

THE WEATHER
West Texas—Partly cloudy to night and Thursday. Probably rain and cooler southeast portion Thursday.

Ranger Times

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RANGER, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 5, 1933

PRICE FIVE CENTS

No. 29

Wisconsin girl who will inherit \$6,000 if she remains single three years, says no husband is worth that much. Lots of wives have spent years in finding that out.

Statement on Economic Conference Prepared

PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE with BILL MAYES

Advocates of a safe and sane Fourth could not find fault with the way we spent the holiday. We were no crazier than usual and came through the day safely enough. The nearest we came to insanity was when we tried to find a parking space in Eastland last night. People from the forks of the creek were present and it seemed as if everyone had an automobile parked somewhere around the town. The crowd milled around as crowds will, but we never did find out what all the excitement was about. Being a newspaperman we probably wouldn't. There was a fiddler or two performing, but we didn't linger.

The rest of the day was spent in loafing. In fact we got up early so we would have more time in which to loaf. Toward dark we did manage to get up enough energy to mow the lawn, otherwise it was another day wasted away.

Monday the Times forced worked until near game time then knocked off long enough to throw a scare into the National Guards. That is a habit of the Times club, playing just well enough and staging enough rallies to keep the game in doubt, then losing. We lost again by the margin of one run, which has become a habit, and, we again staged a last minute rally that almost won the game, but didn't. We still have hopes of winning one.

The Legionnaires and Barbers, which have been jokingly referred to as the hair cutters and wire cutters because B. S. Lemma played with them, postponed their game until Friday, while the Lions and (Continued on page 4)

ROTARY CLUB HEARS VARIED NOON PROGRAM

A varied program was presented at the regular weekly meeting of the Rotary club today when H. S. Von Roeder was entertainment chairman for the day.

The first feature of the program was two vocal selections by Gaston Dixon, who was introduced by Von Roeder. The two songs were a treat to the entire membership and were loudly applauded.

Mr. Von Roeder then presented each member with one of the new catalogues for the Ranger Junior College and gave a short talk on the advantages of the Ranger High School and the Ranger Junior College.

He said that the Ranger school system was one of which the people should be proud as it was as efficient as any system in any city or town the size of Ranger anywhere in the state. He pointed out that the high school profited by having the junior college in Ranger because all teachers must have degrees and experience before they could head departments in the college, thus assuring the high school students the best teaching ability that could be obtained.

He stated that the junior college depends on enrollment for support and urged the Rotarians to cooperate with the school again this year in securing members. He thanked the club for the aid they had given to some six or eight students by making loans for their tuition, saying it enabled them to attend school this past year.

He concluded by saying that Ranger had an opportunity of becoming one of the educational centers of this part of the state if the people would just arouse to the opportunities the educational institutions offer.

The next section of the program was a discussion and inventory of what Rotary is doing over the world and in Ranger. Ben Whitehouse, Edwin George Jr., Dr. Haslam and L. R. Pearson played off on the subject, stating that an insight on the other members vocations had been received through the classification talks and fellowship was gained and the value of service learned.

The program next week will be under the direction of L. R. Pearson. Visitors were Rotarian Whitfield of Breckenridge and Grady Pipkin of Eastland.

Named Grotto's Grand Monarch



Joseph B. Sieber, above, of Akron, O., is the new grand monarch of the Mystic Order of Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm. He was elected at the Masonic Grotto's convention in Chicago.

170 KILLED IN UNITED STATES OVER HOLIDAY

By United Press
CHICAGO, July 5.—The nation's independence day celebration cost the lives of at least 170 persons, a survey by the United Press revealed today.

Traffic accidents, drownings, plane crashes and fireworks explosions contributed the majority of deaths.

With fair weather over most of the country, automobile and crossing mishaps took the heaviest toll. In Michigan alone 23 persons died in automobile accidents. Sixteen died in California from the same cause and seven in Kansas. A heavy toll was taken by similar accidents in other states, with Pennsylvania having six, Ohio eight, Iowa five and Indiana five.

Woman Killed Seeking a Job; Negro Is Held

By United Press
SAN ANTONIO, July 5.—The trail of a job today had led to death for Mrs. Alma Dell Cable, whose body, bearing evidence of a blow from a milk bottle, was found in a fashionable apartment house here.

Police investigating the slaying found the woman had gone to the office apparently happy in the belief her want ad in a San Antonio newspaper had been answered and that she was to have a job as housekeeper.

Mrs. Cable's body was found fully clothed between the kitchen and dining room of the apartment. A shattered bottle nearby was believed the instrument with which the fatal blow on her head was inflicted.

Several hours later police arrested a negro man. Although he denied he had been in the apartment for the past three months, officers said they found a finger print on the bottle in the apartment which they identified as the negro's.

THREE GUESSES

GIVE THE NAME OF THE SCHOOER ON WHICH PRES. ROOSEVELT STARTED HIS VACATION CRUISE



Bill Mahon of Cisco Eastland Tourney Winner

Bill McMahon, 16-year-old high school student of Cisco, captured the 13th annual tournament of the Oil Belt Golf association here Tuesday by defeating Sam Conner, Eastland, 4-2 in the 18-hole final battle. McMahon also won the medalist honors last Saturday.

Taking an early lead, young McMahon stroked steady golf to capture the title. In the semi-finals, he defeated Gid Faircloth of Ranger, one up in a close match while Conner eliminated Scott Key, Jr., of Eastland, 3-2.

M. McCullough, Jr., of Eastland captured the second flight title by beating H. Slicker of Cisco, two up. Slicker had won over J. Harkrider of Eastland in the semi-finals by a score of 5-4, while McCullough took his match with Ford Hubbard of Cisco by default.

John Garrison of Eastland won the third flight honors by defeating O. E. Caudle of Cisco, 5-3. In the semi-final matches Garrison downed S. R. Page of Cisco with a 4-2 score while Caudle was taking M. Walker of Ranger into camp with a 2-1 score.

As a closing event of the tournament M. McCullough, Sr., of Eastland, after a short address in which he expressed Eastland's appreciation to the visitors, awarded the prizes to the various winners. Bill McMahon of Cisco was a double recipient, getting a pair of golf shoes as tournament medalist and a handsome hand truck as winner of the first flight. Sam Conner of Eastland received a fine leather jacket as runner-up in the first flight while H. Cole was awarded five dollars in trade at the Men's Shop as consolation winner.

As winner of the second flight, M. McCullough was awarded a gladstone bag while H. Slicker as runner up received a golf bag and the consolation prize of six golf balls went to Bob Sikes. John Garrison, winner of the third flight, was awarded a pair of golf shoes and O. E. Caudle as runner-up received a zipper toilet set. The consolation, four golf balls, went to H. S. Von Roeder of Ranger.

Ranger Is Winner Over Olden Team In a Close Game

The Ranger baseball club of the Tri-County league won a closely contested game with Olden Tuesday afternoon at Eastland, the score being 8 to 7 at the end of 12 innings. A double header had been planned, but when the first game went into extra innings there was not time for the night-cap game.

The winning Ranger run came in the 12th when a sacrifice fly, with a man on second, and a wild throw to head the runner off at third brought in the winning run. A good crowd saw the game.

The second half schedule of the Tri-County league is scheduled to start Sunday afternoon.

Lions Urged To Be Present at Meeting

J. E. Meroney, president of the Lions club, today urged all members of the club to be present at the regular weekly meeting to be held Thursday at noon.

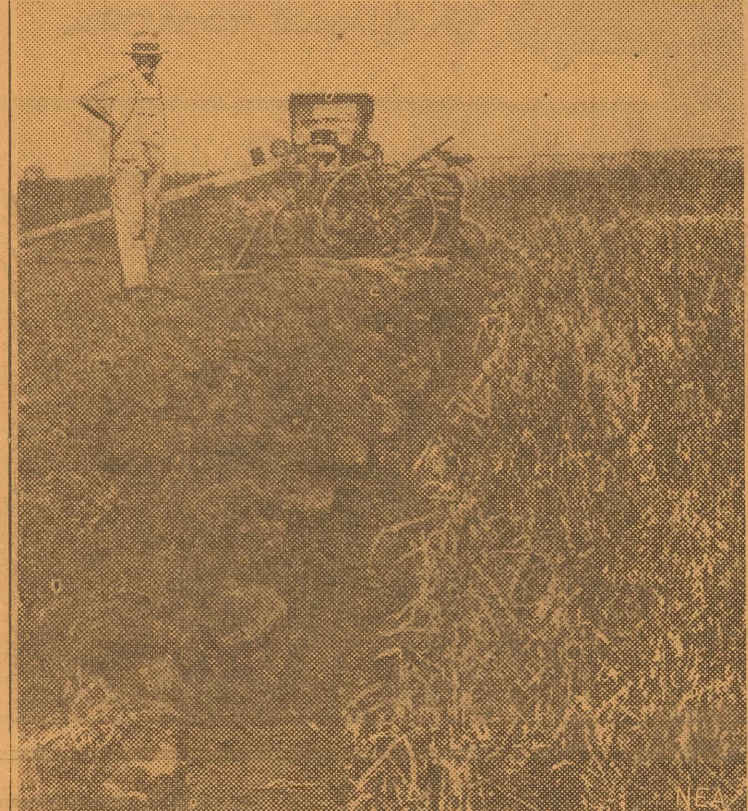
Dr. Harry A. Logsdon, a charter member of the club and a past president, will present something different in the way of entertainment, which the president says every member will enjoy and which will be well worth hearing.

This will be the first meeting of the new fiscal year and the officers are anxious to have as near a 100 per cent attendance as possible. The Lions are urged to bring a visitor with them to the meeting if possible.

Depression Is Over Board Trade Says

By United Press
NEW YORK, July 5.—The depression is over and the country is well on its way "to one of the greatest periods of stabilized prosperity" in its history, the New York Board of Trade declared today in announcing the results of a nation-wide survey which showed a decided business improvement in recent months.

Higher Prices—But for What?



Western farmers who for a decade have been pleading for higher grain prices are getting little pleasure out of the market boost, for most of them have lost a high percentage of crops in the intense early summer heat wave. George Dale is shown here on his farm near Dawson, Minn., plying under his crop of oats, so badly burned that it was not worth cutting as hay.

State Designation of Two County Roads Through Ranger Are To Be Urged At Highway Hearing Tuesday

The following are three county road projects which are to be presented at the hearing before the State Highway Commission at the meeting in Austin next Tuesday. These projects are the ones in which the people of Ranger and the Ranger territory are most interested.

Ranger-Pleasant Grove Road
This road extends from Ranger through Pleasant Grove to the intersection of State Highway No. 67, a distance of approximately eight miles. Eastland county has spent on this road \$272,242.46, and in addition the state has spent approximately \$100,000.00. This is a hard surfaced road, and in first class condition, and, in fact, much better condition than the average state highway. This road was originally intended to be a state designated highway, hence the large sum of money spent on same by both the state and county.

Eastland county, under the present conditions, and for several years in the future, will be unable financially to properly maintain

this road from its road and bridge fund. While this road is in good condition at this time, it needs some repairs, and without proper maintenance it will rapidly deteriorate and the original investment materially impaired.

This road serves a rich farming community adjacent to Ranger and Eastland and is the connecting link between State Highway No. 1 and State Highway No. 67.

Gorman, Ranger and Caddo Road
This road extends from Gorman north to Ranger and on to Caddo, Stephens county, Texas, connecting State Highway No. 67 at Gorman, with State Highway No. 1, at Ranger and State Highway No. 1-A, at Caddo. The distance from Gorman to Ranger is 15.74 miles, on which road Eastland county has spent out of its special road bond fund the sum of \$61,171.39. From Ranger north to the Stephens county line, a distance of 3.1 miles, this road is paved and represents an investment on the part of Eastland county of \$108,291.49. (Continued on page 4)

Canners May Be Purchased With RFC Funds Soon

The Ranger committee in charge of Reconstruction Finance Corporation work relief has received a communication from Lawrence Westbrook state relief and rehabilitation commissioner, stating that R. F. C. funds can be used by the committee in purchasing canning equipment and cans to be used in putting up food for the coming winter months. The money used for this purpose must come out of the monthly allotment for each community.

It is planned by the local committee to use a small part of the funds in purchasing canners and sealers, which can be used in the rural communities as well as in the city. These canners can be loaned to the rural communities whenever needed.

At present the dry weather has prevented canning to a great extent, but it is hoped that with rain within a few days many gardens will produce sufficient produce to do considerable canning in many of the communities. Cans, canners and sealers will then be ready for use, the food to be used in the community where it is canned.

The present canning equipment is to be used where there is enough produce to justify its operation and the smaller canners will be used when only a small amount of produce is received or where the canners are needed in rural sections.

Plans at first called for the purchase of a car load of cans for the county, but since the dry weather has killed much of the produce it was decided that each town would be required to purchase its own cans.

Boats and Planes Seeking Survivors of Atlantic Storm

By United Press
NEW YORK, July 5.—Seven coast guard boats and a seaplane searched windswept seas from Cape May, N. J., to Lewes, Del., today in a frantic search for 70 or more persons adrift on barges disabled by an unseasonable storm that wrecked half a dozen other vessels and sent at least five men to death.

No trace of any of the missing barges had been discovered by the coast guard fleet which, since dawn, had patrolled the waters, still lashed by the gale which created havoc off the Delaware capes Monday and Tuesday.

County Committees For Relief Named

AUSTIN, July 5.—Appointment of county relief committees in 143 counties of the state was announced by the state rehabilitation and relief commission. Appointments for other counties are being delayed for further investigation.

The selections are to be made public when the county commissioners court of the various counties approve the personnel. Letters are being sent to all chairmen of the committees now functioning in the various counties, informing them of the action taken.

At the meeting of the state relief commission here, director Lawrence Westbrook reported that a total of 1,843 project surveys with estimated costs aggregating \$394,000,000 have been received at the commission office. Complete applications have been received on 45 projects ready for transmission to the federal administrator.

At his bedside after an all night vigil were his wife, Mrs. Lillie Haskell and friends. Haskell, born March 13, 1860 in Ohio, had a long colorful career.

STORM TO HIT TEXAS COAST REPORTS SAY

By United Press
CORPUS CHRISTI, July 5.—Warnings to residents of beaches along this area of the Texas Gulf Coast to leave before nightfall for higher ground were posted today by the United States weather bureau.

A hurricane off the gulf coast is expected to strike this vicinity and southward to Brownsville early tomorrow.

By United Press
HOUSTON, July 5.—An advisory from the weather bureau at Washington today said a tropical hurricane probably would pass inland between Corpus Christi and Brownsville tomorrow morning.

The advisory was as follows: "Tropical disturbance, central about 25.30, 91.30 west about 350 miles almost due east of Brownsville, Texas, moving slightly north of west about 12 miles an hour."

"Disturbance has increased both in extent and intensity, now attended by shifting gales over considerable area and by winds of hurricane force near center. Indications are center will pass inland over South Texas coast between Corpus Christi and Brownsville Thursday forenoon. Caution advise vessels in and near pass."

Mexican's Common Law Wife Collects \$1,000 In Insurance

Judgment was rendered by Judge George L. Davenport in the 91st district court for the plaintiff in the case of Flora Ortego vs. the Metropolitan Life Insurance company. The evidence in this case was heard several weeks ago but the decision was delayed awaiting a brief that was furnished by parties interested in the defense.

The Ortego case is of interest not only for legal bearing of the decision but also because of its partial international setting. Ortego came to Eastland several years ago and was employed by the Texas & Pacific Railroad as a section hand. The employer furnished him with an insurance policy for \$1,000, as was their custom for all employees. He had the policy made to an uncle in Mexico as beneficiary.

Soon after coming here he began living with a Mexican woman, who was considered as his wife though no formal ceremony was performed. Merchants and business men of Eastland recognized her as Mrs. Flora Ortego.

About a year ago Ortego became ill and was taken to the company hospital at Marshall. He realized that he could not live and just before his death told the doctor and nurses that he wanted the beneficiary of the policy transferred from his uncle to his wife. Evidence indicated that he had heard some time before that his uncle was dead. The officials of the hospital notified the Metropolitan Insurance company, who had issued the policy, of his wish.

Before settlement was made a Mexican claiming to be the uncle gave an attorney at Dallas the power of attorney to act for him in the collection of the policy. The services of the Mexican consul was brought into the case and he filed an answer to the plaintiff's pleadings, asking that the money be paid to the original beneficiary.

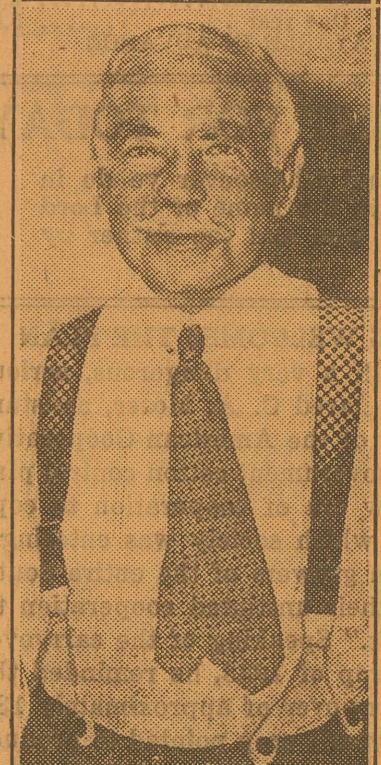
The effect of Judge Davenport's decision was to the effect that the dying request of Ortego though not written and signed by him was binding on the insurance company.

First Governor of Oklahoma Dies

By United Press
OKLAHOMA CITY, July 5.—Charles N. Haskell, Oklahoma's first governor, died today here. He had been semi-conscious since late yesterday when he was stricken with pneumonia. Weakened by three months of illness after a paralytic stroke, the sturdy constitution that had carried him through the struggles of pioneer days failed to respond to medical treatment.

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Kahn Reveals Own New Deal



Otto H. Kahn never had gone coatless in a public place, except when golfing, until he tasted the heat of the Senate banking inquiry room. Then he astonished his partners by revealing his braces and stiff-bosomed shirt.

NATIONS AGREE ON CURTAILING WHEAT CROP

By United Press
LONDON, July 5.—Delegates representing the United States, Canada, Australia and Argentina today reached agreement in principle on a "policy of temporary adjustment" to raise wheat prices, but agreed that cooperation of European consuming nations was necessary to any final solution of the problem. It was announced officially.

"The four overseas wheat exporting countries today agreed on a policy of temporary adjustment of production and trade to world demand, with the view of improving the price of wheat and liquidating the surplus stocks now hanging over the market," the statement said.

"They recognize, however, that a solution of the wheat problem depends upon the cooperation of European countries."

Little Community Has Anniversary

By United Press
WESTPHALIA, Texas, July 5. Ox carts and prairie schooners creaked across the roads of this parish July 4 in celebration of the community's golden anniversary. The parade of carts and wagons of yesteryear depicted the material progress of the agricultural community since pioneer settlers first arrived to turn the prairie into farms and homes in 1879.

In the rectory lay the gold vestments of the bishop, brought from Galveston by Father Otto Bauer, as symbols of the parish's spiritual progress.

Westphalia parish, located in Falls county, was settled by thrifty, progressive German Catholics. The average tourist speeding across state highway No. 2 between Waco and Temple falls to bits of Old Germany.

The community has a population of only 1,000, but the Westphalia church has six buildings located on 100 beautifully landscaped acres. The church, built entirely of wood in 1894, still is the largest frame church in Texas. Twice the little community has been honored with the convention of the Staats Verband, Texas Grand Catholic society.

REFINERY REOPENED
PECOS, Texas.—The 8,000-barrel plant of the West Texas Refining company has reopened here after a long shut-down, employing 30 men who had been removed to East Texas when the plant was closed last January.

MAY ADJOURN OR WORK OUT ITS PROBLEMS

Currency Stabilization Has No Part In Conference Roosevelt Contends.

By United Press
LONDON, July 5.—United States sources understand Prime Minister J. Ramsay MacDonald canvassed the delegates today, after which it was agreed that the steering committee would adjourn the world economic conference indefinitely at its meeting tomorrow.

The committee would meet again in two months to decide whether conditions would permit convening of another plenary session.

By United Press
LONDON, July 5.—With the fate of the world economic conference hanging in the balance, the United States and Great Britain agreed tonight to a joint statement, which, it was expected, would bear vitally on whether the conference is to adjourn or attempt to continue.

After Secretary of State Cordell Hull had talked by trans-Atlantic telephone with President Roosevelt, he conferred for 45 minutes with Prime Minister J. Ramsay MacDonald, president of the conference.

Prof. Raymond Moley and Sen. Key Pittman attended the conference. When it ended, Hull told the United Press an agreement would be issued tonight.

President Roosevelt's suggestion on how the world economic conference might continue its work were regarded as decidedly unsatisfactory by members of the sterling committee of the conference.

The president's suggestions, before being made public, were conveyed to members of the conference individually and informally. They later advised Hull that unless the president had something more to offer they felt the best solution was adjournment of the conference, with the exception of a few sub-committees.

It was reported new instructions from the president were even firmer than his telegram of Monday, which brought the conference on the verge of collapse.

Delegation members indicated the statement today would reiterate settlement of the currency question, was not essential to the conference's other important tasks and would urge the conference too work on economic questions.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, July 5.—President Roosevelt is standing pat on his firm administration attitude that temporary stabilization of currency has no part in the discussions at the London economic conference, it was learned today.

State Asked To Designate Roads Over the County

A county committee, headed by County Judge C. L. Garrett, is to go to Austin next Tuesday to attend a hearing of the Texas Highway commission, to urge the commission to consider and take some action of the county road pans as drawn up by the commission recently.

The maintenance of several of the county roads and designation of these roads as state highways is urged because the county is not in a position to maintain the roads and they will depreciate if maintenance is not obtained.

It is expected that the entire commissioners court, together with a committee from each of the five towns of the county, will make the trip to Austin to present the projects at the hearing, making a total delegation of from 12 to 15 members.

Italian Air Amada Enroute To Iceland

By United Press
LONDONDERRY, Ireland, July 5.—General Italo Balbo today lead his fleet of 24 Italian royal air force flying boats on the third stage of their trip to the Chicago exposition—a 950 mile flight to Iceland.

The planes were held here since Sunday by bad weather.

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

OUR AUTHORITY: And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him.—Colossians 3: 17.

TEXAS COOPERATIVES WELCOMES THE PLAN

"We are confronted with a very dangerous, serious economic conflagration," declared C. A. Moser, assistant vice president and secretary of the American Cooperative association. He termed the government cotton control plan a major step into that "new era of cooperation to cope with economic forces upon which society was entering." He predicted that the cotton growers of the entire South and Southwest would give their unstinted cooperation to the plan to insure its success." Speaking of the carryover and the prospects for the crop of 1933, he reminded the Texas public "we had a carry-over of approximately 13,000,000. Prospects for this year's crop pointed to production of another 15,000,000 bales. All the consumption we could reasonably look forward to was 13,500,000. Thus under such conditions we could not escape adding around 2,000,000 bales to our overburdened carryover. This would have meant a return to ruin of cotton prices."

H. H. Williamson is assistant director and state agent of the state A. & M. college extension service. He has advised that all community meetings will be held under the direction of county agents. He stressed that Texas was called on to agree the coming week to retire from production 4,493,000 acres while its quota in the campaign eventually will be 10,000,000 acres—"the amount Wallace considers the minimum if the farm relief act is to be effectively applied to cotton this year." Repeal of the 18th amendment may be a burning issue but the real issue that is uppermost is a governmental campaign of financial salvation for the cotton growers of this commonwealth.

Think of a carryover of 13,000,000 bales. Think of an estimated crop of 15,000,000 bales on the way. And then turn to the consumption figures of cotton for the last cotton year. According to the statisticians world consumption was less than 20,000,000 bales. There are many cotton growing countries. Of course, the cry of the theorist is that "the trouble is underconsumption and not overproduction." Price levels speak louder than words or theories. American cotton growers are going to be given the acid test in the near future.

FEDERAL TAX RECEIPTS VERY FLATTERING

A cheerful little earful comes from the capital of the nation: Widespread improvement of business in many lines was indicated in tax collections for May, "sending the total for the fiscal year since last July above the total of the previous year for the first time." Taxes on tobacco, beer, stock sales, and issues, gasoline, lubricating, checks, and numerous minor articles showed business in those lines was increasing. Total for the fiscal year, \$761,774,359, "the largest amount in recent years." Beer taxes brought the government 11 million dollars in May. Cigarettes brought \$9 million dollars, a heavy increase as compared with the previous month. Both cigars and manufactured tobacco showed small increases. Gasoline tax showed a resumption of summer use of automobiles and increased from eight million to 13 million dollars.

Guy T. Helvering is the new commissioner of internal revenue. He is responsible for an important ruling—"that dividends declared after June 15 are taxable." A reminder that the new law provides that all tax returns made under the act shall be open to public examination and inspection to such extent as shall be authorized by the president. It also provides that the new taxes may be declared void by the president at the end of any year during "which the government's receipts exceed its expenditures or when the 18th Amendment is repealed." A New Deal? Yes. "All down the line," is the pledge of the administration.

SECRETARY WALLACE A REAL ECONOMIST

Secretary Henry A. Wallace of the department of agriculture is a real economist. He has announced the market news service of the bureau of agricultural economics will be eliminated July 1 to save the department of agriculture approximately \$1,000,000 a year. Most of the 300 men retained at market centers for grain and livestock and cotton and other farm commodities will be dropped from the payroll.

Austin has a city manager. He has given public notice of the saving of \$30,000 annually in the consolidation of departments. In prosperous years new jobs were created at the public pie counter until one of 12 American citizens found a direct way to the government payroll through the public service trough. Now the elimination process is on. All public service employees should work at least eight hours a day until the 30 hour a week has been inaugurated by the great industrial corporations "all down the line." Unless the signs are misleading the short hour week is on the way.

Our children should be taught more about our government, our laws, and our mode of operation in the conduct of the country's affairs.

UNDER THE NEW INDUSTRIAL CODES



HOOKS and SLIDES
 BY BILL BRAUCHER



Anti-Climax

It was not Joe Cronin's fault. All through the see-saw game he had master-minded and fought—and fought and master-minded. Battling himself for the league batting leadership, with his team striving tooth and nail to keep the Yankees out of the league lead, Little Joe tangled with the fates in a recent game in Cleveland.

This time, for all his plety and wit, Joe Cronin lost a 7 to 6 decision to the fates, as expressed in the breaks of baseball.

The Setting

JOE'S Senators, with Al Thomas pitching, snatched a lead of three runs in the second. Walter Johnson's Indians tied it in the fifth. Washington forged a run ahead in the sixth, added another in the seventh and another in the eighth.

In the eighth, after two hits had been made off Tommy, Joe jerked him with none out. Before Relief Pitcher McAfee could get started two runs had drifted in. Taking the field in the last half of the ninth, the Senators clung to a precious one-run lead.

McAfee walked Porter. When he threw two balls to Galatzer, Joe waved him away and brought forth ancient Jack Russell. Russell finished the job on Galatzer by walking him. Cissell sacrificed the pair onward with a perfect

bunt. Boss singled in the tying run. Cronin was directing every move his players made, and he told Russell to walk the dangerous Averill.

The bases were filled, bringing all plays to the plate. Joe moved infielders and outfielders in with frantic gestures. Vosmik dumped one in front of the reliable Bluege, and the man on third was forced at the plate. Hat! Two out now, the bases filled and the score tied. The situation was easing up. Now there was room for hope.

Pitcher on the Spot

THEN the thing happened. With Kamm at the plate Russell threw ball one—ball two—strike one—ball three. What a spot for a pitcher! Joe came in, patted Russell on the back, exhorted, pleaded for a strike.

And the umpire said, "Ball four!" If ever a ball game hinged on one pitched ball that was the game—and if it should turn out in September that the pennant itself depended upon that very pitch that forced in Cleveland's winning run, what a tragedy for old man Russell!

Joe ran all the way to the clubhouse with Umpire George Moriarty, protesting, gesticulating. It looked like a strike to Joe. But of such stuff ball games are made, and pennants woven.

STOCK MARKETS TODAY

By United Press.			
Closing	selected New York	S O N J	
stocks:		Studebaker	39 1/2
Am Can	93 1/2	Texas Corp	26 1/2
Am Smelt	36 1/2	Texas Gul Sul	35 1/2
Am Pwr & Light	14 1/2	Tex & P C & O	5 1/2
Atelison	77	Und Elliot	37 1/2
Am Tel & Tel	130 3/4	Un Carb	43
Anaconda	19	United Corp	13 1/2
Auburn Auto	68 1/2	U S Gypsum	47 1/2
Avn Corp Del	12 1/2	U S Ind Alc	67
Barnsdall	9 1/2	U S Steel	61 1/2
Bendix Av	19 1/2	Vanadium	28 1/2
Beth Steel	46	Westing Elec	49
Byers A M	31 1/2	Western Union	60 1/2
Canada Dry	24 1/2	Worthington	34 1/2
Case J. I.	93 1/2		
Chrysler	37 1/2	Curb Stocks	
Comw & Sou	4 1/2	Cities Serv	4 1/2
Cons Oil	14 1/2	Elec B & Sh	26 1/2
Cont Oil	17 1/2	Ford M Ltd	5
Curtiss Wright	3 1/2	Gulf Oil Pa	60
Elec Auto Lite	24 1/2	Humble Oil	84
Elec St Bat	47	Lone Star Gas	10 1/2
Foster Wheel	21 1/2	Niag Hud Pwr	13 1/2
Fox Film	3 1/2	S O Ind	32 1/2
Freeport Tex	38	Total sales 5,800,000 shares.	
Gen Elec	35 1/2	Sterling \$4.46 1/2	
Gen Foods	38		
Gen Mot	31 1/2		
Gillette S R	13 1/2		
Goodyear	38 1/2		
Gt Nor Ore	14 1/2		
Houston Oil	34 1/2		
Int Cement	35 1/2		
Int Harv	42 1/2		
Johns Manv	53		
Kroger G & B	34		
Lig Carb	39		
Marshall Field	17		
Mont Ward	27 1/2		
Nat Dairy	24 1/2		
Penn Ry	37 1/2		
M K & T	16 1/2		
N Y Cent Ry	53 1/2		
Ohio Oil	16 1/2		
Packard Mot	5 1/2		
Penney, J. C.	45 1/2		
Phelps Dodge	15 1/2		
Phillips Pet	16 1/2		
Prairie O & G	15 1/2		
Pure Oil	9 1/2		
Purity Bak	21 1/2		
Radio	10 1/2		
Sears Roe	44		
Shell Un Oil	10 1/2		
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Kokomo News

Special Correspondent.

A large crowd attended and enjoyed the good program rendered by the Eastland trade trippers Friday night.

Aunt Joe Graham has been visiting her son, Whitt, and wife. Virda Mae Eaves visited Ima Louise Timmons Sunday.

J. C. Clerman of Lamesa is visiting friends and relatives of this community.

Miss Frances Neil visited Miss Alta Everton Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Annie Hendricks was the guest of Aunt Kit Shugart last Friday.

Miss Bernice Timmons is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cullen Rogers. Verna Eaves visited Dell Hagar Sunday.

Mrs. Lynn Reynolds is visiting relatives of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Parker visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Parker, Sunday.

Little Farris and Norris K. Hendricks spent a few days of last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hendricks.

Miss Minnie Goodwin has returned home after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Otis Dickey.

Mrs. Charlie Goodwin and little son, David spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Avenon.

Little Melvin Ussery spent Friday night with his brother, Clifton, and wife.

Mrs. H. H. Rogers visited her daughter, Mrs. Noble Hagar, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Leach visited Mr. and Mrs. John Timmons Sunday.

Clyde Fisher of Flatwood was here Sunday to see about conducting a singing school, but no agreement was made. However, we were glad to have him with us to help in the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan, Mrs. Wharton and Wardine are visiting relatives in Haskell.

Ova Lee McDonald visited Eunice Timmons Sunday afternoon. Stanley Woodall of Lone Star is visiting his sister, Mrs. Emma Shugart.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rogers were in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Timmons, a while Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Webb were here for the singing Sunday.

Paye Wharton and Ressee V. McDonald visited Mrs. Lora Graham Saturday.

BENEFACTOR

HORIZONTAL ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

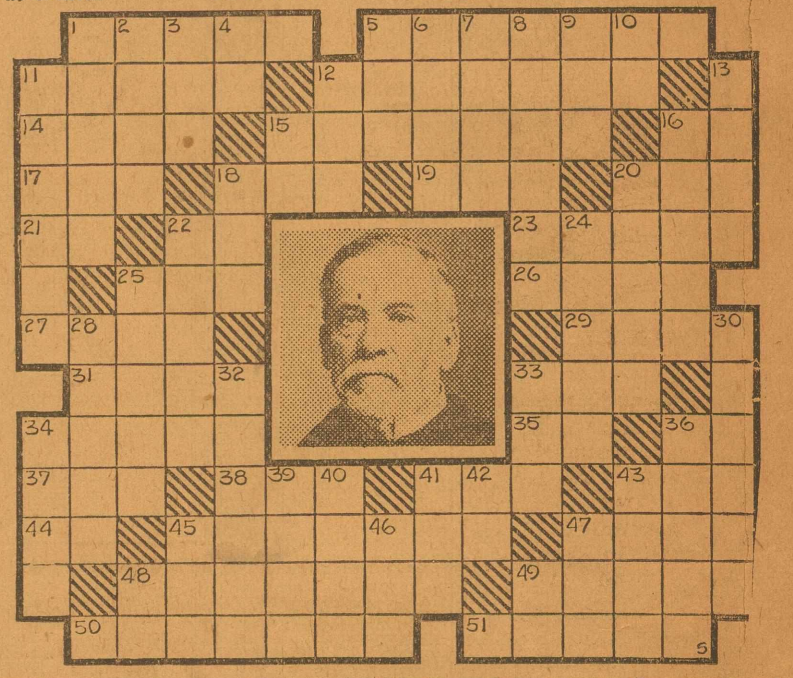
1 First name of the man in the picture? **JOHN**
 5 Last name of the man in the picture? **PERSHING**
 11 To bake as meats. **DRUID**
 12 Antenna (radio). **WEST**
 14 Projecting part of a building. **ADRIAN**
 15 To endanger. **ROCK**
 16 To depart. **LARGE**
 17 Vague. **TURN**
 18 Collection of facts. **ROE**
 19 Measure. **USURERS**
 20 Scarlet. **INDEPENDENCE**
 21 Hypothetical structural unit. **DAY**
 22 Half an em. **ONE**
 23 Yours. **VENOMOUS**
 24 Prophet who trained Samuel. **41**
 25 Half (prefix). **44**
 27 East Indian. **47**
 29 Homeless child. **48**
 31 Century plant fiber (variant). **49**
 32 To observe. **50**
 34 Rhythm. **51**
 35 Paid publicity. **ENCOUNTERS**
 36 You and I. **1**
 37 Wrath. **CENTERED**

VERTICAL

2 Hops kin. **2**
 3 To consume. **3**
 4 Neuter pronoun. **4**
 5 Vigor. **5**
 6 God of war. **6**
 7 Male ancestor. **7**
 8 Contaminates. **8**
 9 Measure of cloth. **9**
 10 You and me. **10**
 11 The man in the picture discovered a treatment to purify. **11**
 12 Eucharist. **12**

ANSWERS TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

13 To sugar. **13**
 14 With. **14**
 15 Elemental spirit. **15**
 16 Blackbird. **16**
 17 Fissures. **17**
 18 Exultant. **18**
 19 Chopped. **19**
 20 The choice part. **20**
 21 Musical drama. **21**
 22 What was the nationality of the man in the picture? **22**
 23 Pope's scarf. **23**
 24 To undermine. **24**
 25 The man in the picture discovered a treatment to purify. **25**
 26 Does not depart. **26**
 27 Arrived. **27**
 28 Military commander in Arabia. **28**
 29 Social insect. **29**
 30 Street (abbr.). **30**
 31 Wagon. **31**
 32 Feat. **32**
 33 Donkey-like beast. **33**
 34 Falschoud. **34**
 35 Credit (abbr.). **35**
 36 Myself. **36**



AIRPLANE DELIVERS BABY'S FOOD

DALLAS.—Every day an airplane leaves here with breakfast for Mary Ann Neuhoft, 14-months-old sojourner at Galveston, 300 miles away. It is the only way Mary Ann's mother can spend her vacation on the gulf, Mrs. Henry Neuhoft Jr. explained, because "baby just must have her specially prepared food."

SQUIRREL IS A TIGHTROPE WALKER

MELROSE, Mass.—A tightrope walking squirrel daily entertains the Highlands section of this city by scooting along a cable strung between electric light poles. Block after block the squirrel traverses 30 feet above the sidewalk with a wire little bigger than one's thumb for footing.

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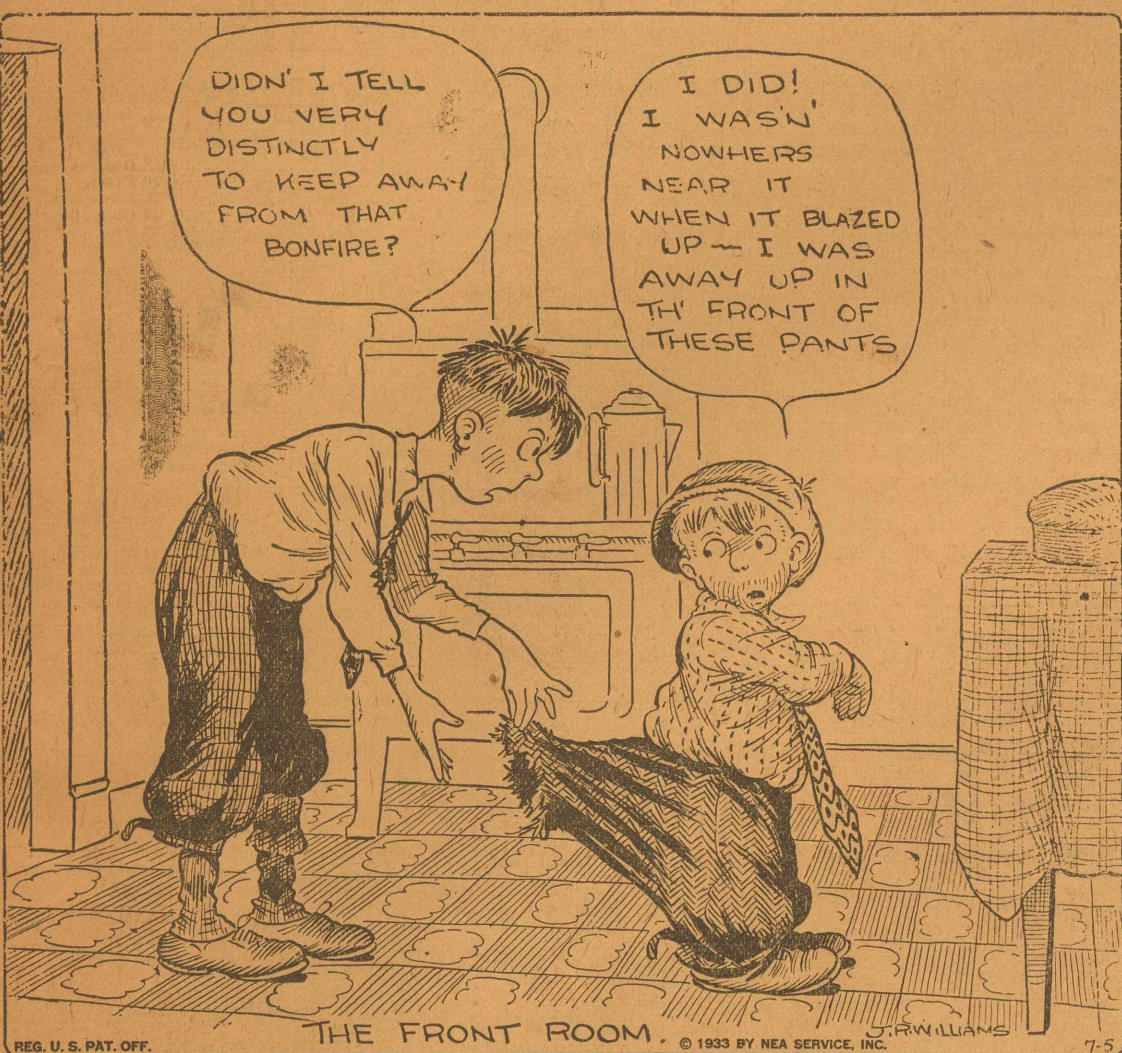
My reason for liking Luckies
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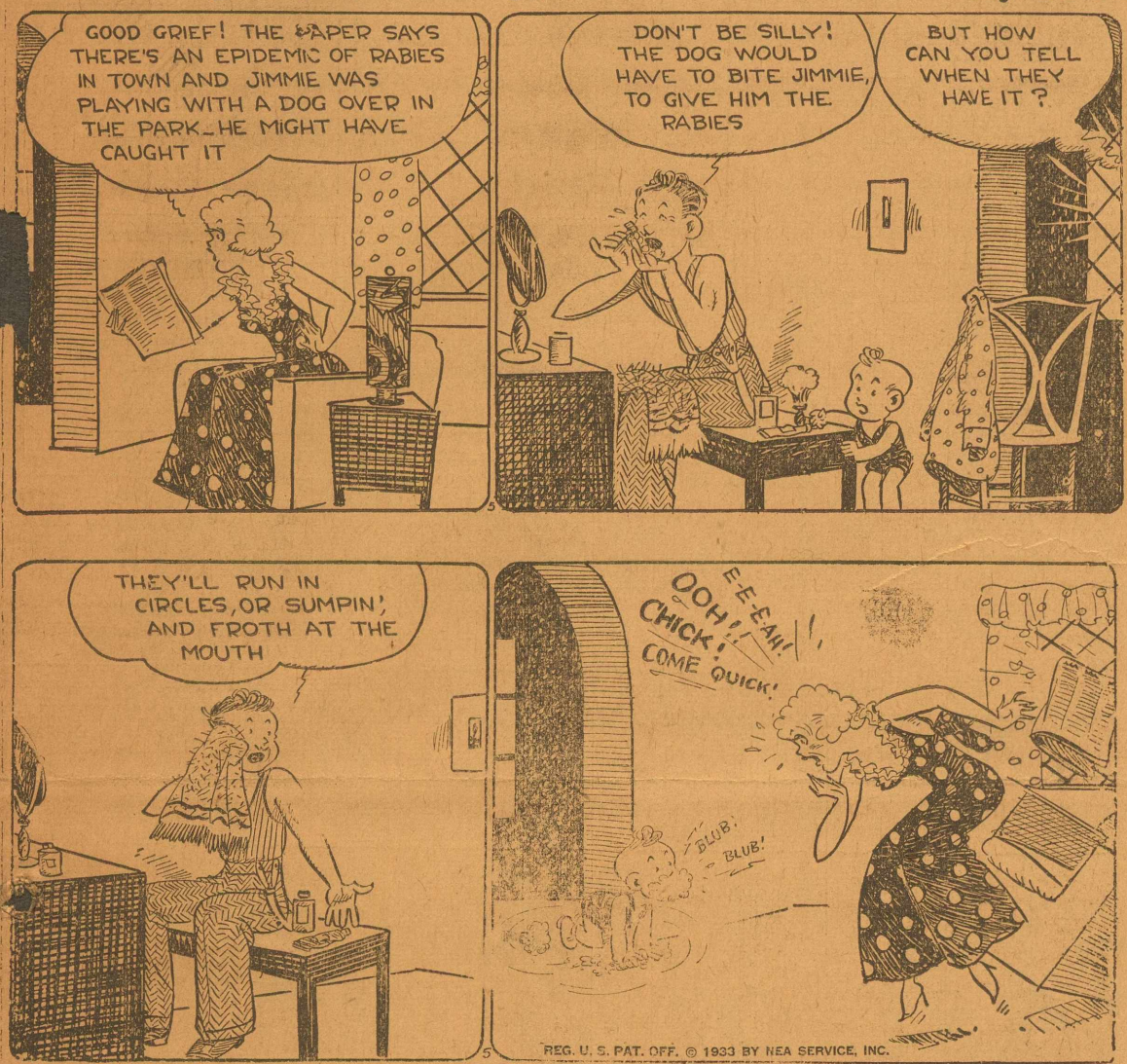
OUT OUR WAY



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The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowen



War Hero Sees A New Dry Era For United States

By United Press
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.—The prohibition cause will not be lost with repeal of the 18th Amendment, Sergt. Alvin C. York believes.

The World War hero, interested in prohibition since 1914, believes repeal is a "certainty," but is looking forward to "a new dry era."

"I believe the prohibition amendment will be repealed alright," York said, "but the dry cause will not be lost thereby. In fact, I look for a new era for temperance."

"With all the troubles of unemployment and general unrest, the American people are too bothered and upset to think straightly. It may take outright repeal to bring them to their senses."

"When Americans have had their fling, I believe they'll wake up, realize what it's all about, then out liquor for once and for all. They'll discover that what I've been preaching for 19 years has some sense to it."

"No man should drink something that puts him in only partial command of his senses," he said. "I've never tried it, but I understand from those who have that it's not much of a drink. In fact, I think it's a huge joke."

York is touring in behalf of the Anti-Saloon leagues.

Employer Had To Fulfill Old Promise

By United Press
JEROME, Ariz.—Since 1918, of the 14 girls employed by John MacIntyre at his Verde Furniture company store here, 13 have married. To each he promised a \$50 twin baby carriage if the occasion ever called for it.

MacIntyre's hand was called when a former employe, Mary Landers, became the mother of twin girls.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



BARGAIN BRIDIE

by KATHARINE HAYLAND TAYLOR

BEGIN HERE TODAY
BARRETT COLVIN, back in New York after years abroad, falls in love with ELINOR STAFFORD. He is 35 and she is 20. Elinor returns his affection, but her jealous, scheming mother, LIDA STAFFORD, breaks up the romance by convincing Barrett that Elinor is a heartless flirt.

Rich MISS ELLA SEXTON, Elinor's aunt, dies and, to the despair of the relatives, leaves her entire fortune to Barrett. Lida Stafford has been flirting with VANCE CARTER. When Vance learns she will not divorce her husband, BENTWELL STAFFORD, he shoots Bentwell. It is uncertain whether the wounded man will live or die.

Barrett goes to see Elinor's aunt, BESSIE THROPE, to ask what he can do to aid the girl. He does not want Miss Ella's money and hopes to find some way to give it back to the rightful inheritors.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXI

THE last thing Elinor wished that morning was the further strain of seeing Barrett Colvin. He had, with a blunt, inconsiderate strength she had not dreamed he possessed, overridden her suggestion that he should wait for the interview until her father was better. As she said last words her voice caught.

"I must see you," Barrett repeated. "It is important for both of us."

"I don't see how it could be, Mr. Colvin."

"I'll explain that. I wouldn't bother you unless it was really necessary." He had not meant to let bitterness creep into that last sentence but it had, in spite of the defenses of will that he had erected against it. Well, since she enjoyed toying with aging hearts it might amuse her to laugh at their stiffened creakings.

There was a silence. He broke it by saying, "I'm coming to see you immediately. I'll only stay a few moments. Will you see that I am admitted? I'm only asking because it's really necessary."

"Yes, I'll see you for a few moments, Mr. Colvin," she promised after another brief silence.

"Thank you," she heard. She put down the telephone. Benson stood waiting and she knew by his dejected look that something else of a troublesome nature had come up. "It's the drugist, Miss Elinor," Benson stated miserably. "He won't leave the medicine unless it is paid for."

Purse in hand, she hurried to the foyer where the delivery boy waited, a trifle insolent because of his instructions. She could still settle these small charges. But the two nurses, the doctor, the endless needs made by a critically sick patient—how would she manage to pay such bills? She had talked that morning to the one clerk in her father's decaying brokerage office. He had intimated that he needed his salary. He had two little girls and a wife who was not well. He had his own bills. Elinor had dropped to a chair rather too suddenly, talking with him.

"HOW are things at the office, Mr. Gerould?" she had asked. "Bad," he told her bluntly, though his eyes were sympathetic. "You see," he stammered, "so many people are waiting with the expectation that Mr. Stafford would be remembered rather generously in Miss Sexton's will. The place is alive now with folks trying to collect what they can. I went down and saw the line this morning and turned right around and came away. The rent's overdue two months. The collector let it go, thinking—"

"Yes, I know," she answered dully. She moistened her stiffened, drying lips. "How much did my father owe you?" she asked. She could not let that go. The man had worked faithfully for her father for years. Besides there were his two small daughters and his ailing wife.

She paid him his salary with a ring worth twice the amount and \$20 from her purse.

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Barrett Colvin's telephone call had come just after that.

She received him in the drawing room. She had not been able to step into the library since she had seen the blood stains on a Chinese rug that, light in hue, showed them clearly.

"Miss Stafford," she heard Barrett say and saw him bow. She murmured something vague.

"I'm going to sit down just a moment, please."

She settled after his words and he dropped to a chair facing her. "I have a business proposition to make to you," he began bluntly. "Yes?" she prompted.

"A proposition that is—will be entirely one of a business nature. Will you keep that in mind, please?"

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HER rounded chin went up with a little jerk. He saw this and went on swiftly, smoothly.

"I know and you know that Miss Ella Sexton's will was unfair to your father and to your relatives, the Thropes!"

"Yes, but I don't blame you—" "That doesn't matter. What you and I feel about blame—or anything—can't matter in this affair we must discuss. It's entirely a cold-blooded, emotionless affair which has to do with the righting of that unjust will. I want to give back to the Thropes the money they should have had and need. I want to give your father the money that will help him in his chance to get well. I shall never touch a cent of the money left by Miss Sexton. Unless you help me it will go to charities in no particular need of it. The money really belongs to the Thropes and your father."

There are so many lovely people around and about. We really should stick to the home folks.

And so, all in all, I've found myself interested in astronomy... hoping just a little bit that we can make up a speaking acquaintance with another planet...

And wondering what we might conjure up to talk about if and when such a thing becomes possible.

There's always the present economic situation, a resettling of the Civil War between old timers, heavy disputes over unimportant local questions... but Mars...

If those fellows are going to leave it up to us to discover them, we really shouldn't be held responsible for the big ordeal of becoming friends, too.

All of which reminds me of a lot of things over which our asylums become populated... things that never happen, but destroy people with their impossibilities.

Meanwhile, Mars and Jupiter grow steadily apart... if they are Mars and Jupiter... and we go on vainly competing to reach them.

NUMBER OF NEEDY
OLYMPIA, Wash.—Indicative that the general improvement in economic conditions coupled with state and federal unemployment relief plans, state relief lists count 10,000 less among those in need.

SHADOWS DERRICK

By V. MARIE STEPHENS

Some time ago someone pointed out a couple of conspicuous stars to me and wisely declared one of them to be Mars.

The other Jupiter.

And that the two were closer together than they had been for many years or ever before as some other astronomical statistic.

I've never been perfectly sure the declaration was correct. If so, I've missed all authentic reports on the heavenly condition, but...

Night after night I've watched those two stars, once so little and red, the other so perfect and bright.

Slowly they've drifted apart. The little one gets redder, and the big one shines more every night. Then the other day I noticed where two men were competing.

It seems that one of them has been closer to Mars than any other human being from the World. And it also seems that the other wants to smash his so-called record and creep a little nearer the red planet.

Just what they hope to gain, I'm not sure. It seems to me we have enough foreign troubles as it is. eW might contribute some hard luck stories to their cursors' store of tales...

And we might push a lot of mechanical men off on their good natures... the dead material of what sounded like a bright idea one time—that thing we called technocracy.

Outside of those two means of contact, we really don't need any more neighboring nations.

I'm sure they must be lovely people, those men of Mars...

She said nothing.

"You can help me right a tragic wrong," Barrett went on. "You can give your father his chance to get well, give peace to the Thropes and an education to those three boys. Will you do this?"

"How?"

"By marrying me," he said slowly. She lost color and he went on hastily. "I'm asking you to live in my house as my guest for one year. In that way I can turn over to you and the Thropes the money that is morally, if not legally, yours and theirs. It's the only way to rectify the mistake of your aunt who unfortunately was sound of mind, if not of heart, when she made her will."

"But why for a year?" Elinor asked brokenly. She was oddly dizzy and disconcerted.

"Because," he answered, "a year will quiet any idle talk there may be. I don't want anyone to know the reason for our marriage. The world would misunderstand. It might possibly see me as a hero instead of a man who merely happens to be honest enough not to want to rob others. It might see you as a girl who sold herself instead of a girl willing to forget herself in order to help someone else."

HE paused. He saw her draw a deep breath. She looked remarkably like a little girl who is balked at her lessons.

"The Thropes and their boys, your father—" Barrett reminded slowly.

She whispered, "I don't know—" She held a finger against her lips and he noticed that her hand was trembling. For a fleeting space and against his reason the old tenderness for her returned. He was ashamed by the emotion which must, he felt, be wholly physical. How it persisted!

"All I'm asking," he said, "is that for a year you will, in public, conduct yourself as my wife. You will have to forego, for the time, the admiration to which you have been accustomed—"

She smiled a little at that but he did not understand her smile.

"And in turn," he continued more weightily, "I give you my word that I will never raise my hand to touch you except before others. We may have to masquerade a little before others. You can have my word that you will be safe and that I will do everything to make the situation as easy for you as possible."

He saw her moisten her lips, hesitate.

Benson appeared in the broad doorway. "It's that Mr. Streeter again," Miss Stafford, he said apologetically. "He pushed past me and refuses to go. He says he must see you. He won't wait—"

"A collector?" Barrett asked. Elinor nodded and his gaze followed a swallow on the rounded, soft column of her throat. For a moment "he closed her eyes."

"I'll deal with him," said Barrett as a small, round man appeared in the door.

(To Be Continued)

Dead Sheep Aid To Utah Jobless

By United Press
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah.—"Finders are keepers," is the slogan of the high desert country these days as unemployed men and women hunt for the bodies of sheep and pull the wool from them.

It was a bad spring for sheepmen along the Utah-Nevada border. A late blizzard caught flocks. Thousands died.

From this disaster came the unique occupation of "wool pulling."

Death of an animal doesn't hurt wool, so men needing funds started following the blizzard trail.

At Eureka, Nev., within a two week period, 8,000 pounds of "pulled wool" was sold and hundreds of skins were stored.

Pulled wool differs from clipped wool only in that it requires much more labor to prepare for cloth. This is because pulled wool, generally speaking, is dirty and must be cleaned.

In most instances, and solely because of the necessary additional cleaning effort, pulled wool sells for about half the price of regular clipped wool.

Youthful Judge Is West Texas Legend

By United Press
ROBERT LEE, Texas.—County Judge E. O. Geron at 26 already is something of a legend here.

The "newcomer," as he is affectionately known to old-timers of Coke county, came here three years ago from Ellis county to accept appointment as county attorney.

A year ago he announced his candidacy for county judge. Lacking an automobile, he canvassed every community in the county on foot before the primary election in torrid July.

It was a footsore and weary young man who limped back to the county seat to await outcome of the election. He won, and is now serving his first term as judge.

But Geron's legend started before he adopted West Texas as his home. He was a mere youngster when he was graduated from law school and hung out his shingle in Ellis county. Shortly after going into practice he ran for the state legislature, was elected four years ago and served through a regular and five called sessions as representative. He resigned to make his permanent home here.

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Ranger Society and Club News

ARRITTA DAVENPORT Editor Phone 224 Ranger

FAMILY REUNION CELEBRATES JULY 4th.

July 4th was celebrated in a delightful fashion last evening when a family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Stokes, Leon Power plant.

Tables were arranged about the lawn made colorful through the attractive lighting effect displaying a variety of colored bulbs which shed their rays over the pretty and enjoyable scene.

The menu was composed of fried chicken, potato salad, tomatoes, combination salad, pickles, olives, hot rolls, ice tea and ice cream and cake.

The guest list included: Messrs. and Mmes. A. W. Stokes, Arthur and Billie Stokes, C. E. Owen, T. T. Owen, Roy Stokes, and Misses Frances and Pat Owen, Norene Grady, Kathryn and Juanita and T. T. Owen, Jr., of Fort Worth, Miss Lillian Etta Hoyle of Mineral Wells, and Mrs. Olivia Stokes, Mrs. E. E. Grady, Mrs. B. D. Hodges of Dallas, Miss Thelma Stokes and J. L. Peyton.

Daughter Is Born.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barney, announce the arrival of a daughter at home Monday, July 3rd. She has been named Patsy Ruth. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Rebecca School of Instruction. At Local Hall Thursday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burch of Fort Worth, president of Rebecca assembly will conduct at Rebecca school of instruction at the Odd Fellow hall Thursday at 2 o'clock. Members are asked to please take notice and be present at the named hour.

Entertain Guests 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stokes entertained guests at their home over the 4th including Mrs. Thelma Hayle and daughter, Lillian Etta, and Mrs. M. L. Ware and daughter, Denise, of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Williams and daughter, Patsy.

Visiting Relatives In California.

Mrs. L. E. Darrah is vacationing in cities of California, where she is the guest of friends and relatives.

Spend 4th In Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Smith were visitors in Dallas over the 4th, where they visited friends.

Business Visitor In Ranger.

G. T. Sheppard of Fort Worth is a business visitor in Ranger this week. Mr. Sheppard, formerly of this city, is a former associate of Swift & company.

Mrs. Nottingham Entertains Sister.

Mrs. Jimmie Nottingham and husband and young son, Jimmie are entertaining as their guest at their home, Gholson hotel, Mrs. Nottingham's sister, Miss Lillian Rotramel, of Cumby, Texas.

Return Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Pearce have returned to their home in Lubbock, after a visit in the home of Mrs. Pearce's sister, Mrs. A. J. Baum and family.

House Guests Of Mr. and Mrs. Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matthews have as guests at their home, Hunt street, Mrs. C. A. Matthews and Miss Myrtle Lois Hebert of Humble, Texas, and Miss Caroline Gunn of Houston.

Y. W. A. Meets With Miss Stephens.

Young Womens Auxiliary of the Central Baptist Church held their regular monthly business meeting Monday evening, at the home of their sponsor, Miss V. Marie Stephens, Pine street. After all business matters were discussed.

CLASSIFIED

0- LODGE NOTICES

ATTENTION MASON- Stated meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., Thursday, July 6, 8 p. m. Installation of officers for ensuing year.

J. F. DONLEY, W. M. E. M. GLAZNER, Sec.

7- SPECIAL NOTICES

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PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE

(Continued from page 1) Rotarians are due to put on an exhibition this afternoon. Tomorrow the Lone Star and Elks clash, and the din should be heard for miles and miles, or even further. In other words it should be one good game, because both outfits have good teams, probably the best two in the league. In fact the game should prove to be about as good as the baseball game yesterday between Ranger and Olden, which went for 12 innings before Ranger nosed out an 8 to 7 victory.

Fred Dreinhof, who works out at Lone Star plant No. 8, was in the office late Monday. We forgot to mention it. Then, his story was the kind that should be told about Feb. 9 instead of the day before the Fourth. Anyway, Mr. Dreinhof stated that the thermometer at the plant registered 140 degrees in the hottest location and the coolest spot in the plant was 120 degrees.

We don't know whether the 140 degree reading was taken near a fire or a boiler or something, but anyway the coolest spot was plenty hot.

Considerable complaint among the beer drinkers has been heard over the country because of the low content of alcohol in the new beer. It has been found in several instances in widely separated sections that the new beer was considerably lower in alcoholic content than the 3.2 per cent prescribed by law. As we remember it the first complaint came from Chicago the first day beer was legalized in that city. Some prohibition association, peculiar as it may seem, registered the complaint that the beer being sold contained only 2.5 per cent alcohol.

Another analysis in another city showed only 2.97 per cent, while reports have been current for some time that a great majority of the new beer was really near beer with new labels on the bottles.

The real beer being sold, we are told, has been consigned from one wet state to another. That is perfectly legal and wherever a shipment is found with such a consignment, there is nothing can be done.

The beer, so we are told, is then dropped off wherever it can be sold. This may be true and it may not. There was once a famous, international case involving a vessel known as the "I'm Alone" which contained liquors said to have been consigned from Canada to some other wet country, on which the coast guard, or someone, fired. We do not remember what became of the case, but it was somewhat parallel with the present condition when interstate shipments can be consigned thru a dry state.

There was a case being tried in Justice of the Peace McFatter's court this morning involving alleged trespass and fishing without permission. We heard arguments on both sides without knowing what it was all about. Maybe we can tell when the jury brings in a verdict, if any.

State Designation

(Continued from page 1) The 15.74 miles from Gorman to Ranger is a dirt road, but is well graded with wide shoulders and thoroughly settled, and very little work will be required to put same in condition to be hard surfaced.

Stephens county has spent a large sum of money on hard surfacing this road south out of Cad-do for a distance of about 12 miles. There is an unpaved gap in the Ranger-Caddo road of about three miles. By paving this gap, the entire road from Ranger to Caddo will be hard surfaced, a distance of approximately 18 miles. However, this road needs some work and attention at this time, and unless the pavement in Stephens county on the road, and likewise the pavement from Ranger north to the Stephens county line is repaired, the original investment made by Eastland county and likewise Stephens county will be materially impaired, if not completely lost. Neither county is able financially to do the necessary repairs on this pavement at this time, and Stephens county is not in position to pave the three mile gap, which is unpaved, on this road.

This is an important road to the traveling public, and in addition to serving two rich farming communities, will form a connecting link between State Highway No. 1-A, at Caddo and State Highway No. 1, at Ranger, connecting with State Highway No. 67, at Gorman.

ed the meeting was turned into a social hour. After a very enjoyable evening refreshments of ice tea and cookies were served to the following members: Lelia Crut-singer, DeOla Shelton, Winner Snider, Virginia Shelton, Louise Moore, Louise Davis, Evelyn Long, Ruth Elmore, Ruth Shiley, Ora Mae McGee, Alyne Reed, Nina Kate Huffman, Velma Brown, and Lennis Powell.

She'll Dare Atlantic Flight



Miss Rosetta Valenti wants so much to cross the Atlantic in an airplane that she is backing Russell Boardman's projected flight from New York direct to Rome and will be his passenger. Miss Valenti is shown here as she traced their route. Boardman is shown in the inset.

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CALENDAR TONIGHT

Methodist church prayer meeting services 8:00 p. m., residence Mrs. May Harrison.

Just-a-Mere club, 8:00 p. m., Mrs. Ila Mae London, hostess, residence Mrs. W. E. Coleman.

THURSDAY

Kill Kare Kard Klub, residence Mrs. J. A. Stover, 9:00 a. m.

Nettoppy Group, Camp Fire Girls, 3:30 p. m., residence Mrs. Cecil W. Webb, guardian. Guest day. Picnic and swim at Olden lake, after session.

Chanayata Group, Camp Fire Girls, 4:00 p. m., Camp Fire clubhouse; Mrs. W. P. Palm, guardian.

Epworth League, ice cream social, 7:45 p. m., City Park. Miss Florence Perkins, chairman.

Choir practice, 8:00 p. m., Baptist church, Mrs. O. B. Darby, director.

Choir practice, 8:15 p. m., Methodist church, Wilda Drago, director.

School of Instruction, conducted by president of Rebekah assembly, 8:15 p. m., Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F. Hall.

Mrs. A. E. Taylor, recital 8:15 p. m., Booster classroom, Methodist church. For parents and students. Social hour follows.

Entertains Family Party For Fourth

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterson entertained a party of relatives over the week-end here, for the Fourth and that included Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Peacock of Rosenberg, enroute home from Chicago fair; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. King of Dallas, their daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Acton Johnson and three children of Fort Worth, with them from Tuesday until today.

Dr. Poe Lovett Will Return

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cates of near Ranger, are motoring to New Orleans to meet Mrs. Cates' brother, Dr. Poe Lovett, who will return with them to Eastland, where Mrs. Cates will meet her little daughter Mary Nell, who has been with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lovett.

Dr. Lovett has just finished his post graduation medical work of one year in the Charity Hospital of New Orleans, in connection with Tulane University.

Order Eastern Star Met

The Order of the Eastern Star held their regular business meeting Tuesday night in Masonic Temple, with the Worthy Matron, Mrs. C. E. Sikes presiding and thirteen members in attendance.

Initiation was announced for Friday, July 14th at 8:00 p. m.

All members urged to be present.

Entertaining Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Allen D. Dabney and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harkrider entertained their brother and his

wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Spence of Hutchinson, Kansas, over the Fourth. Family dinners and informal family gatherings marked the pleasant visit.

Picketts Have Guests

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Pickett entertained Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McDonald of Fort Worth, who left last night following a week-end visit, and now have as their guest Miss Louise McKenzie of Abilene, here for the week.

Several little fishing trips, entertained the party during the McDonald's visit.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah.

The Utah tax commission recently opened less than one dozen positions and received 3,500 applications. It was a real job, the commissioners explained, as in the final shakeup, only 10 new applicants could be employed.

PERSONALS

Newell Powell of Kaufman is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Powell and family, Caddo highway.

Fairbanks Home! Is Seriously Ill

Twenty-four hours after Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., film star, stepped from the S. S. Bremen in New York upon his return from London to wave this cheery greeting, he was critically ill with pneumonia in a New York hospital. Young Doug had gone abroad soon after his divorce from Joan Crawford.

BASEBALL

TEXAS LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams	Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Houston		56	31	.644
Galveston		48	39	.552
Dallas		42	43	.594
San Antonio		46	41	.529
Beaumont		41	43	.488
Tulsa		41	43	.488
Fort Worth		36	56	.391
Oklahoma City		35	54	.389

Yesterday's Results

Fort Worth 10-3, Dallas 9-4. Oklahoma City 16-14, Tulsa 3-2. Houston 2-3, Galveston 1-1. San Antonio 5-5, Beaumont 3-2.

Today's Schedule

Dallas at Fort Worth. Tulsa at Oklahoma City. Galveston at San Antonio. Beaumont at Houston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams	Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington		47	25	.653
New York		45	28	.616
Philadelphia		36	36	.500
Cleveland		37	39	.487
Chicago		35	38	.479
Detroit		35	39	.473
Boston		31	41	.431
St. Louis		29	49	.372

Yesterday's Results

Washington 6-3, New York 5-2. (first game 10 innings). Boston 14-9, Philadelphia 4-1. Cleveland 5-3, Chicago 2-5. Detroit 7-5, St. Louis 4-6.

Today's Schedule

Washington at New York. Boston at Philadelphia. Chicago at Cleveland. Detroit at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams	Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York		44	27	.620
St. Louis		40	33	.548
Pittsburgh		38	35	.521
Chicago		38	38	.500
Boston		37	38	.493
Brooklyn		33	38	.465
Cincinnati		33	42	.440
Philadelphia		31	43	.419

Yesterday's Results

Boston 3-8, New York 0-5. Philadelphia 6-4, Brooklyn 3-2. Chicago 4-1, Cincinnati 0-8. St. Louis 5-2, Pittsburgh 1-4.

Today's Schedule

St. Louis at Pittsburgh. Cincinnati at Chicago.

Texas Railroads Are Still In "Red"

By United Press

AUSTIN.—Texas railroads went \$1,651,669 in the red for operation during the first four months of this year as compared with the same period in 1932, the regular report of the state railroad commission showed this week.

Total operating revenue decreased \$7,190,091 for the comparative period. Operating expenses for the four months period of 1932 totaled \$33,114,420, as compared to \$28,123,937 for the corresponding period this year. Net revenue from operations decreased \$2,199,608.

There was but a single increase in the entire report of expenses and revenues. Uncollectable revenues increased from \$27,654 to \$48,417.

Houston Docks To Be Repaired Soon

By United Press

HOUSTON.—Improvements to the city docks costing approximately \$150,000 have been approved by the port commission and Port Director Russell Wait is ready for bids.

The work will start within 60 days, Wait announced.

Two separate plans call for a more efficient discharging and taken by the port commission during the present year.

Warehousing space will be increased and facilities installed for general revision of the dock layout. The work will mark the first major improvement to be under-loading of vessels.

Eastland Personals

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Chaney were guests over the Fourth of Mr. and Mrs. Bart Mann in San Angelo, who entertained with a big barbecue, a large circle of friends.

Misses Mona Pritchard, Shirley Ferrell and Carl Garrett, formed a party that spent the Fourth with friends in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter I. Clark, Ann Clark and Gilbert Clark are expected home Friday from a three weeks stay on the Gulf coast at Galveston. They will possibly stop in Fort Worth en route home for a week-end visit with the W. L. Gupton family, who have been occupying the Clark home, during their attendance at the Eastland Golf and Country club tournament.

In Comedy At Arcadia Thursday



JIMMY DURANTE and BUSTER KEATON in "WHAT! NO BEER?"

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If you ever travel in the Orient you will feel the fascination of the bazaar—once. Afterward, when you return from a frenzy of haggling and sleight-of-hand, and spread your tawdry purchase on the hotel bed, you will feel differently. You will appreciate as never before the advantages of living in a country where goods are advertised in the daily press . . . where you can sit down with your newspaper and decide exactly what you will buy today, what price you will pay, and where you will find the greatest values. Best of all, a country where buying and advertised article means getting your money's worth, without matching wits with unscrupulous trades.

Perhaps you'll never voyage East of Suez. But right at home you can discover the convenience and sound economy of reading the advertisements before you shop. Here is a leading merchant who has combed the markets of the world for quality merchandise at a price his name guarantees to be fair. Here is a great manufacturer who has exhausted science to improve the worth of his product. Here is a little shopkeeper offering unusually attractive prices.

Study the advertisements. Know what is being offered to your advantage. Then do your buying with assurance.

NOTICE

All persons holding Ranger Independent School District Warrants issued prior to September 1, 1932, are hereby requested to furnish the School Tax Office, 212 Main Street, a list of same on or before July 10, 1933, in order that the school may arrange to make a partial payment on same.

L. H. FLEWELLEN, President
R. S. BALCH, Secretary