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

Prayer: The law of the Lord is perfect converting the soul. Help heart; then it will perfect us.

ROMAN EMPERORS AND AMERICAN WORKMEN.

Architecture for comfort and convenience has progressed more rapidly in this nation than in any other. The poorer American home generally has its bath tub, electric lights, gas or electric water heater and telephone. A great percentage of the homes have in addition, gas or electricity for cooking; the house is wired to plug in a vacuum cleaner in every room; the dining room is provided with fixtures to operate an electric coffee pot, waffle iron, toaster or other convenience for table use. In the washroom will be the electric washing machine, the electric and gas operated ironing machine and probably an electric clothes drying outfit. In the kitchen will be the electric dishwasher and the electric refrigerator. This latter article is just coming into more general use and in conjunction with the laundry equipment will be the greatest money and labor savers for the housewife that has yet been devised.

The gas furnace controlled automatically and lit by an electric push button, has made the old days of wood chopping largely a thing of the past. For comfort, the electric fan keeps a breeze going and for beauty and utility the modern electric light and fixtures transform a house of gloom into one of cheer and hominess. Electricity plays an important part in milady's toilet and does work which many hand-maidens would have been unable to accomplish in the days of the Roman emperors. The "electric servant" does work in the American home for a few dollars a month which could not be accomplished in any other manner by numerous servants at a hundred times that price.

The home with the interconnected telephone to the different rooms, saves countless steps for its occupants. While Egyptian tombs are being opened to dig out relics of monarchs of past ages, it is interesting to note that they contain no conveniences to compare with those which the common laborer in the United States can enjoy today.

We have read about the Roman baths and seen pictures of big fat Romans walking down into them, but it is pretty safe to say that they were a chilly proposition alongside of the American bathroom with its instantaneous hot water heater ready for use at any hour of the day or night. Incidentally, the truck driver or millionaire of today can have the same type of bathroom equipment at a modest cost, but only a Roman emperor could enjoy the "pleasure" of a Roman bath.—Industrial News.

EVERY TAX REDUCTION HELPS.

About 9,000,000 persons make income tax returns. But 100,000,000 more Americans help make the money the 9,000,000 pay. None escape the tax. The government spends \$10,000,000 a day. The people have to earn that money and pay it to the government. If federal economy causes a saving of \$1,000,000 a day, the money saved will not be piled up to make a treasury surplus, but left in the hands of the people. Unfortunately, to a large extent, national government economies are offset by local government extravagances or bad management. But the fact that there is saving anywhere is cause for rejoicing. A cut in the income tax at least will save money to help pay local taxes—until they also may be reduced.—The Manufacturer.

Society

AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER

Mrs. R. B. Campbell, Editor
Telephone 224

TUESDAY.

Tuesday Bridge club meets with Mrs. John Moyer, in Cisco, at 2:30 p. m.
Public library open from 9 to 11 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m.

A SON IS BORN.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Houghton of 1120 Foch street are rejoicing over the arrival of a seven and one-half pound son, who was born at 4 o'clock this morning. His name is James Allen Houghton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Coombs spent Sunday in Fort Worth attending the Fort Worth-Waco ball game in the afternoon.

J. A. Hillis Sr. has returned from a two months trip to South Carolina. Mrs. Frances Carroll of Fort Worth spent Sunday in Ranger, the guest of Miss Estelle Davenport.

Mrs. O. S. Driskill and children have returned from a 10 days visit to relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Charles G. Norton, who has been summering in Portland, Me., writes that she expects to return to Ranger between Oct. 1 and 15. She states that the weather is already quite cool and with the prospect of the high-priced coal, on account of the anthracite coal strike, she does not care to take any chances on a coalless New England winter. Mrs. Norton will resume her music classes on her return.

John D. McRae, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McRae, who has been in California for the past year, has returned to Ranger, and has accepted a position in the office of the Gulf-ahorn Motor company. He was accompanied by his wife.

Mrs. Harold Whitbeck, formerly of Ranger, but recently of Dallas, after spending several weeks here, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Dutton, has gone to Okmulgee, Okla., where she joined her husband, who has recently gone in business at that place.

Mrs. B. A. Tunnell has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. E. Crawford in Fort Worth.

Mrs. G. D. McClellan and small daughter of 223 North Commerce street, left today for New York city where they will spend several weeks visiting Mrs. McClellan's brother and other relatives.

Misses June and Katie Pearl Stenton of Coleman are visiting their sister, Mrs. O. S. Driskill of Ranger heights.

Mrs. Barton Durrett, who has been the guest of Mrs. Jimmie Ward for the past few days, was called to Stephenville on account of the serious illness of her brother-in-law. She may return to Ranger later to complete her interrupted visit.

Mrs. Walter Brabaney and daughter, Miss Helen, are expected home from California the latter part of the week. Mrs. Brabaney and Miss Helen spent the major part of their time in San Francisco with Mrs. Brabaney's mother, but the past few weeks have been spent with Mrs. Harvey Benton, formerly of Ranger, but now of Los Angeles, and they also visited the Ed Maher family at Long Beach.

Miss Margaret Butler has returned to her home in Sweetwater after a 10 days visit to her sister, Mrs. J. E. Hartnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hartnett of Weatherford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Con Hartnett yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hartnett and daughter, Esther, of Weatherford, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milliken.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders Gregg and children are expected to arrive home today from their summer trip east.

Mrs. King and children motored over from Breckenridge yesterday for a short visit to Mrs. King's sister, Mrs. A. N. Harkrider.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Moake of Weatherford returned home today after a short visit to Mrs. Moake's sister, Mrs. E. M. Glazner.

Mrs. Mabel Lewis left today for Fort Worth for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. R. B. Craft.

ATTEND ANNUAL FAMILY REUNION.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. A. Cox, son, Glenn Cox, and daughter, Miss Fannie Lois, have returned from the annual family reunion of the Cox family, held at the old home place, near Comanche Friday, Saturday and Sunday. This reunion brings a number of the Cox family each year back to the old homestead, where the aged father still lives and where all of the four sons and two daughters were reared. Each day dinners were served picnic style in a park in front of the old home, and among the many things prepared for the three days' feasting was a large beef, and the garden and orchards furnished fresh vegetables and fruits. There were 39 members of the family present, including four generations of the Cox family. In the evenings a large number of friends and neighbors assisted in the family celebration. They will meet the last Thursday and Friday of August next year, at the same place.

SELECTING JURORS FOR TRIAL OF JOE BROWN

DALLAS, Aug. 31.—Only three jurors had been tentatively selected at noon today to hear the trial of Joe Brown of Haskell, Okla. Brown is charged with murder in connection with the slaying of Charles Swinney. The state will demand a state penalty and will be met with a plea of self defense.

New South Wales pensions all widows one pound per week—about \$4.86. The Australian government gives the mother of every baby born five pounds, and the gift is not refused even by the well-to-do.

OUT OUR WAY



TEXAS CONVICT ROLL IS SHOWING STEADY DECLINE

By United Press.
AUSTIN, Aug. 31.—The population of the state prisons decreased 90 during August, according to the official report made to the governor by the prison commission, there now being 3,505 convicts on hand. There has been a steady decrease in prison population since June 1.

By United Press.
AUSTIN, Aug. 31.—Four conditional pardons were granted today by Governor Ferguson, and one full pardon extended 60 days. Pardons granted in August totaled 47, compared with 141 in July. Proclamations, including all classes of mercy to date totaled 859, including 529 pardons.

ITALIAN SUBMARINE MISSING FOLLOWING SHAM WARFARE

By United Press.
ROME, Aug. 21.—The Italian submarine Sebastiano Veniero, with 55 officers and crew aboard, has been missing three days, and it was announced at the navy department today that an extensive search for her was being made.

The submarine participated in the recent naval sham warfare and was reported last off Cape Tassero. The appearance of oil on the waters there gave rise to rumors that she had floundered.

STRIBLING AND EAST TEXAS SLUGGER TO BOX TONIGHT

By United Press.
DALLAS, Aug. 31.—W. L. "Young" Stribling will show his wares in a scheduled ten-round bout tonight with Peck Warren, East Texas slugger. Stribling spent the last several days in training here after an overland trip.

CHILDRESS.—The Hays Lumber company of Cotton Valley, La., have established headquarters in Childress for the South Plains territory. Construction will begin immediately on the yards and the approximate cost will be \$5,000. G. G. Cleary will have charge of the office.

Foreman of Orchestra Must Keep His Eye on Player of Brass Horn

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 31.—A reflection of the general interest in the Bowl concerts is the publication in the official program of an appreciation from Montague Glass in his "Potash and Perlmutter" style. In this humorous, Abe Potash declares, "Twenty thousand people sat there in that Bowl absolutely without so much as one person hiccoughing even, so interested they was. For fifteen minutes then Hollywood people sat absolute silent, and I can tell you this, Mawruss; anything which makes cancer need for fifteen minutes without so much as once mentioning the cinema or California is more than a symphony. It's a miracle!"

Mr. Glass also paraphrased a legend that is told of a famous New York theatrical producer who happened into a rehearsal of a musical play at a point where the flute player found several measures' rest in his score. The magnate then remonstrated with the flutist saying, "I pay you for playing not loafing—you play!" In Mr. Glass' version of the story he has Potash declaring that he would be particular whom he hired as the "foreman" of a symphony orchestra. Abe continues: "Last night, for instance, I kept my eyes on that foreman every minute of the time, and I've got to admit that he worked hard. But even so, Mawruss, he didn't keep none of them operators which was employed

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BY WILLIAMS

LEGIONNAIRES OF RANGER TO BE AT MEETING

Ranger will be well represented at the annual state convention of the Texas department of the American Legion in Fort Worth, Sept. 1, 2 and 3, as is almost the entire membership of the Carl Barnes post plan to be present.

Five delegates from the Ranger post will represent Ranger in the convention business sessions during the three-day gathering. All legionnaires from Ranger who intend to go by rail are urged to get in touch with Post Adjutant Jimmie Tolland, as he has certificates sent to the Ranger post entitling bearers to a reduced round trip rate. While a majority of the Ranger members are going by automobile, a sufficient number will make the trip via train to cause them to take advantage of the reduced rate provided by the railroads for legionnaires going to the convention.

Delegates from the Carl Barnes post of Ranger who will represent Ranger are W. C. Hickey, M. N. Starr, B. H. Peacock, C. C. Caylor, and C. C. Patterson. Alternates are Dr. H. A. Logsdon, Jimmie Tolland, Dick Elliott, Abe Shaw and Julius Krause.

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there busy only a fraction of the concert. I was watching particularly one of the hands which was running a big brass horn that must have weighed anyhow half a ton, and did that feller loaf on the job? If the "foreman" took his eyes off of him for as much as a second, y'understand, right away he puts down his machine and sits there like he would have paid his fifty cents to watch the other players work. But just so soon as the foreman gives him a dirty look, y'understand, he gets just so busy as any of the other employees."

HOUSTON, Aug. 31.—Six-year-old Dorothy Jones was drowned yesterday when she slipped and struck her head on a cement pier at Hot Wells, falling unconscious into the water. None saw her fall and she was not missed from the picnic party until 30 minutes later.

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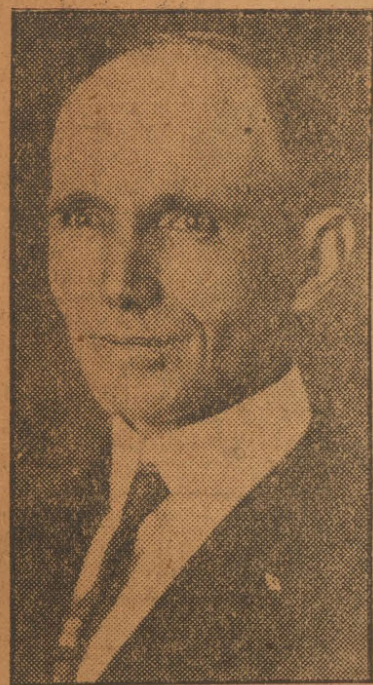
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Winners and Answers in Ranger Times Picture Contest

First prize won by Miss Mabel Knight; second prize won by Mrs. J. E. Demmer; third prize won by Miss Marguerite Adamson. Honorable Mention: Mrs. S. P. Boon, Miss Nona Mae Jones, Mrs. F. D. Farquhar. Judges: Sanford J. Dean, F. A. Brown, E. A. Ringold.

STATEMENT FROM JUDGES: "We conscientiously judged each and every entry without partiality or prejudice. Decisions were based on correctness, neatness and cleverness in make-up."



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TEXAS U COACH PICKS BAYLOR BEARS TO WIN

Stewart Discusses Prospects of Southwest Conference Football Teams

AUSTIN, Aug. 31.—In 1924 Coach Stewart of the University of Texas predicted that Baylor would win the southwestern championship in football, and that the championship in basketball would be fought out between Oklahoma A. & M. and Arkansas. Since his prediction was borne out by results a statement from him should prove interesting.

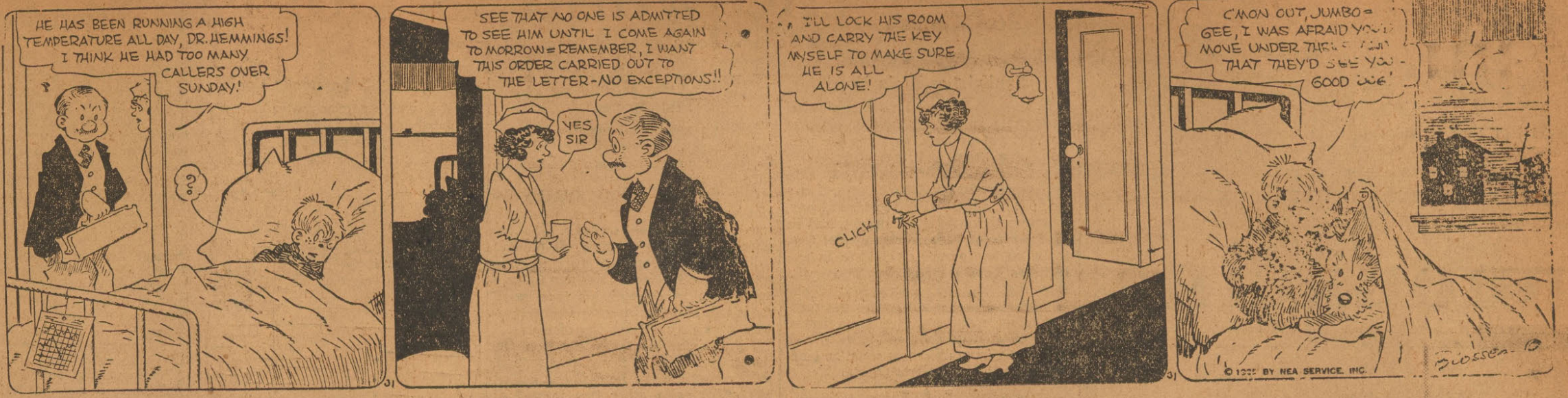
Coach Stewart again picks Baylor for conference champion. He says: "Baylor should win 'hands down' because Coach Bridges has a veteran team. Baylor loses two or three players of the 1924 team, but to replace these men Buddy Johnson, Kelly, and a few others from the cubs of 1924 will more than take their place.

"There will be many schools out for second place with A. & M., S. M. U., Rice, and Texas all having a chance. It is my opinion that A. & M. has the least injured through loss of veteran players, and therefore, their chances for capturing second place are probably slightly better than that of the other teams. Coach Bible will have all of his regular backs of 1924 plus some very promising freshmen, which should insure him offensive strength. Since Coach Bible is famed for his defensive team, and his line material is of the best, A. & M. will probably combine offensive and defensive strength for the first time in several years. Coaches Bible and Rothgeb form a combination hard to beat by any team in the country.

"S. M. U. will be more or less of a puzzle until the first few games have been played. It is my opinion that the loss of men like Bedford, Reisor, Stallenworth, and Henry will be severely felt.

"Rice, with the veteran Coach Reisman, will always be a dangerous factor. Coach Bedenk developed a wonderful line at Rice last year, and the Rice team in 1925 will probably be 25 per cent stronger than that pro-

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duced during Coach Heisman's first year. "With all due respect to T. C. U. and her promising material for 1925, and with fine respect for the ability of Coach Bell, I can not see that T. C. U. will be any more than a dangerous contender. T. C. U. is still too young, and the enrollment is too small to make her a consistent threat at the championship. Her record in 1924 was remarkable in that no team administered a decisive defeat, and yet T. C. U. did not have strength to crash over any strong team.

"At Texas we have a prospect of a better team than in 1924. It will be a team composed of freshmen from the 1924 team with three or four veterans left from the ravages of graduation. Green teams are prone to be erratic, one day winning a game from the strongest team on the schedule, and the next week losing to an inferior team. Consistency in victory comes from experience as well as strength."

RANGER MAGNOLIAS DEFEAT WEST TEXAS ALL-STARS

Ranger Magnolias again demonstrated their superiority over the All-Stars team of West Texas when they took the All-Stars into camp with a 9 to 0 trimming Sunday afternoon, making the second straight win over that team.

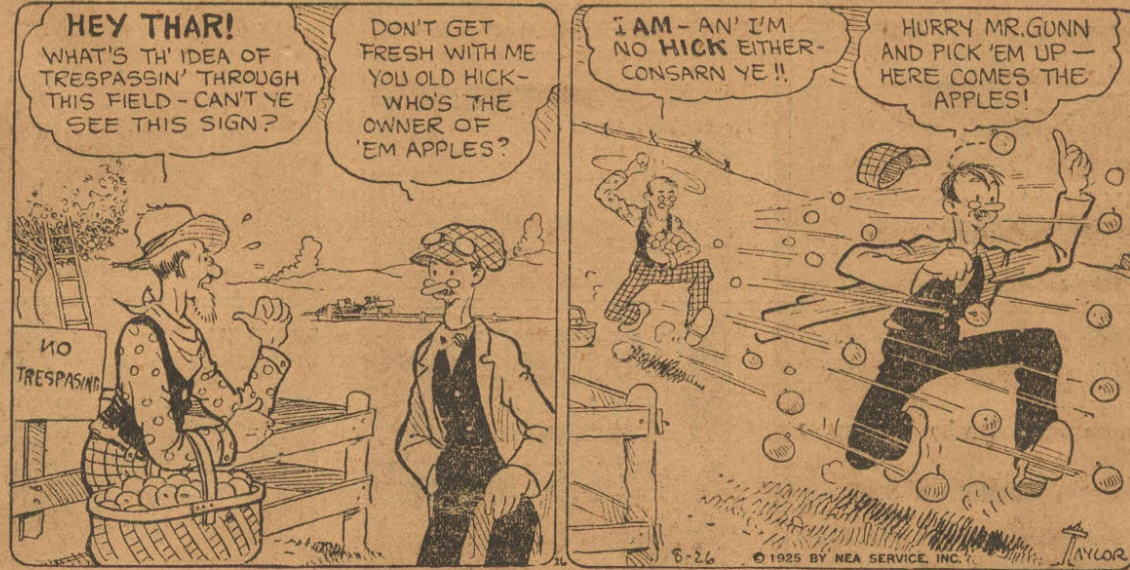
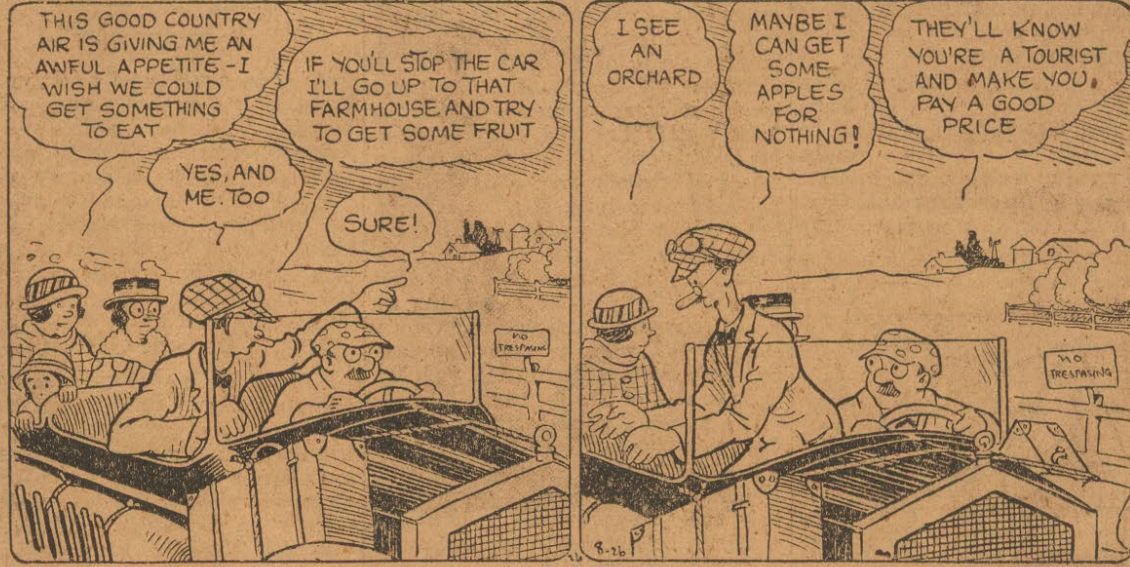
The game was a riot of hits and misplays, the final inning seeing Ox Rainey, Magnolia first baseman, pitching; Dean, regular third baseman, catching, and the bat boy playing third base. This combination held the All-Stars to three up and three down in that inning, not a man reaching first base.

Blankenship hurled masterly ball for eight innings, allowing only a few scattered hits and Bast pitching for the All-Star was pounded freely for nine runs.

BRECKENRIDGE DEFEATS EASTLAND, SCORE 14 TO 1

Breckenridge defeated Eastland by a score of 14 to 1 in a baseball game on the former's field Sunday afternoon. A number of fans from Eastland were present and witnessed the Eastland team get it "poured on"

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Baseball Results

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Standing of the Teams:

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	43	17	.717
Dallas	39	20	.661
Wichita Falls	36	24	.600
San Antonio	32	26	.552
Houston	28	32	.467
Waco	24	36	.414
Shreveport	24	35	.407
Beaumont	12	48	.200

Yesterday's Results.

Waco 14, Fort Worth 10.
Beaumont 13-6, Shreveport 1-4.
San Antonio 12, Wichita Falls 7.
Dallas 8, Houston 1.

Today's Schedule.

Fort Worth at Waco.
Dallas at Houston.
Wichita Falls at San Antonio.
Shreveport at Beaumont.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams:

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington	79	45	.637
Philadelphia	74	47	.612
Chicago	68	58	.540
St. Louis	66	59	.528
Detroit	64	60	.516
Cleveland	60	68	.469
New York	50	72	.410
Boston	38	88	.302

Yesterday's Results.

Cleveland 2, Boston 1.
Washington 9, Chicago 6.
Detroit 7, Philadelphia 4.
St. Louis 7, New York 6.

Today's Schedule.

Open date.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams:

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	76	46	.623
New York	73	57	.562
Cincinnati	65	58	.528
Brooklyn	61	63	.492
St. Louis	60	68	.469
Chicago	56	70	.439
Philadelphia	54	69	.438
Boston	55	72	.433

Yesterday's Results.

New York 3-0, St. Louis 1-8.
Brooklyn 4-10, Cincinnati 3-8.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, rain.
Only games scheduled.

Today's Schedule.

St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Boston.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.

Eastland Gun Club Preparing for Its Labor Day Shoot

The Eastland gun club is making preparations for their annual shoot, which will be held Labor Day. A splendid program has been arranged and a number of valuable prizes will be offered. This club is said to be one of the most active organizations in the state and has a large membership.

EVERETT TRUE



BY TAYLOR

Boxers Planning Interesting Bouts In Ranger Stadium

Plenty of action is promised for the weekly American Legion fite nite, Tuesday, Sept. 1. Roy Reed and Tommy Storie, the principals, are completing a hard training grind that should leave them both in tip-top condition. Those who saw them in their last encounter agree that they are most aggressive and determined men. Each is hopeful of marking a win to erase the previous draw, with the winner getting a chance to meet the high-class Mexican boxer next week.

Al DeLouis, whose managerial troubles caused him to box here last week under the name of Phil Rosenberg, will more than have his hands full when he meets the ever-ready, clever, hard-hitting Johnny Rivers, who gave away 15 pounds and held the popular Billy Nolan even in their meeting here a few weeks back. Johnny, the Fort Worth Mexican, who weighs but 118, figures if he can hold the lightweights even, he will upset the dope with the best looking bantam in these parts, Al DeLouis. This bout is a main event in itself. Jimmy Lewis, who lost by the margin of a clean knockdown to DeLouis last Tuesday, wants the winner at any terms. This bantam-weight bout will be for six rounds.

Another six-round special bout will be between two of the best welterweights in the south when Jack Ercanbrack of Houston, who made the hard-hitting Irish McFaddin take to tall timber last Tuesday night, meets one of the best punchers in the entire south in Dickie Green of Dallas. The winner of this bout has been promised a main event at an early date.

Bobby Burns, matchmaker for the Legion, states there will be several additional preliminaries to round out this card.

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EASTLAND FOOTBALL SQUAD PROVIDED WITH NEW SUITS

Suits were handed out this morning by Coach Vernon Adams to the members of the Eastland football squad and the players will have their first workout this season this afternoon at Connellee park.

Send in Your Want Ads

LIBERTY THEATRE
TODAY—TOMORROW
Constance Talmadge
in
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Laughs and roars and thrills galore come so fast you will yell for more
OH! CUPID— DO YOUR STUFF—!
FOX NEWS AND COMEDY

CONNELLE THEATRE TODAY MONDAY
THOMAS MEIGHAN
"OLD HOME WEEK"
SUGGESTED BY GEORGE ADE'S STORY WITH LILA LEE
A Paramount Picture
Illustration of a parade with floats and people.

J. A. HILLIS SR. HEARS OF SISTER'S DEATH

J. A. Hillis Sr., of Ranger, received a message yesterday that his sister, Mrs. Frank Bennesiel, of Coffeyville, Kan., was dead. He left at once for her home. Mr. Hillis stopped for a visit with his sister on his recent trip east, only leaving her a week ago.

Unhappily unexpected. Mr. Hillis has many friends in Ranger who extend sympathy.

BIG SPRING.—The Big Spring Veterinary hospital is the name of the latest institution for this city. Dr. O. E. Wolfe, surgeon, is now having a building erected which will be occupied by this institution. The building will be a stucco structure, 24x40 feet and modernly equipped throughout.

What the World Is Doing

(As Seen by Popular Mechanics Magazine)

Sunlight as Brain Food

In addition to their beneficial physical effects, the rays of natural or artificial sunlight are declared to serve the purpose of a brain food, according to Sir Henry Gauvain, a British surgeon. Proper exposure to sunshine, he says, if carried out in a rational and instructed way, increases the intellectual output, and he offers as proof, comparative mental tests made on two groups of children in two different London hospitals. Those who were receiving special treatment at one institution where sun exposure was regularly given, manifested such great mental superiority over another group not so treated that the difference could be credited only to the sunlight effect.

Attractive Wren House

Of all the wren houses one bird lover has made during the last 20 years, he has never found one that will attract the birds as the one shown here does. It can readily be built with material taken from orange or lemon crates. The house is about 8 in. high and the gable can be cut to any design. The fence can be made of wood or metal; a strip of sheet metal from which punchings have been cut is useful for this purpose. The



house, which should be screwed together, to permit easy cleaning, is mounted on a standard or fastened to the limb of a tree.

What Place Is Safest in a Thunderstorm?

Inside a metal building, or one protected by lightning rods, is the answer to the above question given by the insurance companies.

Get under cover when lightning begins to play, but that doesn't mean a tree out in the woods or fields. It is far safer to stay in an open prairie than to seek protection from the storm under a tree. Likewise, they advise you to keep away from wire fences, hill tops, small sheds and shelters, or other isolated objects that may attract the discharge.

Thick timber is fairly safe, on the theory that, with so many trees around, the chances are the bolt, if one comes, will strike some other tree instead of that you are standing under. If you are caught in a storm, a cave or depression in the ground, a deep valley or canyon or the foot of a steep or overhanging cliff will afford fairly good refuge from a possible stroke of lightning.

If you are inside when the storm breaks, it is not necessary to hunt a thick leather bed and cover up your head. It is true that there is no case on record of anybody ever being killed by lightning while lying in a feather bed, but there are plenty of other safe places in the house. One of these is in the center of a downstairs room, well away from open doors or windows and as far removed as possible from a chimney, stove, electric-light wire, telephone or any metal object that projects through the walls or roof of the building.

If a person is struck by lightning, efforts to revive him by artificial respiration should be made, since lightning rarely kills outright. Usually the victim is only badly stunned and can, if treated promptly, be restored to consciousness.

Making Erasures in Typewriting

When an error has been made in typewriting, it has been found good practice to backspace and type the correct word over the wrong one before attempting to erase. This tends to raise the surface of the parts of the paper imprinted with the wrong letters, and makes erasure much easier. The entire operation of re-typing the correction and erasing the wrong one takes less time than the usual method.

Salvaging Submerged Tools

When working over water it sometimes happens that tools fall overboard and are then given up as lost. However, one man saved over \$50 worth of tools



that had been accidentally dropped overboard, by the method shown in the illustration. All that is needed is a Ford magnet magnet and a length of strong cord. The magnet is securely tied to the end of the string and is lowered to the bottom to make contact with the metal tools; it has sufficient strength to hold them while they are pulled up to the surface.

Clean the Gutters

Home builders are often disappointed because the roof gutters rust away in what seems a comparatively short time, but the fault is usually their own. At least once a year the gutters should be thoroughly cleaned out and painted, especially on the inside. When this is done, the "drain" of the gutters should also be noted; that is, every length of gutter should have a uniform drop toward the downspout so that there will be no pockets in which water can collect and rust the gutters through. This means also that there should be a sufficient number of hangers or supports to each length of gutter to prevent any sag.

Avoid striking one milling cutter against another, or any other hard substance that would cause nicks in the blades requiring considerable regrinding.

FUNDAMENTALS OF DIAGNOSIS NOW REQUIRED

Medical Practice Act Enforcement Amendment to Be Explained and Urged.

DALLAS, Aug. 31.—Dr. C. M. Rosser, president of the Texas State Medical association, announces that the dinner to be given Tuesday night in Fort Worth to Attorney General Dan Moody is for the purpose of giving "public notice" on all unlicensed practitioners of medicine within the state to discontinue their healing activities." Dr. Rosser said: "The medical practice act was in force 18 years, but very poorly enforced, the penalty being insufficient," Dr. Rosser said. "The legislature of 1923 added an injunction amendment, which will enable enforcement of the law. The requirements are reasonable questions only being asked upon the fundamental branches all of which is necessary to the diagnosis of disease. No questions are asked as to materia medica or practice. "When one passes this examination he may practice as a regular physician, homeopath, osteopath, chiropractor, magnetic healer or Son and Daughter of I Will Arise. He may give advice, use mechanical means, prescribe drugs or adopt any method, which in his judgment is best for the patient, but he can do none of these things and charge for his services until he has a license recorded with the district clerk of his county. "Convictions under this law have been carried through the higher courts and universally affirmed. On Tuesday night the chief law enforcement officer of the state, the Hon. Dan Moody, will advise trial courts to proceed promptly against all violators of this law and county attorneys will secure indictments and prosecute them without delay."



TOM SIMS SAYS
Be careful about following in your father's footsteps. You are liable to have a son like him.
What's more discouraging than an enemy who gets along fine?
No matter how long you stay in jail you don't get a vacation.
Looking down on others doesn't place you above them.
Cities are all right, as long as they're well run in them.
Don't you think that's so?

DEL RIO.—A. W. Ewing of Duncan, Okla., has been elected secretary of the Del Rio Chamber of Commerce and according to information received by E. K. Adams, president, Mr. Ewing has accepted the place. He will take up his duties here in a few days and expects to put over a big civic program for Del Rio and that territory.

Consider the Mail Carrier and the Newspaper Route Boy and Their Tasks

It is perhaps more often true than otherwise that the man who lives at No. Blank, Blank street, in this or any other city, rarely ever considers the carrier, the boy who brings him his newspaper. That statement can be made only because it is not very frequently that the newspaper fails to arrive. When that unpleasant state of affairs does come about, it is certainly correct to say that the resident of Blank street considers the carrier and in a very unfavorable light. It would be a great help for everybody concerned, however, if the carrier were more often considered for his successes instead of his failures.

Newspaper carriers, route boys they are sometimes called, are an interesting set of fellows. In the main the group is recruited from the more alert and industrious boys in any given community. They are the youngsters who want to get ahead. They want things, as all boys do, and they want them enough to get them by their own efforts. Many of them carry a paper route in the morning or afternoon, or both, and have another job besides. While school is in session, they are making pocket money and in many cases they are helping their families along a way which would be more rocky than it is if they were not busy.

It is sometimes the case that a carrier is careless and inefficient, for the child is no better than the man when it comes to that, but as a general rule he has a genuine desire to do his job as well as it can be done. Then, too, it is worth the while to remember that the carrier is not al-

ways to blame if the paper fails to get out on time. Guard as the newspapers will, there are occasions when presses falter, when trucks break down, when trains are late, when street cars get tangled up and when other accidents happen. The machinery which works to get the paper delivered on time, in other words, is more or less complicated and the carrier is not the only cog in it.

It is interesting to inquire around and see how many of the outstanding figures in any city got their start in the business world by carrying papers on a city or suburban route. The graduates of the Banner's own school of carriers would make an impressive showing if they could be assembled and their present standings disclosed. The same thing is true of any newspaper. It is surprising to find how many men who have made good began the process by carrying papers as papers should be carried. Without giving him any pampering at all, then, which is the last thing he wants, consider the carrier and see how many good points he has. Consider the fact that a hundred papers, or 75 papers, or 50, are a heavy burden. Consider that the carrier chivers in the cold and sweats in the blazing sun to get the paper to your front door some 360-odd days in the year. Consider that he is drenched by the rains or chilled by ice and snow from week to week and month to month in order that you may find out what's what and who's who in the world outside. Do not give the carrier any more than he deserves, but do not call to mind as much.

Modern Gypsy Forsakes Wabby Wagon; Tours Country in High Priced Auto

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., August 27.—No more does the Gypsy, like the Arab, pack up his tent and steel away, for the Gypsy of today is a modern as the flapper and the sheik. For when the Gypsy now-a-days prepares to move he ropes up his luggage, drops the slatted doors on his poultry and other live-stock, bundles up his bed-clothing and rolls up his tents, rounds up the numerous rollicking children and then—chugs away in a high powered automobile.

And he does not travel in the lowly flivver. He uses a high priced car and often three or four, depending on the number of the tribe. Mud-spattered, perhaps scaly and bedraggled as to paint, the car may be, but the motors is shining and purring a tune that speaks the well-kept engine. Equipped with spot lights, windshield wipers, and all of the newest in appliances, the caravan rolls along through cities and villages, until a likely spot for the camp is found.

But the Gypsy, although his mode of travel is changed, has not himself changed. The men still wear nondescript clothing, the trousers held up by a strap, gayly colored shirts with perhaps a bright colored handkerchief knotted about the throat.

The women attain their gaudy and picturesque attire, with beads and earrings adding a bizarre touch to the oddity of their costumes. The children, too, are unchanged. Usually dirty as to face, their numbers seemingly never to decrease but always increasing, they fill every nook and cranny of the heavily loaded monster cars which their parents drive majestically along.

Central Illinois, this year, it seems has more than her share of these nomadic visitors. Several days each week see a caravan chugging through the streets, stopping for the women to tell fortunes and give home-stayers a peep into the "past, present and future." The men, meantime, seek perhaps not overly eager odd jobs. Springfield, tired of their visits, has placed a ban on all fortune tellers in an effort to induce them to steer clear of the town. Other cities will probably follow suit.

PLAYING WITH SHOTGUN IS KILLED BY ACCIDENT
HOUSTON, Aug. 31.—Vincent Vargas, 24, is dead here as the result of playing yesterday with a shotgun which he thought to be unloaded.

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