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Fair This Week Due to Be County's Greatest

BERLIN SAYS POLISH WAR IS NOW ENDED

BERLIN, Sept. 23.—The German army high command announced today that the "campaign in Poland has ended."

In a number of "battles" the command said, "the biggest and most decisive of which was fought on the Vistula River, the Polish army, numbering 1,000,000 was beaten, captured or dispersed."

No single Polish division and no detached brigade escaped. Only fractions of units could have themselves by fleeing into swamp districts of Eastern Poland, where they have been rounded up by the Russians.

"Of the entire Polish forces, at present small, only a small remnant fights in lost positions in Warsaw, and the Heia Peninsula near Gdynia."

"The fact that the enemy is in position to continue even this last resistance is due to the regard taken by our troops to the Polish civilian population."

The communique said that since the spring Adolf Hitler and the German high command has possessed Polish plans of operations.

Model Plane Flights To Be Held Today At Ranger Airport

Boys model airplane test meet is to be staged Sunday at the airport at 2:00 p. m.

This will be a test meet and the planes will not be entered in a contest. All boys with any model airplane, rubber or gas, are invited to bring their ships to see an exhibition flight.

The public is invited to be on hand to witness the flights. All plans will be made Sunday after the flights as to the time of the next meet which will be held in the near future and at which some valuable prizes will be given to the winners of the longest flight, appearance and workmanship, and construction and stability of both rubber and gas propelled ships.

It is also the intention of the committee to have the boys organize a boys model flying club.

Pleasanton Entry In Fete Assured

Dorothy Glenn Jamison will represent Pleasanton at the Southwestern Peanut Festival queen contest Saturday night in Eastland as announced Saturday.

That Miss Jamison, a student at the University of Texas in Austin, would represent Pleasanton was said in a letter to Cecil Barham, chairman of the festival committee.

The festival is a part of the Eastland County Fair beginning Thursday and ends Saturday.

No Damage Done
In Two Ranger Fires

The Ranger Fire Department made two runs to small fires Saturday morning, at opposite sides of the town, in which no damage was reported.

The first alarm was at the home of J. F. Dreinhofer, Eastland Hill, where a lumber pile was on fire. Shortly after a second alarm was reported at the home of the Bundick home on Hunt street. Both were extinguished without any material damage being done.

The World War 25 Years Ago, Sept. 23, 1914

St. Mihiel on the Meuse river captured by German troops. Rumania took railroad from Przemyel to Cracow.

British landed force at Loosham to join Japanese army before Yaman-tan.

Surveillance Of Foreign Agents Being Curtailed

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The state department today issued new regulations drastically strengthening surveillance of foreign agents in the United States.

The department incorporated sections of the old, 1916 espionage act, requiring agents acting for foreign governments to notify the secretary of state.

Meanwhile federal agents in New York indicated that they knew the identity of the espionage agent who stole the plans of a "code scrambling machine" and sold them to Germany and Japan for \$4,000.

Four Negroes Held For Investigation By Ranger Police

Two negro women, who gave their names as Lovina West and Lois Graham, were arrested in Ranger Saturday morning on shoplifting charges, it was reported by Guy Pfedger, Ranger chief of police.

The two women were reported to have been arrested after allegedly taking 10 or 12 pieces of underwear from the Montgomery Ward store. They were placed in the Ranger city jail pending further investigation.

Also held for investigation were two negro men, who gave their names as Samuel Grant, 25 and T. J. Turner, 41, of Houston. The two were held for investigation after being found in the city in a 1934 model Ford coach, in which Pfedger said he found a new overcoat, several new sweaters and shirts. The goods was not traced to any local store, however, Pfedger said, but an investigation was being made.

Square Dancers In Breck Contest

A group of Eastland square dancers Saturday night participated in contests sponsored by Breckenridge officials at the Breckenridge Homecoming celebration.

The square dance contests drew dancers from many towns in this section.

Those from Eastland who planned to participate were the following: Curley Maynard and Martin Jean Lister, E. J. Pryor and Clara Jane Kimble, Pat Owen and Alma Williamson and L. D. Dickson and Jerry Russell.

Eastland Band Is Aid In Fair Held At Rising Star

Eastland citizens turned out in large numbers in attending the first morning's activities at the Rising Star Annual Free Fall Fair.

Fifteen cars provided transportation of the band to the fair. Nearly every county official attended one or more days of the fair. The band Saturday participated in a parade at the event.

Small Increase In Production Noted

The American Petroleum Institute announced Saturday that daily average crude oil production in West Central Texas the week ended Sept. 16 was 33,000 barrels, an increase of 50 barrels over the average of the preceding week.

For the four weeks ended Sept. 16 daily average was 23,600 barrels as compared to an average of 23,150 barrels the week ended Sept. 17 last year.

Carbon Man Will Preach At Cisco

Officials announced Saturday that Rev. Stanley E. Williams of Carbon will preach at the morning services of the First Methodist Church at Cisco. Rev. Joseph A. Patterson, regular pastor of the Cisco church, is conducting a revival at Coleman.

Justice Court To Open Its New Term

September civil term of the justice of peace court at Eastland will be opened Monday, E. E. Wood, justice, has announced.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS — Fair Sunday. Cooler in Panhandle.

O'DANIEL HAS PLAN TO KEEP PENSIONS UP

AUSTIN, Sept. 23.—Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel today said that plans upon which he is working to avert a 50 percent reduction in each old age pension check for October do not include assembling the state legislature.

"I have several plans upon which I am working," O'Daniel said. He declined to announce them.

There has been discussed a possible new loan to tide over the situation. Required repayment in October of part of a former loan brought the situation to a crisis.

The reductions eliminating approximately 500 and reducing the others from an average of \$14.24 to \$8.24 a month were announced after a session of the state welfare board.

Funeral Services For Russell Held At Gorman Church

Funeral services for W. O. Russell, 70, Gorman resident for 35 years who died Thursday after a long illness, were conducted Saturday morning at Gorman.

Mr. Russell had been ill for about a year and his condition for several months had grown steadily worse, said friends.

He was a retired farmer and lived one mile west of Gorman. He had been a deacon in the Baptist church at Gorman for 34 years. Mr. Russell was born Feb. 19, 1858.

Six years ago he was a candidate to represent Eastland county in the legislature.

Survivors are his wife, six sons, one daughter and 19 grandchildren.

Attending the services from Eastland were Omar Baskett, Lois Woods, E. W. (Top) Underwood, Earl Conner, Sr., Earl Conner, Jr., George L. Davenport, T. M. Collier, P. L. Crossley and Walter Gray.

Legion Post Drive for new Members Is Going Over Nicely

R. H. Hansford, service officer of the Carl Barnes Post of the American Legion, announced Saturday that the drive for new members was meeting with much success, and that 50 members for this year had already been secured. The quota for Ranger was set this year at 40.

It was stated by Hansford Saturday that the drive will be continued, and that it is hoped 100 members can be secured before Armistice Day.

C. of C. Directors To Meet Monday Night

Directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce will meet Monday night, at the office of the secretary, at the usual hour, it was announced Saturday by A. N. Larson, president.

All members of the board, including the two new members, have been urged to be present.

Police Dog Mascot Credited For Arrest

MIDDLETOWN, Conn.—Jerry, police dog mascot of the police department for the past several years, has been credited with his first arrest.

Patrolman Arthur Stannard, with whom Jerry makes the rounds nightly, came upon a prowler and fired several shots when he refused to heed a command to halt. The shots missed.

Jerry, however, pursued the suspect, knocked him down and stood guard until Stannard arrived.

The prisoner was an escaped inmate of an insane hospital.

Earthquake Toll Reported Over 150

ISTANBUL, Sept. 23.—More than 150 persons were killed, hundreds injured, 4,000 made homeless and whole villages destroyed in the Smyrna area by earthquakes Friday, detailed dispatches disclosed today.

SPUDDING ON NEWER TESTS, COMPLETION OIL WEEK FEATURES

Spudding of a new operation in Stephens County, completion of a small well in Palo Pinto County and initiation of work on a new Comanche County project shared interest in new development in oil activities of this district during the week.

The new Stephens project which was spudded and drilling at 900 feet, located in quarter section No. 2, H. S. Dance, 382 feet north of a well of the operators opening a pool last year, 488 feet from the east and 1,199 feet from the north line of the 187-acre lease in the J. Koehler survey. Location is four miles west of Crystal Falls. Two other wells in the same vicinity are reported planned by operators.

Completion was Hickok Producing and Development Company No. 1 Gaudin, P. Elder survey, eight miles northwest of Grafado, Palo Pinto County, which pumped 2,414-25 feet from a sand five-inch was set at 2,414 feet.

New Comanche project was Gallagher and Lawson No. 1 Mrs. Robertson, located in quarter section No. 29 of block 34, Lampasas County School lands. Located six and one-half miles southeast of Rising Star, it is to be drilled to 700 feet.

Other activities by counties in this district included:

Eastland County
T. S. Holden et al No. 1 J. F. Nichols, two miles southwest of Pioneer, H. S. Hearn survey, was shut down after spudding.

Hickok No. 5 Grover Cleveland, seven miles north of Cisco, section 477, SPRR survey, a new operation announced last week, spudded. It will be drilled to the Ellenburger lime.

Dobbs Oil Corporation No. 1 E. Eberhart, Hiram Walker street, two and one-half miles southeast of Carbon, was underreaming pipe at 450 feet.

Lone Star Gas Company No. 1 F. J. Kimmel, section 87, block 4, H&C survey, was attempting to straighten crooked hole at 300 feet eight miles north of Cisco.

Hickok No. 1 Hazel, section 41, block 4, H&C survey, four miles east of Cisco, at 4,050 feet was drilling.

R. R. Groce No. 1 J. M. Rush, section 130, H&C survey, two miles north of Cisco, continued to remain shut down.

John L. Keeves No. 1 J. V. Parker, northwest part of the William Van Norman survey, eight miles southwest of Eastland, was drilling at 2,500 feet.

Palo Pinto County
W. K. Gordon No. 1 W. R. Ringo, section 81, block 2, T&P survey, at 3,550 feet was drilling three miles north of Gordon.

Stephens County
George Egg No. 1 Richardson, section 5, block 31, SPRR survey.

Local Activity Is Reported On Front

PARIS, Sept. 23.—French war communique No. 49 issued tonight said "today, on the Western front, there was local activity by artillery on both sides and contacting units."

Escaped Convict Is Captured At Dallas

DALLAS, Sept. 23.—Jack Cade, 25, Huntville convict, who on September 6 kidnaped a prison guard and escaped, was captured today in the Trinity River bottoms here.

Two Line Workers Dies After A Blast

KILGORE, Sept. 23.—John Aho, 69, and Charles Reagan, 35, pipeline workers who were injured in a gas explosion of undetermined origin Friday, died today. Five other men were injured.

Deadline Given On Fair Exhibits

It was announced Saturday that exhibits at the Southwestern Peanut Festival and Eastland County Fair would be first placed on exhibit Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock and that 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon will be the deadline for placing of the exhibits. The fair runs through Saturday.

IL DUCE SAYS TIME HAS COME TO TALK PEACE

ROME, Sept. 23.—Premier Mussolini declared today the moment has arrived to end hostilities in Europe.

In his first speech since last May, Il Duce, addressing fascist leaders from Bologna, said "the Polish question has been liquidated. Europe has not entered into war."

"A clash can be ended by realizing it is vain to attempt to maintain or reconstruct that which history and the natural dynamism of peoples already has condemned."

Mussolini also said that Italy has no reason to alter her decision to remain neutral. He ordered officials to round up rumor mongers and he described Masonic and Jewish elements as riff-raff and foreign anti-fascist sympathizers.

BORAH PLANS EXPEDITING AN EMBARGO LAW

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Sen. William Borah, republican, Idaho, a leader of the isolationists, today indicated willingness to expedite consideration of the neutrality bill in the foreign relations committee in return for unrestricted floor debate.

Borah said that no attempt would be made to filibuster the neutrality legislation and promised it would be discussed on its own merits.

"So far as I know, and feel I do know," Borah said, those opposing repeal want to present their views fully."

Fourteen democratic members of the foreign relations committee discussed a tentative draft of a bill to prohibit American vessels from carrying on trade of any kind with belligerent nations.

35 FFA Boys From Ranger High May Go To State Fair

Charles Bell, vocational agricultural teacher of Ranger, announced Saturday that he expected about 35 Future Farmers of America, from Ranger High School to attend the State Fair of Texas, at Dallas, Saturday, Oct. 7.

If as many as 35 go, Bell stated, the trip can be made for 50 cents each, where the FFA members take their own lunches. If they eat at the fair grounds, of course, the expense would be just that much more.

Bell stated that there were 60 boys at the first meeting of the FFA chapter, 36 of these being first year boys. S. S. Faircloth, Jr., president of the Ranger FFA chapter, presided at the meeting. Next week another meeting is to be held, when officers for the present school year will be elected.

Hitler Remains On The Eastern Front

REPLIN, Sept. 23.—It was confirmed officially today that Adolf Hitler remains with his troops on the Eastern Front after having left Danzig to proceed to a point north of Warsaw. It was learned that Hitler may go to the Western Front early next week.

Flewellen Due To Give Bible Talk

L. H. Flewellen of Ranger will address members of the Hi-Way Bi-Way Bible Class at a meeting at 9:45 today in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church in Eastland. Music will be furnished by Mrs. A. F. Taylor's students.

Accidental Death Verdict In Shooting

AUSTIN, Sept. 23.—A verdict of accidental death was given today by Justice of the Peace Tom Johnson, in the fatal shooting of Henry McKenzie, 46, of Austin, who was taking a shotgun from his automobile when it discharged.

Submarines Seen Off Mexican Coast

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 23.—A dispatch to the newspaper Universal from Vera Cruz, reported today that several submarines of unknown nationality had been sighted in Mexican waters in the Gulf of Mexico.

DISMISS CASE

County Judge W. S. Adamson has dismissed the case of S. A. Davis, Jr., vs. O. S. Carroll because of want of prosecution. Costs were assessed against the plaintiff.

Dies Committee Is Told Of Russian Insurance Schemes

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—A Dies committee witness charged today that payments by American insurance companies aggregating at least \$1,000,000 annual to go "into the coffers" of Soviet Russia's leader, Josef Stalin.

The witness was D. H. Dubrowsky, a former long time Soviet worker in the United States.

He told the committee that Russia collected more than enough money here to finance propaganda campaigns in the United States. One money collecting scheme, he said, involved collection of insurance and estates left by dead Russian-born Americans.

Ex-Commander Of German Army Killed In Action

BERLIN, Sept. 23.—Germany's one time army commander in chief, Col. Gen. Werner von Fritsch, 59, fell in action before Warsaw while on emergency patrol duty as a mere commander of the 12th artillery regiment, Col. Gen. Walther von Brauchitsch disclosed today.

Fritsch, commander in chief of the army, in succession to his brief announcement from Adolf Hitler's own headquarters that Fritsch had died before Warsaw on Sept. 22.

How Fritsch died and why was not disclosed.

Fritsch was "purged" along with other high German army officers in Feb. 1938. Five weeks later a military court of honor vindicated him. In June 1938 he was publicly rehabilitated, "in recognition of his great services in reconstructing the army."

Panama President Rebukes Europe's Countries For War

PANAMA CITY, Sept. 23.—Opening the emergency Pan-American neutrality conference, President Juan Arismendi of Panama today sharply rebuked the ideologies of European totalitarian states.

Such ideologies have no place in the Americas, he said, and called on the delegates to adopt all kinds of precautions to assure American neutrality and make it respected.

Roosevelt Refuses To Talk Third Term

HYDE PARK, N. Y., Sept. 23.—President Roosevelt today again declined to commit himself on third term possibilities. He refused to comment on Gov. Alfred Landon's proposal he denounce all aspirations for a third term.

Landon, who unsuccessfully opposed Mr. Roosevelt in the 1936 presidential election, was quoted in an interview that "the greatest single contribution President Roosevelt could make would be to tell the country he does not want a third term and would refuse the nomination if it was offered."

Administration Of Vilna Has Changed

LONDON, Sept. 23.—Administration of Vilna has been taken over by a worker's committee radio Moscow announced tonight.

Lands confiscated from landlords have already been re-distributed. Peasants, the radio said, have been organized to search the woods for noblemen, one of whom already has been caught and shot.

National Guard To Enlist More Men

AUSTIN, Sept. 23.—Orders for enlistment of 1,499 men in the Texas National Guard were issued today. Following authorization from Washington.

The additions will give the Texas guard a personnel of 11,211, considerably below peacetime strength.

PEANUT FESTIVAL DRAWS EYES OF THE SOUTHWEST

Events Open Wednesday and Continue Until Saturday Night.

Augmented by the Southwestern Peanut Festival which will be held simultaneously, the thirteenth annual Eastland County Fair will open Thursday morning and continue through Saturday.

An even greater interest is being evidenced this year in the fair, according to officials, who say that the peanut festival is contributing greatly to the interest increase.

Following on the heels of the festival and fair, boat races will be held at Lake Eastland Sunday, Oct. 1. And all during this week the Royal United Shows, carnival unit, will be in Eastland. The carnival is playing in Eastland through auspices of the fair association and a substantial portion of its receipts will go for the fair expenses.

While nearly always customary for fair officials to be optimistic over coming expositions, undoubtedly, say observers, the fair this week in Eastland will be the county's greatest.

The catalog issued for this year's fair is the largest ever printed for the county event, containing 64 pages. The catalogs were mailed exhibitors and others the first of last week.

The peanut festival is to draw exhibitors from practically all peanut producing sections of the state. And, too, groups and those engaged in the peanut industry, which only in recent years has become one of the state's important, bringing huge sums to farmers, will attend the fair festival.

Dick Weeks, manager of the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association, government peanut buying cooperative, has announced all the organization's directors will be present at the final day of the festival.

General chairman for the fair and festival is C. J. Rhodes, long-time Eastland civic worker and former Eastland Chamber of Commerce president. Carl Johnson is assistant chairman and H. J. Tanner, secretary-manager of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, is serving as secretary for the fair association.

Fair workers stated Saturday that 100 per cent cooperation is being received from every town and community in the county.

Thursday, opening day, has been designated "Ranger-Cisco Day." On that evening entertainments sponsored by the chambers of commerce from those towns will be in charge of the program. Bands from both cities will be present.

Friday will be "Gorman and (Continued on page two)

Selection Is Made For Dublin Entry In Queen Contest

The Sportsman's Club of Dublin has selected Miss Martha Ribow Dawkins to represent Dublin at the Southwestern Peanut Festival, a feature of the Eastland County Fair Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week at Eastland.

A freshman at John Tarleton Agriculture College at Stephenville, Miss Dawkins will vie with other girls of this section in the selection of the Southwestern Peanut Queen Saturday night at the softball field in Eastland.

Eighteen years of age, she was formerly editor of the Dublin High School paper, "The Lion's Roar."

Abilene Group To Visit Here Monday

A group from Abilene, advertising the West Texas Fair Oct. 2-7, will be in this city Monday afternoon, according to an announcement Saturday.

The goodwill trip is being sponsored by the Abilene Rotary Club. The trippers will arrive at 2:45 in Eastland, at 3:20 in Olden and at 3:40 in Ranger.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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'National Unity' and 'Coalition Government'

There has been a lot of talk about establishing some sort of a "coalition government" in Washington by means of which the President could have the benefit of the advice of the "best minds" of the country regardless of party. There has been a great deal of talk about "national unity" in the face of a chaotic world beyond our borders.

All this sort of thing wants to be thought through pretty carefully.

Certainly it is true that any pressure exerted on national policies at so critical a time from the point of view of mere party advantage is unthinkable.

Certainly it is true that once a policy has been legally decided upon by Congress as representatives of the people, a "united front" will be presented to the world in support of it.

But what is just as certainly not true is that there is any obligation on the people to render unthinking support to any policies which they have not had as direct a hand as possible in making. Some argue that any appearance of "disunity" might encourage or discourage certain policies, and that therefore the American people ought to suspend all debate on what they want to do, and simply do as they are told.

This is not a very cogent argument. In the first place, we are apt to exaggerate our influence abroad. It is extremely doubtful whether the prospect of American participation or non-participation in Europe's tangled affairs has any real deterrent effect on anybody. It has not had such an effect in the past; certainly it did not in 1917. There is little evidence that it has done so since.

This country, with its institutions, belongs to the people who inhabit it. . . The chief magistrate derives all his authority from the people. . . By the frame of the government under which we live, this same people have wisely given their public servants but little power for mischief. . . Why should there not be a patient confidence in the ultimate justice of the people?

So spoke Abraham Lincoln, at a time more critical for the country of his day than this day for ours. He had faith that the people would decide rightly. He urged calm thought and careful consideration, not unthinking "unity."

The time for unity is after the people have decided on their course, decided in a legal and deliberate manner, after full opportunity to consider. But before that deliberate decision, any "unity" that is simulated by "coalitions" and "councils" is a delusion, perhaps a danger. If it be true that the sympathy of most of the American people is already fixed regarding the European war, it is certainly not true that there is any unity on what ought to be done about it. And until such decision is reached, at least on broad lines, it is idle to talk of unity.

Europe knows, and has ample evidence, that this unity will not be lacking once definite decisions have been reached.

• BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

BY BRUCE CATTON
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—When President Roosevelt—who has proclaimed a state of limited national emergency—remarked that he had no intention of trying to censor the American press or radio "at the present time," he set this reporter wondering.

Suppose the President did have such an intention—under existing laws, just what could he accomplish along the line of censorship? There are two answers, as follows: as far as the press is concerned, he could do practically nothing. As far as radio is concerned, he could do practically everything.

First, the radio. Under the Federal Communications act of 1934, the President may at his discretion use almost any means of regulating or controlling broadcasting. He may even take over stations or networks to be run by the government. He may order equipment removed from any station. The legislation under which broadcasters are now licensed specifies that the President is empowered to take such rigorous action in time of war, in time of threat or peril to this country—or "to preserve the neutrality of the United States."

The likelihood that any such powers would be invoked is very slight, however, according to the Federal Communications Commission. "Broadcasters are doing a remarkable job of censoring their own stuff," says a spokesman for the commission. "We have been told that a comparatively liberal censorship exists in European countries, including Germany. Commentators are not required to submit word-for-word copies of their talks in advance, but are

simply asked to hand their notes to the official censor before going on the air."

FCC officials point out that radio is tackling its new role of war-coverage without precedents to fall back on. Officials of networks, as well as of individual stations, have displayed full willingness to co-operate with the commission.

If the FCC or the President desires any change in method of presentation or in type of program during the war in Europe, there is every evidence that the radio people will comply willingly with any suggestions that are made.

Beyond making suggestions—which might or might not be acted on—there isn't much of anything the administration could do to control the press as long as the country is neutral. During the last war—after the United States got in, that is—the Postoffice Department did try to get through a bill which would have put stringent restrictions on newspapers through control of their use of the mails. Congress refused to pass the bill, however, as it turned out, the newspaper themselves established a central bureau of censorship for the handling of government information. If the United States actually got into a war, the government could impose some form of censorship through control of the telephone and telegraph systems. These agencies could be placed under the direction of military authorities with arbitrary powers to administer them at their discretion.

That wasn't done during the World War, however, and it isn't believed here that there is much chance that it would be done if the United States should go to war again.

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



THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



GREENGAGE PLUMS ARE NAMED FOR SIR WILLIAM GAGE, WHO INTRODUCED THEM INTO ENGLAND.

KWIK-KOZER WHERE ARE THE FOLLOWING... MOZAMBIQUE, FALKLAND ISLANDS, GRENADA.

ANSWER: Normandy, a district in France; Falkland Islands, a group in the South Atlantic; Mozambique, a province of Portuguese East Africa; Grenada, an island in the West Indies.

BOLT HITS MILKING MACHINE
By United Press
GARDNERSVILLE, Nev. — Frank Andrews, rancher, reports the first electrocution of a cow in Nevada as the result of too much scientific advancement in dairying. Lightning struck the electric transformer of his establishment and shortcircuited the electricity into the milking machine circuit which in turn carried it to a chain that hung down to a cow's neck.

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COUNTY FAIR

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Rising Star Day." Then that evening entertainments will be given by those towns. Saturday, final fair day, will be the date for the crowning of the Southwestern Peanut Queen. The crowning, one of the climactic events of the fair and festival, will be held at Fire Department Softball Field in Eastland. Entries in the contest have been assured from Eastland, Dublin, Abilene, De Leon, Mineral Wells, Breckenridge, Cisco, Ranger, Stephenville, Gorman, Rising Star, Comanche, San Antonio and other cities. Cecil Barham is the festival chairman. The Eastland entry in the contest will be chosen Tuesday night at 7 o'clock at the Connellee Theatre. The preceding day at the same time a king to escort the

queen will be chosen from among Eastland boys. The king selection contest is open only to Eastland youths and will be held at the Connellee also. Also scheduled Saturday night will be a banquet at the Connellee Hotel for entries in the queen contest, their escorts and the general public. The dinner will be 75 cents. Tickets may be secured from Mrs. Marene Johnson, Tanner or Barham in Eastland. The girl chosen Saturday night as the queen will get a \$35 cash prize and also will participate in the queen of queens contest next month at the Dallas state fair. Another feature of the final night of the fair and festival will be a dance beginning at 9 o'clock on the Connellee hotel roof garden with Joe Buzze and his orchestra from Waco furnishing the music. It was also announced by officials that wrestling and boxing matches will be held Friday and Saturday nights under the supervision of W. J. Peters in an arena erected in the center of the softball field. Livestock, agricultural and other exhibits of the fair will again be located this year in the old Pickering Lumber Company building on North Seaman street. Expected to be of great interest this year also will be a tent erected on fair grounds wherein will be exhibited products of peanut manufacturers and merchants of the county. Judges who will select the peanut queen will be E. B. Coleman, Dallas; Margaret Hall, Fort Worth; Jack Gordon, Fort Worth and Eddie Hays, Dallas. Coleman, who is Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer public relations director of this district, will speak at a banquet honoring the entries, was also announced.

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Ranger Times

"Sorry ... bread is out of season"

Suppose you got that answer today from the breadman. Suppose the grocer couldn't deliver the coffee and canned peas and potted ham and pineapple juice you ordered—just because this isn't the right time of year.

Unthinkable? Yes, but only because plenty of planning has been done to brig you good foods of all kinds straight through the year. Today you can buy fresh meat, safe milk, green vegetables, frozen foods—whatever you like to eat, almost without regard to season.

And this has come about to large extent because advertising has created a demand for these things . . . and the vast quantities sold through advertising have brought prices down to a point where almost every one can afford them.

Advertising is a great economic force which makes life pleasanter . . . for you.

Alabama Is Seen As A Key State For War Resources

MONTGOMERY, Ala. — Alabama will be one of the nation's military and economic areas of any war.

Survey of the state's vast war potentialities disclosed that there is an abundance of everything calculated to strengthen the war effort—iron, coal, electricity, food, cattle, minerals, navigable rivers.

In addition, the U. S. Army has a tactical school here, an army fort in the northern part of the state and is projecting a \$10,000 air depot at the port of Mobile.

Alabama has a splendid national Guard of 4,000-odd men, some officer training in high schools and one of the grandest military traditions in America as "Cradle of the Confederacy."

Alabama's war potency was tested 20 years ago when the United States entered the World War with establishment of a military training camp, Fort Rucker, at Montgomery.

The survey listed the following as war resources: A great supply of iron and coal in the Birmingham and Gadsden areas. Some state military observatories believe if war comes an army camp would be set up there.

Alabama's Valley section of state, with its munitions manufacture, is now in use as a World War plant—now in use as a fertilizer plant.

Alabama's rich agricultural resources—and do—produce cotton and many other vegetables and the staples of the fighting machines of the world.

Alabama's rich agricultural resources—and do—produce cotton and many other vegetables and the staples of the fighting machines of the world.

Queen Aids Red Cross Work



Britain's leading lady lends her aid to the wounded of war. Queen Elizabeth, right, visits Dame Beryl Oliver at Red Cross headquarters in London.

who was ineligible last year, is hailed as an exceptionally good prospect.

Norton has veterans available at every line position except one guard. Bill Audish, 193-pound senior, will fill one guard spot but the other starting berth probably will fall to a sophomore.

Charles Henke, Ernie Pannell and Martin Ruby are lettermen tackles, each weighing more than 200 pounds. Hugh Boyd, a transfer from John Tarleton Junior College, is a strong bidder for a starting end assignment.

The veteran ends are Bill (Big Dog) Dawson, Bill Duncan, Herb Smith and Jo-Jo White. Smith weighs only 175 pounds, but all others scale 185 or more.

Norton said that a great deal depends upon whether Price is able to help in the conference drive.

Swiss Might Put Food Into Tanks

ZURICH. — Swiss householders will be able to have their own stores of food buried 120 feet below the waterlevel of the lakes and rivers, safe from the heaviest bomb, if an ingenious scheme devised by wealthy senator Gottlieb Duttweiler is put into practice.

Duttweiler, who is Switzerland's No. 1 provision dealer, with one business which alone has a turnover of about 60,000,000 Swiss francs, has founded a "Stock Tank Association" on cooperative lines.



Above are scenes from Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's magnificent production "The Wizard of Oz" featuring Judy Garland, as "Dorothy"; Frank Morgan as "The Cowardly Lion"; Jack Haley as the "Tin Woodman"; Ray Bolger as "The Scarecrow" and a fine supporting cast, including the Singer Midgets. This elaborate technicolor production is an amazing achievement in entertainment and starts a two day run at the Arcadia theatre, today.

Escorts Outspend Co-Eds Six Fold

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — This may be no startling discovery for father—but the college man spends nearly six times as much as the co-ed for amusements.

Several hundred University of Minnesota students were polled by the Northwestern National Life Insurance Co. Both fraternally and non-Greek students were included.

The co-ed spent \$1.14 a month on amusements. But the fraternity man kicked the bunkroll for \$10.53 monthly and the non-fraternity man \$6.85 monthly.

Half of the co-ed girls smoked, only one-fifth of the non-fraternity girls did.

But when it came to total expenditures, the girls were on top. The co-ed cost \$5.79 a month, exclusive of tuition, and the non-fraternity man \$1.14.

Terrier Abandons Home To Hunt Deer

RUMSEY, Cal.—When Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nichols took their registered wire-haired terrier out deer hunting they didn't count on the strength of the "call of the wild" that they might awaken in him.

He quickly jumped a young buck and skillfully maneuvered him into rifle range. The party at once headed for home, as only two deer a year can be killed, but the terrier overtook another deer and took to the trail. As he did not return, it is presumed he is still stalking deer.

Try Our Want-Ads

Huckster Sings In Parodies Of Operas To Sell Vegetables

PITTSBURGH—Housewives in Pittsburgh's Hill district are coming to the conclusion that Simon Friedman is no ordinary huckster.

Unlike the usual unimaginative vendor, Friedman does not sell his business with a curt, "Any vegetables today, lady?"

Instead, Friedman stands amid the vegetables in his cart, throws out his chest, and with the gestures of a Metropolitan Opera star, sings in a fine tenor voice with remarkable carrying power.

"Beautiful little pickles, Very good pickles! Onions that are like diamonds! Oh, wive, I have good tomatoes, Large, beautiful god tomatoes! That gleam like giant rubies! And green peppers, The largest in the city."

Sometimes Friedman sings his aria to the tune of "Figure"—his

favorite—but his versatility often extends to other operatic tunes, which he alters as he goes along to fit his message.

On the job for 25 years, since he came here from Warsaw, Poland, Friedman has an aesthetic appreciation for his wares.

"Why, there behind me on my wagon," he declared, "are vegetables—all like jewels. All fresh and beautiful. And so I sing—singer of all my jewels."

Although he is past the 60 mark, Friedman's voice is as clear and as powerful as it ever was. He insists that his customers can hear him singing "three blocks away."

And he adds proudly, "I have a different voice for every vegetable."

Townsend Club Will Elect New Officers

All members of the Ranger Townsend Club have been urged to be present, Monday night, at the meeting to be held in the Calvary Baptist Church, Monday night, when election of officers will be conducted.

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Ella Joy Bearden Complimented on Birthday Mrs. Theresa Bearden entertained Friday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock with a party complimenting her daughter, Ella Joy, on her eleventh birthday.

R. H. Snyder Returns from Meeting R. H. Snyder has returned from Lubbock, where he went to attend a meeting of Woolworth managers from West Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma.

Famous Byton Dancers To Be Featured at West Texas Fair



Vivacious artists of the dance, the Byton dancers appear tonight with Anson Weeks and his famed radio and screen band during the annual West Texas Fair week, in Abilene, October 2 to 7. This beautiful group of fine performers, presenting novel and intricate dance routines in the "Parade of Stars" revue before the grandstand, do ice, tap and ballet presentations, a lightning acrobatic routine, an amazing bicycle number, and a sensational fencing number. The rhythmic toast of two continents, they are headliners wherever they appear. The Byton ensemble will be presented, too, in the floor show with Anson Weeks, at dancing to follow the revue, at a supper club on the fair grounds.

Recent Bride Complimented At Shower Miss Oleta Pounds entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lloyd B. Cherry with a party and shower complimenting Mrs. Royce Rainbolt, the former Miss Nell Henson, daughter of Mr. C. M. Henson of Ranger.

A clever program for the bride was given after which Frankie Johnson disguised as a KKK party member presented the bride with a shower of gifts. Refreshments were served from the dining table which was attractively decorated with sinning and fern.

Guests included: Misses Carl Heinlin, T. J. Anderson, B. R. Lamance, W. W. Layton, Oyley, J. Higdon, Violet Berch, and Misses Evelyn White, Minnie Lee Shirley, Jane Martin, Helen Patterson, Annetta Huffman, Helen Cosburn, Frankie Johnson, Elizabeth Jay, Odell Jay, Meris Branton, Eva Mills, Louise Newman, Rozelle Nicholson, Elsie Morgan, Oleta Pounds, Melba Morgan, Mildred Fern Mitchell and Mona Robinson.

Shower and Party Mrs. J. M. Robinson and Mrs. W. T. Aikman entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of the latter with a party and shower complimenting Mrs. W. T. Johnson, the former Miss Bobbie Jay Wheat. Fall flowers were used profusely throughout the house and a color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the refreshments.

Gifts were presented the bride from the following guests: Misses S. Suddarth, Nath Pickle, Lee Mitchell, M. D. Cox, Monroe Johnson, B. E. Patterson, J. A. Caraway, Della Patterson, Ona Littlefield, Emma Green, D. J. Johnson, Tila Garley, R. V. Robinson, J. P. Suddarth, A. E. Crawley, W. W. Simpson, Clyde Fisher, W. B. Patterson, C. N. Dempsey, Walter Hutton, Guy Cooper, R. D. Patterson, T. J. Anderson, J. D. Weaver, W. L. Caraway, Mary Young, Hamner Bell, Logan Patterson, Elsie Patterson, Fred Witt, Orville Woods, Flena Moore, Acorn Moore, Gene Woods, S. O. Montgomery, Doris Fox, S. Shelton and Misses Helen Patterson, Elizabeth Johnson, Effie Johnson, Ona Johnson, Nettie Suddarth, Velma Brown, Ora Mae McGee, Bobby Lee Coffman, Daisy Woods, Lilian Ruth Suddarth, Susie Mae Caraway and Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

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Hodges Oak Park P. T. A. To Meet Tuesday The Hodges Oak Park P. T. A. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 in the school auditorium for their opening meeting of the year.

Texas Federation to Honor Clara Driscoll Mrs. O. H. Carlisle of Houston, general chairman of arrangements for "Clara Driscoll Appreciation Day" in Austin October 4, today announced the completed program for the observance.

1920 Club to Open Season With Reassembly Tea Invitations have been issued by the 1920 club to a reassembly tea to be given Thursday afternoon from 4:30 to 6 o'clock in the Blue Room of the Gibson Hotel.

Fidelis Matrons Class To Have Luncheon The Fidelis Matrons Class of the First Baptist Church will have a covered dish luncheon Thursday, Sept. 28, at 12:30 in the home of Mrs. C. W. Blacklock, Highland Avenue. Mrs. Alex Robinson will assist the hostess.

B. T. U. Training School Organized at Alameda Members of the First Baptist Church of Ranger have organized a B. T. U. for the church at Alameda and regular classes are being held for instruction in the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hansford have as their guests for the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brewster, Mrs. Roger Blackburn and son and Mrs. Francis Coleman, all of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Brann Garner are spending the week-end in Dallas as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wheelon.

Misses Mona Robinson, Dorothy Neville, Fula Pyslar, Mary Jane Todd, Lorena Harrell, and Forrest Weber, Dan Milroy, Twyman Hale, Elton Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harris and Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Varner.

W. M. S. to Continue Mission Study The Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for a continued mission study taken from the book "Through Tragedy to Triumph."

Child Welfare To Meet Wednesday The Child Welfare Club will meet Wednesday at 12:30 in the home of the president, Mrs. Saunders Greig.

Rebekahs to Meet At 7 P. M. Tuesday All members of the Rebekah lodge are requested to be present Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock for a meeting at the L. O. O. F. hall.

Mr. and Mrs. William Meyers and Mrs. Leola Martin have returned from Corcoran where they attended the Landreth-Middleton wedding.

Mrs. E. L. McMillan of Brookridge was a visitor in Ranger, Saturday.

What Does the American Legion Do For Its Dependent Children?

By R. H. HANSFORD Service Officer Carl Barnes Post It provides a child welfare program that can bring service and assistance to children of Veterans of the World War who are found to be in need. The children are located and their condition investigated through the child welfare workers of the American Legion Auxiliary Units. Posts and Units are prepared through their child welfare resources to meet the immediate needs of such children; At the same time these volunteer child welfare workers have been instructed through the National and Department Child Welfare Program to clear and co-operate with the established organization and agencies in the community, county and State for the purpose of care, protection and assistance to children. Through such clearing and co-operation, the more permanent service and aid is assured.

While the temporary Emergency Aid available through the American Legion National Child Welfare Division is administered only to children of Veterans of the World War, the program of instruction informs the public as well as the members of the American Legion of the conditions and needs of children and benefits all children. Thus the American Legion is rendering service and aid to all children of America.

The American Legion in its Child Welfare Program is pledged to a policy of utilizing all existing social and child caring facilities in the community and State that are of the right standard and to help in improving those facilities through additional legislation, appropriations and proper standards for assuring qualified personnel and constructive services.

The National Child Welfare Division is a clearing house for the State Departments of The American Legion.

During the twelve months period ending June 30, 1937, as compiled from reports received from Posts and Units, The American Legion, with the co-operation and assistance of the American Legion Auxiliary, the Forty and Eight and the Eight and Forty, and through the policy of co-operation with established agencies for child care and protection in the communities, counties and states, rendered services and aid to 381,274 children at a cost of \$3,242,756.53 of which \$1,500,145.70 was contributed directly through resources from within The American Legion, the American Legion Auxiliary

from a visit in Fort Worth. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Morrell's aunt, Mrs. F. M. Nation of Buffalo, N. Y.

CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH G. Alfred Brown, Pastor This is Promotion Day in the First Methodist church school, and everyone is urged to be present and on time. All pupils are to report to their old class, then at the appointed time the promotion ceremony will take place, and those to be advanced will then be escorted to their new class or department. Today also marks the beginning of Childhood and Youth Week which will come to a climax with an all day Rally Day observance next Sunday.

At the 11:00 o'clock service this morning, the Choir will sing "The Lost Chord." The pastor's subject will be, "The Reward of the Faithful." This theme seems especially appropriate in view of the fact that October is Church Loyalty Month.

The evening services have been advanced thirty minutes, with the Epworth League meeting at 7:00 o'clock, and the evening service at 7:30. This will allow all school children to attend and still get home in time for early retirement. The pastor's evening subject will be, "The Lost Sheep."

The Mid-Week Service at 7:30 Wednesday will be the first in the series dealing with God's Creation. The theme will be "In The Beginning God Created." The pastor will bring the Bible study, the Girls Quartette will supply the special music, and the picture travogue through God's creation in the western part of the United States will be conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren.

Everyone is invited.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST "The Bible as it is to people as they are" W. Wallace Layton, Minister. Bible study—9:45 a. m. Worship and sermon—11:00. The Lord's Supper—11:45. Gospel preaching—7:30 p. m. Ladies Bible Class (Monday) 3:00 p. m. Prayer meet and Bible study (Wednesday) 7:00 p. m.

Sermon Topics Morning—"Christianity in a changing world." Evening—"How to distinguish between right and wrong."

Activities The ladies of the church met last Thursday for quilt making. One quilt was completed and will be given to a needy family in Ranger. It was decided that on each Thursday hereafter that the ladies would meet, bring their quilts, and working over dresses for the many needy ones of this community.

Special Notice Members Due to the lay off on the P. W. A. many more families are in need of food. The many demands this week has taken all the flour, sugar, beans, oat meal, salmon, etc. that we had in stock. Let us hasten to bring a supply of these things this Sunday. If you had rather bring the money and we can buy them. We must have them at once!

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH L. B. Gray, Pastor Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Rally Day worship service, with songs, readings, etc., by the children. R. V. Burns, Superintendent.

Church of the Nazarene Corner Oak and East Main Sts. Rev. A. Pool, Pastor Sunday Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Ira Utz, Supt. Be sure that you go to Sunday school somewhere Sunday morning.

Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Come hear the old time gospel preached in the good old way. Come you are welcome. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday night, 7:30 p. m. Come, you are welcome. Cottage prayer meeting in some home every Friday night. This will be announced at the church Sunday night.

Big Bargains Are Offered at Penney's

Some of the most attractive bargains of the season are being offered by the J. C. Penney Co., in their fall bargain event, and there is a wide range of articles listed in the bargain group.

Apparel for men and women as well as bed and table linens, blankets and many other items are priced exceptionally low. On each of the bargain days some special sale of a certain article will be featured. All goods are of standard quality.

J. L. Riggins Made Chef Of Bell's Cafe

J. L. Riggins, formerly head chef of the Connelley hotel of Eastland, has accepted a position as head chef of Mrs. Bell's Cafe, it was announced Saturday.

Riggins, who has had many years of experience cooking for the public, as well as preparing menus, is considered one of the best chefs in this part of the country.

The public is being invited to visit Mrs. Bell's cafe to sample the meals or short orders prepared by the new chef.

Loud Speaker Gives Traffic Directions By United Press MONTGOMERY, Ala. — Alabama's capital city is teaching its citizens traffic safety via the loud speaker method.

Every Saturday, when business section traffic is heavy, a police department sound truck parks at the signal lights. A specially-taught safety officer, sitting in the truck, watches the traffic movement.

If he spots a careless motorist or an unwary pedestrian, the officer calls them publicly down, over the loud speaker. Also, he tells the moving throngs to step lively, look to right and left, drive slowly.

Police report the new method is getting tangible results, both for the moment and for the future safety of Montgomerians.

singers in the country will be here. At 5 p. m. every member of the church should be present as this will be a district wide meeting of the 11th district. Some of the leading laymen of our church will be here. Everyone who comes is expected to bring a sandwich and the ladies of the church will furnish ice tea for the occasion. All the young folks are urged to be present and meet the young folks of other communities. All the women of the church as well as the men are requested to be present. After the lunch every department will go to their several rooms for a special service and at this time Mr. Lewis Acres, of Abilene, will address the men of the work of the laymen in the church. Mr. Acres is one of the most outstanding laymen of the church and will have some to offer that will be helpful. He has been chosen to represent the laymen at the International Convention this fall. Mr. Acres will have charge of the meeting at the evening hour also. This will be a great opportunity for the membership of the church to receive a great inspiration. Come and help entertain the visitors from the other churches.

NOTICE! Mrs. Bell's Cafe, says... Good ingredients must be used at the evening hour also. In order to produce the kind of dishes people enjoy. We never skimp in preparing your dinner. Plan to come here this evening.

Mrs. Bell's Cafe Main St. Ranger

HOSPITAL NOTES

Johnnie Allen underwent colectomy at the West Texas Hospital Friday.

Herman Stroud, who submitted to an operation at the West Texas Hospital last week is reported to be in satisfactory condition.

Robert Carpenter was in West Texas Hospital Friday for a tonsillectomy.

In the darkness of the night, there's one comforting light: European capitals can't keep their light bills to tombs for the unknown soldier of the new year.

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SERIAL STORY

WORKING WIVES

BY LOUISE HOLMES

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CHAPTER XVII

Marian worked furiously, running through ledger pages, fingering financial data. Gradually she regained composure. Early in the morning she had been so much out of her mind, that she could be ignored. The thing to do was to forget what Dr. Moss said, to live each day and let it answer its own riddles.

It must swing back, but, for the moment, it was enough to be released from torment. "I'm glad to see you, mister." "I'm a good girl now," she said. "Can you forget about last night?" "No," he answered, "but let's not go into it again."

He always cleared the table, rinsing the dishes and stacking them in neat piles for Dolly to wash in the morning. While he worked, Marian hung around the kitchen. Usually he whistled through his teeth. That evening he was frowningly silent.

Changes Work



J. Carlton Smith, a new assistant manager of the Abilene branch of Southwestern Life Insurance Company after resigning from the faculty of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Abilene, Sept. 21.—J. Carlton Smith, who since 1937 has been a member of the faculty of Hardin-Simmons University, has resigned to become assistant manager of the Abilene branch of Southwestern Life Insurance Company.

RED RYDER

By Fred Harman



ALLEY OOP

By Hamlin



Costuming the 'Extras' for Europe's Grim Drama



Back rowists line up at the quartermaster's depot somewhere in France to receive service uniforms and equipment. Photo passed by French censor.

Boys and Girls To Participate In The Royal Stock Show

KANSAS CITY.—Thousands of boys and girls throughout the nation are making preparations to participate in the 41st annual American Royal Live Stock Show, Kansas City, October 14 to 21.

Tired Occordionist Makes Music Stand

GREEN BAY, Wis.—When Albert Ver Bockel, Green Bay mail carrier got home nights after lugging a heavily loaded mail bag around all day, he was too tired to hold his accordion.

Safety Drive Has Curiosity Feature

COLUMBUS, O.—Columbus' drive to make the city's motorists traffic conscious has resulted in a new device to notify the public of current safety records.

Draft Dodger In 'Uniform'



Wearing a U. S. uniform at last—but one reserved for military prisoners—Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, World War draft dodger, is pictured at Government Island, New York. Already serving a five-year sentence for desertion, he faces court martial on additional charges of "escape."

The Infancy of Jesus

Text: Matthew 2:13-23

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D. Editor of ADVANCE

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FOR MEN -- ALL SIZES!

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Bargains! They'll
Go Fast. Be Here
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EACH

MONDAY MORNING 9 A. M.
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stock up while you
can get sugar liners
at this low price!

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EACH

MONDAY MORNING 10 A. M.
SAVE HERE FAST COLOR!
PRINTS

Buy now while
Prices are Low!

6^c
YARD
Marked Down To Sell Quick!

MONDAY MORNING 8 A. M.
WE WILL START SELLING 40
MEN'S FALL SUITS
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STAR BARGAIN!
3 Lb. Unbleached
**COTTON
BATTS**
While 36 Last

25^c

SAVE HERE!
**OUTING
GOWNS**
Ladies! Stock Up!
Only 4 Dozen to Go!

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STOCK UP!
Another Shipment
Boys' Fast Color
**SCHOOL
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Newest Patterns
Sizes 6 to 14 1/2

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Below Market Value
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\$8

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LARGE SIZE SINGLE
BLANKETS
25% WOOL---DURABLE

While 50 last! For re-
tail trade only. None
sold to jobbers or mer-
chants.

\$100
EACH

MONDAY MORNING 9 A. M.
SOLID WHITE
OUTING

Hurry! Don't miss
this big bargain!
You will need plen-
ty later.. Buy Now!
Save!

5^c
YARD

MONDAY MORNING 10 A. M.
WE WILL START SELLING
LADIES' RAYON
ROBES

Assorted colors. Hurry!
Only 35 to sell at this
low price!

39^c

MONDAY MORNING 8 A. M.
BOYS' ALL WOOL
JACKETS
BLUE MELTONS---SIZES 8 TO 16

We have marked these
jackets down to sell
quick! Cold weather
ahead; better buy now!
Compare! Save!

\$150
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No Exchanges

BARGAINS!
42 x 36
BLEACHED
**PILLOW
CASES**
Low Priced To Sell
Quick!

10^c

LEFT FROM 1938
SMALL BOYS
O'COATS
SIZE 3, 4, 5, 6
MARKED DOWN
Only 8 to Sell!

\$1.95

WHILE THEY LAST!
LADIES'
RAYON
PANTIES
COLOR, TEA ROSE
See These Monday!
Unusual Bargains For
Only

14^c

OUT THEY GO!
22 x 40
RUGS

Only 37 to sell!
While they last!

99^c

CLOSE OUT!
125 PAIRS
Ladies'
NOVELTY
SHOES
WHILE THEY LAST!

\$1.25

HERE'S A BUY
Ladies' Novelty
SWEATERS
Assorted Fall Colors
SIZES FOR ALL
Now Is The Time To SAV!

50^c

BUY NOW!
CLOSE OUT
CHILDREN'S
UNIONS
FOR WINTER WEAR

25^c

TUESDAY MORNING 8 A. M.
WE WILL START SELLING
66 x 76 SINGLE COTTON
BLANKETS

You'll need several
later! Buy them
Tuesday---Save!

39^c

TUESDAY MORNING 9 A. M.
WE WILL START SELLING
EXTRA LARGE COLORFUL
LUNCH CLOTHS

Be here on time...
You'll want several
at this low price.
Only 61 to go at this
Close Out Price!

30^c

WEDNESDAY MORNING 10 A. M.
UNBLEACHED --- UNHEMMED
81 x 90 HAND TORN
SHEETS

Be here on time...
Stock up at this low
price!

32^c

WEDNESDAY MORNING 9 A. M.
We Intend to Sell Every
REMNANT IN OUR STORE!

All Cotton
REMNANTS

5^c Yard

All Silk
REMNANTS

20^c Yd.
None of These Remnant Lengths Will Be Cut!

STOCK UP NOW!
MEN'S FAST COLOR
KHAKI and TAUPE COLOR

PANTS

Sanforized Shrink.
Shrinkage Not Ov-
er 1%. SHOZ and
COMPARE!

98^c

BUY IT WHILE IT'S LOW PRICED!
PENNEY'S FAMOUS FAST COLOR

Rondo Prints 15^c yd

STOCK UP NOW ON OUR
FAMOUS 81 x 99 NATION-WIDE

SHEETS 74^c
AT THIS LOW PRICE... USE OUR LAY-AWAY!

HERE'S A BARGAIN!
LADIES' SATIN

SILK SLIPS

Full Cut. Slip in
Plain and Dobby
Satin. COMPARE!

50^c
SIZES 32 to 44. COLOR, TEA ROSE

J. C. PENNEY CO., INC

ALWAYS LOWER PRICES... THAT'S WHY THE CROWDS COME HERE!