

SENTENCE SERMON.
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VOL. VII

RACE RIOT SEEMS IMMINENT IN DETROIT

TEACHERS NEAR INSTITUTE END; CLOSES FRIDAY

Dr. Evans Continues Discussion of "Natural Laws in the Mental World."

Dr. Evans, who is conducting the teachers' institute in session in Eastland this week, continued today his discussion of the subject, "Natural Laws in the Mental World," on which he had spoken at previous sessions. Included in the morning's program were addresses by J. H. Morgan, Cisco, Hob Gray, Eastland, and J. W. Conner, Rising Star. Mr. Morgan was assigned the subject, "The Administration of Schools in the Cities"; Mr. Gray's subject was, "The Program of Secondary Education," while Mr. Conner's subject was "University Inter-scholastic League."

Following the program for this afternoon and evening and Friday morning, which will conclude the institute:

Thursday afternoon—2:30. Assembly as a school; music; a picture lesson. 2:30—P. T. A. Subject, "The Aims and Purpose of Parent-Teachers Association," Mrs. N. A. Jennet. 4—P. T. A.—Its Relation to the School," Mrs. Bates. 2—Summary, Dr. Evans. 3:50—Announcements.

Thursday evening—Another hour of recreation vs. exercise. Plays, games, meeting of Eastland citizens with the teachers of the county; the institute will extend tubs of ice cold lemonade with wafers to Eastland citizenship. Program: Contest games, story telling, and singing old time songs.

Friday morning—9. Assembly of teachers as a school—Happy singing. 9:10—Scripture reading and prayer. Rev. Reemstma, Presbyterian minister. 9:20—Special music. 9:30—Subject, "Natural Law in the Mental World," Dr. Evans. 10:10—Intermission. 10:20—The Texas Survey, W. W. Phillips. 10:50—Music or reading. 11—Meeting of departments. 11:05—Assembly singing, institute, led by W. Z. Bates. 11:15—Business session; county teachers' association. 11:45—Resume of institute's work. Jas. F. Cox; Mrs. Ella Little, county superintendent; Dr. Evans. 12:30—Closing song.

Death Closes Career of Old R. R. Trainman

Robert Carew, aged 75, veteran railroad man and trainman on the W. F. R. & E. W. railway, died of old age debility, about 10:30 last night.

Few railroad men in Texas, it is said, have had a more varied career than this veteran trainman. Born in Ireland, May 24, 1852, landing in America in 1866, he spent a number of years in Atlanta, Ga., and Blacksville, S. C., going from the latter city to Chicago where he engaged in the brokerage business which he gave up to take service on the Big Four railroad at Litchfield, Ill. He has served successively the Southern Pacific, Texas & Pacific and W. F. R. & E. W. as trainman, in which service he was employed at the time of his death.

He is survived by two brothers, one living in London, England, and the other in Fort Tewfish, Egypt. He had no relatives in this country.

Tornado Sweeps Over Wisconsin Counties, Doing Much Damage

BURLINGTON, Wis., Sept. 10.—One man was fatally hurt, several others less seriously injured and large property damage done by a tornado which swept across Racine, Kenosha and Walworth counties last night, according to a checkup today.

MELLON SAYS HE FOUND VERY FEW RUM SHIPS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon has made a personal survey of the rum fleet aboard a coast guard cutter off the North Atlantic coast and found conditions greatly improved, he announced upon his return to his desk here today. Mellon said the rum flotilla has been virtually driven off the coast and only about three liquor vessels now are cruising up and down about 100 miles off shore.

EASTLAND CHURCH OF GOD WILL ELECT TRUSTEE

All members of the congregation of the Church of God of Eastland are requested to be present Sunday, September 20, at 11 a. m., as there will be an election of a trustee of the Eastland church property, to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of J. Frank Davis.

Judge Labors



J. W. Woodruff, judge of the U. S. district court at Omaha, is spending his vacation by working as a common laborer on a public garage he is building as an investor. Labor union rules prevent him from doing skilled work, so he carries mortar and bricks, and does other kinds of common labor. Before starting out in evenings at 7 a. m., he plays a round of golf on the links of the fashionable Lakemo club.

BULLETS FAIL TO BRING DOWN BOLD MARAUDER

Nashville Police Again Outwitted by Night Prowler Who Attacks Women Chiefly

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 10.—Matching strategy against members of the police force seeking him, Nashville's midnight marauder early today visited a home, made an attempted assault on a woman as she lay in bed and cut her husband's throat. He then escaped after two shotgun charges failed to bring him down.

"If you scream, I'll kill you," he whispered to Mrs. J. W. Ritchee, wife of a molder. At her feet slept her 10-month-old baby. She jerked free from the man and received a wound on the arm from his knife. Ritchee, sleeping in another bed, awakened. For 10 minutes the six-foot husband weighing 200 pounds struggled with the intruder and finally slipped to the floor as a keen-bladed knife was slipped across his throat. However, he managed to get his shotgun and fired two shots at the fleeing man. Ritchee said he was positive the man had been struck twice but the bullets seemed to fall to the ground as though they had struck steel. He thought the man wore an armor under his coat. Flattened bullets were found in the yard.

Senator Mayfield For Separate Air Service Department

WAXAHACHE, Sept. 10.—Creation of a separate department for the American air service in line with the suggestions of Colonel Mitchell was endorsed by United States Senator Earle B. Mayfield in a statement here today. Mayfield refused comment upon the Mitchell charges of incompetency of administration of the air service by the army and navy departments, but came out in favor of an investigation along the lines laid down by Senator King of Utah.

RADIO PROGRAM

Radio programs are announced for tonight at Fort Worth and Dallas as follows:
Fort Worth, WBAP, 475.9 Meters. 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.—Program arranged by the Madill, Okla., agricultural college. (C. B. L.)
9:30 to 10:45 p. m.—Sam Ball and assisting artists. (C. B. L.)
Dallas, WFAA, 475.9 Meters. 8:30 to 7:30 p. m.—Mrs. Anna Ledford and assisting musicians in recital.
8:30 to 9:30 p. m.—Farmers' hour; musical program by Miss Sarah Hopkinson and other Dallas musicians.
11 p. m. to 12 p. m.—Earle D. Behrends and co-operating entertainers.

NEW TURN IS GIVEN CHARGES BY MITCHELL

Aircraft Advocates Insist on Court of Inquiry in Departments.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The dispute between Colonel Mitchell and the war and navy department took a new turn today when Mitchell's friends insisted the department voluntarily call courts of inquiry to prove or disprove charges made of Mitchell relative to the air service.

Since the war department is determined to exclude all evidence on the aircraft question from the Mitchell court martial, it should in fairness provide evidence on his charges, according to Mitchell's friends. The only way for the department to prove its sincerity in this issue of national preparedness is for it to insist in its own defense on a probe of the charges against it, they said.

Postmaster Seeks Reappointment to Office at Ranger

J. F. Dreinhof whose four-year term of office expired Aug. 17, will ask to be reappointed postmaster of Ranger, under the act which provides for a questionnaire examination of all applicants and a new appointment or reappointment every four years. This was stated by Mr. Dreinhof, who disclaims knowledge of any other applicant at this time but states emphatically he will be in the running and hopes to be successful.

It develops that the examination is of the sort of examination which school teachers and others undergo, but is a questionnaire to be filled out which must exhibit clerical skill and ability to perform the duties of the office and the appointment, it is said, is awarded to one of the three highest in standing as evidenced by all the facts before the civil service commission. This gives considerable latitude in the matter of choice and does not, as has sometimes erroneously been supposed, eliminate recommendations of members of congress and others who may care to be heard.

Eastland Chamber of Commerce to Have Luncheon Tonight

Plans are complete for the second quarterly luncheon of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, which will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the American Legion Athletic club. There will be no charges for this luncheon, which will be served Dutch style, and each and every member of the Chamber of Commerce is urged to attend.

DAVISSON ILL. TRIAL OF HIS CASE IS POSTPONED

The case of Eastland county vs. G. A. Davison, transferred from Eastland to Stephens county on a change of venue, and which came up for trial at Breckenridge, Monday morning, was continued until next Monday on account of the illness of Mr. Davison.

CARL BARNES POST TO OCCUPY CLUB QUARTERS

At a meeting of the Ranger Carl Barnes Post, American Legion, last night at the DeGroff hotel, final action was taken for opening up the Legion clubrooms in the city hall building. A large attendance and enthusiastic meeting was reported.

Treasurer Mellon Dislikes Income Tax Publicity

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—Repeal of the publicity clause in the present revenue act will be recommended by the treasury department when the house ways and means committee meets Oct. 15 to receive an outline of tax reforms desired by the administration, it was learned officially today. Other suggestions to be submitted to the committee, which will begin drafting a new revenue bill, include:

That all tax-exempt securities be eliminated.
That surtaxes be reduced.
That inheritance taxes be eliminated and that estate taxes be reduced.

CHINESE TONG WARFARE AGAIN TAKES VICTIMS

Some Call It Return of Dreaded "Fourteen," Chinatown Gunmen

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—The dreaded "fourteen" came back to Chinatown last night. Pistols spat fire through the streets, a hatchet descended upon an Oriental skull and two more tong men died. New York police, at the end of their patience, swept down on the fear-torn district and for the first time arrested three tong leaders, holding them directly responsible for the outbreak.

Roy Quae was wounded twice in the head and once in the back and died soon after reaching a hospital. Wong Hong was found at midnight, his head crushed by blows from a hatchet. He lay in a long, dark hallway on the top floor of a rooming house. Both victims were Hip Sing tong members. Leo Geo Men, international president of the On Leong tong; Henry Moy, international secretary, and Lee Du, local secretary, were the leaders arrested.

Eastland Band to Be Reorganized With E. E. Wilson, Director

The Eastland band, which for a long time was one of the largest and best in this section, is to be reorganized at a meeting of bandmen and citizens to be held Friday night at the Eastland Motor company. There are some 25 or 30 members of the old band in the city, who have their instruments and many of whom are good players, who will join the new organization.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF EASTLAND OPEN MONDAY

Preparations for the opening of the Eastland public schools are going forward and everything will be in readiness Monday morning when regular classes will begin at 8:45 o'clock. The school buildings have been repaired and renovated, grounds have been cleared, equipment put in place and every indication points to a good beginning, which is very important to a successful year.

SEVENTY BALES OF COTTON GINNED AT EASTLAND

Seventy bales of cotton had been ginned at the Eastland gin at noon today, 12 bales were on the yard at that time waiting to be ginned and others were coming in.

POULTRY THIEVES ROB PENS NEAR EASTLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collier, living just northwest of Eastland, have reported the loss of more than \$300 worth of chickens, turkeys, ducks and geese by theft. They were taken from their poultry pens Tuesday night.

TEXAS LEGION READY TO GIVE MITCHELL AID

Will Endeavor to Prevent Court Martial Behind Closed Doors.

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 10.—The American Legion of Texas is organizing in the defense of Col. William Mitchell, who is to be investigated and probably court martialled for his caustic criticism of army and navy national defense methods, and who will demand that his potential court martial be made public.

The Texas Legion is solidly backing Mitchell in his efforts to obtain unified aircraft control in the national defense system. Dr. W. T. Dunning, recently elected commander of the Texas organization, conferred with Colonel Mitchell and declared the legion would see to it that facts on the condition of the American air service would be disclosed to the people. The legion will strenuously oppose any effort to have the potential court martial held secretly.

"We do not intend to allow the war department to court martial Colonel Mitchell behind closed doors," said Dunning. "If Colonel Mitchell is tried in Texas, the legion will be represented by competent counsel, not only at his request, but in order to see that the people receive the truth about the national defense."

Ranger U. S. Marines Score as Riflemen

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—By making several hits on the bull's-eye on rifle ranges of the marine corps at widely separated localities in recent weeks, Glenn A. Stallings and Esker A. Singleton, formerly of Ranger, Texas, qualified as expert riflemen, according to an official target bulletin at marine corps headquarters here. They will be awarded medals and receive an increase in pay.

FIVE YOUNG MEN HELD IN MURDER INVESTIGATION

VINTON, Iowa, Sept. 10.—Five young men in Vinton are under arrest in connection with the investigation into the murder of Mrs. C. B. Cook, president of the Benton county W. C. T. U. The arrests were made secretly last night, the young men being charged with disorderly conduct in connection with the bombardment of Mrs. Cook's house with rotten eggs last July. All are members of well known families here.

FARMER FIRES ON PARTY OF YOUNG FOLKS WITH SERIOUS RESULT

M'LEAN, Texas, Sept. 10.—Cecil Rook and Misses Mattie Emly and Maile Emly were seriously wounded and Chick Emly and Miss Mary Emly sustained severe injuries when the automobile in which they were riding was fired upon Tuesday night near the Carpenter schoolhouse about 18 miles northeast of McLean. Rook may lose both eyes if he lives and each of the girls may lose an eye.

GONZALES HAS NOVEL WAY TO ADVERTISE ITS FAIR

GONZALES, Sept. 10.—A novel manner of advertising a fair and one which is considered effective, is the promotion plans of the Gonzales County Fair association, which is distributing a 150-page catalogue, giving extensive and interesting data on the exhibits and attractions that will be seen October 6 to 10 at the fourth annual Gonzales county fair.

Perpetual Hiker



Fifty weeks a year, J. W. Merry, Seattle mail carrier, hikes 12 miles a day. The other two weeks he takes a vacation and rests up. And his "rest" for eight years has consisted of taking a long hike. This year he reached the top of Mount Rainier, one of the most difficult in the country to climb.

WAR VETERANS' BUREAU PROBE SHOWS SLIPS

Investigation in Oklahoma aSaid to Reveal Discrepancies and Omissions to Be Explained

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 10.—The investigation of the United war veterans' bureau may result in several of the guardians of incompetent world war veterans having to face federal charges, Major Harry Gilstrap said today. In a state-wide investigation, it is disclosed that seven million dollars is not accounted for and it is expected that embezzlement charges may grow out of this discovery, he said.

A preliminary report made by Schiff, charges gross negligence and criminal appropriation of funds. Reports of guardians are required to be filed with the state, but in many instances these reports have not been filed and the guardians have received the money from the government and spent it as they saw fit. Gilstrap says that some guardians have done their duty and some have not. Compensation of war veterans in Oklahoma amounts to over two million dollars yearly.

TEXAS KLANHAVEN ASSOCIATION CHARTERED

AUSTIN, Sept. 10.—The Texas Klanhaven association, headquartered at Dallas, was granted a charter today by the secretary of state. The application has been under consideration for several days. The association aims to support charitable home, support dependent children and maintain orphan homes, without regards to any religious affiliations. The association has no capital stock.

POLICE HOLD FOUR FOR INVESTIGATION

Four suspects are being held by the police in connection with the theft of three automobiles on the streets of Ranger last Tuesday night. They were all taken to Eastland where they are held for investigation. None of their names is made public.

HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT SHOWS DECIDED GAIN

Thursday's first day enrollment in the Ranger high school, indicates a decided gain over last year, it is stated. The books were opened to all down to the L's Thursday afternoon and to the M's to Z's in the afternoon, in order to simplify the work. Enrollment will go on all day Friday.

BAND CONCERT MOVED UP TO SATURDAY NIGHT

The band concert announced for Friday night has been postponed and will be given on the vacant lot at Main and Marston streets, Saturday night, it is announced.

THE WEATHER.
West Texas, tonight and Friday, partly cloudy, probably showers in southeast portion.

NEGROES FIRE INTO GROUP ON STREET CORNER

One Man Killed and Another Wounded; Riot Squad Called Into Action

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 10.—Eleven negroes are being held with murder warrants recommended against them, one man is dead and another wounded as the result of a small race riot last night, caused by the moving of a negro family into a white neighborhood. A riot squad with an armored car and some 200 patrolmen were rushed into the district and saved more serious trouble.

While three patrolmen were standing near a corner, a volley of shots were fired from the upper story of a house near them at a group of persons in the street and also into a house opposite. Rushing into the house from which the shots had come, the patrolmen found Dr. O. H. Sweet and his wife, negroes, and nine negro companions, armed with six revolvers, two rifles and a shotgun. The Sweets had moved into the house only the day before.

In the volley of shots fired by the negroes, Leon Dreiner was instantly killed and Erick Holbert, 22, wounded. "Those people kept throwing stones into our windows," Sweet said, pointing to a small crowd gathered across the street. He and his wife and the other negroes were hurried to the police station, while other officers sought to disperse the angry whites, a crowd of more than 5,000 having gathered.

This outbreak is the third in Detroit within the last three months.

Offensive Against Riffian Forces Now Beginning in Earnest

PARIS, Sept. 10.—The combined French and Spanish military forces were about to descend today on Abd-el Krim. While 12,000 Spaniards pushed their way from Alhucema bay with little resistance against Adja, his capital, still other forces were reported to have landed at Quilates to back up the first.

Thousands of other Spanish and French soldiers are waiting for the zero hour across Morocco to unleash the long delayed offensive, which it was said might begin today.

MICHIGAN METHODISTS VOTE FOR CHURCH UNIFICATION

LANSING, Mich., Sept. 10.—Methodist ministers at their annual state conference here yesterday voted, 170 to 8, in favor of unification of the Methodist Episcopal church north and south, also voted, 70 to 110, against the proposal to admit laymen to the conference of the clergy.

Farmer Fires on Party of Young Folks With Serious Result

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BIBLE THOUGHT.
Conditions of Forgiveness: Put on therefore, bowels of mercies, kindness, humbleness of mind, meekness, longsuffering, forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, if any man have a quarrel against any: even as Christ forgave you, so also do ye—Colossians 3:12, 13.
Prayer: Forgive us Lord our trespasses, as we have forgiven those who trespass against us.

GOOD BUSINESS

Thirty years ago the Standard Oil Company demonstrated to the business world that competition was the "death" of trade instead of the "life of trade." By applying modern business methods it cut the price of kerosene 75 per cent. It early recognized that the American wage earner wants no paternalism—just a square deal—and as a result the Standard is never troubled with a strike. It has cut the cost of labor turn-over to the minimum by making partnership through stock ownership not only desirable but possible. The company adds 50 per cent bonus to the amount invested by employees, and under this plan the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey will this year distribute \$27,000,000 in stock to employees. The company provides death and disability benefits, opportunities for special training, old age pensions and vacations with pay.
The labor policy has been adopted, first, as a matter of simple justice to the employees; and second, in the confident belief that fair and liberal dealings in industrial relations are worth while from the standpoint of the stockholder—in short, that they are good business.

WATCH YOUR DISCOUNT

Cash discounts are more important than a good many people think. It is not a mere 2 per cent or 3 per cent now and again for the business man, but a steady margin of extra profit which can be had without any question of doubt or risk. It is merely a matter of prompt payment and it is much better business, if necessary, to borrow money and to pay 6 per cent, than to pass these discounts by.
The American Mutual Magazine prints a table showing a possible earning of 54 per cent on a 3 per cent discount. The table should be posted above every business man's desk.
1 per cent in ten days—net 30 days—equals 18 per cent a year.
2 per cent in thirty days—net 4 months—equals 8 per cent a year.
2 per cent in ten days—net 60 days—equals 14 per cent a year.
2 per cent in thirty days—net 60 days—equals 24 per cent a year.
2 per cent in ten days—net 30 days—equals 36 per cent a year.
3 per cent in thirty days—net 60 days—equals 36 per cent a year.
3 per cent in ten days—net 60 days—equals 54 per cent a year.

The national income of Great Britain is estimated at above nineteen thousand millions of dollars. Wage earners account for 39 per cent of this; manufacturers and merchants about 49 per cent, and all others about 12 per cent.

The first six months of this year saw the production of 5.8 per cent more cars than those produced the first half of 1924. The total for this period was 2,173,360 cars and trucks.

To buy advertising space once or twice a year is a big mistake as hiring a salesman for one trip over your territory. Its constant, consistent advertiser who works on a budget, that always wins.

TONIGHT.
Elks' Dance at Elks' club at 9 p. m.

FRIDAY.
Twentieth Century club meets with Mrs. J. A. Martin, at 2:30, Ghelson hotel.
Little theatre meets at 8 p. m.

ELKS' DANCE TONIGHT.
By way of reminder this is the night of the Elks' dance. Music by the Fred Cahoon orchestra, will begin at 9 o'clock and continue until possibly 2 o'clock. It's cool, the music will be comparatively new to Ranger people as the orchestra has not played here often, it being more familiar to radio fans than most any others. With the prospect of cooler weather, and perfect music, it can't help being a most auspicious event.

LITTLE THEATRE ANNOUNCEMENT.
There will be a meeting of the members of the Little Theatre folks tomorrow night at their regular place of meeting, in the Guaranty bank building. All members are requested to be present. They are now reading "The Road to the City," which will probably be the next play they put on.

A LITTLE DAUGHTER.
Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Boyd are entertaining a little daughter, who was born at the City-County Hospital, Wednesday. Mother and baby are both doing nicely.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB.
Mrs. W. H. Burden entertained the Wednesday Bridge club and a few other guests at her home on the Strawn road, yesterday afternoon. On account of a number of the members being out of town, it was not a large crowd, but the fewness of numbers did not cut down the good times. Cut flowers from the hostess' own garden were used for house decorations and a plate lunch at the end of the game was charming in its appointments. The high score prize, some linen towels in cut work that Mrs. Burden picked up while in Mexico this summer, went to Mrs. Frank Ahaney, while the low score prize, some "hankies" from Mexico, went to Mrs. Garvin Chastain.
Those present were: Meses. Frank Brahaney, R. M. Coyle, Harry Logsdon, Gus Coleman, Roy Jameson, Garvin Chastain, M. L. Holland, C. C. Patterson.

BARBEE-HANDLEY.
Mrs. Edna Barbee and Mr. Hughlon Handley were married last evening at about 10:30 o'clock at the residence of Rev. A. L. Leake, on Pine street who performed the beautiful marriage ceremony that united these two popular young people in the holy bonds of wedlock. This marriage is the culmination of a romance of several months and was not entirely unexpected by the friends of the contracting parties, yet they did steal a march on them when they married last night without notifying anyone of their intention to do so. Mrs. Handley has lived in Ranger for the past three years and during that time has been in the ready-to-wear department of the Joseph Dry Goods company, where her sweet and charming personality has made her many friends. She was reared in Thurber, Texas, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodie. Mr. Handley's family live in Fort Worth, but he makes his headquarters in Breckenridge, where he is employed by the Phillips Petroleum company and is a splendid young business man. For the time being Mr. and Mrs. Handley will live in Ranger.

PERSONALS.
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brookes and daughter, Virginia, have returned from a delightful visit to relatives in Sweetwater.

Misses Christina Schmuck and Virginia Brookes are attending the teachers' institute at Eastland.

Miss Catherine DeBeauford has returned from Dallas where she has been visiting her sister, Miss Louise DeBeauford.

Miss Iva Williams has returned from Abilene, where she has been in a sanitarium.

Mr. Dewey Jones was one of the party attending the bull fight in Juarez, last Monday, as the guest of Miss Frances Stotts.

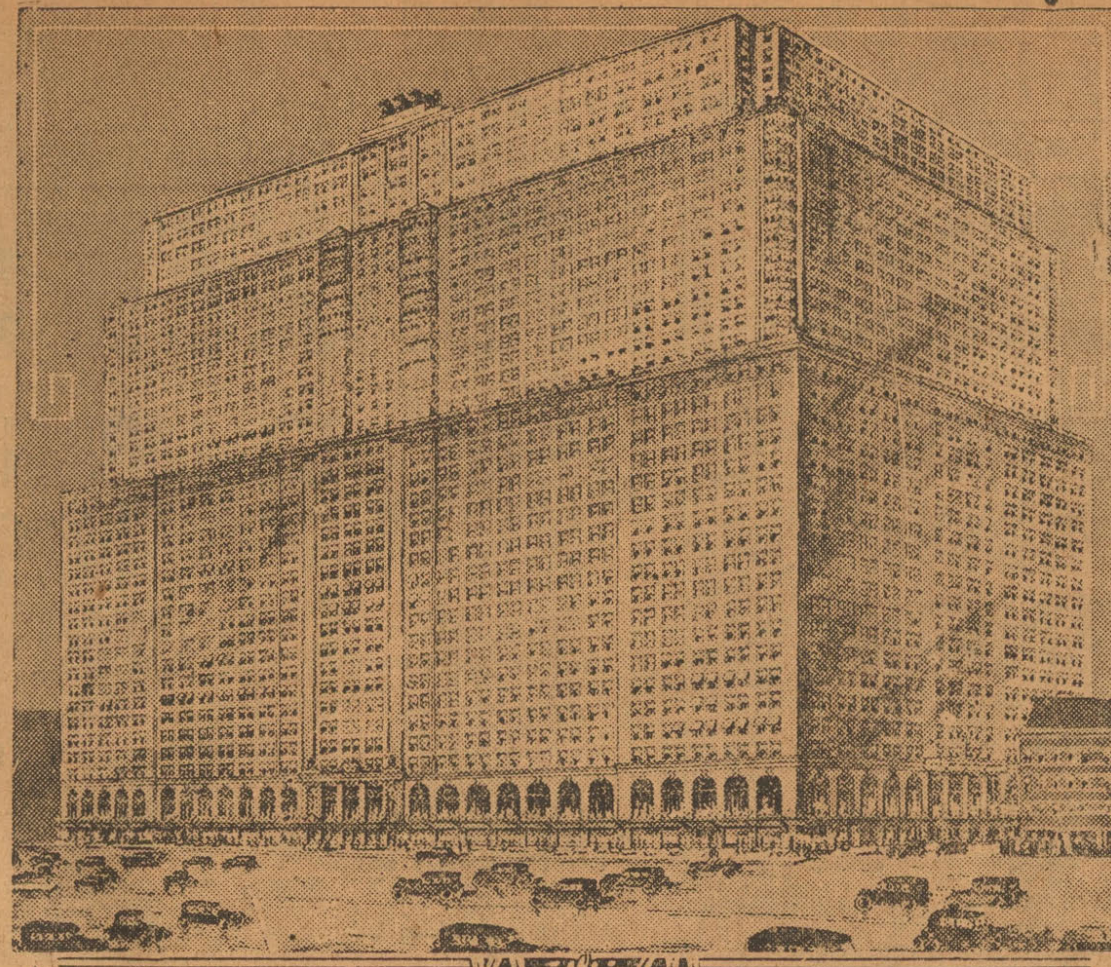
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Purman of Breckenridge are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Earnest in the Prairie camp. Mrs. Purman and Mrs. Earnest are sisters.

Mrs. J. F. Champion and children, who joined the Charles Conley family in Denver, several weeks ago, are expected to return to Ranger the last of the week.

Elizabeth Earnest, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Earnest, had her tonsils removed Saturday, at the Clinical hospital and is doing nicely.

Song Writers and Health Nurse Heard
The features of the Lions luncheon today, were the singing by the authors, Mesdames Leonard and Taggart, of their state song, "Dear Old Texas," in which the Lions joined with gusto, and an address by Miss Joyce Conley, public health nurse, in which it was revealed that Ranger did not this year, enter the contest for the \$500 Delineator prize for 100 per cent children, due to lack of time to organize the work sufficiently, but plans are being made to that end for 1926.
"Dear Old Texas" is one of the six songs left after the wholesale elimination process, and is said to stand a good chance to become the state song.
The Lions reacted favorably to the

Chicago to Have World's Largest Building



A huge structure 39 stories high and covering an entire block will be built in Chicago. It will contain a big convention hall, a large hotel and hundreds of office rooms. The hotel consisting of 4000 rooms will be perched on top of the offices, extending from the twenty-second to the thirty-ninth floor. The interior court of the structure will be used for the convention hall with a seating capacity of 35,000. Work will start next spring and the cost is estimated at \$49,000,000.

suggestion of Vice President Logsdon that the club get in behind the football team, which he assured them would be decidedly stronger than last year's team.

DE MOLAY PICNIC
The DeMolays will entertain tonight at 8 o'clock with a chicken dinner and picnic on the lawn of the A. N. Harkrider home, on Main street. All DeMolays are expected to bring their best girl and to be present at this affair which promises to be most enjoyable.

VAUDEVILLE PLEASIS BIG AUDIENCE AT LIBERTY
"Gypsy Sweethearts" with one of the "gypsies" a strikingly sweet-faced and sweet-voiced blonde and another wearing a wealth of auburn hair is a name that makes one laugh at this quintet of performers for the inconsistency of their name, but all the rest of the time you laugh with them or are thrilled with them for putting up one of the cleanest, most musical and altogether chic and charming acts seen on any stage big-time or small-time.

The three Smith sisters, Virginia who makes a violin talk in six languages, Bonnie who does the tram drum stunts that keep you going, Bernice (now Mrs. Freeland) who manages the team and plays the clarinet charmingly, with Miss Billie Farley and Miss Pansy Newson of nimble fingers with banjo and piano respectively, make up the quintet, every one of whom has a real voice and charming personality. Their

song numbers ranging from the sweetheart song to their rube number seemed to please the Ranger crowd best. They are here all to-day with a new program, it is stated.

TEXAS TECH TO HAVE BIG INITIAL ENROLLMENT
PALLAS, Sept. 10.—Texas Technological College is preparing for one of the largest initial enrollments of any educational institution ever opened in the southwest in keeping with the indications of attendance.

DRY RAID DEPLORED.
By United Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 10.—The raid by federal prohibition agents on a Tulsa hotel during the convention of War Veterans, was characterized by Harry M. McCarty, commander of the Thirty-first division post, as "a humiliation and a mistake."

CITY-COUNTY HOSPITAL RANGER, TEXAS
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THE STORY SO FAR.

Gloria Gordon, beautiful flapper, marries Dick Gregory, a struggling young lawyer. Her idea of marriage is fun and fine clothes, but no work or children.

She refuses pointblank to do her housework, and hires a maid. But Dick has to let the maid go, because he can't afford to pay her wages. Gloria has swamped him with debts for her clothes and a new automobile.

She becomes infatuated with Stanley Wayburn, an actor. She lends him money, and finally, when he leaves town to go to New York, Gloria follows him. He spurns her, telling him he has just married a Russian actress. Then Gloria tries to land a job as a chorus girl and fails. Discouraged, she comes home to Dick.

He takes her back, but not as his wife. One night Gloria leaves him to work late at the office with Susan Briggs, his secretary. While Gloria is at home alone, the house is robbed. Dick doesn't get home until almost morning. Gloria wonders if he was with Miss Briggs all that time. But next morning she learns that he was at the house of Dr. John Seymour, who had killed himself because of the love affair that existed between his wife May and Jim Carewe.

Gloria goes to Dick's office to tell him about the robbery, and to make one last attempt to win him again.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY:

"Mr. Gregory's gone out to lunch," Miss Briggs told Gloria. "But he ought to be back soon. If you'd like to, you can sit down and wait for him. You won't disturb me at all."

She went on with her typewriting. Gloria glared down at her smooth head, bent over the machine.

She guessed she had a perfect right to sit in her own husband's office without waiting for Miss Briggs' permission! And if she wanted to disturb Miss Briggs, she could do that, too. Watch her!

She took off her hat and tossed it down carelessly on Miss Briggs' desk. It bounded off onto the floor.

Gloria picked it up and handed it to Miss Briggs.

"Just brush that thing off," she said impudently.

Miss Briggs looked up at her in surprise. Then she flushed deeply. But without a word she wiped the dust from Gloria's hat with a handkerchief that she took from a drawer of her desk.

Then she hung it on the rack behind her.

"Look up your burglary insurance, while you're on your feet, Miss Briggs," Gloria snapped.

From under her thick lashes, she watched Miss Briggs go to the files on the other side of the room, and look for the insurance papers.

"And now call up the police and tell them we had a robbery at our house last night," Gloria directed her.

"Tell them all our table silver was stolen. It was worth about \$200—in case they ask you."

Miss Briggs stood looking down at her for a moment.

"Wouldn't it be better if you talked to them yourself, Mrs. Gregory?" she asked in a low tone.

"They're sure to ask a lot of questions that I won't know how to answer."

Gloria met her look, coldly. "Will you please do what I told you to?" she drawled.

Miss Briggs bit her lips. It was on the end of her tongue to tell Gloria that not she, but Dick, was her employer. But, because of Dick, she said nothing.

She picked up the phone and called the police. They asked a dozen questions, and at last Gloria took the instrument from her, and answered them.

"I'll send a man out right away to look things over," she deep, masculine voice at the other end of the wire told her. "There have been a lot of burglaries in that neighborhood lately."

As Gloria turned away from the telephone, it suddenly occurred to her that there was no one at the house to admit the man from police headquarters when he got there.

"Oh, well," she thought, carelessly, "what's the diff? He can come back later." She didn't want him going through her house; now, anyway. The beds were still unmade, although it was afternoon, and the dirty dishes from yesterday's lunch were still piled in the greasy sink.

For some reason or other, an old English poem that her mother used to tell her when she was lazy, flashed into Gloria's brain. It told about a collier's sloppy wife, who loved to gossip and hated to work. One evening he was killed at the mine. And when they brought his body home "the slut ran up to make the bed," the poem said with brutal frankness. Oh, well after she had seen Dick and fixed things up with him, she'd go home and straighten the house, Gloria promised herself. She would honestly try to be a better wife from now on.

"Won't you have a lettuce sandwich?" Miss Briggs' low voice broke in upon her thoughts.

She had opened a package of sandwiches, and a thermos bottle stood on her desk. From it came a curl of steam and the fragrant smell of coffee.

"I always bring my lunch from home, Mrs. Gregory. I find I can't afford to eat around at restaurants. Will you have some coffee with me?"

"No, thanks," Gloria answered coldly. She was very hungry but she couldn't very well eat salt with Miss Briggs when she hated her as she did.

And she did hate her! She hated Miss Briggs' lovely voice and the dainty way she ate—everything about her.

Gloria watched her slyly. There really was something attractive about the woman. But, of course, she wasn't pretty the way Gloria was!



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friend, and I happen to know she wasn't in love with Jim Carewe. She used to tear around with him because she was lonely. Dr. John was never at home, and May didn't have many women friends. She called Jim her 'little boy friend' and that's all he was to her. I know."

Miss Briggs looked at her with indignance, angry eyes.

"Oh, that's beastly!" she cried. "What's the beastly? What do you mean?" asked Gloria, bewildered. She didn't know what Miss Briggs was talking about.

"Oh, I mean that you could almost forgive a woman for a great big love affair that had swept her off her feet!" Susan Briggs said. "But when you think of a fine man like Dr. John Seymour killing himself over a 'parlor' sheik' who happened to amuse his wife. Oh, it's sickening! And what a hideous waste! For Dr. John was needed. He was of some use in the world."

"Oh, May's not so bad!" Gloria said. She wanted to defend May, but she didn't see just what defense of her there was.

"She's just made a botch of things," she finished, weakly. "I guess I won't wait any longer for Dick. I ought to go home."

She put on her hat before the mirror, fluffed out the dark reddish gold curls around her ears.

As she passed Miss Briggs' desk her eye was caught by the bright cover of the book she was reading. It was Robert Louis Stevenson's "Valima Letters."

"Did Dick lend you that?" Gloria asked sharply. She didn't much care for the idea that Dick let Sue Briggs take his precious books.

"No, I bought it," Miss Briggs answered, blushing furiously. "I was interested in it because—" She stopped.

"Because Dick likes Stevenson? Is that what you're trying to say?" Gloria asked, cruelly. She saw in a flash that she had hit upon the truth. For Miss Briggs broke down. She put her handkerchief up to her face and sobbed, tearless.

Gloria just barely touched her hand with one of hers.

"There's nothing for you to cry about," she said. "I've known for a long time that you're in love with Dick."

(To be continued.)

DONT TRY TO RAISE your family without it. For stomach aches and pains; sudden cramps, severe intestinal colic and indigestions of eating and drinking, changes in water, diet or climate, take

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY

Never fail to have it on hand.

INSTRUMENTS RECORDED. Henry Strofel et ux to Humble Oil & Refining company, oil and gas lease, 176 acres out of section 62, block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county; \$1,320. Release—G. E. Blanton to the Texas company, J. W. Turner lease in section 3, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland; \$1. Right-of-Way—From W. J. Davis to Humble Pipe Line company, 219 acres, T. & N. O. Ry. survey, Eastland county; \$40. Warranty Deed—Mattie Ellen Cole et vir. to Charles Anthony, parcel of land situated in Eastland beginning at northwest corner of block G-2; \$500. Warranty Deed—J. W. Babb et ux. to N. A. Brown, parcel of land situated in Eastland being part of lot 4, block 90, city of Cisco; \$400. Oil and Gas Lease—From J. L. Brown to G. H. Callaway, 40 acres out of league 1, McLennan county school land, Eastland county; \$1. LUFKIN.—Three miles of local streets to be paved.

NOTICE

FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF
AUTOMOBILE OWNERS

MRS. FLOWERS PREACHES OF JESUS CHRIST

Urges People to Live for Him, Observing His Teachings; Revival Draws Crowds

Whether it was the novelty of seeing a woman in the pulpit, or a sincere interest in the revival that drew the crowd to the Methodist church last night, is not known, but they were there and if any came to scoff they remained to pray, for Mrs. Flowers had a message for them that she delivered, man-like, straight from the shoulder.

Mrs. Flowers urged parents to take their children early to God. She said that in a certain penitentiary out of 904 inmates there were only 10 who had ever gone to Sunday school regularly and the large majority had never gone at all. She asked the pertinent question, "Do your children know Christ well enough to rely on Him in their hour of need?"

She urged folks to turn their backs on sin and live for Jesus Christ. She told something of her own life, of how she had heard the call to work for Jesus when she was a little girl working in the cotton fields. She touched on some of the things that she had seen in her evangelistic work in the last 10 years, things that revealed the very soul of men and women. She urged her hearers not to trifle with God. At the closing of her message she asked for penitents and a number in the audience responded to the call.

The meeting is going right off with a precision and meety of detail that is almost military. Morning services at 10 o'clock last just an hour and are full of interest. The Boosters meet at 4 o'clock and the boys and girls of Ranger are rallying 'round and adding their voices to the singing nightly. The young people's meetings at 7 o'clock are attracting much attention and interest.

Tonight they will meet in Rev. Mr. Hall's classroom just off the main auditorium. Rev. R. L. Flowers will preach tonight on "The Five Roads That Lead to Hell from Ranger."

DEMPSEY ANNOUNCES BARNSTORMING TRIP IN TEXAS

By United Press.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 10.—Jack Dempsey will tour the state of Texas soon on a barnstorming trip, it was announced today, appearing in Dallas Sept. 22 and San Antonio Sept. 29. He will appear later in Houston and other cities. He will meet two Texas heavyweights in Dallas for two-round bouts and will duplicate the feat at San Antonio.

"I want to convince the public I am in earnest about fighting Harry Wills," Dempsey said. "I want to show them I am getting back into my old trim."

LODGES

Stated convention of Ranger Lodge No. 457, Knights of Pythias tonight at 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome. F. L. KELLY, C. C. J. B. HEISTER, K. R. S.

FEMALE HELP

WANTED—White woman for general housework. 1009 Young st., or phone 532, Ranger.

SPECIAL NOTICES

TEN per cent reduction if you enroll in Southern Business institute this week. See J. W. A. Cox, Ranger.

BICYCLE AND FIXIT SHOP—Keys fitted and duplicated; talking machines and typewriters repaired. 204 S. Rusk st., phone 592, Ranger. City Electric Co., Eastland.

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Six-room, fully modern bungalow, in Oak Park addition. Maddocks & Son, Ranger.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

TWO or three-room apartment for rent, partly furnished. 420 S. Marston, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Apartments, close to school; private home; teachers or pupils wanted. 323 Alice st., Ranger.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, with garage; \$17. Marian Apartments, 607 W. Main, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Two-room apartments. 325 Elm st., Ranger.

WANTED TO BUY

IF YOU WANT more for your second-hand furniture, call Rager Furniture Exchange, phone 242, Ranger.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture. Therpe Furniture Co., 218 Main st., phone 154, Ranger.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture. New & Second-Hand Store, 121 No. Austin st., phone 276, Ranger.

SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right price. Main Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main street, Ranger, phone 95.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—R. E. Sweeney residence, 435 Main st., one block of business section. Phone 202, Ranger.

AUTOMOBILES

RATTLING good 6-cylinder speedster, run very little—except last four years. Cheap for cash. Phone 84, Ranger.

WHY PUT new parts on old cars. "We tear 'em up and sell the pieces." Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422-24 N. Rusk st., Ranger, phone 84.

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—Two or three-room furnished apartments. Phone 475, Ranger.

WANTED—Miscellaneous

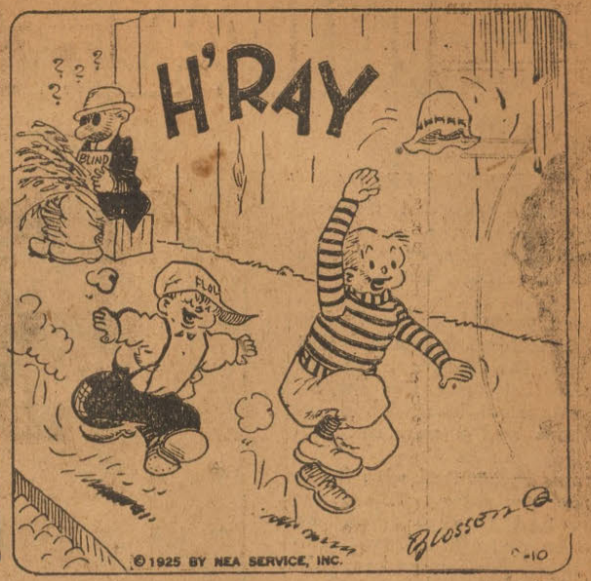
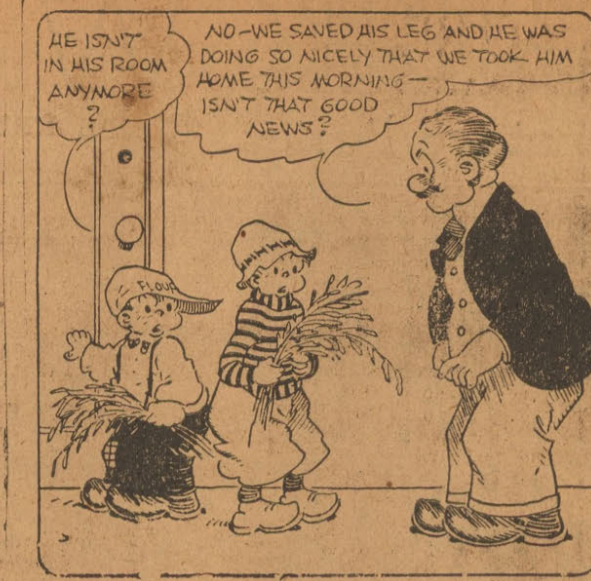
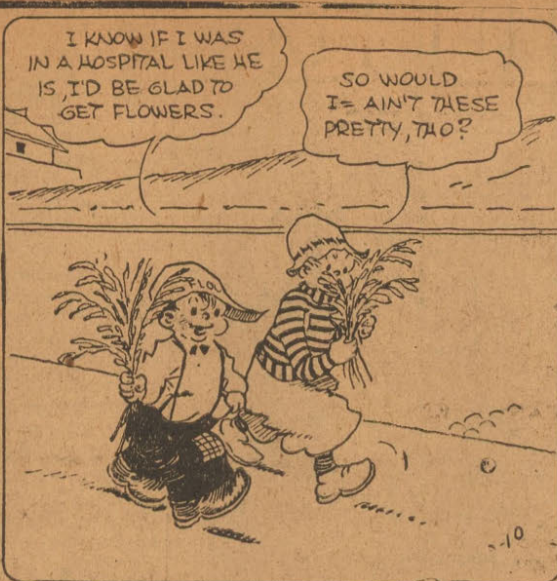
LEARN while you work. Night school begins Sept. 8. See J. W. A. Cox, 325 N. Commerce, Ranger.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FOR TRADE—Good milch cows and good second-hand car for a better car. Box 1085, Eastland.

Send in Your Want Ads

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Baseball Results

TEXAS LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W. L., Pct. Rows include Fort Worth, Dallas, Wichita Falls, San Antonio, Houston, Waco, Shreveport, Beaumont.

Yesterday's Results

Dallas 4, Fort Worth 3. Shreveport 7, Wichita Falls 3. Beaumont 8, San Antonio 6. Houston 8, Waco 7.

Today's Schedule

Fort Worth at Wichita Falls. Shreveport at Dallas. Houston at Waco. San Antonio at Beaumont.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W. L., Pct. Rows include Washington, Philadelphia, Chicago, Detroit, St. Louis, Cleveland, New York, Boston.

Yesterday's Results

Boston 5, New York 4. Philadelphia 9, Washington 7. Only games scheduled.

Today's Schedule

St. Louis at Chicago. Cleveland at Detroit. New York at Philadelphia. Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W. L., Pct. Rows include Pittsburgh, New York, Cincinnati, Brooklyn, St. Louis, Boston, Chicago, Philadelphia.

Yesterday's Results

Chicago 9, Pittsburgh 7 (11 innings). Only game scheduled.

Today's Schedule

Pittsburgh at St. Louis. Chicago at Cincinnati. Philadelphia at Boston. Only games scheduled.

BURSTING OF WATER MAIN FLOODS NEW YORK SUBWAY

By United Press.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Bursting of a water main at 85th street and West End avenue early today tied up the west side completely at the beginning of the morning rush hours, and thousands of workers were delayed. Emergency crews were working hard today to stop the flow of water, which swept one block eastward to Broadway.

At several sub-stations of the subway the water had risen five feet at 8 o'clock this morning and it was said that hours might elapse before the subway service in that part of the city would again be able to turn a wheel.

OKLAHOMA.—Contract let for five miles grading and bridge work on Highway No. 28 from where to Red river.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland.

By virtue of a certain alias execution issued out of the Honorable 8th District Court of Eastland county, on the 7th day of September, 1925, by W. B. Collier, clerk of said court, against C. H. Simmons et al for the sum of Seven Thousand One Hundred Eleven & 95/100 (\$7,111.95) Dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 11,118 in said court, styled Little O. Simmons versus C. H. Simmons et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, R. W. Edwards as sheriff of Eastland county, Texas, did on the 8th day of September, 1925, levy on certain real estate situated in Eastland county, described as follows, to-wit: The entire interest of the defendant, C. H. Simmons in and to the following described tracts of land, situated in Eastland county, Texas, about one-half mile north 15 degrees west from the public square in the town of Eastland, same being part of the James H. Calhoun survey, abstract No. 76, and said land more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning 417 1/2 feet west and 450 feet north from the S. E. corner of said James H. Calhoun survey for the S. E. corner of this tract; thence north 31 1/2 feet to a stake for corner; thence west 417 1/2 feet to stake for corner; thence south 31 1/2 feet to stake for corner; thence east 417 1/2 feet to the place of beginning, and containing three acres of land, and being the same land conveyed by James H. Calhoun to C. H. Simmons by deed dated Oct. 26, 1880, and recorded in Book E, pages 266 and 267 of the deed records of Eastland county, Texas, to which reference is here made for description.

Second Tract: All of Block -C15 (Minus C Five) situated in the town of Eastland, in Eastland county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said C. H. Simmons and on Tuesday, the 6th day of October, 1925, at the courthouse door of Eastland county in the city of Eastland, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell said real estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder as the property and interest of C. H. Simmons by virtue of said levy and said alias execution. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Ranger Daily Times, a newspaper published in Eastland county, Texas, on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1925. WITNESSE MY HAND, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1925. R. W. EDWARDS, Sheriff Eastland County, Texas. Sept. 10-17-24.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland. You are hereby commanded to summon John N. Barnhill, W. P. Carter, Champe Carter, Frank B. Stanley, Bettie Worley, Hettie A. Whorton, and husband, E. G. Whorton, P. C. Walker, John B. Snyder, Annie E. Snyder, William H. Hendy, Francis A. Hendy, Elizabeth Walker, Mary Ann D. Badger, Wallace Badger, Mary Ann Dorch, George W. Martin, and Albert G. Carter, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, and 1st judicial district to appear at the next regular term of the 1st district court of Eastland county, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, on the first Monday in October, A. D. 1925, the same being the 5th day of October, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 11,793, wherein Mrs. Bettie Whorton, widow of Jesse Thurman, deceased, R. E. Thurman, A. D. Thurman, A. S. Thurman, J. F. Thurman, Mrs. Inez Lindsey, joined pro forma by her husband, Sam W. Lindsey, Lula Thurman, widow of J. J. Thurman, deceased, Lillian Thurman, a single woman, Ida Elliott, joined pro forma by her husband, J. T. Elliott, and Pearl Thurman, widow of Andy Thurman, are plaintiffs, and John N. Barnhill, W. P. Carter, Champe Carter, Frank B. Stanley, Hettie A. Whorton, and husband, E. G. Whorton, P. C. Walker, John B. Snyder, Annie E. Snyder, William H. Hendy, Francis A. Hendy, Elizabeth Walker, Mary Ann Dorch, George W. Martin, and Albert G. Carter, are defendants, and the cause of action being alleged as follows: That on or about the 1st day of June, 1925, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, holding and claiming same in fee simple, to-wit: Being the W. 1/2 of the J. N. Barnhill sur-

vey in Eastland county, Texas, beginning at the S. W. Corner of said Barnhill survey being the S. E. corner of the Erath county school land at a rock; thence E. 211 varas passed a stone mound to N. E. corner of the N. W. 1/4 of section 4, D. & D. Asplin Lands, and 848 varas to the S. W. corner of W. T. Stubblefield pasture for the S. E. corner of this tract; thence zero degrees 50 min. W. 2180 varas to the N. W. corner of Stubblefield's farm in the S. margin of the Jewell road for the N. W. corner of this tract; thence W. along the line between said Barnhill survey and the Lake Bryan survey 828 varas to a stone mound for the N. W. said tract of land containing 32 1/2 acres, more or less.

That on said June 1, 1925, defendants uncorner of said Barnhill survey and the S. W. corner of said Bryan survey, near the fence on the W. side of the lane, thence S. 2180 varas to the beginning, being the same land needed to Jesse Thurman, on Feb. 7, 1885, by George W. Martin, said deed being recorded in Vol. "K," at page 535, of the deed records of Eastland county, Texas, to which deed reference is here made for better description.

lawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession of said land, to their damage in the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars that the reasonable rental value of said premises is \$1,600.00.

Wherefore, plaintiffs pray that defendants be cited in the manner provided by law, for judgment against the defendants, and each and all of them for title and possession of the above described land and premises and that writ of restitution issue for their rents, damages and costs of suit, etc. This action is brought as well to try title as for damages. Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Eastland, Texas, this 1st day of September, A. D. 1925. (seal) WILBOURNE B. COLIER, Clerk District Court, Eastland County, Texas. By W. H. McDONALD, Deputy. Sept. 3-10-17-24.

Large advertisement for 'CREST STORE' featuring 'SCHOOL OPENING SALE' and 'Schoolday Specials'. Includes sections for 'QUALITY PRICE SERVICE', 'HEADQUARTERS FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES', and lists of school supplies like pencil tablets, ink tablets, and various candies.

PORT ARTHUR.—Work on million-dollar improvement program, conducted by city's forces, well under way.



Smothered fried chicken—and Mrs. Tucker's....

THAT'S all the recipe you need if you want perfect fried chicken that is just browned to a turn. With Mrs. Tucker's Shortening you can get marvelous results, not only in frying foods, but with pastries, pie crusts or hot breads. That is because Mrs. Tucker's is a pure, wholesome, vegetable shortening. It is made exclusively of choice cottonseed-oil. This fine shortening will give your baking and cooking all the richness of butter and none of the heavy greasiness of lard. It goes further than other shortenings too. You'll find the container for Mrs. Tucker's a decided advantage. Air-tight and sanitary, it assures you shortening that is always sweet and fresh. It is exceedingly easy to open. When empty, it is always useful as a household bucket or dinner pail. Interstate Cotton Oil Refining Company, Sherman, Texas.

Mrs. Tucker's Shortening America's finest cooking fat

"COW WELLS" OUTSTRIP OIL WELLS TO PROSPERITY, IS CLAIM OF DAIRYING EXPERT

CEDAR POINT, O.—"Milk wells," supplied by the dairy cow, are of far greater importance to humanity than all the "oil wells" of the world. If you wish a brief prosperity, seek oil. If you wish a permanent prosperity, seek milk. This placing of the dairy cow on prosperity's pedestal as a greater permanent money maker than the profits to be gained from oil "gushers" was contained in a talk made here recently before the National Hay association by C. M. Long, chief of farm service of the Blue Valley Creamery Institute, who declared that no greater misfortune could befall an agricultural community than to have it discover oil.

"Let us see what it would mean to your community if oil were discovered," said Mr. Long. "There would be a great rush of people. Both the morale and morals of the community would be lowered. The country-side would be covered with ugly derricks and unsightly shacks. A few people would become rich. The great average of the community would not be any better off than before. In a few years the last drop of oil would be pumped out of the last well, and there would be an exodus of the oil chasers.

Home of the Cow. "Now, look at the other picture. Instead of the oil gusher you have the dairy cow. The country-side would be marked with stately silos, fields covered with waving crops of corn, alfalfa and clover, big red barns on every hilltop, and beautiful homes. The discovery of milk would cause no one to become immediately rich, but the average citizen would be independent, happy and contented. In a few years the land would be richer and would continue to get richer until the community would support a population almost equal to that of a city. Go to Texas, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania and you will see the first picture. Go to Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota, and you will see the other picture.

"An idea of what the dairy cow has done for prosperity may be gained by a few specific instances. Some generations ago Denmark was poverty stricken. Her soils were depleted, her people poor. Then came the dairy cow. Today Denmark is the richest country per capita in the world. The cow did it. Dairies Bring Prosperity "In our own country two genera-

tions ago, Wisconsin was bankrupt. The dairy cow was brought to this state, and today Wisconsin is the most prosperous commonwealth in the United States, the greatest dairy state in the Union. Her farms are covered with fine fields of alfalfa, corn and clover. Silos, beautiful homes and well-equipped farms abound everywhere. Her farmers are prosperous and contented. During the 1920 slump, Wisconsin secured \$50,000,000 to the federal loan bank of Chicago. In the last twenty years Wisconsin has not had a bank failure attributed to business causes.

"I will give you another outstanding example of the value of the dairy cow. It is Steele county, Minnesota. Crops had failed. The soil was depleted. Conditions grew worse until the bankers had a better claim to the land than the man who lived on it. One day a farmer tried to borrow some more money. He wanted to buy dairy cows. The banker demurred, but finally let the farmer have the money. The cows were purchased. The loan was soon paid. The soil began to improve. Then another farmer did the same thing and still more farmers.

"Three years ago I learned of the prosperity that came to this, the smallest county in Minnesota, having only an area of 432 square miles and a population of 18,060. Their bank deposits were about \$400 per capita. They had 18,000 cows on 800 farms, or ten cows for each farm, one cow for each inhabitant, and these cows produced 5,000,000 gallons of milk worth \$1,000,000. Their bank deposits had reached \$7,000,000 and increased at the rate of more than a quarter of a million dollars each year for eight years.

Aid to Diversification. "The dairy cow always brings diversification, and in this year to which I refer the production was 187,000 bushels of potatoes; 56,000 tons of hay, 95,000 bushels of barley; 1,776,000 bushels of corn; 260,000 bushels of spring wheat; 1,870 bushels of oats; 55,000 cows; 401,987 chickens, and 861,359 dozens of eggs. These are the figures from the county that a few years ago was financially bankrupt. The dairy cow did it all. "Some people think the dairy industry exists in only a few scattered communities and is of little conse-

quence as compared with other great industries. As a matter of fact, the value of the dairy cows alone is \$1,278,000,000. If we took all the gold mined in the United States since 1885, we would have barely enough to pay for the dairy products for the single year of 1924. Again, if we took all the wheat, corn, oats and rice produced in America in 1924 and sold it, we would have just enough to buy the dairy cows and pay for their products for the same year. If we took all the beef steers, pigs and lambs produced in the United States and with all their dams and sires, put them on the market, we would lack \$500,000,000 having enough to pay for the dairy product in that year."

MR. TUTTLE CAN SLEEP AFTER GAS IS GONE

"After taking Adlerika, the heavy feeling (gas) in my abdomen is entirely gone and I get a good night's rest now," (signed) J. C. Tuttle. Adlerika removes gas in TEN minutes and brings out a surprising amount of old waste matter you never thought was in your system. This excellent intestinal evacuant is wonderful for constipation or stomach trouble. Stops that full, bloated feeling.—Corner Drug Store, Eastland.

PIMPLES CAUSE FOLKS TO SHRINK FROM ATTENTION

Whenever you go out, you can't help but pity the many folks you see trying to have a good time, but are so shrinking and backward about coming near others where pimply, blotchy and eczemic skin can be seen. You almost feel like going up to them and telling them that they ought to begin using Black and White Ointment, and Soap, which so many thousands of happy people are depending on to keep their skin clear, smooth and good to look at. Black and White Ointment, and Soap, are selling at the phenomenal rate of more than two million packages a year, and the fact that they are so economically priced is largely responsible for this record. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have both the Ointment and the Soap.—Advertisement.

F. E. LANGSTON Barber Shop for Service We are the oldest shop in the city and try to be the best. Try us. Near the Depot—Ranger.

POLICE SEARCH CHINATOWN IN CHICAGO FOR MURDERER

By United Press. CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—Searching for Mong Tong Sing, wanted for murder in Minneapolis and Chicago, police today raided a den in Chinatown, arresting nine Chinese, four of whom were smoking "dream pipes," but failed to find Mong. Snay Gro Fong, another Chinese, showed up to day at the county hospital with a possible fractured skull. Typical of long men, he refused to tell who had hit him. Mong Tong Sing is believed in hiding here. He is accused of a tong murder in Minneapolis about one week ago and a murder here last February.

PANHANDLE.—Main street to be paved.

GRAHAM.—Young county fair to be held at this city, October 7-10.

BIG SPRING.—Bankhead highway through this district being asphalted.

DALLAS.—Hotel Adolphus ballrooms being improved at cost of \$90,000.

BURNS VICKS VAPORUB Cover with wet baking soda—afterwards apply gently. Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

Vulcanizing and Re-Treading a Specialty Gates Tires and Tubes, Second Hand Tires—All Work Guaranteed—Best Equipped Shop in County CITY VULCANIZING SHOP 200 W. Commerce St. Eastland, Texas

JACK HORNER'S BIG Clearance Sale The biggest sale of the year of dependable merchandise of quality at prices unparalleled. In order to make room for our new shipments we are forced to throw our entire stock of merchandise upon the market at prices so low that it just seems ridiculous. However, we are forced to do it, so we are giving our customers and the people of Eastland county the benefit of our over stocking by cutting our high quality merchandise to the very rock bottom—in most cases even below cost—Everything marked in plain figures. Come and see for yourself. Only a few more days left. We can give you these low prices for we are "out of the high rent and tax district."

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| Best Grade Outing 6 yards \$1.00 | 5c and 10c Lace at 3 1/2c per yard |
| O. N. T. Sewing Thread 6 for 25c | 8-ounce Ducking at 22 1/2c |
| \$3.50 Men's Caps at \$2.39 | 32-inch Dress Gingham Only 14c yard |
| Men's Hose 9c per pair | 3-lb. Roll Fine Quality Cotton Bats at 59c |

SPECIAL FRIDAY 10 A. M. to 11 A. M. Gingham 5c Per Yard Five Yards to a Customer

JACK HORNER Main Street Olden, Texas

Who Wants to Buy This Servant?

Earns \$8.75 every three months. Will turn over all earnings to you. Absolutely no expense to you after payment of purchase price of \$500.00.

Shares of Southwestern Power & Light Co. Preferred Stock are being offered for sale. You can get five of these shares for about \$500.00. Then you will be entitled to receive \$8.75 from the Company every Mar. 1, June 1, Sept. 1 and Dec. 1—not only this year, but next year, and the year after that, and right along year after year just as long as you keep your shares.

The \$8.75 that the Southwestern Power & Light Co. pays you every three months is called a "dividend". It is the wages earned by your five shares of stock—your SERVANT. This kind of a servant soon pays for itself.

The stock which is being sold is PREFERRED Stock, and it is Cumulative, therefore the Company must pay the dividends in full before one penny of dividends can be paid on the Common Stock.

If you have \$500.00 lying idle why don't you let it earn \$8.75 every three months for you? Put it to work in Southwestern Power & Light Co. by investing in its Preferred Stock. Your savings will not be invested far away; they will be in plain sight—both safe and at work. At present price the stock pays 7% on your money.

Shares for sale by J. E. Lewis c/o Oil Cities Electric Company or any employe of

Oil Cities Electric Company

A SOUTHWESTERN POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

Clip and Mail This Coupon to Order Stock or for Complete Information

Buy your shares from any employe of the Oil Cities Electric Company—they're the salesmen.

J. E. LEWIS, c/o Oil Cities Electric Co., Eastland, Texas (Mark X in meeting your requirements) Please send me free copy of booklet telling more about Southwestern Power & Light Co. Preferred Stock and the Company. I wish to subscribe for _____ shares Southwestern Power & Light Co. Preferred Stock at price of \$100.00 and dividend per share. Send bill to me showing exact amount due. I wish to subscribe for _____ shares Southwestern Power & Light Co. Preferred Stock on Easy Payment Plan of \$10 per share down and \$10 per share per month until \$100.00 and dividend per share has been paid. Please ship _____ shares Southwestern Power & Light Co. Preferred Stock at \$100.00 and dividend per share with draft attached through

Name of your Bank _____ Name _____ Street _____ City _____

A Resale Dept. is maintained for the benefit of stockholders who may wish to sell their shares.

Twilight Opening of the S. & H. Store Exclusive Ladies Ready-to-Wear AT 7 P. M., FRIDAY

You are cordially invited to attend the opening of one of Ranger's leading style shops. No goods will be sold between the hours of 7 and 9 p. m., Friday.

Store Officially Opened for Business Saturday Morning, September 12th

Music By GUS COLEMAN'S RHYTHM FIVE Carnations for the Ladies

Remember the date—Remember the time, Friday 7 p. m. In the New Queen Building on Main Street, Ranger, Tex.

Assignment Oil and Gas Lease—From M. Sinter to J. H. Haynes, east 1/4 of northwest 1/4 of section 180, S. P. Ry. lands, Eastland county; \$1.

Warranty Deed—R. G. Moody to E. E. Kean, all of lots 13, 14, 15, 16, in block 89, town of Cisco subdivision of lot 4, block 89; \$800.

Release of Vendor's Lien—F. M. Hooks to J. W. Babb, part of lot 4, block 90, city of Cisco.

Warranty Deed—A. H. Strobel to

G. Carl C. Strobel, northwest 1/4 of section 59 in block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey containing 163 acres; \$1.

Warranty Deed—Willie Strobel et al. to G. Carl C. Strobel, northwest 1/4 of section 59, in block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, containing 163 acres, Eastland county; \$1.

DALHART.—Elite cafe, recently destroyed by fire, to be rebuilt.

ON THE RANGE AT RANGER

By THE FENCE RIDER.
(Items for this department must be placed in the Fence Rider by 12 o'clock only in order to insure their inclusion. Don't be misled. Judge the telephone bell.)

"They look like new money," was Superintendent Holloway's comment on the newly painted floors up at the High school building.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barker of 410 Pine street, friends of Robert Carey who died here last night, have named W. E. Butler of San Diego, Calif., the "friend that sticketh closer than a brother." According to Mr. and Mrs. Barker and the hospital authorities, Mr. Butler was almost constantly at the bedside of the veteran railroad man for the past four weeks, giving such care as is rarely known outside of works of fiction.

Those cans, or tanks, out in front of a tin shop on Elm street are no stars. Properties for a rendition of Ali Babu and the Forty Thieves, even though they do look a lot like the cans into which that girl of Arabian Nights poured the boiling oil.

No, the stars didn't fall and the earth didn't quake and the moon didn't turn to blood, nor did the rivers start flowing up hill, yet, unbelievable as it may seem, Dallas actually was in a game over Fort Worth Wednesday!

"Slow down. Don't kill a child," is the sign Eastland Lions have up to greet motorists, as seen by the Range Rider yesterday when he got a bit off his range and took a squint at the county capital.

The auto thieves who obligingly left the Chevrolet car for the owner down on Rusk street Tuesday night, left it devoid of casings, it develops. This explodes the joy rider theory.

S. P. Gilbert is home from Cross Plains enjoying the atmosphere of a real oil town once more.

The Fence Rider strayed off his range yesterday afternoon and saw Eastland where the Lions have up signs reading, "Slow down. Don't kill a child." There are also some nice big houses in the little city down the pike, but the Fence Rider beams with regret that some enterprising fellows over there tried to sell him the courthouse.

OLDEN

Special Correspondence.
OLDEN, Sept. 10.—The Olden B. Y. P. U. gave a social at the Baptist church Tuesday night in farewell to Miss Irene Ray and Thompson Pickens. Miss Ray leaves soon to attend North Texas State Teachers' college at Denton and Mr. Pickens leaves to attend Simmons university at Abilene. Games were played outside the church. Music and singing were enjoyed inside. Speeches were made by both Miss Ray and Mr. Pickens. Ice cream and cake was served to the following: Mrs. Carpenter, Misses Louise Carpenter, Irene Ray, Julia Hunt, Beatrice Brashears, Bess Bockman, Eunice Horner, Valentine Brashears, Clintus Bockman, Thelma Reasoner, Charisey Hunt, Thompson Pickens, Elie O'Bryant, Burren Brashears, Lomer Hunt, Onus Dick, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown.

A reunion and picnic was enjoyed at Lovers' retreat Sunday by the Wright family. They met with a number of relatives from Fort Worth. Those from Olden were J. R. Wright and son Jack, J. E. Wright and family, Ina Simmel and Lloyd Woods. From Fort Worth were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gibson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Scott and family. The lunch baskets were well filled, so all enjoyed the day.

Mrs. L. M. McFadden and children and Mrs. Sanford motored to Westbrook Saturday, returning Monday. They expect to move there in the near future.

Mrs. Potterman's mother is here from West Virginia visiting her. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Aylward and daughter, Dorothy, have moved to Dallas where Miss Aylward will at-

Periodic Physical Examinations Necessary to Guard Child Health

(Written for the United Press)
CHICAGO.—Our leading citizens, 25,000,000 of them, are returning to school.

Unless each one is physically fit, he is going to be handicapped in his advancement in learning during the coming nine months.

Do you actually know if your children are in good shape for this year's work? Do you know whether they have any decayed teeth, infected tonsils, adenoids or are under weight? Children with any of these things are seriously handicapped.

Only periodic health examinations will disclose what is wrong with the body machine; and these health audits are a profitable investment for any home. Disease will be forestalled and the child will make greater progress because there is nothing wrong with his body to hold him back. Make sure right now that your child is fit. Correct any defect when correction is easiest.

There are physical examinations, however, which are useless. A careless examination is worse than none at all because it creates false impressions of safety. The child should be stripped and gone over carefully from head to foot—no careless examination through the clothing. Make the

doctor the health adviser in the family, just as we make our lawyer our legal adviser.

Every home should have a set of weighing scales in the bathroom. The weight is a valuable indication of progress in growing children. Stationary weight in a child is equal to a steady loss in an adult. If your boy or girl is not gaining weight, there is something wrong and it is up to your doctor to find out what it is.

Good, nourishing food at regular hours, slowly eaten and not gobbled in unmastered lumps, will help our boys and girls towards steady growth and development.

Periodic visits to the dentist are a necessity. Everyone is desirous of having good teeth, evenly placed, and our children, when they grow up, are going to blame us for deficiencies which are due to our neglect. It is remarkable how rapidly small cavities develop in children's teeth, particularly if they are somewhat careless, as most children are, in the use of the tooth brush. Few of us clean our teeth thoroughly. We are so often deceived by the fact that we are using a pleasant paste or a soothing mouth wash. It is the scrubbing with the brush that does the work.



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send business college.
J. R. Horner has obtained a position at Westbrook. Mrs. Horner expects to join him there soon.

Thompson Pickens leaves today for Abilene where he will attend Simmons university.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Williams and children of Clarendon are the guests of Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. C. A. Howell and family here.

Mrs. Dave Munn and Mrs. Loria Robertson, motored to Sipe Springs Wednesday.

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