

THE WEATHER.  
West Texas—Tonight fair and  
colder, probably freezing in Pan-  
handle; Friday fair weather.

# RANGER DAILY TIMES

A Newspaper Of and For the People

RANGER, TEXAS, THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 2, 1925

Price Five Cents

No. 262

## CHANGES NAME LIKE COLLARS CHAPMAN SAYS

Mail Bandit Dodges Attempts  
To Learn Real Identity As  
Murder Trial Ends.

By United Press.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 2.—A heavy guard of police was thrown about the courthouse here today when Gerald Chapman went on the stand as his own witness in his trial for murder. Fears that gangs from the underworld would try to rescue him caused the guards to be placed.

Only a handful of the hundreds of persons who sought seats in the courtroom were permitted to enter and then the doors were closed to all except newspaper men and officers.

Gerald Chapman hardly changed expression at any time during the direct or cross-examination.

"Were you in a store in New Britain last October?" he was asked. "No, certainly not. I said I never was in New Britain in my life."

Almost at the first question Chapman became fantastic in his replies, but appeared quiet and unruffled.

The prosecution asked questions designed to establish Chapman's real identity, but Chapman avoided telling anything about himself.

"Why did you change your name so often?" asked the prosecution.

"Names mean nothing to me," replied Chapman. "I change them like I do my collars."

The defense closed at the conclusion of Chapman's testimony.

## SHEPHERD TO STAY IN JAIL

Second Appeal Fails to Gain  
Accused Liberty

By United Press.

CHICAGO, April 2.—William D. Shepherd, indicted for the murder of his millionaire ward, Billie McClintock, whose estate was largely bequeathed to him, today for the second time was denied bail. Judge Jacob Hopkins, before whom both the first and second appeals were argued, ruled Shepherd must remain in jail pending his trial, which has been set down for April 10.

The court's decision in refusing to free Shepherd on bail followed bitter debate between the state and defense.

## Welk's Hopes From Federal Court Gone

By United Press.

DALLAS, April 2.—The federal government has refused to interfere in behalf of Pete Welk, sentenced to die in the electric chair, Friday, in connection with the killing of Jailer Willis Champion in the Dallas jail. Federal Judge Meek today declined to consider a plea for a stay of execution because of alleged irregularities. He said it was a case for settlement by state authorities.

## ZINC MINE SWALLOWS OIL WELL EQUIPMENT

By United Press.

QUAWPAW, Okla., April 2.—A hungry zinc mine near here today was gradually swallowing a derrick, despite efforts of workmen. Not being satisfied with a \$7,000 meal of equipment, consisting of boiler, two tons of steel, two electric motors and other machinery, the cave-in was gobbling everything in sight.

A hole about 100 feet in diameter and 75 feet deep represents the mouth of the mine, due to a collapse of timbering in the mine. It is one of several owned by the Commonwealth company, controlled by E. R. McClelland and J. W. Perry of Kansas City.

### THE WEATHER.

West Texas—Tonight fair and colder, probably freezing in Panhandle; Friday fair weather.

## Late News Flashes From Everywhere

### FINDS HIS MOTHER.

By United Press.

SAN ANTONIO, April 2.—A sick boy has found his mother here after a night of anxiety following his arrival from Lake Charles, La. Through records at the Southern Pacific ticket office, Mrs. Jewell Harden, mother of Carl Collins, was located today, and is now with her son at the hospital.

### WOULD EXTEND ROAD.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The Fort Worth & Denver railroad today asked the interstate commerce commission for authority to extend its line from Fort Worth to Dallas by acquiring trackage rights of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad.

## Two of Mack's Stars



In Al Simmons and Bill Lamar, shown from left to right in above layout, Connie Mack of the Athletics figures he has two of the best outfielders in the American League. Both are dangerous batters and are being counted strongly upon to keep the Quakertown team in the race this season.

## SEEKS CELL TO TAKE HER LIFE

### Tennessee Woman Is Suicide In Houston Jail

By United Press.

HOUSTON, April 2.—Believed to be mentally deranged, Mrs. Joham Mix, 27, of Memphis, Tenn., hanged herself with a chair from one of the steel bunks in a cell in the city jail today. A letter in a suitcase she carried bore the name of Robert Daniels, Popular avenue, Memphis, Tenn.

She entered the jail of her own accord, declaring she was worried and wanted a cell to herself in which to sleep.

### DODGE PRICE RAISED.

By United Press.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The United Press has learned from authentic authorities that the price paid for the Dodge property was \$152,000,000.

## FUNERAL SERVICE FOR MRS. KING SATURDAY

By United Press.

KINGSVILLE, April 2.—Funeral services for Mrs. Henrietta King, pioneer Texan and owner of the great King ranch, who died late Tuesday at the age of 93, will be held in the ranch mansion, Santa Gertrudes, Saturday afternoon. Until Saturday the body will lie in state in the \$3,000,000 ranch home, surmounting the only hill on the vast domain of more than one million acres. Interment will be made in San Antonio, probably Monday.

## DRILLING 38 IN STEPHENS

### Fourteen New Wells to Start Within Ten Days.

BRECKENRIDGE, April 2.—Thirty-eight wells are now being drilled in Stephens county and new operations will start at 14 other locations within the next 10 days, according to the office of the state oil and gas supervisor here. Seven completions have been reported within the last week with flush production of about 600 barrels, the supervisor said.

Much activity is also reported in Shackelford county near the Hope well, about 30 miles west of here. The Hope well, the first drilled into the 1,000-foot sand in that field, is making about 4,100 barrels of oil daily. Leasing and drilling is very active all about the well. Delay in rainfall and lack of water is hampering drilling operations in Stephens and adjacent counties.

## Rotarians Name New Officers for Year; Plan Civic Activity

Bob Coyle was elected president of the Ranger Rotarians and S. P. Boone vice president at the club luncheon yesterday. Ab Pitcock was elected secretary and C. E. May chosen for treasurer. Raymond Teal, Fred Yonker and Dr. L. C. G. Buchanan were named directors.

Dr. L. C. G. Buchanan, retiring president, reviewed the work of the Rotarians during the last year, thanked the club members for the loyal aid they had given him and bespoke cooperation with President Coyle. Gus Coleman, retiring secretary, also spoke along the same lines.

Lewis Gregg, who will be one of the Ranger participants in the interscholastic oratorical contest at Eastland today, gave a declamation on "The Liberty Bell."

The Rotarians have taken over the direction of Hodges Oak park, West Main street, and plans for its improvement were discussed. The park is to be cleaned up, refenced, supplied with new play equipment, sand piles, benches, etc., and, so far as possible, made an attractive playground for the children.

### Police Seek El Pasoan

KANSAS CITY, April 2.—Dr. John B. Kelly, 37, dentist, was found dead today in a room at a Kansas City hotel, a chloroform-soaked blanket was found over his face.

Police began a search for Pat Henderson of El Paso, who enraged the room in which Kelly's body was found. Henderson and Kelly were army buddies, police said a letter in Kelly's pocket indicated.

## WINDS POSTPONE PROMISED RAINS

### Nearby Counties, However Got Light Precipitation

Rain threatened Eastland county late Wednesday afternoon and during the early part of the night, but the heavy clouds banked about the horizon and extending well overhead refused to turn the moisture loose and only a few drops managed to escape. A heavy wind from the south, at times almost a light gale, blew throughout the night, dying down as dawn approached. This morning hardly a cloud could be seen in the sky and the sun shone brightly.

Baylor, Haskell, Jones, Taylor and other counties in that area of West Texas reported a severe wind storm marked by a vivid electrical display, but very little rain. Severe hailstorms were reported in scattered sections. Showers were reported at several points, but the real rain area was further north.

Chillicothe and Tolbert reported small cloud bursts with about five inches of rain and heavy rain fell, too, at Wichita Falls. The rain clouds moved northward along the line of the Fort Worth & Denver, rain being reported at Electra, Vernon and beyond. Holliday, in Archer county, reported rain and slight precipitation was noted at Seymour, Stamford and Abilene. Due to the heavy wind, wires were down beyond Sweetwater and about Lubbock last night, but were being put into shape again today.

Ranger High Volley Ball Girls Defeat Eastland and Olden

Ranger High girls' volley ball team won their way into the county finals yesterday afternoon by defeating the Eastland High team at Eastland. The girls won the first three games by an easy margin. The team had previously defeated the Olden girls, county champions of last year, three games out of four.

The Ranger team has developed rapidly and should give any team in the county a good race for the championship.

The score:

Ranger—Ivy, 11 points; Hudson, Long; Stevens, 14; Lonsdale, 12; Bearden.

Olden—Weatherby, 14 points; Cribs; McMillan, 10; Norton; Hunt; Howell.

Total score: Ranger 54, Olden 26.

The girls will play in the county finals Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, at the Eastland county track meet.

Held for Burial of  
Live Infant, Indian  
Kills His Cell Mate

By United Press.

DURANGO, Colo., April 2.—Mormon Joe, aged medicine man of the Ute Indian tribe, faced second charge of murder today as the result of the slaying last night of Joseph Chavez, a Mexican jailmate.

Joe, held in the Cortez jail in connection with the burial alive of his 17-day-old granddaughter, wrenched a leg from a jail table and felled Chavez with one blow, after the latter had chided him for being a baby killer, according to inmates of the jail. Two other prisoners overpowered the enraged medicine man.

Plat May and Mormon Joe together face prosecution at the hands of the United States government for the burial alive of the baby.

Continuing, the letter says:

"Work for the new year has already started; there are, of course, many worth-while things that can and should be done, and the directors wish to bend their energies toward the accomplishment of such of these as its members think are most needed."

## Oil Men to Frolic At Cisco This Eve

Special Correspondence.

CISCO, April 2.—An informal reception in honor of the oil fraternity is to be held in this city at the Daniels hotel at 8:30 o'clock tonight. County fiddlers and a buck wing dancing contest will feature the entertainment. Dancing will follow.

The reception committee includes: Mrs. Grant Mason, Mrs. C. A. Gray, Mrs. R. Q. Lee, Mrs. J. E. Spencer, Mrs. J. T. Berry, Mrs. Charles Trammell, Mrs. G. C. Richardson, J. E. Spencer, Jack McMeans, Baron Elser, Curly Armstrong, Kid West, William Reagan and Charles Gray. The committee on arrangements includes N. F. Payne, C. J. Daniels and J. E. Morrison.

Greek Bandit Admits  
Shooting John Logan

By United Press.

ATHENS, Greece, April 2.—Leonidas Brelas, living in the village of Syntecno, has confessed to the police that he shot and fatally wounded John Logan of Gainesville, Ga., four weeks ago. He will be court-martialed.

Logan, a student of the American school in Athens, was shot by one of several bandits who attacked an automobile in which he and several other American students were riding.

Two new locations have been made on the Leon near the power plant, about two miles south of Olden. The rig is up on one and everything ready to spud in today. The other will have its rig up in a few days. Lewis Knox of Eastland has made one of the locations and the Dorothy Oil company, Frank Day, manager, has made the other.

R. S. Harris' No. 6 well at Olden, adjacent to the Rice well, came in this week at about 1500 feet and is now making close to 150 barrels daily on the pump.

Two new locations have been made on the Leon near the power plant, about two miles south of Olden. The rig is up on one and everything ready to spud in today. The other will have its rig up in a few days. Lewis Knox of Eastland has made one of the locations and the Dorothy Oil company, Frank Day, manager, has made the other.

Lillian Gish Scores

By United Press.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The suit of Charles Duell against Lillian Gish actress, to enforce a contract, today was dismissed by Federal Judge Mack. The court ordered Duell held for perjury.

## County's Educational Institutions Hardly Intrigue Men And Women Urged to Come Out As Candidates for Offices

### Cruel Officers Take Geraldine's Liquors

By United Press.

RUTLAND, Vt., April 2.—Search by custom officials of Geraldine Farrar's private car at Rufus Point, N. Y., yesterday resulted in the seizure of a quantity of liquor. Miss Farrar and her party were allowed to proceed and customs officials said today they knew of no prosecution having been started.

## PRISON REFORM MOST PEACEFUL

### Alleged Brutalities "Punished" With Pleasant Jobs

By United Press.

AUSTIN, April 2.—East Texas voters, in the hope of yet getting some action on proposed state prison cleanup, are circulating a petition demanding the dismissal of J. A. Herring, chairman of the prison commission, according to reports here.

So far the "severe punishment" meted out to prison heads and guards, for their alleged brutalities and mismanagement, has been that of shifting the men to other localities, where they may or may not be more popular with the public.

J. M. Morgan, manager of the Harlen farm, H. W. Rand, manager of the Shaw farm in Bowie county, are the two managers dropped by the prison commission.

R. E. MacAdams, manager of the Ferguson farm, has been transferred to the Harlen farm and G. C. Abernathy has been appointed manager of the Shaw farm. MacAdams was under fire during the recent legislative investigation into the affairs of the penitentiary system.

Another manager coming in for much criticism is for the manner in which he handled the tubercular convicts on the Wynne farm was N. T. Thornton. He was transferred to the Bassett Blakely farm exchanging places with Manager Buck Ross.

H. J. Jackson has been transferred to the Ferguson farm, succeeding MacAdams and Manager Granberry has been assigned to the Eastham farm.

The score:

Ranger—Ivy, 11 points; Hudson, Long; Stevens, 14; Lonsdale, 12; Bearden.

Olden—Weatherby, 14 points; Cribs; McMillan, 10; Norton; Hunt; Howell.

Total score: Ranger 54, Olden 26.

The girls will play in the county finals Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, at the Eastland county track meet.

## RANGER GOLFERS PAIRED FOR GAME

### All First Matches Must Be Played By Sunday

By United Press.

Ranger Country club golfers have been paired for their annual tournament, the pairings being according to flights based on the qualification results made last Sunday and the next three days of this week. The first eight in the scoring make up the first flight, the second eight the second flight, and the remainder, which happens to be 10, the third flight. Names of the players in each flight were placed in a hat and drawn by two to make the pairs, which are:

First flight: Charles Milliken vs. Dr. C. C. Craig.

K. R. Russell vs. D. O. Marshall.

E. D. Finney vs. J. M. Ralston.

**TIMES PUBLISHING CO., Inc.**  
Publishers  
211-13 Elm St., Ranger, Texas.  
**RANGER DAILY TIMES**  
**EASTLAND DAILY TELEGRAM.**

Walter Murray..... President  
O. D. Dillingham..... Vice President  
Chas. G. Norton..... Editor  
C. F. Underwood..... Circulation Mgr.  
Directors—O. D. Dillingham, M. R. Newham, Edw. R. Maher, J. L. Thompson, G. C. Barkley, Hall Walker, Walter Murray.

Telephone: 224  
Ranger ..... 224  
Eastland ..... 229  
Special Long Distance Connections

**MEMBER UNITED PRESS**  
**MEMBER ADVERTISING BUREAU**  
**TEXAS DAILY PRESS LEAGUE**

Published every afternoon (except Saturday and Sunday) and every Sunday morning.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Ranger, Texas, under act of March, 1879.

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.**  
Any erroneous reflection upon the character standing or reputation of any person, firms or corporations which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES.**  
Single copies ..... \$ .05  
One week by carrier ..... .20  
One month ..... .75  
Three months ..... 2.00  
Six months ..... 4.00  
One year ..... 7.50

## Society

AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER  
Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor  
Telephone 224

### FRIDAY EVENTS

XXth Century club meets at 2:30 o'clock at Chelson hotel.

### MRS. PALMER HOSTESS TO AD LIBITUM CLUB

Members of the Ad Libitum club were delightfully entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. C. Palmer. High score favor went to Mrs. Tolland and cut to Mrs. Coleman. Following the game delicious refreshments were served. Those present were, Mrs. J. R. Tolland, Mrs. D. L. Jameson, Mrs. Hall Walker, Mrs. G. P. Cobb, Mrs. J. A. Shackford, Mrs. Walter Murray, Mrs. C. F. Underwood and Mrs. Gus Coleman. Mrs. Shackford will be the next hostess.

**POST-EASTER REVIVAL AT CENTRAL BAPTIST**

Pastor A. L. Leake and Chairman A. K. Weir of Ranger Central Baptist church have issued the following announcement:

The post-Easter evangelistic meeting which we hope to make the greatest in our history will begin Sunday, April 19 (Sunday following Easter) and will continue three Sundays.

The services are to be conducted in a large tent, across the street from the city hall. Rev. I. L. Estes, evangelist, is among our best. He has led many of our stronger churches to great evangelistic victories and comes to us at the height of his powers as a preacher and evangelist.

Leo M. Underwood, director of the Texas Ranger band, will have charge of the singing, and Mrs. A. L. Leake will play the piano. In short, great leadership for our campaign is assured.

The deacons, in their meeting Tuesday night, pledged their united and unreserved co-operation. With such loyalty, co-operation and thorough preparation, we cannot fail to win great numbers to Christ and the church.

Oliver Goldsmith said this a long time ago and when the common run of men and women come to view "matters in this light there will be a deal more happiness afloat, and a greater measure of accomplishment will mark the broad meadows of human effort.

### BIBLE THOUGHT.

Be careful for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.—Philippians 4:6, 7.

### "STUMBLING ON TO ETERNITY"

"Our greatest glory is not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall."

Oliver Goldsmith said this a long time ago and when the common run of men and women come to view "matters in this light there will be a deal more happiness afloat, and a greater measure of accomplishment will mark the broad meadows of human effort.

For it is one of our first and foremost faults that we fear to fall, and, having this ever before us, we miss the paths that really lead to places worth while.

All this in spite of the fact—and we know it is a fact—that those who have reached the heights have got there covered with "bruises"—yes, even battered sometimes!

There is a sense of satisfaction in arising from a fall which cannot be measured in words—the worth of which to the right sort of person is practically boundless.

We are going to stumble and fall—that is certain, and it is not an especially pleasant thought. But it is a fact that will have to be met some one of these days; and, this being the case, the high part for you, and me is to think how fine it is to stand up again after the fall.

Sometimes it may seem easier to stay down. Sometimes the hurt is so great that it would seem impossible to rise. These are the very times we have the greatest need for rising. If we give in on such occasions, we shall do little better than crawl the rest of the way; and men must not crawl.

We must never forget that we are human. At the same time, we should always remember that we are capable of better things than we have done, no matter how clean is the record.

In politics, it is perhaps true, that the doing of right for the right's sake has not been looked upon as practicable by very many legislators, in the presence of opposing financial interests which profit by the present situation.

In municipal affairs and management truth is too often pigeonholed as a matter of diplomacy or policy.

In business transactions truth is too often looked upon as a non-essential.

In the field of religion loyalty to the faith of the fathers has stood in the way of real progress, resulting in more than 200 creeds and beliefs that keep the mighty Christian army divided into more or less hostile camps frequently fighting each other instead of following the redemptive truths advocated by the Master.

The president's appeal commands itself to Christian believers of every name as never before, for it is coming to be recognized that failure to trust in truth is the greatest mistake any man, any church, any nation can make.

"Do right for right's sake," properly inculcated in the minds of our youth would result in wonderful changes in every sphere of life after one generation.

Jerusalem is to have five new manufacturing plants, including a power station. A perfumery factory, a candy factory and an alcohol factory of about two tons per day.

## RANGER GOLFERS PAIRED FOR GAME

(Continued from page one)  
Harkrider.  
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.

Players need not wait for Sunday to play the tournament contests, but all the first matches must be played before the close of Sunday. If any player fails to show up to play he forfeits the game to his opponent.

Semi-finals and finals will be played in each flight and losers in the first round in each flight will be matched up for a consolation flight. Prizes will be awarded first and second winners in each flight, prizes for the runners-up in each flight and in the consolation play. Prizes will be given also in driving, putting and approaching contests and low ranger score. The tournament is to be completed by the close of Sunday, April 11.

### Ranger Delegation 25 Strong, Depart For Strawn Friday

Delegates from Ranger to Strawn, about 25 strong, will leave the Ranger Chamber of Commerce at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning to attend the district meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which opens in Strawn at 10 o'clock Friday morning. All who can go are asked to do so, and those lacking transportation will find cars at the Chamber of Commerce in which they may go. W. C. Hickey, W. W. Housewright, Walter Murray and Dr. L. C. G. Buchanan are expected to attend, each driving a car. Leo M. Underwood will be in the delegation and aid in the musical program. Several ladies are expected in the party.

The morning session will be held in the Cozy Corner theatre, with R. Q. Lee of Cisco presiding. Several bands will attend. A banquet will be served at noon in the basement of the Baptist church with R. A. Highsmith as toastmaster. Several interesting addresses are on the program.

C. C. Patterson, secretary of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, is desirous of getting a large delegation from Ranger out today. "Strawn always comes to celebrations in Ranger and Ranger should be well represented at the Strawn meeting tomorrow," he said.

In France the fire-starter is liable for damage caused by his carelessness. The fire-loss record in United States has more than doubled in the last ten years. If it doubled in the next ten years, the annual destruction by fire will aggregate over a billion dollars in money and the death of 30,000 persons. Unless we check our own carelessness, the law may have to check it for us.

**GAS ON STOMACH MADE MRS. COOK NVEROUS**

"For years I had gas on the stomach and was nervous. Adlerika has done more good than anything," said Lela Cook, ONE spoonful of Adlerika removes GAS and often brings surprising relief to the stomach.

Judge Mayo recently contributed \$500 to the law school for the purpose of buying a library pertaining to insurance problems. He is an ex-student of the university, having graduated in the class with Dean I. P. Hilderbrand in 1900.

Eastland.—Adv.

**Offers Prizes for Insurance Law Study**

AUSTIN.—Two cash prizes of \$100 and \$50 will be awarded to students of the University of Texas law school next session by Judge R. W. Mayo, of Dallas, for the best essays or papers on insurance. The first prize is open only to middle or senior law students, while the second prize is offered to any student of the law school.

Judge Mayo recently contributed \$500 to the law school for the purpose of buying a library pertaining to insurance problems. He is an ex-student of the university, having graduated in the class with Dean I. P. Hilderbrand in 1900.

Eastland.—Adv.

### Monday, March 30th, to Saturday, April 4th.

## Ford Display Week

On our floor you will find complete displays of all Ford Motor Cars, Trucks and Tractors.

OUR PARTS DEPARTMENT and Service Shop will be open so you can see how well we are equipped to give you expert service on your car at all times. We invite your inspection and hope to see you in our display rooms some time this week. For your convenience we will be open evenings until seven o'clock.

The doors of our business will be thrown open to our friends and customers. We want you to come and enjoy this week with us as our guests.

## BOHNING MOTOR COMPANY

Authorized Dealers

LINCOLN—FORD—FORDSON

East Main Street

Eastland

## CONNELLEE THEATRE TODAY AND TOMORROW



### JUST LIKE SATURDAY NIGHT, LET'S CLEANUP

#### Federation Calls on Music Clubs to Unite

"Have you given your dollar to the clean-up campaign?" That is the question C. E. May, chairman of the civics and sanitary committee of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, was asking today.

While each householder is expected to have his yard and alley cleaned and garbage piled where it may be easily reached to be hauled away, there is always an expense attached to cleaning up because wagons have to be hired and men must be employed to collect and haul off the piles of trash.

May, Thorpe and other members of the committee have been given much encouragement in their quest for the dollar contributions, but the money has not flowed in fast enough to meet the estimated expense next week, week, when the clean-up campaign will be on.

Trash is to be collected by the Ranger householders next Monday and Tuesday and placed in the wagons may get to it easily so as to haul it away Wednesday and the following days of the week.

A call for affiliation of junior and juvenile music clubs or groups has gone out from the Texas Federation of Music Clubs through its chairman, Mrs. H. E. Ferree of Fort Worth.

These groups comprise beside the junior and juvenile study clubs, school orchestras and glee clubs, choruses, violin choirs, classes of private teachers of voice and instruments, study classes in musicianship, church school music groups, history and research clubs, boys bands and church orchestras. In fact the opportunities are large and varied for a profitable connection with one of the fastest growing and most enjoyable and helpful organizations of the country.

The annual convention of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs, is to be held in Beaumont, April 29 to May 1, and all clubs not affiliated are urged to get on the list at once. Those affiliated are urged to send delegates if possible, also their own club pennant, and to learn to sing the new "America." This song can be secured from the publishers, Shattuck.

## MARY JANE'S MERRY JOURNEYS IN THE ENCHANTED FOREST



"I wouldn't have missed you for anything, Mary Jane."

**J**UST as though she had done it all her life, Mary Jane was floating gaily in a little boat across a wide sea in the Enchanted Forest. She heard a sharp whistle and looking around she saw the Fuligula Rufina paddling toward her. Mary Jane recognized him as the Whistling Duck. His red crest made a bright spot on the blue water and he flapped his many-hued wings in greeting.

"You shouldn't whistle at little girls," said Mary Jane, "because it's not good manners."

"Oh please excuse me Mary Jane," replied the red-crested whistler, "but I wouldn't have missed you for anything. I'm not allowed to fish in the Enchanted Forest and I'm dreadfully hungry. Please, have you anything nice to eat?"

Red-crest swam along beside Mary Jane's boat and looked at her so whimsical and she had to laugh. Then Mary Jane dipped

into her basket and brought out some nice raisin buns. She dipped pieces of these into MARY JANE SYRUP and tossed them to the friendly red-crest.

At each mouthful he whistled gleefully and swam around Mary Jane's boat looking for more. "Oh, what a wonderful flavor, Mary Jane. I love that syrup."

"MARY JANE SYRUP is the best thing you could ever eat, little whistler," said Mary Jane, "and you must always keep some on hand. Then when you want a snack, it will be ready for you. Besides it will keep you healthy and strong."

The Red-Crested Whistling Duck said he felt very much better already and to show it he towed Mary Jane's boat to the shore.

**WATCH FOR the next story about "Mary Jane Falls in Love with the Cigno Salvatore"**

**FREE** to all children, complete set of 20 NEW Mary Jane Fairy Tales, beautifully illustrated, sent free on receipt of one Mary Jane label taken from a can of Mary Jane Syrup. Write the Corn Products Refining Company, Dept. A, Argo, Ill.

### Don't Miss a Chance

to eat Mary Jane Syrup—for it contains a large percentage of important food elements which assure health and strength. And its rich flavor adds deliciousness to hot breads and cakes. Tell the grocer you want Mary Jane Syrup and he will give you the can with the picture of Mary Jane in a circle.

## MARY JANE the SYRUP with the delicious Sorghum Flavor



Mary Jane Cans are honest weight—contain full weight as label indicates.

tiner

Piano & Music company, Ar-

cade building, St. Louis, Mo.

The clubs sending delegates to the

bi-annual which will be held in Port-

land, Ore., in June, are sending their

delegates learn this same song which is

sure to be an inspirational feature of

the great meeting on the western coast.

## Lawyers' Directory

**SCOTT W. KEY**

Attorney At Law

Eastland, Texas

**SIGNS FOR EVERY PURPOSE**  
**CCADCO.**  
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**  
Jewelry and Music

**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</**

## COMMISSIONERS CHOOSE JURORS

Petit Venire Drawn for April 20 to May 18.

Following is a list of the persons chosen by the jury commissioners of the 91st district court to serve as petit jurors for the third, fifth and seventh weeks of the said court:

Third Week, April 20.

E. P. Mills, Ranger; H. C. Boschart, Ranger; O. S. Cole, Ranger; E. W. Hoffman, Ranger; George F. McCamey, Pioneer; E. B. Owen, Eastland; W. H. Phillips, Cisco; W. L. Foster, Pioneer; George Adams, Eastland; T. J. Murphy, Ranger; J. E. Hill, Carbon; Fred Finestone, Cisco; R. C. Durlinger, Cisco; M. T. Rodgers, Gorman; M. V. Herrington, Desdemona; J. O. Barker, Ranger; M. O. Hazard, Eastland; G. E. Gordon, Cisco; H. C. Maxwell, Okra; W. D. Milet, Cisco; J. C. Corsey, Rising Star; W. R. Winchell, Ranger; Lula Neal, Ranger; B. R. Floyd, Ranger; H. L. Cogg, Cisco; Herman Gorman, Carbon; J. B. Tomlinson, Rising Star;

A. H. Hall, Cisco; E. N. Malone, Cisco; L. C. Cash, Pioneer; J. C. Mason, Carbon; R. B. Minnus, Cisco; C. K. Martin, Rising Star; F. W. Bonham, Ranger; D. C. Beckman, Ranger; Dr. E. D. Potter, Desdemona; W. H. Melvin, Ranger; Ed Muller, Romney; R. L. Kirk, German; J. C. McClelland; B. E. Woods, Cisco; O. D. Brogdon, Gorman; J. A. Walker, Carbon; W. C. Mayhew, Cisco; F. C. Reiners, Cisco; J. W. Wallace, Cisco; W. L. Boyd, Cisco; E. M. Peck, Ranger; R. G. Guy, Cisco; Doss Maner, Nimrod; J. E. Putnam, Desdemona; M. H. Hagan, Ranger; S. L. Clarke, Rising Star; Dr. W. C. Kincaid, Eastland; J. E. Girvin, Eastland; Zed Kilborn, Cisco; U. F. Casey, Eastland; F. E. Watson, Carbon; C. P. Parsons, Ranger; M. W. Kall, Ranger; J. A. Copelen, Eastland; R. H. Green, Cisco; H. J. Mendenhall, Ranger; S. D. Bean, Cisco; L. E. Lewis, Ranger; C. W. Blacklock, Carbon; G. Weir, Ranger; N. F. Peck, Ranger; Ed Muller, Ranger; Jess Todd, Ranger; E. L. Bennett, Gorman; John W. Owen, Ranger; Cecil Prickett, Scranton; A. H. Williams, Ranger; G. W. Wilson, Desdemona.

Fifth Week, May 4

J. S. Van Geem, Eastland; J. T. Hawkins, Strawn; J. F. Johnson, Kan-

ger; Abra Huffman, Eastland; D. Alarcon, Cisco; H. L. Mitchell, Ranger; S. K. Mitchell, Carbon; E. M. Miller, Eastland; L. A. Amos, Ranger; C. E. Meade, Ranger; W. E. Pringle, E. E. Parker, Rising Star; George Mcleeks, Eastland; J. L. Cockrell, Ranger; J. C. Hall, Gorman; S. Tiffin; A. F. Erwin, Ranger; C. F. McClelland; B. E. Woods, Cisco; A. N. McBeth, Carbon; S. W. Bobo, Ranger; N. D. Gallegar, Desdemona; Jack Blair, Ranger; J. W. Ackers, Ranger; E. C. Ford, Cisco; J. E. Proctor, Tiffin; D. D. Wood, Gorman; R. H. Miller, Eastland; C. E. Collins, Cisco; D. E. Lewis, Desdemona; J. P. Blackwell, Nimrod; R. A. Griffin, Eastland; T. C. Cash, Cisco; W. L. Hall, Desdemona; J. T. Brown, Romney; F. A. Duncan, Earley; C. W. Atkins, Cisco; J. E. Walker, Nimrod; A. R. Howell, Pioneer; R. R. Lacy, Ranger; M. H. McCanlies, Cisco; R. O. Jacobs, Rising Star.

Abilene Will Stage Rabbit Meet April 8

ABILENE, April 1.—Dogs from Fort Worth, Dallas, Ranger, Miles, Electra, Lubbock and Comanche are expected to be entered in the rabbit meet, to be staged at the West Texas fair park here, April 8, according to Luther Blanton, manager of the meet. A 44-dog stage, divided into two classes, will be the feature of the meet.

### Pythian Home Annex Stone Ceremony Soon

WEATHERFORD, March 31.—

Laying of the cornerstone for the girl's dormitory, being erected at the Pythian home here, has been set for April 12.

William Madison Futch, past grand chancellor, will be master of ceremonies. Music will be furnished by the Pythian home mandolin orchestra. Addresses will be delivered by Hon. Charles E. Baughman, grand chancellor and Mrs. Ada B. Onion, supreme senior, Pythian sisters.

Representatives from many of the Pythian organizations over the state will be present.

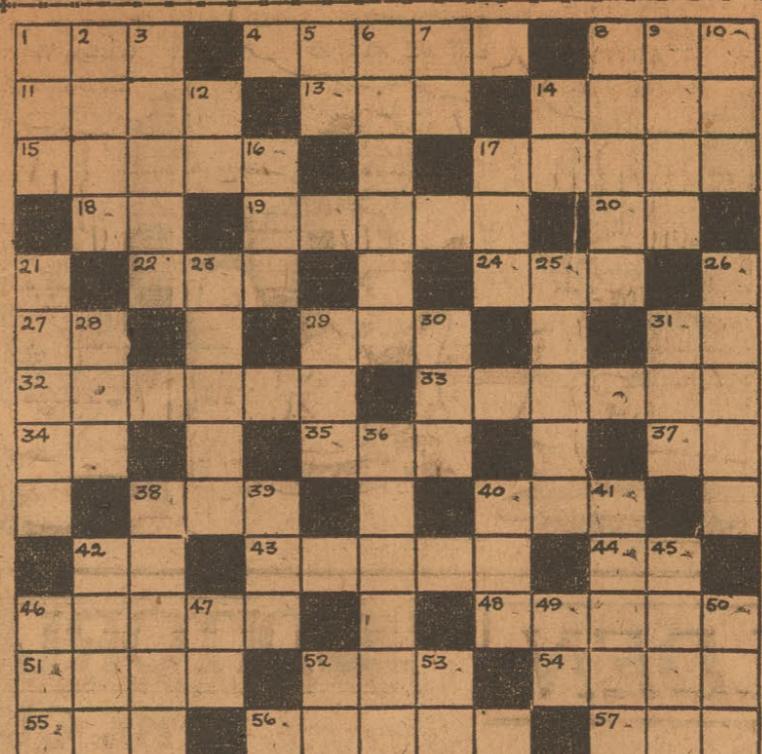
### BIGGER AND BETTER

Small Nephew: That dime you gave me slipped through a hole in my pocket.

Uncle: Well, here's another. Don't let it do the same.

Nephew: Perhaps half a dollar would be safer, wouldn't it uncle?

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



If you "go south" every winter, and recuperate from your summer sickness in the Florida sunshine, perhaps you may know 15 horizontal at a glance. It's a Florida tree of the elm family. If you aren't so fortunate, at least the word has no unkeyed letter!

### HORIZONTAL

- Science
- The breast.
- Uncooked.
- Concern.
- Instrument used in rowing.
- The cougar.
- Florida tree of the elm family.
- Ventilated.
- Halt an em.
- Rerent.
- Variation of word "a."
- Female deer.
- Snake-like fish.
- Measure of area.
- Lycie song.
- Hello.
- One who serves food.
- Laboried.
- Expression of inquiry.
- Before.
- Myself.
- Anger.
- Witcher.
- Upon.
- Fifty-two weeks (pl.).
- Like.
- Cubic meter.
- Devoured.
- Small shark.
- To unite by stitches of thread.
- To challenge.
- Nevertheless.
- Mohammedans in southern Philippines.
- Sheltered place.

### VERTICAL

- To perform.
- Uncommon.
- Inclination.
- Yellow Hawaiian bird.
- Moved through the water.
- Correlative of either.
- Pastoral.
- So shall be.
- Small jumps.
- Printer's measure.
- 3,416.
- Part of verb to be.
- Dined.
- To cut planks (past tense).
- Furry animal similar to beaver.
- Mistake.
- Augured.
- Hurrah.
- Metal in natural state.
- Female sheep.
- Edge of skirt.
- Lecturer.
- Unbecoming.
- Organ of sight.
- To employ.
- Native.
- Tribe of Indians.
- Dry.
- Inflamed boil on eyelid.
- Second note in scale.
- Paid publicity in print.
- Born.
- Therefore.
- Grief.

### LENEN SERVICE TONIGHT AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

There will be a Lenten service tonight at 7:30 o'clock at St. Mary's Episcopal church, Ranger, Rev. Frank H. Stedman will conduct this service and also the usual first Sunday service of holy communion on next Sun-

day at 11 o'clock.

Rev. M. Stedman will have the usual Friday night service in Eastland at St. John's church.

A line 171 miles long carrying heavy coal traffic will be the first railway in South Africa to be electrified.

## HERE'S ANSWER To Yesterday's Brain-Twister



### 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

### Want Ads Will Pay



## The Slippers for the Easter Frock



Whether you choose shoes from necessity, or a desire for "something new;" whether you are looking for walking shoes or more dressy styles—you'll be delighted, for every occasion and every costume finds smart complement in this Spring time collection of fashioned-favored footwear.

Distinctive step-in-pumps, exclusive new strap effects, in fact, all the very latest shoe styles are here in our ladies shoe shop.

### We Show the New Things First

## J. M. White & Co.

Get your discount in S. & H.  
Green Trading Stamps



## THEODORE FERGUSON

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT  
INCOME TAX SERVICE  
OIL DEPLETION

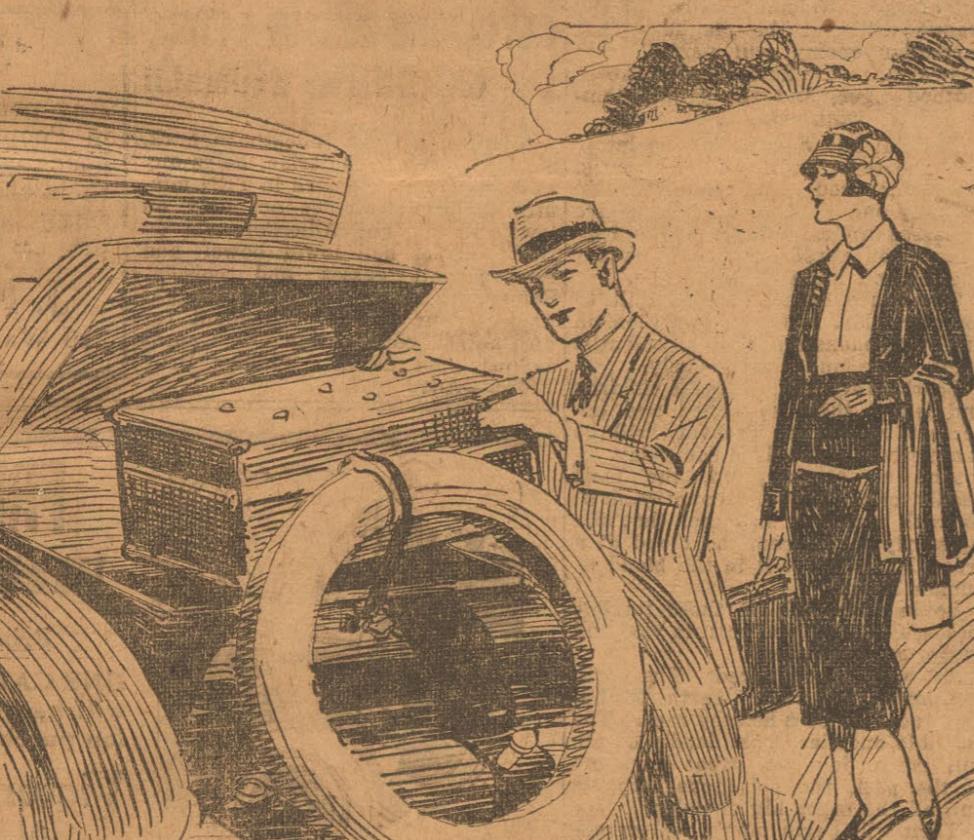
514 Texas State Bank Building EASTLAND, TEXAS

Fancy Pleating—Odorless Cleaning  
Dyeing—Alteration

Modern Dry Cleaners and Dyers  
Only Dry Cleaning Plant in Eastland

Phones 132-445

VACATION  
AND  
SUMMER



PLEASURE  
AND  
USED CARS

## ARE YOU PLANNING A TRIP THIS SPRING

## Oilbelt's Used Cars Solve the Problem

DON'T MAKE ANY FURTHER PLANS UNTIL YOU HAVE SEEN THE WONDERFUL VALUES WE NOW HAVE ON DISPLAY. WE WILL BE GLAD TO DEMONSTRATE TO YOU.

One demonstration will convince you of the reliability of our Used Cars and prove to you that our reputation is founded on a rock-bottom basis because of square dealing with the public.

## SATISFACTION FOR OUR CUSTOMERS

Our Used Cars Speak for Themselves. It Doesn't Require a Smooth Talking Salesman to Sell Them.

USED CAR  
DEPARTMENT  
Cherry, at Austin

# Oilbelt Motor Co.

USED CAR  
LOT  
MAIN, AT AUSTIN

## CONSTABLE INTERRUPTS SEASON'S BEST BATTLE

For more than a half-hour this morning after two combatants on Main street had been led away, the crowd stood around discussing the bout and apparently hoping the fighters would return. While the crowd waited, Justice of the Peace Ike Erwin received pleas of guilty from the warriors and collected \$1 and costs, total \$12.95 from each.

It was a real good fight while it lasted. Both men, in from the oil fields, were evenly matched and willing. They rather resented it when Constable Ted Hamilton interfered and invited them to accompany him to the justice's office. But Constable Hamilton wanted to get jurisdiction before Ranger police gathered in the fighters for the city and was so insistent that the battle ended before either fighter had hurt the other.

## San Antonian Gets Delayed Recognition

SAN ANTONIO, March 31.—Congressional recognition for gallantry in action more than 25 years ago has been made in the award of the distinguished service cross to First Lieutenant Solomon L. Jeffers, retired, San Antonio.

Jeffers was cited for exceptional bravery during an attack by American troops against the common enemy at Lucuan, Luzon, Jan. 25, 1900.

### O—LODGES

Stated convention of Ranger Lodge No. 457, Knights of Pythias, tonight at 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome.

F. L. KELLY, C. C.  
J. B. HISTER, K. R. S.

Stated convocation Ranger Chapter No. 394, Royal Arch Masons, Friday, April 3, 8 o'clock. All members requested to be present. Visiting R.

A. Masons welcome.  
A. Masons welcome.

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

### 3—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.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED

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

### 7—SPECIAL NOTICES

FOR AWNING virus, 305, Ranger.

BICYCLE AND FIXIT SHOP—Key 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.

### 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.

### 9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—5-room modern house, close in. Phone 278. O. D. Dillingham, Ranger.

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. In Pine street. Dr. Buchanan, Ranger.

### 11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

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

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

### 12—WANTED TO BUY

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

### SHACKS WANTED

Will buy your shack and warehouses, for the lumber and material; any size, anywhere. Address C. L. B. Box 222, Ranger.

WILL BUY your fat hogs and hams. J. B. Ames, Ranger.

### 43—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

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

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

15—HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Six-room house, furnished or unfurnished. 709 Spring road, Ranger.

### 16—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.

### 18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

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

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

### 22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE—500 chick gas brooder, \$7.50, at Tiff's Grocery, Tiff.

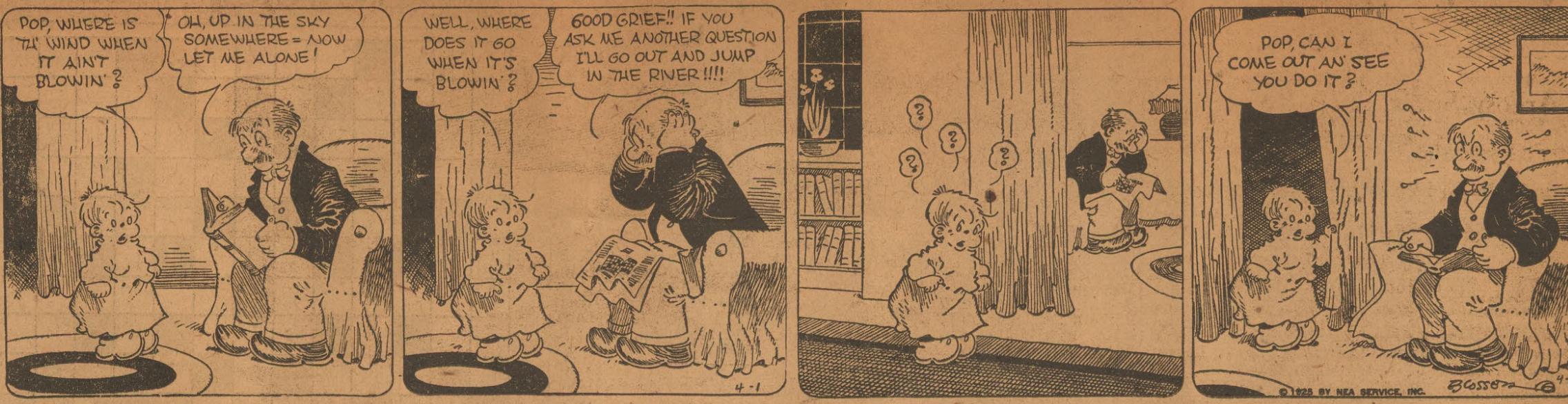
WILL BUY all the hens, fryers and eggs brought to us; we pay highest prices. The Jamesons, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Good fat cow. 508 Marchbank ave., Ranger.

STARTING MASH  
MAKE 'EM GROW  
**Abtex**  
THE GRAIN, BONE  
AND BUTTERMILK  
FEED.

K. C. JONES MILLING CO.  
PHONE 300

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



BY BLOSSER

## OLDEN

Special Correspondence.

OLDEN, April 2.—Contests in the fourth and fifth grades of Olden school resulted in victory for the "Live Wires" over "Liberty Lovers," and the "Overland" won over the "Willys-Knight." G. L. Russell led the spelling contests, while the Wild Cats led the Bears 6 to 5 in baseball.

C. B. Anderson and children of Sylvester were weekend guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. A. Norton and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lamb and children of Cisco visited their daughter, Mrs. John B. Wright, and family, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott and children of Carbon were Sunday guests of Mr. Scott's sister, Mrs. R. L. Speer, and family.

Ray Horner accompanied his sister, Mrs. J. W. Munn, and son, who have been visiting here the past few weeks, to their home at Burkhardt, Sunday. Ray will visit them a while.

The Olden High debaters for the interscholastic league met the Breckinridge High debaters in a debate at that place Saturday night. There were no judges present to declare the winners. The Olden girl debaters are Miss Frances Henderson and Virginia Cribbs, both tenth grade pupils. The boys are Herschel McMinn, a 15-year-old senior, and Garrett Cayce, a seventh grade pupil.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Taylor and children of Eastland were Olden visitors Sunday at the Wright home.

The new Methodist pastor, Rev. Loget, filled his first appointment here last Sunday.

Elder M. L. Vaughn of Abilene preacher at the Church of Christ Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ray will leave for Dallas Friday to attend the convention of Magnolia Petroleum superintendents.

Mrs. Taylor and daughter, Carrie and Miss Iona Lamb of Eastland visited at the J. B. Wright home Sunday.

The Olden junior volley ball girls played Eastland West Ward Tuesday, the Olden girls winning.

### IN DISTRICT COURT

Suits filed in district courts:

In re: liquidation Security State Bank & Trust company of Eastland. First National bank of Gorman vs. Mrs. George Ablon et al.

Dorothy Oil company vs. Welch Harvey Oil company, receiver, etc. Lily Baugh et al. vs. Charles B. Troxwell et al.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUG. 21, 1912, OF THE DAILY TIMES, PUBLISHED AT RANGER, TEXAS, FOR APRIL 1, 1925.

STATE OF TEXAS. County of Eastland. Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, Walter Murray, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Ranger Daily Times and that the following is the best of his knowledge and belief a true statement of his ownership, management (and if a daily paper), the circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication, for the date shown in the aforesaid statement, namely, the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 442, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form to wit:

That the names and addresses of publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Published: Walter Murray, Texas Daily News, Morris Lovell, Hal Thompson, G. C. May, E. M. Martin, John M. Grier, M. H. Hazaman, John Hassen, T. O. Bray, Mrs. G. H. Bohning, L. R. Pearson, T. F. Connell, Marvin K. Colle, L. H. Flewelling, S. M. McDonald, W. E. Terrell, Hotel, R. B. Stafford, Abe Davis, Perry L. Fox, Chas. G. Norton, Walter Murray, Terrell, Laudeale, G. H. Lovell, W. E. Terrell, O. S. Drish, George Ahl, all of Ranger, Texas; Joe Burkhardt, Eastland, Texas.

That the known bondholders, mortgagees and other security holders, or holders of 10 percent or more of the total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities are: (If there are none, so state.) None.

2. That the owners are: (Give name and address of individual owners, or, if a corporation, give its name and address of stockholders owning or holding 10 percent or more of the total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities.) None.

3. That the names and addresses of stockholders, managing and editorial and business managers, and security holders, if any, and the amount of stock held by each are: (If there are none, so state.) None.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, and the amount of stock held by each, are not true in that they as appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholders are not securities, appears upon the books of the company as the stockholders, or a fiduciary corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given: also that the said paragraphs contain statements embracing affairs of the company, true in that sense and conditions under which stockholders and security holders hold their stock, if any, and the capacity that they have to vote, if any, and the affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock or securities other than as so stated by him.

5. That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed through the mails or otherwise, to subscribers during the six months preceding the date shown above is 2,917. (This information is required from daily publications only.)

WALTER MURRAY, Publisher.

Sown to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April, 1925.

A. D. TRIE, Notary Public.

My commission expires 6-1-25.

## EDITORIAL CLUB NEWS HERALD-EXAMINER SOCIETY THE QUICK AND THE DEAD



Look carefully in the middle of the picture and you see the world's really great FIGHTER great CONQUEROR and great BENEFATOR. He is the scientist that fights disease. He represents the small intellectual minority that attack and destroy, one by one, the real and dangerous enemies of mankind. He and his works are unknown to nearly all the world that he serves. But all the world knows the generals, the "heroes," whose glory has consisted in leading men of one nation to kill the men of another nation. McCay's picture shows animals lying dead, great enemies already conquered, and the living animals that the scientist faces, some of them enemies yet to be killed off.

Ask any man able to read and write, "Who was Napoleon?" and you get a definite answer.

He was one of the world's three greatest generals, made himself Emperor of France, conquered nearly all of Europe and terrified England. But finally, conquered by his own insatiable ambition, he died at St. Helena.

EVERYBODY knows about Na-

polo.

young Jewish boy named Leonard beats another Jewish boy named Tender, doesn't matter to any intelligent human being.

"But every fight of the scientist shown in this picture is a fight important to the whole world and to all future ages on this earth.

"Tell your readers that the real champion of SCIENCE, and that the young man worth while follows the efforts, the struggles, the conquests of science, not the left hooks, upper-cuts, straight jabs of the prize-fighter, not the curved ball of the baseball man or the sliced ball of the golf player."

These Sunday cartoons are printed with the idea that fathers and mothers will use them in the education of children. Every boy and girl from seven years of age up should be interested in a short lecture on this cartoon. You should say to the children:

"This is a picture of the world's REALLY great battle. The man in the middle is the scientist, a doctor, a surgeon, the man who defends children and their fathers and mothers against their worst enemies."

Science is the man in the picture with his back turned toward the great enemies already conquered. He faces with determination and courage the enemies that still survive but that will be CONQUERED IN TIME.

Once upon a time man's enemies were different from what they are now. Our early ancestors feared the ENORMOUS animals, tigers, lions, mammoths, bears, that tore them with their teeth or crushed them underfoot.

With long spears he routed the Persian war elephants. He murdered his best friend when drunk, died when his life should have been just beginning its real usefulness. He set an example of shaving the face free of whiskers, forced millions to mourn the death of his favorite horse by shaving the manes and tails of their own horses and in other ways.

About Alexander, Caesar or Nelson or any of the world's great wholesale killers, ANYBODY can give you information. "But you will get little information if you ask 'Who was Robert Koch?'" the German scientist that discovered the bacillus of tuberculosis and of cholera, or if you inquire about any one or a dozen or a hundred other great scientists.

In wars among men, led by individuals that we call "heroes," one battle or victory more or less makes no difference.

Whether Sparta beat Athens or Athens beat Sparta is not important now, and it will be still less important ten thousand years from now.

Whether Greece beats Turkey or vice versa matters little. There will be other fights, many of them.

But in science a victory once made is VICTORY FOREVER.

When Roemer, a name certainly not familiar to the world in general, observed certain differences in the movements of the moons of Jupiter at different seasons and thus estimated the speed of light with amazing accuracy, only 14,000 miles per second in error, he gave to scientists knowledge that will be of use as long as man last.

When Harvey discovered and proved the circulation of the blood he benefited human beings forever. So it was when Jenner taught the world vaccination practically destroyed smallpox, at that time Europe's most dangerous enemy, and benefited human beings for all time.

That disease, still mysterious to us, has vanished. Science, preaching cleanliness, has accomplished that.

Yellow fever is another conquered monster. Its story is simple. You cannot get it unless you are bitten by a mosquito that has previously bitten a yellow fever victim.

Our army officers at Cuba, at Panama and elsewhere learned that it was only necessary to get rid of the mosquitoes by destroying their breeding places and that settled yellow fever.

Courageous scientists, exposing themselves to the disease and several of them dying of it, established the truth.

At this moment John D. Rockefeller, through his institute, deserves all honor for the fight that he is making against disease of a great scale, has undertaken to make yellow fever unknown ALL OVER THE</p

# SECRETS of the SARGASSO

Scientific Argosy Seeks Unexplored Fastnesses  
of "Sea of Missing Ships" to Plumb Mys-  
teries of Weed-Girt Tropic Waters

**I**t is very hot. The sea rolls sluggishly under a misty sky with a sun in it like a rotten orange. The surface of the water is patched and granulated in every direction with a mat of pallid green and yellow. There is no sound but the occasional wash of a wave beneath the weed and the hoarse cry of thousands of sea birds hovering and wheeling above.

In all the lonely circle of the horizon the Sargasso Sea stretches without sign of human life, unless it be the solitary hulk of a derelict, sunk to the water-line, which wallows almost invisible in its trappings of kelp and strange, snake-like marine plants, dotted with resounding gulls.

But far to the north a faint smudge of smoke appears against the sky, mounting and growing darker. The masts and funnel of a steamer come into view beneath it, and in an hour's time the ship is well above the horizon, ploughing her way stubbornly through the floating fields of vegetation.

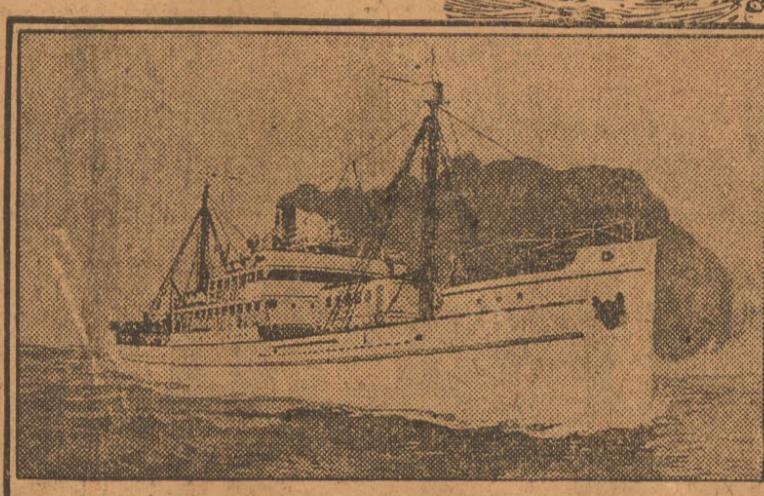
Clouds of chattering birds fly about her, raising their voices in angry vociferation at this invasion of their aged domain. A matress of weed trails thickly from her advancing stem, like an incongruous green moustache, and in the open water of her wake the sharp fins of sharks are sliding along, silent as pursuing wolves.

#### A Strange Craft

An unusual craft this, which has poked her blunt nose into this untraveled wilderness of the sea. Suspended over her fore-foot is a small platform, swung outboard from the cutwater, from which a man with a long-handled ladle is dipping and scooping beneath the surface. Right, left, right, left, he probes the still-untroubled waters as they advance. The spoils he deposits in tin pails ranged about his feet.

Lining the rail above him is a group of fourteen people who peer eagerly at the warm mistiness of the sea, talking in excited whispers. Except for them the ship seemed deserted, a small freighter preternaturally clean, with the name "Arcturus" gleaming in gold letters upon her bows.

But she is not an ordinary cargo-cadger. Most of the upper cabins are filled with scientific apparatus—microscopes, test tubes, charts, chemicals in bottles, books of reference, cases full of hand flashlights for night field work, all the impedimenta of a learned establishment. On deck are nets, reels of cable and wire rope, great steel scines and many small boats.



The S. S. "Arcturus," largest floating marine laboratory in the history of scientific exploration, which was fitted out by the New York Zoological Society to obtain complete data regarding the Sargasso Sea, one of the least-known portions of the earth's surface.

Below, along the sides of the ship, are fitted long rows of glass tanks electrically lighted.

A bell jingles and the craft loses way. The muffled thud of her screw ceases, and in the ensuing quiet the weed drifts slowly together again, hemming her in. With a metallic roar the anchor splash down and the chain cables leap out through the hawse-holes in brown blurs. For minutes they put out, then slacken. Rolling slightly, the ship heads up to the swell and floats inert.

#### A Drama of Science

So begins the first chapter in the romantic tale of scientific inquiry and exploration which will search out the secrets of the Sargasso Sea—the ninth expedition of the department of Tropical Research of the New York Zoological Society, under the leadership of the well-known naturalist, William Beebe.

Anchored here in the depths of the illimitable sea-meadows, working night and day upon a host of scientific problems, the party will gather first-hand information upon one of the least-known and most widely mis-

represented portions of the earth's surface.

Much has been written about the Sargasso Sea. Its time-honored appellation, "The Sea of Dead Ships," has captured the imagination of a veritable army of writers who, never having been there themselves, have permitted their fancy to run riot among the clustering weed and the hot, currentless waters.

#### Sargasso Superstitions

There are weird tales of ships caught in the Sargasso Sea and unable to get out, found centuries later with the skeletons of all their crew lying in the tatters of their garments, victims of starvation and thirst. There are alluring stories of Spanish treasure galleons floating with all their gold in the deepest fastnesses of the weed. These have been highly colored romances based upon the idea of strange kingdoms in the secret depths of the suds, great collections of derelicts peopled by lost men, ruled by fierce-eyed, hairy sailors.

Such is the Sargasso Sea of fiction. In actuality it is vastly different. As

a result of the circulation of ocean currents about a certain spot in the North Atlantic a thick accumulation of floating seaweed and other vegetation has formed there, as floats form in the back waters of running streams. This spot, generally northeast of the West Indies, is roughly bounded by the latitudes 25 to 30 North and the longitudes 33 to 60

West.

#### A Little Known Field

But of the actual teeming life which swarms in and about, above and below this matting of twisted plant growth all too little scientific data are available. From the zoological point of view the Sargasso Sea and the depths beneath it are almost virgin territory. It is this field which the Arcturus and her little company of students have come to explore.

The sun sinks to the west, plunging

into the sea with a red flare and a burst of streamers across the sky. Almost at once the tropical darkness descends. Huge stars spring out in a sky like black velvet, pulsing and blue white. The dark waters alongside are lit with a greenish glow.

Aboard the Arcturus there is a bustle of preparation. Hurrying figures pass and repass before the lighted ports; there is a creak of blocks and a gleam of flashlights as davits are swung out and the small boats prepared. Oars thump in rowlocks, and parallel whorls of phosphorescence mark their progress away from the ship.

#### The Flashlight's Lure

At a little distance they pause. The flashlight's wink and creep upon the weed or glister on the heaving swells. Nets are dipped and emptied, bringing up strange small creatures and

shark's belly sliding past. The great are taken, and hundreds of feet of motion-picture film. Vast quantities of notes are made; bookfuls of data accumulated. Special care is observed to set aside a series of specimens, well preserved, to be used in the submarine Sargasso Sea section which will be installed at the Museum of Natural History in New York.

Almost at the surface, but now the shark comes with silent rush, turning over as it nears. The man, crouched, with one hand clutching a ringbolt, lunges at the close white smear. The weapon strikes, torn from his hand, and he emerges

shark's belly sliding past. The great

are taken, and hundreds of feet of motion-picture film. Vast quantities of notes are made; bookfuls of data accumulated. Special care is observed to set aside a series of specimens, well preserved, to be used in the submarine Sargasso Sea section which will be installed at the Museum of Natural History in New York.

And when all is completed the Arcturus noses her way out of the weed and sets a homeward course, bearing with her a priceless treasure trove of new knowledge and discovery.

The shark attacks.

## "IN-BETWEEN-TIME" PASTRY

Marion Jane Parker, assistant director of home economics of the Calumet Baking Powder company, gives the following "in-between-time" desserts:

With the passing of winter and

F. E. LANGSTON  
Barber Shop for Service

We are the oldest shop in the city and try to be the best. Try us. Near the Depot—Ranger.

our desire for heavy heating foods, such as hearty pies, plum puddings, fat meats and hearty vegetables, our tastes demand the fresh greens, fresh vegetables and fruits as they make their appearance in the markets.

### Apricot Delight.

$\frac{3}{4}$  cup canned apricots  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  cups cake crumbs  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  cup hot water  
2 tablespoons butter.  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  cup apricot syrup.

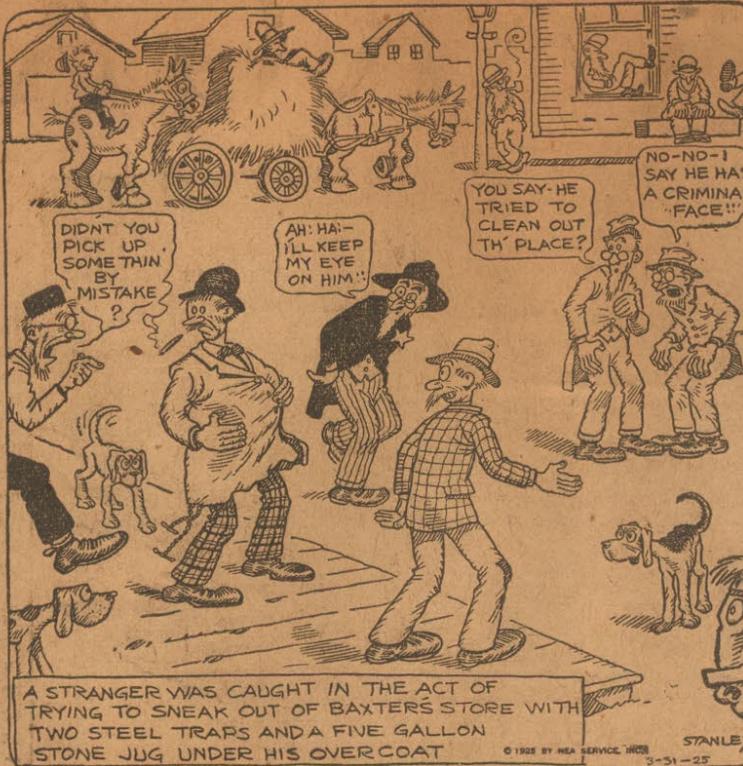
Mix the sliced apricots with the cake crumbs. Pour into a greased baking-dish and dot with the butter. Add the syrup and water and cook from 25 to 35 minutes. Serve plain or with hot syrup from the apricots.

### Chocolate Roll.

5 egg yolks  
5 tablespoons powdered sugar  
5 teaspoons cocoa  
1 tablespoon cornstarch

## THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



A STRANGER WAS CAUGHT IN THE ACT OF TRYING TO SNEAK OUT OF BAXTER'S STORE WITH TWO STEEL TRAPS AND A FIVE GALLON STONE JUG UNDER HIS OVERCOAT

© 1925 BY HER SERVICE INC.

3-31-25



Farmer Jones on biscuits or hot cakes. Here's real, country sorghum with the old fashioned flavor.

It is from that famous district in Kansas, conceded by test to produce the Nation's best Sorghum. You've never tasted any other syrup quite like it.

For Cooking, it is the ideal syrup. Where ever the recipe calls for molasses or syrup, use Farmer Jones.

Ask your grocer for the genuine. Buy it in No. 5 or No. 10 pails for economy.



FT. SCOTT SORGHUM CO.  
1000 NORTH 17th Street  
Cincinnati, Ohio  
Please send me free of charge, postage prepaid,  
sample Farmer Jones Sorghum and free Cook Book.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
My Grocer's Name \_\_\_\_\_

FREE  
Sample Can  
and Valuable  
Cook Book.

This coupon below, fill out and mail to us and we will send you the sample and receive FREE Postpaid, Library of Farmer Jones Sorghum and Cook Book.

Send to  
Farmer Jones  
Sorghum Co.,  
Waples-Platter Grocer Co.,  
Distributor

Quality  
First

The Boston Store  
a Joseph  
THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER  
PHONE 50  
RANGER, TEXAS

Courtesy  
Always

ALL ORDERS  
FILLED ON  
RETURN MAIL  
P. O. DRAWER 7  
PHONE 50



Buy Your Easter Hat This Week  
and Secure a New Hat Box  
Free

In addition to the many other good things now being offered by this store and especially the unequaled values in Ready-Trimmmed Hats for Easter, we offer free of charge for the remaining days of the week your choice of any color or size Hat Case now on display in our window with the purchase of a Hat.

The Hat Must Be Valued at \$8.50 or More

These Boxes are constructed out of good material and finished exactly as high priced leather boxes, beautifully decorated, and will last for years.

Call and see this wonderful collection of Easter Hats, and remember the Box costs you nothing if you purchase your Hat now.

The Newest, Smartest Styles in Laird Schober Pumps Now Being Shown.  
Also Hosiery to Match.

## LEGIONNAIRES PLAN MINSTREL

Carl Barnes Post, 100 Strong, Seeks Added Members

Dr. H. A. Logsdon, commander, presided at a well attended meeting of the Ranger Carl Barnes post of the American Legion last night, at which a report was made that the second floor of the Ranger city hall building, which the city has contracted to turn over to the post for its permanent quarters, would be ready to take over about May 1. Plans for its remodeling have been made and

the legionnaires expect to do much of the work themselves.

Abe Shaw and Dick Elliott reported plans for a minstrel show early in May, which the post approved. They were instructed to select a cast and get ready for rehearsals. Comrades Craig, Clark, Wasaff, Heister, Harman, Underwood and Peacock being named as a committee to assist them. Underwood promised a quartet that will be a record breaker.

W. C. Hickey reported the membership of the post had gone above the one hundred mark. Commander Logsdon expressed his approval, but said that was only about one-half the number of members the post should have and instructed that the committee continue its work.

Comrade Franklin was reported recovering after an operation for appendicitis.

Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

## EASIEST TERMS IN TEXAS

First Payment as Low as

\$100—Balance Easy

Immediate Delivery Any Model,

Any Place, Any Time.

WRITE, WIRE OR PHONE

Complete Battery Repairing and

Recharging Department Now in

Operation.

Leveille-Maher

MOTOR CO.

Phone 217

Kirschbaum Clothes—"Lower the Cost of Dressing Well"

100% All Virgin Wool Fabrics!

That's what you will get in  
the new, stylish

# Kirschbaum Clothes

Note that we don't merely say all-wool. We say all virgin wool. There's a world of difference, and you'll profit by knowing the difference. All-wool is an overworked term, and too often it is applied to "shoddy" or reworked woolens—wool that has been used in cloth before. Usually it's a poor-serving article, unreliable and short-lived. But all virgin wool means 100 per cent pure wool—wool that has not been tampered with before it was made into fine, sturdy, long-lasting fabrics.

You'll get all virgin wool fabrics in the fine new Kirschbaum Spring suits—along with superb style and skillful tailoring, at moderate prices that hardly seem possible for so much quality.

Kirschbaum Suits here, none over \$45

SEE NEW SHOES IN WINDOW

Joseph Dry Goods Co.

"Ranger's Foremost Department Store"

WE FILL  
MAIL  
ORDERS

## Disease Germs Thrive and Multiply

In Soiled Clothes and Floor Coverings

Science, the medical profession, microscopists—all prove beyond doubt that dirty, soiled and grime laden clothes and floor coverings are most fertile breeding places for disease germs. A danger oft unrealized, yet should be noted and forestalled. Germs thrive quicker under certain conditions—in soiled clothes, for instance.

Children going to school are particularly apt to come in contact with other children bearing disease germs; these are rapidly communicated to the clothes of many an innocent one; the child falls sick; sometimes succumbs. Cause is often a mystery, yet if one knew the sickness in many cases could be traced to germs in clothes.

Genuine "Master" Cleaning Destroys Every Disease Germ, Absolutely

The modern "Master Cleaner's" process of cleansing garments and floor coverings DESTROYS all trace of disease germs ABSOLUTELY. Germs simply cannot survive this cleaning process. Yet, the wearables come out beautifully and perfectly cleansed; not a thread broken. This is the sort of cleaning work you should HAVE and insist upon.

Send us your clothes every once in a while. They'll wear better if cleaned every so often, to say nothing of your immunity to disease, as far as disease caused by clothes germs is concerned. It's the cheapest sort of health insurance. A doctor bill usually amounts to MORE than a half dozen garment cleaning jobs.

## Ranger Dry Cleaning Plant

PHONE 452

122 SO. AUSTIN STREET

Your  
Guarantee



Of Master  
Service

Mrs. Tucker's  
Shortening  
America's finest  
cooking fat