

THE WEATHER
West Texas—Tonight and Saturday, partly cloudy, cooler in southeast portion.

SENTENCE-SERMON.
If the show of anything be good for anything, I am sure sincerity is better.—Tillotson.

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THREATENING FLAMES INVADE EASTLAND

Interscholastic League Contestants Meeting

BRAINS AND BRAWN GUIDE TO VICTORIES

Eastland County Students Engage in Trials of Mind And Body.

INTEREST IS VERY KEEN

Oratory, Debate, Spelling, Tennis, Field and Track Events Included in Lists.

Eastland is host today to the annual meet of the Eastland county interscholastic league, which is composed of the rural and independent schools of the county, and in which are entered more than 500 contestants in the literary and track events. This meet, officials say, is the largest of its kind in the state.

The program, which will continue throughout today and tomorrow, began last evening with the music memory contest, conducted by Miss Helen Howdeshell of Ranger, at the South Ward school building.

All track events are being held at Connelley park and all literary events at the school buildings. All contestants, other than those who were entered in field events, assembled at the high school auditorium this morning at 8:30 for announcements and instructions.

Following was the program for to- (Continued on page three.)

ONCE RICH MAN WORKS TO LIVE

Brother of C. C. Slaughter May Push Claim Against Estate

FORT WORTH, April 3.—After almost a year's delay, during which time and for several years previously, the plaintiff in a suit for almost \$1,000,000 has been forced to make his living by washing dishes and lately running a small hotel in San Antonio, the famous suit against the heirs of C. C. Slaughter likely will be begun in district court at Palo Pinto Monday.

William B. Slaughter, brother of the late C. C. Slaughter, is claiming in the action that heirs refuse to return to him property held in trust by his brother during liquidation of a bank in Pueblo, Colo., he having assigned all his holdings to C. C. Slaughter to facilitate clearing up of the difficulty. An accounting and settlement is sought.

Since the crash of the Pueblo bank, before which W. B. Slaughter was said to be worth several million dollars, the unfortunate ex-financier has been cooking in oil field camps in order to earn a livelihood. Lately, he was able to obtain a short lease on a small hotel in San Antonio and now, according to his attorney, D. B. Chapin, is earning only a "hand to mouth" living.

W. B. Slaughter, now 73 years old, in his young days was one of the most picturesque cattlemen of Texas. He is the only man who ever drove 1000 head of buffalo from a Texas ranch to Yosemite Valley and when he arrived there gave the entire herd to the government to stock the famous National Park.

Mother Pool of Oil Sought Near Tyler

TYLER, April 3.—About 10 barrels of clear oil testing about 40 gravity has been drawn from the Walter Branham well in West Tyler, the well continually filling with oil after it is withdrawn. After 50 gallons of oil had been drawn from this water well, which is only 14 feet deep, a test Wednesday showed eight inches of oil and two feet of water, with the oil visibly seeping into the well from the sides.

Exploration for the mother pool is expected, the existence of a heavy oil bearing sand in this locality being indicated by this surface outcropping of oil. Reopening of the Phillips well, two miles north of Tyler, is being discussed. This test was abandoned at about 2,000 feet.

FIVE LEADING RADIO FEATURES FOR TODAY

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WEAF, New York (491.5m.), 8 p. m., EST; Billy Jones and Ernest Hare.
KGW, Portland (491.5m.), 10:30 p. m., PSC; Hoot Owls.
WCAE, Pittsburgh (461.3m.), 8 p. m., EST; Minstrel show.
WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul (416.4m.), 8 p. m., CST; Municipal organ recital.
WJY, New York (405.2m.), 8:15 p. m., EST; Ibsen's drama, "The Wild Duck," WGY players.

Sales and Mergers of Industrial Properties Making New History

Industrial America today is undergoing perhaps the most far-reaching changes in its history.

Sales and mergers aggregating more than \$2,500,000,000 in property values have been negotiated within recent weeks and scores of pending or proposed mergers of less magnitude probably will bring the year's turnover of industrial resources far beyond anything of the kind in the past.

The purchase by the Standard Oil company of Indiana and its associated companies of the Pan-American Petroleum and transport oil holdings with a market value ranging around \$225,000,000.

Sale of the Dodge Motor Co., at a cash price said to be between \$175,000,000 and \$200,000,000 constitutes what is believed to be the greatest cash transaction in the nation's industrial history.

A \$100,000,000 merger of 85 West Virginia coal properties virtually completed, stands fourth on the list.

700 PARENTS AT C. I. A. TODAY

State Well Represented At Fathers, Mothers Meet

DENTON, April 3.—Parents of C. I. A. students from all parts of the state are at the College of Industrial Arts today in attendance upon the opening session of the annual meeting of the C. I. A. Fathers and Mothers association. They will spend two days upon the campus of the state college for women.

Estimates announced early in the week were to the effect that 700 parents are expected for the occasion. They are being taken care of by the college and by Denton townspeople.

All sessions will be presided over by Judge J. R. Blades, Sherman, president of the association. They will be held in the college auditorium.

Friday morning and afternoon are given over to inspection of the college plant, with students and faculty members as hosts and hostesses. A concert by college musical organizations will be featured Friday evening.

A special assembly at which C. I. A. regents and officers of the Fathers and Mothers association will address the student body will be held Saturday morning. A business session of the association will be conducted Saturday afternoon. The annual senior class play will be given Saturday evening.

One and one-half railroad fare on the certificate plan has been granted to parents, the rate to apply over any line from all points in the state. It is planned to permit the visiting parents to see as nearly as possible the class room and laboratory work of the college under average conditions. The object is to give parents first hand knowledge of the college life, and to bring about a sympathetic understanding between patrons and college authorities.

Murder or Suicide? Police Now Trying To Solve Mystery

KANSAS CITY, April 3.—The suicide theory today appeared to be the possible solution for the death of Dr. Young B. Kelly, whose body was found in a local hotel room early yesterday. A towel saturated with chloroform was wrapped about his head.

Kelly went to the hotel to meet a man named Pat Henderson, according to Mrs. Kelly. Investigation revealed that Kelly registered at the hotel as "Pat Henderson." Shortly after he registered, a man asked the hotel clerk the number of his room. Police are seeking this man, whose identity is unknown.

Kelly, according to the police, recently took out a \$5,000 life insurance policy, which provided that the insurance would not be paid in case of suicide within a year.

CISCO WANTS COUNTY ROAD MATTERS GIVEN MORE STUDY

CISCO, April 3.—At a meeting of the directors of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce last Tuesday night, the matter of the highway situation in Eastland county was discussed at length and referred to the committee on highways for consideration. This committee later issued a call for a meeting of representative citizens of the county to be held in Cisco, Monday night, for a further discussion of the road problems now confronting the county.

The purpose of the meeting to be held Monday night is to discuss plans by which the county commissioners may furnish the funds to match the \$125,000 state aid recently offered Eastland county if the county would match it with the amount required by law.

You Know That Spring Garden Feeling



Music Memory Contest Is Marked By Perfect Scores

The Eastland county music memory contest was conducted in Eastland at the South Ward school on Thursday night by Miss Helen Howdeshell of Ranger, who was appointed in charge of the county contest by the university department of interscholastic leagues. In this contest Ranger won first and second places, Merriman school being 100 per cent and Central Ward scoring 99. There were five contestants from Central Ward, three from Young, two from Cooper and two from Merriman schools, Ranger; four from Cisco and five each from Eastland South and West Ward schools. The contestants scoring perfect papers were: Thelma Brewer, Lloyd Hearn, Zella Joe Staker, Eastland West Ward; Belva Dee Hillyer, Evelyn Hearn, Josephine Martin, Eastland South Ward; Margaret Calhoun, Geraldine Forrest, Ranger; Central Ward, Jean Janet, Frances Smith, Young school, Ranger; Jack Poe, Kathleen Gunkle, Merriman.

This is the first time a county contest has been held in Eastland county, in the music memory division, and the first time Ranger has had even a city contest, Eastland having had a good city contest last year.

The work has created considerable interest in music throughout the county and the start is considered promising for future development.

The capitalizations used in the list are those given out by the league and contestants were graded accordingly.

The rural schools were represented by Lloyd E. Castleberry and Wilburn Tankersley of Yellow Mound, neither scoring 100.

Judges for the contest were Mrs. L. G. Graves and Mrs. Marshall McCullough, Eastland; Mrs. S. E. Hutton, Cisco; Miss Gillian Buchanan and Mrs. Charles G. Norton, Ranger. The list used was as follows:

1. Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes (old English air).
2. By the Waters of Minnetonka, Lieurance.
3. Hallelujah Chorus from The Messiah, Handel.
4. Anvil Chorus from Il Trovatore, Verdi.
5. Waltz from Faust, Gounod.
6. Turkish March from the Ruins of Athens, Beethoven.
7. Hungarian Dance No. 5, Brahms.
8. Martha Overture, Flotow.
9. First Movement from the Unfinished Symphony, Schubert.
10. Morning from the Peer Gynt Suite, Grieg.
11. Molly on the Shore, Grainger.
12. Cradle Song, Brahms.
13. Dance Bacchanale, Saint Saens.
14. Habanera from Carmen, Bizet.
15. Beautiful Blue Danube Waltz, Strauss.
16. Nobody Knows de Trouble I've Seen, negro plantation melody.
17. Ave Maria, Schubert.
18. I Know My Redeemer Liveth, from The Messiah, Handel.
19. Largo from the New World Symphony, Dvorak.
20. Nocturne in E Flat, Chopin.

RANGER GOLFERS PLAN MATCHES

Tournament Begins at Country Club Links, Ending Sunday

Ranger Country club golfers are arranging their matches for the week-end. Players in the three flights were announced yesterday and all matches must be played by Sunday. Some players were out today. Sunday night is the last opportunity to turn in scores for the tournament. Gifford Clegg, chairman, said. Players who do not know "what's what" are requested to call Mr. Clegg for further information. Pairings for the game are:

First Flight
Charles Miliken vs. Dr. C. C. Craig.
W. R. Russell vs. D. O. Marshall.
D. D. Finney vs. J. M. Ralston.

Second Flight
Leslie Hagaman vs. Dr. A. N. Harkler.
R. V. Galloway vs. R. W. Russell.
J. M. Dodson vs. A. B. Cameron.
Dr. H. A. Logsdon vs. R. M. Coyle.

Third Flight
E. E. Crawford vs. Dr. W. C. Palmer.
Paul Ryan vs. J. J. Russell.
Phil Pennington vs. H. J. Stafford.

J. M. White vs. Dr. W. L. Jackson.
D. B. Williams vs. W. J. F. Bailey.

Eastland School Trustees Election Thrown Wide Open

Jack Williamson and Leonard Hightower were named by the Eastland school board to hold the trustee election Saturday, they to name a third person. The election will be held at the city hall.

Geo. Brogdon, president of the school board, stated that a blank ticket, with ruled lines, would be submitted and the voters could write in the names of those they wished to vote for and that the four getting the highest number of votes would be declared elected.

Mrs. Joe Burkett, Dr. J. H. Caton, R. E. Sikes and Dr. T. E. Payne have agreed to serve as members of the school board if the voters see fit to elect them.

DARRELL ALTHAUSEN ENTERS PHI BETA KAPPA FRATERNITY

Darrell Althausen of Ranger was one of six juniors recently elected to membership in the Phi Beta Kappa fraternity at Oklahoma university, according to word received here by his parents.

Membership in the chapter is prized highly by all, as only a specified number can be accepted each year. Twenty seniors totaling one-eighth of this year's graduating class, will, together with six juniors who made the highest grades and one alumnus were selected this year for Alpha chapter at Oklahoma.

DEPOSITORS DO NOT SEEK CASH

Bank Examiner Vainly Seeks To Reimburse Creditors

Many of the depositors in the Peoples State bank of Ranger, which was closed by the state bank commissioner at the close of business January 31, last, do not appear to care whether they ever receive their money or not. A. W. Taber, special agent of the state banking department, having charge of the affairs of the Peoples State bank, indicated today, pointing to a great heap of letters returned from the postoffice because the addresses of those for whom they were intended could not be ascertained.

The law requires the agent of a closed state bank to send each depositor by mail a statement of his account, after which the depositor must make proof of claim, making affidavit to it, before any payment of it may be made out of the state's bank guaranty fund. Of the 2500 statements sent out by the agent of the Peoples State bank of Ranger, more than 600 were returned by the postoffice. Many had removed from Ranger, leaving no forwarding addresses; others had moved to new addresses in or near Ranger, and the postoffice could not locate them.

Every depositor in the Peoples State Bank of Ranger may obtain the amount of his or her deposit in full from the state guaranty fund, but must prove the claim before June 12.

If all claims are proved sooner the claims will be paid sooner. Every depositor who has not proved up his or her claim had better hurry to the bank and see about it unless prepared to lose the money. If no statement has been received through the mail a visit should be made to the bank to inquire why not. Special Agent Taber is ready to give all information desired and wants all who are interested to see him.

Poultry Raisers Fix Day to Visit Eastland County Chicken Farms

Directors of the Eastland County Poultry Raisers' association met in the Ranger Chamber of Commerce rooms Thursday afternoon with President M. H. Hagaman presiding. It was decided to accept the tentative dates arranged by the Ranger poultry raisers for the Eastland county annual poultry show, to be held Oct. 22 to 24 in Ranger. Secretary C. C. Patterson was instructed to write to Walter Burton of Ardington and arrange for him to come to Ranger as a judge of the show at that time.

The annual poultry tour of Eastland county was arranged for Friday, April 28, and all poultry raisers in the county are expected to join, together with all others who may be interested. They will carry a basket lunch to be eaten at noon at some attractive place. R. H. Bush of Eastland, Mrs. R. J. Taylor of Ardington and Frank Robinson of Rising Star were named as the committee on arrangements.

It was decided that members of the Wolf Hunters' association should be invited to attend the chicken barbecue that is to be a feature of the chicken carnival in Ranger to show appreciation of their efforts to keep down the wolves that kill the chickens.

The directors are to meet again April 28 during the tour of Eastland county to inspect the chicken farms and hatcheries.

Governor Vetoes Bill Aimed at Destruction Of West Texas Pests

AUSTIN, April 3.—Governor Miriam E. Ferguson today vetoed senate bill No. 17 providing for cooperation between the state of Texas and the United States department of agriculture and live stock sanitary commission in the destruction of rodents, prairie dogs, pocket gophers, rats and ground squirrels and other predatory animals.

RANGER DELEGATION IS ATTENDING STRAWN MEET

More than a score of Ranger business men went to Strawn this morning to attend the district meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. John M. Gholson and several directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, together with Secretary C. C. Patterson, led the Ranger delegation.

FIRE MENACES HEART OF CITY FOR LONG TIME

Plant of Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company Is Swept By Fire.

EXPLOSIONS SPEED BLAZE

Business Houses in Courthouse Square Saved After Hard Struggle.

The plant and stock of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber company, which occupied practically a whole block and bordered on West Main, North Green, West White and North Mulberry streets, just off the public square of Eastland, was completely destroyed by fire of undetermined origin this morning. A concrete building, belonging to Mrs. Lucy Miller of Eastland, and occupied by the Iowa rooms, and which was located on the southwest corner of the block, was also burned.

Insurance Covers Loss.
R. L. Perkins, local manager for the lumber company, stated that his firm's loss would amount to about \$50,000, covered by insurance in the Lumbermen's Mutual Insurance company. It was not learned whether Mrs. Miller had insurance on her rooming house or not, but it is presumed that she did, as it was partially destroyed by fire about a year ago and had been rebuilt. The contents of the rooming house were saved, having been carried from the building before the flames reached it.

The flames, which started in the northeast corner of the lumber yard, were fanned by a strong north wind and spread rapidly. It soon became evident that the local fire department could not save the buildings that were burning; and that there was great danger of the fire spreading to other buildings, and calls were sent to Cisco and Ranger for assistance. One truck from each town responded, and made the run to Eastland in a few minutes time.

Explosions Spread Fire.
Several barrels of turpentine stored in the lumber yard exploded, accompanied by a loud report and fire and smoke shooting several hundred feet into the air. This caused great excitement among the hundreds of spectators, many of whom did not know for some time afterwards, what the cause of the explosion was.

Numerous fires started on the roofs above other buildings in the section adjacent to the fire from coals blown from the burning buildings; but these were quickly extinguished and did but little damage. At one time the frame work of the uncompleted Connelley hotel building caught fire and burned for some time before it was put out. One store on the courthouse square caught fire several times, but each time the blaze was extinguished.

Several light and telephone poles about the fire were burned down and wires from others were cut so that the city was without power, light and telephone services for some time during the forenoon.

IKE ERWIN FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE

Files for Place When Williams Withdraws.

Lee Williams having withdrawn his name as a candidate for school trustee in Ranger, Ike Erwin, also of Merriman, has filed for the place, and the list has been closed with four candidates to fill four vacancies. The candidates are: Dr. L. C. G. Buchanan, J. T. Killingsworth, I. E. Langston, Ike Erwin.

The polls will be open tomorrow from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m., Sam Davanport being judge at the polling place, Pine and Austin streets, and Paul Lacy at the polling place in Young school. Each will select his own clerks.

The retiring trustees are: Mrs. Fred Dreinhofer, Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, Lee Williams and E. H. Mills.

Fire At Holland Causes Heavy Loss

By United Press.

WACO, April 3.—Five buildings were destroyed by fire with an estimated loss of \$55,000 at Holland, near here, during the morning, according to reports received here. The blaze originated in the rear of a drug store and spread to adjacent buildings. Lack of a water system and high winds left fire fighters with little recourse against the flames.

HUNTSVILLE.— Construction work to begin soon on sanitarium, to occupy entire city block.

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SATURDAY EVENTS

Eastland County Council meets at 2:30 o'clock at high school.
 St. Rita's bake sale at Stafford's drug store.

Royal Neighbors bake sale at Gholson hotel.
 Public library opens 1 to 6 o'clock Marston building.

COUNTY COUNCIL TO MEET IN RANGER

The April meeting of the Eastland County Council will be held in Ranger on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the high school. Rev. G. D. Robison will pronounce the invocation. The program will include a talk on the moral training of children in the home by Mrs. J. H. Stewart of Eastland; a talk on country life by Mrs. L. D. Hillyer of Eastland, and an address by Judge N. N. Rosenquest of the same city. Mrs. C. E. Maddocks of Ranger, state president of the Congress of Parent-Teacher is expected to address the meeting, and there will be a vocal solo by Miss Helen Howdeshell.

A large attendance is expected from all over the county. Mrs. R. A. Jameson, president of the Eastland County Council, will preside.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McGee have moved from 1018 Young street to 320 Hill avenue.

Mrs. Clarence Thompson of Mexia spent the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Champion, and will stay until Mr. Thompson comes to Ranger, a little later.

Arty McPatter will return to Ranger soon and will be connected with Murray's Pharmacy.

Mary McNeill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. McNeill, went to Fort Worth Thursday afternoon to enter the interscholastic league contest from the Ranger high. She will spend the week-end with the Dunaway family in Fort Worth.

E. B. Rogers and family have moved from the Tee-Pee camp to 406 Strawn road.

Lon Haden and family have moved from 339 Wayland road to Mesquite and Hodges street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith have moved from 320 Hill avenue to Wayland road, in the house formerly occupied by the Lon Haden family.

Ernestine Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis, is spending the week-end in Stephenville visiting Hope Corbett.

Harold Durham returns tonight from Sterling City, where he has been visiting his people for the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Davis and children are visiting relatives in Corsicana until Sunday.

GEORGE CAPILIOUS SPREADS FEAST FOR BROTHER MASONS

George Capilious of Ranger was host to his brother Masons last Tuesday night following his reception into the Masonic blue lodge. After the degree work had been completed, Mr. Capilious requested Worshipful Master C. E. May to invite all his fellow master Masons to join him in a feast, which was served in the Ranger Masonic hall banquet room. It was a feast long to be remembered, according to those who attended. Mr. May was toastmaster and many brief talks were made.

INTAKE PIPES EXTEND FAR OUT IN LAKE

Settling Basin Empty; Water Supply Ample Some Time

Following investigations by citizens late yesterday into the cause of an insufficient water supply to keep water in the big standpipe on Eastland hill, 10 men were put to work early today building lines from the present intake far into Lake Hagaman, and it was said an ample supply of water would be obtained this afternoon.

The pump was working steadily yesterday, but was found to be pumping only air because the intake did not reach the level of water in the lake, lowered by the long drought. The engineer said he had reported the lack of water and urged the necessity of extending the pipes into the lake, but nothing had been done and he was about to shut down the pump, seeing no need to pump air. The settling basin had little water in it this morning, but a plentiful supply was promised before the day was over.

There is ample water in Lake Hagaman for another 45 to 60 days, according to experts, even if no rain falls. But it is believed, even by those who refused to forecast Texas weather, that heavy rains will fall in this section within a short time.

Irwin Charges That 'Interests' Opposed Prison Relocation

By United Press.

DALLAS, April 3.—Charges that Governor Miriam E. Ferguson was influenced on her veto of the prison relocation system measure by railroads, sugar and other powerful interests of the state, were made here today by Representative T. K. Irwin of Dallas. Irwin was a leading investigator of the state penitentiary system during the last legislature and a proponent of the Teer relocation bill.

Individuals and corporations interested in the prison system as it is now, secured the veto of the measure, Irwin declared.

Indiana Klansmen Facing Indictments

By United Press.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 3.—Five indictments against D. C. Stephenson, former grand dragon of the Indiana Ku Klux Klan for alleged attack on Miss Madge Oberholzer, were returned by the Marion county grand jury today.

The indictments charge assault and battery with intent to kill, assault and battery with intent to rape, malicious mayhem, kidnaping and conspiracy to kidnap. Earl Klenck, deputy sheriff, and Earl Gentry one of Stephenson's former lieutenants in the Klan, were indicted as parties to the conspiracy to kidnap.

RANGER BOY SCOUTS TO MEET IN HODGES OAK PARK

Ranger Boy Scouts will meet at Hodges Oak park tonight at 7 o'clock the meeting place being changed because of revival services at the Methodist church. Scout drills and methods will be the program for tonight.

An English railway after experiments with several kinds of roller bearings has decided that those of the chain link type are best suited for use in car wheels.

INDICTMENTS ARE QUASHED

Fall, Doheny and Sinclair Free Of Grand Jury Bills

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—All indictments of Albert B. Fall, E. J. Doheny and Harry Sinclair, growing out of the naval oil reserve leases, were quashed today by Justice McCoy of the District of Columbia supreme court. McCoy sustained a motion of the counsel for the defense to dismiss the indictment upon grounds that they were vitiated by the presence of unauthorized persons in the grand jury room when evidence was being taken.

WAR SECRETARY WEEKS BETTER

Threatened With Paralysis, But Quickly Thrusts Off Attack

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Secretary of War Weeks suffered a slight stroke of cerebro thrombosis, which usually causes paralysis, Wednesday morning, but was today almost completely recovered, according to a physician's statement issued today. The statement said:

"Early in the morning of April 1, Secretary Weeks had a thrombosis of the small branches of the middle cerebral artery, producing a weakness of the muscles of the left arm. No other symptom has developed. Considering the rapid improvement he has made in the last 48 hours he should be out in a short time."

NEW SUITS FILED.

Suits filed in district courts: Continental State Bank & Trust company of Rising Star vs. Mac T. Anderson, et al., suit on note.

Exparte Carl Linton Maynard, removal of disabilities.

Chas. O. Austin, commissioner, vs. J. C. Stribling, suit on note.

H. W. Smith, receiver, Consolidated Gasoline company.

ALIENIST DENIES BRAIN STORM EXCUSES CRIME

By United Press.

TULSA, Okla., April 3.—Dr. E. C. Griffin, for 25 years superintendent of the Oklahoma state insane asylum at Norman, will testify that Eugene Purdy was sane when he killed E. S. Hutchinson, wealthy lumberman, it was understood today. Griffin will be placed on the stand in rebuttal after the state has raised the question of young Purdy's sanity.

Dr. Griffin said in a recent interview: "I have no opinion with men who claim they were temporarily insane when they committed crime. There is no such thing as that kind of insanity."

PETE WELK IS SMILING WHEN DEATH COMES

Condemned Man Dies in Electric Chair Without Struggle

HUNTSVILLE, April 3.—Sydney "Pete" Welk, 31, has paid the penalty for the murder of Willis Champion, Dallas county jailer, and the Texas electric chair has claimed its first white victim.

Welk went to his death at 12:15 a. m. Friday morning calmly and with a smile on his lips. Shortly before being strapped in the chair Welk was allowed to bid goodbye to Levanne Twitty, negro condemned to death. "You have only 60 days more. You had better come along with me," Welk jokingly told the negro.

Shortly before Welk went to his death he is reported to have told Sheriff Schuyler Marshall, Dallas county, the names of those involved in the plot to liberate him from custody in the county jail, and that it cost \$1,000 for the smuggling of pistols and ammunition into the jail. The death march was begun at 12 minutes before midnight. With a firm tread and head erect, Welk walked into the death chamber. Seating himself in the chair, the condemned man turned to the sheriff and said:

"Give my regards to all the boys and tell them I hope to meet them in a better world."

At 12:15 a. m. the first charge of 1,800 volts caused his erect body to shudder and slump in the straps that held him. After seven seconds the charge was reduced to 250 volts and left for 30 seconds. This was repeated three times and at 12:19 Dr. Bush, prison physician, announced Welk dead.

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Eastland



INTERESTING REVIVAL AT RANGER METHODIST CHURCH

Increasing interest in the revival being conducted at the Ranger Methodist church is being manifested through continually increasing crowds, according to Rev. A. W. Hall. Although the attendance was not up to standard the opening night, it has grown steadily until large crowds are now attending the services.

The revival is being conducted by Rev. A. W. Hall of the Ranger church who is preaching on works of the Bible. Rev. Mr. Hall is ably assisted in his work by Rev. Harold G. Scoggins of Throckmorton, who is leading the singing.

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3 lbs. Good High Grade Coffee. \$1.00
 2-lb. can Scottish Chief Early Peas 15c
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Fresh Cucumbers, Squash, Cauliflower, Green Onions, Radishes, Turnips, Mustard Greens, Beets, Carrots, Lettuce, Celery, Green Peppers, Green Beans, and New Potatoes.

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You will find the same good quality in Meats. Extra fancy cornfed baby beef, small veal, lamb and pork. Smoked and cured meats. Plenty of large, fat hens and fryers, live or dressed; have them dressed while you wait. Golden State and Falfurias Butter.
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You will be compelled to admit that the results of S. S. S. are really amazing!

MAN'S GLORY is his strength—yet how few there are who are really as strong as they should be. The blood thins, gets weaker, blood cells wear out—general weakness and a gradual break-down of the system results.

We know there is one thing that puts power in the blood, and that is more red-blood-cells! S.S.S. builds them by the million! We know that as blood cells increase in number, blood impurities vanish! But have you ever actually taken advantage of this wonderful fact? Thousands just like you have never thought of it. So-called skin eruptions—pimples, boils, blackheads, eczema all pack up and go when the tide of blood cells begins to roll in. Blood cells are the fighting giants of Nature. S.S.S. is one of the greatest blood cell builders, blood cleansers and body builders known to us mortals. Here is your opportunity! S.S.S. contains only vegetable medicinal ingredients. Because S.S.S. does build red-blood-cells, it routs rheumatism, builds firm flesh, fills out hollow cheeks, beautifies the complexion, builds you up when you are run-down.

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Marking time as the days go by is not sufficient. Open the spark and step on the gas and see that you get the most for your dollar.

Large head rice, pinto beans, and navy beans, lb. 10c
 Pure granulated cane sugar, any amount, lb. 8c
 Irish potatoes, nice and firm, good cookers, 10 lbs. 30c
 Carnation milk, tall, 5 for. 55c; Small, 9 for. 55c
 Dried apples, nice and bright, 2 lbs. 35c
 No. 2 tomatoes, 2 cans 25c; No. 1 tomatoes, 3 cans 25c
 Oats, hominy, grits, Post Bran, Quaker corn meal, 2 for. 25c
 Large can kraut. 15c; No. 2 kraut, 3 cans for. 25c
 Lippincott, large size glass grape jelly, each. 25c
 Fresh bread, No. 2 hominy and Faultless Starch, 3 for 25c
 White Swan catchup 25c; White Swan cane syrup, qt. e
 White Swan Catchup. 25c
 White Swan Cane Syrup, quart. 30c
 Del Monte No. 3 large can Melba half peaches, each 30c
 Swift's Van Camp's and White Naphtha Soap, 6 bars 25c
 Seedless raisins and large juicy prunes, 2 lbs. 25c
 Baby beef stew, 5 lbs. 25c
AND OTHER REAL BARGAINS WAITING FOR YOU.
 Fresh Green Vegetables, Oranges, Apples, Bananas, Juicy Lemons and Texas Grape Fruit.
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BIBLE THOUGHT.
 Serve the Lord with gladness: come before his presence with singing.—Psalm 100:2.

INTERESTING TAX FIGURES.
 Aside from manufactured, mining and agricultural products, clothing, furniture, personal property, gold and silver bullion, the national wealth of the United States is fixed at \$240,719,000,000 by the internal revenue department. The total taxable income on their valuation is \$28,300,000,000, and 6,787,481 individuals and 382,883 corporations paid the government \$1,644,833,576 for the year 1922, about seven mills on the gross valuation. Personal exemption of \$17,649,416,000 were allowed. Over 55 per cent of this came from wages, salaries, commissions, bonuses and fees, and 21 per cent was from business, trade, farming, partnerships, real estate, stocks, bonds and other property.

Sixty seven individuals reported incomes of \$1,000,000 or over, and 202,838 reported incomes between \$10,000 and \$1,000,000.

Three per cent of the income taxpayers paid 81 per cent of all the taxes.

The per capita tax paid on personal incomes in New York state amounted to \$25.57, the highest; South Carolina was the lowest with 73 cents per capita. The average per capita net income was \$194.72. The average size of all incomes reported was \$3,143.46.

If we are to have better newspapers, better communities, better government, the coming generations of young people must be trained to demand them and appreciate them.

Illinois is the banner state for closing breweries. During the past two years 21 have been padlocked, and four have marshals on the premises.

The new ambassador from France says France will pay her debt to America, but the question is how it is to be paid. Preferential treatment for France will be asked on the ground that France sustained greater losses than other nations. Nothing is said, however, about the gains as a result of division of spoils.

There are now in the United States nearly 11,000 local co-operative building and loan societies with a membership of more than 7,000,000 and total assets of nearly \$4,000,000,000. These associations have made it possible for thousands of families to own their own homes and have largely contributed to the building boom.

Many Chicago churches have united in a demand for a "month's moratorium on scandal and crime" in the press of that city. Several of the leading churches have adopted resolutions denouncing the featuring of this class of news with its unwholesome pictures as the major course of much of the moral delinquency of the time.

Fashion, or the tailors, rather, have decreed bell-bottom, flappy-kneed trousers for men. This fashion is designed to consume another yard of cloth—the yard lost because of short skirts.

The purchasing power of the dollar compared to 1913, is 61.7, a decline of about one cent during January.

Chicago is experimenting with letters made of white tile set into asphalt paving for street signs as more durable than painted inscriptions.

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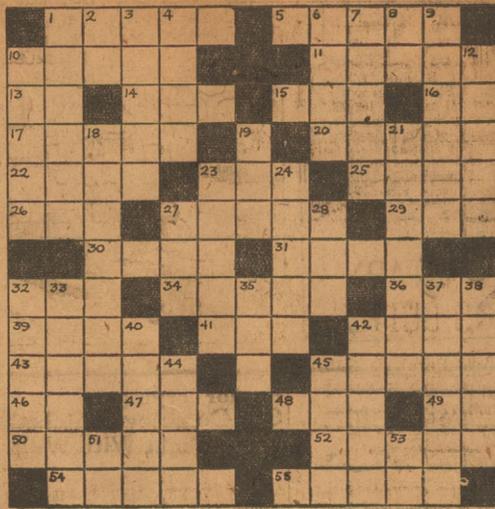


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BUY IT MADE IN RANGER

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Another definition for 1 vertical, known especially among the elite of crookdom, is what regular folk call jail. A term in jail, also is another way of defining 27 vertical. Now try it.

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| HORIZONTAL | 54. Flat circular plates. |
| 1. To provide food. | 55. An embalmer. |
| 2. H2O. | |
| 3. More painful. | VERTICAL |
| 4. Os (pl.). | 1. Icebox. |
| 5. Toward. | 2. Measure of area. |
| 6. To subsist (second person). | 3. Horses harnessed together (pl.). |
| 7. Groove. | 4. Sins. |
| 8. Point of compass. | 5. To border on. |
| 9. Steeps in aluminum compound. | 6. Carries. |
| 10. Lukewarm. | 7. Half an em. |
| 11. Obtains. | 8. To dwell. |
| 12. Steel rod in jail. | 9. Platform in theater. |
| 13. Carbonated drink containing ice cream. | 10. Kind of an automobile. |
| 14. Before. | 11. Implement. |
| 15. Exposes. | 12. Distant. |
| 16. Eleven minus one. | 13. Thick soup. |
| 17. A knot in wool fiber. | 14. Btndled. |
| 18. Fine powder contained in smoke. | 15. To change a setting in a ring. |
| 19. Almost a donkey. | 16. Chewed. |
| 20. Dogma. | 17. Drunkard. |
| 21. Tree with tough wood. | 18. Performer. |
| 22. Destruction. | 19. To arrange. |
| 23. Period. | 20. Fitted. |
| 24. Money changing premium. | 21. Wood peg. |
| 25. Angered. | 22. An incorrigible person. |
| 26. Smell. | 23. Inn. |
| 27. Preposition. | 24. Approaches. |
| 28. Diving bird. | 25. Performer. |
| 29. Witticism. | 26. Moderately dark. |
| 30. Direction between north pole and Europe. | 27. A few; any. |
| 31. Fifty-two weeks (pl.). | 28. Three-toed sloth. |
| 32. Edible fungus. | 29. Second note in scale. |

I have first year Kasch cottonseed, grown on my farm, for sale; re-cleaned, graded, sacked and delivered at your station, \$1.50 per bushel. F. W. Alexander, Albany, Texas.

The English University of Bristol has established the degree of bachelor of agriculture, conferred at the completion of a five-year course of study and practical farm work.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Having sold my interest in the Ranger Shoe Company, I am retiring from the retail shoe business and am opening a Cash and Carry Grocery Store on the corner of Austin and Walnut streets. In retiring I wish to thank my friends for the many courtesies shown me while in the shoe business, and I promise you the same faithful, honest service in the grocery business.

R. B. Stroud



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206 Main Street Ranger, Texas

BRAINS AND BRAUN GUIDE TO VICTORIES

(Continued from page one)
day and the program arranged for tomorrow:

9 a. m. Preliminaries in debate; boys teams at Baptist church, girls teams at First Christian church. Declamations: preliminaries for junior boys and girls, and senior boys and girls for town schools. Finals for junior boys for town and rural.

Spelling: All contestants at South Ward school.

Tennis: Boys singles, at courts of tennis club near Connellee park; girls singles, at courts of tennis club.

10 a. m. Extemporaneous speaking.
11 a. m. Arithmetic.
Noon. South Ward P. T. A. and West Ward P. T. A. served lunch at Connellee park.

1:30 p. m. Declamations; finals for junior girls for rural and town schools; senior boys and girls for rural schools, and senior girls for town schools. Preliminaries for finals in junior boys athletics:

- 50-yard dash.
- 100-yard dash.
- 440-yard relay.
- Running high jump.
- Running broad jump.
- Pull up (chinning bar).

7:30 p. m. Finals in boys debates, senior boys declamation, and girls debates.

Saturday
9 a. m. Preliminaries in track events, classes A and B:
120-yard high hurdles, 100-yard dash; 220-yard low hurdles; 440-yard dash; 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—120-yard high hurdles; 100-yard dash; 1-mile run; 220-yard low hurdles; 440-yard dash; 220-yard dash; 880-yard run; 1-mile relay.

Field—Pole vault; 12-pound shot put; discus throw; running high jump; running broad jump; javelin throw.

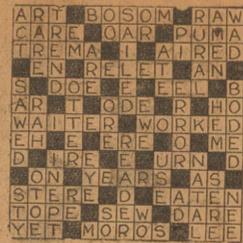
NOTICE!

Any person who has money in Peoples State Bank and needs cash at once, can sell their claims to me. Only a small discount charged. Will pay cash for claims.

J. N. McFatter
215 Walnut St. Ranger

HERE'S ANSWER

To Yesterday's Brain-Twister



EASTLAND COUNTY MODERN WOODMEN HOLD MEETING

The Eastland county camp of the Modern Woodmen of America held their regular meeting in Eastland Wednesday afternoon, which was well attended. At this meeting R. W. Smith of route 2, Eastland, was elected as a delegate to the meeting of the state camp, which will be held in Austin on May 6. Oscar Lyerla of Eastland, route 1, was elected as alternate.

R. W. Smith was chosen as permanent county chairman and W. W. Parker permanent county clerk. Eastland was chosen as the meeting place of the next county camp, which will be held in 1929.

R. H. HODGES
Candidate for Re-election
For Mayor
City Election, April 7, 1925

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

RAYMOND TEAL
Candidate for Re-election for 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

VOTE

for
J. F. CONNELL

Candidate for
FINANCE COMMISSIONER

UNSTEADY NERVES, WEAK MUSCLES KEEP WOMEN IRREGULAR

Now Proven That Catarrh of the Generative Organs Is the Cause of Nine Cases Out of Ten of So-Called "Female Trouble."

It is positively alarming to see the many girls and women who go through their daily work nowadays with little or no enthusiasm and pleasure in what they are doing. The reason for this is very plain when you talk to some of these unfortunate ones for just a minute. They invariably unfold a story of a condition which makes it impossible for them to enjoy the pleasures of home life or the society of their friends. It is equally astonishing to see the remarkable changes brought about in the condition of thin, frail, nervous women and girls by the consistent use of St. Joseph's G. F. P., the wonderful medicine which his being introduced here, and which is doing almost miraculous things for these victims of the dreaded malady—catarrh.

The business women and the school girl, as well as the housewife, find relief and renewed ambition by taking St. Joseph's G. F. P. Those painful, sick spells, which caused them to lose two or three days from business or school every month—confined to their bed or room with aching head, back or sides, nausea, cramping spells and nervousness, quickly disappear when they begin taking St. Joseph's G. F. P.

There is nothing to compare with the enthusiasm of those women and girls who are taking it. The wonderful improvement in their appearance, the return of their vitality and ambition, the joy and buoyancy they feel from the rich, red blood now pulsing through their veins and arteries, supplying the tissue with nourishment and the muscles and nerves with strength and steadiness, knows no bounds, and they literally force their friends to listen to them while they tell of the wonderful changes in their condition brought about by St. Joseph's G. F. P.

Women Now Depend on St. Joseph's G. F. P. To Restore Their Vitality

Prices Talk!

Look Our Prices Over and See Where Your Dollar Buys the Most.

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| 15 Lbs. Pure Cane Sugar, without any purchase. (One 15-lb. Bag to a Customer) | 90 ^c |
| 10 Lbs. Clean White Potatoes Saturday only | 25 ^c |
| 10 Lbs. Calumet Baking Powder | \$1.40 |
| 2-lb. Box Breakfast Cocoa for | 40 ^c |
| 20 Bars Van Camp's White Soap for | 85 ^c |
| 3 cans No. 2 Strawberries for | 45 ^c |
| 1 can No. 2 Argo Pineapple for | 25 ^c |

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| Baby Dairy Lee Milk | 5c |
| Large Dairy Lee Milk | 10c |
| Campbell's Pork and Beans | 11c |
| 1-2 Gallon Penick Syrup | 39c |
| Rumford Baking Powder (With a Biscuit Cutter and Cook Book) | 35c |

This Is Only a Few of Our Bargains.

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SMART STEPS



in Men's Shoes for Spring

First glimpses of Spring indicate that the men's style subject is much broader than in past seasons. White's shoe department is now ready to submit pre-summer styles for the correctly attired man.

Packard Shoes and Oxfords In Black and Tan Kid, Calf and Kangaroo, \$9, \$10.50 and \$11.50

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Hurry
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Men looking for a Dress Shoe or Work Shoe are fast depleting our stock of Nettleton Oxfords. Only a few pair left for the ridiculously low price of \$5.00.

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NOTICE

All members of B. P. O. E. No. 1373 requested to be present Friday night, April 3rd.

Installation of new officers and initiation work. Visiting Brothers welcome.

H. A. LOGSDON,
Exalted Ruler.
L. L. NEAL, Secretary.

LODGES

Stated convocation Ranger Chapter No. 594, Royal Arch Masons, Friday, April 3, 8 o'clock. All members requested to be present. Visiting R. A. Masons welcome.

A. F. HARTMAN, H. P.
C. F. UNDERWOOD, Sec.

FEMALE HELP

WANTED—Experienced saleslady for ready-to-wear department. Army Supply Co., Ranger.

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

SITUATIONS WANTED
YOUNG LADY wants to do general housework. Come to W. S. Armstrong's, one mile southeast of Merriam on route 2, Ranger.

SPECIAL NOTICES

FOR SERVICE—Chester White hog. See Bill Williams, 217 Hunt st., Ranger.

FOR AWNING phone 305, Ranger. BICYCLE AND FIXIT SHOP—Keys fitted and duplicated; talking machines and typewriters repaired. 204 So. Rusk st., Ranger. 209 So. Lamar st., Phone 94, Eastland.

AMES & RICHARDSON—Transfer trucks. Phone, business, 296, residence, 465. 104 S. Rusk, Ranger.

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.

HOUSES FOR RENT

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.

FOR RENT—Modern house, very close in on Pine street. Dr. Buchanan, Ranger.

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

TWO-ROOM APARTMENT, downstairs. Weir Rooms, Ranger.

WANTED

WANTED—To buy late model Ford roadster. W. H. Bryan, High school, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Household furniture and baby buggy. 902 Poch st., Ranger.

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

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—Four-room house with 10 acres of ground; one mile from town. O. V. Davenport, city hall, Ranger.

AUTOMOBILES

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

WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—Second-hand furniture. Weir Furniture Co., 218 Main at Phone 154, Ranger.

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

POULTRY AND PETS

STAR PARASITE REMOVER—A wonderful poultry remedy, given fowls in drinking water absolutely will rid them of lice, mites, fleas, bloodsuckers and all destructive insects; contains sulphur scientifically compounded with other health building ingredients; is a good tonic; nothing better for preventing disease; give fowls now, will get rid of insects before they destroy your young chickens. Stafford Drug Co., 212 Main st., Ranger.

FOR SALE—500 chick gas brooder, \$7.50, at Tiffin Grocery, Tiffin.

WILL BUY all the hens, fryers and eggs brought to us; we pay highest prices. The Jamesons, Ranger.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



EASTLAND CITY ELECTION PROMISES TO BE QUIET

John H. Harrison, O. P. Morris and G. G. Hazel are the only candidates for city commissioners have announced to date and it is understood that there will be no other candidates.

Hunt's Washington Letter

BY HARRY B. HUNT
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—Mention has been made in recent dispatches from here of a "Borah bloc" in the United States Senate. Just who the members of this bloc are, however, and by what characteristics they can be identified, have not been made plain.

The fact is, of course, that the term "Borah bloc" has been used simply as a handy tag to tie to the group of independently-minded Republicans who have declined to permit themselves to be bound by their party's caucus, and who claim the right to vote their own views on public questions regardless of what party "leaders" proclaim to be their duty.

To this number might, properly, be added those members recently ousted from G. O. P. party councils, on charges of irregularity. Borah was their champion in the hour of their chastisement. His insurgency is no less real, if more discreet, than was theirs. They will fight with him and for him, en bloc or independently, as occasion requires.

Whether properly labeled as "bloc" or not, and whether fairly grouped under a Borah banner, there no longer remains any doubt but that there is in the new Senate an insurgent group that can make itself felt effectively. This group has now been picturesquely named "the backbone of the Senate."

Before one qualifies for membership he must have proven the stiffness of his backbone by standing up, unwaveringly, under the load of public criticism, social ostracism and partisan abuse resulting from voting in the manner of opinion against his party's mandate.

Borah himself says there is a dearth of stiff backbones in Washington. Particularly in the Senate. "It is much easier in Washington," says Borah, "to go along than it is to disagree. If there is any atmosphere in God's world that weakens a man's backbone, it is the atmosphere of Washington."

PUBLIC NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF SHERRILL HARDWARE COMPANY WITH CONTINUANCE

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between J. M. Sherrill, H. P. Pentecost, and Guy B. Sherrill, was dissolved on the 26th 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 said J. M. Sherrill only, and under the firm name of "Sherrill Hardware Company. Witness our hands at Eastland, Texas, this 26th day of March, A. D. 1925. J. M. SHERRILL, GUY B. SHERRILL, H. P. PENTECOST.—Adv. March 29-April 3-10-17.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable 91st District court of Eastland county, Texas, on the 10th day of March, 1925, by Wilbourne B. Collie, clerk of said court, against Joe Reid for the sum of Seven Hundred Thirty-six and 42/100 (\$736.42) Dollars and costs of sale in cause No. 9255 in said court, styled The City of Eastland versus Joe Reid and placed in my hands for sale by R. W. Edwards, sheriff of Eastland county, Texas, did on the 10th day of March, 1925, levy on certain real estate situated in Eastland county, described as follows, to-wit:

Being situated in the town of Eastland, in Eastland county, and block E-2, beginning at the southeast corner of a tract conveyed by Mrs. L. A. Nesbett and others to J. D. Steg on the 18th day of November, 1918, deed records of Eastland county, Texas, thence west 115 feet to the southwest corner of said tract conveyed to Christa's thence north 25 feet to the north-west corner of said Christa's tract; thence west 115 feet to a stake for corner thence south 79 1/2 feet to a stake for corner; thence east 230 feet to the place of beginning, and being situated on the west side of Lamar street and being the same land described in a deed from E. J. Williams and wife to Joe Reid dated December 27, 1918, recorded in Vol. 171 at page 104 deed records of Eastland county, Texas, SAVE AND EXCEPT a tract of land 115 by 25 feet in dimensions conveyed to Jas. G. Christa as aforesaid by Joe Reid and wife, and on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1925, at the courthouse door of Eastland county, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell said real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said Joe Reid, by virtue of said levy and order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Ranger Daily Times, a newspaper published in Eastland county.

Witness my hand, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1925.

R. W. EDWARDS,
Sheriff Eastland County, Texas.
By E. E. WOOD, Deputy.
March 12-20-27-April 3

Rumor Trying to Get Dempsey Matched For Fight With Wills

By United Press.
NEW YORK, April 3.—Reports printed here today that Jack Dempsey and Harry Wills had been matched to meet here in September for the world's heavyweight championship, did not cause much excitement in boxing circles. Tex Rickard denied he knew anything about it. "I don't believe the match can be made now," he said. It was reported a wealthy syndicate had been organized to back the match and the terms have been tentatively accepted by Dempsey and Wills.

Jack Kearns, manager for Dempsey, and the manager for Wills said they knew nothing about it.

debt aggregating 2.3 the indebtedness represented in notes declared on; that his lien be decreed to be superior to any lien or claim of equity in favor of said C. O. Austin, as banking commissioner of Texas, but pray that said interest and claims be disposed of at trial that plaintiff have foreclosure of his said lien on the aggregate 2.3 interest of the said W. G. Grubbs and A. H. Bowers in said parcel of land as against all of the defendants; for order of sale with application of proceeds to payment of plaintiff's debt; for costs of suit and for general and special relief, legal and equitable.

Herrin fail but have you before said court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 18th day of March, A. D. 1925.
(Seal) WILBOURNE B. COLLIE,
Clerk, District Courts, Eastland County, Texas.
Mar. 20-27-Apr. 3-10.

Before sending in the nomination of John G. Sargent for attorney general, after the Senate had twice "sat on" the appointment of Charles B. Warren, President Coolidge took the precaution of ascertaining in advance what the attitude of the Senate toward the new appointee would be.

The president felt that Warren had been subjected to a most embarrassing, even humiliating, ordeal. His feeling in the matter was perhaps as much because of the position in which the double rejection placed Warren as because of the "hole" in which it placed him.

He hesitated, he told friends, to present another nomination and he made sure the new nominee would not be subjected to a similar ordeal.

Artesia, N. M., Oil Field Showing Up

ARTESIA, N. M., April 3.—Swabbing 160 barrels without being shot, the Rosewell No. 1 well of the New States Oil company, in the southwest quarter of section 7-18-28, appears to be one of the best producers in the field. This company's No. 2, the north offset is now drilling, and when completed both wells will be shot.

Pipe line runs show the Artesia pool to be making approximately 1000 barrels daily, coming from 16 wells, several of which have proved to be small pumps. That the big production has not as yet been obtained in this section is the belief of many operators, who will watch with interest the drilling of a deep test in the southwest trend, which according to reports will be located in Twp. 20, Rge. 31 E. This well, it is understood, will be drilled by Snowden & McSweeney, one of the largest and most successful of the independent producers. The location will be on a large structure, which has been carefully checked by geological departments of the big companies. The contract calls for a well 3200 feet.

In the proven area interest centers in the drilling in of the Majamar Oil company's No. 1, located in the SE corner of the SW 1-2 of section 28-18-28. This well, now drilling at 1855 feet, is north and east of the big Twin Lakes No. 2, the best producer in the field. Due east of this latter well the D. C. Cheesman No. 1 is checking with the logs of the Twin Lakes producers.

U GIRLS GO IN FOR VARIETY OF SPORTS

AUSTIN.—Interclass archery, tennis and swimming contests will feature the program of the college of physical activities for women at the University of Texas for the spring term. The contests will be held during May after final selection of class teams. First and second teams will be chosen in each sport, and every girl making a team will be given 100 points toward the "100" awarded by the woman's athletic association.

Notice to Depositors and Creditors

Notice is hereby given that the Peoples State Bank, Ranger, Texas, has been closed and is now in my hands for the purpose of liquidation.

All persons having claims against the Peoples State Bank, Ranger, Texas, must present such claims and make legal proof thereof on or before June 12, 1925.

ALL CLAIMS OF GUARANTEED DEPOSITORS MUST BE PRESENTED AND LEGAL PROOF THEREOF MADE NO LATER THAN JUNE 12TH, 1925.

ALL CLAIMS OF GUARANTEED DEPOSITORS PRESENTED AFTER JUNE 12, 1925, SHALL NOT BE ENTITLED TO PAYMENT OF ANY PORTION THEREOF OUT OF THE DEPOSITORS GUARANTY FUND.

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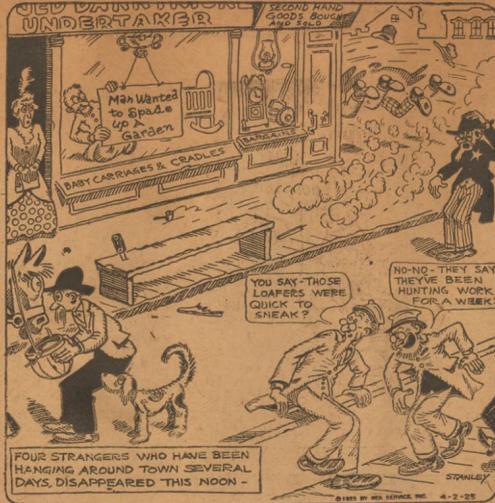
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By Stanley



FOUR STRANGERS WHO HAVE BEEN HANGING AROUND TOWN SEVERAL DAYS, DISAPPEARED THIS NOON -

Lynchings In South Are Becoming Fewer

ATLANTA, Ga.—Sentiment in the south is gradually turning against the supremacy of the mob and defiance of law in dealing with suspected criminals, especially negroes. In

1922 there were 58 lynchings, 28 in 1923 and only 16 last year, showing the results of efforts to put down mob violence. To date this year three lynchings have occurred, two at Greenwood, Miss., and the other, a burning at the stake, at Rocky Ford, Ga.

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By E. R. Waite, Secretary Shawnee, Okla., Board of Commerce.

That the best way to learn how to work for the home city is by experience. Try it; you will like it. That everybody has some brains. The best results come from work directed by brains. Use your brains. That brains and work are needed in the up-building of any city. That many cities have forces that are trying to tear down, and their evil work must be met with brains and work enough to destroy their evil influences. That many cities continue to permit radicals and demagogues to get away with their stuff. The citizens should not blame these preachers of false doctrines, but they should blame themselves for allowing it. That when this is allowed to go on to any great extent and the citizens don't use their brains and work, they won't have much of a city. That these teachers of untruths—these rule-or-ruin agitators should be fought with truth. That truth will always win; brains and work can't be beat. When the citizens know the truth as to what these radicals are trying to do to their city, it won't take them long to smite them and drive them out. (Copyright, 1925, by E. R. Waite.)

TWO TEACHERS IN THE ALAMEDA SCHOOL RESIGN

The county school board, composed of Briggs Owen, precinct No. 1, Eastland; W. E. Hagood, precinct No. 3, Okra; W. R. Usery, precinct No. 2, Carbon; G. W. Daniels, precinct No. 4, Cisco, and Lee Reid, Carbon, trustee-at-large, held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday in the offices of the county school superintendent. All members were present.

The board voted to accept the resignations of G. R. Timmonson and G. R. Witt as teachers of the Alameda school.

Saturday is school trustee election day for not only the independent school districts, but for the various rural districts as well. Two members of the county board to succeed Briggs Owen and Lee Reid, whose terms expire, are also to be elected Saturday.

IRION COUNTY YOUTH KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

SAN ANGELO, April 3.—Cecil Grimes, 20 years old, was killed instantly and Marion Grimes, his sister, sustained a fractured collar bone, when their automobile collided with another machine and overturned near Arden, Irion county, their home, Wednesday night. The crash came when a front wheel of the sedan struck the rear of a roadster, driven by Dick DeLong, which was passing it. Mr. DeLong, a San Angelo ranchman, and two companions of Cecil Grimes and his sister escaped uninjured.

Child-birth

Here is a wonderful message to all expectant mothers! When the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Stratton, Pa., says: "With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as all mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait until today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., Bk 46, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

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16-oz. jar American Maid Jelly 22c
1 gal. Brer Rabbit Syrup 90c
1 gal. Mary Jane Syrup 75c
1 gal. White Karo Syrup 70c
No. 2 Del Monte Apricots 18c
8 lbs. Swift Jewel Lard \$1.30
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All Soups, per can 10c
Armour's White Laundry Soap, bar 4c
11-oz. Heinz Baked Beans 11c
12 lbs. good White Potatoes 30c
Decker's Ham, whole or half, lb. 37c
1 lb. Decker's Sliced Bacon 40c
Armour's Veribest Jam, 1 lb. 25c
Mother's Oats 28c
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Jiffy-Jell, 6 boxes for 20c
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HOMER HILTON HURT BY FALL FROM LOADING RACK

Homer Hilton, an employe of the Arab Gasoline corporation, was slightly injured Thursday morning when he fell from a loading rack at

the company's plant. He was brought to town, had his injuries treated by a physician and then was taken to his home.

STEPHENS COUNTY SINGERS MEET SUNDAY AT PARKS

The Stephens county singing convention meets with the Parks camp class next Sunday. A splendid program that was arranged more than eight weeks ago will be rendered. Singers from Eastland and other counties are expected to attend.

TEXAS WOMAN ENJOYS MARKED DESTINATION

DALLAS.—First woman to attain the distinction of becoming an assistant United States district attorney in the southwest, Mrs. Sarah Cory Menezes of Dallas, is receiving congratulations on the honor she has brought to her sex.

Mrs. Menezes was recently appointed by the United States attorney general, on the recommendation of Henry Zweifel, of Fort Worth,

United States district attorney for the northern district of Texas. She succeeds Webster Atwell of Dallas, who has retired to enter private practice.

Mrs. Menezes is a practicing attorney in Dallas and is well known and popular in legal and business circles there. She studied law in the office of her father, C. E. Cory, of Fort Scott, Kan., at the law school of the University of Kansas, and in the offices of prominent Dallas attorneys. She has been a resident of Dallas since 1913, and was assistant district superintendent of the war risk insurance bureau in 1918.

Mrs. Menezes is a republican, married, and was very active in the campaign for Dr. Butte last year.

Eastland public schools. Miss Grove resigned on account of the illness of her mother.

1,000 School Boys To Compete April 20-21

COLLEGE STATION.—About 1000 high school boys will assemble at A. & M. college for the combined vocational agricultural day and the interscholastic track and field meet which will be held on April 20 and 21. The agricultural students will judge livestock, grain, shop work and poultry on the first day and on the second day will be eligible to enter the track meet.

At total of 18 trophy cups and four scholarships to A. & M. will be given in the agricultural contests and gold, silver and bronze medals will be given to first, second and third prize winners in the athletic events. All schools are eligible for competition.

MRS. GRIGG TO TEACH IN EASTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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