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THE WEATHER.  
West Texas—Sunday, partly cloudy to cloudy, colder in north portion.

SENTENCE SERMON.  
Those who have finished by making all others think with them have usually been those who began by daring to think with themselves.—Colton.

## COMMISSIONERS AIR ROAD STAND

### FOUR OFFICIALS DECLARE COUNTY STANDS TO LOSE

Judge Pritchard Joins Commissioners in Issuing Public Statement of Status

### CLAIM PROPOSAL FUTILE

Officials Aver They All Favor Good Roads Program

In a statement regarding the \$150,000 state aid awarded Eastland county by the state highway commission and the county's failure to match the amount with county funds as required by law, County Judge Ed S. Pritchard and Commissioners Birt Brittain, V. V. Cooper, J. T. Poe and W. M. Burns, all of whom signed the article, defend their action in declining the state highway commission's offer made through Senator Joe Burckett of Eastland, a member of the commission, and answer what they term as attacks made upon the commissioners' court.

Say County Would Lose. The county commissioners apparently accept Mr. Burckett's suggestion that George Davison would refuse to waive his contract with Eastland county, permitting the court to advertise for new bids, and say that a comparison of prices paid under the terms of the old contract, by which with present prevailing prices shows the county would sustain a loss of many thousands of dollars should Burckett's proposition as outlined, and if Davison agreed to it, be accepted.

The statement recites published utterances that Eastland county had refused to accept \$125,000 of state aid on condition that \$200,000 be raised by Eastland county for the improvement of state highways, and also quotes Commissioner Burckett as saying he had been told by Judge Pritchard the county would not accept the offer.

Did Not Apply. In reply it is set forth that Eastland county had not applied for state aid, having no available funds to match the state aid as required by law. Continuing, the statement points out how Commissioner Burckett showed the court, verbally and by letter, that Eastland county could raise the money to match state aid, but it would be necessary that George Davison, sole owner of the Fleming-Sitzer Road Building company waive the unfilled part of his contract with Eastland to build the roads (this amounting to about \$450,000), or else that Mr. Davison consent to certain discounts and changes in his contract and do the work.

Burckett's Proposal. Highway Commissioner Burckett's letter to County Judge Pritchard, follows:

Judge Ed S. Pritchard, City, Dear Judge: Contrary to my expectations, I must go to Austin this evening, hence cannot meet with your court tomorrow. I am, therefore, outlining what I think should be done in order to get some road work accomplished, as follows:

### Christian Freshmen Take Two Straight Games From Ranger

Ranger Hi lost two straight games to the Texas Christian University freshmen, Friday and Saturday afternoon at Nitro park, Ranger, T. C. U. winning the first game, 9 to 3, and the second, 12 to 9.

The defeat of Ranger Saturday afternoon was heartrending, inasmuch as Ranger took the lead in the inning and held it steadily until the ninth, at the beginning of which the score stood 9 to 7 in favor of Ranger. In the ninth inning the Polywogs got inside Russell's guard and hit him hard, which, together with several errors by Ranger in the field, enabled them to make five runs and take the game.

### GOVERNOR SIGNS MANY NEW BILLS

Incidentally She Places Veto Upon Many Measures.

AUSTIN, March 28.—The tick eradication act of the recent legislature was signed by Governor Ferguson today. The first work under the measure is to be done in 89 counties, mostly in East Texas, for which there is an appropriation of \$150,000 to be available until August 31, next. Other bills signed today are:

Fixing a 12-year minimum sentence for burglary by the use of high explosives; providing the amount expended by candidates for having their names printed on the primary ballot shall not be counted in the limit allowed for campaign expenses; prohibiting cemeteries within one mile of any incorporated town of more than 5,000 population; stipulating that intoxicating liquors seized by county officers shall go to the board of control for distribution to state eleemosynary institutions for medical purposes.

AUSTIN, March 28.—Two bills increasing tax burdens and another that would authorize A. & M. college to condemn land for its campus were vetoed today by Governor Ferguson.

Senate bill authorizing county commissioners to employ one or more nurses to assist in public health work was vetoed because the governor considered this was a step in the wrong direction and another attempt to put unnecessary officers on the neck of the taxpayers.

Veto of senate bill raising from \$1,000 to \$1,500 annually the amount which commissioners' courts may appropriate out of county funds for farm cooperative demonstration work in conjunction with the federal aid and A. & M. college work was denied because the governor does not think it sound policy to increase taxes at this time.

Elementals Now Offer Faint Hope of Much Needed General Rain. DALLAS, March 28.—Cool weather with overcast skies prevailed in North and East Texas today, but failed to make any appreciable headway against the drought, which has become serious. Light showers fell at a number of places during the day, being reported at Gainesville, Paris and Sherman and at various points in West Texas; Navasota reported generally cloudy weather in East Texas.

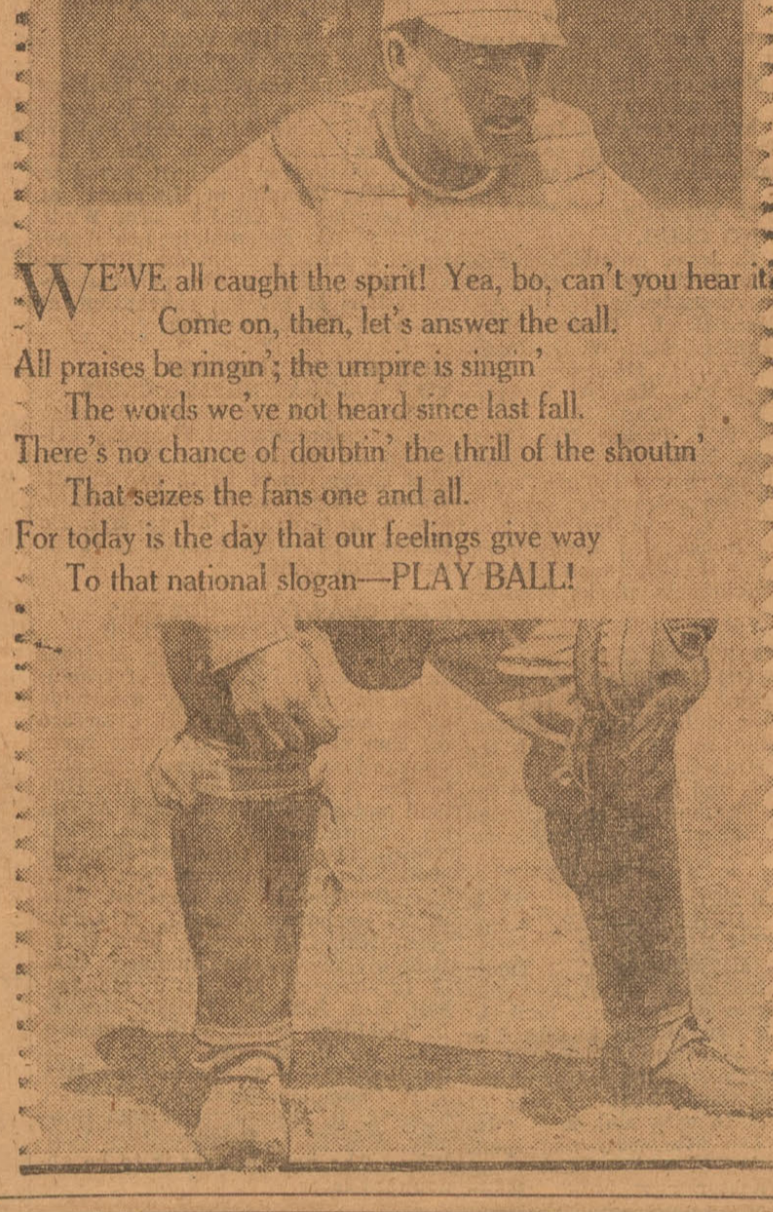
Farmers throughout the state have begun to look anxiously for rain. Stock water is running low and cattle are suffering. Spring planting has been held back in many sections. Lack of water has interfered with drilling for oil.

The general need of rain drew comment in the monthly report of the federal reserve bank issued today. Cool and unsettled weather over the week-end was the only promise held out to the state by federal weather bureau tonight.

At Ranger, Eastland and as far west as Sweetwater along the Texas & Pacific railroad cool and cloudy weather prevailed all day yesterday, a strong wind from the south blowing most of the day. Occasionally showers fell for a few minutes, but never more than enough to show a few drops of water on the pavement.

### OPENING DAY

by HAL COCHRAN.



WE'VE all caught the spirit! Yea, bo, can't you hear it? Come on, then, let's answer the call. All praises be ringin'; the umpire is singin'. The words we've not heard since last fall. There's no chance of doubtin' the thrill of the shoutin'. That seizes the fans one and all. For today is the day that our feelings give way To that national slogan—PLAY BALL!

### LAW SUIT MAY AIR CAMPAIGN

Democratic National Committee Engaged in Court Fight

NEW YORK, March 28.—A controversy between the national democratic executive committee and Van Patten, Inc., an advertising agency, has come to light with the filing of two cross suits based on a disagreement on bills for advertising during the last presidential campaign. Van Patten is suing for \$84,220 for work alleged to have been done and not paid for. The committee in turn has sued Van Patten for an accounting of \$50,000 it alleges was entrusted to the firm.

### U Social Elect Stage New Party as Probers Sift Cafe 'Baby Party'

AUSTIN, March 28.—While the social elect of the Texas university flocked to another fraternity dance at the Austin Country club Friday night, the faculty administration council met to consider stringent restrictions on the student social affairs.

### \$120,000 Mail Bag Stolen in Transit

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 28.—Postoffice inspectors tonight are working on the theft of \$120,000 in a registered package stolen while in transit from Washington to the federal reserve bank at Detroit. It was the largest loss since the celebrated million dollar mail robbery in Chicago a year ago.

### GERM MURDER CASE TANGLES

State and Defense Each Charge Shady Transactions

CHICAGO, March 28.—Reports of attempts to bribe state witnesses in the million dollar germ murder were investigated today by the office of State Attorney Charles E. Crowe. Earle T. Clark, whose testimony led to the arrest of William D. Shepherd on a charge of murdering his ward, Billie McClintock, was taken into custody following reports he had been offered \$5,000 to leave the city. The offer was made by a representative of a detective agency, Crowe was told. Crowe ordered the head of the agency brought in.

### OKlahoma Legislature Makes Bible Reading In Schools Compulsory

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 28.—The Oklahoma legislature today finally, without comment, passed a bill providing that the Bible shall be read every day in all the common schools of the state.

### Reserve Banks Add \$26,000,000 Cash

DALLAS, March 28.—Deposits in federal reserve member banks in the eleventh federal district increased \$26,000,000 in February, when substantial drawings usually are made, according to the monthly review of the Dallas bank today.

### FIVE KILLED, MANY INJURED AT DALLAS

DALLAS, March 28.—Five persons dead, one dying and more than a score suffering injuries sustained by violence or accidents over night, police reported today.

### AVERS CRUELTY MADE HER KILL

Young Woman Says Brutalities Brought Aunt's Death

Lillie Belle Hirt, 27, who is alleged to have shot and killed her aunt, Salene Hirt, 68, at their home in Clyde, on last Thursday and who is now under bond for \$15,000 made by the citizens of her home town, is known by many Eastland county people, she and her aunt having appeared here as prosecuting witnesses in a criminal case in October, 1917.

### 30-Year-Old Negress Disrupts Own Funeral

By United Press.

LONGVIEW, March 28.—When friends and relatives prepared to bury Mary Sexton, 90-year-old negro woman, they thought that she was really dead this time.

### Eastland and Ranger School Elections May Become Active Monday

School trustee elections in Ranger and Eastland next Saturday have aroused little interest as yet in either city, but are expected to get into the limelight early this week. All candidates must file with the secretary of the respective school boards before the close of Thursday, April 2, and none is known to have made a filing as yet.

### Ranger Golfers Plan Practice Work Today

Members of the Ranger Country club are expected to flock to the links today and play an 18-hole qualification round in preparation for the Ranger golf tournament to begin next Sunday. Those unable to attend today are requested to play the 18 holes before next Wednesday night and turn in their scores to Mr. Ralston, secretary of the club.

### ARREST IS PROMISED UNLICENSED DRIVERS

Tax Collector Hardy has been instructed by the state department at Austin to enforce the state law which requires all service car drivers to have seat and chauffeur's licenses, the seat license being \$4 a year for each seat.

### COUNTY SCHOOLS HEAVY TEAMS ALL READY FOR TEST

Athletes, Orators, Mathematicians, Music Entrants Up On Their Toes.

Eastland is Ready to Entertain Flock of Entrants. The independent and rural schools of Eastland county, which will be represented in the County Interscholastic League meet to be held in Eastland on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 2, 3 and 4, have completed their elimination contests and sent in the names of their contestants who will enter the county-wide contest, in which there will be between 300 and 400 entrants.

### TRIALS START THURSDAY

Officers of the meet are as follows: W. Z. Bates, superintendent Eastland public schools, director-general; R. L. Speer, superintendent Olden public schools, director of athletics; R. M. Cantrell, superintendent Desdemona public schools, director of debate; C. C. Cox, teacher of English in the Gorman public school, director of declamation; Mrs. A. H. Kean, teacher of history in the Cisco public schools, director of essay; Mrs. John Van Geem of Matland and teacher of the Yellow Mount school, director of spelling; Miss Helen Howdeshell, teacher of music in the Ranger high school, director of music memory; W. H. Collins, teacher in the Pioneer public school, director of arithmetic; Miss Beulah Speer, county superintendent, director of rural schools.

### Late News Flashes From Everywhere

SUSPECT MURDER. TAHOKA, Texas, March 28.—Ed Roberts was held here tonight for investigation in connection with the death of Calvin Petty at Telehar, near here, today. Petty was slain with a shotgun. Cause of the shooting was not learned.

### AUTO INJURES FIVE

SANGER, March 28.—Five persons were injured when two automobiles collided on the highway between here and Denton today. Miss Lucille Burns suffered internal injuries and may die. Four other young women in the car, which overturned, were cut and bruised.

### CONDEMNNS LEAGUE

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 28.—Unless the democratic party drops the League of Nations as an issue in the next regular campaign the party will be defeated by hundreds of thousands of votes, United States Senator Reed told a joint session of the general assembly here, Reed hurled broadside after broadside at the world court, declaring it was a political court.

### CRUSHED TO DEATH

WICHITA FALLS, March 28.—George Millon of Fort Worth, a brakeman, was crushed to death between two freight cars at Bridgeport today.

### MISSING MAN DEAD

AUSTIN, March 28.—After being sought two days, the body of George H. Cantrell, a captain in the Texas national guard, was found in a partially submerged automobile in Lake Austin, near here, late today. The car was found at the foot of an 80-foot cliff, where apparently it had dropped from the roadway. Captain Cantrell was last seen Thursday night.

### OKLAHOMAN CONVICTED

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 28.—Bill Lawrence, alleged Oklahoma outlaw, was found guilty of first degree murder by a jury here today. Lawrence and his brother were accused of slaying Babe Burch, local police officer, while resisting arrest. The verdict carries the death penalty. It was reached after the sixteenth ballot. A new trial will be asked.

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Society AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor Telephone 224 MONDAY. First Baptist W. M. U. meets at 1:30 o'clock at church to quilt. Cheerful Workers of Christian church meet at 2:30 o'clock at church to rehearse for play. St. Rita's Altar society meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Charles Dyer. Presbyterian auxiliary and guild meet at 3 o'clock at club rooms. Central Baptist W. M. U. meets at 3 o'clock at church for hospital shower. TUESDAY. Columbia Study club meets at 10 o'clock with Mrs. O. L. Phillips. Public library opens 1 to 6 o'clock, Marston building. WEDNESDAY. Rotary club meets, 12:15 o'clock, Gholson hotel. Wednesday Bridge club meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. H. Burdette. Ad Libitum club meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. C. Palmer. THURSDAY. Lions club meets at 12:15 o'clock, DeGroof hotel. 1920 club meets at 3 o'clock, Gholson hotel. Library opens 1 to 6 o'clock, Marston building. St. Rita's bake sale, Stafford drug store. YOUNG SCHOOL P. T. A. TO PRESENT PLAY. The Parent-Teacher association of Young school will present an interesting play at the school auditorium on April 10, entitled "The Neighbors," by Zona Gale. Numerous musical numbers and other sketches will complete the program. The selected play was awarded a prize as one of the best one-act plays written in the United States in 1922. It has met with great success wherever given as its natural witty lines assure many laughs for the audiences everywhere. It has been adopted as part of the repertoire of little theatre companies in many cities. PERSONALS. Mrs. Al Ohlin and little daughter, Lucy Goree, of Houston, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Saunders Gregg. Mrs. Ohlin is a sister of Mr. Gregg. Dick Phillips came home Saturday night to spend the week-end with his parents. Mrs. Ed Maher and children returned early in the week from Dallas and are occupying the Albert Dyer home on Desdemona boulevard. MRS. TAYLOR ENTERTAINS FOR HER LITTLE DAUGHTER. Mrs. John Taylor entertained for her little daughter, Elaine, celebrating her third birthday, last Thursday afternoon. Easter decorations were used and the little guests enjoyed an egg hunt and played many games, after which they were served with delicious angel food cake and ice cream. The little hostess received many lovely gifts. The guests included: Nelma Jane Coleman, Mary Alice Peirson, Dorothy McNeil, Mavis Murray, Elizabeth McNeil, Lucille Fae Gilleland, Jean Williams, Max Williams, Joe McNeil, Cleveland Peirson, Sidney Plummer. Those assisting Mrs. Taylor included: Mrs. Plummer, Mrs. J. A. Peirson, Mrs. P. W. Gilleland, and Mrs. Richard Williams. COUNTY FEDERATION TO CONDUCT INVESTIGATIONS. The County Federation of Women's Clubs will continue its investigations of the county jails and poorhouse, the committee appointed for the purpose including Mrs. R. Q. Lee of Cisco, chairman; Mrs. P. G. Lewis, Dr. Grew, Mrs. M. H. Haganman of Ranger, Mrs. Homer Gorman of Gorman, and Mrs. Kuykendall. CENTRAL BAPTIST W. M. U. FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING. The fifth Sunday meeting of Central Baptist W. M. U. will be held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the church, with Mrs. J. M. White and Mrs. B. V. Bollinger hostesses. The occasion will be a shower for the Baptist sanitariums over the state and members are requested to bring supplies as follows: Sheets 72x90, pillow cases 21x30, face and bath towels, dresser scarfs 18x18, hot water bottle covers 12x14, ice cap covers 12x14, triangles, quilted pads, baby sheets 36x54, patients gowns, table cloths 2x2 1/2 yards, table covers 18x20, dresser scarfs 18x20, cook aprons, tea towels and wash rags. There will be a special program at this meeting and refreshments will be served. SOUTHWESTERN ARTISTS TOPIC FOR 1920 CLUB. The first April meeting of the 1920 club on Thursday, April 2, will be devoted to a study of American artists of the Southwest with the following special topics. Frederick Remington, America's exponent of western life, Miss Laura Schmueck. "How an interest in art is being developed in New Mexico," Mrs. R. R. Stafford; "The Taos colony of Artists," Mrs. C. E. Maddocks; "The art colony at Cloudcroft," Mrs. C. C. Patterson; "The development of art in California," Mrs. A. L. Duffer; "The art galleries of California," Mrs. M. H. Haganman; "The foreigners in California," Mrs. Barney Carter. THREE-ACT COMEDY WELL UNDER WAY. Members of the Boethian and Fidelis classes of the Central Baptist church are rehearsing three times each week for the presentation of "The Path Across the Hill," the

three-act comedy drama which they will give early next month, dividing the profits with the Carl Barnes post, which is raising a fund with which to buy uniforms for the Ranger band. The play is to be given in the Liberty theatre and, as the legionnaires are aiding in the sale of tickets, a packed house is expected. Following is the cast: Grandpa Samuel Crawford, Dewey Jones; Robert Post, the visitor; John T. Tibbles; Walter Conrad, Ruth's brother, Jimmie Cox; Dr. Jimmie Reed, "with ambition," W. G. Adams; Salamander Alexander, John Henry Jones; (Zuzu's choice) Irvin Akin; Grandma Davis, Mildred Bryant; Ruth Conrad, nickname "Bobbie," Mabel Knight; Flo Gray, Ruth's cousin, va Mad Hannah; Lutie, a neighbor; Lutta Hannah; Zuzu, the cook; O. Stubblefield. MRS. REMONTE HOSTESS TO CHILD STUDY CLUB. An interesting session of the Child Study club was held on Thursday at the home of Mrs. John Remonte. The third chapter of the book, "The Child, His Nature and Needs," was read by the hostess. A paper on "Spasms and Habits" was read by Mrs. J. A. Shaw. Various phases of these subjects were discussed. Delicious refreshments were served. Those present were, Mrs. G. M. Cobb, Mrs. S. P. Boon, Mrs. M. R. Newham, Mrs. J. A. Shaw, Mrs. H. L. Post, Mrs. L. N. Dennis, Mrs. W. B. Carroll, the last three being new members. JUVENILE MUSIC CLUB TO MEET MONDAY. An extra meeting of the Juvenile Music club will be held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Norton. All who have been asked to take part in the "Indian Princess" are asked to be present at this time, or as soon after as possible, as the meeting will be a rehearsal of the chorus parts for the operetta. MRS. BROWN HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY BRIDGE. The Wednesday Bridge club was entertained last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. F. A. Brown on Pine street. High score favor went to Mrs. Mendenhall and low to Mrs. Logsdon. Those present were, Mrs. Walter Burden, Mrs. W. D. Conway, Mrs. J. F. Champion, Mrs. J. L. Thompson, Mrs. E. L. McMillen, Mrs. F. J. Branney, Mrs. H. Mendenhall and Mrs. H. A. Logsdon. Mrs. Burden will entertain the club next Wednesday, April 1. EASTLAND COUNTY COUNCIL TO MEET IN RANGER. The April meeting of the Eastland County Council will be held in Ranger on Saturday, April 4, at 2:30 o'clock, in the high school auditorium. The invocation will be by Rev. G. D. Robison. Mrs. J. H. Stewart of Eastland will talk on the moral training of children in the home. There will be a vocal solo by Miss Helen Howdeshell, a talk on country life by Mrs. L. D. Hilyer of Eastland, an address by Judge N. N. Rosenquist of Eastland, and Mrs. C. E. Maddocks of Ranger. Members are expected to attend from all Parent-Teacher associations of the county. DORIS MURRAY HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY. Eight young friends of Doris Murray were invited to help her celebrate her eleventh birthday on Saturday afternoon. The time was merrily spent in playing games, and enjoying the refreshments served. A birthday cake, lighted with candles, was cut at the close of the party. Many pretty gifts were presented to the little hostess. Those present were Frances McNeill, Louise Pitcock, Martha Marie Gholson, Dorothy Davis, Myrian Carpenter, Nannie Catherine Newham, Betty Dunlap, and Dixie Neal. JUNIOR NEW ERA HAS ENJOYABLE MEETING. Members of the Junior New Era club attended dinner at the Gholson hotel before their regular meeting on last Monday night. The program,

which was held in the green room, was conducted by Miss Howdeshell. The "extra" provided an entertaining report of club happenings since the last meeting. A reading by Frieda Hight was enjoyed, as were also several papers given by Mrs. Combs, Mrs. Hight and Miss Howdeshell. The topic for the evening was the fall of Bolivar's empire. Additional entertainment was furnished by Miss Mary McDonald, who gave a recitation, Miss Belva Dixon, who gave a piano solo, and a violin duet by Dorothy Outlaw and Evelyn Long. Miss Hortense Ross will be leader for the first Monday in April. CHEERFUL WORKERS MEET ON MONDAY. The Cheerful Workers of the Christian church will meet at the church at 2:30 o'clock on Monday to practice for the play which is to be given by them on April 28. The name of the play is "When East Meets West." METHODIST CHURCH HAS GET-TOGETHER PARTY. Methodists and prospective Methodists had a get-together party Friday night at the church, which was enjoyed by a large number of adults and children. Readings were given by several, a song by Miss Laura Schmueck, piano solo by Mrs. M. R. Newham. An amazing contest and singing of hymns preceded the serving of refreshments which consisted of ice cream, cake and coffee. MRS. JONES HOSTESS TO VISITING CLUB. Mrs. K. C. Jones entertained Friday for the 1920 Bridge club of Strawn the guests being Mrs. C. Anderson, Mrs. B. F. Binney, Mrs. Charles Bennings, Mrs. W. G. Goldsberry, Mrs. E. L. Houseley, Mrs. George Hammock, Mrs. A. R. Harris, Mrs. E. T. Nolan, Mrs. T. E. Stages, Mrs. F. L. Tucker, Mrs. G. G. McCobb, and Mrs. C. C. Patterson, the two latter being Ranger members. The high score prize went to Mrs. Hammock, and low to Mrs. Houseley. Punch and candy were served during the afternoon and delicious refreshments at the close of the game. COLUMBIA STUDY CLUB TO MEET ON TUESDAY. The regular meeting of the Columbia Study club will be held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. O. L. Phillips, with Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Finney on the program. The book to be presented is "Sard Harker," by John Masfield. RANGER SOCIETY OF H. MURTE LUCILLE MILLS HAS TENTH BIRTHDAY. Mrs. E. H. Mills of 1201 Oddie street, entertained Saturday afternoon in honor of the tenth birthday of her daughter, Murtle Lucille. The house was beautifully decorated in pink and white. In the center of the dining-table was a birthday cake of pink and white with pink and white candles. The afternoon was spent in the playing of various games and a happy Easter hunt. Many pretty gifts were presented to the honoree. Ice cream and cake were served to the guests who were, Lucille Peterson, Clara Mae Weaver, Eva Mills, Geneva Robertson, Tribby McGee, Hazel Faircloth, Louise Rendles, Doris Estelle Bray, Vastie Vascom, Ruby Fay Jones, Martha Marie Gholson, Mary Lane Bateman, Florence Cooper of Breckenridge, Elvis Weaver, Paul Bray, Billy Waite, Elvis Mills, Elvis Bankson and Robert Earnest. ST. RITA'S SOCIETY TO MEET MONDAY. The Altar society of St. Rita's catholic church will meet on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles Dyer, to complete plans for the bake sale which they will hold next Saturday at the Stafford drug store. DELPHIANS ELECT OFFICERS FOR NEW YEAR. Following a program on the beginnings of French national drama, which was given by Mmes. Bohning,

Chaplin, Jackson and McFarland, the Delphians elected officers for the coming year at their regular meeting held on Thursday at the Gholson. In an effort to complete the course on drama during this year the club will take two programs for each session. For the next meeting there will be a continuance of French drama, and a program on the English dramatists of the Restoration and the 18th century. Parts assigned for the French drama of the 17th century are: "The Bourgeois Gentleman," Mrs. J. P. Driehof; "Alceste and Calpurne," Mrs. McClellan; "The Amant of Authors," Mrs. Buchanan; "La-tuffe," Mrs. C. G. Northon. Parts assigned for the program on English dramatists are: "The Double Dealer," Mrs. A. W. Turner; "Sheridan's Career," Mrs. W. L. Jackson; "Bob Acres' Duel," Mrs. F. L. Carroll; "Early English Actors," Mrs. E. L. Shattuck. The newly elected officers are: Mrs. L. C. G. Buchanan, president; Mrs. E. H. Chaplin, vice president; Mrs. Ida McClellan, secretary-treasurer; advisory board members: Mrs. W. J. McFarland, chairman; Mrs. F. L. Carroll and Mrs. G. T. Bohning. MRS. J. M. WHITE WILL BE ON DISTRICT PROGRAM. The annual convention of the First District of the Federated Women's Clubs of Texas will be held in Fort Worth, April 6, 7 and 8. Mrs. J. M. White of Ranger has been asked to give "The Biennial in Miniature" at this meeting on April 8. Mrs. White attended the Biennial in Los Angeles as a delegate from the 1920 club of Ranger, and will give personal observations of the big convention, at the Fort Worth meeting. MRS. GREGG HOSTESS TO THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB. Members of the Thursday Bridge club were entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Saunders Gregg, there being two substitutes. High score favor went to Mrs. Crawford and low to Mrs. Ed Maher. The next hostess is to be announced later. MRS. CRAWFORD HOSTESS TO YOUNG MATRONS CLUB. Members of the Young Matrons Bridge club and a number of friends were entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Crawford on Elm street. High guest favor went to Mrs. John Thurman, high club to Mrs. C. C. Craig, low to Mrs. Holland and guest favor to Mrs. A. Ohlin. Those present were, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. Al Ohlin of Houston, Mrs. John W. Thurman, Mrs. C. O. Terrell, Mrs. H. A. Logsdon, Mrs. F. T. Branney, Mrs. J. T. Gullhorn, Mrs. C. C. Craig, Mrs. G. C. Barkley, Mrs. John Shannon, Mrs. D. L. Jameson, Mrs. H. J. Mendenhall, Mrs. John D. Gholson, Mrs. E. L. McMillen, Miss Ruth Hagaman, Mrs. W. R. Bowden, Mrs. W. H. Burden, Mrs. J. A. Shackelford, Mrs. J. F. Champion, Mrs. M. L. Holland, Mrs. H. B. Wilson, Mrs. Gus Coleman, Mrs. A. L. Bergere, Mrs. E. J. Wiss. The next hostess is to be announced later. YOUNG MATRONS CLASS DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINED. Members of the Young Matrons class of the Methodist church had their social meeting on Friday at the home of Mrs. Frank Greene, where they were delightfully entertained by the hostesses, Mrs. Greene, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. O. L. Phillips, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Dan Parcels, and Mrs. Iva Nourse. Games were played and there were enjoyable readings by Miss Leila Giles and Master George Allison. Those present besides the hostesses were Mrs. Rust, Mrs. G. T. Bowman, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, Mrs. W. J. McFarland, Mrs. D. Forman, Mrs. Deanyson, Mrs. Carroll F. Clarke, Mrs. L. A. Hartung, Mrs. J. T. Killingsworth, Mrs. H. V. Post, Mrs. A. H. Allison and Miss Leila Giles. MERRIMAN P. T. A. ELECTS NEW OFFICERS. A business meeting of the Merriman Parent-Teacher association was held Friday night at the schoolhouse the following officers being elected for the coming year: Mrs. William Gunckle, president; Mrs. McLaughlin, first vice president; A. H. Allison second vice president; Mrs. A. H. Allison, secretary; Carl Clemmer treasurer. DISTRICT W. M. U. HAS BOARD MEETING HERE. The executive board of the Cisco district of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union met on Thursday afternoon in Ranger at the home of Mrs. J. M. White, there being 21 members present from Grayford, Palo Pinto, Dublin, Gorman, Cross Plains, Eastland and Cisco. Plans were made at this meeting for the annual district meeting which will be held in Stephenville, April 13 and 14. An elaborate program has been arranged and the attendance of several hundred women is expected at this meeting.

MUSIC MEMORY CONTEST THURSDAY AT EASTLAND. The music memory contest of the interscholastic league of Eastland county, will be held at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening, April 2 at the South Ward school in Eastland. There will be contestants from Ranger, Eastland, Cisco and several other places. There will be two divisions, rural and city, a loving cup being offered to the team having the highest grade in each division. Cooper, Merriman, Young and Central will be represented by teams in the contest. Mrs. Neal has been the director for Cooper school, the team including Ola Mae McGee, Julia Blankenship and Joe Anna Baker. Mrs. Poe has directed the work at Merriman, Jack Poe and Kathleen Gunke composing the team. Miss Addie Welch, director at Young school, has Jean Jennet, Francis Smith and Myrian Carpenter in her team. Central Ward school will be represented, under the direction of Miss Helen Howdeshell, by Elizabeth Valliant, Geraldine Forrest, Margaret Calhoun, Emille Bendix and Theo Stidham. The selections to be played are to be decided by a team of three judges from the various towns represented, these selections to be made on the night of the contest after the teams are assembled. These judges will be disinterested parties. A competent set of judges has been provided to grade the papers at the close of the contest. RANGER CHURCHES. METHODIST CHURCH. Elm near Marston. Rev. A. W. Hall, pastor. 9:45, Sunday school; L. E. Forrest, superintendent. 11, preaching by the pastor. 11, Junior church will be led by Mrs. A. W. Hall. Senior league; Miss Helen Howdeshell, president. 8, Rev. L. A. Webb, presiding elder and former pastor, will speak against unification of American Methodism under the present plan. Full announcements will be made as to the revival meeting and plans of work. CHURCH OF CHRIST. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by the Rev. Homer Davis, who has resigned as pastor to engage in evangelistic work. Elder E. S. Fitzgerald will preach during the revival that begins Friday night before the last Sunday in April. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN. Marston, corner Walnut. Rev. G. D. Robison, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 o'clock; S. B. Baker superintendent. 11 a. m., worship and sermon by the pastor. Y. P. S. C. E. meets at 8:30 o'clock. CHRISTIAN CHURCH. West Main street, near Marston. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. F. W. Hutchins of Illinois. No evening service. CENTRAL BAPTIST. Opposite T. & P. station. Rev. A. L. Leake, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching, 11 o'clock by the pastor on "The Folly of Worldliness"; vocal and cornet duet by Mrs. LaPrelle and Mr. Underwood. Mrs. Pierre Grigg will sing in the evening. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. Walnut street, near Marston. Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor. Morning service at 11 o'clock, when the pastor will deliver the third of his sermons on "Emblems of the Spirit," at this time being "Dew and Rain." At the evening service, at 7:30 o'clock, he will give popular talks. Special music at all services. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Walter Murray, superintendent. Sunbeams meet at 3 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. EPISCOPAL. Opposite Young school. Sunday school, 10 a. m. ROMAN CATHOLIC. Blackwell road. Very Rev. R. A. Kerken, pastor. Mass at 8 and 10 a. m. SALVATION ARMY. South Austin street, near Elm. Services on the street at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school in the hall on South Austin street at 2:30 p. m. and evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Everyone is invited.

STATE DECLINES 'JAZZ BABY'S' HOMICIDE PLEA SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—The fate of Dorothy Ellingson will be determined by a jury because her counsel's offer to have the 16-year-old girl plead guilty to manslaughter in connection with the death of her mother was not accepted by the prosecution. Seeking to prevent further suffering to the girl, who has collapsed in court eight times, Judge McAtee, counsel for Dorothy, today offered the manslaughter plea, but District Attorney Brady demands a second degree murder plea, entailing immediate sentence of 10 years to life imprisonment. Dorothy's condition is reported as highly nervous by authorities at the county jail. One lot of Hats, one-half price; one table of Hats from 50c to \$2.50; all others, one-fourth off. The Novelty Store, Eastland.—Adv. SIGNS FOR EVERY PURPOSE. 206-8 Pine Street RANGER TEXAS. RADIOS AND FURNITURE. Best in Radio, reach from coast to coast. New and second hand Furniture. Terms if desired. COLE'S FURNITURE. 300 No. Austin St. RANGER. PIANOS FOR SALE OR RENT. W. E. DAVIS. Jewellery and Music. GHOLSON HOTEL BARBER SHOP. For Ladies and Gentlemen. —A hearty welcome waits you. —Service, Courtesy, Sanitation our motto. —Only skilled barbers employed. Basement Gholson Hotel. NOTICE WARDROBE EXCHANGE. Moved to 204 Pine St., Ranger. We buy and sell men's and women's second hand clothing and shoes. Many Bargains. DR. BUCHANAN. Practices Limited to EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT AND FITTING OF GLASSES Peoples Bank Bldg., Ranger. Phones 231—119. AMBULANCE. Day 29 Night Phones 227-302. Day 29 Funeral Directors, Embalmers. Years of Experience. KILLINGSWORTH-COX & CO. 120 Main St.—Ranger. RANGER IRON AND METAL CO. Wholesale and Retail Dealers in All Kinds of Pipe, Oil Well Supplies and Junk. Phone 330 P. O. Box 1106. ALL CLOSED CARS SERVICE CAR—DAY OR NIGHT. Short or Long Drives. Phone 628. GRIFFIN'S SERVICE CARS. MEET ALL TRAINS. Texas Hotel Eastland. FIELD SEEDS. And All Kinds of Hay and Grain at the CHECKER-BOARD STORE. HEID BROS. Phone 109 Ranger. Phone 175 Eastland. FORDS PAY WHILE YOU RIDE. DEE SANDERS. Phone 217. Ranger, Texas. CITY-COUNTY HOSPITAL. RANGER, TEXAS. MISS N. CHAPPELLE, Supt. Open to all Doctors in Eastland County. Visiting Hours: 2-4-7-8 P. M. PHONE 207. Want Ads Will Pay

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2-MALE HELP

WANTED—First-class colored male cook for hotel. Apply to Mrs. Abe Masters, Thurber, Texas.

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WANTED—Woman to do housework and cooking. Phone 532 or call 1009 Young st., Ranger.

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FOR AWNING phone 305, Ranger. NOTICE—J. C. Ballew has again the agency for Sherman Steam Laundry; give us a trial as all we ask; satisfaction guaranteed; my drivers will call. 204 Pine st., Ranger.

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8-ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room with private bath. Cole bldg., Ranger. FURNISHED room adjoining bath, private family. Address 457 W. Main st., phone 322, Ranger.

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FOR RENT—5-room modern house, in Hodges Oak Park, C. E. May, Phone 418, Ranger.

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FOR RENT—Modern house; hot water, etc.; located one block from Young school. Phone 354, Ranger.

HOUSES FOR RENT—Apply 639 and 621 N. Marston st., Ranger.

11-APARTMENTS FOR RENT—APARTMENTS FOR RENT—Carter Apartments, 325 Elm st., Ranger.

12-WANTED TO BUY

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FOR SALE—Dining room and bedroom suite at bargain. Mrs. M. B. Gilson, Prairie Oil & Gas Terry camp, Ranger.

FOR SALE—One McCray Freezer display counter. Very slightly used. 12 feet long; bargain for cash. Doc Sanders, Gholson Hotel, Ranger.

SILVER'S Marshall one super-heat-cordyne radio set, for sale cheap. Exide Battery Co., 115 S. Commerce st., Ranger.

FOR SALE—\$800 Kimball grand piano, mahogany case; only two years old and in fine condition; a bargain at \$500; cash or terms, or trade. See R. D. Mahon, Eastland, phone 532.

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16-AUTOMOBILES

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18-WANTED—Miscellaneous

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

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22-POULTRY AND PET STOCK

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Four Cities Hold Latin Tournaments

AUSTIN, March 28.—With the aim of making the Latin tournament a permanent educational event in us, plans are going forward rapidly for the meets to be held on Friday, April 3, in Fort Worth, Waco, Houston, and San Antonio. The Latin tournament was held last year for the first time in Dallas, and it met with much enthusiasm. The large number of schools already registered for the April meet is indicative of the great interest being taken in Texas, plans are going forward rapidly for the meets to be held Friday, every section of the state this year.

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership between J. M. Sherrill, H. P. Pentecost, and Guy B. Sherrill, was dissolved on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1925. All debts due to the said partnership are to be paid, and those due from the same discharged at No. 111, G. W. Dakan building, situated on the west side of the public square of Eastland, in Eastland county, Texas, where the business will be continued by the said J. M. Sherrill only, and under the firm name of "Sherrill Hardware Company. Witness our hands at Eastland, Texas, this 28th day of March, A. D. 1925. J. M. SHERRILL, GUY B. SHERRILL, H. P. PENTECOST.—Adv. March 29-April 3-10-17.

Texas Puppies Walk Away With Premiums

MARSHALL, March 28.—Rogers' Lady Wildfire, Texas prize-winning puppy, owned by Webb Rogers, took the major part of the purse of \$1,000 by winning first place in the open stakes of the associated puppy trials of North Carolina, which closed Thursday. There were over 40 puppies in this race. Ransom's Boaz Tip, also owned by Mr. Rogers, won third place in the North Carolina trials. This dog has had only one week's training.

Poultry Association Meet Called April 2

President M. H. Hagaman of the Eastland Poultry Raisers' association has called a meeting of the officers and directors of the association to be held next Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Ranger Chamber of Commerce. C. C. Patterson, secretary-treasurer of the organization, in sending out the notices, urged all officers and directors to attend as important matters will come up for attention.

CHRISTIAN FRESHMEN TAKE TWO STRAIGHTS

(Continued from page one) Grant 2, Parrish 1; pitchers, Harvey, Forbes; innings pitched, Harvey 9, Forbes 9; struck out, Harvey 13, Forbes 8; hits off pitcher, Harvey 11, Forbes 7; first on balls, off Harvey 3; double plays, Pettit to Reach to Thompson; left on bases, Ranger 6, T. C. U. 6; first on errors, Ranger 3, T. C. U. 5; umpire, Lowry. Time 1 hour and 50 minutes.

SATURDAY'S GAME

Ranger AB. R. H. PO. A. E. E. Glenn, rf. . . . 6 2 3 1 0 0 Knight, ss. . . . 6 2 1 5 2 2 A. Glenn, 3b. . . . 4 1 1 1 1 0 Harvey, cf.-lf. . . . 5 3 2 1 0 2 Taylor, 2b. . . . 4 0 1 3 4 0 Walker, cf.-lf. . . . 5 0 1 1 0 0 Killingsworth, lb. . . . 5 0 2 7 0 3 Phillips, c. . . . 5 1 1 8 0 3 Russell, p. . . . 5 0 1 0 2 0

45 9 13 27 9 10 T. C. U.—AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Carroll, 3b. . . . 6 1 3 3 3 1 Roach, 2b. . . . 6 2 2 1 4 3 Grant, cf. . . . 6 3 3 1 0 0 Wells, c. . . . 5 0 1 10 1 0 Matthews, rf. . . . 5 0 0 0 0 0 Parrish, lf. . . . 4 1 1 0 0 0 Pettit, ss. . . . 4 0 0 1 3 3 Thompson, lb. . . . 4 2 1 11 1 1 Key, p. . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0 Lauderdale, p. . . . 3 2 1 3 0 0 x-Forbes . . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0

46 12 13 27 13 8 x—Batted for Pettit in ninth.

Score by innings: R.H.E. T. C. U. . . . 100-100-235—12-13-8 R. H. S. . . . 301-90-140-9-13-10

Summary: Sacrifice hits, Taylor; two base hits, Carroll 2; three base hits, Russell; home run, A. Glenn; stolen bases, E. Glenn, Grant 2, Wells 1; pitchers, Russell, Key, Lauderdale; innings pitched, Russell 9, Key 5-1-3, Lauderdale 3-2-3; struck out, Russell 7, Key 3, Lauderdale 5; hits off pitcher, Russell 13, Key 6, Lauderdale 7; first on balls, T. C. U. 4; Taylor to Knight; left on bases, Ranger 10, T. C. U. 12; first on errors, T. C. U. 8; Ranger 5; umpire, Lowry; time, 2 hours 20 minutes.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

CLEVELAND, March 28.—A murder and a suicide in an orchestra pit during a burlesque show caused a near panic in the Loew's Park theatre here this afternoon. Homer Walters, former orchestra leader at the Alhambra playhouse, shot and killed Miss Lillian Tyler as she sat at the pipe organ of the Park theatre. Walters then shot and killed himself.

Friends blame jealousy. Walters and Miss Tyler had known each other for two years.

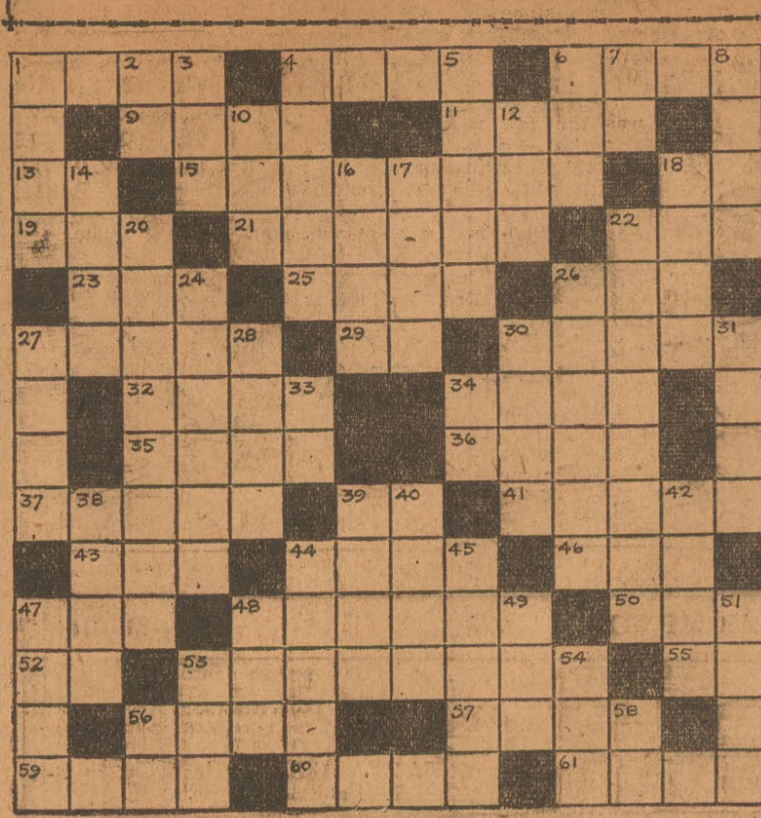
WHEELER GIVES BOND.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Senator Burton K. Wheeler appeared before the District of Columbia supreme court today and furnished \$1,000 bail for his appearance for trial on an indictment returned here yesterday against him and two other Montana men on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government of oil lands. A trial by jury some time during the summer is expected.

Divorce Coker vs. Tom B. Coker, et al.

Divorce.

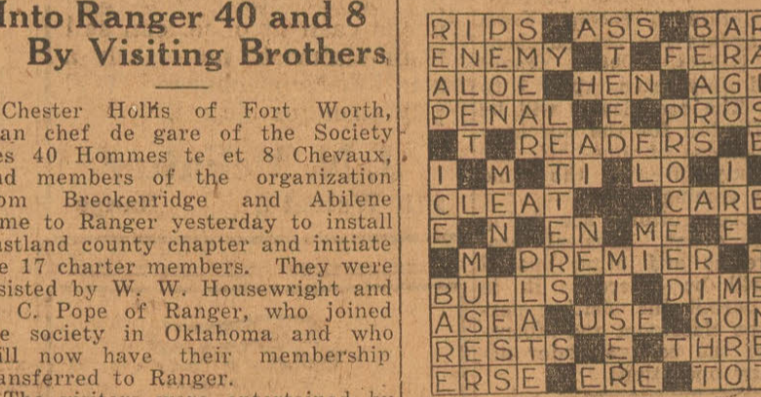
CROSSWORD PUZZLE



The only words that may be found difficult here are the four four-letter words along the sides of the puzzles. The two middle letters are unkeyed. But they're all simple words, so no extra help will be offered.

- HORIZONTAL 1. Front part of leg below knee. 2. Carbonated water with ice cream. 3. Where you live. 4. Twelve inches (pl.). 5. Placed. 6. To damage. 7. Values. 8. Near. 9. Joyful. 10. Cow-headed goddess. 11. Fairy. 12. Attar, but it may be a boy's name. 13. To leave out. 14. The money you pay for speed. 15. ing (pl.). 16. Toward. 17. Slowest creature in the world. 18. A vulgar fellow. 19. The world money standard. 20. Measure for cloth. 21. Perched on an aerie. 22. Sneaky. 23. Upon. 24. Raisers of stock. 25. Direction of Cape Good Hope. 26. Headgear (pl.). 27. One who recolors your clothes. 28. Always. 29. Spikes of corn. 30. Drop of fluid from the eye.
- VERTICAL 1. To ooze; to percolate slowly. 2. Whether. 3. Knots in wool fibre. 4. Rock. 5. Foreigner. 6. Personal pronoun. 7. Alleged force that produces hypnotism. 8. Level. 9. Age. 10. Paid publicity (pl.). 11. Fluid rock. 12. A law or precept. 13. To prepare for publication. 14. Opposite of wool. 15. Reasonable. 16. Chief cities. 17. To strive for verification (past tense). 18. Soldier-sailor. 19. Top of house. 20. Perches. 21. Sews dress bottom. 22. Shriek. 23. Therefore. 24. River (Italy). 25. An image. 26. To make a rent (past tense). 27. Petal. 28. Sicknesses. 29. Birds similar to ducks. 30. Actions. 31. A few. 32. Skill. 33. Not wet. 34. Twelve months. 35. To keep out. 36. To place. 37. Pronoun, masculine. 38. Second note in scale.

HERE'S ANSWER To Yesterday's Brain-Twister



Seventeen Initiated Into Ranger 40 and 8 By Visiting Brothers

Chester Hollis of Fort Worth, gran chef de gare of the Society Des 40 Hommes te et 8 Chevaux, and members of the organization from Breckenridge and Abilene came to Ranger yesterday to install Eastland county chapter and initiate the 17 charter members. They were assisted by W. W. Housewright and A. C. Pope of Okla., who joined the society in Oklahoma and who will now have their membership transferred to Ranger.

The visitors were entertained by the local candidates at dinner last night at the DeGroff hotel. The initiation ceremonies were held at 7:30 o'clock in Knights of Pythias hall. Following are the members taken in: Dr. H. A. Logsdon, C. C. Patterson, J. A. Tolland, Abe Shaw, J. B. Heister, J. E. Boze, W. C. Hickey, Ben T. Neilson, Walter Harwell, J. B. Ames, Dick Elliott, Basil Harmon, T. A. Tame, Guy Cummings and Max Starr, all of Ranger, and Commander Tanner of the American Legion post at Eastland and Dick Caldwell of Eastland.

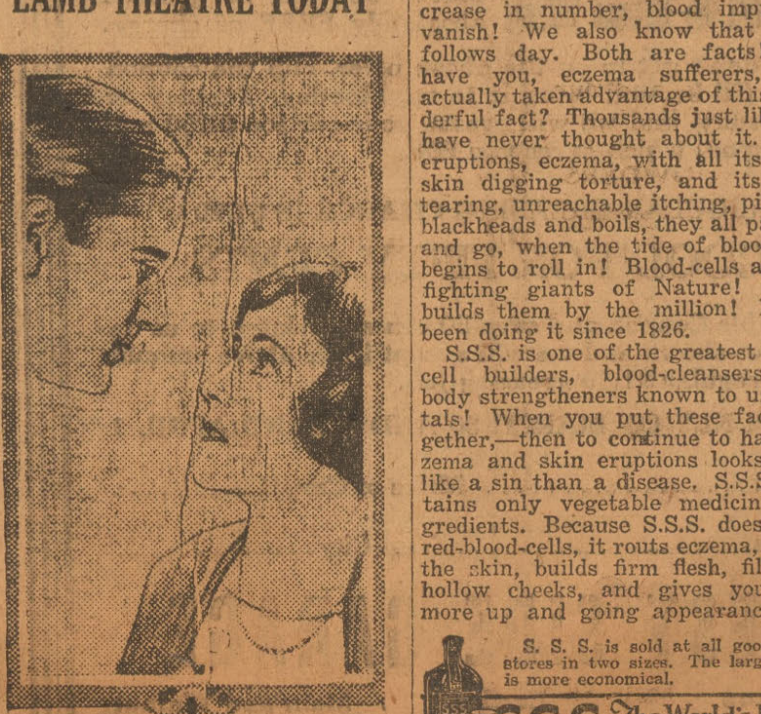
The charter members plan to hold another initiation and take in a bunch of new members in the near future, following which an election of officers will be held.

SPECIAL ON GERANIUMS. Monday only, 10c. Eastland and Ranger. Valliant's.—Adv.

IN DISTRICT COURT

J. W. Guy vs. Continental State Bank of Gorman. T. C. U. 4; Chas. O. Austin, commissioner, vs. J. D. Slator & Son.

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DALLAS-EL PASO HIGHWAY 'GOOD'

Commissioners Pronounce Road Affords Fair Going

AUSTIN, March 29.—The state highway department today issues the following report, given here in part, on conditions along the Dallas-to-El Paso, or state highway No. 1.

From Texarkana to El Paso, a distance across the state of 891 miles, is traversed by a 7 per cent highway, practically a surfaced road for the entire distance. Every piece of dirt on the way, is now a "project" and under construction. There are about five miles of rough roadway in Nolan county, also construction in Mitchell, Ward and Callahan counties. This state highway No. 1 is said to carry every type of surfacing used in road building.

Near Henrietta in Clay county on the Wichita Falls road, there is a stretch of 10 or 12 miles which is said to be the roughest in the state. This is also a project and under construction, the whole of Clay county being under construction.

With the recent designation by the state highway commissioners of 300 miles of additional highway, more and better state highways will come in for recognition in the near future.

Dallas to El Paso:

Dallas, Tarrant and Parker counties, hard surface highway in excellent condition. Through Palo Pinto county, hard surface highway for a few miles—good condition. The remaining distance across the county to the Palo Pinto-Eastland county line is under construction but passable.

Good hard surface highway across Eastland county. In Callahan county from the county line to Baird, it will be necessary to detour as highway is under construction.

From Baird to county line, good dirt road. Gravel highway across Taylor county. Rough stretches will be found. For a short distance across Nolan county, dirt road, then gravel highway into Sweetwater, all in good condition. From this point to the Nolan-Mitchell county line, highway is under construction. Highway in excellent condition through Mitchell, Howard, Martin, Midland and Ector counties.

Gravel highway in good condition through Ward county for quite a

distance, then dirt road into Barstow, which is rough. From this point for several miles through Reeves county a detour is necessary due to construction work. Gravel highway in good condition onto the county line. Gravel highway across Culberson county. Short stretch of dirt road at Culberson-Hudspeth county line, in good condition. From this point, highway in good condition to Sierra Blanca. From here to Fort Hancock, rough stretches will be found. Highway is good across El Paso county to El Paso. It is necessary to detour from this point to Ysleta due to construction work. Highway in good condition from this point into El Paso.

MEMPHIS.—The Memphis band

will go to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce's seventh annual convention at Mineral Wells, May 4-5-6, together with the official West Texas band of Memphis, according to Director Paul James.

REV. HOMER DAVIS WILL TAKE UP REVIVAL WORK

Officers of the Ranger Church of Christ met Friday night and accepted the resignation of the pastor, the Rev. Homer Davis, who is to engage in revival work. "I love the congregation and the people of Ranger, but I must fulfill my mission," said Mr. Davis.

Mr. Davis will preach his farewell sermons today, in the morning at 11 on the text, "Now of the Things Which We Have Spoken, This Is the Sum," and at 7:30 o'clock on "How Christ Says Man Shall Live."

Mr. Davis has engagements to conduct revivals beginning April 5 and continuing far into next fall.

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C. O. TERRELL Candidate for Re-election for Fire and Police Commissioner City Election, April 7, 1925

RAYMOND TEAL Candidate for Re-election for Street Commissioner City Election, April 7, 1925

F. A. BROWN Candidate for Re-election for Financial Commissioner City Election, April 7, 1925

COL. BRASHIER Candidate for Re-election for Sanitary Commissioner City Election, April 7, 1925



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Mr. O. M. Hudson Mrs. Rose Founk

# FOUR OFFICIALS DECLARE COUNTY STANDS TO LOSE

(Continued from page one) ment would not want to be mixed up in, and if this should happen, then the department would withdraw all state aid.

2. Davison should waive his right under the contract with reference to the county buying machinery, and buy his own equipment, and in addition thereto, discount his contract 10 per cent. In addition to this, he should agree to accept orders on the state banking department for the money held by it which belongs to the county, inasmuch as it will not be more than a year, at the outside, until the case is decided.

Judge Goodwin, of the attorney general's department, told me he saw no reason why the money due the county as a common creditor could not be paid now, without prejudice. But if this can't be done, Davison should accept orders on the fund, as the case will be decided this year and before, in all likelihood, the road work is completed.

**Financial Statement.**  
If these suggestions can be carried out, the following sums will be available:  
Due by Davison on discount (in suit), \$69,500.  
Due by banking department (at least), \$111,000.  
From First National bank, Ranger (about), \$10,000.  
State aid, \$150,000.  
Ten per cent discount (added), \$94,550.  
Total, \$380,050.

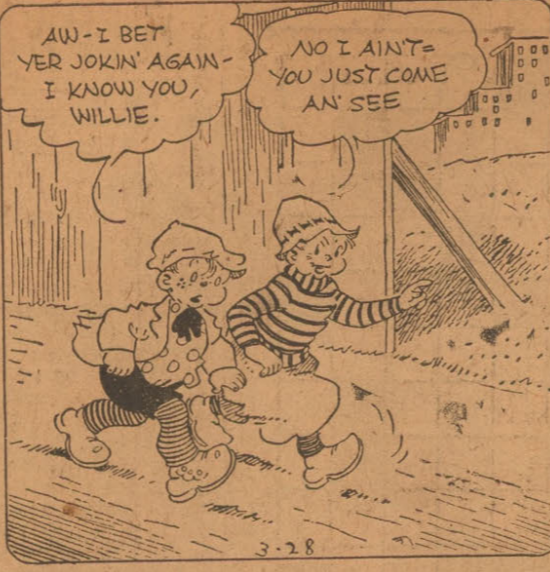
For this amount of work it will be possible to gravel the roads from Rising Star to Carbon, Eastland to Desdemona, and build the road north from Lake Cisco to the Shackelford county line, and have approximately \$50,000 left with which to repair the Gorman-Desdemona road, gravel the Sabanno-Nimrod road, and repair the Ranger-Pleasant Grove road.

Take this up with the court, and if they think well of the matter, then see Judges Conner and McRae and see if an agreement can be reached along these lines, and wire me. I have not discussed this with either they or Davison, but believe a settlement can be reached.

Respectfully,  
Signed: **JOE BURKETT,**  
Commissioners' Reply.

The commissioners' reply in substance is:  
"The \$69,500 item mentioned in the letter is the law suit pending in the Ninety-first district court of Ties to recover \$64,000 bond dis-Eastland county, in which the count-cont with penalties.  
"The \$111,000 item is the county's share in the assets of the defunct Security State bank on the basis of a common creditor.  
"The \$150,000 cash to be paid out of the treasury. (This money was

# FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



BY BLOSSER

paid in for the First National bank of Ranger by a bonding company.)  
"The \$150,000 item is the allotment to be made the county by the state highway commission.  
"The \$34,550 item is the 10 per cent discount on the contract.  
"We have carefully studied Mr. Burkett's proposed budget and compared prices paid under the terms of the Fleming-Stitzer contract with present prevailing prices and find that the county would sustain a loss of many thousands of dollars should we accept the proposition as outlined to us.

Respectfully submitted,  
"E. S. FRITCHARD,  
County Judg.  
"V. V. COOPER,  
"Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.  
"W. M. BURNS,  
"Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.  
"J. T. POE,  
"Commissioner, Precinct No. 3.  
"BIRT BRITAIN,  
"Commissioner, Precinct No. 4."

**FIRES DYING OUT.**  
BROKEN BOW, Okla., March 28. Forest fires in Southeastern Oklahoma were gradually burning out today under the watchful eyes of farmers, and greater damage is not anticipated, A. B. Lambert, mayor of Broken Bow, told the United Press.

### AT THE CONNELLEE TODAY



Allen Culler as THE WIFE OF THE CENTAUR.

# COUNTY SCHOOLS HEAVY TEAMS ALL READY FOR TEST

(Continued from page one.)  
2. 100-yard dash.  
3. 440-yard relay.  
4. Running high jump.  
5. Running broad jump.  
6. Pull up chinning bar.)  
7:30 p. m. Finals in boys debates, senior byos declamation, and girls debates.

**Saturday**  
9 a. m. Preliminaries in track events, classes A and B.  
1. 120-yard high hurdles.  
2. 100-yard dash.  
3. 220 yards low hurdles.  
4. 440-yard dash.  
5. 220-yard dash.  
Noon. South Ward P. T. A. and West Ward P. T. A. will serve lunch at Connellee park.

1 p. m. Finals in girls volley ball at Connellee park. Finals in field and track events, classes A and B:

- Track—  
1. 120-yard high hurdles.  
2. 100-yard dash.  
3. 1-mile run.  
4. 220-yard low hurdles.  
5. 440-yard dash.  
6. 220-yard dash.  
7. 380-yard run.  
8. 1-mile relay.

Field—  
1. Pole vault.  
2. 12-pound shot put.  
3. Discus throw.  
4. Running high jump.  
5. Running broad jump.  
6. Javelin throw.  
Note. Schools entering javelin throw should bring javelin.  
Ranger high contestants in the debate, declamation and essay contests at the interscholastic meet in Eastland, April 2, 3, 4, are:  
Debate for boys, Jack Sanderford and Truett Weir.  
Debate for girls, Marie Kohn and Leola Ivy.  
Declamation, Theola Strong.  
Essay, Jack Galloway.

### GOVERNOR IS MERCIFUL

By United Press.  
AUSTIN, March 28.—Three pardons granted today by Governor Ferguson brought the total for the week to 23, an average of nearly four per day. The number of pardons, paroles and furloughs since Governor "Ma" Ferguson was inaugurated has nearly reached the 400 mark, which breaks all former records in Texas.

### COMMISSIONERS GET RAISE

By United Press.  
AUSTIN, March 28.—The bill giving the county commissioners a raise in pay over the state was signed today by the governor. The schedule adopted is based on the tax valuations in each county.

The law is said to apply only to counties of \$100,000,000 tax valuation, thus confining it to Tarrant, Dallas, Harris and Bexar counties.

### RETRIBUTION

By United Press.  
DALLAS, March 28.—Charges of homicide and driving a car while intoxicated have been filed against Fred Skidmore, 23, driver of the car which plowed into a stationary fire truck during the night, resulting in the death of two firemen and the injury of three others. Skidmore is in a hospital in a critical condition as a result of the crash.

### DEWEY RESTS BESIDE WILSON

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, March 28.—Between lines of rigid sailors and marines, the body of Admiral George Dewey, hero of Manila bay, will be borne late today to a resting place in Bethlehem chapel, where, with the body of Woodrow Wilson, it will await completion of the national cathedral. On the request of the widow, over the protest of several patriotic societies, the body will be taken from Arlington cemetery, where it has lain for the last 12 years.

### Oklahoma Sheriff's Son Off for Prison

By United Press.  
ARDMORE, Okla., March 28.—Raymond Garrett, son of Buck Garrett, once a leading peace officer of Oklahoma, today was expected to be taken to the penitentiary to start serving two concurrent sentences for automobile theft. Garrett entered pleas of guilty in the district court here yesterday and was given a seven-year sentence on each of two charges of automobile theft. He is the alleged leader of a band of auto thieves.  
Ten other men have been arrested in connection with the reported theft of automobiles in Southwest Oklahoma and Texas.

### THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



### Reduced Fare Fixed for Denton Mothers' Fathers' Day Meeting

DENTON—One and one-half fare on the certificate plan will be granted to parents of students at the College of Industrial Arts who attend the annual meeting of the C. I. A. Fathers' and Mothers' association, April 2 and 4, according to an announcement authorized by Judge J. R. Blades of Sherman, president of the association. This rate will apply over any line from all points in Texas.

Parents making the trip to Denton should obtain a receipt from their home agents for the purchase of one-way tickets. These should be purchased only from April 1 to 3 inclusive. The certificates will be honored in Denton for the purchase of return tickets at one-half the regular one-way fare via the same route used in coming here.  
Elaborate preparations are being made for the event. Musical programs, addresses and other special diversions will be offered. It is planned to permit the visiting parents to see the classroom and laboratory work of the college under actual every-day operation.

### CASHIER MURDERER

By United Press.  
ST. PAUL, Minn., March 28.—Harry Davis, cashier of the Kreske store here, was murdered by a bandit who failed to secure any loot late today. The bandit escaped.  
Davis had just made the rounds of cash registers in the store, collecting the money preparatory to closing for the day. A small, dark man accosted him on the stairway in the crowded store and demanded the money. Davis offered resistance and was shot through the heart, dying instantly.

PORTALES, N. M.—Land planted to cotton irrigated six times produced an average of 41 pounds per acre for cost of irrigation, leaving 778 pounds lint per acre. Many thousands of acres can be irrigated in this section from shallow wells and centrifugal pumps at small cost.  
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### COLORED WEST TEXAS BAPTISTS HOLD MEET

The second meeting of the second sub-district board of the West Texas Baptist Association (colored), which opened in Ranger Thursday, will close tonight following morning, afternoon and evening sessions. Large attendance at all services, conducted three times daily, and much splendid work accomplished, is reported by the local pastor and secretary of St. Paul's Baptist church, Ranger, where the meeting is being held.

Those attending the sub-district board meet, representative of the respective towns comprising the district, are: Rev. J. W. Phelps and Rev. C. L. Williams, Eastland; Rev. L. W. Mackey, San Angelo; Revs. J. B. Brown, W. D. Davis, J. W. McKnight; Rev. R. L. Castle, Slaton; Rev. J. A. Jordan, Breckenridge; and Rev. J. W. Phelps, chairman, and Secretary Susan Castle of Ranger.

Rev. A. L. Wright, pastor of the First Baptist (colored) church of Houston, moderator, is expected to arrive in Ranger this morning in time to conduct morning, afternoon and night services.

The board meeting will be held on the fifth Sunday in May.

### Three Commissioners Out for Office Are Assured of Election

With the addition of the name of O. P. Morris, Eastland groceryman, to the list of those who have consented to run for places on the Eastland city commission at the April 7 election, a complete ticket is now in the field, one candidate for each of the three places to be filled, and it is believed that there will be no other candidates enter the race.

John Harrison, groceryman, was the first candidate in the field. He was followed by G. Hazel, attorney, and O. P. Morris agreed Friday that he would become a candidate. Each of these men consented to offer for election only after they had been importuned to do so by a large number of voters.

All three are what would be termed "old-timers," having resided in Eastland for many years. They are also home-owners and property taxpayers in the city and are men of unquestioned integrity as well as men of long business experience.

### POLYTECHNIC ROBBERS CAUGHT CLAIMING LOOT

FORT WORTH, March 28.—Robbery of the Polytechnic State bank here was planned by Cleve Owen and Oliver Murray for some time, according to confessions said to have been made by the two men to officers today. Both men were taken into custody at Dallas, when they attempted to reclaim the loot, which had been shipped by express from Fort Worth to Dallas following the robbery.

Approximately \$9,000 in cash and liberty bonds taken from the bank were recovered. G. W. Hawkins, cashier of the bank, identified the pair as the two men who had held him up and locked him in the bank vault.

### GOVERNOR DENIES PARDONING LON MORGAN

AUSTIN, March 28.—The report that a pardon had been granted Lon D. Morgan, former chief clerk of the state treasury, convicted of misappropriating state funds, was denied at the governor's office late today. It was stated that Morgan had only been granted a furlough to be present with a member of his family who is to undergo a major operation.

Lon D. Morgan, former chief clerk of the Texas state treasury, nearly two years ago was convicted at Austin of misappropriating state funds and sent to the penitentiary for four years.

After indictment by the Travis county grand jury, he was located in the city of Mexico and brought back to Texas by a special investigator of the attorney general's department.

### GRAND JURY TO START CONVICT DEATH PROBE

RICHMOND, Texas, March 28.—The Fort Bend county grand jury will be called in special session Monday to investigate the death of Alfred Chance, a convict said to have been slain by guards after being forced to dig his own grave. The jury will also investigate other prison matters, it was said.

The grand jury investigation will follow the recent probe by Mrs. J. E. King, chairman of the prison advisory board, who said Chance had written her a letter before his death in which he expressed fear that his life was in danger. Chance is alleged to have been killed when he tried to kill a bloodhound while attempting to escape. One of the guards was dismissed and the other retained in the prison service. Representative T. K. Irwin of Dallas, a leader in the recent legislative investigation of the Texas prison system, will testify at the hearing Monday.

### EASTLAND CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST.  
Oscar G. Lanier, Minister.—Bible drill at 9:45 a. m. and at 7:15 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Communion at 11:45 a. m. Subject for the morning hour will be "A Greater Work Than Miracles." Subject for the evening hour will be "Life of Moses." The Bible drill for the little folks is being well attended. Everybody is invited to attend the services.

## COUNTY FISCAL REPORT ISSUED

J. T. Sue, Eastland county treasurer, has prepared the following condensed financial statement of Eastland county for February, 1925:

Debit balances: Road and bridge, precinct No. 1, \$1,484.78; road and bridge, precinct No. 3, \$811.34; special road and bridge fund (L. G. Hamilton), \$194.97; total, \$2,491.09.

Credit balances: Jury fund, \$4,918.04; road and bridge fund, \$589.22; general fund, \$9,332.66; courthouse and jail fund, \$2,133.69; state highway and maintenance fund, \$29,787.14; road and bridge, precinct No. 2, \$2,201.98; road and bridge, precinct No. 4, \$1,049.03; road bond fund, \$6,287.17; court-house and jail, interest and sinking fund, \$3,220.90; road bond interest and sinking fund, \$137,575.11; road bond special, \$21.86; road warrants, series 1923, \$221; road warrants, series "2," \$2,377.26; total, \$250,794.06.

Net balance to credit of all funds, \$228,302.97; total of all warrants now outstanding, \$5,026.62; total amount of cash on hand, \$233,329.59, which is distributed as follows: Hanover National bank, New York, \$80,774; City National bank, New York, \$116.25; Continental National bank, Chicago, \$4,644.63; Security State bank, Eastland, outstanding, \$1,193.50; Continental State bank, Gorman, \$195,991.34; W. S. Michael, county auditor, \$500; treasury cash on hand, \$109.85.

### DR. E. H. SELLARDS ENDS MEXICAN EXPLORATION

AUSTIN, March 28.—Dr. E. H. Sellards, chief geologist of the bureau of economic geology and technology of the University of Texas, has returned from Mexico where for the past two months he has been making a geological survey for American oil interests. During this time Dr. Sellards was on leave of absence from the university. The scene of his geological work in Mexico was on the famous de la Rusia hacienda, situated between Tampico and Matamoras.

This property originally embraced approximately 2,000,000 acres of grazing land. It is owned by C. O. Erickson, formerly of Wisconsin. For many years it has attracted more or less attention on the part of oil men for the reason that at various points upon the big tract are to be found liquid asphalt seepages.

Dr. Sellards said that business conditions in Mexico are apparently improving. In the states of Nuevo Leon and Tamaulipas there are to be observed evidences of development and progress, along business and agricultural lines.

### Longhorns Schedule 24 Diamond Contests For Season of 1925

AUSTIN, March 23.—Baseball games for the University of Texas Longhorns will number 24, according to the schedule recently completed by Coach Billy Dishen. Fourteen of the contests will be played with teams of the Southwestern conference, and the remainder with other college aggregation and with professionals.

In addition to the games played with Southwestern university of Georgetown, March 18 and 19, and with Mississippi A. & M., March 25 and 26, the schedule follows:

- March 28 and 30, Minnesota at Austin.
- March 31, Rice institute at Austin.
- April 6, Minneapolis at Austin.
- April 7, Austin college at Austin.
- April 16, Texas Christian university at Austin.
- April 21, Rice institute at Houston.
- April 25, A. & M. at Austin.
- April 27-28, Oklahoma A. & M. at Austin.
- May 1, Baylor at Austin.
- May 5, Texas Christian university at Austin.
- May 8-9, Arkansas at Fayetteville.
- May 11, Southern Methodist university at Dallas.
- May 16, Baylor at Waco.
- May 16, Southern Methodist university at Austin.
- May 22, A. & M. at College Station.

### FEDERAL RUM SLEUTH THOUGHT BOOTLEGGER

DALLAS, March 28.—Circumstantial evidence isn't always conclusive, even in the case of a cop, says Knox Duncan, federal prohibition agent.

When he had started to the office of the United States commissioner, Clinton S. Bailey, to file a complaint in connection with a liquor case, Duncan was armed with the evidence. A pint in his hip pocket was in plain view.

A man in an office building mistook him for a bootlegger and calmly offered him \$2 for the pint. Duncan was so taken by surprise that he didn't make a reply.

Another man saw the same pint and said: "Making your rounds?" Duncan finally decided what it was all about and returned: "Say, you fellows are making a mistake; I'm a federal prohibition agent."

The man proposed to buy it acknowledged the mistake and bought smokes for the accused good-naturedly.

One lot of Hats, one-half price; one table of Hats from 50c to \$2.50; all others, one-fourth off. The Novelty Store, Eastland.—Adv.

SLATON.—This city claims 250 new homes were built in 1924 and 41 homes built during January, 1925. The \$135,000 high school building has just been completed.

NOCONA.—When building, both in residential district as well as many new brick business houses, are under construction here since the first of the year.



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The chief ambition of this bank is to have the confidence of the people of Eastland and Stephens Counties.

We are large enough and well equipped to take care of all—we want the business—we want Ranger's money left in Ranger. In return, we are operating a clean, Guaranty Fund bank.

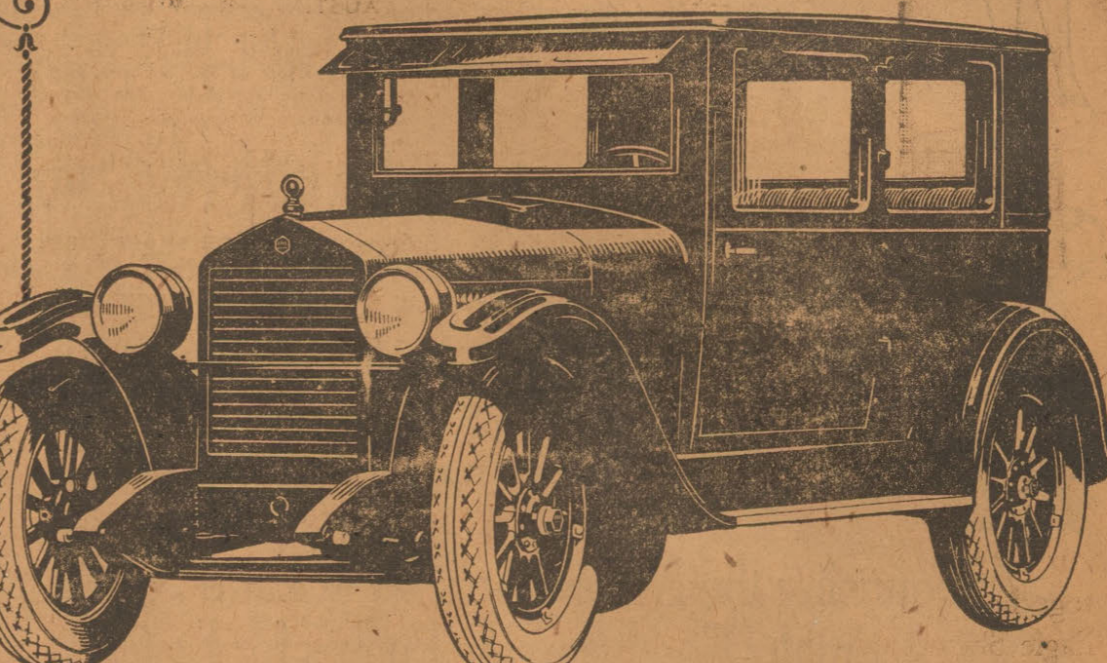
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These qualities make it the most wanted and largest selling car of its class in the world. It is the finest Essex ever built. It is the smoothest, most reliable Essex ever built. It is the best looking, most comfortably riding Essex ever built. And the price, because of volume, is the lowest at which Essex ever sold. Surely you cannot be satisfied with less than Essex offers when its cost is but little more than cars of the lowest price.

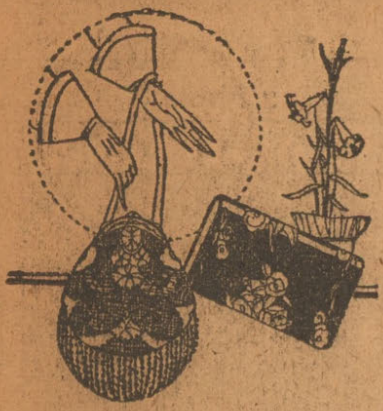
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Just as the Coach, invented by Hudson-Essex, changed practically all buying to closed cars, so the patented Super-Six principle and other exclusive advantages, forecast the mechanical design which all must seek to rival.  
But the extensive copying of the Coach type and the Coach name, even by costliest cars, cannot be carried to the Essex chassis. That is patented and no other maker can use it. It is responsible for the smooth vibrationless performance and long lasting reliability for which Essex is famous everywhere.  
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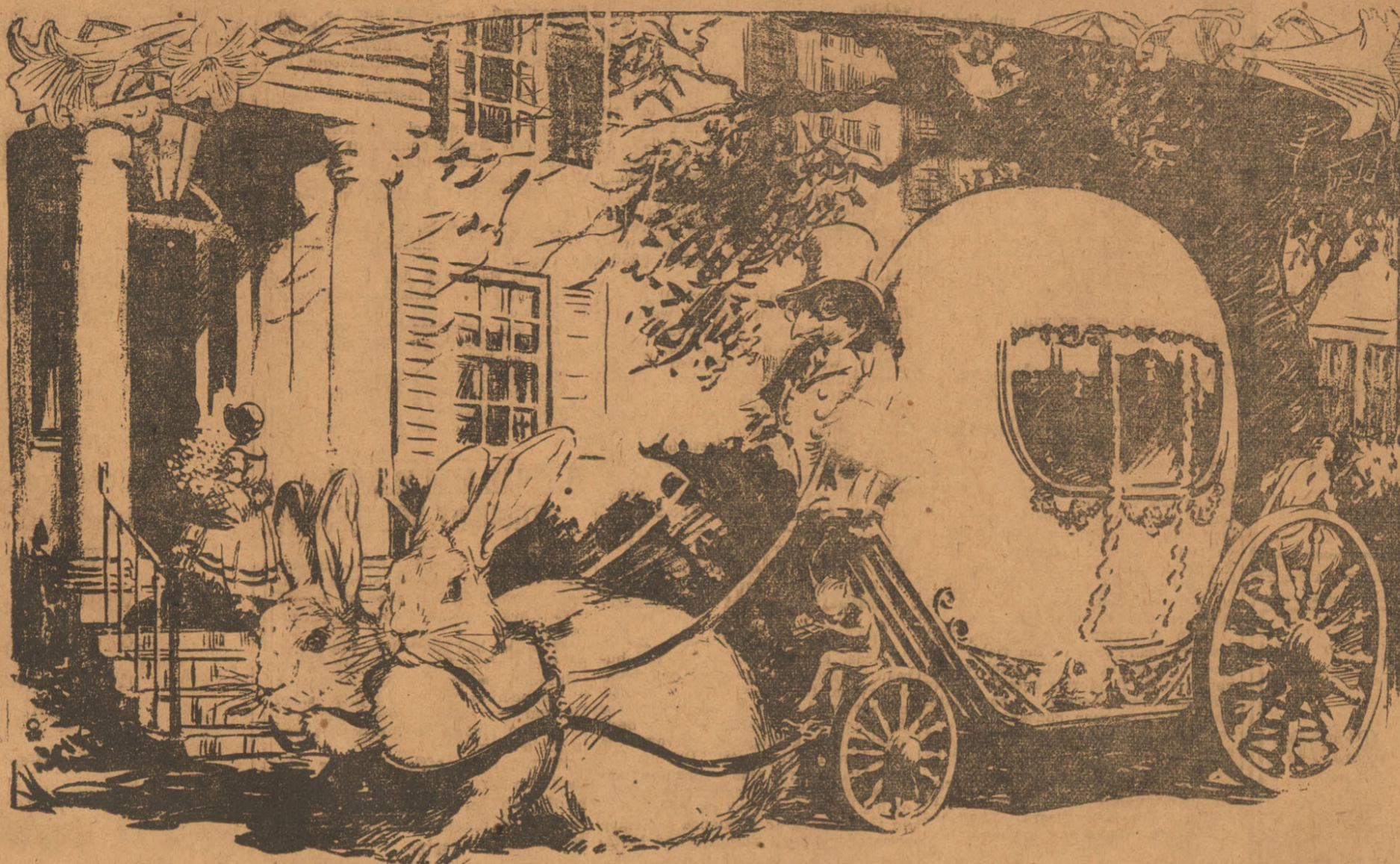
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Fine imported kid and silk. By far the smartest styles we have ever shown. Prices reasonable.



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Your dressing table carries jars and bottles and combs for the perfection of your complexion, for the grooming of your hair, finger nails, etc. But are you keeping your figure groomed. Don't neglect the main charm, while enhancing the lesser charms.



## The New Easter Apparel is Rich in Novelties

Each Wrap, Suit and Frock bears a detail that is decidedly new, yet thoroughly approved by the Spring modes. Kasha weaves rank high in favor for all tailored modes, while dressier models prefer silk and chiffon. Special stress is laid upon the flared skirt and inverted plait, two of the very newest innovations. While quality is assured, the extremely reasonable prices of our garments makes them the values of the season.

### Beautiful Frocks of Printed Crepes

Marcellette and Cashmere Crepes, bought especially for Easter and  
**Priced from \$12.50 up to \$89.50**

This handsome collection of Dresses embraces all the new, smart models, and come in a full range of beautiful new shadings. Call in and let us show you the many new things.

### The Ensemble Is Here to Stay

The Ensemble Suit is most deservedly popular for there is no smarter or more practical costume for day time wear. Our selection embraces a wide range of new weaves as plain and brocaded Bengallines, Kasha, Canton Crepe, Georgette and Charmeen, combined with beautiful harmonizing shades of printed crepes.

Conspicuous among the shades are Rosewood, Gold, Tan, Almond, Indian Red, Blue, Navy, Black and White.

Prices \$32.50, \$37.50, \$39.50, \$47.50, \$49.50 and \$69.50



Announcing the Newest Arrivals in Laird Schober and Smaltz Goodwin Fine Pumps for Easter



REO—Is a one-strap patent vamp with the new fallow kid quarter and carries a 17-8 spike heel. Price.....\$10.00



ROBIN—A step-in Pump with patent vamp, apricot saddle and quarter with 15-8 Spanish heel. Price.....\$8.50



TESSIE—A beautiful grade of all-white kid in a one-eye tie, with box heel; very popular. Priced.....\$8.50



### Easter Hats Adorable

At our exceedingly moderate prices every woman or young lady who comes to this store can well afford to buy a hat that is becoming to her in every way. To appreciate our present display it is necessary that you pay us a visit. Call in next week and see those Gold Medal and Bess Anne Hats.

A complete price range to choose from. Hats from  
**\$3.95 up to \$19.50**

### MODART Boneless GIRDLE

There's a Modart specially designed for every figure, all of them light, soft and comfortable  
**Price \$3.50 to \$12.50**

Our graduate corsetier will be happy to give you a fitting without obligation.



### The Offering of the Season--Two Trousler Suits

\$25.00 \$27.50  
\$30.00 \$32.50  
\$35.00 \$42.50

Here's style as fine as you will find it; fabrics come from the best looms, and workmanship that is a pleasure to inspect. All is offered in our special selection of two trousler suits at these prices.

### Easter Oxfords

The cream of shoemaking is here. Call in and inspect our new, smart Nettleton, Howard & Foster and others.



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Ranger, Texas

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CUSHION TOP  
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Ranger, Texas

## WILL TALK ON LEGAL SYSTEMS

AUSTIN.—Law students of the University of Texas and members of the legal fraternity throughout the state are looking forward with interest to the series of lectures which Dean John Henry Wigmore of the school of law of Northwestern university, Chicago, is to give here during the week beginning April 6. The fact that Dean Wigmore has an international reputation for his legal attainments, that he has occupied many positions of trust and honor, that he is the author of many books on legal subjects, all tend to make his forthcoming lectures an event of more than ordinary interest. He comes to the University of Texas under the auspices of the public lecture committee and the school of law of that institution. The series will consist of five lectures, the subjects being as follows:

"The Egyptian, Babylonian, Hebrew, Hindu, and Chinese legal systems."

"The Greek, Roman, and Mohammedan legal system."

"The Japanese, Maritime and Celtic legal system."

"The Slavic and Germanic legal systems."

"The Ecclesiastical, Romanesque, and Anglican legal systems."

This group of lectures represent the by-products of more than 35 years of intense study of the law of all countries and of extended travel, it is stated.

## HUDSON SUPER-SIX IS ONE OF FEW IMMORTALS

Motor cars are like the big league stars of baseball. So fierce is the competition—so severe the tests of daily excellence—that it is seldom indeed that we see a player who has stood the gauntlet for 10 years in the major leagues. The Ty Cobbs, the Walter Johnsons, the Grover Alexanders are outnumbered 100 to 1 by the more fleeting careers of the average performer.

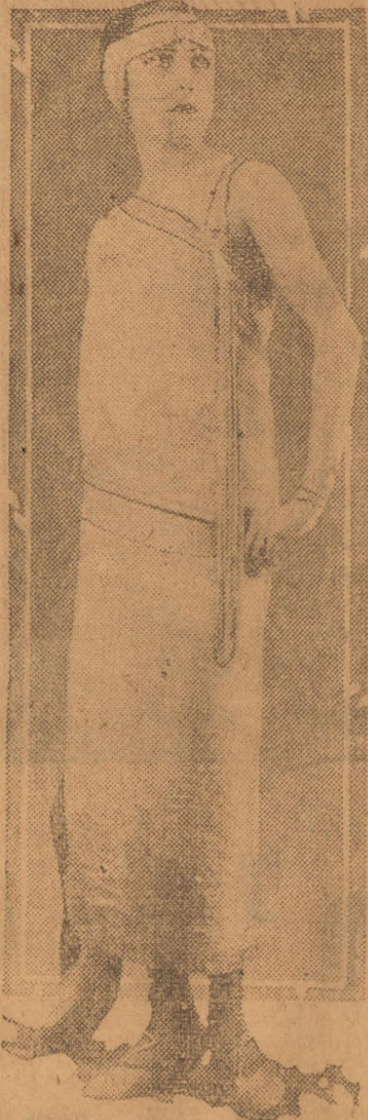
"And that," according to Jack Gullhorn, distributor for Hudson and Essex, "is just the way it is with automobiles. Nine-tenths of the big league players you will see when the parks open will be men who play five, six or seven years 'under the big top.' Many of them will slow up even faster than that or be unfortunate enough to meet the competition of some new blazing star from the bushes.

"If we extend the comparison to that great other American pastime—motoring—we find there too a severity of competition which only a few of the 'immortals' can stand against. Think over the motor cars of today, and then check—on the fingers of one hand—the principles of construction which have withstood 10 years of competition.

"One of the first you'll think of is the Hudson super-six principle. It has proved its right to permanent stardom by living out its 10 years of consistent usefulness and leadership. The Hudson super-six principle—patented and exclusive—is now in its tenth season. It is a principle by which the vibration of a motor is greatly reduced and its internal efficiency increased. Its use results in smooth and ample power, long life, quick pick-up and dependable service.

"Nothing has been found to improve upon the super-six principle which underlies its construction. In fact the super-six principle today is more popular than ever before in history, as shown by the remarkably large sales of Hudson and Essex cars."

## Paris Evening Gown



HERE is one of the new evening gowns from Paris. One of its unusual features is a detachable train.

## HEADLIGHT TESTING UNDER U DIRECTION

AUSTIN.—All testing of automobile and other motor vehicle headlights, as provided for under the law passed by the legislature at its recent session, will be done by the University of Texas under the direction of Reed Granberry, graduate of the engineering department of that institution. Assisting Mr. Granberry will be Dick Normand and Harry Brelsford, also former students, and Mrs. Louise Lisovich.

The law goes into effect June 19 and the testing of headlight devices will begin at that time. Due to the fact, however, that it will require some time to adjust existing headlights so as to comply with the new act and to install the devices that may be approved so as to bring them within class A, the enforcement of the law will not be started until Sept. 1. It is thought that approximately 90 per cent of the headlights now in use may be adjusted so as to bring them within the requirements of the law.

AMHURST.—A new town on the Santa Fe railroad in Lamb county fighting apparatus and a city marshal. This town not yet two years old is rapidly putting in city conveniences.

CROSBYTON.—The city commission here will soon call an election to vote a \$40,000 bond issue for the construction of a city hall.

## Eastland Ward Schools Complete Eliminations For County's Contests

South Ward girls won the Eastland volley ball championship, defeating West Ward and the High school. They will play Olden next week to determine who will go into the finals in the county meet.

West Ward is ready for the county meet. The elimination contests have been finished and contestants chosen are:

Declamation—Junior boys, Rob Roy Sparr; junior girls, Jane Rotramel.

Spelling—Sub-junior, Estess Burgamy and Truett Bean; junior, Earl Mayo and Helen Ross.

Essay writing—Milburn McCarty Jr. Alternate, Evalyn Hearne.

Music memory—Brazil Hillyer, Belya Dec Hillyer, Evalyn Hearne,

Josephine Martin.

Arithmetic—Brazil Hillyer, Milburn McCarty Jr., Josephine Martin, Jane Rotramel, Laura Richardson.

Volley ball—Dorothy Shepherd, Clels Guest, Francis Shepherd, Gavielle Massengale, Evalyn Peterson, Josephine Martin, Naomi Guest, Ida Mae Coleman, Glenna Gillispie.

Track and Field.

50-yard dash—Raymond McClain, Howard Matthews, Marshall McCullough.

100-yard dash—Raymond McClain, Howard Matthews, Marshall McCullough.

440-yard dash—Raymond McClain, Howard Matthews, Marshall McCullough, Garland Poe.

High jump—Raymond McClain, Howard Matthews, Roger Pone.

Broad jump—Raymond McClain, Earl Mayo, Marshall McCullough.

Chin bar—James Simmons, Garland Thomas, J. T. Adams.

West Ward.

West Ward declamation final:

were held Wednesday night. Those chosen for the county meet were:

Girls' first place—Dolores Tanner. Second place, Doris Johnson. Third, Mamie Jameson.

Boys' first place, Dean Tanner; second place, Fletcher McWilliams.

The program at the contest was varied by having a reading by Juan Johnson, and song by Edna Stout. The school sang four songs, "America the Beautiful," "Yankee Doodle," "Texas," and "Old Zip Coon." A large audience attended. The judges were Mrs. A. C. Simmons, Mrs. Bush and Professor Robison.

Arithmetic.

Heath Davis, Margaret Smith, Alvin Burke and Karl White were chosen for the arithmetic team.

The sub-junior spelling included: Annie Laurie Rosenquist and Dale Meredith with Merl Crockett as alternate.

Junior spelling team: Karl White and Mamie Jameson.

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### The Easter Ensemble

For Misses and Women  
There is no denying the fact that the Ensemble Suit is the out dominant note for Spring. When you see our Ensembles you will realize what extraordinary values they are. Many of the coats are made of wool twill or Kasha, lined with the same silk as the attractive matching frock.

### The Easter Frock

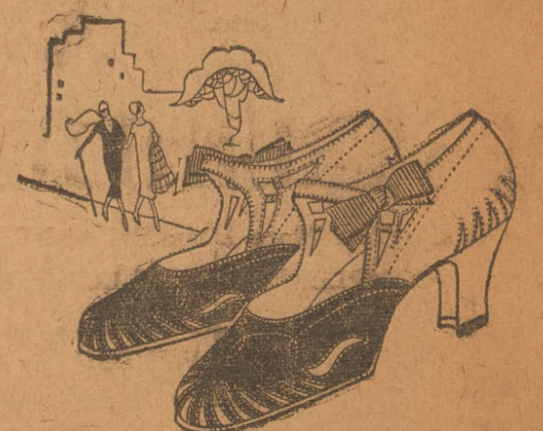
Smartest of dresses ideally for wear on the "Sunday of Sundays" when all of the world appears brightest and the womenfolk strive to appear their prettiest. Varied in their modishness each dress emphasizes the mode simplicity and the superb charm of youth. Never have frocks been more fascinating than these.

### The Easter Hat

All of the models are now—in shape—in color—in trimming. Created especially for Spring and Easter wear. Many styles of tailored simplicity, many close little shapes, and then there are some along the new larger lines. Large and small head sizes so that both bobbed and unbobbed can be fitted perfectly. Select your new hat here tomorrow.

## Fashion Announces Her New Footwear Ensemble

The smartest people are wearing Shoes in the new coffee colors and two tones, which range from the rich tones of calf noire to the creamy blondness of calfe au lait; and the sheer silk stockings must blend to achieve a completely harmonious ensemble for Milady. We are prepared to attend to Madame's needs for Easter.



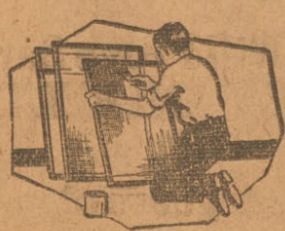
## We Are Ready - Are You?

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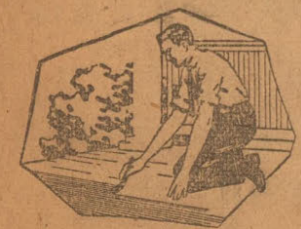
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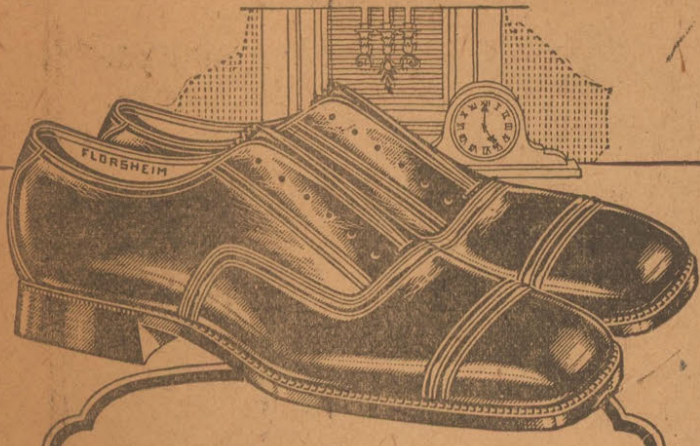
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THURBER STYLE SHOW DRAWS  
THRONGS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

Singers and Orchestra Lend Enchantment to Charms of Beautiful Models as They Display Costumers' New Creations for Spring.

Hundreds of visitors from many neighboring towns as well as residents of Thurber flocked to the big general store of the Texas Pacific Mercantile & Manufacturing company at Thurber, Friday night for their annual spring opening and style revue.

The spacious well-lighted show rooms were freshly decorated in delicate gray paint, while festoons of long pink chenille tassels were hung in arcs from end to end of the store, and each chandelier or fan brace was decorated with groups of balloons in many colors. Birds were suspended between the pillars.

The runway between the counters at the center of the store was used for the model display, several rows of chairs for spectators being arranged at each side. A merry music orchestra was stationed at the far end, playing between style reviews and for the exhibition itself. The singing of a male quartet which included J. B. Karnes, first tenor; Ed Starr, second tenor; Will Christian, baritone; Frank Head, bass, with Mrs. Clint Kimbro, piano accompanist, was a feature of the occasion, and hearty applause was given Mrs. Oma Link Rowley of Strawn, one of the models, whose fine soprano voice was a real delight as she sang, "I Wonder What's Become of Sally," accompanied by the orchestra.

Other models beside Mrs. Rowley were Miss Gertrude Osborne of Mingo, Miss Fay Nichol of Thurber, Miss Mary Belle Cooper of Strawn, Miss Freda Martin, Miss Lora Mitchell, Miss Gertrude Hale, and Miss Beth Gorham of Thurber.

The styles displayed were of the latest approved types, and in color combinations and design would please the most exacting. A beautiful printed crepe in delicate shades of tan with touches of blue, emerald and black was made with bodice waist, and flare skirt, the flounce having insets of lace, and neck finished with tie collar. An old blue flat crepe had a plain skirt with over blouse of accordion plaited brocade in same shade, the plaits being pulled out to represent a ruffle at the bottom. The back was plain, and ecru lace collars and cuffs were used for trimming. White shoes, stockings and hat completed an attractive outfit.

A delicate pussy willow taffeta of tan background printed in nasturtium shades had a georgette flounce of lighter tan trimmed with rows of narrow black velvet ribbon. A collar like flounce, and rosette of ribbon with long ends completed the gown. Another striking model was of flat crepe in Roman stripes, arranged in contrasting motif which made a pretty style. A handsome nut brown georgette, heavily beaded in bronze with a touch of embroidery in tan, made in simple lines, was very handsome, as was also a striking flat crepe in black and white cubist designs, with gold button trimmings.

Ensemble suits were exhibited in beautiful combinations of wool and silk, and of bengaline and flat crepe. One lovely model was of nut brown, the coat of bengaline and the dress of flat crepe printed with white, the wide hem being of bengaline to match coat which in turn was trimmed with bindings of the printed crepe. The dress sleeves were long, and the coat sleeves only elbow length slashed at outer edge and trimmed with binding of printed crepe and buttons. This was a distinctly new style that was very fetching. Hat, shoes and hose of corresponding shade made a complete and lovely costume. Handsome coats

in gray, tan and scarlet were trimmed with contrasting wool bands, or fur, and narrow bands of embroidery done in bright colors. Buttons featured in all styles, and linings were either of self color of contrasting shades in flat crepe.

The evening dresses showed new and varied designs and patterns. One lovely model was of flat crepe in white with printed design of turquoise blue. The back was straight, while front was trimmed with accordion plaited panniers, each being trimmed with double box plaits of blue morie ribbon about three inches wide. A fold of same outlined low waist line in front and scarf of the crepe bordered with the ribbon plaits trimmed the neck.

Several handsome georgettes with satin stripes and gay printed figures were shown, small ruffles of narrow ribbon being used in trimming, while the short sleeves were lengthened with tiny puffs. One of these dresses was in black, another in wood shades, the skirts of both being full gathered and bodice plain. Ecru lace collars and ruffles at sleeves were additional trimmings.

A delicate yellow georgette, printed in darker and contrasting shades, was made of a slip of satin of same shade with wide girdle of same colored satin ribbon and rosette at side. The skirt was trimmed with wide flounce of lace, patterns of which had been outlined with gold beads.

One of the most fetching costumes was a delicate white pussy willow taffeta, flowered in pink and blue, made with plain bodice and full gathered skirt, in which rows of fine white lace net had been set. The front of bodice and full bertha collar were of net and silk, while a bolero front with long points, made of the flowered silk covered the lace inset vest. This outer jacket was caught together with a boutonniere of bright flowers.

Beautiful hats in delicate shades of fancy straws, and horsehair braids were worn with the gowns, and slippers and hose, as well as handsome purses corresponded in every detail.

Baseball suits for boys were illustrated by a group of youngsters, George Paulowsky, Billie Pratt and Junior Jobe, who played an imaginary game on the runway, while little Miss Florine Jobe was lovely in a delicate embroidered frock of rose pink voile with white lace trimmings. Little Miss Mary Priscilla King wore an adorable frock of delicate yellow voile over green, with lace trimmings. She was accompanied by Junior Jobe, who was a most attractive little escort in his trousers of tangerine linen with blouse and hat of pongee, and stylish walking cane.

W. I. Pratt, head of the dry goods department, gave the address of welcome, and at the close of the evening thanked the visitors for their attendance, while souvenirs of handsome vanity boxes were handed out to the ladies. It was altogether a delightful and profitable evening for everyone present, many of whom had not realized that Thurber had such a complete and up-to-date dry goods store.

Guy Draper's Powder River serenaders from Waco, a five-piece jazz orchestra, furnished the music for the style show and for the dance at the Thurber club that followed. They played with an energy and abandon that marks the real jazz artist, often becoming so enthused with their music they could not sit still, but would dance around while continuing to blow the pipes or pick the banjo.

PRE-EASTER MEETING AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, EASTLAND  
Beginning Sunday, March 29, Evangelist E. Gordon, assisted by Miss Cleo Redman, pianist and soloist, and Miss Ruth Orr, choir leader and director of personal work, will conduct a two weeks' meeting at the First Christian church. The first service will be Sunday morning at 11 a. m. Evening services Sunday and each evening during the week promptly at 7:30 p. m. Every man, woman and child in Eastland cordially invited to attend these services.  
—Adv.



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When a Used Car Salesman offers to let you in on the ground floor of a "wonderful bargain" in a used car sale, consider the reputation of the firm from whom you are buying.

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STAMFORD.—Thousands of people from various sections of Jones, Haskell, Stovewell, Fisher and adjoining counties thronged the streets recently when the Loughran university band paraded.

MIDLAND.—A new six or eight stand gin will be built for the fall cotton crop, which will be by far the largest acreage in the history of this section of the South Plains.

COLORADO.—This city will soon have installed a new modern telephone exchange. The chamber of commerce through the secretary, W. S. Cooper, has been after this exchange for more than two years.

SPUR.—A contract has been let for the installation of a new sewer system. When completed the cost of the improvement will amount to \$50,000.

### CARBON PIONEER DIES ON COAST

W. C. Gorman to Become Dallas Lumber Dealer.

Special Correspondence. CARBON, March 28.—Word has been received in Carbon of the death in Seattle, Wash., of W. S. Ernest, which occurred last Sunday. Mr. Ernest, who was 76 years old, lived in Eastland county for many years. He was living with his son, Grover, at the time of his death and was buried in Seattle.

Tom Boston, for the past 14 years agent for the Katy railroad at Carbon, has been transferred to Stamford where he will be cashier-operator for the same road. He will move his family to Stamford within a short while.

Monday, April 7, has been designated as clean-up day in Carbon.

W. C. Gorman, who for the past 20 years has been engaged in the mercantile business in Carbon, has moved with his family to Dallas where they will make their future home. Mr. Gorman will engage in the lumber business in Dallas.

RANGER C. OF C. OFFERS HONEY BALL MELON SEED

C. Q. Davis of Eastland has given the Ranger Chamber of Commerce a quart of honey ball melon seed. Those wishing to plant some of these on their home lots may obtain a supply from C. C. Patterson, secretary.

### OLDEN

Special Correspondence. OLDEN, March 28.—A number of young people from Olden, Desdemona, Kokomo and Gorman enjoyed a party at Staff, Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mallard. Those present from Olden were: Myrtle Howell, Lola Branscum, Mary Weatherall, Bessie Bockman, Mollie McFadden, Rebecca Wright, Jack Wright, Burford and Raymond Armstrong.

Quite a number of young people enjoyed a weenie roast at the Hazard bridge, Wednesday evening. They were: Jewel Nelson, Rebecca Wright, Mammie and Gussie Fox, Mollie McFadden, Clara Mae and Lavelle Fox, Bonnie Branscum, Ethel Fox, Virginia Cribbs, Frances Henderson, Eddie Williamson, Jack-neth Falls, Harvie Carroll, Jack Wright, Burford and Raymond Armstrong, Cap Norton, Dick Yielding, Arthur Russell, Willie Bee Norton, Tom Fox, Lewis Owens, Mr. Fisher, Andy Fox, and P. G. Wright.

C. E. Lindsley, who was taken to the Richardson sanitarium Thursday is in a very serious condition. Dr. William Moore and wife, who have been visiting their son, H. L. Moore, and family, left today for their home at New Albany, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bettis have moved to Eastland to make their future home. L. V. Ford is painting the Olden hotel this week. The Olden High school boys played baseball with Flatwoods at Eastland, Friday afternoon. Score 12 to 7 in favor of Olden.

George Ford is able to be out again after several weeks of confinement to his room.

Mrs. Fred Curtis and little Betty Jane, of Electra, are here visiting the Lindsleys.

Bernice Huett is ill with pneumonia this week.

W. B. McFadden was on the sick list the past week.

A number of Olden people attended the impersonation at Eastland Methodist tabernacle Friday night by Miss Irene Bewley.

W. H. Iverson underwent an operation at Eastland Thursday and is improving nicely.

Olden was visited by a rain Saturday.

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### JUNGLE BEASTS OBEY TRAINERS' COMMANDS

There have been marvels through all ages, and the seven wonders of the world have been known for centuries to the entire civilized universe, but it has remained for Christy Bros. big five-ring wild animal shows, which exhibit in Eastland on Wednesday, April 1, to produce others equally worthy of recognition. Jungle melodies and scenes from the immense steel gilt arenas that would have held a Pharaoh spellbound, are reduced to perfect harmony and sets the blood of the onlooker to dancing in his veins, as they witness the disciplined submission of the fiercest and most ferocious African lions, Bengal tigers, with other wild animals, as they obey the will of man, and at a simple and quiet direction perform the most marvelous feats. Fire, the most terrifying of elements to the beast creation, is encountered without hesitancy at a word of command. Unleashed in the great steel ribbed arenas a big African lion springs like a wild cat to the back of his intrepid mount and with all the grace and dexterity of riding rivals performs feats that are almost incredible.

### STUDEBAKER FACTORIES SPEED UP PRODUCTION

SOUTH BEND, Ind., March 28.—"We are unable to meet the demands made upon us for Studebaker cars by dealers from all sections of the United States and abroad," announced President A. R. Erskine of the Studebaker corporation here today.

"After steady increases in production during the past six weeks, all plants are now operating at capacity. Our March production will be about 12,000 cars.

"Our schedules for the second quarter call for 40,000 cars. It is easy to exaggerate the volume of surplus orders, but I should say that business offered to us exceeds our production by 25 per cent.

"The unusual demand is practically uniform for all of our 19 different models of cars, on three chassis."

Supplementing Mr. Erskine's statement, it was learned that on the first business day of the month, March 2, sufficient orders already had been placed by dealers in America and abroad, to consume the entire production of the factories for the month.

Every week, for a month and a half, the production schedule for the big body plants at South Bend has been increased. Last week, the volume of orders so exceeded the past production that the schedule for production was advanced by 44 cars a day.

### AUTOMOBILE FACTORIES BEHIND ON DELIVERIES

NEW YORK, March 28.—"Many thousands of motorists will be disappointed in getting the particular car they want unless they place their orders for spring and summer delivery at once," said Alfred Reeves, general manager of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, who returned from a trip to the various automobile factories.

"The leading car makers," said Mr. Reeves, "are now having all they can do to keep pace with orders which are coming in and many are already behind the retail sales demands.

"Production schedules this winter have been much lighter than last, with the result that there were very few vehicles in dealers' hands in anticipation of the spring trade. Furthermore, the early spring weather in most parts of the country has brought buyers into the field more quickly than last year."

MINERAL WELLS.—A pageant will be staged at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce seventh annual convention to be held here May 4-5-6. All parties expecting to participate should send in their names as early as possible to Ray Leeman, secretary, Mineral Wells Chamber of Commerce.

PADUCAH.—Much interest is being developed here owing to the discovery of potash. It is now hoped that the mineral will be found in paying quantities as further development shows the area to be large and the quantity increasing from recent developments.

### OUR POPULARITY

—among the people of Eastland, and surrounding territory, is not merely an accident, but through

### Courtesy, Service, and Quality

—of our merchandise, we have reached the hearts of the people, and won their confidence without limit. When we advertise

### A Sale of Merchandise

—people know that it is a sale of merit. They know that we will offer them merchandise of good quality, in all the very latest styles and at prices which cannot be duplicated anywhere.

### Our Money Back Guarantee

—has won for us a reputation to be proud of, and our customers know that we will gladly refund their money upon the return of merchandise purchased from us which is not entirely satisfactory.

### We Doubled Our Floor Space

—when we threw open the room next door to carry a

### Large Stock of Merchandise

—and assure the people of Eastland County that they can supply their needs right here in Eastland, and at saving of many dollars to them.

### Join the Throngs Today

—call and inspect our large and complete stock, and you will be one of our vast army of regular customers.

### Watch Our Display Windows

—new goods arriving daily and on display in our windows. Something new all of the time.

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TODAY—TOMORROW

### In Every Woman's Life

### The Thrill Drama of Land and Sea

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## Coats

### FOR SPRING

Soft, rich fabrics in glorious shades. Youthful furs enhance the brilliant and unusual designs. Irresistible coats—for sports, for street, for every daytime need. Coats that delight madame and mademoiselle alike and bid them enjoy springtime gaieties to the fullest.

## Frocks

Invested with a dainty feminine charm are these versatile frocks that are useful for such a variety of smart occasions! There is enough lurking sophistication, too, to appeal to women to whom chic is the paramount consideration.

### ENSEMBLE SUITS

Made in Paris—that city of magical millinery creations! Even without peeping inside to see the Paris label, you would know that they are French from the spirited smartness of shape, material and color.

### MILLINERY

The choice of an Ensemble Suit need not be perplexing, for Fashion has been liberal indeed, allowing one plenty of leeway to express her own taste in her own type of suit—and yet be assured of Fashion's approval.

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New, bright colored Spring Cretons, 36 inches wide, yard **25c**

**Toilet Goods**

A complete line of Toilet Goods to select from. Below we list a few of the many powders offered:

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- Melba Fleurs Powder.....**\$1.25** box
- Burnham's Kisses Powder.....**\$1.20** box
- Melba Boquet Powder.....**60c** box
- Marcelle Cold Cream Powder **60c** box
- Marcelle Powder, small size, **35c** box
- Melba Pineywoods Powder, **\$1.00** box

**Sweaters**

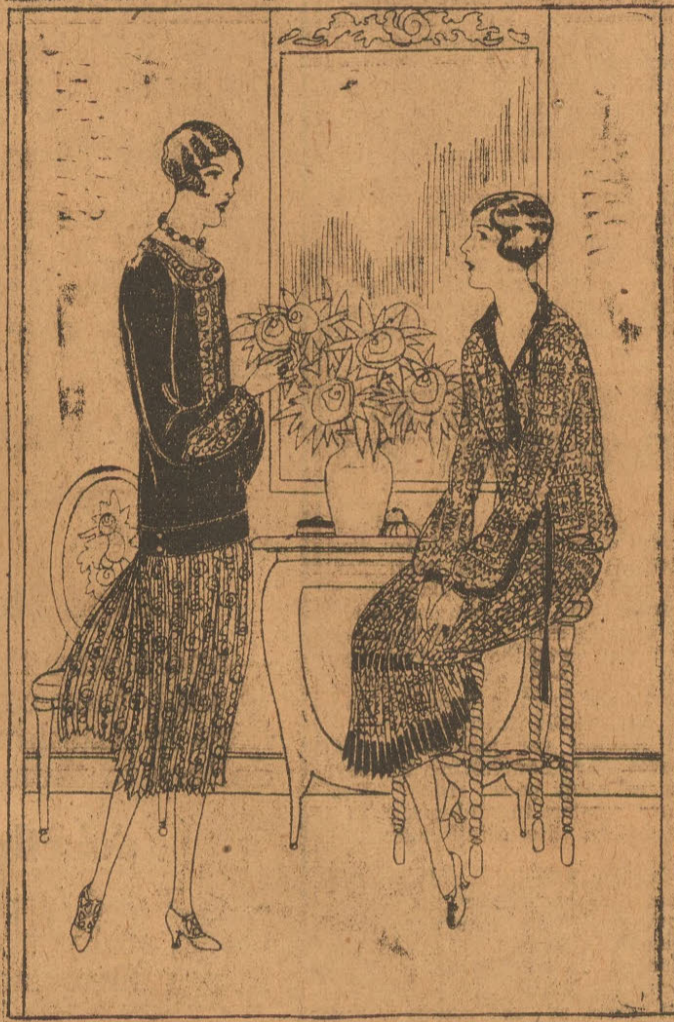
for Sport Wear

and these famous Betty Lees are the hit of the season. Peter Pan or handkerchief collars are in contrasting colors to beautify silk bodies of buff, cranberry, gold, green and white. The same color of the collar is found on pockets, sleeves and around the bottom

**\$4.95 to \$9.50**

**JOSEPH'S DAILY STORE NEWS**

Portraying some of the many things for wear now and for Easter. This one ad can only give you a partial insight to the many new things offered you here. A store stock full of new and interesting spring merchandise assembled from the style centers from coast to coast and even imported from foreign ports.



**Fashion Smiles on Cashmere Fabrics**



For Ensembles for Sport Frocks for the popular Suspender or Jumper Dresses, there is nothing that has met with such instant and widespread approval as these new Kasha Flannels in solid colors.

Monterey—a new red, is very popular this season. You will like the finish of this material; 56 inches wide **\$4.50** and only yard

Dumbell is near as dumb as it sounds, but it is a pretty shade of tan Kasha, in the 56-inch width, at **\$4.50** yard

A pretty shade of green is the Lanvin. And what more popular material than Kasha for it to come in? **\$4.50** 56 inches wide, yard

Tis said blue will lead the Easter Parade and we are sure it will be French Blue. You will agree when you see this French Blue Kasha at **\$4.50** yd.

*Ideal For Easter Wear*

Are the Ensembles. The Spring Coats, and the Printed Silk Dresses. A better selection to choose from and in a wide range of prices. In no case has style and quality been sacrificed for price. You will always find the best here. We especially invite you to come in and inspect our showing of Ready-to-Wear. The popularity of this department is growing daily and when you see the wonderful display of smart individual styles shown, you will understand why.

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**A New Hat for Easter**

The tradition of the Easter Bonnet dates back to the days of our great-great-grandmothers—and perhaps further, who knows? Easter just isn't Easter without a new Bonnet, that's all! And no wonder every woman wants another Bonnet for Easter, for at that time the ones shown are far lovelier than at any other time or at least the ones we have are. They are priced

**\$3.95 to \$12.50**



*Ultra Smart Easter Accessories*

Many a smart Ensemble or Frock has lost that dressed-up air because of lack of proper accessories. Here you will find the proper accessories to go with that Easter outfit. Gloves, Hosiery, Scarfs, Kerchiefs and Bags galore. You can also find the correct accessories for finishing that dress you are making yourself. A full line of trimmings, linings, buttons, corsages, buckles, and collar and cuff sets. May we have the pleasure of showing you these fascinating accessories?

**Springtime Slippers for Easter Wear**

Easter, the time of year when everyone dresses up, is nearly here—it is always harder to buy Shoes because they can't be altered to fit. They must be embodied in the same shoe—that is the kind of Springtime Slippers here.



**Colored Satins**

Are both new and desirable this season. A Rosewood satin pump with gold kid trimmings and smart front buckle at **\$9.50**

A pump of penny satin, has 16-8 spike heel, short stage last, priced at **\$9.50**

A blonde satin one strap with scroll stitching on vamp and quarter; has full spike heel, short stage last, for **\$8.95**

**Smart Two-Tones in Pumps and Ties**

Two-tone, the most popular Shoe now being sold. At flat heel, tan back, patent vamp, one strap, for **\$5.45**

Box heel patent vamp, tan back and collar with the underlaid in penny satin and fashionable side tie at **\$7.50**

A pump with patent vamp, tan quarter and 15-8 Spanish heel at **\$7.50**

**Children's Slippers**

In black and brown patent, two-tones and white are of the Red Goose brand, with turn soles and either a rubber or spring heel. We have a big line of Slippers for children. They are the serviceable, stylish kind, and very reasonably priced.

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**Red Cross Shoes**

Are the kind women appreciate who want style and comfort combined. We have just received some smart patterns.

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In patent **\$10.45**

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**Young Men's Suits**

Just in, a shipment of Young Men's Suits, in light greys and tans for Spring. Of course they are English cut and have that extra pair of trousers. You will appreciate the tailoring in these fine suits. Many are student sizes ranging from 32 to 38. Priced at

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Men's from size 38 to 44 and priced up to **\$45.00**

**Caps With Piece Tops**



Are being worn more this Spring than ever, and when you buy them in a "Sure-Fit" you get more cap comfort. You will find a "Sure-Fit" here in the color you like at **\$2.50 \$2.95, and \$3.50**

**A Tie for Easter**

—or next week, just as you like, but at any event, a new Tie for Spring. A complete showing of new Spring silk and silk and wool crepes in all the shapes at

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The new regimental stripe for boys at **65c**

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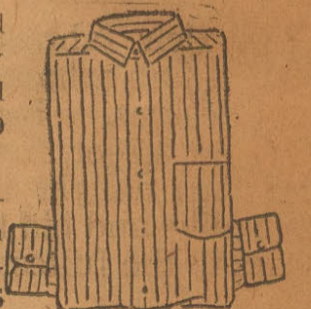


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**50c Suit**

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