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Buy It In Ranger
And Help Business

Help Build Ranger
By Buying Here

BANDITS ROB A CHICO BANK; MAKE ESCAPE

CHICO, TEXAS, May 16.—Two unmasked bandits today held up the First Bank of Chico, shortly before noon, and escaped with between \$1,500 and \$2,000.

The men, described as tall and slender and about 30 years of age, escaped in a yellow-wheeled, 1935 Chevrolet toward Jackboro, Mark Marshall, a farmer, who witnessed the robbery, said.

Marshall said that one of the bandits entered the bank from the side door at about 11:58 a. m. He walked up to the cashier's cage and said, "Get your hands up."

"I was not sure what he said, so I asked him what that was?" Marshall said, "and he turned toward me and repeated 'Get your hands up.' I did not ask him a third time."

Marshall said the bandit scooped up the currency in the cage and ran out the front door where he was joined by his companion, who had been watching through the front window.

Martial Law Will Be Extended Into Ky. Coal Area

HARLAN, Ky., May 16.—Gen. Elmer Carter today arranged to send national guardmen into another Kentucky county as additional coal mines resumed operations on a non-union basis.

The guard units will be sent into Bell County, which adjoins Harlan County, to protect operations of the Kentucky Cardinal Coal Corporation, and Southern Mining Company mines at Insull.

Sheriff Martin Green of Bell County protested Carter's action, but the national guard commander said an order extending his authority to the adjoining county would be signed by Gov. A. B. Chandler at Frankfort.

Operators said that 21 of their 42 mines were open for operation today.

Court Of Honor For Eastland County To Be Held In Ranger

A Boy Scout court of honor for Eastland County will be held in the Recreation Building, Ranger, tonight, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Badges and merit badges will be presented to several scouts in the county which will be represented. Towns to have scouts at the court of honor are Ranger, Eastland, Olden, Cistec, Carbon and Gorman.

Guy Quirk, scout executive of the Comanche Trail Council will be present and the public, particularly parents of scouts who will be presented badges, is requested to be present.

Senate May Act On Gentry Appointment

AUSTIN, May 16.—The Texas Senate was expected to hold an executive session today or tomorrow to receive the favorable report of its committee on nominations upon the appointment of Brady P. Gentry of Tyler to be chairman of the state highway commission.

Gentry, who is Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's fourth choice for the post, appeared briefly before the committee late yesterday.

Flatwood H-D Club Will Meet Thursday

The Flatwood Home Demonstration Club will meet Thursday, May 18, at 2 o'clock with Mrs. J. H. Pittman, Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent, will meet with the club with a discussion on kitchen utensils. All visitors are welcome.

Soviet Increasing Military Service

MOSCOW, Russia, May 16.—The Soviet government today announced increases in the term of universal military service to assure the "preparedness of the workers and peasants to perfect the training of specialists."

Tells About Home Budget Troubles



POINTING OUT A PRICE ARGUMENT IS MRS. ALICE BELESLER, CHICAGO HOUSEWIFE, WHO TEMPORARILY STOPPED NATIONAL MONOPOLY COMMITTEE'S WASHINGTON QUIZ INTO BILLION-DOLLAR INDUSTRIES WHILE SHE TOLD MEMBERS DIFFICULTIES OF BALANCING A VERGE HOUSEHOLD BUDGET.

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Oil Producers Pay Big Share of Tax In Many Countries

DALLAS, Texas.—Oil producers in 40 Texas counties paid an average of 68.4 per cent of all local taxes in 1935, according to an analysis of county tax rolls recently completed by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association.

All valorem taxes paid by Texas oil producers in all local subdivisions of the State last year aggregated over 24 million dollars.

In 40 oil-producing counties of the State, local tax levies on properties of oil producers amounted to approximately 11 million dollars out of total tax levies on all taxable properties aggregating nearly 16 million dollars.

In 20 of the State's largest oil-producing counties, local tax revenues obtained from oil property valuations were found to range from 50 per cent to 90 per cent of all local tax revenue. In a majority of these counties taxable values on oil properties were increased substantially over the preceding year, through the development of additional oil producing properties and the creation of greater taxable values.

Last year's ad valorem tax bill of Texas oil producers is shown by the analysis to have increased \$1,400,000 over the preceding year. As a result, the average total tax per barrel of crude oil produced, including all State and local tax levies, increased from 8.4 cents per barrel to 9.3 cents per barrel.

Attend WTCC Meet From Eastland

Herbert Tanner, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, attended the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Abilene Monday and Tuesday.

Milburn McCarty, past president of the W. T. C. C., was also a visitor at the convention Monday and Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Richardson and Mrs. Herbert Tanner attended the conclude Tuesday.

Tuesday afternoon Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent, Miss Blount, her assistant, and Mr. Elmo Cook, county agent, attended the agricultural program of the convention.

Maurice Harkins and Miss Clara June Kimble were presented on the program at the luncheon Tuesday and again this evening.

Texas Flax Crop Is Best In The U. S.

PORT LAVACA, Texas.—A. O. Dillman of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Bureau of Plant Industry, announced that the 130-acre field of flax on the J. W. McKamey farm was one of the best crops in the nation.

"If farmers could see this field of flax there would be 1,000,000 acres planted in Texas next fall," Dillman said.

McKamey planted the flax as an experiment.

WTCC TALKS DEVELOPMENT OF WEST TEXAS

ABILENE, May 16.—Delegates to the 21st West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention, now in session, were told today that West Texas industrial development depends largely upon the coordination of her native people toward more technical knowledge.

The speaker was Dr. W. M. W. Splawn of the Interstate Commerce Commission and transportation economist and former president of the University of Texas.

Dr. Splawn, speaking at the first general assembly of the convention, stressed the education of an "especially prepared group" to plan and direct industrial advancement.

Agricultural and conservation conferences, scheduled for this afternoon will hear addresses by Harry Brown, assistant secretary of agriculture and H. W. Williamson, director of the Texas Extension Service.

Migratory Labor Camps Planned At South Texas Cities

WESLACO, Texas.—Construction of migratory labor camps in Sinton, Robstown, Raymondville and Weslaco has been planned by the Farm Security Administration.

C. M. Evans, regional director for the FSA, said that 8,000 farm laborers were placed on Willacy and Kennedy county farms last year, with double that number during the harvest seasons.

There have been no housing facilities to care for the huge influx of farm laborers, Evans said.

The first camp will be built on the east side of State Highway 90, two miles south of Raymondville. Options have been taken on land for all four camps.

The Raymondville camp will be composed of 50 frame houses, 249 steel shelters for temporary use, and 44 platforms for use of families having their own tents.

There will be medical clinics, sanitation facilities and other necessary additions to operation of the camps.

Cottonseed Hulls Industry Is Seen

NEW YORK.—The Engineering Foundation of New York has revealed a great possibility of future income for Texas farmers through extended industrial uses of cottonseed hulls, frequently burned by mills for fuel.

At present the hulls are used principally as roughage for cattle and for fertilizer.

The National Bureau of Standards found the hulls were a valuable source of xylose, a rare, non-fermentable wood sugar. The University of Tennessee experimental laboratories also has found that furalol, a distillate used by the leather industry, would be recovered from the hulls.

Bob Leslie Speaks on "My Home Town"

As the Eastland contender, Robert Leslie, son of Judge and Mrs. W. P. Leslie, spoke on "My Home Town" contest this afternoon at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Abilene.

Fifty youths were scheduled as speakers on today's contest which was held in the city hall auditorium. The morning session began at 9:30 with the afternoon session at 2:30.

Department Head of Ranger Jr. College To Speak at Olden

Mrs. Hal Hunter, head of the English department of Ranger Junior College, and Miss Priscilla Miller of the freshman class of the junior college will appear on the program at Olden this evening at a seated tea given in honor of the graduates of Olden High School.

Farley Sniffing at the Future?



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Work And Study Go Hand-In-Hand For Many Students

AUSTIN, Tex.—Work and study go hand in hand for nearly half of American college youth, the current poll of Student Opinion Surveys disclosed here today.

Leaving the field of collegiate thought to study his condition, the survey reported that 47.2 per cent state they are earning "all or part of their college expenses." Edited at The University of Texas, the poll canvassed 85 American colleges for its data.

The working word is a fixture on the collegiate scene, the surveys declared, stating that 34 per cent held jobs of one kind and another during their school career. Hardest working collegiate section was found in the Midwest, where 34 per cent cut school expenses through spare time employment.

In New England, the working percentage dropped to 20 per cent among women, 30 per cent among men. In addition to NYA employment, jobs held ranged all the way from student janitors to student tutors.

MARKETS Courtesy D. E. Polley

Am T & T 161
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Chrysler 64 1/2
Col Gas & E 6
Cons Oil 7 1/2
Elec B & Sh 7 1/2
Gen Mot 41 1/2
Gulf Oil 32 1/2
Houston Oil 6
Humble O & R 56 1/2
Montg Ward 46 1/2
Packard 3 1/2
Pure Oil 7 1/2
Radio 6 1/2
Socony Vac 11 1/2
Studebaker 6 1/2
Texas Co 37 1/2
T P C & O 7 1/2
U S Steel 45 1/2

Chicago Grain
Range of the market, Chicago
Wheat—High Low Close
May 78 1/2 76 3/4 77 7/8
July 74 1/2 73 1/2 74 1/2
Sept. 74 1/2 73 1/2 74 1/2
Corn—
May 50 1/2 50 50 1/2
July 51 1/2 51 1/2 51 1/2
Sept. 52 1/2 51 1/2 52 1/2
Oats—
May 33 1/2 32 32 1/2 33
July 32 30 1/2 30 1/2 32

Merriman To Work Cemetery May 26th

The annual cemetery meeting at Merriman will be held May 26 at 6 p. m., at which time a basket supper will be enjoyed and business of the association will be transacted.

An effort will be made to raise the balance necessary to finish the plans for permanent upkeep of the cemetery.

Everyone interested is invited to be present. New officers will be elected.

Eastland Project To Be Closed May 17th

The Eastland WPA Recreation Project will be closed from May 17 through the 20th, it was announced today. Mrs. Winnie R. Grady, project superintendent, will attend the training institute for all superintendents to be held in Fort Worth during that time.

Hitler, Ciano To Speak Next Week On Europe's Crisis

By United Press
BERLIN, May 16.—Adolf Hitler and Count Ciano, Italian foreign minister, will speak here next week on the occasion of the formal signing of a German-Italian military pact, it was understood today.

Hitler was expected to say that the armies of Germany and Italy now constitute a single unit in support of German and Italian diplomatic programs.

It was reported in some quarters that the government would make some sort of declaration in the next few weeks directed against powers which have aligned themselves with Britain and France in what Germans say is an encirclement policy.

Turkey and Poland particularly were mentioned as possible targets.

It was even rumored in some quarters that Hitler might withdraw his diplomatic representatives from these countries.

Modern Schools Vastly Different From Old School

AUSTIN, Tex.—The modern school no longer requires its pupils to attend class in a square room, with bare walls relieved only by blackboards, to sit at rigid desks, and study by natural or by glaring artificial light. Dr. J. W. Baldwin, University of Texas education professor, reports.

Dr. Baldwin has written an article describing the University Junior High School, operated jointly by The University of Texas and the Austin school system, which is published in the American School and University Yearbook for 1938.

He cites the University Junior High School as a model in modern educational facilities for teaching the "new" social studies.

Unhinged are the ordinary desk and the bare walls. Instead, the classroom and social studies laboratory are equipped with light heavy chairs, grouped around public address system, cabinets, built-in lockers, sink, motion picture screen and projector, and map rail. Ceilings are soundproof, and semi-indirect lighting is used. Library facilities are adjacent.

Heavy Rains Fall Over Wide Areas Of Western Texas

By United Press
Heavy rains fell in parts of Texas last night and today, bringing much needed moisture to some sections and causing damage in others.

At least two automobiles were swept away when floodwaters trapped them while they were fording Clear Fork of the Trinity River in Fort Worth. The occupants escaped.

The stream rose five feet in two hours, fed by rains which amounted to 1.4 inches at Fort Worth and as much as 3.14 inches in the Weatherford area of Parker County.

While the farmers in most sections rejoiced at the rain, it was feared considerable damage might be done in the lowlands.

Correct Spelling Cost A Man \$3

By United Press
FORT WORTH, Tex.—E. W. Wilson of Atlanta, Ga., is a stickler for spelling and the habit has cost him three dollars.

Recently, in looking through a copy of The War Cry, official publication of the Salvation Army, Wilson saw a picture of the Men's Social Service Department in Fort Worth. On the side of the store he saw the word "Baling." It should have been "Baling."

So Wilson wrote a letter to Capt. Hubert W. Holmes here, offering to pay for a correction. Captain Holmes took him up on the offer, hired a painter, had the word done, and forwarded a bill for \$3 to Wilson.

CORNED BEEF CONTROVERSY BEFORE SENATE

By United Press
WASHINGTON, May 16.—Chairman Key Pittman of the senate foreign relations committee today urged that the senate approve legislation to prohibit the purchase by the navy of foreign food stuffs, including Argentine canned corned beef.

Pittman said the purchase of the Argentine product, which was defended by President Roosevelt on the grounds it is cheaper and better than American corned beef, was a "very bad mistake, which must be remedied."

A senate appropriations subcommittee was scheduled to resume hearings on an amendment to the \$773,420,000 naval supply bill, to forbid purchases of foreign products by the navy. The amendment has been approved by the house.

The committee has heard navy representatives urge that the amendment be killed. They pointed out the net cost to the government of the Argentine product is nine cents a can, compared with the domestic price of 23 cents.

Numerous senators and congressmen, however, have endorsed the proposed restrictions, contending that the purchase of Argentine corned beef threatens the American farmer and cattle raiser with loss of revenue.

Texas Paid Huge Amount Upon Life Insurance Policies

CHICAGO.—Every day in 1938 life insurance policy holders and beneficiaries in Texas were paid \$190,684 or total of \$69,600,000 for the year, according to a special compilation by The National Underwriter, weekly insurance newspaper.

Life insurance payments in Texas in 1938 equalled 35 per cent of the \$196,867,000 total bank savings deposits in the state last year. Life insurance payments last year equalled 83 per cent of the \$82,716,133 total assets of building and loan associations in Texas. The state's unemployment insurance fund of \$28,731,493 at the end of the fiscal year in 1938 was only 37 per cent of the life insurance payments.

Texas ranked 10th in life insurance payments among all states, while it is 5th in size of population. The per capita payment in 1938 was \$11.37.

Houston led Texas cities in life insurance payments in 1938 with \$4,770,000 compared to \$4,919,000 in 1937. Houston ranked 33rd among all cities in the country. Dallas was second in payments in Texas with \$4,715,000 in 1938 and \$4,545,000 in 1937. San Antonio came third with \$3,180,000.

Conservation Vote Tabulated Monday

Results of the election of the Eastland County Conservation Advisory Committee held in Eastland County Monday was announced by W. S. Adamson, County Judge, as follows:

Precinct 1, Leslie Hagaman, Ranger; Precinct 2, W. O. Russell, Gorman; Precinct 3, J. T. Poe, Carbon; Precinct 4, N. C. Hamsey, Cisco.

At the call of Judge Adamson these four members will hold a meeting to elect a delegate to the district convention to be held at Stephenville on Monday, May 22.

Voters in the election were required to be landowners and qualified voters of the county.

Those participating in the election were: Precinct 1, 40; Precinct 2, 45; Precinct 3, 40; and Precinct 4, 60.

Lagoons Set Aside For Child Anglers

By United Press
MILWAUKEE, Wis.—A fishermen's paradise will be open to Milwaukee youngsters this summer.

Two lagoons will be well stocked with pan fish with the exclusive provision that only children just big enough to hold a bamboo pole up to 14 years old will be allowed to try their luck. Dad may accompany the youngsters, but NYA youths will patrol the shore to see that his interest doesn't go beyond baiting the hook.

Starving Suspect Carried to Court



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Hay Fever, Asthma Relief Discovered By U. T. Biologists

AUSTIN, Tex.—University of Texas biologists have found a new way to bring relief to hay fever and asthma sufferers.

Molds—minute organisms flying around in the air, particularly in common house dust—have been found to be a cause of hay fever, asthma and other respiratory ailments almost to the degree of pollen, arch enemy of the hay fever victim.

Dr. Marie B. Morrow and E. P. Lowe of the University, and Dr. Homer Prince of Houston, former staff member of the University School of Medicine at Galveston, have the cooperation of 21 allergy specialists in ten states in the use of the mold extracts they make for therapeutic treatment.

Each cooperating physician collects specimens of molds in his locality and forwards them to the University laboratory.

Isolating each variety, Miss Morrow and Lowe grow the specimens in culture, identify them, produce large quantities, and dry and store them. They send some of the stock to Dr. Prince in Houston, who prepares extracts and sends them to the cooperating physician. He in turn uses them for both skin tests and therapeutic treatment.

The revival at the First Christian Church continues to progress with each service.

Monday evening, Rev. McKisick took as his sermon, "The Way of Life Made Plain." He interpreted it as meaning that anyone who is willing to accept Christ can become a Christian through faith and obedience. He especially stressed the fact that even Jesus obeyed His Father.

The opening hymn was, "There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood." The children's exercises Monday afternoon were doubled in attendance.

The theme tonight will be, "Eight Reasons Why All Should Become Christians." Services begin promptly at 8 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Yearling Lambs Are Sold At A Premium

By United Press
SAN ANGELO, Texas.—The Bar S ranch, one of the largest in this section, sold 9,800 yearling lambs at \$6.90 per 100 pounds, one of the highest prices paid in the Southwest this year. The lambs were bought last fall in Iron, Reagan and Crockett counties and wintered on the ranch. Their wool brought 23 cents a pound.

Infant Is Buried In Alameda Tuesday

Funeral services for Shirley Merlene Lee, eight-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lee, who died in Ranger, Monday, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at the Alameda tomb, under the supervision of W. W. Layton, minister of the Church of Christ in Ranger, conducting the services.

Interment was in the Alameda cemetery, with Killingsworth in charge of burial arrangements. Survivors include the child's parents, four brothers and one sister. She was born in Gorman on September 12, 1938.

BRITAIN PLANS NEW RUSSIAN PACT POLICIES

By United Press
LONDON, May 16.—An unexpected meeting of the British cabinet foreign affairs committee today was understood to have considered concessions, designed to bring Soviet Russia into the European anti-aggression front.

Although the full cabinet, of Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain will not have an opportunity to give approval until Wednesday morning, it was said, in authoritative circles, that Britain apparently was beginning to "unhedge" slightly, in order to get together with the Russian government.

Previously Russia had indicated impatience with the British dilatory tactics by cancelling the proposed visit of their vice commissioner for foreign affairs, Vladimir Potemkin, to Geneva to discuss the European situation with the British and French foreign ministers.

France also has been seeking to speed up an agreement through a compromise plan, worked out by Premier Edouard Daladier of France and Foreign Minister Georges Bonnet.

The specific subject before the meeting of the cabinet foreign affairs committee was a reply to Moscow's note of Monday, which failed to accept British suggestions for a limited agreement in which Russia would assist Poland and Rumania if Britain and France aided them in a defensive war and if they asked help of Moscow.

King Will Receive U. S. Ambassador In Royal Ceremony

By United Press
QUEBEC, May 16.—The liner Empress of Australia moved into the mouth of the St. Lawrence River early today, bringing their Britannic Majesties for a 30-day tour.

A revised program made necessary by a two-day delay at sea, will enable Daniel Roper, new United States minister to Canada, to present his credentials personally to the king Friday.

Ordinarily Roper would be received by the governor general, but his majesty will be presiding at the royal ascent ceremonies in parliament at Ottawa that day, and will receive him.

Steaming up the St. Lawrence River at forced draft the royal liner will anchor off Quebec at midnight tonight, and the king and queen will disembark tomorrow at 10:30 a. m.

Lightning Strikes Ranger Building

Lightning may not strike twice in the same place, but it struck two buildings in the business section of Ranger during the sudden storm early Tuesday morning.

About 12:30 this morning the lightning struck the upper corner of the Masonic building at the corner of South Bank and Elm streets, leaving off a portion of the cornice and the brickwork underneath. Damage to the building did not run high.

Even smaller damage was sustained by the old hotel building between the Montgomery Ward store and Mission Garage on Main street when lightning struck it. Only a small part of the concrete cornice was dislodged by the bolt.

THE WEATHER WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight and Wednesday.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Steady, America! We don't Need Hysteria

A self-constituted committee has dug up a series of proposals pending in Congress which are hard to believe. This committee is going to meet in Washington to try to prevent passage of any such laws.

That some of these things are being seriously advocated is hard to understand. Here are some of the proposals which the committee has unearthed:

- 1. A bill providing deportation of all aliens who may advocate any change in our government, no matter how peaceful.
2. A bill providing concentration camps for aliens who are non-deportable because no other government will accept them.
3. A bill providing registration of all aliens and their children, arrest without a warrant and deportation of all who are on relief more than a year.
4. A bill providing for deportation of all aliens and prohibition of all immigration.
5. Several bills for deportation of large number of aliens because of loosely-defined adherence to "isms," and various other bills for registration, fingerprinting, and other oppressive regulation of aliens who do not file intention to become citizens.

These are only the more drastic of many proposals being studied by this committee.

It is true that the rights of aliens in the United States are probably dependent on the will of Congress rather than being specifically guaranteed by the Constitution as are those of citizens.

Throughout that document, however, the term "citizen" and "person" are used more or less interchangeably. For instance, Article XIV, Section 1 says, "No state shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty or property, without due process of laws, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws."

Here the terms seem to be used more or less interchangeably, but in general, it is the rights of citizens which are protected by the Constitution, leaving aliens to the mercy of changing laws.

Nevertheless, Congress ought to go very slow with any proposals to regiment personal fault or who have violated no law now existing. Generosity and toleration are too rare in the world today to be lightly flung away in a moment of panic or hysteria. Nothing less than a definite and imminent threat to the National welfare justifies the sort of restrictions being proposed.

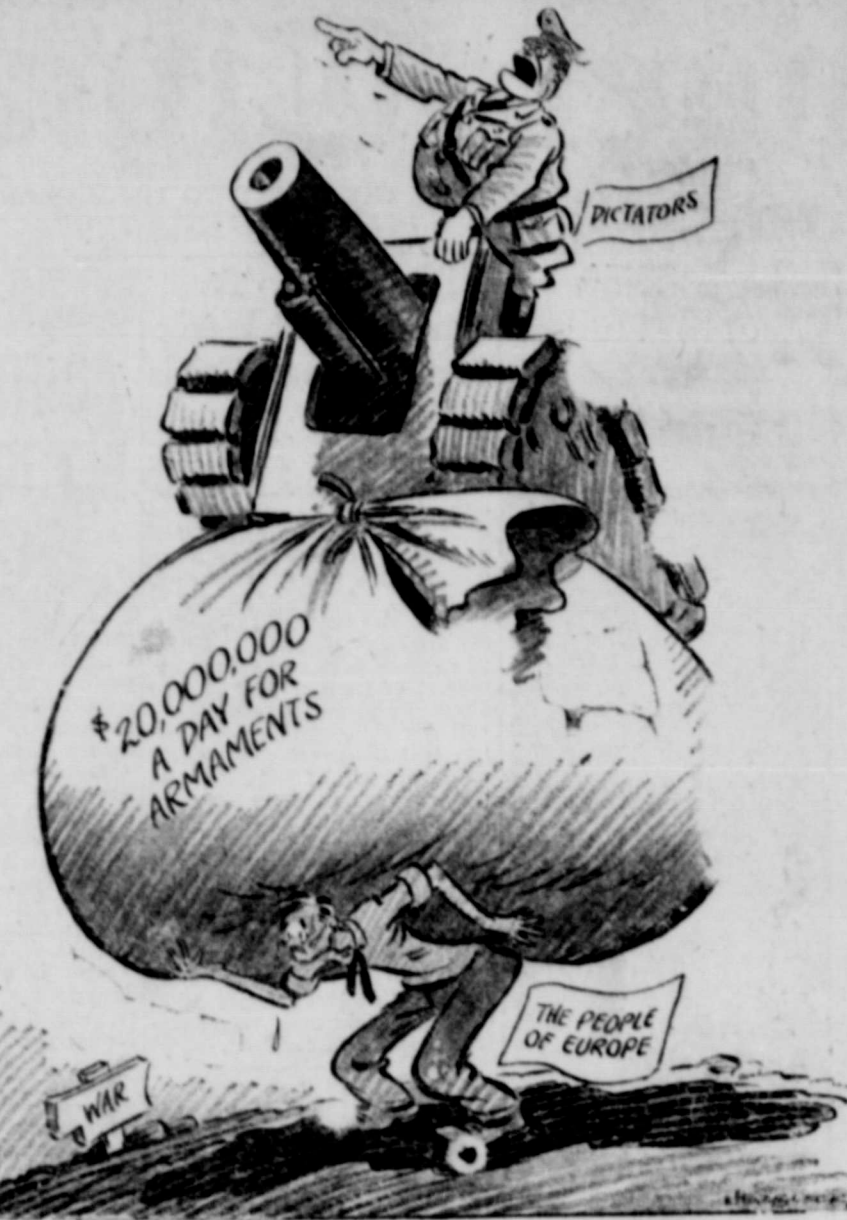
As we are strong, we should be generous, and as we are confident of the rightness of our American way, we should be tolerant and human.

LEADING EDUCATOR

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes clues like 'New York educator' and 'Vegetable'.

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes clues like 'Either' and 'University'.

We Must Have a Chance to Live!



Cadets Favor Brunette Beauties



Upsetting various theories and the hopes of all blonde entrants in the competition for the six most beautiful girls at Texas State College for Women, the five gentlemen from Aggie land who made the final choices not only picked four brunettes but left out the blondes entirely.

Spur Rodeo Is Set For June 16 and 17

SPUR, Tex.—Memories of the old Swenson ranch will be revived here June 16-17 when Spur is host to all West Texas for a two-day all amateur rodeo.

Broken Leg Nothing Compared To A Soda

DALLAS, Texas.—To 5-year-old Bobbie Tinner, that bottle of soda pop was important. His mother had given him a nickel to buy it. He went across the street to the store, but on the way home he was hit by a car.

County Treasurer Is Sent a Surprise

JAMESTOWN, N. Y.—County Treasurer W. J. Doty is in receipt of \$278.14 and proof of Swedish integrity if it were needed. From the clothes of a deceased Swedish citizen of this city \$600 was taken. After funeral and hospital bills were paid \$275.25 remained.

Vacationists Can Have More Fun If They Are Careful

AUSTIN, Tex.—Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., state police director, suggested today that summer vacationists will have a lot more fun if they see the sights instead of the business end of a wrecker car as they travel hither and yon this season.

Tending Strictly to Business



It's a very serious Lou Nova who works out on the light bag as he trains at Nyack, N. Y., for his bout with Max Baer, June 1, in New York. A victory over his fellow Californian will give him a shot at the heavyweight title.

Lindbergh--1939 and 1927



The effect of a dozen years on the "Lone Eagle." Left, the aviator Charles A. Lindbergh, in uniform as colonel in U.S. army air service, in 1927, when he sailed from New York to Paris in plane Spirit of St. Louis. In both pictures, he looks skyward.

Smallpox Forges To Front In List Of State's Diseases

AUSTIN, Tex.—Case reports reaching the State Department of Health indicate that smallpox is rapidly forging to the front in the list of preventable communicable diseases over Texas at this time.

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

BY BRUCE CATTON NEA Service Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON.—Don't be surprised if administration forces in Congress suddenly swing their support to a move for a constitutional amendment providing that a nationwide referendum must be held before any American can be drafted for armed service overseas.

Highway Striping Rules Explained For The Motorists

AUSTIN, Tex.—"Stay on your own right-hand lane, clear of the center stripe except when passing," is the warning issued today to motorists traveling Texas highways by Harry S. Phillips, Traffic and Safety Engineer of the State Highway Department.

Double Diagnosis Is Made By A Doctor

EL PASO, Tex.—When playing Dr. Frank Gordon, horse specialist, injured his right leg during a polo match, he made two diagnoses. As a physician, he termed the injury an internal hemorrhage of the calf. As a polo player, he diagnosed it as a nuisance. He was hurt when struck in the leg by a polo ball.

DATE WITH DANGER

BY HELEN WORDEN

Yesterday Nick Hart... MARY and Jim Chase arrived at Police Headquarters... CHAPTER V... MARY and Jim Chase arrived at Police Headquarters...

After that, little was heard of Martin until 1932... THE ringing of the telephone interrupted them... MARY reached for a report marked, "Jake Martin, alias 'The Duke'..."

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS

Comic strip panels with dialogue: 'IF THAT FRATERNITY COULD OFFER ONE EXCUSE FOR ITS EXISTENCE I MIGHT... PHONE, POP... ITS FOR YOU!', 'THIS IS THE LIGHT DEPARTMENT! WOULD YOU SEE IF THE STREET LIGHT ON YOUR CORNER IS BURNING!', 'MORE OF YOUR FRATERNITY DOINGS, EH? ONE OF YOUR LUNGHEAD FRIENDS ASKED ME TO SHINY UP THE POLE AND BLOW OUT THE LIGHT...'

OUT OUR WAY

Comic strip panels with dialogue: 'I WANTED YOU TO SEE THIS KID IN ACTION FOR YOURSELF--HE'S THE BEST KID PITCHER I EVER SAW IN ALL MY BASEBALL EXPERIENCE--A BORN PITCHER... WHY HE MAKES FOOLS OUT OF ALL TH' GOOD BATTERS IN THIS TOWN!', 'YES, HE'S PROBABLY WORTH A FORTUNE-- BUT YOU SAY HE'S ONLY FIFTEEN--WHY, MAN, WE CAN'T TALK TO HIM FOR SEVERAL YEARS YET!'

RED RYDER

Comic strip panels with dialogue: 'HOUSE BURNED--CATTLE KILLED--RECKON IT SERVES ME RIGHT FOR DRIFTIN' AWAY SO LONG, LITTLE BEAVER!', 'RED RYDER! HORSES SCARED--YOU LISTEN!', 'SOMETHIN'S WORRYIN' THEM--RECKON I'D BETTER TAKE A LOOK?', 'BUT EVEN AS RED LEAVES THE FIRE, OLD SCAR-FOOT WATCHES HIS PREY--A COLT.'

ALLEY OOP

Comic strip panels with dialogue: 'DETERMINED TO LEARN WHAT'S WRONG WITH HIS TRAIN, THE IRATE FREIGHT CONDUCTOR MAKES HIS WAY OVER THE ROCKING BOX CARS TO THE ENGINE...', 'MY GOSH, THE CAB'S EMPTY! THERE'S NOT A SOUL ON THIS TRAIN BUT ME... BUT I'D SWEAR I SAW SOMEBODY IN THERE AS WE ROUNDED THAT LAST CURVE!'

By HARRY GRAYSON

FRANK SHELLBACK is back in the majors as a coach after 19 years' exile in the Pacific Coast League... SHELLBACK won 38 games in 1929 and '30, 27 in '31, 26 in '33... 'There must be some way to stop these hitters,' he smiles...

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Comic strip panels with dialogue: 'GOOD HEAVENS! WHAT KIND OF A CRITTER IS THAT?', 'WHAT TH...? BAA!'

Royalty Sets Vogue For Buick Autos

LONDON, Mich.—Royalty has established a Buick vogue this year, visiting monarchs and princelings... The two cars for use of the English King and Queen on their Canadian tour were completed last week in the Ottawa, Ontario, plant of General Motors...

Cowboys Were Just Peter Pans Society on Folk Lore Says

HOUSTON, Texas—Some Texans, not familiar with pioneer life, are not shocked to learn that: Gun-slinging Texas cowboys were Peter Pans; Baron de Bastrop, the "godfather of Texas," is a myth; pioneers "cured" the carache with betsy-bug blood; sheepherders were intellectual superiors of the cowboys...

Old Fortification At Dalhart Now Just Ruined Wall

DALHART, Tex.—Only a few crumbling stone walls mark the site of an old Camp Nichols, earliest fortification constructed in this section by the federal government as an army post during settlement days... Located in northeastern New Mexico about 20 miles west of Boise City, Okla., the old fort was built on a site selected by Kit Carson, the famous scout and buffalo hunter...

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THE RANGER TIMES Ranger, Texas

W. M. U. Holds Royal Service Program

The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon in a Royal Service program with Mrs. Raymond Steele in charge. Hostesses were Mrs. Walter Jackson, Mrs. Chas. T. Tally and Mrs. Raymond Steele.

Intermediate G. A. in Meeting
The Intermediate G. A. of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon for the special purpose of studying their manual.

The session was opened with the singing of the hymn, "Let Others See Jesus in You." Mrs. Lee Mitchell read a short devotion. Mrs. Bob Hodges then took charge of the meeting. She gave an interesting and stimulating account of the first part of the G. A. Manual. This section included the aim, goal, watchword, G. A. hymn, colors, emblem and allegiance of the organization.

The hymn, "He Keeps Me Singing," was sung before the sentence prayers which were said before closing.

The girls present were: Nelda Bishop, Louise Younts, Ruth Cox, Geneva Williams, Nona Fox Watson, Louise Adkins, Merle Lee Styles, Pauline Acuff, Betty Jo Ingram, Jean Todd, Edna Jean Martin, Lois Ball, Dorothy Ferris, Lillian Bishop, Polly Seymour, Ruth Mae Jones, Elizabeth Barker, Laverne Watson, Mary Ferris and Betty Lou Russell.

On future programs Mrs. Bob Hodges will give a five minute discussion of the manual, and all young ladies are urged to attend.

Sponsors for the organization are planning to hold a social once each month.

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Picture of Maternal Pride



In latest photograph, taken in her New York home, Mrs. Sarah Delano Roosevelt, the nation's No. 1 mother, appears in Mother's Day pose as she admires a picture of her son, President Roosevelt.

two dances in Ranger Saturday night, the first at the WPA Recreational Hall, at which National Youth Administration boys and girls were guests, and the other at the Recreation building, with 299 guests present from Ranger and the surrounding towns.

At both dances they were presented in square dances and the schottische, after which they danced with the other guests.

Ray Juda's Rhythm Rascals from Cisco furnished the music for the last dance, which was open to the public.

Members of the square dance set are Mr. and Mrs. Herb Gregerson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Stinson and Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson.

Guild Held in Home Of Mrs. J. E. Fletcher
The Episcopal Guild met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. E. Fletcher. A short study session was conducted and in the business session which followed it was decided to adjourn meetings until September.

Members present were: Mmes. Joe Holt, Garvin D. Chastain, T. L. Lauderdale, Harry Welsdon and Fletcher. Tea was served at the close of the meeting.

W. M. S. of Methodist Church Has Guest Day
The Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church met Monday afternoon in a special program for "guest day." Mrs. G. O. Strong was leader.

The following program was presented:
Opening song—"What a Friend We Have in Jesus."
Prayer—Mrs. Ray Campbell.
Piano solo—"Cathedral at Twilight," by Bernard Wagness, Mildred Balch.
Reading—"The Distinguished Guest," Mrs. Carl Hill.
Vocal solo—"The Prayer Perfect," Mrs. I. N. Griffin.
Address—"Ways and Customs of European Women," Mrs. G. Alfred Brown.
Devotional—Mrs. Leslie Hagan.

Closing prayer—Mrs. J. L. Turner.
Tea was served to members and guests at the close of the program.

Former Ranger Girl Married in Merston
Miss Mary Lavery and Mr. Bernard Jones were married in Merston on the eighth of May. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lavery, who formerly resided in Ranger. She is the niece of Mrs. Arthur E. Earnst. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Jones. He is an excellent student of Southern Methodist University and a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity. He is now

Secretary State May Be Headed For Court Bench

By United Press

AUSTIN, Tex.—Secretary of State Tom L. Beauchamp of Tyler is slated for advancement to the bench of one of the state's higher courts when a vacancy occurs, according to popular belief at Austin.

Many wondered why Beauchamp, with a long and distinguished legal career, accepted appointment as secretary of state. It is rumored now that he essentially decided it was a good post to use as a stepping stone.

The secretary of state is closer to the governor than any other state official. Not only are their offices contiguous, but the work of the governor and secretary requires almost constant conferences and exchange of data. Beauchamp is credited with much of the strategy of the governor in his dealings with the legislature.

Three vacancies are possible on the higher courts before Gov. W. Lee D'Daniel's term expires.

Chief Justice C. M. Cureton of the state supreme court has undergone a series of operations and may resign if his health is not improved after the summer vacation of the court, many believe. Presiding Judge W. C. Morrow of the court of criminal appeals has been unable to sit with the court recently and might also decide its duties are too strenuous for his health.

Report has it also that Judge Reuben A. Hall of the sixth court of civil appeals at Texarkana is considering retirement. As a resident of Smith county, Beauchamp would be eligible to succeed Judge Hall.

Such a judgeship might prove another step toward either of the state's highest two courts, the supreme court and the court of criminal appeals. The court of criminal appeals is supreme in the state in crime cases, just as the supreme court is final in civil litigation.

Former Governor Dan Moody customarily made appointments by promotion of other officers so that filling one job made another vacancy to fill. The system was so good that Moody's successors in the governor's office have followed it generally. Beauchamp's advancement to the bench would open up the \$6,000-a-year secretary of state's place to be filled.

It is not likely that any of these events will take place before the present legislature has adjourned. Coming after adjournment, they would not need confirmation by the senate until another session of the legislature.

Repairs On Capitol Insure Safety of 46th Legislature

AUSTIN, Tex.—Members of the 46th legislature have enjoyed greater safety than did their predecessors.

Members of both the senate and house of representatives were in constant dread during the sessions of the 45th legislature that part of the high glass ceilings in the rooms where they meet might fall. The fear was well founded. Part of the senate ceiling had fallen before the session began and, fortunately, no one was in the chamber.

Since that occurrence both the ceilings and the roof of the state capitol have been repaired. Repairs to the 50-year-old dome, imported from Belgium, have also been completed more recently and danger of its collapse has been eliminated.

Latest safety measure at the capitol is installation of five miles of copper tubing which

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Earth County Gets Rural Electricity

STEPHENVILLE, Tex.—Electricity has been turned on into lines feeding to hundreds of Earth county farms as the result of the inauguration of the \$189,000 rural electrification project just completed. The cooperative which constructed the lines will eventually furnish power to 407 homes along 213 miles of line.



Husband and wife seem to be getting along nicely in this shot from "Wife, Husband and Friend" which opens at the Arcadia here tomorrow. Warner Baxter and Loretta Young are the married stars and Binnie Barnes is the friend.

forms a fire-alarm system extending into all parts of the big structure. The system works on expansion. If a fire occurs in any place, the heat expands the air in the tubing in that vicinity and forms an electrical contact. The contact rings an alarm bell and also indicates location of the fire on a control board.

Another capitol improvement under way is the repainting of the dome inside and out.

Safety for painters on this high job where a 315-foot fall is possible has been given care. A large circus net has been spread to catch any workman who might slip. At the height at which it is suspended the net looks filmy.

But workmen have been given a psychological aid besides. The net has been covered with canvas. During a former painting of the dome, several years ago, a workman fell from the fourth floor balcony and was killed. That balcony is about halfway to the top of the dome but the fall from there sent the workman's body crashing through the main floor of the rotunda into the basement.

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