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Rogers, well-known Eastland county farmer had resided in the county more than 20 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Leila Crawley-Rogers, and one daughter, Mrs. Leona Jones of Dublin, also a number of brothers and sisters including Cullen Rogers of near Gorman.

Rogers was a brother-in-law of District Clerk John White of Eastland and of former County Commissioner, Newt Crawley of Gorman.

GUARDIAN APPOINTED

In the probate matter of Richard Jane Brogdon, 14 year old minor, Judge W. S. Adamson appointed the boy's mother, Mrs. Lucy Brogdon, as guardian of the estate.

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(The new front apparently was south of Mt. Olympus and the important rail junction of Larisa on the basis of a German high command communique saying that both of those objectives had been taken.)

British sources said that such a heavy toll of German troops had been taken that the Adolf Hitler division—former crack storm troopers wearing a "flash of lightning" insignia—had been mutilated and was no longer in the fighting.

"Despite all efforts, our front nowhere has been penetrated," the British command said. "Our flanks nowhere have been turned. Heroic Greek cooperation on our left is playing a valuable part. (Apparently in the center of the main defense line, defending the railroad head at Kalabaka.)

"Austrian prisoners show especially low morale and complain of the violence of our air attacks on convoys and troops on the march.

"The imperial forces are in contact along the whole front."

A company of Australian and New Zealand troops which had been surrounded by a German battalion, was said to have fought its way out after killing 300 of the enemy and capturing 150. The prisoners were mostly Viennese, the British said, and their morale was allegedly low.

There appeared, however, to be no lessening of the German assault on the defense lines, where British and Greek sources said that huge casualties were inflicted on the cream of the Nazi army.

Old Age Bends a Dallas Viaduct

DALLAS, Tex.—This city's aging Houston street viaduct, "longest viaduct of its kind in the world" when it was built 29 years ago, has a bad case of falling arches.

It concernedly agreed that the mile-long four-lane concrete motorway, first of five to span the narrow Trinity river and its wide bottomlands, needs repairing. But the city of Dallas, the county of Dallas and the state of Texas through its highway department are squabbling as to which should do the job. Cost would be \$30,000.

"The state highway department has profited by more than \$700,000 in gasoline taxes on fuel used by vehicles in traversing this structure," said County Commissioner Buck Frank. "And still they balk at spending \$30,000 to repair it."

One span of the many-arched viaduct has partly given way at the new channel of the Trinity. Cars and trucks still cross at a 15,000-a-day rate, there being little possibility of a complete structure failure, but the repair work needed is urgent.

The viaduct, a show-place of the city when built in 1910, made possible all year travel between Dallas proper and its suburb of Oak Cliff. An old road which crossed the flatlands between the two sections of the city was passable in dry weather but was inundated during spring rains. In 1908 came major flood on the Trinity, disrupting transportation between the inhabited sections for weeks and a campaign for a permanent cross-river structure ended with creation of the viaduct at a cost of \$750,000. Dallas county still owes \$200,000 on the original viaduct bonds issued in 1909.

The motorway, one end completed to a point near a giant cottonwood tree at which the ferry Nellie Maurine anchored during the 1908 flood, has accommodated approximately 160,000 vehicles in its 20 years.

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Honor Student



Leo Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wolf, 314 North Connelley Street, Eastland, has a remarkable scholastic record in Texas A. & M. College. According to reports issued by that institution he registered 39 grade points in all subjects. This record places him among the high 25 per cent in a school of some 6,000 students.

Special Edition To Welcome Lions Here On May 4th

Work of gathering material for a special Lions Convention Edition of the Ranger Times, to be published Sunday, May 4, the opening day of the convention, is now in progress.

Advertisements have been received from Fort Worth, Decatur, and other towns in the district, and copy has been prepared for advertisements of Ranger merchants, welcoming the largest convention held in Ranger in nearly 20 years.

Extra copies of the paper will be published so that every delegate and every visiting Lion will be able to secure a copy.

District Governor Frank Crippinger has met with local committees twice to aid in planning the convention and J. J. Kelly, general chairman, has announced that all committees are functioning and that a big convention is in prospect. Last details of the program are now being ironed out, publicity has been sent to all Lions Clubs in the district and several towns are expecting to make concerted bids for next year's convention. Several cities will also have candidates for the position of District Governor at the convention, at which the governing body of the convention city will be selected.

Ranger is expecting to extend a hearty welcome to the visiting Lions and the special edition of the Times will be one means of showing the Lions that they will find plenty of truth in Ranger's slogan of "No Strangers in Ranger."

Anti-Dust Machine To Clean the Air

SEATTLE, Wash.—A dust-snatching device that leaves the air almost microscopically free of particles is the invention of F. K. Kirsten, member of the University of Washington aeronautical engineering faculty.

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Although London newspapers prepared Britons for a possible defeat in the battle of Greece, heavy fighting continued all along the front.

British sources reported that the Nazis had suffered such tremendous casualties that even the crack Adolf Hitler division had been knocked out of the battle. The Fuehrer was directing the fighting from field headquarters on the eve of his 52nd birthday anniversary.

The meager details and positions given out officially in Athens and Berlin were not necessarily in conflict. The Nazi high command did not claim to have broken through the British-Greek defense line, stating only that German forces had beaten the British at Mount Olympus.

planted their flag on the heights of that legendary home of the Greek gods and pushed on to the plains of Thessaly and Larisa. That apparently meant that the Germans had been unable to pursue their usual blitzkrieg tactics of piercing the enemy line and encircling and cutting up the trapped foe.

The British and Greeks, however, were forced to fall back to a third defense line and, despite today's statements that they were turning back every attack with heavy losses, their position was viewed as grave in London. Some competent observers in London took the position that the British and Greeks actually were fighting what amounted to a rear-guard action, which was in agreement with the view expressed by Nazi military sources in Berlin.

London emphasized, however, that the fight would go on relentlessly and that most recent reports indicated a stiffening of the defense line. If the Greeks are forced to surrender, it was suggested that King George—now heading the new emergency government at Athens—and the cabinet might transfer their headquarters to the Middle East.

At the same time, London said that drastic measures had been taken to block Nazi plans for striking up trouble in the Near East in an apparent effort to gain control of the Iraq oil fields. 700 British said that "strong" imperial forces had arrived in Iraq.

Officer Delays An Arrest To Act As Good Samaritan

COCHILANE, Ont.—The strong arm of the law proved gentle when an overseer setting out to arrest an Indian, returned to seek medical care for the family.

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King George's assumption of the premiership is an advantageous move, however, for unifying public sentiment. The fact that such unification seems necessary is not strange, for the terrific power of the German drive must be mentally disorganizing, coming so suddenly after the Greek victories over the Italians.

The appointment of Costas Kojijas, as vice-premier, may cause the Germans to believe the Greeks are preparing for eventual negotiations with Herr Hitler. Kojijas has been a friend of the Fuehrer and has been received by him in Germany.

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King George declares in a public announcement that the war will be carried out to the end. But it is not known what it meant by "the end." Whether it means fighting to the gates of Athens or carrying the conflict further south into Peloponnesus or moving the Greek government to North Africa is as yet undivided.

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By Henry T. Gorrell (United Press Staff Correspondent)

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With King George at the head of a new "national victory" government, the battle continued at a blazing pace along the new "solid" British-Greek front with the Germans officially reported unable to make any progress.

(The new front apparently was south of Mt. Olympus and the important rail junction of Larissa on the basis of a German high command communique saying that both of those objectives had been taken.)

British sources said that such a heavy toll of German troops had been taken that the Adolf Hitler division—former crack storm troopers wearing a "flash of lightning" insignia—had been mutilated and was no longer in the fighting.

"Despite all efforts, our front nowhere has been penetrated," the British command said. "Our flanks nowhere have been turned. Heroic Greek cooperation on our left is playing a valuable part. (Apparently in the center of the main defense line, defending the railroad head at Kalabka).

"Austrian prisoners show especially low morale and complain of the violence of our air attacks on convoys and troops on the march.

"The imperial forces are in contact along the whole front." A company of Australian and New Zealand troops which had been surrounded by a German battalion, was said to have fought its way out after killing 300 of the enemy and capturing 150. The prisoners were mostly Viennese, the British said, and their morale was allegedly low.

There appeared, however, to be no lessening of the German assault on the defense lines, while British and Greek sources had said that huge casualties were inflicted on the cream of the Nazi army.

Old Age Bends a Dallas Viaduct

DALLAS, Tex.—This city's aging Houston street viaduct, "longest viaduct of its kind in the world" when it was built 29 years ago, has a bad case of falling arches.

All concerned agree that the mile-long four-lane concrete motorway, first of five to span the narrow Trinity river and its wide bottomlands, needs repairing. But the city of Dallas and the state of Texas through its highway department are squabbling as to which should do the job. Cost would be \$30,000.

"The state highway department has profited by more than \$700,000 in gasoline taxes on fuel used by vehicles in traversing this structure," said County Commissioner Buck Frank. "And still they balk at spending \$30,000 to repair it."

One span of the many-arched viaduct has partly given way to the new channel of the Trinity. Cars and trucks still cross at a 15,000-a-day rate, there being little possibility of a complete structure failure, but the repair work needed is urgent.

The viaduct, a show-place of the city when built in 1909, made possible all year travel between Dallas proper and its suburb of Oak Cliff. An old road which crossed the flatlands between the two sections of the city was passable in dry weather but was inundated during spring rains. In 1908 came major flood on the Trinity, disrupting transportation between the inhabited sections for weeks and a campaign for a permanent cross-river structure ended with creation of the viaduct at a cost of \$750,000. Dallas county still owes \$208,000 on the original viaduct bonds issued in 1909.

The motorway, one end completed to a point near a giant cottonwood tree at which the ferry Nellie Mearns anchored during the 1904 flood, has accommodated approximately 160,000,000 vehicles in its 29 years.

BRITISH AND GREEKS STUBBORNLY RESIST A NAZI 'SUICIDE' ATTACK

Honor Student



Leo Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wolf, 314 North Connelley Street, Eastland, has a remarkable scholastic record in Texas A. & M. College. According to reports issued by that institution he registered 39 grade points in all subjects. This record places him among the high 25 per cent in a school of some 6,000 students.

Special Edition To Welcome Lions Here On May 4th

Work of gathering material for a special Lions Convention Edition of the Ranger Times, to be published Sunday, May 4, the opening day of the convention, is now in progress.

Advertisements have been received from Fort Worth, Decatur, and other towns in the district, and copy has been prepared for advertisements of Ranger merchants, welcoming the largest convention held in Ranger in nearly 20 years.

Extra copies of the paper will be published so that every delegate and every visiting Lion will be able to secure a copy.

District Governor Frank Crippliver has met with local committees twice to aid in planning the convention and J. J. Kelly, general chairman, has announced that all committees are functioning and that a big convention is in prospect. Last details of the program are now being ironed out. publicity has been sent to all Lions Clubs in the district and several towns are expecting to make concerted bids for next year's convention. Several cities will also have candidates for the position of District Governor at the convention, at which the governor and the next convention city will be selected.

Ranger is expecting to extend a hearty welcome to the visiting Lions and the special edition of the Times will be one means of showing the Lions that they will find plenty of truth in Ranger's slogan of "No Strangers in Ranger."

Anti-Dust Machine To Clean The Air

SEATTLE, Wash.—A dust-matching device that leaves the air almost microscopically free of particles is the invention of F. K. Kirsten, member of the University of Washington aeronautical engineering faculty.

Working on the same principle as a cream separator, the "dust-control" machine looks like a small electric motor set on top of a box.

THE RANGER TIMES Has Guest Tickets For Mrs. Mae Healer and One to see Spencer Tracy-Mickey Rooney in "MEN OF BOYS TOWN" AT THE ARCADIA MON., APRIL 21st. Call at Times Office for Tickets Not transferable Good only date shows

By JOE ALEX MORRIS (U. P. Foreign News Editor)

Adolf Hitler's Balkan blitz army pushed southward into Greece past Mount Olympus to the rail junction of Larissa, the Nazi high command reported today, but Athens dispatches said that a new Allied line of defense was holding solidly against powerful German assaults.

Although London newspapers prepared Britons for a possible defeat in the battle of Greece, heavy fighting continued all along the front.

British sources reported that the Nazis had suffered such tremendous casualties that even the crack Adolf Hitler division had been knocked out of the battle. The Fuehrer was directing the fighting from field headquarters on the eve of his 52nd birthday anniversary.

The meager details and positions given out officially in Athens and Berlin were not necessarily in conflict. The Nazi high command did not claim to have broken through the British-Greek defense line, stating only that German forces had beaten the British at Mount Olympus, planted their flag on the heights of that legendary home of the Greek gods and pushed on to the plains of Thessaly and Larissa. That apparently meant that the Germans had been unable to pursue their unusual blitzkrieg tactics of piercing the enemy line and encircling and cutting up the trapped foe.

The British and Greeks, however, were forced to fall back to a third defense line and, despite today's statements that they were turning back every attack with huge losses, their position was viewed as grave in London. Some competent observers in London took the position that the British and Greeks actually were fighting what amounted to a rear-guard action, which was in agreement with the view expressed by Nazi military sources in Berlin.

London emphasized, however, that the fight would go on relentlessly and that most recent reports indicated a stiffening of the defense line. If the Greeks are forced to surrender, it was suggested that King George—now heading the new emergency government at Athens—and the cabinet might transfer their headquarters to the Middle East.

At the same time, London said that drastic measures had been taken to block Nazi plans for stirring up trouble in the Near East in an apparent effort to gain control of the Iraq oil fields. The British said that "strong" imperial forces had arrived in Iraq.

Officer Delays An Arrest To Act As Good Samaritan

COCHRANE, Ont.—The strong arm of the law proved gentle when an overseer setting out to arrest an Indian, returned to seek medical care for the family.

Armed with a warrant for the arrest of Jimmy Rock, Indian trapper, on charges of illegal fur-trading, Overseer L. A. Dent of the provincial game and fisheries department set out on the 100-mile trek northward to James Bay.

Arriving at the Indian's home, the overseer found the family ill and starving. Rock's motherless daughter was in an especially serious condition.

Instead of serving the warrant, the overseer returned and arranged for medical care. He said he had never seen a case of such abject poverty.

Food and medicine was dispatched immediately on the 100-mile trip by dog-sled and snowshoe.

The area is said to be one of the richest trapping grounds in the world. Rock said he had been treated unfairly by Ontario fur-dealers and, consequently, began taking his pelts across the provincial boundary. The charges of illegal sale followed.

SUITS FILED D. B. Woods vs. Mollie Wood, divorce. Lela Elizabeth Ledford vs. C. C. Ledford, divorce, alimony and restraining order. Inez Paszcek vs. Owen Paszcek, divorce. Ada Jones vs. Ned Jones, divorce.

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One Hundred Fateful Days

When Napoleon landed at Cannes, after escape from his island exile on Elba, one hundred days stretched before him during which the whole future fate of Europe trembled in the balance.

From March 20 to June 29 of the year 1815, from Charleroi to Waterloo and its aftermath, one hundred days passed. In the autumn, a lonely figure paced the deck of His Majesty's Ship Bellerophon, outward bound for bleak St. Helena.

Such a summer may lie before Europe this year. John D. Biggers, production chief of the Office of Production Management, was very much in earnest when he told the House Military Affairs Committee that for the United States, too, the next hundred days are vitally important. We are just about one hundred days away from the start of the mass production flow of many important defense items, he said.

Eventually, we shall have plenty of shells, plenty of tanks, plenty of planes. But it is now, during the next hundred days, that they are needed. It is now that the certain assurance that they will be produced on schedule is needed no less urgently.

During these coming hundred days, the United States, by the united will of its people, democratically determined, wants exactly what Biggers called for: "Work, sacrifice, unselfishness, genuine national unity." "I believe," he said, "that if everyone really understood the importance of national defense, selfishness would disappear, and selfishness is the basis of most of our problems."

American workmen and American employers are intelligent, free men. Surely it must be plain to both that their future is bound up completely with the proposition that the American republic can, must, and will carry out the task it has set itself—the task of turning out as fast as is humanly possible the tools of war for the defense of those who are now bravely grappling with aggression, tools of war for the ultimate defense of the republic.

That common sense view will, we are sure, at length govern employers who may have "hoarded" defense materials beyond need, who may have resisted social trends, who may have undertaken tardily their defense assignments. It will govern labor leaders and workmen who may have placed organizational rivalries, political "lines" or fear of some vague future disadvantage ahead of present production.

The coming hundred days will tell whether the United States can still do the job. We have the uttermost faith that she can, and will.

U. S. auto toll for first two months of 1941 was 5370—reminding us that the only way to make safety last is to always use safety first.

LABOR MINISTER

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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"Just You Raise Your Head!"



British and—

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where an allegedly pro-Nazi government seized power.

The British and Greeks, fighting for every ridge as they fell back to a shorter line, presumably withdrew from Mount Olympus, the legendary home of the Greek Gods, on Friday as the German mechanized armies advanced over mountain roads strewn with dead.

The exact points at which the Allied forces took up a "new and shorter" defense line to present what Athens termed a solid wall against the enemy were not specified but according to the Berlin dispatches must have been somewhere below Larisa.

The Milites-Karditta railroad line, south of Larisa and about 120 miles from Athens, might offer a defense line but it is on level country better suited to Nazi motorized units. Previous reports had suggested that any new line would be stretched across the narrow mountain area from Arta, on the Ionian Sea, to the Lamia sector, on the Aegean, with the historic battle field of Thermopylae on the eastern flank. At the Thermopylae Pass in 480 B. C., Leonidas and 300 men died in holding off the Persian army.

A defense line from Arta to Lamia, would be only 100 miles long and it would be only 100 miles from Athens at the west end.

Although the British forces continued to fight strongly beside their Greek allies, the London press—obviously under official guidance—began warning the people of the possibility of a defeat in Greece and a withdrawal to North Africa in preparation for a great battle for the Suez Canal and the oil wells of the Near East.

Nazi spokesmen in Berlin already had declared that there would be "no intermission" in the war for control of the Mediterranean when and if the Germans drove the British from Greece and established Hitler as virtually unchallenged master of the European continent. Spain's Falangist newspapers again began hinting that the country was likely to join the Axis and at Istanbul it was reported that Nazi agents were busy preparing the way for German expansion eastward, especially in the Iraq oil fields.

The United States consular officials warned Americans in Turkey that it was advisable not to travel by Iraq and Franz Von Papen, Nazi ambassador at Ankara, flew to Berlin to report on developments in the Near East, where the Turks were believed likely to adopt an attitude of strict neutrality despite their pact to fight with the British against any menace in the Eastern Mediterranean.

Nazis emphasized that the battle of Greece was a hard one and that the fight for control of the Mediterranean would be long and difficult. Hitler, appealing for Germans to aid the Red Cross, said that the Nazi soldier was the best in the world but warned that the nation faces a "hard battle year."

In Albania, the Italian high command reported that its troops were advancing steadily into positions evacuated by the Greeks and that a flying column had struck into Yugoslavia, capturing

six Yugoslav generals and one army commander's entire staff in connection with the occupation of Cetinje and Cattaro.

The war in the air was less intense Friday night over Britain and Germany, but at sea the Nazis reported they had destroyed 15,000 tons of shipping around the British coast and damaged other vessels.

The British capital reported that the R. A. F. coastal command had carried out large-scale operations over the North Sea, sinking four enemy merchant ships and damaging German war vessels. It was admitted that eight British planes were missing in the action, in which Berlin said that Nazi warships evaded the bombers.

On the North African front, Axis air forces led by dive bombers renewed heavy attacks on the besieged British forces at Tobruk, where Anzac troops had been reported turning back repeated assaults.

The Berlin high command said the attacks caused many fires and great destruction at Tobruk and that a British auxiliary cruiser was attacked at Sollum.

Winning Essay In Contest Sponsored By Elks Committee

(Editor's note: The following is the first prize winner among Ranger High School students in the national contest sponsored by the Elks National Defense Commission.)

By Jane Matthews
Ranger High School
224 Hunt Street, Ranger

Fourteen persons and things that I see in the picture of Uncle Sam are as follows:

1. Face of Uncle Sam; 2. United States soldier; 3. Sailor; 4. Red Cross-Knifer; 5. Aviator; 6. Farmer; 7. Worker in factory; 8. Chemist; 9. Capitol; 10. Cannon; 11. Factory; 12. Ship; 13. Airplane; 14. Stars of the United States flag.

Uncle Sam! To millions he is the symbol of life in the greatest country on earth. Yet to each he is a different personality. For Uncle Sam is every individual's idea of Americanism and those American ideals which he most treasures.

To me, a young American girl, Uncle Sam is a personification of America, a figure embodying the principles that I consider most prominent in the American people.

First, in his eyes there is a kindness that is characteristic of the American people. In those calm eyes there is a love of peace and the simple comforts and pleasures of life. Uncle Sam is a man whose years and common sense have brought him to realize the blessing of simplicity and contentment. He is like a father whose wisdom is great enough to counsel his many children in their times of need, whose heart is big enough to bring all races, creeds and colors into his loving care, and whose strength is great enough to preserve for them the happy American way of life.

For a constant look to the future. While enjoying the beauty, the comfort of the life that is his, Uncle Sam must ever be alert and on guard that those blessings may not be wrested from him and his children. In peacetime such foresight prompts him to build the industries of our country, to seek to improve and strengthen our democratic government, and to look to the general prosperity of the United States. Here his honest, straight-forward manner and his ingenuity serve him well. In time of war this habit of calmly and bravely facing the future makes possible the utmost speed and efficiency in preparing both materially and spiritually for problems to be solved and dangers met.

A kind heart, a brilliant mind, a strong body, and an unquenchable spirit—these are Uncle Sam. He is but a representation of the American people, their characteristics, their ideals, their hopes and ambitions. He is, in truth, America.

Clarification Of Confusion Object Of a Senate Bill

By United Press

AUSTIN, Tex.—The senate was doing what Lieut. Gov. Coke R. Stevenson calls "ginning cotton." That is, passing local bills one after the other.

Sen. Allan Shivers of Port Arthur offered a bill to clarify sections of the present unemployment compensation commission act.

"Is that a local bill?" asked Stevenson.

"Well, it's practically local," commented Shivers. "Nobody else knows anything about it."

"Would you accept an amendment to strike that word 'else' from your statement?" he asked. "I don't think anybody knows anything about the bill. It just clarifies the confusion."

Shivers laughed, and sent up an amendment "to clarify the confusion which is clarified in the bill."

Lions Club Gives Garments To Aide Project of Ranger

The Ranger Lions Club made a donation of used clothing to the Housekeeping Aide Project this past week so that the clothing could be renovated and used by needy families.

The donation consisted of 32 shirts, 42 pairs of socks, 8 pieces of underwear, one man's suit, four pairs of pants and six pieces of knit goods.

These garments will be used as training day problems to give practice to those enrolled on the Housekeeping Aide Project and will aid in developing skill in mending and renovation of garments.

After they have been completed the garments will be transferred to the commodity distribution project of Eastland County.

Vegetable Growing For Defense Spurred

By United Press
SARATOGA, Cal.—This community which annually holds a blossom festival to display its famous flowers is considering an organized vegetable-raising program in behalf of national defense.

Leaders of the festival have consulted experts from the University of California College of Agriculture on best methods of raising vegetables in back yards "just in case" war comes.

DEBT OF '24 PAID

By United Press
VANCOUVER, B. C.—A new York man has written Major Harold Martin of the Salvation Army here, enclosing a money order for \$2. It was in payment, the man said, for some Christmas trees he had cut from someone's land in Vancouver in 1924.

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Morning Worship 11:00 o'clock.
Baptism and small children will be baptized at this service and members received into the church. D. Warren Craik will sing "The Rose That My Saviour Has Given" (Holder Lillenas). The choir will sing as the Anthem, "Holy Art Thou." The subject of the sermon by the pastor will be "Building a Larger Life."
The District Training School will begin at Cisco at 2:30 p. m., and continue throughout the week.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m. The music will be provided by the singing people's choir and orchestra under the direction of Paul C. McDonald.

Political Announcements

The Times has been authorized to announce the following candidates for the position of Street Commissioner, in the second runoff election, set for Tuesday, April 29:

For Street Commissioner:
CALVIN BROWN,
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Welcome Back To Boys Town



Spencer Tracy and Mickey Rooney are together again in Metro's "Men of Boys Town" a picture that is even more thrilling than the first picture depicting the work of Father Flanagan. A new juvenile star makes his bow in this picture... he's Darryl Hickman. "Men of Boys Town" has been set for screening at the Arcadia theatre beginning today.

McDonald.
The District Conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at De Leon at 9:30 o'clock, Thursday morning and continue through Friday, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, presiding.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
H. B. Johnson, Pastor
Church School, with Lawrence Bryan, superintendent. Golden

Rule Bible Class, taught by the pastor.
Communion, 11:00 a. m.
Preaching, by the pastor, 11:15 a. m. Subject, "The Revival."
Christian Endeavor will meet at 7:00 with Mrs. Johnson in charge.
Preaching, 7:45 p. m., by the pastor.

The Study Club will meet with Mrs. Johnson, in the T. P. Camp, Monday afternoon.
The Christian Endeavor had a splendid time in a wiener roast Friday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones.

Our revival will start May 12. Rev. Wright, pastor of Christian church in Cisco, will conduct the revival. Get ready for it.
Every member of the church should be in church service today. Come and "Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness."

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wesley Mickey, Preacher
Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching and Communion, 10:50 a. m. Sermon subject, "The Great Salvation."
The evening service, 8 p. m. Sermon subject, "Evolution of the Gospel."
Monday—Ladies Bible Class, 3 p. m.
Wednesday—Prayer meeting—8 p. m.

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David M. Phillips, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., W. A. Lewis, Supt.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m. Sermon by pastor.
Associational Training Union Meeting, 2:45 p. m., at Cisco.
Training Union, 7:00 p. m. Dr. C. L. Jackson, director.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m. Sermon by pastor.

Y. W. A. meets Monday night at 7:30 at the church.
Intermediate and Junior G. A. girls meet Monday afternoon at the church at 4:00 o'clock.
W. M. U. meets Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the church for Bible study.
Sunday School teachers and officers business meeting Monday, 7:45 p. m.
Tuesday night—Cottage Prayer Meetings.

Revival begins Wednesday night April 23, and continues through May 4, with Dr. W. E. Barnes of Hereford doing the preaching and Woodrow Harris of Sweetwater directing the music.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Clarence C. Elrod, Pastor
Refuse to be depressed at anything that happens. All discouragement and depression comes from the enemy of the soul. The Lord never discourages His children. The outlook is not so bright today. It could be that the world events taking place today point to the glorious appearing of Christ. If this be true let us remember His words as found in Luke 21:28: "When these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads; for your redemption draweth nigh." Christ is our Saviour, our strength, our peace, and our hope.

Services Sunday
10:00 a. m.—Bible School. Come and study with us.
10:50 a. m.—Morning church service. Message by the pastor.
7:45 p. m.—Evening Gospel hour. Hear the messages from the Gospel of John Bring your unsaved friends and loved ones

Baptist Revival To Be Started Here Next Wednesday

The Spring Revival of the First Baptist Church will begin Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock. Dr. W. E. Barnes, a very able pastor, evangelist and pastor of the First Baptist Church, Hereford, will do the preaching. Woodrow Harris, educational and music director of



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News of Ranger Scout Troop

By David Lee Jameson

Scouts, Scouters, and loyal country men. In this year of our Lord 1941 the Scouts of England and all Europe are fighting a small war of their own. Fighting for the liberty of all Democracy, that means they are not only fighting for their own liberty but for ours also.

We as loyal people should lead this drive of Young America Wants to Help Campaign in donating all we possibly can to all of the loyal and hard pressed children of England. All of this money goes to England as there is no paid workers taking part in this drive.

This money goes to produce First Aid, Red Cross materials, Milk and Food for those children that cannot have the privileges that we have. We owe it to them, therefore we should do all in our power to help them.

Tuesday, Eastland County had a Court of Honor in Cisco, Ranger was again well represented with awards to both the Boy Scouts and the Senior Scouts.

It won't be long until the summer camp shall open. The dates have been set for July 7 to 14 and 14 to 21 and possibly a third week.

A call was put out among the scouts and it was decided, because beans and bacon went up in price, that rather than have less food the price would be raised to \$7.50. When I say beans and bacon I don't mean that that is all they feed us. It is a well-balanced meal that is given us in camp. No boy has ever left camp and said they didn't feed us enough.

The cook at camp is now cooking at a Brownwood hotel and we hope to have him again next summer.

There is still room in the Scouts for more boys and we hope to have them there soon as our troop is now thriving to the extent that we may have another organized soon.

The First Baptist Church of Sweetwater will lead in the music.

Special cottage prayer meetings dedicated to prayer for the revival were held this week with a large number in attendance.

Other preparatory meetings for the revival will be an officers and teachers meeting of the Sunday School on Monday night at 7:45, and a cottage prayer meeting on Tuesday night. Special prayer meetings preceding the revival services for men, women and young people, Intermediate, and Juniors will begin at 7:40

Hollywood's Veiled Hint



New veils hit Hollywood, which loves face-flattering bonnets. Mildred Cook wears a peppermint ice-cream colored Hoku completely covered in film veiling which is gathered to a tight black velvet ribbon around her throat.

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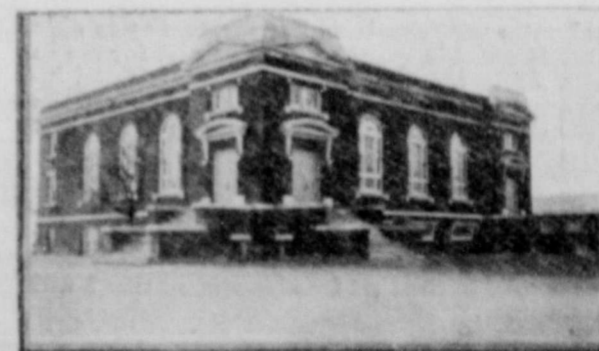
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Society Notes

O. E. S. Called Meeting Today
A called meeting of the Ranger Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic hall, for the deputy, and all members are urged to attend.

Royal Neighbors To Meet Monday Night
The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors of America will be held Monday night at the I.O.O.F. hall.

All members are urged to attend as Mrs. Naomi Arterburn, delegate to the state convention held in Houston last week, will

give her report. Mrs. Julia Brown, who was elected recorder for the next state convention will be recognized at Monday night's meeting.

Other Royal Neighbors who attended the convention from the Ranger Camp are, Misses Mable Southers, Maudie Ellis, Dorothy Gray, Ann Gray, Gladys Fiddler, Julia Brown and Josephine Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. Long Announces Marriage of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Long have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Evelyn Lang to Mr. O. E. Brown of Monahan. The single ring ceremony was performed Sunday, March 23, at 3:30 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents, with Rev. H. B. Johnson reading the marriage vows.

The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Murrell and the wedding music was played by Misses Wilda Dracoo and Muri Dean Murrell. The bride was attired in a navy cape suit and wore white accessories and a corsage of gardenias and lilies of the valley.

Immediately after the ceremony, which was attended by members of the immediate families, a reception was held, with Mrs. E. B. Stroud, aunt of the bride, presiding over the three-tiered wedding cake, around which flowers were banked.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown left after the reception for a wedding trip to Old Mexico and the Big Bend areas. Mrs. Brown returned after her duties as a teacher in the schools and Mr. Brown entered Fort Bliss as a trainee.

Mrs. Brown who had made her home in Ranger most of her life, is a graduate of Ranger High School, Ranger Junior College and attended McMurray and the University of Texas. As an outstanding violinist she has appeared on programs throughout this section of Texas and has taught violin.

Mr. Brown, who is originally from Cisco, is a graduate of Texas Tech and since graduation

Recently Wed.



Above is Mrs. Grover T. Gleaton, the former Miss Pauline Bryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bryan, who was recently married in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Gleaton are making their home in Fort Worth.

had been employed by one of the major oil companies until going into the army.

Legion Auxiliary To Have Meeting
An important meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the Legion clubrooms Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Ranger Girl Wed In Fort Worth

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bryan announce the marriage of their daughter, Pauline, to Mr. Grover T. Gleaton of Fort Worth. The ring ceremony was performed Saturday evening, April 12, at the home of Rev. Crain, pastor of a Methodist church of that city.

The bride was attired in a rancho blue dress with navy and white accessories. Her "something old" was a point lace handkerchief, given to her by her grandmother when the bride was small.

Mrs. Gleaton is a graduate of Ranger High School and of Sellers Beauty College. The groom is the son of Mrs. L. G. Gleaton of Gustine, Texas, and is a graduate of Gustine High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleaton are at home at 614 West 2nd St., Fort Worth, where he is employed by Montgomery Ward & Co.

Hodges Oak Park P. T. A. to Meet

The Hodges Oak Park Parent-Teacher Association will meet at the school Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. Mrs. David M. Phillips will be the guest speaker and will discuss "Security in the Home."

Society Personals

Rev. S. E. Byrne and W. E. Byrne will leave today for a visit in Texarkana.

Mrs. L. R. Herring, Mrs. B. S. Dudley, Mrs. N. L. Peery, and

Missionaries To Speak at Cisco District Meeting

Miss Laura Edwards, Missionary from Korea and Miss Sue Stanford, Missionary from China will speak on the program of the annual meeting of Cisco District, Woman's Society of Christian Service which convenes at De Leon, April 24-25.

Mrs. Gid J. Bryan, President Central Texas Conference, Woman's Society of Christian Service and several other Conference officers will also speak.

The conference officers and missionaries are attending the district conferences of Central Texas Conference. Also they are on the program of district meetings of other conferences.

A large attendance is expected. The following program has been arranged by the program committee.

Program Cisco District Woman's Society of Christian Service

De Leon April 24-25
Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, Ranger, District Secretary WSCS.
Theme: "Forward With God"
9:50—Quiet Music—DeLeon Pianist.
9:45—Hymn—"Lead On, O King Eternal."
Prayer, Mrs. Willshire.
Welcome—Mrs. W. B. Greenwald, President DeLeon Society, Christian Service.

Response, Mrs. John Shearer, Cisco.
Devotional—Mrs. Slaton, Putnam Society of Christian Service, Organization.
Recognition of guests.
Offering.

10:45—Solo, Mrs. I. N. Griffin, President Ranger Society of Christian Service.
Meditation—Life's Purpose—Leader, Mrs. Bert McGlamery, District spiritual Life Secretary.

Inspirational Address—Mrs. Edward Sneed, Conference Spiritual Life Secretary.
Special Music—Music, Mrs. J. W. Hall, Dublin.

12:15—Adjournment—Lunch.
1:30—Assembly Singing.
1:45—Devotional—Mrs. R. C. Edwards, Ranger.

2:00—Roll Call and Pledge Service.
2:15—Children's Work—Finances—Specials—Mrs. E. B. Wedemeyer, Conference Cor. Sec. and Jurisdictional Sec. of Children's work.

3:15—Wesleyan Service Guild—Mrs. R. S. Hubbs, Waco, Conf. Sec. Wesleyan Service Guild.
3:45—Missionary Message—Miss Laura Edwards—Waco.
4:15—Adjournment.

5:00-6:30—Fellowship Tea—Pastor's Home.
Evening Session
7:15—Music—DeLeon Pianist. Duet—"Holy Hour"—Breckenridge Society of Christian Service.
Scripture and Prayer, Rev. Roy A. Langston, District Supt.
7:30—Intimate Glimpses of Chinese Life—Miss Sue Stanford, Waco.

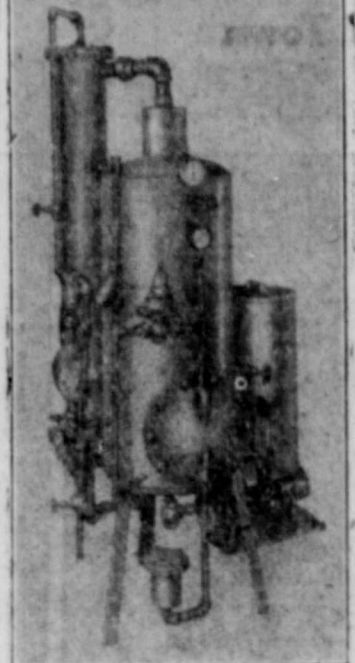
Mrs. Glenn Simons attended the Christian church state conference held in Breckenridge last week.

Mrs. Ray McHenry had as her guest, Friday, Miss Betty Brasfield of New York. Miss Brasfield is the representative of the Parker-Herbex hair and scalp treatment.

Nichel Crawford of Fort Ringgold will arrive today for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Croom of Dallas were the guests, Friday, of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Croom. Mr. and Mrs. Croom were enroute to Iran for a visit with Mrs. Croom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nixon.

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8:00—Dragoo Ensemble, Eastland.

8:45—Dramatic Reading—"Peter, the Rock"—Mrs. Lance Webb, Eastland.

9:30—Adjournment.
Friday Morning
9:00—Assembly Singing.
Solo: "I Come To Thee," Mrs. R. N. Clark, Cisco, Cisco Society of Christian Service.

Devotional—Mrs. L. H. Flew-ellen.
9:15—Business Session.
Meeting our obligations—Financially, Discussion led by Mrs. R. D. Tindall for larger societies. (Breckenridge Society, Mrs. W. A. Clapper, Caddo, for smaller societies.)
Other obligations—General discussion.
Invitation—1942.
10:00—Church Institute—Conducted by Mrs. Bryan, Christian Social Relations and Local Church Activities.

Music Week Will Be Celebrated In Ranger This Year

The Fine Arts Department of Ranger Junior College is planning a series of programs in celebration of Music Week during the first week in May. This is possibly the first time that the community has been able to present such a varied program and it is highly significant of the increasing interest in music.

The first program will be a studio reception on Friday, May 2 featuring five of the younger pianists in the department. During the following week these five will play in Abilene. Other groups have been invited to Stephenville and to Eastland.

The final program will be presented by the College Chorus and associated groups who will appear at the Recreation Building on Friday, May 9th. This concert will be sponsored by local clubs who are planning the program with Elwood R. Friesing.

Tyler Training School—Mrs. Baird, Conf. Sec. Christian Social Relations.

World Outlook and Methodist Women—Mrs. Wade Thomas, Eastland with general discussion.
Mission Study—Mrs. C. E. May, Ranger, North Zone Leader.
Scarritt Membership—Mrs. A. J. Ratliff, Ranger, Dist. Chairman.

How to conduct a Spiritual Life Meeting—Mrs. Edward Sneed and Mrs. Burt McGlamery, Student Work—Miss Ernest Smith, Fort Worth Conf. Sec. Student Work.

Spiritual Life Retreat.
School of Missions at Mt. Sequoyah.
Pastor's Schools.
11:15—DeLeon Choral Club.
11:30—Cisco District.
Looking to the Past—Mrs. Edward Sneed.
Looking to the Future—Mrs. M. H. Hagaman.

12:00—Inspirational Address—Highlights of Woman's Work.
Mrs. Gid J. Bryan—President Central Texas Conf. Woman's Society of Christian Service.
12:45—"God Be With You Till We Meet Again."
Benediction—Rev. Willshire, DeLeon.

Housekeeping Aide Advisory Group To Meet Here Monday

The third meeting of the advisory committee of the Housekeeping Aide Project of Ranger is scheduled for Monday, April 21, it was announced here Saturday.

Plans for a meeting of the group of mothers at the aide center will be completed prior to the meeting.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends we wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many thoughtful and comforting gestures shown at the death of our husband and father, Mrs. Mary Dixon, J. D. Dixon and Brothers and Sisters Ed, Sell, Clarence, Ed, Mrs. Fred Bryant, Mrs. E. McFarland, Mrs. H. Kimbler.

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The City Commission has set Tuesday, April 29, as the Second Runoff Election day, the first of its kind in the history of Ranger. If my friends will continue to stick by me and will show the same enthusiasm in this second runoff that they did in the first I feel confident that I will be your next Street Commissioner.

My platform and policies have already been outlined, and there is no need, at this time, to repeat them. I want all my supporters, and those who did not vote for me, to know that I intend to keep all my campaign promises, and will work even harder at making the best Street Commissioner Ranger has ever had, than I did in making my runoff campaign.

Again let me express my sincere thanks for the splendid support given me and to ask your indulgence once more in voting for and supporting me in the Second Runoff Election.

Remember that a vote for me means a vote for a man who is already qualified by experience.

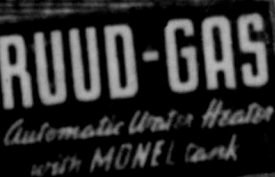
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