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PETROLEUM IS BRINGING GREATER WEALTH

BANK'S DOORS CLOSED BY THE COMMISSIONER

People's State Bank In Ranger Taken Over for Audit and Liquidation.

The doors of the Peoples State bank of Ranger were not opened this morning, in conformity with instructions from the state bank commissioner, C. O. Austin.

Only a small amount of money comparatively has been tied up by the closing of the bank, deposits having been falling off little by little during the last month.

Ranger State Bank Gains In Business Coming In Big Rush

The financial condition of the Ranger State bank of Ranger is sound and the bank is doing business on a safe basis, according to a statement by W. W. Housewright, its active vice president.

"At noon today we had taken over \$75,000 in new accounts, with the cash to show for it," said Mr. Housewright. "Only several small accounts were withdrawn, the total amount not being more than \$2,000."

TEACHERS BEING ENROLLED IN STATE ASSOCIATION

FORT WORTH, Feb. 2.—W. Z. Bates, superintendent of the Eastland schools, will direct the enlistment of teachers of Eastland as members of the Texas State Teachers' association.

E. E. Shotwell of Abilene is the general director of the enrollment campaign in the 17th congressional district, of which Eastland county is a part.

STEAMER RUNS ON ALASKAN BUT GETS OFF SAFELY

CORDOVA, Alaska, Feb. 2.—The steamer Yukon, which ran on the rocks south of Seward, and got off aided only by the tide, has returned to Seward and discharged her passengers according to wireless reports received here today.

No word as to the extent of damage to the vessel was received. No passengers or members of the crew were reported injured.

WICHITA COUNTY POLL TAX PAYMENTS ABOUT 12,000

WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 2.—Tax Collector Guy C. Raley announced Saturday night that approximately 12,000 poll taxes had been paid for the year of 1924 allowing persons the privilege of voting in the ensuing elections and that a like number of automobile licenses had also been paid.

ELECTRIC TRAFFIC SIGNAL SYSTEM IN WICHITA FALLS

WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 2.—The new electric traffic signal system of Wichita Falls was switched on Saturday afternoon for the first time. Police reported everything working out smoothly as possible in view of unfamiliarity of pedestrians and motorists with the lights and bells.

Eleven street intersections in Wichita Falls business section are controlled by the electric traffic signal system and additional lights will be installed if necessary.

PLANS TO EXEMPT SOME INTERESTS FROM SALES TAX ON GASOLINE BILL

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—Indications in capitol circles point toward an attempt to amend the two and a half cent gasoline sales tax bill reported favorably out of committee.

The Cleaners and Dyers' association, composed of approximately 300 operators throughout the state, will be faced with a serious problem in event the bill stands as introduced.

Proponents for the exemption amendment point out that a similar gasoline tax law carrying the exemption clause has been written into the statutes of other states, California especially.

NOME AWAITING FOR ARRIVAL OF MEDICINE

Anti-Toxin Much Needed to Save Near Two-Score Lives.

NOME, Alaska, Feb. 2.—Fighting through a howling blizzard along the trail near Norton sound, Leonard Seppala and Gunnar Kassen were reported urging their dog teams, bringing anti-toxin to diphtheria ravished Nome, in the vicinity of Unalakleet today.

Deaths in the epidemic so far reach at five. Twenty-five persons are ill and their lives may depend upon the arrival of the serum.

Last reports by radio placed the dogs between Unalakleet and Oul Woman, the next relay station, and indicated they had been all but stopped by the blizzard.

While definite weather reports from Unalakleet were lacking it was pointed out that the Norton sound, over which the trail leads, undoubtedly is wind-swept and the drivers may be forced to take the inland route around the sound, adding about 100 miles to the distance.

BOY SCOUT PROPERTY TO BE EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—Local property of every Boy Scout organization in Texas will be exempt from taxation with the adoption of a bill introduced in the house by W. S. Barron of Bryan.

Barron outlined that the scout organization was primarily a training school for the American youth and a charitable institution.

OKLAHOMA SCHOOL INSPECTOR IS KILLED ACCIDENTALLY

M'CLLOUD, Okla., Feb. 2.—Luther Russell, state high school inspector, was killed by a gun in his hands on his father's farm near here yesterday.

Russell had come to his father's farm to spend the day. He had gone to the barn to search for eggs.

RAZOR 147 YEARS IN USE STILL GIVING SERVICE

SHERMAN, Feb. 2.—In service 147 years and still going strong is the record of a razor owned by T. B. Sale of Sherman. Sale bought the razor from a Virginia negro ten years ago.

A decline of about 1,500 resulted in Taylor county from latest reports, a maximum of 7,000 poll tax receipts being issued during 8,400 last year.

ACTIVE BUILDING PROGRAM IN ABILENE THIS YEAR

ABILENE, Feb. 2.—Building permits issued for the month of January for Abilene totaled \$132,725. Permits for the corresponding period of time in 1924 was \$65,843.

LICENSED DRIVERS FOR DELIVERY TRUCKS URGED

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—Drivers of delivery trucks and other commercial machines should be placed under bond and licensed by the city in which they operate, J. Bouldin Rector, city attorney, advised the city council here.



MRS. EMMA WHITHERN, CEDRIC WHITHERN & ETHEL LEGINSKA.

Mrs. Emma Whithern, of Cleveland, O., mother-in-law of the missing Ethel Leginska, famous English pianist, who disappeared on the eve of a concert in New York City, is shown with her grandson, Cyril Whithern, Mrs. Leginska's son, who mourns for his missing mother.

PIANIST SUFFERS FROM ATTACK OF AMNESIA AND DISAPPEARS, BUT RECOVERS AND RETURNS

Cancellation of American Tour Said to Have Resulted, Will Mean Loss of Thousands of Dollars to Her; Last Week Is Blank With Her.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Ethel Leginska, pianist of international fame about to begin an American tour when she suddenly disappeared in New York while an audience of 2,000 assembled to hear her waited in vain, was located early Sunday morning in Sewickley, one of Pittsburgh's (Pa.) fashionable suburbs.

Excitement has been at fever heat since the Sunday morning shooting of the giant stranger who has been called "Joe Phillips," and "William Howard." He had not been identified.

HATE WAR IS YET SIMMERING ABOUT HERRIN

Mysterious Stranger Killed Sunday and Rival Factions Very Uneasy.

HERRIN, Feb. 2.—A fresh outbreak of the hate war, stirred by the slaying of a "mysterious stranger" by Sheriff George Galligan.

"We need the troops again," Galligan said. "There will be trouble this afternoon, when the grand jury meets at Marion, and tonight when the Herrin city council meets to discuss the police problem."

LONG TIME FAMILY FEUD CULMINATES IN DEATH

BOMARTON, Feb. 2.—Dr. W. L. Gaines was at liberty under \$5,000 bond today following the slaying of T. C. Hearstill, a carpenter, in the business district Sunday.

Hearstill was shot to death. The killing ended a life-long family feud, police said, and was precipitated by remarks made by Hearstill, it was said.

ABILENE POLL TAX PAYMENTS REACH TOTAL OF ABOUT 1,575

ABILENE, Feb. 2.—Poll tax payments in Abilene showed a slight gain for the city but a falling off in the county at a late hour Saturday night.

BODILY UNIDENTIFIED MAN FOUND ON RAILWAY TRACKS

HOUSTON, Feb. 2.—Badly mangled, the body of an unidentified one-legged man, was found on the tracks of the T. & B. V. railroad, 12 miles south of Houston today.

ABILENE FIRE RECORD.

ABILENE, Feb. 2.—Fire loss in Abilene during the year of 1924 totaled \$197,250, according to the report of the fire department.

STOLEN MOTORMETERS FOUND DALLAS.

DALLAS.—Text books on "how to find your stolen motometer" are unnecessary in Dallas. Police made a round of the "hook" shops and found 45 in one afternoon.

CAVE SEARCHER CAUGHT UNDER FALLING ROCK

Feet Crushed Beneath Flint Boulder; Rescuers Trying to Release Him

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 2.—Still living after 80 hours of agony, Floyd Collins, 35, was praying today for rescue from the narrow cave where his feet are crushed beneath a seven-ton boulder.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 2.—Racing with death, a special train steamed out of the Louisville yards today carrying a pneumatic drill to Crystal Cave, near Glasgow, Ky., where Floyd Collins, 35, is held a prisoner with his feet crushed beneath tons of fallen rock.

CAVE CITY, Feb. 2.—While Lee Collins was appealing over the telephone to Governor W. J. Fields for aid in rescuing his son, Floyd, imprisoned three hundred feet underground since Friday morning, a rescue crew from Louisville, one hundred miles away, arrived.

MAYFIELD GETS CLEAR TITLE TO SEAT IN SENATE

Committee Report Completely Exonerates Him of Election Fraud.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Acknowledging disregard for statute laws and acts of intimidation in connection with the election of Senator Earl B. Mayfield of Texas, the senate committee on elections today unanimously gave a report exonerating Senator Mayfield from any complicity and recommended the contest against him be dismissed.

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TEXAS GIRLS TO BE GUESTS OF CUBA AT HAVANNA MARDI GRASS

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—Miss Margaret Miller of Austin will represent the capitol city in the state-wide contest to select a Texas "princess" to accompany Miss Dorrace Ferguson to the Mardi Grass at Havana, Cuba, next March.

Selection of the city's prettiest girl was made by a local newspaper. Travel expenses and other incidentals will be underwritten by the Cuban fiesta officials.

CENTENNIAL OF TEXAS PLANS MARCHING ON

Governing Board Named and Officers to Be Elected March 2.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 2.—The Texas Centennial governing board recently met at Austin when the following executive committee was selected: Mrs. Alex L. Adams, T. P. Buffington, Mrs. Ethel Drought, Oscar F. Holcombe, J. K. Hughes, Clifford B. Jones, Frank Kell, H. L. Kokernot, Louis Lipsitz, Lowry Martin, Benton McMillin, Jos. S. Myers, J. M. Penland, Cato Sells, Mrs. Clara Driscoll Sevier, George H. Slater, Sam Sparks, Cullen F. Thomas, R. A. Underwood, C. C. Walsh and Jacob F. Wolters.

It was agreed that an aggressive preliminary state-wide centennial campaign should be carried on and woven around the history of the state, its progress, its development and what is expected to be accomplished through a centennial celebration, involving the press, the public schools and higher institutions of learning, the commercial, industrial, agricultural, civic and women's organizations, in fact, every educational facility in the state for thoroughly Texasizing Texas.

Chairman Sells appointed the following committees: To promote Texas Centennial celebration co-operation at the convention of Associated Advertising Clubs to be held in Houston next May: Oscar F. Holcombe, Lowry Martin, Milburn Hobson, Harold Kayton and Eugene H. Blount.

To recommend a Centennial seal: F. B. LaRue, Will H. Mayes, A. A. Allison, Tom H. Etheridge Jr., and N. N. Rosenquest.

To make recommendations to fill vacancies on board membership: T. P. Buffington, Miss Margie E. Neal, P. L. Downs, George W. Tyler, J. M. Penland, Warren P. Andrews, Asher R. Smith, W. E. Lea, Mrs. Ethel Drought and Sam C. Lackey. There are four vacancies on the governing board of 100.

The full board of governors will meet at Dallas March 2, when committee reports will be made the centennial officers elected.

BULLET AIMED AT RABBIT RETURNS TO WOUND HUNTER

DALLAS.—Lawrence H. Brady, 24, has announced to the world at large that he is not planning upon any additional hunting trips. Brady shot at a rabbit, the bullet ricocheted off a rock fifty feet away and struck Brady in the knee.

NEW PASSENGER AND MAIL TRAIN TO LOWER RIO GRANDE

HOUSTON.—New passenger and mail service has been promised to the lower Rio Grande valley after Feb. 8. Upon that date a freight train, originating at Houston, will get under way for Brownsville, arriving there approximately 24 hours later.

"WOMAN HAS ARRIVED." SAYS MRS. HORTENSE WARD AUSTIN.

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—The state's first woman's supreme court judiciary called on the house, following close of the argument in the high court recently.

Mrs. Hortense Ward of Houston, chief justice of the female court, which sat in judgment upon a case which the regular bench was disqualified, told the house that "woman has arrived," pointing to participation of women in high legal circles.

Higher prices for crude oil, especially the grades produced in the Ranger-Eastland field, are expected within a few days. It is known that the oil companies are buying all the oil they can get hold of to keep their stocks from being depleted, but the constant drain on the stored reserves due to the increasing demands of consumers and the absence of any new flush production keeps the offerings down and consequently higher prices inevitable.

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It is not believed that this company will see them drawn upon materially until the middle grades of midcontinent crude are commanding an average price of at least \$2 per barrel, possibly \$2.25 per barrel. Such a price will mean a return of \$2.25 to \$2.50 per barrel for much of the Northwest Texas crude, large quantities of which are purchased by independent refiners, and always command a premium in a strong market.

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Stocks Being Reduced Fast and Increasing Demand Enhances Value.

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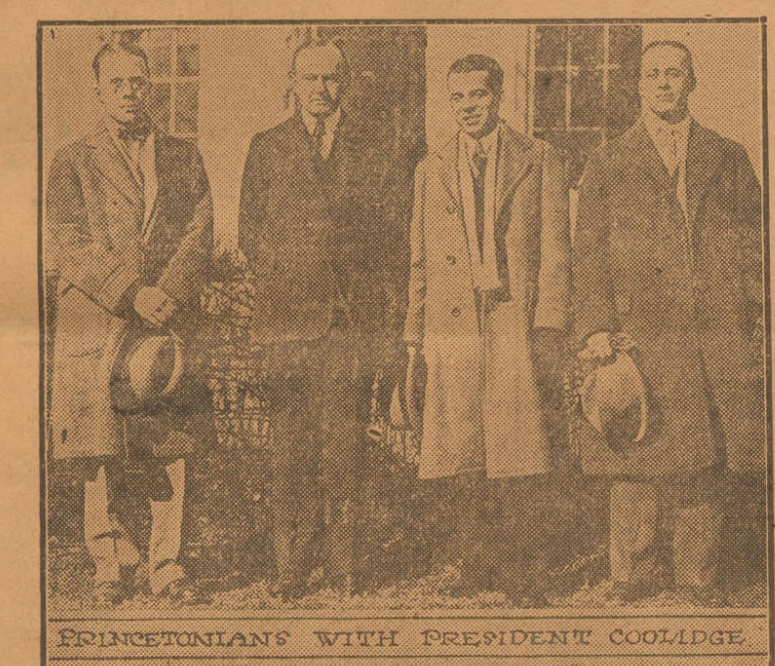
MEN WHO FIGURE IN THE DAY'S NEWS.



Above: BENIAMINO GIGLI & CURTIS D. WILBUR.
 Below: M. C. CLEMENTEL & THOMAS A. EDISON.

As a monument to Thomas A. Edison, noted inventor, while he is still alive, a mammoth office building for the electrical trades is to be erected in New York City. Naval Secretary Curtis D. Wilbur narrowly escaped death when his automobile, driven by his chauffeur, collided with another car at a street intersection in Washington. M. Clementel, French Finance Minister, has been told by Washington that the American Government did not consider his proposition to cut France's debt to America offered any basis for negotiation. Deciding upon publicity as the best weapon to combat the senders of Black Hand letters received by Benjamin Gigli, tenor of the Metropolitan Opera Company, his secretary gave copies of them to the press.

COOLIDGE DISLIKES SHEIK TROUSERS



PRINCETONIANS WITH PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

President Coolidge doesn't like those trick pants the drug-store sheiks are wearing. The "bell bottoms" may be all right for sailors who have to roll them up to wash decks, but they're not favored by the President for college boys. Left to right are shown R. F. Suter, President Coolidge, L. W. Nutt and J. Prendergast, pictured at the White House, where the Princeton students, members of the Mask and Wig Society, called to invite Mr. Coolidge to their next show. The President greeted them cordially, but suggested that the young men wear old-fashioned "galluses" to keep their trousers from hanging down over their shoe tops, and told them frankly their trousers were too long and full at the bottom.

qualities. Divest man of his godlike nature and he would be as bloodthirsty and as regardless of the rights and comforts of his fellows as are hogs, fies or hawks.
 The godlikeness in man is measured by his conduct toward his fellows. Those in whom the animal predominates have to be restrained by laws, the same as hogs and cattle have to be restrained by fences or cordons of cow-punchers.
 Tragedy belongs to the animal kingdom exclusively, and in order to have a tragedy man must lower himself into the animal sphere.

DAUGHTER OF R. E. VINSON ENGAGED TO BE MARRIED

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—Friends in Austin and other cities have received announcement of the engagement of Miss Elizabeth Vinson, daughter of President Robert E. Vinson, formerly of the University of Texas and now of Western Reserve university, Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Vinson, to Alfred Kendall Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kelley of that city.
 Miss Vinson is a graduate of the University of Texas where she took a prominent place in student activities and was for two years a member of the Y. W. C. A. cabinet. She was also a member of the Turtle club, Nu Upsilon Tau Tau and on the inner circles of the Cap and Gown, senior woman's organization. She is also a member of the Kappe Alpha Theta.
 Mr. Kelley, who is a graduate of Yale university and of Harvard law school is now practicing with the firm of Kelley, David & Cottrell of Cleveland, Ohio. No definite date has been set for the wedding, but it is understood it will take place in the late spring.

If the ceilings of your rooms are too high, they can be made to appear lower by decorating the walls up to about two or three feet of the ceiling, or by using flat tone paint on the walls either the same color as the ceiling or a color combination. Should the ceilings be too low, height can be produced by finishing them in a flat tone paint considerably lighter than the walls.

Society
 AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER
 Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor
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TUESDAY EVENTS.

Columbia Study club meets at 10 o'clock in Eastland with Mrs. Scott Key.
 Young School Parent-Teacher association meets at 3:45 o'clock at school.
 Wednesday Luncheon club and husbands meet at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Roy Jameson.
 Boethian class of Central Baptist church meets at 8 o'clock at church.

MRS. SHACKELFORD TO ENTERTAIN ON FRIDAY.

Members of the Twentieth Century club will be entertained on Friday at 1:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. A. Shackelford.

WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT.

Members of the Wednesday Luncheon club and their husbands will be entertained Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Roy Jameson.

YOUNG SCHOOL P. T. A. TO MEET ON TUESDAY.

The Parent-Teacher association of the Young school will meet on Tuesday at 3:45 o'clock. Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, state president of the Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher associations, and Mrs. George Armer, head of the Red Cross in Ranger, will have charge of the program. The subject will be the pre-school age of the child.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Saunders Gregg was called to Houston Sunday night by the serious illness of her brother.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Finney returned to Ranger, Sunday night, with their infant child. The other children remained in Baltimore with relatives.
 M. R. Newnam returned Sunday night from Chicago and the automobile show.

TWO ADDITIONS TO TEXAS LAW SCHOOL FACULTY

AUSTIN.—Announcement is made by Prof. I. P. Hildebrand, dean of the law school of the University of Texas, of the addition of two new professors to the law faculty. Judge Robert W. Stayton, of Corpus Christi, and Prof. George W. Stumberg, from the University of Louisiana, have been elected by the board of regents, their appointments being made effective on Sept. 1, 1926.
 Judge Stayton, who was appointed judge of the commission of appeals in December, 1923, will continue to hold that position until the expiration of his term on July 1, 1925. He will spend the remainder of the summer revising his Texas form book. After teaching for one or two years at the University of Texas, he expects to spend a year at the Harvard law school, where he will receive the master of laws degree. He is a former student of the university, having received his bachelor of arts degree in 1907, studied law at the university law school, and has practiced law in Texas since 1909. Last July he was elected president of the Texas Bar association. He was appointed a member of the board of legal examiners in 1921.
 Prof. George W. Stumberg received the A. B. degree from the University of Louisiana in 1909, and the bachelor of laws degree at Columbia law school in 1912. He practiced law for one year in Missouri, and was then appointed Rhodes scholar from the state of Louisiana. After studying law for two years at Oxford university, England, he joined the American legation at Paris. As soon as the United States declared war against Germany, he joined the American army. He returned to Louisiana State university after the war, and has taught law there continuously except for the 1923-24 session, when he attended the Yale law school and received the J. D. degree, cum laude. He speaks French as well as English, it is stated, and has a reading knowledge of German. This knowledge will make him a very valuable teacher of jurisprudence when that course is added, according to Dean Hildebrand.

VERNON—The fourteenth banquet of the Vernon Chamber of Commerce was held in the basement of the Presbyterian church last week and the following were elected directors for ensuing year:

O. A. Brunson, W. W. Anderson, T. A. Key, J. A. Dixon, Dr. M. J. Moore, R. B. Gibson, R. S. McConihe, Dee Norwood, R. H. Nichols, W. N. Martin, J. M. Napier and E. M. Haney. R. T. Dooley of Odell, T. C. Frost of Farms Valley, Aubrey Locket of Locket, Roscoe Rainwater of Oklahoma and R. Cobb of Harold were named as honorary directors.

GLORIA SWANSON WEDS MARQUIS



GLORIA SWANSON, 1927.

Gloria Swanson, American motion picture star, who has been making pictures in France, has been married in Paris to the Marquis de la Falaise de Courdray. This is her third matrimonial venture, two others to Herbert K. Sornborn and Wallace Beery, picture actor, having ended in the divorce courts. She has one daughter, Gloria Sornborn, two years old, and recently adopted a son, Joseph, as the child's playmate.

Ranger Boy Scouts Spend Afternoon In Camp At Lake

The Ranger Boy Scouts enjoyed a hike Saturday afternoon, the first of this year. Under direction of Scoutmaster W. J. F. Bailey, they went to their camp grounds near Hagaman lake, had their usual games and drills, were tested as to their scout qualifications and enjoyed a camp supper.
 Rex Alworth, Jack White, Nicol Crawford and W. H. Purser qualified as second class scouts. Alworth and Crawford passed the test for fire lighting and care of camp fire. Moorman Wagner and Tom McClennahan qualified for first class scout badges by cooking a meal.
 The scouts plan to go out again next Saturday afternoon about 1 o'clock, spend the night in camp and return early Sunday morning.

EASTLAND PERSONALS.

"Uncle" Jimmie Montgomery of Cisco, one of the oldest settlers of Eastland county and a witness in the first lawsuit ever tried in Eastland county courts, was here Saturday on business.
 S. M. Root and wife returned today from Austin, where they went on a visit to their daughter, Miss Virginia, who is attending the state university.
 John Nobles of Mangum, ex-sheriff of Eastland county, was a visitor in the city Saturday. "Uncle" John can tell some interesting stories of his experiences when he was sheriff, many years ago.
 Melvin Lobaugh, one of the Daily Telegram's carriers, boys, is up and about again after a three weeks' tussle with pneumonia.
 J. S. Davis and Fred Tate were among those here Saturday from Carbon.
 Frank Stefan, salesman at Campbell & Fagg's, was a visitor in Abilene Saturday afternoon.

CONNELLEE
 LAST TIME TODAY
 Richard Barthelmess
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 Ask Your Friends About It.
 COMEDY—NEWS
 TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY
 FRANK MAYO
 DORIS KENYON
 LLOYD HUGHES
 —In—
 "IF I MARRY AGAIN"
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Irwin Gives Notice Prison Probe Must Not Be In Secret

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—Representative F. M. Chitwood today was retained as chairman of the reorganized prison investigating committee and Representative King was again chosen secretary. Senators Miller, Witt and Smith joined the investigating body pursuant to a concurrent resolution adopted last week.
 There was no discussion at this morning's meeting of the committee regarding future procedure beyond a motion by Representative T. K. Irwin calling for full publicity. The motion was not seconded.
 Irwin again served notice, however, that he would not be bound by any secret hearing.

LAMB THEATRE
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VETERANS OF WORLD WAR ARE BEING SOUGHT

Carl Barnes Post Wants to Enroll All in and About Ranger.

Many new members are coming in to the Carl Barnes post of the American legion in Ranger through personal solicitation by various members of the post and the membership drive will start Wednesday.

9—LODGES 1—Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., meets Tuesday night, 7:30. Work in E. A. degree. Visitors welcome. C. E. MAY, W. M. F. E. LANGSTON, Sec.

REGULAR meeting of Ranger Eastern Star, Monday, 7:30. All members urged to be present. EDITH DENMAN, W. M. GRACE DREINHOFER, Sec.

1—LOST AND FOUND. LOST—Pair glasses, Saturday night in or around Lamb theatre. Finder please return to Times office.

LOST—Yale tire lock used to lock tire on rack. Dr. C. O. Terrell, Guaranty Bank bldg., Ranger.

2—MALE HELP MAN, energetic and reliable, wanted for factory representative to handle our business in Ranger district; unusual opportunity, with fortune for right man; experience or capital unnecessary; write fully, Synco Motors Co., Batt's Creek, Mich.

WANTED—High school boy to carry Telegram route; can make good money. Apply Telegram office, 208 So. Lamar, Eastland.

3—FEMALE HELP WANTED—Colored woman to do cooking and general housework; good furnished servant house. 1009 Young st., or phone 532, Ranger.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED HIGH SCHOOL BOY wants work after school and on Saturdays. Some experience in drug and grocery stores. Alex Grigg, Reavis Apartments, Ranger.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES. INCOME TAX REPORTS—Let us make it out for you. We have secured the services of a certified public accountant. Maddocks & Son, Ranger.

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

AMES & RICHARDSON—Transfer trucks. Phone, business, 296, residence, 465. 104 S. Rusk, Ranger. LET US make your old mattress into a soft and downy Slumber-On mattress, less than half the cost of a new mattress; new mattresses made to order at special prices; one-day service. Independent Mattress Factory, Cisco, Texas, Phone 403.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT FOR RENT—Four-room house, bath and all modern conveniences. Phone 105, 419 Pine, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished house, apply Bourdon Bros. Plaining Mills, 429 So. Rusk, Ranger.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT FOR RENT—Two-room furnished front apartment; hot and cold running water; best in Ranger for the money. Over Fritz's Delicatessen, Ranger.

HOUSEKEEPING apartment for rent; everything furnished. 418 S. Hodges st., Ranger.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment; lights, gas and city water; \$15 per month. Phone 191 or 607 West Main st., Ranger.

12—WANTED TO BUY WANTED TO BUY—Will pay cash for four or five-room house which may be moved; give present location, price, etc. Address, "House," care Times, Ranger.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous. WANTED—Men, women and children's clothing and shoes; bring to the Wardrobe Exchange, 105 So. Rusk st., phone 220, Ranger.

FOR SALE—One McCray freezer counter, 12 feet long; 1 new Ford car, any model; 1 gasoline pump and 560 gallon tank. See or call Mrs. Laura Collins, Phone 125 or 576, Cisco.

14—REAL ESTATE FOR RENT—A farm five miles east of Ranger. L. A. Endy, Ranger.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE A BARGAIN—For sale, a five-room cottage with all conveniences. See Mrs. Yelot, 112 New st., Eastland.

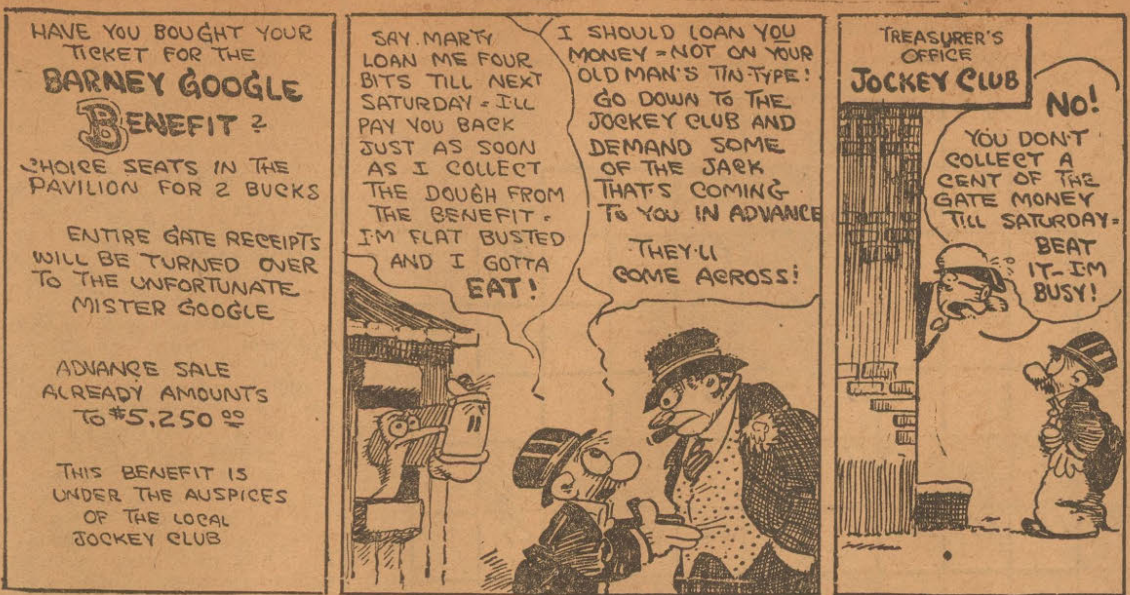
16—AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE—1924 model Hippobile touring car; only used seven months. Has original tires, and tires are good; car has only run seven thousand miles. Will take Ford touring as part payment. Reason for selling am going to farm. Will sell this car four hundred dollars below list. E. L. Norris, Prairie Pipe Line Garage, Tiffin, Texas. FOR SALE—Worth the money, '23 model Ford truck and '23 model Ford touring car; would take milk cow or cheaper car as part payment. West Side Barber Shop, Eastland.

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 34.

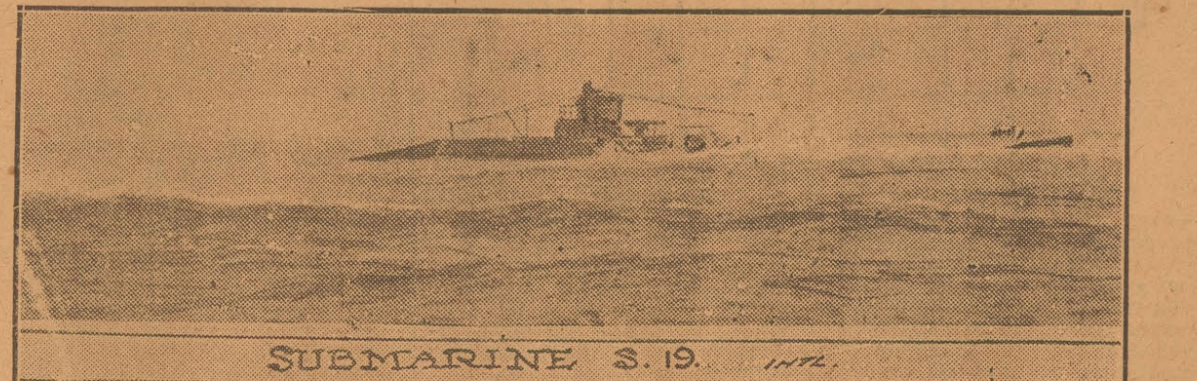
18—WANTED—Miscellaneous. WANTED—Second-hand furniture. Wright Furniture Co., 218 Main st., Phone 154, Ranger.

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

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG



SUBMARINE S-19 BATTERED BY STORM



Submarine S-19, beaten off her course by a terrific gale, was driven ashore on Nauset Shoal, Cape Cod, Mass., with five officers and thirty-five enlisted men on board.

"MOTH GIRL" CANNOT BE HANGED

Certificate of Birth for Dorothy Ellingson, daughter of Joachin J. Ellingson and Anna E. Ellingson, born January 19, 1925.

DOROTHY ELLINGSON'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE & HANGMAN'S NOOSE

This facsimile of the birth certificate of Dorothy Ellingson, San Francisco "moth girl" who murdered her mother so she could attend a jazz party, shows that she was born in Minneapolis, Minn., in April, 1903, and is therefore only sixteen years old.

night, when final plans will be formulated at the regular weekly meeting in the legion rooms.

The membership drive will be carried on through the mail although many members have signified their intention of making a personal effort to enlist every ex-service man in and about Ranger as a member of the Ranger post.

The services rendered by the American legion to the United States are of untold value and few people really know the extent of the work carried on by the organization, according to national officers of the legion.

"A distinguished world war fighter has referred to the American legion as the 'best insurance the nation could have.' The legion is credited with having forestalled a national campaign of radicals who sought to sow dissension among veterans and to capitalize the feeling of unrest pervading the country following the war.

"Legionnaires are not visionary dreamers, they are Tom, Bill and Dick, we meet on the street every day; they are practical young men who believe that the good of the individual is best augmented by the welfare of nation and community.

HOUSTON GIRL BOOTLEGGER SELLS QUART TO DETECTIVE

HOUSTON.—"Wanta pint?" asked Annie Williams. "No, gimme a quart," said detective Hugh Graham as he rapped on the door.

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Boethian Class of Young Men Takes Up Athletic Sports

The Boethian class of the Central Baptist church of Ranger will meet at the church Tuesday night at 8 o'clock to organize a gymnasium club under the direction of Pierre Grigg, expert athletic director.

All young men of the city not in the public schools are invited to join this gym class.

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FEATURING PICTURE AT LAMB THEATRE MONDAY



WORTHAM.—Stroube & Stroube bring in Lindy No. 1 oil well at 7-200-barrel producer.

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PORTION OF DEAD MAN'S HIDDEN WEALTH IS FOUND

SWEETWATER, Feb. 2.—Officers investigating the farm of Ed Lassiter, aged Jones county farmer, whose battered body was recently found near his home by school children, have found a portion of the wealth believed to have been secreted about the premises.

A sum of money totaling \$5,250, nearly all in \$100 bills, were found in an outhouse, buried in a sack under a pile of cotton seed.

The search is being continued in the hope of securing the balance of the money believed to have been hidden. The aged man feared banks. An arrest has been made but the mystery of Lassiter's death is still unsolved.

EFFICIENCY.

Years ago I read the reminiscences of an early associate of John D. Rockefeller. A few weeks after his employment Mr. Rockefeller visited him.

"Like it all right?" he asked. "Fine," said the man. "You seem to have things pretty well in hand. I guess you're ready for the next step," John D. continued.

"Next step?" repeated the man. "What is it?"

"Train somebody to do your work," answered John. "Then put your heels on your desk and think up some way by which we can make more money for the Standard Oil company." Bruce Barton, in Hearst's International.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM OF RANGER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WORK TO ADVANCE RANGER DURING 1925

Membership applications to the Chamber of Commerce continue to pour into the office, according to C. C. Patterson, secretary, and the goal of 1,000 members is steadily looming closer.

The prosperity of Ranger is assured if indications of a united front of Ranger citizens in co-operating with the Chamber of Commerce in upbuilding the city are worth anything. A city does not stand still, it either goes forward or backward and by united action Ranger will go forward. Through lack of co-operation or an apathetic attitude the town would go backward, but present indications, according to leading business men of the town, point to hearty co-operation between the citizens and the business firms in the growth of Ranger.

A tentative program of work outlined by C. C. Patterson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, covering the ensuing year, with changes to be made when necessary, call for:

An earnest and concerted effort to interest new industries to locate here. This could be done by having a survey made of our natural resources, and after the facts are arrived at, conduct a strong advertising campaign in trade and other publications. Situated as we are in the center of an unlimited oil and gas supply, and with nearly well developed soft coal fields, with the supplies of glass and building sand, brick and pottery shale, fine material for making cement and lime, plenty of power and water at reasonable rates, and added to all this, our location in nearly the center of the state with two railroads, providing a good distributing center for finished products, it would seem that Ranger has a very good future as an industrial center.

To promote the return of poultry and agriculture to this section. In the past Eastland county has been quite an agricultural center, and at present honeyball melons and watermelons are being grown and quite a bit of cotton. We should try to encourage agriculture as much as possible. This board is familiar with the poultry situation, and what the Bankhead Poultry Producers' association is trying to do. Encourage both to the industries as much as possible.

To encourage the present great oil and gas industries, and if necessary, to aid them in any fight against unjust legislation that may arise. To work towards having the roads in the Ranger trade territory put in the best possible shape, and maintained that way.

Street lights: Promote a system of white way lights throughout the main business district, and work for a more general improvement and extension of street lighting service.

Buying at home: Aid in awakening a more lively public sentiment in favor of buying at home, and the patronage of Ranger products, because every dollar that is spent at home stays at home, and helps work for the welfare of the community, and encourage those who are capable of growth and expansion as the result of increased patronage.

Sanitation and a clean city: Inaugurate a general city clean-up movement to stimulate individual care of homes, back yards, business properties and sidewalks and to reduce fire risks.

Recreation: Make arrangements to have the parks and playgrounds taken care of, and take steps towards having a bathing beach near Ranger next season, and to encourage and take steps to handle public recreation.

Trade tours: Take steps to send out trade boosters to nearby towns to advertise Ranger as a trade center. More homes for Ranger: Promote the spirit of home-building and home-owning, because a community made up of home-owners is always a prosperous community.

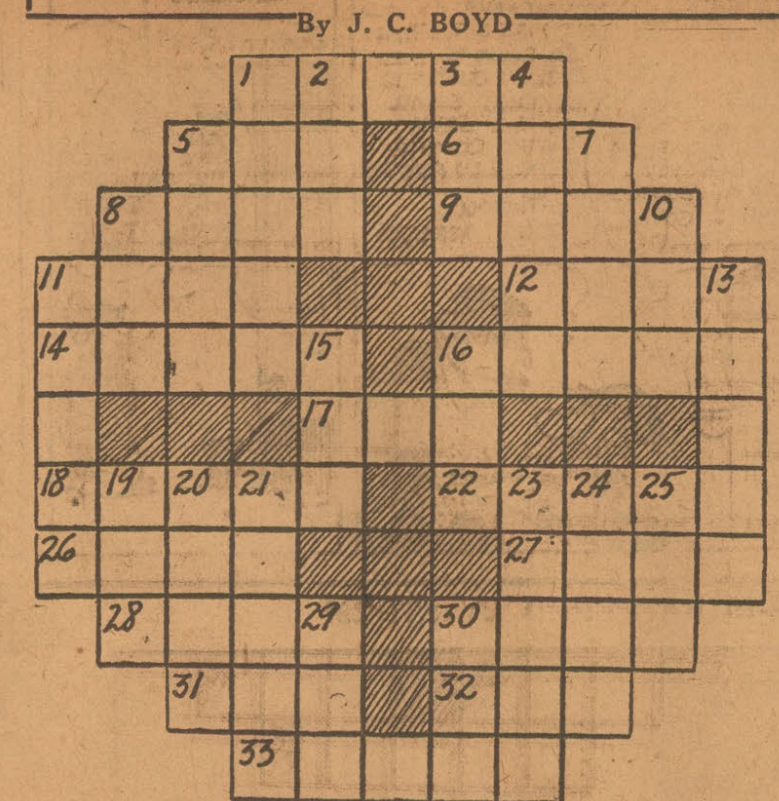
Landing fields: Take steps to secure a landing field for airplanes so that Ranger can be designated as an airport on the map of the "landing facilities and proposed airways system of the United States."

To advertise Ranger: To convey to the outside by way of every legitimate means favorable knowledge and information of the city's growth, its resources, and its social and industrial opportunities. And to place special publicity on the logical advantages this city offers as the great trade and commercial center of West Texas.

Securing rural phone system to Ranger from trade territory.

LAWN—A new mercantile company will be opened here soon by W. D. Counts, who will operate a grocery, dry and hardware store in a new brick building now under construction.

Today's Cross-Word Puzzle THE OCTAGONAL CROSS—PUZZLE NO. 91



- HORIZONTAL: 1-war, 5-comrade, 6-exclamation of surprise, 8-navigate, 9-cried, 11-agitate, 12-authentic, 14-clergyman's house, 16-irritable, 17-a relative (abbr.), 18-palpitate, 22-talk foolishly, 25-warmth, 27-shows off, 28-very small amount, 30-associate or helper, 31-Toby, 32-affirmative, 33-thick cords, 1-bazaars, 2-evil, 3-in what manner, 4-in that place, 5-physical distress, 7-unlatches (poet.), 8-station (abbr.), 10-gunny sack made of fibre of jute, 11-one who works in metal, 13-musical instruments, 15-recede, 16-summmit, 19-border, 20-bar of wood or metal, 21-weasel-like, web-footed carnivore, 23-sounds heard in the chest indicating disease, 24-troublesome, 25-essay, 29-self, 30-always

Herewith is solution to Puzzle No. 90. SEW USE ATE APT PLAN CASTE ASIA ALKALI E ROSTER SET ERASE HER B N P ANY ODD R T AS P CELLO F B R E HOMAGE A SERBIA BARN EBB ROES GENTUS E SANDED ORS ALL OT T SO T C ALE W A R T N Z I O N VA U N T H I S A R M A D A L L I C I A N A N E E P G U M B O G C R O L E T P E N L I N K A W E

ROSS CROSSLEY PLANS TO RETURN TO EASTLAND

Ross Crossley and family, who some three years ago moved from Eastland to Abilene, will move back to Eastland within a very short time. Mr. Crossley was here all last week making arrangements to move. He has not yet bought a home, but expects to close a deal for one within the next few days.

SHERMAN—Movement under way for erection of new school building in eastern section of city.

SAN ANGELO—Plans completed for erection of Protestant orphans home.

EAST IS THE POWDER BOX SAYS BRITISH LABOR LEADER WHO IS FEARFUL OF TROUBLE ARISING

By GEORGE LANSBURY, M. P. British Radical Labor Leader (Written for United Press) (Copyright 1925 by United Press) Great Britain, Europe and the world at large must look to the powder box in the East in 1925 and the succeeding years.

Europe at present seems as peaceful as it ever is. The trouble in Albania; the long-standing dispute between Yugoslavia and Bulgaria might be fanned into flames as was the Sarajevo incident in 1914, and European statesmen must be watchful always. But there is no sign of trouble. It is in the East that the dangers from Morocco to Mesopotamia, from Egypt to India, there are all the elements of war.

It is impossible to think of Egypt without thinking of India. If British statesmen continue to use the same kind of language as was used in the ultimatum to Egypt, I dread what might happen there and in India. But I, and in fact all labor men, hope and believe that wiser counsels will prevail.

India, though, will be the toughest nut to crack both in 1925 and in all years in the near future. Promises of reforms have awakened hopes and aspirations in India that refuse to be killed. We have promised repeatedly that we should teach Indians how to manage their own government. British must answer the questions that India asks her about self-determination—must answer them without imprisoning them, either with or without trial, but by making concessions to them.

Another thing that troubles me is the attempt of the government to put a ringed fence about the British Dominions, as in the case of Singapore. I do not like the arrogant assumption that all narrow waterways must be open to us, and when we please, closed to others. It is a doctrine that must inevitably lead to trouble.

I wish that the United States and Great Britain would take the lead in demanding of their governments and all others the dismantling of all fortifications and the declaration of neutrality concerning all narrow waterways throughout the world—Panama, Suez, Gibraltar, the English Channel. These narrow waterways continually cause trouble, and should by the good will of the great Anglo-Saxon races be made free and open for the commerce of the world.

Russia is another important part of Britain's life. I believe that during 1925 British big business must sit up and take notice of Russia. There are two reasons. First, the development of Lorraine iron and Ruhr coal and the mines in Silesia will create such an abundance of goods to be sold somewhere in the world that such as French and German capitalists may dislike Bolshevism, they will be very

TROOPS ON GUARD IN HERRIN, ILL. MACHINE GUN GUARD HERRIN, SHERIFF GEO GALLIGAN



A SMALL DAIRY.

Arthur Stringer, the author, in describing his occasional meetings with his former wife, Jobyna Howland, the actress, in Hearst's International for February, tells the following story on "Miss Howland."

One of the contributing causes to the separation was his attempt to isolate the popular Broadway beauty on a Canadian farm. When they decided to purchase a Holstein cow to supply them with milk, they were shown a huge Holstein standing close beside her penned up calf.

When told she was milked twice a day, giving 16 quarts each milking, the Broadway beauty did some quick figuring, looked first at the cow and then at the calf:

"Arthur," she asked, "why couldn't the little one be big enough for us?"

CHANCE FOR GERMANY.

Now Germany has at present the chance of her lifetime, with the launching of the Dawes report, from the purely commercial and capitalist viewpoint. Her internal debt has been wiped out. French and German capitalists are going to unite for the exploitation of natural resources.

If British capitalists maintain their present attitude towards Russia, French and German capitalists are going to obtain economic control of the whole of Europe and Russia. And we will have only what they cannot supply.

Russia would rather be friends with Great Britain than with any other country, because of the strength of our labor movement. We can get better terms from Russia than can any other country. And we are letting this golden opportunity slip because of prejudice against the Russian government.

If all the stories about the Bolshevik movement are true, even worse things could be said about the former Czarist government and other European governments. Business does not ask its customers about their religion or their morals.

As for disarmament, I cannot get excited about it. The Washington conference resulted in fewer great battleships and more cruisers and submarines. There has been great progress with military aircraft and poison gases.

The war of the future will be different from those of the past. Maybe it will be cheaper in money, but it will be dearer in human life, particularly civilian life.

There is no use disarming as we are now, because as we throw away one weapon, someone finds a new one that makes the old one superfluous anyway.

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