

# Ranger Times

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## STRUMENTS FILED WITH CLERK LISTED

Following is a list of instruments filed the past week with Clerk R. V. Galloway:

J. Berry et ux to Gordon appointment of substitute; Buda B. Butler et al to L. Reeves, oil and gas lease; M. J. Bolding to W. H. May-warranty deed; A. L. Butler to Texas Electric Service, right of way; Jessie Bell et ux to Lone Star Gas, agreement; E. P. Craw-ly, R. Q. Hagan, warranty of Continental National Bank to Robert Adams, right of judgment; J. C. Carra-ge et ux to TESCO, right of Citizens National Bank of one to John C. Gorman et ux, deed of trust.

Elizabeth E. Freyschlag et al to L. Reeves, oil and gas lease; First State Bank of Rising to J. E. Belding, warranty; H. E. Ferrell to HOLC, deed; J. L. Fonville et al to National Bank of Gorman, deed of trust; J. W. Hill et ux to R. V. Hill, oil and gas lease; J. W. et ux to F. W. Roberts, deed of trust; Wilma Gor-vir, trustee, to Citizen's National Bank of Abilene, min-der.

O. L. C. to H. F. Ferrell et ux, warranty deed; L. A. Hightower et ux, Sarah H. Roby, war-ty deed; J. R. Hilliard et ux to O. D. right of way; Hayner, ms and Jones to A. H. Bag-mator, deed; J. T. J. T. to Mrs. Dora Pearl Smith, deed of vendor's lien; Mrs. Net-tie Isbell to TESCO, right of D. J. Jobe et ux to TESCO, right of way; L. J. Killough et ux to Eastland National Bank, mater-ns' lien.

Mrs. Joseph Lucke to TESCO, right of way; Mrs. M. E. Layton to TESCO, right of way; G. Mason to TESCO, right of Mrs. C. Martin to TESCO, right of way; Joe Norton et al to TESCO, right of way; W. J. Overton to TESCO, right of way; R. E. Tolbert et al, abstract of gment; C. M. Powell to J. C. Rus-sell, warranty deed; W. O. C. to TESCO, right of way; Rod-ol et ux to TESCO, right of W. E. Solomon by substitute to Continental Southern and Loan Association, deed; C. R. Snider et ux to State Bank, extension of deed of trust; Roxie Ethyle et ux to W. E. Reid, war-ty deed; W. P. Tompkins et ux to public, affidavit; D. K. Wil-son to Millard Slaughter, war-ty deed; J. S. Yeager et al to L. Farmer, warranty deed.

## Seeks Hungarian Reorganization



Count Paul Teleki, 60, member of Hungarian cabinet, seeks reorganization of government following resignation of Premier Imredy.

## ITALIANS SEND 30,000 TROOPS INTO LYBIA

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The Italian government informed Lord Perth, British Ambassador to Rome, on Feb. 8, that 30,000 reinforcements had been sent to the Italian garrison in Libya, R. A. Butler, undersecretary of foreign affairs, announced today in the house of commons.

The house entered on an important debate, during which Neville Chamberlain may announce a government decision on proposals to send a British army to France in event of war.

During the questioning Chamberlain refused to be drawn on the progress of negotiations for recognition of the Spanish nationalists and efforts to end the civil war.

Regarding the progress of discussions with France he said, "His Majesty's government is maintaining the closest contact with the French government and discussions with it are still in progress. No statement, therefore, is possible at this stage."

Chamberlain told another questioner that he has no intention of urging Generalissimo Franco to grant amnesty to conquered enemies.

## McCall Execution Being Postponed Until Next Friday

RAYFORD, Fla., Feb. 20.—The execution of Franklin Pierce McCall, condemned for kidnaping James Bailey Cash, who was while in the abductor's hands, was postponed today until Friday, so that defense attorneys could appeal the case to the U. S. Supreme Court.

The four days delay, however, considered more in the nature of a postponement than a reprieve. It was explained the death warrant decreed the execution any time during the week of Feb. 20, and that it was the discretion of the prison superintendent to select the date. The new hour for the execution, which was to have been at 10 a. m. ES today, is 11 a. m. Friday.

## Cisco Caravan To Advertise Livestock Show On Tuesday

The tour which the Cisco Junior Chamber of Commerce had planned for Friday to advertise the Eastland County Livestock Show and Rodeo next Friday and Saturday will take place Tuesday, it was announced Saturday. A cold wave caused postponement Friday.

The junior chamber of commerce assisted by the senior chamber, which sponsors the livestock show, will organize a caravan to carry the Lobo band and visit Ranger, Eastland, Gorman, Car-bon, Rising Star and other East-land county communities as well as Patnam and Moran during the day. At each point the band will play and there will be a brief talk with residents to Cisco for the stock show and the rodeo.

## EASTLAND IS FAVORABLE TO HUNTER'S JOB

Strong support exists in Eastland for the confirmation of J. C. Hunter, Abilene, as a member of the highway commission.

Many telegrams have been sent, it was learned, urging Hunter to accept the position if his appointment by Governor O'Daniel is confirmed by the senate.

Milburn McCarty, former president of the West Texas and Eastland chambers of commerce, telephoned Hunter and congratulated him on his appointment.

Hunter is well known in Eastland. Probable closest friends in Eastland are members of the oil fraternity. He is past president of the West Central Texas Oil and Gas Association and president of the Mid-Continent Oil Association.

## WPA Workers Have Completed 6,570 Projects In State

SAN ANTONIO, Texas.—WPA workers have completed 6,570 public improvement projects in Texas since the inception of the Works Progress Administration program in July, 1935, it was announced today by State Administrator H. P. Drought.

"Public facilities created by formerly jobless men and women are now being enjoyed in practically every community and county of the state," Drought stated. "On these thousands of public improvements which have been made during the past three and one-half years there has been expended \$113,794,250, one fourth of which was supplied by the cities, counties and school districts."



## Livestock Show Judges Are Named

Judges for the third annual Ranger Livestock Show, to be held Friday, March 10, have been announced by Dr. Ross Hodges, chairman of the livestock show committee and show superintendent.

G. G. Gibson, assistant dairyman, extension service, Texas A. & M. College, will be judge of dairy cattle, while W. T. Magee, county agent of Shackelford County, will judge other livestock and poultry.

Judging of livestock will begin at 10 o'clock Friday morning, March 10.

## Pecos River Survey Is Given Approval

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—W. P. A. Administrator Harold L. Ickes announced today that President Roosevelt has approved an allocation of \$100,000 from PWA funds for a survey of the Pecos River basin in Texas and New Mexico, by the National Resources committee.

## School Census Work Reminder Is Issued

T. C. Williams, county school superintendent, Monday issued a reminder that the annual school census will be taken in common and independent school districts between the first of March and the first of April.

**THE WEATHER**  
WEST TEXAS.—Cloudy and unsettled. Colder, with cold wave in south portion tonight. Tuesday generally fair, warmer in Pan-handle.

## Proclamation Designating February 25th to March 4th As Texas Week

WHEREAS, the State of Texas is an empire within itself, vast in its area, unparalleled in the glory of its heroic deeds and romantic history, unrivaled in the splendid progress and achievements of its brilliant past and living present, and unmatched in the marvelous opportunities it has in store for its citizens ever in the future; and

WHEREAS, we are approaching the date, March the Second, which marks the birth of Texas Liberty and the beginning of the Republic of Texas, and its subsequent entry into the Sisterhood of States of this Union; and

WHEREAS, there is a movement throughout this State that Texas Week, beginning February 25th and closing March 4th, 1939, be properly observed in commemoration of the birth of the Republic of Texas;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Hall Walker, Mayor of the City of Ranger, in accordance with Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 of the Forty Second Legislature, proclaim Texas Week and invite our citizens to observe Texas Week, not as a season of holidays but as a week of better work and better living;

FIRST. I urge every home, office, place of business and industry, every public and private school to fly a Texas Flag each day during Texas Week, and;

SECOND. I urge all schools and colleges to observe Texas Week with appropriate assembly programs; make Texas Week education week and book week; hang Texas pictures in home, school, and office; plant trees and flowers and dedicate them; and make patriotic pilgrimages to places of historical significance and

THIRD. I urge the people in the marts and industries, professional pursuits, clubs, conventions, churches, lodges, and other assemblies to render appropriate programs during Texas Week; and

FOURTH. Let us carefully consider more plans for the further industrial development of our state. By putting to use our abundant natural resources, Texas may soon be a leader in industry as well as in agriculture; and

FIFTH. We Texans should cooperate in the growing movement for the preservation of scenic beauty and wild life in our state. Texas is an exquisitely beautiful state and only by the support of every loyal Texan can the beauty be made to endure, and

SIXTH. Let us all, for the brief space of Texas Week, extol the cultural and spiritual values of the romantic traditions of our history and dedicate ourselves to the lofty ideals of statesmanship, character, and leadership which our forefathers exhibited in their lives consecrated to liberty, happiness, and service.

Date: 2, 20, '39.

HALL WALKER,  
Mayor of the City of Ranger, Texas.

E. T. ZUBANK, Secretary City of Ranger.

## OIL PROPERTY ON BLOCK GOES IN \$8000 BID

On a bid of \$8,000 cash, J. F. Baker of Breckenridge purchased Saturday the Hayner, Reeves and Rose property in receivership on the P. C. Larkin lease near Rising Star.

Next highest bid, it was reported by Judge B. W. Patterson of 88th district court, in which receivership proceedings have been heard, was \$7,200.

The receivership proceedings were instituted by E. M. Howard vs. B. W. Daniels, the latter of the company which drilled the well on the Larkin lease. Hayner, Reeves and Rose and others were made defendants also.

Later various others intervened and also were made plaintiffs. It was estimated the plaintiffs had claims totaling in the \$14,000 neighborhood.

W. E. Tyler, Rising Star banker and oil man, was receiver, having been appointed by Judge Patterson.

Property included a small producing well and various other equipment.

## O'DANIEL IS DEFENDED IN HOUSE TODAY

AUSTIN, Feb. 20.—Rep. Pat Dwyer of San Antonio today criticized the "outrageous attack" made by East Texas Senators last Thursday upon Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel in discussion of his appointment of J. C. Hunter of Abilene to be chairman of the highway commission.

Several senators from East Texas criticized O'Daniel for not choosing an East Texan after they had rejected Carr P. Collins of Dallas for geographical reasons.

Dwyer, speaking on personal privilege, told the house that "the fair name of Texas has been smirched by the senate of Texas."

"To denounce these outrageous attacks upon the governor," Professional politicians are out to destroy him. The outrageous personal insults hurled at this man should arouse the indignation of every fair citizen in the state."

Dwyer called upon the house to vindicate O'Daniel and to remove the embarrassment caused the governor's family by the senators' charges.

The resolution will be pending business Tuesday.

## Meat Production Is Showing Increase

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The agriculture department reported today that meat production has started an increase that likely will continue for two or three years. A slight reduction in cattle slaughter, but a sharp increase in hogs is in prospect this year compared with last year, it said.

## Mrs. Perkins To Speak At Galveston

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, will speak Friday, Feb. 24, at the third annual state conference of the Texas Cause and Cure of War Committee at Galveston.

Mrs. Perkins recently returned from Washington where she attended the 14th annual conference on the Cause and Cure of War.

## Mrs. Perkins Gets Charity Work Credit

It was announced Monday that the name of Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins was omitted in a list published Sunday that gave credit to those who aided materially in the Eastland Christmas Cheer Club work.

The number of families adopted by organizations and individuals amounted to 45, it was also pointed out.

## MRS. ARNOLD CHOSEN HEAD OF FEDERATION

Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold of Eastland was elected president of the Eastland County Federation of Women's Clubs at a meeting Saturday in the Woman's clubhouse at Eastland. She will succeed Mrs. M. H. Hagaman of Ranger.

Other new officers, also chosen unanimously, were Mrs. Philip Pettit, Cisco, vice president; Mrs. Willie Word, Word, secretary, and Mrs. J. L. Turner, Ranger, treasurer.

Nomination committee was composed of Mrs. Medora S. Pitcock of Eastland, Mrs. Deffenbach of Ranger and County Home Demonstration Agent Ruth Ramsey.

Mrs. Arnold was elected delegate to the Sixth District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs convention, April 26-28 at San Angelo. Miss Word is the alternate delegate.

The Civil League and Garden club, Firemen's Auxiliary, Lat Leales Club, Alpha Delphinias, Music Study and Thursday clubs were host organizations at the meeting, Saturday.

Next meeting of the federation will be Saturday, May 29. The County Home Demonstration Council will be host at the meeting.

## BILL WOULD BAN SALE OF U. S. AIRCRAFT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Sen. Gerald P. Nye, Republican, North Dakota, acting as a result of the sale of more than 600 American fighting planes to France, introduced legislation today to restrict the sale of American-made airplanes and airplane parts to foreign powers.

Nye's measure was the first concrete result of the senate controversy, which rose around activities of a French air mission in this country, and the assistance given by the United States to the rearmament of France and Great Britain.

Nye, co-sponsor of the senate military affairs inquiry into the French plane purchases, sought enactment of a law that would enable the war and navy departments to bar exports of any type of aircraft until they were satisfied that they were not needed exclusively for defense of this country.

## Railway Cases Are Continued In Court

Two cases, in each which Texas and Pacific Railway Company is defendant, were continued Monday morning in 88th district court.

Case of Mrs. F. W. Brown et al vs. the company was continued on motion of the defendant. The suit arose over the death of Mrs. Brown's husband, a barber, at Ranger.

Case of R. E. Clark and E. A. Fields against the company was continued by agreement of the parties. This suit arose over the shipment of cattle from Cisco to Georgia.

## Anti-Lynching Bill Offered In Senate

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Sen. W. Warren Barbour, Republican, New Jersey, today introduced in the senate an anti-lynching bill, similar to one killed in the last session.

Barbour's bill differed from the other proposal in a few respects only.

## School Matron Sews Girls' Torn Dresses

EL PASO, Tex.—Girls in El Paso's public schools no longer have to wait until they return home for a playground-torn dress to be mended. There is a matron in the grade school rest room now who sews up the tear for them.

Fifteen of the city's schools, including the Negro Douglass school have the matrons. They are provided by the Works Progress Administration.

The matrons keep the rest rooms in order, mended school uniforms, sew torn garments, and act as "mothers" during the school hours.

## Hungarian Chief Resigns His Post



Hungarian Premier Bela Imredy, who has sponsored severe anti-Jewish decrees, resigned when he learned one of his own grandmothers was Jewish.

## KIDNAPER OF GIRL BOUGHT BY FORMER FURNIA

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Feb. 20.—A 17-year-old girl, kidnapped by a 1908 kidnaper, was reported that she was last seen with a playmate Sunday afternoon at a playground and that she had not returned home last night. After they had searched the neighborhood in vain and contacted the playmate they reported the disappearance to police.

Police learned that Townsend Davis, a part time gardener at a home near the Switzers, frequented the playground.

They went to Davis' home and his aunt, Mrs. Jennie Purcell, told them he had brought Anna there, packed a suitcase and drove away with her in a sedan.

Before he left, the aunt said, Davis told her that he was taking Anna away at the request of her mother.

## Freight Rate Bill Offered In Senate By Tom Connally

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Sen. Tom Connally of Texas today introduced a bill designed to remove "the inequalities and discriminations" in freight rates in Texas and the Southwest, as compared with other regions.

The bill authorized the interstate commerce commission to study freight rate differentials with a view toward removing any inequalities or discriminations.

The Senate Interstate Commerce committee will open hearings on Feb. 27, on bills concerning freight rate differentials.

## Staff H. D. Club To Hold Meeting

The Staff Home Demonstration Club will meet Wednesday, March 1, at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Ruby Crawley.

Members were appointed for each subject to discuss at this meeting, on "Common Diseases of children" and "Social Diseases." Everyone is urged to be present and take part. All visitors are invited.

## Bank To Be Closed Wednesday, Feb. 22

W. F. Croager, cashier of the Commercial State Bank of Ranger, announced today the bank would be closed all day Wednesday, Feb. 22, in celebration of George Washington's Birthday, an annual legal holiday.

## \$101,393.24 PROJECT GETS WPA APPROVAL

A. F. Taylor, county engineer, announced Monday that work on a WPA road improvement project to provide expenditure of \$102,393.24 and employment of 181 men for one year will begin Wednesday.

The improvements will be on a series of four roads connecting from Ranger north through Colony, Pleasant Hill and to Eastland. The improvements will provide for fixing of 14 miles of road.

This is another in a series of projects for improvement of county roads which when completed will place Eastland County among those of counties in Texas which have the best system of farm-to-market roads.

The improvements on the new project will provide for grading, widening of right of way, clearing of fences, building of drainage structures and other work.

All improvements will be in precinct 1 for which Henry Davenport is county commissioner.

## Filing Of Claims In Security Program Explained By King

W. O. King, manager of the Social Security office of the San Angelo office of the Social Security Board, was a visitor here recently, contacting employers and claimants for lump-sum benefits under the Federal old-age insurance provisions of the Social Security Act.

Employers are contacted in an effort to assist them in their social security problems. It is quite essential that employers know their employees' account numbers, in order that their quarterly information returns to the Collector of Internal Revenue be accurate and complete. This is also of much importance if their wages are to be properly recorded by the Social Security Board.

"We find many individuals who are entitled to file claims, yet they do not know they are qualified to receive lump-sum payments," King said. "Lump-sum payments are being made to workers who have attained the age of 65 since January 1, 1937, provided they have received wages from covered employment and to widows or estates of such workers who had died before reaching 65."

In such case, the amount of payment is 3 1/2 per cent of the total wages received from covered employment, beginning January 1, 1937, and up to attainment of age 65 or death. Workers reaching 65 who qualify for lump sums do not have to quit work in order to receive payment. Any individual eligible to file a claim should communicate with the Social Security Board, 412 Rust Building, San Angelo, Texas.

"The San Angelo office of the Social Security Board also has the responsibility for issuing social security account cards and duplicate numbers," King said. "Workers living outside of San Angelo may mail their applications to us and the cards will be returned by mail. Application forms may be secured from the post office in cities outside of San Angelo," King said.

## Freak Pig Born On Farm Near Ranger

K. E. Ambrose, local manager for Southern Ice Company, was today displaying a freak pig, born recently on the farm of Jack Donowho, near Ranger.

The pig had one head, with four ears and two bodies, joined together. In addition to the four ears the pig, or pigs, had four front legs, four hind legs and two tails. The two bodies were joined together from the head to near the hindquarters, where they separated into two distinct and almost normal bodies.

The pig was said to have been found dead, so it was not known how long it lived after birth.

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### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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## History May Not Repeat, but It Regurgitates

The glib saying that "history repeats itself" is a dangerous one, taken too literally. Certain it is that some things happen with a familiar ring and a dream-like feeling that "this has all happened before." But to argue "it happened thus once, therefore it must happen so today" is dangerous.

Nevertheless, we are all prone, preoccupied as we are with the tumbling events of our day, to feel that nothing like this ever did happen before; the world was never so topsy-turvy.

That simply is not true. Almost all people seem to have felt that their own times were out of joint. Hence it is interesting to turn for a moment from today's preoccupations to certain letters written in Paris in May of 1905. The writer was Henry Adams, who for 80 years bent his glacial gaze down from an ivory tower on what seemed to him a mad and brutal world.

In this May of 1905, Adams looked about him from Paris into what many people now look back to as a sort of recent "golden age" of peace and plenty. And this is what he reported to John Hay:

"I see precipices all round, and dread every morning to open a newspaper. The situation is frightfully dangerous... Europe is an awful nightmare. It scares me."

Thus Henry Adams, 34 years ago. True enough, 10 years after he wrote, Europe was reeling in a death-struggle as mad as any he had foreseen. But it survived, after a fashion.

It Hitler's drive for expansion some new, unheard-of dream which this man alone devised? Not at all. Adams, sitting in his quiet room in Paris, saw the same forces moving in 1905 that are on the move today.

"I hope," he wrote to John Hay, "France and England will try to let Germany have her way. As yet she has asked for nothing very serious. The time must come when she will ask for Holland or Austria or the Baltic provinces, or a strip of Poland. Her manners are almost as bad as those of England or France were, 100 years ago... yet war would be fatal to everyone, except perhaps to us; and victory would only raise greater dangers and more enemies...."

So a wise man reflected in 1905. And the war came which he foresaw, and was nearly fatal to everyone, even to us. And victory did raise only greater dangers and more enemies.

Now Germany again knocks at the world's door like a perennial Oliver Twist, demanding more. We are surprised and shocked. But we need not be. The world's troubles of today are only the grandchildren of the world's troubles of yesterday, and bear a striking resemblance to their parents.

## Optometrist Bill Opposed at Hearing

AUSTIN, Tex.—The optometrist bill, which will prevent the optometrists of Texas from advertising in newspapers or in any other manner, came up for hearing before the Public Health Committee of the House in Austin Thursday. It was vigorously opposed by Frank Mayborn of the Temple Telegram heading a committee which represented the newspapers of Texas, and by a number of optometrists, jewelers and retail merchants from all sections of the state.

The bill, which a specially interested group are attempting to lobby through the legislature in a hurry, was referred to a subcommittee consisting of Joe E. Kieth of Sherman, chairman of the Public Health Committee, who introduced the bill in the House, and Representatives James M. Heflin, of Houston, and Jack Langdon of Glen Rose. They will report back to the committee next week.

"This bill is just another blow at the freedom of the press," Mr. Mayborn told the committee. "Texas newspapers are as a unit in cleaning up misleading and fraudulent advertising, but they resent legislation against worthy advertising by high class firms or individuals. This bill is designed to benefit a small group of people against the common good of all the citizens of Texas. If this bill becomes a law, it will be clearly in restraint of trade, because it seeks to control prices by curtailing the ability of the individual optometrist to meet competition. Published prices for service and merchandise is the public's main protection against price fixing and price raising."

It was pointed out that the proposed law will work a great handicap on many Texas optometrists and retail stores. Many optometrists would be put out of business by such a law which endows a state board of optometry with dictatorial powers.

That heroine, who cheered the survivors of the Cavalier seaplane disaster as they clung to life preservers in the darkness, has a great future as a hostess. She could make a tea party cheerful.

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## Okay, Boys



## Dead Boll Weevil Is Sent To Rochester

DALLAS, Tex.—A neat package containing three cotton bolls and a dead boll weevil was mailed to Miss Ethel Rucker, who handles a number of odd requests which come to the Chamber of Commerce, was somewhat taken back when she received Miss Harvey's letter a week ago, asking for "three cotton bolls and one boll weevil (dead)".

Unable to find a good specimen of boll weevil in Dallas, Miss Rucker asked the help of the Agricultural Experiment Station at College Station. She received the weevil, neatly in a needle in a glass specimen bottle. It and three others were passed on to Miss Harvey.

## SAVE TIME... SAVE MONEY!

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## COAT OF ARMS

**HORIZONTAL**

- 1 Pictured is the coat of arms of —
- 5 This country's capital.
- 8 Mountains in this land.
- 12 Slave.
- 14 To implant deep.
- 15 Wattle tree.
- 16 Gibbon.
- 18 Clan pole.
- 20 Pieces out.
- 21 Popular report.
- 22 Roman emperor.
- 23 Compass point.
- 24 Incarnation of Vishnu.
- 25 Chaos.
- 26 Like a donkey.
- 29 Monetary unit of Japan.
- 30 Simpleton.
- 32 Slothful.
- 33 Myself.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

**VERTICAL**

- 2 Calls out.
- 3 Unusual.
- 4 Employ.
- 5 Note in scale.
- 6 To enlighten.
- 7 Pertaining to air.
- 8 Work of genius.
- 9 Middy.
- 10 To love to excess.
- 11 Eternal.
- 13 Southeast.
- 15 This land's president.
- 17 Wine vessel.
- 19 It — are rich in minerals.
- 21 To declaim.
- 24 Public disturbers.
- 27 Frozen deserts.
- 28 Water wheel.
- 29 36 inches.
- 31 Nutlike seed.
- 33 Mountain.
- 36 Clever.
- 38 Law.
- 40 Gong.
- 41 Alleged force.
- 42 Toward sea.
- 44 Sailor.
- 46 Unprofessional.
- 47 Beverage.
- 48 Circle part.
- 50 Musical note.
- 52 Lava.

## Pneumonia Season Is Now At Hand In Most Of State

AUSTIN, Tex.—"Pneumonia is a seasonal disease in that its incidence and mortality are much increased during wet, cold weather," according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Last week 234 cases of pneumonia were reported to the State Health Department. The disease is most prevalent and serious in urban centers where contact with people is most frequent. Pneumonia is always dangerous but it is especially so to persons in a run-down condition. This accounts for the number of cases following illness from some other disease.

The germs that cause pneumonia are spread by careless coughers, sneezers, spitters and objects they thus infect. The first symptoms are usually a severe chill and fever, a very sick feeling, loss of appetite, rapid breathing and a heavy sensation in the chest. Sometimes coughing brings up blood from the inflamed lungs. Any of these symptoms should be the signal for going to bed at once and sending for your family doctor.

## Original Paper By Ross Given Museum

ALPINE, Tex.—An original paper signed by Lawrence Sullivan Ross, former governor of Texas, has been received by the Big Bend Historical and Scientific Museum at Sul Ross State College here.

**ONCE MORE, we repeat, it's always good policy to insure AND BE SAFE!**

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SERIAL STORY WOMEN WANT BEAUTY!

BY LOUISE HOLMES

Yesterday's The rigorous beauty treatments are an ordeal for Susie...

CHAPTER XIV

JEFF asked eagerly, "How do you like the publicity? That's my idea, urging the girls to profit by your experiences. Later I have in your radio program, Sven putting you through your paces. We'll call it, 'The Susie road to beauty.' Maybe, if there's enough response, you can sponsor a question and answer column in the paper." His voice was rich with enthusiasm.

SWEN met her. "Did you drink three glasses of hot water with lemon juice?" he asked suspiciously.

"Yes, Sven," Susie felt happy. She had had her breakfast, a pint of orange juice, one slice of toast so thin that it crackled when she bit into it, black coffee. The day went on, work, rest, hair sunning, more orange juice in mid-morning, a glass of water every hour. A young artist made a pen sketch of her while she sunned her hair, another as she lay on a mat with her feet in the air. He was a clever artist, a few lines, the face blank, Susie knew the sketches would appear in the paper with the next day's lesson.

In the afternoon, after the kneading and pounding and spanking, after the restful massage, Emma covered Susie with a sheet and two girls took over the job. One worked on Susie's nose, finishing with cream rubbed into her hands and arms and a treatment for her elbows. The other girl toiled over her feet, pedicuring the nails, trimming the callouses, smoothing them with delectable lotions. Susie drowsed while this was going on, blissfully relaxed.

Followed a busy week, a profitable week from Mr. Harker's point of view. The drug department reported 89 calls in one day for Susie's shampoo, the tea room was swamped with orders for Susie's diet. Women called John Harker to commend him, to ask questions, even to report progress.

"May we see Susie when you've finished with her?" they asked. And "Is she a real girl? Does she really do all these things?" Mr. Harker congratulated Kane and Jeff Bowman on their campaign.

"I'm wondering," Susie murmured. They went in the employees' entrance. Groups of men and girls at the lockers greeted them and looked curiously after Susie.

"Do you know Dick?" Jeff asked, pursuing the subject. "He went to the University," she said. "He liked my waffles." On an impulse she added, "I had a date with him once."

She waited for the surprised lift of Jeff's eyebrows. It did not come.

"Dick's all right," he said. "I used to think him quite a baby, but lately he has been lagging a little around, but he's all right." Jeff got off the elevator with a cheer, "Good luck, Susie," and she went on to the gymnasium.

forced her stiff muscles to perform miracles in the way of stretching and straining and doubling, she tightened her belt three inches.

It was when the battle had raged for seven days that Susie fell; that is, she was prepared to make the downward plunge had not the faithful Jeff been on the job.

Sometimes Jeff doubted if he would ever attain success in his chosen field. He knew himself to be a good advertising man, he was fairly bubbling over with ideas. John Harker listened to Jeff's ideas and acted upon many of them, slowly but steadily his pay increased but, to his disgust, Clifford Kane had the last word and got the credit.

On this night, a week after the beautifying began, Jeff had taken Susie to her hotel. He often drove her out, it was on his way home, he liked to hear of the daily events, they gave him more ideas. On this particular evening Susie had said not one word. There was a kind of weary desperation that made him park his car a block from the hotel and walk back with the intention of taking her to Edna.

His mother was vitally interested in Susie, often she urged Jeff to bring her home with him. Jeff had hesitated on several counts, the first being the matter of food. Edna was a hospitable soul, possibly didn't appreciate the importance of Susie's diet.

This night, however, he decided that Susie needed Edna and walked back to the hotel. Poor Susie, she hadn't even said good night. Passing the drug store in one corner of the hotel Jeff stopped and exclaimed softly, "Susie sat at a small table in the rear. Even from the sidewalk Jeff sensed her attitude of mind. Defiant, reckless, for-the-moment-don't-care."

Glaring at her he saw a white-coated young man place a tall glass before her and, to his horror, he recognized it. A double malted milk, chocolate, thick. As Susie inserted a huge straw into the mixture Jeff strode through the door.

He marched to her table. Susie, her lips parted over the straw, stopped in arrested motion. No habitual drunkard, lately having signed the oath of abstinence, caught with a flask in his hand, could have looked more guilty.

"Susie—" Jeff exclaimed. Her lips closed over the straw and Jeff swung on the glass. There was a sharp struggle, foamy liquid slopped on the table. Jeff was victorious.

(To Be Continued)

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS-



Circus Time For Gainesville Has Returned Again

By United Press GAINESVILLE, Texas.—It is circus time in Gainesville again. The crack of whips, the blare of trombones, the whirr of jigsaws and the rattle of teeterboards can be heard all over town as 150 local citizens get ready for the opening in April for the Gainesville Community Circus' tenth season.

Down in the poultry building at Fair Park, Vern Brewer and Fortis Sims are putting a dozen sleek ponies and a half dozen prancing horses through their paces, while dogs and monkeys vie for prestige as bareback riders. In his regular working time Brewer operates a truck line, while Sims has a cleaning plant.

In the old natatorium building, converted into circus winter quarters, Alex Murrell, light plant engineer, and his cronies, Paul McGeehee and Foster Renfro, are converting white pine boards into elaborate scrolls and figures to decorate gold-leafed tableau wagons. Murrell, whose hobby is amateur mechanics, has moved his equipment to the building and uses jigsaws, band saws, anvil and forge to fashion the show properties.

And in a vacant store building on East California street, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stephens, one-time Ringling trouper, meet every night with half a hundred men and women, boys and girls, who aspire to walk the tightwire, perform on the flying trapeze, rolling globes and contortion tables and get in the teeterboard acrobatic acts. Stephens is city electrician in every-day life.

The prospective performers in the circus includes school teachers, ice truck drivers, department store salesladies, railroad brakemen, office girls, college students, a farm-hand or two, a doctor, a newspaper reporter, and representatives of a dozen other trades and professions.

The Gainesville circus started in 1930 as an extra activity of the Little Theatre. And three years later the circus had definitely taken chief importance away from the theatre.

LIBRARIES GROW By United Press PITTSBURGH.—For the first time since their founding in 1895, Pittsburgh's Carnegie Libraries have more than a million books on hand. The number was set officially at 1,018,000 in the annual report of Ruth D. McCollough, catalogue department head.

FRIGHT LASTS LIFETIME By United Press CLOVER, S. C.—Robert Davis Wallace, 76-year-old farmer at Bowling Green, has lived in sight of the railroad tracks ever since they were built but has never ridden on a train. He said the reason he'd never ridden on a train might be because the first time he saw one it scared him so much he ran most of the way home.

Texas Is Ahead Of U. S. Average For Violent Crime

By United Press AUSTIN, Feb. 20.—The State of Texas is far ahead of the national average in murders, robberies, burglaries and thefts the bureau of research of the University of Texas reported today.

The tabulation is contained in a report on municipal police administration in Texas, prepared by R. Weldon Cooper.

The national average of murders and non-negligent homicides is 6.1 per 100,000 population. The Texas average is 17.9.

"LIE-DOWN" NEARLY FATAL By United Press SALEM, Mass.—A "lie-down" strike on a railroad crossing nearly cost Dobbin his life. Anthony Welsh, with the aid of the crossing attendant, persuaded his horse to make way for the Boston & Maine's Pine Tree Express, but the wagon was demolished.

GROUND SET ASIDE By United Press SOUTHPORT, Me.—The Southport Yacht Club plans to preserve an historic shrine the "Old Pine Tree" on the club grounds which served as a landing place for Britishers in the War of 1812.

Joe Louis, who wound up his last two fights in less than five minutes, is taking no chances with the federal wnes and hours act.

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ALLEY OOP



By Hamlin



Applied Measures For Public Health Combats Typhoid

AUSTIN, Texas.—"Perhaps no more convincing example of the value of applied public health measures exists than the success achieved in combating typhoid fever," declares Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

that approximately 350,000 persons, or one out of ten, contracted typhoid fever in that year. "Since then typhoid fever death rates in the urban centers have steadily declined. Texas cities and communities are reporting less and less typhoid due to mass control in purifying water and milk supplies, providing adequate sewage disposal, and widespread typhoid vaccination. The rural areas of Texas are still beset with the typhoid problem, however, as shown by the fact that the greatest per cent of the 379 Texans who died of typhoid in 1937 were from the rural districts.

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## Correction of Marriage Announcement of J. F. Connell and Bride Is Made

A telephone report, received Saturday by the Times, announcing the marriage of Mr. J. F. Connell, Jr., and Miss Nellie Irene Stone of Cisco, who were married recently. The Times is sorry that it was victimized by a prankster, who turned in the false report, and is glad to take this opportunity to make this correction.

which was accepted in good faith by the Times, was printed as received.

Relatives today revealed the report should have been of the marriage of Mr. J. F. Connell, Jr., and Miss Nellie Irene Stone of Cisco, who were married recently. The Times is sorry that it was victimized by a prankster, who turned in the false report, and is glad to take this opportunity to make this correction.

## Womans' Club to Entertain With Bridge and Forty-Two Party Tonight

One of the outstanding events on the social calendar at the Ranger Country Club will be the bridge and 42 party scheduled for tonight, Feb. 20, sponsored by the Woman's Club.

George Washington's anniversary will form a motif for decorations. These affairs are being sponsored by the Woman's Club to raise monies to redecorate the club house, and your presence is needed at every affair, so make your plans now to be there tonight. If you haven't already gotten your tickets you may get them at the door at the club house. Prizes are to be awarded in both auction and contract bridge and in 42.

## O. D. Dillingham and Associates Visit Ranger

O. D. Dillingham and son, O. D. Jr., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blumentritt of Monahan, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pratt of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pee of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Houts Lamar of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. George Goughly of San Angelo, Mr. Oscar Williams of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Stovall of Coleman, stopped in Ranger a short time today on their way to Dallas to attend a three-day meeting of the Texas Dairy Institute.

## Ranger Camera Club Meets Thursday Evening

The Ranger Camera Club met Thursday evening at the Ranger High School in Mr. Bell's room. Motion pictures, showing Ranger as it was during the boom days, were shown.

## Columbia Study Club to Meet With Mrs. Kuykendall

The Columbia Study Club will meet Tuesday morning at 9:30 at the home of Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall, 427 Pine street. Mrs. J. E. Matthews will review "Grandma Called It Carnival," by Bertha Damon.

## A Large Number of B. T. U. Members Go to Eastland Sunday

Thirty-five members of the B. T. U. of the First Baptist Church attended the Cisco Association B. T. U. conference in Eastland Sunday afternoon. Ranger had the largest representation present.

Different age groups met in conferences and organized the year's work.

Rev. B. N. Shephard, district missionary, who filled the pulpit of Rev. Chas. T. Tally, Jr., of the First Baptist Church Sunday, spoke to the assembly.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Schooley and daughter, Sally Ann, visited friends in Cross Plains, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Thomas of Ranger were week-end visitors of relatives in McKinney.

Miss Buena Berry, a senior in the Ranger Junior college, spent the week-end with her parents near McKinney.

## Looks Doggone Like a Lamb



Far from being that of Mary's little lamb, the streamlined head above belongs to the Bedlington terrier, Ch. Lady Rowena of Rowanooks, judged best of breed at the Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show in New York.

## NOW AT ARCADIA



Dorothy Lamour and Lloyd Nolan in a scene from "St. Louis Blues", a Paramount picture now playing the Arcadia theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tibbels visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith in Hico, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and Mrs. H. E. Snyder spent Saturday in Fort Worth on business.

Mrs. Wilfred Vaughn of Temple is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shirley.

Otis McCoy, who has been associated with the local J. C. Penney company for several years has been transferred to their store at Stephenville as assistant manager.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes of Graham, came to Ranger this morning. He will transact business here during their visit of two days.

Mr. and Mrs. Sig Faircloth visited friends in Brockenridge, Sunday afternoon.

Edd Eckert and L. C. Brito of Mason, visited friends in Ranger, Sunday.

## Women Everywhere Tells Texas Story

Wherever they go, those Touring Reporters are overwhelmed with "Yes" answers to their question, "Were you helped by CARDUI?" First 100 times the question was put to Dallas users brought 88 "Yeses." Average for three other states—Georgia, Florida, Oklahoma—reveals the impressive fact that 96 of every 100 users said "Yes."

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## Society Personal

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Emshier and son, Pete, left this morning for Christoval after receiving word her father, Mr. A. J. Perciful, was seriously ill.

F. N. Hassen and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Joseph, Sunday evening.

John Hassen of Sulphur, Okla., returned to Ranger Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McClister and Miss Gladys Larson visited relatives in Waco, Sunday. They were accompanied home by Miss Doris Fern McClister, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McClister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gray and son, Billy Mac, of Cleburne, left today after a visit Sunday night and today in the home of her sister, Mrs. Pless Moore.

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Gulf Oil	37 1/4
Houston Oil	6 1/2
Montg Ward	48 1/4
Parkard	4
Pure Oil	9 1/4
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May	68 1/4	68 1/4	68 1/4	68 1/4
July	69	68 1/4	68 1/4	68 1/4
Sept.	69 1/4	69 1/4	69 1/4	69 1/4
Coru—				
May	49 1/4	49 1/4	49 1/4	49 1/4
July	51	50 1/4	51	50 1/4
Sept.	51 1/4	51 1/4	51 1/4	51 1/4
Oats—				
May	29 1/4	29	29 1/4	29 1/4
July	28	27 1/4	27 1/4	27 1/4



Skipping out of the water after a plunge comes baldish Abe Feldman who fights Tony Galento at Miami, Feb. 22. Based on that information, the reader is free to make his own wisecracks about taking a dive instead of a swim.

## U. Of T. Students Have Big Variety Of Work To Do

By United Press

AUSTIN, Tex.—Ninety different types of jobs—ranging from tightrope walking to embalming cats—are performed by University of Texas students who are working their way through college.

Fifty-five per cent of the University's 11,000 students earn all or part of their expenses, with an average monthly income of \$20. Two thousand students are working on National Youth Administration projects and additional 1,000 are employed in part-time jobs by Austin merchants.

Dean Arno Nowotny, director of the student employment bureau, listed 35 positions that he thought university students could fill. Applicants showed, however, that they were proficient at 55 other types of work.

The most unexpected jobs were those as funeral directors, gas-line workers, tool dressers, tree surgeons, cotton buyers, cheese makers, tightrope walkers, boiler-makers, beekeepers, pneumatic hammer operators and concrete mixers.

In addition, two boys are embalming and selling cats to zoology students' experiments and a girl manufactures and sells costume jewelry in her spare time.

In a 1939 variety of valentine, the suitor speaks his flattery onto a recording. Suppose the female sends back a record which chirps: "I'll bet you tell that to all the girls."

Sweeping up after an atom-smashing machine sounds like a probable WPA project.

## Vacancy Rackets May Be Ended In Present Session

AUSTIN, Tex.—Strong prospects of this session of the legislature declaring a "closed season" on vacancy hunting rackets developed at the initial hearing on proposed revisions of the land laws, sponsors in the Texas house declared as they busied themselves arranging further public discussions of the bill.

Representative Agis Smith of Bay City emphasized that at the first hearing all factions openly condemned and called for immediate elimination of land chiseling which they recognized as existing under present statutes.

As they went forward to explore deeper into reported widespread title clouding and strip grabbing, committee members described the adjustment bills, designed to give the state and landowners greater protection, as ranking next in importance to old age assistance and taxation.

The new bill calls for \$100, instead of \$1, vacancy filing fee on applications to the land office; impartial surveys and sworn field notes by a surveyor appointed by the land commissioner; lifting of occupants to buy vacancies on their lands, and mineral rights, subject to a 1-16 royalty reservation to the permanent school fund; trials of suits in the county in which asserted vacant tracts are found; penalties against landowners and mineral lessees for failure to report vacant areas.

Representative Harold Hankamer of El Paso, chairman of the main committee, said the new land bills were of top interest to all Texas; appointed a subcommittee of three, composed of Representatives Elmer Pope of Corpus Christi, C. H. Gilmer of Rock Springs and Price Daniel of Liberty, to conduct a series of hearings.

Meanwhile, representatives of the school fund, landowners and land developers marshaled more evidence to offer the subcommittee. While there are in conflict on some provisions of the bill, they are agreed, Representative Daniel said, on one vital point: "Vacancy racketeering is going on under the statute enacted in 1931 and it must be stopped."

Representative Smith expressed a conviction there is a strong feeling among lawmakers to delete "punitive laws in the land laws." "That's the idea I formed from sentiments voiced at the first public hearing on the bill. I feel highly optimistic of its passage." The measure is advocated by the Texas Landowners association which presented testimony to the legislature purporting to show vacancy hunters are spreading fanfare over the entire state and clouding titles to countless thousands of acres of land.

"People everywhere, especially taxing property owners, have become disgusted with vacancy hunters riding on the coattail of the school children, in order to dispossess families holding tracts made valuable by oil discoveries," Representative Daniel said.

## COURT OBEYED—ON RUN

By United Press

COLUMBIA, S. C.—Elbert Hall, arrested on a charge of begging, pleaded for mercy before the judge and swore to leave town "on the run" if given his freedom. "Very well," said the judge. "Take it on the run." Hall then sprinted out of the court room, and was reported still running near the city limits.

The movement to keep tomatoes out of clam chowder will gain speed only if it is linked to a plan to put clams in.