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COOLIDGE DEFIES SENATE TO ORDER HIM

TEXANS DISCUSS CELEBRATION OF ITS CENTENNIAL

Delegates May Leave Selection of Time and Place to Board of Managers.

AUSTIN, Feb. 12.—Indications in the early session of the Texas centennial celebration, which convened this morning, were that the convention would not select the place nor fix the time for holding the convention, but would appoint a board of managers with plenary powers to consider bids from over the state and fix the time for the convention. This board would have a large membership, probably not less than 100, so that in the selection every part of the state would be represented. In the event it is agreed to leave the selection of time and place to a board of managers, the convention will confine its discussion to the particular kind of convention to be held. It has been suggested that Mexico be invited to participate in the convention and, in this event, it would make it international in scope. About 400 delegates are here, coming from every section of the state, and much interest is being taken in the proceedings. Cato Sells of Fort Worth and Cleburne, is general chairman.

British Premier Urges Conference On Reconstruction

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Premier MacDonald today announced in the house of commons that one of the first international proposals of the new labor government would be a world conference on reconstruction. In reply to questions, he said that details of the memorial appealing for such a conference were now being considered by the cabinet, and the prospects for it appeared bright. Speaking of housing conditions, he said: "The housing problem will only be solved when decent homes are provided for workers at bearable rents. The government in meeting the housing problem is building houses costing 500 pounds with a rental of nine shillings. "Heretofore there has been mere quibbling at the problem of unemployment. Two things must be secured, first is work and second is an income if work is not provided. We will concentrate on the restoration of trade in providing more work."

Chance of Ousting Denby By Senate Seems Very Remote

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The impeachment of Secretary of the Navy Denby at this time is unlikely because of the inability to get two-thirds vote in the senate to oust him. This is the conclusion of leading senators who have canvassed the situation. Final decision regarding proceedings will not be made until after further conference. While Denby's critics were considering how he might be ousted the senate investigating committee was listening to evidence that Silas Strawn of Chicago, one of the special counsel selected by President Coolidge to undertake prosecutions in connection with leases of naval oil reserves, was interested in a Standard Oil bank in Virginia.

FRANK DAY TO DRILL ON BRELSFORD LEASE

Frank Day, of Eastland, is about ready to start his well on the Brelsford lease in the Elizabeth Finley survey, just north and a little west of the production now being run on the Hightower lease by the Texas company and the Panhandle Refining company. The derrick is erected, and was connected last Saturday, and as soon as the weather permits, the well will be spudded and drilled to completion as fast as circumstances will permit.

AUSTIN, Feb. 12.—The Sam Houston Foundation, with headquarters in Fort Worth, having for its purpose the establishing of schools in various institutions, today was granted a charter.

Simmons Reported Selling Interest In Ku Klux Klan

ATLANTA, Feb. 12.—Col. W. J. Simmons, emperor of the klan, and for months a leader of one of the factions in the bitter internal warfare has signed a "peace treaty" with H. W. Evans, imperial wizard, according to persons who have been close to the men. Under the terms of the agreement, reported to have been drawn up here Saturday, Simmons will receive \$146,000 for his interest, and will quit his klan activities. Simmons is understood to have resigned his membership and to have given up his claims to the kameila, the women's unit of the klan, and all other organizations.

Lid Lifted From Sarcophagus Where Tutankhamen Lies

LUXOR, Egypt, Feb. 12.—The huge stone slab which forms the lid of the sarcophagus of Tutankhamen was lifted this afternoon from the place where it had rested for upwards of 3,000 years. Only a small group was present. It is understood the body of the dead king was found as expected.

Prisoners Argue With Fists Over Courtesy of Hosts

Taking exception to remarks about "southerners," a Ranger man held in jail for investigation, last night walloped his fellow prisoner, a resident of Strawn, severely until pulled off of the visitor by Chief of Police Davenport. The two men had been placed in the same cell in the men's quarters. The Strawn man passed some uncomplimentary remarks about southerners and the Ranger police department, whereupon the Ranger prisoner declared that he had been treated square by officers and southerners, according to Chief Davenport. The visitor, it is said, failed to agree with the sentiments of his fellow cellmate and continued his alleged derogatory remarks. When the police chief reached the cell, after hearing the cries, he found the Strawn man on the floor, his head against the cell door and the Ranger man on top. The latter while getting the best of the argument injured his fist slightly when it came in contact with the iron bars. Both men were bleeding. The chief placed the Strawn man in another cell and there was quiet the remainder of the night.

CONFERENCE CALLED TO FOLLOW CONVENTIONS TO DISCUSS THE NOMINEES

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—Call for a convention of Farmer-Labor, Socialist and affiliated parties and representatives of the 16 big railroad brotherhoods was issued today by the conference for progressive political action. The conference will be held in Cleveland, July 4, after both major parties have held their conventions and have selected candidates, and will be for the purpose of discussing the merits of the presidential nominees. The resolution, providing for the call, was adopted by a viva voce over the protests of a handful of communists. Speakers from the floor proposed to have the convention held on May 30 in connection with the meeting of the federated "Farmer-Labor party," which is said to be affiliated with the communists, but this failed. Morris Hillquit, socialist of New York, made the second speech, declaring that "America is ready to follow England's lead in turning the government over to the laboring class from the exploiters of wealth."

BANKS OBSERVE BIRTHDAY OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Today, the birthday anniversary of Abraham Lincoln, Civil war president, was observed by the banks as a holiday. Banks in Ranger, Eastland, Cisco and other places in Eastland county were

THREE SCHOOL TRUSTEES WILL BE NOMINATED

Ranger Club Plans to Place Candidates in the Field Next Monday Night.

City politics are stirring. Candidates to be placed before the voters as trustees in April will be nominated next Monday night at a meeting of the Ranger club. This announcement was made last night by J. A. Davenport, president of the club, after he had consulted with leaders. The terms of three trustees expire. M. H. Hagaman, V. W. Cooper, president of the board, and H. E. Clewell will go out. The latter two are certain to be opposed by the club for re-election, leaders say. Nomination of candidates by the Ranger club will be almost equivalent to election unless dissatisfaction should break out in the ranks of the organization, it is believed. The candidates of the Greater Ranger party for city offices last April won easily. The Greater Ranger party was backed by the Ranger club. That the three men whose terms are vacant in April will seek re-election is not known. The meeting last night was cut short on account of the small attendance. Davenport made an explanatory statement on the nominations that will be made from the floor next Monday night and it was over. He was interrupted by several listeners with, "These will not be compromise candidates." A compromise was agreed upon last year between representatives of the rival tickets at a meeting called by M. H. Hagaman, secretary of the board, who said he did it in the interest of the schools. Later it was charged that the spirit of the caucus was not kept and an attempt was made to use the slate agreed upon and voted on at the regular election by getting out an injunction against the two trustees elected. But the injunction proceedings were dropped and the fight between the two factions was confined to school board meetings.

Reconstruction of Building Damaged By Fire Planned

J. R. Slaughter, architect, of the firm of Slaughter & Whitehall, Ranger contractors, is drawing up plans for the reconstruction of the Harper-Barnes three-story brick building on West Main street. The building, gutted by fire in the spring of 1921, became the property of J. L. Halbert, Corsicana, investment man, several months ago, following a settlement of claims against the property by a number of litigants. It will be a two-story building, according to C. E. Maddocks, real estate man, and local representative of the owner. Two tenants are said to be prospective renters of the ground floor and a Ranger lodge will have the second floor, Maddocks said. Slaughter was employed on the occasion of Halbert's visit to Ranger recently.

REVIVAL SERVICES AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ATTRACTING ATTENTION

The people of the Presbyterian church and of Ranger have an unusual opportunity in hearing Leo M. Underwood, a choir leader and a soloist (vocal and cornet) of extraordinary ability and training each afternoon and evening at 3 and 7:30. The pastor, Rev. G. D. Robinson, is delivering short and timely messages in these services. The subject of his 20-minute sermon Monday night was "A Seeking Sinner Found by a Seeking Savior." Zacheus was the man and O what a change! This same Savior is looking for you. Are you seeking for or in hiding from Him? The subject tonight will be "The Uplifted Christ." Come and look and live.

\$130,900.76 COLLECTED IN 1923 BY CITY TAX DEPARTMENT

A cipher was dropped on the item of tax receipts for 1923 in The Times story Sunday of the city's financial report, making it round numbers \$130,000 when it should have been \$130,900.76.

Dry Leader in "Bloody Herrin" Deposed From Self-Constituted Office by Military Commander

SOCIETY EAGER TO BE AT TRIAL OF MRS. CANDLER

She Appears Blushing in Court, But Only to Learn Case Is Continued.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 12.—Atlanta society turned out eagerly today to witness the appearance of Mrs. Asa G. Candler in the police court. The wife of the Coca-Cola king and W. J. Stoddard and G. W. Keeling, local business men, were arrested Saturday in an apartment. Mrs. Candler, blushing slightly but otherwise well poised and apparently ready for the ordeal, reached the courthouse at 9:20. She drove up in a limousine and was accompanied by two women acquaintances. Hastily brushing by newspaper men and photographers, she went at once into the office of Acting Chief Jutt and there behind closed doors awaited summons to appear in court. The ordeal of appearing in court was postponed indefinitely, however, because Chief of Police Seavers, who made the raid and arrests, was ill and unable to appear.

Federal Troops Drive Rebels Out Of Guadalajara

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 12.—"We have broken the backbone of the revolution," President Obregon today wired from the front. "The rebels lost 3,000 men in casualties during 11 hours of fighting. The rebels have been forced to evacuate Guadalajara, as they were forced from Vera Cruz." Obregon's message said the enemy had built modern entrenchments, carefully camouflaged, and only with the greatest difficulty had the airplane scouts been able to ferret out their position. In spite of this and a heavy bombardment, the loyal Indian troops crossed the Lima river under a terrific fire and for 11 hours the battle raged. The federal loss is estimated at about 350. "The final splitting up of the revolution must come soon and this will end the rebellion in Mexico," Obregon wired.

Lions to Entertain District Governor At Meeting Tonight

Bringing with him a wealth of entertaining anecdotes and "that something called personality," Col. C. E. Perry of Terrell, Texas, district governor of the International Association of Lions clubs, will be the guest of honor and speaker tonight at a gathering of Lions in the Elks club at a buffet supper. The Lions club of Ranger will be hosts. Colonel Perry has been a constant attendant of the international conventions of the Lions, and reminiscences of these gatherings, interesting to all Lions, will be included in his address. Dr. H. A. Logsdon, president of the club, today made a request that all members be on hand at 7:30 o'clock.

ALLEGED OIL FRAUDS IN ARKANSAS BEING PROBED

TEXARKANA, Feb. 12.—The government began today its investigation of alleged fraud in promotion of the rich Eldorado and Smack-over oil fields. A special term of the Arkansas court convened today to hear the testimony of 110 defendants, charged with using the mails to defraud in promotion of various companies in the fields. After several cross motions were filed by the two sides the cases were continued over to Wednesday under the order of Judge Hume of Port Smith.

S. Glenn Young, of Alleged Klan Proclivities, Surrenders Office of Police Chief, Judge and Jury, Removes Gun and Retires to Private Life.

HERRIN, Ill., Feb. 12.—S. Glenn Young, dry leader, abdicated from the dictatorship of "Bloody Herrin" today and civil authorities, backed by the bayonets of 1,800 soldiers, again are in power. Saturday, Young declared himself the ruler of Herrin, taking the place of the chief of police. Major General Foreman, in command of the state militia, ended the dictatorship and declared the regular constituted civil authorities back in power. Foreman, in his proclamation, announced the civil authorities of the county will be allowed to continue in charge but the troops would remain to aid. The danger of further immediate outbreaks in the war between the dry Ku Klux Klan forces and the wet anti-klanmen seemed to be averted. Young left his barricaded and fortified headquarters in the city hall, where he has been chief of police, judge and jury, and returned to his home in Marion as General Foreman today posted his proclamation reading in part: "Hereafter the wearing or carrying of firearms or other weapons by any but duly authorized officers of the law is prohibited, and the troops are instructed to confiscate all weapons or firearms so carried and to hold the offenders for appropriate action."

ALL QUIET IN HERRIN SAYS REPORT TO GOVERNOR

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—S. Glenn Young, "prohibition czar" of Williamson county, whose dry raids precipitated his summons for state troops, is powerless and under protection of troops, Adjutant General Carlos Black telephoned Governor Small today. Black reported quiet had been restored. "We are getting civil authorities back to where they are functioning. Counsel at Herrin met and named a mayor pro-tem while Mayor Anderson is confined," he said. "The coroner has taken over the duties of sheriff; Sheriff Galligan, who was abducted from the county, has been returned, and will be confined to jail at Marion."

WARRANT AWAITS RETURN OF HONEYMOONING COUPLE

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 12.—Warrants for the arrest of Claude Bossie, former city clerk of Omaha, Neb., for illegal honeymooning with Ruth Wamsley of Kansas City, was issued today by federal attorneys. The couple is expected to reach New York today from a love pilgrimage in Europe. It was issued on complaint of Bossie's first wife, who charged her husband with transporting Miss Wamsley from Kansas City to New York.

FIVE MEN SENTENCED FOR USING MAILS TO DEFRAUD

DALLAS, Feb. 12.—Gordon Ingalls today was sentenced by Federal Judge W. H. Atwell to two years in Leavenworth penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$5,000; Robert Ingalls was sentenced to one year and one day, and Richard Rader to six months in jail for using the mails to defraud in connection with the sale of stock by the Richard Rader Mining Lease company. All blame was taken by Gordon Ingalls, who asked that his brother and Rader be released to look after the women folks of the three.

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PRESIDENT DECLINES TO OUST DENBY

Tells Senate it Is Exceeding Its Authority — Impeachment Proceedings Considered.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Impeachment was being considered today as the next step in the senate's efforts to oust Edwin Denby, secretary of the navy, from the president's cabinet because of his connection with the naval oil leases. The senate, late yesterday by a vote of 47 to 34, called on President Coolidge to demand that Denby resign. Four hours later the president, in a statement, defied the upper house and refused emphatically to pay any attention to the senate's demands. He said the senate had no right to make it. Denby himself had nothing to say when told of the senate's vote, but previously he had stated that he would not resign.

POLICE TRYING TO FIND TRAIL OF MURDERER

"Fake" Doctor With Prison Record for Jewel Robbery Now Is Being Sought.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—A "fake" doctor with a prison record of three jewel robberies from confiding patients now is being sought by the police of this and neighboring cities in connection with the inquiry into the murder of Louise Lawson, motion picture actress who was found dead in her apartments, strangled by some assailant who left no clew behind. The picture of this "doctor" is one among several identified by an employee of the apartment house as bearing more or less resemblance to one of the men who called at Miss Lawson's suite the morning of her death, a few hours before the discovery of her body.

Old "Drummer" Is Reformed By Bible, Says Gideons' Head

CHICAGO—The "hard boiled" traveling man who sold his customers with drinks and burlesque shows, is a thing of the past, Samuel H. Boggs, Philadelphia, national president of the Gideons, declared here during a session of the Gideon executives. "He's not dead," Boggs asserted, "but he is 100 per cent more pure today than before the advent of the Gideon bible." The Gideon bible is a little book of the scriptures which hotel guests find in their rooms. Boggs and his associates are responsible for them being there. "I'm not inferring all 'drummers' were bad," Boggs said, "but in the halcyon days most of them were high steppers. Their better brothers were shrouded by ill repute."

Radio Fans May Hear President Coolidge Tonight

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Five great broadcasting stations will carry the voice of President Coolidge tonight when he speaks at a Lincoln birthday banquet here. Stations WJZ and WEF in New York, WCY in Schenectady, WJAR in Providence, R. I., and WCAP in Washington will carry his address. Speaking at the banquet is to begin at 9:25 p. m., eastern standard time, but the president is fourth and last on the program and his speech will probably begin somewhat late.

Ranger Elks to Aid In Installation of Breckenridge Lodge

Installation ceremonies of an order of Elks in Breckenridge Thursday will take about 50 members of Ranger Elks, No. 1373, to that city. The Ranger Elks will make their presence known by wearing handbags with the words "Ranger Elks." These ribbons can be obtained at the clothing store of E. H. & A. Davis tomorrow. The ceremonies will start at 2 p. m., and Ranger Elks are requested by the exalted ruler, Dr. H. A. Logsdon, to leave Ranger in time to be in Breckenridge before 2 o'clock. District Deputy Aubrey Jameson of Ranger will represent the grand exalted ruler at the installation ceremonies. Jameson is district deputy for West Texas. The membership roll of the new Breckenridge lodge will include prominent business, professional men and several chief executives of major oil and gasoline companies.

HARRY F. SINCLAIR SAILS FOR THE UNITED STATES

SOUTHAMPTON, England, Feb. 12.—Harry F. Sinclair, American oil man whose lease on the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve is now being investigated by the senate in Washington, sailed for New York this afternoon on the steamship President Harding.

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BIBLE THOUGHT.
Tried and Proved—As for God, his way is perfect; the word of the Lord is tried; He is a buckler to all them that trust in him.—2 Sam. 22:31.

GEORGE WASHINGTON—THE AMERICAN.

On Feb. 22, the 192nd anniversary of the birth of George Washington, commander-in-chief of the Revolutionary army, and the first president of the United States of America, will be observed in the senate and house at Washington, and in thousands of public schools and colleges throughout the land by reading his "Farewell Address."

In these times of patriotic stress and trial and sinister effort to belittle or belitt the historic value and splendor and patriotism of our revolutionary forefathers who risked life, liberty, property and happiness in the determination to provide for the generations to follow a free and self-governing nation, it is more necessary than ever before that the example and advice of this the greatest American statesman, should be kept constantly before us.

The man whose birthday we honor on Feb. 22, was in many respects the greatest man this world ever saw, not the greatest soldier; not the greatest statesman, but a character as strong as the highest mountain and as pure as the snow that sleeps on its crest; a man, who, when he lay dead at Mt. Vernon, excited such admiration and regret in defeated England that the fleet lowered its flag; Napoleon in France issued an order to his armies to honor his memory; and in the British parliament Charles Fox paid him a tribute that no monarch of the world ever deserved.

Washington lifted himself above party; his mind was as broad as the continent; his wisdom was not only for his day, but for our day and all days. And if we have reached the point in our national development when we discard his advice and his counsels, whither does the path lead?

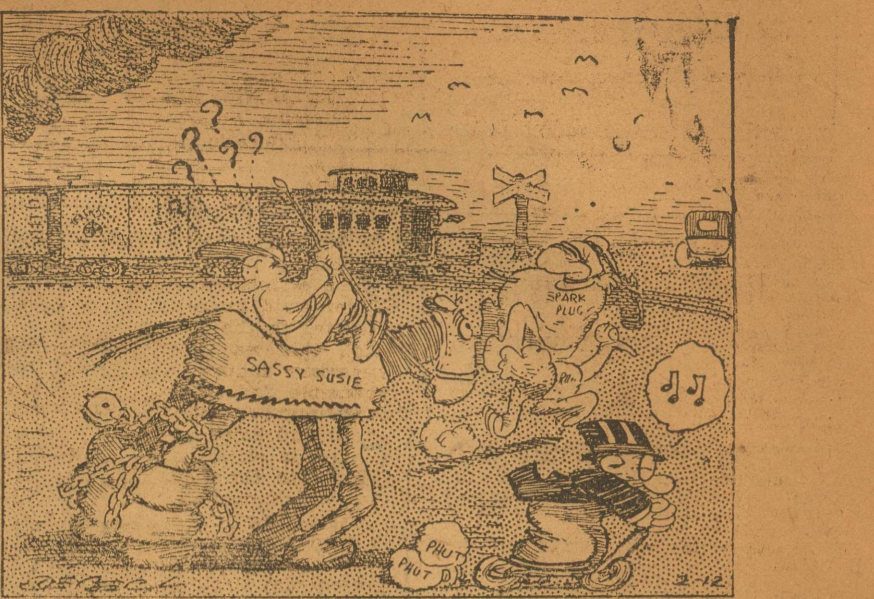
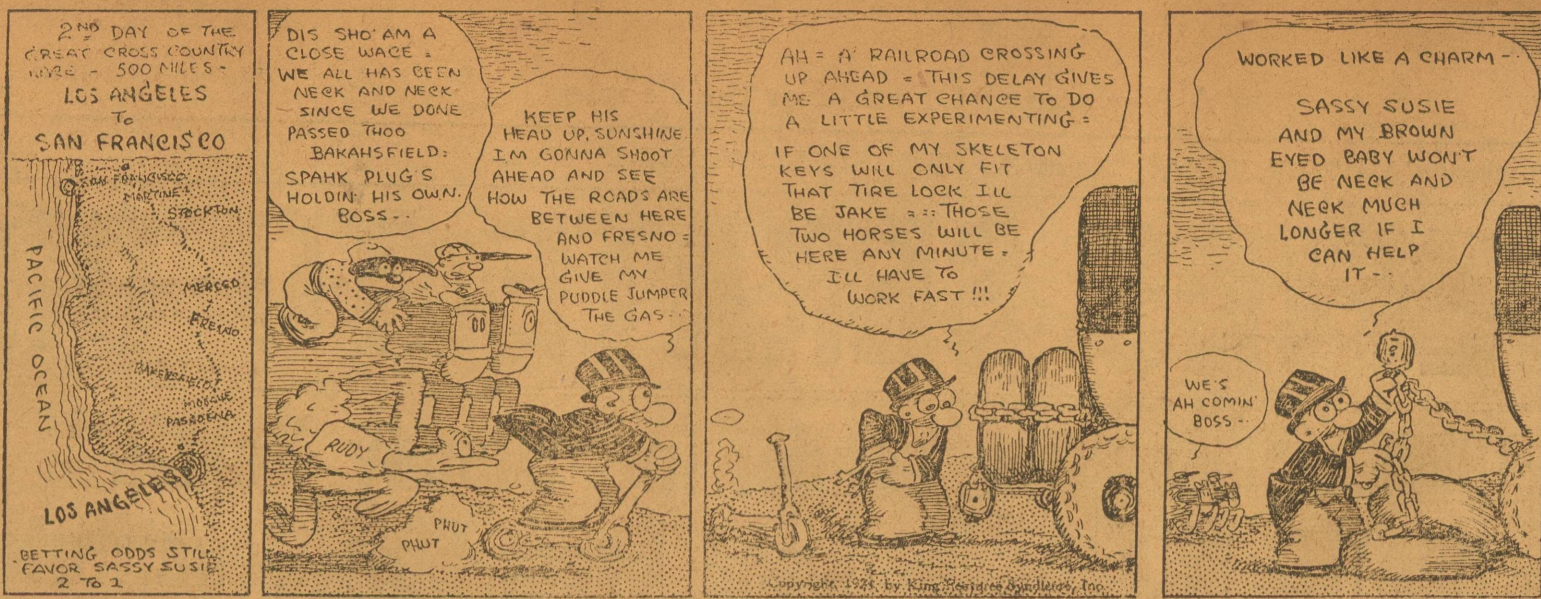
It might be well to ask who are the statesmen, who are the leaders, what are the influences that overcome the teachings of this wise American, who declared time and again that he was a nationalist—not an internationalist; an American—not a cosmopolitan nor a hyphenate?

Washington has been pronounced by the greatest students of history and of mankind, a pure and high-minded gentleman of dauntless courage and stainless honor; a great soldier who fought a trying war to a successful end impossible without him; a great statesman who did more than all other men to lay the foundations of a republic which has endured in prosperity for more than a century, and whose penetrating vision beheld the future of America when it was dim to other eyes, a great intellectual force, a will of iron, an unyielding grasp of facts, and an unequalled strength of patriotic purpose.

Let every American again read the prophetic words in his "Farewell Address" and dedicate themselves anew to the principles that must stand as fundamental to the perpetuity of this government.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 12.—A small fire today in the laundry at Weston penitentiary, the scene of rioting yesterday when two of the prison officials were killed, brought every policeman to the penitentiary today. The police were called out as a precautionary measure, it was stated. The fire, caused by crossed wires, was extinguished without difficulty and did little damage. There was no excitement among the prisoners.

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG—



COST OF CHURCH BUILDING BASIS OF LITIGATION

Contractor vs. Cisco Methodists, Involving Change of Plans, Heard in Court.

A suit that has taken an unusually long time to try because of the large amount of testimony, is that of Mood et al. vs. J. M. Williamson et al. It grew out of the construction of the First Methodist church building in Cisco and involves about \$5,000. It is being tried before a jury in the Eighty-eighth district court. The taking of testimony began last Tuesday morning and the court was continuously engaged on it until this morning when the taking of testimony was completed and the argument by counsel started.

Mood et al. contracted with the building committee of the church to construct the building in 1920, the contract price to be \$47,000, but when the building was completed it had cost \$67,000. The difference in the cost when completed and the original contract was because of changes in the plans and specifications. The amount being sued for is what is claimed as the difference in what was paid and the amount due.

Hawkins, Hawkins & David of Breckenridge represent the plaintiffs while Butts & Wright and J. D. Barton of Cisco represent the defendants.

CAMELS LIVED IN AMERICA MILLIONS OF YEARS AGO

Seattle, Feb. 12.—Animals peculiar to Asia at this day once had their home in the northwest, according to Marcus A. Hanna, instructor in geology at the University of Washington.

An exploring party recently found bones believed to have come from a leg of a camel and seemingly 500,000 years old, near Wenatchee, Wash.

"There is nothing unusual in that," Hanna said. "The camel was an American beast, and inhabited this continent for thousands of years before he emigrated to Asia by way of the Bering strait."

Hanna declared that remains found in North America and particularly in the northwest, have long established the fact that the horse, the llama and the camel are all of the same ancestry.

GHOLSON HOTEL ARRIVALS.

H. D. Niemand, Tulsa; H. L. Lockhart, El Paso; H. Saton, Brownwood; J. B. Jones and wife, Waco; R. H. Mook, G. H. Mahlstad, J. C. Wiseman, K. Still, Mrs. M. B. Casper, L. D. Jones, E. G. King, Fort Worth; Charles Van Damme, San Francisco; W. M. Tatom, Robert C. Hockett, R. C. Hodges, Dallas; H. E. Renoe, St. Louis; Charles J. Leclair, Olden; C. A. Parker, New York; Ross Steele, Houston; Mrs. Gladys Moon, Mineral Wells; George Chains Joplin, Mo.; G. W. Hamlin and wife, Fort Worth; A. M. Douglas, Tiffin, Tenn.; Lee C. Franklin, Abilene; R. M. Chitwood, Sweetwater; John E. Demner and wife, Waco; Jack Caldwell, Breckenridge; Don Hurst, Breckenridge; E. Bronson, Graham; Harry Cates, El Paso; J. M. Lay, Waco; North Millikan, Abilene; J. C. Epps, Brownwood; T. C. Greenhill, Amarillo; Jake Hamon Jr., Ardmore; C. E. McLemore, U. S. Arnold, W. N. Throop, W. R. Cornett, S. Zercher, W. E. Matlock, W. P. Lincoln, Dallas; T. K. Smith, Tulsa; L. B. Morrell, St. Louis; J. Keller, Atlanta; H. G. Hawkins and wife, H. M. Parker, C. W. Smith, R. W. Bonham, N. S. Longabaugh, Fort Worth; Reid McLemore, Abilene; Jake Hodges, Cisco; C. McIntyre, Eastland; J. W. Campbell, city; W. C. Bledsoe, Waco; H. C. Denton, Tulsa; J. W. Sanders, city; Brown Fender, Kaufman; Ben L. George, Temple.

THE ELECTRIC RAILWAYS of the country during 1923 purchased 4,029 new cars and locomotives—a larger purchase than any year since 1913. In addition these roads rebuilt 1,256 cars and built or reconstructed 1,114 miles of roadbed. These roads also spent \$282,000,000 during the year for new plant, equipment and maintenance materials.

BUY IT AT HOME

Soft Coal Miners' Children Guided In Diet, Education And Play



This is the kind of children they bring up in the soft coal fields. Look at the three youngsters sitting in the swing. They appear to be perfectly contented with their lot.

These children, Helen and Lillian Potts and Garner Pink—sitting in the middle—are typical of the children of the miners. Their health in many communities is guarded by excellent visiting nurse systems, they have the best of medical care when they succumb to childish illness, and their school work and their playtime is supervised.

The owners of the bituminous mines know the value of keeping their miners and the miners' families not only well, but happy and

PENN STATE COLLEGE CO-EDS HAVE REAL BABY TO REAR

State College, Pa., Feb. 12.—Co-eds at Penn State are learning the art of housekeeping in a modern house with a modern baby.

Jackie Hillcrest, 10 months old, is probably the luckiest, or maybe the unluckiest, child in the United States, for he has 26 "mothers" to care for him, and yet he has no real mother.

No one knows exactly where Jackie came from and no one knows what will become of him. At present he is a son of the Nittany Lions.

The baby was installed after the students complained to the college authorities that they needed a "tot" around to get first hand experience in the ultimate of happy home life for a woman.

They had a model home, equipped with gas and electricity and every convenience in which to study the arts of domesticity and economy, but it was decided that a necessary acquisition to the equipment was needed, so Jackie was installed as lord and master.

Jackie, however, is just like other boys, in that he had only one "mother" at a time. The girls are assigned to the cottage in groups of six for a week at a time and each takes her turn at being hostess, chambermaid, cook, assistant cook and mother to Jackie.

Jackie appears to like his new surroundings, but does an immense

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FRIDAY NIGHT
American Legion Athletic Club
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vs.
Eastland "Mavericks"
Outlaws vs. Legion
Elks vs. Pedagogues

POLITICAL Announcements

For State Senator:
B. L. RUSSELL
HARRY TOM KING, Abilene.

For County Superintendent Schools:
MISS BEULAH SPEER.

LODGE NOTICES.
Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., meets Tuesday night, 7:30; work in E. A. degree and school of instruction for all.
C. E. MAY, W. M.
F. E. LANGSTON, Sec.

LOST AND FOUND.
FOUND—Man's grey coat. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. Ranger Times.

MALE HELP WANTED.
WANTED—White boy to work nights. Apply at Charlotte hotel, Eastland.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE
WOMAN WANTED to cook for Young school cafeteria. Phone 133, Ranger.

SERVANT'S ROOM for rent to colored woman or couple; lights, water, gas furnished; can pay for same in work. Phone 532, Ranger, or 1009 Young st.

WANTED—Woman to do housework for two. Call at pop corn machine, So. Rusk st., after 3 p. m., Ranger.

WANTED—A high-class salesman or saleslady to sell subscriptions for daily newspaper; can earn \$50 per week; liberal commission basis. Apply at once to Ranger Daily Times or Eastland Daily Telegram.

SITUATIONS WANTED.
JOB WANTED—An experienced production man, deep or shallow. Have good references. Would like a good lease pumping job. Address Box No. 724, Ranger.

AGENTS AND SALESMEN.
SALESMAN WANTED—Men and women to sell guaranteed line of Shirts or Hose. Factory wearer, good commission. Best co-operation. Buckeye Shirt Co., 633 Bankers Mortgage Bldg., Houston, Texas.

BUSINESS CHANCES
WANTED—Someone with \$12,000 to invest in a good land proposition in South Texas; oil possibilities good. If interested address P. O. Box 1242, Eastland, Texas.

SPECIAL NOTICES.
LAUNDRY WANTED—Price right. 206 Oak st., Ranger.

LATEST Magazines, your favorite cigar, cigarettes, candies. Exchange National Bank Cigar Stand, Eastland

BICYCLE AND FIXIT SHOP—Buy a bicycle; fix anything but your pocketbook; keys fitted and duplicated. 210 Elm st., Ranger.

WE RETAIL Furniture and floor coverings of all kinds. We wholesale a square deal to all and practice has made it a habit. Cory Furniture Store, next door to Chamber of Commerce, Phone 321, Eastland.

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HIGHEST market price paid for hides. Adams & Co., phone 166, Ranger.

ROOM FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—Nice room, modern conveniences; private entrance. 304 Elm st.; gentleman preferred; Ranger.

HOUSES FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—Modern 4-room cottage on Pine st.; close in. Inquire Room 11, Reavis Apartments, Ranger.

HOUSES FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—Two room house, has sleeping porch, close in, inquire 325 Elm street.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Apply 637 No. Marston st., Ranger.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT.
APARTMENTS for rent. Langston Apartment, successor to McElroy apartments. Phone 419, Ranger.

CARTER APARTMENTS—325 Elm st., Ranger. Phone 565-J.

TREMONT Apartments—311 Walnut st. Phone 458, Ranger.

WANTED TO BUY.
WANTED—Clean, white cotton rags, 10c lb. Times Office.

WANTED to purchase set of O. Henry's works. Phone Perry Sayles, Eastland.

WANTED—Fairbanks-Morse, Type Y, Bessemer or Muncie oil engines, 25 to 150-hp. Williams & Miller Gin Co., Elk City, Okla.

WE BUY second-hand furniture. Ranger Furniture Exchange, 123, N. Rusk st., Phone 242, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.
FOR SALE CHEAP—Second hand tires and tubes, any make. Speegle Storage & Repair Shop, 309 Main st., phone 421, Ranger.

IF YOU want to move or have any long distance hauling, See W. H. Copeland at 309 First St., or leave word at Phone 90, Ranger.

AUTOMOBILES
HUDSON speedster, good condition, new paint job and good rubber; will take your old car in trade. Gullhorn Motor Co., phone 2.

TRADE us your old tires and tubes. Speegle Storage & Repair Shop, 309 Main st., phone 421, Ranger.

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

WANTED—Miscellaneous
WANTED—Laundry, 50c dozen; work guaranteed. Call at 516 Hodge st., Ranger.

WANTED—Washing and ironing. See Mrs. Henry Stewart, second house corner Marston, house number 415, Ranger.

FURNITURE WANTED—Highest cash price. New and Second Hand Store. 121 No. Austin. Phone 276.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture. Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk st., Phone 154, Ranger.

SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, Marston Bldg., Ranger.

LEGAL NOTICES
CITATION BY PUBLICATION. THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Eastland County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon I. C. Little by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 2, Eastland County, Texas, to be held at the office of J. N. McPatter, Justice of the Peace and Judge of said Court, in the City of Ranger, Eastland County, Texas, on the fourth Thursday in February, 1924, the same being the 28th day of February, 1924, then and there to answer a cause of action filed in said Court on the 26th day of November, 1923, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 221, wherein A. B. Phipps is plaintiff and I. C. Little is defendant, said cause of action being a suit for \$101.20 for labor and material furnished for the defendant by the plaintiff in connection with the repairing of seven oil field wagons belonging to the defendant and against which said wagons the plaintiff claims both a constitutional and a statutory lien to secure said labor and material bill. Plaintiff also sues defendant for \$20.00 attorney's fee; and also sues for a foreclosure of his constitutional and statutory liens on said seven oil field wagons, all of which said wagons are located at plaintiff's blacksmith shop at 22 Hunt street, Ranger, Texas.

Herein fail not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand this 26th day of January, 1924.

J. M. McFATTER,
Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2, Eastland County, Texas.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK.
FOR SALE—20 S. C. White Leghorn, cockrels and 3 cocks for breeders; cheap. Poultry Plant, corner Corbin and Garrison sts., D. W. Maloon, mgr., Ranger.

Rhode Island red, single combs; 30 laying pullets and 3 cockrels; thoroughbred, blue ribbon stock. Address C. R. Bateman, Minus. Texas.

PURE Homer pigeons 50c per pair. 319 Armstrong avenue, Ranger.

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All Guaranteed.

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CURB QUOTATIONS FOR OILS AND INDUSTRIALS

Table with columns for Standard Oils, High, Low, Close, and various oil types like AmOil, Borneo, etc.

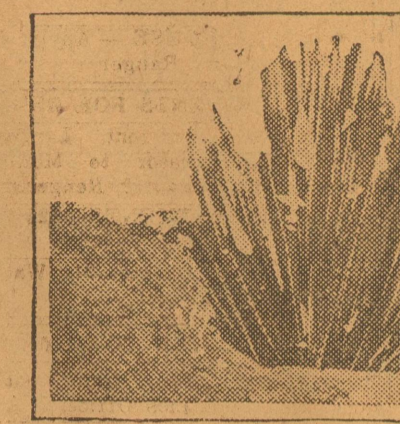
40,000 Miles of New Roads Built In U. S. Last Year Break Record

By JAMES W. BROOKS, Director, American Highway Educational Bureau

ROADWAY building in the United States last year reached a new high peak. Something like 40,000 miles, in which is included 11,000 miles of Federal aid highways were constructed in the various states.



Plowing To Make a Road



Blast Widens and Deepens Road Near West Grove, Pa.

Many of the large quarry shots contain both types. Holes from 50 to 150 feet deep behind the quarry face are filled and all are detonated at one time.



Scene On Newly Constructed Road Near Urbana, Ill.

Never before known. Quarry shots resulting in from 100,000 to 150,000 tons of stone are now fairly common.

On the average, three or four tons of stone are moved for every pound of dynamite used. Due in large part to the good roads movement, the quarry business has greatly increased in the last ten years and now quarries are being constantly opened in various parts of the country.

quarries producing this, there is an ever increasing amount of modern explosives used. In New England and some of the South Atlantic States, harder rock like trap rock and granite is utilized.

Explosives Used in Building Explosives are also used in removing obstructions in the right of way and in obtaining proper drainage of the road bed.

Build in All Weathers Road builders are fortunate today in having several kinds of modern dynamite at their hands.

Electrically operated machinery is rapidly completing the job of boring the Shandaken tunnel through the Catskill mountains just west of the Hudson river.

MARKET OPINION ISSUED TO JESS TAYLOR & COMPANY. Table with columns for Open, High, Low, Close and various market data.

OLDEN

OLDEN, Texas, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Russell Horner entertained her Sunday school class of girls at her home Saturday afternoon.

Coughing

Tires the old, lowers their vitality. The best standard family cough medicine for old and young.

ASK FOR AND GET SKINNER'S Superior SPAGHETTI

Let us Overhaul Your Car! Your brakes will be improved if we line them with Raybestos

LAMB THEATRE Ranger Today and Wednesday

General Balloons

TO FIT YOUR REGULAR WHEELS AND RIMS CAN BE SUPPLIED BY US.

West Side Garage

Opposite Civic league tourist camp. PHONE 146 EASTLAND.

GETTING TOO FAT? TRY THIS—REDUCE

People who don't grow too fat are the fortunate exception. But if you find the fat accumulating or already cumbersome, you will be wise to follow this suggestion, which is endorsed by thousands of people who know.

EASTLAND PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

SCOTT W. KEY ATTORNEY AT LAW Eastland, Texas

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MUST USE LEFT HAND TO BEAT JACK DEMPSEY

By HENRY L. FARRELL, (United Press Sports Editor.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Jack Dempsey, in one of his syndicated articles, says that the fighter who wins the championship from him must do it with his left hand.

Dempsey, it will be remembered, survived two of the greatest right hands in the business' The lightning-like thrust of Carpenter and the bludgeon-swing of the powerful Firpo.

There is only one fighter coming up who shows a real left hand, and he is Paul Berlenbach, the latest light heavyweight sensation.

Berlenbach is just a few pounds over the middleweight class. He is only 21 years of age and he will fill out as he goes along.

Berlenbach has won 23 consecutive knockout victories and, in his first real test against Frank Carbone, he stopped a fighter who had never been knocked out before.

Berlenbach started out to be a wrestler. He is built ponderously about the neck and shoulders and he has a most powerful pair of arms.

Hughie McQuillan, one of the pitchers for the New York Giants, was the one who really got Berlenbach into boxing.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT. Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping cough.

night McQuillan asked him to put on the gloves in a little amateur tournament that was being held in their club at Astoria. Berlenbach consented, and he knocked out nearly every one in the club. He took a liking to the gloves and decided to try the game.

Constipation can ruin your health—get permanent relief with Kellogg's Bran. When clean and clear, the intestine is converting wholesome food into vigorous health.

Kellogg's Bran sweeps, cleans and purifies the intestine. It has a natural healthy action. It works exactly as nature acts. It is guaranteed to relieve permanently the most chronic cases of constipation.

Results with Kellogg's Bran are sure, for Kellogg's is ALL bran. Nothing but ALL bran can be 100 per cent effective.

A BANK WHICH IS INTERESTED IN YOU. Some people have a sort of timidity about consulting bank officers. This may be justified in some cases, but it is never justified in the case of this friendly bank.

If you are planning to purchase a home, if you are planning college education for your children, if anything at all concerning financial matters is worrying you, by all means, come in and discuss the matter with us.

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These are the pillars on which great character is built. These are the principles which guide us in the conduct of our banking business.

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A warm welcome awaits you at this Bank of competent co-operation.

Texas State Bank EASTLAND

THE BOSTON STORE—RANGER TEXAS

Feb. 12 1809

Feb. 12 1924



FEBRUARY 12, 1924

This date in the good year 1924 marks an epoch TODAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1924.

The Boston Store is pleased to say (proud to say). We have secured the exclusive agency for not only one of the best, but the best lines of Made-to-Measure Clothing.

The Largest and Oldest Companies in the World

M. Born & Co.

And Also EDWARD V. ROSE

What wonderful strides the clothing business has taken since the time of the immortal Lincoln.

Spring samples now on display. A full range of styles and prices. An Absolute Fit Guaranteed

SEE OUR SHOW WINDOW DISPLAY



NEW MERCHANDISE ARRIVING DAILY

Kellogg's Bran Is Boon to Mankind

So great is the confidence of the public, the dealers and the manufacturers, in Kellogg's bran, that this guarantee could not be made too broad to be reasonable. Kellogg's bran will relieve the severest case of constipation—and relieve it permanently—because Kellogg's is all bran. It is a fact that all bran is necessary to give permanent relief because it is the "bulk of all bran"—the real "roughage"—that mechanically acts on the system.

You do humanity a benefit; you are helping to rebuild the health of the nation when you advise or suggest Kellogg's bran. You know that it will relieve suffering, that it will have a quick effect—because it is guaranteed!

Men behind the counter can't fail to notice with real pleasure the continuously increasing orders for Kellogg's bran. It has come into wide general use as a health-making and health-maintaining family cereal. Whereas a few years ago orders for just "bran" were few and far between today calls for "Kellogg's bran" have become an important factor in the grocery business.

This is largely due to the important advertising and general publicity that has been consistently put behind Kellogg's bran for the past two years. Once Kellogg's perfected their bran they got behind it in their customary speedway and all over the nation the story of bran is being steadily told in daily newspapers.

CATACOMB OF MUMMIES THOUGHT INDIAN GRAVE

To students of American antiquities it is probably of general knowledge that the city of Lexington, Ky., stands nearly on the site of an ancient town, which, if one may judge by the wide range of its circumvallatory works and the quantity of ground it must have occupied, was one of great extent and magnificence.

It may, however, well be doubted if many of even such students are aware that in the year 1775 there was discovered there a catacomb containing a number of mummies, preserved by the art of embalming to as great a state of perfection as was known among the ancient Egyptians, 1800 years before the Christian era.

This extraordinary find was made by some of the early settlers, whose curiosity being excited by something unusual in the character of certain large stones, seeming to cover the entrance to a cavern of some sort, removed the same, coming to others whose singular appearance for stones in a natural state caused them to push their investigations further. These obstructions being taken away, the mouth of an apparently deep and gloomy cave was disclosed to their gaze. This proved to be a catacomb,

formed in the bowels of the limestone rock, about fifteen feet below the surface of the earth. Having added to their numbers and provided lights, they descended and entered, without further obstruction, a spacious apartment, where they were astounded to find that at the sides and extreme ends were formed niches and compartments occupied by figures representing men.

Their surprise was much greater when, on further research and inquiry, it was found that these figures were actual mummies in the condition before stated. Most unfortunately, the original discoverers were uneducated people and, it being at a period when a bloody and inveterate war was being carried on between the Indians and the Whites, supposing, in their ignorance, that these were the remains of some tribe of Indians, a revengeful and vindictive spirit animated them to destruction.

They were dragged out into the air, the bandages torn open, the mummies kicked about, and a bonfire made of the most of what were undoubtedly the most ancient remains ever found on this continent.—Lewis Appleton Barker, in Adventure Magazine for February.

Specially designed electric trucks are now in use in Baltimore for reicing refrigerator cars of Florida-grown truck garden crops. When these electrics have been loaded with

MAKES YOU FEEL "CHEAP."

Nobody knows better than the boy or girl who has been slighted time and again by their supposed "best friend," how humiliating it is to have to stand for such "cutting" things when they know they can expect nothing more as long as they don't look attractive on account of a pimply, blotchy or rough skin.

But such heartaches don't have to be put up with. Any boy or girl who is troubled with these skin blemishes can get rid of them if they will just use Black and White Ointment. The fact that Black and White Ointment sells at the tremendous rate of nearly two million packages a year shows how popular it is. It is economically priced, in liberal packages. Any dealer can supply you with it. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size.—Advertisement.

SEEDS! SEEDS! D. M. Ferry's complete line of Garden and Flower Seeds. J. H. MEAD

Weak, Run-Down FORCE Tonic FORCE helps Nature bring back strength to bodies wasted by exhaustion, mental or physical strain, or long illness.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Especially to our good patronage of Ranger, which is highly appreciated, beginning Sunday, February 17, closing our Service Station every Sunday at 11 o'clock sharp until 7 a. m. Monday. We kindly ask you to "fill up" before the eleventh hour. Watch us and see where we go.

COLE'S SERVICE STATION CORNER ELM & BANKHEAD HIGHWAY OMER COLE, Prop. RANGER

There are, it is estimated, more than a quarter of a million electric signs in use in the United States and that more than fifteen million electric bulbs illuminate them. The largest individual electric sign is, it is claimed, located in Chicago, where it advertises a department store in the "loop" district.

Want Ads Will Pay

Edison Records W. E. DAVIS Jewelry and Music—Ranger

Want Ads Will Pay

The man who waits until everything is just right before he begins to bank money, will never even make the start—because he is always just wrong.

RANGER STATE BANK A GUARANTY FUND BANK

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CELEBRATED PIANIST

Will be heard in Fort Worth, Texas, at the Baptist Auditorium, Saturday evening, Feb. 16, at 8 o'clock. Wire, phone or mail your orders to Harmony Club Office, Fakes & Co., Lamar 1992. Prices: \$1.50 to \$4.00; no war tax.

Advertisement for Calumet Baking Powder featuring a baby and a can of powder. Text: 'Millions of Bake Day Tests and not one failure—made CALUMET THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER. Best by Test. Sales 2 1/2 times as much as that of any other brand.'

Large advertisement for phone services. Features a vintage telephone and a large speech bubble saying 'PHONE US'. Text: 'YOUR WANT ADS THEY ARE READ BY THE PEOPLE YOU WANT TO REACH—RESULTS COUNT PHONE 224'

Society

AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER

Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor Telephone 224

WEDNESDAY EVENTS.

Rotary club luncheon. 12:15 o'clock, at Gholson.

Fine Arts club of Central Baptist church meets at 9:30 o'clock at church.

New Era club meets at 3 o'clock at Gholson hotel.

Cheerful Workers meet at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Sigler, McCleskey street.

Royal Neighbors meet 2 o'clock, Odd Fellow hall.

PASTIME CLUB WILL MEET THIS EVENING.

The regular meeting of the Pastime club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor at their home on the Strawn road.

METHODIST W. M. S. HAS FINE STUDY SESSION.

The members of the Methodist Missionary society met Monday afternoon at the regular hour and enjoyed a final Bible lesson conducted by Mrs. R. R. Stafford. The meeting of next week will be a mission session at the church.

FRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY COMBINES MEETINGS.

The women of the Presbyterian auxiliary met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church and joined in the revival service being conducted there, following which they adjourned to the club rooms for a brief meeting. The same plan will be followed next Monday as the special services will be conducted for two weeks with Leo Underwood as evangelist.

On Thursday of each week Mr. Underwood will train a choir of children and all children under 14 years of age are invited to come to the Presbyterian church immediately after school for this special musical training. Already a number have responded and it is expected that a fine choir will result. Little Martha Carroll pleased everyone with the solos she sang so prettily at the Sunday evening service.

KENDIG-CLARK MARRIAGE CELEBRATED.

The marriage of V. Kendig and Miss Jewell Clark, both residing in Ranger, was celebrated at the parsonage of the First Christian church by the pastor, Rev. H. B. Johnson, on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Both Mr. Kendig and his bride are interested in the Ranger Cafe, the former being one of the owners. The bride is from Missouri and Mr. Kendig formerly of Electra, Texas.

ST. RITA'S ALTAR SOCIETY STUDY COURSE.

The ladies of St. Rita's Altar society met in study session Monday

afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. J. Navocovich, with Mrs. Bartholomew as joint hostess. Under the leadership of Mrs. W. N. McDonald they took up a study of the New Testament and church history. Those present were Mmes. F. G. Yonkers, Decker, George Fenger, Anna Barman, Tom W. Smith, Morris Leveille, W. J. Cluney, Joe Raborn, W. N. McDonald, the Misses Ester Yonkers and Marguerite Navocovich and the hostesses, Mmes. Navocovich and Bartholomew.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Raborn, who announces that she has a surprise ready for all attending.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CIRCLES HAVE UNION MEETING.

All four circles of the Central Baptist W. M. U. met in joint session Monday afternoon at the church. Attendance was good, reports from the various circles encouraging, and new work was outlined for each circle.

FIRST BAPTIST W. M. U. QUILTS FOR ORPHANS.

Members of the First Baptist W. M. U. spent Monday afternoon quilting for the Buckner Orphans home, having made five large quilts for the home this winter. Thursday night there will be a valentine party for every member of the church, big and little, and a large gathering is expected.

The W. M. U. will have a study session next Monday at the regular hour.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS TO MEET WEDNESDAY.

A meeting of the Royal Neighbors will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Odd Fellows hall. All members urged to be present.

FOUR-MINUTE MEN TALK TO VARIOUS RANGER CLUBS

Four-minute speakers, representatives of the Carl Barnes post, American legion, are "selling" the adjusted compensation bill to Ranger citizens this week, preliminary to committee calling on the citizens to secure their signatures to petitions to be forwarded to Congressman T. L. Blanton of the seventeenth district and the two United States senators. They are talking to various clubs at the weekly meetings.

The petitions will urge their support of the bill.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Adella Shook and little granddaughter, Reta, of Waco, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jameson. Mrs. Shook is Mr. Jameson's sister.

There seems to be no end to the measles epidemic judging from the additional children reported sick with it. The two Lauderdale children, Doris Murray; three in the F. D. Hicks family; Frances Glazner and R. L. Mouring are recent victims. It would seem as though quarantining should be resorted to under the circumstances.

Mrs. W. J. McFarland has been ill for several days with mumps.

W. B. Carroll of the Ranger Dry Cleaning company and family are occupying the home of Mrs. Roger

Fenlaw in Highland Park.

Mrs. J. O. Nanna, who formerly resided in Ranger, has been here for the last two weeks caring for her daughter, Mrs. Ferrell Hanshaw, who has been ill. Mrs. Nanna will return today to her home in Ardmore, Okla.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Nentwig is ill with the measles.

Mrs. Charles A. Cotton and daughter Betty of Cheppewa Falls, Wis., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bates. Mrs. Cotton is a sister of Mr. Bates. The latter, who was able to leave the hospital nearly a month ago after a long confinement, is now able to take daily walks when the weather is favorable.

SERPENT ENTERS GUERNSEY IN CARGO OF TAX COLLECTOR

GUERNSEY, England.—King John and his successors made this islet in the English channel the rich man's Elysium and the poor man's Utopia.

This is an island without poor, without unemployment, and (until recently, at least) without politics. Most of the people own their own homes, and a man can get beer here at less than a dime. Real Scotch whiskey comes at about a dollar and a quarter a quart.

The old kings and queens of Britain seem to have made a hobby of conferring privileges upon Guernsey. Among other things, they ordained that no British tax gatherer should come here.

But a short time ago a serpent in the form of the British government entered this garden of Eden and spoiled all the scenery.

Through a letter the government suggested that the island should make an annual contribution of \$1,875,000 to the imperial exchequer. It was said that Guernsey ought to do this in order to meet the cost of war pensions being paid to Guernsey men.

A committee from the island parliament has recommended an annual contribution of \$100,000 for fifteen years. For the first time in history political parties have been formed—those who favor the contribution the government asks and those who oppose it.

GHOLSON HOTEL BARBER SHOP

The place where you find Service Courtesy Sanitation Special attention to ladies and children. Basement Gholson Hotel.

BASKETBALL

FRIDAY NIGHT

American Legion Athletic Club Weatherford High School vs.

Eastland "Mavericks" Outlaws vs. Legion

Elks vs. Pedagogues