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## Jester Promises Aid For Rural Schools

### WOULD MARK THREE MILLION DOLLARS FOR TEACHERS' PAY

AUSTIN, Tex.—Gov. Jester told the joint legislative committee today he will mark a \$3,000,000 appropriation in aid for rural schools as an emergency issue before the 51st legislature but will not call a special session. The committee of lawmakers in a resolution adopted unanimously yesterday stamped the need for additional funds as "of sufficient importance" to call the legislature into special session. Jester said he told the committee that he "shared their feeling" that the state's obligation to the teachers be paid in full. He added that "if I were governor here in 1949 I would submit it as emergency legislation in the first 60 days." Jester's present term will overlap the opening of the 51st session next January. "The governor said there is a way by which the teachers may be paid retroactive salary by the next legislature for deficiencies in the present school term, and said he was studying the problem.

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### Believe Eight Sailors Lost In Boat Sinking

HYERES, France—French naval officials said today that eight American sailors from the Aircraft Carrier Midway are missing and feared lost in the sinking of a shore launch in Hyeres Harbor before dawn this morning. The launch struck a signal pylon at the harbor entrance at 2 A. M. while carrying 16 sailors back to their carrier from a last night ashore at a Casino. The Midway was scheduled to leave Hyeres, on the Riviera coast 12 miles east of Toulon, today. Officials at the French naval base here said the crash drove a large hole in the side of the launch and sank quickly despite frantic efforts to pump out the water.

### Army Officials Deny Russian Front Charges

WASHINGTON—Army officials today branded as false the Russian charges that the western Allies delayed a second front in Europe in order to "bleed the Soviet's white." They said the lack of sufficient troops and landing craft were the real reasons why the cross-channel invasion did not take place until June 6, 1944. The Russian charges were made in the latest installment of Moscow's propaganda attack on American and British policies. The statement said the Western Allies promised a second front in 1942 or 1943 but delayed it is continued Russian losses would prevent the Soviet's from emerging as a great power after the war.

### Desdemona-Gorman Sector Shows New Oil Activities

Further emphasis on revived interest in the Gorman-Desdemona area along the Comanche-Eastland County line was indicated this week with filing applications for three explorations. As a north offset to the recent Ranger lime discovery by Kirk & McKissick, Skelly Oil has located No. 2, S. D. Miers, 1,105 from the east and 330 from the south lines of an 80-acre lease in the DeMoss survey. Permit is for 2,800 feet. Listed as an extension to the old Desdemona field, J. W. Baldwin, Wichita Falls, is to drill No. 1 G. D. Lindley, 430 from the north and 1,320 from the west lines of the 252-acre tract in the DeMoss survey. It is on permit for 2,900 feet. Two miles northeast of Gorman Eastland County, Claude Bell et al., Dallas, are to drill No. 1 H. O. Files, a wildcat which may go to the Ellenberger 330 from the south and west lines of E-2 of I-I-H&T. It is on permit for 3,500 feet.

Boston Weather-Wise BOSTON (UP)—During a single day as many as 79,376 Bostonians have dialed FORECAST to learn from the telephone company what type of weather is on tap.

### Fort Worth Livestock

CATTLE 1400. A little more active than Monday. Most classes fully steady. Medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 18.50-24. Common yearlings 15-17.50. Common and medium cows 15-17, some to 18.50. Slaughter bulls 14-18. Calves 600. Moderately active, fully steady. Good and choice slaughters 20-24. Few to 25. Culls 13-15. Medium and good stockers 18-22. Few choice to 23. Hogs 800. Active. Slaughter classes 50c higher, spots up as much as 75c. Top 23 75 for few choice butchers, bulk good and choice at 23.50. Good sows largely 17.50. Stocker pigs 10-15.

### The Weather

Fair and mild. Temperature at 1:30 p. m. today. Maximum 67, Minimum 34, Hour's Reading 66, Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a. m. today. Maximum 72, Minimum 32.

### Funeral Services For Walter Fiensy 3:30 Wednesday

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. at the Eastland First Methodist Church for Walter James Fiensy of Kermit, who died Sunday at 5:20 p. m. in John Sealey hospital at Galveston. Rev. Mr. Williams, pastor of the Kermit Methodist Church will conduct the service, assisted by Rev. Mr. E. R. Gordon pastor of the Eastland Methodist church. Interment will be in the Eastland cemetery. Survivors are the widow, and a son Jim of Houston, five brothers, and three sisters, as follows: Dave J. Fiensy, Eastland; Pat Fiensy, Baton Rouge; A. F. Fiensy, Flora, Ill.; Elmer Fiensy, Carmi, Ill.; and R. S. Fiensy, Portland, Oregon; Mrs. Grace McDowell, Suddell, Ill.; Mrs. E. J. Folker and Mrs. Bessie Gray, Long Beach, Calif.; Two Grandchildren also survive. The deceased was born December 18, 1899 at St. Marie, Ill.; and came to Eastland in 1919, and was employed by Hoffmann and Page as a driller. In 1929 he left Eastland to be employed by Emperor Oil Company at Kermit where he was District superintendent. The deceased was a member of the Masonic Lodge at Columbus Kansas, and a member of the Methodist church at Kermit.

### Father Of Carl Butler Dies In Toller, Ariz.

Z. Z. (Zuma) Butler, 80, died early this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Paul Patterson at Toller, Arizona. Funeral services will be at the Calvary Baptist Church at Toller, Wednesday afternoon. Interment will be in a Toller cemetery. Born in Mississippi in 1868, the deceased moved to Eastland county in 1897, settling near Merriam. He married Miss Hazel Dunagan of Staff, who died in 1937. The couple have eight surviving children, four girls and four boys, as follows: John Butler, Phoenix, Arizona; Leaham Butler, Peoria, Arizona; Dean Butler, Phoenix, Arizona; Carl Butler, Eastland; Mrs. Jack White, Texas, New Mexico; Mrs. Patterson, Toller, Arizona; Mrs. Arvell Smith, California; Mrs. R. J. Walsh, Tucson, Arizona. Mr. Butler left Eastland county in 1923 and went to Arizona. He has made his home there since.

### Ohio River Near A Flood Stage

The Ohio River swelled toward flood stage today and Red Cross officials at Cincinnati, O., asked Eastern headquarters for 1,000 cots to accommodate residents who might be forced from their homes along the river. The mighty stream was rising toward an expected crest of 35 feet at Cincinnati. That is three feet above flood stage.

### Lincoln-Grant Message Brings \$440 At Sale

NEW YORK (UP)—A telegram sent by President Abraham Lincoln to Gen. Ulysses S. Grant 84 years ago was sold for \$440 during an auction of books, manuscripts and letters at the Parke-Bernet Galleries, Inc. Mary A. Benjamin bought the telegram, in which Lincoln told Grant: "You will succeed. God bless you all."

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Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Rockefeller read congratulatory telegrams in Palm Beach, Fla., after their wedding in the home of Socialite Winston Guest. The couple left by automobiles and unveiling will take place in Dallas. (NEA to New York. (NEA Telephoto).

### Market Prices Stabler; Retail Prices Dropping

CHICAGO—Prices on the commodity markets appeared to have stabilized today at levels slightly above the bottom point reached in the price break that began Feb. 5. Retail prices still were catching up with the sharp decline. Many grocers and butchers were just beginning to mark their price tags down in line with the adjustment which most economists agreed was necessary and healthy for the nation's economic welfare. The Safeway chain of grocery stores at New York and the National Food Stores at Chicago announced sweeping reductions. Safeway reduced 105 meat items from 2 to 10 cents a pound, marking chuck beef down from 55 to 49 cents, ribs of beef from 65 to 61, veal rib chops from 79 to 69, smoked hams from 59 to 55 and sliced grade a bacon from 75 to 69. A penny was lopped off salad dressing and mayonnaise in 8 ounce jars.

### Mother Of Mrs. W. A. Lewis Dies; Rites Wednesday

Mrs. W. E. D. Johnston, mother of Mrs. W. A. Lewis of Ranger, died at her home in Cisco this morning. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Methodist church in Cisco and interment will be in Oakwood cemetery in Cisco. Mrs. Johnston was 58 years of age, had been in ill health for more than a year. Survivors besides Mrs. Lewis are another daughter, Mrs. Thomas Brookman of Fort Worth and two sons, M. B. Johnston of Ft. Worth and James W. Johnston of Amarillo. Two grandchildren, Tony Lewis of Ranger and Tommie Brookman of Fort Worth and two sisters, Mrs. A. M. Worley of Cisco and Mrs. Marion New of Decatur.

### Seeds For Peace Plan Inaugurated By Garden Clubs

AMARILLO, Tex. (UP)—The national council of state garden clubs has inaugurated a "seeds of peace" plan to distribute garden seeds to needy families in Europe. It was announced in Amarillo today by Mrs. P. D. Berthelot, publicity chairman for Texas. Packets containing 13 kinds of vegetable seeds—enough to plant 600 square feet of ground and to sustain a family of five—will be distributed to needy families in Great Britain, France, Holland, Italy, Greece, Luxembourg, Austria, Germany and other nations. Church World Service, Inc., an affiliate of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, is to be the distributing and supervising agency for the project. Cultural directions in the language spoken in the country for which the seeds are destined will be contained in each package. Mrs. Berthelot said the national council was asking all local garden clubs and individuals to assist in the project by making donations. She said contributions of any amount may be mailed to her at 1021 Sunset Terrace, Amarillo or to Mrs. Nicholas J. Mertens, Treasurer of National Council of State Garden Clubs, Inc., 500 Fifth Ave., New York 18, N. Y.

### Wrong Number

MILWAUKEE (UP)—When Gilbert Hashrbass tried to call his father on the telephone he got a busy signal for about 45 minutes. The operator thinks he'd still be trying if she hadn't tipped him off he was calling his own number.

### Protests High Food Cost

Mrs. Ruth Berbes, of Chicago, a long-time admirer of the late Mohandas Gandhi, holds a photo of Gandhi amid her week's supply of food. She has been on a diet of two glasses of milk and five slices of bread since Thursday, Feb. 12. The 22-year-old housewife is protesting the high cost of food. (NEA Telephoto).

### American Woman Finds Happiness As Buddhist Nun

By Austin De Silva United Press Staff Correspondent COLOMBO, Ceylon (UP)—An American woman, whose interest in Buddhism was awakened in her undergraduate days at Oregon State University, has found happiness in her ordination as a Buddhist nun at Vajirarama Temple here. She was Mrs. Beatrice Hunt Winans, who took the name of Bhikkhu Soma when she was ordained by Bhikkhu Kasapa, who was Dr. Cassius A. Perira. Dr. Perira was a widely-known authority on Buddhism even before he became a Buddhist monk. Sister Soma made her act of renunciation when she left her husband and two sons to come to Ceylon and become a Buddhist nun. Her interest in Buddhism began when she first encountered Buddhist texts published by the Oxford University Press. Some years ago, she attended lectures in the United States delivered by Bhikkhu Silavansa an American-Portuguese Buddhist monk. Mrs. Williams accompanied Bhikkhu Silavansa to Ceylon from the United States last November and decided to take the vows. Her head now is shorn and she wears a yellow robe. "I am very happy in these robes," she said. She parried reporters' questions with a smiling remark: "I did not work on a newspaper for nothing."

### Happy Landing

INDIANAPOLIS (UP)—Mrs. John Snowden was at her kitchen stove preparing breakfast. The stove exploded and blew Mrs. Snowden across the room. She landed uninjured in her husband's lap.

### Slogan For Smokers

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (UP)—C. E. Hames, hotel man, coined the newest slogan for Florida's state-wide drive against forest fires. It is: "Chaperone your cigarettes. Don't let them go out alone."

### Judges Stay Put

INDIANAPOLIS (UP)—Federal Judge Robert C. Baltzell of the southern district of Indiana believes he and his predecessor may have set a record of long service. Baltzell has started his 24th year on the federal bench here. Judge A. B. Anderson, who preceded him, served for 22 years.



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### Well... I Dunno, But...

We guess its the spring fever getting an early start but something was really working on us today. We could think up a lot of things that we'd rather do than work. And when your heart ain't in, it's a hard grind. They tell us that Ranger was brushed by the great early this morning. According to the conductor of a west bound train, none other than Charlie McCarthy and Mortimer Snerd with Edgar Bergen, were aboard. There were others in the party, too, but according to the conductor, at that hour Charlie McCarthy was the life of the party. Mrs. F. Bunch apparently is the interpreter for her family. A card from her asks for information and she explained that she has received French letters asking her to translate them into English and send to other members of her family who do not read French. She wanted to know how much the franc is worth in U. S. Money. We didn't know but Mr. Webster says it's worth 19.3 cents. Also she wanted to know how many grams in an ounce and, again according to Mr. Webster the gram is the same weight as the ounce. We're keeping our fingers crossed for the Jaycees and their Tri-County Livestock Show Friday and Saturday. One postponement is enough after those boys have worked as long and hard as they have to put on this show. The boys are sure giving R. B. Thomas Jr. a lot of credit about it, too. R. B. is the general manager of the show and plans for it have been his constant companion for many weeks. One of the big features of the show will be the big barbecue for visitors at the show, FFA boys, 4-H club boys, in fact all exhibitors. The barbecue will be given at noon Saturday and is being sponsored by the Jaycees, the Senior Chamber of Commerce, Lions and Rotarians. The show is the first of what the boys hope to make an annual affair, and like we've said before, it gets our vote, because it is specifically to encourage the boys that will be the future farmers of this section. Incidentally, beginning Thursday R. B. is going to contribute a column once a week to this newspaper and the column to be devoted to agricultural subjects. As vocational agriculture teacher of Ranger High School he is in contact with the farmers and livestock men of this area and knows the things they like to talk about, and is in position to give them some interesting reading. The column will appear in each Thursday's paper. Some of the boys on the staff went down to Fort Worth Monday night to see the wrestling matches and from what they tell us, that game just plain ain't civilized. The objective, according to the reports we got, is to break the other fellow's neck. Just wind him up with several twirls and pitch him two rows into the audience. No sir, we'd not want a front row seat even if we could be enticed into a match. Such things as knocking a feller down, then kicking him, just ain't hoyle to us. Now if they were really mad, you could kind of understand it, but it's all supposed to be a sport, but that's not our idea of a good sport. Slogan for Smokers TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (UP)—C. E. Hames, hotel man, coined the newest slogan for Florida's state-wide drive against forest fires. It is: "Chaperone your cigarettes. Don't let them go out alone."

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**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Ranger Times is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

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**COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS**

Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Suits Filed, Court Judgments, Orders, Etc.

**Instruments Filed**  
 The following instruments were filed for record in the County clerk's office last week:  
 Allied Building Credits, Ins., to Leon G. McPherson, release of MML.  
 A. C. Alvey to The Public, proof of heriship.  
 J. W. Buttrill to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.  
 Clemens R. Brooks to The Public, revocation of power of attorney.

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 Tuesday Feb. 17, 7:00 o'clock  
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 C. A. Hummel, W. M.  
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Call meeting, Ranger Chapter No. 594 February 18, 7:30 o'clock.  
 Work in Mark Masters Degree.  
 Refreshments. H. B. Getts, High Priest.

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**Boy's Injured Pony Stirs Even Claims Manager**

SEATTLE (UP) — Jerry Houser, 13-year-old elementary school student, rides again.  
 Jerry got a new pony and proudly rode. Then one day the horse broke out of its enclosure and trotted onto the highway. He became confused and ran into an automobile. The horse suffered a shoulder injury and the loss of one eye.

Jerry couldn't ride a one-eyed horse—it wasn't safe either for Jerry or the animal.  
 The claims manager of a local automobile insurance company, with whom the driver of the car that struck the horse was insured, ordered a new pony for Jerry. “That's one claim we knew right off we'd pay,” he said.

“This is about as near as we can come to turning swords into plowshares,” said Colonel Karl E. Wallace, southern War Assets Administrator (left), as he presented title on 16,189 acres of the Bluebonnet Ordnance Works to C. C. Kreuger, a director of Texas A&M College, which will convert the acreage into the nation's largest experimental farm. The presentation took place during recent ceremonies at McGregor.

E. L. Norris to J. C. Kelley, lease.  
 R. L. Westmoreland to Robert W. McKissick, oil and gas lease.  
 Mrs. C. J. Pnett to Marvin Pnett, Jr. royalty deed.  
 Frank Perkins to R. L. Evans, MD.

J. G. Rumph to Albert A. Hansen, warranty deed.  
 A. Rupp to Paul L. Norris, warranty deed.  
 R. F. St. John to Bertie Zant Gaddy, release of oil and gas lease.  
 Gus F. Schreiner to L. L. Evans, MD.

Josephine B. Strickland to James E. Perry, warranty deed.  
 W. E. Tyler to R. L. Carter, quit claim deed.  
 United States to Royce L. Boyd, notice of tax lien.  
 E. G. Walker to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.  
 F. D. Wright to Hickok Prod. & Dev. Company, oil and gas lease.

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### "Heartsease"

By Elsie Glenn

#### DON'T DARE STOP!

I had the power to force you to do only one thing. I would command you never to dare stop—believing in the urgings deep within you for something you want more than anything else... that hidden thing within you that gives you personality different to anyone else... that push in your heart that you've got the guts to get a lot out of this life that you haven't got!

You've got a dream, haven't you, that comes to your rescue when things get too thick for you?

When you hate what you're doing with such loathing that you are actually physically sick? When you feel that if you have no hope to live?

You've got to keep it... that belief... if you live.

You simply must not believe it if you want to survive.

The day you really lose hope... that tragic day... when actually you no longer believe in hope... you may be very near the end of your personal rope... and ropes can break.

The elixir of this life works strangely... it works silently... but it works. Believe in it... the elixir of life... of hope... it will work for you if you try and if you let it.

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### Lectures On Advanced Topics In Distillation

Dr. Allan P. Colburn, assistant to the president and advisor on research at the University of Delaware, completed a two-week series of lectures Friday, February 13, on "Advanced Topics in Distillation" for technical and research personnel at Humble Oil & Refining Company's Baytown refinery.

The course is another in the "Humble Lectures in Science" series, designed to keep refinery personnel abreast of latest scientific developments, which brings several of the nation's leading scientists to Baytown each year. The series is now in its second year.

Lecturers remaining on this year's schedule are Dr. Richard T. Arnold, professor of chemistry at the University of Minnesota, and Dr. Joel H. Hildebrand, professor of chemistry at the University of California. Lectures are of one to two week's duration and are attended on a full-time basis.

Dr. Colburn's course is devoted largely to new horizons in azeotropic and extractive distillation to aid Humble researchers in developing new techniques to help meet record demand for petroleum products.

Dr. Colburn has been professor of chemical engineering at the

University of Delaware since 1941, and associate professor for three years before that. He received his doctorate from the University of Wisconsin in 1929.

During the last war, he was instrumental in the use of his university's laboratories on war research for government agencies and war industries, and with Dr. B. F. Dodge of Yale, he prepared the curriculum on chemical engineering for the Army.

Dr. Colburn was the first recipient of the Walker Award, given him in 1934 by the American Institute of Chemical Engineers for contributing to chemical engineering literature.

### Meet the Winnah and Grand Champ



Elmer Felton, of Raymond, Kan., exhibits "TO's Target," grand champion steers of the 1948 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, Tex. The prize steer weighs 1070 pounds.

### Long Underwear Making Last Stand In Indiana

EVANSVILLE, Ind. (UP)—Long underwear is staging a flickering last stand on the threshold of the atomic era.

John Strouse, whose family has operated a men's clothing store here for 80 years, said "longies" or union suits are now classed with spats as a novelty item.

"We used to sell them by the case," he said. "But now only a few outdoor workers, hunters and old people buy them."

Longies began fading from the washday scene with the development of central heating in buildings and efficient car heaters, Strouse said.

### Traffic Violators Sent To Church For Their Sins

SEATTLE (UP)—Seattle motorists, if they aren't careful about traffic laws, may find themselves writing a 300-word essay or be under orders to go to church every Sunday for six months.

It has happened to several drivers, convicted of major traffic violations in traffic court here.

Judge Roy DeGrief ordered a motorist convicted of reckless and hit-run driving either to write a 300-word thesis on "Reasons for stopping and identifying yourself after hitting another car" or serve a five-day jail sentence.

Another driver, convicted of drunken and reckless driving, escaped serving a 30-day jail sentence by promising to attend church every Sunday for six months. He was required to present an affidavit attesting to his attendance.

But Judge DeGrief believes the penalties are valuable.

"Writing an essay or going to church makes a driver think more about the seriousness of his violations than if he pays a fine or receives a suspended jail sentence," the judge said.

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### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS BY MERRILL BLOSSER

WATCH YOUR STEP, BEAN! DON'T STUMBLE NOW!  
FOR THE LAST TIME, I DON'T NEED A BODYGUARD! I'M GROWN UP NOW!  
YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN!  
BUT I TELL YOU, A MAN'S BODYGUARD IS HIS CASTLE!  
LOWER THE DRAW-BRIDGE-WE WANT TO TALK TO YOUR MOTHER!  
YES, I'M GLAD BOSWELL'S PLAYING BASKETBALL, BUT...  
HE'S GOTTA GET IN CONDITION, MRS. JOHNSON!  
WE'VE MADE OUT A DIET FOR HIM! FOR BREAKFAST HE EATS...

### RED RYDER BY V. T. HAMLIN

SO DONNA RINGO ROBBED THE RIMROCK TRAIN! SHE WAS COMPLAINING ABOUT BUSINESS AT HER STORE!  
LUCKY YOU TOLD LITTLE BEAVER THAT TALL STORY ABOUT USING THE DRAFT ON A STEAMSHIP TO SEND SMOKE SIGNALS, OLD TIMER.  
YES, ME USE-UM DRAFT ON DONNA'S STORE FOR 505 TO RED RIDER!  
I TELL YOU, SONNY, THAT'S THE FIRST TIME I EVER HAD PROOF THAT ONE O' MY SPOOKS WAS TRUE!

### ALLEY OOP BY FRED HARMON

WELL OUR TIME-TRAVELERS SEEM TO HAVE LANDED RIGHT SIDE UP, MORE OR LESS.  
YES, BUT WHERE THE SETTING IS ORIENTAL, BUT THE SITUATION IS FANTASTIC.  
IF I DIDN'T KNOW THE ARABIAN NIGHTS TO BE A FICTITIOUS WORK, I'D SAY THEY'D LANDED SHACK IN THE MIDDLE OF IT.  
WHO CAN SAY WHAT IS FICTITIOUS UNTIL WE KNOW MORE OF THE FOUR DIMENSIONS?  
OH, I SAY, ELBERT, LET'S NOT BE STUPID!  
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### SOCIETY

#### Circle Presents W. M. U. Program

The Hazel Moon Circle was in charge of the Royal Service program when the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

Mrs. Rosa Hodges, program leader, presented Mrs. David C.

#### Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

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# FEED

## A. J. Ratliff

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Han who brought the devotional on "The Always Unfinished Task". Mrs. Coy Sims then sang "If I Can Help Someone Along My Way".

Mrs. F. R. King gave a discussion on "The Unfinished Task in the Homeland", and Mrs. J. D. Johnson spoke on "The Unfinished Task Around The World". Mrs. Bob Hodges discussed "Using the Unlimited Power for the Unfinished Task".

Mrs. F. P. Brasher, Jr., presented several piano numbers after which refreshments were served to about 35 members.

#### 1920 CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY AT 3

The regular meeting of the 1920 Club will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Community Club House and all members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Hal Hunter will be the guest speaker.

#### CIVIC LEAGUE TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The February meeting of the Ranger Civic League will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Community Club house.

This will be the annual business meeting and officers will be elected. Other matters of importance will be discussed and it is urged that all members be at the meeting.

#### W. S. C. S. Studies Prayers Of The Bible At Meeting

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the church.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Vernon Deffenbach, with the prayer of the United Council of Church Women, as adopted for 1948.

After a brief business session, Mrs. G. C. Boswell, secretary of spiritual life, entered into the second session of the Bible study. After the opening song, "Take Time To Be Holy", Mrs. Boswell discussed The Prayers of the Kings and Prophets, which included David, Solomon, Nathan, Elijah, Elisha, Isaiah, and Jeremiah. She pointed out that these prayers served as a mirror wherein we may see our own prayers to determine whether they are prompted by selfish or unselfish motives.

Mrs. Morris Newnam gave a talk on the third clause, "Thy Kingdom Come", and the fourth clause, "Thy Will Be Done", of the Lord's Prayer.

A round table discussion concluded the program. A large crowd attended.

#### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Powell and family of Sweetwater were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Powell.

Werner Renberg of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Ralph Beaver of Fort Worth were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. McDonald. The two are classmates of Paul MacDonald at S. M. U.

Mrs. C. A. Strong and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Berry were in Cross Plains Sunday to attend the 25th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop.

George Beighley and Robert Lawson attended the wrestling matches in Fort Worth Monday night.

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#### From Racquet to Racket



Tennis professionals entertain themselves while touring the country. Harmonizing with Jack Kramer, at the piano, are, left to right, Dinny Pails, Bobby Riggs and Pancho Segura.

volve left turns as right turns, Clarke listed five rules to remember in making a left turn.

1. Keep next to the centerline or center of the roadway, so that no car will approach from behind on your left as you turn.

2. Turn around two points, one where the center of the street or road you are on meets the crosswalk or property line, and the other where the center of the street or road you are turning into leaves the crosswalk or property line.

3. Start to get in the proper lane for turning far enough back, at least a block before the turn.

4. Use hand signals before making the turn and be sure to make a full turn. Don't cut corners.

5. Always respect the right of way of other drivers who are at the intersection or approaching so close as to be a hazard.

#### Find Family Life In U. S. Not To India's Level

BOSTON (UP)—Three Indian students at Boston University believe family life in America is less satisfactory than in India.

Jesse Cornelius, Rajappa Immanuel and Sanderay Raichur, theological students, said "we don't have career women in India" and agreed that it was one of the factors leading to the high divorce rate in the United States.

"A woman should be the source



Joseph D. Keenan, 51, secretary of the Chicago Federation of Labor, was named to set up the AFL league for political education "as a powerful force in the 1948 campaign." In this post he will also act as assistant to the league's officers.

of inspiration, not of competition," they say in explaining what they believe is the source of trouble.

Furthermore, they said, "In India, cooking is an art; in Amer-

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#### Hospital News

Mrs. George Rogers has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital.

R. D. Hood, who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital, has been dismissed.

Mrs. J. W. Burch has returned to her home in Notrees, Texas after being a patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Johnnie Richardson is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. J. E. Weison has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital where she received medical treatment.

Fay Dean Shugart, who underwent a tonsillectomy at the West Texas Hospital, has been dismissed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Williams of Desdemona is a patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Sandra and Billy Don Willis are medical patients in the West Texas Hospital.

R. L. Tackett, who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital, has been dismissed.

J. L. Howard is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

H. S. Lusk of Eastland is in the West Texas Hospital for medical treatment.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to everyone who was so kind and thoughtful, and for the beautiful floral offerings, during the illness and death of our baby, Eddie Mayfield. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Mayfield.

#### You Have To Keep Left To Be Right Says Geo. Clarke

You have to keep left to be right, according to George Clarke, managing director of the Texas Safety Association.

"But let me tell you what I mean, before you think I sound mixed up," he said. "A left turn in heavy traffic is one of the most difficult maneuvers in an automobile, and it causes traffic tie-ups and accidents when bungled."

Clarke said that the Texas Safety Association is cooperating in a nationwide "Know and Obey Traffic Laws" program during February, and he cited National Safety Council statistics to show the need for such a program.

At least 3 1/2 per cent of all fatal pedestrian and non-pedestrian accidents involve a turning vehicle, and improper turning was reported in from 4 to 5 per cent of all accidents.

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