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## FIGHT FOR BONUS BEFORE COMMITTEE

### Bida Trial Continued Until Judge Returns

#### GRIPINGS

By GUS  
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Apropos of the gale which blew in on us Saturday afternoon whilst the district track meet was being held in Ranger, the Great Lord (Bobby) Campbell of Breckenridge composed a column that makes the lies of Baron Munchausen sound reasonable by comparison.

Since it has been a long time since Bobby wrote my column, and since I don't want you to miss this masterpiece of West Texas descriptive matter, I shall lift it and print it and go out amongst the populace to paddle my wares. O-K-a-n-a-y, Bobby!

**Strong Tail Wind.**  
As we visit this Oil Belt district athletes are hurdling hurdles and dashing dashes at the annual district meet. The meet is in progress at Ranger, which city is noted for the fact it has no strangers, and the gold flows higher and you like water down Gonzales creek after a deluge. Unless we miss our guess some new records will be hung up in the meet, due to the swift wind that was blowing parts of West Texas and New Mexico up and down Walker street this p.m. The athletes will be running to escape the sand, and, aided by the ever approaching wind should gallop to new marks. We have not taken into consideration the possibility that the tracksters might be running against the wind. If so, they will still set some new records as it would be the true old case of taking one step forward and being blown seven backward.

**A New Method.**  
If the sand is blowing up nostrils and in ears at Ranger today the athletes are getting a mild taste of what the far West Texas athletes endure each year right about this time. The sand is so thick and blows so fast out there during track meets that no chalk lines are used to designate paths. The lines are made of white twine stretched very taut; also tight. This not only enables the officials to keep the lines from blowing over into the next county, but serves as a guide to the runners.

**They Learn Fast.**  
They learned long ago never to throw the javelin into the wind, they tried it once and it came back faster than it went out and punctured four track officials and an announcer. They didn't mind the announcer, but track officials are scarce in the land of dunes and sand.

**It's An Ill Wind.**  
But the shot put boys laugh up their sleeves and snicker vociferously at the sandstorms. The sand comes so fast that it eats the lead and steel away, giving the lingers more distance. We recall vividly one track meet where a big fellow sent the shot right into the middle of a big sand cloud. When it came out on the other side it was a B-F shot, and a kid picked it up and put it in his argon and slew a sparrow.

**Really It's True.**  
The mile runners are the ones that suffer. They have to battle the elements for many laps, and unless a youth is fast he should not enter the mile at all. Last year, we believe it was, a slow mile runner started out and each foot he stepped he added more sand to his jersey and short pants. When he finally finished he had a garden full of carrots and spinach growing out of his chest.

**Easy Going.**  
The condition that prevails, of course, make a difference in the way athletes must train. They can't develop their wind to any extent, as the wind has already been developed sufficiently.

**Track coach divides his squad into two equal teams each afternoon and makes them throw sand in each others' eyes.**

**Lost By a State.**  
At the conclusion of one meet held as a sandstorm swept the terrain it was found that an underdog school had walked away with the tournament by winning both the broad and high jump events. Not until two days later was it discovered that the jumpers weren't even in the meet, but had just blown down from New Mexico and landed there by chance.

**Enough is Enough.**  
We must now light our pipe in.

#### WEATHER

By United Press.  
West Texas—Fair, frost in north east portions. Tuesday fair and warmer.

#### CASES TO BE HEARD LATER ON CALENDAR

Baskin Trial Will Be At A Later Date When Beer Returns.

Acting on the authority of his appointment by presiding Judge P. A. Martin of Wichita Falls, Honorable George L. Davenport sitting as temporary judge in the 88th district court in the absence of Judge Been this morning ordered the trial of Frank Bida continued until such time as Judge Been returns to his bench and re-arranges the case on the docket.

Judge Been was appointed by Judge Martin to sit as a special judge in the court at Longview to hear some oil litigation cases. He was detained there and found it impossible to return here to open his court this morning.

Judge Been informed Judge Martin that it would be impossible for him to be present and Judge Martin appointed Judge Davenport of the 91st district court to sit temporarily in the 88th court this week.

Judge Davenport's court had already advanced for the trial of some cases this week and Judge Davenport recessed his own court this morning long enough to go into the 88th court and pass the order postponing the Bida case.

It is said to be a rather unusual procedure but nevertheless, quite legal and the only course available under existing circumstances.

**Baskin Trial Continued.**  
Chief of Police John Guinn of Temple accompanied by D. Q. Baskin of Temple were in Eastland this morning where they were to appear in the interest of Baskin's brother, Sam Baskin, in connection with the charges against Baskin and Frank Bida arising from the explosion and burning of the Bida Service Station in Eastland.

After the announcement of the postponement of the trial, Guinn and D. Q. Baskin returned to Temple and Sam Baskin returned to Edgewood where he is now making his home with his parents.

**Club Shoot Is Called Off Sunday Because of Wind**

The shoot between the American Legion Rifle club of Ranger and the rifle club at Breckenridge, scheduled to have been held in Breckenridge on Sunday, was postponed until later in the week on account of the wind storm that blew up Saturday and continued throughout Sunday.

A telephone call to Breckenridge Sunday showed that the wind was as high there as in Ranger and it would be almost impossible to hold the meet.

A date later in the week is to be set for the match, which will be held in Breckenridge.

#### Pioneer Eastland County Woman Is Buried On Monday

Mrs. L. A. Basham, pioneer citizen of Eastland county and for a number of years a resident of Pleasant Grove, died at her home Sunday afternoon after an illness of several years.

Mrs. Basham has lived in Eastland county for many years and the family is well known throughout the northern and eastern portion of the county.

The deceased is survived by two sons, Will and Jim, Basham, and three daughters, all of whom are married.

Funeral services were to be conducted at Pleasant Grove this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. C. Taylor officiating. Interment will be at Pleasant Grove immediately following the services.

Mrs. Basham was a member of the Missionary Baptist church for many years before her death and was one of the willing workers of the church.

#### Sheriff Foster Is Witness At Ft. Worth

Sheriff Virge Foster is in Fort Worth today where he was called as witness in the Fitzsimmons trial. The Fitzsimmons brothers are charged with the holdup of the Western Supply company in Fort Worth and were alleged to have been in Eastland at the time of the robbery.

#### BIG ACCIDENT AT THE ZOO



Somewhat comparable to a giraffe with a sore throat, is an elephant with a broken leg. And it's a broken leg that has laid low Zooboo, 350-pound baby elephant, as you see him here in his stall at Atlantic City, N. J. Zooboo slipped and fell while ill with colic recently. It required a block and tackle to get his leg in that plastic cast.

#### RANGER GOLF TEAM TIES JACKSBORO IN MATCHES PLAYED IN WINDSTORM

Ranger golfers played another tie, the second in the first five matches of the Oil Belt Golf association schedule, Sunday when they played at Jacksboro, the matches ending 7 and 7.

High winds which made driving almost impossible and putting so uncertain that the players could never tell just where their shots would go, prevailed throughout the match. The weather was cold and the players would drive put on overcoats and follow the ball, where the undressing-shooting-dressing process would be gone through again.

The feature of the match came when Jack Mooney Jr., youthful Ranger player, went 22 holes to win his match. The score stood 7 to 6 in favor of Jacksboro with only one match to be completed and young Mooney carried his opponent to the twenty-second hole to win. This win gave Ranger the tie in the matches played and gave them a chance to meet Jacksboro again later in the season to try for a win.

One upset of the day was turned in by James Phillips, who lost his match to E. E. Herring, 1-up. Phillips' loss was attributed to the high wind, which prevented him from getting off the long drives and sinking the long putts for which he is famous.

Individual scores of the matches were as follows:  
James Phillips lost to E. E. Herring, 1-up.  
D. A. Harkrider won from Al Lotz, 4-3.  
J. S. Brimberry won from J. B. Green, 1-up.  
Gid Faircloth won from Joe Carter, 1-up.  
H. H. Vaughn won from J. H. Wilson, 5-4.  
Clint Davis lost to O. S. McClurkin, 4-3.  
R. H. Snyder lost to W. Norman, 2-1.  
Ray Trammell lost to Dick Stamper, 1-up.  
J. W. Cash won from Lon Files, 6-4.  
Don Beardson won from J. B. Wells, 4-3.  
J. Haig Johnson lost to Earl Wilson, 1-up.  
Frank Conley lost to E. L. Douglas, 3-2.  
Jack Mooney Jr. won from K. Stewart, 1-up, 22 holes.  
H. S. Von Roeder lost to C. W. Patton, 2-up.

No date has been set for the play-off of the Ranger-Jacksboro tie, but April 24 has been set for the date on which Thurber and Ranger will play off the tie between the two clubs. Ranger and Thurber tied 12 to 12 on March 27.

#### Funeral Services Held Sunday For J. M. Landtroop

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Central Baptist church, Ranger, for James Marshall Landtroop, 16, who was fatally injured while hunting near Ranger several days ago. He died in the hospital late Saturday.

Services were conducted by Rev. H. H. Stephens, pastor of the church. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery immediately following the church services.

Young Landtroop was accidentally shot in the head while hunting. He was rushed to the West Texas Clinic and Hospital in Ranger, where he was showing gradual improvement prior to his death, which came rather unexpectedly.

#### Eastland Gas Man Gets Plaque For No Accident Year

Frank W. Williams, manager of the Community Natural Gas company, received a plaque this morning which is a certificate that the Eastland office is on the honor roll of the company for not having had a lost time accident in the year 1931.

The plaque is signed by Chester I. May, vice president, and T. L. Chase, president of the Community Natural Gas company.

#### Mexican Dies In Fire In Oil Town

BEKVILLE, Texas, April 11.—Fernandez Velasquez was burned to death today at Pettus, oil town 17 miles north of here, in a fire that destroyed the business section.

#### MASS MEETING ON BONUS IS TO BE TONIGHT

A mass meeting of citizens of Eastland, Ranger and neighboring towns, together with members of Legion posts from the towns, has been called for tonight at 8 o'clock in the legion hall at Ranger.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss payment of the remaining half of the adjusted service certificates now held by veterans of the World war.

Joe H. Jones, criminal district attorney of Eastland county; Grady Owen, assistant criminal district attorney; W. S. Adamson, attorney of Ranger, and H. C. "Andy" Anderson of Ranger have been selected as speakers for the meeting tonight. Each speaker will make a 10-minute talk, after which round table discussion of the merits of the cash payment of the certificates at this time will be held.

The object of the meeting is to determine the attitude of the merchants and business men of the surrounding territory toward the cash payment in order that the congressmen and senators from this part of the country may be notified of the attitude of the people.

In order that expressions may be obtained from the majority of the people, every business man in the towns of this section of the country are cordially invited to attend the meeting and to take part in the discussions.

The meeting has been called by the Carl Barnes post of the American Legion, but it is expected that as many business men will be present as representatives of the legion and their opinions will be given as much attention as though they were members of the legion.

All ex-service men, who are not members of any post, are also cordially invited by the post officers to be present and to express their views on the question.

#### Texas Crops Are Damaged By Cold

AUSTIN, April 11.—Frost and freezes during March reversed optimistic outlooks for Texas farmers, damaged fruit and field crops and delayed planting, state and federal departments of agriculture jointly reported today.

Drying winds, which swept across the state late in March, reduced surface moisture. Rains are needed for all crops, pastures and stock tanks, the report says.

#### Eastland City Manager's Mother Dies On Sunday

Mrs. Mattie Marlow, 65, died at the home of a son, W. C. Marlow, Eastland city manager, at 10:30 Sunday night after a critical illness since Wednesday of last week. She is survived by two sons, W. C. Marlow of Eastland, C. P. Marlow of Peacock, two daughters, Mrs. O. L. Starr of Iran, Texas, and Mrs. R. C. Ruffner of Eastland, and a brother, Judge S. J. Isaacs of El Paso, who was at the bedside at time of her death.

Funeral services are to be held by Rev. H. B. Johnson of Ranger at the Methodist church in Eastland this afternoon at 3:30. Interment in Eastland cemetery.

#### Former Ranger Man Is Killed In Car Accident

Floyd E. (Bill) Bates formerly with the Lone Star Gas company at Ranger, was fatally injured in an automobile accident this morning at 11 o'clock, according to word received in Ranger today by the Lone Star Gas company. The accident occurred on the road between Pecos and Monahans and Bates died in the hospital at Pecos at 1:30 this afternoon.

Bates was connected with the Lone Star Gas company at Ranger for about two years, leaving his position there about four months ago.

The deceased was a brother of J. A. Bates of the Lone Star Gasoline company of Breckenridge.

#### PIONEER IS DEAD

CLAYTON, N. M., April 11.—Charles A. Law, 68, pioneer attorney and resident here 30 years, died yesterday of paralysis. Included among the survivors are Albert, a son, publisher of the Latimesa (Texas) Reporter.

#### Victim Faces Kidnap Suspects



Three men, accused of kidnaping Benjamin P. Powers, official of a Denver baking company, are on trial in Denver, Colo., where Bowers testified that he was held captive 100 hours and released only on promise to pay \$50,000. Photo shows Mr. and Mrs. Bowers entering court.

#### Sea Lions Still Puzzle For County Officers As Body of Trainer Is Shipped To Relatives In New York

The body of Solly Abraham, who was fatally injured in an automobile mishap in the city limits of Eastland Friday afternoon was sent to New York this morning by Hammer Undertaking company. County Judge Clyde Garrett exchanged telegrams with relatives there Saturday and Sunday which resulted in the forwarding of the body.

No definite arrangements have been made for the disposal of the trained sea lions of which Abraham was owner and trainer. A shipment of fish on which to feed the lions has been ordered and is expected to arrive in Eastland this afternoon.

A telegram was received by Garrett from relatives of Abraham in New York expressing appreciation for his interest in the matter and saying that further instructions would be forthcoming.

A telegram was received from the officials in determining what disposition to make of the sea lions and automobiles.

#### Man Is Killed In "Talk of Still"

FORT WORTH, April 11.—Pricedale, 38, died today from a bullet fired from his own gun.

Richard Hughes, farmer, living eight miles out of the city on the Mansfield road, told officers that he killed Pricedale during a scuffle after a "talk about a still."

#### Brilliant Soloists Will Appear On Russian Chorus

Great interest is being evidenced in local musical circles over the appearance here, on April 13, afternoon and evening, at high school auditorium of the world famous Royal Russian Chorus, who are now making their second American tour, under the direction of Walter Lowe, the well-known Pacific Coast impresario. The chorus is conducted by Princess Agrenea Slaviansky, one of the few internationally recognized women conductors, and in addition to singing a remarkable program of Choral selections, ranging from the severely classical, to the light, and humorous folk-song and presenting half a dozen clever Russian, Hungarian, and Gypsy dances, they will display several brilliant soloists, each acclaimed as a gifted artist.

Delightful vocal combinations will also be presented, in duets, trios, quartets, and in both male and female choral numbers, making up a program of remarkable versatility, and most delightful entertainment, all given in gorgeous costumes.

#### PATMAN GOES INTO MERITS OF MEASURE

Appears As Witness Before Ways and Means Committee.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The fight for a soldier's cash bonus began today with only a few dozen spectators present as representative Wright Patman, democrat of Texas argued for issuance of more than two billion dollars of new currency to pay the veterans.

Patman, author of the bill for cash payment was the first witness before the house ways and means committee, beginning consideration of one of the most highly controversial subjects before congress.

Patman told the committee that more than 2,000,000 veterans are unemployed. In addition, he said, many are on part-time work.

Chairman Crist, placed in the record a telegram from Major General Smedley Butler endorsing the bonus payment and regretting his inability to appear verbally before the committee.

#### HUMBLE MEETS CRUDE PRICE IN 15c HIKE

HOUSTON, April 11.—The Humble Oil and Refining company today announced a revised price schedule in which it met the advance in crude prices recently initiated by other companies.

The bulleting was accompanied by a statement by President Farish who said the increase was due in part by appeals from many sources.

#### Markets

Closing selected New York stocks:

|                   |         |
|-------------------|---------|
| American Can      | 50 1/2  |
| Am P & L          | 7 3/4   |
| Am Smelt          | 7 1/2   |
| Am T & T          | 106 1/2 |
| Anacosta          | 5 3/4   |
| Auburn Auto       | 50 3/4  |
| Aviation Corp Del | 2 3/4   |
| Barnsdall         | 4 1/4   |
| Beth Steel        | 13 1/4  |
| Byers A M         | 9 1/2   |
| Canada Dry        | 7       |
| Gen Elec          | 4 3/4   |
| Chrysler          | 11 1/2  |
| Curtiss Wright    | 8 1/2   |
| Elect Au L        | 14 1/2  |
| Elec St Wheel     | 20      |
| Foster Wheel      | 5       |
| Fox Films         | 2 1/4   |
| Gen Elec          | 4 3/4   |
| Gen Mot           | 11 1/2  |
| Gillette S R      | 16 3/4  |
| Goodyear          | 9 3/4   |
| Houston Oil       | 13 1/2  |
| Int Cement        | 8 1/2   |
| Int Harvester     | 24      |
| Johns Manville    | 12 3/4  |
| Kroger G & B      | 11 1/2  |
| Liq Carb          | 14 1/2  |
| Montg Ward        | 6 1/2   |
| Nat Dairy         | 22 1/2  |
| Para Publix       | 4 1/4   |
| Phillips P        | 4 1/4   |
| Prairie O G       | 4 1/4   |
| Pure Oil          | 3 3/4   |
| Purity Bak        | 7 1/2   |
| Radio             | 5       |
| Shars Roebuck     | 20 3/4  |
| Shell Union Oil   | 12 1/2  |
| Southern Pac      | 13 1/2  |
| Stan Oil N J      | 25 1/2  |
| Socoyn Vac        | 8 1/2   |
| Studebaker        | 5 1/2   |
| Texas Corp        | 10 1/2  |
| Texas Gulf Sul    | 16 1/4  |
| Tex Pac C & O     | 1 1/2   |
| U S Gypsum        | 14 1/2  |
| U S Ind Alc       | 21 1/2  |
| U S Steel         | 33 1/2  |
| Vanadium          | 8       |
| Westing Elec      | 22 1/2  |
| Worthington       | 8 1/2   |

#### Cur Stocks

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|----------------|--------|
| Cities Service | 4 1/4  |
| Ford M Ltd     | 3 1/2  |
| Gulf Oil Pa    | 29 1/4 |
| Humble Oil     | 42 1/2 |
| Niag Hud Pwr   | 4 1/2  |
| Stan Oil Ind   | 14     |



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### FINDING JOBS FOR THE JOBLESS

In the closing days of March the national campaign launched to provide jobs for a million jobless ones reported 307,000 had been placed. The stunt of the committee is to find a million jobs for a million idle men and Minnesota, a farm state, has led all the rest. When it comes to facing the issue, flush times or dull times, the farmer man does not hide out, the tightens his belt, he reduces his rations, and then he moves onward to make the world a "fitter place to live." These "sons of wild jackasses" appear to be on the firing line in the rural regions of America. They are diggers. And from the beginning of a primitive civilization to the present they are the boys who have wrestled with the earth to produce food and garments and shelter and all other wealth for the makers of things. Destroy their purchasing power and the makers of things come out of their trance and ask "what the devil has happened to business?"

### PRESIDENT HOOVER AS AN EARNEST PLEADER

President Hoover has made another plea to the national lawmakers to balance the budget and a very searching appeal to the American people to join hands in order to provide the revenue not only for the support of the government but to wipe out deficits and maintain the credit of the nation. Governor Gifford Pinchot of Pennsylvania makes daily appeals to the voters of Pennsylvania as well as to the American voters to join hands in a nation-wide drive to turn out of office those who are suspected of serving "the predatory classes."

A queer political fish is Gifford Pinchot. His brilliant wife is seeking a congressional seat in the coming Pennsylvania primaries. Her mission as well as her ambition is to return Rep. Lewis McFadden, republican, to private life. McFadden is the congressman who proclaimed from the political house-tops when a moratorium was granted to Germany "that the President of the United States betrayed his country." Now Mrs. Pinchot is going to avenge the alleged insult offered to the President of the republic by capturing his seat while her distinguished husband is laboring with his cudgel daily the President, who is a candidate for renomination and for re-election. Politics makes strange bedfellows in the same household.

### INCOME TAX PAYERS AND THEIR STANDING

Speaker John N. Garner and a Democratic House with the aid of many Republican representatives, put over the reconstruction billion dollar revenue measure. Income tax payers are reminded that the tax on net incomes, both earned and from dividends under the bill sent to the Senate by the house, would be \$80 on the first \$4000 or 2 per cent; \$160 on the next \$4000, or 4 per cent. Also, the normal tax on everything above the first net \$8000 would be 7 per cent. But the total tax paid on \$8000, would be \$260, because our taxes begin at \$6000 net income. Above that must be added 1 per cent to \$10,000; 2 per cent from \$10,000 to \$14,000; 3 per cent from \$14,000 to \$15,000. Then add 1 per cent for each additional \$2000 up to \$80,000. Then add 1 per cent for each additional \$5000 up to \$100,000. Surtax on net incomes of \$100,000 is \$20,100. Upon all net incomes above \$100,000 the government collects 40 per cent.

Responsibility goes with power. A sales tax was throttled by a democratic house. A democratic house with republican assistance is responsible for the revenue measure sent to the senate for the consideration of that very dignified as well as sedate lawmaking body. Americans danced lively and wildly; now they are going to pay for the music.

### ANOTHER MAMMOTH CAVE A WAY DOWN IN TEXAS

Place Dr. Frank Ernest Nicholson in the explorer's big picture. He discovered a 25,000,000-year-old cavern under the skies of Texas and the cavern contained blind fish, white bats, and milk colored frogs. This cave of caves is 20 miles northwest of San Antonio on the old Spanish Trail in the hills near Boerne. It ends with a body of water 500 feet from its mouth. Giant formations hanging from the ceiling into the water give the impression of a back wall.

Garner headquarters were taken away from the Alamo City and transferred to Dallas, and just in the nick of time an explorer who will be immortalized in Texas history has saved the day by the discovery of a cave on the fringe of San Antonio which is said to be more than a rival to Carlsbad and the famous Mammoth cave of Kentucky. It is a wonder of wonders and will be opened to tourists and curiosity seekers this summer.

Daily Old Man Texas faces a new discovery of natural resource wealth that is almost staggering to his youthful mind. Why go to Kentucky? Or why go to New Mexico when there are blind fish, white bats and milk colored frogs and a vast subterranean lake with all its amazing wonders here at home.

"Tickets, please, and watch your step. This is Cascade Cavern."

### A SECOND BIG LOAN FOR MISSOURI PACIFIC LINES

An additional loan of \$12,800,000 to the Missouri Pacific Railway company has been oked by the Dawes construction corporation. All rail loans must have the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the I. C. C. granted permission to approve the second loan to the company. Washington says the approval will take care of among other things half of a loan of \$11,700,000 held by New York banks which Morgan and company had notified the carrier must pay April 1. Later the banks agreed to carry half the loans until Oct. 1 and the board of directors of the finance corporation voted a \$5,850,000 loan for the purpose subject to approval of the commission.

This was the pledge made by the administration when the president signed the reconstruction act; he declared it to be for rail relief, industrial relief, closed bank relief and for the relief of agriculture. There is a \$2,000,000,000 corporation. See to it that the relief is given all along the line, in all American commonwealths and to all industries which have relief coming to them in thawing out the legitimate frozen credits and in starting in active motion the wheels of all industries and all legitimate wealth making and labor giving equipment.

## Life Story of a Tax Bill!



### Long Missing Pilot Returns



Unheard of for nine years, Madeline Moisant, first woman to win a pilot's license in the United States, arrived in Los Angeles aboard the liner Santa Teresa to disclose that she now owns and operates a huge coffee plantation in San Salvador. Top picture shows her on arrival while below is a reproduction of her pilot's license, issued in 1911, with the aviatrix wearing the fashionable garb of that day.

### Ranger Tire Man Experiments With Inflated Tubes

J. C. Heflin, proprietor Hicks Rubber company, Ranger, is experimenting with tubes to see how large one can be blown up without bursting. He had one on display in his store Saturday what was five feet high.

### New Manager For A. & P. Grocery Arrives In Ranger

F. E. Walker of Ennis, Texas, has accepted the management of the local A. & P. store in Ranger. Mr. Walker has been in the food and grocery business for years and comes to Ranger to make his home. Mrs. Walker and children will join him here just as soon as the present term of school is over.

### Woman Deputy Is Guard At Court

ATTLEBORO, Mass.—For the first time in Massachusetts' history, recently, a woman deputy sheriff did guard duty during a session of the superior court.

The woman, Mrs. Annie M. O'Hare, of this city, was appointed as a deputy sheriff last year, being the first of her sex to hold such an office in New England.

## BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

BY RODNEY DUTCHER  
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON.—Congress has been almost buried by the scattered squawks of organized groups at proposals for taxation or federal economy, but none of the propagandists seem to be quite as steamed up as are the super-patriots of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps Association over rumors that certain cuts may be made in expenditures for the army.

The army and navy eat up 17 per cent of the government's disbursements, to say nothing of another 33 per cent that goes for veterans and war debts, and that expense was once considered safe from the economy axe. But lately one has heard proposals to cut there as elsewhere, which lead to a fearful shriek from Lieut.-Col. Orval Johnson, executive secretary of the R. O. T. C. group.

Johnson has issued an "emergency message" to all "patriots" warning that Communists, pacifists, churchmen and other elements seeking the overthrow of the government will win a tremendous victory unless "patriotic Americans" will "stand shoulder to shoulder to defeat them."

Colonel Johnson fears that army officers will have their pay and allowances cut along with other federal employees, that 2000 officers will be retired from among the army's 12,000 or more and that there will be a 10 per cent cut in army appropriations. He has suddenly organized a "Citizens' National Safety Committee" to ward off that "catastrophe," as he calls it.

Congressman Ross Collins of the House Appropriations subcommittee in charge of the War Department appropriation, says those officers ought to be retired for the sake of efficiency.

### Says Army Overstaffed

HE says the army is overstaffed with officers, that all officers are consequently becoming inefficient, that there are 12,000 officers to 118,000 enlisted men, whereas the National Defense Act established a proportion of but 16,000 officers to 280,000 men, that the promotion list is notoriously clogged by old, expensive officers whose continuance dentures.

## DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

WILL G. ROSS, Editor of the Frankfort (Ind.) Times, says:

That advertising is simply business news. It creates in prospective customers the desire to buy. It has made millionaires by creating markets for certain products.

It has revived dead businesses and put them on the road to prosperity. It has inspired the peoples of the world to attain a higher plain of living by bringing before them modern inventions, conveniences and labor saving devices.

It has inspired inventive geniuses to explore new fields. It will re-create confidence in banks. It has been the main business exciter throughout the past decades and will continue to be throughout the years to come.

It will have an important part in eliminating the unemployment problem facing the nation and will prove to be an important factor in the government's reconstruction program.

Eliminate advertising and the world will go into bankruptcy; factories will close, railroads will cease to operate and chaos will reign.

There was a time when competition was the life of trade, but today advertising takes its place. There can be no trade worthwhile without advertising. A man with great ideas is helpless without advertising.

## PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE

with BILL MAYES

The most outstanding achievement of the district track and field meet held in Ranger Saturday afternoon was the performance of Perkins of Graford, who single-handed, won second place for his school against the entire track teams of Breckenridge, Cisco and Ranger. Eastland's team was the only combination competing in the events that was able to surpass the efforts of Mr. Perkins.

The youth from Graford, a little town of 481 inhabitants, won first place in the 220-yard dash against the fleet-footed Milley of Cisco, who was conceded first place in the three dash events. Perkins also won first place in the shot put to upset the dope in that event and took first in the broad jump, second in the 100-yard dash and fourth in the discus.

Had Perkins been allowed by the rules to enter more than five events it is possible that he could have won first place in the meet. He is reported to be a good man in the javelin throwing and could possibly have taken a second or third place, if not a first, in the 440.

The coach from Graford said that Perkins had won events at the state meet for three years.

Golfers from Ranger were bemoaning the fact that they had to play Sunday in a windstorm. It made golf more a game of chance than a game of skill.

"The Jacksboro course," members said today "is one of the best in this part of the country and was just made for Phillips' style of playing. It is as good a course, if not better, than the one at Mineral Wells, on which Phillips always turns in a good score. Had the day been calm he would have surely turned in an easy win, which would have given us the margin we needed for victory."

Some of the golfers had more trouble with their drives Sunday, while others had trouble with their putting.

According to R. H. Snyder, who, incidentally lost his match, putting was something that he couldn't depend on at all. The greens were hard and smooth and just as the ball approached the cup a gust would usually carry it off in a fish-hook curve that would make it end up almost anywhere on the green. Had it not been for the wind long puts would have been easy, he said.

A new style of wrestling is to be seen in Ranger next Monday night. At least it will be new for Ranger. On the west coast, where wrestling is popular the Australian rules are often used and have found much favor among the fans.

The match Monday, which will be between Bobby Noveck and Tuffy McMillon, will be in rounds instead of falls, as wrestling events are usually divided. Each round will be 10 minutes in length with one minute rest between each round.

Regardless of what position the wrestlers are in at the end of 10 minutes the bell is rung and they go to their corners, as do boxers between rounds. Then after one minute of rest they start all over again. If a fall is credited to one of the wrestlers and then his opponent wins one, the outcome of the match is decided on the winner of the rounds, which is determined by the referee.

At least that is our understanding of the rules, which may or may not be right. Anyway, wrestling fans will have an opportunity Monday night to determine whether they prefer this system or not. Probably an announcer will be necessary in order to let the people know just what is happening at the end of each round. Aw, well, you can figure out things for yourself or go and see how it works.

Speakers from Eastland and Ranger are going to inform the public on the inside dope on the cash payments on adjusted service certificates tonight at a mass meeting to be held at Legion Hall, Ranger.

Personally we know just how the whole question is going to be decided in Congress, but we are not going to air our views publicly because congress, like elections, juries and the stock market, has a way of crossing up those who know all about what to expect.

There are points and arguments on both sides, but we have heard so many good ones for payment recently that we have just about forgotten the ones against it.

The veterans object to calling it a bonus, so we might explain that adjusted service certificate is too long to go in a headline so we have to refer to it as a bonus once in a while in order to make the heading balance. We offer this defense before we hear any complaints.

### Volcanoes Active In Chilian Andes

SANTIAGO, Chile, April 11.—Volcanic activity in the Andes with heavy rumblings, slight earthquakes, and occasional spurts of smoke and flame from high in the mountains, were reported today in six provinces extending 300 miles along the mountain range.

### FORMER RANGER DIES

DALLAS, April 11.—Green Harrison, 74, prominent attorney and political leader and former Texas ranger, died at his home today.

## The TINYMITES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

POOR Duncy! In the bubble, he was just as scared as he could be. The film of soap had formed around him, but he knew not how to get out. Then, to his surprise, he heard a shout. "Get me out of here! Don't stand there and stare. I'm frightened! Try and burst this thing right now!"

"The others, though, were frightened too! They didn't know just what to do. All of a sudden Duncy said, 'I know who played this trick. It was the bubble man. How sad! Remember? Duncy made him mad. And now he's getting even with a stunt he thinks is slick.'"

"WHY, old man bubble is not here. Your hunch is wrong. I sadly fear, said Windy 'It is just bad luck that poor, wee Duncy's trapped.'"

"Perhaps, though, we can set him free. Come, lads, we'll try it. Just watch me. I'm sure the bubble's bound to break if once it's soundly slapped."

(Duncy gets a sudden surprise in the next story.)

## — THIS CURIOUS WORLD —



MISSISSIPPI AND MISSOURI BOTH HAD THE SAME ABBREVIATION AT THE SAME TIME.



MOZART, when 14 years old, went with his father to the Sistine chapel, in the Vatican, to hear the "Miserere." The music was held in such high esteem that the musicians of the chapel were strictly forbidden to copy it or take any part of it away. But young Mozart, after hearing it a single time, went home and transcribed the entire composition from memory, with only a few minor errors.

"MI" was once the abbreviation for both Missouri and Mississippi, but because the latter had priority rights, Missouri changed to "Mo." Later on, Mississippi changed to "Miss."

THE TRIGGERFISH, Alutera, becomes an inconspicuous bit of scenery when it stands on its head. Holding to a piece of coral, keep from being moved about, the fish sways in the water and looks like the grasses growing around it.

### Hoover Tosses First Baseball Of 1932 Season

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Though he plays medicine ball every day, President Hoover has only one chance a year to show what he can do with a baseball—and today is the day.

Weather permitting the president will go to Griffith stadium this afternoon, throw out a new baseball and settle down to watch the Washington Senators and Red Sox in the first game of the season.

### Four Injured In Gas Blast

BEAUMONT, April 11.—Four men were injured, one probably fatally, in the plant of the Magnolia Petroleum company here today.

The explosion was the result of a spark from an electric motor igniting escaping gas.

### TEXAS PAPER CELEBRATES

GALVESTON, April 11.—The Galveston News, oldest newspaper in Texas, today celebrated its 90th birthday. Congratulatory messages were received from all parts of the world.

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# PRIMARY RACE IN ILLINOIS IS FREE-FOR-ALL

By DON E. CHAMBERLAIN, United Press Staff Correspondent. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 11.—Though Illinois will only select one senator and 27 congressmen at its general election next November, there will be at least 200 applicants for the 28 posts in the state's April 12 primary election.

In the republican contest for the senatorial nomination it is generally conceded that Otto Glenn, Murphysboro, present senior senator from Illinois, has the edge on his two opponents, Newton Jenkins, Chicago, and T. B. Wright, mayor of Mount Carmel.

Glenn, a war hero, has done his campaigning by long distance, remaining in Washington.

There are nine democrats seeking their party's senatorial nomination, but Scott Lucas, Havana, former national judge advocate of the American Legion, and Congressman-at-large William G. Dietrich, Beardstown, are considered foremost contenders.

Dietrich has the advantage of being the regularly endorsed organization candidate, but Lucas is endeavoring to turn this advantage into a handicap by accusing Dietrich of being the candidate of "bosses." Both are wet.

Twenty-seven candidates are seeking the nomination for congressman-at-large, two of whom are to be elected.

Among the 13 republicans seeking nomination are the present Congressman-at-large Richard Yates, Springfield, a former governor and a dry, Will C. Carson, Greenville publisher, and former Congressman George E. Pass, Chicago. Outstanding among 14 democrats, practically all of whom are wet, is Walter B. Nesbitt, Belleville, secretary of the Illinois Miners union.

There is no dearth of candidates for congressman in the state's 25 congressional districts. Contests for these seats have drawn the biggest list of candidates in Illinois election history, with every sitting congressman but one seeking renomination.

In a number of cases, sitting congressmen are without opposition in the primary, but all of them are assured of competition in the general election, unlike the last congressional election when Congressman Fred A. Britten, a leading wet and chairman of the house naval affairs committee, from the ninth Chicago district without democratic opposition.

This time, after Britten hurdles the primary where two republicans are contesting with him for the nomination, he faces a battle in the November election against one of five democrats now seeking their party nomination.

Altogether there are seven sitting congressmen who are without opposition in the primary. Four of these are democrats and three are republicans.

Democrats who will be without a primary battle are Congressmen A. J. Sabbath, Chicago; Henry T. Rainey, Carrollton; J. Earl Major, Hillsboro, and C. Barton, Colton. The republicans are Congressmen Peter C. Granata, Chicago; John C. Allen, Monmouth, and Burnett M. Chipfield, Canton.

# POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election July 23, 1932:

For Judge 8th District Court: J. D. BARKER, BURETTE W. PATTERSON, FRANK SPARKS

For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER (re-election), W. A. (Kid) HAMMETT

For District Clerk: P. L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY, W. H. (Bill) McDONALD

For County Clerk: W. C. BEDFORD

For Representative, Eastland County: J. W. COCKRILL

For County Judge: CLYDE L. GARRETT (re-election)

# CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to our beloved friends and neighbors our heartfelt appreciation for your many deeds of kindness in the illness and death of our precious son and brother. We shall always remember with love and gratefulness the many beautiful flowers you brought and the tender words of sympathy spoken.—G. F. LANDTROP AND FAMILY.—(Adv.)

# LODGE NOTICES

ATTENTION MASONS—Called meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., Tuesday, April 12, 8 p. m. Work in Fellowcraft's Degree.

P. E. MOORE, W. M. E. M. GLAZNER, Sec.

1—LOST, STRAYED, STOLEN  
LOST—Leather grain tan handbag, near Texas hotel. Return to Texas Hotel. Reward.

2—HELP WANTED, MALE  
SALESMAN to work Eastland and surrounding counties selling genuine Mineral Wells Crystals. Box M. W., Eastland Telegram, Eastland.

WANTED—2 men with light cars for saleswork; applicants must be willing to start work immediately and for approximately \$30 a week. Call H. E. Pierce, 438, Eastland.

3—HELP WANTED, FEMALE  
WANTED—4 girls for sales work. Saturday, Monday, Tuesday; good income capable. Apply Graziola Beauty Shoppe, Ranger.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES  
BRUMMETT'S BARBER SHOP—Now open for business. Opposite J. Rath Food Store, Ranger. Hair cuts 25c, shaves 15c.

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MRS. C. L. ERVIN, exclusive agent for Baldwin Piano Co. Phone 117, 411 Main st., Ranger.

MONEY TO LOAN on automobiles. C. E. MADDOCKS & CO., Ranger.

TRANSFER, Drayage and warehouse accommodations. A. J. Ratliff, phone 82, Ranger.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT  
FOR RENT—Nicely furnished house, fully modern. Call 515, Ranger.

FOR RENT or Sale—Six-rooms, breakfast nook, 803 S. Seaman st., phone 551, Eastland.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT  
3-Room apartment, close in. 220 So. Austin, Ranger.

3-Room apartment, furnished, \$15 per month; bedrooms, \$1.50 per week. Modern Hotel, 411 1/2 Main, Ranger.

FOR RENT—4-room nicely furnished apartment; private bath. 08 W. Patterson, Eastland. Minnie Lay.

22—POULTRY, PET STOCK  
SPECIAL ON CHICKS—\$5.00 per hundred. Monday and Tuesday. Chick Hatchery, phone 195.

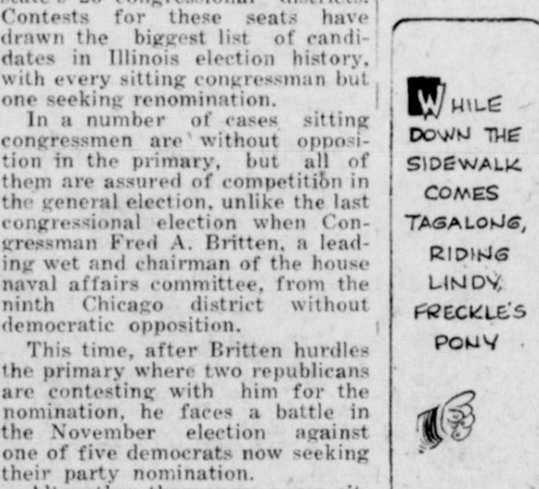
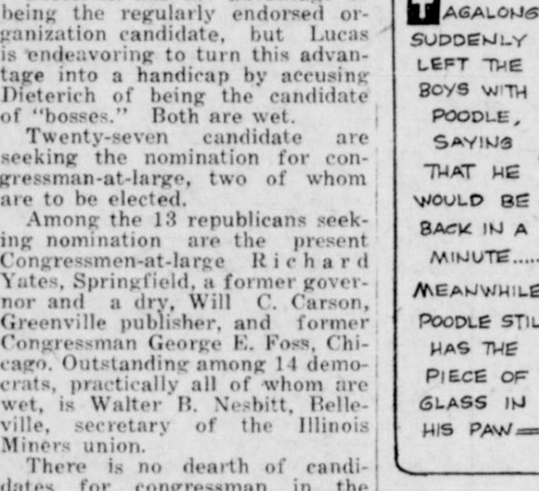
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# FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS By Blosser



# LESSON-SERMON GIVEN

The subject of the lesson-sermon was "Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, April 10.

Psalm 68:20 furnished the golden text: "He that is our God is the God of salvation; and unto God the Lord belong the issues from death."

The following passage from the Bible (Romans 8:2) was included in the lesson-sermon: "For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death."

Embraced in the service were also the following citations from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy—pages 278, 283:

"All that we term sin, sickness, and death is a mortal belief. Matter and its effects—sin, sickness, and death—are states of mortal mind which act, react, and then come to a stop. They are not facts of Mind."

# LESSON-SERMON GIVEN

study his own methods for ideas.

The athletic stunts are his avocation. His regular occupation is that of a jeweler.

The gymnastics are as necessary as his meals to his health, Gould declares. He is in what the sports writers would call the pink of condition.

His walk is spry, his bearing and sight are good, and he takes to his work with as much enthusiasm and interest as he did 30 years ago. For more than a score of years he has not taken medicine, he says.

Things were different when he was 50 according to Gould's story. His stomach was out of order; his legs were wobbly; he began to think of the end.

Rather disinterestedly he started doing a "daily dozen." He was converted.

"I do it for good health instead of bulging muscles," Gould says. "I could never turn a handspike or do any stunts like that when I was a boy, but now I can do and learn to do the acts of good gymnasts. I expect to be able to do all athletic exercises for another 20 years."

# Kansan Turns Handsprings At 73 Years of Age

By United Press. GREAT BEND, Kan.—Seventy-three years old and still turning handsprings, W. D. Gould expects to keep up the good work another 20 years.

Handsprings aren't the only feats in his repertoire. He also can walk on his hands, do back bends, cover five or six miles daily in a combination walk-run, and make the average contortionist

# NOAH WEBSTER FOUND GUILTY

By United Press. MIAMI, Fla.—Noah Webster pleaded guilty to a federal charge of possession and manufacture of liquor and possession of a still. Federal agents testified Noah was a negro, but he was white when he pleaded guilty. They charged he had blackened his face to resemble his negro companions, while operating the still as a disguise. His sentence was 60 days.

# the man HUNTERS. BY MABEL McELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Susan Carey finishes a business course and secures her first job with Ernest Heath, architect. Bob Dunbar, son of a Chicago millionaire, comforts her after a disagreeable experience with a prospective employer. Susan's Aunt Jessie, old-fashioned and strict, encourages her friendship with Ben Lammpan, a moody young musician. Ben takes her to a studio party. She is lonely but repulses the flirtatious advances of Jack Waring, who works in the same office. Bob Dunbar asks her to lunch and tells her he is going aboard. Susan realizes she is in love with him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XI



Denise Ackroyd, slim and perfect in her tailored suit of black faille, continued to stare insolently at Susan but her words were addressed to Bob Dunbar.

"Where have you been keeping yourself?" Denise went on in that high, sweet, agreeable voice, which had rung out above the others that night at the Strinsky's studio. Bob said rather uncomfortably that he had been with the family at Lake Geneva, that he had got in some golf.

"You look it," said Denise, surveying him with what Susan thought a proprietary gaze. Susan felt out of it. The other girl, with the ease and smoothness of long practice, had taken control of the situation. Susan was suddenly conscious that her rose pink shantung was all wrong. She wondered, dimly, why she had come. She was out of place in this big, cool, shining room where all the luncners seemed to know each other and stopped to talk and laugh in little intimate groups.

If the other girl was aware of any rudeness in ignoring Susan she gave no sign. She monopolized young Dunbar completely. It was only when Susan, raging in her heart, gathered up her gloves and said she must go that Denise appeared to notice her.

"Oh, you have a job, I suppose?" she said in a surprised, faintly disdainful tone. As if, thought Susan angrily, there was anything wrong about having a job!

"No, don't come with me," Susan insisted to the young man. "Really I must rush and you may as well stay and talk."

Surely he won't take me at my word, the girl thought. Surely he'll finish what he started to say before that hateful Denise interrupted!

Womanlike, Susan insisted that the young man should do exactly what she hoped he would not. She did not really believe he would take her at her word. But Dunbar by this time was bewildered by her silence and sudden coolness. He began to imagine the flash of understanding which had passed between them was nothing but a mirage. He walked with her as far as the lobby where, puzzled and annoyed by her new, distant manner he left her and returned to the restaurant and Denise.

"Boss gone?" Ray asked, glancing around casually.

Denise had devastatingly announced, had worn a hair net. Susan was different. Heath, sedate and proper as he was, had not realized what an inspiration there had been for him in this girl's eager, upward glance. The flash of dark gray eyes under long lashes, the rich apricot color that occasionally stained her cheek—irrationally now he missed them and, manlike, was annoyed without knowing why.

Listlessly Susan finished her task. Her employer, with a pricking sense of uneasiness, signed the completed letters, snatched his impeccable Panama from the rack and departed in the direction of Hubbard Woods. Susan closed and locked her desk and dawdled over the business of washing her hands. Some how she was not at all eager to go home. The dull pain at her heart which had been clamoring for notice all afternoon seemed intensified. With that sharpness of perception which seems to come to all of us after we have done an irrevocably foolish thing Susan saw how stupidly wrong she had been to leave Bob Dunbar as she had.

"You're a little fool," she told herself angrily. "You left the field completely to Denise!" She sighed and the sigh was like a groan. "What on earth's the matter?"

Susan glanced up to see the round eyes of Ray Flannery staring at her. "Nobody," said Ray sagely, "ever moaned like that unless she thought she was in love." Susan summoned the ghost of a smile, shaking her head in denial. Ray's unwinking stare met

laugh and talk flutingly of the endless nothings which seemed to make up the conversation of that particular crowd.

Ernest Heath wondered what had happened to the girl. She was so quiet and pale, so subdued. Quite unconsciously he had come in the last few weeks to depend upon and to expect the flash of glowing understanding, the ready response that was half Susan's charm. Today all that was absent.

"I wonder if the girl is ill," Heath thought, for the moment vaguely annoyed at the idea. For the first time since she had been in his employ he began to speculate, idly, on the girl's life apart from Ernest Heath, incorporated. Like most men of his type—correct, dignified, rich and unimaginative—his secretary of the moment always seemed to him to have been created for the sole purpose of arriving promptly at nine each morning, discharging her duties crisply and efficiently, and departing on the stroke of five into some dim limbo he neither knew nor cared to know about.

Miss O'Connell whose place Susan was taking had always seemed to him the veriest robot. It had never occurred to Heath to wonder what her life outside the office might be. But then Miss O'Connell was nearing 40. She wore rimless eyeglasses and, as Ray Flannery

Walking across town, Susan raged in her heart. The click of her heels kept time with her furious thoughts. "I hate her. I hate her. I hate," she stormed inwardly.

She was hard put to it to keep back the tears. The day which had seemed so perfect an hour ago was unendurable. The sun beat down on the pavements, the big policeman at Adams and Clark looked fairly wilted. No wonder, thought Susan, that girls like Denise Ackroyd, always managed to look so exquisitely turned out. They had their half hundred little French frocks, their efficient maids in the background. They had adoring parents who existed for the sole purpose, apparently, of paying bills. For the first time in her life Susan began to be really sorry for herself. She wondered rebelliously if life needed to be so utterly unfair. The corrosion of self pity ate into her soul.

It was in this mood that she entered the office hung up her hat, and with notebook in hand went into Mr. Heath's private office to take dictation. Yesterday all this had seemed quite thrilling.

She had imagination to see the poetry that lay behind the prosaic talk of stone and mellow beams and steel work. Yesterday Susan had thought of herself as a cog in this important business machine. A small cog it is true, but still a necessary one. Now she wondered dully why that had seemed to matter. She wanted passionately to be the sort of girl Denise Ackroyd was. She wanted to be able to

hers incredulously. "I know the symptoms," Ray went on, looking wise, "and take it from me, kid, it isn't worth it." Warming to her subject she perched on the nearest desk and continued, "Love's a lot of hoovey. It's all right in the movies but what I say is, leave it there." Susan laughed. She couldn't help it. Ray, with her dandelion head, her pretty face made up in what Aunt Jessie would have thought shameful fashion, Ray being philosophical, was really too funny.

"I'm telling you," Ray pursued the subject with relish, "Mamma says to me, she says, 'Don't you be going off and getting married like all these crazy kids in Edgewater, without a penny to their names.' Mamma says 'have a good time while you're young. You're only young once.' Again Susan's wan smile answered her.

"No fooling," Ray assured her. "It's the bunk. They all step out, maybe to Crown Point or St. Joe or somewhere, and first thing you know they're having a baby and you see them pushing the buggy up and down Sheridan Road on Sunday afternoon and looking like they'd cut each other's throats for a nickel."

Her description was so painfully apt that Susan giggled. Ray had taken out her make-up kit and had begun meticulously to rub more raspberry colored salve into lips already flaming. Susan watched her, fascinated. For one wild moment her impulse was to confide in Ray. Surely this knowing little creature could tell her how to handle Denise Ackroyd. But some reserve held Susan silent.

"Boss gone?" Ray asked, glancing around casually. Susan said he was.

"That's swell," Ray approved. "He's a pill if you ask me. The kind that goes around with his nose in the air."

Susan frowned faintly. "He's been very kind to me" she said.

Ray sniffed. "What I always say is, I like a fellow with a little life in him. Some one," here she lowered her shrill voice ever so little, "some one like Jack Waring."

Susan was putting on her hat in front of the mirror and so she did not hear the soft footfall behind her and was utterly taken by surprise when two warm hands clamped themselves over her eyes. But she recognized the mocking voice saying, "Who takes my name in vain?" Scarlet, confused, she turned to find herself within arm's length of that philanderer, Jack Waring, himself.

(To Be Continued)

# HARVARD MOVES OFFICIAL CLOCK

By United Press. CAMBRIDGE, Mass.—What might be called the official clock of the nation's oldest university has been transferred from its traditional position in Harvard Hall to the belfry of the new million-dollar World War memorial chapel in the Harvard Yard. The bell, which for decades has tolled the hours, weighs 4,600 pounds and has a 160-pound clapper.

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### AT RANGER HOSPITALS

**City-County Hospital.**  
Mrs. Ada Copp, who underwent an operation the latter part of last week is reported resting rather comfortably today. The general condition of Mrs. Copp points very favorably however.

**West Texas Clinic.**  
Miss Lucille Ford of Graham is doing very nicely after an operation.

Miss Jo Kimbro of Thurber, who has been a patient for the past two weeks, having undergone an operation, is reported convalescing nicely.

William Slagle is improving following an automobile accident in which he sustained serious and painful injuries.

Mrs. A. L. Wilson is resting very well after having undergone an operation.

### RANGER

## Personal

Sid Johnson and Lee Burlington of Weatherford were visitors with Ranger friends over the week-end.

Mrs. Walter Walters has returned to her home in Gladewater after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Russell, Straw highway.

Miss Elizabeth Shirley, who is attending school at Abilene, spent the week-end with her parents, C. G. King was a business visitor in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Floyd Killingsworth was a Dallas visitor yesterday.

Mrs. A. D. Boyd has as her guest this week her father, B. B. Gilder, of DeLeon.

Mrs. N. L. Devoe spent yesterday visiting friends in Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pruett of Marfa, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Pruett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nunley. Mr. Pruett will return home tomorrow while Mrs. Pruett will extend her visit several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe White of Rising Star were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davenport, Spring road. They were accompanied home by their son, Joe Jr., who arrived last Friday for a visit in the Davenport home.

Mrs. W. H. Cooper has returned to her Eastland home, following a week's visit with friends and relatives.

Charles A. Pittman of Fort Worth visited Ranger friends over the week-end.

### OREGON GOATS SECOND.

**PORTLAND, Ore.**—Oregon mohair goats are second only to Texas goats in the production per foot of mohair, observers claim. The average yield per animal in Oregon is 4.1 pounds, a half pound less than the Texas average.

### OUT OUR WAY



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY - THE RELAY STATION

### SOCIETY and CLUB NEWS

ARRITTA DAVENPORT  
Editor  
Phone 224 Ranger

#### Euzelian Class To Be Entertained.

Listed among entertainments to be given this week will be that of the party to honor members of the Euzelian class of the Central Baptist church on Thursday evening, at the home of Mrs. Burns, Lone Star plant. Co-hostess for the function will be Mrs. Moore.

#### Columbia Study Club To Hear Interesting Book Report Tuesday.

At the home of Mrs. Pete Jensen, West Main street, members of the Columbia Study club will hear an interesting book report given by Mrs. Roy Jameson at 9:30, Tuesday morning. Every member is invited.

#### Country Club Plans Barbecue and Dance.

On the evening of April 21, members of the Ranger Country club will be entertained with a chicken barbecue and dance. Details for the entertainment will be worked out soon and announced in this column. The affair will entertain members only.

#### Out-of-Town Party Guests Visit Mr. and Mrs. Surbrook.

Numbered among out-of-town guests over the week-end were Mr.

and Mrs. Art Ball and young daughter of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Butcher and sons, Robert and Richard, of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Miller of Thurber, all of whom were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Surbrook. Dinner was served at 1 o'clock with covers and for the party members, at a prettily appointed table where three courses were served.

#### Misses Ramey and Hill To Be Guests At Demonstration Meet.

Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent, with Miss Hill, district agent, will be honor guests Tuesday afternoon when the Co-Workers Home Demonstration club meets at the home of Mrs. Hayden Neal, at 2 o'clock. Feature demonstration for the hour will be rug-making, under the supervision of Miss Ramey.

#### Eastern Star To Hold Practice Wednesday at 7:30.

A practice hour has been arranged to be held at the Masonic hall on Wednesday evening at 7:30. It is highly important that all officers be present.

#### P. T. A. To Present Unusual Program.

Mrs. O. S. Driskill will preside at the Parent-Teacher association meeting of Hodges Oak Park school Tuesday afternoon at 3:45, at which hour an interesting and unusual program will be presented. Miss Janet Holmes will add to the program by giving a paper on "Book-Making and Binding." The pupils of Mrs. John Thur-

man and Mrs. O. E. Denney will also entertain with a playlet. Each member of the Parent-Teacher association will be extremely interested in this arrangement of program presentation.

#### Is Entertained With Pretty Birthday Dinner.

A color theme of white and pink was carried out in the table appointments yesterday when Mrs. and Mrs. Joe Faircloth entertained with a 1 o'clock dinner at their home, Lone Star plant, honoring Mrs. R. L. Faircloth, on her birthday.

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#### Girl Wins Long Fight For Life.

OAKLAND, Cal.—By a miracle of medicine, Dorothy Gilbert, 11, was whole again today after a 32 months' fight against burns, which doctors had formerly considered certain death. Dorothy was horribly burned about the body Oct. 30, 1929, when a candle in a Halloween pumpkin ignited her dress. When she was taken to a hospital, physicians said she was sure to die. Their knowledge told them that if one-third of the body was burned the victim had no chance. Three-quarters of the child's body was burned. But she clung to life, and for six months physicians worked on

her. They grafted skin, ordered blood transfusions. Her mother gave three points blood. Dorothy lived, but dropped away to skin and bone. After six months she was to the Stanford University valetent Home. Eventually began to gain. Now she weighs pounds more than she did at the time of the accident. She has been placed in a home in Livermore, where she will be able to play a lot. Next fall will go to school.

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### PARIS STYLES

By MARY KNIGHT,  
United Press Staff Correspondent.

**PARIS.**—The modern Maud Mullers may mow (or rake) the hay or lawn this summer with perfect nonchalance, provided they do so in something that resembles Jane Regney's rust-brown diagonal frock and coat (the coat can come off when the exercise brings on the right temperature).

This is a very active little outfit. On the coat there are grand looped up revers, and the nickel rings at the belt and on the elbow give just that touch of "something different" that the feminine heart and the masculine eye always long for. As accessories, there is a sail-or-hat (to prevent a sun-stroke) and a spotted scarf—and by these spots ye shall know—that Jane Regny has put her stamp of approval and ingenuity upon the whole sartorial scene!

### FOUR-LEGGED CHICK HATCHED

**HALIFAX, Mass.**—A healthy, four-legged chicken was hatched out on Clarence E. Devitt's poultry farm recently.



### Planning the Outdoor Living Room

In place of an open rear yard, within the view of every one, one should plan a private outdoor living room. Here one can enjoy the sunshine and work among shrubbery and gay flowers out of the sight of prying eyes. Let the turf provide a green carpet; plant beautiful trees, shrubs and evergreens to make the walls which set the room apart and green it from view. Hardy flowers can be planted along the borders to provide fragrance and color. A few trees can provide comfortable shade and fruit. Altogether, one will have a room as delightful as anyone could dream—a room which will give countless hours of enjoyment and satisfaction.

Plan an outdoor living room on the sunny side of the home, if possible, and have it easily accessible to the living rooms. The outdoor living room may be either formal or informal. The informal living room can be described as a little park where there would be no definite, regular shape or pattern followed. If one prefers this type, the center is left open as shown in the accompanying illustration. Boudry planting can be arranged along graceful, curving lines. The planting may vary in height to gain that feeling of freedom and organized irregularity so charming in the informal treatment.

When the area available for an outdoor living room is small, a formal treatment is often desirable. Such an area might well be developed adjacent to the living room and sun porch, making the boundaries an extension of the house lines.

Whether one lives in the city, in the suburbs or on the farm, there is usually much which is unpleasant to look upon. All unattractive views can be painted out with plants. One can hang a picture of one's own making in front of unsightly objects. Pyramidal trees can be planted to shut out buildings close by. Tall vines can be planted to scramble over fences, up telephone poles and completely cover garages. Evergreens can be used effectively to curtain any unpleasant object 12 months out of the year. It is as sensible to screen unsightly views as to curtain the windows of the house.

### SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

bacon often and drain off the fat as in pan broiling.

Before cooking in any of the ways mentioned, bacon can be dropped into boiling water and

**Tomorrow's Menu**  
BREAKFAST: Orange juice, cereal cooked with dates, cream, crisp broiled bacon, toast, milk, coffee.  
LUNCHEON: Finnan haddock sandwiches, cucumber pickles, peach fritters with orange sauce, milk, tea.

DINNER: Broiled sirloin steak, French fried sweet potatoes, creamed cauliflower, sliced tomato and green pepper salad, canned blueberry pie, milk, coffee.

boiled five or 10 minutes. This is an excellent way to cook bacon that is not very thin sliced since it insures thorough cooking without danger of over-cooking the fat.

Notice that in pan broiling the bacon becomes transparent and then turns opaque. At this point it is not brown in the pan, but turns brown on removal from the fire. If cooked until actually brown in the frying pan it is usually overcooked.

Close watching and careful attention to the heat makes it possible to pan broil bacon without draining off the fat. When eggs are to be cooked in the bacon "drippings," less time and effort are required for the eggs if the fat is left in the frying pan. Do not let the fat smoke, under any conditions, for overheating develops a strong burnt flavor in any article of food associated with the fat. Overheated fat undergoes a chemical change which makes it difficult to digest as well as unpleasant to the taste.

To cook bacon in the oven, place slices in a cold dripping pan and put in the center of the oven—top, bottom and sides. The oven should be hot. If a rack is not used in the dripping pan, turn the

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