

THE WEATHER.
West Texas—Tonight fair, colder, hard freeze in Panhandle; Wednesday fair, colder in southeastern part.

SENTENCE SERMON.
When it is not despicable to be poor, we want fewer things to live in poverty with satisfaction than to live magnificently with riches.—St. Evremont.

LAWMAKER WARNS AGAINST AMNESTY

Oil Heads Flee Country to Avoid Teapot Dome Trial

HOUSE REFUSES SUSPEND RULE FOR FERGUSON

Sabinal Representative Charges Ferguson Coercion

AUSTIN, March 10.—The house voted today, 64 to 54, against a motion to suspend the constitutional rule and bring up for consideration the Veatch resolution outlining the vindication of former governor James E. Ferguson on the submission of the proposition to the people as a constitutional amendment. The vote, taken shortly before the house recessed to meet again this afternoon and take up the amnesty bill, was generally considered as a test vote upon the amnesty measure, giving the proponents a majority of at least 10 votes.

Ballots upon the motion relating to amnesty during the first week have generally ranged 10 to 15 in favor of the proposition. The house relaxed during the morning to listen to the reading of a resolution by Representative R. L. Bobbitt of Laredo, in which the lawmaker warns against the spread of "amnesty-rits."

Representative A. J. Durham of Sabinal created a diversion in the house late Monday afternoon when he charged that a group of six or seven house members supporting the Ferguson amnesty bill had tried to coerce and intimidate him into voting for it, and to postpone his primary election bill in order to allow amnesty to take its place on the calendar as a special order. He charged that threats had been made to defeat his bill unless he agreed to the calendar substitution, and last week his measure was defeated. The purpose of his bill was to eliminate the second primaries.

Other charges have been made that Ferguson sought support of amnesty by his attitude on pending legislation, a position which has been more commended than condemned. Friends of amnesty were fearful of the result after Mr. Ferguson vetoed the legislative free pass bill, but whatever ire was aroused by that has since worn off.

LATE FLASHES

LIBERTY NATIONAL BANK.

PARIS, Texas, March 10.—The Liberty National bank, capital \$150,000, just organized, will succeed the City National bank, closed several weeks ago, and occupy its former quarters. Ed H. McCuiston is president, James M. Cecil, cashier, and both are on the directorate with A. P. Park, H. E. Mayer, John W. Williams, E. Temple W. Hutchinson, C. M. McWhorter, J. L. Van Dyke, C. P. Johnson and John B. Hammon.

\$10,000,000 OIL SUIT

AMARILLO, March 10.—Oil and gas leases covering 22,000 acres in south Hutchinson county, having an estimated value of \$10,000,000, are involved in the so-called Johnson ranch suit, having more than 100 defendants. The ranch was leased in 1919 to G. H. Montgomery. Plaintiff claims the lease expired in 1924, but the defendants insist the lease was perpetuated by two producing gasers. Many of the major oil companies have acquired leases on the ranch.

MADE C. C. EXECUTIVE

MINERAL WELLS, March 10.—George D. Barber has been named assistant manager of the Chamber of Commerce. He has been doing newspaper work here.

The Piedmont hotel, recently leased by R. E. Clark of Maricopa, N. C., is to be remodeled and improved and will be ready for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in May.

INSTITUTE NOT COMPULSORY.

AUSTIN, March 10.—Public school teachers in Texas may stay away from the annual county school institutes without danger of the cancellation of their certificates by the county superintendents, under the terms of a measure finally passed by the house today. The bill as it now stands does not provide for teachers' institutes of any kind, although they are not forbidden.

WIFE ACCUSED SLAYER.

TEXARKANA, March 10.—Louis Glosman, farmer, was shot and perhaps fatally wounded today shortly before the police raided his home. He and his wife and a neighbor, William Taylor, were arrested.

Mrs. Glosman was accused of the shooting. She declared he was shot accidentally. The police seized a 100-gallon still, 15 pounds of mash and 500 pounds of sugar.

'PROGRESSIVES' PLAN COMEBACK

Republican 'Quartet' to Enlist Constituents' Aid.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Progressive senate republicans intend to carry their protest to their constituents this summer. Rebellious at the action of the senate in adopting the plan of republican leaders, which dropped to the bottom of the committee lists Ladd of North Dakota, Frazier of North Dakota, Brookhart of Iowa and LaFollette of Wisconsin, all republicans, the members intend to appeal to the voters back home.

The three members of the quartet now here believe the republicans of their states have been deprived of their privileges. LaFollette is now in Florida. The report of the committee on assignments, prepared by the republican and democratic conferences, was adopted, 64 to 11, by the senate late yesterday after a five-hour floor fight.

Noted Cartoonist Joins Ranger Times Staff

Introducing Dorman A. Smith, who has just been added to the editorial staff of the Ranger Daily Times and Eastland Daily Telegram as cartoonist. In the days of the satirists, Samuel Butler and Dean Jonathan Swift, and even as late as the time of the great philosopher Ben Franklin, the people were content with word pictures, and writers who could make words hop and skip and do jigs and tricks for them were very popular. There were artists in those days who could caricature, but the newspaper cartoonists of today was unknown because the art of engraving was in its infancy. Cartoonists are doing today with their drawings what writers once did with their words, and they appeal to the present rapid age because the meaning may be visualized and interpreted at a glance—our Monday cartoon, for example.

Cartoonist Smith combines the talents of the artist, the satirist and the philosopher. He can take a great historical event, or a national episode or a community occurrence and tell the story with a few strokes of his pen so as to impress it forcefully on the minds of his audience. He can tell a solemn truth in a way that brings laughter and even make a bitter pill palatable by its coating of fun. Peeping out of each picture is a moral worth studying.

This recent addition to the staff of the Times and the Telegram has acquired nation-wide fame by his work in philosophy and his art. The readers of this newspaper are certain to enjoy and appreciate his work. All newspapers that wish to keep abreast of the times in appealing to their readers have cartoonists on their staff, and this newspaper, in obtaining the services of one of the country's foremost cartoon artists, is proving its right to be reckoned among those that believe in progress.

FERGUSON'S SISTER VERY ILL AT HASKELL HOME

AUSTIN, March 10.—Former Governor James E. Ferguson left today for Haskell, where his sister, Mrs. F. M. Martin, is reported to be very ill.

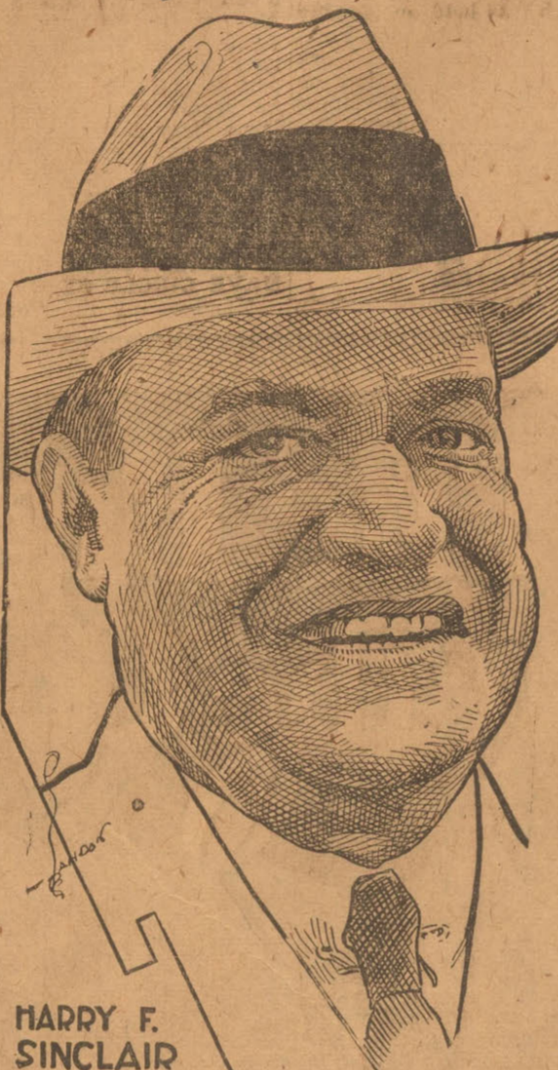
Governor Miriam A. Ferguson was at her desk in the capitol.

New Air Chief



Lieut. Col. James E. Fehet was nominated by Secretary of War Weeks to succeed Brig. Gen. William Mitchell, who reverts to rank of colonel. Fehet is commandant of the advanced flying field at Kelly Field, Texas.

The Way He Feels About It



HARRY F. SINCLAIR

A CHEERFUL FIGHTER, HE

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COOLIDGE GIVES EXPULSION 'O. K.'

President Tentatively Endorses "Freezing Out" Progressives.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—President Coolidge gave tentative approval of the expulsion, by a republican senate majority, of the four insurgent republicans from committee seniorities and chairmanships, it was said at the white house today.

The spokesman for the president said Mr. Coolidge did not regard expulsion of the independents as either punishment or discipline, but rather as the fulfillment of the promises made during the last campaign.

The president was said to feel that the republican party had been placed in power by the votes of the people and should take measures to assure itself of majority rule in congress in response to that mandate.

SENATE AUTHORIZES ELECTION QUERRIES

Resolutions authorizing investigation and election of Samuel E. Bratton, demagogue in New Mexico, Minnesota and Iowa were adopted by the senate today.

Senator Bursum is contesting the election of Samuel E. Bratton, demagogue of New Mexico; Daniel S. Stack is contesting the election of Smith W. Brookhart of Iowa, and Magnus Johnson, farm-laborer, is contesting the election of Thomas Schall of Minnesota.

Million Dollar Prison Relocation Measure Is Engrossed by House

Relocation of the state prison system upon a 10,000-acre tract within 75 miles of the state capital, with provision for a million dollar appropriation to defray the location expenses, was contained in the Texas bill, engrossed by the house late Monday.

Attempts to amend the bill by eliminating the appropriation item and naming the Blue Ridge or other prison farm in the vicinity of Houston as the relocation site were voted down.

Amendments authorizing the location board to use its judgment in the selection of a new prison system site and asking the speaker of the house and president of the senate to appoint the original location board were adopted. The governor, attorney general and state land commissioner were originally named on the board.

TAX MILLIONS UNPAID, CLAIM

Senate Continues Corporations' Revenue Evasions Probe.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The senate committee investigating the internal revenue bureau was called into session today to resume consideration of sensational disclosures that great corporations had evaded payment of millions of dollars of federal taxes.

In calling the committee together again, Senator Couzens announced the evidence was only partially in, and he indicated that new testimony was expected to involve additional corporations of international standing. Meanwhile the personal controversy between Couzens and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, which has flared up so often in the past, again broke out.

Commissioner Blair of the internal revenue bureau said that an examination of the 1918 and 1919 tax records indicated corporations owe \$10,000,000 in back taxes. Couzens expects an answer to be presented immediately to his request that Secretary Mellon furnish some evidence or testimony that the United States Steel corporation has avoided more than \$27,000,000 of government taxes and the Aluminum company of America some \$6,500,000 for improper amortization claims.

The committee holds all hearings behind closed doors and Couzens refuses to divulge any evidence. At various times, however, he files a copy of the testimony with the senate. The big corporations protested that making such evidence public is in violation of the law and Couzens was forced to abandon his old policy of telling after each day's session what had transpired because of the protest. Now he avoids every possible chance of a repetition of this charge.

Eastland Rotarians Outline Many Early County Seat Plans

A number of the leading business and professional men of Eastland delivered addresses at the Eastland Rotary luncheon Monday noon, each of the talks radiating with a spirit of optimism for Eastland and this section of the country. A message from Dr. J. H. Catton, president of the club, and Theodore Ferguson, who are attending the Rotary convention now in session at Galveston, was read to the meeting and stated that the convention was going over fine.

A vote of appreciation was given Jim Beyer, who is leaving Eastland for Schenectady, N. Y., for the work he has done as director of the American Legion Athletic club.

Superintendent W. Z. Bates of the Eastland public schools, in a short talk, urged the support of the Rotarians for the county track meet, which is to be held in this city by the Eastland High school building, was entirely inadequate for the High school needs of the city and should be replaced by a new, larger and more up-to-date one. At the suggestion of Mr. Bates a committee composed of Walter Clark and R. L. Perkins, was appointed to confer with Mr. Bates regarding the matters he had discussed.

Horace Butler, president of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, in the course of a talk made by him, suggested that the Rotary and Lions clubs appoint, from their members who are members of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, committees to represent the clubs in that organization, and J. E. Lewis, E. G. Schreck and Grady Pinkin were appointed to represent the Rotarians. Mr. Butler also stated that he drive for funds for the Chamber of Commerce had been very successful.

Joseph M. Weaver and Alex Clark both made short talks, which were replete with humor and entertainment.

GOVERNOR FERGUSON DENIES MASS. REPORTS

AUSTIN, March 10.—No communication from the governor of Massachusetts relative to attempts to return Albert T. Russell, now in Wichita Falls, Texas, received by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson today. Governor Ferguson refused to accede to the extradition appeal several days ago upon the advice of her husband, thereby creating some dissatisfaction on the part of eastern officials.

No comment was forthcoming from the executive office upon the contents of her letter from the governor of Massachusetts reported in the mails en route to the governor attempting to reopen the case.

Doesn't See Joke



ATLEE POMERENE

Former Ohio United States senator, who opened the government's case against Sinclair yesterday in Federal Judge Blake Kennedy's court at Cheyenne, Wyo., evidently questions doubtfully Harry's cause for jubilant optimism.

Herrin Riots Feared Following Attack on Klansman and Wife

HERRIN, Ill., March 10.—Authorities here today feared new outbreaks in the intermittent warfare between members of the Ku Klux Klan and Klan opponents, as the result of a dynamite explosion last night which seriously injured H. A. Fowler, an acknowledged Klansman, and his wife. Both were in the hospital here today. Mrs. Fowler is still unconscious and doctors said she had little chance for recovery.

The explosion, apparently caused by a dynamite bomb, broke many windows in the neighborhood. The Klan and anti-Klan warfare had been at a standstill since the killing of Glenn Young, Klan leader and prohibition enforcement officer, several weeks ago.

WORK STARTS ON C. G. C. PLANT

Large Force Engaged on Rushing Tract Casinghead Plant.

A force of approximately 100 men are engaged in laying the foundation and doing other preliminary work toward the construction of the casinghead gasoline plant, which the Consolidated Gasoline company is having built on the Rushing tract, four miles west of Eastland, at a cost of several thousand dollars.

This plant is located 600 feet southwest of the Texas Development company's No. 1 Rushing well. It is being constructed on the unit system and will be used first as a booster station for the company's main plant which is located three miles south of Eastland. Additional units are to be added and the plant built into a complete system as soon as the production of gas in that section warrants it.

Two large 220-horse-power Miller engines, said to be the largest of their kind, and other machinery has been ordered and it is understood are now enroute to Eastland. Several carloads of building material, including a carload of cement, have either arrived or are now in transit, it is stated.

Water for operating the plant will be secured from Lake Eastland, the pipe line and pumping station, which cost more than \$10,000, having already been built.

Will Ask \$150,000 Tick Appropriation

AUSTIN, March 10.—Representatives of the Cattle Raisers' association today planned to ask an additional appropriation of \$150,000 for tick eradication. The money would be spent from April to July of this year to protect clean counties and premises from reinfestation, according to Dayton Moses, attorney for the cattle raisers.

Moses said he would seek inclusion of the \$150,000 in the emergency appropriation bill, being prepared today by the appropriations committee in the house.

Previously a request for \$750,000 had been contemplated. Decision to ask for \$150,000 was made following announcement by Jim Ferguson that the sum total of all appropriations must be kept within the state's revenue for the next two years.

JUMPS FROM MONUMENT

BALTIMORE, March 10.—Margaret Koontz, a pretty young woman with brown hair, ended her life here today when she plunged from the top of a high monument. She is said to be the daughter of H. A. Koontz of St. Joseph, Mo. She came to Baltimore an admirer and registered at the Conservatory of Music. A card from the Y. W. C. A. bearing her name identified her. She was about 20 years of age.

THREE COMPANY HEADS ADMITTED "OUT OF REACH"

O'Neill and Blackmer Now in Paris; Stewart On High Seas

By United Press.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 10.—How Harry F. Sinclair and his personal attorney, Col. J. W. Zeverly of Washington, opened negotiations with former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall at his Three-Rivers, New Mexico, home, was detailed to the court in the Teapot Dome trial. Zeverly's deposition was read by Owen J. Roberts, of government counsel.

The testimony told how Sinclair and Zeverly, after seeing Fall at Three Rivers, December 31, 1921, presented a bid, February 3, 1922, for the government, would save its oil from drainage, secure a pipe line and obtain other alleged advantages. Fall announced his decision in a later controversy over provisions of the lease, Zeverly said.

Coincident with the opening of the trial, officials of the Standard Oil company of Indiana reluctantly admitted that Col. Robert Stewart, president of the company, who is desired as a witness by the government, is on the high seas bound for South America. His departure from the country brings the total of oil company officials sought by the government for testimony to three. President Blackmer of the Mid-West Refining company, and former President O'Neill of the Prairie Oil & Gas company, are now in France. Both were sought to throw light on the transfer of more than \$200,000 in Liberty bonds to former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall, the bonds allegedly being the consideration given Fall for the lease of the Teapot Dome to Sinclair.

Speaking of the three witnesses, Roberts said he was not surprised and did not expect any of them would be available when the point in the trial is reached involving the Liberty bonds transaction.

U. S.-JAPANESE POLICY IS NEXT

Arrival of New Ambassador, Matsudaira, Expected Soon

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Important conversations between the United States and Japan will begin soon after the new ambassador Tatsuhiro Matsudaira, arrives in Washington on Wednesday and presents his credentials to President Coolidge.

The new Russo-Japanese treaties, the discriminatory Japanese land ownership bill, and the proposed second Washington arms conference are questions which have arisen in the absence of a Japanese ambassador and are slated for discussion now.

Way in which the two governments can cooperate in putting a final blanket on incendiary propaganda in Japan and the state which will be considered informally in relation to the immigration exclusion act and the American fleet maneuvers in the Pacific.

Although the conversations on the Russo-Japanese treaty will be difficult for both sides to pursue and necessarily unofficial, the government wants to know whether the pact involves any military understanding with the soviets. Japan will try to find out whether this country will recognize Russia and the extent of consignment American business competition with Japanese concession and trade plans in Siberia and Baku.

EASTLAND COURT BILL GETS STRONG SUPPORT

A telegram received in Eastland Monday afternoon from Senator Joe Burckett, who is in Austin, stated that the Eastland appeal court bill had been reported unfavorably in the house, but that a minority report had been made and that the bill would be on the calendar for Wednesday.

The minority vote was 84 to 54. Supporters of the bill are confident that it will pass the house. They say that the vote on the minority report indicates that it has a splendid chance to go over when it is called up for consideration.

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BIBLE THOUGHT.
KEEP THE WORD:—Whoso keepeth the word, in him verily is the love of God perfected; hereby know we that we are in

BORGLUM, THE SCULPTOR.
 Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor, appears to have been separated definitely from his contract to carve a Confederate monument on the face of Stone mountain, near Atlanta, Ga. He has been blamed by the Stone Mountain Memorial association, not for the quality of his work, but for the quantity of it, and has been threatened with criminal prosecution because of the disappearance of models and working plans he is alleged to have destroyed, but the prosecution seems to have been abandoned.

Whether or not Borglum is wholly to blame in this controversy is a matter of opinion. There are two sides, of course, and probably each is deserving of some criticism. On the part of Borglum, it should be remembered that he is an artist and artists are likely to have ways of their own that conflict with the views of practical business men. Borglum's ways have aroused criticism and sometimes these criticisms have been by other artists.

When he made two angels for the Cathedral of St. John the Divine representing Gabriel and Michael, he upset tradition and made them female figures, insisting that they were angels of the annunciation and resurrection, and, being angels, should be female figures because angels were emblematic of sweetness and light. When the cathedral refused to accept them and he was criticized for his work he took a hammer and broke them into pieces. This was 15 years ago.

A few years later he denounced the national art school as a humbug. He criticized the Washington monument as being nothing but an enlargement of Cleopatra's needle and the Lincoln memorial as a \$2,000,000 Greek temple with Lincoln memorial on the door mat.

"We have our own story and ought to write it in our monuments," he said. "This country of ours is the greatest expression of the spirit of the Renaissance, and still we have no epic, no story, scarcely a piece of sculpture. Yet we run back to Europe every fortnight to replenish our ideals."

Borglum resigned from the Association of American Painters and Sculptors and declined to exhibit his work, declaring he would not exhibit "while good men and good work were ignored." He claimed preference given to favorites who did miserable work. "I forgot more about sculptural art over-night than any of your Chicago municipal art commissioners knows in a life-time," he declared when the Chicago commission criticized his statue to the late Governor John P. Altgeld in which he made the figure with hand raised in protection over a man, a woman and a child, typifying the working classes.

It cannot be denied that the gigantic conception of a panorama of Brobdignagian figures carved on the fact of Stone mountain 700 feet high was his conception, and, completed, it would undoubtedly have been one of the wonders of the world. The questions arises: can another sculptor be found who will be able to complete the work as Borglum would have completed it so that it will be really great?

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



WHEN THE NEW MILLINER DROPPED THE HINT THE STORE WINDOW NEEDED WASHING, ALL THE CLERKS ALONG MAIN STREET QUICKLY RESPONDED

TEXANS SHARE NATION'S HONOR

AUSTIN.—An exceptional record was made by students of the University of Texas department of architecture recently when three students were awarded first mentions on a class "A" project sent to the Beaux Arts Institute of New York. The report is considered remarkable since the university has received only two first mentions in the history of the department of architecture. The students receiving first mention for their projects were Hilda Wilms of Columbus, Arthur Fehr of Austin and Gerald Decker of Mission. Miss Edna Wukasch of Austin and William Klein of Gonzales received second mention.

The University of Texas was the only school in the south entering the Beaux Arts competition. Other schools submitting problems were the University of Pennsylvania, Columbia, Chicago, Yale and other eastern schools.

The problem submitted on a private bank and office building was one of the largest and most difficult problems worked out by the students of the architecture department, it is said.

Curtain Club Puts On 'Sister Beatrice'

AUSTIN.—The Curtain club, dramatic organization of the University of Texas, for its winter term play presented Maeterlink's "Sister Beatrice," last Thursday night.

The role of Sister Beatrice, the erring nun, was played by Julia Matthews of Austin, Marian Ball of San Antonio took the part of the Virgin Mary, who substituted for Sister Beatrice during her absence from the convent. Melvin Williamson of Austin played the romantic lover, the Prince Bellador, and Constance Douglas of San Antonio, the part of the abbess of the convent.

Other parts were those of Sister Eglantine, played by Kathleen Burnett of Mt. Sharpe; Sister Clemency, by Lyra Haisley of Sinton; Sister Folicity, by Maxine Hewitt of Dallas.

Society

AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER
 Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor
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Cooking school, 2 to 4 o'clock, Cholson hotel, features luncheon and salads.

Rotary club meets, 12:15 o'clock, Cholson hotel.

Wednesday Bridge meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. D. Conway.

New Era club meets at 2:30 o'clock, Cholson hotel.

WESTMINSTER GUILD HAS SEVERAL PLANS IN VIEW.

An especially delightful session of the Westminster guild of the Presbyterian church was held on Monday afternoon with Mrs. Katherine Potts at her home on Strawn road. Work for the guild was discussed but no definite plans made owing to illness or absence of several members. Delicious refreshments were served in cozy fashion around the dining room table. The next hostess will be announced soon.

FIRST BAPTIST W. M. U. HAS DAY OF PRAYER.

A day of prayer and mission study

was held by the ladies of the First Baptist church on Monday, lunch for the men of the church being served at noon. Interesting talks on the negroes and Africa, general missions, Indians and missions and southern hospitals were given by Mrs. R. H. Hodges, Mrs. Bol Hunt, Mrs. W. S. Adamson and Mrs. Albert Longley.

ST. MARY'S GUILD HAS GOOD BUSINESS SESSION.

A business meeting of St. Mary's guild of the Episcopal church was held in the church on Monday afternoon. Plans were made to complete the Lenten box work assignment sent from Dallas, and the purchase of necessary articles for the church in Ranger was decided upon. It was decided to start a building fund with a portion of the money raised this year by the women of the guild.

REPORTS FROM QUEEN SHOW STANDING OF EACH

Reports from votes on the Queen for the Methodist carnival which is to take place on Saturday, show that Maurine Bowman is leading with 6,000 votes. Laura Schmuck and Marguerite Navocovich each have 4,250 votes. Ludie Brewer comes next with 2,185 and Elizabeth Davenport has 1,600 votes. There has been no report from Jennie B. Rucker, Hilda Gray did not accept the nomination and Mary Edo Davenport withdrew on account of the fire which burned her votes when her home was destroyed.

CENTRAL BAPTIST W.M.U. HAVE CIRCLE SESSIONS

Members of the Central Baptist

W. M. U. met in regular session on Monday afternoon, circles one and two at the home of Mrs. Cross, where a lesson on China was interestingly given by Mrs. J. M. White. Mrs. J. C. Pierson entertained circle three, where a fine Bible lesson was given by Mrs. L. McNeill. Refreshments were served by both hostesses.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY HAS MISSION STUDY SESSION.

The ladies of the Presbyterian auxiliary attended a mission study program on Monday afternoon at the clubrooms. The subject was American Indians, with Mrs. G. D. Robison as leader. Interesting talks on the subjects were made by Miss Annie Hogan, Mrs. Saunders Gregg and Mrs. Robison.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY STUDIES BIBLE.

A Bible lesson under the direction of Mrs. A. W. Turner, was studied Monday at the regular meeting of the Methodist missionary society. The new books on China, entitled "Ming Kwong" were given out and the topics assigned for the next meeting which promises to be an interesting one.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. A. C. Brigham of Cheboygan, Wis., is the charming guest of her daughter, Mrs. Gifford Clegg, bringing with her a dear little grand-daughter, Eloise Reinmann. This is Mrs. Brigham's third visit to Ranger, and friends made here in former visits will be glad to welcome her back.

'THE BRIDGE OF SIGHS' AT LAMB THEATRE, RANGER

Dorothy Mackall has the feature role on "The Bridge of Sighs," the Warner Bros. production that is being shown at the Lamb theatre, Ranger, this afternoon, tonight and tomorrow. This popular favorite is supported by a cast that includes Creighton Hale, Alec B. Francis, Richard Tucker and Ralph Lewis. "The Bridge of Sighs" is the story of a reckless spendthrift son of the president of a steamship company. He steals a sum of money from his father's office and a trusted employe is sent to jail for it. The young man is remorseful and about to confess, but his father, who knows and fears the effect of the confession on the boy's mother, has him shanghaied to spend a year on board one of his ships. The innocent employe goes to jail. Returning later, the young son finds his moral salvation through his love for the daughter of the man who suffered for his crime and the story unfolds to a dramatic conclusion.

Mrs. F. E. Outlaw of Sweetwater is visiting friends and relatives in Ranger.

G. T. Bowman left today on the Sunshine for Wichita Falls and Houston on a business trip.

SAN ANTONIO.—Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers' convention to be held March 17, 18 and 19.

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COOKING SCHOOL DAILY DRAWS ADDED THRONGS FOR LESSONS

Today was one of the great days in the Ranger Cooking school, and a larger crowd than had been at any previous meeting, gathered to listen to the cake demonstration, and watch Mrs. Chitwood in her skillful manipulation of cake mixtures, frostings and delicate ornamental designs.

Last season Mrs. Chitwood featured the wild rose, five petal decoration for frosted cakes. This year she is using the rolled rose leaf which makes an especially lovely and effective design. In mixing the dough she uses a slatted mixture or her favorite wooden hand which is cooler than the natural hand and an excellent mixer. She made an inexpensive but delicious cake called the "One Minute Cake," also an elaborate and expensive stuffed angelfood cake, using with the former a new buttermilk frosting, and with the latter a special glycerine frosting used only for delicate and especially fine cakes.

One-Minute Cake.

3 egg yolks
1 cup brown sugar
1/4 cup Crisco
1/2 cup milk
2 cups flour
2 cups dates cut in small cubes
2 teaspoons Calumet baking powder
Juice and grated rind of one orange

Put ingredients in bowl and beat all together, using a wooden cake spoon. Bake in Criscoed cake pan for 45 minutes.

Buttermilk Frosting.

1 cup buttermilk
1 cup sugar
But buttermilk and sugar in granite saucepan, let boil until mixture strings a thread from six to eight inches in length. Remove from range and beat until of right consistency to spread.

Angelfood Cake.

1 1/2 cup egg whites (9 to 11 eggs)
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 1/2 cups fine granulated sugar (sifted twice)
1 cup flour, sifted once, measured then sifted four times
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/2 teaspoon rose or almond extract.

Four egg whites on a large platter, add salt and beat with a flat egg beater until foamy. Add cream of tartar and continue beating until the eggs are stiff, but not dry. Fold in the sugar, one tablespoonful at a time. Add flavoring. Fold in the flour in the same manner as the sugar. Pour in an ungreased cake tin of a special construction so as to permit a knife being inserted under the bottom of the cake. Bake in a very slow oven 50 to 60 minutes, increasing heat slightly when cake is almost done. Remove cake from oven and invert tin for one hour, or until cake is cold. Remove cake from tin with a broad-bladed knife. Two tablespoons of cold water may be substituted for two egg whites with good results. One-half of the recipe may be used to make a small angel cake, and the egg yolks which are left to make a butter cake.

Decorative Icings.

2 1/2 cups granulated sugar
1 cup cold water
1/2 teaspoon glycerine
4 egg whites
Let two cups of sugar stand in cold water until dissolved, then

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place on stove, bring to boil and boil until it threads in strings six to eight inches long. While boiling keep sides of container washed down with brush or mop dipped in water. While syrup is boiling beat eggs and every time eggs are left to attend to syrup add to egg whites one tablespoon of boiling syrup to keep it from liquifying. Keep this up until the eggs are beaten stiff. Just before they become stiff add one-half teaspoon of glycerine and the other one-half cup of sugar. The sugar is added to give the desired texture and the glycerine to give lustre to the surface and moisture to the underneath. Slowly add the boiling syrup to the beaten whites, beating constantly until they hold their shape.

Color all of the separate parts with the Burnett color powders or any good coloring and flavor any desired flavor; or flavoring can be put in cake and none in frosting. Put icing on in desired shapes with tubes of various sizes.

The stuffing of the angelfood cake was a difficult and delicate process. The cake was removed from the tin and the center cut out leaving one-half inch margin at the outer edge and also around the stem. From the top of the piece removed another half inch was cut which later was replaced as a cover after the filling had been inserted. The filling was made as follows:

Filling for Angelfood.
1 cup of heavy cream, whipped
1/2 cup fine chopped nut meats
2 tablespoons granulated gelatine
1/2 cup peach juice, from canned fruit
1/4 cup sugar.

Dissolve gelatine in four tablespoons of water, add to peach juice which has been brought to boiling point. Whip the cream, add sugar and nuts, and lastly fold in the dissolved gelatine and peach juice. Cut out center of angelfood cake, fill in cavity with above filling and replace one-half inch cover of cake. Ice as desired and place in ice box to congeal filling. This cake when cold slices beautifully and makes a novel and delicious dessert.

Amarillo Appreciative.
During class on Monday Mrs.

Chitwood opened a prettily beehived package which she said had been given her by the embroidery club of Amarillo, and disclosed a set of dainty, hand-embroidered cap-towers which were presented to her by the ladies of the Amarillo club as a token of appreciation for her school there.

On Wednesday Mrs. Chitwood will feature in her demonstrations a peacock luncheon and various salads.

ROBSTOWN.—New postoffice building rapidly nearing completion.

LEE ORNDORFF SELLS RANGER BRICK STORE

Lee Orndorff of El Paso, who has been in Ranger several days, announced today he had closed a deal for the sale of his one-story brick building on Pine street near Marston, 50 feet front by 80 deep. The consideration is not stated and Mr. Orndorff said he was not at liberty to tell who had bought the property. This is the building in which the

Western Union Telegraph company has had its Ranger offices for the last few years.

Mr. Orndorff also owns a strip of land on Main street between Austin and Marston, having a frontage of 100 feet on Main street and extending back to the alley. This tract was swept by fire last July, when flames that destroyed the McCleskey hotel extended to and destroyed the garage and several small store buildings adjoining. Mr. Orndorff said he had no definite plans to improve the property, that he might sell it or he might lease it to parties to build a garage on it.

During the oil boom days in Ranger, Mr. Orndorff made his temporary home here and established the Texas Bank and Trust company, of which he was president and manager. He sold it, he said, before the collapse of the boom. His mother,

Mrs. C. DeGroff of El Paso, owns the DeGroff hotel building in Ranger at Marston and Pine streets.

Contractors Begin On Breckenridge Building

BRECKENRIDGE, March 10.—Contractors began Monday on the construction of a double building at North Baylor avenue and East Walker street for B. S. Walker and C. M. Caldwell. It will be built of brick and cost between \$10,000 and \$20,000. It is to be completed within 90 days.

The building occupied by the Thompson Hardware company, owned by Fred W. Frost, is being rebuilt and remodeled. It is to be a two-story structure, 55 by 100 feet and will have a new front. Improvements will cost about \$14,000.

DALLAS.—"White way" to be installed on Jefferson avenue, Oak Cliff.

DALLAS.—Elks to rebuild lodge building at 1505 Commerce street, damaged by fire recently.

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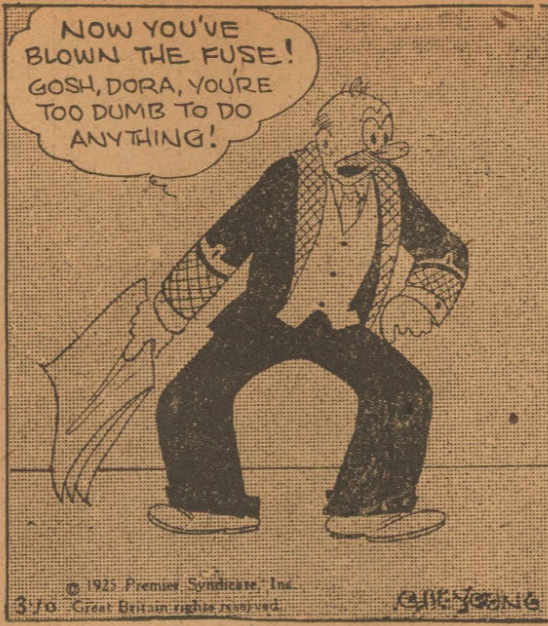
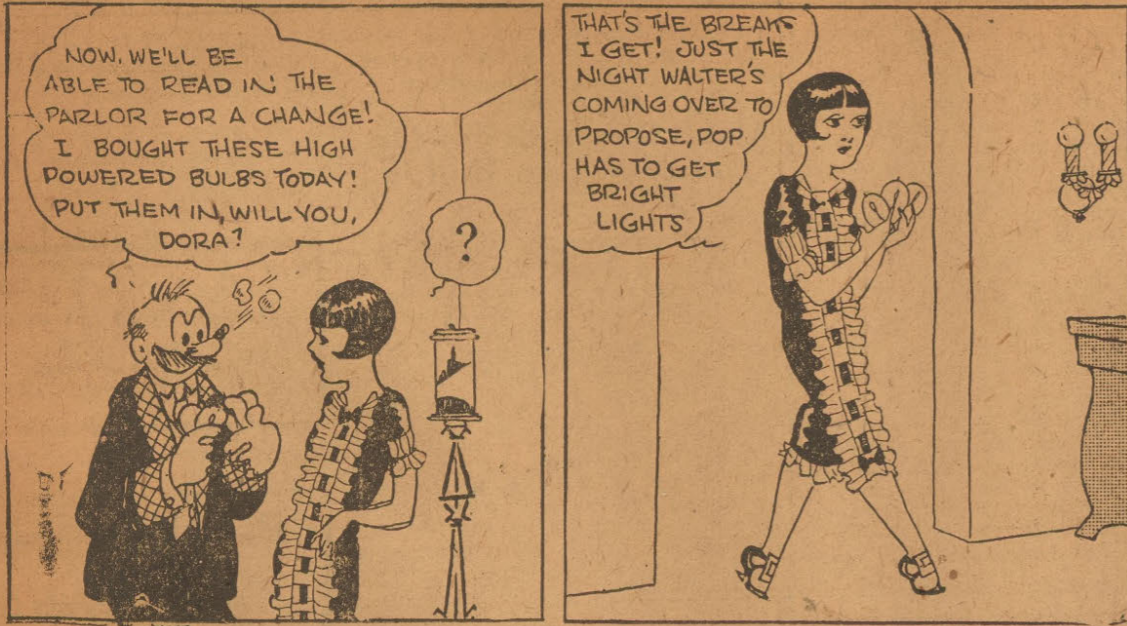
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 WANTED—Girl for housework. Phone 37, Ranger.

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 FOR RENT—Room, with or without board. Gentlemen preferred. Reasonable. Mrs. Rose McKinzie, So. Austin, Ranger.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT
 FOR RENT—Three-room house on paved street; \$12.50. Call Ranger Shoe Store, Ranger.
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13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.
 FOR SALE CHEAP—Conn low-pitch gold bell slide trombone, in A-1 shape; case goes with it. See Benge, Texas Drug store, Ranger.

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 Roy Wyatt and Miss Lila Knight, Carbon.
 Water E. Lowery and Mrs. Ethel Doohan, Clarksville, Texas.

OLDEN REPORTS MANY VISITORS

OLDEN, March 10.—Mrs. Frank Sharp died of pneumonia about 4 o'clock Saturday morning. She was buried at Eastland cemetery Saturday afternoon. Funeral services were preached by O. T. Hunt of Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Friday. They named him T. W.

Mrs. B. F. Cayce has been quite ill the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Atkins and children were week-end guests of Mrs. Atkins' parents at Comanche. Miss Rebecca Wright has returned home from a two-weeks visit with relatives in Haskell county.

Miss Henry Russell and friend of Putnam visited friends in Olden Sunday.

Charles Adams of Oklahoma has been visiting his brother, Robert Atkins, here the past week.

Mrs. Stephen was able to take charge of her school room here today, after several weeks of illness. Little Christine Barker is able to be out again. She received a severe cut on the leg when she ran into some wire while playing last week.

Mrs. Roy Woodall spent the past two weeks visiting her sister in Abilene.

Jim Ferguson and family have moved back to Olden.

Shirley and Major, the two small children of Dr. Vaughn, fell in the slush pit near the Baptist church Friday night and it took several ladies to get them out. They were on their way to the Parent-Teacher association meeting at the church and didn't see the slush pit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McNeil and children of Clyde, were guests of Mrs. McNeil's sister, Mrs. J. L. Brashear, and family, Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Howell underwent a serious operation at the Richardson sanitarium Saturday.

Misses Ida, Mamie, Annie and Carrie Langlitz and brother, Charlie, of Goldthwaite, visited their brother, C. J. Langlitz, here Sunday.

Mrs. George Ford is back in Olden from Marlin, much improved.

Miss Lucille Bennett of Graham was a guest of her cousin, Virginia Gibbs, here Sunday.

Miss Iona Lamb of Eastland spent the week-end in Olden.

Denison Cumberland, who is attending Howard Payne college at Brownwood, accompanied his father,

Rev. Cumberland, to fill his appointment here Sunday and spoke at the evening service.

George Ford, who has been quite ill from a strain, is slightly improved.

BAPTIST PLAYERS REHEARSE TONIGHT
 Members of the Boethian and Fidelas classes of the Central Baptist church who are to take part in the play to be given the latter part of this month for the benefit of the Ranger band, are to meet in the church annex at 7:30 o'clock tonight to begin their rehearsals. Mrs. Marian Peters, who will direct the play will be present to assign the parts.

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Hunt's Washington Letter

BY HARRY B. HUNT
 NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON — The farmer has been framed again, in the opinion of Senator Arthur Capper.

Two-dollar wheat did it. Wheat at \$2 a bushel, Capper thinks, was largely responsible for the brakes being applied to proposed agricultural relief measures, pending in Congress.

The result was the failure of Congress to enact the recommendations of the president's agricultural commission, by which the administration's pledge to agriculture was to have been redeemed.

Interests hostile to farm relief, Capper charges, with \$2 wheat as a club, hammered home the idea that there was not and never had been a real farm problem justifying the overhauling of the machinery of farm marketing.

"According to these claimants," says Capper, "the farmer is now a Croesus, luxuriating in the golden stream of \$2 wheat."

"But this is not a true picture. Speculators and gamblers, not the wheat growers, reaped this Chicago wheat pit harvest."

"The facts are that last year's wheat crop brought the wheat farmer between \$1 and \$1.25, and net the \$2 he is now credited with getting."

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"But the farmer sold his wheat

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Says Dallas Man Did \$50,000 Heart Hurt

DALLAS, March 10.—Miss Annie Hoover Winters of Elizabethtown, Pa., has asked \$50,000 heart balm in a breach of promise suit against William Lloyd Griswold, Dallas business man, filed here today.

Miss Winters avers Griswold promised three years ago to marry her and "wrote her a thousand love letters." The petition says he then married a Dallas widow, Mrs. Allen, but even after that continued to write to Miss Winters, never revealing his marriage.

HOUSTON.—Oil production in Jim Hogg field increased by two wells producing 1,500 and 1,000 barrels per day.

EL PASO.—New lighting system to be installed on Texas street.

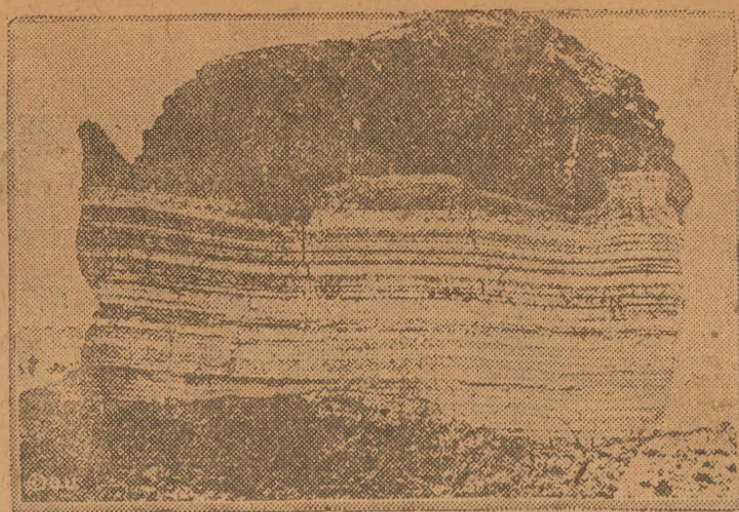
GEORGETOWN.—Southwestern university to have new girls' dormitory.

Dallas building permits for first six weeks of 1925 totaled \$4,182,213.

ELECTRA.—Grading started at new race tracks; grandstand and track will cost \$50,000.

WAXAHACHE.—Plans completed for erection of \$50,000 Masonic temple.

Where the Name Comes From



The above picture shows the unique formation on the Wyoming oil leases which gave them the name "Teapot Dome." Years, perhaps centuries of erosion have worn the stone mountain until it now resembles a huge teapot.

Chronological Development Teapot Dome Investigation

May 31, 1921—Naval oil lands transferred from navy to interior department, signed by President Harding. March 4, 1922—Fall resigns. Goes to Europe with Sinclair. Nov. 30, 1922—Carl Maceo, New Mexico editor, testifies Fall told him in 1920 that he was completely broke. He further told of great expenditures made on ranch. Dec. 8, 1922—F. B. Doherty testified he expected to make \$100,000,000 profit out of lease of Reserve No. 1. Dec. 26, 1922—Secretary Fall writes letter to Senator Lenroot in which he said the gentleman from whom he had obtained \$100,000 was E. B. McLean, Washington (D. C.) editor. Jan. 8, 1924—McLean confirms Fall's story. Jan. 11, 1924—McLean changes his mind and repudiates Fall's story about \$100,000 loan and says checks were returned uncashed. Jan. 11, 1924—Archie Roosevelt says Wahlberg, secretary to Sinclair, told him to get out and save his good name. Jan. 24, 1924—E. L. Doheny testifies that it was he who gave Fall the \$100,000 because "we have been friends for more than 30 years." Jan. 26, 1924—J. W. ... testified that Sinclair lent \$25,000 in Liberty bonds to Fall without security. Jan. 28, 1924—Senate resolutions demand Denby resign and cancellation of oil lease. Jan. 29, 1924—President Coolidge appoints Gregory and Strawn as special counsel in oil leases. Feb. 1, 1924—Senate committee opposes appointment of Gregory and Strawn. Feb. 2, 1924—Fall refuses to testify. Feb. 19, 1924—Coolidge withdraws Gregory and Strawn and appoints Pomerene and Roberts. Feb. 19, 1924—Denby Resigned. March 13, 1924—Pomerene and Roberts appeared in federal court at Cheyenne, Wyo., and asked temporary injunction against Sinclair to cancel oil leases. March 18, 1924—Similar steps taken in Los Angeles against Doheny on Elk Hills lease. March 27, 1924—Sinclair indicted for contempt by grand jury in District of Columbia. March 9, 1925—Reopening of hearing for cancellation of oil leases at Cheyenne, Wyo. (Copyright 1925 NEA Service, Inc.)

Abilene's Policemen Jolt Juvenile Trio's Movie Land Ambitions

Special Correspondence. ABILENE, March 10.—Chester Robertson, 15, Ruth Robertson, 13, and Kenneth Robertson, 9, brothers and sister, who left here on foot last Saturday for the California coast, where they hoped to become movie stars, were stopped in Sweetwater by the police and have been returned to their home here. They left with 75 cents, were given several rides and \$1.50 on the way, and felt so cheerful upon arriving in Sweetwater that they attended a movie show before seeking the local hotel, where they were taken into custody. The two older members of the party wanted to continue their journey but the curly-headed youngster had changed his mind. "I don't want to go to California; I want to go home to mother," he freely confessed.

Corsicana—Navarro county to spend \$7,000,000 on road construction.

Lubbock—Improvements at Texas Tech college well under way.

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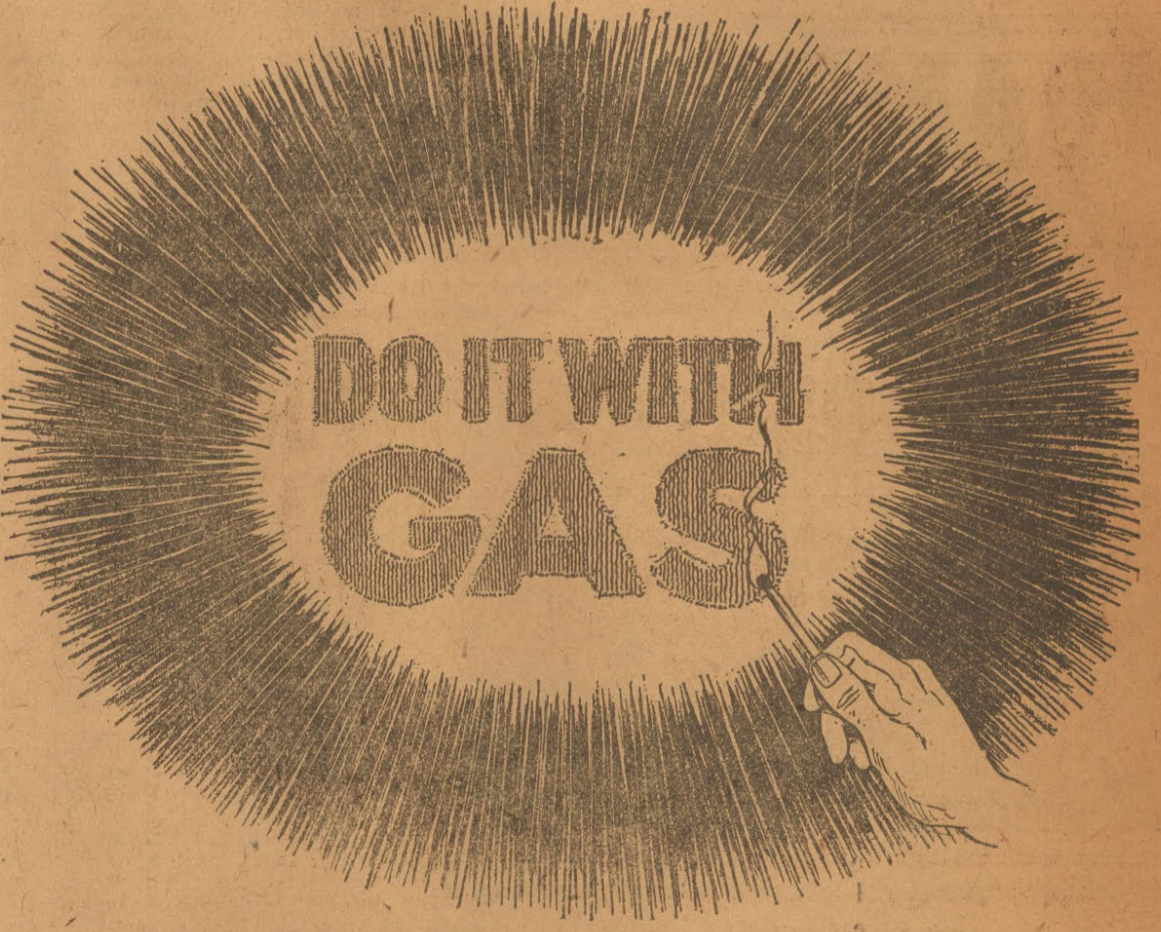
Del Cox Grocery EASTLAND



It's spring, beautiful spring, when you feel so darn lazy you don't give a dang. The sap is flowing in the trees, there is a weakness in our knees, we've shed our heavy beeveteeze. In the Tennessee mountains a dude is a man who gets his hair cut in March instead of April. Oh, what is so rare as a day in June? Our guess is a player piano in tune. An Alabama dude is a man who cuts a chew of tobacco with his knife instead of biting it off. In Mississippi, a lazy man is one who hasn't energy enough to make his boys go to work. "You never can tell when a woman's going to change her mind." That's a new song. We can. "Always." And if you don't know why one changes her mind it's because "be, cause." We kicked the moth out of our bathing suit last night. He had eaten a hole big enough to make six doughnuts. In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of nothing. Sometimes a reckless spender starts out and ends on the rocks and sometimes he ends on the rock pile. The first sign of spring is a bathing girl on a magazine cover. (Copyright, 1925, NEA Service, Inc.)

Eight States Send Students to Abilene

A recent investigation of the records found in the office of Abilene Christian college shows that the students of A. C. C. have homes in eight different states of the union, besides the District of Columbia and the republic of Mexico. In point of numbers, Oklahoma leads the outside states in students furnished as 11 of the Sooner natives are now on the roll. New Mexico follows with seven and third place is a draw between Arkansas and Alabama with four each. Tennessee, Ohio and Montana contribute one student each.



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PIGEON RAISING FASCINATES

Traveling Salesman, His Wife and Daughter, Joined by a Sister Lured From School Room, Tell Marvelous Story of Their Highly Profitable Adventure in Ranger.

In line with the doctrine of "diversity," long urged on farms of Texas who had come to believe that cotton was the only agricultural product in the world, one breeder of fine chickens, namely, C. E. Slack, who established himself in a suburb of Ranger to demonstrate the possibility of making a fortune by producing poultry and its products, turned to pigeons as a companion industry and is making such a success with them that they have become more important than the chickens.

Profits From Start. Beginning with a few pairs of pigeons only a little more than one year ago, having some additional pairs from time to time and rearing others, Mr. Slack's pens now contain

to have a second million and so kept right on working. At present, however, his goal is 2,000 pigeons.

Farmerly a Salesman. Mr. Slack formerly made his home in Minnesota. He was a traveling salesman and his work took him to every part of the country. He made frequent visits to Texas and became attached to the state. Like many others, he was attracted by the oil boom and came to Ranger when the oil fever was at its height. He was not seeking oil himself, but it appeared to him that Ranger had a glowing future. He saw a large immediate demand for poultry and its products and, having long had a fondness for chickens, decided to engage in that industry.

Wife Cooperates. On a wooded knoll about three miles southwest of town, Mr. Slack bought a tract of land on which the former owner had laid the foundation for a dwelling house. Mrs. Slack joined him and together they completed the house, changing the plans somewhat to suit their views. About the land they constructed a fence that is second only to the fences built by the big oil companies about their camps, the posts being of piping anchored in concrete and closely woven wire reaching to a height of about seven feet.

Model Farm. They built poultry houses, piped water over the ground, bringing it from the hilltop 100 yards or so distant, where the water rises in the well to within 20 or 25 feet of the surface and is lifted the rest of the way by a gasoline engine into a tank, from which it flows by gravity to the faucets, and laid out a model poultry farm. They introduced their favorite breeds of chickens, the Plymouth Rock, and also some turkeys, but later found their 16 acres under fence was not large enough for turkeys.

Daughter Cooperates. Mr. and Mrs. Slack were joined by their daughter, Mrs. Katherine Potts, and they had success with their chickens. But it was arduous work and Mr. Slack was not physically able to do all he wished to do. His wife and daughter gave able assistance and together they overcame many difficulties, and still they were unable to make the progress they wished. Having their attention attracted by pigeons, they gave careful thought and study to pigeons as an auxiliary industry and decided to try it on a small scale. They invested in a few pairs of White King and a few pairs of Red Carneaux, the latter a slightly larger bird, but the former, according to Mr. Slack, a little better breeder.

Pigeons Easily Raised. From the very first they found much to confirm their belief that they had made a good choice. Pigeons are seldom sick, they keep themselves clean and if their pens are cleaned at intervals they are never troubled with insect pests. A pair of pigeons, once mated, remain mated for life; there is no fickleness or divorce among them. They are models of constant devotion to each other and although many may dwell together in one pen, none ever casts covetous eyes on the mate of another; none ever becomes a philanderer.

Crop In Two Months. The Slacks found little difficulty in transforming their chicken houses into pigeon pens. The pens are sufficiently large to house 12 to 15 pairs. Each variety is kept in separate pens. Each pair lays two eggs and hatches two young birds a month. The male and female together feed their young all they can eat and within three weeks the squabs are large enough to weigh one pound each. Killed and feathers picked, all ready to be shipped to market, 13 of these squabs will average 12 pounds.

Fifty-Fifty Workers. Pigeons have one habit that is not known to be shared by other birds. The male and the female both sit on the nest to hatch the eggs. The male occupies the nest from 10 o'clock in the morning until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the female from 4 p. m. until 10 the next morning. "They are so regular in their time you can almost set your watch by them," said Mr. Slack.

Strong Market Demand. While adding steadily to their pens, Mr. and Mrs. Slack always make each month several shipments to market. They ship to Chicago, but claim there is a steady demand in virtually every large city. The Chicago commission house with which they deal recently announced they were in the market for one-half million squabs.

"If shipped a carload, this Chicago dealer would receive them gladly," said Mr. Slack. Payment is always made immediately upon receipt, the standard price being about 85 cents a pound. "I never had a three-weeks-old chicken. I could sell for 85 cents a pound," said Mr. Slack. "I never saw a three-weeks-old chick that would weigh one pound."

Give Little Trouble. The pigeons give little trouble. Each pen is about six feet in depth and four feet in width. The backs of the pen are to the north. A window at the south side opens into a little run about ten feet long enclosed by wire on top and at sides. This gives the pigeons all the exercise they need and they cannot fly away. Fresh grain is placed in each pen daily, and fresh water always is kept in the yards, being renewed several times each day. The pens are cleaned at regular intervals and in the springtime it is desirable to paint the pens and the nests with an anti-insect solution.

Mate At Six Months. Young pigeons not intended for the market are removed from the parent birds when a little more than three weeks old and placed in a larger pen to themselves. They mate when about six months old and then are placed in the nesting pens.

Becoming producers, so early, they score once more over chickens, which do not become producers until about one year old. Mr. and Mrs. Slack have named their farm "Acorn Acres." It is located on the Bankhead highway, which, since it has been paved, gives them a fine road right to their door.

Climate Delights. "But when we came here we had a hard time going into Ranger or coming home if the road was muddy," said Mrs. Slack. "We did not like it so well here then as we do now, but we have always liked Ranger and the people. We think this is the most delightful climate we have ever known."

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Grid for crossword puzzle No. 164. The grid consists of a 10x10 array of squares. Some squares are shaded black, indicating they are not to be filled. The numbers 1 through 54 are placed in the starting squares of the words to be solved.

Give yourself 10 minutes to solve this puzzle. It's simple enough to complete in less time.

- HORIZONTAL
1. Dexterous.
6. Very close.
11. Part of a hammer.
12. To dip in liquid.
14. A tree.
15. Cushion.
16. Piles.
18. Knock.
19. Printer's measure.
20. A child's toy (pl.).
22. To exist.
23. Organs of the head.
24. Corrodes.
26. Mock.
28. Steps over a fence.
30. Eagle.
31. Born.
32. Having knobs.
35. Garden flower (pl.).
38. A rake.
39. To look for.
40. Negative.
42. Loose upper garment.
44. A parent.
45. Expire.
47. Intersection of two arches.
48. Electrified atom.
49. North American deer.
50. A conjunction.
51. To worry.
52. A grain.
53. A kind of tree.
54. Units of type measure.

Billy Evans Says

KEEN STRUGGLE COMPETITION in the American League promises to be unusually keen this season.

Stanley Harris, manager of the world champs, Washington, says he is positive his club will repeat and prove the victory was deserved rather than in the nature of a fluke, as many experts contend. Miller Higgins believes the Yankees are certain to come back. Connie Mack is confident the Athletics have finally arrived and will be a contender. Ty Cobb is hopeful Detroit will realize one of the few ambitions he hasn't attained in baseball, managing a pennant winner. Eddie Collins, newest of the major league leaders, says Chicago will not finish last as they did in 1924. Lee Cobb is equally sure the Red Sox of Boston will not finish in the cellar. Tris Speaker insists he has a first division club and George Sisler is hopeful the changes made in the Browns will produce a winner.

Some one is wrong in their deductions. It has been definitely proved that only four clubs can finish in the first division.

It is the uncertainty of baseball that enables it to retain its popularity. The coming season presents many unusual situations.

What will Eddie Collins do as manager of the Chicago White Sox? Conceded to be one of the brainiest players in the history of the game will he succeed as manager? I feel sure that he will.

Stanley Harris set a tough precedent for first-year managers when he won a pennant and a world series in his debut. I look for no such a happening from Collins. He hasn't the club to turn the trick.

"The White Sox will not finish last," is the only statement that he has made so far. Last season the Sox reposed in the cellar at the finish.

That statement is characteristic of Collins. He is far more inclined to feel his way rather than splurging. When Collins says his club is too good to finish last he is confident of the fact.

I will be greatly disappointed if Collins fails to win a ranking among the truly great managers of the game. He knows his stuff.

George Sisler's Case. Next in importance, perhaps, is the case of George Sisler. At things considered, he made a most remarkable comeback last season after a year of idleness, due to eye trouble.

However, he was not the Sisler of old. His batting average dropped over 100 points. He just finished inside the 300 mark. Sisler says he will hit at least 40 points better this year. If he does the chances of the Browns will be greatly enhanced.

What about Walter Johnson? Will the big fellow be able to have another big year, thereby retaining the great honors that finally came his way in the world series? In a sense the status of Johnson is almost as uncertain as that of Sisler. He has tasted of baseball's greatest glory and must step very fast to retain that prestige.

There are some who believe that Walter is tarrying a bit too long, that he should have retired as baseball's greatest hero.

It is very possible that Johnson may early demonstrate that he is far from through. If so, well and good.

APPROPRIATION BILL IS PASSED

AUSTIN, March 10.—The senate late Monday passed finally the miscellaneous appropriation bill carrying a total of \$400,278.64. It includes \$274,182 to pay 1926 and 1927 interest on the state's public debt, and \$20,000 to pay the heirs of Gen. T. J. Chambers for the land on which the state capitol stands, taken by condemnation by the Republic of Texas and never paid for.

Senator Murphy obtained an amendment after Lieutenant Governor Miller had voted to break a tie cutting out an item of \$22,578.52 to reimburse the American National Bank of Austin for money advanced to complete two A. & M. college buildings. Murphy claimed it was an effort to make the state pay for contractors' losses because of increased war prices.

SWEETWATER BUILDING MOVEMENT UNDER WAY

SWEETWATER, March 10.—Contractors this week began constructing the five-inch concrete base on the first block of North Pine street, which is to be paved from Third to Twelfth street. Grading and rolling of the street was completed last week. City hall records show that forty new dwelling houses and other structures have been built here since the first of the year.

AUSTIN.—Department of agriculture credits Texas with billion-dollar farm crop for 1924. Cotton alone was worth \$534,240,000, and corn \$86,020,000.

HERE'S ANSWER

To Yesterday's Brain-Twister
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ENTAILS AIRLINE
STAG LAIN ORAL
THREW ROD SWELL
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EXIT BEGAN BUYS
N GIG MIX FAR'S
DRIP DONEE DATA
SAD HEN SOW LAY
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TEARS FIR DEPOT
ALEE MANIA DARE
CERATED BLOATED
TROD TERSE LETS

HOUSTON.—Sinclair Pipe Line company will increase delivery capacity from 10,000 to 30,000 barrels daily.

JUNCTION.—Schreiner institute will build \$60,000 dormitory for new students.

IRRITABLE, CRYING CHILDREN OFTEN FAULT OF MOTHER

Baby's Delicate, Tiny System Needs Plenty of Nourishment to Develop Into Healthy, Contented, Normal Child. Tie a string around your finger and see what happens. The whole hand will soon begin to ache and throb with pain. The finger cannot receive nourishment and strength from the body and if the string is left on long enough the finger will weaken and shrivel up.

The same thing happens when any other part of the body is cut off from its normal supply of food and life-giving blood. If left alone, disorders of the human system result in the same weakening and withering process. So-called disorders of women are virtually strings tied around the female organs, which cut them off from their source of invigorating and vital nourishment. You cannot see the string but you can feel it because it soon shows itself in such distressing symptoms as headaches, backaches, nervousness, nausea, pains in the sides and lower limbs, cramps and that dreadful tired and worn-out feeling of depression, so common among weak and undernourished women. Kidneys, liver and bladder troubles are the inevitable result of neglecting this condition too long.

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CISCO BUILDING GUTTED BY FIRE

Golfers Employ Instructor; Aged Pioneer Is Dead.

Special Correspondence.
CISCO, March 10.—The funeral services of Mrs. Ellen J. Fobe, who died in this city Saturday, were held at Scranton Monday, with interment in the Scranton cemetery.

Building Gutted.
A building at the corner of E. avenue and Sixth street, belonging to J. A. Dowdy of Stanton and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Alabrook as a hotel, was gutted by fire about 9 o'clock Monday morning. The fire, which is believed to have originated in the kitchen, spread rapidly and the ceiling was ready to fall in when the fire department reached the scene. The furniture, said to have carried \$15,000 insurance, was partially saved. The building was insured for \$20,000. E. J. Josey, 82, father of Mrs. J. L. Shepherd of Cisco, died Saturday at Huntsville after a continued illness of some months duration.

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Golf Instructor Employed.
Cisco golf enthusiasts have secured the services of Floyd Boone, a professional golf player, to instruct them in playing golf and much interest is being aroused in the game.

community and Mrs. Edith Richardson of Cisco were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Webb, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Booth will make their home on the groom's farm in the Bluff Branch community.

Harold Keller, an employe of the Texas company, has been transferred to Albany and left Monday for that place.

Mrs. Bill McDonald of Eastland is spending a few days with relatives in Cisco.

Benny Mount, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mount, is suffering from a fractured right arm sustained when he fell from a giant slide at the West ward school grounds.

DR. E. BRUCE GILBERT IS DEAD AT PRESIDIO

Dr. E. B. (Bruce) Gilbert, formerly a practicing physician of Eastland county and who for many years made his home at Carbon and Gorman, died recently at Presidio, Texas, of pneumonia. His remains were shipped to Carbon where funeral services and burial took place Monday afternoon.

Dr. Gilbert was the son of Gus Gilbert, pioneer stockman and farmer living south of Carbon. He was a brother of Mrs. L. A. White of Cisco and of Mrs. W. B. White of Carbon. He also has a brother and sister, Walter Gilbert and Mrs. Wallace Seastrunk, who do not live in this section.

CHAMBER DIRECTORS TO MEET THURSDAY

Ranger Chamber of Commerce directors are to meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock in their new quarters on the ground floor of the Guaranty bank building. Secretary C. C. Patterson is expected back from Fort Worth, where he has been helping proclaim Eastland county's agricultural wealth to the visitors at the fat stock show, and will present a number of matters requiring the board's attention.

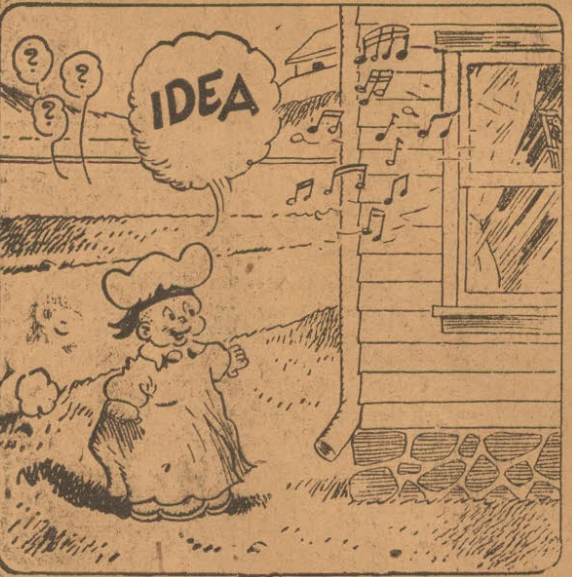
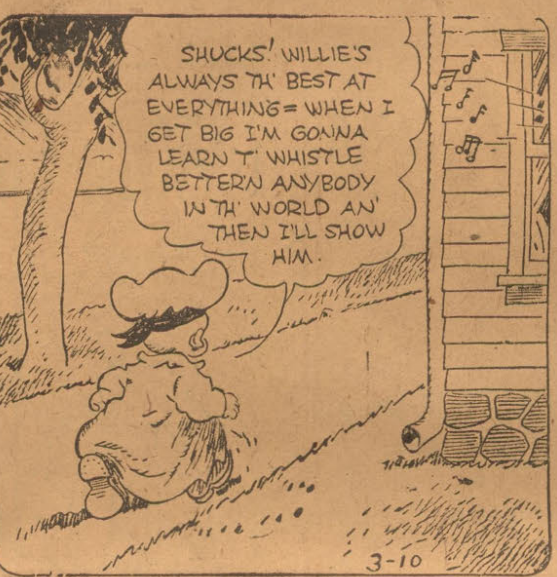
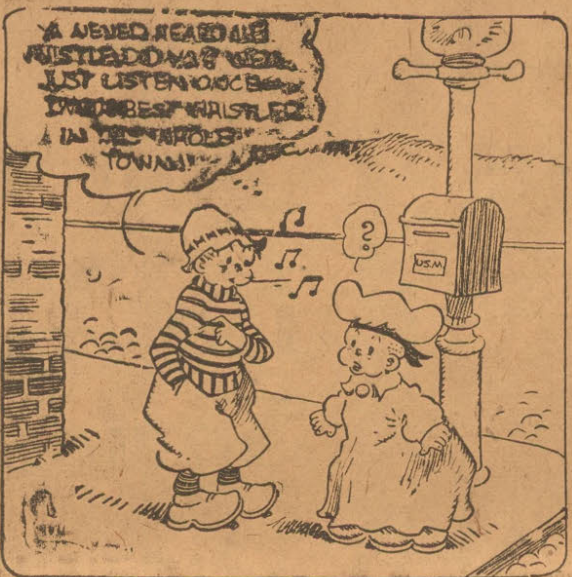
All directors are urged by President John M. Gholson to be present.

The world crop of wheat for 1924 is estimated to be 440,000,000 bushels short, and the total rye crop is 320,000,000 bushels short of the 1923 yield of 1,494,688,000 bushels.

MOMMY POP



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



MARY JANE'S MERRY JOURNEYS IN THE ENCHANTED FOREST



Mary Jane Wanted a Coat Like the Wild Paard.

Mary Jane greatly admired their beautiful striped coats and wished very much that she had one

IN one of the wooded glades of the Enchanted Forest Mary Jane came upon a small herd of Wild Paard. They look very much like mules, thought Mary Jane, but the beautiful dark brown stripes which ran all around their cream white bodies made her decide that they actually were Zebras.

She wished she might pat them on the neck, but they were very shy and Mary Jane had a hard time getting very close to them. Then out of her basket she took a candied apple her mama had made for her that morning, all coated with candy made from delicious MARY JANE SYRUP. She held it out on the flat palm of her hand and one of the Zebras came timidly up and got it. After he had eaten it, with many squeals and cries he told the other Zebras how good it was, and how foolish they were to be afraid of Mary Jane.

So they all crowded around Mary Jane, nosing into her basket for more apples coated with MARY JANE SYRUP candy.

Mary Jane greatly admired their beautiful striped coats and wished very much she had one like theirs. "It would not be very becoming for a little girl," said one of the Zebras, "to have dark brown stripes all over her neck and face and arms and legs. Besides," he continued, "you have something much better—that delicious MARY JANE SYRUP. That should make you very contented."

"Oh yes, indeed it does," agreed Mary Jane, "but perhaps if I eat a lot of MARY JANE SYRUP and keep well and grow up to be a lovely young lady, some handsome young prince will give me a coat like yours."

"Well, perhaps," said the Zebras, as they galloped away. And they determined to eat as much MARY JANE SYRUP as they could get to make them swift and strong, so that no hunter, however great, should be able to catch them and rob them of their beautiful coats.

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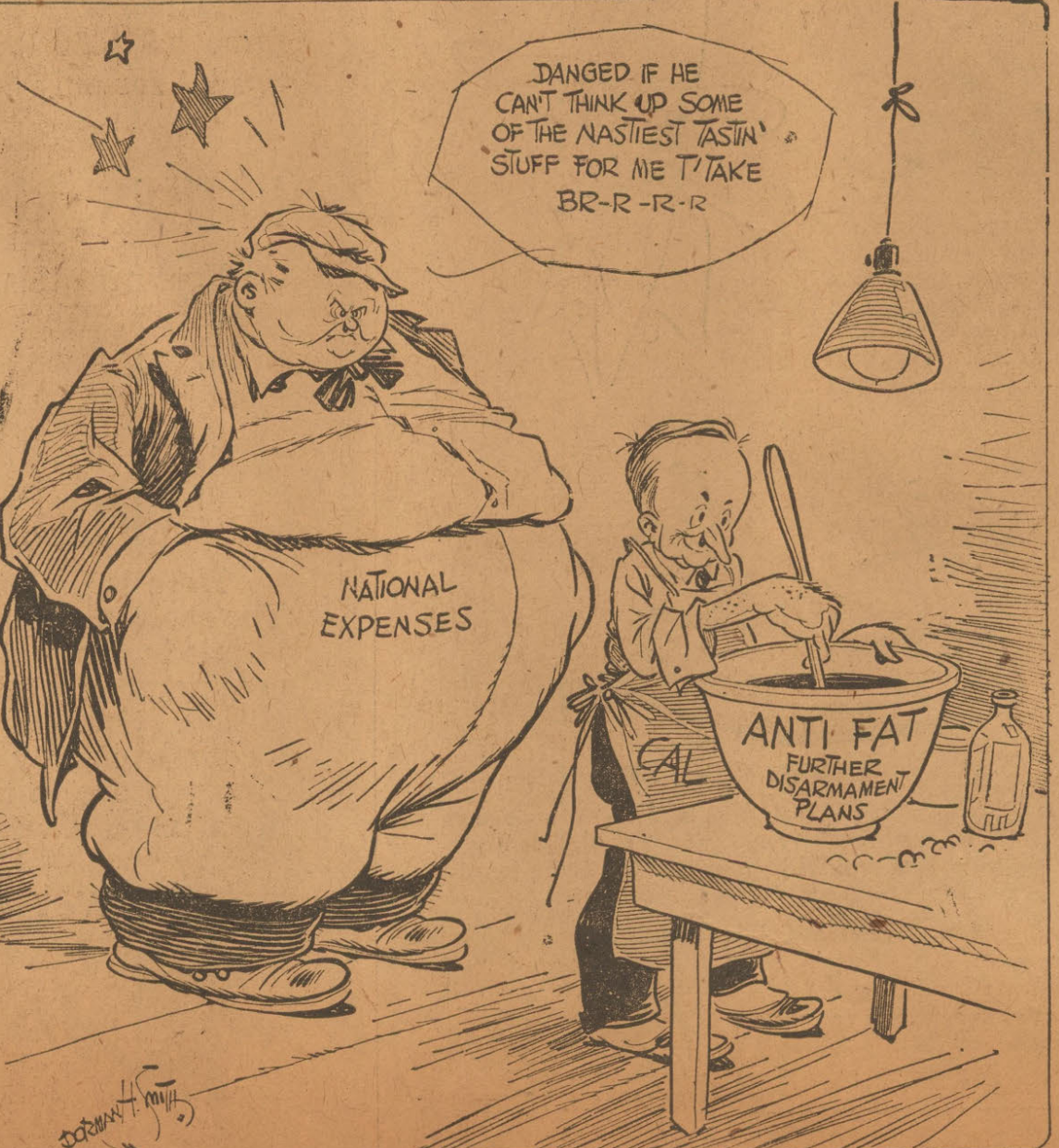
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Hope Springs Eternal



BY TAYLOR
The value of cotton seed products in the United States is now \$275,000,000 annually. All this was waste only a few years ago. Cottonseed oil is the base for most of the vegetable fats for table use.

Coughs and Chest Colds Yield Quickly to Old Time Treatment

Physicians now say that the best treatment for a cough is not to merely numb the throat nerves as many cough medicines do, but to help Nature quickly throw off the cause—congestion and mucus. When this is done the severest cough is usually relieved in a very short time.

This is exactly the action of that old-time tried and proved cough medicine, Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. Doctors say the pine tar is hard to beat for quickly loosening and removing the phlegm and congestion which are the direct cause of the coughing, while the honey not only gives a pleasant taste, but helps soothe the soreness and irritation. But be sure you get the genuine Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey and not some substitute. Dr. Bell's is the original and has been known for many years as the best. It is scientifically compounded of just the right proportions of pine tar, honey and other quick-acting ingredients which the best doctors have found to aid in bringing quick relief. Contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, so can be given even to young children—fine for spasmodic cough. If you want the best—a medicine that often relieves a stubborn cough overnight—get Dr. Bell's. Costs only 30¢ at all good druggists.



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—Glassware
—Brooms
—Rugs
—School Supplies
—Tooth Paste
—Ear Bobs
—Toilet Paper
—Tinware
—Collar and Cuff Sets
—Base Balls and Bats
Caton's Variety Store
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BRECKENRIDGE SCHOOL GETS HUGE TELESCOPE

Special Correspondence.
BRECKENRIDGE, March 10.—J. H. Miller, an engineer on the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad, has given the science department of the Breckenridge high school a large telescope valued at \$600. It formerly belonged to an astronomer in California, has a 3 1/2 inch objective lens and 240 power.
It magnifies so that mountains, rocks and craters on the moon are visible. With it may be seen the three rings and flattened pole of Saturn and the four moons of Jupiter. Sun glasses, which go with it, permit the observation and study of the sun.

Roby Murder Trial Is Transferred to Nolan

Special Correspondence.
ROBY, March 10.—The trial of Dan W. Stephens for the killing of his son-in-law, Otto Martin, last June, interrupted last week by the death of the father-in-law of one of the jurors, has been transferred to Nolan county and is likely to go over to the next term of court.
Martin was shot and killed in the courthouse at Roby, where he had come to answer a charge of a statutory offense, a sister of his wife being the complaining witness.
Estimated increased wealth of 16 southern states for decade ending 1922 was \$1,367,854,000, according to government report.

CALIFORNIA IS AFTER 'SHARKS'

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—Land "sharks" and irresponsible real estate agents have been almost completely driven from California, and prevented in dealing in California land from the outside, by the recent enacted state approved land act which virtually places transactions in agricultural lands under the control of the state.
The law, involving one of the most drastic legislative experiments undertaken to prevent land frauds in this country, has been pronounced a success by both the state real estate association and Edwin T. Keiser, commissioner of the state real estate department which administers the offices here, in Sacramento and San Francisco. In addition to making impossible for the operation of unprincipled land and colonization concerns, it also has sent, by virtue of heavy penalty clauses, several land fakers to jail. In some cases it has forced agents to refund money collected from purchasers.
The law was placed on the statute books in its present amended form about a year or so ago, with the backing of several influential Californians, led by Dr. Hermann Janss, of Los Angeles and Chicago, director of the farm lands division of the national real estate board and known as the "father of colonization in California." It licensed all real estate agents of firms in the state under \$2,000 bond and created the state real estate department, with power to inspect, either on its own initiative or on application, any agricultural lands or colonization tracts offered for sale.
BIG SPRING.—Auxiliary water system completed.

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BY CONDO Western Union Will Occupy New Location

The Ranger office of the Western Union Telegraph company soon will be moved from Pine street, near Marston, to 203 Main street and will occupy a portion of the building where the Connell variety store is doing business. Connell will continue where he is, but will give nearly one-half his floor space.
SHELL McDOWELL owns the building,

which has an inside frontage of 24 feet, 3 1/2 inches. A partition is being built that will give the western Union a frontage of a little more than eight feet and Connell a frontage of about sixteen feet. The stairway has been taken out of the building and the second floor, for which there is said to be no immediate use, will be closed. Until it is in demand, the second floor will be reached only by ladder.
CANYON.—Construction started on new Baptist church.

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