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## Water Conservation Meeting Called For March 7

### FIVE TOWNS INVITED TO HEAR REPORT FROM RECLAMATION BUREAU

Meeting Requested By Bureau Engineer; Will be held in County Courtroom at 2:00 P. M.

Dr. P. M. Kuykendall of Ranger, president of the board of directors of the Eastland County Water Supply District, stated today that the board is calling a meeting of officials of Eastland, Ranger, Cisco, DeLeon and Gorman for March 7 to hear a report from the Bureau of Reclamation on the possibilities of increasing water supplies for this area.

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Louis F. Jordan of Abilene, commander of the 17th District of the American Legion, Department of Texas, will pay his official visit to the Carl Barnes Post in Ranger Friday night.

Accompanying him to Ranger will be Mrs. Jordan who is district president of the Legion Auxiliary. Plans have been made for the Post and Auxiliary to have a joint meeting at the Legion hall at 8 o'clock Friday night. A program is being planned and refreshments will be served.

D. H. Holmes, commander of the local post and Mrs. Con Hazard, president of the Auxiliary have urged all members of both organizations to make their plans to attend the joint meeting. Commander Holmes has asked that all legionnaires wear their caps to the meeting.

### Cold Front To Be Followed By Warmer Weather

A hook-like cold front that dropped temperature over most of Texas 20 to 40 degrees in a matter of minutes was racing into the Gulf of Mexico today with warmer weather and clear skies following.

The Weather Bureau predicted the "cold weather hook" would clear Galveston by noon and plunge on into the Gulf. The southern portion of the dry front was to clear the Brownsville area by late afternoon.

Some thunderstorm activity preceded the cold wave, but skies over most of Texas at mid-morning were fair. Clouds in some areas, especially along the Gulf Coast, however were apparent.

Some rain was predicted for the northeast portion of the state during the day, the weatherman said. Temperatures in the Houston area dropped quickly from the 60's to the 40's when the front hit. At mid-morning, Brownsville was still registering temperatures in the 70's.

### Fire Destroys New York Hotel Thirteen Injured

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Feb. 22 (UP) — A pre-dawn fire destroyed this city's second largest hotel today, injuring 13 persons, including one fireman who was buried under a collapsed wall.

Approximately 36 guests escaped from the Towers Hotel, a 75-room structure, by sliding down makeshift bedsheets ropes or being carried down ladders by firemen.

Police said all guests and hotel help had been accounted for. Four firemen were burned under tons of debris when one wall of the five-story building collapsed. All were rescued within an hour and only one was injured.

Police said fire damage was estimated at \$500,000. There was no indication how the fire started. It was discovered by a night watchman who summoned police and firemen. Five companies from Glens Falls and three nearby communities fought the blaze for more than four hours in near zero temperatures and a snow storm.

The injured guests and some of the hotel help were taken to Glens Falls hospital. There were conflicting reports as to the number of guests in the hotel when the fire broke out.

Owner George McGowan said 32 persons were registered. Police sources said there were 36. A check was being made to determine the exact number.

Police said the fire started on the second floor and "within minutes" had spread quickly through the building. On the ground floor were a jewelry store, a music shop and a clothing store.

The hotel recently had been remodeled at a cost of \$100,000. It formerly was known as The Old Rockwell Hotel, one of the city's oldest buildings.

### Freshmen Push Race For Queen

Harold Barrett of Mineral Wells, president of the freshmen class of Ranger Junior College, is directing a unified effort on the part of the freshmen to win the Queen's race.

Nancy Phillips of Ranger and Prudie Hardeman of Eastland are the freshmen candidates. The candidate from the freshmen and sophomore class who raises the most money is made queen. The money raised goes to pay for the expenses of the Coronation, to be held on the night of March 3rd.

Thursday night, February 23rd, at 8 p. m. in the College Music Hall the freshmen are having a barn dance with music by the Prairie Ramblers. The public is invited to attend.

All day Saturday, February 25th, the freshmen will have a bake sale at Bruce's Super Market. The mothers and friends of the freshmen class are making the cakes and pies.

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### Air Force To Probe Mystery Object Of Air

AUSTIN, Tex. Feb. 22—(UP) — It will be up to Air Force authorities in Washington to decide what two State Legislators actually saw in the skies over central Texas last Thursday. Some others who witnessed the phenomenon thought it was a B-36 super bomber.

Reps. Milton Wilkinson of Longview and O. A. Cassidy of Long Branch were about 60 miles apart when they saw a "white silvery" object which looked more like a cigar than a "flying saucer."

It circled and turned indicating it was under control. Wilkinson, a veteran of the Air Force, said he knew his airplanes but he had never seen anything like the mysterious object in the sky. He rejected the idea that it might have been a dirigible.

Maj. Arthur E. Justice, Jr., announced yesterday he had made a preliminary investigation and would report his findings to Washington. He declined to offer an explanation.

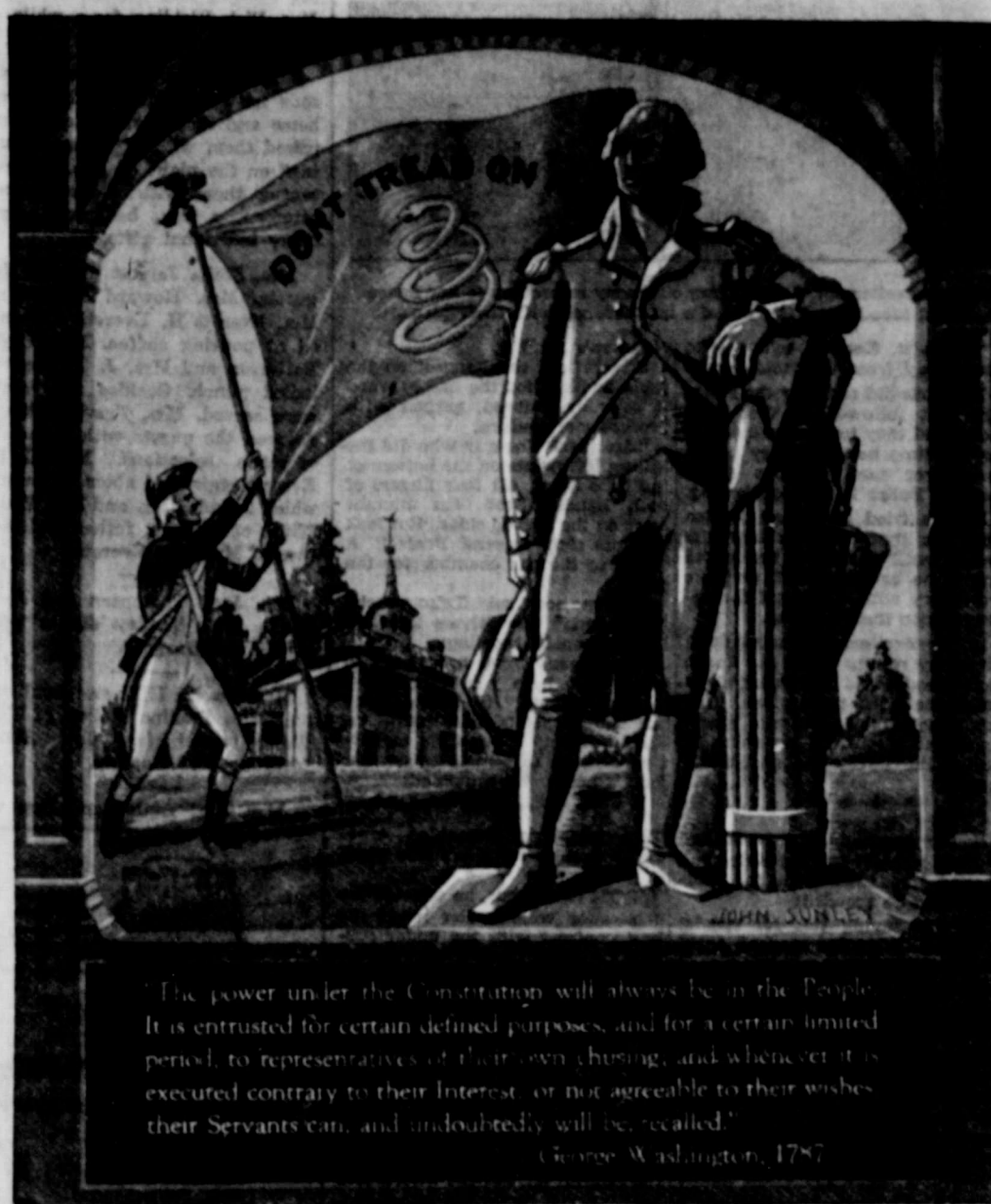
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The power under the Constitution will always be in the People. It is entrusted for certain defined purposes and for a certain limited period, to representatives of their own choosing, and when set to executed contrary to their interest, or not agreeable to their wishes, their Servants can, and undoubtedly will, be recalled. — George Washington, 1787

### COMMUNITY CHEST TALK HEARD AT C. C. LUNCHEON

The purpose of a Community Chest and its operation were discussed Tuesday by the Rev. Amos Myers of Breckenridge at the luncheon for members of the Chamber of Commerce held at noon at the Gholson Coffee Shop dining room.

The Rev. Myers who was introduced by J. A. Bates, president of the Chamber of Commerce, stated in his opening remarks that he felt that a Community Chest is the most business like manner in which to handle the charities and other welfare work of a town.

He suggested as a machine for such an organization, a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer. These with members of the executive board, composed of representatives from the participating organizations, make up the governing body of the chest.

Before any drive for funds is started the member agencies are asked to submit their budget for the year. These are studied and evaluated by the board and final overall figure arrive at for a funds campaign. He went into details as to the various duties of the campaign committees and emphasized that speed in putting over the drive is essential. He suggested that should a chest be organized in Ranger that it launch its funds drive to time with the national campaign in order to benefit from the advertising put out by the national organization. He explained that no funds have to be sent to the national campaign unless the local chest is a member.

In reply to questions, the speaker explained various details to satisfy questions that had arisen during the talk.

Amorillo Youths Get 10 Years

DALHART, Tex., Feb. 22 (UP) — Two Amorillo youth must spend 10 years in prison because they took \$7,000 from a Dalhart Jewelry store.

R. T. Farris and John White, Jr., were sentenced yesterday after they pleaded guilty to the burglary charge. Lemuel Eugene Vaughn, also convicted, will be sentenced later.

Harold Mullins, also charged with the Feb. 17 rooftop robbery, will face a jury trial next Monday.

### Last Rites Held Today For Lee A. Mitchell

Last rites for Lee A. Mitchell were conducted this afternoon at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. David C. Ham officiating, and the Rev. George W. Thomas of Carbon, formerly of Ranger, assisting. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery with Killingsworth's in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Mitchell died suddenly Monday morning shortly after reporting for duty with the Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company at the Butler Camp west of Ranger. He was born in Georgia on October 6, 1882 and had resided in Ranger for 24 years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and also a deacon of the church. December 3, 1905 he was married in Thurber to Winnie Havins who survives him.

Other survivors are a son, Robert Lee Mitchell of Long Beach, California; two daughters, Mrs. R. V. Robinson of Ranger and Mrs. Gene Kribbs of Denton. Three sisters, Mrs. Jim Schmitt of Hope, Arkansas, Mrs. C. C. Harmon of Emmet, Arkansas and Mrs. Minnie Clark of Carroll, Ohio; three brothers, Will Mitchell of Mingo, Frank Mitchell of Gordon and Hubert Mitchell of Ellenville. Four grandchildren also survive.

Pallbearers were Flake Turner, Alex Robinson, Elton Kenney, W. W. Mitchell, Lloyd Bruce, T. J. Anderson and W. A. Lewis. Honorary pall bearers were Carl Page, Joe McKinnon, Dr. R. H. Hodges, Col. Brasher, Elton Brooks, F. P. Kribbs, W. B. Emfinger, O. F. Sides, Will Eyley, and W. P. Powell.

### Son-in-Law Of Mrs. Gholson Stricken Today

Mrs. John M. Gholson received word early this morning that her son-in-law, Alton Cherry of Dallas, formerly of Ranger, had been stricken and was rushed to a Dallas hospital.

It was understood that an emergency operation would be performed just as soon as Cherry could be prepared for surgery. The attack is a recurrence of an old illness.

His brother, Blair Cherry and his mother, Mrs. Mozelle Cherry, both of Austin, flew to Dallas this morning to be with him.

### Mrs. Geo. Murphy Reported Better

It was reported this morning at the West Texas Hospital that the condition of Mrs. George Murphy is improved.

Mrs. Murphy has been a medical patient in the hospital for several days. She was taken to the hospital last week after suffering a heart attack.

Well...  
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But...

At last we see that this country intends to do something about the fake "confessions" that are being used in trials in the Balkan states. Of all the cut-and-dried, pre-meditated frame-ups that we ever heard of, those trials take the cake. You know in your own mind that the victims are innocent but until something mightier than a mere individual does something about it, it's a hopeless situation. And we've often wondered what goes on in the minds of those tried and convicted. If they wonder why this Christian nation stands by and see such an injustice done. If ever we saw an opportunity for a united church to fight the evils of the world, this is the time. Forgetting differences in creeds and doctrines, Christian peoples united could be a mighty force to fight UnChristian practices.

Came across this one this morning and "Pat" sure has something in common with most of us. We are inclined to pat ourselves on the back for the slightest effort, forgetting that the victory isn't complete.

"Pat was determined to pass by his favorite tavern on the way home. He had resolved to ride the wagon as a New Year's resolution. As he approached, he felt himself weakening, but gripping hold of his will power, he marched confidently by.

Then, about fifty yards further on, he stopped, turned and said to himself "Well done, Pat, me boy. Come back now and I'll treat ya."

And speaking of resolutions, today marks the beginning of lent, another time for good resolutions. One thing about lent, it only last 40 days and a year is 365. Not that lenten resolution wouldn't be good for the year around, but we expect that there are more people that keep the lenten resolutions than keep the New Year resolutions.

Oddly enough the beginning of lent this year coincides with the birthday of George Washington, the man that chopped down the cherry tree and didn't lie about it when a boy and grew up to be the father of his country.

The beginning of lent and Washington's birthday should be significant in the life of every American.

### Captain Boyd Put in Hospital

Capt. Johnnie Boyd of the Ranger Police force, was removed from his home to the West Texas Hospital early this morning and was reported to be resting fairly well.

Captain Boyd recently suffered a back injury when he attempted to separate two cars, bumpers of which had locked. He has been confined to his home since the accident.

## TRUMAN WARNS COMMUNISM THAT WE WILL FIGHT FOR DEMOCRACY

BY MERRIMAN SMITH  
United Press Whitehouse Reporter  
ALEXANDRIA, Va., Feb. 22 (UP) — President Truman today warned world Communism that this country will use "force to defend democracy" if it must.

The President pledged this country to strive ceaselessly for peace. He said the United States is willing to support—through the United Nations—any genuine atomic control plan that would be effective and not a "sham."

But he declared in a Washington birthday address here that the free nations must pool their strength to meet Communist force with force. Asserting that our task is "fundamentally the same" as George Washington's, he said the first president "strive to make democratic institutions more effective."

"He knew, too," Mr. Truman said, "that they had to be defended—that there were times when the use of force to defend de-

mocracy could not be avoided." Mr. Truman said bluntly—in what he called a "straight from the shoulder" foreign policy speech—that man's hope of future peace hinges more on successful resistance to Communist aggression and on the spread of freedom than it does on atomic controls.

The President did not mention the hydrogen bomb which this country—and presumably Russia, too—is trying to make. But he made it clear that the United States is not putting all its chips on atomic weapons or on efforts to bring them under international curbs.

"The real strength of the free nations," he said, "is not to be found in any single country or any one weapon, but in the combined moral and material strength of the free world as a whole."

"All people 'who wish to be free,'" the President said, "must unite to meet the Communist threat 'of an armed imperialism which seeks to extend its influence by force.'"

Mr. Truman spoke at the George Washington National Masonic Memorial here in ceremonies dedicating a new statue of the nation's first president.

The 33rd president keyed this country's foreign policy to expansion of democratic institutions throughout the world—by means of the Marshall Plan, his point-four program to help underdeveloped regions improve their living standards, reciprocal trade, and the yet-to-be ratified international trade organization.

But he also hinged it upon regional defense pacts within the United Nations framework, pacts like the North Atlantic Treaty with its arms-for-free nations corollary.

He stated as clearly as possible and repeatedly that the free nations must build up enough power to meet Russian force with force if necessary. He did not mention the USSR by name. But he blasted the "false philosophy" of Communism as "a challenge to all people who are free or who wish to be free."

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"I see prospects for going through with the construction of a dam for the creation of a greater water supply for this area are very bright," Dr. Kuykendall stated this morning. He said that the board of directors of the Eastland County Water Supply District have been contacted by a number of bondsmen who are eager to finance the building of such a structure and that the prospects for government financing of such a project are also very bright. "It seems definite now that we will go ahead with the project one way or the other," Dr. Kuykendall said.

The survey which will be reported upon at the meeting March 7 was made at the request of the board of directors of the water supply district and the collaboration of the other towns mentioned above with the exception of Cisco.

The survey will reveal the possibilities of construction of a dam on Colony Creek above the junction of the creek with Leon River in the south part of Eastland County. This site was selected as one of the most likely possibilities.

Burleigh has informed the board Tuesday night that the report of his agency is now ready and the report ready to be made. Engineers have been working on the project for several months, which included several weeks of actual survey of the proposed dam site.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the water district held Tuesday night at the Ranger Chamber of Commerce L. R. Fearson was elected to fill the unexpired term of the late Edwin George.

Funeral services for Martha Kathleen Fonville, 21-month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Fonville of Route 1, Desdemona were conducted this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the Church of God on Strawn Road. The Rev. J. W. Hume, pastor, officiated and interment was in Colony cemetery with Killingsworth's in charge of arrangements.

The baby died in a Ranger hospital Tuesday, February 21, 1950. She was born in Ranger May 10, 1948.

Besides the parents she is survived by a brother, William Fonville, and two sisters, Li Sharline and Marylin Adell; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fonville of Desdemona and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Baker of Ranger.

Pallbearers were Clotis Huckabee, Denver Stagner, Tillman Fonville and Euel Fonville, all of Ranger.

Mrs. E. L. McMillan who suffered a heart attack Monday evening at her home was reported this morning as being improved and resting very well.

She is in the West Texas Hospital where she was taken shortly after being stricken.

Smoking Is Bad Costly MINNEAPOLIS, (UP) — Smoking in bed cost Donald Cheney a fine of \$100 for starting a fire and "endangering the lives" of 30 families in an apartment building.

Membership in the Bishop's House of Charity will begin on a Continued On Page 4

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For decades many Americans have cited George Washington's Farewell Address, delivered upon his retirement from the Presidency, as a testament of isolationism.

Through years of sweeping changes in national and world conditions, his advice against entangling alliances for the United States has been pointed to as a steady, unchanging chart of wisdom never losing its value.

This anniversary of Washington's birth is a fitting moment to re-examine these celebrated words and try to measure their worth for us today. Here is what he said:

"Europe has a set of primary interests, which to us have none, or a very remote relation. Hence she must be engaged in frequent controversies, the cause of which are essentially foreign to our concerns."

"Our detached and distant situation invites us to pursue a different course. . . . 'Tis our true policy to steer clear of permanent alliances with any portion of the foreign world. . . . Taking care always to keep ourselves, by suitable establishments, on a respectable defensive posture, we may safely trust to temporary alliances for extraordinary emergencies."

It is thoroughly apparent that Washington was moved to utter these cautions by the overwhelming 18th century fact of the country's real geographic isolation and, in consequence, its political and economic separateness. Detached, distant, remote; these are the keys to his thinking on Sept. 17, 1796.

But Washington's remarkable record both as revolutionary general and as President reveals him to be a hard-headed realist. There is nothing in his Farewell Address nor in any other utterance to suggest he would not recognize the physical and technological changes that have telescoped the world both in time and space since 1796.

Rash indeed are the men who dare contend that Washington would view the U. S. of 1950 as detached, distant and remote. Everything about his life indicates he would, on the contrary, be in the forefront of those who understand how greatly the globe has shrunk.

It is an injustice to Washington to continue to draft him in support of the isolationist theory of foreign affairs. The policy he bespoke in his Farewell Address was carefully tailored to the realities of his time.

If we would properly revere him for his true qualities of greatness, then we must credit him with the elemental intelligence that fits policy to reality no matter how that reality is altered. Were he alive in 1950, Washington's speeches would not likely be studded with words such as "detached, distant and remote." Rather, we'd be hearing brutal truths spelled out in terms of guided missiles, long-range bombers and the hydrogen bomb.

# FINGERPRINTS Don't Lie

By Rupert Hughes

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THE STORY: Police are investigating the murder of the wealthy Wendell Palmer, whose skull was battered with the base of a telephone at his home. The body was discovered by Azalea Palmer, the murdered man's daughter, who had been driven home by Nadine Fleming, a friend. Among the police officers investigating the crime is James Stivers, of the Scientific Investigating Division, who reveals his suspicion there may be fingerprints on the phone by warning detective Pete Kelso to stay away from it.



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 The dark library was fitfully dazzled by the lightnings of the photographer's flash bulbs as he made records of the body, the furniture, the room. One of the police detectives took and recorded measurements and distances and made a detailed floor map with a notation of every article of furniture.

Before long, newspaper photographers and reporters would be moving about, making notes and taking pictures of their own.

By the shattered form that had gathered all this throng, the Medical Examiner knelt and busied himself about his grisly chores, unrestrained by any of the warnings not to touch or move anything.

With delicate caution the Scientific Investigating Division man, James Stivers, groped and peered and photographed with his self-lighting camera the surfaces where fingerprints could be seen. Some of these would undoubtedly be those of the dead man. Others would probably be those of Azalea Palmer or Nadine Fleming or some of the servants now off duty.

By eliminating these, Stivers hoped to find telltale records left by the murderer. It occurred to him that it would be well, while he was there, to take the prints of the dead man's daughter Azalea and her friend Nadine for reference, while he was studying the other prints in the Crime Laboratory.

One of the two detectives from Headquarters, Dick Fleming, was merciful enough to remove the two girls from the ghastly scene of commotion.

Stivers decided to take their prints at once. He followed the girls into the adjoining living room, and set up shop. They listlessly obeyed his instructions as he spread a smear of special ink over the glass slide on the outside of his kit case.

He ran an inkroller over this, then lightly brushed the fingertips of the girls with the roller, and pressed them successively on little compartments of fingerprint cards. At the bottom of the cards he pressed all their fingerprints at once. And on each card, of course, he wrote name, and date.

WHEN he left them to return to the scene of the crime they saw him stop short at the door, and heard him exclaim angrily:

"Damn it, Kelso, I told you to keep away from that telephone!"

The girls did not hear the colloquy that followed in the other room, and they forgot the incident for the time being as they began to answer the questions asked them by Police Detective Fleming.

Nadine tried to defend Azalea from the inquisition as best she could, until Azalea's benumbed soul came back to itself, and she grew fiery with a demand for revenge upon the murderer.

In her excitement Azalea flung out many references to her fiancé Paul Moody, and her father's interference with their plans. Unwittingly she put ideas into Fleming's head that made him think of Paul as the nearest and most likely suspect.

IN the meanwhile, Stivers had gone straight to Pete Kelso and shoved him back from the telephone, as he growled:

"I was saving this for special attention. If you've touched it, I'll murder you!"

He did not note that Kelso was pushing back into his pocket the handkerchief he had cautiously drawn out. He did not note how anxiously Kelso watched as Stivers, with exquisite caution, pushed his camera close against the curved sides of the telephone and its base, then pressed the little lever that made the bulbs inside the camera flare and illuminate the surface where Stivers' keen eyes could see the patterns of fingerprints. He gave each about eight seconds' exposure. To the glowering Kelso he said:

"This is the way it was, I guess. The old man tried to telephone for help. He had the handset on the cradle when the killer lifted the big heavy base in both hands and smashed the edges down on the

old man's skull."

Stivers laid the handset on the table and studied the base, turned it over and stared, gasped with professional rapture.

"Beautiful! The guy who did the killing left prints on the bottom of the base here! All four fingers of both hands! See? His thumbs were on the curved sides. But look at those eight fingers! Perfect! A ticket to the gas chamber for the guy."

"Let me see," said Kelso, reaching eagerly, but Stivers knocked his hand aside, snarling:

"How many times have I got to tell you to keep your dirty paws in your pockets?" He gloated over the lethal prints and found in them a beauty that only a technician can see in something perfect for his needs. He mumbled:

"I think I'll just lift these prints. They might get scrambled—especially around meddlers like you."

FROM two phials, he selected the powder whose color made the best contrast with the under surface he would photograph. Taking up a delicate brush, he dipped it in the powder, and tapped it lightly so that the powder would snow on the surface.

Then he took a still softer brush, a turkey feather, to clear off the excess powder. He worked this daintily round the fingerprints now coming almost alive. He reversed the brush so as to follow the general lines of the whorls and labyrinthine curves of each point.

Over his shoulders Kelso's eyes almost bulged out of their sockets as he saw the eight little maps of the murderer's finger tips. They seemed to sit there in a mystic complacency, boasting:

"There's nothing on all the earth just like us. And never was. And never will be. But we'll never change."

(To Be Continued)

Pete Holt has been ill for the past week, but able to be back on the job now. His daughter, Mrs. Neta Graham and granddaughter Terry of Kilgore are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Granuel Nabors and Connie have returned from Clarksville, Tenn. where he has been working for the Eastern Construction Company of Dallas. Nabors left Fort Worth last Saturday to work with the Carl Dunn Construction Company. Mrs. Nabors and Connie will remain with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yielding for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Everett and sons have moved into their new home and their many friends surprised them with a "house warming" on the night of Feb. 16—presenting them with a rocker and ottoman, a rug, bedspread, and many individual gifts.

Mrs. Stella Jarrett greeted the guests. Mrs. Howard Miller and Mrs. Everett H. Everett alternated at pouring coffee. Mrs. Chris Patterson and Mrs. J. T. Weaver laded punch. Cookies and mints were served. Mrs. Travis Hilliard favored the guests with a variety of piano selections. Mrs. C. H. Everett registered about 75 guests which included Mr. and Mrs. Wade White of Carbon, father and mother of Mrs. Jim Everett.

Bro. Jack Thompson and Jack Myers took Sunday dinner with Mrs. Katie Barnhill.

Mrs. Harold Mills and small son and Miss Pauline Kelley of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Ida Simer Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Butler and Don visited with Mr. Butler at Snyder over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oxford of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Curry over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Elrod and daughter, Kay of Belton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. James over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee of Breckenridge visited with Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Curry Sunday.

Mrs. Gordon Woods and Louise visited with Mrs. Granuel Nabors and Connie Monday.

Mrs. D. A. Mauldin, sister of Mrs. Simer, who has been visiting

here for the past two weeks returned to her home in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mrs. C. I. James is visiting her mother and sister in Dallas.

Mr. Parton is slowly improving, but his daughter, Mrs. Jora Butler of Crane, is still at his bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lockhart visited Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Daniels of Eastland Sunday.

CENTER HARBOR, N. H. (UP)—Still standing on the Sturtevant farm here is the "Whittier pine," under which the poet John Greenleaf Whittier wrote some of his poems, including "The Forest Giant."

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**NEWS FROM Olden**

Olden, Feb. 22 (Sp.)—Mrs. Nettie Fox has returned from Fort Worth, where she had been visiting Mrs. J. W. Ray. While there she attended the stock show.

Miss Wilma Elliott has been absent from school for several days with influenza.

The R. A. basketball boys won

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over Moran in a tournament at Olden Thursday night. The score was 10 to 9. The Junior A team lost, 20 to 4, with Seranton.

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## BASKETBALL RESULTS

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 EAST  
 Holycross 71 Boston College 63  
 St. Johns 66 New York University 60  
 Cornell 68 Syracuse 55.

MIDWEST  
 Lawrence Tech 61 Indiana Tech 47.  
 Western Michigan 70 Butler 57  
 Joplin J. C. 76 Monett J. C. 57  
 Phillips Oilers 76 Creighton 51  
 Kansas Wesleyan 90 Bethany 63  
 Oklahoma AANM 49 Wichita 40

SOUTHWEST  
 Arkansas 61 Rice 38  
 Arkansas Tech 57 Arkansas St. 55  
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 Texas A&M 60 Texas Christian 58  
 Texas Tech 79 New Mexico A&M 48.  
 Southwestern Louisiana 81 Texas Baptist 70  
 Baylor 43 Texas 41  
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 North Carolina State 70 North Carolina 44  
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WEST  
 San Francisco 54 San Jose State 44

**Bauer Sisters Favorites In Florida Tourney**  
 ORLANDO, Fla. Feb. 22 (UP)—Goldfom's brilliant Bauer sisters of Midland, Tex., both were favored to advance today with their men partners as they teed off in first round play of the Orlando mixed four-ball golf tournament.

Sixteen-year-old Marlene Bauer and professional Denny Champagne of Orlando met Bea McWane of Birmingham, Ala. and Clay Gaddie of Cincinnati while Allice Bauer and Al Besselink of Detroit battled Katherine Hemphill and Burt Bolesta of Tampa. Marlene and Champagne qualified yesterday with a par 71 on the dubsred course while Alice and Besselink carded a best-ball 69.  
 Professionals Louise Suggs of Lithia, Ga. and Toney Penna of Cincinnati blazed to a six-under-par 65 yesterday but their mark was equalled by Marilyn Smith of Wichita, Kan. and Herb Miller of Gary, Ind.

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**STANDINGS**

Team	W	L
GANG	10	12
GAUGERS	14	14
AUTO-AIR	14	14
OFFICE	12	16

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Name	H.G.	H.S. Avg.
Chesley Tipton	256	161 167
C. D. Beck	199	560 145
J. B. WeeKees	211	543 161
W. T. Johnson	189	489 147
D. D. Pickrell	210	512 147

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 TEXARKANA, Feb. 22 (UP)—Carroll Shiffer, a young attorney who opened a law office only a year ago, will become Texarkana's next mayor.  
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AUSTIN, Feb. 22 (UP)—The body of Elmore Cato, 39-year-old city employe, was recovered yesterday from a treatment tank at the sewage plant where he worked.  
 Mansel Smith, assistant superintendent at the plant, said Cato, who couldn't swim, apparently drowned when he accidentally fell into the tank.

BORGER, Feb. 22 (UP)—One-year-old Jo Felker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Felker, was killed yesterday at her home when run over by a delivery truck.

AMARILLO, Feb. 22 (UP)—Amarillo voters will vote on \$3,000,000 school bond issue April 1st. The election date was set yesterday by the city school board.

SUGAR LAND, Feb. 22 (UP)—Loss in a fire which destroyed the recently-completed Palms theater was estimated today at \$75,000.  
 The spectacular blaze yesterday caused a tie-up of traffic on U. S. highway 59 running in front of the brick and stucco theater building.

The fire broke out at 4:30 P. M. when the theater was empty. Firemen from Rosenberg, Sugar Land and Richmond fought the fire in which no one was injured.

SEMINOLE, Feb. 22 (UP)—Fears for the safety of four Seminole persons overdue on a fishing trip to Mexico dissipated today with news that the quartet was safe.

Sheriff Bob McReynolds announced today that he had been informed by the American Consulate at Chihuahua City, Mexico, that Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Adamson and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crockett were enroute home.

They had been unreported since leaving here Feb. 14 for a three-day fishing trip to Lake Boquilla, Chihuahua, Mexico.

PALESTIN, Feb. 22 (UP)—BrisK winds were blamed today for fanning a fire out of control at the Vernon Calhoun packing plant and causing \$200,000 damage.

The fire extinguished yesterday after raging for eight hours in the three-year-old plant, which employed 42 persons.  
 Firemen believed grease dripping from curing hams caused the blaze.

SHERMAN, Feb. 22 (UP)—An application to drill an oil well within the Sherman city limits was submitted yesterday by the Empire Oil Company of Dallas.  
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by the city commission. Empire seeks to put down a test hole in the Eastern section of Sherman.

DALLAS, Feb. 22 (UP)—A 99-year prison sentence has been handed Louie Bird, 47, who pleaded guilty to the murder of his woman companion last Sept. 12.

A criminal district court jury fixed Bird's term yesterday after defense and state's attorneys agreed to the plea of guilty.  
 The slaying victim was 35-year-old Marie Webb, stabbed in the throat after performing a weird dance in a river bottom shack near Ferris.

**R.J.C. CAGERS INVITED TO A&M. TOURNEY**  
 Coach Boone Yarbrough announced today that Ranger Junior College has been invited to participate in the annual junior college basketball tournament at the college next month.

The tournament which is strictly an invitation event with invitations going to the outstanding junior college teams of the state. The tournament will be held March 1, 2, 3, at College Station and Coach Yarbrough stated today that his team has accepted the invitation.

Friday the RJC cagers go to Jacksonville where they will take part in the state finals in a tournament in which Amarillo, Ranger, Allen Academy and Lon Morris College will be entered. Ranger is booked to play Amarillo Friday night at 7:30 o'clock and Lon Morris and Allen Academy will meet the same night.  
 The winners of the two games and the losers of the games will be matched for the finals Saturday. The winner of the tournament is the winner of the state championship.

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## Society-Clubs

### Class Has Social Tuesday Night

The Willing Workers Class of the First Methodist Church was entertained Tuesday night at the social in the home of Mrs. T. C. Wylie who was assisted by Mrs. M. L. King.

The meeting was opened with a devotional prayer by Mrs. M. W. Brock and a prayer offered by Mrs. Arthur Deffebach.

In a business session plans were discussed for a bake sale to be held Saturday, March 4.

The next meeting of the class will be held Tuesday, March 14 in the home of Mrs. P. M. Kaykendall.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served to the following: Meses. Brock, Deffebach, W. M. Brown, Don Drennan, Rose Hopper, Kaykendall, L. A. Cosby, Linda Forney, Bruce Maddox, G. L. Justice, C. I. Wolford, Charles Hummel and Charles Matthey.

### Auxiliary Has Meeting Tues.

At the regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Carl Barnes Post of the American Legion held Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Legion hall delegates to the district convention were elected and plans made for a joint meeting with the Legion post Friday night.

Delegates to the convention will be Mrs. Howard Ellwood, Mrs. Ruby Young, Mrs. Bessie Sharp, and Mrs. E. C. Ward. Alternates will be Electra Pearson, Mrs. E. T. Hales, Mrs. Etta B. Shaw and Mrs. Jim Young. The convention will be in Stamford March 11-12.

D. B. Holmes, commander of the Legion post attended the meeting and took part in the Auxiliary's plans for the joint meeting Friday night at which time the district commander, Louis F. Jordan, of Abilene, and the district Auxiliary president, Mrs. Jordan, will pay their official visits to the units.

During the business session at which Mrs. Con Hazard, president, presided, Mrs. Ellwood gave a report on the sick and Mrs. T. E. Hales gave a report on the Auxiliary's child welfare work.

### Personals

Tom McManus of Dayton, Ohio, formerly of Ranger, visited Ranger friends Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Ameen and daughter, Sharon, have returned to their home in Houston after a visit with Mrs. Ameen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Brown and Mr. Brown's father, Joe Brown, have returned from Corpus Christi and Port Isabel where they have

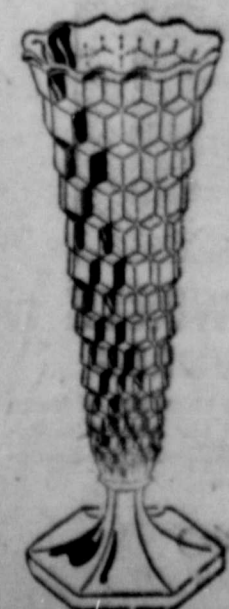
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## DENVER POST REVIEWS ERA OF DALLAS VIOLENCE

DENVER, Feb. 22 (UP)—The slaying of Ben Frieden in downtown Dallas 13 years ago marked the beginning of an era of violence connected with the Texas City's policy rackets, the Denver Post said today.

The Post, in the third of a series of articles dealing with crime in Dallas, summarized nearly a dozen incidents of a violent nature which have occurred over the years since Frieden's death.

The latter, until his slaying the "undisputed boss of the policy wheels" in Dallas, was shot to death as he sat with his chauffeur in an automobile parked on a downtown city street on a September afternoon in 1936.

"It was on that date," said the Post, "according to those tagged with the duty of trying to slip the badge permanently over the ugly head of the mob in Northeast Texas, that a new era dawned in the Dallas policy racket."

Today's article was the second dealing with the policy racket, a form of lottery which the newspaper said was engaged in principally by members of the city's 90,000 negro population.

One which appeared yesterday reviewed the method of operation of a policy setup.

The 11 incidents of violence or related to violence, listed by the Post as a part of the aftermath

know the priest and that robbery was his only motive.

"Nixon had been in the house after the priest had gone to sleep," Hunt said. "He probably went out and then slipped back into the room to get the car keys. The priest probably awakened and Nixon started beating him. Father Potrykus must have put up quite a struggle because the whole room showed signs of a fight."

Hunt said that Nixon took the priest's car keys, his watch, cigarette lighter and case. The youth also told him, Hunt said, that he took \$7.

Nixon had little to say while he was being taken from Arkansas Pass to the San Patricio county jail here last night, Hunt said.

Murder charges were filed against Nixon.

of the Frieden shooting were: The arrest of Benny Blinon for investigation of murder in 1936, the fatal shooting of Raymond Loudermilk, described—the newspaper said—by police as "a bootlegger and a policy racketeer", the 1946 slaying of Bob Mynard, who had been arrested in connection with the Loudermilk death, and the beginning of a long series of attacks on Herbert Noble.

Subsequent connections of Noble with the story included a second attack on him, the discovery of a bomb attached to the ignition of his car in February, 1949, an attempt by mysterious assailants to ambush him last Sept. 8, his wife's bomb death last Nov. 29, his ambushing last New Year's Eve, and an attempt on his life while he was in the hospital Feb. 7.

The eleventh incident listed by the Post was the slaying of Noble Delois Green, 31-year-old mobster who, the Post says, may have died because he failed in earlier assassination attempts on Noble.

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