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TWO MEN ARE KILLED IN NITRO BLAST

400 QUARTS OF EXPLOSIVE IN TRUCK IGNITES

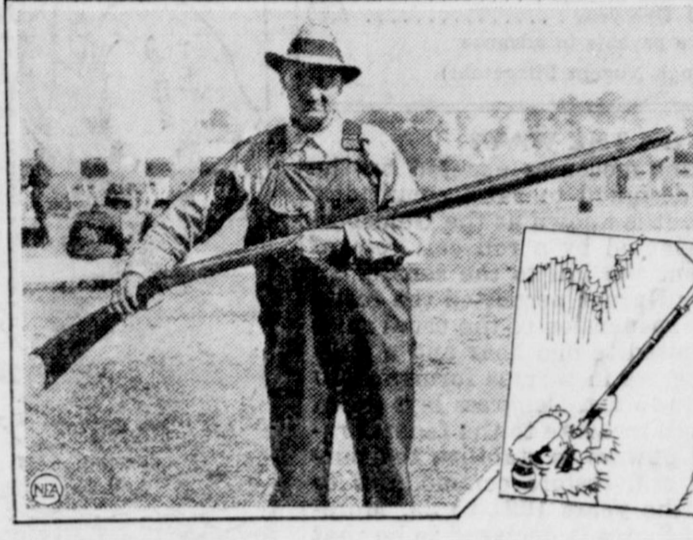
Only Small Piece Of One Is Hand Found After Explosion.

MIDLAND, Texas, May 11.—Authorities today sought information from the Osage Torpedo company at Pawhuska, Okla., for the identity of two men riding on a truck carrying nitroglycerin which exploded eight miles north of Monahans early today.

Only a piece of one of the men's hands was found. The truck, carrying 400 quarts of the explosive, was blown to bits. First reports said that W. K. Judy, Tulsa manager of the Osage company, and a man named Scofield were riding on the truck.

The shipment was en route to the Winkler county magazine of the Western Torpedo company at San Angelo. Cause of the explosion was not known.

Mountaineer Sharpshooters Clash



In the heart of the Cumberland mountains, at Pikeville, Tenn., mountaineers held a match with the famous "long rifles" used by their grandpappies in settling the wild country. Gilbert Angel, above, rated one of the best shots of the district, cracked 47 out of a possible 50 at a range of 50 yards with the huge rifle, 100 years old, he is seen holding. The target was a cross cut on a blackened plank and moiden bullets and black powder were used as in the old days.

Ferguson Amnesty Act Has Risen As Factor In Selecting Next Governor

By GORDON K. SHEARER, United Press Staff Correspondent.
AUSTIN, May 11.—The specter of the Ferguson amnesty act had risen today as a factor in selecting the administration candidate for governor. If Governor Ross S. Sterling announces he will not run, State Senator Walter Woodward, who has been co-speaking with the governor and is looked upon as Sterling's choice, was authorized of the amnesty bill. Lieutenant Governor Edgar E. Witt voted for it.
Its significance in the pending campaign lies in the apparent decision of the administration leaders to make the amnesty bill: "Keep the Ferguson out."
The amnesty act was passed after Governor Miriam A. Ferguson had been elected. She had run in place of former Governor James E. Ferguson who was barred from candidacy by the senate impeachment verdict against him. She again became a candidate after the supreme court held the amnesty act did not let her husband run.
Under the amnesty act the bar against him holding state office would have been removed. Administration leaders are believed to be afraid the authorship and support of the amnesty bill would embarrass either Senator Woodward or Lieutenant Governor Witt, if the campaign evolves into one against the Fergusones.
For the same reason efforts are being made to draw former Governor Dan Moody again into the race. The long political feud between Moody and the Fergusones, makes him the logical candidate for such a campaign. He has so far sanctioned it with a declaration he will do what is necessary to beat the Fergusones.
State Senator Clint Small of Wellington, who also intends to run if Governor Sterling does not, has flatly cut loose from present administration sponsorship. He made it plain it is only in deference to the second term custom he will not run against Sterling.
The administration strategy is accordingly narrowed to three choices:
Governor Sterling to run for re-election, with the assurance of a helping hand and voice from former Governor Moody.
Bring Moody into the race and launch a fight against "Fergusonism."
Sidetrack the anti-Ferguson issue and choose between Witt and Woodward.

Markets

By United Press.
Closing selected New York stocks:

Stock	Price
American Can	39 7/8
Am P & L	8 3/8
Am F Pwr	3 1/2
Am Smelt	9 3/4
Am T & T	99 7/8
Auburn Auto	37
Auburn Auto	37
Alaska Juneau	9 1/4
A T & S F Ry	36 1/4
Barnsfield	4 3/4
Beth Steel	13 3/4
Byers A M	8 3/4
Canada Dry	7 3/4
Case J I	23 1/2
Chrysler	8 3/8
Cons Oil	4 7/8
Curtiss Wright	1 3/4
Contl Oil	5 1/4
Elect Au L	12 1/2
Elec St Bat	19 1/8
Foster Wheel	5 1/2
Gen Elec	14 3/8
Gen Mot	11 3/8
Gillette S R	14 7/8
Goodyear	11
Houston Oil	12 3/8
Int Cement	3 3/4
Int Harvester	18 1/4
Johns Manville	12 3/8
Kroeger G & B	13 1/2
Liq Carb	11 3/8
Montg Ward	7 1/2
Nat Dairy	22 1/2
N Y Cent R R	13 3/8
Penn R R	10 3/4
Phillips P	3 3/4
Prairie O & G	4
Pure Oil	4 1/4
Purity Bak	6 3/4
Radio	11 3/4
Sears Roebuck	18 3/4
Secony Vac	8 1/2
Southern Pac	11 3/4
Stan Oil N J	26
Studebaker	4 3/4
Texas Corp	11 1/4
Tidewater Asso Oil	2 3/4
Und Elliott	12
United Corp	6 3/4
U S Ind Alc	18 3/4
U S Steel	29 1/2
Vanadium	7 1/2
Warner Pic	1 3/4
Westing Elec	25 1/4
Worthington	8 3/4

Curb Stocks:
Cities Service 4 1/4
Elec Bond & Sh 12 1/2
Ford M Ltd 3 3/4
Gulf Oil Pa 31
Humble Oil 40 1/4
Niag Hud Pwr 3 3/8
Lone Star 4 1/4
Stan Oil Ind 18 3/4

The following market quotations furnished through the courtesy of D. E. Pulley, phone 629, Ranger, Texas.

Cotton Market.
Range of the market, New York cotton:

	High	Low	Close	Prev.
July	5.74	5.63	5.67	5.67
Oct.	5.98	5.88	5.92	5.92
Dec.	6.13	6.03	6.07	6.07
Jan.	6.20	6.12	6.14	6.10

Grain Market.
Range of the market, Chicago grain:

	High	Low	Close	Prev.
Wheat	58 3/4	57 1/4	57 3/4	57 3/4
Sept.	61 3/4	60 1/4	60 3/4	60 3/4
Dec.	64 3/4	63 1/4	63 3/4	63 3/4

Corn—
July 33 3/4
Sept. 36 3/4
Dec. 36 3/4

Oats—
July 23 3/4
Sept. 23 3/4
Dec. 25

Rye—
July 42 1/4
Sept. 44 1/4
Dec. No sale

COMMITTEE TO DECIDE CISCO CASE SATURDAY

Members of the district executive committee of the Oil Belt district, with R. D. Green of Abilene substituting for L. E. Dudley, chairman, and Brownwood representative, met at the Connellee hotel, Eastland, Tuesday night to grant Cisco school authorities a hearing in the Fred Hightower controversy.
Cisco was represented by Forest Wright, who presented the plea of the Cisco school.
After a lengthy discussion and a conference with the members of the committee present, Judge Wright urged that the committee reconsider the case inasmuch as punishment did not fall on the ones who were really to blame for the playing of an ineligible man in the Breckenridge-Cisco game of Oct. 23, 1931.
The petition pleaded for leniency on the part of the committee, stating that the boys of the school, the community at large and the whole Oil Belt were paying the penalty when they were not the ones who were to blame.
R. F. Holloway, superintendent of the Ranger public schools, was chief spokesman for the committee. He condemned the officials of the Cisco school for the attitude they took in allowing an ineligible man to appear to be eligible to participate in the game and blamed them for attempting to appear innocent when, according to records, they did not appear to be in the clear.
No action was taken on the plea of the Cisco school to be reinstated, but another meeting of the entire committee was called for 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Hilton hotel, Abilene, at which time a vote will be taken to determine whether the state committee will be asked to reinstate the Cisco school.
There is no question of the guilt or innocence of the accused school officials, but the boys of the Lobo team are hearing the brunt of the punishment, according to the view of the committee-men, and the reinstatement will, if granted, be in the nature of a suspended sentence in a court of law.

Bantam Baby Blooms on Bottle



Here's the first picture of Master Charles Bernard St. John, Kansas City's famous bantamweight baby, after his coming out party. Charles weighed but one pound at birth, April 3. Until recently he lived in the seclusion of an incubator. He was fed from an eye-dropper. When this picture was taken he weighed 2 pounds 14 ounces, and his mother, Mrs. William St. John, is shown feeding him from a "man-sized" baby bottle.

AKRON OVER CALIFORNIA EARLY TODAY

By Lt.-Com. C. E. ROSENDAHL, Commanding Navy Dirigible, Akron.
ABOARD U. S. S. AKRON, NEAR SAN DIEGO, CALIF., May 11.—The dirigible Akron was soaring peacefully toward the Pacific coast today after undergoing the most severe condition in my opinion, a rigid airship ever experienced.
All one night was spent surrounded by severe lightning and the ship was running at top speed to avoid being caught in violent thunderstorms that blocked our every available route to El Paso.
By United Press.
SAN DIEGO, Calif., May 11.—The naval radio station here reported the Akron over Camp Kearney at 11:35 a. m. today, ready to moor. The radio also reported that one of the Akron's planes landed at the field at 11:15 a. m.

GRIPINGS

By GUS
This column is published as a daily feature and may not be construed as representing the editorial views of this paper. What follows is merely what one man thought at the time it was written, and the writer reserves the right to change his mind concerning any subject, without notice, explanation or apology.

The matter of writing a column has caused this alleged columnist no little concern today. Bob Dodge is one of the night operators out at the power plant and tries to sleep in his south room in the Connellee hotel a part of the day. He told me this morning that he certainly hoped it would stay cloudy another day or two so the store across the street wouldn't put the radio out and entertain him with the wireless medicine show while he was trying to sleep.
Bob wanted to know if I charged anything for griping about such things and I was forced to confess that I'd charge for things like that I'd have to open up a set of books and hire a bookkeeper and spend money for postage stamps mailing out bills and then would probably not collect in any money. Many a smart business man has gone broke by opening up an office and getting ready to do business only to find out that his field was already overcrowded and it required something besides an office to get business. And so if I opened up an office for the griping business I'd probably put me a radio out in front to attract the customers to come and listen and admire the great free entertainment. You can see, therefore, that I'd have to gripe at myself in order to be consistent. All of which is writing around in a circle and I'd better change the subject.

Had a ride in a new Ford 8 yesterday. Don't tell the boss, but I thought I was out working. I started out sorta slow so as to listen to the motor purr. My foot went to sleep and I tried to wiggle my toes. In wiggling them I unconsciously pressed down on the foot but I wasn't paying any attention to the speedometer. Before you could say cat that whoopee was making 50 and floating along the highway like an airplane or somethin'. Andy Anderson was making lots of sweet talk into my ear about the finer points of the car, but I wasn't paying him no attention because that an alleged columnist does not need an automobile and more especially a new one.

Simultaneously with the remarks in this column yesterday about the difficulties college graduates would meet in walking into nice white collar jobs, there was a story in the paper telling about the department heads at Texas University remarking along the same line. It must be tough on an ambitious young man who spends several years at college preparing himself for some profession and then get out of school and have to go back to picking cotton or somethin'.
It wouldn't be near so hard on some of us punks who never went to college but got what little learning we may have by listening to smart folks talk. Seems like the smarter a fellow is, the harder it is for him to get a job these days.

Midshipmen Will Visit Galveston

By United Press.
GALVESTON, N. E. Leopold has been appointed chairman of a committee to prepare plans to entertain 450 midshipmen from the U. S. Naval Academy who will visit here in June abroad the dreadnaught Wyoming.
The Annapolis midshipment will call at Galveston on their annual summer cruise.

Seattle Abolishes Old Dog Catcher

SEATTLE, Wash.—The old-fashioned dog catcher—"boogey-man"—of childhood is no more here. In his place are courteous young men who call themselves "educators." Their job primarily is not to collect dogs, but to aid dog owners in some best way to take up hungry stray animals and educate the public in kindness to dumb animals. The plan has been started by Harry Ireland, newly elected manager of the King County Humane society.

WEATHER

By United Press.
West Texas.—Cloudy; occasional showers in southeast portion tonight and Thursday.

U. S. MAILS

Mail for Fort Worth or beyond
Daily West—12:00 p. m.
Daily East—4:18 p. m.
Night planes, 4:00 p. m.
Day planes, 8:30 p. m.

Ranger Youths Running Large Fruit Orchard

Don Champion and Brownie Higgs, Ranger youths, have leased the Lon Davenport place just south of Ranger, and now have one of the largest orchards in this part of the country.
The orchard, which comprises some 12 acres, has many apple, peach, plum, apricot, pear and fig trees as well as berries and grapes. All the trees have a good crop of fruit, with the exception of the pear trees, which did not survive the recent freeze. Some of the rare varieties of plums have little fruit but all other trees have a good crop which has been damaged very little by cold weather, insects or hail.
The trees were smudged during the cold weather and have been pruned and sprayed under the supervision of Ben Whitehouse, vocational agricultural instructor of Ranger high school. A total of 300 gallons of spray has been used and care has been taken to keep insect pests from marring the fruit or the trees.
Berries will be ripe within 10 days or two weeks, the two youthful orchardists reported today and other fruit will be ripening early.
Some of the trees in the orchard are reported to be 30 years old and still bearing. A few have been planted for 20 years and the majority of the orchard has been growing for from 8 to 10 years.
All the trees were carefully selected by Mr. Davenport for their bearing qualities as well as for variety and deliciousness of the fruit. Some rare varieties of plums are to be found in the orchard.
Apples will be plentiful as well as peaches, it was reported today. The two most popular varieties of apples in the orchard are Jonathans and Delicious. The two main peach varieties are Elbertas and clings.

Ranger Rotary Club Hears Two Good Talks Today

The program of the Ranger Rotary club today under the supervision of H. S. Von Roeder and M. H. Hagaman presented two of the important phases of our public systems, one, the schools, and the other, our national defense.
Mr. Von Roeder spoke on the school system in an interesting and instructive way. He said that the system, as a whole, was unorganized and unsystematized in the state. He said that the majority of the people were indifferent to the school situation and do not know enough about the school system to be interested.
"We have, in Texas, a county and a district system," he said, "which is the outgrowth of the old program of support and the majority of such support is now on the district system."
Only about 13 states, he said, so far have county units as a system of support and the remainder levy their own taxes.
He showed that amounts collected from the tobacco tax and the gasoline tax were a great help to the financial structure of the school system this past year.
Major John L. Dunn of Waco, who was a visitor at the meeting, spoke on national defense and preparedness. He said that he was on his annual tour of the national guard units and was sent out by the regular army for this work.
The national guard is profiting by the experience gained in the World War, he said, and the young men are being prepared in case the time came when they would have to be called out again. He pointed out that in the World War men were sent to the front lines with only six weeks of training, but with the national guard system many men were kept in training at a small expense.

Ranger Men Will Attend Convention of West Texas C.C.

J. E. Meroney, director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, left today for Sweetwater to be present at the directors meeting Thursday morning at 7:30 at which time elections will be held.
Roy Gilbreath, elected director for Ranger for the coming year, pointed out, while on this work, that there is a far greater percentage in military training and in the regular army. Only one-tenth of the expenditure for military appropriation which is 7 per cent of the national expenditures.
Dr. P. M. Kuykendall was elected delegate to the international convention at Seattle.
The program for next week will be under the direction of L. E. Pearson and Walter Harwell. A short directors meeting was held at the close of the regular session crowd.

National Guard Federal Inspection Held on Tuesday

Major Dunn of the United States Army, made the annual federal inspection of Company I, 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guards, at the Ranger armory on Rusk street Tuesday night.
A report of the inspection will be turned in by Major Dunn and the rating of the company for the year will be determined by the report to be turned in by the major.
In 1930 Company I drew a very satisfactory rating and in 1931 was rated satisfactory. The company is attempting to regain the very satisfactory rating again for 1932.

Japanese Rooters Are To Attend Olympic Games

TOKYO.—The Bijl Shim, one of the leading dailies here, is planning to send groups of Japanese rooters to the International Olympic games in Los Angeles, according to the current issue of Japanese Editor and Publisher.
The Japanese rooters, who pay their own traveling expenses, will be divided into two groups, one group of which will return home immediately after the end of the Olympic games and the other group will return to Japan after spending some time on the west coast of America.

Lindbergh Case Is Still a Puzzle

By United Press.
NEW YORK, May 11.—A message appeared today in the personal column of a morning newspaper which was believed to refer to the Lindbergh kidnaping case.
The message, which was unsigned and not addressed consisted of three words, "Money is ready."

Conway Wires Motorcade Having Wonderful Trip

A telegram was received by the Ranger Chamber of Commerce today from W. D. Conway, vice president of the Broadway of America association, who is making the trip with the motorcade to the annual convention in San Diego, Calif.
The telegram, which was sent from Douglas, Ariz., Tuesday night read:
"Arrived in Douglas on time. Royal reception awaited the motorcade. Buffalo meat was fine. Twenty-six cars in motorcade. Everything going well. Expecting Akron over here about 10 tonight. W. D. Conway."

Japanese Troops to Leave Shanghai

By United Press.
TOKYO, May 11.—All Japanese land forces at Shanghai will be brought home within a month, according to an official announcement today.
Under terms of the peace agreement signed at Shanghai, Japan agreed to withdraw her troops from the Shanghai area into the international settlement.

Economy Committee Meets With Hoover

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, May 11.—President Hoover called the members of the senate bipartisan economy committee to the white house today and, at a breakfast conference, outlined a general program for having some \$2,000,000 in government costs during 1933.

Stock Market Board of Inquiry To Meet

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Chairman Norbeck of the senate banking and currency committee today summoned the stock market inquiry board of strategy to meet Friday to hear a report by William A. Gray, committee counsel. Gray will inform the senators of the results of examination of brokerage books in New York and Chicago and other cities unrevealed.

Turkish Official Is Reported Killed

By United Press.
WEIMAR, Germany, May 11.—The Turkish ambassador to Germany, Kemal Eddine Sami Pasha, was reported killed when an automobile overturned at Wegefeld, near Bad Derka, today.

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IS REFLECTION ON THE WAY?

One of the most important measures enacted by the house of representatives is designed to raise commodity prices and restore prosperity. It is known as the Goldsborough reflation bill. It was enacted by a roll call vote of 289 to 59. Speedy action sent the bill to the senate. To push the cause along Speaker Garner permitted the reflation act to come up under the suspension of the usual rules of procedure. Debate was limited to one hour and a half. This bill has been before congress in various forms for 10 years. Now it is for the senate to act. Congress lays down a mandate in the Goldsborough measure to the federal reserve board to use its broad powers to stabilize the purchasing power of the dollar and restore commodities to the average price levels for the years 1921 to 29. Moreover, the policy of the United States is declared to be that the board and secretary of the treasury SHALL RESTORE THE PRICE LEVEL, AND MAINTAIN IT THROUGH CONTROL OF THE VOLUME OF CREDIT AND OF THE VOLUME OF CREDIT AND CURRENCY. Democrats voted almost solidly for the bill. Republican ranks were split. Most of the old guard republicans passed negative votes.

Reflation is the word. It is of recent coinage. It originated in France in 1925 when the French government stabilized the franc and in stabilizing the franc stabilized commodity prices. Great Britain followed in 1931 when its statesmen and financiers slipped off the gold standard and stabilized commodity prices by a financial surgical operation which cured the pound sterling by amputating from the patient the gold measuring rod of value. During the wild speculative years of the past inflation was the order of the day. After the coming of the crash deflation was the order of the day. Now the wise doctors called in to perform a surgical operation after diagnosing the case have decided that a heavy dose of reflation for the stabilization of prices would restore prosperity to the American people.

A reminder that in adopting the Goldsborough act the house was believed to have embarked upon policy of credit control likely to be far reaching in its consequences. SHOULD THE FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD PRESS TO THE LIMIT THE JOWERS IT HAS TO CARRY IT OUT. A Maryland democrat sponsored the bill. He declared that it has the double purpose of restoring commodity prices and to maintain that normal price level once it is attained. France broke the ice seven years ago. Great Britain followed in the wake of France a year ago.

Now what will the senate do? And more important still, if the senate ratifies the action of the house, what will President Hoover do? Will he veto the stabilization prosperity measure?

McADOO SCORES BIG COMEBACK

Colonel McAdoo has scored. He will direct the Garner candidacy in all the skirmishes and the big battle to take place on the banks of Lake Michigan in June. He may be the nominee for senator of the California democracy in the November election. Colonel Hearst has great newspapers in the city of Los Angeles and the lower country rallied to the cause of his choice for president of the United States. Los Angeles is the home of McAdoo. He made a political killing, so to speak, when he stepped aboard the Garner bandwagon and campaigned the state for the "Chaparral of the Chaparral."

Colonel Hearst has powerful papers in the city of San Francisco. They were played to the limit. What really happened is staggering to the mind of the rank and file. Colonel Hearst is the owner of the San Francisco Examiner. This newspaper was his initial venture in the game. He was not more than 21 when his distinguished father, George Randolph Hearst, purchased The Examiner and gave it to his son as a plaything. This was the beginning of Hearst's career as the aggressive publisher of his vast chain of newspapers and magazines of today.

Now what did the democrats of San Francisco do? They rallied to the standard of the Happy Warrior and very successfully batted off the mat Speaker Garner and Franklin D. Roosevelt. Indeed, the Smith ticket of delegates received more votes and then some than the combined vote cast for the Roosevelt slate and the Garner slate. In the rural district Governor Roosevelt made a splendid showing, but Los Angeles struck him hard in Southern California while San Francisco in Upper California gave the man who was selected to stop him in his onward sweep toward the White House a black eye as well as a surprise. San Francisco is the wet city of a wet section of California. Los Angeles is the dry-wet city of the dry section of California. It was the city and county vote of Los Angeles that placed the face of Garner in the big political picture as the winner of the delegates and the face of Smith as the chief of American stoppers who buried his knife to the hilt in the political body of the man who had been his loyal friend for more than a third of a century.

GRAND JURORS BUSY IN EAST TEXAS

An oil conspiracy in the East Texas fields is the sensation of the hour in petroleum circles. Col. L. S. Davidson, commander of the national guard unit with the proration force, has promised to show a grand jury records to prove wholesale thievery has been going on for several months. Also that 25 to 40 additional persons, "including certain men of prominent," will be arrested. Dist. Judge W. C. Herst gave the Gregg county grand jury special instructions to investigate illegal well tapping. This is what he said:

"Where children cry for bread, justice may be tempered with mercy, but if you find that men of position and influence, whether they operate as independents or for large companies or corporations, have allowed greed and avarice to take from our oil fields THAT WHICH DOES NOT BELONG TO THEM, SPARE NEITHER TIME NOR EXPENSE IN RUNNING DOWN EVERY CLUE." A special grand jury will convene next week at Henderson to continue the investigation in that field. Rail Commissioner Lon A. Smith estimated that a million barrels of oil had been stolen and that he had been told that 11 men were paid \$1400 for the stealings of one night. Why not uncover the chief conspirators? To be exact, why not go after the whales? Minnows should be punished but the chaps higher up who planned the alleged conspiracy should not be overlooked.

Read 'Em and Weep!



BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer
WASHINGTON.—The one thing which seems to have been assured by the recent Democratic presidential primaries is a hot time in Chicago at the end of June.

It looks more and more like a dog fight. It seems very unlikely that Governor Roosevelt of New York can win on the first ballot and not unlikely that he will be lost in the shuffle while the leaders get their heads together and decide which Democrat they want to oppose Hoover.

Uncertainties Dominate
UNCERTAINTIES now dominate the whole picture, but at the same time it is too early to assume that the New York governor is due to be licked simply because he ran more poorly than he was expected to in California, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania.

There is no question, for instance, that Roosevelt will have a better chance to be nominated than Al Smith, who is expected to have the next largest number of delegates on the first ballot, or Speaker Jack Garner, who probably will run third.

Precedent May Be Broken
ROOSEVELT will have at least four times as many first ballot delegates as Garner, it now appears, and from two to three times as many as Smith. One cannot recall any political convention where the leading candidate entering the leading candidate entering so far ahead of his next nearest opponent failed to land the nomination.

Even with Roosevelt out of the picture, there would be little or no chance of Smith's nomination, and Garner's prospects wouldn't be much brighter.

The religious issue, which caused the party so much trouble in 1928, militates effectively against Smith, while Garner's victory in California has failed to rekindle the boom for him which was going strong before he lost control of the House in the tax fight.

Baker, Young, Ritchie
THAT means that the anti-Roosevelt leaders must build up another candidate who to date,

A Roosevelt Problem
THERE'S also the question how long and under what circumstances Roosevelt delegates can be held in line. But that again inspires the thought that the anti-Roosevelt leaders must dish up an attractive candidate for whom there would be something like a concerted leap.

A rough guess now is that Roosevelt will show up with more than 500 votes. His enemies hope they can count on about 400 to hold out against him, leaving about 200 to be scrambled for.

The probability still is that a majority—578—will mean nomination for Roosevelt or any other candidate who gets it, regardless of the two-thirds rule.

And once more you wind up impressed with the probable great importance of the 94 votes from New York which Tammany, under the unit rule, expects to cast en bloc—for somebody.

Days of Rah-Rah College Boys Over Survey of Texas Colleges Reveals

By United Press.
DALLAS.—The rah-rah college boy with his fashionable clothes, expensive automobile and substantial allowance furnished by an over-indulgent parent and the gay coed who kept company with him are becoming a thing of the past, a survey gathered by the United Press today revealed.

The questionnaire was addressed to officers of Texas universities, colleges, schools and secondary training schools. Upwards of 50 school heads reported to the United Press, and in general their report was the spoiled college girl and boy of past years was on the wane. Majority said the classwork this year was superior to that of past years and they added in the main it was because of the economic conditions which had caused college students to become more serious minded.

Graduation exercises will resemble approximately 4,346 students from 54 Texas schools. This number may be decreased before diploma time as some school officials said their lists were yet uncertain. Compared to last year's graduates from the same number of schools, it shows an increase of 339.

Vacation time this year will lose 34,276 students from the same number of institutions, as compared to 35,782 who dropped class work this time last year. Many probably will remain in summer school or go elsewhere in the state or to eastern or northern schools.

The University of Texas with 822 applicants for degrees this year will have the largest graduating class in Texas. The number is an increase of more than 200 over last year's class. The registration this year was 6,414, as compared to 6,039 last year.

The increase at the University was partly explained because of lower fees. Many student transfers were made because of this. The college reporting the least number of graduates this year was Nazareth Academy of Victoria where six students will receive degrees. The schools report, like

Dallas Girl May Enter Grand Opera

By United Press.
DALLAS.—A pretty Dallas girl recognized by the crew of a freighter as an able-bodied seaman and hailed as one of the few natural mezzo-sopranos in the country, is following in the footsteps of Marion Talley, Kansas farm girl who once sang in Metropolitan opera and retired.

But 22-year-old Elizabeth Gerard, who like Miss Talley was sent away from her home for training with funds supplied by fellow-citizens, has no thought of retiring.

"Musical lovers of Dallas who raised \$10,000 for Miss Gerard's education abroad, after her 'welcome home' recital recently hailed her as one of the southwest's finest singers.

Miss Gerard and her mother returned to this country early this year aboard a freighter. Stormy seas tossed the ship, but the sun-browned girl was not ill. She had left on New York with an "A. B.'s" ticket in her pocket, given her by the crew.

Miss Gerard's home-coming recital was given exactly four years to the day after her going-away recital. It was the night of May 4.

Miss Gerard's success has been achieved because of natural talents plus hard work.

Her mother, the former Miss Waitt Evans of Abilene, Texas, wanted her daughter to become a dancer. Mrs. Gerard was pianist in a dancing school here.

Gerard conceded and was once hailed as a coming dancer. Then one day she made her first trip down town alone and came back with sheet music for which she had expended all her allowance money.

From then on she studied music. The opportunity of singing before Giorgio Polacco, then musical director of the Chicago Opera company, which was secured by the girl's mother after much difficulty, was almost lost when Miss Gerard could not be found. Her mother thought she was at a theatre, and one theatre manager whose name is now forgotten complied with the excited mother's request to have Elizabeth appear. She was in the audience, and Polacco said that the girl's voice was the finest he had heard in 15 years.

His criticism and advice resulted in the education fund being raised.

A recital in Fort Worth and another later in Waco are planned.

Several schools reported a loyal alumni body had been a help in finding work for graduates. Abilene Christian college has systematized their employment bureau which finds work for graduates, while at Rice Institute they are enlarging their employment department as they feel it will not help the situation.

CRACKS IN THE DOME

We gather that his successor-to-be on the railroad commission got just as much information from former Gov. Pat M. Neff as the newspaperman have. That is to say, exactly none.

Mayor Ernest O. Thompson talked with him. Mayor Thompson is Governor Sterling's selection for the railroad commission, when Mr. Neff proceeds to take the presidency of Baylor, having accepted election to it.

Just what point there is of keeping it a secret, even from the man who is going to be placed in the job, as to when he will resign, is something on which Mr. Neff has neither given nor invited suggestions.

Chairman W. R. Ely of the highway commission is at the head of the biggest single activity of the state government. He is carrying through a program which was started by Gov. Sterling when Mr. Sterling was chairman of the commission.

However much a great program of highway-building, of immeasurable present and future benefit to the state, may be made the object of political attack, he isn't in politics, and the firm course the commission has followed of building roads where it thought they should be and refusing to put them where it didn't think they should be, has marked it as distinctly non-political in its conduct.

Judge Ely, instead of entering personal politics for a race for the railroad commission, will stay on the highway commission.

Former Governor Dan Moody's: "I haven't said I would become a candidate if Mr. Sterling doesn't run," means a great deal.

As an individual opinion, if Mr. Sterling doesn't win a second term, he WILL be the candidate to beat the Fergusons. I might be right.

"I assume," Mr. Moody said, "that Governor Sterling will offer for a second term; I am convinced he will be renominated and re-elected. . . I pledge him my fullest support."

Now there will be a renewal of the clamor to take oil and gas administration out of the hands of the railroad commission, because one or two of its great number of employees are accused in the East Texas oil scandals. This will reach its climax in the next regular session of the legislature, when old axes will be brought out for fresh sharpening, and when the attempt will undoubtedly be made as far as its sponsors can get a bill in the legislature . . . mindful that the governor not long ago urged the legislature that it was imperative to make this change.

Nothing like a good, stiff depression to show up the skullduggery, gross abuses, grand and petty thievery where it exists among people dealing with public money.

If times had stayed as flush as 1929, if money had continued to flow so freely and pay had kept mounting upward, it is improbable that any major disclosures of individual pocket-padding, embezzlement, misuse or loss of public funds, or any conspiracies to rob the state or local governments would have been found.

Fee abuses would have continued. Local officers could have remained short indefinitely, playing the market with public funds.

Look at the difference now. Even an oil pirate isn't safe any more.

Beyond actual padding of accounts, actual embezzlement and thievery, the substantial permanent good that will result will be in stopping the leaks for legal and illegal dissipation of public moneys and extortion money from the people.

We shall not soon get back to the old hi-jacking days.

To commemorate both its service to Travis county and its title honoring the patriot William B. Travis, citizens of Austin are recommending to the board of control naming the remodeled courthouse that has become a state office building the "Travis building."

Fish hatchery construction and operation, game propagation, state shell, sand and gravel handling, water conservation, reclamation and control of the streams would be grouped under a department of conservation under one of the proposals for saving of tax money now rampant.

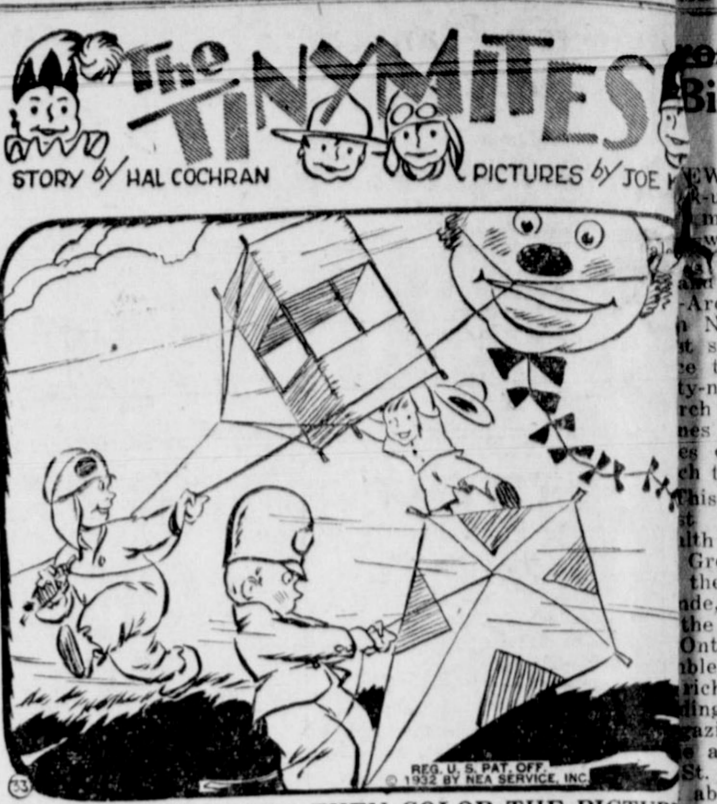
One writer says the way to end the depression is to increase the number of consumers, while another says the remedy is to decrease the number of producers. Why not go all the way and have lots of consumers and no producers.

RUPTURE SHIELD EXPERT HERE

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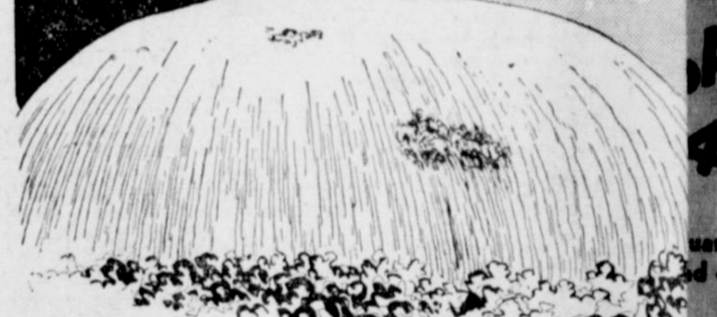


(READ THE STORY THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

THE roller skates made lots of fun and were a treat for everyone. The Tinymites were circling round and going rather fast. As old man play looked on, he cried, "Be careful, now that you don't slide. If anybody takes a flop, the pleasure will not last. 'I've oiled those skates up very well. That's why they seem to run so well. You Tinies sure know how to skate. Have you tried it before?' 'Oh, sure!" cried Duncy, with a grin. "Just watch me, now, and I'll begin to do a flock of clever tricks right out here on the floor."

THE other Tinymites stood aside while funny little Duncy tried some of the tricks he thought he knew. However, things went wrong. He went so fast he couldn't stop and suddenly he took a flop. Cried Windy, "What a funny trick! It didn't take you long."

Then old man play cried, "That's enough. I fear that if you get too tough, you'll hurt Duncy in the next story."



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THE SOCIALIST PARTY, in 1920, nominated Debs for the presidency while he was serving time in the Federal penitentiary, for defiling utterances made during the war. He did not serve out his entire prison term, however, being finally released by President Harding.

NEXT: Who developed white blackberries?

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Inspectors Plan Big Radium Rush

By United Press.
NEW YORK.—With the first snow of winter, about 1,000 mostly veteran gold prospectors will set out from various points in the United States, Canada and Alaska to penetrate the Arctic wilderness of the Northwest Territory on the spectacular treasure rush of the days of the California gold miners. They will be in the air and they will go in airplanes over from 1,000 to 2,000 miles of the northern wilds to the scene of their quest.

This new rush to acquire the precious ore will be the first since the discovery of the Great Bear Lake last spring of the rare radium ore, pitched by a prospector, veteran of the silver rush to the Cobalt, Ontario, 25 miles from the site of what appeared to be rich deposits of the ore. According to an article in the Elks' magazine, this man, Gilbert Lauder, a fellow prospector, E. St. Paul, succeeded in getting about 20 tons of pitchblende which was found to contain two one-half grams of pure radium, valued at \$125,000 at present prices. There is less than a pound of recovered radium in existence in the entire world. Two one-half grams equals in bulk the amount of granulated sugar which can be piled on a dime.

Immediately that word of the discovery leaked out last summer, a rush for the location commenced, and altogether about 100 men were able to reach the site before the present winter set in. By the time December temperatures of 40 below zero are reached, between 40 and 50 square miles of territory about Great Bear Lake has been staked out.

THE TINYMITES...
...the biggest...
...the air...
...the kindly...
...the string...
...the kites get...
...the strange...
...next story.

The Newfangles (Mon 'n' Pop) By Cowan

ISN'T HE WONDERFUL SWEETIE?
WHO?
WHY, HOMER!—AND AGUSTA IS SIMPLY MAD ABOUT HIM. SHE HUSN'T TAKEN HER EYES OFF HIM SINCE THEY MET.
WELL, PERSONALLY I CAN'T SEE—

—AND HE'S INSANE ABOUT HER! WOULDN'T IT BE WONDERFUL IF THEY BECAME ENGAGED RIGHT HERE IN OUR HOUSE, AFTER MY BRINGING THEM TOGETHER?
BUT, WHAT HAS IT GOT US? HANK IS SORE AND CRAZY JEALOUS.
—THIS DITTY IS A CONCEITED EGOTIST AND, IF AGUSTA ISN'T A FLUFF-DOME, SHE'LL SEE THAT HANK HAS IT OVER DITTY LIKE A TENT!
WHY, HOMER IS CHARMING AND HE'S JUST THE MAN FOR AGUSTA! YOU WAIT AND SEE!!

BASEBALL FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser

TEXAS LEAGUE.
Standing of the Teams.
Team— W. L. Pct.
Dallas 16 9 .640
Fort Worth 16 10 .615
Houston 14 11 .560
Beaumont 14 11 .560
Wichita Falls 13 13 .500
San Antonio 12 14 .462
Galveston 9 16 .360
Shreveport 8 18 .303

Yesterday's Results.
Wichita Falls 6, Fort Worth 3.
Galveston 1, San Antonio 0.
Dallas 4, Shreveport 3.
Beaumont at Houston, rain.

Today's Schedule.
Fort Worth at Beaumont.
Dallas at Houston.
Wichita Falls at Galveston.
Shreveport at San Antonio.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Standing of the Teams.
Team— W. L. Pct.
Washington 17 6 .733
New York 13 6 .684
Detroit 13 8 .619
Cleveland 16 10 .615
St. Louis 11 14 .440
Philadelphia 9 12 .429
Chicago 6 17 .262
Boston 4 17 .190

Yesterday's Results.
New York 10, St. Louis 3.
Philadelphia 9, Chicago 0.
Detroit 11, Boston 0.
Cleveland at Washington, rain.

Today's Schedule.
St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Boston.
Cleveland at Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Standing of the Teams.
Team— W. L. Pct.
Chicago 17 6 .739
Boston 13 8 .619
Philadelphia 12 10 .545
Cincinnati 14 12 .538
St. Louis 11 13 .458
New York 8 12 .400
Brooklyn 7 13 .350
Pittsburgh 7 15 .318

Yesterday's Results.
Philadelphia 4, Cincinnati 0.
Chicago 9, New York 2.
Boston at Pittsburgh, rain.
Brooklyn at St. Louis, rain.

Today's Schedule.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburgh.

—AN I'M GOING TO PUT A PAN OF FRESH FOOD OUT EVERY DAY FOR HER UNTIL SHE COMES BACK... THAT'S THE LEAST I CAN DO...
YEAH... MEBBE SHE'LL SMELL IT FROM WHERE SHE IS... 'COME ON HOME... Y'KNOW DOGS CAN SMELL ANWFUL GOOD!!
THE BOYS WAIT FOR, A HALF HOUR, AND THEN THEY STICK THEIR HEADS OUT TO INVESTIGATE

OSCAR THINKS MEBBE SOMEBODY STOLE POODLE AN' WANTS US TO PAY A REWARD FOR HER RETURN... BUT I THINK SHE'S LOST!
I'M GOING TO HANG ON TO JUMBO SO HE DESN'T RUN AWAY... I'D HATE TO LOSE HIM!!
WHATCHA GOING TO DO NOW?
I'M GOING TO FILL POODLES PAN WITH FOOD AN' SET IT OUT FOR HER... SHE MIGHT COME BACK... AN' SHE'D BE GOOD AN' HUNGRY IF SHE DID!!

WHOOPEE!! POODLE'S BACK!! HER PAN'S EMPTY!!
ARE YOU SURE?
OPEN YOUR MOUTH, JUMBO!! WHY... YOU NAUGHTY DOG... EATIN' ALL OF POODLE'S FOOD LIKE THAT!!

Communists Are Holding School

By United Press.
MILWAUKEE.—A group of 25 serious young students is learning communist principles at a three weeks training school in West Allis, Milwaukee suburb.

In a shabby classroom, lacking the colorful banners and signs common to radical parades, these students are studying the theories of Marx and Lenin and worrying about such practical things as finances, food and lodging. Three of the students are negroes. They range in age from 16 to 32. Only one has had a high school education.

Fred Bassett-Blair, former University of Wisconsin experimental college student and later communist candidate for governor, is an instructor. The schedule of instruction includes outdoor public speaking, organization of communist party cells in factories, and the history of the Third International.

Instructors are merely advisors and the students through numerous committees manage the school themselves.

During periods of relaxation, the students sing revolutionary songs. Many times during the day, passersby hear the strains of the Internationale.

Tolan May Don U. S. Badge For Olympic Games

By United Press.
NEW YORK.—Eddie Tolan, former University of Michigan negro runner, officially credited with the world's record for the 100-yard dash, may wear the starred and striped badge of the United States in the 100-meter event of the Olympic games this summer.

Tolan, although he may have reached his prime, will make a bid for further international honors this season. If he does win an Olympic berth it will be because his start has improved. Although he has been timed at .09.5 for the 100-yard dash, he is a notoriously slow starter. In countless races he has been last at the starting line and first to reach the tape. This flaw has been remedied somewhat.

Born in Denver, Tolan was born in Denver and came east to Detroit with his parents when a boy. He attended Case Technical High at Detroit and gained a reputation as one of the outstanding interscholastic sprinters of the country.

He entered the University of Michigan, and when during his sophomore year he became eligible for competition, he started working against George Simpson of Ohio State, the man who has been his bitterest rival.

Tolan and Simpson always finished one-two in outdoor competition, with Tolan sometimes breaking the tape, and sometimes Simpson. A good guess is that

Dead Deer Puzzled Oregonians

By United Press.
ALBANY, Ore.—Woodsmen of the Cascade Mountain forests, in Eastern Lynn county, report finding many dead deer. Opinions differ as to the deaths. Some attribute it to severe winter, others think an epidemic was responsible.

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REACHES STRIDE SLOWLY
Tolan always has come into his stride slowly, looking like an average sprinter indoors and being at his best during the late outdoor season. He has often run the 60 yards in .06.2, tying the world mark. He is officially credited with the 100-yard dash record at .09.5, although the International committee has seemed unwarrantedly slow in calling a meeting in which it could recognize the .09.4 record established by Frank Wykoff. Tolan has run the 220 repeatedly in .20.9.

Tolan has often been termed a stocky athlete. He does appear to be stocky, but his appearance is deceiving. He's only 5 ft., 5 in. tall and weighs around 130 pounds. He is well muscled, and that's what makes him appear husky.

the man HUNTERS

BY MABEL McELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TODAY
SUSAN CAREY, pretty secretary who is in love with BOB DUNBAR, has a proposal of marriage from BEN LAMPMAN, penniless young musician. She refuses him. Ben is jealous and several weeks later when Susan agrees to marry ERNEST HEATH, her employer, Ben shoots at Heath, then turning the gun on himself. MRS. MILTON ACK-ROVD has informed Bob that Susan is going to marry Ben. Ben's condition is serious and Susan is distressed. JACK WARING, Heath's assistant, tells Bob that Susan is still free. Bob tries to find her but can not. Susan's aunt who is ill goes south and Susan stays with friends. She does not get Bob's message. Ben begins to show signs of recovering and Susan tries to tell Heath she can not marry him because she does not love him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXXVII
AFTER wavering in the balance for several days Ben Lampman's condition suddenly improved. The doctor announced that Ben would recover. Susan did not make another trip to the hospital. From Ernest Heath she heard the details of Ben's convalescence. As soon as the young man was strong enough to travel he would go to California where a job in an orchestra awaited him.

Poor Ben! There was something pitiful about him, even about his magnificently foolish behavior. Susan was delighted to know that his recovery was certain but the inevitable reaction had set in. She was annoyed with Ben for having made her conspicuous. She felt he had placed her in a false and ridiculous position. It wasn't as if she had ever encouraged him. She hadn't. And she had him to thank for opening anew the whole problem of her marriage.

Before the shooting her course had seemed so simple and so plain. It had seemed both generous and wise of her to accept Ernest Heath's name and protection. Now she saw that love was never wise but always irrational, wild and passionate. It was Ben who had made that clear to her. She knew he had not meant to do it but he had accomplished it just the same.

She procrastinated. She let the days pass without coming to a decision. She even wore, nowadays, on the third finger of her left hand a ring with a single, shining stone. She would plan each night how to tell Ernest Heath on the morrow of her change of heart but always at the last minute her courage would fail. Then, too, she had to think of Aunt Jessie. She had

promised herself she would take care of Aunt Jessie always.

She tried to talk to Rose about it but there was not much help from that quarter since she did not dare to speak of Bob Dunbar. After all, what was there to tell? She and Bob had shared a few glorious moments of perfect mutual comprehension. Once in a life time, fools and wise men say, one meets his mate. Whether this be true or not, Susan thought she had found hers in this tall, fair, sunburned young man whose world was so different from hers. But how could she explain all that to Rose? Practical Rose would ask, "Did he ever say anything? I mean did he ever say to marry him?" And Rose would be sure to shake her head sadly over the admission that he had not. Rose approved of Ernest Heath. She said and thought that Susan was a lucky girl.

SO the days slipped by and nearer came the date set for the wedding. Aunt Jessie wrote glowing letters from Florida. She was feeling ever so much better, she said. She would be home soon.

One afternoon when Susan went over to the little house to see if all was well there she met Mr. Schultz, the next door neighbor.

"Young feller's been around asking about you," he told her.

Susan's heart gave a wild leap. It was preposterous, of course, but she supposed Bob should have been looking for her! She forced herself to speak casually. "What was he like?" she asked.

Mr. Schultz was, as he would have put it, "no great hand at description." He fumbled for words. "Oh, a sort of medium sized—well maybe he was tallish, young feller," he said slowly. "He wore a gray overcoat and no hat like these college boys selling magazines."

Her disappointment was keen. "I guess maybe he was one of those," Mr. Schultz said, feeling he had failed her but not quite knowing why.

"I suppose so," Susan answered. When she went into the house she heard the telephone bell ringing and sped for it but just before she reached the dining room the bell gave a final gasp and stopped. Susan picked up the receiver with fingers that trembled. The operator's matter-of-fact voice droned, "Number please?"

"You called this number," Susan told her fiercely.

"Sorry but there's no one on the wire now."

alarm on his clothing shop broken, he decided to remain in the store all night and sent the day's receipts home by his wife. No one attempted to break into the store, but Mrs. Goodman was held up and robbed of \$65 before she reached her home.

It's hard to determine whether congress is really serious in its economy fight, or whether it's just shadow boxing.

GUARDED WRONG SPOT

By United Press.
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Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER (re-election)
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Eastland Society and Club News

Office Phone 601 Eastland

Mother's Day Services

Although the weather was quite inclement Sunday, there were good crowds at all the services. At the opening of the morning preaching service, the young people's department of the Sunday school, under the direction of W. J. Herrington, presented a Mother's Day pageant in four scenes, the young mother and her babies, the middle aged mother, the aged mother and the vacant chair. These scenes were presented to the accompaniment of beautiful music, the vocal solo part by Mrs. Cecil Nelson, the vocal quartet, Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Wenifred Pentecost, Opal Hunt and Aurelia Hunt. After this very impressive scene, Judge Clyde Garrett paid a beautiful tribute to the mothers of our nation, following which the old, though ever-loved song, "My Mother's Bible" was sung as a trio by James Simmons and Brown brothers. In the absence of Rev. O. H. Darby, the pulpit was filled by Rev. W. H. Muston of this city, who delivered a tender and inspiring message, using the text, "Honor Thy Father and Thy Mother, that thy days may be long in the land that the Lord thy God giveth thee."

Methodist Special

Promptly at 7:30 this evening the doors of the banquet hall of the Methodist church will be open to dinner guests. It will be the occasion of a big get-together for all the Methodist of Eastland. An appetizing pot lunch dinner will be served without charge. An interesting program will follow. Dr. George W. Shearer will be master of ceremonies. Dr. Cullen H. Booth will give a short address. Eastland speakers will also be on the program. Miss Wilda Dragoon will present John Allen Mouser in a violin solo with Clair June Kimble, accompanist, at the piano. Messrs. Knox, Pearce, Collier and Herring will appear on program in quartette.

Sunbeams Celebrate Birthday

The Sunbeams were four years old Saturday, having been organized four years ago by Mrs. W. T. Turner. A happy crowd of boys and girls gathered at the church Saturday morning at 9:30 to properly celebrate this important occasion. A beautiful birthday cake in four tiers had been baked by Mrs. R. L. Young and Mrs. W. J. Herring for the W. M. S. Mrs. S. C. Walker, as president of the W. M. S., had the honor of cutting the cake, which, with theiced lemonade made by Miss Gretchen Over-

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OUT OUR WAY



BY SISTER MARY NEA Service Writer OF course the person who is eating to grow thin will have to give up pies and cakes and all deserts beginning or ending with cream, but she may partake of almost any fruit ice, providing it is not too sweet, many gelatine deserts, most of the "snaws" and puddings made with fruit and Irish moss or agar-agar in place of cornstarch.

It's well to remember, too, that deserts made with yolk of egg are fattening, while those made with white of egg are not. Some deserts are simple enough themselves but their sauces contain the damaging flesh-producing calories. The home-maker who wants the same dessert to answer for a reducing diet and a normal one as well can sometimes solve her problem in the sauce. Whipped cream served with a plain fruit gelatine makes the dessert pleasing to the diner's palate when it begins to thicken. A soft custard sauce can be served to the family and omitted from the special serving.

Mashed cubes of fruit - frozen fruited - always can be served to one who is on a reducing diet. All fresh fruits with the exception of grapes and bananas are permissible. Fresh fruit combined with the frozen fruit makes a regular "party" dessert for the too plump.

Gelatin deserts can be varied if the mixture is whipped with a drier beater when it begins to thicken. Whip it until light and foamy and chill thoroughly before serving. Keep in mind, too, that gelatine deserts that are to be eaten without cream will be more palatable if they are not too firm. They must be chilled to the nth degree. Fruit whips and souffles made from stewed or fresh fruits can be used if they aren't made too sweet. Snow pudding is an excellent example of a dessert that satisfies the whole family. The yolks of the eggs are used for the sauce which is served to the reducing member.

Riviera Octopus Seizes Young Boy

By United Press. LE LAVANDOU, France.—A giant octopus nearly cost of the life of a five-year-old child at this Riviera resort recently, but a young man succeeded in cutting the animal's tentacles loose. The small boy was watching the octopus in a shallow pond in the rocks when one of the tentacles wrapped itself around his arm.

Finally a man approached the animal with a long knife and slashed at the tentacle that bound the child. But the knife cut through the binding muscle and the boy was released.

CAPITOL TO GET PORTRAITS. RICHMOND, Va.—More than 20 portraits of Virginia governors will be returned to the state capitol after years in the reading room of the state library.

charged and a thorough reorganization is under way. At about the same time the builders of a locomotive plant at Lugansk came in for public chiding, its director, M. Danilenko, being dismissed. The construction work, Commissar of Heavy showed, was unsatisfactory. He set Industry Gregory Ordzhonikidze Oct. 1 as an absolute limit for the completion of the whole plant.

The other side of the picture was provided by significant "victories" coinciding with these "defeats." The first blast furnace began to produce its full quota of over a thousand tons of iron daily by the first of March.

The first large ball-bearing plant in Russia, and the largest in all Europe, was put into operation about the same time. It was built in record time, a single year, and with a minimum of foreign assistance.

Ranger Society and Club News

ARRITTA DAVENPORT Editor Ranger

22 Examinations Registered For Summer Round-Up

The annual summer round-up which is numbered each year among the most important events scheduled, is progressing nicely according to reports received from various committees this morning. The clinic was held Tuesday morning from 9:30 till 12 o'clock at Cooper ward school, with 22 examinations made with the physicians, public health nurse, Mrs. George Armstrong, and the chairman, Mrs. Burks, in charge.

The examinations were made at Young school this morning and details will be given tomorrow. Thursday morning all pre-school children will assemble at Hodges Oak Park, where the chairman, Mrs. Barney Carter, and other officials will preside. Friday morning will be devoted to children of Merriman school during the same hours. Parents desiring transportation are asked to call Mrs. Carter or Mrs. Homer Smith.

This is a matter of marked importance and every parent is urged to comply with this arrangement. Members of the civic chorus will note the practice hours as scheduled above, with time and place named. It is necessary that all singers attend these remaining practices. Every member of this choir will be expected to attend these final rehearsals and if for any reason you cannot attend, notify Carl Brumbelow, the director.

Party Celebrates Seventeenth Birthday

In a pretty spring setting made colorful through bouquets of roses and mixed clusters of other garden flowers, bridge entertained a group of the younger set last evening at the home of Mrs. D. H. Davenport, Spring road, when the hostess honored her son, Norman, on his seventeenth birthday.

Playing tables reflected many pastel hues afforded through the well chosen appointments. High score for girls was made by Miss Margaret Dennis and high score for boys by Albert Miller.

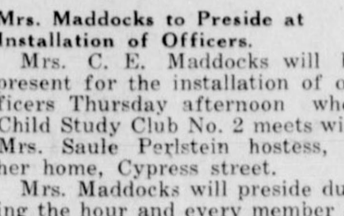
Mrs. J. W. Henderson of Dallas was a business visitor in the city today. Doyle Barton of Houston is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Barton, Straw highway.

Helping to make more pleasant and interesting the Hodges Oak Park Parent-Teacher association meeting Tuesday afternoon, which opened promptly at 3:45, a special musical program under the direction of Miss Gillian Buchanan and R. L. Maddox presented one of the finest programs to have been heard this season.

Students of these two splendid musicians rendered their numbers perfectly and are to be complimented for the accomplishments achieved for their term of study. Interesting reports were heard

STAGE CALLING MRS. LAMONT AFTER HIT

With meager experience and but five days' rehearsal, Mrs. Frances Kent Lamont, socially prominent wife of Robert P. Lamont, Jr., and daughter-in-law of the U. S. secretary of commerce, swagged onto a Denver stage in the role of Sadie Thompson in "Rain" and walked away with the show. Her success won her an offer of a regular place in the stock company's cast. Her husband is now in Russia discussing improvement of the cattle industry with Soviet officials. Mrs. Lamont is pictured here in dress of role.



PERSONALS

former Miss Mary Jane Bond, sister of Mrs. Ben Whitehouse. Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Baker have returned from a visit to Amarillo, where they visited relatives. Mrs. E. E. Hollis of Snyder, mother of Mrs. Roy W. Gilbreath, is visiting here as the house guest of the Gilbreaths.

Well, well. The senate has found out that the banks have quit lending money. Who'll volunteer to tell that august body who won the last world series?

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