

Ranger Times

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It's too bad that we had to wait for an inflation argument to start that hue and cry for Congress to "keep hands off the currency."

Mayor Cermak Reported Near Death Today

REQUEST FOR DENISON VOTE QUESTIONED

AUSTIN, Feb. 24.—The senate committee voted 6 to 3 today to give Mrs. Ferguson the Denison vote which rejected the Frank L. Denison appointment as highway commissioner.

Final action cannot be taken until Monday when the senate reconvenes. The controversy may be taken to court, former Governor Ferguson indicated today.

The action was taken with speed and without debate on a motion by Senator Walter Woodward. Senator Roy Sanderford offered a substitute motion to report the vote immediately to the governor, but Lieutenant Governor Edgar Witt sustained a point of order that Sanderford's motion was out of order.

Whether the official vote should be divulged and sent to the governor should be determined in executive session, Witt said.

Former Gov. James E. Ferguson, adviser to his wife, indicated he would contest the vote on the grounds that only a majority and not a two-thirds vote was required for confirmation.

Income Tax Man To Visit Ranger On March 1, 2

For the convenience of those who are required by law to file federal income tax returns, a deputy collector of internal revenue will be in Ranger on March 1st and 2nd, 1933, at the Paramount Hotel to assist taxpayers in preparing their returns. No charge will be made for this service. The matter of filing your income tax return should be given immediate attention in order to avoid penalty and interest.

If 2000 net income is \$1.00 or over or your gross income is \$5,000 or over and you are required to file a return. If you are married and living with husband or wife and your net income is \$2,500 or over or your gross income is \$5,000 or over, you are required to file a return.

Form 1040 should be used if net income does not exceed \$5,000 and is derived chiefly from salaries and wages.

Form 1040 should be used for net incomes of more than \$5,000, or net incomes regardless of amount if derived from a profession or business, including farming or from rents or sale of property.

Your return for the calendar year 1932 shall be filed not later than March 15, 1933, with the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which you reside or have your principal place of business.

A penalty of not more than \$500 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, and addition, 25 per cent of the amount of the tax, is imposed by statute for willful failure to file a return on time.

Butcher Wants His Son "Dear or Alive"

DAVENS, Feb. 24.—Claude K. Butcher, who wants his son back dead or alive, is expected to arrive in Ranger today for the trial of his son, who was killed by the kidnapers of Charles Bremer, II, fail to release him.

At that time, the elder Butcher is expected to take what action is deemed advisable.

It was indicated he would regard "dear or alive" if the son is not released, to turn over to police all notes and other communications he has received since young Butcher was seized.

Old Time Fiddlers To Meet In Dallas

DALLAS, Feb. 24.—Old-time fiddlers of Texas will gather here today for their annual convention and to contest for the annual championship. At night they will conduct a two-hour dance.

Many noted fiddlers from all over Texas will be here for the contest and we expect a greater attendance than we had last year.

Invaders and Defender of Jehol War Front



Gen. Chang Hai-peng



Gen. Chang Tso-hsiang



Gen. Nubuyoshi Muto

Here are the three leaders in the military struggle over the province of Jehol, which Japan is seeking to link to her "republic" of Manchukuo and which China swears she will defend. Gen. Chang Hai-peng has been named governor of Jehol by Manchukuo's state council, but will have to capture the province before he can take office. Gen. Chang Tso-hsiang commands Chinese forces resisting the invasion. Gen. Nubuyoshi Muto is commander in chief of Japanese forces in Manchuria and is directing the Jehol campaign.

DALLAS BOY ESCAPES FROM HIS KIDNAPERS

DALLAS, Feb. 24.—William Diehl, 16, son of a Dallas pastor, aided authorities today in checking details of a kidnapping in which he said he was the victim, escaping only after he knocked one of his captors unconscious with a heavy ash stand.

Diehl told his story to officers after wandering into the business section of Garland last night, following his escape. He said he was on his way home from school late yesterday when two white men and a negro abducted him at pistol point, chloroformed him and took him away in a car.

The boy said that after he was unconscious he did not regain his senses for several hours, finding himself then in a well-furnished apartment with one of the captors standing guard.

He asked for a cigaret and waited until the guard's back was turned. Then he snatched up a heavy ash stand with a weighted bottom, slugged the man and left the house. He said he wandered through fields and brush to Garland.

Suicide, Murder Is Verdict In Death of Couple

CORPUS CHRISTI, Feb. 24.—Authorities entered a verdict of murder and suicide on the records today after an inquest into the fatal shooting of W. A. Baggett, 63, and his estranged wife in a tourist camp near here.

Baggett, whose wife divorced him three years ago after a marriage lasting 12 years, gave a youth a note to deliver to her last night.

The note, authorities learned, read, "Please come to Roberts hospital at 9 o'clock tomorrow," and was signed, "Grever Williams."

Baggett appeared and fired a shot at the youth, handed the note to the woman. The boy ran away.

Neighbors heard two shots later in a nearby warehouse and found Baggett there with his head blown away.

T. E. Medaris of Ranger Buried

Funeral services for T. E. "Uncle Tom" Medaris, 84, were conducted this afternoon from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Smith, Strawn road. The services were conducted by Rev. Gid J. Bryan, pastor of the First Methodist church of Ranger, assisted by Rev. D. W. Nichol, pastor of the church of Christ.

The deceased died Thursday afternoon at 4:30 after an illness of several months. He had been a resident of Ranger for 55 years. Interment was to be in the Old Ranger cemetery, immediately following the services at the residence.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Sam Vire.

SCHOOLS WORTH \$200,000,000

CAMBRIDGE, Mass.—Four educational institutions in this city own property valued at \$200,000,000, about one-third of the community's total real estate. They are Harvard, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Radcliffe College, and Boston University.

THREE GUESSES



Grid Schedule of Oil Belt Will Be Made Saturday

Coaches and other representatives of the class A high schools of the Oil Belt District will meet in Eastland to frame a football schedule for the next season. This meeting had been scheduled for Abilene, but, due to the fact that several of the coaches and other school officials would be in attendance upon the district basketball meet, it was decided to change the place of the meeting to Eastland. L. E. Dudley, principal of the Abilene High School, is chairman of the committee and will be in charge of the proceedings.

The opinion has been expressed by some of the sport writers of this district that there will be little change from the schedule as it has been played for the past several years. However, Cisco will be in the line up for the coming season and to make room for the Lobos will require some change from the schedule of last season.

Sheriff Killed By Three Youths

FORT DAVIS, Tex., Feb. 24.—F. L. Sprout, sheriff of Jeff Davis county was shot and killed by three young men suspected of robbery, 10 miles north of here today.

The youths had been sought for questioning in connection with the robbery of a ranch house last night. All three were captured and taken to Marfa when a mob gathered here.

Eastland Girl Is Buried Today

Funeral services for Miss Pauline Pargin, 19, who died Monday night, are to be conducted from the First Methodist church in Eastland this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The Rev. Sam G. Thompson, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the Eastland cemetery. Hammer Undertaking Company of Eastland will be in charge.

Survivors are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pargin, father and mother, and an only brother, Joseph Pargin.

EASTLAND GRASS FIRE

The Eastland fire department was called out Thursday afternoon to a grass fire at the home of Herbert Reed, South Semian street.

Aside from scorching some of the shrubbery, no damage was done, though for a while it looked as though the house was in danger of catching on fire.

REVIVAL OF TRADE SOUGHT IN CAMPAIGN

Plans for the Ranger Trade Expansion program have been going forward for the past few days and practically everything is now ready for the opening of the campaign on Friday, March 3.

The publicity will be started by that time and the merchants will begin to become active in their efforts to secure "mere business. All merchants who have not already done so and who have been contemplating getting in on the trade program have been urged to get in touch with the members of the committee and let them know as soon as possible whether they intend to join the other merchants in the program, in order that they might secure the advantage of the advertising that is to be carried on the plans.

In connection with the trade expansion program, a series of entertainments will be held in the rural sections. Plans have already been made to hold the first of these programs at Morton Valley on March 2, with the American Legion Field, the band of Ranger, with Dr. Harry A. Logsdon directing, furnishing the entertainment for the occasion.

It is expected that the wives of the Morton Valley community may have home-made pies or ice cream and cake to serve and an attempt is to be made to have every merchant in the city represented at the meeting, which will be free for everyone.

The farmers of the Morton Valley community have already been notified that the free entertainment would be provided, with the TICKETVILLE band furnishing the program. The announcement, which was made at the meeting of the farmers' evening class, was met by rounds of applause from the crowd present.

Similar entertainments will be held at Merriam on March 17 and at Colony on March 31, alternate weeks of the programs that will be held in Ranger.

The response with which the plans for the trade expansion program has met in Ranger has shown that the merchants of the city are back of the movement in a big way and it is evident that it will be one of the most important trade programs ever put on in the city.

There is still time for some who have asked headquarters about the advisability of joining the other merchants in the campaign to receive word from their firms about joining and then should call John Hassen as soon as possible in order that the committee can include their names in the publicity, which is to be scattered over the entire trade territory.

Youth Sold Bobcats Caught As Kittens

WHITE SALMON, Wash.—David Moore, a youth still in his teens, discovered a trio of baby bobcats in a tree 20 miles north of here. Stripping off his trousers he laid the legs and made an improvised sack.

He climbed the tree, placed the quivering kittens in the "sack" and climbed down. One kitten, however, was killed in descending the tree. The other two became very tame.

Recently, the two kittens, brother and sister, were sold to a lion farm. David netted \$350 in the sale.

MURDER HIGH ABOVE EARTH BEING PROBED

SAN BENITO, Texas, Feb. 24.

Murder of a flying instructor a thousand feet above the earth and the suicide of his passenger may be linked with an investigation of an international liquor smuggling ring, it was indicated here today.

Lehman Nelson, 33, flying instructor, was shot to death in the front cockpit of his plane as it soared above farming country near here last night.

He had gone up to give the usual flying lesson to Erin McCall, 25, student and son of a prominent San Benito family.

As the plane passed over the home of George Whitsel, farmer, Whitsel saw Nelson's head hanging lifelessly over the edge of the cockpit, he told authorities.

The plane flew on, steadily losing altitude. Three miles away it swooped low over another farmhouse. Occupants heard a piercing scream, they said. A moment later the ship crashed in a field.

Witnesses saw McCall, apparently unhurt, leap from the rear cockpit, run like mad for some 50 yards and then fall dead, a bullet through his head. They found a weapon beside the dead youth.

Nelson had been shot squarely through the back of the head. County investigators today apparently divided their time on two subjects, first, how McCall secured the revolver and how it was smuggled aboard the ship without detection of the ground crew.

Second, activities of liquor smugglers known to be operating along border counties of Texas. Attempts to steal planes at airports along the 1,700 miles of border were under scrutiny.

Senator Collie Is Active Member of The Legislature

AUSTIN, Feb. 22.—The youngest Senator in the 43rd Legislature comes from the 24th district, his home being in Eastland. He is Wilbourne R. Collie, and is one of the most active members in either branch. He is on the job early and late and works tirelessly at the job at hand. He is a member of the group in the upper House leading in the fight for economy. He began the fight on the first day by criticizing the employment of numerous employees in the Senate and in the various departments whose services were not necessary. The Senate voted to reduce the number of employees almost half. Collie opposed paying for daily newspaper subscriptions for members out of public funds and the Senate discontinued this long established practice. He subscribes for many papers and periodicals but pays for them himself. The effort to cut out newspapers was brought up in the House but it refused to discontinue the practice but the number of papers to be paid for out of public funds was reduced to three for each member. Collie stood for reducing the per diem of members of the legislature twenty-five per cent and was a leader in the caucus for reducing the pay of all employees in the Senate and his efforts prevailed.

Contrary to usual practice, Mr. Collie, as a new member, has not introduced a number of bills. He states that his efforts will be directed to preventing the passage of useless legislation and to drastic retrenchments in the cost of government. He is not interested in any special kind of legislation, but has a disposition to look into every bill that presents itself and then decide whether it would help or hurt the State to make it a law.

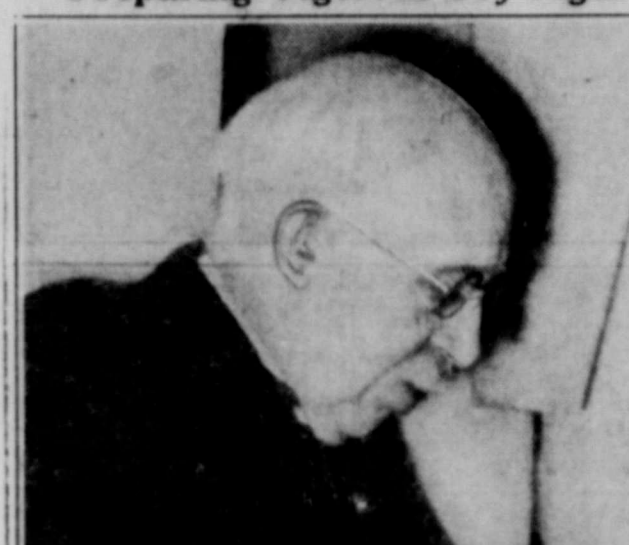
Senator Collie is one of the Senators receiving the most mail each day. He keeps up his correspondence with only one secretary and recently refused to support a resolution which would give him another stenographer. He is serving on many committees and when they are not meeting he is often found attending other hearings and informing himself by interviewing witnesses on various points. He serves on 12 major committees and the youngest Senator has never missed a committee hearing or roll call on the floor of the Senate Chamber.

Two Arrested On Charge of Theft

Claude Butler and Elliott James of Ranger were arrested on a charge of taking gasoline from a drip on the Boyd lease.

They were turned over to county officers this morning and were transferred to Eastland.

Preparing Vigorous Dry Fight



Determined on even greater activity, to prevent 36 states from accepting the prohibition repeal resolution, Canon William Sheafe Chase, noted dry leader from New York, is shown above as he took notes on the vote as the House adopted the Senate repeal resolution.

BOND DEALER TELLS SENATE OF ROAD BONDS OF CIVIL APPEAL

AUSTIN, Feb. 24.—J. W. Sutton, Houston bond dealer, testified today before the senate highway investigating committee regarding the market value of bonds held in escrow for payment by counties to the highway department for road work.

Sutton, who said he was county judge of Bell county for six years, testified he has investigated the value of the bonds three times. Under questioning by Senator Will Martin, Ferguson leader, Sutton went through a long list of city, county, road district, improvement and irrigation district bonds.

Value of the bonds varied from nothing in one or two instances on smaller sums, to 80 cents on the dollar on others.

Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson had charged that the commission has lost \$1,000,000 through holding checks of counties issued on the escrow fund secured by those bonds.

Farmers' Classes At Morton Valley Started Thursday

Ben Whitehouse, vocational agricultural teacher of Ranger, has started farmers' evening classes at the Morton Valley school, the first session being held Thursday night with a large attendance.

Much interest was expressed in the classes by the farmers of the Morton Valley section, who turned out almost unanimously for the instruction.

Arrangements have been made for similar classes in the Colony school.

The 300 vocational agricultural teachers of the state of Texas are carrying on similar projects in the rural sections and this work is meeting with good response from the farmers and is doing much good.

The problems that confront the farmers of the Morton Valley and Colony communities are to be taken up at the classes and will be discussed and remedies for the conditions outlined by the vocational agricultural instructor.

These classes will be held once each week for a period of three months.

Gas Well Brought In Near Ranger

The Donly & Chastain test well on the Hawkins tract, north of Ranger, has produced a good gusher of 5,200,000 cubic feet of gas, it was stated today by J. F. Donly.

The well was brought in at a total depth of 2,185 feet with a rock pressure of 650 pounds.

After striking such a good gas well it was decided that the test well would not be put down farther.

CONDITION IS COMPLICATED LAST TWO DAYS

Fear of Pneumonia Causes Corps of Doctors To Work Valiantly.

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 24.—Mayor Anton J. Cermak of Chicago, victim of a bullet from a gun of Giuseppe Zangara, was reported near death today.

The mayor's condition, complicated by colitis and a hypostatic lung condition, the forerunner of pneumonia, has become rapidly worse in the past 48 hours and today Dr. Frank Jirka gave him "one chance in 10 to live."

His staff of physicians, which includes heart and lung specialists, performed valiantly to stimulate his resistance during the new crisis. Oxygen was used to assist his heart action.

Dr. Jirka is the mayor's son-in-law. He was the first to reveal that Cermak was slipping rapidly.

Many Bills Pass House Without Ever Being Read

AUSTIN.—Many a law that goes on the state's fat statute book is never read by the legislators who pass it.

Astonishing as this may be, it is true. Sometimes the bill has not been read even by its sponsor. That is a rare occurrence but it does happen.

A session handles 1,500 to 1,600 bills on an average. If all were read in each branch three separate days as the constitution proposes, there would be time for nothing else. By long custom only the caption of a bill is read at any time unless some member calls for a full reading.

The reading of the caption on separate days avoided when a bill can muster a two-thirds vote. Then the three-day rule is suspended and the measure goes through finally on one appearance after emerging from a committee.

Every bill must be referred to a committee before action. The house and senate act on the presumption that the committee has read it. Unless some member is particularly interested in the subject, the bill generally is accepted as it comes from the committee.

But those who attend committee meetings know that many a bill is not read even in committee. This is especially true of bills of local application. A member presenting such a bill tells the committee that it affects only his town, county or a part of his legislative district, so the committee gives its approval. Others pass a committee on a general statement of contents.

Here is how a bill sometimes becomes a law without having been read even by the supposed author: A city attorney comes to a representative from his county and says the city needs such and such a law and assures him it has been so drawn as to apply only to that town. The representative, unless he has learned the danger of such bills and wires back to find out if there is local opposition to it, offers the measure on the official's statement that it is all right.

The only persons who are really forced to read the bills that go through the legislature have no voice in passing them. They are the engrossing and enrolling clerks. They are held responsible only for the bills going through without errors, checking for dropped lines, typographical changes and such matters.

Few governors have read all the bills they sign before attaching the signature that makes them law. Gov. Ross S. Sterling attempted to read every measure brought to him to finish but found at times he had to take the assurance of members of the legislature for what some contained, or stop all other business of his office.

Ranger Man Has Nervous Breakdown

Clyde Younce of Ranger, a victim of shell shock during the World War, suffered a nervous breakdown Thursday night and was placed under care of physicians for treatment until arrangements could be made to have him admitted to a government hospital for further treatment.

He was taken to Eastland this morning, where he will remain until his transfer can be secured.

MRS. SANDERS' MOTHER ILL

Mrs. Dee Sanders of Ranger has received word from Houston that her mother is ill and she was expecting to leave for Houston either tonight or tomorrow, unless word was received that her mother was improving.

Ranger High School Notes

JEWELLE JUDD, Editor

Travel Club Holds Luncheon
One of the outstanding features of the many social affairs given by the Ranger High school clubs was the delightful luncheon given

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Kisso Wet-Proof Electric Heating Pad, large size

\$3.98

1 Pound Cold Cream

49c

2 Tubes West Tooth Paste

37c

Razor Blades, Tooth Paste Tooth Brush

27c

17 Ounces Hand Lotion

55c

DRUGS

Pint Milk Magnesia

39c

Quart Mineral Oil, extra heavy

\$1.00

Rubbing Alcohol, pint

39c

ASPIRIN

Bayer's, 12 Tablets

15c

Bayer's, 24 Tablets

25c

Bayer's, 100 Tablets

85c

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10c

McKesson's, 24 Tablets

19c

McKesson's, 100 Tablets

49c

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Hogs Get Milk in Strike



As one Wisconsin dairyman reported he was shot at by strikers as he was trucking his products to market, thousands of others in Wisconsin and Illinois are adhering to the strike decree and keeping their milk from midwest distributors. Many are pouring milk down sewers and feeding it to hogs, as shown in the picture, above, taken on a Wisconsin farm. Below are a group of dairymen near Milwaukee playing cards to pass the time, while their trucks and separators stand idle. The strike was called for a general increase in price of their products.

by the Travel club this week.

The decorations for this luncheon were red, white and blue in honor of the birthday of George Washington. The table was arranged in a "T" shape centered with a miniature cherry tree.

A well-arranged program was combined with the luncheon, adding more enjoyment to the hour.

Banfield Thomas acted as master of ceremonies and Frank Conley as toastmaster. "My Appreciation of the Travel Club" was given by Prin. H. S. Von Roeder followed by a very interesting talk by Mrs. Mae Heiler, dean of women in Ranger High school.

Several impromptu talks were given by various members of the Travel club.

This well organized and active club is sponsored by Mrs. W. Wagner.

The guests of honor at the delightful affair were Principle Von Roeder, Mrs. Mae Heiler and Jewelle Judd.

Ranger Captains Defeat Strawn

The Ranger basketball girls defeated the Strawn girls 21 to 11 last night in the Ranger High gymnasium. The line-up was as follows:

Louise Arnett, forward (captain); Ella Mae Smith, forward; Dortha Dell Smith, guard; Allie Ball, guard; Louise Sharpe, jump-center; Dorothy Dodd, run-center; no substitutes.

The basketball girls have made an excellent showing this season. They plan to order sweaters as soon as possible. Miss Margaret Buchanan, coach.

Mr. Maddox Presents Program On "Theater Etiquette"

R. L. Maddox presented in high school recently a program on theater and street etiquette.

Mr. Maddox, with the help of several students, gave the correct and uncorrect manner to enter and leave the theatre, and how to conduct yourself on the street, he also gave a short talk on auditorium etiquette.

Everyone present enjoyed this program very much and was benefited also.

Those students assisting Mr. Maddox were: Eva Littlejohn, Hazel Mae Ervin, Opal Carter, Marie Galloway, Boris Bullock, Jack Davenport, George Hodges, Bob Kidwell.

Senior Business Committee Holds Meeting

The program committee for this senior class held a short business meeting at 3:30 Thursday. Plans for a senior chapel program were discussed.

This committee is composed of: Libby Cleveland, Roberta Pounds, Boyce Lee, Jewelle Judd, Bob Kidwell and David Nichol.

Advisory Has Picnic

The 4-G advisory and guests, sponsored by Miss Hagaman, enjoyed a picnic Saturday, Feb. 18, 1933, at Butler Springs. Those present were Wanda Castleberry, Hazel Barker, Helen Collum, Connel Danson, Wilma Judy, Inez Cornelius, Woodrow Danmore, Andrew Bruce, Woodrow Patterson and William Blankenship.

Incredible as it may seem, all the current books on technocracy were written by hand.

Markets

By United Press

Closing	selected New York
American Can	52 1/2
Am P & L	5
Am & F Pwr	5
Am Smelt	12 1/2
Am T & T	98 1/2
Anacosta	6 1/2
Auburn Auto	37 1/2
Avn Corp Del	6 1/2
A T & S F Ry	38 1/2
Barnsdall	3 1/2
Beth Steel	12 1/2
Byers A M	10 1/2
Canada Dry	7 1/2
Case J I	36 1/2
Chrysler	9 1/2
Cons Oil	5 1/2
Centl Oil	5 1/2
Curtiss Wright	1 1/2
Elect Au L	13 1/2
Eleot St Bat	23 1/2
Foster Wheel	7 1/2
Fox Film	1 1/2
Freeport-Tex	20 1/2
Gen Elec	12 1/2
Gen Foods	22 1/2
Gen Mot	11 1/2
Gillette S R	14 1/2
Goodyear	11 1/2
Houston Oil	11 1/2
Int Cement	7 1/2
Int Harvester	15 1/2
Johns Manville	16 1/2
Kroger G & B	16 1/2
Liq Carb	12 1/2
Montg Ward	10 1/2
N K T Ry	6 1/2
Nat Dairy	11 1/2
N Y Cent Ry	16 1/2
Para Publix	8 1/2
Penney J C	22 1/2
Penn Ry	16 1/2
Phelps Dodge	5 1/2
Phillips Pet	5 1/2
Pure Oil	3 1/2
Purity Bak	6 1/2
Radio	3 1/2
R K O	1 1/2
Sears Roebuck	14 1/2
Shell Union Oil	4 1/2
Socony Vac	6 1/2
Southern Pac	13 1/2
Stan Oil N J	23 1/2

Studebaker	3 1/2
Texas Corp	11 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	17 1/2
Tidewater Asso Oil	3 1/2
Und Elliott	9 1/2
Union Carb	22 1/2
United Corp	6 1/2
U S Gypsum	20 1/2
U S Ind Ale	17 1/2
U S Steel	26 1/2
Vanadium	9 1/2
Warner Pic	1 1/2
Westing Elec	23 1/2
Worthington	11 1/2

These quotations are furnished through the courtesy of D. E. Pulley, 209 Main street, Ranger.

New Orleans Cotton			
Range of the market, New Orleans cotton—	Prev.	High	Low
Mar.	599	589	599
May	611	601	610
July	623	613	623
Oct.	642	633	642

Chicago Grain			
Range of the market, Chicago grain—	Prev.	High	Low
May	25	24	24 1/2
July	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Sept.	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2

Farmers' collusion on forced mortgage sales may have far-reaching effect on the drama. Imagine the villains' chagrin when the long-lost son bursts in just in the nick of time, dramatically bids \$1.98 and burns up the mortgage on the old home place.			
Range of the market, Chicago grain—	Prev.	High	Low
May	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
July	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Sept.	19 1/2	18 1/2	19 1/2

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Violinist Gives His Wife Credit

By United Press

LOS ANGELES.—The quiet simplicity of Fritz Kreisler, world famous violinist, is due "to the broad intelligence of a wonderful wife," the Viennese artist said.

"Artists are simple people, really," he declared, maintaining that he "is never so happy as when I am unknown."

"I do not know where this doctrine of individualism, of separate standards for artists, originated," said the slight, deep-eyed master. "It is false teaching and does harm. For myself, I have been protected by the broad intelligence of a wonderful wife. Her ideas of life and great good sense in treating me, not as a famous artist, but as a man subject to the same laws of right and progress as any other man, have been the best influence in my life."

Kreisler declared that people destroy an artist with their "un-reasoning adoration," or their expectations.

The violinist decried the great number of prodigies springing up everywhere since the commercial success of a few has lured fathers and mothers to push their children on the concert stage. "Children should grow simply in music, and not be forced into it for business reasons."

One big reason why we hear so few contradictions of the theory that the fittest survive is that the dead never have much to say.

More folks probably would buy new automobiles if the dime stores would flatly announce they won't handle 'em.

Argues To Change One Hunting Law

By United Press

AUSTIN.—Anyone who has hunted turkeys knows the difficulty in distinguishing between a hen and a gobbler at a distance. Rep. Harold Kayton, San Antonio, therefore wants to amend the game laws so that hens may be shot the same as gobblers but making the limit three for the season.

Practically, he says, it will work out in less turkeys being killed. A hunter who kills a hen now, he says, hastily cooks it at his hunting camp and carries only gobblers back, killing the limit of gobblers.

If he were allowed the hen, he would count it as part of his bag limit, Kayton says.

BLIND NEGRO IS GOOD STUDENT

By United Press

EMPORIA, Kan.—Though totally blind, Samuel Wilson, Kansas City negro youth, is a student of high scholastic standing at the Emporia State Teachers' College here. He takes notes with a stylus on a Braille slate and as none of the texts are in Braille, he employs a young woman to read to him.

All Haircuts 25c

Shaves Other Work Low in Proportion

GHOLSON HOTEL

BARBER SHOP

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CALENDAR

Tonight
Eastland Standard Training School, 7:15 p. m., Methodist Church. Closing exercises 9 p. m., church auditorium. Public welcome.

Saturday
Boutwell Class Coffee Demonstration, Frank Castleberry's store, all day. Friends invited.
Junior Missionary Auxiliary, Baptist Church, 9:30 a. m., Mrs. W. J. Harrington, Lee Bishop, J. P. Tully and Miss Opal Hunt, directors.

Thursday Afternoon Club Benevolent Rummage and Bake Sale, from building, South side square. Friends invited.
Public Library, 2 to 5:30 p. m., Community Clubhouse.
Chanyata Group, Camp Fire Girls, 3 to 5 p. m., residence Mrs. W. P. Palm.

Eastland Standard Training School Classes Tonight.
The closing exercises of the Eastland Standard Training School which opened Feb. 19th, will be held tonight at 9 o'clock in the auditorium of the Methodist church, with Rev. G. A. Schlueter of Fort Worth, educational director of school presiding.

Diplomas will be presented by Mrs. A. C. Anselor of McGregor; Mrs. A. W. Hall of Fort Worth; Rev. Schlueter; Rev. C. N. Morton of Blaine Star, and Mrs. G. J. Bryan of Ranger to those who have completed the training course.

The public is cordially invited to attend the exercises.
Thursday night an address was given by Dr. C. Q. Smith, the presiding elder of the district, the subject, "Presenting the Extension Program of Methodist Church," was intensive given with concentrated meaning that brought a big message in the few minutes devoted to its presentation.

Visitors were Mrs. Sam G. Thompson and Mrs. Annie Stewart.
The regular Friday night work will be conducted as usual and terminated with the exercises in the auditorium as announced.

Eastland Chapter Royal Arch Masons.
The Eastland Chapter Royal Arch Masons No. 403 met in regular convocation Thursday night in the Masonic Temple, with D. L. Stiles, high priest, presiding and minutes of preceding meeting by Ed F. Wilman, secretary, approved.

Announcement was made of the changed practice night, which hereafter will be held each Tuesday evening, excepting the first Tuesday of each month.
Those present, Neal Moore, T. W. Harrison, A. L. Azate, John Harrison, Dr. J. H. Cason, R. L. Perkins, Ed Wilman, D. L. Stiles, and Clair McCormick of Breckenridge.

Rebekah Lodge Preparing
For initiation.
The Rebekah Lodge had an interesting meeting Thursday night in the I. O. O. F. hall, presided over by the noble grand, Mrs. Blanche Nicols.

The contest between the past noble grand and the members in realistic work, announced for this meeting, was postponed to a later date to make way for an extensive drill practice led by captain of team, Mrs. Nicols, in preparation for the initiation of two candidates into the order next Thursday night.

Those present were, Mrs. W. C. Harlow, Mrs. Don Parker, Mrs. Ray E. Hardwick, Mrs. Charles Reed, Mrs. Cassie Pearson, Mrs. Blanche Nicols, Misses Opal Hunt, Pauline Cook, Estelle Davenport and a guest, Mrs. Rosemond Coleman of Vernon, who is visiting her sister Mrs. Don Parker.

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The Schooley Bakery of Ranger is making a specialty of new and delicious pastries and breads that are out of the ordinary.

For Saturday they are offering freshly baked coconut pies, baked by a master baker, and for Monday the bakery is making a specialty of freshly baked hot cross buns.

Each day a freshly-baked batch of bread comes from the ovens of the bakery for the tables of those who buy in Ranger.

Vassar President To
Speak In Texas

DALLAS.—Dr. Henry Noble McCracken, president of Vassar college, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., will speak to student assemblies of public schools in Dallas and Fort Worth March 8, 9 and 10.

One affair in his honor during the visit to the two cities will be a luncheon tendered by Dr. C. C. Eileman, president of Southern Methodist university on March 10.

Texas League To
Have More Color

DALLAS.—Color will be added to Texas league baseball uniforms this season.
Houston has announced its Buffs will appear in green uniforms on their road trips, contrasting the bright red suits Beaumont players appeared in last year to start the vogue.

Fort Worth will have some flashy color scheme if Manager Walter Morris doesn't become color blind looking at samples, he has promised.

Manager Bob Tarleton, Dallas, is seriously considering a change from the conventional gray worn by his Steers on their trips.

DOCTOR OWNS
PRIZED WAR FLAG

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo.—Dr. Robert C. Cook, in charge of the United States Veteran's hospital here, possesses as a prized souvenir a Red Cross flag flown over Berlin a few days after the World War ended in 1918.

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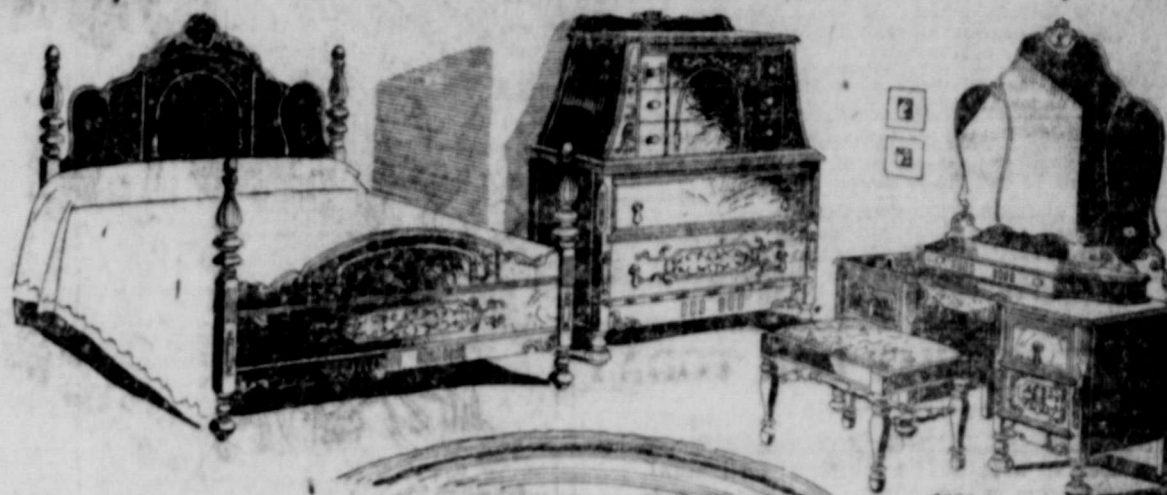
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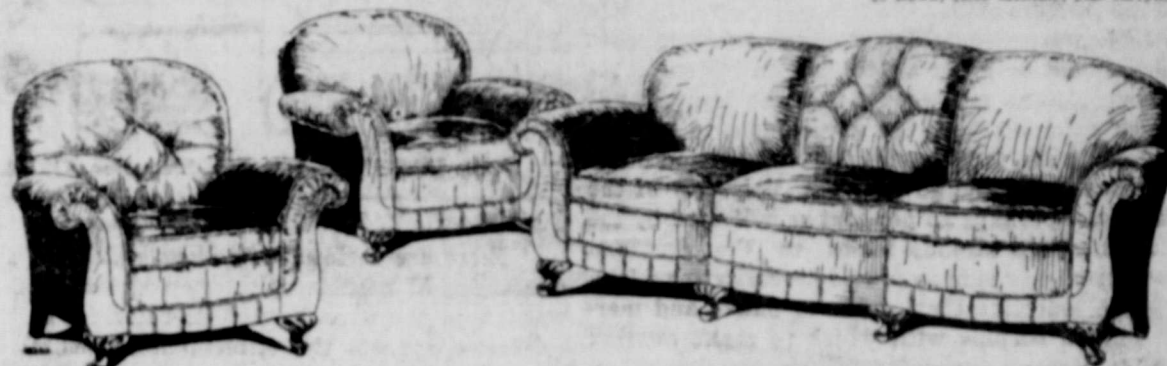


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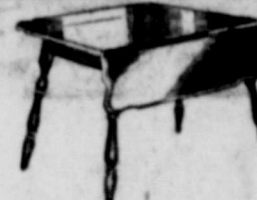
If comfort and value mean anything to you, by all means see this suite. Sink down into those restful, buoyant spring-filled cushions. Note the unusual shaped back Davenport. The high, roll-back Arm Chair. And the genuine Angora Mohair covering. Get it in the Sale and save \$10! Special for the February Sale at only.....

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Try These on Your New Waffle Iron

Regular Waffles

2 cups pastry flour
1 tsp. baking powder
1/4 tsp. salt
2 eggs
1 1/2 cups milk
6 tbsp. melted butter

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt and sift again. Separate yolks and whites of eggs and beat each well. Combine egg yolks, milk and butter. Add flour gradually, beating until smooth. Fold in egg whites. This recipe makes six waffles.

Sponge Cake Waffles

3 eggs
1 cup sugar
1 cup pastry flour
1 tsp. baking powder
1/4 cup cold water
3/4 cup melted butter
1/2 tsp. lemon extract

Beat the eggs until very light. Then beat in the sugar and fold in the flour, sift and baking powder sifted together. Add the water, melted butter and lemon extract. This recipe makes six waffles.



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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

BE KIND TO THE ERRING: Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such a one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.—Galatians 6: 1.

FREEZING THE FARMER

If the purpose of the Agricultural Credit corporation's loans to farmers is to provide the farmers a source of cheap credit not available elsewhere, as the intent of the law is interpreted, then the corporation, under the policies as understood here, is defeating its own purpose, and not only defeating its own purpose but threatening to bring an even worse condition than now exists.

Most of the farmers entitled to this relief already have their collateral mortgaged to the limit. The requirement that the government be given a first lien on collateral securing the corporation's loan means that the farmer must use the money obtained from the government to pay off the prior indebtedness, thus leaving his chattels and other collateral mortgaged to the government. Very few of the applying farmers—perhaps 25 per cent as indicated by the records of applications already made to the Eastland county committee,—are able to provide security for a loan large enough to amortize their debts to banks and merchants and have a surplus with which to make another crop. The most of them therefore will simply shut themselves off from future credit by paying the banks and merchants under a mortgage to the federal government. In effect this will be a transfer of indebtedness by freezing up collateral in a worse condition than ever.

Consider an example:

Bill Jones, a tenant farmer, after experiencing two successive crop failures, owes his banker \$250 which is secured by a mortgage on his stock, his tools, his crop and other chattels. Perhaps he owes his merchant \$100 secured by chattels not listed in the mortgage to the bank. The security he has to offer will guarantee a loan of \$350 and no more on the basis of present market values. He applies to the government, secures a loan of \$350 and pays the banker and the merchant, giving to the Agricultural Credit corporation a first lien upon all his goods. He has transferred his indebtedness, helped to relieve the banker and the merchant and has assisted himself to the extent of reducing the interest rate he pays to 6 1/2 per cent. But he has no money. He is faced with the necessity of obtaining a loan to make his next crop so that he can pay the government at least 50 per cent of the \$350 plus interest he has borrowed.

Where is he going to get it? Would the banker, with no security available, advance him the money? His only source of credit may be what, on the strength of his character, he can purchase on open account from the merchant, but that will tend to relieve his condition little.

Unless the corporation's loan policy is liberalized to place its benefits primarily within the reach of the type of farmer above, who is the type for which the aid is designed, its existence is not warranted by any credit condition now existing. For the farmer who can avail himself of its benefits can, with equal ease, secure accommodation through the regular channels of credit. Most of our banks are in solid condition and can well take care of the 25 per cent. It is the 75 per cent that must be reached. Under the existing requirements the corporation loans will serve to thaw out the ice in one place and freeze it in another and more serious place. It will leave the majority of the farmers with neither opportunity for further credit nor the purchasing power which is not only essential to their operations but essential to the welfare of business.

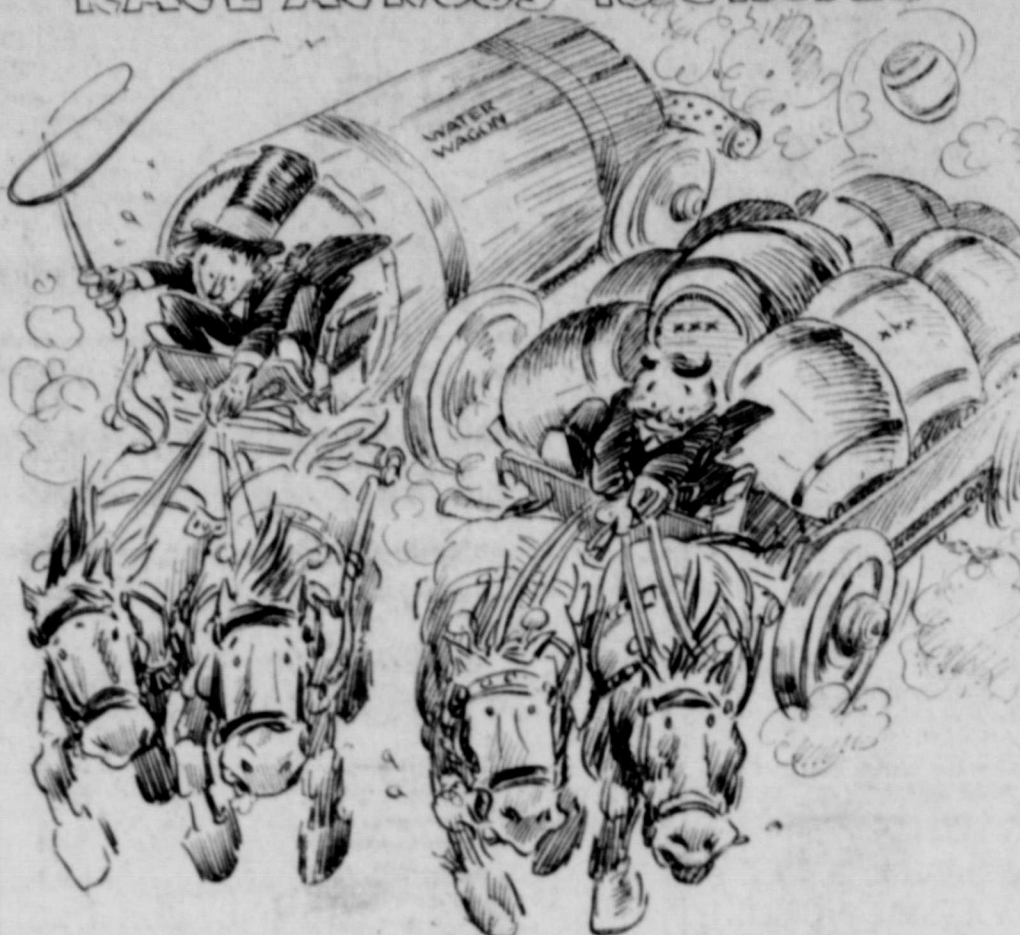
There should be a forceful demand upon the part of business men, bankers and merchants in general that the policy of the government agency charged with the distribution of these loans be put in accord with the spirit of the legislation which created the agency. Otherwise we are to have the spectacle of the government defeating its own ends.

Three hundred million dollars loaned to the farmers of this nation will do more to relieve the distress of the public in general, thaw out frozen credits and release purchasing power than ten times as much loaned to the large corporations, banks, and other business enterprises. It will have a progressive influence that will gather magnitude in the point of expanding credit much out of proportion to the progression that starts at the top of the pyramid and trickles down, and an influence more spontaneous in its character and consequently more in accord with natural business operations.

Those who repose faith in the League of Nations—and they are in the great minority—are adamant in their refusal to accept a truth that has been apparent to the materialists ever since the inception of the League: namely, the League may give rulings and decisions on matters of international import from now until Gabriel sounds the last trumpet, but, without force to back its findings, it is impotent.

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DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

GOV. PAUL V. McNUTT, of Indiana, says:

"There are certain obligations which the state cannot deny even in periods of greatest stress: The care of its wards and the education of its children. In the one, the obligation runs to the unfortunates themselves. In the other, the obligation runs to society as a whole."

"The hope for future prosperity and leadership lies in trained men and women. Children are born and grow up in periods of depression as well as in periods of prosperity. It is impossible to arrest their development. They have but one chance, which cannot be postponed. Roads and buildings may wait, but not the children."

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Christ came to destroy the works of the devil and he alone can do this. He is calling each person to service today. Go tell thy friends and members of your family, how great his mercies are to us. Yet we turn away, lured by pleasure, making money, keeping physical bodies fit while the spiritual body is worn and lean. He would have us ever remember and keep close the faith that grows as the mustard seed, day by day.

"For I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him again day."—Timothy 1:23

Weekly Sunday School Lesson

By BEULAH K. HICKS

Mark 4:35-41, 5:1-8, 15-20
Jesus, weary and tired, pressed by the multitude, looked across the beautiful lake, on whose shores he had taught, so many parables; which had brought truth to many hungry hearts, and saw that escape across the blue waters to the eastern side would bring him rest. Turning to his disciples he said, "Let us go over to the other side."

They, sensing his weariness, took him just as he was into the boat to start the passage across the lake. Jesus went into the stern of the boat and lay down, probably on the steersman's bench which was fitted with a leather cushion and fell asleep; quiet sleep as "He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most high shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty."—Psalm 91:1.

While Jesus slept the boat glided along, there arose a great storm of wind. Sudden and violent storms are common to this beautiful lake so favored and chosen by providence to be the fountain head of a living water that has quenched a thirst in souls of all conditions. While the tempest raged and the waves began to fill the boat, Jesus slept on; the disciples were frightened. They awoke him but their confusion did not disturb him. Calmly he arose to the supreme test of his deity, rebuked the wind and commanded the sea, "Peace be still."

There was a great calm; an uplifted heart in faith to the Lord of Hosts, who inspired him "not to fear though the earth be removed, and though the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea."—Psalm 46:2.

This miracle has been interpreted as meaning to show Christ's power over all creation, both the sea and the dry land, and that all might believe in him as the Omnipotent God. But, further, the tempest on the lake was a symbol of the trials and temptation which should come on the church in this world.

Into each life must come the tempests of doubt, trouble and sorrow. No life misses these storms. How we weather them and who pilots us is the supreme test of our faith and courage. Do we whine or do we sing.

"Love of God which will endure Is my cable strong and sure I am anchored on the Rock of Ages."

Love of God with strength untold Through the angry storms will hold Blessed peace of soul I know For I am anchored on the Rock of Ages."

Landing on the east shore in the county of the Gadarenes, Jesus was met immediately by a man of unclean spirit, a maniac. This man was so possessed by the evil spirits that he lived among the tombs on the mountain side; night and day his cries could be heard as he cut himself with stones. Authorities had chained him but in his fury he snapped the chains asunder. He had seen Jesus from afar and the evil spirit recognized him as divine. He then tried to match the authority with which Jesus spoke, when he demanded to be let alone. But Jesus again proved his absolute sovereignty when he said unto him, "Come out of the man, thou unclean spirit." The man was changed, sane again at once, realizing that "The mighty God, even the Lord hath spoken."—Psalm 50:1.

The closing picture is clothed in the grandeur of simplicity, gratitude of the healed man, courtesy and kindness of the reply of Jesus, who was not too great or too busy to heed the little things of life: "Go to thy house unto thy friends and tell them, how great things the Lord hath done for thee, and how he had mercy on thee," was the reply of Jesus to this man who would go with him. The man was faithful and preached to the people with such power that they marveled; bringing realization to the preacher that, "For thou hast delivered my soul from death; with thou deliver my feet from falling, that I may walk before God in the light of the living."—Psalm 56:13.

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Eight Teams Will Enter Eastland Cage Tournament

Eight teams will be in the cage tonight to begin the tournament for the ninth Texas State Cage Tournament. These teams will represent different counties and will compete for the championship in their respective classes in their counties. From this county will be Eastland, winner of the A division, and Morton, winner of the class B division. Breckenridge will represent class A division from Breckenridge county and Parks Camp will represent the class B division. Coach Gibson is correctly expected to determine the outcome of the games will be as follows: Eastland, Mineral Wells; Eastland, Mineral Wells; Eastland, Mineral Wells; Eastland, Mineral Wells; Eastland, Mineral Wells; Eastland, Mineral Wells; Eastland, Mineral Wells; Eastland, Mineral Wells.

The first game of the tournament will be called tonight at seven o'clock. Before this time representatives of each team will have drawn lots to determine the respective positions in the schedule. The exact time of the games will be played tonight. If the winners of these contests go into the semi-finals some regular Saturday, possibly Saturday afternoon. Saturday night will be a winning team will play a game to determine who will represent this district in the finals. The exact time of the semi-finals and finals will be announced tonight.

Since each team entered tonight represents the best ball talent in the six counties composing the district, some class basketball playing is expected. The right to represent the district at the State will be at stake and each team is putting forth its best effort to win. All basketball fans are expected to attend and make a showing for Eastland and Lang County as possible. Mission fee of 25 cents for and 10 cents for school children will be charged for the game tonight.

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GOOD STYLE
is never extreme. If you look around at the people who dress in good taste, you'll see that there's never anything "flashy" about what they wear.



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County News

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If your druggist's supply of the trial size is exhausted, get one of the regular size bottles—75c value—for only 35c. Use it a week. You will be delighted with it, your money will be returned.

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DESDEMONA

The "21" Study club met Feb. 14 at their club house with 19 members and 1 visitor present it being a record attendance for a cold, stormy day. Mrs. C. W. Maltby, president, called the meeting to order at 3 o'clock. Roll call responses were current club news as this was Federation Day program.

During the business session, the library committee reported the two new books "I Like the Depression" by Ansley and "I Keep a Rainbow" prize book of poems by Lexie Dear Robertson, were proving very popular. The club voted unanimously to endorse Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland for 6th district president. It was also voted to place the name of Miss Carrie Reeves on the Founders' roll at the permanent headquarters of the State Federation at Austin. Miss Reeves is president of 6th district. A resolution was unanimously carried that the work of the county farm and home demonstration agents should be commended and a letter to that effect should be sent to the county commissioners.

The program was as follows: "Mission of the General Federation," Mrs. C. M. Bratton; "Two Southern Club Women" (Mrs. Penbacker and Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner), Mrs. W. C. Bedford; talks on departments of club work: public welfare, Mrs. Plummer Ashburn; Education, Mrs. Roy Ashburn.

Hostesses were Mrs. Hugh Roe and Mrs. A. C. Robert, who served a lovely refreshment plate carrying out the Valentine motif. Those present were Misses Roy Ashburn, Plummer Ashburn, C. M. Bratton, W. C. Bedford, W. H. Davis, A. B. Hendrix, Obed Hendrix, Earl Lane, C. W. Maltby, A. C. Robert, Hugh Roe, S. E. Snodgrass, Mattie Henry, Fred Weider, Robert Weir, Ralph Laidwick, Clifford Acrea, W. E. Barron and Miss Nora Robert, all members, and Miss Pansy Day of Dallas, a welcome visitor.

Style McIntire visited his parents near Comanche Saturday and Sunday. J. A. Goforth and family spent the weekend with relatives at Comanche. N. Sudderth, produce dealer from Ranger was here Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Annie Daniel was the guest of her nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seed, at Eastland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffin and daughter, Mary, drove up to Ranger Saturday to take their other daughter, Mrs. Jim McGee and baby, who were leaving for their home at Olney after a week's visit here. Mr. McGee met them at Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones and two little sons were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nabers last weekend.

Clifford McCoy, who is a welder for the Eureka Tool Co., at Comroe, came up Saturday to get his wife and baby, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hanson the past several weeks. They returned to Comroe on Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Derrick and daughter, Mrs. Style McIntire, drove down to DeLeon on business Monday.

Mrs. John Mendenhall, and daughter, Mrs. Mattie Henry, accompanied by Miss Dorace Roe, drove up to Ranger Saturday and attended the meeting of the Eastland County Federation of Women's clubs. The guest speaker at the meeting was Miss Estelle Hefley, dean of girls at C. I. A. at Denton, a college at which Miss Dorace Roe had been a student.

Miss Beryl Gallagher, who is a senior at C. I. A. at Denton, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Gallagher.

Russell Krapf, who has been working for the Eureka Tool Co. at Comroe, came in Saturday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Krapf.

Mrs. C. W. Maltby and Mrs. W. C. Bedford attended the County Federation of Women's clubs at Eastland Saturday. Glen Maltby went with them and attended the picture show.

Hosts of friends were grieved to hear of the sudden death of our former townsman, A. M. Harrison which occurred at Ranger early Friday morning following an attack of acute indigestion. Sincere sympathy is extended to the sorrowing relatives.

ARCADIA SATURDAY



highly respected by her host of friends.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at Alameda, Rev. D. W. Nicol officiating.

Her survivors are: two sisters, Mrs. W. A. Love, Miss Ellen Tucker; three brothers, J. J. D., and Marion Tucker, all of Clea-

ney.

ALAMEDA NEWS

ALAMEDA, Feb. 23.—Bro. O. G. Lanier of Ranger filled his appointment at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and evening.

O. F. Carr has been on the sick list, also the small baby of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Rogers.

The young people of this community were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ried Saturday night.

Mrs. O. A. Wilson of Leon, visited Mr. and Mrs. Olive Pilgrim Saturday.

Henry Evans and son, Morgan, of Abilene, visited J. B. King and family last week-end. Mr. Evans is a brother-in-law of Mr. King.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Lewis and son visited in De Leon Sunday.

A. D. Lewis Sr., is in West Texas on business this week.

Arthur Wier of Desdemona was in the community Monday.

D. Lewis was in Ranger Friday.

Mrs. L. B. Cozart has been ill but is up again.

There was no school Monday on account of the funeral of Miss Senna West, who died Sunday at the family home. She had been sick but a short time, but complications arose. Miss West was past seventy years of age. She had lived in this community more than thirty years. She is survived by two brothers, John Tucker, with whom she lived and Joe Tucker, and two sisters, Mrs. Will Love and Miss Ellen Tucker and other relatives and a host of friends who extend sympathy to the sorrowing relatives.

Miss West was a life-long member of the Church of Christ. Interment was in the Alameda cemetery Monday afternoon.

GORMAN

GORMAN, Feb. 23.—Misses E. A. Boaz and E. G. Blackwell were Dallas visitors Friday.

Mrs. Scott Parr arrived Thursday from West Virginia for a visit with Mrs. W. M. Blair and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brown of Cross Plains were here Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

COLONY NEWS

COLONY, Feb. 23.—A large crowd attended the play at Colony Friday night. The play, "Old Fashioned Mothers," was presented by the high school pupils. The boys of the manual training class sold quite a lot of the furniture they had on hand.

Jack Dunlap has returned from Austin, where he has been visiting his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Franklin of Ranger were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Loper Saturday.

L. C. Cooksey and family returned from Gatesville Sunday, where they were visiting Mr. Cooksey's relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson were visiting in Thurber, Sunday.

Little Alice Coze is improving nicely after her broken arm that was injured last week when she fell from a slide.

C. V. Williamson and Shelton Laughlin were visitors of Mr. Gerald Carter Sunday.

Little Bobbie Joe Langley, who has been ill with influenza, is improving nicely.

Sherman Williamson and wife spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sharp of Eastland.

Mrs. Jeff Laughlin, Mrs. Less Williamson and Will Franklin and Leona Langley attended the shower at Mrs. J. L. Funks of Morton Valley, Wednesday.

Cross Roads

CROSS ROADS.—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Browning and daughter visited in the home of Jonoth Kilchen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lumpkin and daughter and Mrs. Emma Green were the guests of R. R. Browning Sunday evening.

J. F. Walker and Gene Ferrell were Ranger visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Wesley Dunlap and children from Matamor visited her sister, Mrs. Henry Dunlap, Saturday night and Sunday.

Ed Campbell and family visited J. R. Hale Sunday.

V. E. Pedigo and family attended church at Ranger Sunday night.

Little Pauline Negar visited Mosell Hall Sunday afternoon.

H. A. Negar and family visited in the home of F. E. Ferrell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. Browning visited friends in Ranger Sunday.

Little Henry Etta Burrow is improving at this writing.

Walter Akers was here Friday seeing after his cattle.

Aunt Rose Weeks is still on the sick list.

Dink Brown and Henry Dunlap were in Ranger on business Friday.

Easter Outfits Seen As a Cure For Depression

NEW YORK.—The proverbial hand that rules the cradle holds the strings which, if loosened, would lift the depression and would release a volume of business that would give thousands of unemployed work.

So said George Bernard, couturier, who declared that if every woman would pledge herself to purchase an Easter outfit, over a billion dollars would go into circulation and cause a boom which would make the recent lean years seem a nightmare.

Bernard did not demand that every woman rush out and bedeck herself in splendid finery she cannot afford, but that each one pledge herself to buy in accordance with her means.

"The important thing is that she should buy," he said.

There are over 30 million adult women in the United States, who should have a natural interest in securing a new Easter outfit. If each would buy one for \$40 (consisting of a frock for \$7, a coat or suit for \$15, shoes for \$4, hand-

bag for \$3, gloves for \$2, two pairs of stockings for \$1, a hat for \$3, underwear for \$3, and a girdle, or other needed accessories, for \$2) the result would be an expenditure of \$1,200,000,000.

Forty dollars is set by Bernard as a minimum a woman could spend for a complete outfit that would endure in style and quality. Actually, however, thousands of women can afford to spend as much as 10 times this amount, and about a million women of the country can afford to spend two or three times \$40. This would mean more millions of dollars put into circulation.

OWL BROKE SAFETY RECORD

SAN BENITO, Tex.—Walter Wesley, 16, traveled 2,400 miles in his automobile without mishap before a great horned owl with a mouse in its beak crashed through the windshield. Neither Wesley nor his companion, Frank H. Carpenter, was injured.

MARVIN E. WILLIAMS

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Ranger

The growing popularity of these horror movies makes it very hard to believe that they are so popular.

Science Now Finds Cause of Body Odor—Ends It

Scientific tests have made clear at last why body odor—after one bathes with ordinary soap—soon begins again. Their sticky, sluggish lathers cannot work into the pores, and so cannot remove the embedded stale perspiration. Instead they clog the pores with curds.

The new and positive way to beat body odor is deep-pore cleansing. One soap will do that, Kirk's Coco Castile, made by America's largest soap makers. Even in hard water, it breaks instantly into a searching lather. It cleans deep into the pores, actually removes the embedded perspiration—then rinses out completely and in a flash, thus it ends body odor at source—the only effective way.

This is a pure vegetable oil soap in odorless—leave no offensive S. S. (medicinal smell)—is stimulating to the skin. Available everywhere in a big generous cake, half again larger than the average toilet soap, it is now selling at the lowest price in history. Be sure to ask for Kirk's Castile by name—at your grocer's.

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Ranger, Texas

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STRAWBERRIES	Fresh Florida—Finest of Season	pints 14c
LETTUCE	Large, Firm Heads—California Iceberg	each 4c
CABBAGE—New crop, firm green heads		lb. 11c
GREEN BEANS	Fresh Stringless—Young and Tender	2 lbs. 19c
POTATOES—Idaho No. 1 clean Whites		10 lbs. 15c
HENS—Large and fat, dressed		lb. 10c
Garden Seed and Flower Seed	All Kinds—Per Paper	5c & 10c
SEED POTATOES	Best on Market—Whites or Reds	100 lbs. \$1.75
BROOMS	Good Lighthouse—A REAL Bargain	each 17c
MILK of MAGNESIA	St. Joseph's Regular 35c size at	19c
ASPIRIN	St. Joseph's Pure Genuine	2 boxes 15c
PINEAPPLE	No. 1 Flat—Sliced or Grated	3 cans for 25c
ONION SETS—White and Yellow		2 qts. 15c
PEARS, fancy table, 2 cans	25c	
SOUP, Campbell's Tomato, finest of all	3 cans	25c
PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 size cans	Each 14c	
APPLE BUTTER, 2 1/2 size cans	Each 17c	
PEANUT BUTTER, quarts, fresh made		each 22c

COFFEE OUR SPECIAL Best Ground 2 pkgs. **25c**

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MILK, Carnation Brand	8 small cans	25c
SYRUP, home-made Sorghum	gal. 49c; 1/2 gal. 28c	
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SOAP	Swift's Quick Naptha Laundry—BIG BARS	10 for 19c
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FLOUR	Yukon's Best	48-lb. bags. 95c
MEAL	Yukon's Best	24-lb. bag. 50c
JEWEL COMPOUND	(LIMIT) 8-lb. Carton	43c
GRAPEFRUIT, extra large	Each 5c	
APPLES, school children size, Winesap and Jonathan	Doz.	10c
ORANGES, California, medium	Doz.	10c
CELERY, well bleached	Each 10c	
SWEET POTATOES, juicy vams	5 lbs.	10c
Fryers, Hens and Turkeys!	LIVE OR DRESSED	
Sliced BACON	lb. 15c	
BEEF STEW	lb. 5c	
PORK SAUSAGE	lb. 5c	
PORK CHOPS	lb. 10c	
Cream CHEESE	lb. 16c	
PORK ROAST	lb. 10c	
BEEF ROAST	lb. 10c	
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All popular brands, pkg. 10c (Plus 3c Tax)	White House 4 Baby or 2 Tall Cans. 11c

FLOUR	SUGAR
Pillsbury's Verigood 48 Pound 65c	Pure Cane 10 Lb. Cloth Bag 45c

SOY BEANS	QUAKER MAID
4 medium cans 25c	WILL SAUCE Bottle 18c

COFFEE lb. 37c

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

Cranberries, lb. 10c	Lettuce, 2 heads 9c
Oranges, doz. 17c	Butabagas, lb. 3c
Carrots, bunch 3c	Potatoes, 10 lbs. 15c
Apples, Winesap, doz. 11c	Onion Plants, 300 for 10c

STEAK	2 lbs. 25c
Pure Pork SAUSAGE	2 lbs. 15c
Dry Salt BACON	lb. 7c
Sliced BACON	lb. 12c
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By ELVIE H. JACKSON

The annual world-wide Day of Prayer draws near and one wonders just exactly what will be the outcome of this concerted plea that will rise at a given hour on the same day from countless churches all over the world, for the preservation of peace, for the successful missions, for the imbuing of fresh spirit in the leaders of Christ's work; and the prayers for international relationship, and that this means in the preservation of peace and the continuance of missions in His name.

Under the banner slogan, "Follow Jesus Me," this great day of prayer will draw into one unified prayer at the one single time of the year, the great surging plea for peace and happiness.

A wonderful program will be carried out uniformly all over the world in various such churches, on Friday, March 3, that will be voice of missions for nations, for international relations, and for the leaders and their continuance of allegiance to His work, and for the peace and happiness.

It is a wonderful thought that in a world of unseeing humans, as of warm-hearted beings, is arising on a single day, prayers for these great needs that mingle with our own prayers, modest and individual applications.

As wide as the starry reach of the Tablets of Emmanet is the banner that unites compatriots over the world, of God's loving fathers, and Christ's sacrifice.

The local churches will unite in the observance of this Day of prayer on Friday of next week, March 3, and will hold a magnificent program in the Baptist church, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

It should be not only the duty of the sincere pleasure of every man and woman who respects his duty, and loves his Savior, to attend this service, which will be conducted by Mrs. J. LeRoy Anderson, and with fine music by Mrs. J. Stewart.

These are busy times, and anxious ones, and the heart surcharged with worries and fears, will find relief in this day of prayer, set apart for prayers, for the relief of the multitude, the preservation of peace, and the progress of His kingdom.

"Follow Thou Me."

To be asked to walk in His footsteps, is the great privilege given us.

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OUT OUR WAY



The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowen



Eastland Personal

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS By Blosser

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wynn and baby, Jeanne, leave tomorrow for their new home in Big Spring.

Walter L. Clarke, with the Sinclair-Prairie is expected home from Oklahoma tomorrow, following a week's absence.

Mrs. Rosemond Coleman of Vernon is visiting her sister, Mrs. Don Parker.

Bobby Perkins, the interesting young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Perkins, was able to be up yesterday following an illness of several days, of cold and fever.



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WHAT IS IT TONIGHT, BILLY? BEAN SOUP?

YEP-- AN' DERN GOOD BEAN SOUP FRECKLES! DERN GOOD!!

IT SOUNDS GOOD!!



One I Love

by LAURA LOU BROOKMAN
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BEGIN HERE TODAY

JANET HILL is engaged to ROLF CARLYLE but they do not have enough money to marry. Janet is secretary for BRUCE HAMILTON, advertising manager of Every Home Magazine, and Rolf works for the Atlas Advertising Co. Janet insists they must have \$500 in a savings account before they can be married.

HOWARD CHERRY, another employee of the magazine, tries to make dates with Janet but she discourages him.

She hurries home from the office one Saturday to prepare a surprise birthday dinner for Rolf. On the way she sees a couple entering the fashionable Brewster Hotel Coffee Shop and recognizes the young man as Rolf.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER II

IN another instant the girl in the fur coat and the young man beside her had disappeared. Janet had barely seen them, had heard her heart cry out, "It's Rolf!" and was still struggling with the shock when the door of the Coffee Shop closed.

Immediately common sense returned. Of course it couldn't have been Rolf with that pretty, expensively dressed girl. It was some other young man whose topcoat happened to be the same shade of gray as Rolf's, who wore a dark felt at the same angle.

"It was because I was thinking about him," Janet told herself. "Imagine making such an idiot of myself! Why, it couldn't have been Rolf!" She accepted this explanation eagerly, with a sense of relief.

For a moment, though, she had been startled—

Smiling, reassured, Janet hurried along. A minute or two later she was turning into the doorway of Rolf's Cafeteria. Most of the noon-time crowd had lunched and departed. The long room with its innumerable little tables, all with gleaming tile tops, was not even half filled.

Janet ordered a satisfying lunch—two vegetables, a salad, a glass of milk and for dessert a delicious looking fruit tart. She carried her tray to a table near the side of the wall and sat down. It was quiet there. Blessedly quiet. Suddenly Janet realized that she was hungry. The hot food seemed delicious and for several minutes she devoted herself to it, thinking only how pleasant it was to eat an appetizing meal in peaceful surroundings.

Then she took a slip, of paper from her purse and began checking over the items listed. Rolf's first for the pen and pencil set. In parenthesis Janet had set down "\$5." It seemed a lot; enough even for the handsome pen and pencil she had visualized as Rolf's gift.

The dime store was on the list—for candles and a glass top to replace the broken one on the coffee percolator. The cut-rate flower shop next for a half dozen pink roses—little ones that wouldn't last long but would be just right in a low bowl on the table. The roses would cost only 50 cents. Then there was the meat market and the grocery and all the things that must be bought to prepare the birthday dinner.

Janet went over the list. No, there was nothing she had forgotten. Two-fifteen now. She must hurry!



Janet raised her face, glowing with happiness. "Kiss me," she whispered.

and spoons littered the improvised kitchen.

For a moment Janet stopped stirring to push a strand of hair back from her face. She was warm and her nose was aching. The last minute, with everything to be done at once, was always confusing. Rolf would come any time now.

Rolf would come any time now. There he was now—the buzzer on the bell downstairs pressed three times in rapid succession! Janet's "apartment" was on the second floor and Rolf could make that single flight in record time.

A sharp rap at the door—Janet leaving the stove, risking ruin of the dinner to answer—a slim, tall figure and a booming voice in the shadows.

"Ho, honey."

"Oh, Rolf—"

It was a brief greeting. Janet hurried back to retrieve the cream sauce and the steak. The young man tossed aside his hat and topcoat and leaned back comfortably, watching the curling smoke drift ceilingward.

"Busy today?" Janet called.

"So-so." Suddenly Carlyle noticed the table with its bowl of roses and its tall candlesticks. "Say, what's the idea? Looks like a party—"

SMILING, Janet emerged from behind the screen. "It is a party, Rolf. Don't you know what day it is? It's your birthday! I wanted to surprise you."

"Birthday—say, I'd forgotten all about that. How'd you know? How'd you happen to remember—?"

"I've remembered ever since—oh, for months and months. Something you said one day last summer. Are you really surprised? I thought it would be fun to have dinner here together tonight. Just you and I, Rolf. We're going to have a birthday cake—"

The sentence was lost as she made a frantic dash for the stove. In time to prevent serious damage she turned off the blaze. Five minutes more and the platter of steak, the asparagus, the salads and the crisp, golden rolls were on the table.

"You light the candles," Janet said as she untied the blue and white apron. Her face was glowing and pink from the heat, her hair a trifle unruly. There was no time to think of that now. The dinner must be eaten while it was hot.

Just for an instant they stood there together. The room behind them was dark. The candlelight—flickering and uncertain—cast a pale golden radiance over the table, disguising the cheap dishes and worn lunch cloth. The scent of the rosebuds was sweet and spicy. Janet's hand slipped into Rolf's. She raised a face glowing with happiness.

"Kiss me," she whispered.

His lips brushed against her forehead. It was a hasty kiss—at most a preoccupied one. Janet's eyes, just as her heart, must have

rehearsed at the home of Bill Edwards Monday night.

Most of the fruit and orchard men in our community think the peach crop for this year and most of the plum crop was killed by the hard freeze a short time ago. They say the berry crop and grapes are uninjured.

Mrs. J. T. Horn awoke Sunday night to find their living room filled with smoke, from clothing and a divan which had in some manner caught fire after the family had retired for the night. She and Mr. Horn worked and managed to extinguish the flames by throwing water on the fire. The wall paper was burned and everything smoked but the house was not burned and Mr. and Mrs. Horn were very thankful the damage was no greater.

The Book club of the high school is planning an entertainment in the near future, the exact date of which will be announced soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clem of Strawn announce the arrival of a baby daughter last week. Mrs. Clem will be remembered as Miss Lydia Ross Horn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Horn of Olden.

Forest Service Got Request For Seed

WASHINGTON.—Several mail bags containing requests for free trees and seeds to plant on farms, park lots and lawns have been received by the Forest Service, the Agriculture Department reported.

The department complained that "despite years of effort to correct the impression somehow spread widely that the Forest Service has free trees for distribution, the orders and requests continue to come in." Many persons offer to pay for the trees or seeds, the department said.

Trees grown by the Forest Service, it was explained, are only for planting in national forests, not for individuals.

been so filled to overflowing with joy that she failed to notice the look that crossed Rolf's face. It was gone in an instant.

Gazing across the table at him, Janet saw a young man any casual observer would have called rather handsome.

Perhaps that gracefully molded chin lacked a little in firmness. Perhaps the brown eyes, with their ingratiating smile, were a bit too pleasure-loving. In Janet's opinion Rolf possessed the combined wit, charm, intellect and good looks of the heroes of the six current best sellers, the six most popular plays on Broadway, the six most successful recent screen dramas—and more for good measure.

THERE is no doubt that she was prejudiced. To his employers, Dwight Kendall and Jim McPherson, who owned the Atlas Advertising Agency, young Carlyle was a beginner with a fair chance of working up in the business. People liked Carlyle—and that was an asset. He had the brains too, if he'd settle down and apply himself. Rolf had worked at the Atlas office for a year and a half. During the two years he had attended college Rolf had sold advertising on the college paper. He had landed the job with the Atlas company when Frank Dennison, a friend, had given it up to join the staff of the Gazette. Hired at \$30 a week and given routine office duties, Carlyle had earned two raises since.

It had been on an errand for the Atlas company (bringing copy to be inserted in the Every Home Magazine) that Rolf Carlyle had first seen Janet Hill. There had been a few words between them. Carlyle had found occasion to drop into the Every Home office on other errands. After the evening when he first persuaded her to have dinner with him the courtship had moved swiftly. In a little more than a month Janet Hill had promised to marry Rolf Carlyle.

All that had been nearly a year ago. Janet, during those months had learned to care more and more for Rolf. Not once did it occur to her that he could feel otherwise.

The birthday dinner proved a success. The steak was tender, cooked exactly as Rolf liked it. The salads were crisp and the rest of the simple menu as appetizing.

Janet thought, "This is how it's going to be some day—when we're married. This is the way we'll have dinner every night—"

She hadn't been listening and Rolf was talking about something at the office. Suddenly the girl laughed.

"Oh, Rolf—" she said, "the silliest thing happened today. I was coming by the Brewster Coffee Shop and I saw an awfully pretty girl. She was with a man in gray and for a minute I was sure it was you! I—I was certain of it!"

"You mean—you thought you saw me—?"

"You must have a double. Honestly, I'd have sworn—but then of course I knew it couldn't be!"

Janet laughed and Carlyle joined her. Somehow the man's laugh was not so convincingly mirthful as the girl's.

"Funny," he agreed. "You don't think I've taken to lunching at the Brewster, do you?"

"Oh, course not. But honestly it did look like you."

The talk drifted to other things. Janet brought the dessert and tea. It was while they were drinking the fragrant golden beverage that Carlyle said carefully, "Janet, there's something I want to talk to you about."

(To Be Continued)

For many a married man, international diplomacy pales into insignificance beside the strategy displayed by the young Indian who took his bride on a 4500-mile "hitch-hike honeymoon."

"HAD CONSTIPATION SINCE BIRTH OF MY FIRST CHILD"

Then Mrs. King Discovered ALL-BRAN

We quote from her voluntary letter:

"I have suffered from terrible constipation since the birth of my first child—9 years ago! I have tried everything and nothing had any lasting results. Very reluctantly I tried your 'ALL-BRAN' with no faith in it at all. Much to my surprise, I have not had to take any medicine since starting to use ALL-BRAN, 4 months ago."—Mrs. Doris Eyring King, 16 Abbey Road, Oxford, England.

Laboratory tests show ALL-BRAN contains two things which overcome constipation: "Bulk" to exercise the intestines; vitamin B to help tone the intestinal tract.

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Special Correspondent

OLDEN, Feb. 24.—W. R. Curry, who has been seriously ill at the West Texas Clinic in Ranger is much better now and hopes to soon be back home again.

The Olden people who attended the American Legion Washington birthday banquet in Ranger Wednesday night were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stephens, Mrs. J. C. Jarrett, Mrs. Ida S. Ford, Mary Ford, Jean Adams, and C. T. Ford. All enjoyed a delightful evening. The ladies of the Methodist church in Ranger should be complimented on the artistic arrangements and the efficient service and delicious dinner. The after-dinner speeches were entertaining and of a high order, and

the balance of the entertainment, including Roper Murphy and his orchestra, the three Girl Rhythmites who sang so well and the excellent readings by Sammy Ruth Matthews, was enjoyed immensely. The American Legion post in Ranger should be complimented on their worthy efforts and the deserved success of their celebration of the birthday of our first soldier.

There are to be two special services at the Baptist church next Sunday. In the morning the services will be dedicated to the old folks. Every old person in the community is especially invited to attend this service. Those who have no means of conveyance may get in touch with J. H. Munn, who will arrange to provide a way for them. At 7:30 that evening a special service will be held for the young people, who are all cordially invited and urged to attend. Both these meetings will be conducted by Rev. K. C. Edmunds and will be well worth while.

Young people's choir practice is Thursday night at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Maxwell and son, Bernard, have returned from an extended stay in Levita, Texas.

Mrs. H. G. Vermillion, who has been ill, is better now and able to be up again.

J. L. Swindell has been seriously ill but is much better at this time.

Dad Buckley's orchestra met for

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Ranger Social News

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Gillian Buchanan to Present Piano and Violin Students in Patriotic Pageant Tonight

A program of unusual interest is in store for music lovers this evening at 7:30 when Miss Gillian Buchanan presents her seventh grade, high school, and junior college violin and piano students in a patriotic pageant, entitled "An American Fantasy," at the high school auditorium.

The following will take part in the pageant: Frances Harrell, Elizabeth Earnest, Mary Weaver, Norma Mills, Mary Gentry, Louise Vaughn, Neva Mae Richardson, Juliaann Connelly, Mattie B. Montgomery, Fay Sanders, Wallace Aven, Lorene Harrell, Virginia Beach, Nancy Lynch, Robert Her-ring, Mary Weaver.

Mrs. Green Entertains Study Association

Mrs. E. R. Green acted as pleasing hostess to the Child Study Association No. 1 at her home, Pine street, Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. O. G. Lanier opened the lesson with the instructive talk on "Training Little Hands," followed with a paper read by Mrs. C. O. Bolen, "Our Children and Other People's Children."

After the program had been concluded and all necessary business called to the attention of members the remainder of the afternoon was transformed into that of a social directed by Mrs. Guy Eary.

Clever games and contests as "Historical Shake Up" and "Minia" were features of the entertainment enjoyed by all.

At 5 o'clock Mrs. Green passed a delicious refreshment plate of molded salad and pecan pie with coffee to the program representatives and Misses Edwin George Jr., D. W. Nichol, Guy Eary, E. L. Fontaine, Brown Bradley, Doyle Lanier, R. A. Steele, John Hassen, and mother of Dr. Green and daughter of Stephenville who are house guests at the Green residence this week.

As a special arrangement Mrs. R. A. Steele played several piano numbers while refreshments were served as did young Mary Allen Lanier, talented piano pupil under the instruction of Miss Gillian Buchanan, prominent Ranger artist.

War Dance Furnishes Delightful Entertainment

"We wanted something different in the form of entertainment and sure enough the chairman of entertainment, "Mickey" Sloan, and his group of social workers presented one of the most attractive and delightful dance affairs of the season at their Elks club-rooms last evening, introducing an entirely new mode of social diversion.

As one entered the well arranged and well kept ballroom, to the left was seated "Red" Krause and his orchestra personnel very neat in "tux" and offering a decidedly favorable impression. Of course we just can't resist mentioning the accordion player who was such a sensation at a Ranger Country club dance not so long ago. Noted in the group of musicians was seen Ray Costlow, who needless to say was exchanging greetings with many Ranger friends.

Then a farther glance at the other end of the ballroom was immediately noticed the smiling face of Rupert Murphy and his greater nine piece dance band. Folks, did

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Arcadia Today



Scene from "Little Orphan Annie" at the Arcadia today.

those very, very shiny and attractive music racks show up under those softly colored lights of yellow and blue. The pianist who incidentally is none other than Vera Wolf, and the boys really produced dance tunes during the dance that brought favorable comment from all.

The affair took an altogether different appearance from any to have been held at the club for some time. Those "flats" managed through the diplomacy of the courteous hospitality committee did not congregate in the center of the floor and lessen the impression of the occasion was supposed to be. Nice work Mr. Chairman and Messrs. McClister, McDonald, Swetland and Cash, we enjoyed your dance and are looking forward to another soon.

Mrs. Davis Hostess To New Era Club

In observance of the second program for the February schedule members of the New Era club met at the home of Mrs. Clyde H. Davis Wednesday afternoon and enjoyed the interesting program, "Literature in Texas Prior to 1890," under the leadership of Mrs. E. O. Samms.

During the business session it was voted to meet in the homes of members throughout the remainder of the study season.

Mrs. C. G. King opened the lesson when she capably gave the paper on "Early Texas Prose Writers and Poets."

"Characteristics of Cowboy Songs" was well given by Mrs. George Rogers. As the program drew to a close a social period was immediately entered into during which time a pretty and delicious refreshment plate of sandwiches, dessert topped with whipped cream and coffee were served carrying in an effective arrangement the colors of red, white and blue.

Members present included Misses O. Denny, O. E. Samms, Roy Fes-mer, George Rogers, C. G. King, H. J. Barham, Elster Smith, and hostess, Mrs. Davis.

The next program will be held on the afternoon of March 11, with Mrs. O. L. Phillips leader. A Texas day program will be heard at this time.

Misses Judd and Ratliff Honor Guests With Buffet Supper

Misses Jewelle Judd and Ora Lee Ratliff delightfully entertained with an attractively appointed buffet supper Wednesday evening, naming as guests of honor members of the third year economics class of Ranger high school under direction of Miss Adrian Hagaman, at whose home the affair was held. The buffet table and quartet tables were effectively dressed in the George Washington motif

providing a pretty color combination for the lovely background of other blending color tints.

The party guests were Misses Ella Mae Smith and Hazel Davis, who rendered their assistance to the hostesses and Eva Littlejohn, Agnes Higginbotham, Margaret Reuser, Eula Fae Richardson, Louise White, Nannie Katherine Newnam, Macon Younce, Lucille Patterson, Ruby Bishop, Cuba Crabb, Eleanor Cleveland, Eloise Pedigo, Jessie Mae Grant.

Miss Claire Dyer Continues to Improve

Miss Claire Dyer, who has been very seriously ill at the Providence hospital in Waco for the past week is reported much improved. The many Ranger friends who have anxiously been awaiting report of her condition will be very happy to learn she is doing nicely.

Child Welfare Banquet At Acorn Acres Saturday

The Child Welfare club will meet at Acorn Acres tomorrow Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock for a luncheon which will be followed with a business session. Mrs. F. M. Kuykendall urges that all members to attend.

Dudley Hatchery of Ranger Doing Baby Chick Business

The Dudley hatchery, 195 South Marston street, Ranger, is now setting eggs each Monday morning and has chicks ready for sale each Tuesday. The hatchery has a number of chicks that are now ready for the public and can be seen in the window of the hatchery at any time. Visitors have been invited by Mr. Dudley to visit and inspect the hatchery.

Mr. Dudley said today that since the recent cold snap and with the spring-like weather that has followed, there had been a demand for chicks that has shown an increased interest in poultry raising in this section. Young chicks will be traded to farmers for wheat, oats, corn or other feed, Mr. Dudley stated.

Railroad To Lay 1,000,000 New Ties

By United Press

MISSOULA, Mont.—One million ties will be laid on the roadbed of the Northern Pacific route between Billings, Mont., and Yakima, Wash., according to present plans of the company for 1933.

The Missoula plant of the company will manufacture 100,000 ties and 350,000 board feet measure of switching ties; another 200,000 will be turned out at the Brainerd, Minn., plant; and 175,000 ties will be treated at Seattle, Wash. The company has 500,000 ties in storage from 1932 operations.

McCAMEY—G. B. Dyson moved rock crusher to pit No. 2 at this place.

Solons Disagree on Press Comment on Legislation

By United Press

AUSTIN.—Newspaper men who are members of the state legislature take a varying view of press criticisms of the body.

An attack on bills to reorganize the state game department has brought a denunciation from Jack O'Brien, sports editor of the San Antonio Evening News, that caused a two-hour house debate.

The article was in the popular sports column style, "jazzed up" with fancy typography. In it "debauchery," "rottenness" and similar terms were in the capital letters. Its substance was that plans to change the present organization were for political advantage.

W. E. Pope, author of one of the bills, is a former newspaper publisher and associate editor of one now being published. He told the house he would "take care" of the remarks so far as he was concerned but that the house ought to summon the sports writer and find it out for its information if his charges were true.

Homer Leonard, McAllen publisher member, says that editorial criticism by a newspaper is desirable. "But," he added, "it ought to be by an editor—not a news writer."

P. L. Anderson, world's champion linotype, a house leader says:

"In politics you have to take the bitter with the sweet. When they praise you, it's sweet. When they cuss you, it's bitter. A man taking public office must be prepared to take either."

Rep. J. O. Smith, Elgin, 40 years an editor, has this to say of vitriolic attacks:

Ambrose Bierce in a celebrated little volume entitled "Write It Light," gave this definition of sports:

"What no sensible man writes nor reads."

Ranger Personals

Mrs. Rev. Jameson spent today visiting in Fort Worth.

Miss Virginia Acree is the guest of her parents at Waco over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jensen are to return home today from a visit to Borger.

Miss Martha Marie Gholson of Lubbock is a Ranger visitor over the week-end, the house guest of Miss Alla Rae Kuykendall.

John D. Gholson returned home yesterday from a trip to El Paso, where he received special treatment for a recent illness.

Cecil G. McCary of Breckenridge was numbered among out-of-town dance guests at the Elks

club Thursday evening.

Charles Ashcraft, who has been confined to his home for the past two weeks is reported much improved. It is thought Mr. Ashcraft will be able to resume work in the next few days.

Hall Walker will spend Saturday in Galveston, where he will transact business matters.

Eddie Sargeant is ill with flu.

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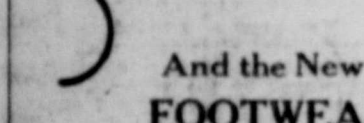
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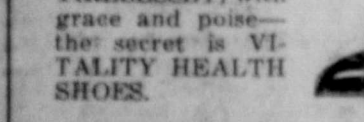
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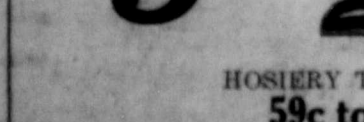
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