THE WEATHER West Texas tonight and Friday partly cloudy to cloudy, probably showers in the Panhandle. RANGER DAILY TIMES

RANGER, TEXAS, THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 7, 1923.

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Fifth Oil-Discovery-In-Ranger Anniversay Edition of the Ranger Daily Times.

GIRLS MISSING `

YET LOCA

Police and Relatives Making

Strenous Efforts to Learn

Whereabouts

FROM HOMES

No. 365

GOING GOOD.

VOL. IV



While Production Coning Development Goes Ahead and New Completions are Reported from Day to Day.

time this week on several wells close it doesn't come in naturally, we'll day for fasting and prayer to God at present is reported as follows:

liams farm, which is shut down for a six-inch casing to be brought up. Urban, a veteran wildcatter, and who brought the first string of tools into brought the first string of tools into the Ranger field, is pushing the well intensively. It was 3150 feet yesterday. He is drilling about 4,000 feet from the celebrated McClesky well of Ranger boom days. Urban, who returned to Ranger a few months ago is also drilling a well on the Veville tract of the Spires-Dooley survey five miles east of Ranger.

A piece of hard luck was met by the men drilling the McLester well on the Bryant farm near Olden, Salt water seeping in yesterday morning was killed and two children were seat a depth of 2951 feet. The well verely injured when an automobile will be drilled to the Comer well in which they were riding collided sand depth, which is 3400 feet, it is with a street car here today. J. E. said. block of more than 500 acres owned son and Esther Gilbert received seby a group of Ranger men, including vere cuts.

tinues Without Ceas- Governor of South Carolina Designates Day of Prayer Against Boll Weevil Evil By Associated Press.

DIVINE HELP TO

RESCUE COTTO

PEOPLE TO

Completions are expected most any next Sunday in asking Divine aid in to make a creditable showing., accordto Ranger. A fine showing of oil the battle against the boll weevil, de- ing to the Oil Belt Golf league. The and 1.000,000 cubic feet of gas was claring his belief that the boll weevil local golfers are urged to play as and 1.000,000 that lett of gas was reported last night on the H. B. Wood well of Chastain and Gholson, one mile due west of the Wright well. which is in the proven shallow oil pool of bringing the people back to God. Craig, so they ma district. It is 3181 feet deep. "If In proclaiming and designating a The ladder of the Ranger golfers

One Child Killed Two Injured When

By Associated Press. WACO, Texas, June 7 .- One boy

The McLester well is in a Suttle, 8, was killed and John Pier- vaded the southwest and began the were apprehended they were taken be-

L. Thompson and Jack Urban. A showing of gas is reported in the or 12 boys and girls were riding in J. L. Thompson and Jack Urban. A showing of gas is reported in the Mock-Texas well No. 1 on the Minnie Sibley tract, six miles south of Ran-ger. The gas was struck at 1200 teet. If shallow oil is found in this well this will be a considerable ex-tension of the Panhandle shallow oil is found in this well this will be a considerable ex-tension of the Panhandle shallow oil is found in this well this will be a considerable ex-tension of the Panhandle shallow oil is found in this well this will be a considerable ex-tension of the Panhandle shallow oil is found in this well this will be a considerable ex-tension of the Panhandle shallow oil is found in this well this will be a considerable ex-tension of the Panhandle shallow oil is found in this well this will be a considerable ex-tension of the Panhandle shallow oil is found in this well this will be a considerable ex-tension of the Panhandle shallow oil is found in this tension tension of the men now held by



Religious Census

Members of Country Club Reminded That Mineral Wells Team Is Coming

RANGER GOLFERS

The Ranger golfers expect to play golfers from Mineral Wells on the course at the Ranger Country club COLUMBIA, S. C., June 7 .- Gov- | next Sunday. A team of good playernor McLeod today cailed on the ers is expected from Mineral Wells people of South Carolina to unite and the Ranger golfers will have to strike hard and true if they expect

give it a shot," said G. D. Chastain, one of the owners. Prospects for oil are bright in the Andy Urban well on the Y. L. Wil-liams farm, which is shut down for a six-inch casing to be brought un

ford Clegg, S. A. Brown, A. L. Ber-gere, H. J. Mendenhall, J. M. Dodson, Determined Effort Being Made and Bob Kendrick. It is stated that a home tournament

is on the card for the near future.

Auto Is Wrecked HARVEST WORKERS IN **BIG DEMAND TO GATHER** IN WHEAT CROP

By United Press

PLAN CONFERENCES

By United Press.

By Associated Press

part Sunday afternoon, June 10, in a religious census of the city, covering all parts and subdivisions of Ranger.

This will give a correct estimate of the city's population, and the information collected will be tabulated for the benefit of all churches of the city. At the close of the census the cards will be presented to the various pastors whose members are enrolled. Those called upon by the census

committee are asked to give their courteous co-operation and response to the canvassers, in order that this information may be quickly and accurately collected.

POLICE SEEKING

To Find Female Bandit Who firearms.

Killed Chicago Man

By United Press Of Progress Will CHICAGO, Ill., June 7.- A dozen or nore girl cabaret habitues were be-**Be** Opened Tonight ing trailed by the police today in their search for the girl bandit who, Tuesday night, shot to death Richard C. Tesmer, before the eyes of his wife

first three girls brought before her. Rising on her pillow she demanded of through which the pioneers passed in through which the pioneers passed in through which the pioneers passed in "Some things had to come through he didn't know the other man or the each "open your eyes and laugh." She said the cold, wanton laugh of the girl in beginning, State. The hardships The plant's car who shot her husband was something she could never forget. "It haunts be could never forget. "It haunts could never forget. "It haunts be could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It haunts could never forget. "It haunts could never forget." It hau she could never forget. "It haunts me," she said. "I will know with-contrasts of costumes of those of an anticipated production of 5,000 left Fort Worth in their car yester-gallons of gasoline daily. Gas will be day morning around 6 o'clock and ON DISPUTED MATTERS out doubt the girl who shot my hus-those times. The pageant is presented in epi- bought from the Sun, Tee-Pee and drove straight for Gainesville. sodes beginning with the Indian and Texas oil companies.

NEFF SUBMITS Logsdon Chosen Chief of Lions' **NEW SUBJECTS** Club In Ranger

Wide Measures for Atten-

tion of Legislature.

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, June 7 .- Ten additional

ubjects and a number of local meas-

ures today were submitted to the

legislature by the governor in a spec-

ial message. Included in the new

Motor vehicle headlight bill.

ublic highways of state.

n the public schools.

qual share of taxes.

anking department.

Eastland's Pageant

ericans in the Lone Star State.

PRESIDENT URGES

U. S. PARTICIPATION

By Associated Press.

IN WORLD COURT

ubjects are:

ommission.

Dr. Henry A. Logsdon today was elected president of the Ranger Lions, succeeding Dr. W. C. Palmer, whose term of office is about to expire. Other officers Governor Proposes 10 Stateelected are: E. B. Finney, first vice presi-

dent.

president. Charles Terrell, third vice president.

Dr. C. C. Craig, tail twister. Walter Murray elected members of the board of directors.

E. H. Phillips, second vice A. M. Jameson, lion tamer.

J. M. White, Hall Walker and

Regulation of motor vehicles on Establishment of state illiteracy Teaching the federal constitution Equalization of taxation so that JKK each dollar of property shall bear its

Changing name of insurance and Southern Gasoline Company Making it a felony punishable by Has Everything In Shape imprisonment for any persons engaged in manufacture or transporta-

For Production

tion of intoxicating liquot to possess

French periods. The second episode shows Stephen Austin and the estab-

the gathering lines have been so ad-

lishment of the first colonies of Am-

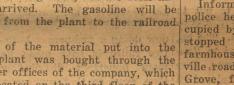
clerical help and the manager.

lease of the Denison survey.

BOOSTER STATION

Delay in starting the station has

WOOTEN-HUGHES



Four S0-brake horsepower Cooper girls are in Tonkawa. One ventured

Kidnaping charges have been made against two men in connection with the disappearance from their homes at Cheaney, 10 miles south of Ranger, late Monday night. of 14-year-old Winnie Lee Harper and 17-year-old Odessa Acren.

The warrants were sworn to by a prother of the Acren girl in Justice 'enlaw's court this morning. Not a ingle, definite clue to the wherebouts of the two girls, both with bbbed hair, have been obtained by e authorities here or in Gainesville, in Tonkawa, Oklahoma, or any of the surrounding towns and cities.

Officer Jim Ingram and George Harper, father of the missing Harper girl, left this afternoon for Gainesville and Tonkawa, the former to bring back the two Ranger men under suspicion, and the latter to search for the two girls.

The two men stoutly maintain that they had nothing to do with the girls' Loosening up the engines and test- disappearance, according the the ing out the pipes was being done to- chief of police of Gainesville in a day at the new Southern Gasoline phone message with the Ranger pocompany plant, seven and one-half lice department last night. Both miles north of Ranger, preliminary to the acctual operation of the industry tomorrow. Everything is completed at the plant, which was built at an estimated sost of \$150,000, except the building of a railroad spur, one mile north of Tiffin with a street car here today. J. E. Suttle, 8, was killed and John Pier-son and Esther Gilbert received se-vere cuts. According to witnesses, some 10 or 12 boys and girls were riding in the automobile, some of them stand. Atthough a record number of out-ing on the running board where it

tension of the Panhandle shallow oil pool. G. D. Chastain and M. R. Day- children were taken it was stated enport of Ranger are interested in their injuries would not prove fatal. the well. It is down about 1250 feet.

ing in the Garrett and Smith well No. 1 on the Parsons tract, south of Olden.

North of Ranger, the Christy Bros. well, adjoining the Williams farm on the west, is making 125 barrels daily in a 2100-foot sand. The Williams farm adjoins the Nannie Walker land, 11 miles north of Ranger.

Brahaney Bros. and J. L. Thompson well on the Williams tract is reported to be making 50 barrels daily. This territory was pretty well drained by gushers several years ago, and a production of 50 barrels is about all is the man who formed the Ameri-will cover detailed lines on which Jathat can be expected, it is said.

RANGER WILL BE **NVITED TO COTTON TEXTILE CONFERENCE**

"It was our belief that Ranger was not interested in a cotton textile mill development plan," is the explanation

Texas cities and towns in Dallas, June enforced. The building code is quite a greater reduction. 22, to formulate plans for textile mill lengthy in details, but sets forth pri- The house today accepted the offer not included.

the industrial department of the Tex- the chief said.

be invited. The Dallas man urged that a tex- pression that it never was.

tile commitee be organized here, and he asked that a list of the members WOMEN NOW WORKING and the chairman be sent to him.



100-hour mark.

ST. LOUIS, June 7.-Five persons women working. early today had been on the floor 130 The average daily wage paid har- in 72 hours, in court today. Friday

At the hospital to which the two Tucker of the U.S. Labor bureau. JAPAN AND RUSSIA

Men are running an eight-inch cas- WACO MAN ANNOUNCES WILL MANAGE FORD'S **CAMPAIGN IN TEXAS**

By Associated Press.

sion of the Japanese cabinet to open WACO, Texas, June 7 .--- Clyde Espreliminary negotiations looking to a sex, a Waco newspaper man, today announced that he had taken over the active management in Texas for Hen-active management in Texas for Hen-a better understanding on matters in formal conference at which Japan ry Ford for president of the United dispute between them was taken to-States.

FIRE CHIEF URGES EDUCATIONAL BILL **BUILDING CODE TO** LOWER CITY'S KEYRATE AUSTIN, Texas, June 7.—House to-Ohio

Commerce as to why this city was ger, said that the city would benefit ignored in sending out invitations to by a six-cent reduction in the insur-by a six-cent reduction in the insura conference of representatives of ance key rate here if recognized and the last session. The Pope bill carries

development. In the list of towns marily the kind of construction mate- of C. L. Black, Austin atorney, to asinvited, acording to a press bulletin rial to be used, how it is to be erected sist in representing State Superinsent out by the chamber, Ranger was to conform with the code and defines tendent Marrs in the text book suit safety measures. now in court.

Mr. Blanton said the official invi-tations have not yet been sent out by drafted to bring about its adoption, T. & P. RAILROAD TO TAKE OUT raised in federal court today by at-torneys for J. W. Carruth and L. E. cil of the Episcopal church, who had Mr. Blanton said the official invi- No ordinance would have to be

as chamber. He said that when the City Secretary Ringold was ininvitations are mailed out Ranger will structed to see if the code was ever the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, a diately.

indications of a good yield.

the chamber by S. A. White, Ranger commission under compulsion. representative of the company yester- The two men were at the head of By United Fress. WICHITA FALLS, June 7.-Wom- day afternoon. The company will pay the J. W. Carruth and Hog-Creek- MADISON, Wis., June 7.-Wisconen are seen in practically every har- a membership fee of \$27 monthly. vest field in Wichita county, accord-

YET ON THE FLOOR ing to County Agent Guy R. Jones. MOSCOW, June 7.-Vasile Kom A shortage of harvest hands was arof, convicted of the murder of 33 SHRINERS REJECT ALL given by Jones as the reason for the persons and his wife as his accom-

plice, were sentenced to be shot with-

yesterday after he had passed the this year while oats and barley give effect at once instead of waiting 72 temples should not be erected near at least a half dozen less drastic anti tors. J. Felton Lane of Hoyne re- church. Everyone is invited to atcities now having temples.

TOKIO, Japan, June 7.- The de- MRS. F. A. BROWN WILL SHARE INHERITANCE OF

Mrs. F. A. Brown, of 433 Pine street, through her mother is a di-reet, descendant of the original will be her guardian will be manager. Fred P. Lewis, States. Essex, according to his statement, is the man who formed the Ameri-can party. He will begin active work in Texas in two months, maintaining headquarters in Fort Worth and Wa property rights through a title said to turesquely tableaued in this scene.

have been granted to one of the original Springers, according to press DEBATED IN HOUSE. dispatches from Chicago.

Mrs. Brown is a native of South Dakota and her mother was born in

day debated whether the general edu- The Springer heirs, of whom there Fire Chief E. A. Chapman, who cational bill should be taken up by are several hundred, according to the of Burt C. Blanton, manager of the was before the city commission Tues- individual itemization or lump sum, news story, first met in Philadelindustrial department of the Texas Chamber of Commerce, in answer to the query of the Ranger Chamber of code to govern building work in Ran-

FEDERAL COURT DENIES PLEAS FOR IMMUNITY rendering none of the advantages boost the gas to the new unit, one

By Associated Press.

the American people. FORT WORTH, June 7.-Pleas for The president's letter was addressimmunity from criminal prosecution ed to Bishop Thomas Gailor of Ten-

RANGER C. OF C. MEMBERSHIP Reynolds, oil promoters, were over- written to assure the president that fications, according to L. A. Vanruled by Judge Benjamin Bledsoe. many thousands of ciizens deem it a dervoort, manager of the plant, with Texas and Pacific railroad company Actual trial of Carruth and Reynolds matter of some importance that Am-

letter from District Traveling Pas- The immunity plea was based on peace. senger and Freight Agent Daniels de- the grounds that they personally had

SENATE MAY PROVE DRY

council of the Shrine rejected all ap- Shortly before approval the as- today with several hundred newspaper The invocation was made by Rabbi There will be a baptismal service

offices in the Hodges-Neal building.

fields north of Ranger.

Press association got under way here BAPTISMAL SERVICE AT

sponded to thes welcome.

'SPRINGER HEIRS, INC.' The third episode depicts the atti-tude of foreign nations toward Tex-tude of foreign nations toward Tex-Receipts Fall Off In Month of May

women, according to the police.

Police today are not so certain the

The families of the two girls are

The plant is located on the Gholson By United Press. WASHINGTON, June 7-The postoffice department campaign against

the promotion of fraudulent oil stock **READY FOR ACTION** sales through the mails was sufficiently held responsible today for the fact that Fort Worth was the only Wooten-Hughes gasoline booster station on the Harmon farm, 12 ed postal receipts in May. miles north of Ranger and one mile Up to May, Fort Worth had been States may make the largest feasible contribution to the stability of civili-today at an approximate cost of \$20,-increased postal receipts. The amount zation while at the same time sur-000. The station will be used to of the decrease was not stated.

and independence now enjoyed by and one-half miles east of Frankell. The first unit wa sbuilt about one ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

> **INCENSED AT ACTION** OF N. Y. GOVERNOR

By Associated Press

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 7 .--The plant when entirely completed, Charging that Governor Smith of will have a daily capacity of 5,000 New York had elected himself chief gallons of gasoline, it is estimated. of the villifiers, bootleggers and rum-Baker, general superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of America, to-IN ANNUAL CONVENTION. day announced that the league will oppose all future political aspirations

GALVESTON, June 7 .- The forty- of the New York governor, GULF LAKE AT SUNDOWN

Enlargement of the plant was made runners by his action in aproving the necessary to handle the increasing bill repealing the New York prohibisupply of "wet" gas available in the tion enforcement law, Dr. Perley A.

tend.

been due to a small part of the equip-

adopted. The fire chief is of the im- will take out a membership card in on mail fraud charges started imme- erica in some way shall do her part in attaining and maintaining world

IN HARVEST FIELDS clared, and shown to B. F. Bennett of given information to the federal trade WISCONSIN ASSEMBLY WET,

Carruth companies, capitalized at sin assembly struck the first blow in TEXAS NEWSPAPER MEN

it approved the Tucker bill repealing

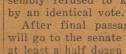
250,000 and \$350,000, respectively. the west at absolute prohibition when

REQUESTS FOR CHARTERS. up for engrossement today. The vote forth annual convention of the Texas

WASHINGTON, June 7.-Imperial was 47 to 43. hours in the national marathon danc- vest hands is from \$2.50 to \$3.00, Neither showed any emotion at the plications for charters for new tem- sembly refused to kill the repealer men present.

ing contest that was begun here last with board and lodging included. pronouncement of sentence but there pies today when the conservatives by an identical vote. Present indications are that the were loud cries from the crowd that won over those who favored new tem- After final passage the measure Harry Kahn, followed with the may- at sundown at Gulf Lake, the service J. E. Rawson of Texas dropped out wheat crop will be exceedingly small the sentence should be carried into ples. The conservatives held that new will go to the senate which has killed or's address of welcome to the visi- to be conducted by Central Baptist

prohibition measures.



the state enforcement act and sent it

TWO

er, Walter Murray.

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF RANGER OIL FIELD EDITION

BOY SCOUTS

LOOK FORWARD

With Rotarians On Ball

Diamond

showing was so good that already

M. B. Taylor, pitcher: Charles Coo-

shortstop; Glenn Seay, right field;

TO GOOD GAME

THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 7, 1923.

Washington to Have Chinese Bandits

To Rival All

Grand Opera House

609,000 soon will be begun.

cpera in Washington.

Announcement of the completion of

the plans for the construction of the

new opera house, which has been de-

pany organized to build it, is the cli-

The company is incorporated for \$1,-

Tier of Boxes.

Kill 6,000 Chinese

dits, who recently captured a number of foreigners, some of whom are yet held captive, was to obtain reinstatement in the Chinese army, it is stated. The success of the Shantung bandits is believed to have encouraged

Soldiers in Battle dits is believed to have other bands of brigands. PALM BEACH, Fla., June 7.-The Plans for the erection in Washing- PEKIN, China, June 7 .- Chinese body of Henry Simmons, negro, rid-

ton, D. C., of a great opera house are bandits have resumed aggressive tac- dled with bullets, was found hanging Practicing Hard for Meeting in a fair way to be realized, accord- tics on the Korean border. They en- to a tree here today. He was susing to the Music Trades. Work of gaged in battle with Chinese troops pected of killing a policeman last constructing the building, to cost \$7,- at Ershikerku, when 6,000 soldiers Sunday. The body was found by a are reported to have been killed and delivery man for a local ice company The Washington Opera House, by many kidnapped. The outlaws also where Simmons was employed. He which name it will be known, will be kidnapped 30 laborers that were at was a native of the Bahamas. The

The Ranger Boy Scouts are looking erected on the site of the Edson Brad-erected on the site of the Edson Brad-by musicing fronting Dupport Circle Other laborers essaned

forward to their ball game with the ley mansion, fronting Dupont Circle Other laborers escaped. The purpose of the Shantung ban- ties unknown. You'll win the fight against

Constipation with Kellogg's Bran! It is wonderful news for every onstipation sufferer to know that Kellogg's Bran guarantees permanent surprised at the improvement. constipation sufferer to know that

Kellogg's Bran guarantees permanent relief if it is eaten regularly—because it is ALL BRAN! Two tablespoon-Kellogg's Bran is not only a per-manent relief from constipation, but fuls each day; as much with each meal in chronic cases—taken consistently— will work health wonders, driving out

toxic poisons, freeing affected organs and allowing nature to eliminate the waste in its own way! Eat Kellogg's Bran as a cereal, or waste in its own way! Think what this means to health when you know that constipation is to eat. It is delicious cooked with responsible for a large majority of the most dreaded human ailments; that, in milder form, it is responsible for sick headaches, biliousness, nausea, sour

breath, pimples, etc. Leading hotels, clubs and restau-Get a package of Kellogg's Bran rants serve Kellogg's Bran in indi-o-day and fight against constipation vidual packages. All grocers sell to-day and fight against constipation vidual packages, and what it leads to! Free your family Kellogg's Bran.



-You can buy a shirt that will cover your back for a dollar, but the tail is disappointingly short-

-And for a litle more money you can get a shirt with a full length tail, that has the maker's trade mark on it. If this shirt goes bad you know the maker stands behind it.

-WHAT HAS THAT TO DO WITH THE PRICE OF ICE?

--- It has this much--- When you pay for 50 pounds you ought to get 50 pounds, not 381/2-43, or 48-but FIFTY POUNDS. When you buy ice from us you get full weight and more-you get the benefit of being served by an efficient organ.'zation whose only business is to serve you ice the year round. We are always ready the first hot day and still here after the first fall norther.

the watchword. Then it was that Ran-Directors-0, D. Dillingham, M. R. ger had occasion to maintain three Newnham, Edw. R. Maher, J. L. Thompson, G. C. Barkley, Hall Walk-cotton gins to gin and bale the cotton crop of thousands of acres and thu merchants found the trade of the Chas. G. Norton......Editor C. F. Underwood...Circulation Mgr. farmers profitable. The ranger camp became a prosperous and contented village. Special Long Distance Connection.

den riches came to many of the own-National Advertising Representatives S. C. THEIS COMPANY ers of the soil, farming almost ceased 141-145 West 36th St., New York; Some of the farm owners moved away. the profit from their oil leases main-

pectation of permanancy.

MEMBER ASSOCIATED PRESS taining them in the cities to which The Associated Press is exclusively they moved to enjoy their wealth and entitled to the use for republication educate their children. New business of all news dispatches credited to it interests came to Ranger and new or not otherwise credited in this lines of industry sprang up. It was a paper, and also the local news pub-boom period that produced some relished herein.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Ranger, Texas, under Act of March 6, 1879.

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BIBLE THOUGHT. PURE RELIGION :--- Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this. To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world .-- James

RANGER YESTERDAY AND TODAY.

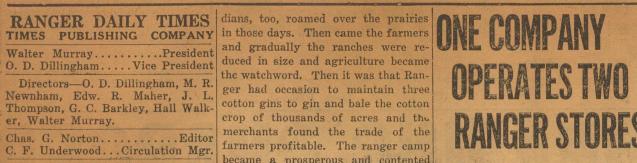
that underlies the Ranger territory some with expectation of buying the town. In 1918 I came here to stay was tapped for the first time. The property later.

fame of the Ranger oil pool spread The business interests of Ranger since. I think the future of Ranger like wildfire over the world and with- are doing everything possible to en- will be built on substantial lines and in a few weeks Ranger has been trans- courage the return of agriculture. that all business concerns which locate formed from a peaceful little village, The three gins that once were here here now will have a steady growth." surrounded by rich agricultural in- went with the farms, but a new gin terests, where the farmers came to is being constructed, a modern gin market their farm products and buy that should be able to handle the cottheir supplies, into a real frontier ton crop of this year. Perhaps two By GEORGE BINGHAM or more gins will be needed another mining camp.

For some time previously a belief year.

had prevailed that valuable oil pools Industry, too, is taking possession might be found somewhere near Ran- of Ranger. There is steady oil proger and several efforts were made to duction that should continue for many locate them that came to naught un- years to come, and with this has come til the discovery well began flowing. the manufacture of the natural gas That well marks the beginning of oil resources that were tapped with the development, not only about Ranger, oil. Plants have been built to extract but throughout Eastland and Stephens the gacoline from the natural gas, counties, throughout the North Texas and the latter is also piped to the territory where oil has been produced. cities within a radius of one hundred The discovery of oil brought wealth miles or so for lighting, heating and

to Ranger and Eastland county and fuel purposes. afterwards to adjacent counties. In- When Ranger was in the midst of vestors poured into the town and soon its oil boom a new railroad was built, it became a city. The investors had extending north and south, and Ranmoney which they wished to put to ger became its headquarters and the work to make more money and they site for its shops. This railroad is bought and developed leases. The by now doing a prosperous business and oil companies were attracted to Ran- two railroads have made Ranger a ger. They built tank farms, they more important distributing point put down pipe lines, they produced oil than ever, so that numerous wholeand shipped it out and sent in more sale establishments have been located money to invest. They built camps here and distribute goods over a large she hears a rattling noise, hoping for their employes, camps of improved area. that it is the mail carrier and that he When wealth came to Eastland workmen to drill wells and get out county one of the first improvement Slim Pickens was ashamed to try than to fiy. Inasmuch as I have been tire theater will seat 2,400. Because projects undertaken by the people on some shoes at the store this morn- able to 'take off' there is no reason of its shape the opera house will have was the building of good roads ing on account of his extra large why I cannot fly, because I need exert admirable acoustic properties, it is * * * Of course, trade followed develop- throughout the county. It was in line feet, but he felt relieved when Yam only three-quarters as much strength said. ment of the oil resources. Trade fol- with improvement going on in all Sins came in with his two bigger to maintain myself in the air suffi-



With the discovery of oil, when sud- Wright Furniture Company, T. B. Sharp, Local Partner, **Making Headway**

The Wright Furniture company, is owned by Rufus Wright and T. B. Therne, was first established back in diamond they are prostiging hard so Tharpe, was first established back in diamond, they are practicing hard so Opera House Building Co., Inc., which 1918, just before the big oil boom they may be able to give a good ac- has been organized for the purpose Mr. Wright, for whom the business ternoon twelve of their most prom-

sults more or less substantial, but Mr. Wright, for whom the business ising players had a practicing game which could not endure because no sweetwater. He is one of the best on the Young school grounds and the boom ever continues for a long per- known men in West Texas. iod. Agriculture and manufacturing Mr. Thorpe is also well known in they have become hopeful of winning. are the only interests upon which a this part of the country. He has had city or town may build with an ex- 25 or 30 years experience in the fur- for the game:

niture business and came to Ranger from Sweetwater.

The boom has gone by and Ran- Mr. Wright and Mr. Tharpe formger is now entering on another era crly owned a large chain of stores of development that promises more including one at DeLeon and one at Raymond Rogers, center field; Henry than any other. Agriculture is re- Gorman, and three in Ranger. They Holley, left field. suming sway. The farmers are re- have since disposed of these stores turning to their farms or, in many in- with the exception of two in Ranger. stances, their children are returning hold furniture and are prepared to "We carry a complete line of houseto the scenes of their early life. Many furnish a home from the parlor to the new homeseekers have come in and kitchen," Mr. Tharpe said. "I con-Five years ago the reservoir of oil have leased the abandoned farms, sider Ranger an exceptionally fine

two weeks, and have been here ever





Tobe Moseley's wife looks with fond

Air Bicycles Will

Yards, Says Flyer

PARIS, June 7 .- Gabriel Poulain, George O. Squier and Walter D. Wil-

The aid of many members of the chine, is constructing a new model diplomatic corps has been proffered to Ariette," or "sky bicycle," with bring to Washington celebrated artwhich, he expects to prove the pos- ists who have never been heard in sibility of sustained flight by human the United States. American music muscular power alone. and American musicians, however, With the new machine Poulain ex- will not be asked to play a second pects to make "hops" of from 300 to part, but will be given every oppor-400 yards at a height of from 15 to tunity and encouragement.

20 fect at a speed of about 25 miles The company guarantees a series per hour. He claims the machine will of not iess than eight major opera "take off" the ground on human mo- performances each season, at which tive power. some of the most brilliant musical ar-In an interview with the United tists of the world will be heard. Pre-Press Poulain talked of his experi- ceding and following these eight maments, but refused to give details of jor performances, which are planned

construction of his machine, except to be among the most brilliant social that it would be propelled almost ex- events of the capital, a series of 24 actly like riding a bicycle. performances will be given at popu-"Take Off" With Legs. lar prices, and the opera house will be "I have already satisfied myself in kept open throughout the season, with

my previous experiments at Long- concerts each night. champs that I could 'take off' with Occupying the large triangle formthe power of my legs. During those ed by the intersection of Connecticut experiments I made numerous 'flights' avenue and Nineteenth street at Duof ten to twenty yards at the height pont Circle, the new opera house will

of a yard-and won the ten thousand be 278 feet long by 136 feet wide at anticipation down the road every time franc prize for the first human-pro- its widest end, narrowing as it appelled flight in history. The question proaches the circle. The prosceni

In the arrangement of the new structure the famous "diamond horseshce" of the Metropolitan in New York will be rivalled by a tier of 23 Make 'Hops' of 300 commodious boxes, in the rear of

which will be a finely decorated foyer. Officers of the corporation which vill build the opera house are Edouard Albion, president; George Oakley Totten, Jr., vice president; Mark Reid Yates, treasurer; Marietta Albion, secretary. The board of directors will

count of themselves. Yesterday af- of providing a permanent home for

Following is the probable line-up ten, Jr., vice president of the com-

M. B. Taylor, picenel - online base; per, catcher; R. L. Phillips, first base; Harry Britton, second base; Philip Harry Britton, second base; Philip

600,000.

By WEBB MILLER (United Press Staff Correspondent) consist of John B. Larner, Canon J. Townsend Russell, Major General By United Press.

the first man who ever "flew" by hu- cox.

man effort in a heavier-than-air ma-

dwelling houses with modern conveniences. They sent in thousands of the oil.

lowed so closely that almost it ap- parts of the state and needed nowhere oncs. peared to come in at the same time. more than in the oil belt. This road Temporary stores were built and, as work called for rock, much rock, to trade increased, these were torn down be used for foundation, and a great and permanent store buildings con- impetus was given to the earthen prostructed, buildings of stone and con- ducts department of the Texas-Pa- AUSTIN BAR HONORS crete and brick.

This was a period in Ranger the large quarries at Tifin, within the pioneers of the oil boom days will not Ranger Independent school district, market town and wayside shipping notwithstanding that it has enlarged the funeral. Phelps was for a numpoint were overtaxed almost in a the plant repeatedly.

night. The railroad had to buy many Brick and concrete materials of attorney's office here. miles of additional track for switch- unexcelled quality and in what aping and loading purposes and build it pears to be unlimited quantity may KARO INDISPENSABLE they did as quickly as they could be found in Ranger and the time may send the workmen and material. There not be far distant until brick makwere few houses in which to live and ing and concrete manufacture will be many of the early comers had to important industries in Ranger. make themselves as comfortable as * * * Ranger has ample water for pres-

they could in tents.

Provious to the discovery of oil, a ent purposes, but not enough for in many localities. In making these June 9-17, the 1923 convention will protracted drouth had prevailed, but marked growth. Within a few miles Karo is indispensable and undoubted- be the greatest in the history of the with the oil came rain and for months of the city it wil not be difficult to ly the housekeeper's friend. The fol- federation, with some 2,000 women Kanger was literally a sea of mud. find a site where, by the construction lowing recipes may be used with any in attendance. The heavy teaming tore up the roads of a dam at a reasonable cost, a lake kind of fruit:

in town and city. There were no paved may be created that will be second streets at that time and very in- to none in Texas and which would in the principal streets and along the ure resorts in West Texas in addition cinamon and cloves (tied in a bag.) the lyric dance drama prize composiadequate drainage. Wagons bogged prove to be one of the greatest pleascountry highway. But business was to providing a storage place for bil- pulp till seeds may be removed by certs by the forty-five piece Symphgood and the people laughed at dis- lions of gallons of water. This is no pressing through strainer. Put all ony orchestra recruited from the comforts and took measures to im- idle dream. Ranger's future is as together, including skins, and cook most famous orchestras of the east; prove conditions as soon as possible. much dependent upon having an ade-till thick. This is delicious with meats the appearance in concert of the na-

The city of Ranger was incorporated quate, even a superlative water sup- or for sandwiches or luncheon. and a municipal government under- ply, as on any other one, two or three took to maintain law and order, to factors. The lake must be constructbuild sidewalks, pave streets and ed and it should be superior to every Found Karo, water to cover. transform the village into a real other artificial lake in Texas. metropolis. The work appeared to At this period when Ranger is lookprogress slowly, but in reality splen- ing forward with hope and expecta-and Karo and cook till thick, adding club of Philadelphia, with its harp did progress was made. The result of tion, a little retrospection with a whole spices to taste. this is the Ranger of today. lot of future possibilities give health-

Ranger has passed through several ful food for thought, which leads to NEWS FROM THE OIL FIELDS. can musicians. periods of development and is now action, which brings results. So let C. E. Simonds of Walla Walla, A special chorus of men visitors is entering upon another that is destined the people of Ranger think for a mo- Wash., oil operator, is in Ranger and to be formed at the convention under to prove more far-reaching and sub- ment of periods in the past that have may become associated with oil de- the direction of Dr. Crosby Adams, stantial than any that has gone be- contributed to the progress of Ran- velopment work here. fore. Originally it was a camp where ger and then turn their thoughts and Thirty-two gasoline tank cars left of the program to be given by the the Texas Rangers made their head- works into a constructive channel for the Texas and Pacific railroad load- largest choral body ever assembled quarters and maintained order in a themselves, their community, their ing racks this morning, consigned by at a festival of this organization: country that was given over to ranch, state and their nation, and so they the Chestnut & Smith corporation for ing and the raising of livestock. In- shall succeed. Port Arthur.

* * * * you come to know them.

cific Coal and Oil company, which has MEMORY OF LAWYER.

AUSTIN, June 7.- In honor of the soon forget. Hundereds of teams were and which now is shipping rock of all memory of Albert S. Phelps, for many employed to transport drilling ma- sizes from its quarries and crushers years an attorney here, who died after terial and pipe and other supples, to many near and far-distant parts of a long illness a few days ago, the from the railroad station to the drill- the state. There is a great demand local district courts, two of which ing locations. The railroad facilities that had been sufficient for a small that had been sufficient for a small derstood to be behind in its orders, of the Travis county bar attended

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SPICED FRUITS. music throughout the week includes 7 pounds fruit, 1 cup vinegar, 2 huge adult and children's choruses; pounds Karo, 2 pounds sugar, 3 ounces, the premiere of "Pan in America," Wash fruit and remove skins. Cook tion, to be performed outdoors; contional winners in the young artists'

contest, in voice, violin and piano; a FRUIT BUTTER. "sunrise sing;" a vesper service at 1 pound fruit, 3-8 pound sugar, 3-8 the newly completed Montreat auditorium eighteen miles from Ashe-Cook 3-4 to 1 hour. Cover fruit ville; "Alice in Wonderland" given

with water and cook till soft. Rub by the children; a concert by the enthrough a coarse strainer. Add sugar tire chorus of the Matinee Musical ensemble of ten harps, and many recitals and concerts by noted Ameri-

to sing two choral numbers on the

night of the chorus concert as part

BUY IT IN RANGER

of "taking off" is the most important arch will be 72 feet wide. Above the has on board her mail order package. and most difficult, because it takes orchestra and the boxes there will be 25 per cent more power to "take off" one balcony seating 900, and the en-

cient headway to fly. I think I can nearest to Dupont Circle there will be make about 25 to 35 miles per hour. offices on each of the five upper Jefferson Potlocks says some My other machines of course, were floors, and the ground floor will be strangers are real nice people after not equipped with propellers, as a utilized for commercial purposes. The wished only to prove the vital point. stage of the opera house will be at I have done so. the widest end of the building. In

"Now I am working on a machine the basement there will be a circular equipped with propeller and control ballroom, 80 feet in diameter, where levices with which I will make short 1,000 can be seated for concerts, etc. There will also be a restaurant in the flights, I have no doubt."

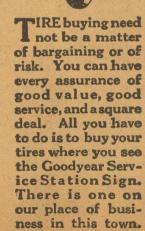
basement. **FESTIVAL OF NATIONAL** WICHITA FALLS .--- A shortage of narvest help is reported in this coun-FEDERATION OF MUSIC ty with the result that numerous women are said to be taking to the **CLUBS BIGGEST EVER** field to meet the emergency. Farm-

ers report that the women are being assigned to the lighter work and harber of years connected with the city Indications Are That 2,000 Women vesting is progressing. Will Assemble at Asheville June

9-17 for Anniversary. If every club in the National Federation of Music clubs responds to

the appeal of Mrs. John F. Lyons, the WITH FRUIT FLAVORS president, to send at least one delegate to the Thirteents Bi-ennial Festival and Twenty-fifth anniversary of

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Black, chiropractor and one of Ranger's well-known citizens, was born in Kansas and was educated in one of that state's largest schools, specializing in college on anatomy and physiology, with the intention of be-6-7 oming a physician. right, 1923, King He entered the business world, however, and after making a success of the mercantile business he entered the C. E. TERRELL AWARDED city of San Angelo to Mr. Terrell for OLDEN, ORIGINALLY A SILVER MINE CAMP, WAS Palmer school at Davenport from | winning the under water swimming SILVER LOVING CUP AS which he was graduated. contest at the West Texas Chamber Dr. Black practiced in Wichita Falls of Commerce convention last month. **SWIMMING RACE TROPHY GIVEN BIG IMPETUS BY DEVELOPMENT OF ITS** for four years, and later operated an The Ranger swimmer defeated his AND ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN X-Ray laboratory in Fort Worth benearest competitor by 25 feet in a fore coming to Ranger. He located 175-foot distance contest. Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor here last August, taking over the of-C. E. Terrell of Ranger was prefice of Dr. Klopp, who is now in Cali-**OIL RESOURCES AND HAS ATTAINED IMPORTANCE** Telephone 224. sented with a silver loving cup by Dr. W. C. Palmer at the luncheon of the egates that William J Bryan is try-It is a new form of "pledging" delfornia. One of the conspicious achievements of Dr. Black and his adjustments was day. The cup is the award of the ing .- Boston Transcript. SHRINE CLUB PLANS FOR HOUSE WARMING in the recent Marathon dance in Ran-Ranger Mystic Shrine club is inger when he attended Miss Marie Is Now Center of Large Oil and Gasoline Proviting all Shriners who are not mem-Collier, the young woman who broke duction; Nearby Is Power House Which Sends HOW THEY STAND **GOOD FOR** bers to the entertainment that will the world's record for women by con-Electricity Over Great Area; Is Splendidly feature the "housewarming" at the tinuous cancing over a period of nearclub's quarters on the mezzanine ly 200 hours. During the 15 minutes Adapted to Chicken Raisirg, and Delightful floor of the Gholson hotel next Tuesrest period alloted the dancers every TEXAS LEAGUE. day night. "He doesn't have to be a Place for Home Building and Farming. four hours, Dr. Black made adjusemember to be welcome," Arthur G. ments and administered massages that THIS FREE VOTE COUPON EXPIRES Standing of the Teams. Jury, president of the club, said to-Olden is a community that has a school term, and the next scholastic refreshed her to a point of continued endurance almost beyond comprehen, distinction all its own and, from year opens September 10. The Mag- Fort Worth Saturday, June 16, 1923 .563 be the guests of the club for the Address measure, to the aid Dr. Black had of the state. given her. As Miss Collier's mother The last government census gave to wait for their money. Town..... State at the time, it is an especial tribute greater than many county seat towns drug stores which also handle confec-THE RANGER DAILY TIMES FORD COUPE-DIAMOND RING to Dr. Black that his services were in Texas can show. Olden is an un- tionery, soft drinks and druggists Yesterday's Results. PERSONALS CAMPAIGN incorporated town, has no town gov- sundries, a general hardware store, secured during this period. Shreveport 3, Fort Worth 2. Mrs. F. V. Haney of Weatherford, This Coupon will count 10 votes when properly filled out and sent to the Campaign Manager of the Ranger Daily Times before expiration. Cou-In an article on "History of Chi- ernment, no jail, no court of any a summer garden for tourists and Galveston 6, Houston 5. accompanied by her grandson, Fred ropractic," the following information kind and no idle people. Olden is several garages and filling stations. Dallas 6, Wichita Falls 2. Luke, Jr., is visiting her daughter, pons must be neatly trimmed and put in flat packages with the number is given: "Adjustments have been just six miles from Ranger and about Olden has a town physician, Dr. H. Mrs. Bess Luke at the Gholson hotel. Beaumont 8, San Antonio 5. of votes written on top. administered in a crude way in some four miles from Eastland. M. Barker, who has a practice that Miss Evelyn Heath, a June gradu-Olden dates back as a community keeps him busy night and day and parts of Europe for at least a century. Olden dates back as a community keeps him busy night and day and to before the Texas & Pacific line has made him one of the best known Today's Schedule. ate of the Austin high school, is visiting her sister, Miss Dixie Heath at Fort Worth at Shreveport. also used them in this country, but was built through West Texas. It and most honored men of the com-Wichita Falls at Dallas. the Gholson hotel. Little Lillian Rippy, daughter of H. Rippy of the Ranger cafe, who not until D. D. Palmer got interested was originally a silver mining town, munity. Houston at Galveston. in giving adjustments was it ever set forth as a distinctive system of prac-Raising Chickens. Beaumont at San Antonio. has been attending school in Fort A new industry is developing about tice. At his request Samuel H. Weed silver found in sulphate state in the Olden which promises to become very Worth is the guest of her father be-AMERICAN LEAGUE. formed the word Chiropractic as the rock nearby could be mined profit- important. It is considered one of fore going to Ballinger to spend the O-LODGES 13-FOR SALE-Miscellaneous name for this system. It is a coined ably, and the silver prospectors went the best districts in Eastland county summer with her grandparents. WE MANUFACTURE tops, side curname for this system. It is a coined word, composed of two Greek words, Cheir, the hand, and praxis, a doing. Hence literally. Chiropractic means ATTENTION Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burden and KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS | tains, cushions, and seat covers. Also little daughter, Betty Jean, returned Every Knight of Pythias of do repair work in this une. Rhodes Hence, literally, Chiropractic means the doing of something by hand. A Chiropractor, therefore, is a hand istationed in West Texas. The orig-istationed in West Texas. The orig-ited quantity which may be tapped at St. Louis Ranger Lodge No. 457 is Bros., 206 South Rusk street. Wednesday evening from a visit of several days in Dallas. everal days in Dallas. T. J. Holmsley is serving on the ury this week in the 88th District. The Castle Hall at 8 o'clock Thurs-"We tear 'em up and sell the pieces." jury this week in the 88th District court at Eastland. "The wonderful mechanism which inal town was about one mile from a depth of 30 feet, and plenty of Washingto court at Eastland.Miss Berncie Nedlett of Fort Worthis visiting her sister, Mrs. C. T. Ware.Mrs. C. T. Ware and son, C T. Jr.,meeting is of extreme importance.IfStreet Second Hand Store, Marston where it is now, having been moved shrubbery for shade make it admir-Boston we call the human body is controlled where it is now, naving been moved since all able for raising of chickens and turby the brain, spinal cord and nerves, road lines were laid across the Texas keys and Olden people look forward Chicago Yesterday s Results. will spend the week-end in Fort you are a true Pythian, be there! to making it the biggest poultry cenplains. system with its central, station, cables Washington 5, Detroit 1. Bldg Oil Gives Impetus. ter in all Texas. Worth with relatives. WILLIAM F. RIED, and individual wires. Like it, also, Cleveland 15, Boston 4. Olden received an impetus when The whole population of Olden 14-REAL ESTATE the amount of disturbance caused and the Magnolia Oil company acquired stands behind its ball team, which is District Deputy Grand Chancellor. Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 2. MRS. COLLIE HOSTESS the difficulty of repairing depends leases covering about 4 miles in width made up exclusively of employes of School of instruction for STORE building, 18x20, shelving, Chicago 4, New York 1. the difficulty of repairing depends upon the part which is injured or crossed. As the telephone man must know where each line goes and the function of each cable and central di-vision, so also must he who pretends to relieve human ills know human TO COLUMBIA CLUB E. A. & F. C. Masons, to-than you can buy the fixtures. 519 Today's Schedule. The members of the Columbia Uni-St. Louis at Philadelphia. versity Study club enjoyed a mornnight, 7:30, Masonic South Hodges. Detroit at Washington. ing meeting on Wednesday at the Hall Chicago at New York. 15-HOUSES FOR SALE home of Mrs. M. K. Collie. Reviews Cleveland at Boston. of the "Command" by William Mc-1-LOST AND FOUND READ THIS to relieve human ills know human continues on big scale and seems Some of the players, especially on the Fee and "The Bright Shawl," by Jos- LOST-Monday, a Masonic ring. Re-To sell for cash or terms, nice anatomy and physiology." eph Hergesheimer were given by Mrs. ward if returned to Times office. likely to continue, it will probably pitching staff, have a national repu-NATIONAL LEAGUE. home on Lackland Ave., No. 516. Dr. Black, with his knowledge of remain for an indefinite period as the tation as ball players. Standing of the Teams. Chastain and Mrs. Gifford Clegg. The Ptc. next meeting will be held on the Classical and the state of the sta Cheap. .See this by all means before this new and great method of treat- chief factor in Olden's development. W. Partial to Army Men. you buy. 738 morning of Wednesday, June 20, with 578 Mrs T. L. Lauderdale nent, has rendered a service to Ran-16-AUTOMOBILES .578 Mrs. T. L. Lauderdale. ceive reward. .533 FOR SALE-1923 model Ford tourtown and its future. 4-SITUATIONS WANTED ing car and accessories. Perfect con-LOYALTY TO WEST TEXAS. THOROUGHLY experienced young dition. Private used. Real bargain. entral Baptist .467 "Just such cordial loyality as this man desires position as bookkeeper or .400 keeps the old boat going," said Porter office clerk. References furnished. F. C. Rarey at Oilbelt Motor Co. Church Installed FOR SALE Knatey, inaliger of the aletter to Chamber of Commerce, in a letter to F. F. Bennett, secretary of the Ran-ger chamber, in acknowledging the STENOGRAPHER with two years' experience, desires position. Can also handle light books and general modities. It manufactures the gas them made good in one department Yesterday's Results. 1 Ford Sedan. from 62 wells, extracting the gaso- or another. Captains, majors and Pittsburgh 7, Brooklyn 3. 1 Ford Coupe. line from the wet gas, and then dis- colonels were to be found in every In New Quarters line from the wet gas, and then dis-tribues the gas through its own mains department and several generals, too, Oakland Touring. Cincinnati 5, Boston 1. oc-operation accorded E. L. McCarter, office work. Phon 351. Chicago 6. New York 1. Hudson Speedster. to the people living over a large area were added to the staff. These in St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 6 (12 in- organization manager or the West = Well worth the mone, for lighting, heating and cooking addition to the ball players of repu-HUB CITY GARAGE 7-SPECIAL NOTICES Phone 55 Rusk and Pine

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kitchen and dining room in the brick phones. annex.

congregation in these new quarters.

RANGER LIONS AND TEE PEE NINE TO

Ranger tourist camp and the building fund of the Central Baptist 3.30 o'clock.

building fund. given out later.

selling tickets for the game.

The Central Baptist church has purposes. It has a telephone system tation, make the working force of the nings.)

completely remodeled and renovated that extends to all the oil fields in Magnolia notable. the Tee-Pee building at Commerce Texas and Oklahoma, so that it has The department heads are among and Pine streets for their regular direct communication over its own the most enthusiastic citizens of Olservices and Bible school work. There wires to all oil points between the den's welfare and progress. These are assembly rooms for all seven de- Texas gulf and Northern Oklahoma. are: Claude Lindsey, superintendpartments, including the cradle roll. Its payroll distributed at Olden runs ent of the shops; C. L. Gladden, su-More than 200 chairs have been re- to more than \$30,000 each month. perintendent of production; W. M. ceived for the Bible school purposes. Its employes are largely housed in Ray, head of the gasoline department The trustees are placing opera the company's own buildings, all of and John McGarvey, superintendent

chairs in the auditorium this week. which are provided with modern con- of the pipe line department. Lights have been installed. The wo- veniences, including gas and electric After the discovery of oil, farming men of the church are aranging a lighting, water, sewerage and tele- about Olden almost ceased, but it is now being revived and a large acre-

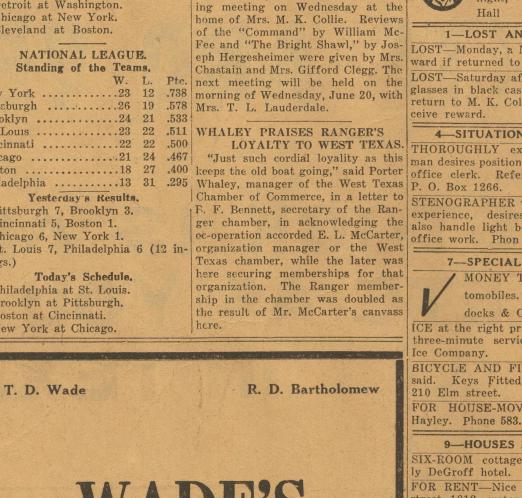
Another of Olden's big industries is age is being planted this year. The auditorium was crowded at both the electric plant which has its power Much cotton has been planted and services last Sabbath day. The public, house on the Leon river, about 2 the cotton crop in this neighborhood and that means everybody, has a cor- miles distant. Here an immense dam promises to be large.

dial invitation to worship with this has been constructed which backs up The great need in Olden is dwellwater so that a great lake has been ing houses. They are at a premium, formed, providing both a water re- in fact none is to be had because all serve and hydraulic power. The elec- are occupied. Because of the de tric company has a railroad of its lightful living conditions at Olden, own which extends between the dam with abundance of water, many p and power house. Power is supplied sons have come out from Eastland MEET ON DIAMOND from this power house for Olden, and some even from Ranger, and Ranger, Eastland and for use in the have built homes in Olden while confrom this power house for Olden, and some even from Ranger, and tinuing in business in one or the other oil field. School Facilities. of the two cities.

Olden has a high school and grade In only one thing is Olden lacking church will be jointly benefited by school building that cost \$75,000. Six and that the people have may be recthe ball game between the Ranger teachers are employed with Prof. J. tified. Thep have resident phone Lions club team and the Texas Paci- B. Caldwell as the school superin- service other than is provided by the fic Coal and Oil company team at tendent. Professor Caldwell was at Magnolia Oil company for occupants Municipal park next Wednesday af- one time principal of the Young of its dwellings. There are two long ternoon. The game will begin at school in Ranger. The scholastic en- distance phones in Olden, but the rollment of last year was 289 and in- charge is 25 cents for 3-minute con-

The Lions' share of the proceeds dications point to a larger enroll- versations with Ranger, so that the will go towards the camp fund and ment next session, when more teach- conversations are few and short. The the Tee Pee's share to the church ers will be needed. "Olden employs people are hopeful that the Southonly the best qualified teachers," said western telephone company will es-Line-up of the two teams will be Professor Coldwell. Five of those tablish an exchange in Olden and now employed have life certificates give them local service and also di-Central Baptist church ladies are and one of them has a first-class cer- rect home connections with Ranger 'tificate. Olden has a nine-month and Eastland.

Today's Schedule. Philadelphia at St. Louis. Brooklyn at Pittsburgh. Boston at Cincinnati. New York at Chicago.





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tions may be obtained from John R. Slaughter, Ranger, Texas, by deposshould be addressed to V. V. Cooper, ger, Texas, and will be received until 2 p. m., June 25, 1923. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check as provided for in specifica-

13-FOR SALE-Miscellaneous 22-POULTRY AND PET STOCK O TROUBLE to deliver ice. Phone FAT buttermilk fed fryers every day , watch us deliver the goods. Inin the week. Lackland Bros., phone dependent Ice Co. FOR SALE-Cheap, Houck piano. Will give terms to reliable people. Times Want Ads Pay

Business Man, Financier and City Builder, M.R. Newnham **Proves His Varied Abilities**

Head of Oil Belt Motor Company, Which Has CASINGHEAD GASOLINE PLANTS Made Enviable Record, Head of Ranger State Bank and Director in Other Lines, Native Son of West Texas, Has Become an Outstanding Figure.

"But in a town where there is a M. R. Newnham, president of the diversity of industry, there is al-Oilbelt Motor company, is a business ways something to fall back on when man of wide experience in varied everything else goes wrong. Take lines and has been an outstanding in the case of Beaumont. It has three figure in the automobile world ever great industries-lumber, rice and since the days when the "horseless oil. When the lumber market is bad, there is a demand for rice and oil is carriage" began.

Born in Stephens county, he was high. When oil goes down, lumber, reared on a farm and educated in or rice, or both, come back strong. the country schools and at Ranger And if rice should prove a failure in his childhood. Later he worked the other two industries keep the city his way through the Dallas schools going. It would be unusual condiand a business college. tions, indeed, that would make all

of which he later became assistant condition. manager. Still later he was a travfling salesman for an automobile

He ran this business for four years and in the meantime he became presi-dent of the Gulf Motor company of Beaunont and vice president of the North Texas Motor company at Sherman.

Returns to Ranger.

During this time the United States will make fine cement, and there has tendent and G. G. Eberfell is tech- Wade had been engaged in the cafe among other things that in all his entered the World War and feeling been a wonderful clay found suitable nical superintendent. it his patriotic duty to enter service for a brick plant. With abundant The company's first venture in the Upon coming to Ranger for the boom he sold out his Ford contract and fuel and railroads leading in each direction it is now possible to profit-oher interests with the intention of direction it is now possible to profitenlisting. The armistice was signed, ably develop these two resources It was erected in the fall of 1918, acquired the Wide-Awake Cafe on city the size of Ranger. This is an lowever, before he got in training which would not formerly have been shortly after the real production in Pine street. camp, so being without connections possible, before the days of fuel and the field began. Since then the com- He later bought out the Bybee he came to his old home, Ranger, railroads. which was then at the heighth of the boom.

His first position was as bookkeep these industries fail at once. So that The establishment of casinghead er for an automobile firm in Dallas Beaumont will always be in good gasoline plants in and near Ranger

pany has had at least one plant un- Quick Lunch room, which is now der construction all the time. Ten known as Wade's Cafe, and the popu-"And another great possibility in plants in all have been erected, some larity of the place can be recognized so conveniently afford the view as a position on the top of the hotel. 103 is about two miles northwest of There is always a crowd at the ders or going through trap doors, ride

Ranger on the Pleasant Grove road counter of Wade's Cafe, and the man- the elevator to the house over the

"AT THE GHOLSON," IT'S THE PLACE IN RANGER WHERE ALL TRAVELERS LIKE TO STOP

Ranger Citizens Are Proud of Their Hotel, Their "Community House," Where They Meet for Banquets and Civic Gatherings; Arthur G. Jury Is Its Directing Head.

Every city and town in the country to tell. Mr. Jury' hotel experience has its celebrated hostelry. Fort and knowledge of the wants of hot Worth, its Texas hotel, St. Louis, its patrons is built on management of h Statler, Dallas, its Adolphus and Ran- tels in Seattle, Little Rock, Denver r its Gholson. Winnepeg, and other points.

When the subject of hotels be- The Gholson, because of its ver tween Fort Worth and El Paso comes foundation, bids fair to be the lead up between travelers, the Gholson ing hotel of North Central Texas sure to be mentioned. "It's Ran- for many, many years to come. Chestnut & Smith Corporation, Pioneer in This ger's hotel," they invariably say.

"A prophet is without honor save "is an old saying but not Line in Ranger Territory, Now Controls Business That Extends Over Large Area, Utilizing so of the Gholson. Ranger folks are proud of this hotel. They are not Enormous Quantities of Gas That Formerly any less backward in telling strangers of the Gholson than folks of other ciities and towns. For it's "their ho tel." It was built by money of Ranger people. It not only serves as a hotel for visitors, but it is a civic center.

The Gholson has come to be the 'community house" of Ranger. The

T. D. Wade, manager of Wade's Ranger never fail to include mention Cafe, is one of the best known cooks of the physical beauty of the hotel in the county. He said he was "born At a banquet given in the banquet an it did before. "From a manufacturing stand-both Texas and Oklahoma. F. G. brings to his present business all of last, Very Rev. Dr. W. P. Barr, prespoint Ranger has several attractive Yonker is general superintendent; the advantages of his long experience. ident of Dallas University, in his per Just before coming to Ranger, Mr. oration to his address, declared business at Houston and San Antonio. travels from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast on lecturing tours, he had universal expression with travelers. For an extensive and sweeping

view of the city and surrounding country, no building in Ranger can

Plant 108 and Plants 109 and 110 are pumping plants to assist in the ploying the best help of any restau-ing to improve its service and equip-ment, this spring installed the Louvre

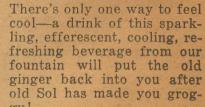


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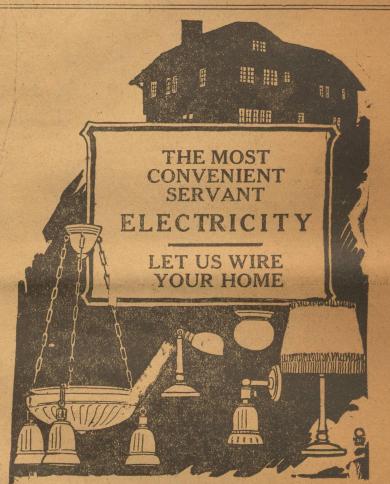
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features. There is a stone here that R. W. Thomas is assistant superin-

Poultry at Ranger

Soon after locating here he was Ranger is the poultry industry. In for experimental purposes only. Plant by the slogan, "Try to Get In." elected an alderman, and there fol- this district there is raised an abundlowed the hardest years of his career. ance of chicken feel which is shipped Ranger at that time had not streets to California for the state's poultry Ranger at that time had not streets to California for the state's poultry or paving no credit and no funds. Mr. Newnham was the first street is shipped back, through Texas, to the Eastern markets.

Eastern markets. "We took this proposition at a time "It has been proved that we have he said. "The town had just been incorporated, and there was no street grade set. Everybody had a grade of his own. Therefore some of the lots were on street level and some when there was no paving whatever," a more ideal climate here for poultry operations of 108. lots were on street level and some great indusry than the western part Plant 101. nects each of the other plants with were a step or two high. of the country is. "Now when it came to putting "Agriculture, poultry, manufactur-During 1918 and 1919 millions of down paving, we couldn't improve ing. These things, with oil, are dollars worth of gas was dissipated streets so irregular, and we had to educate the people to build with uni-formity fication fication. Paving the City. "It was hard to interest people in drilled a duster. Must Build Homes The development of the cashing-"The next step in development nec- head plants, therefore, giving a mar- their combined efforts have given to became impatient and wanted to essary is the building of homes. Our ket for the surplus gas in the field, Ranger one of its most desirable eatknow why we didn't rush the work, residential section has not been des- has proved one of the biggest sources ing places.

fling salesman for an automobile concern in Chicago. Following this experience he er-tered into the automobile business for himself at Bryan, Texas, and at this time married Miss Lula Arnin of Palestine. A short time after that the Ford Motor company offered him a contract at Beaumont, which was in Texas. In Texas.

WADE'S CAFE

ALL INDUSTRIES IN RANGER

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF RANGER OIL FIELD EDITION

They thought we ought to condenin irably planned. The downtown bus- of revenue in the city. The comproperty of those who were not will- iness section is splendidly built, with bined capacity of the casinghead gasing to grade on a uniform scale. But substantial, fireproof buildings that oline companies in the Ranger field condemned property has to be paid would do justice to a much larger is 100,000,000 feet of gas a day,

nave no funds left for paving. The ing description of a factor of new town. The paving contractors wouldn't take the city's contract, so we had to make personal bonds It wasn't like opening up streets in an Club and member of the Masonic nice royalty is coming in to land wasn't like opening up streets in an old established town with property at low or reasonable prices and people really interested in town develop-ment.

"One who has never been through iod of five years." it could never realize the worried

sonal appeals and persuasion it took organized in 1919 by Mr. Newnham tions hardest hit by the big war, is to put the big job over

body was trying to get building ma- which the company occupies was Blade. terial in at one time, and putting erected. It is one of the handsomedown paving takes a tremendous est automobile buildings between Fort It is one marked peculiarity of Mr. amount of materials. It was hard to Worth and El Paso. It is erected of Bryan's career, that if he is not steerget the railroads to handle the ma- brick and has 1400 square feet of mg a steam roller he is likely to be terials that were needed. "And on top of that we had all the and plate glass windows.

rain you still hear so much about. The Oilbelt last year sold more The streets were so muddy we had Studebaker automobiles than any oth-to lay paving before we could get er dealer in West Texas, and the year to the railroad to unload before that it even outsold Fort

"I was one of the 10 men who se- Worth. The company's territory now cured the Hamon-Kell railroad. We includes Young, Thockmorton, Stephsigned a quarter of a million dollar ens and most of Eastland county. In bond in order to secure the right-of- the month of April the sales included way. And Ranger is the only town 58 new cars at retail, in the Ranger in the oil field that got a real rail- territory, of which 37 were Studeroad during the boom; a railroad bakers and 21 Chevrolets. In ad- and the Fitting of Glasses Exclusively that has shops and offices here with dition to this 26 cars were sold at a payroll of \$10,000 a month." wholesale

Diversity of Interests

Diversity of Interests In speaking of the future possi-ports a total of 70 people, including bilities of Ranger, Mr. Newnham employes and their families. It is one said!

The city has wonderful opportuni- ful enterprises in West Texas. ties if it will only develop its own resources. No city can depend on one income alone. For instance, an oil town suffers, when the price of the Civil War a pair of shoes in this country cost \$100 but we get outside crude is down. A cotton town is country cost \$100-but we got over cases. broke if the crop proves a failure our war.-Cleveland Times-Commeror the price is low. Cattle and sheep cial.

raising districts feel the pinch when Anyway, nobody was letting his the beef and wool markets are bad. Manufacturing districts get panicky hair grow until Mr. Bryan was electwhen conditions force their factories ed Presbyterian moderator.-Toledo Graduate Nurses Furnished for Outto shut down. Blade.

for, and in paying for it we would city. But the great field for build- yielding more than 200,000 gallons have no funds left for paving. The ing activity now is in the erection of of gasoline, enough to form a train liveable dwellyngs." of 30 tank cars. The investment in

monthly on casinghead.

Does Record Business days, and wakeful nights, the per- The Oilbelt Motor Company was Austria, which was one of the na-

who has since been the preesident. among the first to come back. She "Another handicap was that every- The same year the beautiful building is able to borrow money.-Toledo

floor space, with large display rooms under one.-Detroit Free Press.

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R. D. Bartholomew recently asso- comforts that guests of a seashore ciated with Mr. Wade as a partner. or resort hotel has, the management He formerly ran the Metropolitan Cafe bought a supply of taxifans, which, at Wichita Falls and the Westbrook for a small additional cost, can be used in private rooms. lunch room in Fort Worth.

Arthur G. Jury, manager of the These two efficient restaurant men Gholson, can be described as the make a specialty of quick service and "personal manager." He eats, sleeps

may be on hand to give every detail of the hotel management his personal direction at all hours. Just when he finds time to play, it is hard

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Forty Miles of Mains for Heating, and Industrial Purposes, Radiate Into Every Section of Ranger. Management In Building System Over- RAN comes Many Difficulties. 113

In the early days of Ranger when! At the same time having a better there were no paved streets, no light- service the Ranger Gas company also there were no paved streets, no light-ing system, no sewerage and no fuel, the demands for these things gave rise to the development of several utilities which have since served the people. Chief among these is the Ranger Gas company, which was ori-ginally owned and operated by the Sammies Oil corporation. C. E. Maddocks Says Town, Cli-maty surrounding towns. The com-pany has extended its business be-yond Ranger, now having 200 miles of line distributing gas to drilling wells and oil f. eld towns in Stephens and Young countries, and also has a plant at Graham . It also has franplant at Graham . It also has fran-Sammies Oil corporation.

This company met one of the grav- and will supply the se towns from the est needs of Ranger in the early chises at Stephensv ille and Comanche of the Ranger which we have today. days, for the shack homes and busi- Desdemona pool. ness houses which were stuck up for which that period is remembered. Barrett is president and J. B. Owens real estate and insurance business. is general manager. The local man-

Company Lays Pipe.

SIX

Now there is pipe line to the ex- agement is in charge of W. L. Bar-but later located in Colorado Springs tent of 40 miles, bringing fuel for rett. heating and industrial purposes into the city. The system was constructed by the Sammies corporation under the direction of Mr. Sanders, now of the Sanders - Colegrove Hardware company. The franchise was granted 1918 and the system completed in 1919. At that time the rapid growth of Ranger held out promise of almost unlimited expansion, and the gas company kept astride with th progress by their extensions. Twenty miles of main lines, three to siz inches in size, radiated into every Proprietor Of The Electric section of the city, and attached to them is a still greater mileage of two inch lines, placing the fuel within reach of almost every part of the

Many troubles attended the con-

were many homes without heat. The company kept steadily at the work of remedying the weak spots in the system and it was in good con-dition when it was purchased by Seu-ator A. P. Barrett and renamed the "Langer Gas Company" in 1990. Were many homes without heat. The company kept steadily at the to be made. I have an instrument made in 1916 to measure way e lengths. It is out of date now, but I would not part with it." Mr. Remonte is a native of Gal-

TODAY AND FRIDAY

The

MUSKETEER

Also -

"LEATHER PUSHERS"

"Langer Gas Company." in 1920, veston. During the war he served in

Ranger, since then, has had very States navy and visited every counlarge cities of Texas can show.

A. L. Wilson Buys Rockland RANGER CAFE Furniture Exchange and Introduces Modern Methods

Since the Rockland Furniture exnange, under the ownership and nanagement of A. L. Wilson, commenced advertising that the exchange

been noted. It is the only furniture house in Ranger advertising to do a credit business.

The store had always observed a strictly cash policy since its incep C. E. Maddocks, well known Ran- tion, but when Mr. Wilson bought the ger insurance man, has been one of business in February of this year, he taurant in the city and one of the bringing in people from all points

dates back to the "old days" of Ran- into such prominence and importance icy of doing business. Mr. Wilson says he was led to sell ger, so-called, although that means it became the home of a railroad On account of the spread of these the frenzied days of the boom and furniture on a payment plan by his a period of only five years ago. boom purposes but little protected activities, the company now h is of-bought the Highland Park addition. experience here with Ranger people Back in the days of the celebrated During the period of flush producthe people from the rain and cold for fices in Fort Worth, where Semator At the same time he entered in the in whom he has confidence, begot-boom the Ranger Cafe was the most tion the road was forced to operate today began consideration of the elec-Mr. Maddocks was born in Maine, them

space, he plans to enlarge his pres- for in those days of big business it Through passenger service was also committee. ent stock considerably.

The present owner came to Ranthe time when Ranger began to be famous all over the world as the ger in November 1919 from Amar-center of the great oil fields of Tex-as, Mr. Maddocks made an automo-Reid Furniture company, owned by as, Mr. Maddocks made an automo- Reid Furniture company, owned by bile camping trip with some friends, Jake L. Hamon. In September, 1921. and when they arrived at Fort Worth the Hamon estate took over the well as transcient trade. bile camping trip with some friends, and when they arrived at Fort Worth they thought they would take in the placed in charge of the business.

about Ranger that grips a stranger, moved the stock from its old quar- cafe business in 1917, remaining for 1 and by July 4 streams of people It was laid on the table without disand especially was this true in the ters at 105 North Marston street to five years. They later went to Mexia were riding the trains that the com- cussion. day of mud and gushers, when for- 113 Main street. It was at this time for a year and to Kosse for six pany had installed. tunes were made overnight and all that he adopted his credit payment months.

business prospered to a frenzied ex- plan for the benefit of his customers. Following that they were looking The Rockland Furniture exchange for a new location, and considering Like the folks in the "Deserted is the exclusive local representative Ranger a good place for investment Village" who "came to scoff and re- of the Hoosier kitchen cabinet and they bought the cafe which they now

> At the news of Jess Willard's and cool, and the courtesy of both awakening, old Jim Jeffries contin- management and employes is unfail-

> > and bset.

Mr. Rippy is "front" man, meeting the customers and building up linger, Dallas; C. M. Dellard, Waco; friendships through his pleasing per-"I stayed because I liked the cli- R. Armstrong, Sweetwater; R. L. sonality and capable management. Mr.

sometimes look at me as if douating thatdocks said. "It would be hard to the truth of the statement, for many parafin content in some places which clegged the house systems, causing numerous complaints. The result was that during the first winter there were many homes without heat. come a popular breakfast favorite.

ued to snore peacefully,-Chicago ing. The service is of the quickest

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inTe cafe is comfortable, atractive

General Offices and Shops are Located Here and It Is One Railway Line In the Oil Belt Territory That Is Doing a Steady, Profitable Busi-

1 A State of the series of the One of the greatest benefits the road are located in Ranger. which the oil boom brought to Ran- large building was erected opposite would sell furniture on time pay-ments, a nice increase of business has H. Rippy and W. B. Anderson, ger was the establishment of the hean moted. It is the passenger station, well equipped and provided with the latest railroad

Wichita Falls, Ranger and Fort paraphernalia. Worth railroad. Before the discov- During April there were 77 emery of oil the little country trading ployes who live in Ranger, carried on town, which Ranger was then, was the company's payroll. These em-

listed on the railway maps as a flag ployes drew \$10,331.62 for the The Ranger Cafe is the oldest res- station. But after the rush was on, month.

ELEEMOSYNARY BILL.

By Associated Press

AUSTIN, June 7 .- The house toten by his personal dealings with popular place in town. Waiting lines eight passenger trains a day between mosynary bill, carrying approximately stood for long periods of time trying Ranger and Breckenridge, and four \$3,300,000. It was reduced about As soon as he can secure additional to get a seat, or even to get inside, a day between Ranger and Dublin. \$759,000 by the house apropriation

was not uncommon to eat a-standing. established between Fort Worth and The house refused to concur in the senate amendment to the judiciary appropriations bill and the bill reducing the reclamation appropriation and following of regular customers as built into Breckenridge so soon after asked for free conference commit-

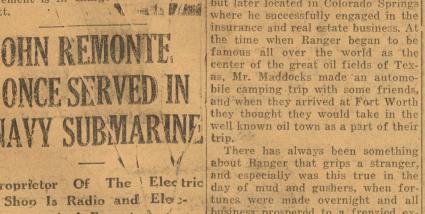
When Mr. Wilson bought the busi-two men first became partners at was operated into Breckenridge from 11, was provided in a concernent reso-There has always been something ness in February of this year, he Electra where Mr | Rippy entered the Ranger. The line was finished July lution introduced by Quinn and Peer.

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trical Expert.

John Remonte is owner and man- mained to pray" so did Mr. Maddocks the Sealy mattress. struction of the new gas system in ager of the Electric Shop, doin; 3 bus- come to look on-and remained to ____ the early days. Heavy gas pressure iness at 206 Pine street. He is an try his fortune in the new city of the wells, six miles away, caused electrical and radio expert. () opportunity. many blowouts. In low places wat- "When I tell persons I have had cr collected in the line, absorbed the 10 years experience in radio they mate, the town, the people," Mr. Griffith, Breckenridge; T. E. Mc- Anderson is an expert chef, and algas, and flowed into the houses, so sometimes look at me as if doubting Maddocks said. "It would be hard to Laughlin, Mineral Wells; J. T. Parke, though he doesn't meet many of the

the submarine division of the United No Gas Shortage.

little trouble with gas. There has try in Europe, he said, except France G. R. Williams, Fort Worth; A. R. been no gas shortage during cold and Germany. He gained some expe- McDermett, Dallas; C. C. Crisler, Chiweather or at meal times, which is rience in radio work while in the cago; Mollie Stackard, Weatherford a better record than many of the navy. After the war he located for Martha Moeton, Weatherford; S. H a little while in Corsicana, but came Shupack, St. Louis; L. V. Scott, Abi A big reason for the fine service to Ranger during the latter part of lene; R. M. Vining, Dublin; A. B. of the company is that it has given 1919, and has been here since. He Duffield, St. Louis; J. M. Hagger a greater pressure than required by is both an electrical contractor, an. Dellas' A. R. Stubbs, Dallas; W. M the franchise. The franchise calls expert in wiring houses for electric-for an eight-ounce pressure, but a ity and installs and repairs radio in-line in the franchise calls expert in wiring houses for electric-conridge; J. A. Walters, Brickenridge W. N. Baker, Abilene; J. H. Meek pressure of 10 ounces or more is struments. maintained, sometimes running as high as 20 ounces. This policy gives a greater amount of heat units for 1,000 feet, if burners are properly adjusted. Mr. Remonte said he knows the radio business from the ground work up and already has been figuring on putting in a broadcasting station at 0. McGurk, Dallas; H. Glaettli, In-Ranger next fall. He is a licensed dependence, Kan.; B. W. Coulter. government operator, so could obtain Wichita Falls; R. E. Tempek, For a permit if he decides to establish Worth; T. T. Hamblen, Fort Worth V. J. Farrott, Fort Worth; F. Redthe station.

the greatest factors in the upbuilding adopted both a cash and credit pol- largest in the county. Its history of the world, the little town sprang HOUSE IS CONSIDERING He came here in June 1919, during

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Such is Thurber.

Nestled in a peaceful, picturesque valley, surrounded by wooded hills-a real little mountain range it is—Thurber has scenery that well might tempt the tourist. But few tourists are attracted to the lovely spot for it is off the main highway. And being as it is, distant and alone, it must meets its own necessities, and make its own diversions. And that is why Thur-

ago, and is populated by employes of the company and their families. The Thurber Brick coal and On company, but the in-company, which is the biggest brick plant in the South, has furnished building material for the town, so that practically all of the substantial business section and beautiful residential the town, when the finished brick are payed with brick. The soda foun-tion the finished brick is placed in the finished brick is placed in the finished brick is placed in the town are the same as the Thurber Brick of Fort Worth, president; Arthur S. section are constructed of brick. The streets and walks are paved with brick. The soda foun- company has. tain in the large, well equipped drug store that is truly in the big city class, is made of brick. The other business houses, all company owned, are constructed of the same material.

The residents of Thurber take a pride in their town. The rolling lawns deed, these many, many trees, and the flowers and little parks and sloping lawns are cool and restful and inviting.

Opportunities to Play. There is a lake, clear and peaceful, inviting for the swimmer and bather. Another lake, well stocked with fish form one of the city's chief diversions.

Then there is a golf course and tenmond in the state. And that ball club! It meets all comers and leaves them "sadder but wiser." The Thurber ball team is said to be the best amateur organization in Texas.

The picture show is another recreation of the town, and frequently there are dances. While once a year the Thurber club gives its annual ball, which is unexcelled by anything save perhaps the governor's inauguration festivities. Guests come from all over the state for this event.

are well kept and dotted with shade trees, flower beds and borders. In-deed, these many, many trees, and **One of the Best Roads in South**

Then there is a golf course and ten-nis court and the best baseball dia-Bankhead Highway Ex-highways would be built. This system ated by electricity generated from highways would be built. This system tending Between Ran-met with the approval of the civic horse power Turbine and two 250 ger, on the East, and leaders in all the towns and the bond horse power water tube boilers. Cisco, on the West, proximately 4 to 1. Made Permanent and With the completion of this road, rig, used for blasting; two steam

the state for this event. The social life in Thurber is as the form the during and after the oil boom. The social life in Thurber is as the form the during and after the oil boom. The social life in Thurber is as the form the during and after the oil boom. The social life in Thurber is as the form the during and after the oil boom. The social life in Thurber is as the form the during and after the oil boom. The social life in Thurber is as the form the during and after the oil boom. The social life in Thurber is as the form the during and after the oil boom. The social life in Thurber is as the form the during and after the oil boom. The social life in Thurber is as the form the during and a helf from the during and a helf from the during the the help busines.

exclusive and elaborate as in any large city. There is competition in dress competition and in entertaining. And many of rapidly pushing its way across the come a real pleasure. The completion weighing as high as 5,000 pounds, are loaded on cars by steam shovels, and eternal. is one of th managers have their social connec- This road is the foirst of its kind ness incentives possible to this sec- and conveyed to the first great crush- it is dumped into large crushers and of these down draft kilns and is put- and toilet articles. The soda found were used, with sufficient asphalt NEW YORK' MARKET SYSTEM in size. These pieces, conveyed by tency. This is known as the stiff mud now is \$550,000. machinery to other crushers, undergo

Thurber Brick Has Attained **Recognition Far and Wide** For Its Superior Quality

One of the Several Industries of the Texas-Pacific Coal and Oil Company, It Has Immense tion of streets, roads and sewers, dust-ness houses and homes. The highway Plant, and Production Is on Enormous Scale. between Ranger and Cisco, recently

The Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil process.

company is the parent company of Put Under Pressure. the Thurber Brick company, which is the organization's largest enterprise. thas a plant valuation of \$550,000 which solidifies it, carried into a uger machines and made into a column, and financed it. It is predicted that this BIG SCALE It has a plant valuation of \$550,000 machines and made into a column, and interest into the shape and is the largest brick company in cut with wire cutters into the shape how as it is today. the south. Indeed, one of the largest of bricks. Six men then load the now as it is today. in the country. Thurber Earthen Products Co.,

It was organized 27 years ago by cars, or electric transfers, and con- according to Mr. Watson. Many years R. D. Hunter, who was then president veyed into the waste heat dry kilns before Christ the method was known. of the T. & P. Coal company, and Jim where they are prepared for the burn- In those early days the bricks were Green, who was president of the La ing kilns.

Creede Fire Brick company of St. Something may be realized of the the sun, but these humble methods Louis. Mr. Green became first presi- efficiency of the plant's employes, were the origin of the perfected pro-

ber, though small, is so complete. The town is owned entirely by the T.-P. Coal and Oil company. It was founded 35 years ago, and is populated by employes of the company and their families. The Thurber Brick

Goetz of Fort Worth, vice president; the kiln to dry. The plant of the Earthen Products Edgar Marston of Fort Worth, secre- Each of these bricks, before firing,

company, better known as the "rock tary and treasurer; W. J. Ochiltree weighs 10 pounds, and when completweighs 10 pounds, and when completwest of Ranger, and cost \$650,000. Watson of Thurber, plant manager. plant has a capacity of 120,000 bricks Capable Executives.

a day. In the hands of these two Thurber The bricks are dried under 350 deexecutives, Mr. Ochiltree and Mr. grees of heat for a period of 36 hours. about 200 acres on the Hagaman Watson, lies the immediate destiny of They are then taken to the burning property. This property, impossible the brick company. The former is kilns where they are held for 10 days salesman-the man who convinces at a heat ranging from 350 to 2,300 county officials and school boards and degrees. These kilns are filled with

individuals of the superior value of the brick and the door is sealed up. H. G. Jones, Its Manager, Ex-Thurber brick, the lasting qualities, The firing process is then begun. Gas, The plant has a capacity of 2,000 the ultimate economy in building of produced by the company, is used for ons a day. It is equipped with ma- this splendid material. And the lat- the firing and the "down draft" methter, Mr. Watson, is responsible for cd is used. the production of brick that will prove

Heat Is Intense. all of Mn Ochiltree's claims. The It takes several days to get the two men are the highest type of busi- heat up to the required 2,300 degrees, founded in 1920 by H. G. Harmon

ness men and citizens, convincingly and then for several days longer these of Fort Worth, who remodeled the minature infernos of living fire glow issue carried by a majority of ap- Other equipment includes a loco-times courteous to a most gratifying with terrifying intensity. The bricks building opposite the railway station are so hot they seem to be trans- and converted it into a firsts class

Their duty it is to show visitors parant and are a color lighter than pharmacy. through their large and interesting flame-almost an orange. In the litability of Smith Brothers, Eastland on dump cars; three locomotives, one plant at Thurber where a representa- the peep holes provided in the sealed H. G. Jones, who has both capable county has emerged from much hard- a 50 ton, and two 20 tons, and a pri- tive of The Ranger Daily Times was doors one has a fleeting view into ship occasioned by the awful condi- vate railroad switch which delivers introduced to the intricate process of what seems great, live depths, depths and popular and has built up a large of solid heat greater than flames, clientele for the store, manufacturing brick.

er, which clamps its powerful steel reduced te dust. It is then run over ting in new ones. A new plant unit tain is one of the popular places of jaws on the boulders and within two a screen with an eighth mesh and is also being added at a cost of \$50,- the town. minutes time reduces the 7 1-2 tons conveyed to the pug mill where it is 000, to meet the increased demand for The greatest care is given to all CONDEMNED AS ANTIQUATED of rock to pieces three or four inches mixed with water to a mud consis- Thurber brick. The plant valuation prescription work and the service is

The brick is used for the constru completed, is built of Thurber brick, the first read of its kind in the south Seven million bricks were used in the building of this road, and it is said to It is then put under heavy pressure be the only kind of road destined to

bricks from the off-bearing table into Brick making is an ancient process. fired with burning straw or dried in

perienced and Popular, Builds Large Trade.

The management is in the hands of

Mr. Jones is a registered pharma-

The Harmon Drug Store carries a large and complete line of drugs and

3 now highly remunerative. **Daily Capacity**

was agreed that a specific system of vestment, and all machinery is oper-

which stands as a monument to the used in the quarry for loading rocks

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Here the company quarries the limestone rock from a great ledge of rock 22 feet high and covering luctive, practically worthless in fact.

chinery representing an immense in-

motive crane; a No. 3 Clipper drilling degree.

a similar process, until when finally

This road is the first of its kind tion of the roads through the county their products to the mainline.

the wives of company officials and enville.

Churches for All.

Catholic, Episcopal, Methodist, Bap- will outlive the bonds that pay for tist, Presbyterian, and other branches it. It has a smoothness and solidity

plant. The T.-P. Mercantile and ing the Bankhead highway through the port of New York.

crating plants or smoke house, and good road bonds on September 28,

"a hardsome suite of offices," or a president; Edgar J. Marston, vice whole floor of a well known building president and treasurer; Herman W. -cr even own the building entire- Knox, secretary; R. S. King, vice the T. & P. Coal and Oil company has president in charge of operations and a whole city and extensive surround- manager at Thurber. ing territory for its general head- The local office, under Mr. King's, guarters.

It was the T. P. Coal and Oil com- with handsome light oak desks and pany which opened up the great East- chairs, humming with typewriters land county oil fields. After the ter- adding machines and other modern ritory had been condemned by emi- equipment, the large main office with nent geologists. And the result was its busy clerical force might well be the McClesky well. The McClesky recognized as the general office of a well and the great, frenzied period of \$10,000,000 concern. This office is porduction which resulted in millions surrounded by many private offices. upon millions of barrels of oil.

It was following this great period proached, as really big men always of production that the T. P. Coal and are, is an executive who has long since Oil company was capitalized for \$10,- demonstrated his ability. Stored p00,000

The company's oil production in the business he represents. Sound in this district is now 10,000 barrels a judgment, efficient in work, gracious day. In Oklahoma it is 2,000 barrels, in manner, he is all that one would and in Arkansas, 1,500. The company is absolutely inde-pendent and is the largest individual find him mingling with his associates producer in the field. They manu- on the golf course. In the grandstand

10,000 gallons a day, through their ber team. two plants, one in Stephens county, Thurber is the seat of coal opera-west of Caddo, and one in the south-tions for the company, which is the east part of Pala Pinto county. | only producer of bituminous coal in tem and a refinery of 5,000 barrels 35 years, and was known as the Tex-a day capacity. Brite State St

tions in Ranger, Eastland and Steph- in the south. It is constructed of tion. Thurber brick of which 7,000,000

Enduring.

over the top to fill the crevices. The Churches of every denomination- road is said to be the only kind that

Thus it will be seen that while many Coal and Oil company are in Fort companies operate from an office, or Worth. The officers are J. R. Penn,

direction, employes 75. Furnished | Mr. King, a big man easily ap-

away in his mind are the many de-

Daily Oil Production. tails, the tremendous requirements of expect a man in his position to be.

facture casing head gasoline, about he is the loudest rooter for the Thur-

They have their own pipe line sys- Texas. It has been producing coal for

The executive offices of the T. P. discovery of oil,

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 7.—A finicky screened it has been reduced to pieces -are all represented with resident pastore. The schools are affiliated grades, wide curves and shortened are the principal reasons why New down to the finest powder. These

and equip the graduates for entrance in all colleges or preparatory schools. The road was constructed by Smith Internet the principal reasons why free screenings total 18 different sizes. Quick Time Made. The town owns its own water and Bros., general contractors of Dallas farmer gets for them, says a report It is perhaps 10 minutes from the sewerage system, its electric light and power, its ice and refrigerating has been expended lavishly in mak-the department of agriculture and til they are reduced to their finest form, and screened into powder, and Manufacturing company, managed by Mr. Ed. S. Britton general manager during road. A total of \$718.090 from 000 carloads of the stuff each year speed with which this work is done, for the T.-P. Coal company, operates these sources, with an equal amount to satisfy the hungers of the city's through the efficiency of modern mathe stores and sundry interests in from the county, has been expended 8,000,000 persons, and all of it, as chinery is little short of appalling. and about the city, including the under supervision by a contracting the first step in distribution from rail Thirty-five cars are loaded in a day. ranching business. The company has a herd of 5,000 high grade Hereford cattle, one of the largest and finest herds in the state. The cattle are slaughtered in Thurber, put in the company's refrig-trating plants or, smoke house, and the company has a herd of 5,000 the largest and finest herds in the state. The cattle are slaughtered in the company's refrig-trating plants or, smoke house, and the trating plants or the company's refrig-trating plants or trating plants jobbers of the city insist on seeing pany's market extends over Texas, sold through the company's markets. 1919, after an educational campaign tables, and on comparing rival's Arkansas all the newly arrived fruit and vege- Louisiana, New Mexico and part of

These herds roam the ranges, green of several months, during which it and shady, over 70,000 acres, the vast of several months, during which it attempts to break the dominance of ple and has a daily payroll of \$200 the Central market have failed. or more.

> H. O. WOOTEN, President W. G. SWENSON, Secy.-Treas. L. A. VANDERVOORT, Vice-pres. and **General Manager**

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MAGNOLIA PETROLEUM COMPANY GATHERS OIL FROM LARGE AREA INTO STORAGE TANKS AT OLDEN

Handles 8,000 Barrels of Oil Daily; Operates Also Five Gasoline Plants and Is Now Building Carbon Black Factory; Has Complete been located in Olden just off the Mr. Meyer thinks there is no- place, reasonable factory sites, abun-Camps, Shops and Equipment.

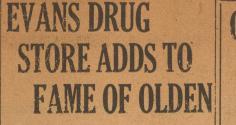
The Magnolia Petroleum company of 10,000 gallons daily. established its Olden camp in 1918 The company is erecting a carbon Everett, a prominent Olden business able property values and low taxaand has since been the big source of black factory in Stephens county man, who recently formel a partnerincome to the little oil city that is which will use 4,000,000 feet of gas ship with Mr. Evans in the drug busibetween Ranger and Eastland. a day, and a similar one will be erect-ed at Olden.

The payroll of the company, to-gether with the travelers over the recently completed paved road run-ning through Eastland county, afford Olden its principal revenue.

two and a half million barrels of as far as South America and China. Ranger crude in storage at Olden C. L. Lindsey is in charge. Since he was a youngster. Liking the drug busines and has a pipe line that gathers crude The local payroll of the company fession, he started in a little western extending from Stephens and East- is about \$32,000 a month, and in- town in Brown county, Texas. But land counties to Corsicana where it cludes 200 names. At Breckenridge three years ago he was attracted by reaches the main line. This line han- there are about 250 employes. dles about 8,000 barrels a day.

graph system from Breckenridge to the prides of the community. There justify his expansion, and that is why Dallas and all the oil fields in the is also a successful ball team. state of Oklahoma. The company has a complete camp at Breckenridge holdings in Eastland and Stephens Mr Evens will take complete of about 30 homes, and the one at counties and has 44 producing and of the prescription department and Olden has 60 homes. The water two drilling wells in Eastland county. system which supplies all the equip- The company has a fleet of 20 trucks. Will manage all of the drug department with water is from the Leon All business of the Magnolia Petroleum company in West Texas is

the Ranger field is 600 barrels. The McGarvey is manager of the pipe line company has two gasoline plants with department; William Ray of the gasa daily average of about 15,000 gal- oline department and Charles L. dies, toilet goods and cosmetics will three gasoline plants with an average ment.



Business Grows Fast in Three Years; Soon to Occupy New Building.

The Evans Drug Store, which has den.

The building is owned by C. H. Mr. Evans is the only registered

each town and there is no reason, he isfactory." er for the camp. Drilling tools are been connected with the drug busi-The Magnolia company now has made in the shop, which are shipped ness for a period of forty years, ever

Liking the drug business as a prothe Eastland county oil boom and The camp has a boarding house chose Olden as his location. He has The camp has a phone and tele- that is strictly first class and one of enjoyed a busines sufficiently good to

he has become connected with Mr. there for what rent would have cost Mr. Evans will take complete charge

The average daily production in done out of the Olden office. John the prescription work the prescription work. A nice and complete stock of can-

lons and at Breckenridge there are Gladden of the producing depart- also be made, and in the near future store into a large, well-lighted build-

the store will undergo several changes ing on the highway, a building which and improvements. no one else wanted at the time. It The confectionary and fountain will is 50x60 feet, and the entire front be in charge of Mrs. Everett and two is of glass.

sons, who are well known and popu-Here he carries a large and comlar Olden people. Mr. Everett has plete stock of staple and fancy grobeen in the grocery business since ceries, smoked and fresh meats, and the boom days until recently, when his business has now developed into he sold out. He is considered one of the largest in the town. He has many the outstanding business and financial customers in Ranger, Eastland, Pleas men of the town. He is always ac- ant Grove and on the Flanhandle

Very few, if any, stores in the county carry the lines that he carries, such as powdered milk, frequently used in hospitals, fancy canned vegetables in glass containers, and the King dehydrated fruits and vegbeen financially associated with Mr. etables. Evans, his father-in-law, in the drug

own, for I had nothing when I came here—and I still have the same



nen and consistent town boosters, "But I figure I have possibilities mer Garden for Pleasure but in few places will one find a man as enthusiastic over the town of his adoption as George Meyer of Olof Auto Parties. good schools as could be found any

Dr. Barker will open an attractive good he permanently established himof work in either town, shouldn't have their homes in Olden. Mr. Meyers is quite a town per-sonage. He formerly was a show man, and has acquired a drall homes.

ingly cool and comfortable and will afford a nice resting place for tourists between the towns of the county. Dr. Barker has an experienced soft drink dispenser, and will install a nice

THREE

new fountain in his new location. The stock of drugs will be large and complete, as well as cosmetics, toilet articles, and other features of he drug business.

Dr. Barker came to Olden in Feb-Other cities have public spirited amount." he said with a dry smile. Dr. H. M. Barker Plans Sum- ruary, 1920, when the town was being built. There were no highways then-just mudholes in which trucks and automobiles were constantly mired. He was the third doctor in the

main highway for the last three years, where else in the world a city of dant fuel, railroad facilities, and liv- managed by Dr. H. M. Barker, will climate and the people, and decided will be moved to its new location in such desirable qualities as Olden has. ing expenses down to the minimum, be in its newly erected building on to stay with them during the hard a fine two-story building on the high-way on or about June 20. The building is owned by C. H. Built on the highway across the coun-ty, possessed of a delightful climate, high altitude and good water, reasonis destined to become the residential district of both Ranger and East-land. It is about 15 minutes from the form the state of the sta Considering the prospects at Olden

tal No. 15, less than three miles behind the lines. He went in as a second lieutenant and came back a captain.

The summer garden will be invit- He is a member of the Masonic order.



CENTRAL DRUG STORE in its new building on the Bankhead Highway.

SUMMER GARDEN

—just the place to stop for refreshment's as you are driving by.

An invitation is extended to Ranger, Eastland, Cisco and Olden.

Dr. Barker, Manager.

OLDEN, TEXAS

HORNER'S STORE MISS ALLMAN **PROVES POPULAR TRADING PLACE**

Among Olden's Best Known Residents.

The dry goods store owned and managed by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hor-ner at Olden is one of the town's mer at Olden is one of the town's most popular trading places. This is probably because Mr. and Mrs. Hor-Langlitz. Miss Allman was born and Carrying a complete line of staple residents.

OWNS OLDEN'S CASH GROCERY Mr. and Mrs. Jack Horner Are Buys Store, Develops Business

Ability and Is Achieving Success.

business. The dry goods store owned and The Cash Grocery Store of Olden is _____

ner are among Olden's most popular reared in Eastland county, and comes and fancy groceries Miss Allman has from a prominent family. Her father, built up a splendid business. Mr. Horner was born in Arkansas C. Allman, has a producing well and Langlitz is in the insurance business 36 years ago, and educated as a mining and civil engineer, gaining most was a well known resident of Olden other ways besides the grocery which

tively engaged in every enterprise lease. intended for the betterment of Olden. J. C. Van Bebber, a local oil man, now engaged in drilling a well in Callahan county, and who also has a producing gas well, has for some time

Wind in

"I may not have made much of a success, but I have at least held my

man, and has acquired a droll humor, a broad outlook on life and a toler-tainment user arriers and their fam-ilies attended. Program and enter-tainment user arriers will be served, as well tainment was supervised by local as near-beer and watermelon. ance which only travel and experipostal officials.

ence can bring. Coming to Olden four years ago he entered in the fruit and vegetable business in a little stand where he met with immediate success. He chose Olden because he could buy a lot

in Ranger. Today he has the oldest business in Olden. Others came and went, before and after the boom, but Mr. ment of the business. A large and Myers was the only one to stick it out complete stock of drugs will be car- when business looked bad, and his

the things which held the town together. Three years ago he moved his

of his education through practical experience.

where he made contour maps.

for three years.

During this time he saw the possibilities of Olden for a dry goods business to take care of the needs of Magnolia employes and other residents of the town, so he established his store six months ago. The success of his business so far has proved his good judgment.

The store carries a line of ready made dresses, millinery, hats and caps, shoes, work clothing, gloves and notions.

Before entering this business Mrs. Horner for three and a half years conducted a millinery and dress making parlor in Olden.

They are both enthusiastic over the future possibilities of Olden, both from a residential and manufacturing standpoint, and are among the town's most enthusiastic boosters.

FLASHES

TEXARKANA.-The new \$7,500 Masonic home here has been dedicated. M. H. Thomas, Dallas, grand master of Texas, presided at the ceremonies. Grand Master J. O. Wolf, of Arkansas, was one of the principal speakers.

STAMFORD. - Stamford business men have started a novel campaign. The purpose is to have new roofs and awnings installed in the business section. The campaign is being directed by the Young Men's Business league.

DECATUR .--- June 7 has been designated as clean up day in Decatur by the Chamber of Commerce. The day will be devoted to the eradication of weeds and mosquito and fly breeding places.

DALLAS.-The historic Santa Fe station at Commerce and Murphy streets will soon be razed, it has been announced. The station will give way to a \$5,000,000 terminal warehouse. 'The building at one time was considered one of the finest of its kind in the entire South.

WACO .- A total of 189 high school students were graduated from the Waco high school this year. This is one of the largest classes in the history of Waco.

Switch, as the town was then known. is now so capably managed. Miss Allman has never had any

For ten years he was a mining and previous business experience, but she HILLSBORO .- Establishment of a civil engineer in the zinc fields of showed herself highly adaptable to the junior college in connection with the Oklahoma, and later went to Houston requirements of business when she public school system of Hillsboro is where he made contour maps. He came to Olden for the Mag-big control of the Cash Store on the highway. The State of Commerce also is nolic company as acetylene welder in May, 1919, and remained with them for three years.

> CASH **GROCERY STORE OLDEN, TEXAS**

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Miss Allman, Manager



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Ranger Has a History That Is Crowded With Eventful Experience Within Few Years

City's Growth Divided Into Two Periods, One Goad Motor Co. Dating From Early Days When Rangers Camp. ed Here and the Other Since Discovery of Oil. Pioneers of Both Eras Builded Better Than They Knew.

It is not often that the "history" city commission was probably one of of a town is written before it is the greatest in the history of modtwenty-five or more years old. El ern man. When the load was the Paso recently celebrated its golden heaviest and uninformed citizens jubilee, and Texarkana in the fall were condemning the commission for will arrive at the "ripe old age" of the seemingly slow progress it had in paving streets, lifting the town fifty.

But the history of Ranger has been out of the mud and preventing crime so crowded with events, so rich in ex- waves, the body was doing its utmost perience, that the town has crowded They were working against the odds a lifetime into the few short years of of the government's restriction on purchases of materials, the railroad's its existence as a city. True, as a country trading place ironclad embargo, the great wave of

with a population of 600, Ranger has criminals flowing in in overwhelmthrough in the early 80's. But the ficulties.

From mediocrity to a place in the nals of modern fact or fiction. sun, or at least in the spot light, was the over-night jump which Ran- Pioneer Dealer ger made, and the little village suddenly found itself thrust into the position of a city, with neither the experience nor the equipment to cope with its new requirements.

Many types of people flocked into the over-crowded town. Some were the adventurers with no thought other than turning a pretty penny. Their the penny types of people flocked into the people flocked inthe people flocked into the people flocked into the peop slogan was: "Get money. Get it here in December, 1918, just when the town was incorporated. honestly if you can, but get it."

Then there was the rougher type. Before coming to Ranger Mr. Rat-The thug, the stick-up artist, the bad liff lived in San Angelo, where he man of the movies, the killer. Shoot- was in business, but being attracted ing scrapes were as popular on the by Ranger's wonderful opportunities downtown streets as in the road lead- he located here just when the boom ing to Eastland Hill where drilling was at its height. He started in a little grocery store right in the heart was at its frenzied height

of the drilling activities, and later Comes the Real Citizen. And then the third type that came went into the feed business, which he along with the bad guy and the spec- has followed ever since. ulator, was the staunch, substantial, In addition to grain and hay, Mr. earnest business man who cast his lot Ratliff also carries poultry and dairy with Ranger during fair weather and feeds, and he handles exclusively the foul, becoming a permanent fixture popular line of Conkey's Poultry feeds in the final development and building and remedies

of a city, This man made his investments in business, drawing from a big surmerchandise and property; in the rounding territory. He has always automobile business or manufactur- been a consistent booster for Ranger ing plant. He came to practice law and thinks the town's future will be and medicine. He drained the streets as good as its past has been. and put down paving, laid water

mains and stretched electric wires ~I · He erected hotels and office build-



W. L. McGinley, Local any other cars. Which has caused stores between Fort Worth and El Paso. In appearance it is unusually Manager, Says Ran- equipment. "Our sales on Cadillacs have ma- tically decorated. The interior is

Sales.

biles for nearly twelve years. The Ranger house is capably man- far." aged by W. L. McGinley, formerly of

Wichita Falls and Mineral Wells. He The Mission public library has ac- piece dresses in the season's latest was connected with the Wichita Falls quired new headquarters in the Mis- styles and materials, especially the Motor Truck factory for two years sion city hall. A celebration for the popular ratines. The coat suits and

for two and a half years. He also was employed at the Overland factory at Toledo, Ohio.

After going to Mineral Wells, Mr. McGinley was in the automobile business for himself four years before becoming connected with Mr. Goad when the local company was opened. "We have found it necessary to in-

crease parts till a complete line is carried in our stocks," Mr. Mc Ginley said. "We have recently taken

over the Buick and Cadillac companies at Eastland and Cisco as branches of the Ranger house. "We have the regular equipment of practically all the larger oil com

panies. Some of the big ones stand ardizing on Buicks are the Prairie Mid-Kansas, Sinclair, and T. & I Coal and Oil companies.

"All of these companies have purchased autos on the cost-per-mile basis and al advise that they are operating Buicks on less money than



JULIANNA SHOP RANKS AMONG **BEST LADIES READY TO WEAR STORES IN ALL WEST TEXAS**

Eunice Innes Know How to ments of discriminating Ranger wo- ments, at the same time maintaining Please Customers.

The Julianna Shop, adjoining the Sholson Hotel, is owned and managed y Misses Bennetta Overlie and Eunce Innis, formerly of Montana but now permanently located in Ranger. The two young women are of deidedly striking and pleasing person-

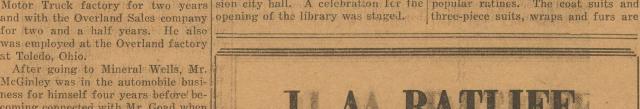
The Julianna Shop is one of the most exclusive ladies' ready-to-wear

ger House Leads In terially increased since we came over finished in French blue and gray here. In the past we have been handi- with ivory-tinted walls. The window capped on delivery of cars, but from and show cases are large and well arnow on we expect to make good de- ranged,

livery on any model. The shop carries a line of high class The Goad Motor company of Min- "The Buick company now has an millinery, featuring the Gage and oth eral Wells, Ranger and Breckenridge output of 875 cars a day, and the er exclusive modles of effective spring been here since the railroad came ing numbers, and countless other dif-

years, but has had the local branch third place among all the standard colors; some in the sports models for through in the early 80's. But the train—at least the fast train—didn't stop except on signal, for Ranger was listed on the railroad guides as a flag station. through in the early 80's. But the ficulties. The history of Ranger's early municipal handicaps is one of the most edifying chronicles in the an-Wells his headquarters, has been we expect to work the entire county The selection is sufficiently large and handling Buick and Cadillac automo- out of Ranger. We haven't found the attractive to suit the most exacting drop in oil effecting our business so tastes.

Another feature of the shop's oiferings are the beautiful lines of one-





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Remedies

Many novelties, earrings, bracelets, purses, handkerchiefs, and so forth, are found in pleasing styles and large selections. There are also beautiful displays in silk underwear and Gordon hose.

During the big boom days the shop featured nothing but high priced merchandise, but since the popular demand has swung more to economy han to extravagance, the Misses Overlie and Innis have successfully fea-Miss Bennetta Overlie and Miss all especially adaptable to the require- tured reasonable prices in their gartheir usual high qualities.

Confidence In Your Druggist

Is as important as confidence in your doctor in times of sickness.

Our pharmacy specializes in prescription work

OUR FOUNTAIN

Meets the demands of summertime thirst and



Meet the demands of the most discriminating lady.

It is our pleasure to serve. You will find us courteous, prompt an dsatisfactory.



Grain and Hay **Is For Ranger**

ings, established banks, financed schools and churches. It was the man who came to stay that Ranger has to thank for her splendid equipment now.

Ranger Is Incorporated. It was on Dec. 4, 1918, that the rapidly growing oil town was incorporated. An election was held to

Within two weeks an election was held for mayor, and M. H. Hagaman became the city's chief executive. The board of aldermen consisted of A. Davenport, E. N. Dorsey, M. R. Newnham and D. G. Deffenbach.

Before the incorporation of Range the town was policed by rangers and the sheriff of Eastland county. Hygiene and sanitation were looked after by federal and state health bureaus at the expense of the Chamber of Commerce and public-spirited citizens.

The new officials, as soon as they had taken office, found themselves faced with the proposition of running a city that had no funds or credit, and no supporting organization except the Chamber of Commerce.

They were, however, undaunted by the situation. Many a night sessions were held for discussion of the future city government. A charter was drafted and adopted by a vote of the people and filed at Austin and the first fiscal year of the incorporated city began on Feb. 15, 1919.

A loan of \$60,000 was negotiated and underwritten by a group of enterprising and wealthy citizens. Salaries were kept low and rigid economy was practiced.

Bond Issue Voted The valuation of city property was placed at \$13,000,000 with a bonding limit of \$3,000,000. The first bond issue of \$750,000 was announced and carried for the financing of officials, police, schools, fire department, paving and numerous other things

Of this sum \$40,000 was set aside here which had been thrown up hur- sult is called dis-ease. riedly and the great amount of in-

riedly and the great amount of in-flammables in the city limit made the fire hazard extremely high. Of the bond issue, \$50,000 was set aside for a sewerage system; \$350,000 for funding purposes; \$80,-000 for a city hall, and \$265,000 for paving. From subsequent bond is-sues a total of \$175,000 was spent on the sewerage system within the first the sewerage system within the first two years of Ranger's history. It is one of the most complete in the state and its early completion probably pre-

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"POWER WITHIN" determine the matter and the vote carried, 366 to 8. Within two works on election was Your Arm

> There is a "power within" the body that mends the broken bone.

If you lacerate the flesh, there is a "power within" that heals the wound.

What is true of a broken bone or of a flesh wound, is also true of burns, scalds and bruises.

Chiropractic teaches that this "power within" is the only power on earth that heals, cures, or mends, and that what that power cannot or will not heal, cure or mend, is beyond the power of anything on earth.

Chicopractic teaches that the power within moves the body, regulates the heat of the body, converts common food into living flesh and blood, develops the body from a single cell to an adult organism and

for the fire department, which was It teaches that this power performs these physical functions one of the most important features of the early days of Ranger. There were numerous wooden structures here is impaired the impulses are interfered with and the re-



reproduces the species.

thermos bottles and other aids to travelers GOLF, TENNIS AND

BASEBALLS, **RACKETS and BATS**



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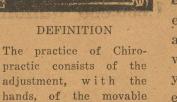
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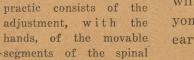
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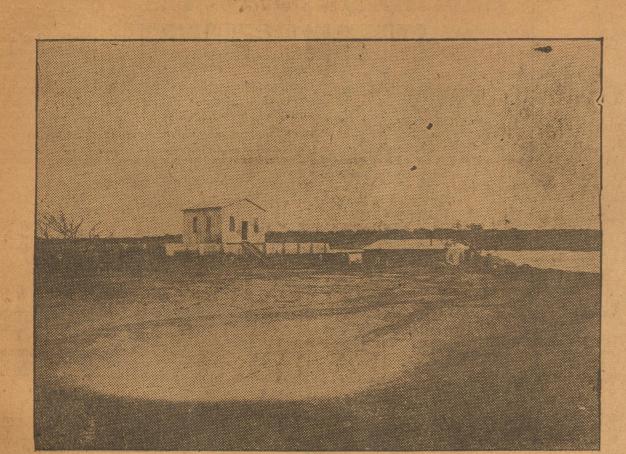


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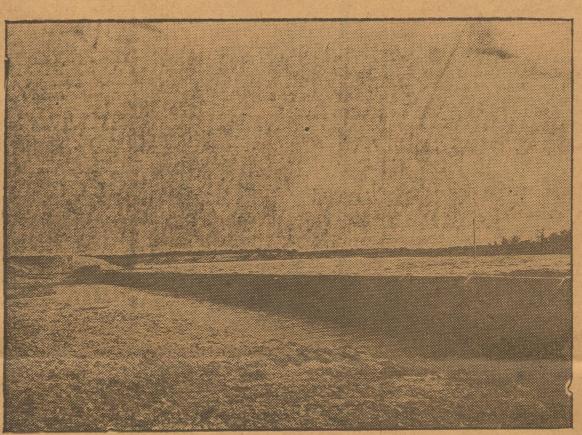
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PUMP HOUSE AND SETTLING BASINS



VIEW OF LAKE FROM DAM



VIEW OF SPILLWAY

THE LAKE

Ranger is fortunate in having located within two miles of the center of the city a lake which contains enough water to care for the city's needs for a period of two years, at the present rate of consumption. The lake is an artificial body of water made by damming Palo Pinto creek. It covers an area of 125 acres. It is one and three-quarters miles long, with an average width of 300 yards, with a depth at the dam of 45 feet. Work on raising the dam three feet has already started, which will increase the capacity of the lake approximately 50 per cent.

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The Pump-House and Purification System

The Pump House is of fireproff construction with a pumping capacity of 1,000,000 gallons daily. The installation is in duplicate units, which at all times insures a steady flow of water to the city. The Settling Basins, for clarifying the water, are of 1,000,000 gallons daily capacity.

The Distribution System

The company now has 17 miles of mains laid, which serve all business parts of the city and all residence sections. Fire plugs are well distributed and the city is amply protected from a fire standpoint. The pressure carried is as

high as any city in the state. The Standpipe, which acts as a pressure equalizer, contains several hours' supply, which insures the city in the case of a break in any of the lines feeding the city.

A MOST CORDIAL INVITATION IS EXTENDED TO ALL TO VISIT HAGAMAN LAKE

RANGER WATERWORKS

RANGER, TEXAS

Plumbing Business That Is Founded on Personal Standing of Its Owner

crippled boy climbed to the top of the

William N. McDonald Comes to Ranger Just Out tree within a few inches of the wire. On account of the heavy voltage, he of Army and Builds Up Establishment that Will did not touch the child's body with his Compare Favorably with Any In His Line, Any- hands until after he had free him from the wire. This Birch managed where. to do by taking off his vest which had

large armholes in it, throwing it over one of the child's legs and then jerk-

William N. McDonald, who ranks Mass. He entered the plumbing and ing him from the wire. The scout foremost among Ranger's most splen- heating business and learned the trade caught the little fellow in his arms, did and prominent young business peo- where real plumbers are made, for then brought him down and carried ple, astablished a plumbing shop here such is the reputation of Boston. him to his home.

By United Press.

about six months.

He then established a shop of his of her marriage. little plumbing shop remained.

Being a true son of Erin, however, help for the betterment of the city. his undaunted fighting spirit urged him on toward success in life, in spite of his difficulities so he onened a BOY SCOUTS PROVE of his difficulities, so he opened a new shop in the DeGroff building, and one week after the fire he married a young lady from Waco and they settled down in Ranger.

About six months later, Mr. Mc-Donald bought the R. D. Lincol:

Plumbing Shop at 203 S. Austin street two years more. Later he established scouting's honor call by the recent ment was given him. his office at 115 N. Austin, where he action of the National Court of

at all times, according to Mr. Mc- saving of human life. losses had to be taken. But, still able slowly home after school, when, his faith in Ranger.

about four years ago during the won- At the first sound of war he en- Alone in the woods with his father, der days of Ranger-the boom days. tered the service and remained the who had swooned from loss of blood He, like many others, had heard of full duration of war in the motor Ranger and decided to visit the great transport department. After his dis-Tenderfoot Scout George McMurray city, gifted with liquid gold. He met charge he came to Ranger where he of Sioux City, Iowa, arose to the a great many boys who, like himself, has since served his city as faithfully emergency and saved his parent's life. were just out of the army and came as he formerly served his country. The father and son were saying lum-

to Ranger because so much had been heard about the boom. After a week or so looking over the oil fields he accepted a plumbing job which was offered him. He was made foreman of the R D Lincoln made foreman of the R. D. Lincoln er became associated with Drs. coat, applied it as a torniquet and Plumbing shop where he remained for Shackelford and May in Ranger, stopped the hemorrhage. The lad where she was located at the time then signaled for aid and helped carry

own on Pine street in the "Old Mr. McDonald has always been an Griswold Bouteiller and Scout Wilchurch." This place burned a few active worker in Ranger. a live mem-months later during the second big ber of the Rotary club, Chamber of company with Eric Lindquist, were fire in Ranger. With everything lost in the fire and not a dollar of insurance only a sweet memory of the Knights of Columbus. He has grown went in. Howell and Lindquist imwith Ranger and is always ready to mediately went to the rescue. The

ice was too thin to hold them both, so Howell lay on his stomach at the edge, while Lindquist held his feet.

Howell extended the hockey stick to WORTHY AND NAMES ARE the drowning boy. In the mist of their efforts the rescuers felt them-PLACED ON HONOR ROLL selves slipping. They dug their skates into the ice to hold them. After a

supreme effort they got Bouteiller to the surface, and helped him to a

NEW YORK, May 23.-The names where he continued his business for of 21 boy scout heroes were added to house nearby where first aid treat-

is now located, and carries a full line Honor, Boy Scouts of America, in Dallas, student in Rice Institute here, of fixtures and plumbing goods with awarding these lads a special letter claims to have established a record the best of skilled labor in his shop. Business has shown a steady growth ence of mind, and preparedness in the burzar's office for 19 hours, waiting to be assigned a room in the Rice

Donald. Of course he, like the other Ranger business men, suffered dur-Texas, who is suffering with tuber-first choice of rooms and was first in ing the dull days and many great culosis of a leg bone, was walking line when selections' were made.

to weather the storm, he remained attention attracted by a scream from The Dallas public library recently and tried to help others hold their a tree nearby, he was confronted with observed Boys' Book week, library a small boy high up in the branches officials urged every boy to read Mr. McDonald was born in Boston, hanging to an electric wire. The least one recommended book.



"Real Service Economy and Dependability, Such as Buick provides, are the determining factors in an auto purchase for me.

This expression from a Buick owner reveals the fundamental reasons for the enviable position Buick has won in public regard and for the continued popularity of any motor car that bears the Buick emblem.

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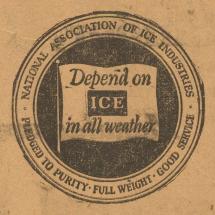
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SOUTHERN ICE & UTILITIES COMPANY Phone 389 Gus L. Coleman, Manager



FOUR

Ranger Garage Founded on Strict Business Principles, **Experienced** Man Manager

J. H. Beasley, Long Associated With Business SPLENDID TRADE Leader Who Has Corfidence in His Ability, Becomes a Leader in His Line. Is One of the Valued Builders of Ranger.

The Ranger Garage company, which sale and retail business. The White is owned by J. H. Beasley of Ranger, truck is standardized by larger oil and W. J. Fulwiler of Abilene, was companies as their equipment. The J. S. Raborn and His Daughter. built in 1917 by Miller Brothers, who Prairie Oil & Gas company has just sold 'out to A. Davenport and asso- showed its belief by the purchase of ciates, in 1918. In July, 1919, it be- a fleet of 19 trucks. We find busicame the property of the present own- ness wholly satisfactory in every way.

Mr. Beasley has for fifteen years In addition to running the Ranger been connected in business enterprises Garage, Mr. Beasley also runs the with Mr. Fulwiler, who is widely Star Electric company in Abilene, known as one of the most successful where he spends two days a week. and prominent business men of Abi- Starting his business career as a lene. Mr. Beasley has the distinction newsboy in his childhood he has alof being one of the few men in this ways been before the public, and part of the country who was not born therefore has developed a personality Raborn and daughter, Mrs. F. R on a farm, nor brought up on one. most desirable for business purposes. He is a native of Abilene and received He is approachable and likeable, and his education in the grade and high has the ability to make strong, perschools of that city. He then took a manent friendships as well as ready correspondence course in electrical acquaintance. He backs up his conengineering and got his first position fidence in Ranger by being a consist- company has one of the most attracwith the Fulwiler Electric company. ant booster, not only vocally but fin-In 1918 Mr. Beasley entered the ancially. His is the type of character well lighted and the stocks are comarmy in the aviation department, and upon which cities, as well as busi- plete and well arranged. at the close of the war he returned nesses, are built. He is a Mason and One of the especial features of the to Abilene for thre months, and then member of the Shrine and Lions, his stock is the equipment for summer came to Ranger which was then at hobby is baseball, his recreation, golf, vacations, touristss, etc. Guns for the the hight of the booh. For sceveral and his family consists of a wife and hunter, fishing tackle for the anglen

months he operated a small store on son. Pine street until the Ranger Garage

The company is agent for the Good- for reservations to accompany the year and Kelly Springfield tires and here the local sharehor of commance stocks is the camping equipment. This tubes, Dodge Bros. motor vehicles, White trucks, and a complete line of springs, bearings, and general acces-sories for all makes of cors. A serve sories for all makes of cers. A serv-

ice department is conducted with the garage, handled on a flat rate sysat a time

The business occupies a large build- partment. The course will begin on ney ing 100x120 feet and employs eleven June 11. Teachers from Tarrant, Lawn mowers and garden tools, ico persons. "From our standpoint, business has tend.

and accessories. We conduct a whole- concerts this summer.

been exceptionally good," Mr. Beas-

BUILT UP BY CLARK HWD. CO

Mrs. F. R. Clark, Know How to Please Hunters and Campers and to provide for Summer Sports; Their Line of Hardware and Accessories Is of the Finest.

The Clark Hardware company at 118 South Austin street is new in name and location, but in management it is one of the oldest hardware con Clark, formerly were connected with the Davenport Hardware company, which recently burned out.

In the Austin street location the

balls and bats for the local Babe Ruths, golf balls and tennis outfits, was bought out and the two stores FORT WORTH .- More than 100 are all included in their offerings

Fort Worth business men have asked for outdoor sports. Another attractive feature of the

a small space one wouldn't be at all ARLINGTON .--- Plans for a sum- in the way in an auto. Thermos botmer normal school at Grubbs Voca- tles, luncheon kits, and other similar tem. Sixty cars can be accommodated tional college here have been ap- features are attracting the attention proved by the state educational de- of folks contemplating an auto jour

> toasters and waffle irons, silver, glass ware, china, cuttlery are all included

ley said. "It is my belief, as well as SHERMAN .- A singing parrot is in the nice, new, complete stocks of Mr. Fulwiler's, that Ranger is not on the novelty claimed by the Sherman the Clark Hardware company. a downgrade, but is holding its own municipal band. The parrot, band Mrs. Clark and Mr. Raborn both better than any town that we have officials report, has been taught to rank among the most substantial and any connection with. Out stock will carry tunes played by the band. The public spirited citizens of Ranger, the run around \$56,000, including cars bird will be exhibited during band type of people who become the real

Dallas and Johnson counties will at cream freezers, electric percolators,

town-builders of any community.

Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth Railroad

"Your Home Road"

The General Offices and Shops of this road are located in Ranger.

During April there were carried on pay roll of the Company 77 employes who live in Ranger, and spend their money with Ranger merchants. These employes drew \$10,331.62 in salary and wages for the month.

Why not live up to the slogan "Buy It in Ranger" by buying transportation on your freight shipments from "YOUR HOME ROAD?

Hagaman Refining Corp. **Ranger**, Texas

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HOME MADE PRODUCTS

Southern Ice and Utilities **Company Has Manager Who** Has Proved That Grit Will Win

Gus Coleman, General Manager of Local Plant, men many years his senior Knows the Business Details in Office and Factory. He Came Here When Ranger Was Just 28 years ago. While still a youngster home in the city and also rural terri-Beginning to Build and Showed He Had the he began playing in a church orches- tory. There are 25 employes. At Courage of a Pioneer.

The Southern Ice & Utilities com- the company then as office headquart- the manager of the Southern Ice and From the viewpoint of purity every pany, which during the last four years ers.

Club.

has been one of the greatest sources Pioneering in Ranger.

surrounding territory, was begun in The women also wore boots, even with was the beginning of his busines ca- ceedingly costly. "Owing to the fact that the city March, 1919, and completed in Aug- their nice silk dresses. They were reer. ust of the same year. During this just starting the paving and had the "My first work was collecting bills, water is of such nature that it is imperiod the work was done under most concrete base laid in front of the and I sure made a reputation as a possible to make pure ice without trying circumstances. Roads were al- Oil City Pharmacy. They were get- collector," Mr. Coleman said. "The considerable treatment, it is necessary most impassable. Everybody worked ting started on the sewerage and water first day I was out I collected \$400 in that we use a special process;" Mr. in rubber boots. Carloads of machin- works, and the Southern Ice and Util- accounts running from \$1.30 to \$10. Coleman said. "The water is first ery and boilers were sidetracked in ities company proved to be the first Gradually I began taking on more distilled—that is evaporated into Oklahoma while the Texas and Pacific consumer on the water line. At the iobs—just everything. I worked in steam, leaving the solid impurities in railroad was putting in a spur. In bridge on East Main street, I have the office, answered the telephone, the boilers-and then condensing the telling of these early experiences Gus seen people wait for fully an hour checked wagons , read water, gas and steam again into water. There are

Coleman, general manager, said in an before the line of traffic would let power meters, drove a truck and ice gasous impurities which are carried wagon, and helped old Johnny Jones over with the steam and dissolved in up enough to get by. interview: "When I got of the train it had "From that time on the develop- repair his engines at night. If there's the condensed water which is necesbeen raining, and, man, it was muddy! ment of the city came as fast as was anything around an ice plant I haven't sary to boil off in a reboiling process. When I saw Main street, and what physically possible. Streets were de- done I want to know about it so I can Water is then filtered to remove what the town looked like, I was ready to veloped, buildings erected and im- get the experience. solid impurities may be in it before go back to Oklahoma. I was even provements increased. Money was "Finally the foreman of the wagons it is frozen into ice. Even before the more ready to go back when I got easy. So easy that all a fellow had quit, and instead of hiring another water is taken into the boilers it is out to the plant and saw what the to do was look like he wanted to make they gave me his job, too. Then one given a settling treatment to precipiroad looked like." But he stayed and a loan and he could get a few thous- day Mr. Ambrose introduced me to tate what impurities wil come out in now is president of the Ranger Rotary and on his personal note. It was the president of the Rotary Club as this way.

when time came to pay back that assistant manager. That was the first "The effect of the water on the time I ever knew I was assistant man- pipes is such that a set of steam con-"The Gholson Hotel was a hole the banks went broke. in the ground, ten feet deep, and full "It was at that time, when the ager. densors will only last about 18 months

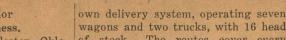
of water. There wasn't anything banks were broke, that the Rotary "In January, 1919, they sent me to till the water has eaten into them so where the Guaranty Bank now stands. Club had a sing-song meeting in the Haileyville, Okla., to run the plant that they are unfit for use." The bank then occupied a little place Lamb Theater, about June 1, 1921. there. I stayed six months and be- The plant has a scoring machine about 15x40 feet on the corner where There were several inspiring talks, as came accustomed to more trouble than which makes each block of ice by the Texas drug store now is. The well as songs and before the meeting the ordinary creature could stand up sawing a crevice into it about two T. & P. building was being finished was over a move was on foot for the under, so they sent me to Ranger inches deep. These crevices mark the and the Marston building was being organization of the People's State where my real troubles finally be- ice into 25, 50 and 100-pound pieces. The drivers have strict instructions started. Aside from the McFlasky Bank.'

Hotel the only places to live in were It will be seen, therefore, that Mr. In 1920 the Southern Ice and Util- to cut all ice on these score marks cheap rooming houses. By cheap, I Coleman is one of the substantial local ites company doubled the capacity which eliminate the possibility of misof the plant from 45 to 90 tons a day, takes in cutting, and therefore guarmean in equipment and accommoda- business men who survived both the which makes it large enough to serve antees the customer getting full tions-not in price. Rates on every- hardship of the boom and discouragea town twice the size of Ranger. weight.

thing were sky-high. Fortunately I ment of the panic, and therefore is had heard from a friend here some- justly entitled to the reputation of be-Nevertheless, the plant is kept run- The company is especially solicitning with its present equipment in ous concerning the courtesy of the thing of how bad conditions were, and ing one of Ranger's most valued citifirst class shape. During the last drivers toward the customer. Notices so I brought a trunk full of quilts zens. He is a young man of unlimited with me and established my home in energy, as well as ability, and busi- winter nearly \$10,000 was spent for are posted in conspicuous places at the little frame building which served ness qualifications rarely found in repairs. The company also has its the plant, and are given to the drivers

personally, pointing out the necessity of establishing a friendship between the customer and the company through the medium of the men who come in contact with these customers -the ones who deliver the ice.

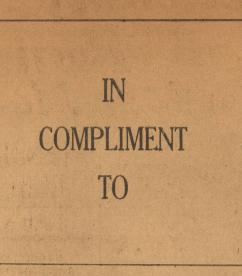
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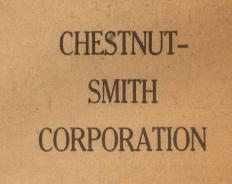
Starts In Business. He was born in McAlester, Okla., of stock. The routes cover every tra there, but was about to give up his present time an ice storage vault is musical contributions in order to take being built.

i job in another town. Mr. Ambrose,

Care In Making Ice. Utilities company, didn't want to loose care is taken in the manufacture of his bass fiddler, so he gave young ice by the Southern Ice and Utilities of health and comfort in Ranger and "The men wore khaki and boots. Coleman a job at the plant. That company, even though this care is ex-



RANGER -AND THE-RANGER DAILY TIMES





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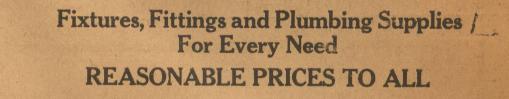
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M. H. Hagaman, who is prominent-| built up a school of 300 pupils. About ly identified with several of Ranger's half were boarding students from sureading enterprises was the city's rounding counties and as far away as first mayor and is one of the fore- the Panhandle. Many of the grandmost pioneers. Born in Tennessee, fathers and grandmothers of today Mr. Hagaman came to Texas at the were students in the school at that age of 26, when he was just out of time.

college, and established himself as a "We had two store building here then that are still standing, one the He located first at Texarkana, Harman Drug Store and the other where he conducted a school for a the Walker building. The former was year or so, then started toward Paris, then a saloon and the latter a dry stopping overnight at a small town good store. We had a population of hotel. about 600 people, several general

"The next morning when I asked stores and saloons and a Baptist for my bill the clery said it was six church and a Methodist church. bits," Mr. Hagaman said. "I had "On the Fourth of July, and sev-

never heard the term before and was eral other occasions during the sum- of industrial purpose. ashamed to ask what it meant, so I mer, we'd have picnics and dances Early in 1919 the foresightedness 750 k w just laid down a \$5 bill and when and sometimes horse races, and that of J. E. Lewis saw the wonderful To and

just laid down a \$5 bill and when I counted the change I knew for the first time what a bit meant." He Comes to Ranger. At Paris Mr. Hagaman, who has always been a prohibitionist, heard Roger Q. Mills make a speech on the unkibition at the time when I went in the agricultural implement Roger Q. Mills make a speech on mercial world. It was in 1991 that distributing company to care to the Oil Belt Power company a needs of the towns of Ranger, East-the present time has 178 miles of the present time has 178 miles of the present time has 178 miles of the industry had the first campaign, which and hardware business and during land, Breckenridge, DeLeon and Gorultimately resulted in making Texas the next eight years I gradually man

"dry." He next went to Kingston, spread out into the general merin Hunt county, and met an old chandise, dry goods, notions and gro-driend who had been in Texas a cary business friend who had been in Texas a couple of years, then to Greenville, and finally engaged a school at Merit. He next came to Weatherford maining in it until the oil boom start-to see a friend who was teaching ed with the discovery well in October, Officials of the two companies are using 4,000 horse power in their sev there, and together with some other 1917

friends they went in a covered wagon to the Panhandle country where they gaged in leases and royalties and aft-J. F. Owens, secretary-treasurer. spent the summer. The next school er the town was incorporated I was Gifford Clegg was made manager of ted as the place for the annual sumterm Mr. Hagaman again taught in elected its first mayor, serving for

Merit, and after that he came to Ran-ger and taught for two years. two years, while the present town was being built. I put in all the is in a position to predict the future comment will be held during the lat After having seen various cities in streets, sewers and water system, prosperity of the town, and he is campment will be held during the latdifferent parts of the state, he finally first electric lighting system, etc. prompt in saying that it will con-

decided to locate permanently in Ranger. This was a great country then," said M. Hagaman. "There were no fences t that time and there werean't house of least product and the didn't call them that fences at that time and there weren't because of local prohibition) cab- cate the Thurber Earthen Products

farmers, and what there were arets and killings. Shooting scrapes company and the Hagaman Refining ing increased interest in county l had lit e farms with rail fences. You were regular occurrences. Out of corporation, and is a director in the brary work, according to a report of could crive from here to Eastland or these conditions the present town Ranger State Bank. He is one of the Potter county free library. Breckenridge and never see a wire was built.' Ranger's school trustees. Cattle and horses ran loose.

Sees Growing Future. "We had a good school here and I Having been in Ranger under such belonging to all Masonic bodies, the tion to go to the city library ad an associate. We advertised and varied circumstances, Mr. Hagaman Shrine, Elks and Rotary club.



land.

Oil Belt Power Company and Oil Cities the Ranger property and M. F. Gut the manager of the Breckenridge

Provide Adequately DeLeon and Gorman are handled through the general offices at Eastfor All Progress.

The electric light and power service has invested in plants, sub-station of Ranger is of the best, adequate power being available for any type of industrial nurnose

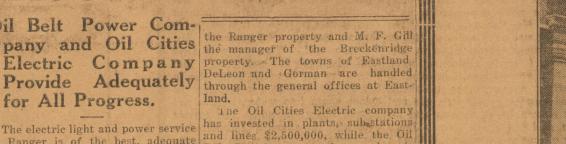
trial plants, gasoline plants, pipe line Mr. Lewis and his associates formwhich was incorporated in August, ing over 150 wells pumped by electric

W. N. Baker, president; J. E. Lewis, wice president and general manager.

mer encampment of the Guadalupe

Rural and city schools are show-Mrs Lois White Henderson, county 1

He says he is a "regular joiner," brarian, recently resigned her pos Shreveport, La.



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Every business, they say, is found- some profit in return for his efforts. lar company at Graham. The business ed on a personality. Whether that is After the price of land in this sec- has already been built up to a point literally true or not, certainly it is on tion reached from \$35 to \$50 an acre where it is the second largest buyer the personality of Ranger man that he began accumulating it, instead of of one house in the state. During many successful businesses have been turning it over, and today he owns the first 46 days in business the built. That man is O. D. Dillingham. 880 acres ranging in price from \$75 company received 41 carloads of fruit The Midas touch of his unfailing to \$100 an acre.

Comes to Ranger.

ligence has turned into the gold of engaged in the automobile business a carload a day. success every undertaking from chop- selling the Buick and Maxwell. ping cotton on a farm to being presi-

dent of a bank. Mr. Dillingham was born in Ken- field came in Mr. Dillingham, who trucks. tucky less than 37 years ago, and at had by now begun to look for larger In addition to these various busithe age of 14 came to Texas with his fields of greater opportunity, decided ness enterprises, to which he gives parents. They settled at first in Hill to take advantage of the great open- his personal time and attention, Mr. county, where the Dillingham lad ing in Eastland county for enter- Dillingham is president of the Peospent four years helping his father prises of all kinds. with the crops and attending a coun-try school. He was the oldest mem-business at Eastland, and later bought the ice business at Eastland, and later bought the lice business at Eastland, and later bought the southern Ice and Utiliber of the family, and therefore the the Ranger Ice company, sticking ties company. He is also president main stand-by. His education was strictly to business and playing the of the Chamber of Commerce and is a completed with a two years' course in oil game very little. a private college at Hillsboro.

After four years the family located ham went to Breckenridge, where he and county hospital board. near Winters. In 1908 Mr. Dilling- bought seevral pieces of property, ham married a Ballinger girl, and which he sold at a profit, and then during the first year of his marriage built an ice factory and ice cream lingham said: he farmed and cleared about \$600. plant, which he still owns. quent success

business looked atractive to the erst- with his usual success. as he says, "Winters looked like a pany's property in Ranger, putting systems of schools in the state, with States sub-treasury great little place."

His first venture was in the ice the name of the Banner Ice Cream ern. Our altitude is high and climate and fuel business, with his original company. capital of \$600. He still owns that

years and sold at a nice profit.

he improved and sold. Perhaps it tory extending east to Mingus; west county are going to revive. During land and sell for \$35 or \$40 an acre. of Stephens county and north.

lingham bought out the Goldman Bros. Produce company of Ranger and Breckenridge, and established a simi-

and vegetables, and since that time judgment and splendid business intel- During this period he successfully has been running a little more than

Mr. Dillingham has 22 employes at his Ranger plant, and operates five At the time when the Ranger oil trucks and two ice cream delivery

ple's State Bank, vice president of

As the field went north Mr. Dilling- Merchants association, and the city wood and returned to promote col-Faith In Ranger.

In speaking of Ranger Mr. Dil-

the ice cream plant in operation under the school buildings all new and mod-

Plant Splendidly Equipped.

recently been doubled. Banner Ice dences. He then began to buy land which Cream is shipped through a terri- "Our agricultural interests in the great achievements."

would be a piece of prairie land sell- to Winters and Big Springs; south the boom days the land was leased

Then he would reinvest in other acre- Creamery equipment has recently main efforts of the Chamber of Comage which would likewise yield a hand- been added, and the making of Ban- merce is to build up and stimulate from the affair.

SUSPECT IS HELD



Noah Lerner, a young radical who member of the Rotary Club, Retail went to Russia with "Big Bill" Hay-

> onization in Russia, is held without bail in New York City, charged with complicity in the Wall Street bomb

outrage of September, 16, 1920, in "The opportunity to make money which 33 persons were killed. Mr. That formed the nuclous of his subse- When development started in Young in Ranger is better than in any town and Mrs. Thomas Doyle, of Baton county he went to Graham, where he I know. The city has a wonderfue Rouge, La., who had gone to Rus-Puts Money to Work. When the railroad built into Wint-built some brick buildings, and sold When the railroad built into Wint-built some brick buildings, and sold the the the the the the busi-ness men of Ranger, staying through drove "the little red wagon" which ers it put the town on a boom and it all out in the early part of 1921 the trying times as they did, makes carried the bomb to the corner of me believe that Ranger will be built, Wall and Broad streets, where it was while country boy, so he decided to In 1922 Mr. Dillingham bought the into a great city, with these men exploded in front of the office of J cast his fortunes with the "city." For, Hub Ice Cream and Storage com- back of it. We have one of the best Pierpont Morgan and the United

healthful which makes Ranger desir- farming interests. The chicken in able for homes. What we have to dustry is also having much effect business, which today is worth \$15,- The plant has a capacity of 1,000 Ho now is build more homes, for on the future prosperity of Ranger. 000, and is managed by his father. gallons a day, and is one of the most there are many people who moved "Our cement and brick making pos-At that period he began to branch modernly equipped plants in the coun- away during the boom days but who sibilities, together with cheap and out into other businesses. For in- try, and the largest west of Fort are returning now to find all the abundant fuel, is an incentive to fustance he bought a half interest in Worth. All the machinery is of the present homes are full. The demand ture industrial activities, and taking a grain business which he kept four very latest type and the capacity has is increasing for more and better resi- it all in all-climate, people, and opportunities-Ranger is destined for

A Rotary-Kiwanis-Farmer benefit

ing around \$20 an acre, on which he to deLeon, and north to Stamford. to oil companies and many farmers is the latest innovation of the Lubwould build houses and develop the The Breckenridge plant takes care went to the city to live. But they bock public library as a method of are now returning to the farms. The raising funds for the institution. I is reported nearly \$150 was netted

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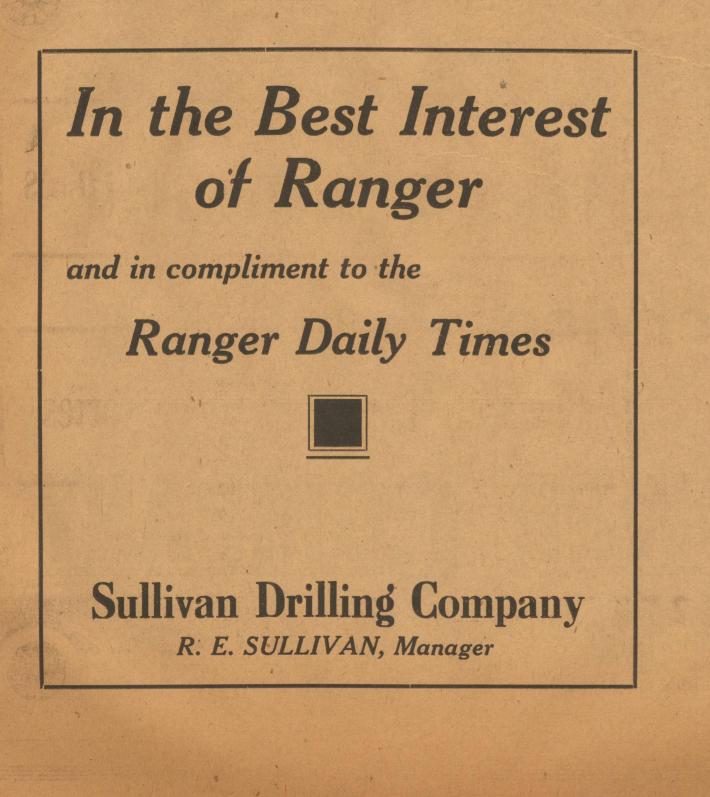
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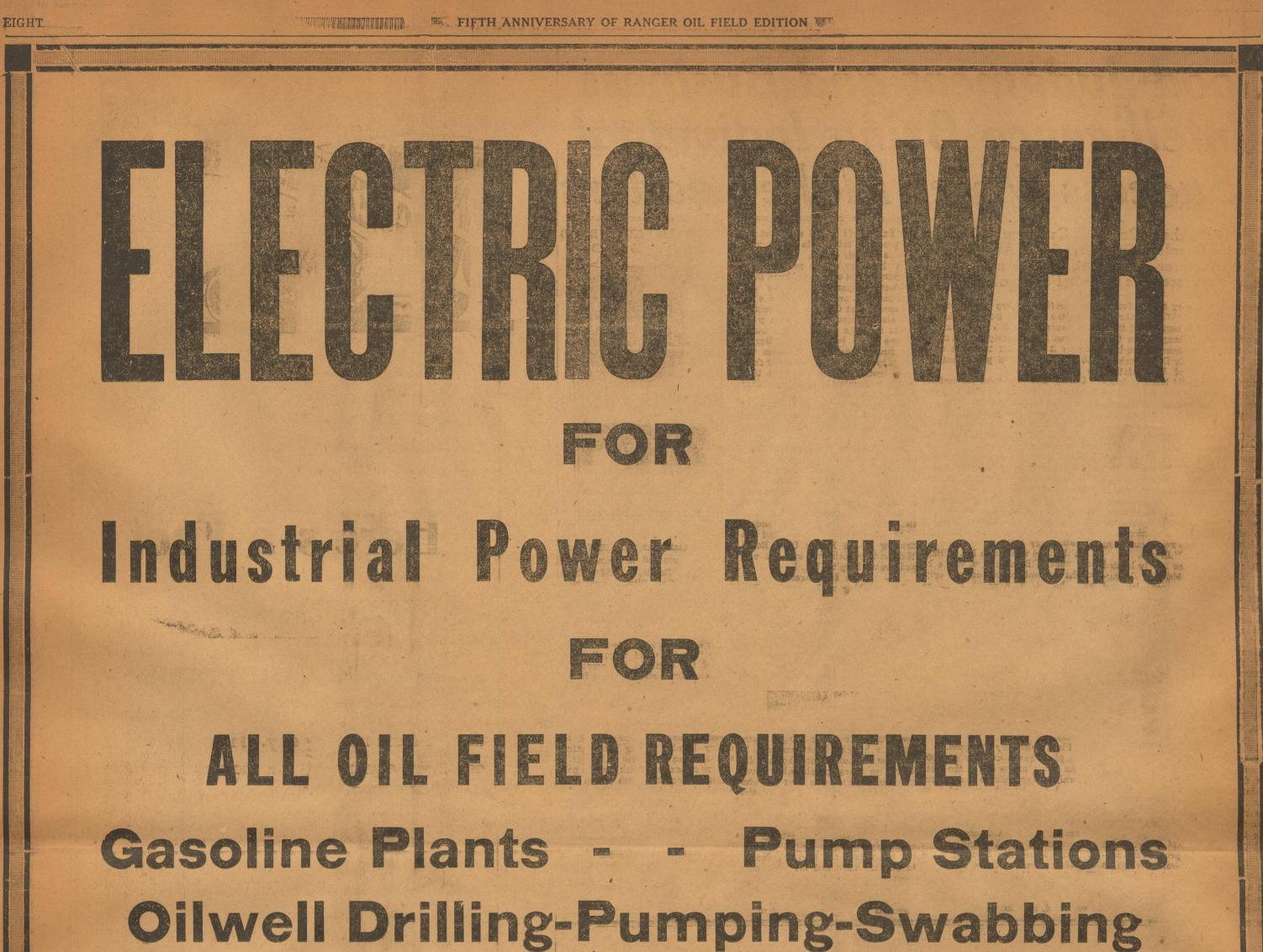
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Review of Ranger Oil Field

The Oil Possibilities in Ranger Are Greater Now Than They Ever Were Before

This is the opinion, not of geologists who get paid for making reports, but by competent, experienced and successful oil men who do the paying. Men who are putting their money, as well as their hopes and expectations, into the development of the field. These men range all the way from the independent operators to representatives of the big companies, and through a series of interviews the Ranger Daily Times feels in a position to state with some authority what the situation now is.

During the boom days here the big wells that came in made everybody look for gushers. Even the big companies took this attitude. They passed up the shallow sand in the county, and pulled out and plugged many wells which were not in the gusher class, but which, beyond doubt, would have been producing even today, on a paying basis, both oil and casing head gas.

The black lime area of this county was a disappointment from the fact that the wells didn't hold up, and at that time there was no distinction between the black lime and Ranger sand production.

But it has been proved by operators who stayed here and and took care of their wells, that wells in this deep pay will produce, in paying quantities, an indefinite time for there are numbers of them that have been kept up, which are still producing from 15 to 60 barrels a day, after three or four years. They are also making quite a lot of casing head gas, which is really one of the biggest sources of revenue in these small wells.

Another feature which caused this country to be passed up as unfavorable, following the days of the flush production, was the fact that drilling contractors had contracts for big holes only, and as they were paid by the foot, they passed up all shallow sands in order to make the greater profit by the deeper wells. Drilling at a rate of \$5 or more a foot, they found it much more profitable to go 3,000 to 4,000 feet, even though a sand might be encountered (as was recently the case) at less than 1,150 feet. Many of these wells were stopped in the black lime and never reached the McClesky sand. the lasts five years, held not for development but for speculation, are beginning to expire and can be obtained at reasonable prices, and the big companies holding leases will be forced soon to start development again, or lose their leases. As the true value of the acreage is at last realized, it is highly probable that Ranger will again be the scene of much activity in the near future.

The extent of the field in this territory is almost unlimited. In other fields the area is usually very small. For instance, the Signal Hill field at Long Beach, and the Santa Fe Springs field at Los Angeles, which are attracting so much attention, are only about two miles in length and half a mile in width. The wells are drilled 4,000 to 5,000 feet deep and are so close together it will relieve the pressure in a comparatively short time. In comparison the local field extends 75 or more miles, with geological formations indicative of oil the entire distance. Oil is found from Desdemona through Ranger to Breckenridge and Crystal Falls, and on to Graham. There are breaks of only short distances which may be connected up solidly in time.

The best illustration of this fact is the well drilled by the Mook-Texas Company and G. A. Davidson on the J. C. Harrell farm, six miles northwest of Ranger.

This well was drilled on a farm practically surrounded by dry holes or pulled out at black lime depth, around 3,400 feet. It was carried to a depth of 3,619 feet, where they picked up the Ranger sand, and is now producing about 400 barrels of oil and more than 3,000,000 feet of gas, at a foot and a half in the sand. The casing head gas from this well alone is worth \$7,000 or \$8,000 a month.

There are thousands of acres like that around Ranger that have never had any test for this deep pay.

In fact, the best production of the county is yet to be found.

The Panhandle Oil and Refining Company has recently opened the shallow pool on the Webb and Hightower farm, six miles south of Ranger, where they encountered a sand at a depth of from 1,149 to 1,165. The thickness of the sand is from 40 to 85 feet. Production here ranges from 20 to 400 barrels, and five wells have been brought in to date with others drilling. The company has established a camp at the pool and is beginning on an extensive development program.

The field is very inviting from this standpoint of drilling at this time, for leases which used to bring enormous funds can now be had for the drilling. The leases which have been tied up for In this territory are a series of rich pools such as the Merriman School district and Pleasant Grove.

The shallow sands are going to produce oil. There is hardly a location has not possibilities. It is said that Ranger is destined to be one of the biggest shallow production areas in Texas.

As for the depression following the recent cuts in crude, that is looked upon by operators as being temporary, as well as annual.

Production in oil is not really keeping pace with demand. Automobiles are being produced in greater quantities than ever before, taking their toll of oil products. And with the tourist season just opening up, itt will give a new impetus to consumption.

Many railroads are installing oil equipment, replacing the old method of using coal for fuel. Machinery is more and more taking its place in the world of industry, with its demand for lubricating oil.

In fact, so important has become the production of petroleum products it is attracting the attention of the nations of the world. It is said that the nation securing the biggests oil holdings now will be the dominating figure in future world affairs.

The prosperity of a country, a locality, a city, that has an oil supply, can be estimated only after days of boom and frenzy have passed and steady, substantial production programs have begun.

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The bringing in of additional wells now drilling and the offspt wells to be drilled should materially add to present production and make possible the paying of greatly increased dividends. The company owns in fee a casing yard of 7 1-2 acres and a warehouse located on the T. & P. Ry., one mile east of Eastland, where they have reserve casing on hand valued at \$75,000.

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THREE

Chain of Three Drug Stores Where STAFFORD DRUG STORE HAS Quality and Service Is Keynote

Business in Eastland. Having an Associate, D. W. Wray in One Store.

7 W. H. Madden and Ray E. Brown have become quite a factor in the

finest drug stores in the county.

Wray was born in Coleman, Texas, dividual or club affairs, are frequent of the country. and for several years he was employed as bookkeeper by big firms in = different states. He later located in 'Abilene, where he was employed by the Radford Grocery company, as bookkeeper, and upon coming to Eastland he became office manager for the Campbell-Fagg store for four years. Within the last month he bought an interest in the Texas Drug Store which he has since been managing.

The Corner Drug Store, which war the third store acquired by the company, is managed by Mr. Madden. He was born in Rice county, Texas, and brought up on a farm. For several years he was enagaged in the gin business. He then worked in a lumber camp in Washington state, and mined in the silver and lead mines of Idaho and gold fields of Arizona. After spending several years as a "soidier of fortune" he returned to Texas twenty years ago and worked for dry goods firms in Chico and Hedley. His first experience in the drug business came at Hedley, when he bought out a drug store there, later selling it and engaging in the same line of business at Memphis, Texas. Locating in Burkburnett during the boom, he became acquainted with Mr. Brown and formed a partnership with bim, and together they began their

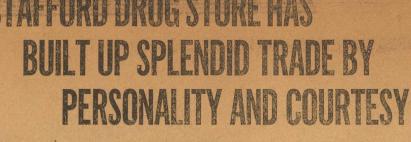
business career in Eastland. The success of the partners has been very gratifying, for they have taken



So much has been said about Ran- occasions, and dances figure often on drug trade of Eastland, for they own ger's great oil production and busi- the calendar. The more simple home and operate three of the largest and ness activities that the life of the events are quite as popular, and have people and the social side of the their own devotees.

The first was opened in May, 1920, The first was opened in May, 1920, The first was opened in May, 1920, Therefore, strangers coming to vion. Therefore, strangers coming to vion. Therefore, strangers when The first was opened in May, 1920, under the name of the City Drug Store, and it has since been success-fully operated by Mr. Brown. He was born in Kingfisher, Okla., and has been in the drug business for the last thirteen years. He is a register-ed pharmacist in both Texas and Okla-homa. He came from Drumwright, Okla., to Burkburnett during the big oil boom and was employed there by Mr. Madden with whom he afterward formed a partnership. The second of the chain of high den and Mr. Brown in May, 1922, and was called the Texas Drug Store. This store is based on quality and

was called the Texas Drug Store. This store is based on quality and service and it has as manager a popu-lar West Texas man, D. W. Wray, who is a partner in the business. Mr. Wray was born in Coleman, Texas,



Success of R. R. Stafford in Business is in Keeping With His Exceptional Popularity and Large Circle of Friends.

R. R. Stafford, manager of the Staf-1 him here and had established two ord Drug Store, is a native of Flor- drug stores; so Mr. Stafford became da, but in his early youth he came manager of one of them. He later o Texas to join some of his relatives bought out the store and has since who had previously made their home been operating it. n the Lone Star State. Although he had never had previous

He located first in Columbus, Colo- drug experience, Mr. Stafford's los. rado county, in 1880, and spent sev- and successful business career thoreral years going to school while living oughly equipped him for the managet the home of his uncle. After com- ment of the Stafford Drug Store. He pleting his education he took a posi- has a characteristic frankness that tion in his uncle's bank as bookkeeper commands respect and an unfailing courtesy that wins admiration. He and assistant cashier. In 1901 Mr. Stafford went to Beau- enjoys an exceptional popularity with

nont when the big oil boom was on his friends and customers and has bethere and entered upon the real estate come one of the big factors in the upand insurance business. He remained building of Ranger. there nearly 20 years, but in 1919 he "I think Ranger has a bright fu-

was attracted by the big oil boom at ture, if we'll get down to business and Ranger. His brother had preceeded all work together for success," he said.

"I evidenced my belief and confidence extensive line of toilet articles, powin the town when the depression came ders, perfumes and cosmetics. He on and so many people pulled up has an attractive fountain and a full stakes and moved away. I stayed. line of cigars and candies. And I have found that my judgment

was justified, for already Ranger is SAN ANGELO .- L. L. Farr of beginning to revive from the so-called San Angele is president of the newly panic, and there is no reason why the organized Concho Hereford Breeders' town should not now enjoy a steady association. The purpose of the orgrowth." ganization is breeding of better cat-

Mr. Stafford carries a complete and the and standardization of grades. high class line of prescription goods Meeting of the directors to complete and makes a specialty in the high the organization will be held here quality of this work. He also has an June 9.





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General Office:

F. & M. Nat. Bank Bldg., Ft. Worth, Tex.

TEXAS PACIFIC COAL & OIL COMPANY

Producers of:

Bituminous Coal Crude Oil Natural Gas Casing Head Gasoline



All Petroleum Products

EXECUTIVE OFFICES: F. & M. Natl. Bank Bldg., Ft. Worth, Texas

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See Them Grow! Partly It's Due to Popularity and Also to Quality of Their Stock

E. H. & A. Davis, Conducting Haberdasher Busi- They have fitted out one of the ness in Ranger More Than Four Years, Conrying a stock that runs in season tinue to Gain in Trade and Prestige.

E. H. and A. Davis, high class the F. O. Keifer company had been tised lines, such as Hart Schaffner haberdashers, started in business in increased to \$10,000, but the fire & Marx clothing, Hanan & Sons Ranger on Jan. 14, 1919, and since left them with only \$1,600 insurance. casting their fortunes-and misfor- They had a good credit rating, howfortune-in the famous oil city ever, and soon started another store Lilley luggage and Murphy trunks. of West Texas, they have undergone at the corner of Rusk and Pine. Here varying experiences that have tested they again enjoyed good business. their belief and confidence in the During the bank failures of 1921 is in charge of E. H. Davis. Abe from Waco. future prospects of the town.

At first the firm occupied a small many thousands of dollars on deposit cubby-hole in the Hodges-Neal build- being wiped out at one time. Here they enjoyed a brief pe- confidence, however, and on Dec. 1, ness in Missouri. in April 1919.

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The stock which they bouht from building.

from \$15,000 to \$25,000. They fea.

they again sustained heavy losses, Davis is the local manager. The brothers brought to Ranger the benefit of years of experience in ing, their space being scarcely 11x90 They kept up their courage and the clothing and merchandise busi-Their business i victims of the big fire which came tion, a beautiful store building at ing and on their sincere efforts to 219 Main street, in the Gholson hotel serve the public to the best of their ability.

ture nothing but nationally adver-Manhattan shirts. Vassar underwear,

Ranger Transfer and DEGROFF HOTEL POPUL Storage Company Is **Owned by Native Son**

Drugs

C. T. Pitcock Learns Business Working for His Father, Later Buys Out His Brothers and Builds Up Splendid Trade.

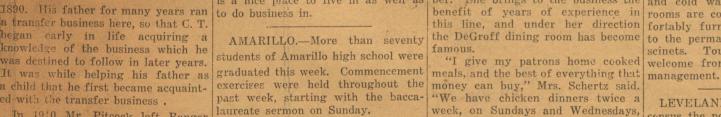
C. T. Fitcock, who is a Ranger product. 1890. His father for many years ran to do business in. a transfer business here, so that C. T early in life acquiring a knowledge of the business which he was destined to follow in later years. a child that he first became acquainted with the transfer business .

laureate sermon on Sunday. In 1910 Mr. Pitcock left Ranger and went to Mingus where he worked for the Texas & Pacific railroad, and later went to the T. & P. Coal and Oil company at Thurber. He worked there for seven years before returning for another two or three years at Mingus He finally returned to Ranger in 1921. "In the meantime I had not been back except for brief visits," he said "When I left here Ranger was a little country town, and when I returned in was a city. I decided to make it my permanent home.

"At first I went to work for my brothers, who then owned the Ranger

company is owned and managed by a daughter. He is a member of the public ever since it was built. Knights of Pythians and is a big The hotel is now operated by Mrs.

students of Amarillo high school were famous.



Drug Sundries

Rooms Comfortable.

B. & C. GROCERY Perseverance and Pluck Bring POPULAR WITH Success After Repeated Trials. Some Setbacks and Much Work

Partners in Business Here Only 18 Months and Establish finest men's store in West Texas, car

Spelndid Trade.

V. W. Blanchard and M. T. Cornelius, who operate a popular Ranshoes, Stetson hats, Knox straws, ger grocery under the firm name of B. & C., have been in business here In the meantime they have opened for the past 18 months. The partners

a branch store at Cross Plains, which are brothers-in-law and are both Mr. Blanchard has been in the gro- of which Eastland county boasts. cery business for the past 10 or 15 A year and a half ago there was ed to take care of the gas from his in his handling of the interests of the years, while Mr. Cornelius has been no Gordon Petroleum Company, Inc., own wells.

in the grocery and meat business for and the warrier who saw service in ried of good business, and then were 1921, moved into their present loca- built on their splendid lines of cloth- eight years, coming here from Cisco. many battles, was not a millionaire. terial yard and warehouse, with its ment to the wisdom, daring and fore The business is conducted in a victim of the panic which the nation three trucks and eight field cars and president Colonel Gordon secured large building, 30x70 feet, at the has just undergone. Moreover, he had garage. corner of Pine and Marston streets. failed in an atempt or two to locate The building has large plate glass oil. But neither business failures nor are in Eastland where the company to secure what, in his opinion, were display windows which are always at- dry holes could shake his courage. tractively arranged.

The company carries a complete believed in him-his judgment, his equipped at a cost of \$390,000, and is out an equal as an independent oper line of staple and fancy groceries ability, his integrity—he managed now known as the Gordon Petroleum and a well equipped meat market. to organize a little company with a building. Not only their stocks but the prompt capital of \$75,000. This was January and courteous treatment of their 9, 1922.

ustomers has helped them to de-He picked land that proved a winelop a splendid business.

Mrs. Schertz, Its Manager, bles and other foodstuffs in sea- found oil. Serves Home Cooked Meals;

Mrs. Schertz is pleasant and friend-

ed during the big oil boom by Mrs. that pervades the place is the result stock was increased to \$1,000,000. DeGroff of El Paso, has been one of of her personal interest in the room-"home

scinets. Tourists especially find a acres, one drilling; Amis lease, 80 "I give my patrons home cooked welcome from the DeGroff and its acres, one drilling.

> LEVELAND .- Although the last cent stock dividends, and have de- others had given up hope he still won highest awards for atendance this county is also under way.

BUY IT IN RANGER

and Has Become Large Independent Producer is a veteran of the Spanish-American The phenominal rule of Colonel Rob-; strings of parts known in the fields as time of all the maintenance funds for ert D. Gordon and the petroleum com- "bobtail" strings of tools.

of the most gratifying achievements East in the interests of a gasoline same genius which he exercised in

The company owns a 7½-acre ma-

The main offices of the company recently bought the former Security valuable leases, and today the Gordon Among a few of his friends who Bank building, which was erected and Petroleum Company, Inc., stands with All of this has been achieved in less

than eighteen months.

Back of every outstanding success ner, and stayed with his drilling when in the field of commercial endeavor is the other companies were shut down. the driving power of some individual Drops in prices of oil didn't lessen his upon whose shoulders have rested the and we have all the fruits, vegeta- operations. He kept on drilling-and burden of responsibility. The oil business is no place for the weakling, or

The following June, 1922, the capi- the dreamer or the man of small cap-

ly and builds up her business through the qualities of her splendid person-The DeGroff hotel, which was erect- ality. The home like atmosphere within a year of organization, the ness demands much of a man. It de- attempt to probate the will of Anna mands business integrity first of all. Anglin Van Rensselaer, sister of the The Gordon Petroleum company It demands capable financiering. It late E. H. Harriman, resulted in fail-The Ranger Transfer & Storage wife and three children, two sons and the popular hotels with the oil field ers and boarders who call her hotel now has the following producing and demands an intimate knowledge of ure when the superior court denied drilling wells: On the Caudle lease, the business itself. It demands hard the petition of Schulyer R. Grant, The DeGroff has 56 rooms with 80 acres, seven producing and one and constant work and strict atten- grandson, on the grounds that both booster for Ranger, which he says K. Schertz, who took it last Decem- lots of showers and baths and ret drilling well; Brelsford lease, 40 tion to business. Without these cap- documents had been thrown out by Mr .Pitcock was born here in is a nice place to live in as well as ber. She brings to the business the and cold water all the time. The acres, four producing wells; Bond abilities being possessed by the "man previous court decisions.

benefit of years of experience in rooms are cool and nicely and com- lease, 40 acres, three producing wells; behind" most any line of commercial Most of the property affected is in this line, and under her direction fortably furnished and appeal alike Goen lease, 40 acres, one producing endeavor is doomed to ultimate fail- Texas. Attacks on both wills were AMARILLO .- More than seventy the DeGroff dining room has become to the permanent roomers and tran- and one drilling; Ray lease, 1,000 ure and especially so the oil business. made on allegations that she was un-Such a man is Colonel Gordon. duly influenced.

He came to Eastland in 1919 when

Last year the company paid 171/2 the major operating companies were VAN ALSTYNE .--- Twenty-two stuper cent cash dividends and 100 per "getting out from under." But when dents of Van Alstyne schools have

rensus the population of Leveland is clared for this year a minimum of had faith. Faith in the possibilities records. The students have been given as only 157, this little town is 24 per cent. This dividend is figured of the Eastland field and the initia- awarded certificates for perfect atclanning to build a \$50,000 school. A on actual revenue from present pro- tive and foresight to grasp the oppor- tendance. None of them have been novement to obtain a railroad for duction of pipe line oil and is figured tunities as he saw them. He blazed absent from school a single day duron an absolute minimum basis. The the trail, and today big companies ing the past school year.

company owns eight complete sets of are fighting for a foothold in Eaststandard tools and has in reserve two land county.

BUY IT IN RANGER

Gordon Petroleum Company, Robert D. Gordon his ability by rising from the ranks in Directing Head, Has Developed Oil Pools Im- the regular army to Lieutenant-Colmediately About Eastland, One After Another onel. Although only 42 years old he war and the Boxar rebellion. During the last war he had charge at one the American army in France, which showed the confidence the government pany which bears his name is one Colonel Gordon was recently in the imposed in his financial ability.

plant which will immediately be erect- these former experiences was renewed Cordon Petroleum Company, Inc. This company, today, is a monu

instead he was a "broke" merchant, a own machine shop and store house, sight of the organizer, manager and acreage that others were skeptica

about. He jumped at every chance ating oil company with most valuable lease holdings barely scratched for production, and with a daily income from settled production that would be a credit to a company capitalized for many times the amount of Gordon Petroleum Company, Inc.

VAN RENSSELAER WILL AGAIN DENIED PROBATE.

By Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, June 1 .- A third

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Transfer & Storage company. year later I bought out one of them. and two months ago I bought out the wother.

Mr. Pitcock's family consists of a good now. He handles oil field machinery and operates four and five teams at a time. He also does house moving and makes a specialty of crating and packing. One of his employes is an expert in packing cut glass. chinaware and other valuables and all work is guaranteed. They do what they call a "turn-key" job in moving. That is, if you turn your key over to them they wil go into the home, crate, pack and move you to the train or nearby towns, or if it is from one house to another inside of town they also set up your furniture and have everything ready for you to go into. The company's storage building is 90x120 feet, built of galvanized iron Mr. iPtcock's family consists of a

The store that enjoys a business built upon the following principles:

Sporting Goods

Service Courtesy **Quality of Merchandise**

Corner Main and Commerce Phone 369

Dine, Rest and Be Cool AT THE **RANGER CAFE**

However you're feeling, whether you're leisurely or hurried, festive or just plain hungry, this cool, pleasant restaurant will be just right for vou.

Good food, polite service, pleasant surroundings, sends you out much cheerier than when you came in.

SMITH BROTHERS

GENERAL CONTRACTORS

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Builders of **BANKHEAD HIGHWAY**

Eastland County

"THE BEST ROAD IN TEXAS"

Dallas ----- Eastland

Two Ranger Men Show Their Confidence In Business Future Here hand, and at the same tim 100 per cent better work. "We are furnishing these

Upon leaving them he went with

Sanders-Colegrove Hardware Company Opens The "silent salesman system" has lowering the cost without decreasing Its Doors, Ar Establishment That Would Be Credit to Any City; Something About Men in the Firm.

owned by two prominent Ranger men, are opening."

grove.

said:

Surfacing Machine.

"we have purchased a surfacing machine that will be leased to our customers at about one-tenth the cost of finishing their floors by hand, and at the same time doing

o our patrons in order to stimulate the building of homes and assist in

been installed, a system whereby the the quality.'

customer can make selections from goods on display that are priced in izers of the Retail Merchants associa-His Store Is Stocked With Dopular demand. plain figures and can be bought by tion and its first vice president. He number at a great saving of time. also belongs to the Lions club and the

The Sanders-Colegrove Hardware company, which opened its doors to the public on Saturday, June 2, is to the public on Saturday at the adaption of the Texas association to the public on Saturday, June 2, is to the public on Saturday of the investition of the Texas association to the public on Saturday, June 2, is to the public on Saturday of the investition of the Texas association to the public on Saturday of the investition of the Texas association to the public on Saturday of the investition of the Texas association to the public on Saturday of the investition of the Texas association to the public on Saturday of the investition of the texas association of the te building homes by furnishing them ment they are making here. The that the W. E. Davis Jewelry and both classic and popular. He han- pected at the convention.

number of days of labor that becomes the big factor in the de- days from Winters, Texas, where he selection of diamonds and other jewit actually took to build the house velopment of a city. They are the had formerly been in business. He els, necklaces, bracelets and watches. type of men to make a greater Ran- established a jewelry store, for when There is also a nice stock of silvergushers were the regular thing in ware, ivory and cut glass.

the great Ranger oil fields, and mon- The business is located in the ey was coming in fast from the "li- Gholson hotel building in one of the quid gold" the people were able to most attractive and desirable spaces make investments in diamonds, and satisfy their former longings for oth-er lines of jewelry. The business lic spirited men, a real builder and

booster. He has a ready sympathy prospered. Recognizing the need of music and and understanding, a friendliness and

its soothing effect during these tur-bulent days of rush and strife and wealth, Mr. Davis put in a line of poise that makes him popular with a large following of acquaintances and customers.

pianos and phonographs to meet the GALVESTON .- James L. Case, Today Mr. Davis is the only music president of the national association

dealer in Ranger. He carries a of insurance agents, will be one of complete line of Victrolas, Bruns- the principal speakers at the annual

BUY IT IN RANGER

Jewels Rare, With Silver

"We are furnishing these services

Gold Treasures.

J. W. Sanders and William J. Cole- Mr. Colegrove came out of the plans of more than 500 different services they have rendered, and are Music store affords to the people of dles the well known Baldwin piano army early in 1919 and went with the styles and sizes, with a list of ma- now further rendering to Ranger put Ranger. Both men came here with the Chestnut & Smith corporation as su- terial necessary to build, together them in the class of citizenship that Mr. Davis came here in the boom

and is enjoying a splendid business. The jewelry stock includes a large

"I came to Ranger in February, the T. & P. Coal and Oil company 1918, and drilled a well on the San- as superintendent of the natural gas ford Dean property at the foot of department, and remained with them Pine street, in the city limits. It until Dec. 1, 1920. He then went proved to be a good gas producer. with the Ranger Gas company as su-As there was no fuel in Ranger at perintendent, holding that position that time the town prevailed on us until May 1, 1922, when his own gas company reached such proportions to put in a gas system. "I took it up with the people who that it demanded the attention of had me drill the well-the Sammies both himself and Mr. Sanders.

boom several years ago. In telling perintendent of construction of

of his early experience Mr. Sander their No. 1 and No. 2 plants.

Sees Business Opportunity. Oil corporation of Delaware-and they put in the first gas system in It was during a recent illness, when Ranger, the one now known as the Mr. Sander was confined to a local hospital, that he decided to go into Ranger Gas company." Mr. Sander came to Ranger from the hardware business, a business the Healdton field in Oklahoma, which he has not followed for 20

the Sammies corporation before com-war company had burned out and war company had burned out and "It hadn't rained in Ranger for was informed that they were not gothree years before I got here," Mr. ing to reopen. Friends and acquaint-Sanders said. "We had to get drill- ances of my early days in Ranger ading water for our wells by digging a vised me to take the venture in a well in the bottom of Hagaman Lake. new store, and after investigation It was ten feet square. we decided that by putting in a first "But inside of six months it be- class place, both in appearance and

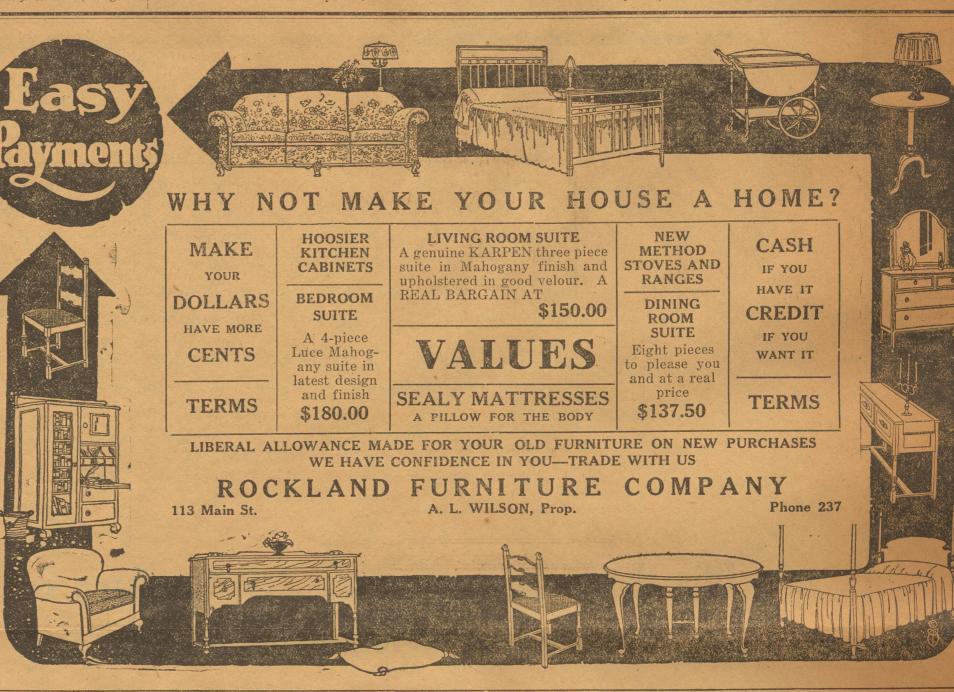
gan to rain-and it didn't stop for goods handled, it would be a paying

six months. It rained every day. proposition." The streets were so muddy and the mud so deep that when time came \$20,000 worth of stock to start with, to lay the gas lines we didn't have to which will be added to from time to dig ditches on Main, and some of the time as the demand of the trade is other streets. We just weighted the learned.

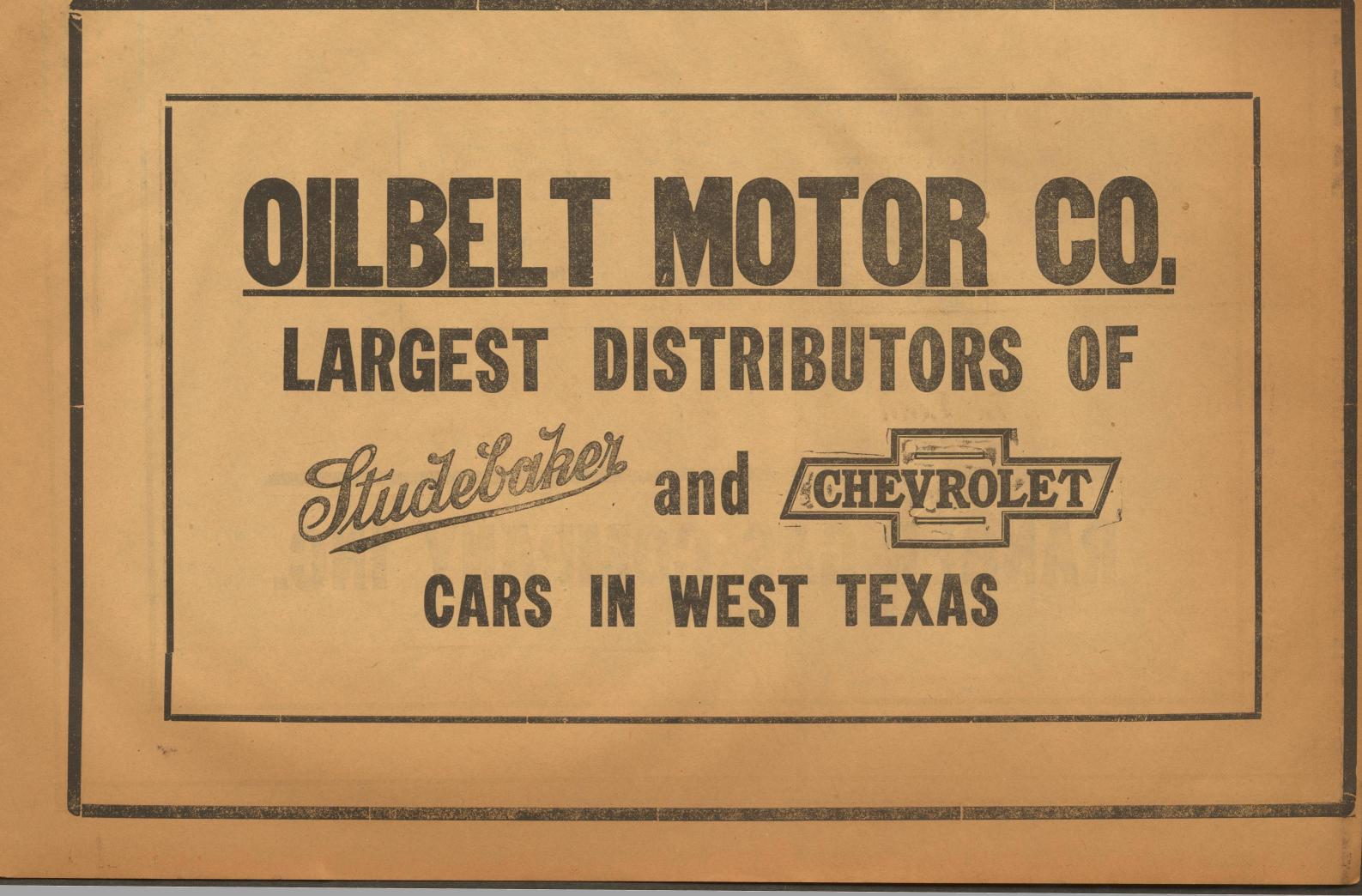
pipes down and they sank into place. One of the features of the business will be a complete poultry supply, Enter Water Business.

"After the gas system was com- including incubators, brooders, wire plete I left the gas company and as and so forth. So confident are the there was no drinking water in Ran- managers that this feature will prove ger I became a partner of Dr. Terrell popular they are ordering wire fencer plant. in building the Ranger Distilled Wat-ing by the carload lot. They also carry transmission ma-

er plant. "I stayed with that until the Ran-chinery and other mill supplies. ger Gas company bought out the Sammies, then I sold my interests in carried in Ranger to any extent. the water company and went with the gas company. This was in 1920. I The business occupies 25x110 feet Modern Store System. stayed with them until February, in the Marston building. The inte-1922. Then, in company with my rior is finished in mahogany, with present partner, Mr. Colegrove, I flower baskets and boxes as attacbuilt the gas systems at Oil City and tive features. The large window Herron City, near Graham, to furn- spaces are adaptable to effective arish gas for drilling wells there. | rangement.



SEVEN



EIGHT

RANGER GAS COMPANY INC.

Service is of prime necessity to every Natural Gas company. The consumers demand it. The company must give it or eventually go out of business. Natural gas service must be given 24 hours a day and 365 days a year. The same equipment necessary to provide for the peak loads of winter are in use during the summer. It costs money to provide this service and the consuming public should realize this fact.

Gas without service is worthless. When paying gas bills the consumer should take into consideration the service rendered as well as the gas used.

Clip these suggestions on how to Save Gas and paste them for Daily Reference

- 1. See that you have no leakage in plumbing.
- 2. Use GAS stoves; ordinary stoves with gas burners are wasteful.
- 3. Never attempt to burn gas without having mixers or burners.
- 4. Have all mixers properly adjusted; the flame should be blue; fire should not roar.
- 5. Keep the mixers clean at all times.
- 6. Shut off gas from cook stove when not cooking.
- 7. Many gas heaters are wasteful.
- 8. Only when air and gas are properly mixed can greatest efficiency be obtained.
- 9. If the hand on your meter dial moves when all fires are shut off, you have a leak in your plumbing.

GER GAS COMPANY INC.

10. We want to help you to conserve Gas.