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PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were held Friday in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

Reversed and Venue Changed: Gregg County: T. W. Lee vs. Raymond Caldwell, Shackelford.

Reversed and Remanded: Hurling Co. vs. Mrs. B. Morton, et al. Taylor.

Motion Submitted: General Life Co. vs. Nellie Potter, appellee's motion to return mandate without payment of costs.

Motion Overruled: Jack Tindall, et al. vs. Mammie Richards Tindall, appellant's motion to dismiss.

Cases Submitted February 17, 1939: Le Eaton, et al. vs. P. E. Fisher, Mrs. Lillie Higginbotham, et al. vs. Alexander Trust State, Taylor, International Harvester Co. vs. Farmers & Merchants Bank of De Leon, et al. vs. Mananche.

Cases to be Submitted February 24, 1939: W. P. Wright vs. D. McCoy, Taylor, Tennessee Shbecca Kegans vs. Leslie Lee White, et al. Nolan, Otis Ramsey Bill Ramsey, Taylor.

Airport Meetings to Be Held Mar. 2-4

FORT WORTH.—Representatives from every city in the Southwest which has an airport, or is ambitious to secure one, is expected at a southwest Aviation Conference which will be held in Fort Worth March 2, 3, 4. Speakers at the meeting will include a number of the foremost military and civil aviation authorities in the United States, including Maj. Al Williams, former U. S. Army and Marine Corps flyer; Clinton M. Hester, administrator of the Civil Aeronautics Authority; Brig. Gen. Barton K. Yount, assistant chief of the U. S. Air Corps in charge of training; Maj. W. B. McMullen, chief of the Air Division of the C. A. A.; W. J. Skelly, oil company executive, and several others.

Corrington Gill, assistant administrator of W. P. A., and Maj. McMullen will be available for references on planning and financing construction and improvement of airports throughout the trial of the meeting. It is anticipated that more than 1200 officials, military, commercial and aviation will be present at the meeting. Headquarters will be at Hotel Texas in Fort Worth.

Special events planned include luncheons, a barbecue and a banquet. Subjects to be discussed by the speakers are all of them of the greatest interest to all interested in aviation, according to D. L. Johnson, general chairman of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce Aviation Committee, which committee is in charge of arrangements. Maj. Williams, who has recently returned from Europe, will discuss "Our National Air Policy." Brig. Gen. Yount will take for his subject, "The Air Corps and National Security." Maj. McMullen will report on the recent national report survey. Skelly will discuss "Progress in the Southwest." Hester will describe "The Role of Civil Aviation to the National Defense."

High Schools Start Rehearsals for Plays

AUSTIN, Tex.—The largest "letting bee" of its kind in the state will begin next month as Texas high schools begin dramatization rounds in the one-act contests sponsored by the University of Texas Interscholastic League, F. L. Winship, league dramatics director, said here today.

Preliminary rounds in the contest will open on a statewide basis with the state championship play decided in Austin, May 5 and 6.

Almost as many entries have been filed with the League for the state school debating contest to be held here at the same time, Winship stated.

Nominations Approved By Senate Today

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The senate today confirmed without objection 11 nominations for civil aeronautic and maritime board members. The nominations included as a member of the C. A. A. the name of Thomas H. Harkin of Texas.

held in Arsenic Murder Inquiry



Paul Petrillo, who police say, practiced as a "witch doctor," was held without bail in Philadelphia in an investigation into an alleged arsenic murder ring. The ring is believed to have committed as many as 10 murders to collect \$110,000 insurance.

Transactions Tax Seen As Wedge To Pass Sales Tax

AUSTIN, Texas.—How Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel as a business manager proposes to put business methods in state government has begun to unfold.

Financing to make income and outgo balance has already been proposed in the transactions tax. Few believe it will pass but many now are convinced that the transactions tax will be used as a trading point to cause adoption of a retail sales tax.

In the financial set-up, principals in the transactions tax, in the United States, including Maj. Al Williams, former U. S. Army and Marine Corps flyer; Clinton M. Hester, administrator of the Civil Aeronautics Authority; Brig. Gen. Barton K. Yount, assistant chief of the U. S. Air Corps in charge of training; Maj. W. B. McMullen, chief of the Air Division of the C. A. A.; W. J. Skelly, oil company executive, and several others.

Under the proposed system, the budget director would have power to keep check on expenditures as they are made. He would determine if they should be made, and if they would leave enough money on hand to last for necessary purposes through the remainder of the year.

Balances at the end of each fiscal year go back into the general fund.

The auditor would be authorized to set up accounting systems for the state departments which the departments would have to follow. Now an audit frequently reveals only that the auditor has checked such records as he finds.

The budget bill seeks also to require uniform accounting in the political sub-divisions of the state. An existing law that requires (Continued from page 2.)

Spanish Consulate In Brussels Has Been Recaptured

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Feb. 17.—Police today returned the Spanish Consulate to the republicans after it had been "captured" by Spanish Nationalist sympathizers.

The Nationalists invaded the building last night, locked up the caretaker and his wife at pistol point, and forced the secretary of the consulate to sign the building over to them.

The Nationalists ran up their flag over the building today. Police surrounded the place and climbed to a fire department ladder. They arrested eight Nationalists and drove them to the police station. The building was given back to the Republicans.

Littlefield Will Preside at Relays

LOCKHART, Texas.—Clyde Littlefield, track coach at the University of Texas, has accepted an invitation to preside over the sixth annual Lockhart high school relays, which will be run off Friday, March 10.

OIL PRORATION FOR TEXAS IS TO BE EXTENDED

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—Extension of the present oil conservation statute until Sept. 1, 1941, had approval of the house committee on oil today. A favorable report was given the extension bill last night by a vote of 13 to 0.

As offered by Rep. Roy Tennant of Longview, the bill would have struck out the present expiration date, Sept. 1, 1939, to leave the law in effect until some later legislature ordered a change. It was amended to a two-year extension after railroad commissioner Jerry Sadler told the committee he was authorized by his fellow members to ask that the act be a limited one.

Sadler said they felt that if it were made permanent the effect would be that other states would believe Texas was "throttled down" and might not hold down their production.

Sadler said he was not afraid to extend the law for two years, but asked that it not be made permanent.

Oil Companies In Appeal To Court About Seizures

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—Foreign oil companies, whose property was expropriated by the Mexican government, made a new appeal to the courts today in their fight to regain their interests.

They filed injunction proceedings in the district court against an inventory of their properties, made by the department of national economy, two weeks ago.

In their petition the companies asserted that the inventory was incomplete, that it was prejudicial to their interests and that the department had no authority to make such an inventory, because such activities were within the province of the presidency.

MARKETS

Courtesy D. E. Pulley
Phone 629 - Ranger
430 Pine Street

Closing selected New York stocks:

Am T & T	157 1/2
A T & S F	34 1/2
Chrysler	76 1/2
Col Gas & E	8
Cons Oil	8 1/2
Elce B & Sh	11 1/2
Gen Mot	48 1/2
Gulf Oil	37
Houston Oil	7
Humble O & R	65 1/2
Montg Ward	50 1/2
Packard	4 1/2
Pure Oil	9 1/2
Radio	6 1/2
Socony Vac	12 1/2
Studebaker	7 1/2
Texas Co	44 1/2
T P C & O	8 1/2
U S Steel	59 1/2

Chicago Grain

Range of the market, Chicago grain:				
Wheat—	High	Low	Close	Close
May	68 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
July	68 1/2	68	68 1/2	67 1/2
Sept.	69 1/2	68 1/2	69	68 1/2
Corn—				
May	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2
July	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Sept.	51 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Oats—				
May	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
July	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2

Dublin Is Urging Candidacy Of One Of Legion Members

Le Dockery, post commander of the Carl Barnes Post No. 69 of the American Legion, has received a letter from the Harry Powell Post No. 219 of Dublin, urging the support of Dr. O. O. Gain of Dublin as district commander of the Legion for the 17th district of Texas.

The election of the district commander will come up at the district meeting to be held in Sweetwater on Feb. 25 and 26, the latter date.

Legion posts throughout the 17th district are being urged by the Dublin post to support the Dublin candidate.

Anyway, Tony Convinces the Kids



Tony Galento basks in Florida sunshine and the admiring attention of a youthful audience as the little ones feel the bulging muscles which the Jersey barkeep says would make a bum of Joe Louis. Galento boxes Abe Feldman in Miami, Feb. 22.

Election Judges To Serve During 1939 Appointed By Commissioners

Members of commissioners court and County Judge W. S. Adamson announced Friday the appointment of election judges to serve this year.

Judges for the precincts (first named is presiding judge) are: Eastland No. 1—L. A. Hightower, H. E. Lawrence, P. L. Parker, G. G. Hunt.

Eastland No. 2—Ed T. Cox, Sr., J. F. McWilliams, R. B. Braly, Oscar Wilson.

Ranger No. 3—F. E. Langston, J. L. Turner, J. F. Dreinhuber, Ray Campbell.

Ranger No. 4—R. H. Hodges, Leslie Hagaman, A. H. Powell, T. C. Anderson.

Cisco No. 5—W. W. Wallace, C. L. Gilmore, W. R. Houston, Kent Word.

Cisco No. 6—Fred Grist, A. D. Starling, S. E. Shockley, W. R. Ivis.

Rising Star No. 7—G. E. McDonald, Lee Henry.

Rising Star No. 8—J. E. Robinson, A. W. Armstrong.

Pioneer No. 9—Doss Alexander, L. C. Cash.

Alameda No. 10—J. W. Brown, Jim Grice.

Kokomo No. 11—Ben Woods, Davis Parker.

Carbon No. 12—M. V. Cromley, W. A. Tate, W. E. McCall, J. E. Gilbert.

Gorman No. 13—O. D. Brogdon, Z. O. Mehaffey, E. H. Jones, Don Moorman.

Long Branch No. 14—Henry Reed, Tom Poe.

Scranton No. 16—Arthur Bailey, Jack Sawyers.

Nimrod No. 17—Ed Townsend, W. M. Compton.

Olden No. 18—George Russell, E. J. Allen.

ATTEMPT UPON MUSOLINI'S LIFE NOW REVEALED

ROME, Italy, Feb. 17.—A man, just released from an insane asylum, shot one of Premier Mussolini's private detectives on Wednesday, while apparently waiting to assassinate the premier, it was revealed today.

The shooting, which was said to have occurred outside Mussolini's residence, was described by the United Press informant as follows:

Mussolini was due to start for his office in the Venezia Palace. His automobile was waiting for him. The detective noticed a stranger and asked him what he was doing there. In reply the man fired a shot from a revolver in his pocket.

The bullet struck the detective in the abdomen and he fell to the ground.

Mussolini heard the shooting and emerged from his residence with members of his staff were running on the man and giving first aid to the wounded detective.

The names of the assailant and the wounded detective were not revealed. The assailant, it was stated, was released from an insane asylum only last week and papers in his pocket showed that he once had been certified as insane.

News of the incident was not generally circulated in Rome. It was the first known attempt on Mussolini's life in recent years. The detective, who was shot, was reported today to be near death.

Pension Loan Bill Signed By Governor

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel today signed the bill authorizing a \$900,000 state loan to continue full payment of old age assistance until the legislative works out a permanent program.

The act is effective at once. It will remove the necessity of reducing March payments to approximately 114,000 persons on pension rolls.

Allotment Time Will End Saturday

C. W. Mainer, AAA administrative assistant for Eastland county, has announced that Saturday, Feb. 18, is the final date for acceptance of application for a 1939 cotton allotment for new grower farms. He explained Friday that new grower farms are those on which cotton has not been grown in 1936, 1937 or 1938.

Every farmer who has grown cotton in either 1936, 1937 or 1938 will receive a 1939 cotton allotment.

The survey's pointed out that several colleges now offer courses designed to help students pick the best kind of husband or wife.

Speaking for the advocates of the compulsory course, a North Dakota State Teachers College junior said:

"Sex education should have begun back in high school—during adolescence."

On the opposition, however, a Northwestern co-ed believed "You should go to your doctor for that information."

Largest opposition to the compulsory courses was among women in the South and West, the surveys stated.

Letter Urges Aid For Quake Victims In South America

Mrs. L. H. Flewollen, chairman of the Ranger branch of the Eastland County Chapter of Red Cross has received a letter from R. C. Kinnaird of Eastland, county chairman, in which he urges aid for the victims of the recent Chilean earthquake.

The letter states that the appeal is being made at the suggestion of Norman H. Davis, National Red Cross chairman, and states, in part:

"He doesn't ask us to put on a 'drive' for this purpose, but does ask us to announce that the Red Cross will accept contributions for this cause. The American Red Cross is already on the ground with both personal and financial assistance, aiding its sister Red Cross (the Chilean) and asks us to back them up with additional financial help."

One-Man Line of Communications



A soldier tests a new ultra-short wave portable two-way radio telephone developed in the U. S. Army Signal Corps laboratories at Fort Monmouth, N. J.

Petit Jurors For Civil Cases Called For Eastland Court

Following is a list of petit jurors summoned to report at 9 a. m. Monday in 88th district court, of which B. W. Patterson is judge:

W. E. Brown, Cisco; A. M. Wolf, Okra; A. L. Gattis, Scranton; W. R. Usery, Carbon; J. T. McCluskey, Cisco; C. J. Williams, Carbon; A. V. Clark, Cisco; Edwin Erwin, Sabanno; J. W. Kilgore, Cisco.

George Adkins, Cisco; J. E. Reese, Carbon; A. A. Hyatt, Gorman; Charles A. Hummel, Ranger; C. H. Suits, Ranger; Truly Carter, Carbon; C. T. Underwood, Gorman; R. L. Palmer, Jr.; H. V. O'Brien, Carbon.

G. M. Clark, Carbon; Paul Ormsby, Gorman; H. L. Gentry, Ranger; Tom Young, Ranger; Clayton E. Hunt, Ranger; C. F. Falls, Rising Star; E. S. Balch, Ranger; E. C. Duncanson, Cisco; George P. Fee, Cisco.

Ed Allison, Carbon; H. R. Reem, Carbon; C. E. Hathecock, Ranger; R. H. Myrick, Ranger; George Boyd, Cisco; D. J. Gorman, Cisco; Frank Morrow, Gorman; W. J. Britain, Cisco; and Lee Humphrey, Cisco.

Cases set for the week include Mrs. F. W. Brown et al. vs. T. & P. Railway Company, and R. E. Clark and E. A. Fields vs. T. & P. Railway Company.

McMurry Head Will Speak at District Meeting of Veterans

Eastland members of the Eastland County Veterans of Foreign Wars post will attend Sunday a district tight convention of the VFW at Cisco.

More than 100 veterans and auxiliary members are expected. The meeting will begin at 9:45 in the American Legion hall, it was announced from Cisco, followed by a memorial service at the First Methodist church for which Rev. Frank Turner, McMurry College president, Abilene, will speak.

Staff H. D. Club Holds a Meeting

The Staff Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, Feb. 15 at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Allen Crosby, the club's kitchen demonstrator.

With the president absent, Mrs. Tom Lowry, the assistant president, took charge of the meeting. The club had a very interesting business meeting. The meeting was then turned over to Miss Ruth Ramey, the demonstration agent of Eastland, who made a very interesting talk on "Storage in the Kitchen."

Miss Ramey said one should have plenty of storage room in the kitchen for utensils, food, dishes and linens.

She showed nice containers for sugar, meal, etc., and also said you could use in place of the containers gallon buckets, painted.

Those present were: Miss Ruth Ramey; members, Mrs. Allen Crosby, Mrs. C. L. Henderson, G. T. Hazard, W. H. White, Tom Lowry, Opie Lowry, W. T. Brown, Johnnie White, S. T. Williams, and Miss Florine Crosby.

QUEBEC FIRE UNDER CONTROL AS 1700 FLEE

QUEBEC, Canada, Feb. 17.—Fire and fuel tank explosions completed the destruction of the Beauport Insane Asylum early today after more than 1,700 hysterical patients had been led or dragged to safety into 15 below zero weather, under the direction of a battalion of militia.

The fire had been raging in the east wing since 8 a. m. yesterday but did not get completely out of control until last night, when oil tanks began exploding, throwing flaming embers 1,500 feet. A hurried call was sent for troops and the 1,300 inmates still in the building were evacuated.

Many of the patients were violent. Some had not been out of their room for years. They fought with their rescuers before the troops arrived. Some had to be kept from going back to their quarters, which would have meant certain death.

Soon after midnight, however, all had been safely quartered in other parts of Quebec, in jails, hospitals, barracks, and even in private homes.

Eastland Youth To Speak at Panhandle Press Meet Apr. 15

LUBBOCK, Feb. 17.—Two journalism students from Texas Tech will appear on the program of the Panhandle Press association meeting in Amarillo April 14 and 15, as a part of the Youth section Saturday morning.

Earl Braly of Eastland will speak on "What the Club Seen in Selling Advertising," and Reeves Henly of Lubbock will tell "What the Club Gets from Journalism Courses." Henly is editor of The Torchard, college semi-weekly newspaper.

Invitation to appear on the program of the thirtieth annual convention came from Clyde W. Warwick, secretary of the association and editor of the Canyon News.

Observatory Will Get Mirror Soon

FORT DAVIS, Tex.—Preparations are being made to receive the 82-inch mirror for the McDonald Observatory telescope on Mount Locke near here.

A crane is under construction for hoisting the costly piece of glass 71 feet above the ground to its place in the observatory.

Four years have been consumed in grinding the mirror. It will be shipped from the factory in Cleveland under heavy guard and in a steel case. It will be taken by train to Marfa, then mounted on a truck for the rest of the journey to Mount Locke, where several weeks will be required to install it.

Dedication of the observatory, directed by the University of Texas, is scheduled for early in May. Work on the building is complete except for installation of the mirror and minor mechanical adjustments.

Freshmen Are Not Up to Standard

AUSTIN, Tex.—Top-flight students among freshmen at the University of Texas are not as numerous as they should be, Registrar E. J. Matthews said today in his biennial report.

He called attention to the fact that only 116 valedictorians of accredited high schools of the state accepted University scholarships in the fall of 1938, although these awards are available to all No. 1 graduates. This crop, however, showed a gain of 16 per cent over the preceding year.

"The increase is gratifying, but the total is small," he expalined.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Fair in the north and partly cloudy in south portion tonight and Saturday. Western north and east portions Saturday.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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When the World Takes Everything—but Pride

Jesse Root Grant died of exposure and malnutrition rather than humble the proud name he bore.

He was the son of the brother of the great general, Ulysses Simpson Grant. He was found in a coma in the basement of the cold, barren Chicago house where he and his son had tried in vain to wrest a living from a world that no longer cared.

Once a railroad accountant, he retired some 10 years ago. At 74, he had nothing, could do nothing. Even his son, Ulysses S. Grant, 38, had been unemployed since 1930.

The last of a small legacy had been exhausted. The fire in the furnace had gone out. The only thing in the house was a pewter pitcher which had been kept brightly polished. It had belonged to the general, the surviving Grant said.

Though everything was gone, Jesse Grant had been too proud to ask help of friends, too proud to allow his name to appear on relief roles. All he could do was to keep the pitcher bright, and die.

His pride, like his name, descended to him legitimately. The man who brought fame to the name of Grant was a proud man, too. In his last years, ex-President Grant saw his fortune crumble when a scoundrelly partner decamped with the funds of the firm of Grant and Ward, bankers and brokers.

An old man, he sold everything he had, his houses, his property, to apply on his resulting debts.

To pay the remainder he sat down to write his memoirs. And while torturing cancer grasped at his throat and death itself hovered over his invalid chair, he wrote and wrote, seeking to pay the debts and clear his name.

"I feel that we are on the eve of a new era, when there is to be great harmony between the Federal and Confederate. I cannot stay to be a living witness of the correctness of this prophecy . . ."

So U. S. Grant wrote in May, 1885, feeling those awful fingers at his throat. And in July he died, his last energies gone to pay his debt and clear his name.

So Jesse Root Grant died. He was defeated in the battle of life, but proud to the end. And he kept the pitcher bright.

Texas Areas Have Oil Possibilities

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Texas—Great opportunities exist in North and West Texas for oil prospecting than in any other areas in the United States, in the opinion of Chester B. Weiss, New York capitalist and owner of several Far East refineries.

Weiss is studying this country by necessity. His interests were in China until the Japanese-Chinese war interfered with industrial developments there. Since then he has been looking over the oil possibilities of Venezuela, Bolivia and other South American countries, in addition to the United States.

High Explosives



BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

By Bruce Catton
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—The capital's newest human storm center is a muscular ex-congressman named Thomas R. Amlie, who sits alone in a remote office here and communes with his own melancholy while the Senate tries to decide whether he is too radical to be a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

tem of farm and factory production. All of this, he feels, was not radicalism; it was rather a search for a middle of the road line that would save the country from having to make a choice between the extreme right and the extreme left.

Transaction Tax

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budgets has not proved adequate.

Along with this idea, Sen. Manley Head of Stephenville has sponsored a bill for publication of financial reports. The object is to let the voter know where the money goes.

Consolidation of some activities and elimination of others are another part of the business plan. The effectiveness of these changes cannot be known until it is learned whether the smaller number of departments, commissions and bureaus is causing employment of more people at more cost than the old system.

Elimination of the office of tax commissioner was the first step in making these changes. Comptroller George Sheppard has told legislators that he can absorb the tax department work in his department without additional expense until September.

That saving is possible, however, because this is the off-season for tax workers. Money will have to be added to the comptroller's appropriation for succeeding years.

The next consolidation to be proposed affected the department of agriculture and several other departments whose work is allied with agriculture.

Some suggestions have gone so far as to propose abandoning the department of agriculture. Governor O'Daniel, however, has not approved that, and on the contrary sent a message to the legislature suggesting that the department of agriculture be merged with five other services into one organization to be known as the "department of agriculture and livestock."

The governor suggested that the reorganized department of agriculture be given the duties of the state board of water engineers; the reclamation engineer; the livestock sanitary commission; the game, fish and oyster commission, and the feed inspection service of Texas A. & M. College. The policies of the department, he said, should be determined by a board composed of "actual fruit growers, farmers and livestock raisers."

High School Mascot Is Given a Name

By United Press
HALE CENTER, Texas—Hale Center high school students have finally decided what to call the live owl which was presented to the school's athletic teams for a mascot. The teams have been known for years as the Owls, but until Bob Burnham presented the school with a hoot owl the teams had no mascot.

The mascot has been named "Virgiebob" in honor of the two coaches, Miss Virginia Spikes and Bob Case. The students explained that the name could be used regardless of whether the owl turns out to be a boy owl or a girl owl, a point which amateur ornithologists have not cleared up.

Franco Protests On Activities Of Azana

By United Press
PARIS, Feb. 17.—Generalissimo Francisco Franco has protested to the French government against activities in Paris of President Manuel Azana and Foreign Minister Julia Alvarez del Vayo of the Spanish Loyalist regime, it was learned today.

FRANKELL

Mr. Louis Hawkins, Curt Tompson of Oakley were in this community Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jones and little son, Jerry, of Gordon, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Swanner, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Swanner, Mrs. Vernon Hughes and Mr. Porter Morris are on the sick list this week.

Mr. John Monroe of Wayland was visiting his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Morris, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hughes were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hughes of Necessity, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Merdie Hughes of Eastland and Pete Hughes of Necessity were in this community Saturday.

Mrs. Walter McBay and son, Carl, returned to their home Saturday after a two weeks visit in Elk City, Okla., where she was visiting sick relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morris have returned home after visiting her parents in Oklahoma. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newbanks, returned with them for a short visit.

Harry Warren Has Leased Market In The A & P Grocery

Harry Warren, who has been meat cutter at the OK Grocery and Market, has leased the meat market at the A. & P. Grocery, and now has complete charge of this department of the store.

The market will handle a complete line of fresh meats of all kinds, of the highest quality, and will also carry a full line of cured meats of all kinds.

Warren invites all his friends, and former customers, to visit him at his new location.

Calvary Baptist To Have Song Service

A special song service will be held at the Calvary Baptist Church tonight. It was announced today by Rev. J. A. Lovell, pastor of the church. Out-of-town singers and local talent will be present for the singing, the announcement states.

"Don't miss this, one of the week-end's best services," the announcement urges.

A spiritual message will also be brought by the pastor.

Rep, Martin Dies Has An Operation Cavalry to Train At Mineral Wells

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Rep. Martin Dies of Texas today underwent an emergency appendicitis operation. His office said the operation was successful and he was in "good condition."

Dies, chairman of the house committee investigating un-American activities, was stricken this morning and taken to emergency hospital.

By United Press

MINERAL WELLS, Texas—Members of the 50th cavalry brigade of the Texas National Guard will train at Mineral Wells this summer, according to word received from Gen. Walter R. ... of Houston.

The annual training period start July 8, will extend ... days.

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- She stars in motion —.
- Piece of poetry.
- Eggs of fishes.
- Woven string.
- Penny.
- To cover with clay.
- Military shell.
- Gold quart.
- Spangle.
- Neither.
- Parent.
- Broth.
- To percolate slowly.
- Measure.
- Accompanies.
- Opposed to odd.
- Branch of learning.
- Palm lily tree.
- Metrical foot.
- Wigwam.
- Noun termination.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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VERTICAL

- She works in —, U. S. A.
- Musical dramas.
- Solitary.
- Wager.
- Measure of type.
- To wander idly.
- Beasts' skins.
- Court.
- Small flap.
- On.
- Far.

14 Opposed to in.

16 She gained fame in —.

17 To satiate.

18 Golf term.

20 She is a —.

22 Prosperity.

23 Of the thing.

26 Wild service trees.

28 Trivial.

31 Eccentric wheel.

33 To emulate.

37 Awn.

38 Rolling swell of water.

40 Decorated metal.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

IN SOUTH AMERICA, COTTON PLANTS DO NOT WINTER-KILL, BUT CONTINUE TO GROW UNTIL THEY REACH THE SIZE OF FRUIT TREES!

EARL VIGS ARE OF INTEREST TO AURISTS ENTOMOLOGISTS HAIR DRESSERS

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Personal

Mrs. Alton Cherry and daughter, Jo Ann, returned to their home at Midland, Wednesday after a visit of two weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. John M. Gholson.

Mrs. Charles Winston, Lucille Waggoner, Pat Williams and Gabe Thomas of Mineral Wells, were guests of Mrs. Saunders Gregg, Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Gray spent Tuesday in Stamford on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Doyle went to Temple, Wednesday where

Dare-Devil Aces of "The Dawn Patrol"



Above are scenes from "The Dawn Patrol," Warner Brothers' sensational epic of the Royal Flying Corps during the World war which will be the attraction extraordinary at the Arcadia theatre for two days starting today. "The Dawn Patrol" stars Errol Flynn and features Basil Rathbone, David Niven and Donald Crisp in the superb cast.

Baseball is celebrating its centennial. Many umpires age 100 years in one season.

J. E. Fletcher was a visitor in Eastland today.

EL PASO, Feb. 17.—West Texas stockmen are experimenting with a new type of soil conservation that has an alphabetical name but which wasn't suggested by Washington.

Cattlemen call it the RTR—"Rest the Range"—program. It is done with plenty of moisture and patience.

"Rest the Range" is Newest Program For the Cattlemen

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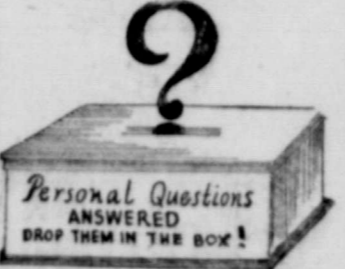
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WANT AD IN THIS PAPER WILL BRING QUICK RESULTS!

Question Box Will Be One of Features Of Cooking School

A feature of the cooking school, to be held in Ranger Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 9, 10 and 11, will be a question box, which will be placed near the



door of the auditorium, where everyone can find it easily. Anyone having any cooking problem, or question, about which they wish to secure information from the cooking school instructor, can write out their question and drop it in the box as they

Local Ward Store Getting Big Stock New Merchandise

The local Montgomery Ward store has been making some heavy purchases in several lines, in anticipation of good business this spring.

Within the past two days the company has received a freight register. At the conclusion of the school these questions will be taken up, one at a time, and answered from the stage.

Women who plan to attend the school are invited to bring any questions pertaining to cooking and drop them in the box at the cooking school on any of the three days.

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Horseplay Brings Basketball Team Plenty of Contests

FORT WORTH, Tex.—Three 1938 all-America football stars now rely upon a "simple mechanical" handicapper to bring them as much fame on the basketball court as they achieved on the gridiron.

The ingenious "handicapper" first was revealed as the Texas Christian University All-Stars basketball team—including All-American footballers Davey O'Brien, Ki Aldrich and I. B. Hale—passed between burlesque barnstorming tours.

The other members of the comic quint are Russell Hensch, ace end for the Frogs during their nationally victorious 1938 season; backfieldman Pat Clifford, and Coach Judy Truelson of Riverside High School, who is a former TCU football and basketball player.

Hensch, former Houston, Tex., high school football star, was spokesman for the All-Stars as he explained their unique methods of attempting to win basketball games.

"Now, this handicapper," Hensch said, "I figured it out all by myself. When time comes for the big play of our game, our towel boy tosses me what looks like a towel. But really it's a gunny sack."

"I wait until we're all ready, then I slip up behind the referee and pull the gunny sack down over his head and shoulders. While he's getting it off, we've each had time to grab a man or two from the opposing team and hold him while one of our best shots runs down to the goal with the ball and keeps throwing until he shoots one through the basket. This trick alone is worth five points in any game."

Should something go wrong with the "handicapper" play, Hensch and his teammates have other.

"Our pyramid play, based on an O'Brien-Hale combination, is sure-fire, even if it does fizzle when Kilgore Junior College beat us 40 to 26."

The excitement of that play comes when O'Brien rats the nation's best quarterback, leaps onto the shoulders of Hale, who maneuvers to a point near the basket, from where Davey tries to drop the ball through. The play

Political Announcements

This paper has been authorized to announce the following candidates for places on the Ranger City Commission, in the election to be held April 4th. Announcements will be carried in each issue of the paper from the date they are received until the day of the election for a charge of \$10.

- For Mayor:
 - SIG FAIRCLOTH
 - H. H. VAUGHN
 - S. D. GUYTON
- For Street Commissioner:
 - C. J. MOORE
 - TOM YONKER
- For Finance & Fire Commissioner:
 - EDWIN GEORGE, JR.
- For Water Commissioner:

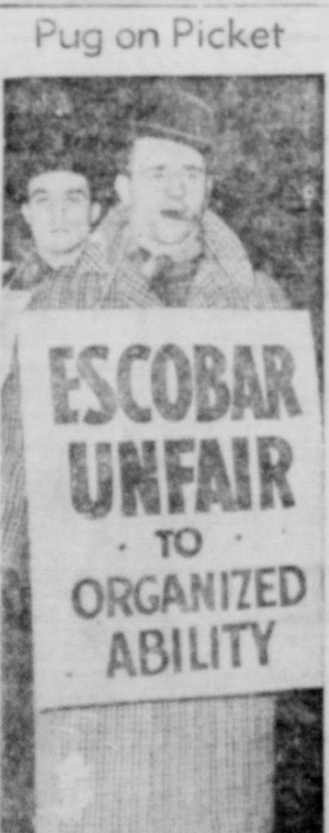
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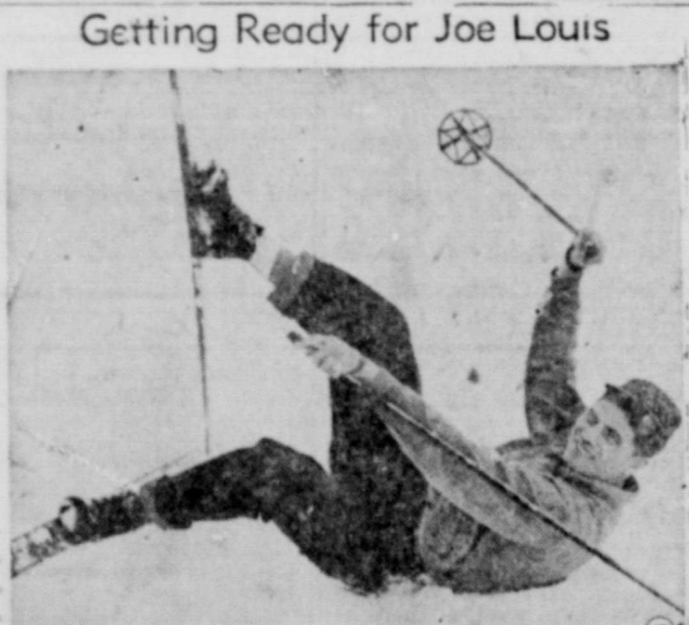
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K. O. Morgan of Toledo cuts quite a figure as he pickets Mike Jacobs' office at the New York Hippodrome. Morgan, who once beat Sixto Escobar, bantamweight champion, demands that Jacobs get him a title match with the Puerto Rican.

Failed at Kilgore, Hensch recalled, because the pyramid didn't have proper backing and collapsed before O'Brien could score a basket. Hensch also described the "daisy chain" play, where the All-Stars lock arms with a center man carrying the ball. As an opposing blocker approaches, a man drops from the chain and wards him off. By the time every man has deserted the ball carrier, he then is free to shoot at the goal with no more than one opponent trying to block him.

"We're just having a lot of fun," Hensch said. "Everybody gets a big laugh, and we don't have any trouble finding matches, even though the opposing teams know we're going to pull some horseplay on them."



Lou Nova finds that it is a bit different keeping one's feet on skis than remaining erect in the ring, but the Californian, "not yet tackled Joe Louis. Nova fights Max Baer in New York, May 25, for the right to engage the champion. He is in light training at Carson Hot Springs, Nev.



Hoisted by the tail from a manhole into which it stumbled during blizzard, this horse is pulled to safety in Buffalo, N. Y. Buffalo lay in the path of winter's biggest blow over a 700-mile front from Missouri to New England.

A Horse Can't Be a Dope at Hialeah



Runners are given a thorough going-over and winners are examined again after Hialeah Park races. Above, Dr. James G. Catlett places a gauze tampon far into Shohola's mouth. It's the saliva test for doping. Saliva is taken from the gauze and bottled for examination. Below, Dr. J. N. Thomas tests the heart action of Cherry Jam.

FOODS, FACTS and FOIBLES

20 BREAD THE KING - 24 FISH PIES FROM YARMOUTH

ACCORDING TO AN ANCIENT CHARTER, THE TOWN OF YARMOUTH WAS BOUND TO FURNISH 24 FISH PIES EACH LENT FOR THE KING'S TABLE.

IN MEDIEVAL DAYS SPICED FRUIT CAKES (SIMNEL LOAVES) WERE BAKED FOR MOTHERING SUNDAY—MIDLENT—IN COMMEMORATION OF THE MIRACULOUS FEEDING OF THE MULTITUDE MENTIONED IN THE GOSPEL FOR THAT DAY.

ONE OF THE MOST REMARKABLE LENTEN MENUS OF HISTORY WAS SERVED FOR THE ARCHBISHOP OF PARIS ON MARCH 30, 1571. AMONG OTHER SEA-FOODS THE MENU INCLUDED 4 LARGE SALMON, 12 LOBSTERS, 200 TRIPLES OF COD, AND 18 TROUT.

TALLEYRAND IS CREDITED WITH INTRODUCING THE CUSTOM OF EATING CHEESE WITH SOUP.

COLORING EGGS AT EASTER CAN BE TRACED BACK TO SOME 5000 YEARS BEFORE CHRIST WHEN THE PARSEES EXCHANGED COLORED EGGS AT SPRINGTIME FESTIVALS MARKING THE ADVENT OF THEIR NEW YEAR. EARLY CHRISTIANS, OBSERVING EASTER IN THE SAME SEASON, ADOPTED THE STILL POPULAR ANCIENT CUSTOM.

Sixth Mass Is Held For Pope Pius XI
By United Press
VATICAN CITY, Feb. 17.—Members of the Congregation of Cardinals completed arrangements today for the last three of the nine-day series of masses for the late Pope Pius XI.

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Broadway Drama Is Recorded For Blind

NEW YORK—A Broadway play has been recorded as a "talking book" for the nation's blind. The American Foundation for the Blind announced that Thornton Wilder's "Our Town" has been recorded completely on discs to be played on special reading machines which the blind can easily control by touch.

The play is especially well adapted for sightless listeners, since it was staged without scenery. A narrator injects descriptive interludes before each scene and explains such visual aspects and action as the action does not cover.

Truck Accidents Take Heavy Toll A Survey Shows

HOUSTON, Texas—Accidents in which trucks were involved on Texas highways during 1937 resulted in the death of 670 persons and injury to 3,360 others, according to information contained in a booklet now being distributed by the Railway and Express Employees Association of Texas. The same figures for 1936 are now being compiled.

This 96-page booklet, just off the press, was prepared from actual accounts of highway truck accidents appearing in Texas newspapers during the year. It shows that in 1937 there were 2,640 truck accidents, an increase of 442 over the previous year, and that while the number of persons injured was slightly more than in 1936, fatalities increased by 94.

In a tabulation the booklet shows that 1937 led all other years from and including 1932 in total number of accidents in which trucks were involved, as well as in the number of persons killed.

"My Skin Was Full of Pimples and Blemishes from Constipation" says Verna Schlep: "Since using Adlerika the pimples are gone. My skin is smooth and glows with health." Adlerika washes BOTH bowels, and relieves constipation that so often aggravates a bad complexion.—Oil City Pharmacy.

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SERIAL STORY WOMEN WANT BEAUTY!

BY LOUISE HOLMES COPYRIGHT, 1939, NEA SERVICE, INC.

Yesterday, The Howmans entered the... marmalade, two doughnuts and three cups of coffee.

QUITE satisfied, she left a quarter on the tray and went to the throne-like chair in the lobby. A clock on the wall told her that she had an hour to wait.

"Can't take it, eh?" Jeff had been afraid of this. Tears blurred the spark in Susie's eyes. "I didn't know it would be like this," she faltered.

CHAPTER XI LONE in her room at last, Susie breathed easier and stood about with unbelieving eyes. John Harker had done well.

"Butterfly—ye gods," Jeff hooted. "If she's a butterfly I'm Peter Pan sitting on a rose petal."

"I'll lose my job, Susie," he said. "I was sent to get you and I'll lose my job if I fail. Edny will feel badly. She's proud of my job, she thinks I'll get somewhere."

AT precisely 8:30 he bounded into the lobby and found his charge patiently waiting. Pulling a chair beside the "throne," he showed her the morning paper.

"I'm not too sure," his mother went on, buttering his toast thick the way he liked it. "First she'll have to get thin—"

"SUSIE shook her head violently. "I won't do it," she said emphatically. "Mr. Harker can experiment on someone else."

She bathed again, slowly, purring, brushed her unruly hair and wadded the ends into a tight bun on her neck.

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"Then give it a try. A little publicity won't hurt you. The movie stars lie awake nights trying to think up ways to attract attention. Let Mr. Harker tell an interested feminine public what you didn't eat to drag off superfluous pounds, let him tell the kind of shampoo that brought out the gold in your hair—"

"Suzanne—?" Susie started incredulously. "That's what the Chief said. 'Susie it is, when we finish with her she'll be Suzanne.' And he'll do it, Susie. That is, he'll do it if you'll help, if you'll cooperate and not be difficult."

MR. HARKER nodded sympathetically. "No picture shall be published unless you are willing. I have a photographer—he's tops in his line. We have in mind a picture that will suggest your bad points without emphasizing them. Will you let him try? You shall see the proofs and decide."

MR. HARKER went back to Susie. He met her hurrying toward the door and pretended not to notice the flight.

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FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS - I REMEMBER SONGS, DEAR--I CAN'T FORGET THE ONE THEY PLAYED WHEN FIRST OUR SONG! YOU OUGHTA KNOW! YOU STOLE IT! IT WAS STOLEN-- THAT'S WHAT!

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse - By Thompson and Coll. SO! THE MOMENT MY BACK IS TURNED, MYRA AND DOLLY ARE ALL LOVE AND WISSES! IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE! SHE'S SEEN A BIT TOO MUCH IN THIS HOUSE TO TAKE A CHANCE--IT'S BETTER CHECK HER RECORD AT THE STATE PENITENTIARY.

ALLEY OOP - By Hamlin. GRAND WIZER WE WANT YOU TO ISSUE FOOZY A LICENSE TO MARRY AN COUSIN ZEL OF ROCKY DEL. ALL RIGHT, YOU HAIRY-FACED OL FOSSIL, THIS IS NO TIME TO GIT FUNNY! WELL, TH' LAW READS THAT BOTH PARTIES TO TH' CONTRACT MUST BE OF GOOD SOUND MIND!

FRECKLES' SONG WAS JUST PLAYED BY AN ORCHESTRA IN NEW YORK, OVER THE NETWORK! DON'T TRY TO FEED US THAT! YOU STOLE IT FROM THEM AND TRIED TO MAKE US BELIEVE YOU KIDS WROTE IT! SURE YOU WROTE IT-- BUT THOSE OTHER SONG WRITERS WROTE IT FIRST!

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Society

The Times wants to be told about your visits and visitors. Personal items are always appreciated. Telephone 224, or mail or bring to—

THE RANGER TIMES
Ranger, Texas

Willing Workers S. S. Class Has George Washington Party

The willing workers Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church was entertained with a George Washington party Thursday evening at the home of Dorothy Neville.

The group played Chinese checkers in the early part of the evening and later an amusing Colonial game added to their enjoyment.

Cherry pie topped with whipped cream, and hot chocolate was served to each guest. Favors of tiny candy cherry stones and small hatched carried out the George Washington theme.

Those enjoying the party were: Mrs. Lloyd Bruce, Mrs. T. J. Anderson, Ora Mae McGee, Mona Robinson, Velma Brown, Johnnie Young, Eunice and Eula Preslar, Odell Jay, Alma Roe Jones, Hazel Mae Ervin, Nona Fay Flimley, Thelma Acuff and the co-hostesses, Mrs. Neville and Dorothy.

Social Gathering Is Enjoyed at Presbyterian Church

Members and friends of the First Presbyterian church met at the annex of the church for a social gathering Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

A brief peppy program was enjoyed by all present. Songs were sung by the young people and Mrs. Homer Smith's quartet sang two numbers. Jane Lauderdale gave a reading, "It Takes a Heap o' Livin' To Make a Home," by Edgar A. Guest. Martha Ann

Stanton also gave a child's reading. A plate shower for the dining room was given by those in attendance.

The rooms of the annex have been refurnished throughout and presented a very attractive appearance. . . .

Ladies Auxiliary Has All Day Meeting Tuesday

The Ladies' auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church met Tuesday with Mrs. Ross Stanton.

The ladies present sewed for the overseas hospital work of the Presbyterian church. They also made plans for the Worker's Day of Prayer, Feb. 24, at 3 p. m. To this meeting all ladies of the town are invited.

A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by all present at noontime. . . .

Bridge and Forty-Two Party Is Postponed

The bridge and "42" party to have been sponsored by the "Woman's Club" at the Ranger Country Clubhouse tonight, Feb. 17 will be postponed until Monday night, Feb. 20.

Those who have bought tickets for the party may use them Monday night. Make your plans to be there.

Thousands Relieve Discomforts of COLDS WITH GENUINE BAYER ASPIRIN



TO CONDUCT COOKING SCHOOL



Mrs. French, well-known culinary artist and happy home lecturer will be in charge of the Ranger Times and Eastland County Cooking School to be held in Ranger March 9, 10 and 11. The school is a yearly attraction of these papers and is popular with the women of the community. Make plans now to attend.

Townsend Draws Pension Attention



Pen-pointing out a pension argument, Dr. Francis Townsend, right, ballyhoos his \$200-a-month plan to Representative Ralph Brewster of Maine. Townsend remains in pension foreground as he testifies before House Ways and Means Committee on proposed changes in social security set-up.

Baylor University To Get a Carillon For New Building

CHICAGO—Construction of a 25-bell carillon that will make the spire of the new administration building at Baylor University, Waco, a "singing tower" was today started here by J. C. Deagan, Inc., famed American bell makers.

The huge 7-ton instrument is the gift of Mrs. Cullen F. Thomas, widow of the late Cullen F. Thomas, attorney, Centennial builder and veteran Texas political leader who died in his home at Dallas, December 8. Mr. Thomas had planned the gift to the university for some time. Death intervened before he could carry the plan through.

Mrs. Thomas' action in following it out not only observes his wishes but now provides a memorial for the man who served as Baylor trustee for many years. It will be known as the Cullen F. Thomas Memorial carillon.

The instrument is of the tubular bell type rather than the Old World cast-bell variety. It will be equipped with both manual and automatic playing devices and chime device to mark the hours, halves, and quarters with the famed Westminster sequence. The automatic player, which is operated from rolls in the same manner as the player-piano, does away with the necessity of hiring a carillonneur. Governed by clock mechanism it may be set to play selected music at any desired time.

More Swing Monkey Business

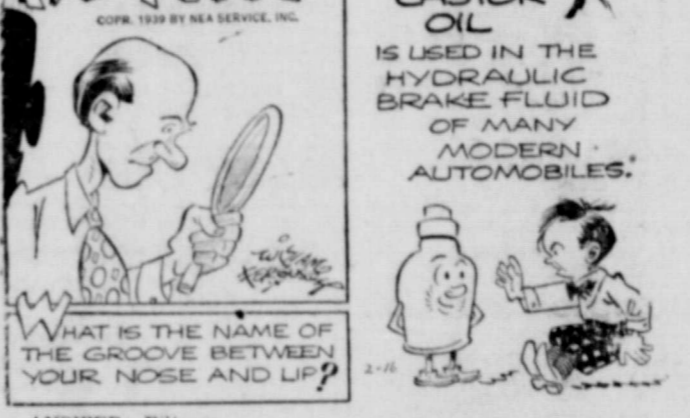


How monkeys swing is another tale entirely, but these baby chimps in the Philadelphia zoo learned how humans do it when swingster Tommy Dorsey gave them some hot licks on his trombone.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



CHAMELEONS TURN GREEN WHEN GREEN GOGGLES ARE PLACED OVER THEIR EYES!



ANSWER: Filtrum. Automobile manufacturers have found castor oil an excellent fluid for hydraulic brakes, since it is the only known lubricant that does not affect rubber. It is used in mixture with alcohol, or some such solvent.

Recent Federal law requires each state to conduct courses in the smaller cities and towns to familiarize merchants in "distributive occupations" with improved methods of merchandising, window and interior display, advertising and showcard writing, Dean Shelby said.

Under way now at Brownwood, the classes will move to Abilene shortly and from there to other Texas cities serving as a focal point for neighboring small towns, he added. Supervisors J. R. D. Eddy and Donovan R. Armstrong of the Department of Education, Miss Laura Wilson, Whitney Anderson

Sales Methods To Be Taught Clerks

AUSTIN, Texas—To demonstrate the newest sales methods to Texas merchants, The University of Texas Extension Division is sponsoring a series of business classes over the State, Dr. T. H. Shelby, extension dean, said here today.

How to Ease CHEST COLD MISERY

FIRST—massage throat, chest, and back with Vicks VapoRub at bedtime. This relieves the distress. THEN—to make its long-continued action last even longer, spread a thick layer of VapoRub on the chest and cover with a warm cloth. LONG AFTER sleep comes, VapoRub keeps working—loosens phlegm—eases muscular soreness or tightness—clears air-passages—eases coughing—relieves local congestion. Often, by morning the worst of the cold is over.

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POTATOES, Best Grade Idaho Russets	18c	TOMATOES No. 1 Can	5c
ONIONS, Sweet, Med. Size 3 Lbs. 8c, Lb.	3c	SALT, Best grade Pkg.	3c
APPLES, Winesap Not Small Doz.	10c	STARCH, Faultless Box	4c
ORANGES, Sweet and Large Doz.	10c	Fresh OYSTERS, Sal. Bait, 2 Bie Pts. Lb.	49c
BANANAS, Golden Ripen Doz.	9c	Fresh CAT FISH	25c
Spaghetti or Macaroni 3 Boxes 8c; Box	3c	SALT MACKEREL Each	10c
COFFEE, Best Grade 1 Lb. Pkg.	15c	Boneless Smoked HERRING, Pkg.	12c

City Fish Market Mrs. N. J. Novakovich Prop.

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ORANGES 2 Dozen 25c

BACON Per Lb. . . . 24c

PIG LIVER Per Lb. 17c