

WEATHER.
By United Press
WEST TEXAS: Fair tonight and Tuesday. Slightly cooler in Panhandle tonight.

Ranger Times

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The latest line of travel literature is said to be attractive. We must take a look at Mrs. Roosevelt's autobiography.

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NO. 26

High Court Rules Favorably on Wagner Act

YOUTH WANTED IN OKLAHOMA IS RETURNED

Garland Eugene Rose, 21, wanted in Oklahoma City in connection with the theft of between \$1,500 and \$2,000 worth of jewelry from the Terrace Jewelry Store in that city, was returned to the scene of his confessed crime Sunday by Oklahoma City detectives. Rose had been in the Ranger jail since his capture between Baird and Abilene Friday afternoon.

The two detectives who returned Rose to Oklahoma City said that although the police department of that city had been working on the case since the robbery, several nights before, they had not uncovered a clue until Chief of Police Jim Ingram telephoned them that Rose had been captured and had signed a confession implicating another Oklahoma youth. When the detectives left Ranger they had not heard whether or not the other man, whose name was given as Lowell Williams, had been captured, but they stated that plain clothes men had been sent to his home as they were leaving.

Quick thinking on the part of Ken Umberson, Ranger jeweler, and rapid action by Chief of Police Jim Ingram and the Abilene police resulted in Rose's capture. He sold a ring, valued at almost \$300, to Umberson for \$3. Umberson made the purchase in order that he might have a good opportunity to get a description of the man and notify Ranger police.

Ingram soon found that Rose had taken a bus toward Abilene and notified officers there, giving a good description of the man. When he did not get off the bus at Abilene, officers started toward Baird and found the wanted man.

He was returned to Ranger by Patrolmen Johnny Boyd and Ray Glascock, instead of Ray Faircloth, as first reported. He signed his confession in the Ranger city hall with Jim Ingram, Guy Pledger and R. A. Jameson as witnesses.

Roosevelt Scion Operated On



Sara Roosevelt (above), granddaughter of the President, won't have to fear appendicitis any more. Though only six, her appendix was removed to relieve an acute infection and she is reported recovering rapidly at a hospital in Washington, D. C. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Roosevelt.

Fort Worth Lone Star Gas Workers On Strike Today

FORT WORTH, April 12.—Approximately 150 skilled and unskilled workers of the Lone Star Gas Company, members of two unions, formed among the gas company employes by the American Federation of Labor, went on strike today.

The men struck in protest against the recent discharge of 26 men. The union claims the men were discharged for union activities. Gas company officials said the men were dismissed for economy purposes.

The strikers formed a picket line in front of a company warehouse and attempted to persuade others to join the walkout.

Violence narrowly was averted late this morning when strikers prevented a company truck from leaving the building. Police were called to enforce orderly picketing.

Oil Well Pluggings For Week Recorded

Pluggings as recorded for the week ending Saturday, Apr. 10, in the Railroad Commission office at Eastland:

Roy K. Ashburn & R. S. Luke No. 1, O. E. Scott, A. Tarter & A. Popejoy survey, Eastland county.

Barbara OH company No. 6 A. E. Metts, Brown county. E. E. Thate No. 1 E. E. Thate, W. M. Mason No. 163 survey, in Coleman county.

GALENA, KAS. CITIZENS KEEP ORDER TODAY

By United Press
Deputized citizens patrolled Galena, Kas., today, as a result of strife between metal miners affiliated with the CIO and a group of independents known as "blue-carders."

Eight men and a boy were shot in the street yesterday in a burst of gunfire from CIO headquarters when hundreds of miners advanced on the building armed with pick handles.

Elsewhere the labor situation was generally brighter. In Oshawa, Ont., Canada, officials predicted an early settlement of the strike in General Motors plants.

Industrial peace reigned in Detroit for the first time since December. Nearly 80,000 automobile workers returned to their jobs today under an agreement ending strikes.

Hull Tells Textile Workers of Way To Build Business

By United Press
WASHINGTON, April 12.—Secretary of State Cordell Hull told the World Textile Conference today that improvement of working standards will expand world trade by removing one of the causes of artificial barriers to commerce.

An increase in international trade, Hull said, is essential to dispose of surplus production.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace told the conference that he hoped eventually to extend the "ever normal granary" to cotton.

Wallace said it "is truly absurd that we have not already developed methods to prevent large crops from being calamities."

Anti-Lynch Bill Is Before House

By United Press
WASHINGTON, April 12.—The house voted today to bring up for consideration for the first time in 15 years an anti-lynching bill. The vote was 281 to 108.

The measure is sponsored by Rep. Joseph Gavanagh, Den., N. Y., making lynching a federal crime and providing for federal penalties for state or sub division officers failing to protect prisoners sought by mobs for lynching purposes.

Woman Confesses Murdering Another

By United Press
ANSON, Texas, April 12.—District Attorney Otis Miller said today that Mrs. L. Dancy had signed a statement admitting that she killed Mrs. J. P. King, 81, her wealthy landlady, by feeding her poison.

Breaking Heads in Hershey Strike



Bloody noses and broken heads were numerous when angry farmers took a hand in the sit-down strike at the Hershey plant, Hershey, Pa., and drove the strikers out, in scenes like the one above. An erstwhile sitdowner is being propelled out, blood streaming from his face, his clothes torn, while his companion wears a blackjack. The strike had cut off a daily \$10,000 market for the farmers' milk. Non-strikers aided in the eviction.

Unruly Horse Which Led to Indian Thief's Death Gave Mountain Name Saga Relates

Situated by itself, perhaps used long ago by early settlers and Indians as a lookout point, Indian Mountain stands about five miles south of Gorman near Sabanno creek.

How did it get its name? Many pioneers of the county are inclined to believe it obtained its name according to the following circumstances, the saga of Indian Mountain.

Sing Gilbert, a rancher on Curry Comb and Sabanno creeks, later killed in a fight with Indians at Ellison Springs about three miles east of Gorman, knew horses.

He knew horses well and the one he rode was a good one, but mean.

One evening Gilbert staked his horse near his house with a rawhide rope. The next morning he discovered his horse was stolen during the night of rain.

Gilbert suspected Indians. So he rounded up others in the vicinity and with his brothers went to follow the trail which led from the spot his horse was stolen and punish the thieves. The softness of the ground made following the trail easy.

The trail of the offender led to a mountain and up to the top, where something unexpected had evidently occurred. The tracks of the Gilbert horse showed that it had started running down the slope of the mountain.

At first there were footprints at various intervals, indicating long steps had been taken, then signs were seen that indicated a body was dragged. The signs led to a mesquite snag, where the horse was found dead. A quantity of blood was found around the snag.

It was thought by Gilbert and his companions that the horse boiled at the top of the hill, catching the Indian in the coils of his rawhide rope; that the Indian was able to stay on his feet for a few steps before he fell, then was dragged to the snag where his body was caught and held, throwing the horse, which was killed by Indians. The blood at the snag was supposed to be that of the Indian.

BRITAIN NOT TO TOLERATE SEIZING SHIPS

By United Press
LONDON, April 12.—Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin announced today the British Government "has decided it could not tolerate interference with British ships at sea."

Baldwin said the government, however, had warned British shipping to refrain from entering Bilbao, in northern Spain, as long as "dangerous conditions prevailed." The Spanish rebel fleet has established a blockade around that city.

"There is grave risk to any ship entering Bilbao," Baldwin told the House of Commons, "unless mine-sweeping is carried out."

But, he said, "the government decided it could not concede belligerents rights."

Great Britain has never recognized the Spanish rebels as a belligerent and retains the legal right to consider them as pirates at sea.

Young Boys Held In Eastland Jail

Two Eastland boys, age 8 and 9, Monday were in county jail for alleged burglary at the Eastland Dairy Products creamery Saturday night.

The youths, according to Eastland officers were on parole from the state reformatory before the Saturday occurrence.

Officers stated the boys were making preparations to steal seven pints of ice cream when apprehended. Access to the creamery was gained from a window.

Both denied hunger influence the alleged burglary and theft.

Loyalists Press Toward Objective

By United Press
MADRID, April 12.—Fighting from trench to trench with hand grenades and bayonets, loyalist troops pressed on today in the fourth day of general offensive intended to free Madrid from the nationalist siege.

Swartly miners, dynamited a pontoon bridge by which an estimated 10,000 nationalists, now isolated in University City, had received their food and munitions.

Expectant Fathers To Come Into Own

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—Expectant fathers, today were promised a paternity ward, where they may pace the floor in comfort and with every convenience.

Aligns Ontario Against CIO



Ready to take drastic action to prevent the spread of CIO influence among Canadian labor and the sit-down strike technique that tied up an automobile plant at Oshawa, Ont., Premier Mitchell Hepburn (above), of Ontario province declared that, "if necessary, we'll raise an army."

Flay Meroney Is Unreported After Nearly Ten Days

Flay Meroney, son of Ed Meroney and brother of J. E. Meroney of Ranger, who Saturday was reported to have been missing for a week, was still unaccounted for Monday morning, as far as relatives in Ranger had heard.

Friends of the missing man in Corpus Christi, however, showed little concern Saturday night when they were contacted over long distance telephone, stating that he was out in the territory he covered as a salesman for the Pittsburgh Valve & Pump company.

Concern was first felt over Meroney when it was learned that he had not returned to his rooming house in Corpus Christi for several days and that his car had been found by police in Jackson, Miss. According to his landlady, Meroney was seldom away from home more than two days and when he had been missing for several days she notified his district office in Houston.

Oil Workers of Shell Company to Receive Pay Hike

By United Press
HOUSTON, April 12.—A \$1,000,000 annual wage increase for approximately 10,000 oil workers in the Southwest was announced today by T. E. Swigart, vice president of Shell Petroleum Corp.

Swigart said all employees of the company paid on an hourly basis and all office workers receiving less than \$250 monthly were included in the increase.

Hourly wages were raised a flat seven cents an hour, and office employees were given an additional \$10 a month.

Judiciary Vote to Come After July 4

By United Press
WASHINGTON, April 12.—Sen. J. Hamilton Lewis, Dem., Ill., senate majority whip, predicted to President Roosevelt today that the senate will not reach a vote on the administration judiciary reorganization plan before July 4.

Abilene Youth Is Killed In Louisiana

By United Press
VIVIAN, La., April 12.—The body of a youth identified as Maurice Hargrove, 21, was sent to his home at Abilene today. Hargrove was shot to death Sunday by Ellis Almokary, who told police he found the youth in his store.

DECISION IS AN HISTORIC TRADE RULING

Series of Decisions Concern A Much Disputed Test Case.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, April 12.—Supreme court, in what was considered an historic broadening of the constitution interstate commerce clause, today upheld application of the Wagner Labor Relations act to the steel industry.

The court presented a sensational series of decisions, upholding the validity of the much-disputed Wagner Act, first as applied to the Associated Press, second as applied to an interstate bus concern and most significantly as applied to the steel industry through a test of the act concerning the Jones and Laughlin Steel Company, and also as applied to the clothing industry.

Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, reading the court's opinion in the steel case, supported the constitutional basis of the Wagner Act. He found it a legal "scheme" to protect commerce from injury, resulting from denial by employers of the right of employees to organize and "from the refusal of employers to accept the procedure of collective bargaining."

The ruling of the court came as a surprise, even in government and labor circles, where both privately and publicly it had been forecast that the court would condemn the application of the Wagner Act to such industries as that of steel.

It was immediately indicated that the court rulings would become a major factor in the bitter struggle now raging around President Roosevelt's judicial proposals.

Enemies of the court plan immediately seized upon the court ruling as supporting their arguments that there was no need for any change in the high court.

The board constitutionality of the act was strongly noted by the chief justice. He declared that: "We think it clear that the national labor relations act may be construed so as to operate within the spirit of constitutional authority."

Girl, H.D.C. News Meeting Is Called

A meeting of home demonstration club and 4-H girl club reporters will be held Wednesday afternoon at the district courtroom in Eastland for instruction from Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent. The meet starts at 2 o'clock.

The meeting is in preparation for the annual 4-H girl and 4-H boy clubs' contest sponsored by the extension service. April and May reports will be judged in June and best clippings from the county winners sent to district headquarters. The district agent will pick the best girl and boy report and the winners staff the annual short course publication, the Daily Star.

Also to attend the meeting will be sponsors of the girls clubs. There are reporters from 12 home demonstration clubs and 12 girl clubs to attend the session.

Before the meeting is started Miss Ramey will meet with members of the Eastland County council.

RANGER TIMES has Great Tickets TUESDAY for Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Byas to see "LITTLE MISS NOBODY" with Jane Withers At the ARCADIA Call at Times Office

Woman Finds Out Advertising Pays In Ranger Times

One Ranger woman has learned that it certainly pays to advertise in the Times, and has written a letter telling of her experience with one Times classified advertisement. Her letter follows: "Ranger Times ads certainly bring results. Having an oil range and a daybed for sale, I inserted an ad in the Sunday Morning Times. Before noon Sunday I had sold both the stove and daybed and since then have had two callers to see the stove. "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE in the Ranger Times." (Signed) "MRS. W. C. Alexander."

Dodd Well Watched As It Enters Sand

The Hoffmann & Page No. 1, Dodd, southeast of Eastland and southwest of Ranger, was watched Monday as drilling progressed into the upper Ranger sand where Chastain's No. 1, Brashear received high oil production. The Dodd is about 2,000 feet southeast of the Brashear. At the last report the Dodd was at 3,085 feet.

Tris Speaker Hurt In Fall at Home

By United Press
CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 12.—Tris Speaker, who for 21 years was a big league baseball outfielder, was in serious condition today from a two-story fall at his suburban home. He will pull through, his physician said late today.

Youth Is Sentenced To Electric Chair

By United Press
WEST CHESTER, Pa., April 12.—Alexander Meyer, 20, son of a prosperous Philadelphia coal broker, was sentenced today to death in the electric chair for slaying Helen Meyer, 16-year-old high school girl, last Feb. 11. The boy admitted running the girl down so he might attack her.

District Lions' Banquet Tuesday

Lions of Breckenridge, Cisco, Ranger and Albany Tuesday night in the Comelie hotel at 7:30 will attend an inter-city banquet in Eastland. The meeting is the second of a series which were inaugurated at Breckenridge. Each town will furnish a portion of the program. The Eastland High school band, directed by G. W. Collum, will headline the Eastland entertainment, announced Brie Taylor and P. L. Crossley, members of Eastland program committee. Plates for the dinner are 75 cents each. A feature of the meeting will be the presentation of a booby prize, a goat, to the club with the lowest attendance. Eastland won the goat at the last meeting. Dr. Harry A. Logsdon of Ranger is president of the inter-city group.

A. E. LeClaire Name President of Singing Body

A. E. LeClaire, Eastland, was promoted from vice president to president of the Eastland County Singing convention at its quarterly meeting in Morton Valley school house.

Euell Bond, Morton Valley, was chosen in the election as vice president. He was former secretary-treasurer.

R. L. Rust, Eastland, stated "many people could not get in the auditorium" when reporting the attendance. Rust is the predecessor of LeClaire.

Will Plan Meeting Of Teacher Group

Meeting tonight at 7:30 in the office of County Superintendent C. S. Eldridge, members of the executive committee of its Eastland County Teachers association will lay plans for the organization's spring meeting.

Way Is Paved to Pass a Sales Tax

By United Press
AUSTIN, April 12.—A house bill to remit all state ad valorem taxes to all counties for five years was laid on the senate table subject to call today to make way for a combination sales tax and social security program offered to the legislature by Sen. Clint Small of Amarillo.

Court Determining Result of Voting

Cannvass of returns from April 3 county school trustee elections was planned for this afternoon when members of commissioners' court convened today at Eastland.

Negro Released In Wife Whipping Case

Charles Warren, 22, Ranger negro, was arrested Sunday morning in Ranger by patrolman Guy Pledger on a charge of wife whipping, was later released on an appearance bond. Pending signing of the bond Warren was remanded to the Ranger City Jail.

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National Indifference Is Jingo's Worst Foe

There seems to be a tendency to poke fun at Signor Mussolini and at the Italian people generally because Italian troops in Spain did not meet the test of battle very well in the recent engagements around Guadalajara.

The story is that the Italian soldiers evinced a great lack of enthusiasm for the fight, and headed for the rear in large numbers as soon as the going got tough.

Indeed, to an observer at this distance, it looks as if the Italians were the only foreigners in Spain who have been behaving with any particular sense.

For these soldiers from Italy found themselves transported out of their homeland and plopped down in the middle of a war which was no concern of theirs at all.

They were not the first soldiers, in the long history of war, to find themselves in that position. But they did something about it that soldiers are not, by tradition, supposed to do.

The net result of all this that they had their brethren back home are a lot more likely to go on living for a while than would be the case if they had turned themselves into grim, battalion-of-death heroes.

And a little meditation on this point might bring you to a discovery of the fact that the ordinary man's greatest protection against the pitfalls laid in his path by scheming men is this heaven-sent quality of indifference.

You can see that working out at home. The average American is supremely and blessedly indifferent to what goes on in Europe. He is the despair of the internationalists, the idealists, and the sleek gentlemen who have axes to grind.

And because they can't, they can't get him involved in those things. His indifference is his protection. As long as it is taken for granted that Americans aren't interested in European politics, European rivalries, and European alliances, American boys will not be called on to die on any European battlefields.

The man who "just can't be bothered" often turns out to be the man who actually is not bothered.

THERE'S A LOT HANGING ON THAT ONE



SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

By Mrs. Gaynor Madrox NEA Service Star Writer. NO costume is any better than his hat nor any salad tastier than its dressing. Here's what the well-dressed salad should wear in April.

MARKETS

Table listing market prices for various commodities including Wheat, Corn, Soybeans, and other grains. Includes 'Closing Selects New York Stocks' and 'Chicago Grain'.

PRACTICE FOR SOFTBALL TO START TONIGHT

The first week of softball in Ranger is scheduled to start tonight with two practice games being played each night through Thursday. No admission charge is to be made for the first week of play.

Best Dressed Band Will Give Concert

What the well-dressed college band is wearing will be demonstrated by the Texas Tech band when it plays a concert at the Recreation building Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

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Coolerator

The Air Conditioned Refrigerator. Advertisement for a coolerator refrigerator.

Southern Ice

Advertisement for Southern Ice, located at Ranger, Texas.

Notice!

Advertisement regarding car parts and services.

Walker Auto Supply

Advertisement for Walker Auto Supply, 103 North Austin St.

Clarke's Radiator & Body Works

Advertisement for Clarke's Radiator & Body Works, 207 S. Rusk.

Help Yourself

Advertisement for laundry services, 50 minutes 30c.

Commercial State Bank

Official statement of financial condition of the Commercial State Bank at Ranger, Texas.

Help Yourself

Advertisement for laundry services, 50 minutes 30c.

T.L. Dupree Station Service

Advertisement for T.L. Dupree Station Service, phone 9.

Sinclair Products

Advertisement for Sinclair Products, 315 Hunt St.

Fictional Hero

Crossword puzzle with clues and grid. Clues include 'Rip character from fiction', 'Washington Irving wrote his', 'To hoot', etc.

This Curious World

Article about the Congo Peacock, a bird species discovered in a Belgian museum. Includes an illustration of the bird.

Advertisement for a want-ad, 'TRY A WANT-AD—IT ALWAYS PAYS!'.

Negro Feels Safer With \$40 Bankroll While In Hoosergow

By United Press. FORT WORTH. — Willie Johnson, 31, Gladewater negro, was taking no chance with losing the \$40 he carried on a recent visit to Fort Worth.

Let's Know Texas

Advertisement for 'Let's Know Texas' book, featuring a map of Texas and the text 'WILL H. MAYES, AUSTIN, TEXAS'.

Advertisement for a book or service, 'Q. Did Jean Lafitte ever claim to be governor of Texas?'.

TRAILER ADVENTURE

By Nard Jones

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

When BETTY HAYNES drove off from the Long Beach auto camp with JACK SPEDDON and failed to return, MARSHA BRITAIN first turned to police. But they were little help. So when mysterious handprints at EUREKA NEAL happened on the scene, MARSHA turned to her friend, Gerry Neal. Neal helped MARSHA search for Betty and this friend's search led north but without results. And finally MARSHA decided that she must not let her love interfere with her better judgment, so she had Neal arrested, charging him with being involved in the disappearance of Betty.

Then she sped north, only to find that Speddon had left the state but that no woman was with him. Arriving in Portland, MARSHA received strange note from Betty, referring to a "Ciznik in Seattle." At police headquarters, MARSHA told her story again and officers say they believe Speddon is carrying her along "for safety." Then they told her that a note from Betty and Eureka and didn't come across the border with Speddon, she's probably been murdered.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XVII

MARSHA leaped up, her hand to her throat.

"Betty murdered? Oh, no. . . ."

Marshall, alarmed at the results of his tactlessness, hurried around his desk to comfort her. "Now, now. That's just a theory. But this Ciznik is bad medicine." He pushed her gently down into the chair again. "Pull yourself together. We'll get right after this."

"But what can I do?" MARSHA pleaded. "This is all my fault, and I—I've got to do something."

Marshall smiled. "There's not a thing in the world for you to do, Miss Brittain. Just leave everything to us."

"There's something else I want to tell you," she said slowly. "I—I didn't mention it before."

"I see. . . . You looked at her curiously. 'What is it?'"

"Have you heard of a man called—called Gerry Neal?"

"Neal? Gerry Neal?" Marshall's red forehead wrinkled. "No. What about him?"

"We saw him first in San Diego—just before we left with the trailer. He was trying to get into our apartment, but he said he lived in the apartment above and had made a mistake. Later we met him on the road and picked him up. . . ."

"Go ahead," Marshall said.

Hesitantly, MARSHA complied, telling how Neal had hid himself in the trailer, turned up later at Monterey, and how he had claimed to be an acquaintance of Speddon's.

"Why, I—I didn't—"

"Okay," Marshall interrupted. "I got it. Pretty smooth apple, eh? Sort of took you over the hurdles." Heedless of MARSHA's crimson flush, he grabbed up the telephone in a ham-like paw.

"You say you had him juggled at Eureka?"

"Y-yes."

"FORGETTING her, Marshall got long-distance, was connected with the Eureka police. After a short wait, he barked into the telephone. 'This is Marshall at Portland. Yeah. . . . You got a Gerry Neal down there?'"

There was a long pause while Marshall listened attentively. Then: "I see," he said slowly. "Thanks a lot."

He banged the receiver noisily. "They sprung him out. Didn't have anything on him except that he was annoying you and carrying a revolver without a permit. By now he could be on his way to China." He looked at MARSHA. "I got a hunch you're relieved. But that's neither here nor there. We'll get going on this. You get some rest."

"But I can't just stand by while Betty—?" Her voice choked into silence. "I'm going to Seattle."

"Why?"

MARSHA's eyes narrowed grimly. "I'll tell you why. I want to find Speddon. And I'm going to find him if it's the last thing I ever do!"

Marshall laughed. "You ain't got much of a chance to find him, Miss Brittain. And if you do find him it probably will be the last thing you ever do."

"But I'm going to try."

"All right," Marshall shrugged. "Better check in with the police up there. You might be needed."

MARSHA hesitated. "This Ciznik who's apparently the ring-leader, what does he do?"

"Johnny Ciznik? The Lord only knows what it is now. That's what I'd like to find out. You're liable to find Johnny Ciznik doing anything—so long as it's not on the up and up."

"And—and Neal is in with him, too?"

A curious expression came over Marshall's face. "Well," he said, "what do you think?"

MARSHA's spirit would have started her toward Seattle at once. But sheer physical weariness dictated that she should sleep—sleep despite her fears for Betty, her terrible feeling of the helplessness of her task. She had told Marshall that she intended to find Speddon. But how—how in a city of 350,000 souls would she find a man who wanted above everything else not to be found? Yet, glancingly, MARSHA intended to try. She would have been happier in her sleep that night if she had known that, from the moment she had driven out of San Diego, it was planned that she would meet Speddon in Seattle—that, so certainly had she embraced her-

self in circumstances beyond her control, she could never avoid it. She was up early, before any of the other occupants of the Rose City Trailer Haven were stirring. At first she had expected to hear from Sloss, but remembered that his messages would be at some of the smaller towns south of her—where she had failed to stop. She knew that in Seattle she would be likely to hear from him again, and this time, no doubt there would be no check for salary or expenses. Certainly she had to admit that, except for her brief time in San Francisco and Oakland, her work for the Airspeed Trailer Company had turned out to be a colossal failure.

From Portland to Seattle is a relatively easy jaunt by automobile, but to MARSHA it seemed a tremendous distance. Although she drove as swiftly as she dared with safety, the miles dragged by endlessly. To her it was years before she reached the teeming lumber town of Longview, crept through the traffic of Kelso. Even when she had passed the state capital of Olympia, skirted the thriving factories of Tacoma's tide-flats, and knew that Seattle was only an hour away, it seemed to her that she would never reach the place. But the wide, four-car highway was helpful, and at last MARSHA and her outfit were rolling up Second avenue, heading for the Denny regrade district where Sloss had indicated she would find the Yukon Parking Block.

And there, as she had anticipated, the attendant handed her an airmail letter from San Diego. It was from Sloss—and there was no check attached. The letter itself was brief: "This is to notify you that, due to your total disregard of my instructions, the services of yourself and Miss Haynes will no longer be required. A representative, identified by a letter from me, will call on you at the Yukon Parking Block and you will immediately turn over the equipment to him."

MARSHA received the news almost with relief. Indeed, she looked forward to the visit of Sloss' representative—and she had not long to wait. She had no sooner finished a hurried lunch in the trailer's galley than, looking from the window, she saw a thin, mustached individual walking toward the outfit.

She opened the trailer door expectantly—and suddenly recognized that the man was Jack Speddon! The mustache and cap failed to conceal the scrawny features she remembered too well. Desperately MARSHA leaped to the ground, clutched Speddon's arm, and opened her mouth to scream for assistance.

(To Be Continued)

Mr. Vance Deffern and family moved to Big Springs.

Oleta Gentry visited Mary Jean Ferrell, Monday night.

Mrs. J. T. Walton visited her daughter, Mrs. Emma Ferrell, Tuesday.

Mrs. R. L. Yardly have returned home after visiting her son, W. A. Yardley at Westbrook.

Mr. J. H. Ainsworth is doing some carpenter work in Ranger this week.

Mrs. Ora B. Jones and daughter, Mrs. Hazel Roper visited in the home of F. E. Ferrell, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Ernest Kitchens and Arnold Ainsworth of this community returned home from the CCC camp in Arizona.

Mrs. Irena Thomas visited her mother-in-law, Tuesday.

Mr. Monroe Johnson visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kitchens, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Blackwell visited Grandma Hale Saturday night.

Mr. H. A. Neger and family visited in Ranger, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ferrell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kitchens Sunday.

Mr. J. R. Hale and D. H. Hale visited in Eastland Wednesday.

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Mr. D. R. Walton visited his sister Mrs. Emma Ferrell, Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Segis and J. L. Parrish visited in the home of J. W. Kitchens Monday afternoon.

Mr. Velton Dunlap visited in the home of Mr. Sam Wylie, Monday.

Mr. Woodrow Kitchens visited Ben Parris, Monday night.

Mr. Levoice Hale and Delain Hale were Ranger visitors, Saturday night.

Weslie Dunlap of near Eastland visited Henry Dunlap, Sunday.

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SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox

THESE unusual recipes have been asked for by so many readers, that it has been impossible to reply individually. And it's more fun, anyway, to pass along the good news to everyone.

(A little under 1 pound.)

One and one-half cups sugar, 1-2 cup corn syrup, 1-8 teaspoon salt, 1-2 cup water, 1 large egg white, 2 tablespoons butter, 1-4 cup finely chopped almonds, 1-2 teaspoon vanilla.

This recipe has required several weeks experimentation. So follow each of the eight steps accurately for good results:

1. Gently boil together sugar, corn syrup, salt and water until it reaches the hard boil stage or 250 degrees F on candy thermometer.
2. Then reduce heat until syrup boils very slowly.
3. Continue to cook to soft crack stage or 270 degrees F on candy thermometer.
4. Remove from heat: wipe crystals from the pouring side of the saucepan and ALLOW SYRUP TO COOL FOR FIVE MINUTES WITHOUT STIRRING.
5. Pour the hot syrup into the stiffly beaten egg white, beating continuously.
6. Continue to beat until the candy becomes somewhat stiff. Then add butter, chopped nuts and vanilla.
7. Stir until a satiny-like finish

appears and the consistency is such that it will just flow.

8. Pour into lightly buttered heat resistant glass dish to about 3-4 inch thickness.

Nougat is usually difficult for the home candy maker and too often it turns out to be little different than fudge. But this specially developed recipe, if accurately followed, will produce a remarkably good candy.

Sausage in Blankets

(For Sunday night supper—12 servings.)

Twelve fine frankfurters, 2 large dill pickles, 12 rounds pie pastry about 6 inches in diameter.

Skin frankfurters and cut each in quarters lengthwise. Lay one entire sliced frankfurter on each round of pastry. Add a thin slice of pickle. Then roll up pastry and press edges together and moisten. Chill. Then bake in hot oven (400 degrees F) until crisp, about 15 minutes. Serve with a tart sauce.

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Behind the Scenes in Washington

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON — Just where this country would be left if a Spanish government submarine should torpedo an American ship carrying munitions or other war materials to Italy is a question to which you can't get even a semi-official answer here.

Speculation as to the consequences of such an incident, however, is bound to get one back to these facts:

- 1—That neutrality legislation, existent and pending, leaves it entirely up to the President to determine whether a state of war or civil war exists abroad.
- 2—That no provisions of the neutrality bills passed by the two houses of Congress, whether "mandatory" or "discretionary," can go into effect unless the President formally finds and declares such a state of war to exist.
- 3—That the aggressive military powers of the world are falling out of the habit of declaring war, preferring to wage war, when they can, under the pretense that they're doing nothing of the sort.
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Saturday Night Party Honors Birthday of James Ferris: At a gala party affair given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ferris, 1927 Vitalious street, Saturday night friends of the honor guest, J. B. Ferris Jr., aided in celebrating his fifteenth birthday.

Games responsible for much merriment during the party were climaxed when Mrs. Ferris served refreshments of cocoa, cookies and confections to guests: Mary Jane and Jimmie Beth Todd, Anna Bell Wright, Elizabeth Jay, Dorothy Campbell, Nauwana Stafford, Christine Ferguson, Dorothy, Mary and Ella Joy Ferris, and Ernest Auberburn, D. C. Auberburn, Francis Fingler, Tommie Ford and James B. Ferris.

Pretty Courtesy Paid Mrs. C. E. Hutchinson: The home of Mrs. V. V. Cooper Sr., Desdemona road, was gay in a spring time dress, Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Cooper, and daughter, Mrs. C. C. Cross, acted as co-hostesses in entertaining with a miscellaneous shower in courtesy to honoree, Mrs. C. B. Hutchinson.

The color note of pink and white was effectively named in decorations refreshment course, and gift wrappings. Guest personnel included: Mmes J. C. Carothers, Cody Wilson, J. B. Ferris, Charles Hammell, Col. Brashier, J. A. Ussery, T. W. Hazard, J. B. Johnston, H. M.

A FARMER BOY

ONE of the best known medical men in the U. S. was the late Dr. R. P. Foster of Buffalo, N. Y. who was born on a farm in Pa. Dr. Foster's famous "Prescription" has for nearly 20 years been helping women who have headache and backache associated with functional disturbances, and other women who experience heat flashes by increasing the appetite. This new book is available for \$1.00. Buy of your druggist. New size, table, 50c. Send \$1.

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Out-of-Town Relatives and Friends Attend Service Held Sunday Afternoon: Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Central Baptist church the last rites for H. E. Snyder, of Ranger were held with Rev. H. H. Stephens, conducting assisted by Dr. L. B. Gray, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

Pallbearers were Messrs. Clifton Hyatt, Olden, Marvin Hargis, Overton, H. P. Earnest, Ranger, C. B. Pruet, Ranger, Carl Jones, Olden and James Parks, Olden.

Out-of-town relatives were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Tuttle, Shreveport, La., and Mrs. W. H. Newman and son, Shreveport, numbered among friends were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rainey, Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hargis, Overton, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brauser, Stephenville.

To Make Home at Gorman: Miss Wilda Lannach, who Sunday evening at 10:30 o'clock, became the bride of Mr. Bus Warren, is well known at Gorman where the couple are to make their home.

The ceremony was read by Judge J. N. McPatter, at home, Marston apartments. The brother of the bride served as their sole attendant.

Announcing: Hodges Oak Park Parent-Teacher Association program at the school Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock, with high point centered about the summerized convention report to be read by Mrs. H. D. Bishop.

Bits of News: Norman Davenport returned home Sunday night after several days spent at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jesse Hanesy who underwent surgery at the West Texas

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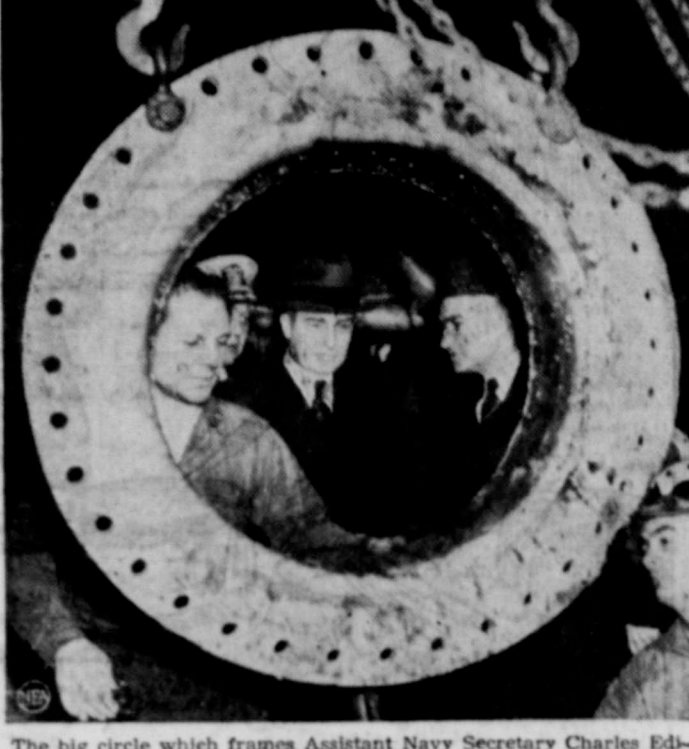
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The big circle which frames Assistant Navy Secretary Charles Edison, center, and two workmen, will be a huge copper pipe flange for a ship when it is finished. It was just one of the many things Edison inspected in his tour of the Brooklyn navy yard. He made the visit for a first-hand review of the ship building industry, especially pertinent right now to the government's naval armament program.

Clinic and Hospital last week, is doing splendidly. Mr. and Mrs. Williams Rawland and two daughters, Betty Lou and Marie Anne, of Cleburne were week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. Rawland's mother, Mrs. Blanche Murray and daughters, Strawn highway. The young granddaughters and mother remain in Ranger for a week's visit while Mr. Rawland returned to Cleburne Sunday afternoon. He is associated with the Cleburne Times, as bookkeeper and assistant in advertising.

Jack Montgomery, clerk at Parnmount hotel, visited friends in Cisco Saturday night and Sunday.

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Windshield Wiper Saved from Wreck

By United Press FORT WORTH - N. R. Hood examined the windshield wiper of his truck, all that remained intact of the machine, then thanked providence things were no worse. Hood's paint truck hit a bump in the road and bounced onto a railroad track, where it stalled. The driver could not see an oncoming train because of rain, but he jumped clear seconds before the passenger train struck.

The engine plowed into the truck, demolished it, and went on its way. A freight train came to the spot and had to try three times before it could cross the rails made slippery with paint.

ROMANTIC COUPLE TOGETHER AGAIN IN BRILLIANT FILM

Carole Lombard and Fred MacMurray, the romantic team of "Hands Across the Table," and "A Princess Comes Across," are together again in "Swing High, Swing Low," a brilliant romance with music, which opened at the Arcadia theatre last night and plays again today.



"Swing High, Swing Low," is the story of Carole Lombard, as the girl whose love and faith in a ne'er-do-well trumpet player lifts him to the pinnacle of success but robs her of his love. He discovers that he cannot succeed without

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HEY, KIDS! LOOK WHO'LL BE HERE TOMORROW

Little Miss Nobody with JANE WITHERS

her and returns to beg her forgiveness. The story is set in Panama and New York City, and there are many gorgeous settings. Dorothy Lamour, the girl who became famous after her first moving picture appearance in "The Jungle Princess," is in the elaborate cast, which also includes Charlie Butterworth, Jean Dixon, Harvey Stephens and many others. The film was directed by Mitchell Leisen, director of "The Big Broadcast of 1937," and other musical stories. "Swing High, Swing Low," is the first film in which talents of Miss Lombard reveals that she is a singer and dancer. This is a side of the blonde beauty which is well known to few even among her friends. It is to be hoped that there will be more pictures with Miss Lombard exhibiting her talents in this field.

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