought For Lighted Field

The following blank can be filled out and mailed or taken to the Chamber of Commerce office, Hodges-Neal building, along with a donation, and the money will be put into the fund for lighting a soft ball field in Ranger:  
I enclose by donation of \$\_\_\_\_\_ which is my contribution toward the lighted soft ball field, to be built in Ranger this Spring.  
Signed \_\_\_\_\_

### Postmaster For Little America to Be At Centennial

DALLAS.—Charles F. Anderson, who served as Postmaster of Little America during Admiral Richard E. Byrd's expedition to the Antarctic, will be in charge of the million dollar Post Office Centennial exhibit at the Texas Centennial Exposition.  
Announcement of this appointment was made by Solicitor General Karl A. Crowley of the United States Post Office Department here.  
One feature of the exhibit will be a collection of every postage stamp issued by the United States government. There will be an extensive collection of foreign stamps on display too.  
Every activity of the Post Office Department will be demonstrated in the exhibit which will be arranged in the United States Building at the \$25,000,000 World's Fair which opens here on June 6.

### RESUMES PRACTICE

C. H. Carter, who has been a regular graduate work resumer, is back to his regular practice.

### France Denounces German Proposals

PARIS, April 2.—France today denounced Germany's proposal for European peace consolidations as utterly inadequate. She pressed for joint French-Belgium-British general staff consultations and a meeting of the Locarno powers to consider action.  
The foreign office received a letter from the British foreign office to start conversations.

### Judge John Speer Is Named On Court

AUSTIN, April 2.—Former District Judge John Speer, Denton, was today appointed justice of the second court of civil appeals, Fort Worth.

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U. S. Pays the Price For Misuse of Land

It was the mournful fate of old Belshazzar that his name went down in history as that of a man who couldn't take a plain warning when it walked up and hit him in the face.

Probably it was a bit disconcerting to have a ghostly hand come in and start scribbling on the wall just when the party was going good.

It may seem silly to try to draw a parallel between Belshazzar and Uncle Sam—especially since there hasn't been anything resembling a Babylonian feast in this country for many a weary year.

But we have at least been getting our writing on the wall this spring, and if we don't start reading it and doing something about it before long, we are apt to wind up right where Belshazzar did.

Our warning is being provided by Nature, in the form of dust storms and floods.

The Southwest is getting its warning in the shape of a pillar of cloud by day; a gritty wind that is blowing the top off fertile farms and giving us a perfect working model of the way deserts are made.

In the North and the East the warning is taking the shape of floods. Peaceful rivers have gone on a destructive rampage; from Maine to Ohio, the swirling waters have brought death and destruction, until city after city has been staggered by the blows.

And the point of it all is that these disasters are to a very large extent man-made. Man didn't cause the winds to blow or the snow and rain to fall; but he did set the stage so that these natural forces could inflict the maximum amount of damage.

For, in this world, we reap just about what we sow. When we misuse our greatest natural heritage, the land, we must expect to pay the price some day.

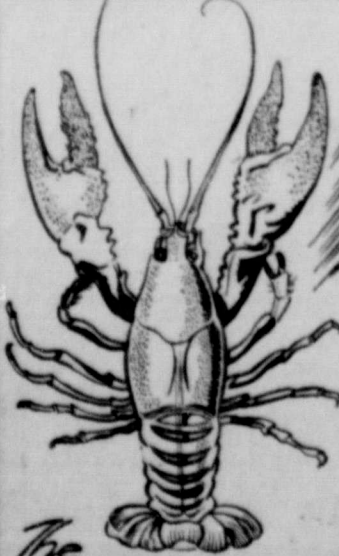
Such things as erosion control, reforestation, flood control, the scientific use of land in place of its exploitation—these are not dull academic subjects, fit for other-worldly brain trusters to wrangle over, but removed from the sphere of everyday life.

Unless we recognize the writing on the wall, and act on it, we shall presently find ourselves in a very bad fix indeed—a fix like that of China, where the spread of desert and the curse of flood have passed entirely beyond human control and are simply torments that must be endured.

After walking up 30 or 40 flights during that elevator strike, Manhattan stenographers must be exhausted when they finally reach the top and sink back in the boss' lap.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

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THE PROPHET



MARKETS

Table listing market prices for various commodities like Allied Stores, Am Can, Am P & L, etc.

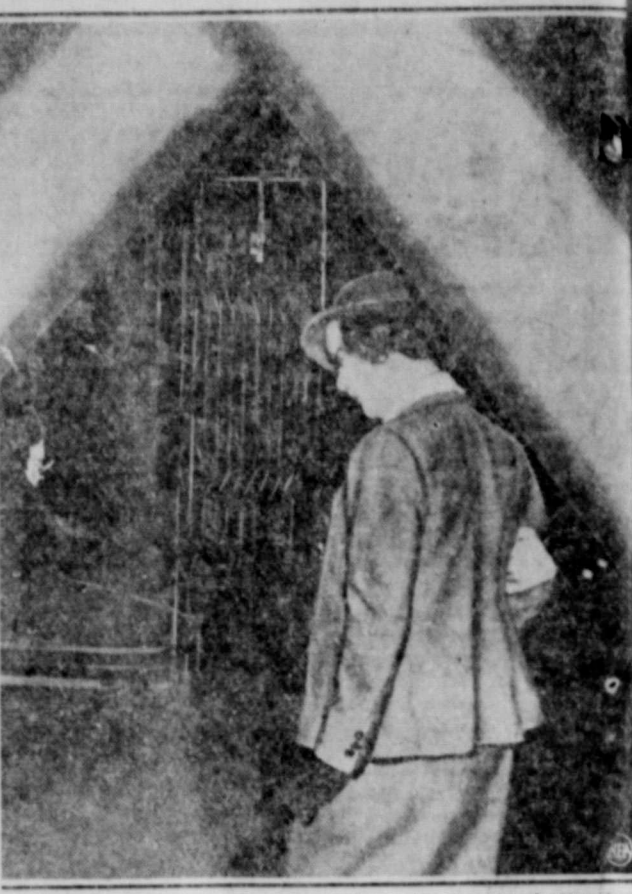
BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER, NEA Service Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON.—The 30-hour week bill, labor's pet, is regarded as dead for this session of Congress.

Skeleton Case—

(Continued from page 1) wrong or if someone was sick. She said something else worse was wrong. She said Mr. McBee left her that morning.

Returning to Slaying Trial Ordeal



Tears and hysterical sobs made Vera Stretz the center of attention in the courtroom where she is on trial as slayer of Dr. Fritz Gebhart.

Advertisement for Lucky Strike Cigarettes featuring a woman and a pack of cigarettes. Text: 'Each Puff Less Acid'.

Advertisement for Lucky Strike Cigarettes with a bar chart comparing acidity levels. Text: 'A LIGHT SMOKE OF RICH, RIPE-BODIED TOBACCO'.

From Our Washington Correspondent

In connection with a news story published in several Texas newspapers, Louise K. Marx, secretary to Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, submits the following answer to the article, written by Julien Capers, Jr., about Judge Garrett.





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# MONTGOMERY WARD



WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—The NRA is down to its last 500 employees and they'll all be gone by the end of this month, when the Blue Eagle formally ascends into bird heaven.

Few of the remaining workers will be on hand at the end. Most of them have "accumulated leave" and want to take it while still on the payroll. Others, however, will struggle earnestly until the last moment with the series of postmortem studies on which NRA has largely been engaged since the Schechter decision last May.

OBSENSING this latter group is much heavy speculation as to whether Secretary of Commerce Daniel Roper will undertake to censor or suppress sections of the forthcoming reports on industry labor, code administration, trade practices, price-fixing, and other items covered by the studies.

It was Roper, you'll remember, who inherited the NRA carcass in the end, even though General Johnson had driven him from the henyard in earlier and more exciting days.

Some of the reports will be valuable and well done, others comparatively sloppy. None of the higher-ups appears to have taken a "careful interest in an able scientific survey of the industrial situation and the lessons and facts learned through NRA.

Nevertheless, much good factual material has been assembled for use of the president and Congress as they consider innumerable bills fostered by industry—all of which ask for practically everything except a federal hand in labor relations.

Some aspects of the reports will be sensational and some of the men who have written them are

so interested in their work that Roper tries to censor them he probably will cause more publicity for those aspects than otherwise would be the case.

Theoretically, the plan is to make many mimeographed copies of the studies available, but certain industries oppose publication. Especially they object to revelations as to pricing, financial structures, corporate organization, and certain trade practices. And to such juicy material as that which will show how corporation managements have enriched themselves enormously at the expense of both customers and investors.

STUDIES were begun of industries employing 13,500,000 persons and with annual sales of \$65,000,000,000. Many of these studies have been curtailed, but there will be important reports on automobiles, coal, lumber, paper, fertilizer, electrical manufacturing, iron and steel, textiles and tobacco.

Squabbles between industrial-minded and labor-minded or consumer-minded NRA employees have persisted to the last. The Labor Studies Section was treated shabbily from the beginning and has its original 70 workers were assigned to other jobs.

The section on trade practices had about 200. It now has 11 employees. Anti-labor and anti-consumer-minded NRA employees have persisted to the last. The Labor Studies Section was treated shabbily from the beginning and has its original 70 workers were assigned to other jobs.

New Deal men have been used to review labor studies, it is charged, and it is possible to find marginal notes of criticism by superiors, such as the following on a study of working hours:

"Re-employment only one angle. Probably least important."

That will interest you especially if you recall the good old idea that NRA eventually would eliminate unemployment through shortening of hours.

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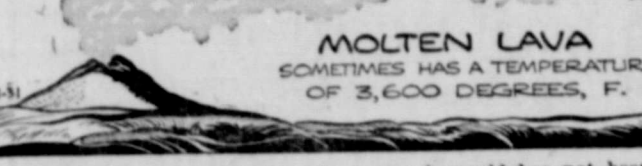
THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



CROW WAS SERVED RECENTLY AT BANQUETS IN TULSA, OKLA., IN AN EFFORT TO PROVE THE EDIBILITY OF CROW MEAT, WITH THE HOPES THAT THE BIRD WILL BE EXTERMINATED BY HUNTERS.



MOSQUITOES ARE MAN'S WORST ENEMIES AMONG THE INSECTS. THEY NUMBER MORE THAN 500 SPECIES.



MOLTEN LAVA SOMETIMES HAS A TEMPERATURE OF 3,600 DEGREES, F.

THE crow's exact status in the economic world has not been decided definitely. Some consider him definitely an enemy, while others still believe that he does far more good than harm. The crow's enemies point out that over 35 per cent of his diet consists of corn, but they fail to mention that the largest portion of this is waste grain, consumed in the winter.

Boulder Spillways Get 'Workout'



Not a tiny model, but the real, massive Boulder Dam, with great torrents gushing through its spillways for the first time, is pictured in this striking view, taken from a plane high above the earth. Enough water to float a battleship poured from Boulder Lake through the intake towers, shown behind the dam, and out the giant spillways, so government engineers could test the equipment.

assistance Commission, this week in explaining the setup.

Investigators have been calling at the homes of applicants for three weeks now. Some 140,000 aged have applied, and as there were 300,000 blanks distributed many more applications are expected to be filed.

"We are sending men from the State office to the twenty district offices and are holding schools for investigators. Our field workers must have a thorough understanding of their work.

"All investigators in a district meet with the men from the central office at the headquarters city of that district. Policies of the Commission, the law itself, and technical questions are explained to the assembled field workers.

"We have a humane purpose; we have good workers. The Commission is anxious for the aged of Texas to receive the most good possible from the old age assistance law," Mr. Carpenter declared.

"Applicants are cooperating with us and they realize that we are doing everything we can to facilitate these investigations which the law requires," he added.

Employees of the State Office and those of the twenty districts have been working fourteen to fifteen hours a day. As some 140,000 separate investigations must be made (and many more are expected to make applications), an enormous task faces the Old Age Assistance Commission.

"Payments will start just as soon as investigators complete their work as required by law. We hope to complete all investigations and approve applications before July 1," the Executive Director said.

"Records of birth dates, properly owned, cashed in bank, residence, and citizenship (if the applicant is a naturalized citizen) should be ready to show the investigators when they call during the next few weeks," Mr. Carpenter advised.

REPORTING POLITICS

THERE is no more exacting news assignment than reporting politics. This is true particularly in a presidential year.

United Press, with its customary foresight, last June began its factual, unbiased, impartial political coverage for the 1936 presidential campaign. Representatives of ten states met in the mid-West grass roots convention at Springfield, Ill., at that time.

Since then expert United Press political writers have been moving across the United States covering the big pre-convention stories; making cross section surveys of various states; interviewing prospective candidates; watching new political movements and reporting day by day maneuvering.

These factors insure dominant political news coverage for UNITED PRESS client newspapers with UNITED PRESS... ACCURACY... SPEED... INDEPENDENCE.

United Press dispatches appear in THIS PAPER

By HARRY GRAYSON

BY MARY E. DAGUE

NEA Service Staff Writer

TUCKED away between big buildings in the heart of Chicago is a charming old-world inn, its walls hung with quaint Swedish embroideries and reproductions of famed paintings. Old-fashioned fire-places with poker-grates and brushes, brass and copper kettles hand woven linens and hand woven furniture from rural Sweden furnish a romantic atmosphere. By the flickering light of candles, maidens in colorful Swedish costumes serve you or you may help yourself to Smorgasbord while the hot supper dishes are prepared in the kitchen.

Mrs. Vera Nordstrand, a native of Sweden, and owner of A Bit of Sweden served piping hot as the main dish for an inviting Smorgasbord supper. Made with fresh shrimps, plenty of milk, cream and butter, and topped with parmesan cheese, this is a substantial dish. To go with it, have goat cheese, molded vegetable salads, liver paste, boiled fish with Hollandaise, beet and herring salad.

Mrs. Nordstrand likes to use fresh shrimps in season but canned shrimps may be substituted if fresh ones are not available.

Shrimps a la Newburg

One pound fresh shrimp or 2 cans shrimp, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 1 cup milk, 1-2 cup cream, 2 tablespoons sherry, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-3 teaspoon pepper, few grains sugar.

If fresh shrimp are used cook them in boiling salted water for twenty minutes. Remove from shells. Make a nut along the outside of the shrimp, either freshly boiled or canned, and remove the black line. Melt butter in sauce pan, add shrimps and cook over a low fire for five minutes. Sift over flour and stir carefully with a fork until absorbed. Add milk and cream and cook and stir carefully until sauce boils.

Tomorrow's Menu

BREAKFAST: Baked rhubarb, cereal, cream, crisp broiled bacon, reheated cinnamon rolls, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON: Asparagus fritters with cheese sauce, cream and orange salad, nut bread, milk, tea.

DINNER: Shrimps a la Newburg, new potatoes in parsley butter, cauliflower with Hollandaise sauce, stuffed pepper salad, Princess Astrid, milk, coffee.

Add sherry and seasonings and put over hot water pan of chafing dish to keep hot for serving. If you cook this in a sauce pan which can be sent from the stove to the table a chafing dish isn't necessary. Sprinkle with grated cheese and serve in pastry shells or on toast points.

For a delightful dinner serve buttered potatoes or rice, cauliflower Hollandaise and a Swedish pastry with the fish dish.

Princess Astrid is the name of a delicious pastry that Mrs. Nordstrand says is a favorite dessert with her visitors. To make it, hollow out a delicate butter-sponge cup cake. Fill with a creamy custard and top with whipped cream.

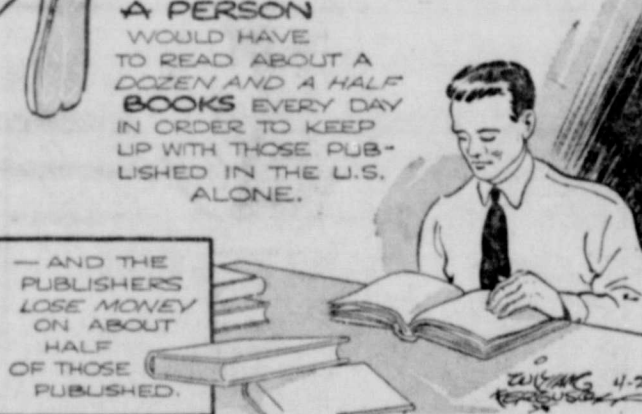
Butter Sponge Cup Cakes

Three eggs, 1 cup sugar, 4 tablespoons melted butter, 1-2 cup cold water, 1-2 cups flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder, few grains salt, 1-2 teaspoon vanilla. Mix and sift flour, salt and baking powder 3 times. Beat yolks of eggs until thick and lemon colored, beating in sugar. Add water and dry ingredients. Beat in melted butter and fold in whites of eggs beaten until stiff. Add vanilla and fill cups two-thirds full. Bake twenty minutes in a moderate oven (250 degrees F.).

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



IN SAN DIEGO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, ONE FINDS BIRDS OF THE OCEAN SHORE, THE MOUNTAINS, AND OF THE DESERT REGIONS.



A PERSON WOULD HAVE TO READ ABOUT A DOZEN AND A HALF BOOKS EVERY DAY IN ORDER TO KEEP UP WITH THOSE PUBLISHED IN THE U.S. ALONE.

— AND THE PUBLISHERS LOSE MONEY ON ABOUT HALF OF THOSE PUBLISHED.

IN Southern California, within the space of 75 miles, one may encounter as great a change in bird life as could be found on the Atlantic coast if one traveled from Maine to Florida. San Diego county, alone, has an ocean coastline, cactus covered desert and mountains over 6500 feet high.

Woman Soldier of '61 Is Ill



Only woman in the U. S. receiving a Civil War pension as a combatant, "Aunt Julia" Marcum, pictured as she recently observed her 91st birthday in Williamsburg, Ky., is seriously ill. In an 1861 raid on her Tennessee home, she killed a Confederate soldier with an ax.

Investigators Are Trained to Aid Pension Applicants

General program arrangements and preparation for the celebration was in charge of John C. Townes, president of the San Jacinto Centennial association.

PEANUT ROASTER EXPLODES

OROVILLE, Cal.—A peanut and popcorn wagon exploded here. Children seeking to salvage—and eat—the peanuts nearly prevented the firemen from salvaging anything of the wagon.

AUSTIN.—"Knowing their business yet being courteous, our field workers must understand the viewpoint of the many aged citizens whose homes they enter," said Orville S. Carpenter, executive director of the Old Age As-

San Jacinto Will Be Gathering Place For Many Visitors

By United Press

HOUSTON.—San Jacinto Battleground, the rolling, lowland shrine of Texas independence, will be the gathering place on April 21 for 100,000 state patriots.

On that date 100 years ago, a desperate band of pioneer Texans under command of Gen. Sam Houston, defeated a superior army of Mexicans and captured their chief, Gen. Santa Anna.

The defeat of the Mexican tyrant and perpetrator of the historic slaughter of 100 Texans at the Alamo gave birth to the Republic of Texas, with General Houston as its first president.

The celebration of the famous

battle will be one of the biggest during the Texas Centennial year, possibly to be surpassed only by the Central Exposition beginning in Dallas on June 6.

Tramping of 1,000 soldiers' feet and the rolling of military drums will echo on the battlegrounds as the entire coast artillery unit of Fort Crockett, Galveston, participates in a Catholic military field mass to be conducted by the Most Rev. C. E. Byrne, bishop of Galveston.

Adjutant General Carl Nashitt, commander of the Texas National Guard, announced a large complement of guardsmen also would take part in the celebration.

Gov. James V. Allred of Texas will make the only address of the day. Other honor guests of the celebration, including state officials, judges of the state supreme court and court of civil appeals and H. Y. Benedict, president of the University of Texas, will be introduced by District Judge Char-

les E. Ashe, who has charge of program arrangements.

Marching in a huge parade to the battle site will be the coast artillery, National Guard units, reserve officers, American Legion posts, Sons and Daughters of the Republic of Texas, Boy Scouts, school children from all section of South Texas and other civic and patriotic organizations.

W. E. Kendall, vice president of the San Jacinto chapter, Sons of Republic of Texas, will read General Houston's famous report on the battle.

Crews of the state highway department were put to work several weeks ago, widening all roads to the battleground to 40 feet to

"ZYZZLE"

Just suppose you wanted to find the word "zyzzle" in the dictionary. Would you start at the first page, leaf through the entire book and come finally to the last word, on the last page? That, you say, would be an insane waste of time.

Now, suppose you need accessories for housecleaning. Suppose you need soap, or floor-wax, or a pail and mop. Many stores are featuring real bargains in household needs for spring. Yet you waste time and effort, if you walk from store to store... wander from counter to counter looking for what you want at the price you want to pay.

Instead, you may sit comfortably at home and learn where and when to make the best buys. That's all printed for you in the advertisements of this paper. You have only to read them and heed them to save time, save tiresome shopping, and save money!



LEY OOP

By HAMLIN



Cereals Sponsor \$3,000 Prize Contest About Texas History

Whole Bran Shreds, Grape-Nut Flakes, and Huskies, which was recently introduced in Texas.

Every week for nine weeks General Foods will award cash prizes totaling more than \$300 for the best answers to questions dealing with critical events in Texas history.

Gorgeous

By LAURA LOU BROOKMAN

HEAVEN HERE TODAY... CAROL MARCH was the name of the girl who had been the object of Toby's affection.

than I could do. Is the headache gone? Toby nodded. "I'm feeling fine now," she said.

She deserves it. And, by the way, I haven't seen you in a coon's age. Don't you think it's about time we went down to the old cafeteria where they have the corned beef and cabbage?

YOU'RE SURE THERE ISN'T ANYTHING YOU WANT? she asked. "Anything I can get for you?"

"No, Toby said. "I'm going to get right. I think I feel better today."

"You can crush an acorn in your fingers, but if it grows, it becomes an oak!"

HEARD CAROL and her friends just moved? That was why Tim was such a hurry to go somewhere.

SHE took the telephone and said, "I'm trying to keep her voice as steady as possible. Hello."

which, in the opinion of the judges, best express the spirit of devotion, bravery, and self-sacrifice that characterized the early Texas patriots.

HEARD CAROL and her friends just moved? That was why Tim was such a hurry to go somewhere.

"I'll say she is Toby Ryan, her name is Skinny little thing, about as big as a minute. Maybe you've heard of her?"

Each of the nine advertisements in the series is illustrated by an original etching by the famous artist, Norman Price, whom General Foods commissioned to make a special study of Texas history in order to picture the highlights used in the contest.

Classical Composer

Word puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a portrait of a man.

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FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS - By Blosser



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"OUT OUR WAY" - By Williams



MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse - By Thompson and Coll



Legal Lights in Tampa Trial



Postponing decision on the plea of the defense for a change of venue, Judge Robert T. Dewell ordered attorneys to proceed with the selection of jurors for the trial of three Tampa, Fla., policemen on charges of kidnaping, through false arrest, Joseph Shoemaker, a labor leader, who later was beaten to death.

Scout Rally

A scout rally and troop rally for the north section will be held in Eastland's city park on April 11. The rally will start with a supper at 6:45 p. m.

Houston Has Large Number of Divorces

HOUSTON. — Houston was scored for its large number of divorces in 1935 by Homer G. Hewitt, Houston business man, in an address at the Y. W. C. A. Speaking before more than 200 persons, registered in the 'Y' Marriage course, Hewitt said Houston, last year, had more divorces than Reno, the famous divorce city.



Scout Radio Club The Boy Scout Amateur Radio Club of San Antonio celebrated the club's first anniversary with a supper at the scout clubhouse, March 21.



# Society

ARRITTA DAVENPORT, Editor  
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**Mrs. O. G. Lanier Elected President of City Council**  
Mrs. O. G. Lanier, president of Child Study club No. 2, opened her home Wednesday afternoon to pay compliment to the Ranger City Council, which meets with one of the P. T. A.'s or study clubs once each month.

The entire membership of study club No. 2 acted as associate hostesses for the program, one of the most interesting for several meetings.

Mrs. Lewis Pitcock, who has served well as president, opened the session and presided. Her talk opened the program and she had for her topic, "Ten Good Points to Follow for Any Organization."

Mrs. J. S. Reynolds, president of Eastland County Council, gave for the benefit of all a short parliamentary drill.

Election of officers for 1936-37 was held and Mrs. O. G. Lanier, member of Child Study club No.

I was elected president, to succeed Mrs. Louis Pitcock. Mrs. Harry Bishop, first vice president, second vice president, Mrs. L. E. White, secretary; Mrs. J. B. Houghton and secretary, Mrs. Carl Clemmer, and corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

May 6 was set for the luncheon affair climaxing the year's work. Mrs. Perlestein, Mrs. O. G. Lanier, Mrs. Roy Wilkes and Mrs. Homer Smith were appointed to compose the foods committee, general arrangements committee, Mrs. John Hassen, and Mrs. J. S. Reynolds. High point of the program came when Mrs. Harry Bishop introduced Mrs. Garvin Chastain, who spoke interestingly on the subject, "The School Apart of Total Community Plan." Francine Hatley gave a piano solo and Mrs. Lee Galley entertained with an accordion number.

At tea time Mrs. Perlestein passed a daintily prepared plate of sandwiches, olives, cakes and coffee.

**H. H. VAUGHN SERVICE STATION**  
NEW BATTERIES ..... \$2.85  
In Exchange and Recharge ..... \$1.00

**Say Drain It!**  
FILL 'ER UP WITH KOOLMOTOR  
the Famous Pennsylvania 2,000-Mile Motor Oil  
**Eual Bryan**  
Cities Service Station  
Corner of Strawn and Tiffin Road

**SIMPLICITY PATTERNS**  
Every Pattern Guaranteed  
**HASSEN COMPANY, Inc.**  
Ranger, Texas

**AMBULANCE SERVICE**  
Killingsworth, Cox & Co.  
Phone 29, Night 303-J  
Ranger, Texas  
"Watch Our Windows"

**Phone 4**  
for pick-up and delivery service on shipments via.

**FORT WORTH WAREHOUSE & STORAGE COMPANY**  
Norman Dennis, Agent

**ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES**  
Texas Electric Service Co.

**Chiropractic**  
At this season vitality among people is likely to be at low ebb, anything may go wrong.  
The new Radio-Clast instrument will find the trouble. We are very pleased with its operation.  
**E. R. GREEN**  
Chiropractor  
434 Pine St. Phone 58

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Feed Your Poultry The Best! We Have It!  
**C. W. Blacklock**  
102 South Commerce  
Phone 112

**BATTERY RE-CHARGE \$1.00**  
Texas Service Station  
(At the Derrick)  
Phone 183  
**PENN & MILLS**

**Attendance Contest to Open in Gleasons Sunday School Class**  
A group of Bible students representing the Gleasons Sunday school class of First Baptist church were entertained in the home of

**FLUSH OUT 15 MILES OF KIDNEY TUBES**  
Medical authorities agree that your kidneys contain 15 miles of tiny tubes or filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy.  
If you have trouble with too frequent bladder passages with scanty amount causing burning and discomfort, the 15 miles of kidney tubes may need flushing out. This danger signal may be the beginning of nagging backache, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness.  
If kidneys don't empty 3 pints a day and so get rid of more than 3 pounds of waste, poisonous matter may develop, causing serious trouble. Don't wait. Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, which have been used successfully by millions of people for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help to flush out the 15 miles of kidney tubes. Get Doan's Pills at your druggist.

**REMEMBER ME ON THAT TANK OF GAS OR OIL**  
TEXACO GASOLINE  
TEXACO OIL  
HAVOLINE OIL  
Germ-Processed Conoco Oil  
Double Refined, Tough Film  
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**AL TUNE**  
New Highway  
Just North of Main St.

Your Hauling and Moving Problems  
Handled by  
Trained Draymen  
**BROWN'S TRANSFER & STG. CO.**  
Phone 48 Ranger

**A VERY CAREFUL DRIVER**  
You may be a very careful driver, but what about the other fellow? Don't overlook the very important item of Collision Insurance and Public Liability Insurance. Delays are dangerous.  
**McRae Insurance Agency**  
Gholson Hotel Ranger

**The Most Convenient Place in Town to Get Your**  
—DRINKS  
—TOBACCOS  
—MAGAZINES  
—DAILY PAPERS  
**Post Office Confectionery**  
George Parsons

**IT PAYS TO LOOK WELL!**  
Try us for your next Haircut, Shave, Shampoo, Massage, and all kinds of scalp treatments.  
**GHOLSON BARBER SHOP**  
L. E. GRAY, Owner

**FREE! NEW Mc-CALL STYLE NEWS**  
Ask For Yours At  
**JOSEPH DRY GOODS Co.**  
Ranger's Foremost Dept. Store  
206-10 Main Street Ranger

## Musketeer Wins Queen's Lady



Walter Abel, able Broadway actor, as the fiery d'Artagnan, wins the hand of Constance, lady-in-waiting to Queen Anne of France, after a tempestuous romance when France was at the mercy of political scoundrels, according to the brilliant novel of the time by Alexandre Dumas, "The Three Musketeers," now brought to the sound screen for the first time by RKO Radio, currently showing at Arcadia Theatre.

Mrs. Jessie White, 408 Strawn highway, Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. White had as her joint hostess Mrs. A. N. Broadford.

The short business session presented the topic of an attendance contest which opens this coming Sunday. The plan was enthusiastically approved by the members and gives promise to much activity during the next several weeks.

As the social period came, Mrs. M. O. Attebery, social chairman, introduced a group of entertaining games which were followed with the serving of a delicious refreshment plate of fancy sandwiches, moulded in the shape of Easter bunnies, salad, cookies and ices.

The pastel color motif was used in plate arrangement and house decorations.

Those attending the pleasant get-together were: Meses. E. B. Melton, Chester Rogers, W. A. Lewis, Guy S. Quinn, Jr., Hugh Russell, Wesley Franklin, George Faircloth, Con Hazard, R. O. Bunker, T. B. McQuerry, M. O. Attebery, John Tibbles, hostess, Mrs. White and Mrs. Bradford.

**Spend Day in Fort Worth**  
Meses. Weldon Webb, J. B. Houghton, E. V. Ingram, and R. A. Williams, spent Wednesday in Fort Worth.

**Gwendolyn Tunnell and Johnny Mae Gables**  
**Winners in Junior Spelling**  
Gwendolyn Tunnell and Johnny Mae Gables were winners of first place at the interscholastic meet at Cisco last week in the sub-divisions of junior spellers. They are pupils of Miss Ruth Shirey, teacher at Hodges Oak Park school.

**Visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. O. King**  
Mrs. T. L. Parks and young daughter, Billie Byrellene, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Parks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. King Sr. Saturday afternoon a party will be given in celebration of young Billie Byrellene's birthday. Their visit will extend through this month.

**Tom Rawls Improved Following Confinement**  
Tom Rawls, who has been confined to his home for the past week with a bad case of influenza, was reported this morning to be resting more comfortably.

**Classes to be Added to Federal Adult School**  
Mrs. Christina Mills announces the opening of new classes at tonight's federal adult school. Penmanship, with supplies furnished, is to be offered along with business spelling and general education. Those interested are asked to report for class from 5:30 to 8:30 o'clock. Ranger adult teachers will present a play for adult teachers of Eastland county at the high school Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock. The general public is invited and there is no admission charge.

## Political Announcements

The Times is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for offices, subject to the Action of the Democratic Primaries:

**For Judge 91st Judicial District:** GEORGE L. DAVENPORT

**For Criminal District Attorney:** EARL CONNER, Jr.

**For District Representative, 10th District (Eastland and Callahan Counties):** T. S. (Tip) ROSS

**For District Clerk:** P. L. CROSSLY

**For County Judge:** T. L. COOPER, W. S. ADAMSON, W. D. R. OWEN

**For Sheriff:** STEELE HILL, LOSS WOODS, A. D. CARROLL, G. W. (DICK) RUST, A. D. (RED) McFARLANE, J. W. (JESS) NOBLE

**Tax Assessor and Collector:** CLYDE S. KARKALITS, C. H. O'BRIEN

**For County Clerk:** TURNER COLLIE, R. L. (Bob) DAVENPORT

**Commissioner, Precinct 1:** HENRY V. DAVENPORT (Re-election)

**Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2:** J. F. MITCHELL, J. N. McFATTER (re-election)

**Constable, Ranger Precinct:** L. J. "Slim" HARDIN

## Rev. Bowman Is Revival Preacher; Negro Group Sings

By Dr. L. B. Gray  
People were guessing last night when the presiding minister announced that an unusual feature would be presented before the sermon. After Roy Moore had led a stirring song service, a quartette of colored people sang in their quaint and attractive way three religious numbers reminding us of old plantation melodies in a spiritual setting. The last song, "Steal Away," brought forth from the ministers and others some hearty amens. The people listened, and enjoyed their music.

These meetings are doing worlds of good for those who attend. It is true that the revival idea is much abused today by two classes of people. Some make too much of it, and others too little. To one class there is no religion outside some spasmodic emotion generated in times of religious excitement. Their faith has no force beyond this passing passion. They know no form of religious culture. The ordinary and continuous ministrations of grace are not regarded as satisfying at the expense of the dramatic. In the other class are those to whom these periods of religious fervor seem fanatical. They do not hesitate to tell you so. They are moderate in all things. "Sound churches" they are, who will have no heat or excitement whatever. Religion is life, but simply means a certain amount of reverence and humble worship on the Sabbath and very practical holiness the rest of the week. Between these two classes we find a large body of devout worshippers who place the proper emphasis on revival effort. They recognize the great value of special seasons; that every age has its revival. Ebb and flow are the order of the universe. In nature the icy mantle of winter is laid aside for the budding robe of spring. Literature has its renaissance. The dark ages is but the rich soil from which sprang the Reformation in literature and religion. Revivals are the divine order. They come from God. Usually through men. Luther, Wesley, Moody, Torrey, Jones, Sunday preached, and revivals followed. It should be so here in Ranger. What a beautiful spirit of cooperation and joyous Christian fellowship. Among the leaders we hear no word of criticism. "With one accord, in one place."

Last night Rev. T. E. Bowman preached on "I will arise and go to my Father." He portrayed the age-old and ever new story of the Prodigal Son, the young man going away from God. The Father's love that followed into the far away land. The hogs, the husks, the hunger, the rags and tatters, resulting from sin. Then the return of reason, when the man came to himself, God's remedy for sin, all were passed before us in this drama of human life. The resolution, expressed in the thought, "I will arise and go." As the minister spoke the audience was moved. Certainly there were some who made the decision to go to the Father's house. We all wanted to get closer to God, and to live for Him.

The parable of the Prodigal son was one of a group of three parables spoken to three distinct classes of people, and all were spoken for the same purpose. There were first of all the disciples. They were soon to go out and preach the Gospel. To them it was a parable of faith. Then there were the publicans and sinners, the great masses of the people who were despised by the leaders of that day. To them it was a parable of hope. Then there were the Pharisees and the Sadducees, the critics of all that Christ undertook to do. To them it was confusion. The evident purpose of all three of these parables was to teach that down deep in the heart of God is a hunger for the prodigal's return, and that down deep in the heart of the prodigal was a hunger for God and home.

The lessons brought out of the parable were that both God and man are concerned about the sinner. That is lost if it has value to us. The young man went away on his own volition. He was not driven away from his father. "He wasted his substance." The sinful life is a drifting life. The lost soul is like a ship on a stormy sea without chart or compass. It drifts. The sinful life is a wasteful life. God endowed us with the capacity for things worth while. Sinful living is a wasteful use of these powers. The sinful life is a disappointing life. An immortal soul cannot feed on husks and be satisfied.

The young man was awakened to his situation. In his dire poverty and shame he began to think. It is a tremendously important hour in any one's life when God can get him to think. His thoughts ran backward. His Father's kindness and a home of plenty broke his heart. Then he said, "I will arise and go to my Father." And he went. This is repentance, to turn your back on your old life and your face toward the great Father of our spirits. The Father was waiting for him and received him gladly and gave him a son's place in the home again. That is God. He watches from the battlements of glory for the first sign of a sin-

## Soft Ball Diamond Location Selected

A group of soft ball enthusiasts met at the proposed site of the lighted field Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 and selected the layout for the diamond. Work on preparing the diamond is expected to start either Friday or Saturday. The lighted field is to be located

## Elks to Install Officers Friday

Grand officers and members of the Ranger Elks lodge will go to Cisco tonight to install officers of the Cisco lodge.  
On Friday night the grand officers of the Cisco lodge will visit the Ranger lodge to install the following officers:  
Jack Carothers, exalted ruler.  
Dr. W. L. Downtain, exalted leading knight.  
H. C. Kelley, exalted loyal knight.  
W. H. Brown, exalted lecturer.  
W. A. Leith, secretary.  
Walter Cash, tiler.  
J. A. Heister, chaplain.  
Dr. H. A. Logsdon, treasurer.  
J. A. Sloan, trustee.  
P. E. Moore, esquire.

## Just a Bit Personal

Miss Alvie Sumrall of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

**ARCADIA**  
LAST TIMES TODAY  
**THE THREE MUSKETEERS**  
with Walter Abel, Paul Lukas, Len Keith, Heather Angel, Ralph Forbes, Raymond Fitchet, and others  
Plus BAND ACT  
NEWS

## TIRES on TIME!

Budget Plan Terms That Will Suit You on Goodyears—all Types

**GOOD YEAR PATHFINDER**  
World's First-Choice Economy Tire

NEW 1936  
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COOL CLEAN COMFORTABLE  
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AS LOW AS  
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0—LODGE NOTICES

6—STATED meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & M., Thursday, April 2, 9:00 p. m. Examinations in all degrees. Masonic temple telephone No. 53. Visitors welcome.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

I WILL pasture a few cattle and horses. John Tibbles.

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