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The Ranger High School basketball team will play a three-game series with the Eastland Mavericks to determine the winner of second place in the Eastland county basketball league, it has been announced, with the first game played in Ranger Wednesday night.

The Bulldogs will play Ellasville tonight in the Ranger gymnasium before taking on the Mavericks tomorrow night, and a charge of only 10 cents is to be made for the game tonight.

The second of the series of games will be played in Eastland Thursday night, and if neither team has won two games a third game will be played. A coin will be tossed to determine the site of the third contest, with the game played in Ranger Friday night, should Ranger win the toss, and in Eastland next Monday night, should Eastland win.

The game could not be played in Eastland before Monday because of a girls' basketball tournament to be played in the Eastland High School gymnasium on Friday and Saturday nights, the announcement said.

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Brown stumbled across eight miles of snow and ice, most of the time on hands and knees, to collapse before an Indian cabin on the mainland. He had dragged his frozen feet over jagged ice packs.

Behind him lay the bodies of his father-in-law, Claude Beardsley, 51, and Earl Cunningham, 33-year-old coast guardsman.

Keep Name of Long in Washington



A quiet, demure Senator Long of Louisiana will serve in the present session of Congress, a striking contrast to the militant, fire-breathing Senator Long of the last session. The widow of the slain "Kingfish," named to fill his unexpired term, here is shown with her children, as she prepared to take up her congressional duties. Left to right are Palmer Reid, Mrs. Long, Russell—whose resemblance to his late father is striking—and Rose.

STARVATION IS FEARED AFTER BIG BLIZZARD

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Winter's most violent attack of the century increased fear of starvation in many midwest communities today. Stinging cold today made the 21-day period the coldest three weeks on record in Chicago. The death toll over the nation mounted to more than 270.

Iowa, digging out of the worst blizzard in 40 years, was the most seriously effected. Householders unable to buy coal for two weeks, today could purchase only small quantities of groceries, meats and milk.

Farmers in Iowa and the Dakotas were burning corn cobs and stalks to keep warm in houses literally banked to the roofs with snow.

Temperatures were somewhat higher yesterday, but abnormally cold weather continued from the Rocky Mountains to the Atlantic seaboard. North Dakota reported 25 below zero today, while it was four below at Chicago.

Missing Flier Being Sought in Mountains

RIVERSIDE, Calif., Feb. 11.—Rain-soaked mountainsides, making the region all but inaccessible, today defied efforts to locate Lt. John Helm, long-missing army pilot, whose crumpled plane was found in the San Bernardino national forest yesterday.

Witnesses Due for Henry Trials Hiked To 114 As 27 More Asked By Judkins

Number of witnesses due for the trial of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Henry in 91st district court starting Feb. 17 increased to 114 Monday afternoon when Frank Judkins, attorney for the man, made application to District Clerk P. L. Crossley for issuance of 27 subpoenas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry are charged by indictment with connection in the murder of H. L. McBee May, 1933. Mrs. McBee is a former wife of the ex-highway worker.

The couple were charged after the skeleton was found hanging from a tree in a woods near Rising Star December, 1934.

A special venire has been summoned for the trial, one of which is scheduled to begin Monday.

Criminal District Attorney Grady Owen has made application for issuance of 51 subpoenas for witnesses at the trial. Previous to Judkins' application Monday, defense witnesses totaled 36. The list of Judkins and J. Frank Sparks, attorney for Mrs. Henry, is substantially the same.

Other witnesses for Judkins are as follows: E. B. Cheneweth, Brownwood; E. F. Walker, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Edwards, Wink; E. B. Pennington, Finnis Pennington; Mrs. E. M. Pennington, Wink; J. L. Smith, Joshua; Allie Tyler, Pioneer; Toke McRacklin, Blake, Brown county; Otis Golde, Blake, Duke Madison, Blake; Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Hickman, Blake; Sol Kingberry, Blake; Dee Justice, Flatwood; Gus Byrd, Flatwood; Math Justice, Flatwood; Arch Justice, Flatwood; C. R. Wright, Coleman; J. M. Wright, Coleman; Joe Proctor, Pecos; Guy Hart, Pecos; J. W. Singleton, Pecos; Lee Proctor, Pecos; John Proctor, Rising Star; Jess Parker, Andrews.

STORMS SWEEP OVER A LARGE AREA OF OCEAN

By United Press

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Ships along the coast of Europe fought mountainous seas toward shelter today in a roaring gale expected to last another day.

Messages from signal stations reported large and small steamers in dangerous situations. Ships were jammed in Plymouth harbor and other ports, seeking shelter. Naval exercises at Plymouth, Portland and Portsmouth were postponed.

Seven persons were known killed in the storm and three lifeboats which went in answer to calls for aid were unreported. Coast guards of the east, south and west coasts of Britain said they could not remember when they had had so many calls.

The gale extended over almost all of western Europe. It was accompanied in many places at sea by heavy rains that made visibility almost zero. The wind rose as high as 100 miles an hour.

American Bobsled Team Runs Fifth

By United Press

GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN, Germany, Feb. 11.—America's bobsledders, defending the title they won in 1932 at Lake Placid, N. Y., were dropped to fifth place in the four man event today, when teams representing Switzerland and Great Britain completed brilliant runs.

The American cause was not hopeless, however, for only a mere 3.65 seconds separated the American sled from the No. 1 Swiss sled which captured the lead with a dash of 1 minute and 18 seconds today.

Mexican Railroad Employees to Strike

By United Press

NOGALES, Ariz., Feb. 11.—The entire west coast of Mexico faced a tie-up of business today as employees of the Southern Pacific Railroad of Mexico served notice of a general strike starting Feb. 20.

The employees move was followed by an embargo on freight from the United States over the company lines. Railroad officials also issued an order that all freight from the effected Mexican states along the 1000 miles of the road's right-of-way, must be moved by Feb. 17, when operations will be suspended.

No Action Taken On Farmers' Demand

By United Press

AUSTIN, Feb. 11.—Dr. H. Y. Benedict, University of Texas president, declined to comment today on action taken by Central Texas farmers at San Marcos requesting the removal of Dr. A. B. Cox, head of the school bureau of business research for allegedly criticizing President Roosevelt and his policies.

"We can but let the matter rest on its merits. All I know of this is what I read in the papers," Benedict said. Dr. Cox could not be reached for a statement.

Relief Meet Called Off When Speakers Are Not Available

By United Press

Plans for a meeting for organization of a city-county welfare association in the immediate future have been abandoned because of non-availability of speakers desired, Texas Relief commission employees stated at Eastland Monday afternoon.

A conference of Dr. Jack Johnson, administrative consultant, of Denton, and F. A. Wells, district relief administrator, of Abilene, with County Judge Clyde L. Garrett resulted in this announcement.

VERDICT FOR OUTLAW

An 88th district court jury rendered judgment Monday for Rex C. Outlaw and others, who had been sued by Mrs. Mattie A. Melvin, on a verdict instructed by Judge B. W. Patterson.

The plaintiff excepted and gave notice of appeal to the 11th court of civil appeals.

World's Tiniest Babe: 1 Pound



Weighing exactly one pound at birth, her head only slightly larger than a regulation tennis ball, the world's smallest baby, Nancy Ann Voght, shown here with the ruler indicating how tiny she is, probably will develop into a normal, healthy baby, Oakland, Calif., doctors say. The child, born two months prematurely, is encased in cotton in an incubator and is given 30 drops of milk an hour from an eye dropper.

Farmer Will Open First Trench Silo In This Section

Alvin Mayhew, who lives on a farm in the Oakley community in Stephens county, stated today that he would open the first trench silo built in this part of the country, at his place in the southern portion of Stephens county Wednesday afternoon.

The trench silo was constructed last fall on his farm, under the direction of the county agent of Stephens county, and a large quantity of fodder was stored in the silo.

Mayhew constructed the silo, about three feet above ground and about 50 by 12 feet in area, after which he hauled a large quantity of fodder and stored it away for future use. The feed was covered with dirt, after a small quantity of water had been added, and the whole silo left for several months.

One end of the silo is to be opened Wednesday afternoon, he stated today, and the feed used as it is needed. This is the first trench silo used in this part of the country, according to Mayhew, though they have been used with remarkable success in many parts of the state during the past few years.

French Sea Plane Missing In Flight Across the Atlantic

PARIS, Feb. 11.—A dispatch boat was sent from Dakar, off the Brazilian coast today, to search for the four motored French seaplane, City of Buenos Ayres, with a crew of five and one passenger.

The plane, making its second round trip across the Atlantic last yesterday. It should have reached Dakar last night, but has not been reported since it passed 700 miles off the coast of Brazil.

Another missing plane piloted by a Cuban naval aviator one a good will flight to Spain, landed safely at Gambia today.

Road Contracts to Be Let This Month

By United Press

AUSTIN, Feb. 11.—February will see letting of road contracts totalling \$3,655,000 unless unforeseen delays occur, the state highway commission said today.

The commission today received bids on 20 projects, 19 will be bid upon tomorrow, 12 additional projects will be bid upon Feb. 25.

Included among the projects bid upon today were railroad underpasses on highway 2-A near Cleburne.

GRANT DIVORCE

Decree of divorce to Elmo Webster from Lula Webster by 91st district court was filed in district clerk's office Monday. Court costs were assessed against the defendant.

TEST PLANNED ON WELL NEAR CISCO TUESDAY

Beginning of production on the A. A. Wisdom and E. E. Parson No. 1 Gus Wende, six miles south of Cisco was scheduled Tuesday, according to reports.

Erection of storage tanks was completed Monday afternoon, it was reported.

While the hole was full of oil, gas pressure was not enough to cause any flow, it was stated.

The Wende was deepened six feet Friday, making it have a total depth of 3,234 feet.

The Ray T. Hoff No. 1 Mrs. S. A. Higgins Tuesday was drilling ahead. The well, near Staff, was spudded last week. The operator is seeking pay from the 1,454-foot strata, where a recent well proved successful.

The operations will be carried on with a spudder for the entire depth of the well.

It is reported a contract calls for the drilling of another well within 30 days in the Staff area by Hoff.

Officials of the Arab Gasoline Corporation indicated that No. 1 G. W. Thorpe, located on the approximate Eastland-Stephens county line near Leray, will be spudded this week. The rig erection was completed last week.

Breck District Cage Tournney Is On Feb. 21, 22

School officials have received the following information on the interscholastic league district 6 basketball tournament to be held in Breckenridge:

The basketball tournament for District 6, Region II, will be held in Breckenridge Friday and Saturday, Feb. 21 and 22. Admission will be charged for all games.

The proceeds from these games less actual expenses will be prorated among the participating teams. Teams that come from schools within a radius of 45 miles will not be furnished lodging; teams beyond this radius within the district will be furnished lodging for 10 men if desired, by writing before hand to the Director General, John F. Bailey. Reservations should be made by Wednesday, Feb. 19.

The teams entering this meet must be certified by the county athletic directors as the county champions. In addition, they must bring and present to the district director of athletics a list of boys who are eligible to participate. This eligibility list must be signed by the principal or superintendent of the school the team is representing.

The county winners of District 6 will play as follows:

First Round—Friday, 4 p. m., Erath County vs. Knox County; 7 p. m., Callahan County vs. Haskell County.

Second Round—Friday, 8 p. m., Stephens County vs. Shackelford County; Saturday, 9 a. m., winner Erath-Knox vs. winner Callahan-Haskell; 10 a. m., Palo Pinto County vs. Breckmorton County; 11 a. m., Eastland County vs. Breckenridge.

Third Round—Saturday, 1:30 p. m. and 2:30 p. m. Consolation—Saturday, 7 p. m. Final—Saturday, 8 p. m.

A trophy will be provided for the winning team. Eck Curtis of Breckenridge is athletic director of District 6.

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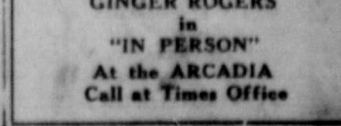
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Twelve chickens allegedly stolen from Marvin Hood Wednesday were recovered at a farm seven miles northwest of Eastland by Deputy Hill from a man, who assertedly stated they were obtained from Curtis on a trade.

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Brown stumbled across eight miles of snow and ice, most of the time on hands and knees, to collapse before an Indian cabin on the mainland. He had dragged his frozen feet over jagged ice packs.

Behind him lay the bodies of his father-in-law, Claude Beardsley, 51, and Earl Cunningham, 35-year-old coast guardsman.

Keep Name of Long in Washington



A quiet, demure Senator Long of Louisiana will serve in the present session of Congress, a striking contrast to the militant, fire-breathing Senator Long of the last session. The widow of the slain "Kingfish," named to fill his unexpired term, here is shown with her children, as she prepared to take up her congressional duties. Left to right are Palmer Reid, Mrs. Long, Russell—whose resemblance to his late father is striking—and Rose.

Eastland, Ranger To Play Series of Basketball Games

The Ranger High School basketball team will play a three-game series with the Eastland Mavericks to determine the winner of second place in the Eastland county basketball league, it has been announced, with the first game played in Ranger Wednesday night.

The Bulldogs will play Elvasville tonight in the Ranger gymnasium before taking on the Mavericks tomorrow night, and a charge of only 10 cents is to be made for the game tonight.

The second of the series of games will be played in Eastland Thursday night, and if neither team has won two games a third game will be played. A coin will be tossed to determine the site of the third contest, with the game played in Ranger Friday night, should Ranger win the toss, and in Eastland next Monday night, should Eastland win. The game could not be played in Eastland before Monday because of a girls' basketball tournament to be played in the Eastland High School gymnasium on Friday and Saturday nights, the announcement said.

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Allred Undecided About Man's Fate

AUSTIN, Feb. 11.—Gov. James V. Allred said today he will announce no decision on a requested commutation of a death sentence for Raul Galvan until Thursday. Meantime he was making inquiries about reported new evidence claimed by Carroll Smith, El Paso attorney.

Witnesses Due for Henry Trials Hiked To 114 As 27 More Asked By Judkins

Number of witnesses due for the trial of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Henry in 91st district court starting Feb. 17 increased to 114 Monday afternoon when Frank Judkins, attorney for the man, made application to District Clerk P. L. Crossley for issuance of 27 subpoenas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry are charged by indictment with connection in the murder of H. L. McFee May, 1933. Mrs. McFee is a former wife of the ex-highway worker.

The couple were charged after the skeleton was found hanging from a tree in a woods near Rising Star December, 1934.

A special venire has been summoned for the trials, one of which is scheduled to begin Monday.

Criminal District Attorney Grady Owen has made application for issuance of 51 subpoenas for witnesses at the trial. Previous to Judkins' application Monday, de-

STORMS SWEEP OVER A LARGE AREA OF OCEAN

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Ships along the coast of Europe fought mountainous seas toward shelter today in a roaring gale expected to last another day.

Messages from signal stations reported large and small steamers in dangerous situations.

Ships were jammed in Plymouth harbor and other ports, seeking shelter. Naval exercises at Plymouth, Portland and Portsmouth were postponed.

Seven persons were known killed in the storm and three lifeboats which went in answer to calls for aid were unreported. Coast guards of the east, south and west coasts of Britain said they could not remember when they had had so many calls.

The gale extended over almost all of western Europe. It was accompanied in many places at sea by heavy rains that made visibility almost zero. The wind rose as high as 100 miles an hour.

American Bobsled Team Runs Fifth

GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN, Germany, Feb. 11.—America's bobsledders, defending the title they won in 1932 at Lake Placid, N. Y., were dropped to fifth place in the four man event today, when teams representing Switzerland and Great Britain completed brilliant runs.

The American cause was not hopeless, however, for only a mere 3.65 seconds separated the American sled from the No. 1 Swiss sled which captured the lead with a dash of 1 minute and 18 seconds today.

Mexican Railroad Employees to Strike

NOGALES, Ariz., Feb. 11.—The entire west coast of Mexico faced a tie-up of business today as employees of the Southern Pacific Railroad of Mexico served notice of a general strike starting Feb. 20.

The employees move was followed by an embargo on freight from the United States over the company lines. Railroad officials also issued an order that all freight from the effected Mexican states along the 1000 miles of the road's right-of-way, must be moved by Feb. 17, when operations will be suspended.

No Action Taken On Farmers' Demand

AUSTIN, Feb. 11.—Dr. H. Y. Benedict, University of Texas president, declined to comment today on action taken by Central Texas farmers at San Marcos requesting the removal of Dr. A. B. Cox, head of the school bureau of business research for allegedly criticizing President Roosevelt and his policies.

"We can but let the matter rest on its merits. All I know of this is what I read in the papers," Benedict said. Dr. Cox could not be reached for a statement.

Missing Flier Being Sought in Mountains

RIVERSIDE, Calif., Feb. 11.—Rain-soaked mountainsides, making the region all but inaccessible, today defied efforts to locate Lt. John Helm, long-missing army pilot, whose crumpled plane was found in the San Bernardino national forest yesterday.

Relief Meet Called Off When Speakers Are Not Available

Plans for a meeting for organization of a city-county welfare association in the immediate future have been abandoned because of non-availability of speakers desired, Texas Relief commission employees stated at Eastland Monday afternoon.

A conference of Dr. Jack Johnson, administrative consultant, of Denton, and F. A. Wells, district relief administrator, of Abilene, with County Judge Clyde L. Garrett resulted in this announcement.

VERDICT FOR OUTLAW

An 88th district court jury rendered judgment Monday for Rex C. Outlaw and others, who had been sued by Mrs. Mattie A. Melvin, on a verdict instructed by Judge B. W. Patterson.

World's Tiniest Babe: 1 Pound



Weighing exactly one pound at birth, her head only slightly larger than a regulation tennis ball, the world's smallest baby, Nancy Ann Voght, shown here with the ruler indicating how tiny she is, probably will develop into a normal, healthy baby, Oakland, Calif., doctors say. The child, born two months prematurely, is encased in cotton in an incubator and is given 30 drops of milk an hour from an eye dropper.

Farmer Will Open First Trench Silo In This Section

Alvin Mayhew, who lives on a farm in the Oakley community in Stephens county, stated today that he would open the first trench silo built in this part of the country, at his place in the southern portion of Stephens county Wednesday afternoon.

The trench silo was constructed last fall on his farm, under the direction of the county agent of Stephens county, and a large quantity of fodder was stored in the silo. Mayhew constructed the silo, about three feet above ground and about 50 by 12 feet in area, after which he hauled a large quantity of fodder and stored it away for future use. The feed was covered with dirt, after a small quantity of water had been added, and the whole silo left for several months.

One end of the silo is to be opened Wednesday afternoon, he stated today, and the feed used as it is needed. This is the first trench silo used in this part of the country, according to Mayhew, though they have been used with remarkable success in many parts of the state during the past few years.

French Sea Plane Missing In Flight Across the Atlantic

PARIS, Feb. 11.—A dispatch boat was sent from Dakar, off the Brazilian coast today, to search for the four motored French air-mail plane, City of Buenos Ayres, with a crew of five and one passenger.

The plane, making its second round trip across the Atlantic last night, it should have reached Dakar last night, but has not been reported since it passed 700 miles off the coast of Brazil.

Another missing plane piloted by a Cuban naval aviator one a good will flight to Spain, landed safely at Gambia today.

Road Contracts to Be Let This Month

AUSTIN, Feb. 11.—February will see letting of road contracts totalling \$3,655,000 unless unforeseen delays occur, the state highway commission said today.

The commission today received bids on 20 projects, 19 will be bid upon tomorrow, 12 additional projects will be bid upon Feb. 25. Included among the projects bid upon today were railroad underpass on highway 2-A near Curburne.

GRANT DIVORCE
Decree of divorce to Elmo Webster from Lula Webster by 91st district court was filed in district clerk's office Monday. Court costs were assessed against the defendant.

TEST PLANNED ON WELL NEAR CISCO TUESDAY

Beginning of production on the A. A. Wisdom and E. E. Parson No. 1 Gus Wende, six miles south of Cisco was scheduled Tuesday, according to reports.

Erection of storage tanks was completed Monday afternoon, it was reported.

While the hole was full of oil, gas pressure was not enough to cause any flow, it was stated.

The Wende was deepened six feet Friday, making it have a total depth of 3,234 feet.

The Ray T. Hoff No. 1 Mrs. S. A. Higgins Tuesday was drilling ahead. The well, near Staff, was spudded last week. The operator is seeking pay from the 1,454-foot strata, where a recent well proved successful.

The operations will be carried on with a spudder for the entire depth of the well.

It is reported a contract calls for the drilling of another well within 30 days in the Staff area by Hoff.

Officials of the Arab Gasoline Corporation indicated that No. 1 G. W. Thorpe, located on the approximate Eastland-Stephens county line near Leary, will be spudded this week. The rig erection was completed last week.

Breck District Cage Tourney Is On Feb. 21, 22

School officials have received the following information on the interscholastic league district 6 basketball tournament to be held in Breckenridge:

The basketball tournament for District 6, Region II, will be held in Breckenridge Friday and Saturday, Feb. 21 and 22. Admission will be charged for all games. The proceeds from these games less actual expenses will be prorated among the participating teams. Teams that come from schools within a radius of 45 miles will not be furnished lodging; teams beyond this radius within the district will be furnished lodging for 10 men if desired, by writing before hand to the Director General, John F. Bailey. Reservations should be made by Wednesday, Feb. 19.

The teams entering this meet must be certified by the county athletic directors as the county champions. In addition, they must bring and present to the district director of athletics a list of boys who are eligible to participate. This eligibility list must be signed by the principal or superintendent of the school the team is representing.

The county winners of District 6 will play as follows:
First Round—Friday, 4 p. m., Erath County vs. Knox County; 7 p. m., Callahan County vs. Haskell County.

Second Round—Friday, 8 p. m., Stephens County vs. Shackelford County; Saturday, 9 a. m., winner Erath-Knox vs. winner Callahan-Haskell; 10 a. m., Palo Pinto County vs. Throckmorton County; 11 a. m., Eastland County vs. Breckenridge.

Third Round—Saturday, 1:30 p. m. and 2:30 p. m.
Consolation—Saturday, 7 p. m. Final—Saturday, 8 p. m.

A trophy will be provided for the winning team.
Eck Curtis of Breckenridge is athletic director of District 6.

MARLOW IMPROVED
W. C. Marlow, former Eastland resident, who has been seriously ill from pneumonia, has shown further improvement, a message from Rodessa stated Tuesday.

Ranger Times Guest Tickets Wednesday

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Our Debt Means Brief, But Not Disaster

It is a little hard to look at the most enormous peace-time deficit in America's history and find reason therein for slapping one's self on the back. Nevertheless, the trick can be done—and in this day of worry and uncertainty it is worth doing.

First, consider the circumstances. The treasury today is substantially more than \$30,000,000,000 in the red. The new bonus bill will put it farther behind by something approaching \$2,500,000,000. Return of the processing taxes will add perhaps another half billion. A new relief bill will be necessary before the year is over, and that may add another billion.

All in all, it seems as certain as anything can be that our debt will run beyond \$35,000,000,000 before the year is over. No one knows when it will stop going up, and nobody seems to know from where, under the benignant heavens, the money needed to pay for it is coming.

But America, after all, remains a democracy; and it is worth recalling that a democracy is the one and only kind of government that can suffer a strain such as this colossal debt involves without being forced to find a cure worse than the disease.

It is common knowledge that dictatorships almost invariably are warlike, but we seldom bother to figure out just why that is so. The answer seems to be that dictators have to be warlike to take their constituents' minds off their domestic troubles—in briefer language, to keep the dictators' jobs.

A dictator takes office because his country is in a supreme mess. He has to promise everything to get the job. He will make the sun shine and the wind blow, he will end unemployment, wipe out debts, restore prosperity, and bring about a rebirth of the nation's self-respect.

Being only human, he usually fails to do these things. He has to spend money like water, and his national economics get badly out of gear. Sooner or later, he is right up against it.

In that case, the temptation to pick a fight abroad is almost irresistible. War will delay the day of reckoning. If things go wrong, villainous foreigners can be blamed. If, by good luck, they go well, the dictator has a new lease on life.

Now it is hardly going too far to say that some such pressure as this drove Mussolini into Africa. Back of the marching columns stands the specter of an ever-mounting debt.

Fascism had gone as far it could go. It had to turn to war to save its hide.

And that brings us back to our original point. Living under a democracy, we at least know that our tremendous debt won't do that to us. It may bring us plenty of grief, but it won't shove us over the cliff into complete disaster.

Our soldiers won't have to go overseas to fight to save some all-wise duce or fuhrer from the necessity of admitting that he made a mistake.

THUNDER ON THE OTHER SIDE



MARKETS

Am Can	124
Am P & L	10 1/2
Am Rad & S.S.	24 1/2
Am Smelt	65 1/2
Am T & T	17 1/2
Anaconda	32 1/2
Auburn Auto	46
Avn Corp Del	6 1/2
Barnsdall	17 1/2
Bendix Avn	23 1/2
Beth Steel	56 1/2
Byers A M	24 1/2
Canada Dry	14 1/2
Case J I	108 1/2
Chrysler	94 1/2
Comw & Sou	4 1/2
Cons Oil	14 1/2
Curtis Wright	4 1/2
Elec Au L	39 1/2
Elec St Bat	52 1/2
Poster Wheel	37 1/2
Preempt Tex	33 1/2
Gen Elec	40 1/2
Gen Foods	33 1/2
Gen Mot	59 1/2
Gillette S R	18 1/2
Goodyear	29 1/2
Gt Nor Ore	17 1/2
Gt West Sugar	32 1/2
Houston Oil	14 1/2
Hudson Mot	15 1/2
Ind Rayon	30 1/2
Int Cement	43 1/2
Int Harvester	66 1/2
Int T & T	17 1/2
Johns Manville	117 1/2
Kroger G & B	26 1/2
Loq Carb	38 1/2
Marshall Field	12 1/2
Montg Ward	39 1/2
Nat Dairy	22 1/2
Ohio Oil	16 1/2
Penney J C	74 1/2
Phelps Dodge	35 1/2
Phillips Pet	44 1/2
Pure Oil	20 1/2
Purity Bak	15 1/2
Radio	11 1/2
Sears Roebuck	65 1/2
Shell Union Oil	17 1/2
Southern Pac	23 1/2
Stan Oil Ind	39 1/2
Stan Oil N J	60 1/2
Studebaker	10 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	38 1/2
Tex Pac C & O	12 1/2
Und Elliott	90 1/2
Union Carb	79 1/2
Un Avn Corp	30 1/2
United Corp	8 1/2
U S Gypsum	103 1/2
U S Ind Ale	41 1/2
U S Steel	57 1/2
Vanadium	26 1/2
Westing Elec	120 1/2
Worthington	32 1/2

Pretty Polly Altar Bound



Polly Ann Young, above, film actress, sister of Loretta Young, is ready to add some new duties to her already busy life—she's going to marry. Her friends learned of her plans when she filed intention to wed James Hermann, young film colony business man. Polly is 27; Hermann, 32.

Legal Records

Marriage Licenses Issued
Howard Willoughby and Hazel Martin, Eastland.
M. F. Manchester and Mildred Love, Desdemona.
Aurelio Flores and Margarita Delos Santos, Eastland.
Suits Filed in 88th District Court
W. S. Carter vs. A. D. Jennings et al., suit on notes and foreclosing of deed of trust.
Suits Filed in 91st District Court
S. L. Rogers vs. Bessie Rogers, divorce.
New Cars Registered
Reynolds Mfg. Co., 1936 Ford coupe.
T. W. Pittman, 1936 Chevrolet coupe.
A. W. Hubbard, 1936 Chevrolet standard sedan.
H. D. Smith, 1936 Chevrolet master.
J. W. Thomas, 1936 Chevrolet standard sedan.
W. H. Russell, 1936 Ford fordor.
Ray Nix, 1936 Ford pickup.
Hillman Able, 1936 Ford truck.
Ranger Furniture Exchange, 1936 Dodge pickup.
C. W. Fontaine, 1936 Chevrolet sedan.
John L. Ernst, 1936 Chevrolet sedan.

Drive Opens to Move Frigate Constitution

By United Press
WASHINGTON. — Lieut. Col. George E. Hays, commander in chief of the Military Order of the World War has urged chapters of the organization to support a move to bring the frigate U.S.S. Constitution to Baltimore.
Each chapter has been asked to consider a resolution to their congressman and to the naval affairs committee of both houses of congress to support the movement.

Your Income Tax

DUPLICATE RETURNS

To carry out the provisions of section 55 (b) of the Revenue Act of 1934, as amended by an act (Public, No. 40) approved April 19, 1935, every person (except nonresident alien individuals) required to file an income return for a taxable year or period beginning on or after Jan. 1, 1935, must file with the return a copy thereof on the duplicate form (green paper), which will be provided for that purpose, or a photostatic or photographic copy of the original return. Such copy must be a complete duplicate of the return except that the affidavits on the duplicate form need not be filled in. The copy on the duplicate form must also include any schedules and statements attached to the original return except (1) schedule C-1 (information to be furnished by corporations as to compensation of officers and employees in excess of \$15,000), (2) in the case of a fiduciary return the copy of the will or trust instrument, (3) in the case of a return made by an agent the power of attorney on form 935 or form 936, and (4) in the case of an insurance company the copy of the annual statement made to the state insurance department.

In accordance with the statute above mentioned, within a reasonable time after they are filed the copies of the returns will be made available for inspection in the office of the collector of internal revenue in which the returns are filed, by any official, body, or commission lawfully charged with the administration of any State tax law, if the inspection is for the purpose of such administration.

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BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON. — Unlike AAA

and NRA, the Guffey Coal Act probably will be killed by the U. S. Supreme Court before the country has a chance to learn how it would work.

The court has paralyzed enforcement of the act in advance. As the tribunal now is constituted, practically everyone is convinced, it won't stand for much of that ambitious plan for rehabilitation and stabilization of the coal industry.

Encouraged by fate of other New Deal legislation, coal operators—among them Andrew Mellon and his interests—have obtained injunctions in federal district courts relieving them from penalties provided for failure to go in under the coal code provided by the act.

Minimum price-fixing, based on costs, is the backbone of the whole scheme. And the National Bituminous Coal Commission hasn't been able to fix prices, knowing that the act would break down at once when the operators protected by injunctions cut their prices below those fixed.

No one saw any point in going before the court with such a mess on public view.

That's why it's so likely the Guffey Act will never have a try-out.

Some lawyers think only parts of the act will be tossed out by the court. Others say that if the majority line of reasoning in railroad cases is followed, the act will survive intact.

They doubt, however, that the present majority will follow precedent.

THE old supreme court room in the Capitol is being kept open and unchanged as a shrine for visitors to look at.

Prior to 1859, when the court took it over, it was used as the Senate chamber. Some of the greatest debates of the Webster-Clay-Calhoun period echoed through its narrow confines and it's this early history, rather than the court's occupancy, which is given as the reason for its preservation as "something extra special."

A HALF-FORGOTTEN incident of a recent senatorial history has been recalled here in trying to explain why Senator James P. Pope of Idaho tried to break up the manumissions investigation committee. It was Senator Pope, who, with Senator George of Georgia, walked on the committee and threatened to resign as the reason for its preservation as "something extra special."

You may remember that Senator Pope went abroad last year and sounded off so sensationally as to European politics and European-American relations that Senator La Follette of Wisconsin introduced a resolution of censure. The resolution was buried, but among those who voted for consideration of it was Chairman Nye of the manumissions committee.

Nye's vote is said to have rankled with Pope, all the more because he had bowed to Nye in the matter of the committee chairmanship to which Pope was technically entitled. When Nye voted his famous charge that Woodrow Wilson had "falsified," Pope was one of the many eager to lay upon the North Dakotan.

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Over a period of years, certain basic advances have been made in the selection and treatment of cigarette tobaccos for Lucky Strike Cigarettes.

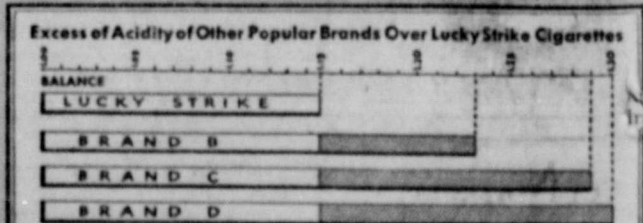
They include preliminary analyses of the tobacco selected; use of center leaves; the higher heat treatment of tobacco ("Toasting"); consideration of

acid-alkaline balance, with consequent definite improvement in flavor; and controlled uniformity in the finished product.

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Luckies are less acid

Recent chemical tests show that other popular brands have an excess of acidity over Lucky Strike of from 53% to 100%.

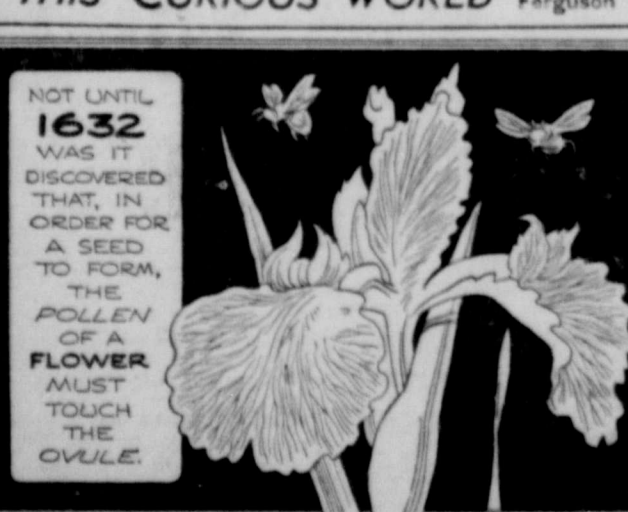


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THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



IT was Nehemiah Grew, an English naturalist, who first announced to the world that no flower seed could develop without the union of pollen and ovule. But the theory was so novel that scientists of his time were reluctant to believe it, and it was not until 1735, more than one hundred years later, that Linnaeus reaffirmed the theory.

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS--By Blosser



"OUT OUR WAY" -- By Williams



ALLEY OOP -- By Hamlin



Grocer Norris is Planning Appeal For His Freedom

By JOSEPH W. MILLER
United Press Staff Correspondent
LINCOLN, Neb.—Attorneys for George W. Norris, of Alva, Okla., central figure in the investigation conducted by a senatorial committee in Nebraska in 1930, are resolved to carry the

case to the U. S. supreme court, if necessary.
Norris in 1930 attempted to file for the U. S. Republican senatorial nomination against Sen. George W. Norris, of McCook. The 36-year-old grocer recently was convicted of falsifying before the committee and was sentenced to three months in jail and fined \$100 in federal court.
While his counsel is perfecting an appeal to the U. S. circuit court of appeals in St. Louis, Norris is free on a \$1,500 bond and continues his work as a grocery store manager at Alva where he received no

moved from Broken Bow, Neb., shortly after he announced his candidacy.
Norris contended he was the "innocent victim of a political trick" hatched by a group bent on smashing the political power of Senator Norris.
The dapper young grocer admitted at the trial that he was given \$50 to file for the nomination and an additional \$500 for "campaign expenses." This testimony was in conflict with his statements before Senator Gerald P. Nye's senate committee in 1930 that he neither

funds to run against Senator Norris.
Grocer Norris said he knew that influential Nebraska Republicans furnished the funds paid to him through an intermediary.
Evidence presented in court revealed the money was contributed largely by William Stebbins, of Gothenburg, state treasurer at the time, and also a candidate for the Republican senatorial nomination.
The grocer's name never appeared on the ballot. The Nebraska supreme court held that his filing papers arrived at the state capital a day late.
Victor Seymour, Lincoln attorney who was manager of the Republican national committee's western campaign office at Denver, recently completed a six months' sentence for perjury committed before the same committee.
The grocer will base his appeal upon the ground that it was a

senate resolution and not a statute that created the Nye committee and hence there was no perjury under a federal statute. An additional defense will be that he corrected his testimony at a second appearance before the committee.
Tung Oil Trees Are New Texas Crop
WOODVILLE, Tex.—The culture of tung oil trees in Southeast Texas has given a great impetus within the past several months when more than 82,000 seedlings have been distributed to farmers.
Tyler county farmers have pledged support to the program of tung oil production and five units of seedlings will be distributed in the section. Experts have announced the soil and climate are ideal for the growth of the new product.

The STRANGE CASE of JULIA CRAIG

BEGIN HERE TODAY
JULIA CRAIG, secretary to GEORGE WOODFORD, lawyer, is ambitious to become a night club singer. Because of this she quarrels with PETER KEMP, young lawyer who is in love with her. Julia shows an apartment with AMY SANDERS.
Woodford gives a party and asks Julia to come as a singer. Others in the party include CYNTHIA LEE, dancer; MRS. JOSEPH, widow; HUGH NASH and ROYAL NESBITT.
They go to Evergreen island, where Woodford has a lodge. There Julia meets TOM PAYSON, a young man who is a material witness. Woodford goes hunting and Nesbitt is injured. The party leaves immediately to get him to a doctor.
Julia gets a job singing on TONY LATTY's gambling ship, the scene. Payson frequently warns her to say nothing of what happened on the yacht.
SMITH GABRIEL opens a new night club and hires Julia as the featured singer. On the opening night she fears Payson is backing the club.
Nesbitt's dead body is discovered. Police question Julia and she is held as a material witness. Payson secures her release on bail and Peter Kemp offers to defend her.
Payson tells Julia he is in love with her.
NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXIV
PAYSON brought Julia back to the apartment, then telephoned Smith Garland that she would not appear.
"Was he angry?" Julia asked when Payson had finished.
"Not Smith Garland. He said he'd get a lot of pleasure out of telling them they wouldn't see Nadine White tonight."
Julia smiled. "He's a peach, Tom."
Payson took up his hat. His eyes were troubled. "Julia, you're not falling for Smith, are you?"
"I'm not falling for anybody," Julia told him.
But when Payson had left the apartment Amy guessed differently. "Payson was miles off, wasn't he, Julia?"
"What do you mean?"
"I mean you still like Peter Kemp."
"I never said I liked him at all," said Julia, taking up a cigarette.
NEXT afternoon, she received a frantic telephone call from Kemp.
"I must come right over," he told her. "It's important."
"Yes, Peter..."
It seemed to her that she had hardly replaced the receiver when she heard Kemp's ring.
"How ever did you get here so quickly from the office, Peter?"
He smiled quickly, and hurried into the room. "I didn't come from the office. I'm not with Woodford and Brooks now, Julia."
"You mean you're—quit?"
He nodded. "Of course, Julia. I'm going to be working against Woodford in this business. And I never liked him anyhow."
"But, Peter! You mean you've given up your place there to help me? Oh, Peter, I wish you hadn't done that! And it's so unnecessary."
He looked at her oddly. "Unnecessary?" he asked. "I'm afraid you're really in a spot, Julia."

"You mean—" "I mean that things are happening pretty fast against you." Julia sat down, staring at him unbelievably. "You talk as if I were going to be accused of murdering Royal Nesbitt."
"I'm afraid you are, Julia."

JULIA drew a quick breath. "But—but how can they say I killed Nesbitt?"
"You mean the motive?" Kemp frowned. "I don't know yet what Buchen will use. It may be that you wanted to escape from the yacht. He can prove you wanted to get away. He might build it up that you got into an argument with Nesbitt. I can't contend that the blow was a man's, not a woman's—because Nesbitt was stunned, then died by drowning." Kemp paced across to the table. "Or Buchen may build up some love angle. He's good at that."

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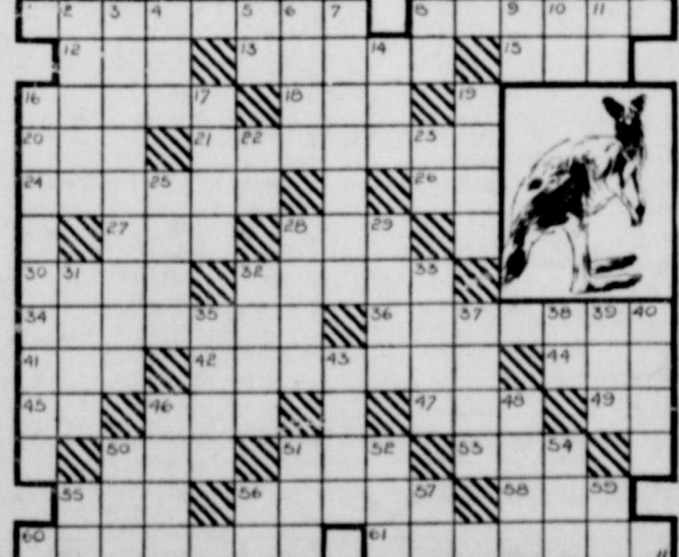
"But, no," Julia cried, half in answer to her thoughts. "They can't, Peter! They can't do anything to me, because I didn't do it!"
Kemp studied her a moment, then walked across the room and knelt down beside her chair. "Look here, Julia. I've got to get you out of this. But if I do manage it you have to tell me the truth. Don't you see? In order to be prepared for Buchen I have to know what really happened. You don't have to lie to me, Julia."
Suddenly Julia realized what he meant.
"Peter... Peter, you think that I—"
"I want you to tell me the truth, Julia."
"You suspect that I really may have killed him, and yet you'd help me?"
"You had good reason," Peter said. "I'm sure of that."
Slowly she regarded his eager young face, serious now with the weight of her troubles. "But you're not that kind of a lawyer, Peter. You don't believe in it—why would you do it for me?"
"Because I love you, Julia. Isn't that reason enough? I don't care what happens to me after this is over—but they mustn't hurt you."
"Oh, Peter!... Suddenly her arms had slid round his neck and she was sobbing. "I—I didn't think there was anyone in the world like you." She straightened, fumbling for her handkerchief. "But I didn't do it. I really didn't!"
He looked at her for several seconds without speaking, and she said, "Can't you believe me, Peter?"
Kemp nodded slowly. "Yes... I do believe you." He stood up, rubbed a palm wearily across his forehead. Then he laughed shakily. "That doesn't make it easier for us, Julia—but it does tell me this. They—Woodford and the rest of his

party on that yacht—know who did it. One of them is guilty, and they've banded together to make you take the rap. You don't belong to the crowd, so you're 'it.'"
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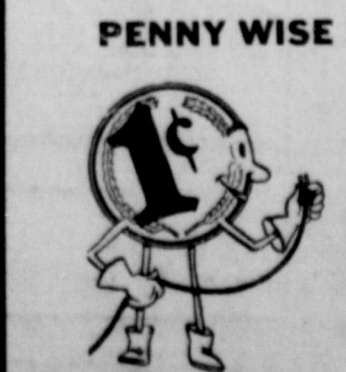
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8 It feeds on
12 Rattle bird.
13 Shaded walk.
15 Also
16 Relatives.
18 Cot.
20 Custom.
21 Passers-by.
24 Faculties of sensation.
26 Babylonian god.
27 Thick shrub.
28 Eye tumor.
30 Fence bar.
32 Kindly.
34 Changed.
36 Act of reposing something animal.
41 Unprofessional.
42 Opposed to outsider.
44 Self.
45 Exits.
46 Upright shaft.
2 To divert.
VERTICAL
3 Person of little account.
4 Gun.
5 Sun god.
6 Eyes.
7 Incubance of flesh.
8 Pair.
9 Preposition.
10 Nay.
11 Toward.
14 Poem.
16 It is found in
17 Hurried.
19 Russian ruler.
22 Like.
23 Note in scale.
25 Shoe bottom.
28 Covers with turf.
29 36 inches.
31 Exclamation.
32 To lease.
33 To ogle.
35 French coin.
37 Baby carriage.
38 Southeast.
39 Since.
40 It has hind legs.
43 Heathen god.
46 Lighting device.
48 Powder ingredient.
50 Tiny vegetable.
51 To excavate.
52 Fiber knots.
54 Hurrah!
55 Pronoun.
56 Form of "a."
57 To accomplish.
59 You and I.



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Circles Hold Study
Circles of the Women's Missionary society of First Baptist church met in circles Monday afternoon with hostesses for study taken from special Bible assignment.

North Hodges met in the home of Mrs. Carl Page and had for the lesson and an intensely interesting Mission study. South Hodges was entertained in the home of Mrs. J. W. Tibbles and devoted the entire meeting to an industrial session during which time a gift was finished for a young portage.

Cooper met at the residence of Mrs. W. T. Hazard and the time was spent in Bible questions and answers.

Mrs. E. C. White was at home to Young circle and Mrs. Bob Hodges had the book, "Sharing

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EXPERIENCED salesmen to call on retailers, wholesalers, jobbers and business concerns with line of paper products. Must come well recommended. Full time. Commission average 30 per cent. Commission possibility \$100 per week or more in restricted territory. Merchants Industries, Inc., Box 1028, Dayton, Ohio.

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Gangster Crashes Hollywood Society



The introduction of the nation's most notorious gangster to Hollywood's elite is one of the amusing highlights in the satirical melodrama, "Another Face," opening at the Arcadia Theatre, with Wallace Ford, Brian Donlevy, Phyllis Brooks, Emma Dunn, Alan Hale, Molly Lamont and Erik Rhodes.

With Our Neighbor South America.
Mrs. J. W. Tibbles will present the Royal Service program at the church next Monday afternoon, at 2:30, for the interest of the entire personnel.

Auxiliary To Discuss Plans for District Meet At Mineral Wells
The American Legion auxiliary of Carl Barnes Post, No. 69, will hold an important meeting at the hall Thursday night, at 7:30 under the direction of the president, Mrs. Al Tune during which period plans for the district meeting at Mineral Wells will be discussed. Other discussions of paramount importance will also come in for equal share of mention. Mrs. Tune is particularly anxious that all members attend.

Mrs. J. D. Revis Visiting in Dallas
Mrs. J. D. Revis is in Dallas this week visiting relatives, among whom are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rhicman.

"Art in the Life of the Child" Club Subject for Thursday's Meeting
"Art in the Life of the Child," a subject which is now being given much time in various club programs, will be led by Mrs. T. J. Powell Thursday afternoon when Child Study Club No. 2 meets in the home.

Given Leave of Absence For Month's Vacation
Rev. D. W. Nichol, minister of the Church of Christ, has been given a leave of absence in order that he may at this time enjoy a month's vacation. He leaves today for Seminole, where he visits friends before journeying to Nashville, Tenn., where he will spend most of the vacation at the home of his parents. Rev. Nichol has been confined to his home at intervals during the winter and his health at this time is not as satisfactory as his physicians would like. It is hoped by his large number of friends that the rest will fully recuperate him and upon his return he may again be able to enjoy splendid health and continue with his duties as minister of the Church of Christ.

Business Visitor in Mineral Wells
O. G. Lanier spent yesterday in Mineral Wells where he transacted important business matters with associates including A. E. Brooks, of the federal treasury department.

Valentine Party to Be Held With Mrs. Ruby Greer Hostess
Among Valentine parties of the week will be one of interest to members of the Woodmen Circle Grove, to be held at the home of the former guardian, Mrs. Ruby Greer.

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CORAL GABLES.—Helen Hicks says all that is required for women's tournament golf to reach the proportion of men's during the next several years is for the fair ones to get off their home courses.

This is to be a large season for the girls with the remarkable Mrs. Glenna Collett Vase leading a party to England in late spring.

Employed by a Chicago sporting goods company since turning professional in June, 1934, Miss Hicks' duties are to play exhibitions throughout the country to create added interest in women's golf.

"There are thousands of women playing in this country now, where a few years ago there were only a hundred," explains Miss Hicks.

"There are plenty of top-notch women players that you seldom hear about. A fine example of this point is Mrs. Estelle Drennen, of Tulsa. Mrs. Drennen has been the Oklahoma state women's champion for five years. She is a brilliant performer, but about the only time that she appears outside of Oklahoma is when she comes to Florida for a few winter tournaments."

Other members of the newer crop who promise to scale the heights include Dorothy Traugott, of San Francisco, who in her first effort to lift the national crown in 1934 was runner-up to Virginia Van Wie; 19-year-old Lilly Harper, of Norfolk; 17-year-old Betty Jamison, of Dallas; 17-year-old Clara Glander, of Monterey, Calif.; 17-year-old Marjorie Harrison, of Au Sable Forks, in the upper Adirondacks; and 15-year-old Dorothy Kirby, of Atlanta.

MISS HICKS, here for the first time, is the first woman to win the year's Miami Biltmore amateur championship, starting Feb. 4, declares that she deserted the medal chasers just for the fun of it—and a salary of proportion—because she had reached a sad state of boredom.

"I sat around home, reading or just loafing. I felt that I wasn't accomplishing anything. I didn't need money. My dad's president of a bank. The family's a little more than solvent, but I wanted to go to work. I couldn't be a stenographer, or follow a lot of other vocations, because I did not have the training. The thing I did best was play golf, so what could be more natural than to make the game my profession?"

Asked for her top tip to any player, man or woman, Miss Hicks replies: "Be relaxed and by all means swing smoothly."

WITH no attempt to rank them in the order of their ability, Miss Hicks lists the five rising stars she regards as most likely to achieve the top rung in the near future. They are Betty Berg, runner-up to Mrs. Vase in the women's national last summer; Charlotte Glatting, of East Orange, N. J.; Marion Milley, of Lexington, Ky.; Lucille Robinson, of Des Moines; and Miss Bauer, who registers from Providence.

Miss Hicks is particularly enthusiastic about the red-haired and freckled little Miss Berg, who possesses the ideal temperament. The Minneapolis lass has the strong hands of the superlative golfer.

Greer, Country Club road, at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon.

Party Held at Home of Mr. and Mrs. Gray
The Sunshine Girls entertained with a tacky party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gray, Friday evening, in compliment to number of young people who enjoyed the gala occasion to the fullest.

Prizes were awarded Mildred Rogers and Jim Hall for wearing the tackiest garb. Games were played and delicious refreshments served party guests; Marguerite Stevens, Mildred Rogers, Muriel Gray, Eloyce Hall, Zelma Mae Robinson, Josephine Robinson, Doris Dudley, Jern Moore, Ruby Frasier, Merle Plummer, Johnnie Bell Davis, Jim Hall, Jr., Jack Stephens, Merritt Hallow, Franklin Frasier, Ira Gray and Willard Gray.

W. M. U. Program Opened With Hymn "Jesus Calls Us"
A group of interested members of the Women's Missionary union, of Central Baptist church gathered at the home of Mrs. S. C. Mahoney, Monday afternoon for the inspirational program, prefaced with the singing of hymn, "Jesus Calls Us."

Mrs. H. S. Packwood, president of the union, gave the opening prayer, for the Bible lesson taught by Mrs. George Rogers. Plans were completed for the social to be held at the home of Mrs. G. C. McGowan Friday afternoon, Feb. 14 at 2:30. The entertaining Valentine feature comes as a tea and the usual silver offering will be taken at the close of the program. Every woman of Central Baptist church is cordially invited to attend.

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As the lesson came to a close the hostess, Mrs. Mahoney served a plate of cake and coffee.

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Political Announcements

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For County Judge: T. L. COOPER

For Sheriff: STEELE HILL
LOSS WOODS
Tax Assessor and Collector: CLYDE S. KARKALITS
C. H. O'BRIEN

For County Clerk: TURNER COLLIE
Commissioner, Precinct 1: HENRY V. DAVENPORT
(Re-election)

Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2: J. F. MITCHELL
J. N. McFATTER (re-election)

New Manager for Scott Store Here Arrived Monday

P. A. Reed, formerly of Tuscaloosa, Ala., arrived in Ranger Monday and assumed the management of the Scott Store here. He relieves C. E. Hutchins, who has been manager of the store for nearly five years. Hutchins has been transferred to New Mexico, where he will have charge of a store.

Reed stated today that he would move his family to Ranger just as soon as a suitable apartment can be found.

Ranger Man's Father Is Buried in Waco

Bob Burns of Ranger has returned to his home from Waco, where he went the latter part of the week to attend funeral services for his father, R. B. Burns Sr., who was buried there Sunday.

The decedent was well known in Ranger as he was here until about two years ago and was a familiar

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