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THE WEATHER  
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West Texas: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Slightly cooler Friday to tonight.

# Ranger Times

UNITED PRESS SERVICE BRINGS LATE NEWS OF THE WORLD TO TIMES READERS  
RANGER, TEXAS, TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 27, 1938

News comes that Herman Goering has fallen victim to a hoarse throat. The report is that he has been completely incapacitated.

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## Greater Interest Is Shown In County Fair

### MESSAGE FROM HITLER BRINGS HOPE OF PEACE

LONDON, England, Sept. 27.—Communication from Adolf Hitler understood to have been sent to London today, encouraged hope for a last minute settlement, averting war in central Europe.

### Heads Delegation of Chinese Artists



Talented wife of one of the leaders in Gen. Chiang Kaishek's Chinese government, Mrs. Ernest Tong, pictured here on arrival in San Pedro, Calif., is heading a group of eight noted Chinese actors and musicians on a five-month tour of universities and women's clubs of the United States.

### EUROPE IS 96 HOURS FROM A FRIGHTFUL WAR

LONDON, England, Sept. 27.—As the diplomatic situation stood today, Europe was 96 hours from a general war involving between 350,000,000 and 400,000,000 persons.

### A House Divided Still Stands



Cut cleanly in two by the hurricane but still standing, this house at fashionable West Hampton, Long Island, was one of the many freaks of the storm that laid waste great areas of the eastern seaboard.

### BOARD NAMED TO STUDY THE RAIL PROBLEM

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—President Roosevelt today named a special fact-finding board to investigate the wage dispute which threatens a nationwide railroad strike.

### Legion Auxiliary Headed by Jurist



Mrs. James Morris, above, of Bismark, N. D., associate justice of the North Dakota Supreme Court, was elected president of the American Legion Auxiliary at the national Legion convention in Los Angeles.

### 11 EXHIBITS FROM RURAL TOWNS SLATED

Number Is Increased Compared To Show in 1937.

Twice as many community agricultural exhibits over last year's number have been assured for the annual Eastland County Fair Thursday through Saturday.

### BRITAIN ALREADY PARTLY MOBILIZED

The official London Gazette today announced that King George had declared a state of emergency.

### Ranger School for Colored Children Will Be Dedicated

The new negro school in Ranger will be dedicated tonight with appropriate services, which will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

### States Over 100 To Attend Mavs' Football Banquet

Between 100 and 150 persons are expected to attend a banquet honoring members of the Eastland High school football team Wednesday night at the Connelley hotel.

### Cooperation of Farmers Is Asked In Improving Land

County Agent Elmo V. Cook invited farmers Monday afternoon to cooperate in pasture improvement demonstrations which will be initiated soon.

### Homer Garrison Is Named New Head Safety Department

AUSTIN, Sept. 26.—Homer Garrison, Jr., was appointed director of the Texas Public Safety Department today to succeed the late Col. H. H. Carmichael.

### Texas Will Release Hamilton to U.S.

DALLAS, Sept. 26.—The State of Texas was ready, today, to release Floyd Hamilton to the federal government on trial under an Arkansas bank robbery indictment.

### Workings of 4-H Club Activity Is Related by Agent

So that a better understanding of 4-H club girls' exhibits at county fair Thursday through Saturday of this week at Eastland may be realized, Miss Mabel Caldwell, assistant county home demonstration agent, prepared the following explanation.

### BRID FANS OF EASTLAND EYE BULLDOG GAME

From an Eastland point of view, the Bulldog-Maverick conference game Friday afternoon at Welch will be one of the most interesting of the season.

### Masons to Attend Meeting at Cisco

A number of Master Masons will leave Ranger and Eastland this afternoon at 6:15 for Cisco, where they go to participate in a Master degree that will be conferred on two candidates.

### Agent Distributing Marketing Papers

Cotton marketing cards which will enable producers to sell their 1938 crop free are being distributed this week by Harry K. Westerman, agricultural conservation assistant, and the Eastland County Agricultural Association.

### Mingus Man Goes On Trial For a Murder

STEPHENVILLE, Sept. 26.—Everett Jones of Mingus went on trial here today on charges of murdering W. H. Spillers, 30, of Thurber, on Jan. 21.

### BRITAIN HOPES FOR PEACE BUT GIRLS FOR WAR

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Europe's statesmen tonight redoubled efforts to avert war over Germany's claims in Czechoslovakia.

### Colony P-TA Holds Meeting On Friday

The Colony P-T. A. met in a call meeting Friday, September 23 at 3 o'clock.

### HITLER STATES DELAY IS NOW 'IMPOSSIBLE'

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—Adolf Hitler cabled to President Roosevelt today that delay in the Sudeten-Germany problem was "impossible" and that it now lies in the hands of the Czech government alone to decide "whether they want peace or war."

### War Risk Insurance Is Being Cancelled

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Insurance underwriters today suspended all war risk protection on cargoes bound for Germany.

### London Evacuating Her School Children

LONDON, England, Sept. 27.—Authorities began evacuating school children from London today.

### ON SCHOOL BAND

Two students from Eastland have been selected as members of the John Tarleton college military band at Stephenville.

### School Warrants of Ranger Cashable

H. C. Wilkerson, school tax assessor and collector of Ranger, announced today that all warrants drawn on the local available fund were now payable in cash.

### Condemned Man Gets Fifth Reprieve

AUSTIN, Sept. 26.—Selanus Canedo received his fifth reprieve today from the electric chair. A new execution date was set for Oct. 28.

### ARE AT COLEMAN

Elmo V. Cook, Miss Ruth Ramsey, Hugh F. Barnhart and Miss Mabel Caldwell, county agents, Tuesday were at Coleman to attend a district extension service meeting.

These students are L. R. Cook and J. A. Johnson.

RANGER TIMES  
Has Game Tickets  
Wednesday for Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Falls  
MICKY ROONEY  
"HOLD THAT KISS" AT THE ARCADIA  
Call at Daily Times Office  
Not transferable. Good only dates listed.

### Self Vivisection Is Denounced by Syrov

PRAGUE, Sept. 25.—The government of Premier Jan Syrov denounced today the demands of Adolf Hitler as a request that Czechoslovakia "perform a self-vivisection."

### Flowers Requested For Fair Exhibition

Members of the flower committee of the Eastland County Fair are asking all who have cut flowers for display to bring them to the fair grounds Thursday by 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

### Americans Warned To Leave Europe

LONDON, Sept. 27.—The United States Embassy tonight issued a recommendation that Americans "who have no compelling reasons to continue their sojourn here, arrange to return to the United States."

### December 10 Set For Oilmen's Meet

December 10 has been set as the date and Abilene chosen as the site of the West Central Texas Oil & Gas association's annual meeting.

### Metal Trades Union Would Aid Resistance Of Any Invasion

HOUSTON, Sept. 26.—John Frey, head of the metal trades department of the American Federation of Labor, in convention here, said today union workers would support the government whole-heartedly if it were attacked as a result of the European crisis.

### Letter Writing Week Has Been Designated

The week of Oct. 2 to Oct. 8 has been designated as National Letter Writing Week, officials of the local post office announced today.

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Peace Is a Matter of Simple Needs Fulfilled

Because the Atlantic ocean is wide and our ways of thought are rather careless, it is easy to lose sight of the human realities back of the "war crisis" headlines.

We read that Germany does this, Britain does that, and Czechoslovakia does some other thing, and we tend to turn those abstractions into flesh-and-blood actors.

It is these millions who will pay for any war that takes place—pay for it in blood and agony and tragic unhappiness. And at the same time it is the sum total of their hopes, their disappointments, their ideals, and their thwarted individual questings for happiness that has brought the world to the edge of war.

What a human being wants out of this life is not, after all, anything very elaborate or complex, usually. He wants a chance to earn his bread and make his home, a little security against want, assurance that he can bring up his children under decent conditions, a bit of leisure in which to seek recreation—and that's about all.

Now what lies back of this war crisis is the simple fact that the ordinary man in Europe isn't getting that little bit which is his heart's desire—or, if he is, he fears that his neighbor is about to take it away from him.

Those desires could be satisfied. Europe's fields, mines, and factories could produce the things her people need. Peaceful trade, fostered on a basis of meeting the needs of the people of each country instead of being geared to provide this, that or the other nation with "economic self-sufficiency," could distribute those things where they were needed.

But that isn't done. Hardly an attempt to do it is made. And because, without it, larger and larger numbers of people are forced to go without these few essentials for human contentment, Europe today is a welter of fear, hatred, anxiety, and suspicion which makes war almost inevitable.

The people of Europe can have the things they want—if they go after them in the right way. The tragedy of this moment is that they are heading instead down a dark and bloody road which will exact a fearful toll from them—and leave them as far as ever from their real goal.

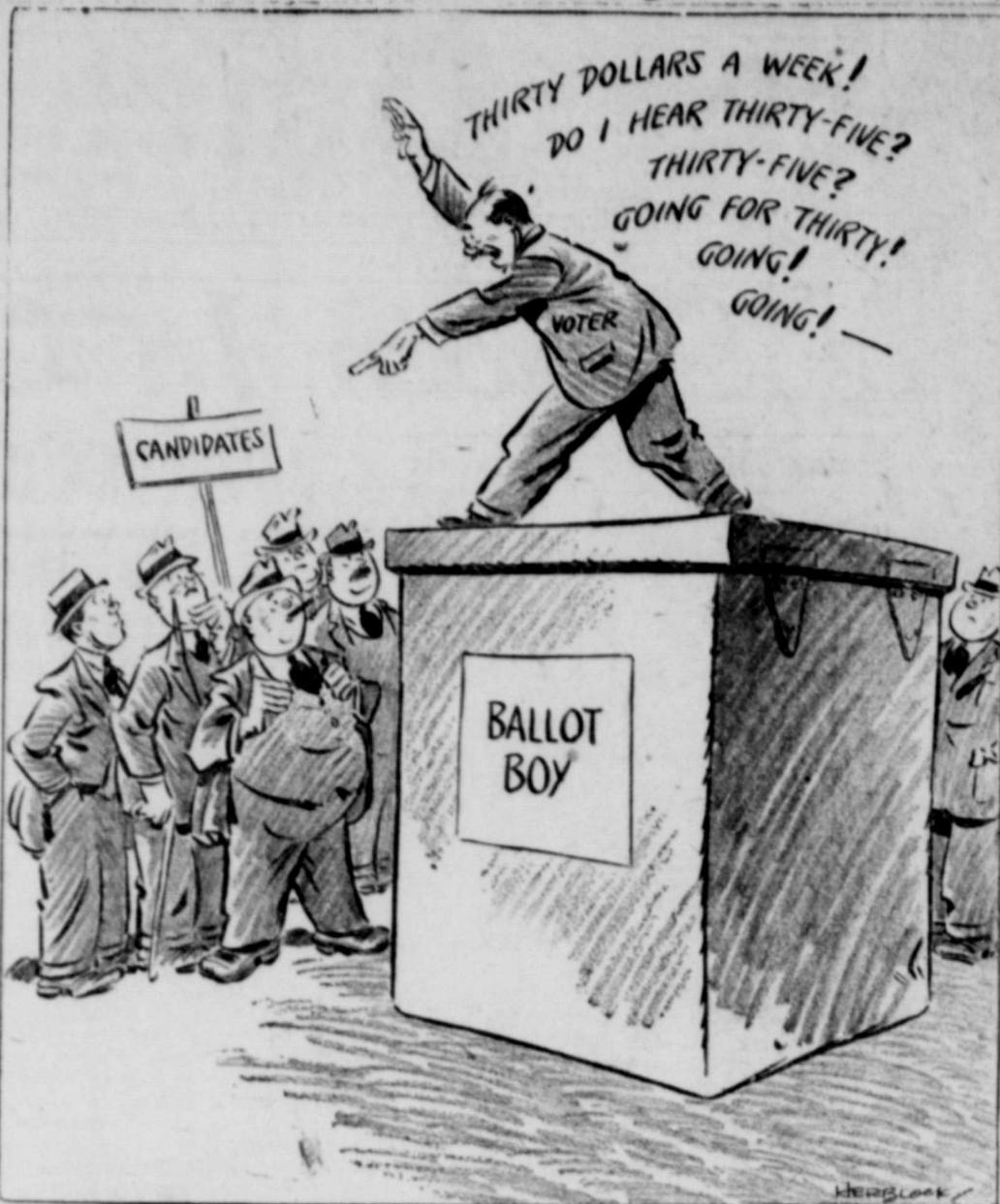
Now that the Nazis have practically exhausted the possibilities of artificial and substitute foods, the next step should be to preserve them with artificial ice.

WORKER FOR THE BLIND

Word puzzle section with horizontal and vertical clues and a crossword grid. Includes clues like 'Famous deaf and blind woman' and 'Small lion'.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers indicating starting points for words.

Is This What We're Coming to in Politics?



Kundt Headed for New Power



Nazi annexation of Czechoslovakia's Sudeten area is expected to bring new powers to Ernest Kundt, above, one of the chief aides of Konrad Henlein, leader of the Sudeten Germans.

Here and there a dead hawk will be found, hanging from a fence, shot by some foolish person without sufficient curiosity to open the bird's crop and stomach, and see for himself what it had been eating.

Somewhere, however, a rancher or farmer will have one less helper next summer, in combatting crop and grass destroying ground squirrels, gophers, mice, rabbits, crickets and grasshoppers.

GEM UPHOLDS RENO MYTH

RENO, Nev.—Concrete evidence is now available to sustain the sometimes scoffed at myth that Reno divorcees throw their wedding rings into the Truckee river.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS

Comic strip panels with dialogue. Includes characters like 'Freckles' and 'His Friends' with humorous interactions.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

Illustrated text columns. 'HOWLING MONKEYS OF SOUTH AMERICA' with a monkey illustration. 'CIRRLIS CLOUDS' with a cloud illustration. 'KATZ KOPPER' with a cow illustration. 'DO SNAKES TAKE MILK FROM COWS?' with a snake illustration.

ANSWER: No. A snake could not possibly milk a cow, even if the cow raised no objections. The shape of the snake's mouth makes the feat impossible, and the sharp teeth would stampede the gentlest of bosses.

Hawk Hordes Mean Much to Farmers; They Eat the Pests

NEW YORK.—With ground squirrels beginning their winter hibernation, and grasshoppers dying after having laid their eggs in the ground, the food supply of the big soaring summer hawk is rapidly vanishing.

Advertisement for 'A ROLL-YOUR-OWN TOBACCO THAT STAYS PUT' featuring a man's face and the name 'PRINCE ALBERT'.

red-tails, ferruginous rough-legs and marsh hawks. They also have found ground squirrels, gophers and other small rodents harder to find, and being birds, the natural thing to do is to migrate.



Fill Empty Sockets to Make Kitchen Tasks EASIER

Plenty of light in your kitchen enables you to work easier and faster, because you can see better. Put a larger lamp in your kitchen lighting fixture and see how much it improves the appearance of the kitchen, and how much easier it is to work.

CLEAN FIXTURES GIVE More LIGHT

Here's a tip on light economy: Wipe all lamp globes, glass shades and diffusing bowls on portable lamps occasionally with a damp cloth to remove the thin film of dust that they collect.

IT IS EASY TO KEEP SOCKETS FILLED Put lamp bulbs on your shopping list the next time you go to the store. Buy them like you do a stock of canned goods, to have on hand when one burns out.

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**SERIAL STORY**  
**HIT-RUN LOVE**

BY MARGUERITE GAHAGAN  
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Yesterday Larry admits to Pat that he ran down the story and that he is determined to convict him.

**CHAPTER X**

Larry was frightened, yet caught again in her old feeling of love when Larry unexpectedly arrived at the McGraw home late in the evening.

Alone in the living room with the shaded lamps throwing the such in shadows, Larry took her in his arms, buried his face in her hair. A wave of happiness flooded her. Poor Larry, so bewildered, so confused, coming to her for comfort. She alone could help him, and now this must mean the moment had arrived that she had prayed for these last few days. He had seen his mistake, he was engaged in the net he had foolishly thrown around himself. He would admit it all, would, as he had begged, wipe the slate clean.

"I love you so," he said in a low voice. "I've missed you so all this mess. I can't seem to think straight."

"I know, dearest. I do know. And now it will all be smoothed out. You can have your lawyer change your plea. You can let the judge hear the whole story; the judge will help you. You can probably get off with probation and restitution. What if we do have to postpone the wedding? I'll wait, I'll help. I won't take long to pay all those hospital bills. And then it will be behind you, and you'll know you did the right thing."

"It won't be that easy, though," she said. "You know it won't. I'd lose my job. I couldn't drive again. I'm not going to back down. But you can help."

She sat frozen within the circle of his arms. "What do you mean, Larry?"

"You can help. Church is a good lawyer. People with pull get a break in any court. You can work on Sweeney, tell him about us. Get him to go easy. He could even change the charge from involuntary manslaughter to negligent homicide. That's a lesser charge. I saw how he looked at you in court today. He'd do it for you."

Slowly she drew away, pushing her arms from about her, staring into his blue eyes, now cold and calculating.

"You say you love me in one breath, and then ask me to do this in the next. I can't understand you, Larry. I don't think I even love you."

"Let's dramatize the situation, Pat. You say you love me, too. Well, here's a chance to prove it.

I'm not asking much. Church and I can prove alibi. You can tell about the drive to the dance. The fender was loose after we came out. Not before. We can break down those witnesses. All you have to do is get Sweeney to cooperate a little."

She moved away, walking up and down the room. At last she turned, her face white and drawn. "There's such a thing as honor, too, Larry. I won't lie for you. I won't go to Tom Sweeney and beg him to throw a case, because that's what it amounts to after all. You committed a crime. An entire family is suffering as a result. You didn't mean to, I know. But you can help them now, and you have to be square. You can't go on lying, you can't perjure yourself on the stand."

Larry got up, put on his coat and hat and went to the door. "All right then. We understand each other. You won't help. It isn't love. The first time I ask you to really go to bat for me you talk some senseless drivel. Well, I'll get help some other way."

cause her father was one of the town's important men he hoped he could swing power in court. "I'll get help some other way," he had threatened when they parted. Now he was trying to pull strings with the aid of an 18-year-old girl. She couldn't let him make such a complete fool of himself.

Tom's presence beside her gave her a dull comfort during the day. Little things he would say, little things he would do to remind her that he was conscious of her.

"I passed these in a florist's window on the way down this morning," he said when she came in and hung up her hat and coat. "I couldn't resist buying them. They're the first proof of summer and I wanted you to have them."

She breathed in the fragrance of the big feathery red peonies and arranged them in a vase in her little office.

"They're grand, Tom. I'm ever so grateful."

IT was late that afternoon when she was finishing up her work that he came into her office.

"You're here late," she said, looking up from behind the spiced blossoms. "I thought you'd gone ages ago."

"I had, but I came back," he told her. "I thought you'd still be here. I wondered if you wouldn't like to stay down town for dinner. I have to work to-night and I'd be glad if you would be a Girl Scout and have dinner with me."

The expression in his eyes made her heart flutter. "I saw how he looked at you in court," Larry had said to her. Now Tom's eyes told her more of his feelings toward her than all the little gestures of the past weeks. She bent forward, hiding her face in the cool crimson of the flowers, trying to think.

"You can help—you can help. Sweeney would do it for you—give me a break. Get him to cooperate—" Larry's words came back with an insistent repetition.

And Tom was here now waiting for her to answer. Caring for her, wanting her company at dinner. Honest, sincere, striving to make his record before the election.

"We can have a real meal for a change," Tom was saying. "No sandwiches and milk like lunch time. I'll have to work later, but if you feel you can give me a few hours—"

She looked up into his kind brown eyes, at the unruly lock of brown hair falling over his forehead.

"I'd love to go, Tom. I'll be ready in no time at all."

(To Be Continued)

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



BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON

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



MYRA! YOU'RE SAFE! JACK! THIS IS A REAL STORY-BOOK RESCUE! AND WHO IS THIS UNFORTUNATE GENTLEMAN? I'M NOT SO UNFORTUNATE, PAL, HAVING MYRA FOR A NURSE!

**WASHINGTON LETTER**

**BY RODNEY DUTCHER**  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

**WASHINGTON.**—The Federal Trade Commission is acting in restraint of love's sweet dreams. Matrimonial agencies and books purporting to tell you how to lasso the lady or gent of your dreams have caused FTC to raise its eyebrows and move to take down extravagant promises.

A man in Grayslake, Ill., has agreed to stop advertising that "joining our club means the realization of your sweetest dream of love and home" and to stop guaranteeing happiness or wealth within three months. No more will impecunious elderly men thrill to his assurances that "I have a large number of very desirable ladies who have trusted me to find them suitable husbands. Some of them inform me their financial standings are as follows: A brunette, 39, with an income of \$6,000; business woman, age 29, worth \$30,000. . . ."

Furthermore, the commission alleges, it's violation of the FTC act when a booklet called "How to Win a Husband" says:

"How much would you pay for the love of the man you want? Then don't sit back and let the other girl have him. Win him for yourself in spite of all obstacles. The simple, clear directions in this book tell you how."

**NEW ENGLANDERS** can't help noticing some of the aristocratic old Bostonian names, traditionally associated with conservatism, which appear among leading opponents of the American Medical Association in its fight against "socialized medicine." For instance: Dr. Hugh Cabot, Harvard overseer and Mayo Clinic consulting surgeon, who jumped on the A. M. A. at the National Health Conference here.

Dr. Channing Frothingham, president of the Massachusetts Medical Society, who says the A. M. A. makes "a terrible mistake by not following the trend of public opinion in medical and hospital insurance plans."

Dr. Charles-Edward Amory Winslow, professor of public health at Yale School of Medicine, witty and sarcastic in his defense of government health programs.

**SWANKIEST** of all those white marble buildings on Constitution Avenue is the Federal Reserve Building, not actually a government building because it is owned co-operatively by the Federal Reserve banks. This one even has its beauty parlor in the basement and its doors are closed from 12:15 to 1:15 p. m. each day to keep government workers and general public out of its attractive cafeteria. Bankers often come to the beauty parlor to have their nails done and one of the manicurists says most of the bankers are quite modern now, in that they use liquid polish on their nails.

Foreign Service men in the State Department who served in Russia and became used to being followed wherever they went in Moscow read recently that Russia had angrily protested to Poland against police surveillance of its diplomats at Warsaw. "Huh" was all they said. (Copyright, 1938, NEA Service, Inc.)

**SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN**

**BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX**  
NEA Service Staff Writer

**FALL** begins officially today. So now it's open season for hot chocolate.

When teen age youngsters entertain or when papa or mama want a warm drink on a cool night, try some of these old favorites.

**French Chocolate**  
(Serves 8)

Two and one-half squares unsweetened chocolate, 1-2 cup water, 3-4 cup sugar, dash of salt, 1-2 cup cream whipped, 6 cups hot milk.

Add chocolate to water and place over low flame, stirring until chocolate is melted and blended. Add sugar and salt and boil 4 minutes, stirring constantly. Cool. Fold into cream.

Place one rounding tablespoon of chocolate mixture in each serving cup and pour hot milk over it, filling cup. Blend.

This chocolate mixture also makes an excellent sauce. It may be served hot as hot fudge sauce on ice cream or pudding. When used as sauce, omit whipped cream.

**Spanish Chocolate**  
(Serves 10)

Two squares unsweetened chocolate, 4 cups water, 1-2 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons flour, dash of salt, 4 cups milk, dash of cinnamon. Add chocolate to water in top of double boiler and place over direct heat, stirring until chocolate is melted and blended. Combine sugar, flour, and salt. Add gradually to chocolate mixture and boil 3 minutes, stirring constantly.

Place over rapidly boiling water. Add milk gradually, stirring until smooth. Then cook 10 minutes longer, stirring occasionally. Beat with rotary egg beater until light and fluffy. Flavor with cinnamon.

**Cocoa**  
(Serves 4 to 6)

Four tablespoons breakfast cocoa, 2 to 4 tablespoons sugar, dash of salt, 1 cup water, 3 cups milk. Mix cocoa, sugar, salt, and water in saucepan. Place over low flame, bring to a boil, and boil 2 minutes, stirring constantly. Add milk and heat over slow fire. Do not boil. If desired, beat before serving. Serve at once.

**ALLEY OOP - - - - - By Hamlin**



**Indians Once Used Council Reporters Eastland Firemen To Decorate City Auto Registrations Show a Decrease**

**DALHART, Texas.**—Stenographers and court reporters are not products of the white man, says Mrs. R. L. Duke of Dalhart, who lived in the Cherokee nation in the Indian Territory from 1895 to 1909, and then moved to the Texas Panhandle, where she has resided since.

Mrs. Duke recalls that when the Indians met around the council fire to make a treaty, the women representing both sides sat just behind the men to, listen to all the proceedings and record them in their memories.

"Thus," she says, "the white man has also followed the red man in using women for this type of work."

"The braves and chieftains insisted that their minds be free for parley and argument. After the council, the men relied on the women to recall and set forth the conditions of the treaty."

In the Cherokee nation there were remnants of at least a dozen tribes, and in her five years there Mrs. Duke was a close student of Indian lore and life.

Since, she has been a continual reader of Indian lore. She calls the Indians "the First Americans."

**K. P. BANQUET**

A chicken meal will be one of the features of a Knights of Pythias meeting tonight at 7:30 in Castle hall at Eastland. Gorman Pythians have been invited as well as several out-of-town officials of the Pythian organization.

**ON TARLETON BAND**

C. E. May, Jr., and E. R. Green, students from Ranger, have been selected as members of the John Tarleton college military band.

The band is a part of the R. O. T. C. unit.

**HANDY LIPSTICK HOLDER**

MELBOURNE, Australia.—Minister of Defense Thorby has announced the creation of a factory that turns out lipstick in brass containers that can be used later for cartridges should a war-time emergency develop.

**Miller**

**Taste Better**

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All C. B. S. Stations

**Eddie Dooley**  
Football Highlights  
Every Thursday and Saturday  
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