

THE WEATHER
By United Press
West Texas: Generally fair to night and Tuesday. Rising temperatures north portion Tuesday.

A robber stole \$116 and a radio from a Michigan sorority house. The co-eds miss the money, but they never could hear the radio, anyway.

Water Continues to Rise in Flooded Sections

GRID BANQUET TO BE HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL

Arrangements have been completed to hold the annual football banquet for the Ranger Bulldog football squad in the home economics department of the high school, it was announced today by P. Brashier, chairman of the banquet arrangements committee. The girls of the home economics department will serve the meal. Coach Morley Jennings of Baylor will be the principal speaker at the banquet, at which all squad members of the 1936 team will be honored and a number of fans will be guests. Sweaters will be distributed to the 20 lettermen of the 1936 team at the banquet, Brashier stated today. All details for the banquet had been completed Monday morning, it was stated, but plans had been forwarded to a point where it was expected that this would be one of the best banquets of its kind held in Ranger in many years. It was not known definitely today whether or not Lloyd Russell, singing halfback of the Baylor team, would be able to attend, but it was hoped by the committee that he would be present. Tickets for the banquet were to be sold this afternoon, Brashier stated this morning.

C. L. Smith High In Rising Star Postmaster Vote

RISING STAR—Acting Postmaster Charles L. Smith was elected by a decisive popular vote. He polled 770 votes out of a total of 1,004 ballots. M. E. Cross was second with 211 votes and Mrs. Mabel L. Ellis third with 23 votes. All three had been certified as eligibles by the Civil Service Commission. Previously Congressman Clyde Garrett announced he would support for postmaster the winner of the preferential election. All patrons of the postoffice were eligible to vote whether residing in Rising Star or not. The appointment will be made by President Roosevelt with approval by the senate.

Texas Produces Big Citrus Crop

DALLAS—Breaking into the long-established supremacy of California and Florida in the growing of citrus products, Texas this year produced its greatest citrus crop in history. Three times as large as the 1935-36 production, the Texas citrus crop has totaled 8,000,000 boxes, 10 per cent of the nation's output. Nearly tripling the value of last year's production, \$5,000,000, the worth of the crop rose to \$8,000,000. Texas citrus growers in the fertile Lower Rio Grande Valley have stressed production of grapefruit, "yellow gold," and now produce nearly one out of every four grapefruit grown in the country.

RANGER TIMES has a Guest Ticket Monday for Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Yonker to see "OLD HUTCH" with Wallace Beery At the ARCADIA Call at Times Office

Cincinnati's Worst Flood --- From The Air



Rising majestically over a scene of watery desolation and devastation, the towers that form Cincinnati's skyline provide the background to this remarkable photo taken from a plane which circled the flood-stricken city as the Ohio river dealt it its severest blow in history. Flooded to their second floors, the hundreds of squat, snow-covered factory and office buildings resemble so many little islands in a sea of water that overflowed from the Ohio. Taken from above Covington, Ky., across the river, the picture affords a clear view of the inroads the flood made into the lower streets of hilly Cincinnati. The Central Bridge, at lower right, still dry above the swollen river, dips quickly into water-logged Broadway.

SUPPLIES ARE RUSHED INTO FLOOD SECTOR

FORT SAM HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 25.—Eighth Corps Area army headquarters stood by today with 50 carloads of shelter and relief supplies for shipment into flood areas along the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 25.—Evacuation of flooded Evansville was considered by National Guard officials today. Charles Wilson, assistant WPA director, reported the situation "is getting worse hourly." He said 60,000 persons in the city of 102,000 would be homeless by the time the raging Ohio river reached its crest Wednesday or Thursday.

Chain Prayers Ask For Man's Return

FORT WORTH, Jan. 25.—Small groups of Travis Avenue Baptist church members continued to pray today for the safe return of Roland Leath, 25-year-old music director, who disappeared Tuesday. The "chain prayer" began Saturday morning.

Appeal To Red Cross Chapter For Flood Fund

An appeal to the Eastland county chapter of the American Red Cross to aid in relief of flood victims in eight states was made in telegraphic form to J. E. Spencer, chairman of the chapter, Cisco. Announcement was made by H. J. Tanner, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, who stated that donations to this fund may be made through him at the commerce office. Following is a copy of the telegram received by Mr. Spencer: "In order meet hourly increasing need of flood victims in eight states Red Cross calling on people of United States for minimum relief fund of two million dollars. Reports received late tonight indicate total of two hundred seventy thousand men, women and children driven from their homes and now depending on Red Cross for emergency relief, including food, shelter, bedding, medical attention, and warm clothing. Raging blizzard and freezing weather in many flooded sections add to suffering of refugees and greatly increase need for instant relief. Feel sure people your community will wish to aid promptly and generously. Urge you take immediate action. Raise your chapter quota of \$150 dollars, reporting to Midwestern office, St. Louis. "Cary T. Grayson, chairman."

Killer of Soviet Economist Sought

PARIS, Jan. 25.—The entire secret service was assigned today to help police solve the murder of the Soviet economist, Dmitri Navashine, found shot to death this morning.

Relief Measure Passes Committee

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—A relief deficiency bill, carrying \$790,000,000 for federal aid to unemployed between now and June 30, as requested by the President, was reported favorably today for house action by the appropriations committee. The measure was sent to the house for floor action during a confused day of debate as to whether it should be immediately increased to provide funds for the flood disaster.

Station Man In Cisco to Issue 1937 Poll Taxes

For convenience of citizens of Cisco desiring 1937 poll taxes, arrangements have been made to station a man connected with the tax assessor-collector's office of Eastland county in the city on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Announcement was made today by C. H. O'Brien, tax assessor-collector, who urges early payment of taxes to avoid the fine-day rush.

Four Known Dead In Bus Accident

MIAMI, Florida, Jan. 25.—The bodies of four persons killed when a Florida Motor Bus plunged into a canal west of here, were brought to Miami today. At least two others were known to have been injured. First reports reaching Miami indicated perhaps 20 of the total of 30 passengers lost their lives. Those reports could not be confirmed immediately.

Infant Buried In Gorman Monday

Funeral services for Lloyd Glenn Cozart, two and a half years old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cozart, of McKinney, who died in a Ranger hospital Sunday, were conducted at Gorman Monday afternoon at 2:30, with Rev. K. C. Edmonds in charge. Interment was in the Gorman cemetery, with Killingsworth, Cox in charge. The child was born in Throckmorton on July 16, 1934 and had been in Ranger but 15 days at the time of his death.

Probe Is Completed On Two Industries

AUSTIN, Jan. 25.—Oil and insurance company practices in Texas were assailed bitterly today in a State Senate committee report to Governor Alfred and the Legislature. State agencies, leading men in the two industries, and even the courts, were criticized. Cost of insurance is too high in Texas in many forms of policies, the committee said. It estimated life insurance at 35 years of age should not cost more than \$8.82 a thousand. Instances of policies costing \$41.00 at that age were given.

Court Reporter Is Reported Improved

Mrs. Bess Chastain Terrell, 91st District Court reporter, who received injuries in her fall last week on key steps of the Eastland County courthouse, was reported improved in condition today. She has been under supervision and care of the West Texas Clinic of Ranger.

Motive Is Sought For Man's Death

FORT WORTH, Jan. 25.—A motive was sought by officers today for the slaying of Cecil Odneal, 35, Fort Worth police character, whose bullet-riddled body was found Sunday three miles north of Saginaw. Murder charges were filed here against J. P. Morrison, 28, Odneal's cousin, confined to a Wichita Falls hospital with injuries reportedly suffered when his car overturned at Decatur Saturday night.

Cherry to Assist Coach Dana Bible

AUSTIN, Jan. 25.—Blair Cherry, coach of the Amarillo high school football team, will assist Dana X. Bible in coaching the University of Texas Longhorns, Dr. J. C. Dolley, chairman of the University Athletic Council, announced today. Bible is to have two assistants, Dolley said, but he did not name the other one.

Suspect Is Held In Theft of Car

BRAWLEY, Calif., Jan. 25.—A man identified at W. O. Holliday was held here today at the request of Sweetwater police, who claimed he was wanted on a felony charge involving a stolen automobile. Holliday was arrested by Sheriff Frank Rancy, when the man allegedly tried to sell a car registered in Texas.

Speed Urged In Aid For Flood Area

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—President Roosevelt told flood relief officials today to "step on it" in the drive to alleviate suffering in the midwestern states. Advised by the Red Cross that 500,100 persons have been driven from their homes by floodwaters, Mr. Roosevelt directed heads of federal relief agencies to speed efforts to care for refugees.

Cherry to Assist Coach Dana Bible

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 25.—Gov. A. B. Chandler today said he had no knowledge of any deaths within the state penitentiary during the removal of prisoners from their flooded cells. He said guards had quelled riots Thursday night after water mounted within the walls.

SELECTS JURY COMMISSION

A jury commission to select a February term grand jury has been chosen by the 91st District Court, Judge George L. Davenport, presiding judge. CASE IS POSTPONED The case of Cowart vs. Russell, scheduled for trial today in the 88th district court, was postponed by agreement of counsel, to Thursday.

Report Highway Contract Is Let; Work Will Begin

Final disposition of the fate of Highway 80 came in an announcement from the State Highway Department to Milburn McCarty, chairman of the committee, this morning, stating that the contract had been let to R. W. Briggs & Co., contractors, of Pharr, Texas. Work orders for immediate construction have been issued to the contractors. Highway 80 is designated from Weatherford to three miles south of Strawn and connects with the main highway, No. 1, known as the "Broadway of America."

Insane Suspect Is Burned to Death

VERNON, Jan. 25.—A sanitarium hearing, set for Tom Duke, 49-year-old farmer, remained uncalled today. Duke poured gasoline on himself, his wife and three children Saturday night, then set fire to them.

Pay Your Poll Tax Before Feb. 1 to be Eligible to Vote

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Mussolini Knows How to Get What He Wants

Whatever else you may say about him, you must admit that Benito Mussolini has brought the old game of playing both ends against the middle of new heights.

Il Duce seems fair to head the one government in Europe which stands to get anything out of the present tangle in Spain. When the smoke and the dust die down, it is very probable that the whole fracas will prove to have been a net loss to everyone concerned except Italy.

To understand why this is so, one need go back only to the Italian invasion of Ethiopia.

At that time the British statesmen beat their breasts and announced that the empire would never stand for such high-handed goings-on. A British official at Geneva told the League of Nations assembly that England was dedicating herself to "steady collective resistance" to all acts of aggression.

The fleet went to the Mediterranean, there was much talk of sanctions—and altogether, if harsh looks could kill, Mussolini would have died a thousand deaths.

But Mussolini is a singularly hard man to bluff. He went right ahead and conquered Ethiopia, as he said he was going to. The British did not try to stop him, but they let it be known that they would never recognize his conquest. And then along came the trouble in Spain.

Mussolini drew cards in this game at once. Italian planes, munitions, and men went to Spain. Good relations with Germany were cemented by the creation of a common, pro-Fascist front. It was hinted broadly that Italy would take over the Balearic islands from Spain.

So a change came over the face of the waters. The British stopped talking about the wickedness of the Ethiopian conquest. Instead, they got their heads together with Italian statesmen, and presently an Anglo-Italian Mediterranean accord was announced.

Under the surface of the involved language of this accord—Mussolini simply agreed that he wouldn't take those Balearic islands, or approve of any territorial changes of which the British did not approve. In return, it is commonly understood that he will get British recognition of the conquest of Ethiopia, together with British loans for development of the new colony.

Now this was just what Mussolini wanted in the first place. That he actually wanted an Italian foothold in Spain is very doubtful. That he wanted to see Germany get a foothold there is even more doubtful—for under the surface Germany and Italy are still bitter rivals in central Europe. That he would let Italy get drawn into war by way of Spain is most doubtful of all.

But he acted as if he wanted all these things. As a result, everyone rallied around to be nice to him. And out of it all he gets—unless all the reports are mistaken—that British approval of his Ethiopian venture which was the one thing he really needed.

A clever card-player, this man Mussolini.

"The close-up is a great boon to film actors." And just the opposite to gambling joints.

How About a Little More "Courtesy of the Road"?



Striking Seamen Stage Pre-Inaugural Parade



Past empty grand stands, erected for the big presidential inaugural parade, march the 1200 striking seamen from East coast ports in a gigantic protest against the Copeland act, which would compel them to carry continuous discharge books. They are pictured sloshing along the rain-swept pavement on the way to the Commerce Building to appeal to Secretary Roper.

Institute Names a Committee For Study of Spacing

A committee of oil-company executives has been appointed by President Axtell J. Byles, of the American Petroleum Institute, to collect fundamental data on the proper spacing of oil wells and to prepare an educational program designated to promote proper well spacing as an important factor in petroleum conservation.

of conserving petroleum resources already made by the Institute and by other organizations have revealed that proper spacing of wells is essential to economic development of oil pools. Attention was attracted to the need for proper well spacing shortly after the publication in 1929 of the report of a cooperative study made by the U. S. Bureau of Mines and the Institute revealed the importance of the function of natural gas pressure in lifting crude oil to the surface and indicated that the drilling of unnecessary wells, and particularly the unnecessarily close spacing of wells, tended to dissipate gas pressure and curtailed the productive life of oil pools.

natural gas, and also of wells with resulting recovery of a large proportion of oil and a conservation of the producing life of the pool. In recent years the tendency has been to space wells more widely and also to curtail the number of wells drilled so as to facilitate control of gas pressure, and to maintain water pressure.

Four Generations Attend Big Party

MEDFORD, Mass.—Four generations of one family participated in the 106th birthday celebration of Colin Kane.

A FARMER DO

One of the best medical men in U. S. was the late Dr. J. C. Moore of Boston, Mass., who was born on a farm in Pa. Dr. Moore's favorite prescription for nearly 70 years was Vicks VapoRub.

Advertisement for Vicks VapoRub. Text: 'Children's Colds Yield quicker to double action of VICKS VAPORUB. STAINLESS Now, if you prefer.'

Nutrition Vital To Good Health

AUSTIN—Importance of maintaining uniform good health for all parts of the body is stressed in a message sent out by Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer. "More and more," he said, "we are coming to realize that the normal functioning of special parts of the body are dependent to a large extent upon the general condition of the body as a whole."

tween a properly balanced food intake and the eyes. "Essential to adequate nutrition is the inclusion in the diet of foods containing vitamin A. When general bodily health is impaired by a lack of vitamin A, it often happens that the ear glands of the eye cease to function. Such results have repeatedly been shown in animal experimentation, and also among humans in times of food shortage. During the World War extreme cases of this eye disease known as xerophthalmia were found in Denmark among malnourished children who were living on skimmed milk and a very restricted diet. To cure this disease the government ordered that butter be added to the diet and a certain percentage of butter fat be retained in the milk.

Since vitamin A is such an important factor in growth, development, and health, it is essential that every one, especially children, eat foods containing it. Vitamin A is found principally in green and yellow vegetables, in fresh eggs and cream and in various animal fats. It may be manufactured from carotene, the yellow coloring matter of these foods. "Although a deficiency in vitamin A might not result disastrously immediately, its effects over a period of years probably would culminate in a lack of normal growth, physical debility and injury to various parts of the body."

PEIPING BARS SKYSCRAPERS

PEIPING.—No building here may be higher than two stories, according to an order issued by the Peiping municipal government. It is feared that the newly-built eight-story Kincheng Banking Building must be torn down and altered into a two-story structure.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

Illustration of a man's face with text: 'EGG SHELLS ARE COMPOSED OF CARBONATE OF LIME, DEPOSITED IN LAYERS. THE COLORS ARE DUE TO PIGMENTS, DEPOSITED BY DUCTS WHEN THE EGGS ARE IN THE OVIDUCT.'

Illustration of a man playing a bagpipe with text: 'ANDREW CARNEGIE HAD HIMSELF AROUSED EACH MORNING BY THE PLAYING OF BAGPIPES!'

Illustration of a bee on a clover blossom with text: 'WHEN A BEE VISITS A CLOVER BLOSSOM, THE SINGLE FLORETS TURN DOWN OUT OF THE WAY, ONE BY ONE, AS THE BEE POLLINATES THEM.'

MARKINGS on the eggs of birds serve different purposes. On some, the presence of color seems to be of little use, but, in the case of most birds that nest on the ground in dangerous places, the mottled color blends with the surroundings and makes the eggs hard to see. On the other hand, birds that nest in dark holes usually lay white eggs, so that the bird can see and avoid stepping on them.

Large advertisement for Camel cigarettes. Features a central image of a man skiing and a woman sitting at a table. Text includes: 'PERFECT CONTROL AT MILE-A-MINUTE CLIP', 'Skiing Takes Good Digestion, says Skiing Wizard—AND A HEALTHY set of nerves too...', 'BUSY SECRETARY. Attractive Joselyn Libby says: "Camels put more fun into eating and smoking too."', 'AS A SEA-GOING CHIEF ENGINEER, George Buckingham, says: "Camels keep my digestion on an even keel."', 'COSTLIER TOBACCOS. Camels are made from finer, MORE EXPENSIVE TOBACCOS... Turkish and Domestic... than any other popular brand.', 'ROSE DAVIS (left), champion cowgirl, often rides a bucking bronc twice a day. She says: "The jolting puts a strain on my digestion. That's why I smoke Camels with my meals and after. Camels are so mild."', 'VETERAN TEST DRIVER, Clyde Freeman (right), absorbs hours of punishment in a test car. He says: "For digestion's sake—smoke Camels is a good idea. Camels set me right."', 'RADIO'S NEW SMASH HIT! "Jack Oakie's College" Fun and excitement every minute with irrepressible Jack Oakie at his best. Also Benny Goodman's "Swing" Band, George Stoll's Concert Orchestra, Hollywood comedians and singing stars—and special college talent. Every Tuesday night—9:30 p.m. E.S.T., 8:30 p.m. C.S.T., 7:30 p.m. M.S.T., 6:30 p.m. P.S.T., over WABC-Columbia Network.'

Sport Glances. By Grayson

NEW YORK—For the first time in half a century, a new style of billiards will be played in this country...

"OUT OUR WAY" - - - - - By Williams



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King without a country by Robert Bruce

HE raised both arms and a shrill cheer, mingled with gay shouts of laughter, went up from the lawn...

LET'S KNOW TEXAS AND TEXANS. WILL H. MAYES, AUSTIN, TEXAS.

Honey Raisers to Meet at Weslaco. By United Press. WESLACO, Texas—Texans will gather here January 22 and 23 to hear national experts explain the newest methods of obtaining more and better honey from bees.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox. NEA Service Staff Writer. LEG of lamb can become a problem. But that problem can be solved. The roasting is easy, so is the eating, but what to do with it the next day and the next sometimes discourages the cook.

Q. What state handles the largest volume of export tonnage? H. K. H.

Q. What precipitated the fight that wiped out the San Saba Mission in 1758? R. G. D.

Q. Under the Mexican constitution, Texas agreed that Texas and Coahuila should constitute a single state of the Mexican republic.

Q. How did sentiment stand in Texas prior to 1836 with reference to submission to Mexican governmental policies? L. B. N.

Q. On what two dates did Texas officially become a state of the United States? L. L. M.

Q. On Dec. 28, 1845, the United States accepted the Texas constitution, thus making the Republic a State of the Union; again on March 30, 1870, the United States accepted the new Texas constitution.

Q. What was the name of the man who was the first to plant cotton in Texas?

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Old Texas Church Has Novel History

WASKOM, Texas.—The history of the Baptist church at Jonesville, Texas, one of the oldest churches in East Texas and whose membership consisted of the pioneer families of Harrison county, was reviewed when the church held a watch party recently.

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll



ALLEY OOP



By HAMLIN



Flying American

Answer to Previous Puzzle. STORK TIE BILLS. CAME WANE TEAL. ALE HANLER AVE. RUNNER I MENDED. ES EMPHASIS. D ASP IN IT. KIT AL AD. W DIP AIR I. AH NEARNESS. DODGER HOILERY. IVA LEGENDS KEA. NETS SORES SEER. GRATE BET WORLD.

Crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-60.

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Political Announcement

The Times is authorized to announce the following candidate for position on the City Commission of Ranger, subject to the vote of the people in the City Election, to be held in April, 1937.

For Mayor:
DR. HARRY A. LOGSDON
For Police Commissioner:
HAL H. HUNTER
For Street Commissioner:
COLONEL BRASHER
For Finance and Fire Commissioner:
L. H. FLEWELLEN
For Water Commissioner:
E. H. MILLS

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J. E. Meroney Named Principal Speaker:
A meeting for members of Hodges Oak Park Parent-Teacher Association has been planned for Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock, and the President, Mrs. John Hasen, announces as principal speaker, J. E. Meroney, whose topic will be "Thrift."

Invited to Chicken Dinner:
Again the women of First Christian church invite friends and the general public to share in the chicken dinner to be held at the church Tuesday at noon. Plates under the supervision of the foods committee promise to be very delicious and are to be sold for a small charge.

New Comers to Ranger:
Mr. and Mrs. Adron Bell and family of Baird, are new comers to Ranger having purchased the Liberty shoe shop. Mr. Bell's experience in this line of work covers a number of years.

Misses Gholson and Craig Visit Ranger:
Misses H. R. Gholson and C. C. Craig of Lubbock, were visitors in Ranger Saturday and Sunday, guests of Mrs. Gholson's mother-in-law, Mrs. J. M. Gholson. They operate a very fashionable ladies' ready-to-wear shops at Lubbock and Mrs. Gholson was joined by her husband and Mrs. Craig Saturday after a delightful visit to California where she visited Spring markets. It will be remembered by many they were in business while living here, owners of the Modern shoppe.

American Legion Auxiliary Aiding in Thursday Night Program:
Members of the American Legion auxiliary are having paramount part in the program to be held at the club rooms Thursday night, announced as an old-fashioned supper. The entertainment comes as the monthly social to be presented jointly with the American Legion Post.

MAN'S HEART SKIPS BEATS—DUE TO GAS
W. L. Adams was bloated so with gas that his heart often missed beats after eating. Adierka rid him of all gas, and now he eats anything and feels fine. Oil City Pharmacy.

CLASSIFIED

- 7—SPECIAL NOTICES**
PUBLIC INVITED to chicken dinner, First Christian Church Tuesday noon. Plates 30 cents.
- FRASIER HATCHERY, 107 South Marston Street;** Quality Baby Chicks, Custom Hatching; Court-courtesy service.
- BROWN'S TRANSFER & STORAGE CO., BONDEL, 111 S. Marston St., Ranger.**
- MONEY TO LEND** on autos. C. E. Maddocks & Co.
- 9—HOUSES FOR RENT**
HOUSE for rent, 519 South Austin.
- FOR RENT—4 room furnished modern house.** Phone 19.
- 11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT**
2 or 4-room apartment, furnished or unfurnished, with garage. Mrs. Carrie Henry, 836 Strawn Road.
- 12—WANTED TO BUY**
WILL BUY your Mules. J. R. Ames, Gholson Hotel.
- STOCKS, grain, cotton and auto loans.** D. E. Pulley, Phone 629, Ranger.
- 13—FOR SALE, Miscellaneous.**
FOR SALE—Several good goat and cattle ranches in Central Texas. W. N. Huling, Lometa Texas.
- FOR SALE—160-acre farm.** 35 in cultivation, rest grassland. Well fenced and watered. Good, improved house. 5 1-2 miles east of Carbon. T. D. TAYLOR.
- FOR SALE:** Good team of horses and one McCormick-Deering cultivator. Reasonable prices. See F. E. Farrell, 2 miles north of Chaney.
- 19—FOR SALE OR TRADE**
FOR SALE OR TRADE: 550-egg incubator in perfect condition. W. E. CLEMENTS, R. 3, Gorman.

an invitation to attend this occasion which promises to be a very pleasant one.

Resumes Work After Week's Illness:
Jack Montgomery, day clerk at the Paramount hotel, resumed work this morning after a week's illness with influenza. The latter part of the week passed was spent at the home of his mother at Rising Star.

Associate of Interstate Theatre Corp, Visits Ranger:
C. L. McCoy, associate of the Interstate Theatre Corp., of Dallas, was a visitor in Ranger Saturday, a business visitor and house guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Garner, at their home, Gholson Hotel.

Spends Sunday With Parents:
Miss Ora Mae McGee, spent Sunday at the home of her parents at Breckenridge, who recently moved to that place from here.

Y. W. A. of Central Baptist Church under the direction of their sponsor, Mrs. T. J. Anderson, meets at the church for a session to open Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Colored Revival to Close Tonight at Central Baptist

Rev. Bailey, missionary among the colored people of the South and sent out by the Southern Baptist convention has just closed a two weeks revival among the colored Baptists of Ranger. Yesterday afternoon at 4:00 the corner stone of the St. Paul Baptist Church (colored) was laid.

Rev. H. H. Stephens, pastor of Central Baptist church, preached the dedication sermon. Rev. Jenkins, missionary in Texas has been working among the colored Baptists of Ranger for six months and it is reported that the church is in the best spiritual condition of its history.

Tonight will be the fare-well service conducted by Rev. Bailey. The congregation of St. Paul Baptist church has asked and been granted the privilege to use Central Baptist church for this service.

University Has Land For Ideal Wildlife Study

COLUMBIA, Mo.—The University of Missouri is preparing to operate the only wild life preserve in the United States maintained exclusively for that purpose.

A 2300-acre tract south of here has been purchased by the Re-Settlement Administration to be used for studying Missouri wild life in its natural state.

"There are many game preserves in this country, but there are none conducted exclusively for this purpose," explained Dr. Rudolf Bennett, professor of zoology in the university and director of the preserve.

"In every other preserve," he said, "such interests as lumber, fishing or commercial interests are represented."

In addition to the chief purpose of the preserve, Dr. Bennett said, the preserve also would serve as a conservatory for native vegetation, and as a demonstration area to show the desirability of converting non-profitable agricultural regions into game and forest preserves.

The university preserve will be divided into two districts. In one, animals will be left in their natural state and not disturbed. In the other, changes in natural conditions will be made to determine the effect on wild life.

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FACE HARD CAMPAIGN FOR PLACE AMONG CAPITAL'S SOCIAL ELECT



Among the women confronted with the double socio-political problems of life in Washington are these novices of the capital scene, wives of newly elected senators. At top, left to right, are Mrs. Ernest Lundberg of Iowa, Mrs. Henry Cabot Lodge III, of Massachusetts; below: Mrs. Allen Ellender of Louisiana, Mrs. Edward C. Johnson of Colorado, Mrs. James H. Hughes of Delaware and Mrs. Guy M. Gillette of Iowa. Theirs is the task of winning a place among the capital's socially elect, making acquaintanceships to enhance their husbands' prestige.

Texas Gets \$5.39 In Oil Taxes Where Once Got a Dollar

DALLAS.—The degree to which Texas has benefited from oil developments is shown by the fact that current revenues in taxation from this industry yield \$5.39 for every dollar collected from this source in 1922, according to studies just completed by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association.

The accompanying chart shows that the State has obtained in oil tax revenue a relatively greater appreciation in monetary returns than has been recorded by the oil industry of the State itself. In terms of the 1922 dollar, oil taxes have increased to \$5.39 while the oil production dollar is now worth \$2.47 in comparison with values prevailing in 1922.

Facts upon which the chart is based include annual tax collections on Texas oil production, as recorded by George H. Shepard, State Comptroller of Public Accounts. The relationship between oil taxes and value of crude oil production was established by using 1922 figures for each as base factors of 100 per cent and obtaining subsequent annual changes in per cent of each base factor. Today's tax revenue from Texas oil shows an increase over 1922 of 439 per cent while the value of current crude oil production has increased 147 per cent from 1922. Actually, Texas oil producers are now paying to the State and its counties nearly \$35,000,000 in taxes, which represents an average tax per barrel of \$3.46—and this is substantially higher than any other oil producing state.

Another important point cited by the association's figures is the comparative unit value of Texas oil production in 1922 and 1937. Relatively, oil was worth more in 1922 than it is today, because in the former year crude oil at the well commanded a price of \$1.73 per barrel while today's average market price is only \$1.05 per barrel. The total monetary value of Texas oil production today is only greater than it was in 1922 because of substantially larger output, brought about by statewide development of this great natural resource.

The Texas oil producer is actually less favorably situated today than he was in 1922 because his production then was not restricted by proration as it is now and his costs of production were consequently lower. Higher oil prices and lower unit costs in 1922 naturally minimized the amount then paid in taxes. Today, the Texas oil producer must of necessity sustain a materially larger investment in leases and equipment, because of limitations in production per well. He must employ more men to operate more wells from which production is much higher in cost and market values are much lower than they were in 1922.

Address List of Motorists Aids State

HARRISBURG, Pa.—Pennsylvania receives extra thousands of dollars through the sale of names on motor vehicle registration and liquor licenses.

For the names of its motorists the state was paid \$16,000 by George G. Hatter, trading as the Pennsylvania Motor List Company, at the rate of \$8.33 a thousand. A higher total will be reckoned, as the same firm buys, throughout the year, the names of new motorists on learner's permits at \$2.35 a thousand.

Since Hatter is the lowest bidder for a period stipulated in the advertisement by the state secretary of revenue when the bidding is announced, he obtains a virtual monopoly. The motor bureau will not reveal more than a few names at one time.

The liquor board, however, does not permit a monopoly, but provides a list of names or other information for a nominal fee covering the cost of tabulation.

Several other companies, since the enactment of a bill in 1929 providing for the sale of motor lists, have bid on the motor lists.

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Toil Dulls Joy In Surf Riding

HONOLULU.—A survey, not sponsored by a tourist bureau, has revealed the startling fact that only a tiny percentage of Honolulu's population of 142,461 can ride surfboards.

This is stark disillusionment to those whose information concerning the "Paradise of the Pacific" is gleaned from travel booklets studded with pictures of riders skimming the waves at Waikiki, spray flying from polished boards and the tripe sun gleaming on bronzed bodies.

For such information, many gathered the idea that almost everyone here took to the waves at a tender age, and, if not an accomplished rider by the age of 5, was virtually a social outcast.

That illusion vanished with the discovery that the color of the surf riders is predominantly brown, and has been from birth. Most of the "holes"—native of whites—either find it too much work, just aren't interested, or would rather sit under a palm tree and sip tall iced drinks.

The percentage, of course, does not include the tourists who are taken for a trip by a beach boy, who does the paddling for both of them, and then tell their friends at home of the thrills of surfing. That is just going along for the ride and doesn't count.

When the percentage was approximated, only those were counted who were bona fide bareback riders, who could stand up and wave to those on the beach while under full steam and could travel at least 100 yards without taking a breather.

Principal drawback seems to be that it is just too much work to learn. A person cannot be lashed and wait for a wave to come and scoot the board for shore, must paddle vigorously when wave starts coming, much in fashion of a Canada goose getting up flying speed.

Once under way and standing up, and providing the surfer is run over by an outrigger or full of tourists or somebody else, a long trip may be had but the rider feels that he is just following.

But then there is no way of going back for the next ride except by more paddling and after a trip the average non-athletic person has cricks in his back, aching in his shoulders and a longing for the beach, which may be several hundred yards away by that time.

Most "holes," however, get that far. Perhaps they get that, after all, something on islands should be left to the wailians.

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