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## RUMANIA GETS BACKING FROM GREAT BRITAIN

**By United Press**  
LONDON, Mar. 20.—Great Britain today offered economic assistance to Rumania in its international campaign to unite Europe against domination by Adolf Hitler of Germany.

A report in usually reliable sources said that Soviet Russia had encouraged the British efforts by proposing that a nine-power conference be called to consider measures to be taken in an attempt to stop Hitler.

The government of Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain of Great Britain, encouraged also by the attitude of the United States toward Nazi expansion by armed force, took the lead in negotiations for a united front with Russia, France, Poland, Rumania and the Balkan states.

## Czech Leader Irks Germany



Czechoslovakian President Emil Hacha, above, finds himself, like his predecessor, Eduard Benes, object of German anger following suppression of elements demanding separation of autonomous Slovakia from Prague government.

## Seven Residents Of County Injured In Auto Accident

Seven Eastland County residents were involved in an automobile collision Saturday midnight west of Weatherford.

Altus Fox of Eastland was driver of one car and C. L. Wilson, Rising Star vocational agriculture teacher, was driver of the other machine.

Altus Fox was reported in a critical condition and was taken to a Ranger hospital. Troy Fox, also of Eastland, received a broken leg and Harry Ewert, Eastland, was also injured.

Mrs. Wilson received face cuts but her husband and their two children were not hurt.

## Eubanks Withdraws Name as Candidate For School Board

E. T. Eubank, whose name was filed by a friend as a candidate for a place on the Ranger School Board, announced today that he was withdrawing from the race and would not be a candidate.

Eubank, in announcing his withdrawal, said that he appreciated the honor that had been accorded him by being chosen as a candidate, but that he would be unable to make the race or to serve on the board, and was therefore withdrawing his name as a candidate.

## Strawn Girls Has Birthday Party

ABILENE, Mar. 20.—Third birthday anniversary of Patricia Hayer of Strawn was celebrated at a Saturday afternoon party at the home of her Abilene grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dillingham.

An Easter egg hunt was featured entertainment for young guests, each being presented a colorful basket in which to place the eggs. Ice cream, moulded at rabbits, was served with birthday cake from a table done in pastel colors.

Patricia's mother, Mrs. W. O. Hayer, Jr., was party hostess, entertaining Jimmy Millerman, Carol Cockerell, Harriet Harvey, Nettie Epley, Nita France and Gail Adams, Betsy Blanton, Sharon Hughes, Gail Grisham, Betty Kathryn and Janel Walter, Jimmy and Charles Signor, Gaye Brown of Hamlin, Gay Goughly of San Angelo, Sara Beth King of Strawn, and the honoree's aunt, Mrs. Carl Pee of Odessa.

## Nationalists Still Seek Peace Terms

HENDAYE, Spain, March 20.—The Spanish Nationalist government at Burgos, having rejected the idea of Madrid government for an "honorable peace" insisted today that "we will consent only to a victorious peace."

The nationalist war machine was ready for a major attack on Madrid and the 10 provinces still in republican possession, unless there is complete surrender.

## Director Of A & M Is Named by O'Daniel

AUSTIN, March 20.—Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel today sent the Texas Senate a message, notifying the body of his selection of H. L. Kokernot, Jr., of Jeff Davis county, to succeed Elliott Roosevelt of Fort Worth as member of the board of directors of A. & M. college.

**THE WEATHER**  
WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, cooler in Panhandle tonight.

## National Champion Square Dance Team Honor Guests Of Mr and Mrs Jack Urban In Dance at Gholson Hotel On Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Urban entertained with a square dance at the Gholson Hotel Saturday night, at which the Blue Bonnet Square Dance team of El Paso, national set of the Cortez Club, El Paso, national square dance champions, were guests of honor and presented in square dances, the Schottische, heel and toe, and new shoes. Between exhibitions the members of the team danced these dances with other guests from Ranger.

From the time the Blue Bonnets, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Greggerson, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Stinson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McIntosh, were introduced to the assembled guests, until the exhibitions and dances ended, they completely captivated everyone present with their friendliness and their ability to take charge of a party and completely dominate it through their charming personalities.

The team was introduced to come to Ranger by Mr. and Mrs. Urban, though they had literally dozens of telegrams, letters and telephone calls, inviting them to be guests of square dance clubs in Dallas, Fort Worth and all over this part of the country.

After their introduction the team was presented in an exhibition of the schottische and a square dance, "The Texas Star," after which they danced with the other guests, showing them some of the steps unfamiliar to local followers of these old-time dances. At first many were reluctant to dance with people who had won national reputations as dancers, but their shyness was overcome by the democratic spirit and the willingness of each member of the team to aid everyone in learning the steps.

Several sets of novices at square dancing were formed, at the insistence of the Blue Bonnets, one of each being represented in each set to aid in instructing those who had no previous experience, and a simple square dance was performed. After but a few minutes everyone entered into the spirit of the occasion, lost their shyness, and became enthusiastic over their own ability to go through the simpler steps.

A "West Texas Paul Jones," differing in many ways from the

## CARPENTER IS BEING SOUGHT IN KIDNAPING

**By United Press**  
AMARILLO, Mar. 20.—Police officers, firemen and volunteers were searching today for a 26-year-old carpenter, who is accused of kidnaping and mistreating 13-year-old Laura Marie Hides.

The girl was kidnaped Saturday, while on a picnic with a 15-year-old friend, Erma Guin, in a park here.

She escaped from her kidnaper, about four hours later. She had been beaten severely and one eye was almost closed. At a hospital where she was taken physicians said her condition was not serious.

Laura Marie is the daughter of Desmond Hides, an expressionman. The man sought for the kidnaping has lived in Amarillo for about a year, coming here from Pampa. He is married, but his wife lives in Portales, N. M.

## Eastland Scouts' Entry In Contest Third Place Winner

The Eastland team in the regional Boy Scout first aid safety contest Saturday at Lubbock received third place. It was announced Monday.

The team was composed of Charles Bush, Jerry Railey, Wallace Hooper and Winston Hales. The patient for the team was furnished by contest officials.

Lubbock won first and Sweetwater second. Officials said there was only a slight difference in the points annexed by the three high teams.

As winner of the regional contest Lubbock will vie in a state contest at Dallas.

The Eastland team previously had won first over all teams in the Comanche Trail Council.

## Eastland Merchant's Relatives Of Germany Begin Life Anew in U. S.

Five persons from Germany who have experienced effects of the German government's racial injustices were visitors Monday at Eastland to start life anew in the United States.

They were visiting J. B. Krause, Eastland merchant. They were Mrs. Henrietta Krause, 76, mother of Mr. Krause; Mrs. Martin Kahn, sister of Mr. Krause, and Mr. Kahn, and Erika Kahn, 17, and Lieselotta Kahn, 11, children of Mr. and Mrs. Kahn. They arrived Saturday in Eastland.

All were from Hanover, Germany. They will make their home in the United States at Los Angeles, Calif., with Mrs. Jack Berlin, sister of Mr. Krause. Before going to Los Angeles they needed to visit several days at Odessa with Mrs. Morris Bendix, another sister of Mr. Krause.

They left Germany from Hamburg the latter part of February and arrived March 14 at New York City. They had applied for their papers to leave Germany last June.

While the new residents of the United States have had their property confiscated and suffered many times, they do not feel harsh toward all Germans. They believe many of the Germans are upright and the racial injustices are perpetrated because of Hitler and government heads.

Germany is not faring too well under the Hitler regime, they found. What are considered necessities in this country are often scarce in Germany.

Heavily taxed are all German businessmen. A person must give 20 per cent of his gross sales to the government. If that is not done then the business is seized.

They know by experience that the German Jews are excluded from professional work and that there is little, if any, work open to the Jews.

Mr. Krause had not seen his mother since 1931. She was in the United States from 1925 until 1931 when she left from Galveston for Germany. His relatives could tell many stories of suffering but wish to forget their experiences.

Mr. Krause said that his relatives are overjoyed at being able to leave Germany. They have been among the fortunate few able to

## State Deficit Shows \$1,500,000 Decrease

AUSTIN, March 20.—State Treasurer Charley Lockhart today announced a \$1,500,000 decrease in the state general fund deficit.

The deficit was reported at \$17,533,343.

## House Recess To Delay Tax Voting

**By United Press**  
AUSTIN, March 20.—Final action on the sales-natural resource tax for financing social security, was delayed today by the decision of the house of representatives to recess until Tuesday because of the death of Rep. J. J. Olsen, a member from Youkum.

Many members of the house went to Youkum to attend Olsen's funeral. Olsen was serving his sixth term, was stricken by a heart attack while visiting his home Saturday.

## Elephant Hoists One. Refuses 2nd Drink

**By United Press**  
CLEVELAND, O.—Trixie, a young elephant acquired recently by the Cleveland Zoo, has had her first taste of alcohol, but it was for health's sake.

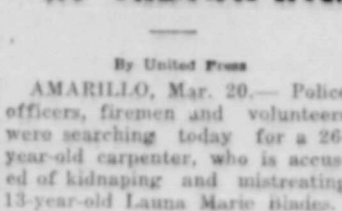
She tossed off the first cocktail of whisky, sugar and water, but removed the second drink with her trunk and sprayed it over her back.

The precautions were taken by Dr. Harry Roberts, veterinarian, after Trixie had trekked seven miles through cold, sleet and snow for a change of quarters.

## German Ambassador To France Recalled

**By United Press**  
BERLIN, Mar. 20.—The German ambassador to France, Count Johannes von Welzbeck, has been recalled "for consultation," it was announced today.

## 'I Take Thee'---1500 Miles



CAIRO, capital of Egypt, marks the beginning, and Teheran, capital of Persia some 1500 miles distant, the end of the Mohammedan marriage between Persia's Crown Prince Chahspour Mohamed Reza Pahlavi, and Egypt's Princess Fawzia, sister of King Farouk. The marriage, which began March 16 in Cairo, will be climaxed with a four-day ceremony starting April 21 in the Persian capital. Map above shows the route of the bridal party from Cairo to Teheran. Lower left, Princess Fawzia. Right, Crown Prince Pahlavi.

## Putman Gym Job Is Given Approval by President F. D. R.

E. Townner Dickinson, area WPA engineer, announced Monday that presidential approval has been granted a WPA project at Putman to provide wrecking of an abandoned two-story brick school building, salvage of the material and construction of a new brick gymnasium and shop for manual training.

Sponsor of the project is the Putnam school board. The project is set up for \$27,676.80 and will employ 79 men for five months.

Date for start of the project has not been set by the state WPA office at San Antonio.

## Agents' Schedule For Week Listed

Schedule of County Agent Elmo V. Cook and his assistant, Sam E. Rosenberg, was announced for this week Monday.

Cook activities include: Monday—Talk on "Wildlife" at the Eastland Rotary club. Attend Monday night a meeting of the Cross Roads Community Agricultural association.

Tuesday—Attend district extension service meet at Mineral Wells.

Wednesday—Attend 4-H club leader's meeting at Eastland at which Assistant 4-H club boys' Agent J. W. Potts will speak.

Thursday—Run terrace lines for E. F. Miers and J. H. Pritchard of Gorman.

Friday—Run terrace lines for A. L. Agate of Eastland.

Saturday—Attend landuse planning committee meeting at which W. I. Glass, district agent, will attend.

## Highway Patrol Car In Crash Saturday

Two people were injured slightly and two automobiles were badly damaged in Ranger Saturday night when a highway patrol car, driven by Bill Angus, and an automobile from San Angelo crashed head-on at the intersection of Highway 80 and Main street.

A Mrs. Wallace, mother of the man driving the other car, and a daughter of D. C. Owens received cuts, bruises and suffered from shock. It was reported at the West Texas hospital, where they were taken for treatment.

Reports of the accident indicated that the highway patrol car was chasing another car when the accident occurred.

## Poisoners Should Be More Considerate With State Police

AUSTIN, Tex.—If you are planning to poison somebody, state police chemist J. H. Arnette wishes you would send him the formula and the type and amount of poison used.

This information would save him a great deal of tedious work with the viscera of suspected poison victims. Arnette now is searching for poison in internal organs from six bodies.

"There is a way, he slyly remarked, "to poison a person with a good chance to escape chemical detection. But I decline to explain it."

Most of the poison cases he has investigated in the state police laboratory developed arsenic and strychnine.

## Judiciary Bill Is Offered In Senate

**By United Press**  
AUSTIN, March 20.—A judiciary appropriation bill, providing \$4,951,730 to operate the courts of Texas for the next two years, beginning Sept. 1, was offered in the state senate today by Senator Morris Roberts of Pettus, chairman of the finance committee.

## American Legation In Prague Closed

**By United Press**  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 20.—The state department today instructed American Minister Wilbur J. Carr to close the United States legation in Prague and to turn over the properties and records to the American Consul General.

## Japanese Bomb An American Mission

**By United Press**  
CHUNG KING, China, March 20.—The Chinese Central News Agency reported today that Japanese bombers had bombed three direct hits on the American Methodist Mission at Shanghai.

United States authorities immediately protested to the Japanese consul general at Hankow.

## W. O. DOUGLAS NOMINATED TO HIGH COURT



**By United Press**  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 20.—President Roosevelt today nominated to the supreme court Chairman William O. Douglas of the Securities and Exchange Commission, a staunch new dealer and reformer of the nation's securities markets.

Douglas, who is 40, was born in Minnesota, reared in the state of Washington and educated in the east. He was named to succeed Louis Brandeis, who resigned.

The nomination was sent to the senate, where immediate indications were that there would be little dispute over his confirmation.

Douglas was nominated as being from Connecticut, where he formerly taught law at Yale University, but, because of his background and political beliefs, it was believed that he would be acceptable to most of the western senators, who have been working to get a representative on the court.

Under the present setup the court has only one justice considered a westerner, Associate Justice Pierce Butler, whose home is in Minnesota.

Douglas is one of the youngest men ever nominated for the supreme court.

His nomination, which completes the nine-man personnel of the high court, was President Roosevelt's fourth appointment to the supreme bench, but it does not affect the close liberal lineup directly, inasmuch as Douglas succeeds Brandeis, considered one of the foremost liberals ever to sit on the court.

## Rumania Reported Ready To Sign A Trade Agreement

**By United Press**  
BUCHAREST, Rumania, Mar. 20.—Rumania and Germany were expected today to sign a trade agreement, which, according to well informed quarters, regulates the provisions of a previous agreement and provides for an additional trade turnover of as much as 25 per cent above that which was planned in the previous pact.

It was denied, however, that Germany had presented Rumania with any strong ultimatum of proposals or that the agreement in prospect was a new one.

However, it was reported, the agreement might contain secret clauses. It was not known whether or there would be a provision for German participation in Rumanian industry.

## April 15th Fixed As Final Date On AAA "Work Sheet"

The AAA has set April 15 as the last date on which Texas farmers and ranchmen can sign "work sheets" and thereby indicate that they intend to apply this fall for payment in connection with the 1939 Agricultural Conservation Program, according to C. W. Mainer, county AAA administration assistant.

Set according to a recommendation by the State Agricultural Conservation Committee, the deadline is a month earlier than last year's final sign-up date, and applies mainly to operators who did not receive payments in connection with the programs of 1937 or 1938.

Mainer said the advanced deadline is possible because acreage allotments this year were distributed much earlier than ever before, this being the first time in the history of the farm program that allotments are reaching Texas producers, generally, ahead of planting time.

It has been estimated that Texas A. & M. College headquarters of the AAA that cash benefits to Texas farmers and ranchmen who take part in this year's program will exceed \$90,000,000.

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Is the 'Balance' of Europe Shifting?

Slowly, ponderously, like a great gate beginning to swing, Europe seems to feel a slow shift of balance. It is felt more than seen, yet perhaps it is no less real because it can not be demonstrated like a mathematical proposition.

The balance of Europe, which seemed to teeter so definitely toward Germany and Italy last fall, is almost certainly swinging away from the equilibrium of September.

The speech of Hore-Belisha, the British war minister, before the House of Commons in which he outlined the British arms advances, is one of the frankest ever delivered on that subject.

Hore-Belisha quite frankly and flatly said that the British army is being trained and equipped for service on the European continent, and that the most careful plans for its transport and maintenance are already made.

This change in policy brings Britain back to pre-Haldane days, he said, and means that any adequate defense of Britain must begin far beyond the cliffs of Dover.

Hore-Belisha revealed that, even excluding India and Burma, Britain has a half million men under arms, almost 100,000 more than a year ago. In a volunteer army, built without conscription, that is a sizeable increase.

And while he did not speak of obligations and alliances, the minister made it clear that they are all equipped and ready to defend France in any emergency that means that they would also be defending Britain.

France has already put the foot down quite firmly on surrendering to territorial demands from Mussolini. Even the countries of southeastern Europe seem to have stiffened in their attitude toward German expansion.

The strongest cards a diplomat can hold in a 1939-1940 game of international showdown poker seem to be clubs. It is gradually becoming apparent that the British are gradually shaping a club that is not stuffed, and which carries a good stout spike in the end.

Perhaps the next British statesman to sit in on an international poker session will have a better hand than Chamberlain held in September, 1938. He could not yet hold all the trumps and aces, but one by one, some of the cards have begun to fall his way.

Perhaps Europe's best hope for peace would lie in a situation where all players were so sure the other fellow held strong cards that nobody would want to call. Then, perhaps, they would give up poker and turn to ping-pong.

At the close of a Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce meeting gunmen took up a "collection." That got the city's name in the news. So the bandits probably called it "an advertising appropriation."

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

BY BRUCE CATTON
NRA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—When the House reversed itself and agreed to appropriate \$17,206,000 to enable the TVA to proceed with construction of the Gilbertville Dam, Congress warded off a war-path whoop by Nebraska's Senator Norris.

George Norris is a mild and peaceful man. But, if you touch the TVA, you arouse one of the most determined and effective fighters in Washington.

The House had whittled down the TVA appropriation for next year. But a Senate switch sent the bill to conference. The House voted to accept Senate action.

The reduction would have halted work on Gilbertville Dam, some 20 miles from the mouth of the Tennessee river—and in case you had a peeped that the bulk of the heavy construction work in TVA had already been done, you may be surprised to learn that Gilbertville is designed to be the Tennessee's largest and most important dam. It will cost more than \$112,000,000 when completed.

"They've already spent \$5,000,000 on Gilbertville," says Senator Norris. "They've organized the job, moved in there, built houses for the workers, brought machinery in and got in the midst of construction. If this appropriation stayed out, the organization would have been destroyed and much of the work would have deteriorated."

Gilbertville Dam will produce considerable electricity, but it is not primarily a power dam. It was designed chiefly as a flood control project and as an aid to navigation, and in the former capacity it probably will help Illinois and the lower Mississippi valley states more than Tennessee.

"It will hold back more flood water than any other dam east of the Mississippi," says Senator Norris. "It will very materially lower the flood crest at Cairo, Ill., for instance, and all the way on the Ohio and Mississippi from the mouth of the Tennessee to the Gulf."

"As a navigation proposition, it's of value to the entire Tennessee river. The Tennessee is now navigable above Gilbertville for a great portion of its length, made so by TVA, but at Gilbertville it's like the neck of a bottle. In the dry season when the river is low, navigation throughout the length of the Tennessee is shut off, because there's no way to get into the river over that stretch which the Gilbertville Dam will make navigable."

Senator Norris is also sponsoring legislation to give TVA the necessary authority to complete the contract recently negotiated for purchase of the electric properties of the Tennessee Electric Power Co.

This deal was negotiated this winter between TVA and Wendell Wilkie, president of the Commonwealth and Southern Corp., which controls the Tennessee Electric Power Co.

It was hailed in Wall Street as a victory for private industry, particularly for the private power industry, but it does not disturb Senator Norris—although he does think that the \$78,000,000 price agreed on is too high.

"It certainly meets the objection that TVA is unfair and unjust to private companies," he says. "Why, they're paying \$10,000,000 more than the property is physically worth."

The purchase price, incidentally, is to be raised by sale of bonds and not through a congressional appropriation.

THE COLLEGIATE

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Mr. Walton Tells Student Body Of Visit With Mrs. Roosevelt

At an assembly of the student body of the junior college, Mr. Walton told of his visit with Mrs. Roosevelt. Mr. Walton, Mr. Larson, Mr. Kelly and Mr. Eubank, attended a conference on youth with Mrs. Roosevelt in Waco Monday.

Ranger Junior College was the only junior college represented in this conference which was composed of representatives from a number of senior colleges and from the various NYA units.

In his address to the student body, Mr. Walton said that Mrs. Roosevelt was genuinely interested in the youth of America. She is making a nation-wide tour now to study the problems of the young people and to see if a solution to some of these problems can be worked out.

lady of the land as saying to a group of young people, "Before you leave school, learn either a hand skill or a head skill."

Mr. Walton quoted the first Mrs. Hooper and Mrs. Hunter, respectively. After the students received their grades, the sophomores discussed plans for a picnic.

The following honor roll for the junior college was released by Dean Baskin:

Freshmen: High Honor: Mrs. Iris Hummel, Honor: Thelma Compton, Charlie D. Hicks, Katrina Lovelace, Bertha Sparks.

Sophomores: High Honor: Mary Elizabeth Rayfield, Honor: Buena Berry, Vivian Fulbright.

Ranger Junior College Students Attend High School One-Act Play. The students of the junior college, along with a group of high school students, attended the high school one-act play given in the auditorium Thursday morning.

The play, "The Blue Teapot," will be given at the high school one-act play contest in Cisco, Wednesday, March 22, at one o'clock. The cast of characters is as follows: H. O. Woods, Jr., Beaulieu

Freshmen and Sophomores Classes Meet

The Freshmen and Sophomores classes met with their advisors.



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Crossword puzzle grid with clues and a small illustration of a woman's face.

This Might Be a Good Place to Start



Roberson, Jane Lauderdale and Babb Edmonds. The play was directed by Mr. Berg and produced by special arrangements with the Dramatics Publishing Company. College Students and Faculty Enjoy Picnic Thursday. The Freshman class and a num-

ber of the faculty were the guests of the sophomore class at a picnic given Thursday evening at Butler Springs. Everyone had a delightful time, both eating and playing. The faculty members present were Miss Maddocks, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Healer, and Mr. Blylock.

Cleaves Club Supper. The members of the Cleaves Club were entertained by Miss Ruth Black at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson Tuesday night and were later treated to a Mexican style supper. Games were played, and a delightful time was had by all.

Those present were Will Bragg, James Smith, Melba Morgan, Alpha Lee Robinson, Frances Usery, Vivian Fulbright, Mary Weaver, Edith Taylor, Pickens Weaver, and Miss Black and Miss Westmoreland.

CAMPUS CHATTER. By Percy and Percy. The writers of this column think that the participants in the RJC one-act play deserve a little praise. Although they didn't win first place, they brought it to our attention that there is some real acting ability in RJC.

"Brandy" Harrell, Charlie Hicks and Tom Smith turned in excellent performances. Mrs. Hunter, above all others, deserves much praise. Her ability as a dramatic coach is unquestioned. She has put RJC in the spotlight more than once through her coaching activities.

Two of our young co-eds have added another number to their age this week. Mabel Falls came down the home stretch in the lead as number 18 with Helen Jacobs a close second as number 17. Our congratulations and best wishes to both you girls.

This one should be forwarded to Mr. Ripley Yes, believe it or not, "Pete" Brashier was in bed and asleep by 8:30 p. m. Tuesday night. We have actual proof of this open to anyone's inspection. What is this world coming to, anyhow?

Our wild west Yankee from New York has already gone!

southern in a big way. Not only has he dropped those Yankee habits, but has also gone Texas in a big way. Jack said he believed Texas to be full of cowboys, outlaws, and Indians before he came to Texas.

Why folks, the first day he was in the Gholson and the clerk told him running water was in his room, Jack wouldn't go up to that room. He wanted to know if Running Water was as mean as Sitting Bull and the rest of those Indians he had read about.

He rode his Arabian horse (born and raised in Carbone) up to school and started to bring him into the reading room. The horse just wouldn't go in though, so Jack was content to let him graze upon the lawn.

The other day he rode all the way out to Miss Bruce's house, half way between Ranger and Caddo, on this fine steed. We don't know how he was received at the Bruce mansion.

Jack is also our candid camera fiend. He says to come up and see him sometime and he will show you his collection of beauties and freaks from RJC.

De we feel good, we have found three outsiders who read our column and feel that when we find that we have four who read this column we should receive a raise.

That's all folks. There just ain't no more. Until next time, au revoir.

Reading Room Reasoning. Charlie Hicks, with an arm load of books, walked swiftly down the hall and opened the door to the reading room. The steady hum of voices became distinct sounds and then died to a steady hum again as Charlie walked in and closed the door behind him.

"I say, you guys, have you heard the good news?" he asked with the proud air of a person who had important news to relate. "No, what?" a chorus of voices came back at him. "College English classes won't meet today."

After the cheering subsided some of the students began to be serious, and their scientific mind began to ask "Why?"

"Maybe she's ill," Mary Ellen both Pickert offered.

"Poor Mrs. Hunter. Whoop! Buena Berry sympathized. Maybe we ought to go to see her, after all we do get out of class."

"Guess again," Charlie grinned. "Maybe she's gone to Waco, Beverly Dudley contributed.

"No, it's better than that. Some important guy is in Ranger, and Mrs. Hunter's busy trying to get him to make a talk before some club or something. Anyway we get out of English, and am I glad I went to just to get those credits?"

"Oh, gee, after all the trouble I had with Wordsworth. If I'd had this, I wouldn't have had to study and I could have talked to Doris, Orvel Harrell complained.

"Well, I didn't even get my criticisms. Oh, Boy! Does that break my heart!" laughed A. G. Smoot.

"Well, that really sounds good to me. I not only haven't read about Wordsworth, but I haven't prepared that five minute talk on public speaking," rejoined Mary Louise Ervin.

The door to the reading room opened again, and in walked James Smith. "What's all the cheering about?" he questioned. "I could hear you on the third floor."

"College English won't meet today," answered several students all at once. "I don't have English today and how," moaned James. "Well, I do. Whoop!" rejoined Jack Stuard. "Yeah, but maybe that's just for this morning. Maybe the afternoon classes will meet," warned Mabel Falls. "Oh, oh, oh," groaned several students. "Why bring that up?" questioned Melba Morgan. "Why discuss age so?"

"Oh, I just didn't want you to be disappointed," explained Mabel. "Wouldn't it be awful if the did meet this afternoon?" began Frank Clement. "A'Dar all this relief I had begun to feel Oh, I'm no disillusioned." (Continued on page 3)



SERIAL STORY 'MRS. DOC' BY TOM HORNER

characters and situations in story are wholly fictional.

CHAPTER XI EP brought Alan no relief from his thoughts. Throughout long hours of darkness he sat, weighing one argument after another. At last he knew he must do.

He was young, Dr. Farrell seriously. "But it's ability, not counts, and Peterson says, 'Do you think he'd be able to fill this place if he knew what he's doing, all this when he's studied, and you are as good as dead?'"

COLLEGIATE (Continued from page 2.) I think she'll be absent all day. There's a sign on her door. "College English will not be held," explained Charlie. "She's gone," suggested Peter. "Let's do, agreed all the boys opened, and the students went out. Silence, stray books, bits of paper reigned in the room."

TRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll

TRUCK'S DRIVER HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL. THE LAUNDRY TRUCK, FIRST TO REACH THE GATE, CRIES THE WORD OF FLEEING POLICE. THERE IS FERRIC COUGH, AND...

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ALLEY OOP By Hamlin



By HARRY GRAYSON NEA Service Sports Editor

NEW YORK--It appears that the world light-heavyweight championship is William Conn's as quickly as he gets around to boxing Melio Bettina and John Henry Lewis, but the most important thing in the young Irishman's life right now is for him to take his time.

Conn has just the style with which to repel Bettina, the stocky southsaw who stopped old Tiger Jack Fox. At weight, Conn figures to knock out the shipwrecked Lewis, who temporarily vacated the 175-pound crown to take that punch from Joe Louis.

Research Started To Improve Stoves

NORTHFIELD, Vt.--More efficient use of wood for heating and other household purposes is expected to result from studies now being made at Norwich University Bureau of Industrial Research.

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# Society

**Goodfellowship Class of Methodist Church to Entertain**  
The Goodfellowship Class of the Methodist Church will entertain the entire citizenship of the church tomorrow night, March 21. Each family will bring a covered dish and be at the church not later than 7:45 p. m. Every member from the youngest to the oldest is urged to attend and enjoy a delightful program.

The occasion is purely a social affair for entertainment and the promotion of good fellowship throughout the church. Finances will not be mentioned. It will be in order for any member to bring a prospective church member. We want to see all our people and friends at the church

tomorrow night. Be certain to be there.

**Intermediate Department of Methodist Church School to Have Skating Party**

The Intermediate Department of the Methodist Church school will have a skating party tonight at Cisco.

**Columbia Study Club to Meet Tuesday Morning**

Mrs. Stanley McAnelly will review "Fanny Kemble" by Margaret Arntstrong for members of the Columbia Study Club at 9:30 Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. John Ducker, 1207 Desdemona.

**Cooper School P.-T. A. to Meet Tuesday Afternoon**

Cooper School P.-T. A. will meet in regular session Tuesday afternoon, March 21, at 3:30. Mrs. Onis Littlefield will be leader for the afternoon's program. All parents are urged to be present. The following program will be given:  
High School Choral Club, under

Solo—Mrs. Barnett.

the direction of Mrs. Hamrick. Cooper Choral Singers, under the direction of Mrs. Jarvis. The winners in declamation will each render a number.

The winners are: Natalie Watson, Ben Earl Patterson, Connie Alexander, Billy Joan Walker.

**Correction**

On account of the list of names of guests attending and sending gifts to the shower Friday evening, honoring Mrs. Fred R. Hughes, Jr., being incomplete, we wish to add the following:  
Mrs. E. E. Crawford, Mrs. Pete Jensen, Mrs. P. M. Kaykendall, Mrs. Leslie Haganan, Mrs. Kathryn Williams, Mrs. Geo. Murphy, Mrs. Tom Conner, Mrs. Hal Hunter, Mrs. Collin Martin, Mrs. W. D. Conway, Mrs. Ethel Horton, Miss James Martin, Miss Doris McClister.

## Society Personal

Misses Lerna and Iva Harrell spent the week-end visiting friends in Fort Worth and Dallas.

A son, which has been named Douglas Vaughan and weighing seven and a half pounds, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Baker of Dallas, in the Baylor hospital Sunday morning. Mr. Baker is the son of Mrs. S. B. Baker and Mrs. Baker is the former, Miss Pauline Head. This is their second son.

Mrs. Frank Champion is ill with influenza.

Robert Ray Herring spent the week-end visiting in Ranger.

Mrs. Amos Rice has been confined to her home with flu the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Bell, Mildred and Bobby and Miss Mary Bourdeau attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Saturday. They were accompanied home by their son, Willard, who returned to Fort Worth, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Mills left Sunday for their home at Freer, Texas, after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Cooper of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cooper of Kilgore spent the week-end with their father, Mr. V. V. Cooper.

Mrs. M. E. Noble of Crane, Tex.

## Eleanor Powell Tops Ace Cast In "Honolulu"



Robert Young and Eleanor Powell in a scene from "Honolulu," M-G-M's tropical musical now playing at the Arcadia theatre.

James Russell Archie Hazard, Miss Kinzie Tucker and Miss Bessie Robinson, motored to Abilene, Sunday.

Mrs. Con Hazard is ill at her home, South Oak street. She is suffering from influenza.

James R. Gregg went to Bryan, Texas, Saturday, after his wife, who has been visiting her parents for several days. He was accompanied as far as Waco by Miss Doris Fern McClister, Miss Gladys Larson and Prine Crawley, where they visited until Sunday afternoon. On their return home Sunday they stopped in Fort Worth at the Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. Bennett's Sunday School Class to Have Steak Fry  
Mrs. H. O. Bennett's Sunday school class will have a steak fry at 7:30 tonight at Scenic Point. All members are urged to attend.

Morris Bendix of Odessa was a visitor in Ranger, today.

John Wood of Brownwood, district game warden, was a business visitor in Ranger today.

Mrs. R. A. Jones left for Hobbs, New Mexico, to be with her grandson, Richard Sullivan, who is seriously ill with scarlet fever. Richard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sullivan.

## MARKETS

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Am T & T	154 1/2
A T & S F	33 1/2
Chrysler	74 1/2
Col Gas & E	7
Cons Oil	8
Elec B & Sh	9 1/2
Gen Mot	46 1/2
Gulf Oil	37 1/2
Houston Oil	6 1/2
Humble O & R	60 1/2
Montg Ward	48 1/2
Packard	3 1/2
Pure Oil	9 1/2
Radio	7
Socomy Vac	12 1/2
Studebaker	7 1/2
Texas Co	42
T P C & O	8 1/2
U S Steel	55 1/2

Chicago Grain  
Range of the market, Chicago  
Prev. High Low Close  
Wheat— 68 1/2 67 1/2 68 65  
July— 68 1/2 67 1/2 68 65  
Sept.— 69 1/2 68 1/2 69 68 1/2  
Corn—  
May— 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2  
July— 49 1/2 48 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2  
Sept.— 50 1/2 49 1/2 50 1/2 50 1/2  
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They visited friends in Vickery, Friday night.

Dale Allen Bennett, son of Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Bennett, has been suffering from an attack of bronchitis.

W. M. Myers, who has been ill with flu the past two weeks, is improving.

F. P. Kribbs and son, Phillip, returned to Ranger Saturday afternoon from Houston, where Mrs. Jimmy Blue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kribbs, is critically ill. They report her condition is no better.

Ernest Green visited in Ranger Sunday. He is a student of John Tarleton College in Stephenville.

Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Green visited friends in Comanche, Sunday.

Jack Mooney returned to Lub-

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book Sunday night after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mooney.

Stephen Preslar, Arthur Shelton and Whitt Miller attended the Fort Worth Exposition Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Pittman visited her mother, Mrs. Isaiah Lassiter, who is a patient in the West Texas Clinic, Sunday.

Jim Morris was a business visitor in Dallas, today.

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## 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:**  
HALL WALKER
- For Police Commissioners:**  
SIG FAIRCLOTH  
H. H. VAUGHN  
S. D. (SHORTY) GUYTON  
L. H. FLEWELLEN
- For Street Commissioner:**  
C. J. MOORE  
TOM YONKER  
CALVIN BROWN
- For Finance & Fire Commissioner:**  
EDWIN GEORGE, JR.
- For Water Commissioner:**  
J. J. KELLY

Mr. and Mrs. John Tibbels visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith in Hico Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cravy and daughter, Mattie Bell, parents and sister of Mrs. Tibbels.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Martin and two of their children and Mrs. O. M. Lemmond visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Byrd in Cisco, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Regis Fleckenstein of the Joseph Apartments, announce the birth of a son, Roger Harris, weighing six pounds, at the West Texas Clinic, Saturday, March 18, at 8 p. m.

## Texas Women Eager To Tell Experiences!

If 98 out of 100 users picked at random declare they were helped by a medicine, would you believe in its merit? That happened in a late query among Atlanta women! Here in Dallas, 88 of 100 users asked said CARDUI benefited them. High average for ten other cities visited: 93 per cent helped. Texas women are eager to tell their experiences with CARDUI. They were weak, run-down, nervous, or depressed. These are symptoms of functional dysmenorrhea due to malnutrition, which CARDUI helps to relieve by stimulating appetite and digestion, and thus building up physical resistance.

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| 1937 FORD FORDOR SEDAN                            | \$4 |
| 1935 CHEVROLET COUPE                              | \$2 |
| 1934 CHEVROLET PICKUP                             | \$2 |

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