

MANY ARE DEAD IN NORTH TEXAS TORNADO

SPECIAL SESSION OF FORTIETH LEGISLATION GETS UNDER WAY

BOTH SENATE AND HOUSE MEET AT NOON

Appropriation Bills Introduced In House, Business Is Rushed

AUSTIN, May 9.—The first special session of the Fortieth legislature under call of Governor Dan Moody, got off to a flying start at 12 o'clock noon today. With both the Senate and House already organized and with a quorum in each branch, there will be no delay in getting down to business.

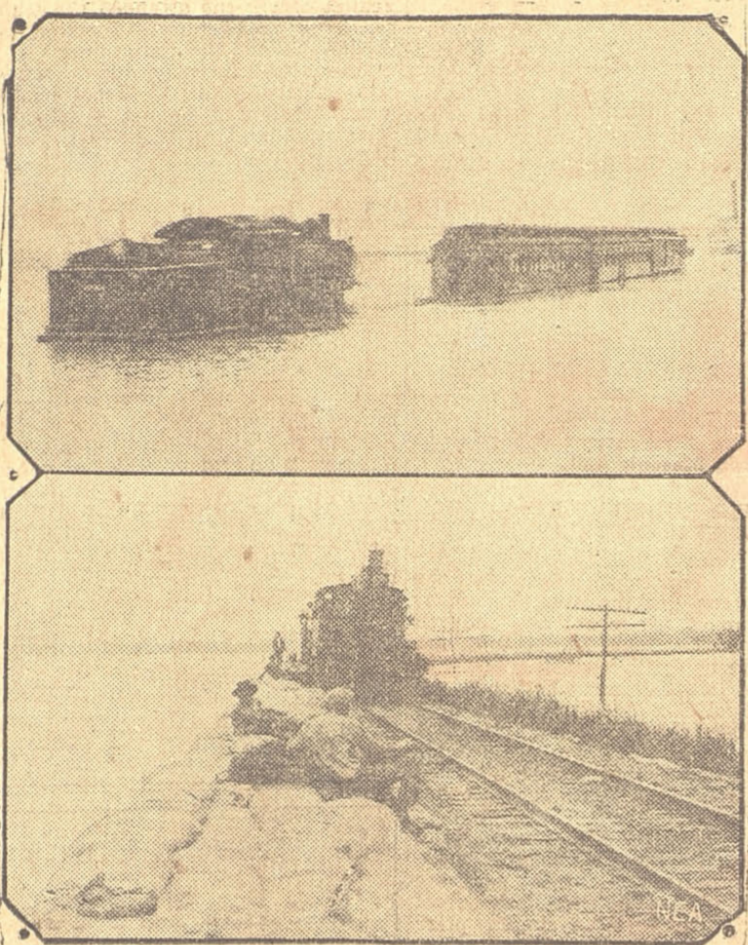
INDIAN BURIAL PLACE IS FOUND NEAR ALPINE

ALPINE, Texas, May 9.—The discovery of an Indian burial place on the Rancho Lamota, near the Mexican border, has resulted in recovery of a wealth of relics and data giving further insight into the life and customs of the first Americans.

Mother of Ranger Woman Dies at Her Home in Electra

Mrs. George Hughes of Electra, mother of Mrs. Andy Anderson of Ranger, died very suddenly on Saturday afternoon at her home in Electra and was buried there yesterday.

Boat Rescued Passengers From Train



Trains in the floodlands of Mississippi and Louisiana need pontoons these days. Above is shown a marooned train in Concordia Parish, La., below Natchez. It was necessary to remove the passengers on boats. Below is a scene along the Illinois Central line between Vicksburg and Shreveport. This road runs through the heart of newly flooded areas and now resembles the famous Key West railroad, with the raised roadbed the only dry spot for miles around.

Mothers Are Honored In Special Services

Mothers' Day was beautifully observed in Ranger Sunday. At the First Baptist church, Rev. W. H. Johnson spoke on "A Queen of a Woman," and there was a flower for everyone, and special music. At the First Presbyterian church, Parents' Day was observed, with Rev. G. D. Robison speaking on the influence that helped to make Timothy.

One of the most elaborate programs was at the Methodist church at both morning and evening services. The pastor, Rev. George W. Shearer, gave a special Mothers' Day sermon, the choir sang some fitting songs, and a number of bouquets were presented various mothers in the audience at the morning service by Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, for various reasons.

At the evening service the program was quite novel. The altar had been decorated to represent an old-fashioned home, and before the fire sat J. T. Killingsworth and Mrs. Laprelle, she at the old-fashioned spinning wheel, while a colored woman, with handkerchief wrapped head, sang some old negro songs as she dusted the furniture.

In the afternoon the Ranger Elks added their tribute to Mothers' Day with a beautiful program, which was presided over by Exalted Ruler Harry A. Logsdon, and was in charge of Mrs. M. R. Newham. Roy Harry Lee Virden of Dallas gave the "Tribute to Mother," which is in the Elks ritual and then made a short and touching speech on that subject, most dear to any man's or woman's heart, "Mother."

COL. HUMPHREYS WELL KNOWN OIL MAN IS KILLED

DENVER, Colo., May 9.—Funeral arrangements for Colonel A. E. Humphreys, 67, multi-millionaire oil man and philanthropist, who died after accidentally shooting himself, will be announced today. Humphreys was examining his favorite shot gun at his home here yesterday preparatory to a hunting trip when the gun exploded with several buck shots entering his brain. An operation proved unsuccessful and he died two hours later.

STORM HITS WOLFE CITY AND CELESTE

WOLFE CITY, Texas, May 9.—Mr. and Mrs. George Sturman and their two children were killed early today when a tornado swept a rural section 12 miles south of here destroying a dozen farm homes.

CELESTE, Texas, May 9.—Six were killed here early today when a tornado struck. It is believed to have been the same twister which virtually destroyed two other towns in this section with a loss of 29 known dead.

Irrigation Dam At Sterling, Colo., Is Threatening Break

STERLING, Colo., May 9.—The walls of the North Sterling irrigation district, reservoir impounding 1,000 acre feet of wind-lashed waters were threatening to burst today. Scores of Sterling citizens aided by employees of the Burlington and Union Pacific railroad rushed to the dam and are piling sand bags upon the weakened artificial banks.

PLAN TO "REJUVENATE" HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT

LONDON, May 9.—More than \$15,000,000 will be spent in rejuvenating the House of Parliament if the plan of all crafts of the building trades presented to the government here recently is adopted. A deputation representing the building trades recently called upon Lord Peel, first commissioner of public works, and presented the plan which calls for refacing the entire fabric of the parliament building. Under the plan the stonework, now seriously decaying, would be entirely restored.

MAYOR THURMAN HINTS OF MORE ORDINANCES

"Has Ranger any city ordinances?" a sweet girlish voice inquired of Mayor John Thurman of Ranger, via telephone, this morning. "Quite a few," debonairly replied the mayor and added after the young lady had thanked him and hung up the receiver, "And we may pass some more when the commission meets Tuesday night."

Curious People Line Highways Near Storm Area

DALLAS, May 9.—Curious to see the havoc wrought by this morning's destructive tornado, a few miles northeast of here, thousands of people line the roads between here and there. Officials said traffic was rapidly becoming congested and expressed fear jammed roads would interfere with rescue work.

Smiles of Confidence



Mrs. Lloyd Bertaud and Mrs. Clarence Chamberlin, wives of the airmen who are to attempt the non-stop New York to Paris hop, are confident of their husbands' success. That is, if their thoughts are faithfully reflected by the smiles with which they are here watching a test at Curtiss field Long Island, of the Wright-Bellanca monoplane in which the attempt is to be made. It was the same machine which Chamberlin and Bert Acosta recently piloted to a world's sustained flight record over New York.

WATERSHEDS ARE IMMUNE TO CYCLONES, INDIAN LEGEND

There is an old Indian legend that watersheds are immune to cyclones. Just how true that legend is could be worked out by following the history of watersheds and checking up on them. Ranger is practically on a watershed and yet several years ago, Ranger was visited by a small cyclone, which played havoc in the Cooper addition, the point nearest the real watershed.

The headwaters of Palo Pinto creek, one of the main tributaries of the Brazos river, are really supposed to start around Main street, Ranger, which no one can doubt when it rains. If one will go to the "hundred mile mountain," so called because freighters in the days before highways or railroads found it to be that distance from Fort Worth, after or during a hard rain, the parting of the waters will be seen. Water comes from one side of the hill down through Ranger and goes from the other side of the hill down through the underpass of the Texas and Pacific railroad to the tributaries of the Leon river.

French Flyers Reported Seen In North Atlantic

LONDON, May 9.—The first authentic report of the Paris to New York progress of Captain Nungesser and Goll, after they set off, were that they were above the North Atlantic ocean, according to information received here early today by officials of the United States line. Captain Randall of the steamship Republic, wireless that he sighted Nungesser flying early yesterday morning.

Woman is Injured When Cyclone Hits East Texas Town

PAHNS, May 9.—Tiger Town, a small village near here was almost completely demolished by a tornado which struck shortly after 3 a. m. today. Practically all of the 15 or 20 houses in the village were blown to a hospital here believed to be fatally injured. No other casualty from the twister have been reported.

DON'T PAUSE NOW.

Progress in the last hundred years has exceeded even the imaginative anticipations of Jules Verne, says a magazine writer. Did Mr. Verne ever write anything about old razor blades? The great waste places of the world have been explored. True enough, but nothing has been found to make hair grow there. Artificial gasoline can be taken from coal. Now if we can just find somebody to dig it! Fuels are made even from Molasses. There's no fuel like an old one, however. Serums have been found efficacious against almost every known ailment—except the bite of the deadly golf bug.

TORNADOES IN MISSOURI AND KANSAS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 9.—Two tornadoes more than 100 miles apart took a toll of at least 15 miles in central Missouri and southern Kansas Sunday, according to reports reaching here today. The most serious storm centered near Medicine Lodge, Kan., where a death list of 11 was counted, while another striking below Jefferson City, Mo., added four more, according to meager reports. Property damage was extensive with several scores of persons injured.

South Central Kansas suffered the greatest damage, it was indicated. The storm swept through Kingman, Reno, Barber, and McPherson counties, originating near Medicine Lodge and moving in a northeasterly direction. Eighteen persons were reported in a serious condition this morning in Nashville, Hutchinson and Medina, Kansas.

In central Missouri, the tornado struck between Eldon and Versailles, 25 miles below Jefferson City. Communication between here and the affected areas was disrupted early this morning and only incomplete returns of the damage done could be obtained.

SAYS SHINGLED HAIR WILL MAKE GIRLS BALD

LONDON.—Women will become bald headed just like men do, if they persist in having their hair "a la male" and wearing tight hats, according to several London doctors. Hairdressers here, however, and one woman doctor, entirely disagree with the assertion. They first declare that the more a woman's hair is cut, the more it grows while the female M. D. exclaimed: "My only fear is that it will make women grow beards and mustaches."

GARLAND AND NEVADA ARE SWEEPED BY STORM

Early Check Accounts For Twenty-Six Dead, Injured May Reach 100

DALLAS, May 9.—Twenty-six persons are known to have been killed and more than two score injured in a tornado which dipped into Garland, 16 miles northeast of here and Nevada, about 50 miles northeast, early today. Virtually all the buildings in both these villages were damaged. The twister swept a path a few hundred feet wide as clean as a road. Violent wind, lightning and a downpour of rain followed the twister, covering seven North Texas counties.

Nine of the dead were counted at Garland and 17 at Nevada. Telephone communication at Nevada was completely cut off but information concerning the storms destructiveness was obtained by injured brought here and to McKinney. The twister struck while the villagers slept. More than 25 injured had been brought to Dallas hospitals from Garland by 8 a. m. and some of these may die, according to doctors. A staff of nurses and doctors and ambulances were sent to Nevada. Most of the injured from Nevada were taken to McKinney.

Relief workers reported all the inhabitants of Garland had been accounted for by 9 a. m. The known dead at Garland: O. Smiley, 35; Mrs. C. O. Emiley, 22; Lilah Myrl Smiley, 10; Monroe Todd, 36; Mrs. Monroe Todd, 35; Mrs. W. A. Nicholson, 78; Miss Emma Bridges, 18; C. R. McLeod, Mrs. C. R. McLeod. The damage at Garland was estimated at \$150,000.

Ben Alexander, who lived in the edge of town took his wife and four months old baby to safety in a ditch by his home till the fury of the storm broke. The wind and lightning had kept him awake all night. "We crouched as low as we could," he related. "The wind roared and water about a foot deep rose around us. I was afraid we would drown. We stayed perhaps 15 minutes and the wind let down. Then we looked in the darkness for our house, but it had been blown down the street about a block and we didn't find it until daylight."

W. D. Corley's home was not damaged despite its move. The windows were broken and the furniture was moved to the corners of the rooms. It was still standing. W. D. Corley's house was crumpled about him by the wind, and rescue workers extricated him by chopping away several timbers. The Katral railroad station and a cotton mill were among the buildings destroyed at Garland. Many automobiles were wrecked. Garland is a city of about 2,000 population.

NEVADA HIT HARDEST BY BIG TWISTER

NEVADA, Texas, May 9.—Seventeen persons were known to have been killed, between 50 and 75 injured and a property loss of \$750,000 inflicted by a tornado which struck this town between 2 and 3 o'clock Monday morning. The list of known dead: Mrs. Ira C. Stevens, Mrs. J. T. Tommond and one child, Mrs. R. D. Crab and baby, Will Vaughn, Mrs. Bessie Tackett and two children, Paul E. Martin, J. R. Robinson, J. D. Pope, J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. C. Johnson, S. A. Atkinson (negro).

An early survey showed that about 40 per cent of the buildings in the town, which has a population of about 500, were destroyed. George H. Jones, cashier of the First National bank, estimated the property loss at \$750,000. It was conservatively estimated that about 75 persons were hurt. Ambulances came here from McKinney, Farmersville, Greenville, and other points and the injured were removed to hospitals at those points below.

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THE WILD IS GONE FROM WILD WEST

By FREDERICK G. OTHMAN (United Press Staff Correspondent)

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FROM THE BIBLE. Implicit Confidence: O love the Lord, all ye his saints: for the Lord preserveth the faithful...

WEST TEXAS MEET. A week from today one of the greatest gatherings West Texas has ever seen will be staged at Wichita Falls...

The question of attendance at the convention is a very important one for in no other way can the real interest and enthusiasm...

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce was one of the first, if it was not actually the first regional organization...

The very fact that such organizations are being formed in other sections of the country is abundant evidence...

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Many are Dead In North Texas Tornado (Continued from page one.)

J. Ed Gibson, chairman of the Collins county chapter of the Red Cross telegraphed Red Cross headquarters at St. Louis: "Nevada is destroyed..."

The list of injured taken from Nevada includes: Mrs. J. M. Rogers, J. S. Patterson, Miss Lois Lemons, Mrs. Fannie Hewell...

El Campo.—Extension of the water system here is expected to be completed by May 1.

Taft.—Seven miles of four inch gas main have been completed between Taft and the gas field.

Mmes. Leona Martin, J. C. Smith and Mozelle Cherry attended the state interscholastic meet in Austin last week.

Marshall.—The East Texas Public service company has let contracts for five new ice plants at Grand Saline, Hughes Springs, Mount Vernon and Danglerfield.

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Workmen Fight "Sand Boil" to Save Sea Wall



When a "sand boil" threatened the sea wall at Vicksburg, workmen and barges loaded with heavy rocks were rushed to the scene to avert a break in the wall.

U.S. SPENDING TEN MILLION IN GREAT WAR ON CORN BORER

By United Press. By JOSEPH S. WASNEY. WASHINGTON, May 4.—A little worm one inch in length—the European corn borer—has caused farmers in the United States crop losses totaling millions of dollars.

Not only is corn attacked by the demon but entomologists say the borer eats as many as 200 different crops, including cotton and sugar cane.

Corn borers now infest more than 500,000 square miles. They have eaten their way through New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Michigan.

Guards to prevent exportation of all corn into fields yet untouched by borers have been placed at the boundaries of infested sections but despite the caution, the worms have spread southward into West Virginia and westward to Illinois.

German prosperity in a false light and to distance from the frequency of marriages in this country...

GERMANY AND RUSSIA ARE FORMING CLOSER RELATIONS

By FREDERICK KUH (United Press Staff Correspondent) BERLIN.—Young couples in Germany are marrying more frequently than formerly and thereby causing anxiety to Germans who demand a revision of the Dawes plan.

When the Dawes scheme was applied, it was decided that reparations payments would be exacted from Germany on the basis of a German "prosperity index."

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SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

TONIGHT. Eastern Star memorial service at 8 o'clock, Masonic hall.

SUMMER ROUND-UP TO START AT H. O. P. SCHOOL.

The Hodges Oak Park School Parent-Teacher association is to start the ball rolling for the annual summer round-up of pre-school age children on Thursday, May 12, at 9 a. m.

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couple will be given a black masque, and then the fun will begin. The entertainment committee of the Elks club have engaged the Collegians, an all-university orchestra...

PICNIC AT LOVERS' RETREAT ON SUNDAY. Mrs. and Mrs. Louis Graziola of Ranger joined a party of friends from Mingus and enjoyed a delightful picnic at Lovers' Retreat Sunday.

HEALTH NURSE ATTENDS NURSES' CONVENTION. Mrs. H. Ablard has returned from Temple where she attended the state board of health nurses' meeting on Wednesday and the state nurses' convention of Thursday and Friday.

Two Drunks, One Speeder is Total Sunday's Arrests. Two drunks and one arrest for speeding were the only interruptions to an otherwise perfect day at the Ranger police station, Sunday.

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MISSIONARY CHARGES POLICE MASSACRE INNOCENT NATIVES

By United Press. By A. W. V. KING. United Press Staff Correspondent. SYDNEY.—The problem faced by the government in dealing with the savage aborigines of West and North Australia is much like that of the American government in dealing with the Indian a generation ago.

On the one hand charges are made of undue severity on the part of the authorities and on the other there are repeated incidents in which the savages attack; kill or rob settlers and strangers.

The most serious recent allegation of police frightfulness was made by a missionary, the Rev. E. R. B. Gribble, who has lived for 40 years among the blacks of West Australia.

Gribble gave details of investigations he made concerning the activities of the police party in pursuit of the wanted native, after natives who sought shelter at his mission had repeatedly informed him that many natives had been done to death.

Gribble's charges created a sensation, missionaries stating that they bore out frequent allegations made by them that white settlers and policemen have ill-treated aborigines wherever they have come into contact with them.

A less friendly relation between natives and missionaries was indicated by the recent attack on the Methodist mission on the island of Millingimby, off the coast of North Australia.

The chief missionary, Rev. Thomas T. Webb, was conducting a Sunday service in the open air, when a number of mainland blacks, in fearsome war paint, suddenly appeared.

Armed with dangerous spears, the attackers launched them at the white preacher, his wife, and a lay assistant, while the black congregation fled in terror and disorders.

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hand, and slightly wounded him in the abdomen. The attackers, uttering fierce cries of triumph, advanced closer, but the white people gained the shelter of the mission chapel amid the rain of spears.

By this time the preacher's flock had recovered their wits. Arming themselves with guns and other weapons, they counter-attacked and the invaders fled to the mangrove swamps of the island.

A fearsome night passed for the preacher and his little band of white companions, but no further attack came. At dawn one of the friendly natives announced that he had located the site of the attackers' camp, and Webb led a party of his converts to capture them.

The missionaries' troubles were not yet over. Handsuffs are not part of the usual mission equipment, and the offending natives escaped from the ropes that were used in their stead.

One of the least civilized tribes of aborigines is that which roams the shores of the Gulf of Carpentaria, in the far north, near Caledon bay.

Recently reached here. An Australian prospector for oil was camped on a nearby island when one of his native boys brought word to him that a lugger was stranded on the rocks, with a dead aboriginal, belonging to the fierce tribe, on its deck.

After questioning many natives, the prospector learned that the Japanese captain of the lugger had been fishing, leaving on natives, Timbuck, on the ship. Four members of the savage tribe attacked the ship in the captain's absence, climbing over the side, armed with native weapons.

Timbuck evidently put up a desperate fight with a small axe, for the dead aborigine the prospector found had a frightful gash in his head and several gaping wounds in his body.

Meanwhile the Japanese captain was unaware of the tragedy on his ship, to which he leisurely and innocently returned. Two aboriginal members of his crew got aboard first and were savagely attacked.

Superstition prevented the blood-thirsty riders making off with the lugger, as their dead comrades lying on the deck, and superstition also prevented their throwing his body overboard as they had their enemies.

Out Our Way



Homes Found For Three Children, Mother Gets Work

The great mother heart of Ranger and Eastland was stirred to its depths Sunday when a story appeared in the Ranger Times and the Eastland Times, that a mother with three children wanted a home for her little ones, so that she might work and earn a living.

The boy was taken charge of by a family in Eastland. A Ranger woman who had two babies of her own, wanted the older girl, so that she could assist her with the care of her own children, and get a home in return, and a mother with a baby about the age of the 5-year-old girl, wanted her for a playmate for her own little one.

The mother of the children went to work yesterday.

First C. I. A. Short Course Attended By More Than 750

DENTON, May 9.—More than 750 farm women attended the first short course in the history of the College of Industrial Arts held last week-end on the campus. Twenty-three counties in North Texas sent delegations for the event.

Negro Church Will Have Song Service Tuesday Night

At the St. Paul Baptist church (colored), Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, there will be a negro song service, which will be participated in by some 24 Ranger colored people.

RANGER MAN RIDES PLANE TO SAN SABA

E. D. Sullivan of the Acme Pipe Machine Supply company, Ranger, flew to San Saba yesterday with Frank Merrill, one of the pilots of the university's aeronautics cruise, now in Ranger, to bring his mother, Mrs. R. L. Fenstemacker, of that city to the bedside of her son, Delmer Sullivan who was operated on Sunday morning at the City-County hospital.

A LITTLE MUSIC PROFESSOR

The new music, such as "Ballet Mechanique," "Flivver 10,000,000" and "Pacific 291," written for riveters, motor cutouts, airplane propellers, bells, locomotive whistles and foundries, is all right but it doesn't go far enough.

The battleship Colorado went aground in the Hudson. The pilot should have tried the Mississippi.

Edna.—Thirty-eight miles of high voltage electric transmission line is to be built in Jackson and Wharton counties by the Central Power and Light company to supply power to pumping in the rice fields.

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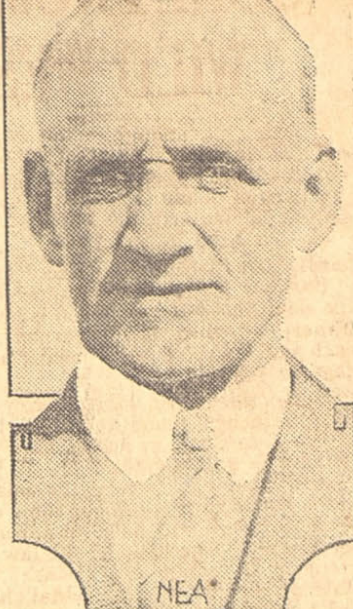
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LODGE NOTICES

Called meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., Tuesday, April 10, 8 p. m.; examinations in all degrees. Stated meeting, Thursday, May 12, 8 p. m.; election of officers. J. T. Howell, W. M.; F. E. Langston, Sec.

LOST AND FOUND

WILL PARTY who picked up 7 months old police puppy Saturday afternoon return same to C. M. Risher, Lone Star Garage, Ranger.

LOST-Thursday evening, gentleman's Dobb's hat, light gray, dark green band, size 7 1-8 either on square or West Commerce. Please telephone Mrs. J. D. Blankenship, 280 or 662, Eastland.

SPECIAL NOTICES

WANTED-To care for children or do housework. Phone 256, Ranger. AM IN THE MARKET-for home in or near Ranger-Address P. O. Box 534, Ranger, Texas.

FOR your health's sake, drink Electrozone and Purity, electrified and distilled water. Ranger Distilled Water Co., 318 S. Hodges st., Ranger. Phone 157.

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Fully modern 5 room bungalow, large front near young school, \$30. Maddocks and Son, Ranger.

FOR RENT-Three room modern house. Call 323-W, Ranger.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT-2-room apartment with bath. Langston Apartments. Phone 419, Ranger.

FOR RENT-Two-room apartment; reference required. 323 Alice st., Ranger.

WANTED TO BUY

ELECTRIC FAN wanted; oscillating. See Bristow at Ranger Times.

SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main st., Ranger. Phone 95.

FOR SALE--MISCELLANEOUS

FURNITURE FOR SALE-Mrs. T. B. Scott, 419 Walnut street. Phone 329, Ranger.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Nice modern house on outskirts of city. All conveniences. \$3,000. C. E. May, Real Estate and Insurance, Ranger.

FOR SALE-5 room modern house, well located, \$1,800, terms. C. E. May, real estate and insurance, Ranger.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

TRADE IN your old ice box on a Copeland all-porcelain electric refrigerator. Phone 25, The Electric Shop, 305 Main st., Ranger, Texas.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FRYERS FOR SALE-50 cents each also eight and ten weeks old pullets, 50 cents each. These are not culls but just the other end of the fryer business. All chickens hatched from my own eggs. Come and get what you want. Plenty of them. O. S. Driskill, Ranger Heights, Phone 342, Ranger. 500 for \$50; \$12.50 per 100, English leghorn, baby chicks, May and June delivery. Book your order now. Dudley Bros., Hatchery, 105 Marston, Ranger.

FOR SALE-Fat barred rock friers; now 35c per pound. C. A. Wilson, Olden, Texas.

AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE-1927 Ford Coupe, first rubber, snubbers, bumpers, lock wheel, foot feed, motor. Priced right. See Stanley McAnally, Ford and Smith office or ring 552.

FOR SALE-Dodge roadster, Ford roadster and Ford touring. C. W. Hargraves, next door to Ranger Times.

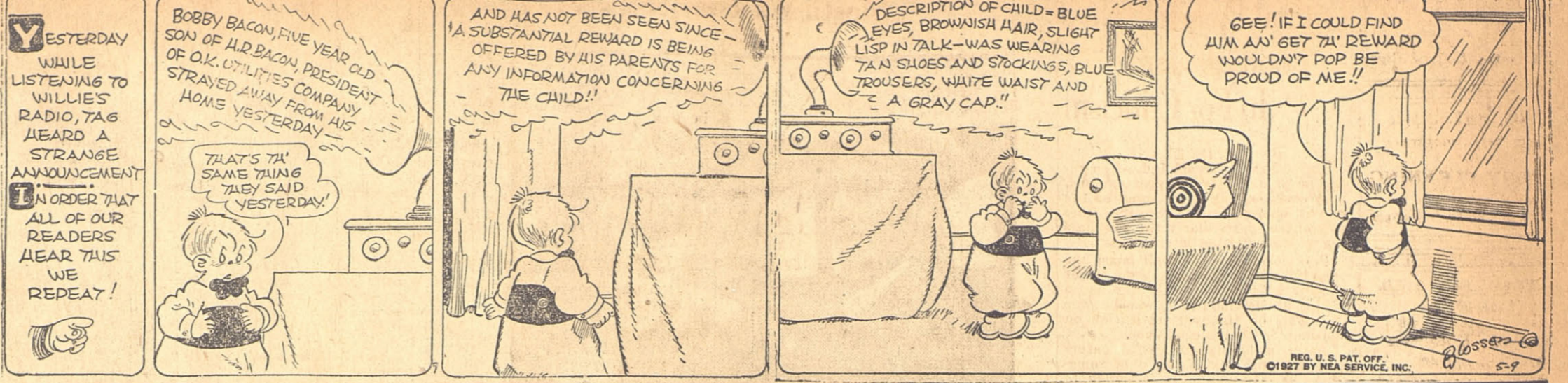
WHY put new parts on old cars? We tear 'em up and sell the pieces. Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 S. N. Rusk st., Ranger. Phone 84

FOR SALE

1926 Chrysler Coach, 1926 Chrysler Roadster '70', 1926 Essex Coach. STREET MOTOR CO. Cadillac-LaSalle Ranger, Texas

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

YESTERDAY WHILE LISTENING TO WILLIE'S RADIO, TAG HEARD A STRANGE ANNOUNCEMENT IN ORDER THAT ALL OF OUR READERS HEAR THIS WE REPEAT!

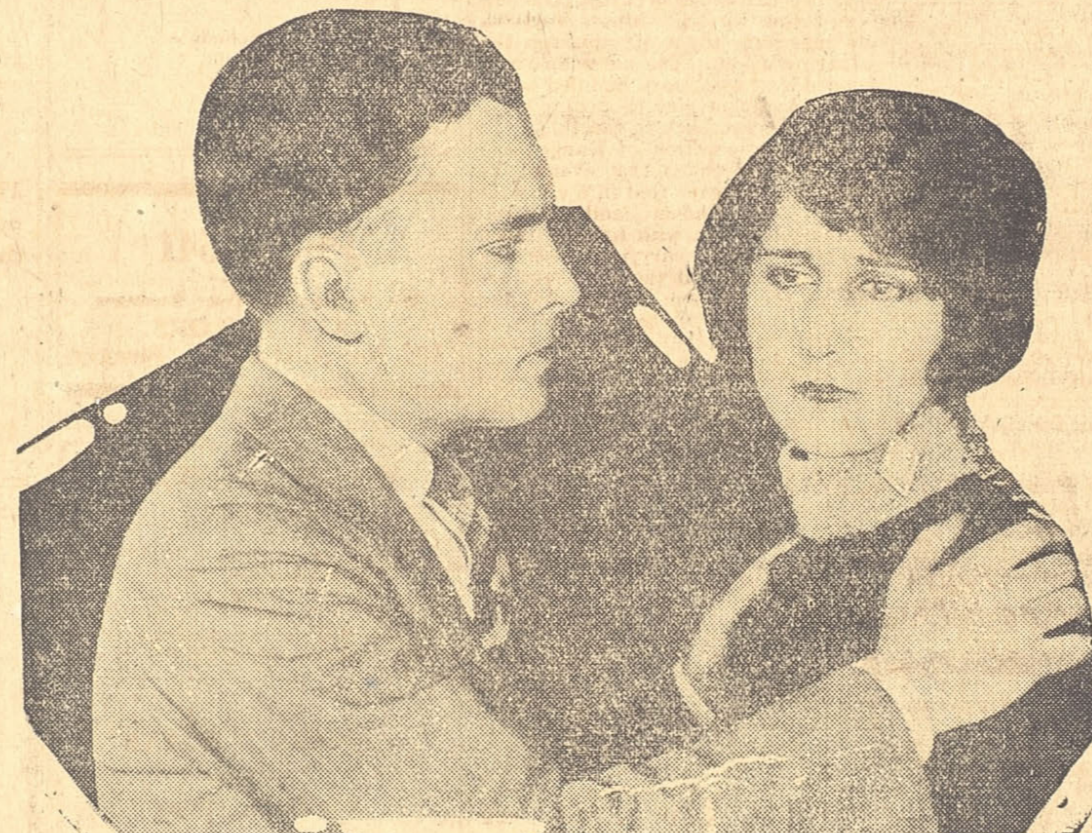


Mom'n Pop



DAUGHTERS of MIDAS by Anne Austin

THIS HAS HAPPENED T. Q. Curtis stages two intriguing contests in his big department store and, strangely, the winners are the prettiest girls in his employ, among them Billy Wells, Nyda Lomax, and Winnie Shelton. The prize for the second contest is an invitation for a big dinner party at the Curtis mansion and an expensive evening dress to wear to the party.



"Don't go, Billy. He's butted into your private life enough, already."

Billy danced five dances with Romaine. She also danced with Ralph Truman, whose father owns the factory in which Clay Curtis is working. When the dance is over, Billy waits up to old T. Q. Curtis, who has scarce taken his eyes off her, Nyda Lomax and Winnie Shelton during the evening. She tells him that it was a wonderful evening and that she must hurry before the hour strikes for Cinderella and her chariot to turn to a pumpkin.

Her own plump cheeks blanching with the fear that every telegram brings into the homes of the poor. "I'm sorry, Billy. I didn't think you'd believe that of me." His shoulders drooped and his eyes studied the thick, round toes of his work shoes.

"What in the world?" Mrs. Wells echoed incredulously. "Don't go, Billy," Clay started the girl by gripping her shoulders with his work-marked hands. "You don't have to go! He's butted into your private life enough already."

"Don't count your chickens before they're hatched," Mrs. Wells cautioned, with an anxious eye on her daughter's sparkling face. The girl's lightning changes of mood frequently bewildered her more placid mother.

"What ninnies we are, mother! It's just occurred to me that old T. Q. has sent for us to talk about Clay. He's doped out some plan to get his boy back home and he wants our cooperation."

TO ALL HOLDERS OF SECOND LIBERTY LOAN BONDS NOTICE OF REDEMPTION. All outstanding Second Liberty Loan 4 per cent bonds of 1927-42 (Second 4's) and all outstanding Second Liberty Loan 4 1/2 per cent bonds of 1927-42 (Second 4 1/2's) are called for redemption on November 15, 1927, pursuant to the terms of their issue.

Don't be a Victim of "Spring Fever". You Can Easily Avoid the Depressing Effects of the Changing Season. In the Spring, many people find themselves losing appetite, are overcome by a lack of energy, and a run-down feeling takes possession of their whole body.

Makes the Body Strong Makes the Blood Rich Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic 60c.

Try this Fruit Sponge to day! Fruit Sponge Soak one-half envelope Knox Sparkling Gelatin in one-half cup cold water ten minutes, and dissolve in one cup hot fruit juice using any left-over canned or fresh fruit juices.

KC Baking Powder for best results in your baking Same Price for over 35 years 25 ounces for 25¢ WHY PAY WAR PRICES? Guaranteed Pure

Ranger C. of C. To Plan Convention Trip at Meeting

Plans for Ranger's participation in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention to be held in Wichita Falls, next week, will come before the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, when they meet tonight at the office at 8 o'clock.

Ranger will also send Lewis Gregg, who will speak for Ranger in "My Home Town" contest, to be staged during the convention and which carries a \$100 award and several other valuable considerations.

Tonight will be the first time that the newly elected secretary, W. C. Hickey, will attend a directors' meeting as secretary, and at the same time the newly elected directors, Walter Murray, Col. Brasher, C. E. May, W. D. Conway and Morris Bendix, will be appointed to their various standing committees.

Union Revival Is Being Planned By Ranger Ministers

On May 28 several of the ministers of Ranger will begin a two weeks revival. There will not be any imported revivalist, but the various pastors will conduct the services and the choirs of the churches participating will combine, making one of the most powerful choirs ever heard in this city.

Full announcement of place and other plans will be announced later.

Ranger Boy Shows Unusual Record In Scholarship

Saundito Gregg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Saunders Gregg of Ranger, holds an unusual record in scholarship. He is twelve years old, a high school student, and has never had to stand a final examination since he entered school.

President Urges Big Attendance At West Texas C C

"I covet the cooperation of the entire membership of the West Texas chamber of commerce to the end that the ninth annual convention to be held at Wichita Falls, May 16 and 17, will be one that adds luster to the organization and benefit to the empire section which it serves."

In his final words issued from the Stamford office, President Duggan announced that everything was in readiness for the ninth annual meet, and that every detail had been checked over to the satisfaction of Manager Wade.

One of the most important items in his final message to the West Texas chamber of commerce membership was the announcement of rules for voting at the convention.

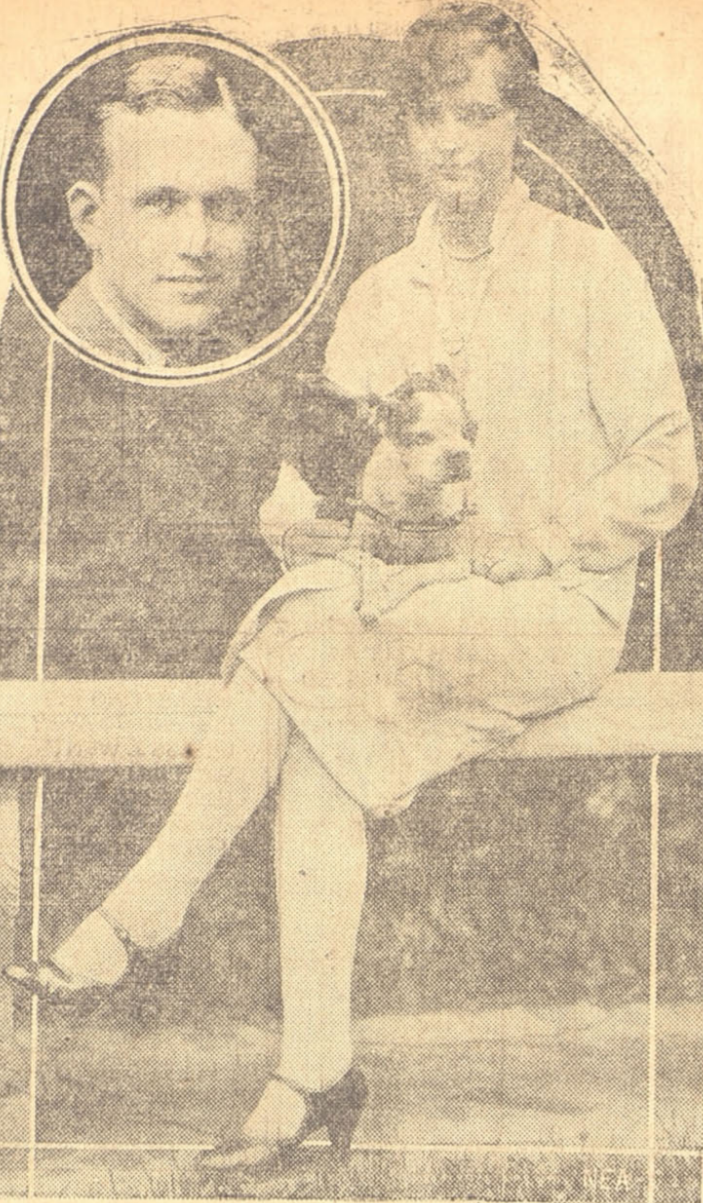
West Texas towns affiliated with the organization that were in good standing May 1, 1926, shall be permitted to vote the number of votes shown in books of the organization on May 10, 1927, votes being on the basis of each paid up membership of \$10.

Makes Girls More Attractive

If the face powder you now use does not stay on long enough to suit you—does not keep that ugly shine away indefinitely—does not make your skin colorful like a peach—try this new wonderful special French Process Face Powder called MELLO-GLO.

For better Bread ask for SNO-FLAKE TULLOS BAKERY 106 S. Rusk Ranger

Puppy Love Results in Elopement



Miss Peggy Green (pardon us, Mrs. Norval Tyrell) age 19, is sure that her elopement with Mr. Tyrell, age 21, is not a "puppy love" affair, even though Peggy does play with puppies, as shown in the picture above.

High Wind Sunday Interferes With Aviation Stunts

On account of the heavy winds of Sunday the University flyers now in Ranger, did not attempt any stunt flying. They took a number of passengers up, however, and will remain in Ranger through Tuesday, going then to Eastland for a few days stay.

A number of thrills had been promised yesterday but the wind made their realization dangerous to man and plane and they were therefore not undertaken.

Much interest in the aviation courses to be given at Texas University next year and from then on, is being manifested by Ranger young men, who will attend that institution next year.

Special This Week A select group of ladies hats that have been offered for as much as \$10 for only \$4.95 S & H Store Exclusive for Ladies Ranger, Texas

Baby Caps We have just received a splendid assortment of lace baby caps, lovely ribbon trimmed. These are new summery styles and are popular priced.

J. C. SMITH Ranger, Texas

BEAUTY WORK Marcel for 50c Retrace for 25c Phone 47 for appointment. RANGER BEAUTY PARLOR Smith & Dixon, Props

CONNELLEE Today Only WILLIAM FOX presents THE MIDNIGHT KISS With Janet Gaynor and Arthur Housman

PIGGLY WIGGLY All Over the World

THE TEST OF SERVICE The real test of a banking institution, in the last analysis is its willingness, capacity and ability to serve. Since its organization, the word SERVICE has been the key-word in every transaction at this institution.

LAMB THEATRE, RANGER TODAY ONLY

UPSTREAM WILLIAM FOX presents "Unsocial Three" Comedy

Coming Tomorrow and Wednesday

Venus of Venice CONSTANCE TALMADGE See Venice by Moonlight with

Venus of Venice At Lamb Theatre, Gay New Hit In Pictures

Constance Talmadge comes to the Lamb theatre, Ranger, Tuesday, for a run of two days in "Venus of Venice," a rollicking story, in which Constance appears as an impulsive, mischievous little canal gypsy whose life is one of thievery among the gondolas of the Venice canal.

Diving into and swimming through the canals with the utmost abandon whenever occasion demands it, she has earned the sobriquet the "Water Rat." And it is one of her daredevil escapades that brings her into contact with an American artist in Venice—an acquaintance that is productive of more excitement, more thrills and greater joy than ever has been crowded into her life.

In the leading male role opposite Miss Talmadge, Antonio Moreno appears as the American artist. And the director is Marshall Neilan, past master in the creation of light comedy.

Let Us Put your clothes away in a Moth-proof bag. BILL'S DRY CLEANING PLANT Cleaners of delicate fabrics Office phone 498 Plant 92 Ranger

Latest ARCH REST Styles FROM our fine stock of shoes we can fit you to perfection in the very latest style. Your feet will not only be charmingly dressed. They'll be more comfortable than ever.

Wm. Penn—5 cents—A Good Cigar Look at this bargain, ladies white canvas one-strap slipper with popular box heel at special price of— \$1.95 The Fair Store, Inc. Ranger, Texas

LIBERTY THEATRE TODAY Vaudeville and Pictures

FRISCO SALLY LEVY She's There! With SALLY O'NEIL and RAY D'ARCY ALSO COMEDY On the Stage "THE GOLDEN GATE GIRLS REVUE" Girl orchestra with singing and dancing from six talented girls. Admission 10c and 50c

Felice Sandal—as pictured, \$9.50 This new summery sandal is done in all black patent and has a lovely full spike heel. It has two cross straps and a front center strap. It is one of the most popular models among the new style leader numbers we have just received. Appropriate hosiery for all occasions. JOSEPH DRY GOODS CO. "Ranger's Foremost Department Store" RANGER, TEXAS

VACATION LUGGAGE Whether you choose the mountains, the seashore or just a quiet lake near home, let Luggage from the Boston Store accompany you on your travels this summer. Our line of luggage is quite complete and varied in both price and quality to suit the widest range of desires. Hat boxes, handbags, overnight bags, Gladstone bags and suit cases—each has its place in the traveller's equipment. The Hartman wardrobe trunk comes in various sizes and differently equipped to suit the needs of the individual. Many prospective June Brides are having their wardrobe trunks delivered now. It's so thrilling to have a nice new trunk in which to pack the trossseau as each garment is completed. SIX BRANCHES IN TEXAS The Boston Store THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER P. O. DRAWER 8 PHONE 50