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## SENATE UNABLE TO AGREE ON SURPLUS TAX

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The senate finance committee, unable to make headway on a corporate surplus tax substitute, today studied modification of the proposed "windfall" tax on uncollected AAA processing taxes. The committee indicated a favorable attitude toward changes suggested by witnesses, who contended the tax as contained in the House draft of the \$803,000,000 bill would unfairly penalize processors.

## 30 Are Injured In Dock Strike In New York City

NEW YORK, May 16.—More than 30 persons were injured today in a fight which followed attempts of mounted police to break up a picket line of striking seamen on the Hudson river waterfront at the liner, Virginia, sailed for California.

According to police some of the pickets at the head of the line of 2,000 men and women, pushed into the line of mounted police, then the police bore down on the pickets, who fled.

## Seniors of Olden Fete Seniors at Annual Banquet

Seniors of Olden High school were feted by juniors in the annual banquet at the Connellie hotel in Eastland Friday night. John G. Bills, minister of the church of Christ of Eastland, was the principal speaker.

## Affiliation to Alameda Granted

Affiliation to Alameda school for its first two years high school department work has been granted, officials announced Saturday.

## Petition Sets Out Oil Is Produced Contrary to Law

By UNITED PRESS. SHERMAN, May 16.—Alleging violation of the Connally oil control act, the United States Attorney General's department petitioned Judge Randolph Bryant today to issue a restraining order compelling 71,374 barrels of crude oil allegedly produced in the Reddessa field of Louisiana.

## Italy's Governor of Addis Ababa



So confident of taking Addis Ababa were Italian leaders that Giuseppe Bottai (above), was sent to accompany the troops who captured the Ethiopian capital so he might immediately assume his duties as governor of the city. He is said to be the first man of the invading forces to enter the city.

## ARMS SEIZURE AT LAREDO STARTS PROBE

WASHINGTON, May 16.—An investigation into the unlicensed shipment to ship arms and ammunition into Mexico, revealed by seizure of several loads in Texas, was subject to investigation by three departments.

## Thompson to Go to Washington Hearing On Freight Rates

AUSTIN, May 16.—Chairman Ernest Thompson of the state railroad commission, announced today he will attend a conference in Washington Wednesday on continuation of emergency freight rate increases authorized by the interstate commerce commission.

## New Safety Department Head Is 231 Pounds of Husky, Fighting Man

By GORDON K. SHEARER. AUSTIN.—There's 231 pounds of husky fighting man in Col. H. H. Carmichael, who was given the job of harmonizing the Public Safety Department's jealous divisions.

## Roosevelt Earns All Georgia Votes

By UNITED PRESS. ATLANTA, Ga., May 16.—President Roosevelt today won Georgia's 24 national Democratic convention votes without a primary contest against his new deal opponent, Gov. Eugene Talmadge.

## LAST MOVE IN ITALY'S PLANS IS COMPLETED

ROME, May 16.—The Italian senate tonight put its formal rubber stamp of approval on the decrees annexing Ethiopia to Italy, Premier Mussolini turned his attention to the affairs of European neighbors, especially Austria.

## Oklahoma Convict Wounded, Caught

By UNITED PRESS. MALESTER, Okla., May 16.—Jess Cunningham, life term convict murderer, who broke from prison here Wednesday with seven others, was captured today at Antlers, State Prison Warden Roy Kenny announced.

## PWA Is Saved By Presidential Stay

By UNITED PRESS. WASHINGTON, May 16.—The PWA, saved from the new deal's alphabetical junk pile by last-minute presidential stay, planned today to function on a modified scale in the 1936-37 work relief program.

## OLDEN GRADUATION EXERCISES WILL BE CONDUCTED THIS WEEK WITH GOOD PROGRAMS OUTLINED

The annual commencement exercises of the Olden High school will be conducted in Olden on Sunday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week, with the baccalaureate sermon being preached this evening at 8 o'clock.

## That Fourth of July Celebration

The Times believes that every business man in Ranger is sold on the idea of staging a three-day celebration on the second, third and Fourth of July. Saturday being the Fourth this year, it would be the ideal setup for three days of festivities.

## Masons Attend a Meeting at Abilene

Several Masons from Ranger and Eastland attended the Masonic meeting in Abilene Saturday night to see the Thirty-third Degree Team of Dallas confer the Master's Degree in music.

## 91st Court Jury Will Not Be Needed

Ninety-first District Court Judge George L. Davenport Saturday requested that jurors summoned for possible service for the week beginning Monday not to report as a scheduled case has been postponed.

## JUDGE HAL S. LATTIMORE TO BE SPEAKER FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

The Graduating exercises for the Senior class of Ranger High School will be held Monday evening, May 25 at 8 p. m., in the Recreation building. The address will be delivered by Honorable Hal S. Lattimore of Fort Worth.

## Friends of Judge To Rally Monday In His Candidacy

Program for the Eastland County organization of a club to aid Clyde L. Garrett in his candidacy for the 17th Congressional post representativeness was announced Saturday in Eastland by Donald Kinnaird, chairman of the program committee.

## Roosevelt Signs Appropriation Bill For the U. S. Army

WASHINGTON, May 16.—President Roosevelt today signed the peace-time record \$572,500,000 army appropriation bill providing funds for military and non-military activities of the war department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1937.

## Mrs. Lou Handlin Rites Conducted

Funeral services for Mrs. Lou Handlin, 41, who died at the City-County Hospital in Ranger Friday, were held Saturday afternoon from the First Methodist Church of Eastland with the Rev. E. R. Stanford, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Mr. West of Cisco.

## Home Found For "Unwanted Baby"

EL PASO, May 16.—Chubby little Lillian Mae Guy, five-month-old "unwanted baby, found love and affection today in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Grimes.

## Encampment For Clubbers Mapped

An encampment expected to attract 350 to 400 Eastland county 4-H Club boys and girls will be held June 19 and 20, Hugh F. Barnhart, assistant Eastland county agent, has announced.

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## Raymond Henry



He heard 88th district court assess him 50 years Saturday in the alleged ice pick slaying and skeleton hanging of H. L. McBee at Rising Star, May, 1933.

## HENRY HEARS SENTENCE FOR MCBEE SLAYING

Raymond Henry, 25-year-old convicted slayer of H. L. McBee in the hanging slaying at Rising Star May, 1933, Saturday heard formal sentence of 50 years—the maximum for murder—with malice aforethought—pronounced against him by Judge R. W. Patterson of 88th District Court.

## Florida Lash Trial Defendants Freed

BARTON, Fla., May 16.—Judge Robert Dewell, presiding over the Florida lash trials today exonerated former Tampa Police Chief R. G. Tittsworth and Robert Campbell on directed verdicts and ruled out three of four counts against five other policemen defendants.

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## VICE TRIAL AT NEW YORK IS NEARING END

NEW YORK, May 16.—The trunk officer of Charles (Lucky) Luciano's alleged \$12,000,000 vice ring, testified today how he kept a check on girls who failed to report in disorderly houses in which they had been assigned.

## Rev. K.C. Edmonds Will Address Three Graduating Classes

Rev. K. C. Edmonds, pastor of the Olden Baptist Church, will speak before three graduating classes in Eastland county this week. His first appearance as a graduation exercises speaker will be at Morton Valley school tonight, when he will deliver the baccalaureate sermon for the Morton Valley graduating class.

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Ranger Times has Guest Tickets Monday for Mr. and Mrs. Red Perry to see JANET GAYNOR in "SMALL TOWN GIRL" at the ARCADIA Call at Times Office



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Promise of Jobs Seen Coming From Science

A mighty, though silent, fighter against unemployment is the laboratory.

As people watch and take part in the struggle for jobs, the political efforts, the economic, the social, are easily seen. But these alone do not constitute the front line in the fight.

A few years ago, Dr. F. R. Weidlein of the Mellon Institute points out, only three laboratories in this country were working on the problem of finding new uses for old products, and on that of discovering new products.

Today there are 1600 laboratories taking part in those vital quests. Almost every day their discoveries are being translated into terms of new jobs—not necessarily the same jobs that men held before the depression.

The hope lies in the new jobs that arise from making new things which the laboratories are devising.

Take steel, for instance. Steel production today is only about 9 per cent below the record set in 1929. It is as great as it was in 1928; that is, about 50,000,000 tons of ingots a year.

This has been accomplished in spite of the fact that the construction and railroad industries are not as yet buying anything like the quantity of steel they used to buy.

The answer lies in the demand from the automobile industry, and in the demand from industries which were of no importance before the depression, but which have become big users of steel.

The product itself is no longer standardized. Steel isn't just steel any more. It is custom-made today, each lot alloyed especially for a particular use.

Should the normal big users of steel, the construction and railroad industries, return to the market, there is no reason why steel should not employ as many men as it ever did, despite the labor-saving devices of the last four years. If it does, the laboratory must be given due credit.

The United States chemical industry is already the greatest in the world. Yet industries like artificial silk, rayon, sugar, milk products, textiles, automobiles, oil and petroleum, plastics, rubber, and radio are in mere infancy.

Discovery of new uses for products doesn't mean mere displacing of old products and workmen. For it is estimated that only about 15 per cent of production is concerned with absolute necessities. The rest is luxuries or conveniences.

And while there is a definite limit to the amount of beef people can eat (though we have never approached it), there is no limit at all to the amount of luxuries and conveniences we can use. It is from the laboratory that these will come.

Thus, many see in the test tube rays of hope that are not clear on the strictly political or economic horizon.

"Selassie rumored to have shaved off beard to avoid capture by revolting northern tribesmen." Still, maybe aile's enemies aren't easily revolted.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

Illustration of a shark and text: 'CONTRARY TO POPULAR BELIEF, SHARKS DO NOT HAVE TO TURN ON THEIR BACKS IN ORDER TO BITE!' and 'GRAHAM BREAD IS NAMED FOR SYLVESTER GRAHAM, WHO CHAMPIONED THE CAUSE OF UNSOLTED WHEAT FLOUR MORE THAN 100 YEARS AGO.'

The Real Fight Will Be A Pleasure



News From 4-H Clubs of County

The ladies of the Alameda Home Demonstration club met Wednesday, May 6, at the home of Mrs. Claudie Buckley...

CHEANEY

Last Wednesday afternoon the 4-H boys and girls met and held their regular meeting. The women home demonstration club of Alameda met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Ruth Ramey.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

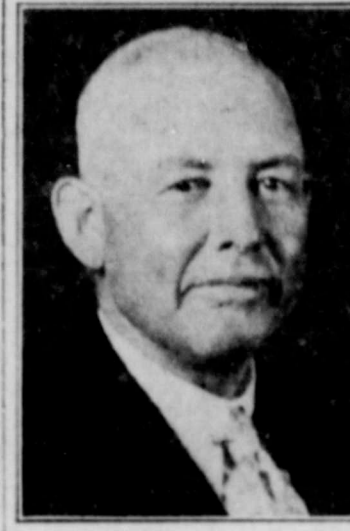
BY MARY E. DAGUE. Do you have plenty of trays in your home? You should have. They help you keep house. If you send a breakfast tray to your house-guest you will have the early morning hours free to do the extra cleaning and baking.

SPECIAL SERVICE BUREAU Room 305, 461 Eighth Ave., New York, N. Y. Enclosed find... cents in coin, for which please send me... copies of "50 DESSERTS," by Sister Mary, at 10 cents per copy.

Mr. and Mrs. Vilbert Kiles of Breckenridge spent Sunday afternoon with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Elrod.

Boy With Broken Neck Sees Movies. HARTFORD, Conn.—Albert Van Buren, 10-months student, who has been in the Hartford Hospital with a broken neck for many months, sees movies three times a week.

W.D.R. Owen's Bid For County Judge Job Is Submitted



To The Citizens of Eastland County: In making my announcement as a candidate for the office of county judge of Eastland county, I realize that the position is one of great importance and the man who is entrusted with the same has great responsibilities resting upon his shoulders.

Though my life has been spent in private pursuits, and though I have never held a public office in my life, I feel that I have become well enough known in Eastland county, during the 42 years since my father brought me here, to enable the people to find out about me in every way.

By HARRY GRAYSON

UNLESS a real chute is installed at Churchill Downs, there is certain to be more bumping such as marred the 62nd Kentucky Derby and beat the highly favored Brevity, thus saving every bookmaker in the country.

THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER. WASHINGTON—Don't strain any brain muscles trying to understand the tax bill in its present form. The measure is virtually certain to be revamped extensively.

Austria's 'Baby' Tanks Baptized

Illustration of tanks and text: 'The hydraulic engineer quoted the following "constructive program" worked out by Arkansas officials to save farmers from the greater ravages of drought, which Hoyt said was applicable generally.'

U. S. Geological—

(Continued from page 1) mands for water are increased. The maximum development and successful use of all natural resources can be accomplished only on the basis of full and reliable information as to water supplies, with special emphasis on drought periods, and in order that this information may be available, it is essential that adequate provision be made for the collection of systematic records of the nation's water resources.

Check So Big He Couldn't Read Figure

By United Press. HOUSTON, Tex.—A check so large that the president "stumbled" over the reading, was received by the Houston School Board "Gentlemen," E. D. Shepherd Sr., began, "we have received from the United States Treasury a check for \$910 and—"



### Legionnaires and the Story of Their World War Experiences



This picture of First Sergeant Heister was made at Amiens, France, in October, 1917.

J. B. HEISTER

The experience of volunteering in two wars for a country that had nurtured and protected him still remains vividly in the memory of First Sergeant J. B. Heister of Company F, Twelfth Railway Engineers. Some of the enthusiasm of early youth seemed to brighten the countenance of the sergeant as he leaned back in his easy chair and began to reminisce.

"My big moment," he began, "came to me on Thursday, November 21, 1917, during the big push on Cambria. The Twelfth Engineers, which included Company F, had been attached to the British Third Army soon after arriving in France. The preceding Day General Byng, as commander-in-chief of the British Expeditionary Forces, began the drive on this German stronghold, which was a part of the famous Hindenburg Line. Some twenty miles of the Kaiser's lines were smashed, his forces driven back six miles, and ten thousand of his crack troops captured. Company F, together with others of the Eleventh and Twelfth Engineers, were immediately ordered into the salient made by the drive. Our mission, on this occasion, was to salvage all railway equipment left by the Germans and to repair the lines. While we were thus occupied, the enemy retaliated with a heavy barrage of both small and big guns and forced back a part of our British combat troops, leaving a deep salient, or pocket, in our lines. We of the Engineers, however, were not aware of the acuteness of our situation until we were face to face with the gray uniforms of the on-coming Germans. Caught without arms (the Engineers ordinarily did not go armed), we fought with whatever we had at hand, where possible, picking up a fallen British comrade's rifle, or getting one from a dead German. An Australian detachment serving with the British, immediately noted our plight, counter-attacked, and drove the enemy back. The experience of having been rescued from the onslaughts of an overwhelming force of the enemy on that occasion proved to be the big moment of all of my experiences in the Great War."

And thus it was that months before the combat troops of America had reached the Western Front in France in 1918, the U. S. Army Railway Engineers had been mobilized, trained, and sent across. The Twelfth Regiment of Railway Engineers (Operating), which had been mobilized at Camp Gaillard, St. Louis, was no exception. And with the Twelfth went Company F and its erstwhile first sergeant, John B. Heister of Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Heister, who at that time was forty-four years of age, was not daunted because of having volunteered and having been rejected in both the infantry and the coast artillery.

The echo of the War to End Wars had reached across the Atlantic, and Uncle Sam had cast his lot with the Allied Forces. At about this time, Marshall Joffre had arrived from France to represent to the American government the urgent need for railway engineering troops to build and operate the extensive lines which were to supply the Allied armies on the Western Front. A recruiting office was thereupon shortly opened at Pine Bluff, Arkansas, and so it was only natural that Heister, together with some twenty-odd fellow employees of the Cotton Belt Railway, should enlist in the engineers. This was in June, 1917, and orders shortly issued were in effect that these recruits should report to Camp Kaillard in St. Louis.

Entraining on July 26, the outfit shortly found themselves at Jersey City, New Jersey, where they embarked on the R. M. S. Carmania. Dropping anchor in Bedford Basin, Halifax, Nova Scotia, the Carmania was shortly joined by the Orana, the Adriatic, and the Orda, which in turn carried the Thirteenth, the Fourteenth, and the Seventeenth Engineers.

"On August 1, 1917, at 6 p. m., the convoy sailed," stated Heister. "On the second day out we were issued life belts, and given our assignments to the life boats and rafts. The alarm signal was sounded at unannounced hours, and many amusing incidents occurred, such as being caught in the shower bath. No feeling of modesty prevented a hasty compliance with the orders, however."

Running the gauntlet of German U-boats, the convoy was joined off the Irish Coast by six British destroyers, which remained with them until they docked at Liverpool, England, on August 17, 1917. The outfit shortly disembarked, and entrained for London. The sight of American troops was something new, under the sun for the Britishers, so after having been received at Waterloo Station by high ranking British officers and the King's own Highlander Bagpipe and Drum Corps, they were passed in review before the King and the Queen of the far-flung British Empire. "And it was only human that we should feel a bit honored," recounted Heister, "for ours were the first foreign armed troops to march the streets of London since the year 1066. During our march through London we often heard the remarks of the British, 'Aren't they solemn-looking blokes,' and 'Ooray for Hamoricus.'"

August 18 found Heister and his buddies of the Twelfth Engineers crossing the English Channel to land at Boulogne, France. They went thereupon to Camp St. Martin, received their helmets, and some additional training in handling the gas mask. The Twelfth was immediately attached to the Third Army of the British Expeditionary Forces, and ordered to entrain at once and move to Roisel on the front. Company F soon took up its position on Montigny Farm, where the post command was temporarily established. At this place the regiment was split up and the various companies sent up and down the front to different camps to operate their designated part of the British railway system.

More or less of inactivity prevailed in the sector occupied by Heister and his comrades until the month of October, when the moving of ammunition, small guns, and supplies to the front in preparation for general Byng's drive on Cambria. It was on this occasion that First Sergeant Heister distinguished himself by performing exceptionally meritorious and conspicuous services and received in recognition a citation from General John J. Pershing, commander-in-chief of the United States Army. Due to his exceptional ability and bravery under fire, Sergeant Heister personally saw to it that all of the valuable railway equipment, including several engines together with other rolling stock and supplies, was removed to the rear to be used later by the Allies. He also, during the same day, took command of some of the troops of Company F in order to repulse the enemy in a hand-to-hand encounter.

This citation, which is in the form of a beautiful gold embroidered certificate, reads as follows:

**UNITED STATES ARMY  
CITATION**  
First Sergeant John Benjamin Heister, Co. F, 12th Engineers  
For exceptionally meritorious and conspicuous services in Cambria, France, American Expeditionary Forces.  
In testimony thereof, and as an expression of appreciation of these services, I award him this Citation.  
Awarded on April 19, 1919.  
(Signed) JOHN J. PERSHING,  
Commander-in-Chief.

In the early winter of 1917, however, snow began falling, and remained on the ground for some time. This meant double duty for the Engineers, since the motor traffic was halted somewhat on account of the slippery roads. It was during the occasion of this snow that Company F lost its first member when Private Andrew Auduchon was killed in a railway accident near Liernourt. The book was closed for Private Auduchon, and his body was given a military funeral the following day in the British military cemetery at Tinécourt.

Christmas, 1917, for the boys of Company F was a lull between the storms. But while they were marking time, rabbits from Australia supplanted turkey as the main item on the Christmas dinner, since Company F was still attached to the British Army.

"But rumors were in the air that Germany was preparing for a big drive," stated Heister, "and incidentally it was the last big drive that they were destined to make. Spring came and the war clouds grew darker and the situation daily became more tense. Information received from German prisoners and results from aerial observations all confirmed the belief that the enemy's big drive was about to be launched. On Thursday, March 21, at 4:30 a. m., the enemy barrage broke forth, and the long expected drive was on. The artillery duel which accompanied it was of a magnitude that dwarfed into insignificance the demonstration before Cambria. The enemy gunners did not confine their fire to the front lines, but searched out mid and rear areas for dumps, camps, roads, railroads, and gun positions. At noon 24 enemy planes came over from the south and 16 from the north, meeting over our camp. They fed us plenty of 'iron rations,' but here again the lucky Twelfth escaped without any casualties. But what a sight lay before our eyes.

"It was late in the afternoon that we learned just how serious things really were up the line. Our medical staff was kept busy all afternoon caring for the wounded. All night of the twenty-first shells were dropping around our camp. Late in the evening the British heavy guns were brought into position behind Tinécourt, so with shells going and coming over camp sleep was impossible. Dawn came and bedlam was still going on. It was becoming impossible to keep our railroad tracks in repair in order to keep the trains moving, while at other places the guns were so close that it was necessary to cease firing while the train passed. The staccato of the machine guns came closer and closer, and at 11 a. m. we received orders to evacuate."

So fortunate for the British forces, the Twelfth U. S. Engineers got away with all of their rolling stock and most of the equipment.

It was during the night of the twenty-first that the doughboys of Company F salvaged nine cars of 18-pounders from the C. Y. No. 9 ammunition dump (which was then burning), and also 26 cars from the C. Y. No. 103 dump. It was on this occasion that Sergeant Heister was assigned the duty of directing the trains that were arriving, both from the north and from the south, in such a manner that would be to the best interest of the British Forces. This particular duty continued under constant shell fire and at the mercy of the enemy's bombing planes from 4 p. m. of the twenty-second to 8 a. m. of the twenty-fourth.

The Allied Forces, including Company F of the Twelfth Engineers, found it expedient to retreat back to Wiencourt and thence to Terramiani, where defense trenches were dug in anticipation of the oncoming Germans. This was to be the last line of defense for the British forces. While here, Company F was billeted in barns and haylofts, where a little bit of rest and sleep, in spite of the rats and chickens, was indeed welcome.

Railway work in between rest periods at Woirel engaged the engineers until about the middle of May, 1918, when Heister and his buddies were informed that the regiment would soon be detached from the British forces and moved south for duty on the American front. It was on this occasion that the Thirty-third and Thirty-fifth Divisions of the American Expeditionary Forces moved in the lines, which were the first combat troops from America that the veteran doughboy engineers had seen.

On July 24 the regiment boarded the train at Oisemont for Southern France to join the American forces and operate the light railway system in the Toul sector. Arriving at Baccarat, the regiment was again split up, Company F together with First Sergeant Heister going to Menil la Tour. The American preparation to pinch out the salient on the St. Mihiel front was progressing rapidly, and the engineers assisted in every way possible by installing ammunition, water, and ration spurs. The St. Mihiel offensive took place on the morning of September 12, 1918, and was a success from the very start. This was the first major offensive of the American army. The Twelfth Engineers' mission in this drive was to operate a total of 500 square miles of military railways in the war zone.

"As the offensive started," quoted Heister, "our doughboys pushed the enemy back, and at each push our engineer troops rushed up and joined our lines (tracks) with that of the enemy, each being of the same gauge. At Thincourt (which had been headquarters for the German light railway) our company again received a baptism of 'iron rations.' The Huns were pushed so hard and fast that they failed to get away with all of their engines, leaving six in the Thincourt yards. When we went in to salvage these engines, the Germans had trained their big guns on them and tried to destroy them before we could get them out. But we finally succeeded in our mission, even though Fritz did make it a bit unpleasant."

The big drive on the German city of Metz was under preparation by the Allied high command when at 11 a. m. on November 11, 1918, the greatest war of all times ceased. Sergeant Heister happened to be on a seven-day leave of absence in the city of Aix-les-Bains at the time. "All of a sudden," he stated, "a French band began playing as it marched down the street. And it was only a few minutes before a very informal parade was formed, composed, however, of old and disabled men, feeble women, and the doughboys that happened to be on leave in the city at the time. Tin cans, tubs, and all sorts of noise-makers were in evidence in joyful acknowledgment of the ending of the war.

But the Army of Occupation was to move into Germany, and it became the further duty of the engineers to connect the light railway tracks with those leading into Germany.

Another Christmas was spent in France by the boys of the Twelfth. On February 28, 1919, Order G. 4 S. O. S. calling

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### Librarian Title Taken By Pope

VATICAN CITY—Pope Pius XIth has proved once more that notwithstanding his 79 years he is one of the most active pontiffs that has ever occupied the golden throne of St. Peter's.

With the death of Cardinal Erbe in 1934, the post of librarian of the Holy Roman Church was vacant. Vatican officials who asked his Holiness as to be surprised to hear the answer: "There will be no need for a new librarian. From now on I will occupy that post!"

The Pope thus broke a tradition which for ages saw a cardinal occupy the post of Vatican librarian. The Pope is a bookworm and has had plenty of training in the difficult task of keeping a library in good shape, he is even as vast as that of the Vatican. He was librarian of the famous Ambrosiana Library of Milan in 1907 when he was only Father Achille Ratti.

During those days the present pontiff used to invite all the members of the Milanese library to a picnic which was held in the suburbs of the city once a year. The Pope's first step as librarian of the Catholic church was to donate the books of his private collection to the Vatican library. The pontiff's collection consisted principally of important old volumes treating with theology, philosophy and history of the Catholic church.

### Negro's Life Saved Because He is Late

HOUSTON.—Lucius Green, negro, was late in moving into his new home, and was "thankful" for it.

The house was blown down during an early morning storm. Green arrived in the afternoon with a load of furniture, ready to move in. He stood amazed for a minute.

"Sure glad I was late," he said. "That would have scared me to death."

Gerlach came from Crockett, a distance of almost 100 miles, on foot in 1877. His possessions consisted of the clothes he was wearing and \$2.50 cash.

Five years later, he established a general merchandise store which he operated 46 years. He retired eight years ago, but he still holds interests in farming land, oil property and timber.

Gerlach maintains an office to which he spends the major part of every day.

### Pioneer Walked to Livingston When Town Was Settled

LIVINGSTON, Tex.—C. J. Gerlach, 82, retired merchant, claims to be the only pioneer who walked to Livingston 59 years ago when the town was being settled.

Early settlers moved into this section by wagons drawn by oxen, horses and oxen, and on horseback.

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### How Does a Pill Know Where to Go?

When you take medicine, it goes everywhere, so some is bound to reach the right spot.

Your problem is to know who to go for your medicine. That's why we keep reminding you our prescription department.

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### Trades Day Is Next Tuesday; Rodeo Is Featured

Another good rodeo is promised Tuesday afternoon when the Ranger Trades Day will be with new stock being furnished to the rodeo.

Herrington, who has furnished much of the stock which has been used in the previous rodeos such as, as just returned from Texas, where he purchased purebred Brahma calves to use in the roping contests.

Although some of the fastest horses and goats ever roped at a rodeo have been furnished by the trades day rodeo, these horses have now been purchased and are expected to be even faster and to furnish more sport and entertainment than ever.

In addition to the big rodeo the regular trades day features will be presented in the afternoon, another large crowd expected to be present.

### Soft Ball Team Managers to Meet

J. Kelly, president of the Ranger Soft Ball league, has called a meeting of all the team managers for 7 o'clock Monday afternoon in the office of the chamber of commerce.

All managers of teams, and those who contemplate entering the league, but who have not done so yet, have been urged to be present at the meeting so the schedule can be arranged and other matters taken up for consideration.

### Bond of \$200,000 for Karpis' 'Host'



His bond set at \$200,000 on a charge of harboring Alvin Karpis, imprisoned gang leader, Fred Hunter is shown above, handcuffed, handkerchief at his face, after his arraignment in New Orleans. Hunter, alleged former minor Ohio gangster, and a woman were taken into custody by G-men when Karpis was captured.

### C of C Directors Will Meet Monday

Hal H. Hunter, president of the chamber of commerce, has called attention of the directors to the regular meeting to be held at the office of the secretary Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

All directors have been urged to be present as important business matters are to come up for consideration. The matter of a Fourth of July celebration for Ranger is also to be brought up at the meeting and all interested in the movement have been invited to be present.

A meeting of the managers of the softball teams is to be held at 7 o'clock, prior to the directors' meeting.

### Rev. Hugh Blair to Conduct Services At Central Baptist

Rev. Hugh Blair, county Missionary of the Cisco Baptist Association, will preach at Central Baptist church today at both the morning and evening services.

Rev. H. H. Stephens is attending the Southern Baptist Convention in St. Louis and will return to Ranger the middle of the week. Announcement was made yesterday by officers of the church that the annual revival would begin the first Sunday in June with State Evangelist C. Y. Dossey doing the preaching.

### Exide Battery Co. Frigidaire Agency

The Exide Battery Company, of which J. S. (Spud) Reynolds is the proprietor, is now the local agency for Frigidaires, with the company selling these mechanical boxes in this section.

The latest models in these refrigerators are now on display at the Exide Battery Company offices, Commerce street, where they may be seen.

### Rat Ties Up Dallas Traffic Five Minutes

DALLAS.—It was the "daring young rat on the flying trapeze" at Dallas, when an intrepid rodent tied up traffic for more than five minutes crossing a wire between two telegraph poles near the business district.

Onlookers in street cars, automobiles, and one foot, held their breath as the rat swayed dizzily from side to side and almost fell twice.

Many cheered as Ronny Rat descended the pole and ran away rapidly.

### A Sensational New Screen Couple



Popular Janet Gaynor and M-G-M's sensational "find," Robert Taylor, make up what is considered the film's most perfect couple. The two are co-starred in Ben Ames Williams' story of a chaotic runaway marriage, "Small Town Girl," which is now playing at the Arcadia Theatre for two days.

### Dream of Tahiti Idyll Shattered



Tahiti, their wonderful land of dreams, became a land of disillusionment to Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hogan, shown here as they arrived in San Francisco on their way back to Pontiac, Mich. The Hogans, with Mr. and Mrs. Merrill D. Walls, were principals in a double wedding, the four then leaving for the South Seas. "It was a paradise, but cash is necessary even in a paradise," explained the Hogans.

### Judge Lattimore

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one of the most original and vigorous personalities in the state, and a speaker of outstanding ability.

The Baccalaureate service for the High School and Junior College will be held on Sunday evening, May 24 at 8 p. m., in the Recreation building. Rev. J. Stuart Pearce, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Cisco will preach the sermon.

Rev. Pearce is a native Texan whose ancestors had much to do with early Texas history. His family was represented at the Declaration of Independence, in the battle of San Jacinto, and helped in the forming of the Republic. He grew up near San Antonio and has spent many years association with the pioneers who helped shape those early days. He has collected quite an amount of data and unpublished stories of great historical value.

In this Centennial year it is fitting indeed to have this man preach the Baccalaureate sermon for the graduating classes of the high school and the junior college.

### Convicts To Undergo Psychiatric Scrutiny

LANSING, Mich.—A system of psychiatric examinations for Michigan prison inmates about to receive paroles is being considered by the state prison commission.

Parole Commissioner Joseph C. Armstrong, advocate of the plan, believes that many inmates eligible for parole have records that indicate they might commit crimes if released. He said a psychiatric classification of all inmates of state institutions might help prevent "atrocious crimes."

### Cafe Owners Worry Over Crow Requests

By United Press

TOLEDO.—Dr. Blaine I. Talbot, president of the Ohio Crow Hunters' Association seems to have Ohio restaurateurs worried.

Shortly after introducing crow as a culinary delicacy at a banquet in a Columbus hotel, he received this appeal from the maitre d'hotel:

"Since your meeting we have had several requests for crows in our dining room. We shall appreciate it if you can let us know where we can buy crows and about what the price will be."

4-H CLUB ANIMALS INCREASE

AMES, Ia.—Animals of Iowa 4-H club members enrolled in dairy calf clubs of 96 counties increased \$43,563 in value during 1935, it was disclosed by Iowa State College statisticians.

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# ON TEXAS FARMS

Texas farmers and ranchmen are now engaged in making out work sheets and planning their 1936 cropping under the new Soil Conservation program. Stretch your imagination as to what kind of conservations are going on around the farm home tables of Texas. Don't you think they are something like this?

"Papa," the mother of the family is saying, "don't forget when you make out that sheet on the cropping plan for 1936 that the Extension Service says we will need 20 bushels of corn per person to feed the chickens and pigs and other critters we used for food—I mean 20 bushels allowed for every person in this family that has to be fed. Now don't you forget that. You have to figure out how many acres it will take to give us that."

"And we need an acre of garden for the whole family, too. We never have had an acre of garden, but we could have. And you know we have never had enough potatoes, and peas and beans to last us all winter either. This year we can raise them and learn how to store them, and they will be a big help to us. Besides that, I want some herbs like my grandmother use to have. They have to have a place that doesn't get plowed up every year, and if we have an acre of garden we can have a place in there. And we can have an asparagus bed, too, that does not get plowed up. And we need 70 bushels of corn for every work critter we have."

"Ma," the head of the family never says, "You know we never have fed old Beck any 70 bushels of corn in a year. What is the use of putting it down now? Might get some money from the government for that land if we don't plant it in corn."

"No, you won't either," the lady of the house can reply. "You just as well plant it for old Beck because the county agricultural agent came before our home demonstration council and told us the government was not going to pay any farmer for any land that he took out of corn if his work stock and his folks didn't have enough. And the government don't think you've got enough unless you've got the 20 bushels for every person like I was talking about, and 70 bushels apiece for each head

of work stock.

"I tell you what you can get money for, Papa, and that is if you plant me a nice pretty grass lawn all around the house, you can get paid for that the same rate you get paid for planting grass in the pasture."

"All my life I've been wanting a lawn. It looks so cool like. And it helps keep the house from being so dirty. And the children don't get their clothes near as dirty if they play on the grass as when they play in the dirt. It makes the washing easier."

"Besides that, everybody that passes the house would say, 'Look at that pretty lawn', like they do when they pass Mrs. Jones' place. Now, her house isn't a bit better than ours, but it looks a lot better because she has that lawn around it that looks like a great, green, velvet carpet."

"Papa, when you sign up that cropping plan with the county agricultural agent, sign up for an acre of lawn around the house, won't you please?"

## Allred is Praised as Good Will Envoy

DALLAS.—Newspapermen who rode the Centennial Special Train on its thundering tour through the east and north enthusiastically praised Gov. James V. Allred as the Ambassador of Goodwill for Texas.

One well known newspaperman said: "Jimmie Allred was the sparkplug of the trip. With 39 speeches, including radio speeches in every city and two or three in some, plus four radio talks over national hookups, he set a terrific pace. The governor literally won friends for Texas by the hundreds of thousands. Whether they were tycoons of industry or the men on the streets, Jimmie sold them on Texas."

W. M. McIntosh, publisher of the San Antonio Light, expressed his opinion that millions of people would visit Texas during the summer and fall.

"Governor Allred rendered a real service to Texas by heading the delegates," he said. "Everywhere he went he made friends for himself and his state. I doubt if any national figure today was more photographed and interviewed in such a short space of time as was the governor."

"In New York, a battery of 14 cameramen were almost constantly on hand on shoot his picture. The parade through the streets of New York was viewed by hundreds of thousands."

The publisher said the greetings were just as warm in Cleveland, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City.

"The people en masse are definitely interested in Texas as a result of this tour and millions are coming to visit us with many of them planning to become residents of this state," he added.

## DUST BLASTS EXPENSIVE

HARRISBURG, Pa. — Dust explosions are blamed by state officials for 380 industrial plant fires during the past eight years in which 308 persons perished and property damage exceeded \$34,000,000. The explosions were of the type that firing frequently are blamed for the firing of barns.

## FINGER IN FAN WON'T HURT



"Ooh, gee, I can put my finger in this fan without getting hurt," says the youngster shown above. Introduced by Montgomery Ward, this new fan has flexible rubber blades which make it perfectly safe in the home or office. And it stirs up a strong breeze, too.



## Legionnaire Experiences—

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for mobilization of the regiment to return home was issued. Arriving after several days' travel in sixty Yankee box cars at Borg sur Sirene, which was a beautiful little village with winding streets reaching back from the river to the cliffs in the foregrounds, the outfit spent a period of some twenty days in this area. Finally on April 14 the regiment embarked on the ship Cape May which was anchored in the Gironde River, and after 13 days landed in the lower New York harbor. Going thence to Camp Upton, the regiment was broken up in small detachments, Company F being ordered to Camp Pike, Arkansas, where First Sergeant John B. Heister, together with his buddies, was given an honorable discharge from the Army of the United States.

There is no doubt but that a book could be written covering the interesting experiences of this veteran. Novel situations that he will long remember also have been stamped in his mind's eye. On one occasion just after some 12,000 German prisoners had been captured by the Allies at the battle of Mount Sec, Sergeant Heister, being a fluent speaker of German, was detailed to spend ten days as an interpreter in one of the large prison camps.

Letter from General Byng, commander-in-chief of the British Third Army, commending the services of the Twelfth Engineer Regiment, reads as follows:

Headquarters, Third Army, B. E. F., 29-11-17.

My Dear Colonel: Now that the Third Army offensive has reached its limit and the normal trench warfare has been resumed I would like to take the opportunity of giving you a short appreciation of the services that you and other transportation officers have rendered to myself, my staff and all combat and administrative branches of the Army.

The essence of the operation was secrecy and speed, and I can assure you that never was more thorough secrecy better obtained than in your preparations for the twentieth of November and never speed so greatly developed as in the work of your Department since that date.

It remains for me to thank you and other Transportation Officers for their co-operation and response to my call, which I do with the very deepest sincerity.

Yours sincerely,  
(Sgd) J. BYNG, General.

Lt. Col. J. A. S. Gray, D. S. O.  
A. D. G. T. (III).

Assuming the record to be the criterion, no truer or more loyal citizen ever donned the uniform in the defense of his country. Being a German by extraction, he is the more honored for having fought for his own country against those of his own blood. Having played semi-professional baseball, and also having been an honored member of the famous aerial team of acrobats of Barnum and Ringling Shows, gave Mr. Heister an outlook on life that proved invaluable to him in the military service. It was during a visit to Walnut Ridge, Arkansas, that Heister received the news flash of the sinking of the Maine, and the forthcoming declaration of war against Spain. He forthwith enlisted and served his country honorably in the American army from April to December, 1898. He thereupon returned to Walnut Ridge, became married to Miss Jessie Montgomery, to which union two children, George M. and Mary G., were born. Mrs. Heister died in 1907, at which time Mr. Heister was in the service of the Missouri Pacific Railway.

After the cessation of the World War, Sgt. Heister received an offer from his war-time captain to come to Ranger and work for the Jake Hamon Railway, which was then under construction. In December of 1920, he became married to Mrs. Hattie May Bearden of England, Arkansas. Since that time Sergeant Heister and Mrs. Heister have resided continuously in Ranger, where for a number of years he has been in the employ of the Wichita Falls, Fort Worth & Southern Railway.

His many friends in Ranger and Eastland County recognize in him the sterling qualities that make their indelible stamp upon a real citizen and a true soldier. So as the shadows of his reeling years fall gently upon his three score and three years of useful life, may the recollections of those years well spent in useful toil bid him to many more years of joyful living.

First Sergeant J. B. Heister of Company F, Twelfth U. S. Railway Engineers of the American Expeditionary Forces, we salute you and bid you God-speed.

## Town Orders Beards For Pioneer Fete

CENTRALIA, Wash.—Against the women's wishes, Centralia men will wear whiskers before and during the city's annual Pioneer Days celebration, Aug. 7-9.

Objections voiced by the women were that the beards look bad. The celebration committee submitted a referendum when the question was disputed and the vote was 280 in favor and 270 against. The men must let their beards grow or pay a fine.

## RADIO FOR AMBULANCES URGED

VICTORIA, B. C.—Ambulance chasers, who by the use of short wave radio sets are enabled to arrive on the scene of an accident as quickly as the police, are to be put out of business. An Insurance Act now pending in Parliament requires all damage claims to be negotiated by a recognized attorney.

To give other ambitious gangsters a chance, maybe Alvin Karpis should be made Public Enemy No. 1 emeritus.

## Loving County Sets A Unique Record

PECOS, Texas.—When Loving county, youngest of the state's 254 counties, lost its distinction of being the only county in the state which had never sent a man to the penitentiary, District Judge J. A. Drane and District Attorney W. L. Kerr, both of Pecos, probably set a nation-wide record, one which even they cannot improve on.

Judge Drane has the record of having sentenced the first men in three counties to the state penitentiary, each of them being prosecuted by Kerr. The counties are Crane, Andrews and Loving.

And now that Loving has fallen by the wayside to complete the list of Texas counties, the record cannot be bettered unless another county is organized, an unlikely event.

## SOVIET SHOWS SUPER WAR FILM

LONDON.—The transportation by air of a whole division behind

the enemy lines was one of the sensational scenes in a Soviet film of army maneuvers which was shown privately at the Soviet Embassy here.

## BRONZE TOOLS FOUND MOSCOW

—Many relics of an-

cient culture have been found at the Sochi gold mines along the bed of the Sochi River (on the eastern shore of the Black Sea). They include bronze axes, picks and knives; fragments of gold wire and gilded articles.



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5.25-18.....	10.85
5.50-17.....	11.90
6.00-16.....	13.25
6.00-17 H.D.....	15.90
6.00-19 H.D.....	16.90
6.50-17 H.D.....	18.40
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Polishing Cloth. 15¢ UP		SIZE PRICE	SIZE PRICE	SIZE PRICE
Sun Glasses 10¢ UP	<b>BRAKE LINING</b> \$3.30 UP PER SET	4.50-21.....\$7.75	4.50-21.....\$6.95	4.40-21.....\$5.00
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Screw Drivers, 6" blade 15¢		5.25-18.....9.75	5.00-19.....8.85	4.75-19.....5.92
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# FOLLY and FAREWELL

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### BEHIN HERE TODAY

LINDA BOLLENE, 30, pretty, is left almost penniless by the sudden death of her father, the publisher of a newspaper. Her only asset is a job with DIX CARROLL, but he goes abroad to study acting. When Peter shows Linda to marry him she agrees, but postpones the wedding.

HONEY HARMON, 31st star comes to Newtowa, making a "special appearance" tour, and buys a scenario written by Linda. Later Linda goes to Hollywood and, by executing ideas that are really Peter's, acquires a reputation for being able to discover new stars, soon she is a celebrity.

DIX CARROLL comes to Hollywood and Linda tries to help him. To please Dix, she invites BASTI THORNE, director, to her home though she dislikes and distrusts Thorne. Peter Gardner writes a successful play and comes to Hollywood.

Thorne drives Linda to a mountain resort where the company is to begin work next day. The children fail to arrive. Thorne is troubled with the car and Linda and Thorne are obliged to stay through the night.

Thorne asks Linda to marry him, she refuses.

### CHAPTER XXII

THE next time Linda travelled the road to San Jacinto it was daylight and she was with the players in her company. She would not have recognized the deserted spot where she had been forced to spend the night with Thorne. Sets had been built, cabins made habitable, and now there was action. And she was much too busy to think again of that night.

They remained for nearly a fortnight. Linda heard nothing from Thorne, but the day she returned home he turned up unexpectedly at her apartment.

"I've missed you," he said. He said other things and when he had left Linda had the feeling that he had been trying to force her to say something—what she did not know, but her earlier feeling of disgust awoke again.

However, she had other things to think about. Careers was and was with surprising swiftness in the movie picture business. Linda knew that she had reached the top, but could she stay there? Her contract would be up in two months and her company had no option. Paul Leonhardt had come out from the New York office to head Commonwealth, and changes were in the air. Linda had no reason to think her contract would not be renewed. On the other hand, she knew Leonhardt was bringing out new writers. It was difficult not to worry.

Linda had gone completely bankrupt, she thought unhappily, thrusting the mounting pile of bills back into her desk. She had bought clothes recklessly, had her apartment redecorated, entertained expensively. She was suddenly appalled to realize that she spent more in a week than she had in

months when she lived in Newtowa. Yes, it was necessary to have her contract renewed.

It was not a comfortable time for her. The only reassuring thing was Dix's happiness. He was working in Thorne's picture, and the director liked his work, he had said. She found escape from her own worries, thinking of this and the bright future when Dix would be established and she would be his wife.

She ceased worrying about Thorne in her anxiety over her contract and would have forgotten the incident entirely had she not found herself at Andre Allen's party, discussing the mountain sequence of the picture they had finished making that day.

"I left the day before the last scene was shot," Linda said in answer to some question.

Honey Harmon was in that little group. She stabbed an olive in her glass and said eyes to Linda's face.

"You mean the week before, don't you?" she asked sweetly.

Linda couldn't quite adjust herself. Had that been a slip on Honey's part? It was a week before that she and Thorne...

All manner of things jumbled in Linda's mind. Honey Thorne! Gossip! Thorne's promise or had it been a promise? But Honey and Thorne had not seen each other...

Linda gave up.

"Don't you think it's wonderfully interesting out there?" Honey asked.

"It was interesting making the picture. I don't know anything much about the country around there and had little chance to see it; we worked from six in the morning until midnight."

"It's interesting at night," Honey looked boldly and meaningfully into Linda's face now and spaced her words slowly. "I understand it's thrilling when you're... alone."

THERE was no mistaking her now. Somehow, this girl who hated Linda because Linda had kept Pete Gardner for her long ago, then taken Thorne from her, knew that she and Thorne had spent the night there.

Linda had to know how. She had to find Thorne. She telephoned his home, the studio, his club. At last she learned he was at Santa Monica, and could not be reached. Linda knew that she must discover if he were responsible, and make him stop the rumors.

Perhaps Honey was the only one who knew, and if Honey did talk what weight would her stories carry? Her listeners would be wise enough to know that the gossip was malicious and remember that Linda had been a rival of the be-

loved star on more than one occasion. But if she thought Honey was the only one to talk about her, Linda was mistaken. The girls in Hollywood very soon get to know the girls in Newtowa. Keokuk, Des Moines or any other place where one popular girl, lacking a friend and easy manner, is often mistaken for a snob. Since Linda gave little thought to people who did not interest her, it had not occurred to her that they might have been thinking of her. Or that they would be only too glad to pounce on a fallen angel.

ESTHER ROWELL, the famous old character actress, was one of Linda's best friends, and it was from her that Linda again heard about the night she wanted never to remember again.

"I don't believe a word of it," Mrs. Rowell told her. "For, if it is true that you spent the night with Thorne, I can't imagine the circumstances were accidental and entirely innocent. I don't think you are a fool in any way. And I don't think you have bad taste. Don't make any explanation to me if you don't wish to, but if it isn't true, you must stop it. I've been hearing it about, and it is my impression that Thorne started it himself."

"It isn't true," Linda said through set lips. "And I'm sure it must have come from some other source. I can't imagine Mr. Thorne giving any such information. Why, he has asked me to marry him!"

"Men without principle have been known to do strange things to force ladies to arrive at proper conclusions," Linda couldn't believe that of Thorne. In her code when a man thought enough of a woman to ask her to marry him, he did not jeopardize her reputation.

She got in her roadster and drove to Santa Monica. She found Basti Thorne lurking on the set, and asked him to join her in her car. They drove to a deserted spot, and Linda brought the car to a stop with shrieking brakes. She didn't waste any words.

"Basti, someone knows and has told that you and I spent that night in the mountains. I want you to find out who it is and stop him by denying the rumor."

"So you've decided to marry me?" he asked softly.

Surprised, she turned to look at him quickly. He was smiling.

"Of course not. That has nothing to do with this situation."

"But it has," he said patiently. "Surely you must see it that way. This was few and thinking. A man willing to blacken a woman's reputation to force her into marrying him!"

(To Be Continued)

# Siren of Old

HORIZONTAL

1, 5, 7 Who had the face which launched 1000 ships?  
10 Nominal value.  
11 Shower.  
13 Honey gatherer.  
15 To decorate.  
17 Ozon.  
18 Leaves out.  
20 Brought legal proceedings.  
22 Velvet black.  
23 Exists.  
25 Fence rail.  
26 Preposition.  
27 Father.  
28 Drunkard.  
30 To accomplish.  
31 Wages.  
32 Period.  
34 Blenheim.  
35 Mother.  
37 Hereditary class.  
39 Slides.  
41 Entrance rooms.

43 Northeast.  
45 Cuckoo.  
47 Pussy.  
48 You and I.  
49 To annoy.  
51 Wished.  
54 Sailor.  
55 Consumes.  
57 Stone roller (fish).  
58 To dangle.  
59 She was the wife of...  
60 She was

61 She was carried off by...  
12 The soul.  
14 Theme.  
16 To chafe.  
19 Encountered.  
21 To let fall.  
24 Soda water.  
27 Portion.  
29 Children.  
31 Passageway.  
33 Tissue.  
34 Steeped barley.  
35 Vermilion.  
36 Peel.  
37 Dressed.  
38 Pep.  
40 Mourning Virgin.  
42 Sour.  
44 Gaelic.  
46 Convulsions.  
49 Requirement.  
50 Insight.  
52 French coin.  
53 Musical note.  
54 Greek letter.  
55 Southeast.  
58 Laughter sound.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

WILLIAM EL BORAH  
ROSS BARRY ROM  
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PETER EL LINN  
UTTER LAPSSE  
BRAVE WILLIAM L  
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Vertical

1 Possessed.  
2 God of love.  
3 Group of nine.  
4 Nay.  
5 Sash.  
6 Pine tree.  
7 The... War was fought because of her.  
8 Death notice.  
9 Still.

Lemons for her

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# FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS - By Blosser

YOUR HONOR, MAY I SAY A FEW WORDS?

YES, YOUNG MAN, IF THEY HAVE BEARING ON THE CASE!

MR. TWIGGE VALUES THE MEDICINE THAT WAS REMOVED FROM HIS SHELVES AT ONE DOLLAR!

EXACTLY... AND COOK LEFT ONLY FIFTY CENTS!

YOUR HONOR, EVEN THO THIS BOY DID LEAVE A COIN IN PAYMENT FOR THE MEDICINE HE TOOK, IT WAS NOT SUFFICIENT TO COVER THE COST OF THE MEDICINE !!

THE COIN HE LEFT WAS DATED 1878, AND IF YOU WILL LOOK IN THIS COIN COLLECTOR'S BOOK, YOU WILL SEE PROOF THAT THE COIN IS WORTH MANY TIMES A DOLLAR

THAT SEEMS SUFFICIENT TO COVER THE COST OF THE MEDICINE, MR. TWIGGE, AND TO ASSURE YOU HEAT PROFIT! CASE DISMISSED!

# ALLEY OOP - By HAM

CLIFFSIDE DISASTER VICTIMS RECOVER ALLEY COP AND DINNY, GIVEN UP FOR DEAD, SUFFER ONLY MINOR INJURIES. Astonished Moovians Delirious With Joy.

HEY, GUZ! I GOT GREAT NEWS FOR YUH! COP WASN'T KILLED! JUS STUNNED! HES ALL RIGHT! AN AN DINNY TOO!

HE IS? WELL, NOW AIN'T THAT NICE!

NICE, EH-YEAH! AIN'T THAT NICE!

HMM...

BUT JUS LET TH MUG TRY GITTA CROWN BACK!

# "OUT OUR WAY" - By Willis

WELL, I SEE I GO BACK TO MY OWN LITTLE MACHINE THIS MORNIN'-- THEY DIDN'T EXPECT YOU BACK FOR A WEEK.

WHAT? HAVE YOU HAD YOU ON MY MACHINE WHILE I WAS OFF?

I DON'T KNOW IF THEY DO THAT ON PURPOSE, OR NOT-- PUTTIN' AN APPRENTICE KID ON YOUR MACHINE WHILE YOU'RE OFF TO TAKE SOME OF TH' CONCENT OUT OF YOU!

NO-- THAT'S TO KEEP UP SHOW ATTENDANCE AN' CUT DOWN ON BALL GAME EVEN TH' BULL TH' WOODS COU'NT ENJOY A BALL GAME IF HE SE TH' OFFICE BOY WAS MAKIN' G ON HIS JOB!

THE COME-DOWN

# MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll

I INSIST YOU TELL ME THE MEANING OF THIS MISTERIOUS HASTE.

VERY WELL-- SINCE YOU REFUSE TO TRUST ME... THE ENEMY IS ABOUT TO ATTACK THE CITY IN A FEW HOURS WE'LL BE...

BUT, DOCTOR... WE CAN'T LEAVE NOW. IF THERE'S TO BE A BATTLE, WE'LL BE NEEDED IN HARLEM MORE THAN EVER!

BESIDES, IF YOU ARE SURE OF YOUR INFORMATION, WE SHOULD NOTIFY THE EMPEROR AT ONCE! I'M GOING BACK!

I CAN SEE YOU'RE NOT GOING TO BE REASONABLE.

PERHAPS THIS WILL DEPRIVE YOU OF YOUR REASON!

# 'TAKE A WALK' THREAT FACES BOTH PARTIES

By LYLE C. WILSON  
United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON. — Shadows have fallen on three of the four outstanding national political figures and two of them are suspected of plans to bolt or walk out on the Presidential nominees of their party next month.

The two outstanding Democrats of 1938 are unquestionably President Roosevelt and Alfred E. Smith. The Republican party offers former President Hoover and Sen. William E. Borah. Other po-

litically potent Republicans and Democrats are, nevertheless, no more than prominent members of their respective parties.

A President's control over his own party is sufficient to insure his re-nomination. Mr. Roosevelt will be the Democratic nominee by formal action of the Philadelphia convention on June 25 or June 26.

It is a paradox of politics that neither Mr. Hoover nor Senator Borah is likely to be chosen by the Republicans who meet in Cleveland June 9. The G. O. P. choice probably will be made from among the group of merely prominent men of whom Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas, Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan, and Sen. Frederick Steiwer, of Oregon, are excellent and available examples. The advantage lies heavily with Landon.

**Borah Prospective Bolter**  
The prospective bolters are Smith and Borah. The former has publicly stated the alternatives he

must confront when Mr. Roosevelt is re-nominated. Smith said he would be compelled either "to take a walk" or put on the mantle of hypocrisy. Smith will walk. The question interesting to politicians is with whom he will travel and to what destination.

Smith has been elected a Tammany delegate to the Democratic National Convention. It is understood that his friends are suggesting that he not attend. A convention packed with New Deal enthusiasts probably would give the one-time Democratic idol a bood reception which would tarnish his memory of earlier political triumphs.

But whether Smith goes to the convention and gives physical evidence of his bolt by striding from the chamber or merely refuses to appear, he must decide quickly thereafter to fight or sulk. If Smith decides to fight, he may raise the standard of conservative Democracy and lead a third party

# Dreams of Romps Never to

Between flashes of agony that came to her as the lay on the hospital bed, Little Grace Marie Long confided nurse that "she could hardly wait until she could get up games with her friends." But the child never will rise as she has through 10 happy years. Her right leg was shattered by a fall after it had been cruelly shattered by a fall. Parents, nurse, and doctors waited in dread for the news would have to tell her.

# Youths Don't Want Work Relief Jobs

AUSTIN—Texas youths don't want government work-relief; they want jobs in private employment. And 1000 youngsters have worked themselves off government relief work and onto marginal jobs in private industry, Lyndon B. Johnson, state director of the National Youth Administration, declared today.

"A majority of these youngsters now in the business world received jobs from employers who visited NYA projects and were impressed with the industriousness and ability of the young workers," Mr. Johnson said.

According to a check-up with 20 NYA representatives throughout the state, the youths are paid from \$30 to \$125 per month on their new jobs. Many are serving as sales clerks in stores, as secretaries in offices, and as waiters in cafes.

A large number of the youths have obtained employment on the farms, ranches, and are doing other agricultural work. A few of the young women are now working as housekeepers.

Many youths assigned to NYA work on "pocket-size" parks are now employed by the highway department and by private contrac-

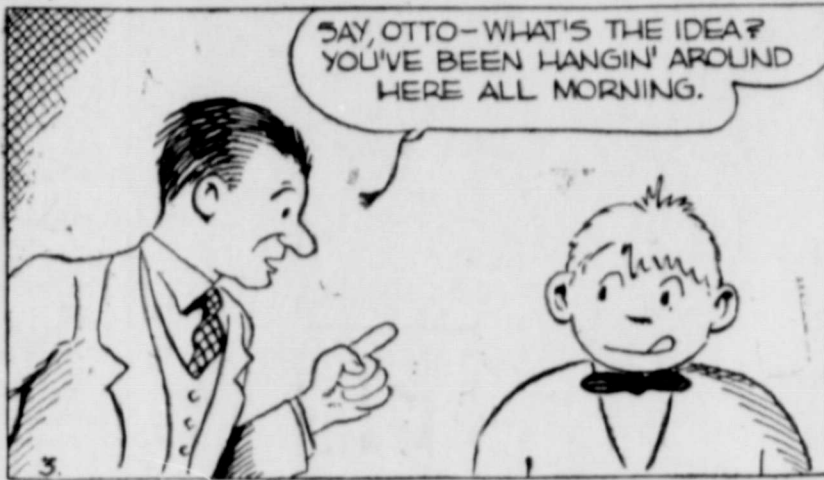
Others have received employment in the oil fields and as radio and general repair men. Some are employed in grocery stores as delivery boys and many are working as office boys.

STATE ENDS TOWN...

By United Press  
EUGENE, Ore.—The way department settled several years standing over the town of Franklin by Franklin or Smith... moving all the Franklin signs. The Franklinites still insist only four... the town desired to be...

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal. Dr. Theodore Jesse Hoover, brother of Herbert Hoover, will retire from Stanford's School of Engineering in June. Seven other members of the faculty will assume the emeritus status at the same time.

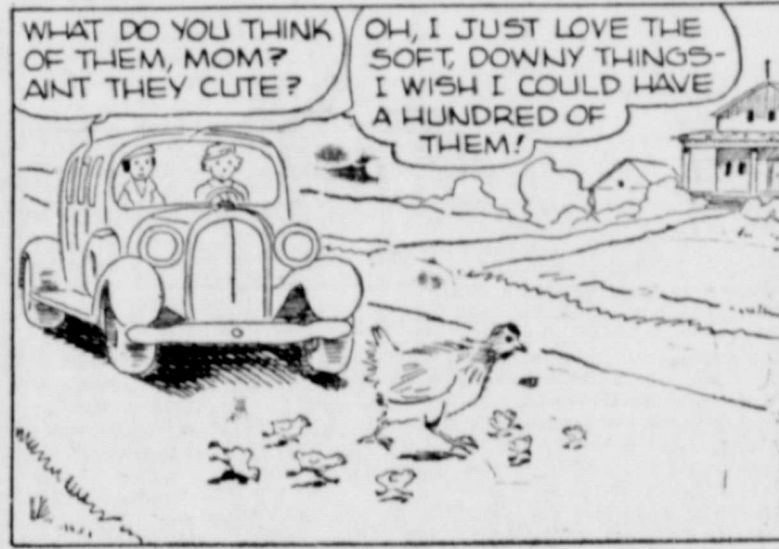
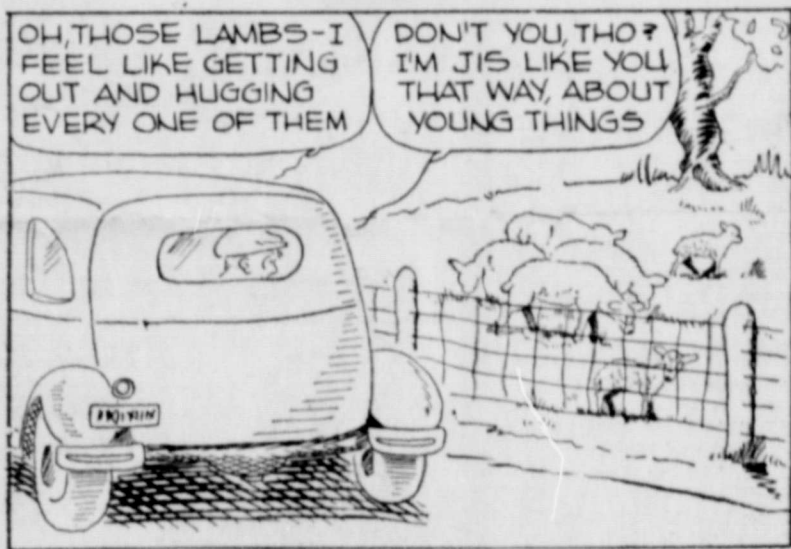




### OUT OUR WAY

### The Willets

### By Williams





# Society

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## Attention in Social Happenings Focused on Junior-Senior Banquet

An event of significance in social happenings for the month took place Friday evening in the colonial room of Gholson hotel, when the juniors of Ranger High school entertained with a delightfully planned banquet honoring the senior class of Ranger High.

ed by the group of students. The passing from high school into college lends a deeper and more satisfying attitude with students, and the affair comes as one of the most outstanding of any to have been held thus far, and they are given each year as annual courtesies.

Gates Barker and response, Stephen Plesiar, tap dance, Margaret Watt, accompanied at the piano by Miss Marjorie Clark; "Tormented Rosetta," Bobbie Lee Toliver, accompanied by Miss Clark; address, Dr. W. L. Jackson; farewell speech, Sammy Ruth Matthews; and closing song, "Eyes of Texas."

## Miss Mary Edlo Davenport To Become Bride of Lee Thompson in Church Wedding, June 3

A bridge luncheon of smart appointments and colorfully arranged in the home of the hostess, Mrs. Joannie Haggans, Spring road, paid compliment to bride-elect, Miss Mary Edlo Davenport, Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, who will on the evening of Wednesday, May 3, become the bride of Lee Thompson at the First Methodist church at 7:30 o'clock.

House decorations were primarily of roses, sweetpeas, and nasturtiums held in bowls of deep blue, matching table service used at each quartette table, centered with sweetpeas. Dainty corsages of pansies marked the place of honor and guests.

The luncheon plate had for second course devil food cake, ice cream and iced tea.

With tables re-appointed in pastel accessories, bridge was played, and Mrs. Troy McCrary made high score, and Miss Mary Edlo Davenport, second high.

## Old-Fashioned Breakfast Stated for Week's Doings

Honoring members of the 1920 Club and their husbands, joint hostesses Mrs. J. M. Gholson and Mrs. Fred Driehofler will entertain with an old-fashioned pioneer breakfast at Scenic Point park

## IN DANCE FLOOR SHOW



Paul and Paulette, adagio team, which will appear as one of the eight attractions at the Trolley Tavern Monday night when Phil Baker and his Arabian Nights Dance Band will be featured. Other floor show attractions include Estelle Martin, fan dancer; Ginger O'Hare, acrobatic dancing and singing; Marjorie Darnell, tap stylist; Polly Blanchard; and Paul Allen, wizard of the tap; Gus Gonzales will be master of ceremonies.

Thursday morning, May 21, at 6:30 o'clock.

## Pioneer Education Topic of Club Lesson, to Present Speakers M. H. Hagaman, and J. M. Williamson, Cisco

Pioneer Education in Eastland County has been chosen as topic for 1920 Club meeting to be held in the Colonial Room of the Gholson Hotel on the afternoon of Thursday, May 21, at 2:30. Principal speakers to be heard are M. H. Hagaman, and J. M. Williamson of Cisco.

## Mmes. Powell, Eudy and Maddocks Presented on Child Study Club Program

The home of Mrs. Saule Perlestein was opened to members of Child Study Club No. 2 Thursday afternoon and a very interesting program was given with participation by Mrs. T. J. Powell on "Spiritual and Cultural Home," Mrs. J. B. Eudy talked on "Maternal Care of the Mother."

Mrs. C. D. Maddocks presided over the installation of officers, and the short business session came prior to the social, during which period the hostess passed a dainty plate of salad, with angel food cake, and iced tea, to Mmes. W. B. Emfinger, M. G. Martin, J. B. Eudy, Z. B. Morgan, Dick Williams, J. B. Houghton, Troy McCrary, Odelle Cole, E. H. Snyder, J. E. Ogg, Lee Galley, Onis Littlefield, Carl Meindin, E. L. Dupree, H. C. Clark, and C. E. Maddocks.

## Visits Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pulley

Doc Pulley, of Trinidad, spent Friday in Ranger visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pulley and infant daughter.

## Miss Locke to Present Piano Pupils

On Tuesday evening, May 19, at 8, at the Central Baptist Church, Miss Anice Locke will present her piano pupils in a recital. A program of classical and sacred numbers will be rendered, lending variety to the program. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to be present.

Pupils taking part in the program are Margaret Jo McCleskey, Dortha Lee Brimberry, Inez Harrell, Dorthy, Mary and Ella Joy Ferris, Barney Smith, Mrs. Harvey Basham, Bobby Ann Buchanan, Metta Mae Woods, W. E. Hallenbeck, Mary Frances Ward, Nona Fae Watson, Mary Irene Wilson.

## Steak Fry at City Park Given for Girl Scouts

A merry time was had by Ranger Girl Scouts Friday afternoon when they gathered at the City Park, and joined in a steak fry, arranged by the counselor, Mrs. Mamie Ruth Haurick.

The steaks were prepared over camp fires and served with hot rolls, fresh tomatoes and potatoes. Games were played during which time Miss Esther Holyfield assisted in the play hour.

There were 32 members present, including a group of mothers, Mrs. Hamrick and Miss Holyfield, and B. H. Peacock, who supervised the building of the fires.

Mrs. Alice D. True in San Angelo Mrs. Alice D. True left Saturday morning for a week-end visit with friends at San Angelo.

Brother of Ranger Woman Seriously Ill Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hightower are home after spending a part of

the week passed at Temple, at the bedside of her brother, Cull Hudson, who is seriously ill. Little hope is held for his recovery.

## Mrs. R. E. Turner Resigned Secretary Treasurer Office

Observing their annual monthly luncheon a bit differently members of the Dorcas Sunday School class of First Baptist church gathered at City Park and prepared the covered dish course.

Mrs. R. C. Carwile called the business session to order and presided over business brought forward. Mrs. R. E. Turner tendered her resignation as secretary and treasurer, after serving very commendably during the term.

Members present for the luncheon, a pleasant social feature, were Mmes. J. G. McGee, J. F. Byas, R. E. Turner, R. C. Carwile, R. B. Judy, Alice Stephens, C. G. Russell and J. F. White.

## Royal Service

A Royal Service program will be entered into by the Women's Missionary Society of First Baptist church, Monday afternoon with the lesson held at the church, 2:30 o'clock.

## St. Rita Altar Society

The above Altar society, meets in the home of Mrs. Morris Leveille, Oddie street, Wednesday afternoon. The lesson will be opened at 3 o'clock and members are asked to be present.

## Tip-Top Club Entertained

The Tip-Top Girls were taken on a picnic to the Olden swimming pool Wednesday afternoon by their sponsor, Mrs. B. F. Blanton, assisted by Mrs. Hubert Mitchell. Later in the evening lunches were spread.

Those enjoying this pleasant event were: Betty Blanton, Huberta Mitchell, Dorothy Campbell, Helen Patterson, Frances Johnson, Dorothy Moseley, June Ann Groggell, Polly Packwood, Fern Allen Meroney; Sponsor, Mrs. Blanton, and visitors, Mrs. Hubert Mitchell, Mr. B. F. Blanton, Bennie and Edna Marie Blanton, Billy Blanton, and Glen Mitchell.

## Make Business Visit to Austin

E. A. Ringold and W. T. Walton left Saturday for Austin, where they are transacting business.

## Visiting Son and Family

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Nelson of Pittsburg, Texas, are visiting in the home of their son, P. A. Nelson, and wife, and young son, Elm street. Their visit will likely extend throughout the week.

## Returns to Ranger for Visit With Husband and Relatives

Mrs. Hall Walker, who has been making her home in El Paso for the past four years is in Ranger for a visit with her husband and mother-in-law, Mrs. Nannie Walker, Caddo highway.

## Spends Past Week With Parents

Newman Lawson of Overton spent the past week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lawson, of 711 South Rusk street. Other visitors in the Lawson home are Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Pesehouse, also of Overton, formerly of Ranger.

## CHURCHES

### CHURCH OF CHRIST (A Friendly Church)

D. W. Nichol, Minister  
Classes meet for study promptly 9:45. Be on time and bring someone with you.

Preaching 11 a. m. Subject, "Disciples Who Go Back." Lesson found in John 6th chapter. Lord's Supper 11:45.

Young People meet 6:45. Robt. M. Love has charge of this work. You will certainly appreciate his keen understanding and sympathy with the needs of the youths of today. Come and visit with these young people in their work.

Preaching 8 p. m. Subject, "An Honest Man." Bring your friends and let us enjoy the study together.

Lord's Supper 8:45. Bible lesson Monday afternoon 3 to 4 o'clock. Lesson 2nd Thess. 1st chapter.

Wednesday evening Bible study 8 o'clock. Lesson 1st Jno. 3rd chapter. Bible questions answered.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

H. B. Johnson, Pastor  
Sunday School 10 a. m., with Garland Montgomery, Superintendent.

Preaching, by the pastor, 11 a. m. Subject, "Whom Having Not Seen, Ye Love."  
Communion just before morning sermon.

Christian Endeavor meets at 7:00 p. m. with Mrs. Pickle in charge. All the young folks should be in this service.

Preaching, by the pastor, 8:00 p. m. This service will be evangelistic.

Study club will meet Monday afternoon, 2:30, with Mrs. Glenn Simons, Bytler camp. All members are urged to be present.

Choir rehearsal will meet Wednesday evening, 7:30, with Hal Hunter in charge. Let all the juniors as well as the grownups be in the meeting.

Let every member of the church be in the Lord's house on the Lord's day. Come and take your share. There is a place for every one in our Bible work. Bring your children, of all ages. They are never in the way in this church.

### CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

H. H. Stephens, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m., Les Taylor, Superintendent. Teachers and officers on time at 9:30. Be on time.

Rev. Hugh Blair of Cisco will have charge of the morning and evening services in the absence of the pastor.

B. T. U. 7 p. m., under Morris Jefferies and J. D. Nichols.  
Monday, 2:30 p. m., the ladies will meet with Mrs. L. L. Bruce, Caddo road, in a Royal Service program. Mrs. Dan Neville will have charge of the program.

Tuesday 7:30 p. m., the Y. W. A. will meet at the church, Mrs. T. J. Anderson, sponsor.

Wednesday 7:30 p. m., prayer service, with E. D. Hicks in charge.

Thursday, 4 p. m., Junior G. A. will meet with Mrs. C. C. Cash.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Walnut and Marston  
G. W. Thomas, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11 a. m. Sermon theme, "Following Christ."

B. T. U. 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.  
W. M. S. Royal Service program Monday at 2:30 p. m.  
G. A. 4:15 p. m., Y. W. A. 7:30 p. m.

R. A., Thursday night at 7:30.

### THE METHODIST CHURCH

E. E. Bowman, Pastor  
Sunday School at 9:45, S. P. Boon, Superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. No service in the evening, pastor preaches Commencement sermon at Olden.

Young People meet at 7:15 p. m.

We hope to make this a great day. We need the presence and hearty support of every member of the church in the services.

W. M. S. meets Monday at 2:30 p. m.

There will be no prayer meeting Wednesday evening.  
Choir rehearsal Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

The District Conference of the W. M. S. will convene here Wednesday, May 20, at 9:30 a. m. We hope all the ladies will attend this meeting.

The pastor regrets that he will have to be absent from the city for a few days this week, attending the Mid-Year meeting of the Conference Board of Missions of which he is secretary. The meeting convenes in Cleburne Tuesday and Wednesday.

## State Evangelist



Rev. C. Y. Dossey, state evangelist of Texas Baptist, who will conduct revival services at Central Baptist Church beginning the first Sunday in June.

result of a natural drift, or tendency. The natural drift is the other way. Cease to cultivate, and the race horse drifts to the bronch; the dog becomes the wolf; the luscious apple turns garbled and sour; oats become thin and wild; the man becomes like a beast. A good man is an achievement. The church helps a man to achieve the best in himself, by God's help. Try it."

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