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# Ranger Times

UNITED PRESS SERVICE BRINGS LATE NEWS OF THE WORLD TO TIMES READERS  
RANGER, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 8, 1933

A wild animal importer reports a bull market on bears at his New Hampshire farm. But Washington, D. C., still tops all other spots for monkey business.

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## KEEPING THROUGH THE KNOTHOLE

By BILL MAYES

It was a morning, almost disappearing under any local news, we spent considerable time listening to some cold weather yarns that were prompted by the blizzard of the two days. Some of the had to do with the cold spell of January, 1930 and some of the weather Tuesday and today. Reports on the lowest temperature recorded varied from 10 below zero to four degrees above, the extremes being registered on a thermometer at a Ranger and the other being reported at City Hall.

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## LUKE LEA AND SON FIGHTING PEN SENTENCES

By United Press.

JAMESTOWN, Tenn., Feb. 8.—Col. Luke Lea and his son, Luke Lea Jr., gathered their attorneys about them here today to renew their fight to escape imprisonment in North Carolina on bank fraud convictions.

## SENATE REFUSES TO ACCEPT HIGHWAY APPOINTEE TODAY

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Feb. 8.—The senate refused to confirm Frank Denison, Temple contractor, as a member of the state highway commission. Denison was appointed by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson.

## FORECLOSURE LAWS SOUGHT BY SOLONS

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Feb. 8.—The mortgage foreclosure relief bill was passed by the house 111 to 18 this afternoon amid a swirl of "Let the farmers know they have some friends in the legislature," members shouted.

## Next in Line as Doukhobor King



Two-Year-old John Verigin Doukhobor, may be named leader of the Doukhobor colonies in Canada if authorities are successful in deporting the debtor for the difference in what the property brings and the amount of debt.

## MRS. FERGUSON MAY SEND UP ANOTHER NAME

By United Press.

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Appointment of R. L. Daniel of Victoria for life insurance commissioner was confirmed.

Mrs. Ferguson now has the prerogative of sending another nomination to the senate for confirmation of the highway membership and can keep on sending them until the senate confirms one.

She will have the appointment of five state highway commissioners to serve from August of this year until January, 1933, under the terms of a five-man, elective highway commission bill, which today had a favorable report from the house highway committee.

The Mineral Wells cut-off, recently the subject of bitter conflict between Palo Pinto county and the present highway commission, entered into the hearing on the bill. Representative A. C. Kyle of Mineral Wells said he made his race for the house on that issue and that 90 per cent of the people were against the cut-off.

An elected commission with a member living in that district, would never have ordered the cut-off, another speaker declared.

The districts are outlined geographically instead of according to population. Under the bill there would be a highway commissioner from East, Central, Panhandle, West and Southwest Texas.

Plan To Use Scrip For Relief Work

BONNE TERRE, Mo.—A plan of unemployment relief through the use of scrip has been put into effect by the Citizens Unemployment Relief committee.

Scrip for the sum of \$1 to be used in making purchases from local business houses, is issued to needy and in payment for work on the city woodpile.

The committee also issues three-cent stamps, one of which is attached each time the scrip is used. The purchaser, therefore, gets but 97 cents in merchandise, and the merchant affixes the stamps.

There are 36 places for stamps on the reverse side of the scrip. When this space has been filled the scrip may be redeemed by the committee at \$1. Funds for redeeming the scrip is raised by the committee through the sale of stamps.

Blast In Ranger Causes Excitement

A small explosion at the rear of the Rogers Bros. Tailors, Ranger, about 10 o'clock this morning caused considerable excitement, but did no damage of any consequence.

An oil drum, which had been placed close to a fire at the rear of the building, had exploded, causing considerable commotion, but doing very little damage.

## COLD WEATHER EXTENDS TO COAST CITIES

By United Press.

One fatality was reported, Frank Hackney, 18, a carrier boy was found frozen to death beneath an interurban trestle at Dallas.

Midland was the coldest point in the state with a temperature of 11 degrees below zero. A biting norther pushed its way today over South Texas, threatening damage to row and citrus crops of the Rio Grande Valley and damaging grain on the northern plains.

Freezing weather extended to coastal cities. At Dallas, where it was three degrees above zero this morning, the weather was the coldest since 1930.

Warnings issued by the United States weather bureau gave stockmen, fruit and gardeners plenty of time to protect their property. Smudge fires burned in the citrus orchards of the valley last night.

At San Benito, where the mercury fell from 81 degrees yesterday afternoon to 28 degrees at 8 a. m. today, 10,000 acres of potatoes were damaged and bean crops destroyed.

The Dallas News today said it is "likely that a reduction of the Texas Panhandle wheat crop can be expected" on account of the 50-mile an hour gale which accompanied the blizzard. Damage to winter sown livestock losses were expected.

Temperatures reported to the weather office at Dallas included, 7 degrees at Wichita Falls, zero at Texarkana, 6 below zero at Big Spring, 3 below at Abilene and 8 below at Amarillo.

All who have not as yet purchased their tickets and who wish to attend have been urged to notify the Chamber of Commerce early tomorrow, in order that arrangements for the right number of places might be made. Due to the extremely cold weather for the past two days it has been almost impossible for those selling tickets to call on those who might attend and for this reason the ticket sales have been delayed a little.

## HANDSHAKER URGED AS AID TO ROOSEVELT

By FREDERICK C. OTHMAN

WASHINGTON.—Agitation for appointment of a strong-muscled individual, whose sole duty would be to shake the hand that wants to shake the hand of the president, increases as Franklin D. Roosevelt nears the presidency.

The business of shaking the hands of a million or so persons every year is enough to tax the strength of a Turkish wrestler or a professional weightlifter. It has left many a president exhausted and once forced President Hoover to bandage his right hand.

Coolidge did not mind the hand-shaking. Harding actually enjoyed it. Coolidge made the custom into a precise and sometimes amusing science. He could move a line of people along faster than any man in the history of the white house.

His system was to grasp a hand, and give it a strong yank in the direction of the exit. This procedure repeated every 10 seconds kept the line moving.

Mr. Hoover, who has had fewer visitors than Coolidge, made more destroyed. During a reception last fall he got the better of him. His hand got sorer and sorer until finally he had to seek the ministrations of Capt. Joel T. Boone, the white house physician.

Mr. Roosevelt always had enjoyed greeting people. His hand-clasp is strong, his smile is warm. The hand-shake reformers, however, believe that now is as good a time as any to quit an old but painful custom.

The reformers would have a handsome gentleman as white house greeter. The president would be picked for his good grooming, his suave tongue and his great strength. He would show the visitors the white house, tell them how glad he was to see them and shake their hands. The president thus could stay in his office and tend to business, while the reformers believe is much more important than handshaking.

## Oil Committee Holds Hearing

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Feb. 8.—The house oil investigating committee was to resume its inquiry into railroad commission activities late today.

A sharp conflict occurred when committee chairman, last night, sought to introduce a copy of a purported affidavit, allegedly made by K. B. Knox, commission investigator, that commission employees had been asked to contribute \$5 a month to a special fund.

## Ranger Elks Change Shows to Monday Nights

The weekly wrestling matches conducted by the Elks club of Ranger will be changed to Monday nights. The first Monday night show will be held next Monday, Feb. 13.

Old man winter took all the falls in last nights show as the public was unable to attend even though the wrestlers were on the spot ready to go.

All the passes put out last week by the Elks club will be honored by the club next Monday night. Every lady who has one of the complimentary passes will be admitted free the coming week.

The card may be slightly changed next week and will be announced in the advance publicity the latter part of this week.

The show for Feb. 13 will carry three main events. The club is now attempting to bring Ralph Sikes, Olympic champion boxer-here next week and have one boxing main event and two wrestling main events.

In the future it is hoped that old man winter does not take any of the customers for any knock-outs and that it will be so every one may attend the matches as they will be held every Monday night.

## Child Health and Protection Subject of Meet in Austin

Special Correspondent.

AUSTIN.—Objectives of the committee on the handicapped child, its prevention, maintenance and protection, of the Texas Conference on Child Health and Protection, are to collect statistics on the number of handicapped children in the state and of agencies for their care and protection, and to work out some recommendations for the correction and improvement of the present facilities, programs, and, if necessary, laws governing such work, according to Dr. W. E. Gettys, professor of sociology at the University of Texas and chairman of the handicapped child committee.

One section of the program of the Texas Conference on Child Health and Protection to meet in Austin will be devoted to the study of handicapped children, including the physically and mentally handicapped child, child placement and adoption, institutional and board home care, and juvenile delinquency. The findings of the sub-committee in charge of each of these phases of work will doubtless prove of great interest to workers in all branches of social welfare work in the state. Dr. Gettys pointed out. As a result of the data that has been collected by the committee, it is hoped that some feasible and far-reaching program can be worked out for the improvement of child welfare work in the care of the handicapped child.

Sub-committee chairmen in charge of the various phases of the handicapped child section of the conference are: Miss Hazel Beckham, secretary of the Texas board for the blind; Mrs. Violet Greenhill, head of the state child welfare division; Mrs. Louise Warnken, and C. M. Rosenquist of the university department of sociology.

## Two Face Charge Of Swindling In Fake Stock Deal

By United Press.

MCKINNEY, Texas, Feb. 8.—Mark Packard, 47, and Irvin A. Hoovel, 38, both of Dallas, faced charges today of theft over \$50 and swindling in connection with a transaction in which they represented themselves as stock salesmen. They were arrested in Oklahoma. Lawrence Holcomb, Cisco, filed the complaint.

## Envoys-Expect



Two of the most important ambassadorial posts to be filled by the Roosevelt administration are those in Paris and Berlin. Judge Robert W. Ringhaus, Louisville, Ky., publisher, is to be offered the French post. It is expected, Robert Dunham, Chicago banker, may be the new ambassador to Germany.

## GOVERNMENT URGED TO QUIT COMPETITION

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The Shannon committee today urged congress to restore millions of dollars worth of business to private hands by eliminating government competition in more than 20 fields of business.

Major recommendations in a 500-page report to the house, included:

That the government stop manufacturing its own supplies and buy them from private concerns.

That disabled war veterans be sent to private and municipal hospitals, where the government physicians, surgeons and dentists, instead of building more federal hospitals.

Government competition has reached such magnitude, that it threatens to stifle private initiative, the committee warned.

## Lumber Man Has Solved the Slump

By United Press.

PICAYUNE, Miss. When the business depression hit the country three years ago, lumber was one of its share of trouble.

Men who had been earning good livings suddenly found themselves out of work. Farmers were unable to sell their crops.

Today, however, the situation is changed. Every resident who local a job has one. The Bank of Picayune has 50 per cent of its deposits in liquid assets that could be turned into cash overnight.

It was done by Lucius Crosby, a board manufacturer. Crosby took stock of the situation and decided that something had to be done quickly.

So he divided 100,000 acres of idle land which he owned into small farms and built homes on them. Unemployed men and women were located on the farms, given 10 first class cows and two brood sows. He appointed supervisors, who directed crop production. Now everybody is happy. There isn't a person in town who hasn't plenty to eat and sufficient money to provide other necessities.

## YOUNGEST ORIENTAL Student Enters U. S.

By United Press.

HOWELL, Mich.—The youngest Oriental student ever permitted to enter this country in search of education has arrived here, preparatory to entering the University of Michigan.

She is Miss Kyung Shyn Song, of P'yong Yang, Korea, and her intention is to perfect her study of the piano at the state university.

Miss Song, who speaks no English, is visiting here at the home of her sister, Dr. Grace Song Line, wife of Winfield Line, Howell business man.

A special permit was obtained at Washington before Miss Song started her 12-mile journey to Michigan.

The further development of the Greek system and learning was slow and most of the education was developed in the (Continued on page 2)

## DON'T QUOTE ME

By United Press.

WASHINGTON.—When Senator Huey P. Long of Louisiana plays golf, buys Bibbles, or goes to bed he does it in spectacular fashion.

When the senator hies himself to the links he does his hieing in a lavender sweater. No ordinary lavender like an oldie or a funeral cap—but a flaming, sunburst, fuzzy lavender, a lavender like the sun coming up like thunder on the road to Mandalay, a lavender which makes the caddies blink, frightens the robins and causes the horses on the bridge paths to shy.

Upon this gorgeous purple chest the senator wears an embroidered "L" in glittering yellow. The "L" may stand for "Long," "Louisiana" or "Luck." The senator won't say.

His Bible buying cost the "king-fish" exactly \$800, because he wasn't paying much attention in the senate stationery store. He wanted a Bible for a bit of preaching in the senate and so bought one. He was pocketing his change when he noticed a still larger Bible on the shelf. So he bought that one, too, with the comment that "two Bibles won't be any too many."

Going to bed is a ritual that the senator keeps kaleidoscopic through frequent visits to the haberdashery. Whenever any of his pajamas—the tropical green ones, the furnace door red ones or the ocean-going blue ones—become faded he replaces them. The senator still continues his old New Orleans custom of receiving early visitors in his pajamas. Invariably the visitors are impressed.

## Eastland Lions Hear Talks On Farm Products

The Eastland Lions club opened with the singing of "America" at their noon luncheon Tuesday.

Program chairman for the day, J. C. Patterson, presented C. M. Evans, of Marshall, Texas, agricultural agent for the Texas & Pacific railway, who is accompanying Mr. and Mrs. R. Reppert in a good-will tour over the state in the interest of the community.

The tour is planned to instruct farmers as to proper fertilizers, and how to get best crop results, including as well instructions about bugs and how to control insect invasion.

In this speech Mr. Evans proved his familiarity with his subject.

Reppert is the "bug man" or entomologist from A. & M. College Station, and is accompanied by his wife on this tour.

Other guests were Miss Ruth Ramey and Mr. Floyd, the "roaming cowboy from Wyoming," who is yodeler, singer and harmonica player and entertainer at the Lyric Theatre, Tuesday and today, Wednesday.

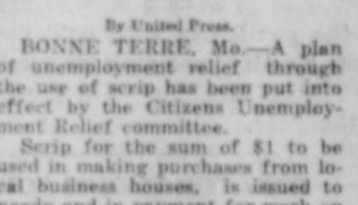
Mr. Reppert added his bit to the entertainment in a number of clever sleight of hand performances.

## FRICES ARE UP

By United Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 8.—Hog prices rose 15 cents per 100 pounds here today, cattle, eggs and butter prices followed the upward trend.

## THREE GUESSES



HE WROTE 'BANNANAGER' NAME HIM

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

SHALL WANT NO GOOD THING: For the Lord is a sun and a shield: the Lord will give grace and glory: no god thing will be withheld from them that walk uprightly.—Psalm 84: 11.

'No INCOMES NOW TO TAX'

James E. Ferguson has taxation views of his own. In a conference with Texas newspapermen he declared that "if the currency is inflated it will put things back level with the time the law was made." He advised that the money would be issued by the government without bonds. He said, "The promise of Uncle Sam is good enough," and stressed that if the money is backed by bonds is just means that much more interest. Then it was he coined a new phrase for the literature of the day, "I had rather have paper dollars and eat than gold money and starve." Speaking of tax measures, he is said to have expressed opposition to the income tax, giving as a reason, "There are no incomes now to tax." As for the sales tax he is for it first last and all the time. His argument, "The poor man who has a large family would get back many times his taxes by the per capita school apportionment and free textbooks for his children. The poor man is patriotic and has a large family. The rich man who does not have a family ought to pay more." According to the newspaper accounts of the interview, the former governor indicated he would participate in legislative discussions of the proposed tax bill. As for inflation, he very bluntly said, "I want to inflate just as much as they have deflated. We have been legally and officially hi-jacked by the deflators."

An educational campaign appears to be the order of the hour. There are times when facts, bluntly told, may be very ugly to the sensitive, but facts are facts as "pigs are pigs." Sen. W. A. King of Utah is a democrat. Just now Senator King is peeved at many of the congressional leaders of his party. He is for a drastic economy program all along the line. In an interview given to a Washington correspondent this so-called leader of Western democracy most emphatically declared that many democratic senators and representatives are "getting cold feet." In other words they stand still. They are neither looking backward or forward. Perhaps they are awaiting for the coming of F. D. He is said to have a very comprehensive program. In F. D. the gentlemen with cold feet are said to place their trust. Hectic times may be coming under the big dome in the city of Washington in the spring and summer months of the year.

SENATOR TYDINS FOR REAL ECONOMY

Senator Tydings of Maryland is a real economist. He would "cut to the bone." He would trim departmental appropriations and salaries all down the line. He would reduce the cost of federal government \$1,500,000,000, a year. Senator Tydings introduced a cut-to-the-bone plan. It was in the nature of a bombshell to the congressional leaders. First, they hesitated and then they acted by passing it on to F. D. and the new congress. Who was it said, in the long ago, "He who dallies is a dastard; he who doubts is damned?"

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

D. NELSON GAYNOR, editor of the Port Jervis (N. Y.) Union-Gazette, says:

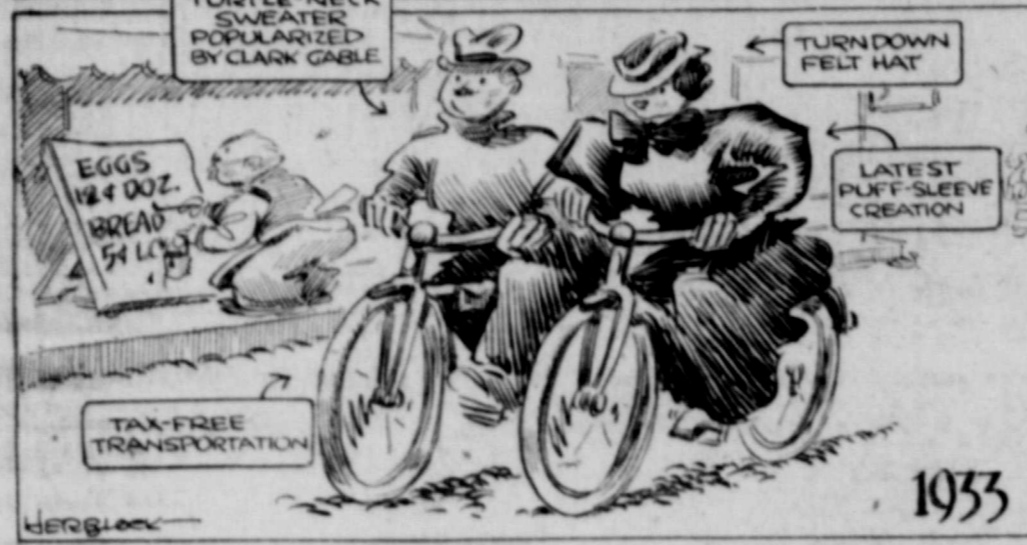
"Now, if ever, a business needs advertising as much as an anomic man needs a transfusion of blood. With prospects at the lowest ebb, with potential customers scarce and watching where every cent goes, the advertiser must use every effort to reach the people and convince them of his ability to serve them to the best advantage.

"Customers are not flocking anywhere just now. They are thinking over each purchase and trying to stretch every dollar to do the work of two. This applies equally to automobiles and pork chops, to furniture and coonskin coats. They are studying arithmetic and spending to the best advantage.

"Then there is something of an obligation to the newspaper. This organization is working every day to deliver the merchants' messages to the paper's readers. The merchant gets his space at a nominal sum, and often feels that he is doing the publisher a great favor by using a little space. He fails to realize that the overhead keeps on throughout the years, even if the merchant fails to use any advertising space regularly. The paper cannot stop every time the advertiser feels like retrenching somewhere. It has to keep going, to be on hand when the stock-keeper wants to use some space as a favor to the newspaper. Newspapers need the advertising as much as the stores need them, and any curtailment at times like these should be looked into carefully.

"The paper, the merchant, the reader—the triumvirate that holds each other together, the triangles in which each of the three sides must do its share."

World's Fair Styles

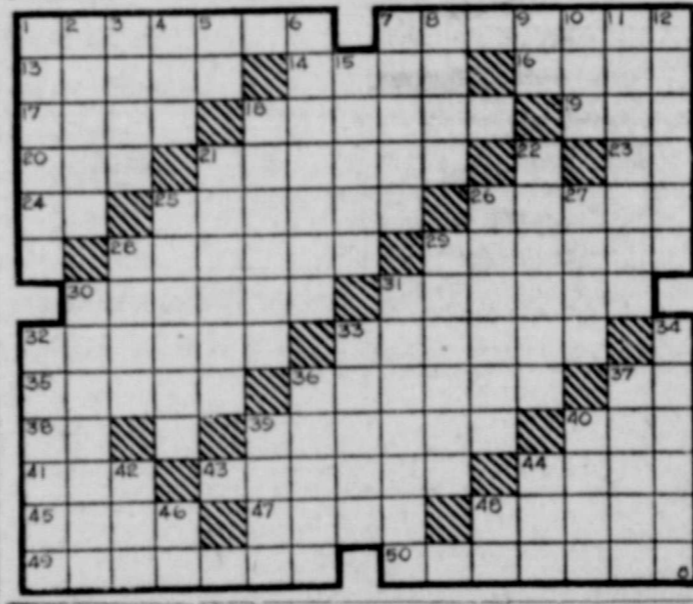


Markets

Table listing market prices for various commodities such as American Can, Am F & L, Am & F Per, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, A T & S F, Auburn Auto, Ayn Corp Del, Barnard, Bath Steel, Canada Dry, Case J I, Chrysler, Consolidated Oil, Curtiss Wright, Cont Oil, Elec Auto L, Elec St Bat, Fox Film, Freeport-Tex, Gen Elec, Gen Foods, Gen Mot, Gillette S R, Goodyear, Houston Oil, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Johns Manville, Kroger G & B, Lig Carb, Montz Ward, M K T, Nat Dairy, Ohio Oil, Pars Publix, Penney J C, Penn Ry, Phelps Dodge, Phillips Pet, Pure Oil, Purity Bak, R K O, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, Southern Pac, Stan Oil N J, Studebaker, Texas Corp, Texas Gulf Sul, Tex Pac C & O, Und Elliott, Union Carb, United Cigar, United Corp, U S Gypsum, U S Ind Ale, U S Steel, Vanadium, Warner Pic, Western Elec, Carb Stocks, Cities Service, Elec Bond & S, Ford M Ltd, Gulf Oil Pa, Humble Oil, Lone Star Gas, Stan Had Par, Stan Oil Ind.

League of Nations

HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle 10 Paddle. 11 To wall. 12 Decorous. 13 Written documents. 15 Baser. 18 Baser. 21 Chattered. 22 Salty. 25 Slid. 26 Lids. 27 Uncouth. 28 Throe. 29 Ferrule. 30 One who bets. 31 Disfigured. 32 Where does the League of Nations meet? 33 Auto body. 34 Table linen. 36 Genus of trees. 37 To fit. 38 Meaning of stick. 39 One who dwells. 40 Longed. 42 River. 43 Cures. 44 Side bone. 45 Chaos. 48 Sun god. VERTICAL 1 — Aires, city of Argentina? 2 Subsidiary building. 3 Drive. 4 Genus of cattle. 5 Form of "a". 6 Longed. 7 Cures. 8 Celtic deity. 9 Northwest. 37 Laughter sound. 38 Northeast. 39 Foot levers. 40 To cut off. 41 To make a mistake. 42 Consolation. 43 Bee's home. 44 Lead. 47 Mark. 48 Stream. 49 Excites. 50 Hangings.



more science has been seen in education than at any other period. Though not perfect at this time, he said, education has taken rapid strides and has caused much interest and study.

The speaker gave interesting statistics on education from 1917 through 1931, pointing out that Texas ranked 38th in payment of teachers. He said that teachers, more than business and professional men, should follow out the Rotary slogan, "Service above self."

W. C. Hickey made an announcement about the joint banquet to be held Thursday night. H. C. "Andy" Anderson gave the Rotary obligation to three new members, John Hassen, H. P. Earnest and Dr. G. E. Haslem.

Next week a program on scouting will be put on at the regular meeting.

"High Society Revue" to Play At Eastland

Fast and smooth, "The High Society Revue" will play at the Connelley Theatre, Eastland, Sunday and Monday. With catchy singers, good comedians and clever dancers who click right from the start, the 23-person act is the best vaudeville attraction brought here in several years.

"Flights of Stairs" have a decidedly new novelty. The Ryan trio, tapping in chains, offer some good entertainment, and Dorothea and Andrea turn in some smartly graceful adagio and a colorful tango. In all, David Briggs, master of ceremonies, introduces 200 bright and snappy acts.

Dorothea—who off the stage is Miss Dorothea Heirman—is an Austin girl, daughter of Mrs. Harry Heirman, a former Abilenean.

On completing her high school work in Austin, Miss Heirman studied with notable dancing instructors in San Diego for two years.

Marion county gained prior to Dec. 13, 1932, 4,323 bales of cotton.—Jefferson Journal.

Theford's Black-Draught "Good for Constipation"

"We have used Theford's Black-Draught in our home for about 20 years and have found it to be a reliable medicine," writes Mrs. J. G. Roberts, of Porterville, Ala. "A friend recommended it to me a long time ago and it has proved its worth to me. Black-Draught is good for constipation and to rid the system of the most horridly poisonous, I find that taking Black-Draught prevents the bilious headache which I used to have. I take a dose of Black-Draught, dry, as I need it." Thousands of men and women have found how well Black-Draught works in the relief of many little common disorders due to constipation. Costs only 1 cent or less a dose.

BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER, NMA Service Writer

WASHINGTON.—It would seem rather odd if this Congress should make tariff increases its only important achievement in the present session.

When you remember how the Democrats for years shrieked against the rates of the Hawley-Smoot act and what a big victory those same Democrats won in the election, you would hardly be supposing that any such thing conceivably might happen. You might even suppose that the Democrats would go on and lower those rates.

But this Congress is not unlikely to vote a law which would automatically raise tariffs against foreign goods in proportion to the depreciation of the currency in the country of origin. And if it doesn't there is still a fair chance that the next and heavily Democratic Congress will do that. The Republicans are for it and pressure is heavy on many Democrats.

The rapidly with which 145 signatures were secured in the House to discharge a committee from the tariff bill took a lot of folks by surprise. And the next Congress, regardless of its political complexion, will represent the same territory.

DEMOCRATS generally now prefer to ignore the tariff issue, despite the fact that not long ago it seemed to be the best—not to say only—52c they had. They tried to bury the bill aimed at depreciated currencies.

Such sincere tariff authorities as Senators Hull of Tennessee and Costigan of Colorado are concentrating on the facts of the situation and it is generally believed that they and President-elect Roosevelt expect to get together on a tariff bargain policy by which we would trade tariff concessions with foreign countries to the mutual advantage of all concerned.

There is no question that some American industries have been hit by competition from foreign countries which have gone off the gold standard—Japan in particular. If it is assumed that the Hawley-Smoot rates were justifiable it may be assumed that a boost of the rates now to meet foreign depreciated currency is justifiable. Trade competition is the chief reason for recently expressed sentiment in this country for persuading the rest of the world, especially England, to go back on the gold standard.

NO matter what one may think of Congress, it is to be hoped that due sympathy will be reserved for Mr. Patrick J. Hulihan, the bull-voiced reading clerk of the House who must be able promptly to identify each of the 435 representatives. There will be 150 or more new ones at the next session and sometimes Hulihan will even have to tell the speaker who is trying to gain recognition. He is now meeting as many of the congressmen-elect as possible and studying the photographs of others.

ANSWERS



THE portrait is of RICHARD WAGNER. The current size paper money has been in use since JUNE 1929. The abbreviation means FOR EXAMPLE.

Beware the Cough or Cold that Hangs On

Persistent coughs and colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified croscote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold action: it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth. Of all known drugs, croscote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for persistent coughs and colds and other forms of throat troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to croscote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the croscote goes on the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs. Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of persistent coughs, colds, bronchial asthma, bronchitis and other forms of respiratory diseases, as is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if a cough or cold, no matter of how long standing, is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. (Adv.)

"Listen! I'm no speed demon . . ."



—but I want an oil that is!

"NO SIR, you won't catch me doing 60! I'll take chances in a poker game—but not on the roads!"

"Still, you can bet I use that 100-mile-an-hour oil—Gulf Supreme!"

"Figure it out! A 60-mile-an-hour oil may get by. But the oil that can 'take it' at 100-miles-an-hour is a whale of a sight better, safer oil at ANY speed!"

That's good common sense. For such an oil gives you extra protection . . . extra resistance . . . extra ability to halt wear and lengthen a motor's life!

Can Gulf Supreme really take super-punishment? Here are the facts . . .

It has successfully lubricated a test motor running at nearly twice the heat of the normal speeding engine—for 14 solid hours!

And, on a sizzling August day, it amazed racing drivers at the famous Indianapolis Speedway. Under Official AAA supervision, it lubricated a flashing Duesenberg racer . . . in a one-hour, non-stop run . . . at speeds reaching nearly two miles a minute! An average speed greater than 100-miles-an-hour!

Switch to Gulf Supreme now—Winter or Regular. Its ability to take super-punishment means less spent on oil. Less spent on repairs. Longer motor life.

GULF SUPREME MOTOR OIL "The 100-Mile-An-Hour Oil"

WARNING! . . . OIL that isn't good at high speeds, isn't good enough at ANY speed! GULF GET THAT COOL GULF —it's fresh!

LEGAL RECORDS

Chattel Mortgages
C. C. Cross to Carter & Bagwell, Inc., 1933 Chevrolet coupe, \$463.
W. M. Chandler to Carter & Bagwell, 1933 Chevrolet coupe, \$496.

OUT OUR WAY



THE WORRY WART.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



By Cowen



Night Coughs

It's stops night coughing instantly and effectively because it dissolves the mucus. Swallowed slowly, it clings to the inflamed tissues, and loosens the mucus. Better than a gargle because it reaches the lower throat and chest. Safe for children. 25c and 50c sizes, all drug stores.

WISOR'S For Coughs and Colds

Want ads are cash in advance excepting made only to firms carrying accounts. Will accept want ads over telephone only on regular patrons.

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AUTOMOBILE LOANS-D. E. Alley, 209 Main st., Ranger.
BROWN'S TRANSFER & STORAGE CO., 411 1/2 W. Main, Ranger.
USE US FIRST for your auto. C. E. Maddocks & Co., Ranger.

SAFEGUARD YOUR HEALTH

Using hot water. Seventy per cent of the water used in the average home is hot water. Automatic gas heaters at a surprisingly low price.

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All Haircuts 25c

Shaves... 25c
Gholson Hotel Barber Shop
Basement of the Gholson

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES

Texas Electric Service Co.

NEEDS OF THE FAMILY CAN BE HAD HERE

Montgomery Ward & Co.
Ranger, Texas

Auto Windshields and Floor Glasses Replaced NEW, LOW PRICES
CLARKE'S Radiator & Body Works
Rusk St. Phone 511

WASH OIL GREASE ANY CAR \$1.50
CHECK SERVICE Garage
23 RANGER

SPOTLIGHT

Sheila Shayne, dancer, refuses to marry Dick Stanley, son of wealthy parents who was in New York trying to learn to write plays. Sheila's idea of marriage is a cozy little home far from Broadway. Although she has spent all her life on the stage she would be glad to leave the theater.

Part in a road show and in a little midwestern city meets Jerry Wyman, who seems to be a hard working young man with little money. Sheila does not know Jerry's father owns the factory where he works. For a time Jerry is attentive and Sheila falls in love with him. Soon his affection seems to cool. He writes infrequently and this makes Sheila unhappy.

Back in New York she gets a job in a fashionable night club. She sees Jerry there with some friends. He tells her he has tried to call her but she does not believe this and refuses to make an engagement with him.

She joins another road company and after several months they play in Jerry's home town. Sheila falls in love with him. She writes infrequently and this makes Jerry unhappy.

CHAPTER XXXIII
Jerry and Sheila entered the side door of the Grandmore Hotel. The corridor extending to that door led past cigar and newsstands to the lobby. But near the entrance there was a small parlor, usually vacant, known as the Rose Room.

With swiftly beating heart, Sheila preceded Jerry into this parlor. The mezzanine lounge was much too public for their talk.

There was no one else there. Sheila sat down on the broad-covered divan and Jerry dropped beside her. "Terribly sorry I can't ask you to dinner tonight, Sheila," he said. "How about tea?"

"I don't often indulge in that sort of thing but maybe it's one of your habits. Do you serve it here, or must we go to the dining room?"

She knew and Jerry knew perfectly well that they did not serve tea in the Rose Room. They did not, as a matter of fact, serve it anywhere. When tea was served in Spencer it was served at someone's home.

"You mean that you have an engagement?" Sheila asked. Then, brightening, she added, "Why not drop around after the show tonight? We are leaving at midnight but I can have my things packed and ready. Maybe" (her voice shook a little) "you could take me for a little drive?"

The rising inflection as she finished the sentence softened the fact that she was making the advance. She watched the young man at her side. Jerry was leaning back against the divan, one leg crossed over the other, swinging easily. His silver cigarette case was open in his hand.

Suddenly he snapped the case shut. And in that instant the situation became clear to Sheila. Jerry had made love to her. He had almost asked her to marry him. He had said that he loved her, promised to follow her to New York. Well—he had done that. He had gone to New York but not to see her. Sheila doubted that her being there had had anything to do with that journey. Jerry probably made frequent trips to New York. The Jerry she had met wearing overalls, carrying his lunch in a paper bag, had completely fooled her. The scion of a wealthy family working up from the ranks! Oh, but she had made herself ridiculous. It was a terrible laugh swept over her. She knew before he spoke what Jerry would say.

"I'm tied up at home tonight. Sorry." That and a charming smile. And her guess was correct. He said it almost in those very words.

"When are you returning to New York?" he asked after a moment. Jerry sat up straight, reached for his hat and made as if to rise. He was going now. She would not see him again.

"New York?" Sheila repeated. "Oh, we have 40 weeks' booking. We've hardly been out a month."

"A long season, isn't it?" "A long season, yes." He rose, twirling his hat in his hands, facing her.

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"But darling—" "You'll have dinner with me?" her voice was pleading. "Oh, Jerry, say you will! Telephone home. Tell them you'll be there by eight o'clock. That's early! The whole evening will belong to them. Do stay, Jerry!"

"Well, maybe—" But later, in her dressing room at the theater, Sheila reviewed the scene uncomfortably. How she had begged him! Her face grew crimson at the thought. How she had pleaded with him to dine with her! She, Sheila Shayne, who had been so proud of her independence!

Oil Production In U. S. Shows a Drop During Year 1932

AUSTIN.—The recorded production of oil in the United States for the year 1932 was 785,304,403 barrels, according to Elmer H. Johnson, industrial geographer in the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

"The recorded production is a drop under that of 1931," Mr. Johnson said. "In fact, recorded production has been steadily declining for the nation's total since 1929, when total production rose to 1,094,266,723 barrels.

"The data on recorded production show that Texas in 1932 furnished 40.32 per cent of the nation's total; this was far in advance of the other major producing states. California furnished 22.7 per cent, and Oklahoma 19.1 per cent of the nation's output. These three states together furnished 82.12 per cent to the output of the entire country.

"A large share of Texas production in 1932 came from the famous East Texas field, which produced 38.8 per cent of the recorded production of the state. It is of interest, however, to note that of the three pools comprising the East Texas field, only one—Longview—increased its production in 1932. The Longview pool increased from 26,257,287 barrels in 1931 to 45,725,947 in 1932; the J. O. Galloway pool decreased from 37,932,810 barrels to 37,131,836 barrels; the Kilgore pool from 43,537,815 barrels to 39,086,616. This makes a net gain for East Texas of 14,216,487 barrels.

"Production data for 1932 continues to show the preponderance of major oil fields. It was noted that the East Texas field contributed 38.8 per cent of total Texas production; East Texas with four other fields, including Yates, Big Lake, Hendricks, and Van, furnished 61.2 per cent of Texas production during the past year.

"In California, five fields, Santa Fe Springs, Ventura Avenue, Midway-Sunset, Long Beach and Kettleman Hills furnished 57.4 per cent of that State's production in 1932. Three fields, Oklahoma City, Earlboro, and Little River furnished 34 per cent of Oklahoma's production in 1932.

"Of all the major fields of the nation, most registered a decrease during 1932; only four showed an increase: Longview and Van, Texas; Kettleman Hills, Calif.; and the large area the Bradford-Alleghany which covers 105,500 acres in Pennsylvania and New York. The case of this latter district is remarkable in that the Bradford field and the Alleghany field reached their peaks of production in 1881 and 1882 respectively; in 1932 this area produced more oil than it did in 1887. This increase is due to the operating of flooding practices; by increasing flooding, it is said that these fields are capable of producing more oil than they did at their peaks of 50 years ago. The Oklahoma City field fell off 11,424,971 barrels, a decrease of 25 per cent under its production of 1931. According to a statement in the Oil and Gas Journal, this was due 'not because of any natural decline, but because crude oil buyers preferred to purchase East Texas oil because of that field's more favorable geographical position.'

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Leaving Jerry in the lobby, she had hurried to her room, dressed carefully and called Henri, the head waiter on the telephone. She had given the dinner order. The party was to be at her expense.

"Melon, Henri, and fillet of sole. Your best salad. An ice. And demitasse."

"In your room, Miss Shayne?" the waiter asked.

"No. I want dinner for two. And the corner table if it isn't taken." The corner table was cleverly concealed behind palms. Henri himself would serve the dinner. He would see that the food was excellent. Saturday night was a night of festivity at the Grandmore. There was always dancing there on Saturdays and music through the

Plan Uniform Jobless Relief

OLYMPIA, Wash.—The state of Washington is prepared to take over a uniform plan of unemployment relief. Governor Clarence D. Martin has selected a commission of five members to borrow funds from reconstruction finance corporations for the counties to extend the relief program.

Operating under provisions of a "home relief" act that was passed by the legislature in its second week here, the commission will see that every indigent is provided with the necessities of existence—food, clothing, shelter, light, water, etc.

The state is prepared to use \$10,000,000 for the work if necessary.

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IT IS A FACT, well known by leaf tobacco experts, that Camels are made from finer, MORE EXPENSIVE tobaccos than any other popular brand. We actually pay MILLIONS MORE every year to insure your enjoyment. (Signed) R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO. R. J. REYNOLDS, N. C.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



NEURITIS

If you have been searching for relief from neuritis and have not found just what you need, you will be glad to hear how thousands have gained relief from this terrible ailment.

Nature, after all, is the greatest healer, and that is why the natural mineral water, Crazy Water, is so effective in washing away the poisons of the body and leaving the system clean for Nature to heal. Crazy Water does not just temporarily relieve pain—it washes away the cause of the trouble. When this is done, Nature is free to restore the body to good health. Many thousands are now drinking their way to health with Crazy Water.

You too can drink Crazy Water inexpensively in your own home by merely adding Crazy Water Crystals to your drinking water. Crazy Water Crystals are nothing but the minerals extracted from the Crazy Water of Texas. Nothing is added. Crazy Water Crystals is non-habit-forming—it isn't a drug. It is merely Nature's greatest mineral water, for you to use to enjoy proper elimination without irritation. Remember, just add Crazy Water Crystals to your drinking water.

Local--Eastland--Social

ELVIE H. JACKSON TELEPHONES RESIDENCE 288

CALENDAR

Tonight After meeting all churches...

Thursday

Sunday Card postponed until date...

Music Club

Music club as their regular gram observance for Friday afternoon...

Attend Concert

Eastland will be represented by its party of local musicians...

Postponement

Due to the severe cold weather several affairs...

Readers Luncheon Club

Mrs. Grady Pipkin entertained several...

Mrs. M. C. Hayes

Hostess Clover Leaf Club Mrs. M. C. Hayes...

Contract Lectures

The Supervised Contract club sessions of Monday night...

BOVINE T. B. WIPED OUT

HELENA, Mont.—Nineteen of Montana's 56 counties...

Chest Colds

Best treated without "dosing" VICKS VAPORUB

Maddened Father Calls Showdown



Craced with grief when his son (Dickie Moore) is seriously hurt by the operations of a "hot-car" gang...

HERE-- AND THERE

By ELVIE H. JACKSON

A "How to Sell" brochure informs its public in large letters...

The judgment of Solomon may have been wonderful...

Who is this that calls Libby Cleveland "Little Owl"?

I have been trying to decide with Mary Brooks goes places...

No definite plans have been made for the senior activities...

Each club will sponsor at least one chapel program...

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Ranger High School Notes

JEWELLE JUDD, Editor

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Ranger Social News

ARRITTA DAVENPORT, Editor — Phone 224, Ranger

Program on "Leisure" is Well Given at P.T. A. Hour

As principal subject for the afternoon, "Leisure" was well discussed Tuesday afternoon...

Circles Meet in Joint Session

Circles Nos. 1 and 2 of the Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church met...

High School Band to Sponsor Benefit Dance Friday Evening

Members of the Ranger high school band, under the direction of R. L. Maddox...

Ruth Class Members Enjoy Luncheon

Seven members of the Ruth Sunday school class of the Central Baptist church were present...

Alathean Class Party Postponed

The Alathean Sunday school class party of the Central Baptist church has been postponed...

Ranger Personals

Foy Earnest, of Abilene is now employed at the Piggly-Wiggly grocery company...

TOWN PLAN ISSUE OF SCRIPT

LIBBY, Mont.—Libby and a number of other towns in Lincoln county, situated in the northwest corner of Montana...

Christian Missionary Society Enjoys Splendid Program

The Women's Missionary society of the First Christian church was well represented in membership at the meeting held Monday afternoon...

A splendid continuation of the missionary study filled the interesting hour...

The singing of two songs preceded the offering of prayer by Mrs. E. C. Shipp...

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His Death Probed



Bradway Brown, wealthy young Philadelphia printing man, who was found shot and killed in his Palmyra, N. J., home...

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PSYCHIATRIC TESTS FOR TRIALS

AUSTIN—Abandonment of jury trials to determine sanity, and substitution of psychiatric tests is proposed in recommendations of a Texas Efficiency Committee...

COMING! CONNELLEE THEATRE EASTLAND SUNDAY-MONDAY February 12 and 13 "HIGH SOCIETY REVIEW"

A company of 22 people. The unit coming here from the Paramount, Abilene.



ON THE SCREEN: Ernest Truex & Una Merkel A Metro-Goldwyn Picture in "Whispering in the Dark"

Sleeping Winter Awoke With a Wallop!

~but your gas supply was there when you needed it

Sleeping winter awoke with a wallop Tuesday and struck North Texas with a frigid blast from the Arctic.

Overnight the consumption of gas doubled and tripled—but an ample supply was there when you needed it.

Service like this is not an accident. It is the result of careful planning and ceaseless vigilance. Three hundred and sixty-five days per year your gas company maintains a distribution system and a gas reserve capable of meeting the demands of the coldest winter day.

To provide adequate service during the infrequent periods of near-zero weather requires larger mains, more employees and a greater gas supply than would be necessary if milder temperatures constantly prevailed.

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LYRIS EASTLAND LAST TIMES TODAY His Greatest Since "DAWN PATROL!" Richard BARTHELMESS CABIN in the COTTON BETTE DAVIS DOROTHY JORDAN ON THE STAGE THE ROAMING COWBOY

ARCADIA RANGER STARTS TODAY THUNDERS OUT OF THE HOUSE OF HELL ON WHEELS... THE DEVIL IS DRIVING EDMUND LOWE WYNNE GIBSON