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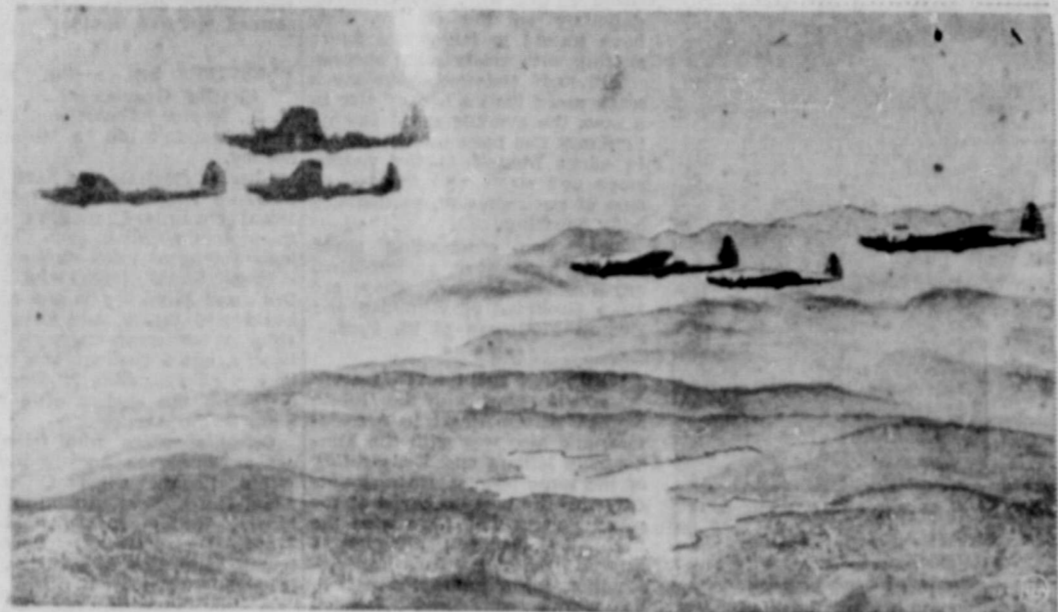
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London dogs have developed "road sense" and now look both ways before crossing the street. But it will be the same old story when road dog meets road hog.

AIRY GREETINGS TO SOUTH AMERICA

"FLYING FORTS" ON MISSION OF PEACE



Six giant arrows pointing the way to good will between the United States and its Latin-American neighbors are the six giant "flying fortresses" of the U. S. Army Air Corps, five of which completed a 6,000-mile good-will flight to Buenos Aires, where their crews of 50 officers and men, headed by Col. Robert Olds, will attend the inauguration of Argentina's new president, Roberto Ortiz.

COMMANDER



Lt. Col. Robert Olds is shown waving goodbye as he boards his "flagship" to lead the U. S. Army's six huge flying fortresses on the good-will flight which ended at Buenos Aires.

Crossing Mishaps Claim Six Lives; Death Toll Is 16

By United Press
FORT WORTH, Feb. 21.—A father, son and daughter died today from injuries suffered when their automobile collided at a crossing with a Missouri-Kansas-Texas passenger train during a snowstorm.

The dead: Troy Brock, 41, father; Claude Brock, 22, son; Floy Marie Brock, 15, daughter.

Young Brock, driving his sister to high school, apparently failed to see the train, enroute into Fort Worth from Waco.

Sixteen persons died from injuries received in traffic accidents and by violence in Texas during the week-end. Several others were injured seriously.

Traffic deaths were hardly tabulated Monday before sleet and snow made highways and city streets slick and dangerous.

Three men were killed near Grandview Sunday when their car was struck by a Missouri-Kansas-Texas passenger train.

Miss Lillie Harper, 24, Cass county school teacher, and her friend, Wesley Shelton, 24, of Kildare, were drowned Sunday night when their automobile plunged through the railing of a highway bridge near Jefferson and landed in 30 feet of water.

Olden P.-T. A. Has Founders Day

Members of the P.-T. A. of Olden gathered in the living room of the Home Economic cottage, Thursday evening, Feb. 17 to celebrate Founders Day.

The dining table was laid with a beautiful quaker-venice lace cloth over green satin. A large cake with green icing and tiny white candles forming the centerpiece. Green candleholders with white candles were on either end.

The program was opened with a talk by the President, Mrs. Barrett, in which she thanked the District Presidents, Mrs. M. A. Taylor, Austin, and Mrs. Frank Jacobs, Ranger, and tribute was paid to Mrs. David Omear, Miss Alice Hince and Phaele Hearst organizers of National Congress and Founders Day.

Twelve little boys played "America" on their harmonicas. A playlet was staged by Mrs. Bragg, Miss Allmon, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Vernon and Mrs. Stanton, displaying the work of the different departments of the National, State, District, County and local with little Miss Jean Roberts playing a prominent part.

Miss Lorene Star in her charming manner read "My Tribute."

Dainty sandwiches, angel food cake, tea or coffee was served by the hostess, Mrs. H. C. Scraggs, Mrs. J. Paul Eppler and Miss Mildred Dutton to Mrs. C. O. Bragg, John L. Peyton, W. N. Burns, Paul Johnson, Jack Edwards, Chas. Mitchell, J. A. Anderson, A. Roberts, H. R. Horner, L. G. Williamson, T. S. Stanton, G. W. Young, C. U. Norton, Walter Barrett, Shelby Smith, David B. Vermillion, Misses Mary Gorchart, Elberta Martin, Gorse Graham, Eunice Hamilton, Bonnie Allmon, Mr. C. O. Bragg, Shelby Smith and Herman Cergus.

Dog Fights Image Of Self In Mirror

BRECKENRIDGE, Feb. 21.—Dick Tolbert of Eastland has a fine St. Bernard dog about fifteen months old. This past week-end he brought the dog to Breckenridge with him. He went into the Burch hotel cafe. A long wall mirror stands just to the right of the entrance door to the cafe. The dog saw himself in the mirror. Apparently he never had seen a mirror before. It was a good dog fight with himself while it lasted.

Reward Is Posted For Car's Return

The county sheriff's office Monday received notice from J. L. Gordon, Jones county sheriff at Anson, that a \$25 reward has been posted for the recovery of a 1935 Plymouth coupe stolen recently.

The notice stated that the reward would be paid if the automobile was returned unstripped and unburned and provided the responsible persons were apprehended.

The car was described as being brown in color and bearing a Texas license number of 692-434 and a motor number of P.85779.

A suspect's name was given.

BRITAIN MOVES TO MAINTAIN PEACE CONTROL

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain intimated in the house of commons today that the British government is considering recognizing the Italian conquest of Ethiopia if it would contribute to a general easing of the tension in Europe.

Chamberlain addressed a crowded house after Capt. Anthony Eden and Viscount Cranborne explained why they split with the prime minister and resigned as foreign secretary and foreign undersecretary.

Meanwhile David Lloyd George, wartime premier, issued a general call to the British Empire to demand recall of Eden to the foreign secretaryship and re-establishment of his policy of "no surrender of principles."

Eden implied that he feels Italy and Germany are violating international agreements. He said he could not agree with Chamberlain that Italy's attitude makes it advisable to hold all conferences between Britain and Italy at present.

Before today's statements were made Chamberlain received Dino Grandi, Italian ambassador, and was understood to have arranged for immediate conversations between the two conversations at which Britain would make concessions on Spain and recognize Italian Ethiopia.

"The talks with Rome do not involve any departure from the British policy of closest friendship with France," Chamberlain assured the house. "If Britain, France, Italy and Germany could discuss their differences the peace of Europe would be saved for a generation."

Master Work Slated By Eastland Lodge

Work in the Master's degree will be given tonight at 7 o'clock at a meeting of Eastland Masonic lodge No. 467 in Masonic temple.

Visiting Masons have been invited.

Harry Hines May Run for Governor

AUSTIN, Feb. 21.—Harry Hines of Wichita Falls, member of the State Highway Commission, said today he was "seriously considering" suggestions that he become a candidate for governor.

Jurors Are Chosen For Case In 91st

Jurors were chosen Monday morning in 91st district court for the trial of the suit of Joe G. Williams, seeking damages for alleged personal injuries, against Railway Express agency.

Jurors were W. A. Hooker, J. Z. Phillips, A. L. Gattis, H. L. Hambrick, E. L. Smith, E. J. Allen, H. A. Palling, A. A. Thompson, J. Webb, O. T. Hazard, H. C. Abernathy, H. C. Nix.

Ranger 4-H Boys Are Meeting Today

Discussion of a local livestock show and attending the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show on 4-H day, Mar. 12, was to be taken up this afternoon at a meeting of Ranger 4-H club boys at the chamber of commerce offices in Ranger.

Hugh F. Barnhart, assistant county agent, was to discuss hogs and show motion pictures.

Rodney Kidd Named Director of League

AUSTIN, Feb. 21.—Rodney Kidd of Austin, formerly of Southwestern University of Georgetown, today was named director of athletics for the Texas Interscholastic League to succeed the late Roy Henderson.

Jersies For Show To Be Given Test By Ranger 'Vet'

Dr. Ross Hodges, Ranger veterinarian, Tuesday will test for bang's disease on Jersies to be entered by Eastland county 4-H members and others in the livestock department of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show on March 12 at Fort Worth.

Those who are to enter animals include Buster Wheat of Morton Valley, James Dean, James Calvert, L. C. Love, James Walker, Jack Walker, all of Alameda, and T. E. Richardson and Louis Pitzer of Eastland.

Hugh F. Barnhart, assistant county agent, will accompany Dr. Hodges when he tests the Jersies.

Roumania Put Under Royal Dictatorship

BUCHAREST, Roumania, Feb. 21.—King Carol placed Roumania under a "royal" dictatorship today, proclaiming a corporative state and presenting a new constitution to his 19,000,000 subjects.

Under the constitution workers, farmers and free professions will be represented in a parliament "protected from dangerous political factions."

Eight Negroes Break From Beaumont Jail

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Lone Survivor of Crusading Group That Gave Birth to W. C. T. U.

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She is Mrs. Jennie Duffy, 82 years old, who still lives in Hillsboro. Pictured at right, Mrs. Duffy is in good health, does some traveling, and still is intensely interested in current affairs and particularly in the temperance movement.

Two other Hillsboro women, Mrs. Elizabeth Leslie and Mrs. Elizabeth Harsha, who attended the original meeting, are still alive. They were just children, however, when the meeting was held.

The W. C. T. U. is still strong in Hillsboro with 115 members. One of its leaders, Miss Mary Cow-

Filibuster Wins Victory in Senate After Six Weeks

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—A six-weeks filibuster against the anti-lynching bill ended in triumph today when the senate shelved the controversial to make way for the \$250,000,000 relief bill.

The vote was 58 to 22.

As the senate plunged into a conflict over proposals to boost the relief measure to \$400,000,000 leaders of the southern filibuster bloc claimed that anti-lynching legislation was being forced for a long time to come.

The house naval affairs committee hear Admiral Dubose, chief of naval construction, testify a reasonable program for constructing a larger navy would require eight to 10 years.

Riots Break Out In Streets of Vienna

VIENNA, Austria, Feb. 21.—Nazis and anti-Nazis clashed in the streets of Vienna today, spreading panic among Jews. Additional disorders were feared as all political elements called their adherents for demonstrations tonight.

At dusk Nazis had already started new demonstrations after students had clashed in the University of Vienna, in a bitter demonstration against Jews.

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Mrs. Jennie Duffy, lone survivor of the Women's Temperance Crusade, feels certain that the nation one day will have absolute prohibition again.

"The liquor traffic cannot be controlled," she says, "it must be prohibited."

Snow and Sleet Add To Hazards Along Highways

Snow and sleet fell over all the Panhandle, West, North and much of East Texas Monday.

The precipitation was a new serious threat as it fell on the watershed of the Red, Trinity and other North Texas rivers, already bank full from last week's rains.

The U. S. Weather Bureau at Houston forecast flood stages on the Trinity and Sabine rivers in East Texas. The forecast said the Brazos River would fall, except in its lower courses.

Snow was recorded at Wichita Falls, Fort Worth, Santa, Abilene, Bonham, Guadalupe Pass, Amarillo, Canadian, Dallas and other points. An early-morning rain turned into sleet at Fort Worth and Dallas and by daybreak a driving snow covered the streets.

Sleet was recorded in many East Texas cities. Sleet also fell at Wink, in West Texas.

Monday morning temperatures included 33 at Dallas, 20 at Amarillo, 22 at Lubbock and 28 at Abilene.

More than 25,000 men, women and children, routed from their homes by icy floodwaters, were scattered among refugee camps in Southwestern Arkansas and Oklahoma. Many of them were exposed to cold weather.

Red Cross workers were rushed from Washington to Arkansas, where 5,000 families representing 22,000 persons were homeless.

National Guardsmen were on duty in Oklahoma.

Funeral Held a Cisco On Sunday For Mishap Victim

Funeral services for Jack Moudy, 51, farmer of the Dothan community and half-brother of County Commissioner Arch Birt, who lives near Dothan, were conducted Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist church in Cisco with burial afterwards at Cisco cemetery.

Mr. Moudy's body was found near his home Saturday afternoon. Since he had gone hunting, and a gun was near a fence, it was established that the gun was accidentally discharged while he was crawling through the fence. The shot from the gun struck Mr. Moudy in the left breast.

Mr. Moudy, who lived with his mother, Mrs. B. F. Moudy, had resided in the Dothan community many years. Other survivors include a sister, Mrs. Joe White of California.

County Judge W. S. Adamson of Eastland, County Engineer A. F. Taylor, County Commissioner and Mrs. Henry Davenport of Ranger, Assistant County Auditor Paul McFarland of Eastland, and County Commissioner Newt Cravley of Gorman were among those attending the services.

Eastland Girl to Aid In Celebration

Active in the February social season at Texas State College for Women is Miss Carolyn Cox of Eastland, who will assist in preparations for the Mardi Gras masquerade to be held Saturday at Denton, according to information received Monday by relatives.

Miss Cox will give advice on costumes to underclassmen students and will assist in all activities of the evening. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed T. Cox, Sr.

125 Attend Kokomo Annual 4-H Program

One hundred twenty-five persons attended Sunday at Kokomo the community's annual 4-H club day program.

Rev. L. R. Higginbotham discussed "Religious Life of a 4-H Club Member" at church services in the schoolhouse.

Elroy Bethany of Carbon and Vernon Foster of Flatwood were visitors from other 4-H clubs. Extension service officials from Eastland also were present.

February Pension Checks Are Mailed

Eastland county's aged have been mailed February pension checks totaling \$12,283, according to an announcement by the State Old Age Assistance Commission.

February checks went to 829 persons, an increase of two over the previous month when a total of \$12,339 was distributed.

FIGHT LOOMS OVER OIL IN GULF WATERS

AUSTIN, Feb. 21.—Governor Alfred of Texas today considered flying to Washington to make a personal protest against the federal claim to oil reservoirs in the Gulf of Mexico, off the Texas coast.

"The federal government has no right to such reserves," Alfred said.

The governor's appearance before the judiciary committee on Wednesday in Washington for its hearing on the topic will depend on his ability to arrange his local affairs.

Attorney General William McCraw is enroute to Washington to oppose the federal claim.

State Land Commissioner William McDonald left Saturday for Washington.

HOUSTON, Feb. 21.—Texas school leaders banded together today for a fight against a resolution pending before Congress, which they contend would deprive the Texas permanent school fund of \$100,000,000.

H. L. Mills, business manager of Houston schools, left for Washington to appear before the House judiciary committee, which is considering legislation to invalidate all state leases on submerged oil lands and to give the federal government full ownership.

Woman at 97 Fears Boredom

CHLOE, Ia.—Leonise (Grandma Joe) LeBlou admits that she's growing old because she had to see the doctor after her 97th birthday.

"Grandma Joe," known as the "Grand Old Lady of Calcasieu Parish," still lives in the plantation home built by her father, the bon vivant Arsine, who often entertained the pirate, Jean Lafitte.

The home once stood in a dense forest of giant hardwood timber, but now only the old mansion remains.

Recently when "Grandma Joe" had a slight ailment and the doctor was called, she said in a mellow Creole accent, "Don't you ever grow old honey. I've always done what I wanted, but now I have a doctor and he tells me I must sit. And I sit. That's what it means to be getting old."

"Grandma Joe" is historian of the section and her reminiscences hold visitors spellbound. Among the notables seeking the hospitality of Arsine LeBlou's plantation on the edge of the Old Spanish Trail, she relates, were two dusty riders. "Grandma Joe" was young then and she didn't like their looks. But the servants fed them.

As they departed they offered her \$50, but she explained impatiently that the LeBlou plantation was not an inn and left the dining room.

On her return, "Grandma Joe" relates, she found a note of thanks. It was signed "Jesse and Frank James."

But this was just a passing incident in the life of the woman who has seen more than a lifetime of entertainment in the old mansion.

Father Arsine was the most generous man in the parish. He was wont to invite any unfortunate traveling along the road to stop at his home.

Grandma Joe resides 23 footsores little travelers besides her own 10 children.

"Yes," she says, "the house was always full of entertainment and laughter. The only thing I ever feared was boredom."

RANGER TIMES
Has Great Tickets
Tuesday for Mr. and Mrs. Roy Russell
To See Gloria Stuart in "CHANGE OF HEART" AT THE ARCADIA
Call at Daily Times Office. Not transferable. Good only date issued.

ER'S TALK IMED AT DER NATION

By United Press
Feb. 21.—Adolf Hitler's declaration of Germany's intention to protect Germany minor countries was interpreted today as a warning to Poland.

Hitler did not mention the country it was believed he would take more positive action if Poland, the 3,500,000 German people are mistreated.

Germany orders on Germany much of it lies between Poland and Austria.

Some who yesterday heard around his domestic and policy, awaited confident approach from Great Britain would break the division between the socialist and democratic of Europe.

Germany demanded colonies, decided that attacks on Germany emphasized Germany's new growing might—more more soldiers, more steel.

UP College Defeats Clifton

By Joe Jane Griffith
Senior Junior College basketball team defeated the Clifton team on the Clifton court tonight. The Clifton team won the first half; during the second half the score swung back and forth, with the home team leading by two points, however McCall scored for the Rangers during the extra period the score was 41-28 in favor of McCall. Ranger's high mark, made a score of 13.

Ranger's starting lineup included McGaha and Frank McCall; Alvis Wood and McGaha and Wesley Norwood.

Wood, one of the outstanding players on the Ranger team for two years, was injured during the extra period of playing from a badly sprained ankle which will be out of the line-up the rest of the season.

Funeral Is Held For Ranger Woman

Funeral services for Mrs. Priscilla, 73, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Julia, 205 Main street, Ranger, were conducted Monday afternoon at the Killingsworth chapel by Rev. K. C. Ed of Ranger. After the service the body was shipped to be buried by the side of her husband.

Mrs. Priscilla was born in England, 1865, and had been a member of Ranger for 20 years. Her survivors include one son, Wilbur of Georgetown; two daughters, Mrs. Mazy Buntin and Mrs. Hanson, both of Ranger; Miss Annis Snowberger; 17 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Woman Is Killed by G-Men

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The bureau of investigation today announced that Jane Carter was arrested there to be connected with the activities of Leonard Jackson, alleged gangster.

An announcement said \$11,300 was in the Houston apartment of Jane Carter lived.

Carter was arrested in Baltimore Sunday in connection with a \$9,000 robbery of a W. Va. bank. He is charged with a murder in Ohio for the shooting of policeman, F. B. L. Edgar Hoover said.

MASS MEETING WHEN MASSE FAMILY GATHERS



Producing Mr. and Mrs. Onezime Masse and their 21 healthy children. The Masses, who live in a little farmhouse near Zurich, Ontario, believe they have the largest family in Canada. The parents have been married 28 years. In the family circle above, the parents stand at the left of the back row, with the other children arranged clockwise in order of age. All six rooms of the Masse (pronounced Moss) home are used as bedrooms at night. The family bakes and eats 42 loaves of bread every week, and Saturday night Papa Masse always brings home a 100-pound sack of flour. None of the children has ever been far from home.

Two Towns File Reports on Projects Completed by WPA

SAN ANTONIO. — Mayors of Saint Jo and Shamrock were the first Texas sponsors to describe their local works program activities in response to the United States Community Improvement Appraisal being conducted by the Works Progress Administration in this state, it was reported today by State Administrator H. F. Drought.

Although these two officials were first to send complete reports of the improvements realized by their communities through the use of works program funds, scores of other mayors and county judges have signified their intention of joining in the nationwide analysis of the net results of the works program.

"Early response to our letters of invitation has been very encouraging," declared Drought, "and we believe that this survey will be of great assistance in evaluating the results of five years of activity by Texas communities in cooperation with the federal works program."

From Saint Jo, a town of 950 population in Montague county, came a report of the construction of 5,700 feet of city sewer lines and other sanitation work, grad-

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



For Love of Polly

By RACHEL MACK

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CAST OF CHARACTERS

MISS CHERRY, heroine

MISS WHITFIELD, heroine

MISS BANKS, heroine

MISS POLLY, heroine

MISS JERRY, heroine

MISS MARY, heroine

MISS ANN, heroine

MISS ELLA, heroine

MISS BESS, heroine

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Behind the Scenes in Washington

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

NEA service staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—Once again a Washington correspondent takes typewriter in hand—instead of throwing it out the window—and addresses himself to the time-worn but persistently interesting question: "Where do we go from here?"

After a recent check on the White House, Congress and Business one is tempted to answer: "We don't. We just sit!"

The alacrity with which Roosevelt, Congress and industry have adopted labor's sitdown strike technique is bound to impress the serious-minded as well as those who regard life as a comic strip. The plain fact is that they all have lost—or mislaid—their self-starters.

Business, as everyone knows, blames the administration and its uncertainty as to government intentions. More or less conversely, Roosevelt—who to date has no definite "recovery" plan whatever—is waiting to see what business is going to do in the way of activity. (He is optimistic, as usual.)

Congress is definitely conservative insofar as the New Deal is concerned, and prefers doing nothing rather than obey the President.

Anyone who wants to attempt the impossible of getting a clear picture of the situation must appreciate this fundamental fact: Roosevelt is not now strong enough to put his program through Congress (except perhaps for certain items badly battered) and the congressional opposition, on the other hand, isn't strong enough to enact anything which is anathema to the President.

This, if one interprets both Noah Webster and current events correctly, means stalemate. It may also be said, in some cases, to mean compromise.

But predictions as to the details of any forthcoming compromise are so hazardous that the Roosevelt-Congress stalemate becomes a prime causative factor in the uncertainty to which nearly all hands vehemently object.

There will certainly be a new farm act and a new tax law and very likely some wage-hour and reorganization legislation. But Roosevelt doesn't know and Congress doesn't know what any of them will be like in final form.

Roosevelt's hops, skips and jumps between anti-monopoly crusade, co-operation with business and a la Richberg and numerous other conflicting theories are gummy enough by themselves.

But when you consider that practically anything he is likely to suggest has at least a 50-50 chance of being stymied on Capitol Hill, it appears that even if he made up his mind there would be no prompt end to "uncertainty."

For instance, his highly praiseworthy, entirely innocuous and probably not very important bill to stimulate house building skinned through the Senate by only a two-vote margin.

The President might straighten things out by capitulating completely to his conservative advisers and critics, including southern members of Congress, or they might straighten things out by capitulating to him.

Likewise possibility seems remote. Roosevelt feels that his opponents have presented no bright new ideas and vice versa. (Copyright, 1938, NEA Service, Inc.)

ALLEY OOP - - - - - By HAMLIN



ing and graving of two miles of streets, beautification of the public square, and the construction of 900 square yards of sidewalks. Of the sanitation work, Mayor T. E. Giles wrote that it has practically eliminated typhoid fever in his community.

Shamrock's civic report listed the graving and oiling of five miles of streets, rehabilitation of a municipal water line, construction of a modern swimming pool, and operation of a sewing room employing 22 women for more than two years.

The United States Community Improvement Appraisal is an attempt by national groups to analyze the tangible results of the federal works program, Drought ex-

plained. All cities, counties and state departments which have utilized federal funds to make public improvements have been invited to describe and evaluate their activities from a local viewpoint. Their entries will be received until Mar. 8. Non-partisan appraisal committees will report on the various local entries and their conclusions along with the local reports upon which they are based will be sent to a national appraisal committee in Washington, Drought said.

The "little business" conference might have attracted representatives of steel. It recently reported 27 per cent capacity contracts.

Georgians May Be On a Texas Tour

DALLAS.—Clark Howell, publisher of the Atlanta, Ga., Constitution, and Guler Bobby Jones may join the Dallas Chamber of Commerce Good Neighbors Tour to Mexico in March.

Arthur S. Bird of Dallas, friend of the two Georgians, has made reservations for himself, his wife, and at least one friend.

World's Largest Flying Boat Nears Completion



A side view of the new South Seas clipper which, when completed, will be the world's largest flying boat. Built in the Boeing aircraft factory at Seattle, Wash., the clipper will have a wing of 152 feet, and an overall length of 109 feet. It will weigh 42 1/2 tons when loaded, almost as much as the clippers now in use. First of six such ships to be constructed, the clipper will carry 72 passengers on daylight trips and 40 on overnight journeys.

led in the chain store act that has been in the courts continuously since the tax first became due. The court of civil appeals at Dallas recently overruled a motion of stores to remand the test case for retrial.

Many stores participating in the litigation have now applied for payment blanks and no appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court is anticipated. A number of obscure parts of the law have been referred to the attorney general's office for ruling. These include a ruling that filling stations selling accessories are subject to the tax.

State Comptroller approved took steps this month to collect \$1,000,000 per month in taxes already are due in parts. They were lev-

National Insignia

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HORIZONTAL
1 Coat of arms of —, pictured here.
5 River in this country.
11 Disorganized retreat.
12 Abundance.
13 To harden.
14 To deem.
16 Southeast.
17 Tiny vegetable.
19 And.
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23 People.
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VERTICAL
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2 Aurora.
3 Regrets.
4 Speaks.
5 Since.
6 Map makers.
7 Strangers.
8 Girdle.
9 Native metal.
10 Northeast.
15 This country.
18 Its mountains are rich in —.
20 Tissue.
21 Touched with the toes.
22 Ice cream drink.
24 To rupture.
25 Either.
26 Fiber knots.
27 Frightened.
28 Transgression.
29 A particle.
32 Frozen water.
35 Total.
37 Male child.
39 Simpleton.
41 Pastry.
43 Ulcer.
45 Branches.
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48 Naval assistant.
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52 Billiard rod.
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51 Curved like a sickle.
53 Sloths.
54 Queer.
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Ranger Girl to Assist in Plans for Mardi Gras
Active in the February social season at Texas State College for Women is Miss Dorothy O'Donnell of Ranger, who will assist in preparations for the Mardi Gras masquerade to be held this Saturday. This affair replaces the All-College Valentine dance held in past years.

Prizes will be given for the cleverest costumes, and queens have been elected to reign over both dormitories where the dance will be held. Miss O'Donnell will

give advice to under classmen students and will assist in all activities of the evening. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. O'Donnell.

Delightful Evening With Hostess Mrs. Tharpe
Members of the Gulf Women's Safety Club were delightfully entertained in the home of Mrs. H. R. Tharpe, Gulf camp Friday evening, Mrs. Glenn West, led the program on "Reducing Fire Accidents in the Home." The informative talk was followed with a short business session, and committee to serve during the month of March were named.

At the same hour the Men's club convened at the company office, and at the close of a program of interest they joined the women for bridge and "42" played at tables attractively appointed. Prize winners were Mrs. D. H. Martin and Mrs. Ben Odum.

The foursome tables were re-appointed for the serving of a delicious refreshment plate of chicken salad sandwiches, fruit salad, apple pie and coffee to guests: Messrs. and Meses. Glenn West, Ross Stator, Ben Odum, T. J. Powell, D. H. Martin, E. F. Latham, and little Sharon Odum, Martha Ann Stator and Elmer Norris, T. L. Thompson and son, Bob, R. G. Barry and son, Porter and Masters Tommie and Dickie Powell.

Golden Rule Class Cancels Meeting
The Men's Golden Rule Sunday school class of First Christian church who had slated a meeting for Wednesday evening are asked to note the change which announces Thursday night at the same hour the time of meeting. The meeting carried forward one night is due to conflicting programs.

Tuesday Meeting Postponed Until Thursday Afternoon
Mrs. J. E. Ogg, asks members of the First Baptist church who are now planning to organize an additional Sunday school class to note the postponement of the meeting. At first the time was set for 2:30 Tuesday afternoon but today brings a change to Thursday afternoon at the same hour with Mrs. Ed Eubank, hostess at her home, Cypress street.

Ranger President Paid Honor
Mrs. F. E. Jacobs, of Ranger, president of First District of Texas Congress of Parent-Teacher association was paid tribute along with other prominent persons of the association when members of the Olden P.-T. A. observed their Founders Day program featured with a candlelighting ceremony. Candles were lighted for State and district presidents, in cluding the one for District one and Mrs. Jacobs, whose influence and leadership covers many branches of the association.

Young School Operetta Postponed
Cooper school's operetta announced in Sunday's paper for tonight, has been postponed until later according to announcement made this morning by principal of the school, A. H. Haskin. The operetta entitled "Mother Goose" is a one act play and when presented later in the week will also carry songs, and declamations by the pupils. Inclement weather brought the postponement.

Federation Club to Meet in May
The County Federation of Women's clubs met Saturday afternoon at the Blue rooms of the Gholson Hotel. The 1929 club and the New Era club acted as hostesses.

During the business meeting the federation unanimously endorsed Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins' candidacy for president of the State Federation. The program consisted of music by six girls directed by Mrs. Homer Smith. Mrs. C. K. West of Brecken-

On Her 9th Wedding Day



After no less than seven marriages, at the end of which she renounced matrimony forever, Mrs. Virginia Cogswell celebrated Valentine's Day appropriately by tripping to the altar at Elton, Md., with Charles R. Bromley. They are pictured after ceremony.

Plans Completed For Legion Banquet On Tuesday Night

Arrangements have been completed for the annual George Washington birthday banquet, to be sponsored by the Carl Barnes Post No. 69 of the American Legion, it was announced today by members of the arrangements committee.

This will be the 15th annual banquet of the Ranger post, held on Feb. 22, and the banquets have always been successful.

A well-balanced program has been arranged and a large attendance is expected. All veterans who served in the World War, and the general public are cordially invited by the officers of the post to be present to hear the message brought by the principal speaker, Dr. J. W. Danforth of Fort Worth, department commander of the American Legion for Texas.

A fine menu has been arranged by the ladies of the First Methodist church.

The banquet will start Tuesday evening at 7:30, at the American Legion hall.

Would Leave Home to Save Dog



Pure adoration is plain on the face of this Great Dane, Symbol, as he looks into the eyes of his 23-year-old mistress, Eleanor Allinger. And no wonder, for Miss Allinger decided to leave her family, friends and job in Kenmore, N. Y., to save the dog's life. Her "flight" from the state became necessary when the court ordered the dog executed after the S. P. C. A. complained because its ears had been clipped in violation of state law. "I just can't part with Symbol," said Miss Allinger.

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For Representative, 16th District: Eastland, Calhoun Counties CECIL A. LUTHE, F. L. (LEWIS) CROSSLEY.

For District Clerk: JOHN WHITE, EUGENE B. BOND.

For Criminal District Attorney: EARL CONNER, Jr. (Re-election).

For County Judge: W. S. ADAMSON, (Re-election).

For County Clerk: R. N. (RIP) GALLOWAY, (Re-election, 2nd term).

For Assessor-Collector: C. E. O'BRIEN, (2nd term).

For County Superintendent: T. C. WILLIAMS, (One term is 4 years). CLABORN ELDREDGE, (Re-election, 2nd term).

For County Treasurer: GARLAND BRANTON, W. O. (DICK) WEEKS, MRS. FRANCES (HOLBROOK) COOPER.

For Sheriff: LOSS WOODS, (For 2nd Term). VIRGE FOSTER.

For Commissioner, Precinct 1: HENRY V. DAVENPORT, J. B. (DOUG) BARTON.

For Commissioner, Precinct 2: NOAH YOUNG.

For Constable, Precinct 1: JOHN BARNES (Re-election). RAY FAIRCLOTH, SAM W. JONES.

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Nueces Bridge Will Have Beauty Queen At Formal Opening

PORT ARTHUR.—The \$2,750,000 Nueces river bridge has a beauty queen, a celebrating committee and a "guest list" of several thousand persons awaiting its completion about April 1.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Mills, the daughter of Chairman H. O. Mills of the committee arranging for the celebration marking the opening of the new structure to first highway traffic, has been selected to preside at queen of festivities.

W. E. Lea of Orange, vice chairman of the general committee, already is predicting that 30,000 persons will attend the bridge-opening ceremonies. Mayor Frank Imhoff of Port Arthur has sent out invitations and will welcome the visitors.

The huge bridge's main span is 650 feet long and towers 270 feet above the deep-sea channel, allowing free movement of ocean-going vessels beneath it.

Laying of a 22 1/2-foot roadway is nearing completion. The road will be 7,752 feet long. The bridge is one of the biggest engineering projects in the Southwest.

ridge gave an interesting talk on the constitution of our country. Following business and program the committee served refreshments to about 60 guests.

Mrs. M. H. Hazaman, who is president of the County Federation announced the next regular session will be held in May. The meeting place will be decided upon later.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Claret, Texas, visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blackmond had as their guests Saturday and Sunday their son, Randall Blackmond of Monahan, who had spent several days at A. M. College, where he attended a school of instruction for associates of Water Works companies.

Childrens' Stories Found Not So Good

PORT WORTH, Texas—Go ahead and tell Junior the story of "Jack-the-Giant-Killer" if you want to.

It's not likely that it will influence him to go out and decapitate his playmates. However, a steady diet of orgs and giant stories might not be the best thing.

Such is the belief of Dr. J. H. Dougherty, professor of elementary education in Texas Christian University here.

The National Story League recently advocated a strict censorship on children's stories, frowning upon such stories as "Jack-the-Giant-Killer," "Little Red Riding Hood," and "Little Miss Muffet."

The League holds that Jack was a blood-thirsty young gent, as was evidenced by his chopping off the giant's head. Dr. Dougherty agrees that chopping off heads is a very bad habit indeed, but thinks that "As long as you keep before the child the fact that it is just a story, I can't see the harm in it."

Dr. Dougherty agrees with the league that stories carrying elements of social injustice or cruel parents or step-parents are unfit for small children.

"For small children, tales of everyday life that the children can understand are the best," he says.

"But you can't force story telling or reading on children, but parents can guide that reading."

Patrolman puts a traffic ticket on a police squad car, and a judge fines himself \$2 for parking on the wrong side of the street, showing that enforcement of traffic regulations is sometimes against the law.

NOTE BOOK

Mrs. Jack Urban, head of the ready-to-wear department at Hassen store, is confined to her home, Gholson hotel suffering an attack of influenza.

Mrs. Tom Rawls, who resigned her duties at Hassen's store last week in order to recuperate is reported to be quite ill at her Pine street home.

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Common Sense About Constipation

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Humble O & R	66 1/2	
Mck & R	7	
Montg Ward	35 1/2	
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Wheat			
May	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Jul	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
Sep	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
Oats			
May	31 1/4	30 1/4	30 1/4
Jul	29 1/4	29 1/4	29 1/4

Countess Barbara Haugwitz-Reventlow, Woolworth heiress, stayed only 26 hours on her latest trip to the U. S. Maybe she was just checking up on two-cent store Christmas sales.

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