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Mile relay: Desdemona, Olden. Time, 3:59.7.

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Broad jump: Anderson, Olden; Curry, Olden; Hammett, Pioneer; J. Norton, Olden. Distance, 19 feet, 8 inches.

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## Cisco Man's Car Is Recovered By County Officers

Officials of three counties cooperated in the recovery of J. M. Wilson's automobile which was found at Quanah last week. Wilson is of Cisco.

The car was registered in Abilene. Sheriff M. S. Wilson of Hardeman county notified Sheriff Burl Wheeler at Abilene. Wheeler phoned Eastland when the Hardeman county official stated he found a letter addressed to Mrs. Wilson at Cisco.

## Hamilton Man Is Buried at Flatwood

Robert Yancy, 58 years old, died at the home of his daughter at Hamilton, Monday, March 30. Funeral services were held at the Flatwood cemetery Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. E. T. Stamford of the Methodist church officiating. He was a resident of Eastland county for 30 years. He is survived by six brothers, four sisters and eight grand children.

## Eastland Honor Listing

Two points from Eastland recently compiled sufficient points to earn a place on the North Texas Agricultural College honor roll at Arlington, according to an announcement of Dean Joe B. Preston.

Rex Gray compiled 32 points and Albert Martin 29 points to earn the honor listing. Preston said.

## Group From Eight Counties Hear R. A. Official Explain Co-operative Program

Explanation of the community and cooperative service program of the Resettlement Administration was given rural supervisors and home supervisors of nine counties at the courthouse Friday night by Carl Walters, of Dallas, field supervisor for the state organization.

Counties represented were Parker, Eastland, Hood, Somervell, Erath, Comanche, Shackelford, Palo Pinto and Stephens. Eastland county was represented by Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent.

Walters pointed out that the community and cooperative service program is similar to the old work center program except the new program is self liquidating and the other was operated by grants and donations.

Walters also explained:

There are two types of loans that may be made under this program. One can be made to cooperative organization of farmers, the other to individuals for the purpose of taking membership in buying stock or of establishing with other farmers in the establishment of a needed community service.

The latter type of loan can be made to an individual who wishes to establish an enterprise of this kind, if he can show sufficient contracts for the use of this service to insure ample income for repayment of the loan.

There are certain restrictions placed upon this program. Before a loan of either type can be made the following conditions must be met:

1. The community service must contribute to the rehabilitation of clients in the community, and 25 per cent of the participants must be enrolled with the Resettlement Administration.
2. The cooperative must be economically sound.
3. The service for which the loan is made must not be one that will be in competition with individual businesses already set up.
4. The community must have a well developed cooperative spirit.
5. The cooperative must be organized accordance with the laws of the state.
6. There must be no restriction on membership.
7. Each member should be entitled to only one vote, and there should be no voting by proxy.
8. The cooperative should have the proper management.
9. No loan can be made to a cooperative if the organization can obtain a loan through the bank for cooperatives or the Farm Credit Association.
10. Loans may be made for the purpose of assisting in the following types of enterprises: 1. Home conveniences. 2. Food conservation and processing. 3. General farm needs. 4. Cooperative harvesting. 5. Processing agricultural products. 6. Handicrafts. 7. Facilities for grading, s. Marketing and purchasing facilities for the purchase and sale of raw materials and goods. 9. Livestock improvement—purebred sire associations. 10. Social services.

## Early Spring Lamb Crop Is Larger Many May Seek License Number 36

WASHINGTON. — The early spring lamb crop of 1936 in the principal early lambing areas is about 6 per cent larger than the early crop of 1935, according to reports received by the United States Department of Agriculture about March 1. The term "early lambs" as here used, refers to lambs that are usually marketed before July 1. The condition of the 1936 early lambs about March 1 on the average was somewhat lower than was the condition of the early lambs as year earlier.

Except in California, Arizona, and Texas, weather conditions during the lambing season and since have been much less favorable this year than last. Supplies of feed stuffs and old feed have everywhere been more abundant this year than last, but in many of the areas green feed either has been late in starting, which has tended to retard the development of the early lambs. As a result of the extremely cold weather in January and February, which are the principal lambing months for most of the early lambing states, death losses of early lambs were considerably larger than normal and the percentage of the lamb crop saved was considerably reduced. The market movement of lambs from all states except California and Arizona is likely to be somewhat delayed unless spring weather is very favorable, but total marketing of early lambs before July 1 will probably be larger this year than last.

Conditions in the important early lamb states include:

TEXAS.—Feed and weather condition during the winter were good. The early lamb crop will be considerably larger than last year, and the condition of the early lambs March 1 was much better than last year. Much larger marketings of early lambs and of grass-fat sheep and yearlings from April to June than in 1934 or 1935 are expected.

## Slain Sheriff Was Well Known Here

W. E. Goodman, former sheriff of Shackelford county, who was found shot to death at his home in Moran Wednesday, was well known in this part of the county, as he had made many trips here on business.

It was believed that his death was caused by accidental discharge of a shotgun he had taken from his home while investigating a gasoline theft.

## Meeting Called of Dry Forces

Rev. Robert E. Bowden, secretary of the Eastland County Temperance force, has called a mass meeting of all prohibition forces to meet Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the county courtroom.

All ministers and people who are interested in prohibition are asked to attend this meeting.

## BLIND WOMAN FATALLY BURNED, BLIND HUSBAND AND A YOUNG DAUGHTER SERIOUSLY BURNED

Mrs. John Y. Owens, 36, blind woman who lived at Okra, died in a Gorman hospital Thursday morning at 8:45, as the result of burns received when her home at Okra burned at midnight Wednesday.

Her husband, 48, who is also blind, and a daughter, 3, are also in the hospital in a critical condition from burns they received, with physicians holding out little hope for the infant's recovery.

The Owens family was in bed at the time the fire broke out, according to reports, and the three were trapped in the flames, three other daughters and two sons escaping uninjured. A defective fuse was believed to have caused the fire.

One of the daughters walked three miles to the home of a neighbor, who carried the injured to the Blackwell sanitarium at Gorman, where they were given medical treatment.

Funeral services for Mrs. Owens are to be conducted at Okra Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Higginbotham Bros., of Gorman, in charge of funeral arrangements.

## TUESDAY WILL BE TRADES DAY IN RANGER WITH LARGE CROWD EXPECTED IN TOWN THAT DAY

Tuesday will be trades day again in Ranger, and it will bring to town large numbers of people from all over the trade territory.

The trades day on Tuesday, April 7, in addition to the regular trades day features, will have an auction sale on the lot at the corner of Austin and Walnut streets, where horses, cows, calves, mules, pigs, goats, poultry or any other farm produce can be sold at auction. The auctioneer will be furnished, and there will be plenty of water and shelter for the stock.

The auction, which was held on the first trades day, March 10, proved to be much more popular than was anticipated, and it has been incorporated as a regular feature for the first trades days in each month. On the second trades days rodeos will be conducted.

Many people from over the trade territory, many of whom find it just as easy to shop in other towns as in Ranger, are getting the "Ranger habit" through the trades days, and are making Ranger their shopping headquarters when they do any buying.

The crowds are increasing each trades day and the events are meeting with more popularity than had been anticipated.

It has been pointed out that some of the merchants or their clerks are a little negligent in passing out the trades day tickets unless the customer asks for them, but that in most instances the merchant is cooperating fully by reminding the customer of the tickets.

The people from all over the trade territory have been cordially invited to visit Ranger, not only on trades days, but every day in the month, and to make Ranger their shopping headquarters.

## Scranton Boys 4-H Club In Meeting

SCRANTON, March 24. — The Scranton boys 4-H club met in the Scranton High school, their second time with their assistant county agent, Hugh P. Barnhart, on March 24.

Mr. Barnhart talked to the boys about their projects and passed out farm record books for the boys to keep their records of the farm through the entire year. Mr. Barnhart's next visit to the club he will show the boys how to terrace.

The boys are showing a great interest in their work, and invite any parents to visit our club which will meet every second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 12:30.

## Schedule of 4-H Club Meetings for April Announced

Scheduled of girls' and boys' 4-H meetings this month was announced Wednesday by Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Ruth Ramey and assistant county agent, Hugh P. Barnhart, who have charge of the groups. Girls and boys' groups convene at the same meetings.

April 2, Okra 4-H club, 9 a. m. Carbon 4-H club, 3 p. m.

April 7, Colony 4-H club, 8:45 a. m., 8:45 a. m.

April 7, Olden, 11:10 a. m.

April 8, Flatwood 4-H club, 10 a. m.

April 8, Morton Valley, 12:45 p. m.

April 9, New Hope 4-H Club, 10 a. m.

April 9, Grandview, 1 p. m.

April 14, Romney, 10 a. m. Scranton, 1 p. m.

April 15, Alameda, 12:30 p. m., Kokomo, 10 a. m.

April 16, Okra, 9 a. m., Carbon, 3 p. m.

April 21, Colony, 8:45 a. m.

April 21, Olden, 11:10 a. m.

April 22, Morton Valley, 12:45 p. m., Flatwood, 10 a. m.

April 23, New Hope, 10 a. m. Grandview, 1 p. m.

April 28, Romney, 10 a. m. Scranton, 1 p. m.

## Annual Election of Gun Club Held; Special Shoot Scheduled on Sunday

Officers of the Oil Belt Gun club elected Sunday at its range near Leary, were announced on Monday.

John W. Turner of Eastland was elected president succeeding Sam Butler of Eastland; A. H. Rhodes of Eastland was elected vice president, succeeding Guy Ewing of Breckenridge and C. J. Rhodes of Eastland was elected secretary treasurer, succeeding Roy Allen, Eastland.

New directors are Guy Ewing of Breckenridge, William Pardue of Breckenridge, E. F. Latham of Ranger, Lou Mendenhall of Cisco, and Sam Butler of Eastland.

Former directors were Jack Roach of Ranger, Hugh Knight of Breckenridge, F. D. Wright of Cisco, Jim Horton of Eastland and George LeFosse of Albany.

The new president announced Monday the club's opening shoot of the season Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Invitations have been sent to shooters at Albany, Sweetwater, South Bend, Abilene and Brownwood. One hundred and fifty are expected to participate.

Bridge tables will be arranged for the ladies and refreshments will be served to shooters throughout the day. A supper for stockholders and their guests will be held at the clubhouse Sunday evening.

A shoot similar to the "turkey" event held in November is programmed for the Sunday affair.

Organized June, 1915, the club boasts one of the most complete ranges in this section, has 67 stockholders and 300 associate members.

## Old Age Pension Requests Are Many, Some Humorous, Some Pathetic, But No Special Session Is Expected Soon

AUSTIN.—"As far as I know at this time, there won't be any session of the legislature," Governor James V. Allred of Austin flatly told newswriters this week.

That statement answered a new rumor, this time from Houston, that Allred planned another call before summer elections. Newsmen had become weary spiking frequent reports that legislators would be called back soon.

"Nothing new" has been the answer to each question. Pension Director Orville S. Carpenter has more than 100,000 applications on file, none confirmed for payment. July 1 is the deadline for checks to start rolling to eligible Texans past 65 years of age.

The demands of old age pensions alone will decide if the 44th legislature comes back during its final year, unless, of course, some unforeseen emergency arises. Observers are divided whether the people want another session. Reports to the governor's office indicate that the public backs the governor's stand.

From other sources come rumors that the voters—including the large per cent past 60 years of age (who vote free)—are uneasy over the prospect that pension payments will start under full sail by July 1. Opinion is diverse also on whether the legislature, if called, would be able to agree on a satisfactory revenue plan.

The old age assistance commission (dubbed in some quarters "the old age assurance commission") is busy these days trying to gather and check applications from all who think they can qualify for \$15 monthly aid. Present plans are to announce the approval of applications in a group. When the first announcement will come, pension officials won't say.

Another important chapter in the pension story is expected this week. The federal social security board will receive plans of the Texas commission to see if Uncle Sam will duplicate the payments. Federal participation would mean a maximum of \$30 rather than \$15 for the old folks.

The commission was to mail a detailed report of their organization, rules, etc., to Washington for approval. The law was orally approved last December when Director Carpenter went to Washington.

Pathos and humor come in the daily mail at the pension offices located in the Texas Federation of Women's clubs building here.

"I have no property or means whatever; have no income or source of income; and there is no one under legal obligations to support or provide for me. I am stricken with heart failure," wrote one Texan, formerly high in state and national politics.

"I am not old—just lived a long time," was the cheerful note of one farmer-applicant. Wrote another: "pleas tel me whether I have resave my pension or not if you have sent me one I did not resave it." A third farmer reported that his family had gone: "One time (I) was doing very well, but now I am broke and have no place to go."

"People from all walks of life have asked for state aid during their declining years. One, a writer, said: "Have remained in Texas, eating, sleeping, reading, writing, and selling a few stories, though most of them have been returned because the publisher did not like them as well as I did."

One correspondent described his bad health and worse fortune, addressing the letter to "Old Edge Pension Office." Many write of feeble health. One widow reported a "doubtful" income of \$5 a month.

## Part of El Paso's Water Supply Is Taken From Mexico

EL PASO.—Part of El Paso's underground water supply is drawn from Mexican territory across the Rio Grande, it was revealed by U. S. Geological Survey engineers.

A definite figure on the amount of water drawn from Mexico can not be set until completion of the survey some time this summer. A. M. Sayre, geologist in charge, explained.

The work is financed by co-operation of the U. S. Geological Survey and the El Paso water board, through the Texas board of water engineers. WPA supplies necessary labor.

The project's objective, Sayre said, is to determine whether El Paso is using natural water supplies faster than they are replenished by natural means.

## Tree Grows Blend Of Oranges-Lemons

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—Instead of mixing orange and lemon juice for drinks in the future, it may be possible to squeeze an orange-lemon blend out of a single fruit if trees perfected by a Chula Vista rancher are adopted commercially.

James M. Ater, nicknamed "the Chula Vista Burbank" for his numerous experiments in plant breeding, has perfected what he calls a "lemon," which he says combines the flavor of the orange and the lemon into a delicious blend.

Ater has gone to the unusual length of patenting his new fruit, and is now considering crossing it with the lime to produce a still more complex product.

Explaining his method, Ater said he obtained wild orange trees and budded them with lemons.

Taking a cue from certain industrial machinery manufacturers, Ater plans to lease his trees rather than sell them if they prove feasible commercially, and collect a royalty as well.

The new fruit is superior to either the orange or the lemon in keeping properties, Ater said, and will remain in good condition 18 months after being picked.

## Old-Time Woodman Bows to Modern Saw

CHEHALIS, Ore.—John Kehoe, 80-year-old woodman, and Robert McNece, 40, a neighbor, have engaged in two contests to see who could cut more wood in a half hour's time. McNece used a drag-saw to cut the wood and an axe to split it. The old-timer used only an axe.

The veteran lost the first contest by a close margin, but the second one was decisive enough to convince him.

## COUNTY LOSES HIGHWAY MEN TO ABILENE

Transfer of Texas Highway Patrolmen Morgan Myers and Ernest Daniels from Eastland to Abilene as a result of a redistricting by Public Safety Department officials becomes effective Wednesday.

Myers and Daniels have located in Eastland since Dec. 15, 1931, patrolling a district which took them to Palo Pinto, Abilene, Stephensville, Breckenridge, Rising Star and Cross Plains.

"I will be among six patrolmen and an inspector in the Abilene district which includes territory from Weatherford on the east to Big Spring on the west. Coleman, Brownwood, Hamilton, Haskell and Breckenridge are in the district.

The transferred patrolmen have cooperated with officers of Eastland, Ranger, Cisco and the county during their stay at Eastland.

Particular observation was made by the patrolmen to overloaded trucks.

Safety drives were conducted by them in cities of the county in cooperation with local officers.

## Spanish-American Veterans Will Meet

All veterans of the Spanish-American war have been requested to attend the regular meeting of the camp, to be held at the American Legion hall, Ranger, on Sunday, April 5, at 2:30 p. m.

Regular routine of business will be conducted, new business will be taken up and arrangements made for the first summer outing. Visiting veterans are cordially invited to attend.

## Ranger Wins All . . . Matches Sunday

Ranger made a clean sweep of the 11 matches played with Brady players in the first of the Mid-Texas Golf Association matches this year, the only close match being when Jack Mooney turned in a score of 1-up to win. The next closest was a 2-1 victory for Bob Earnest.

The individual scores of the matches were as follows:

Gid Faircloth won from D. A. Harkrider, 4-3.

H. G. Foy won from H. K. Adkins, 7-4.

J. S. Strawberry won from B. A. Hallum, 7-6.

H. H. Vaughn won from I. O. Mayhew, 6-5.

Jack Mooney won from L. Y. Collum, 1-up.

Roy Trotter won from Pat Malone, 7-5.

Bob Earnest won from O. L. Whitefield, 2-1.

Frank Hicklin won from H. L. Wood, 6-5.

O. M. Moore won from Clyde Hall Jr., 8-7.

Elmer Norris Jr. won from Ira Mayhew Sr., 7-6.

R. H. Snyder won from Evans J. Adkins, 6-5.

## Scout Rally at Eastland Mapped

Plans are in formation for a scout patrol and troop rally of the north section of the Comanche Trail Council at Eastland April 11.

The rally, to be held at the Eastland city park, will begin with a supper at 6:45 p. m.

"Much interest has been shown on the part of scouts and scouters held recently, and all scoutmasters of the north section are expected to have entrants in many of the contests to be held that night," Guy Quiri, executive, stated in a letter from Brownwood.

The north section is composed of Eastland and Stephens counties.

## Olden Home Burns Early On Monday

The pumper from the Ranger Fire Department answered a call in Olden shortly before 6:45 Monday morning when a home in the eastern part of the town burned.

The house was practically destroyed before the truck from Ranger could arrive, and as there was no water available little could be done. The house was completely destroyed.

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### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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of this paper, will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Obituaries, cards of thanks, notices of lodge meetings, etc., are charged for at the regular advertising rates, which will be furnished upon application.



**Scout Radio Club**  
The Boy Scout Amateur Radio Club of Cisco celebrated the club's first anniversary with a supper at the scout clubhouse, March 21. Scoutmaster Ralph Barton made the main address of the evening. Mr. Barton and members of the club hope to have one or more of the members secure amateur li-

station within the next month or six weeks.

censes in the near future in order that the club may establish a radio

**Scout Carnival**  
The Rotary and Lion Clubs of San Saba are sponsoring a scout carnival to be held April 16 and 17. Funds raised in this manner will go toward building a cabin for the scouts at San Saba.

**Eagles**  
Scouter George Henshaw of Troop No. 20, and Scout Aaron Grant of Troop No. 18, made application for Eagle rank at the last Court of Honor held in Breckenridge.

**Cub Pack**  
Registration papers have been sent to the national office for the new Cub Pack in Breckenridge.

The pack, which is being sponsored by the First Methodist Church of that city, has a charter membership of 24 cubs. Mr. James Carl Ferguson is cubmaster with the following pack committee members: Blake Johnson, chairman; Glenn Vincent, J. H. Cox, James V. Lowry, E. C. Ray, R. G. Miller, and A. M. Pharriss.

**Scout Rally**  
A scout rally and troop rally for the north section will be held in Eastland's city park on April 11. The rally will start with a supper at 6:45 p. m. Much interest has been shown on the part of scouts and scouters in all rallies held recently, and all scoutmasters of the north section are expected to have entrants in many of the contests to be held that night.

### Houston Has Large Number of Divorces

HOUSTON. — Houston was scored for its large number of divorces in 1935 by Homer G. Hewitt, Houston business man, in an address at the Y. W. C. A. Speaking before more than 200 persons, registered in the 'Y' Marriage course, Hewitt said Houston, last year, had more divorces than Reno, the famous divorce city.

Kenneth and Wayne Brown visited the Hart boys Sunday night. W. A. Walton visited A. G. Love Sunday.

## ALAMEDA

Mrs. J. L. Brown has been visiting her son, Dale Brown at Baird. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown were in Eastland Saturday.

Joe Tucker and Toy Penny visited Harry Deal Friday.

Bud Andry and Lillie Mae and Pearl Andry and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cross were in Gorman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Dodd's daughter and children from San Saba are visiting them.

Floyd Horn is visiting on the Plain. Weida Dale Brown visited the Reid girls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deal visited the J. L. and J. S. Brown's unday. Pearl Price spent Sunday night with Mrs. J. L. Brown.

Most everyone in this community went to the rodeo at Ranger Tuesday and all enjoyed it.

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A few drops each nostril reduces swollen membranes, clears away clogging mucus, brings welcome relief.

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## Political Announcements

The Eastland County News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary Election July 25, 1936:

For Judge 91st Judicial District: GEORGE L. DAVENPORT

For Criminal District Attorney: EARL CONNER, Jr.

Floterial Representative, 107th District (Eastland and Callahan Counties): T. S. (Tip) ROSS

For District Clerk: F. L. CROSSLEY

For County Judge: T. E. COOPER, W. S. ADAMSON, W. D. R. OWEN

For Sheriff: STEELE HILL, LOSS WOODS, A. D. CARROLL, G. W. (DICK) RUST, A. D. (RED) McFARLANE, J. W. (JESS) NOBLE

Tax Assessor and Collector: CLYDE S. KARKALITS, C. H. O'BRIEN

For County Clerk: TURNER COLLIE, R. L. (Bob) DAVENPORT

Commissioner, Precinct 1: HENRY V. DAVENPORT (re-election)

Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 2: J. F. MITCHELL, J. N. McFATTER (Re-election)

Constable, Ranger Precinct: L. J. "Slim" HARDIN

### From Our Washington Correspondent

In connection with a news story published in several Texas newspapers, Louise S. Marx, secretary to Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, submits the following answer to the article, written by Julien Capers, Jr., about Judge Garrett rendering aid to the passage of an appropriation of \$125,000,000 for the state highway appropriations: Dear Editor: Last week in Baird, Stephenville, and other places, a Texas newspaper writer named Julien Capers, Jr., published an unfounded article incorrectly asserting:

"A favorable report from the House ways and means committee on an appropriation for \$125,000,000 to State highway programs marked a victory for the Texas Association of County Judges headed by Judge Garrett of Eastland. They appealed directly to Congressman Cannon," etc.

The following from Chairman Cannon shows how untrue is the above statement:

"Washington, D. C., March 16, 1936.

Dear Mrs. Marx: The article Julien Capers, Jr., sent your Texas newspapers is so absurd it is ridiculous. The Ways and Means Committee made no report whatever on the road provision in my recent bill passed by the House, and has nothing whatever to do with appropriations. Neither Clyde Garrett, nor any other county judge from Texas, had anything whatever to do with the appropriation for public roads carried in my bill, and in no way influenced any item in it. During the years Judge Blanton has been on the Appropriations Committee, he has heartily supported the appropriation made each year for improved highways in Texas, and he helped me to pass our Bill in the House. The appropriation for public roads in Texas would have been in the Bill if Clyde Garrett had never been born.—Clarence Cannon, Chairman."



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Although Judge Blanton has been his friend for 30 years, Clyde Garrett did not come near our office while in Washington.

Judge Blanton sent Garrett a cordial invitation by Judge Oscar Dancy to be his guest at the Texas Delegation's bi-monthly luncheon, but he asked to be excused, saying it would be impossible for him to attend, yet Clyde Garrett did appear at the luncheon later, and Judge Blanton cordially introduced him to the Texas members. Judge Blanton clearly explained to said county judges that their trip would be without results, as for weeks he had been urging Harry Hopkins, and the President, to reconsider their rule which prevented men not on relief from getting WPA jobs.

During this luncheon Congressman Milton West asked Judge Garrett, if he was supporting the Townsend Plan, and Clyde Garrett replied very emphatically that he was not.—Louise K. Marx, Secretary to Mr. Blanton.

## FRANKELL

Dave Hawkins spent Wednesday night with Cecil Langford.

Several from this community were in Breckenridge Saturday.

John Morris spent Friday night with Cabel and Winston Barker. John Monroe left Saturday for Arkansas, where he will make his home for awhile.

I. N. Collins of Ranger was visiting relatives in this community Thursday afternoon.

Shrystal Pace spent Friday night

with his brother in Breckenridge. Major Langford and son, Cecil, called on Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Jurdis, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Belvin Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Morgan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Langford and son, Neal, and Edwin Dixon visited in the J. P. Morris home Sunday afternoon.

Mart Guest called on T. L. Adams Sunday morning.

Several from this community attended the dance in the Smith home Saturday night.

Most everyone was in Breckenridge Friday and Saturday attending the interscholastic league meet.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Roberson announce the arrival of an eight-pound boy. The young man has not yet been named. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Tina Knight and Bimp Polan visited Jessie B. Morris Sunday morning.

Grace Bradford entertained with a party Saturday night.

Marie Swanner spent Thursday night with Ada Frances Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Day Stagner visited Mrs. Bill Gregg and small son of Breckenridge, Saturday.

Ada Graves visited Marie Swanner Friday night.

Mrs. J. L. Polan and son, Garland, and Jessie B. Morris and Mrs. C. D. Stagner visited Mrs. Dave Roberson Monday afternoon.

M. Polan called on his brother, Fate Polan, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Belvin Smith of the Necessity community visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knight, Sunday.

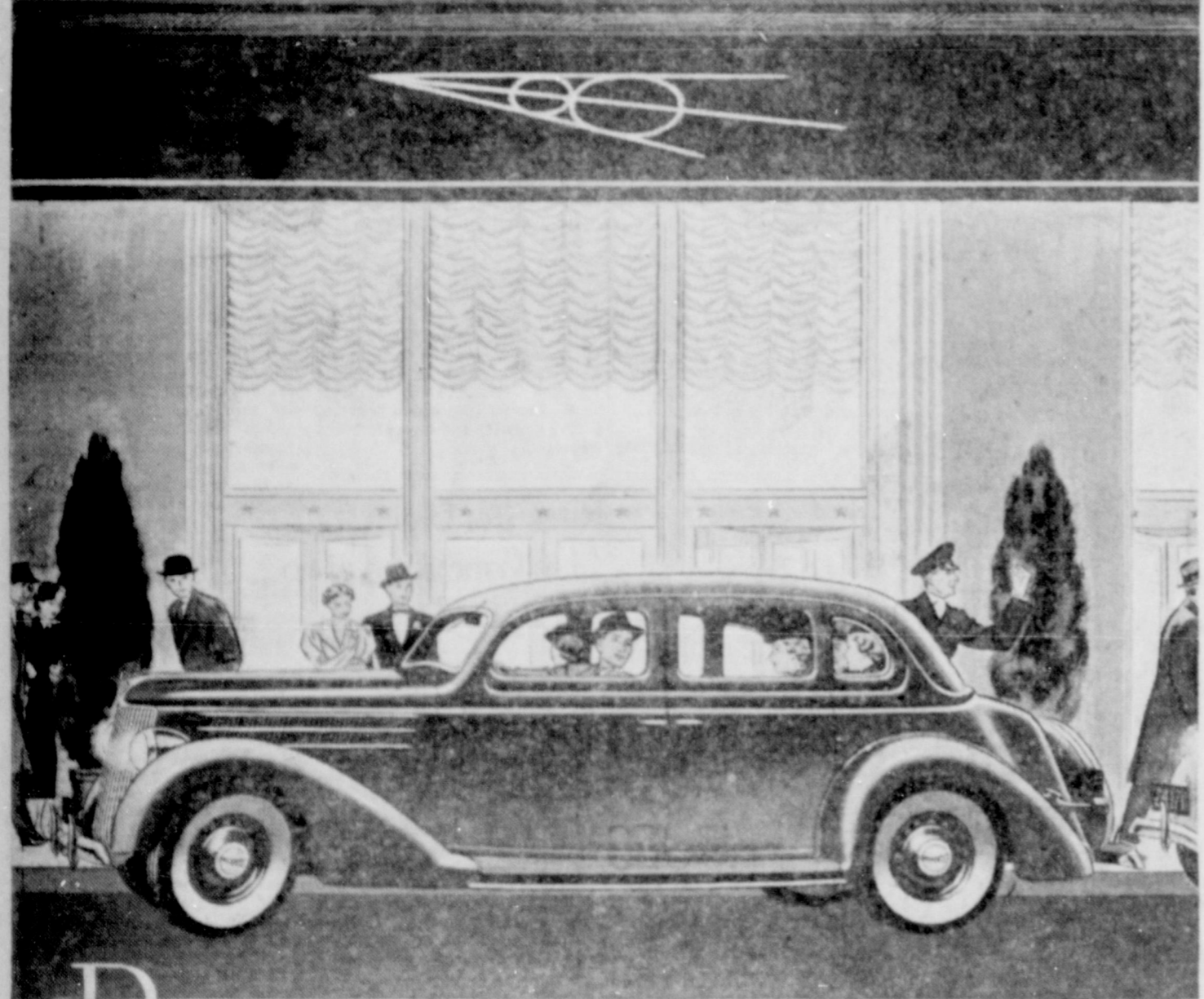
Will Knight visited Day Stagner Monday afternoon.

Quite a few attended the trades day and rodeo at Ranger Tuesday.

Several from this community went to Salem Sunday night to singing.

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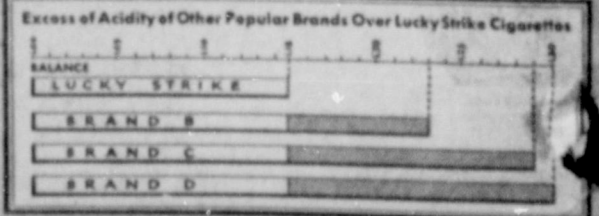
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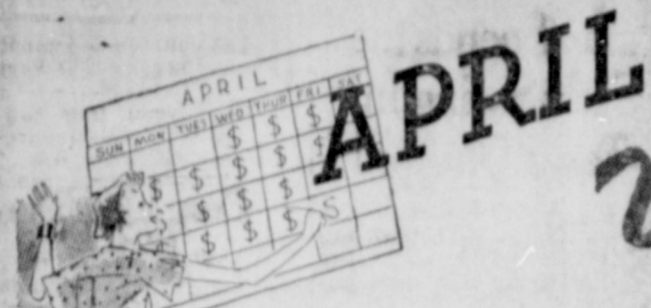
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# MONTGOMERY WARD

# Professor Chides Tin Pan Alley But Music Goes 'Round'

PHILADELPHIA. — Not that it will make a difference to Tin Pan Alley, but it is a scientific fact that the music does not go "round and 'round."

In the face of what appears to be overwhelming evidence to the contrary, Prof. Rollin F. Charles of Franklin and Marshall College has struck out at "false musical propaganda" with the contention that while the music may come out "here," it most emphatically does not swirl 'round and 'round inside the horn.

The rotating theory exploited in the popular song, which has sent the royalties spinning 'round

and 'round for its composers was debunked by Dr. Charles. The physicist is, by the way, a scientist not without a sense of humor.

The professor was quick to point out that the "lyrics" were constructed on faulty remises and evolved in a highly unscientific and unempirical manner.

"In reality," he said "there is no music until the sound waves released by the player reach the bell of the horn. Then the air column and the instrument itself oscillate to produce the tonal effect.

"But then," he continued, "who would play the piece if it were entitled 'The Air Column goes r. and r. and it oscillates here'?"

## NECESSITY

We are glad to report health in this community is fine at this writing.

Mr. Goodman of Frankell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Shockey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Casey and children visited their son, Mr. Herman Casey of Elvinsville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Flourin and son visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cockrell Sunday.

Mr. R. J. Hodges of Moran is spending this week with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hughes.

The T. B. test that was given at the school house Thursday seem to show no signs among the children at least none has been reported.

We are very sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Powell of Wayland. Our deepest sympathy is expressed to the loved ones. He had lots of friends in this community.

Mrs. W. A. Hughes and children Ross, Alex, Merdith and R. J. Hodges spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Owens of Crystal Falls.

Several enjoyed the party given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dixon Wednesday night and the dance at Smith's Saturday night.

Mrs. Ed Dinnison was dismissed from the Westside Hospital where she has been 16 days where she underwent an operation.

There was quite a few out to see the ball practice Sunday evening while the games were very interesting.

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## THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



THE crow's exact status in the economic world has not been decided definitely. Some consider him definitely an enemy, while others still believe that he does far more good than harm. The crow's enemies point out that over 38 per cent of his diet consists of corn, but they fail to mention that the largest portion of this is waste grain, consumed in the winter.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



IN Southern California, within the space of 75 miles, one may encounter as great a change in bird life as could be found on the Atlantic coast if one traveled from Maine to Florida. San Diego county, alone, has an ocean coastline, cactus covered desert and mountains over 6500 feet high.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jackson, Bill Jonson were callers at the Ed Dinnison home Sunday evening.

Several from this community attended the Interscholastic League Meet Friday and Saturday which we are glad to report that Necessity won several prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boyd and small son, James Alton of Peasan spent several days of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Oselle Gregge and son were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Knight and small son were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Knight and children have been visiting relatives in this community this week.

## Mountain School News

A large number of the young people of this community attended the play given at Salem last Tuesday night and report a very entertaining program.

Mrs. O. V. Hogg and children, Merlene and Mildred, are now visiting with friends and relatives at Lamesa.

C. A. Hogg and family visited G. A. King and family of Desdemona Sunday.

E. H. Moore was in DeLeon Saturday and Sunday.

Preaching services were held at this place Sunday with a good attendance. Mrs. Alexander, pastor of the Church of God at Deadwood, did the preaching. This service will continue each Sunday and a Sunday school will be organized.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carter gave the young folks a party Saturday night, which was enjoyed by a large number of young and old alike.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hogg are visiting for a while at the home of their daughter, Mrs. G. A. King. Mr. and Mrs. Hogg have been in poor health for some time and their many friends are glad to know they are able to go visiting.

Miss Grace Mitchell and Mrs. Georgie Fonville of the Davidson community visited the school at this place Friday.

A Shreveport, La., girl has talked incessantly for a week. It seems a bit hard on her elders, who also may want to use the phone.

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## CCC TO TAKE YOUTHS FROM THIS COUNTY

Notice has been received by the Eastland County Relief Office of an enrollment period of the Civilian Conservation Corps of a limited number of youths to be selected between the ages of 17 and 28, inclusive, other qualifications as follows:

Single or separated by divorce.

Unemployed at the time of application.

Boys of families receiving commodities and other forms of relief from County Welfare Agencies, employed by or certified to the Works Progress Administration, on direct relief or Rural Resettlement Administration.

Only one member in CCC at a time.

Men on probation or parole, or men with criminal records are not eligible.

A man who received an administrative discharge or a dishonorable discharge at the termination of his previous enrollment is not eligible for reselection. An applicant whose honorable discharge papers carry the notation "not considered worthy for re-enrollment" is ineligible for re-selection.

A man who has served less than four full months during his initial enrollment is ineligible for reselection, regardless of type of discharge.

A man honorably discharged and otherwise eligible may be re-selected provided that his previous service was not less than four full months, regardless of length of previous service.

Those persons who have had previous service in CCC are asked to bring discharge papers with them at the time of application for reselection. (This is important).

Selection cannot be made of youths who are not members of relief families, WPA or those assigned to WPA or Resettlement Administration.

Members of families who have recently been dismissed from the WPA due to reduction of quota may be selected provided the family is in need of relief at this time.

Youths selected at this time will be stationed in a camp outside the state, possibly New Mexico or Arizona, transportation and other expenses being paid by the War Department.

Those persons desiring enrollment should make application at the Eastland County Relief Office, 4th floor Eastland National Bank Building immediately as the Eastland office will be checked for applications and if quota is not filled will be divided with other counties in the district.

GREENSBURG, Pa., April 2.—Twenty-five thousand miners returned to the bituminous fields of western Pennsylvania today pledged to support President Roosevelt. Gathered here to celebrate the third anniversary of the seven-hour day, members of the United Mine Workers of America repeatedly cheered President Roosevelt's name.

If this tiny baby trend continues the onlyouncing baby boys will be those born in taxicabs.

**Legal Records**  
Suits Filed in Justice Court  
The State of Texas vs. Walter Ingie, driving while intoxicated.  
The State of Texas vs. Wiley W. Wiggins, swindling.  
H. L. Gibson vs. Walter Ingie, account.  
New Cars Registered  
W. T. Courtney, 1936 Ford touring.  
E. E. Sikes, 1936 Ford sedan.  
Texas Electric Service Company, 1936 LaSalle coupe.  
Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company, 1936 International truck.  
A. E. King, 1936 Chevrolet pickup.  
C. C. Coalson, 1936 Ford truck.  
Fred D. Maxey, 1936 Chevrolet panel.

**Marriage Licenses Issued**  
George Key and Mrs. Edna Negat, Eastland.

**Suits Filed in 88th District Court**  
Cisco Mortgage Loan Co. vs. Emma Butler, suit on note.

## "Art Jury" Selecting Memorial Designs

AUSTIN, April 1.—Two art museum directors, three directors of art in Texas colleges and schools, and architects and a lawyer, here today began picking designs for Texas Centennial memorials.

Miniature models for the 13 memorials were grouped by subjects and displayed in a committee room of the Texas senate chamber. The art jury gathered there, walked around and viewed the models from all angles. Among themselves they discussed merits. Selections may be announced tomorrow, or later.

## Milburn McCarty Gets Demo Notice

Word was received from headquarters of the Democratic National Campaign Committee of Texas signed by Chairman Hon. Sam Rayburn and Hon. Myron G. Hialeck by Hon. Milburn McCarty of Eastland Thursday morning that he had been appointed a member of the State Advisory Committee, of the National Campaign Committee of Texas. McCarty has been a lifelong Democrat and has given much of his time to the service of the party.

## His Experiment Gives Vision of Manless World



A human race composed entirely of females was the theoretical possibility seen by biologists after Dr. Gregory Pincus (above) of Harvard University announced that he had successfully fertilized an egg from a female rabbit entirely by physical and chemical means. The egg was removed from one female, synthetically fertilized, and then transplanted to another "mother," where it appeared to develop normally.

## Coal Miners Cheer For Roosevelt

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## France Denounces German Proposals

PARIS, April 2.—France today denounced Germany's proposal for European peace consolidations as utterly inadequate. She pressed for joint French-Belgium-British general staff consultations and a meeting of the Locarno powers to consider action.

The foreign office received a letter from the British foreign office to start conversations.

## Winter Spends the Early Spring In Texas On April 1

Winter had its April Fool joke which Texas orchard men were hardly in a mood to appreciate Thursday.

A belated spring norther Wednesday night sent temperatures skidding to the freezing mark as far south as Dallas and Ft. Worth and nipped fruit orchards in the northern and western sections of the state.

Extent of the damage could not be determined Thursday as forecasts held the prospect of another chilly night.

Amarillo, where spring weather had prevailed several weeks, felt the bite of 14 degrees, Abilene reported 28, Palestine 36, El Paso 40, Del Rio 48, Port Arthur 56, Galveston 58 and Brownsville 68.

## Postmaster For Little America to Be At Centennial

DALLAS.—Charles F. Anderson, who served as Postmaster of Little America during Admiral Richard E. Byrd's expedition to the Antarctic, will be in charge of the million dollar Post Office Department exhibit at the Texas Centennial Exposition.

Announcement of this appointment was made by Solicitor General Karl A. Crowley of the United States Post Office Department here.

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MULES FOR SALE—J. B. Ames, Gholson Hotel.

13—For Sale, Miscellaneous  
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One large \$134.95 reposit, 6 1/2-foot size, \$99.95.  
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Sympathy of the community is being extended to C. O. Bragg, principal of our high school on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Greer, of De Leon, who passed away Saturday night after an illness of colic.

W. H. Whitworth went to Eastland on business Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Clay Emde of London, near Kilgore, are spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Mollie Emde.

AT ARCADIA FRIDAY



Gail Patrick and Reginald Denny in "Preview Murder Mystery," showing Friday only at the Arcadia Theatre.

A. J. Ervin of Roswell, New Mexico, left several days ago after a visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Powers and family.

W. K. Jackson of Eastland was here on Tuesday of last week interviewing some of the older citizens for the purpose of getting facts for the history of Eastland county.

Trades day, the last Saturday in each month, brought a large crowd to town for the special features that make it attractive. The merchants are finding that business has improved a good deal since they have been having the Trades Days.

R. L. (Bob) Davenport, candidate for county clerk, came down from Eastland on Tuesday of last week and spent the afternoon in the interest of his campaign.

Guy Bruce left several days ago for Port Arthur to visit his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hendrickson, before returning to his work on an oil freight steamer, carrying oil from Texas to a number of places on the Atlantic coast. He had been employed on the steamer for seven months before coming home for a month's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Bruce and his sister, Miss Virginia Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Mathis and son, Billie, attended the picture show at Gorman Tuesday night.

G. W. Rust of Eastland was here Friday in the interest of his candidacy for sheriff.

Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Daily drove up to Cisco on business Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cutting of Cisco were here Tuesday visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee and her grandmother, Mrs. Clara Beamer, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bragg and son, Charles, went to De Leon Wednesday to be with his mother, Mrs. Greer, who was seriously ill and who passed away Saturday night.

Some of the Desdemona friends placed the name of Miss Virginia Bruce in the contest for Centennial Queen, being conducted by the picture show at Gorman. Each ticket to the show gives a certain number of votes to the contestant and the many friends of Miss Bruce hope that she may be successful in the contest.

W. C. Bedford drove to Eastland Monday to take the school census report to the county superintendent. The Desdemona school district report showed only three less pupils than last year, the total for this year being 272.

Mrs. Hugh Abel, Mrs. Howard Williams and Mrs. W. H. Powers spent Monday of last week in Gorman as the guests of Mrs. H. H. Pullig, sister of Mrs. Powers. Then on Tuesday Mrs. Pullig and the three Desdemona friends went to Comanche and De Leon.

Mrs. W. R. Dunlap and two daughters of Breckenridge spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. S. E. Browning and family. The many friends of the family will be glad to know that the older one of Mrs. Dunlap's daughters, Wanda Dunlap, is to have a trip and two weeks stay in San Antonio with all expenses paid as the result of winning a district contest in home projects of domestic science. Five other girls will go with her. While there she will enter a cake in a state contest.

On Tuesday of last week the "21" Study club met at the club house with 12 members and two visitors present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Mattie Henry. Roll call responses were "Houston's Name Honored, Where and How." The subject of the program was "Texas Biography" and the main topics were from the book, "The Ravenna." A sketch of the life of Sam Houston written by Marquis James. Mrs. A. C. Robert as leader of the program gave a paper on "Early Texas Prose Writers." Mrs. Preston Sparks gave "Texas Scenes in 'The Golden Cocoon'," a novel by Ruth Cross. A sketch of Houston's early life was given by Mrs. W. C. Maltby. Mrs. Clarence Ragland gave a talk on "Houston as the Executive of Texas," and

Mrs. C. A. Skipping talked on "The Houston Family in Texas," and read a poem written by Nellie Houston Brighthouse, a granddaughter of Sam Houston. The club house had been beautifully decorated with bowls and vases filled with lilies and with Easter rabbits and baskets of Easter eggs. The hostess, Mrs. Mattie Henry, served a very attractive plate of fish and potatoes accompanied by Messrs. perfection salad on lettuce, saltines, royal whip pudding with whipped cream topping and squares of white cake and coffee. Those present were: Mrs. C. O. Bragg and Mrs. Sanders, visitors, and the following members: Mmes. J. E. Heeter, S. E. Snodgrass, David Parks, C. W. Maltby, Charles Lee, W. C. Bedford, Preston Sparks, C. E. Ragland, Roy Ashburn, A. C. Robert, C. A. Skipping and the hostess.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Baptist church over the remains of Millard Franklin Rushing who had passed away Saturday night at his home near Richland Springs after having been in rather bad health for some time, though able to be up until the day before his death. The services were conducted by Rev. Ramsey, present pastor of the Richland Springs Baptist church, and Rev. Hunt, a former pastor, who gave the funeral oration and paid a splendid tribute to the up-

right life of the deceased, a man whose influence will live on through years to come. The floral offerings were numerous and very beautiful and were tokens of the love and respect of the many relatives and friends of the deceased. At the time of his death Millard Rushing was 51 years of age, had been born in Mason county, but at the age of 2 years came with his parents to Desdemona where he lived until grown. He was converted and joined the Baptist church when 12 years old. He is survived by his wife and four children, one brother, Roy Rushing, who recently moved from Desdemona to Freer, one sister and half brother, besides many nieces and nephews and other relatives to all of whom sincere sympathy is being extended by their hosts of friends. The Desdemona Masonic lodge assisted by the Ranger lodge conducted the services at the grave. Two nephews, our townsmen, J. H. Rushing Jr., and Weldon Rushing, with four other nephews served as pall bearers.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sloan of Stephenville came over on business and also to visit old friends Tuesday. Mrs. J. E. Heeter and Miss Boyd Crenshaw drove up to Ranger Friday. Miss Joe Ceille Crenshaw and Miss Blanche Rouse attended the

singing convention at Cisco Sunday afternoon. G. N. Grice of Stephenville was among the number of friends who came over Monday to the funeral of Millard Rushing.

The meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society was postponed from Monday until Wednesday on account of the funeral of Millard Rushing held at the Baptist church here and the funeral of Mrs. Greer at De Leon as Mrs. Greer was the mother-in-law of Mrs. C. O. Bragg, vice president of the Missionary Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rushing who recently moved to Freer came in Monday to attend the funeral of his only brother, Millard Rushing. They remained for a short visit with their relatives and many friends who extended sincere sympathy to them.

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Colorado White POTATOES	10 Lbs. 21c	Yellow ONIONS	4 Lbs. 10c
GREEN ONIONS	3 Bunches 10c	CARROTS	3 Bunches for 10c
GREEN CABBAGE	Lb. 1 1/2c	Fresh STRAWBERRIES	2 Pints 21c

Shortening K. B.	8 Lbs. 95c	OXYDOL Large	20c	Red Pitted CHERRIES	1 Lb. 10c
CORN MEAL Supreme	5 lbs 15c 10 lbs 25c 25 lbs. 49c	PICKLES Sour or Dill	Qt. 14c	Royal Gem CORN	2 No. 2 15c
SUGAR Cloth Bags	10 Lbs. Beet 48c 10 Lbs. Cane 50c	CATSUP Frasier's	14 oz. Bottle 11c	HOMINY	2 No. 2 15c 1 No. 1 can. 5c
Peanut Butter Quarts	25c	Eatwell SARDINES Tomato or Mustard Sauce	3 1-lb. cans 25c	Crawford SPINACH	3 No. 2 25c
BROOMS Painted Handle	Five-Strand 19c	Libby's Tomato Juice	3 14-oz. cans 25c	Sliced or Crushed PINEAPPLE	3 Flat cans 25c

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K. B. ROLLED OATS	5 Lbs. 25c	Bulk COFFEE We grind it	2 Lbs. 25c
CRACKERS	2 Lbs. 16c	Seedless RAISINS	2 Lbs. 15c
MILK Pleas-ing	1 1/2 Gall 20c 2 Gall 38c	White Swan Dried APPLES	2 Lbs. 25c
Mother's COCOA	Lbs. 18c	Choice PEACHES	2 Lbs. 25c
Favorite MATCHES	3 Boxes 9c	Bulk DATES	2 Lbs. 19c
SUGAR Bulk Brown	4 Lbs. 25c	Favorite Early June PEAS 3 No. 2 cans	25c
CRISCO	3-Lb. can 62c	Powdered Bulk SUGAR	2 Lbs. 15c
Admiration COFFEE	1 Lb. 26c	Admiration COFFEE Bright 'n' Early	1 Lb. 26c

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Fancy Evaporated APPLES	2 Lbs. 25c	ROSE DALE PEACHES	2 large cans 29c
Pipkin's Special COFFEE	The Taste Tells Lb. 17c	Mustard, Turnip Greens, 2 No. 2 cans	17c
PRUNES	3 lbs. 15c	GREEN BEANS	3 No. 2 cans 25c
PINTO BEANS	6 lbs. 27c	PORK & BEANS	16-oz. can 5c
FREE—1 cup and saucer with one can		HOMINY	3 large cans 25c
Dairy Maid Baking Powder	.... 25c	LIBBY'S FANCY COUNTRY GENTLEMAN CORN	2 No. 2 cans 25c
Skinner's Macaroni or Spaghetti	2 Pkgs. 15c	Folger's COFFEE	1 Pound 29c 2 Can 57c
CLEAN QUICK SOAP CHIPS	2 1/2-lb. box... 18c	5-lb. box... 35c	
O. K. SOAP	5 big bars 17c		
TEXAS KING FLOUR	24 Pound Bag 89c 48 Pound Bag \$1.69	AUNT JEMIMA FLOUR A Pure Missouri Soft Wheat	12-lb. Bag 55c 24-lb. Bag 95c

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LEGIONNAIRES AND THE STORY OF THEIR WORLD WAR SERVICE

JACK EDWARDS
Editor's Note: This is the ninth of a series of war biographies being written by B. H. Peacock, commander of the American Legion Post of Ranger, covering the experiences of members of the local post. The biography of another veteran will appear in next Sunday's issue.

places where his outfit functioned. On March 15, 1896, Jack, the youngest son of a family of four boys and four girls first saw the light of day in the little mining town of Thurber, in Erath county, Texas. His father, Mr. J. R. Edwards, for a number of years had been the superintendent of The Texas Pacific Coal Company mines in that vicinity and it was only natural that Jack should, upon reaching maturity, likewise enter the employ of the company. So after finishing high school in the village, what should he do but get a job as motor operator down in the mines. Four years of mining, together with a short interval in one of the local drug stores, passed by only too quickly. By this time, the World War had been declared; Uncle Sam was calling her young men to the colors, and on September 18, 1917, young Edwards entered the service of his country and was enlisted in the 165th Depot Brigade at Camp Travis in San Antonio. At about this time the 36th Division was being brought up to war strength, and among other things, had lost quite a number of men due to the epidemic of influenza that had swept through the camp. So it fell to Private Edwards' lot to be merged in a group of some 2,000 men who were sent as replacements on October 29, 1918 to Camp Bowie in Fort Worth. His assignment was to Co. C, 131st Machine Gun Battalion, and due to his soldierly conduct and aptitude to the job at hand, it was only a short while before his commander recognized in him his qualities of leadership by promoting him to corporal.



This picture of Sergeant Edwards was made while he was still in training in Camp Bowie in Fort Worth.

in our outfit, was a real mother to all of us boys, and I'll never forget her as long as I live." On July 18, 1918, the transport Ryndam sailed from Hoboken with portions of the 36th, including Co. D of the 132nd Machine Gun Battalion (to which Corp. Edwards had been transferred). Thirteen days on the broad expanses of the Atlantic, and last two of which were spent dodging German submarines, brought the Ryndam and her cargo of human freight to St. Nazaire on August 1st. The Division, together with Corporal Edwards and Company D, went shortly to the 13th Training Area at Bar-sur-Aube, from which place they were transferred on September 26th to the Poenancy area to become a part of the Armies Reserve of the French Group of Armies of the center. On October 3rd, Corporal Edwards' outfit, together with the entire 36th Division, was transferred to the French Fourth Army under General Gouraud, with which it shortly fought in the Champagne. But things were soon to begin to happen for the little corporal that he was not soon to forget. For it was on the morning of October 8, 1918, in the Stuppes-Somme-Sulpes Area that Company D received its first baptism of fire. "We had advanced down from Mount Blanc into territory which called for open warfare," remarked Edwards. "During the course of the fighting that morning, my squad suffered the loss of one of our

men, when Private J. W. Buzan of Somerville, Texas, was hit and killed by shrapnel. It saddened us very much to lose him, for he had been a good soldier, and brave and courageous under trying conditions. In addition to losing him, we also had two others in my squad who were wounded on the same day. Altogether, it is my recollection that Company D lost about sixteen men during the day's advance."

Later on, according to Edwards, the 71st Brigade, after shifting its front slightly, carried out a brilliant local operation at Forest Farm, returning with a total of 194 prisoners of the famous Prussian Guards.

Thus completed twenty-one days of hard fighting for Company D and the Division, when they were relieved by the 22nd French Division. They moved shortly to the Conde-en-Barrois Area and became a part of the Armies Reserve of the First American Army. Yes, after three weeks of hard campaigning, these veterans of the Champagne and the Meuse Argonne were to have some respite, and to take stock, so to speak, of further action contemplated on the part of the Allied Armies. Due to casualties in the line, it fell to the lot of a number of veterans next in line to be promoted to places of greater responsibility. So on Nov. 1, 1918 under the authority of Battalion Special Order No. 44, Corporal Jack Edwards of Co. D, 132nd Machine Gun Battalion was advanced to the grade of Sergeant in his company.

Although very modest in his own regard, Sergeant Edwards spoke with a great deal of pride concerning the veterans of the 36th Division with whom he served. Among other papers which he now has in his possession, is that of a copy of a general order from the Headquarters of the 21st French Army Corps, dated October 14, 1918, and signed by General Naulin. It reads:

"The 36th Division, U. S., recently organized, and still not fully equipped, received during the night of the 6th-7th October, the order to relieve, under conditions particularly delicate, the Second Division, to drive out the enemy from the heights to the north of St. Etienne-Armeis and to push him back to the Aisne."

"Although being under fire for the first time, the young soldiers of General Smith rivaling in push and tenacity, with the older and valiant regiments of Gen. Lejune, accomplished their mission fully. All can be proud of the work done. To all, the General commanding the Army Corps, is happy to express his cordial appreciation, gratitude and best wishes for future successes. The past is an assurance of the future."

GENERAL NAULIN, Commanding Army Corps. The morning of Nov. 11, 1918 found Sergeant Edwards together with his men on the target range at Conde-en-Barrois. They were working in a heavy down pour of

No. 1 Star Flees From Hollywood



There's no rest for the famous in Hollywood, so here you see Bette Davis, winner of the Motion Picture Academy's last award, as a subject for newscamermen in New York, where she's fled in hope of enjoying a vacation from the lights and lenses of the film studios.

rain, when Capt. Kenneth McGrew rode up, and Sergeant Edwards called his men to attention. The captain thereupon told his men that the Armistice had been signed, and read them the order. So there was no more target practice for Sergeant Edwards and his men of Company D that day. Instead, a most informal parade was formed by the doughboys, and with recruits from both the old and the young among the French of the village, armed with drums and tubs and tin cans, there was a parade royal—for the great War was over.

Sergeant Edwards spent the balance of his stay in France at Beron-Aube, where together with his battalion, he assisted the French in the rebuilding of their roads and revamping of some of their villages. An excursion up into the Alps Mountains, and also a visit

to see the championship A. E. F. football game between the 89th and 36th Divisions played before 125,000 people in Paris, were the main things that broke the routine for Edwards before sailing with his outfit for home on the German transport Patricia. A Gulf coast storm was weathered on the way back, according to Edwards, and on June 4, 1919, the outfit landed at Hoboken. They transferred thence to Camp Mills where they were "de-cooty-ized," and on June 18, 1918, Sergeant Edwards and the balance of his buddies of D. Company were given honorable discharges from the Army of the United States.

Mr. Edwards, true to his raising, came back west to his home town of Thurber where he entered the employ of the Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company. With the exception of a couple of years in the service of the Ford Motor Company in Dallas in 1927-28, Mr. Edwards has resided in the Ranger and Olden communities. On May 17, 1929, he was married to Miss Jessie Mae Harris of Thurber, Texas. In respect to the family of Miss Harris, and especially in honor of her brother Homer G. Harris, who made the supreme sacrifice in the battle of Chateau Thiery in France, the veterans of Thurber Post of the American Legion see fit to dedicate their organization as "Homer G. Harris Post."

Sergeant and Mrs. Edwards now reside in the neighboring city of Olden, and their family consists of two daughters, June Alene, 14, and Jacqueline, 5. He has been a consistent worker in the American Legion since its inception in the community. His ability to make friends with everyone with whom he comes in contact speaks well for him as a citizen and as a neighbor. Sergeant Jack Edwards of Company D, 132nd Machine Gun Battalion of the American Expeditionary Forces, we salute you.

Farmers to Hear New Farm Program Explained at Meet

A meeting of all the farmers in commissioners precinct No. 1 has been called for Wednesday, April 3, in the American Legion hall at Ranger for 2 p. m. for the purpose of discussing the new government farm program. The county has been divided into five units and Ranger is in the unit which comprises all commissioners precinct No. 1. All farmers interested in the new farm program have been urged to attend to hear the program outlined and explained. After the discussion a committee to handle the work in this precinct will be elected.

GRANDVIEW

Several of the pupils of this school attended the track meet at Cisco Friday and Saturday of last week. Miss L. V. Brown was in Comanche Friday night. Mrs. Emmie Thurman, who has been ill for the past several weeks, is doing nicely at present. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and children of Hamlin have been visiting friends and relatives in this community. Mack Prestidge was in Eastland Saturday morning. Doc Smith, who is attending John Tarleton, spent the week-end with Miss L. V. Brown. Mrs. A. J. Lamb visited Mrs. Emmie Thurman Sunday. Rev. Cole Jackson of Moran will preach here Sunday. Everyone is invited to come. Mr. and Mrs. Nick Duggan and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blair spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Thurman.

Denton County Gets Farmer AAA Checks

DENTON.—A total of 451 federal government checks, representing \$5,788.10 due Denton county cotton farmers on 1935 AAA contracts, has been received by Geo. R. Warren, county agent. The sum represents \$1,150.67 in second rental payments to 111 cotton farmers, and \$4,637.43 in parity payments to 340 farmers. Very few Denton county farmers now have not received all their contract benefit payments.

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We are glad to report that everyone is well and up again. The Alameda school buses went to Eastland Friday and Saturday. All the entries from Alameda were present. Everybody had a nice time. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jones and children of Rising Star spent Saturday night and Sunday with some of their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. L. Browning. The party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ferrell Saturday night was enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. Jid Blackwell visited Granny Minnick Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Campbell and daughter, Cora, have gone to New Mexico on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Campbell's son. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gentry, Jean Ferrell and Delta Lee went to the canyon Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mason and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Browning and children of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jones and children of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. L. Browning and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Elrod and son of Mount Pleasant, and Mr. and Mrs. Ballard of Mount Pleasant, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Browning. Mrs. Maggie Monerief and two children of Sudan spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Browning.

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"THE COUNTRY DOCTOR" PRESENTS DIONNE QUINTS AS DRAMA FILM STARS

In the picture that is the entertainment scoop of the year, Darryl F. Zanuck makes movie stars of the first rank of the world's front page darlings, as he presents the Dionne quintuplets in their first full length feature, "The Country Doctor," which comes Sunday to the Arcadia Theatre.

Adapted from an original story by Charles E. Blake, Chicago newspaper man, "The Country Doctor" finds its drama in the life and death conflict that a physician eternally wages in the Canadian wilds in his unselfish work. It is warm with romances, brightly alive with delightful humorous touches, fresh with the antics, the crooning and the play of the world's most famous babies.

Jean Hersholt, beloved character star, is the doctor of the picture, a heroic, self-sacrificing physician who fights pain and ill in a Canadian fur-trading post with inadequate equipment.

Because his nephew, Michael Whalen, persists in his love for June Lang, daughter of the post's manager, and because Hersholt himself tactlessly attempts to get a hospital and needed supplies for his people, he incurs the displeasure of the company powers. Without regard for his record or heroism, the post manager ousts him from his position.

He is broken and despondent when he gets a call to attend John Qualen's wife and goes to her, never suspecting the phenomenon he is going to witness. In a sequence that is the highspot of the picture for drama and comedy, the five tiny mites are brought to the world, and the doctor begins the fight to keep them alive.

As the film nears its close, we witness the fame and rewards that are heaped on the happy doctor as his little charges prosper and grow. And, at the height of his happiness, the post manager relents and gives his consent to the romance of Michael and Miss Lang.

The screen story of the picture, which was directed by Henry King, was written by Sonya Levien. And Slim Summerville, Dorothy Peterson and Robert Barratt, as members of the all-star cast, occupy prominent roles.

## Accidents Studied As a Safety Aid

MARTINEZ, Cal.—School and safety authorities here have adopted a school safety program which they hope to make a model for adoption in schools throughout the entire United States. The program adopted covers six phases as follows:

First: Students must bring into class newspaper clippings of all automobile accidents.  
 Second: Class discussions will analyze the accident and decide the cause; whether through drunk-driving, slippery streets, faulty mechanism, etc.  
 Third: Students then will decide

what steps could have been or should have been taken to prevent the accident.

Fourth: Injuries resulting from the accident will be listed and the proper first aid or emergency treatment decided upon.

Fifth: The situation will then be analyzed to decide what laws and traffic regulations were involved and whether new ones are needed.

Sixth: A study will be made of local conditions, listing all hazards and deciding how such hazards can be overcome.

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BETTY BOOP in "LITTLE NOBODY"

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