

THE WEATHER  
WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy  
Sunday. Scattered showers in Rio  
Grande Valley.

# Ranger Times

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Proposed musicians' code asks  
minimum wage of \$1 an hour for  
professional banjo players. Sounds  
like easy picking.

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## East and West Texans Clash on Oil Allocation

### Citizens Urged To Fight Against Additional Taxes

The Citizens Anti-Sales-Tax committee has begun a state-wide campaign urging the citizens to study over the sales tax, find out how it will affect them and then take some concerted action in seeing that the tax is not passed along as an additional burden for them to bear.

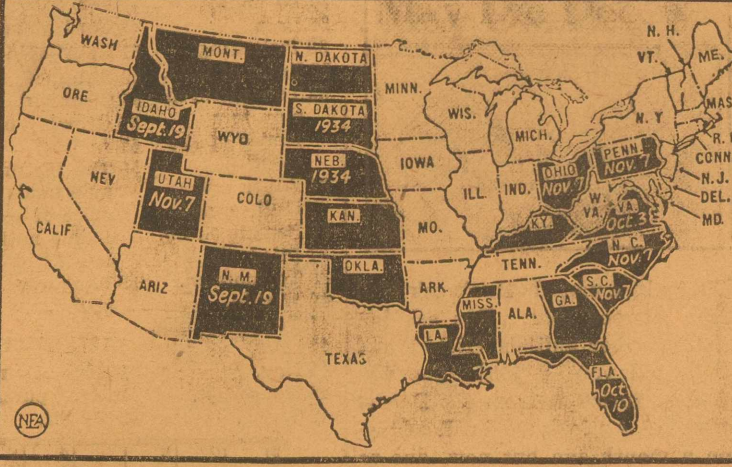
The appeal is also being sent out to the merchants, calling their attention to the necessity of helping in the campaign against the additional tax, as it would mean a burden on them, their customers and would be a detriment to their business.

### Prosperity Club Contest Ends On Saturday Night

The Prosperity Club campaign, in which cash prizes were offered to the Ranger churches, came to a close Saturday night, though the complete count will not be known until later.

At the close of business the merchants were instructed to seal the boxes and leave them in the store until they could be called for early Monday morning.

### 18th Amendment May Die Dec. 6



Votes for repeal in seven more states will knock the prohibition amendment out of the constitution, as indicated by the map above, in which states which have voted are shown in white.

### STORM STRIKES NORFOLK, DOING MUCH DAMAGE

NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 16.—Water almost a foot deep flooded Norfolk streets today as the city was deluged with rain accompanied by winds of approximately a mile a minute velocity.

Government weather observers estimated the center of the storm was central near Hatteras, N. C., but reported communication disrupted.

Damage of about \$1,000,000 was estimated at New Bern, N. C., and surrounding territory.

### SAN MARTIN NEGOTIATING FOR SUPPORT

HAVANA, Cuba, Sept. 16.—President Ramon Grau San Martin, his prestige mounting rapidly, today began new negotiations for support of principal political leaders.

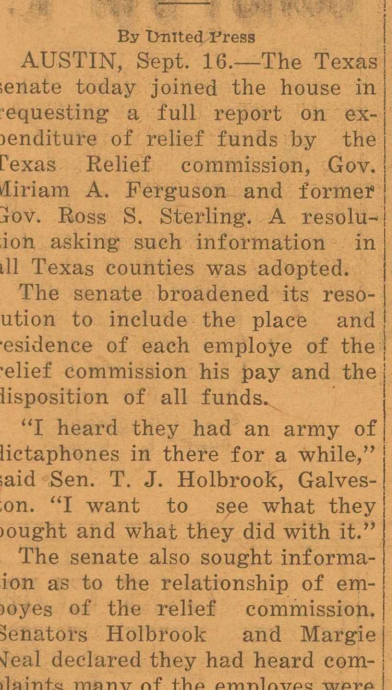
### SENATE JOINS HOUSE PROBE OF RFC FUNDS

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—The Texas senate today joined the house in requesting a full report on expenditure of relief funds by the Texas Relief commission, Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson and former Gov. Ross S. Sterling.

### Judge Overrules Motion to Quash Kidnaping Charge

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 16.—Federal Judge Edgar S. Vaughn overruled motions today to quash indictments against seven Twin Cities men accused in the Charles F. Urshel kidnaping case.

### And Only a Sophomore!



Don't continue to harbor the idea that college football players are young men who have been shaving only a few years; many of them are daddies. The picture shows Max Egbert, sophomore fullback of Creighton University, with a new baby daughter, his wife, and his two-year-old son, Ernest.

### CLAIM MADE PRESENT PLAN NOT EQUITABLE

Hearing Is Held Before The State Railroad Commission Friday.

EAST TEXAS announced acceptance of the 25 per cent cut already put into effect temporarily.

### Cafe Operator Is Charged With Selling 3.2 Beer

A complaint was filed against Pete Theous, a cafe operator of Eastland, Friday with Justice of the Peace Milton Newman, alleging selling 3.2 per cent beer without a permit.

### Barefield Named Receiver For Show

The petition of Mrs. Bula B. Connelley, in which she was asking for a receiver for the Connelley Theatre was heard by Judge Go. L. Davenport of the 91st District Court Friday, and T. E. Barefield was named by the court as receiver for the business.

### Funeral To Be Held Today For Sgt. Paul Daniel

Funeral services for Sgt. Paul Daniel, 29, who died in Denver, Colo., are to be conducted from the home of his uncle, W. S. Barker, Valley street, Eastland, this afternoon, with Rev. R. S. Marshall, pastor of the St. Paul Methodist church of Abilene, conducting the services.

### PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh Supreme Judicial district for the week ending Friday, Sept. 15:

Dismissed—Ed J. Hamner et al. vs. J. R. Headrick et ux., Nolan. Reformed and Affirmed—J. M. Radford Grocery Co. vs. L. C. Luttrall, by next friend, et al., Taylor.

### Dallas Jailer and A Butcher Held In Bailey Escape

DALLAS, Sept. 16.—Thomas L. Manion, a Dallas county jailer, and Grover C. Beville, butcher, both charged with aiding the escape of Harvey Bailey, were held in jail today in default of \$10,000 bonds.

### Pioneer Settler Of Eastland Dies In Fort Worth Home

Eastland friends will regret to learn that W. B. Ammerman died in Fort Worth on Wednesday.

### Freight Cars Are Burglarized And Merchandise Taken

Thieves broke into a freight car in the West Texas and Pacific Railway yards in Eastland Friday night and carried off some thirteen cases of canned goods.

### U. S. Good Roads Association Will Meet in Texas

BEAUMONT, Sept. 16.—Governors of all states will be represented by delegates at the 21st annual convention of the United States Good Roads association here Oct. 11, 12 and 13.

### Director-General J. A. Roundtree, Birmingham, Ala., Announced Receipt of Acceptances from Practically All Chief Executives.

Early abandonment of the gasoline tax as a revenue-raising measure for the federal government is listed as one of the principal topics for discussion at the convention.

### Elliott Roosevelt Calls Job 'Hoopy'

FORT WORTH, Sept. 16.—Elliott Roosevelt, son of the president and his bride of two months, arrived here today for an indefinite visit with Mrs. Roosevelt's mother, Mrs. J. B. Googins.

### New Committee to Be Named by Local NRA Organization

The local NRA committee has been called to a meeting Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Dr. P. M. Kuykendall, chairman, for the purpose of organizing a compliance committee as ordered by the national recovery administration.

### Baptist Executive Board in Meeting

A meeting of the Executive Board of the Cisco Baptist Association was held at the Eastland Baptist church Friday afternoon, with Judge C. L. Garrett of Eastland as chairman; W. D. R. Owen of Eastland as secretary and J. R. Burnett of Cisco as treasurer.

### STOCK MARKETS TODAY

Closing selected New York stocks:

American Can	95 1/8	42 1/2
Am P & L	10 1/4	6 1/8
Am F & Pwr	12 1/2	29 1/4
Am T & T	130 1/4	32 3/8
Anacosta	18 1/4	4 1/2
A T & S F Ry	67 1/8	49
Auburn Auto	62	7
Avn Corp Del	11 1/4	46
Barnsdall	18 1/4	77
Bendix Av	39 1/4	55
Beth Steel	39 1/4	28 1/4
Byers A M	33 1/4	63 1/4
Canada Dry	33	45 1/4
Case J I	80 1/2	29 1/2
Chrysler	51 1/4	27 1/4
Comw & Sou	23	57 1/4
Cons Oil	14 1/4	57 1/4
Cont Oil	18 1/4	85 1/4
Curtiss Wright	3 1/4	8
Elec Au L	22	7 1/4
Elec St Bat	44 1/4	33 1/4
Foster Wheel	18 1/4	
Fox Film	18 1/4	
Freeport Tex	44 1/4	
Gen Elec	23 1/4	
Gen Foods	38 1/4	
Gen Mot	34 1/4	
Gillette S R	15	
Goodyear	38 1/4	
Gt Nor Ore	13	
Houston Oil	31 1/4	
Int Cement	33	
Int Harvester	42 1/4	
Johns Manville	57	
Kroger G & B	27	
Liq Carb	34 1/4	
Marshall Field	15 1/4	
Mkt Ward	25 1/4	
M K T Ry	12	
Nat Dairy	17 1/4	
N Y Cent Ry	48 1/4	
Ohio Oil	16 1/4	
Packard Mot	4 1/4	
Pennex J C	51	
Phelps Dodge	36 1/4	
Phillips Pet	17 1/4	
Pure Oil	13 1/4	
Purity Bak	19 1/4	
Radio	9 1/4	
Sears Roebuck	45 1/4	
Shell Union Oil	9 1/4	
Socony Vac	14	
Southern Pac	30	

Curl Stocks:

Elec Bond & Sh	21 1/4
Ford M Ltd	5 1/4
Gulf Oil Pa	57 1/4
Humble Oil	85 1/4
Lone Star Gas	8
Niag Hud Pwr	7 1/4
Stan Oil Ind	33 1/4

Total sales, 1,000,000 shares. Sterling, \$47.1.

These quotations are furnished through the courtesy of D. E. Pulley, 209 Main street, Ranger.

New York Cotton Range of the market, New York cotton—

	High	Low	Close
Oct.	956	941	954
Dec.	979	961	976
Mar.	988	970	987
Jan.	1005	988	1004

Chicago Grain Range of the market, Chicago grain—

	High	Low	Close
Sept.	51 1/4	48 1/4	51 1/4
Dec.	55 1/4	52 1/4	55 1/4
May	62 1/4	58 1/4	52 1/4

Wheat—

	High	Low	Close
Sept.	91 1/4	87 1/4	91 1/4
Dec.	95 1/4	91 1/4	95 1/4
May	99 1/4	95 1/4	99 1/4

Rye—

	High	Low	Close
Sept.	73	70	70
Dec.	77 1/4	74 1/4	77 1/4
May	83 1/4	80 1/4	83 1/4

WOULD BE RELEASED  
J. H. Cooper of Rising Star was in Eastland Saturday morning to be released as surety from the bond of his son, Henry Cooper, who is charged by indictment in this county for burglary and theft. Mr. Cooper was allowed that privilege as soon as his son is brought into the custody of the officials.



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**A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY**

**DELIVERANCE FROM FEAR:** I sought the Lord, and he heard me, and delivered me from all my fears.—Psalm 34: 4.

**WHAT MAY THE NEW DEAL BRING US?**

Probably the greatest mistake anyone could make these days would be to under-estimate the extent and force of the new spirit that has swept the country since last spring.

This spirit finds expression in various ways—in the blossoming out of blue eagles in shop windows, in parades and mass meetings in the new air of optimism which appears in the conversation of ordinary citizens.

These are surface indications only. But they are like the little ripples and the thimble-sized whirlpools that form on the surface of a deep, swift river. A tremendous tide is in motion underneath; and the man who forgets that fact is very likely to get swept away, head over heels.

Now this means more than a mere revival of hope. It signifies a determination to reform a great many things which need reforming; and the one thing that appears certain is that this new force cannot be contained in the old channels, but will if necessary find a totally new way of expressing itself.

A Communist writer in a radical magazine remarked the other day that laissez faire capitalism—the rugged individualism of sainted memory—is dead as a door nail. As a result, he asserted, America could do one of just two things; it could turn to Fascism, or it could go Communist. These, he said, are the only alternatives. The writer found Fascism far more likely.

Taking what has happened in Europe as a guide, it must be admitted that this radical viewpoint has much to sustain it. In Russia, in Italy and in Germany the old type of unrestricted capitalism collapsed, and each country in turn had to choose between Lenin's kind of society and Mussolini's. But why take it for granted that the same thing must happen over here?

It hasn't yet been proved that there is no other alternative. It certainly has not been proved that finding such an alternative is too big a task for American intelligence. It is certain that not one American in a hundred deally wants to see either Communism or Fascism adopted here.

Isn't it more likely that the new spirit in this land is too big and too strong to be contained by the old formulas—that our great contribution to modern life may well be to find a solution for industrialism's problems without despotism, without oppression and without a revolution?

**WHICH ROAD?**

Rep. George C. Hester of Georgetown is one of the few men in the Texas legislature trained in the science of government. He has long been professor of government in Southwestern university, a student, teacher and writer in subjects dealing with political economy.

Mr. Hester, in recent written discussions, has arraigned the state sales tax as unwise for Texas, and declared it unnecessary and undesirable.

Few of his colleagues can argue with him on the fundamental principles of correct government; but at the same time Mr. Hester himself overlooked one of the fundamentals.

The legislative committees have been in the habit, when someone appeared to oppose a particular tax bill, to ask, "what better plan have you to offer?"

Mr. Hester forgot to suggest any better or any other, plan. In so doing, he greatly weakened his own argument. If the lawmakers badger the representatives of business who come to plead the interest of a special industry, and challenge their right to talk at all unless they offer specific constructive suggestions in place of what they oppose, they cannot fail to expect from one of the best-trained of their colleagues the fruits of his own wisdom on the constructive, affirmative side.

**DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK**

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

Optimists are too prone to expect results in a day and some of the mbecome pessimists when they do not see them.

The world-wide publicity given to the vapors of some politicians unfortunately, gives the pessimists grounds for their gloomy forebodings.

The problems before the country are so many and so varied that it would be nothing short of a miracle if they were solved to the satisfaction of so many conflicting interests in a short time. The world did not drop into the depression over night and it will take much time and effort of competent business men to bring the good old times back again.

There is an old saying, "Where there is a will there is a way." The way will be found, but will not be found in selfishness in either individuals or nations.

**SEEMS LIKE THE ONLY WAY OUT**



**An Initial Success**



What's in a name? Don't ask Nell Rose Atwood that. But ask her what's in her initials (NRA) and she'll tell you—a job! She was given a furlough from the Department of Agriculture in Washington a month ago but now, due to the increased activities of the NRA, the government has called her back to work.

**Beer Taxation Is Still a Problem For Legislators**

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—Though Texas voted overwhelmingly for beer and repeal of the 18th amendment, its legislature is still dry.

Not only are a majority of the present members dry but their successors may also be dry.

An analysis of the Aug. 26 vote reveals while the state-wide vote was wet, the drys won in most legislative districts.

Ray Holder, Lancaster editor and former legislator, made the analysis. He vouches for its accuracy.

Explanation of the seeming anomaly is that cities which rolled up a large wet vote do not have a majority membership in the legislature.

Despite this advantage, response to the movement to raise the beer tax at the special session of the legislature is lacking.

Staunch drys are among those opposing such a tax. "It will bring on a return of bootlegging," they warn.

State Senator Ben Oneal of Wichita Falls, a student of taxation and head of the senate tax investigating committee, is among those who oppose increasing the beer tax.

There is some talk that state sales tax advocates are proposing an increased beer tax in hope it will drive the friends of "nickel beer" to support the general sales tax, if beer taxes are kept down.

Among legislative plan in handling beer, still in the nebulous stage, calls for creation of a separate beer division of the state government.

The multitudinous duties now connected with its regulation and sales now are thrown upon present state officers. The state treasurer issues the revenue stamps, the state comptroller issues permits. Various other officers have other duties.

Some say create a separate state agency to handle all the beer matters. Indiana has created such a bureau.

Partial poll of legislators indicates the present legislature is favoring to submitting repeal of state liquor law to a popular vote.

This cannot be done at the special session because a constitutional amendment may be submitted only at a regular session. The next regular session will be in 1935.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH**

"Matter" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in All Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, Sept. 17.

The Golden Text is: "In God I will praise his word, in God I have put my trust; I will not fear what flesh can do unto me" (Psalms 56).

Included with other passages from the Bible is the following from Galatians 5: "Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage."

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Mortals must gravitate Godward their affections and aims grow spiritual, they must near the broader interpretations of being, and gain some proper sense of the infinite, in order that sin and mortality may be put off."

"This scientific sense of being, forsaking matter for spirit by no means suggests man's absorption into Deity and the loss of his identity, but confers upon man enlarged individuality, a wider sphere of thought and action, a more expansive love, a higher and more permanent peace" (p. 265).

**Relief Bond Issue Will Present Many Angles at Session**

AUSTIN.—An attempt will be made to have the special session authorize issuance of the entire \$20,000,000 in state relief bonds.

The constitutional amendment permits issuance of relief bonds not to exceed \$20,000,000. The governor's proclamation assembling the legislators specifies as one of the purposes the issuance of \$20,000,000 bonds. She does not mention any less amounts.

Whether the bonds may be used to relieve hurricane distress is doubtful, former Governor James E. Ferguson admits. Apparently the wording of the constitutional amendment is broad enough to permit such use, though unemployment relief was in mind when the amendment was submitted.

The amendment reads: "The proceeds of the sale of such bonds to be used in furnishing relief and work relief to needy and distressed people and in relieving the hardships resulting from unemployment, but to be fairly distributed over the state and upon such terms and conditions as may be provided by law."

It takes no prophet to see the words "work relief" open the way for efforts to have the state finance employment projects which communities failed to get included in the federal projects.

Some senators propose a large part of the money be used for road building. Two former legislatures voted down proposals to issue road bonds. The suggestion is likely to meet rough going.

**Dollar Oil May Cause A Battle Over Allocation**

AUSTIN.—The \$1 sales tag recently attached to each barrel of top crude oil in Texas, may become a battle flag.

Allocation of the state's 975,200 barrel daily output among Texas oil fields was expected to lead to a toe-to-toe dispute at the general prororation hearing Sept. 16 at Austin.

The present price schedule makes the difference of a few barrels in a well's daily run mount to a tidy figure in dollars and cents. At present Texas oil fields are producing 25 per cent less than their previous allowables under an emergency order, issued Sept. 6 by the state railroad commission, to bring production within the limit set by the national oil administration.

The horizontal cut for all but marginal wells already has irked some gulf coast operators. They contend because of the peculiar structure of oil sand formations in that area, such a reduction in the daily flow threatens to ruin their wells.

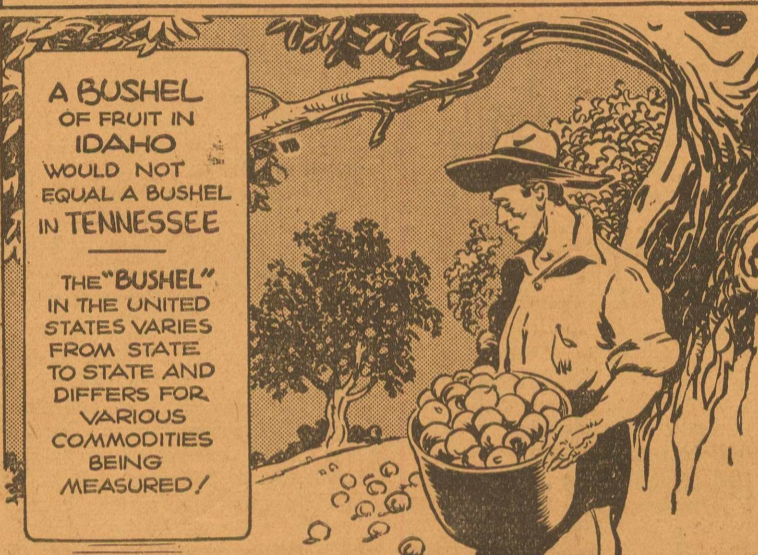
A few operators fear the 25 per cent horizontal cut will be made permanent. The advantage under such an order, they claim, would belong to East Texas.

Under the current emergency order East Texas production is slightly less than 470,000 barrels daily, or nearly half of the federal allocation of 975,000 barrels for the entire state.

Should the railroad commission cut too deeply into East Texas production in an effort to share part of it with other fields, political repercussions will follow.

An East Texas candidate for the railroad commission reportedly will be in the next election.

**THIS CURIOUS WORLD**



IN southern Oregon, a majestic mountain, Mount Mazama, once raised its head along with other now famous peaks of the Cascade range. But one day this mountain suddenly fell into itself and disappeared. Where once its summit reached 15,000 feet into the sky, there was only a vast, yawning hole in the face of the earth. In this hole Crater Lake was born.

**BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER**

WASHINGTON.—First figures measuring the amount of new employment created by the NRA codes won't inspire any bonfires.

To many industries the codes will mean no decrease in the worker's average weekly hours. That's because the work week in so many mills and factories was sharply curtailed during the depression.

Steel workers have been putting in less than 40 hours a week, for instance. The same thing goes for the oil industry, among others.

But, according to the statisticians and research experts now engaged in compiling the figures, business improvement will bring armies of workers back to their jobs under the codes. The foundation of the short-hour week has been laid so that stimulated activity will automatically mean the taking on of more people virtually in proportion.

THERE was no "baloney" in Gen. Hugh Johnson's assertion that 2,000,000 persons had been re-employed since March. Experts who were quick to puncture inflated employment

**First Kingfish Race Is Planned**

FREEMONT, Texas, Sept. 15.—The first kingfish race in history is being planned by fishermen in Freemont waters.

Inflated toy balloons will be fastened to the dorsal fins of each of a half dozen kingfish. Each fish will be "sold" at a price.

At a signal the racers will be released. The fish progressing farthest from the starting boat with in given time will win.

**Garner Is Picker Of Fishing Grounds**

WICHITA FALLS, Texas—Vice President John Nance Garner is as adept at picking good fishing waters as he is at guiding legislative bodies, according to J. W. Williams, instructor here.

Williams, instructor here, Williams fished in the Uvalde country three miles from Garner's favorite camp on Frio river.

"There are plenty of good bass to be caught there," the instructor said.

**Land of Shamrock**

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Who is the man in the picture?  
 12 Auction.  
 13 Metric foot.  
 14 Cognomen.  
 16 Bugle plant.  
 17 Salt of acetic acid.  
 19 To marry.  
 20 Northeast.  
 21 Form of "be."  
 22 Tree fluid.  
 24 Chaos.  
 25 To annoy.  
 26 Data.  
 28 Twitching.  
 30 Tract of land.  
 32 The pictured man is a leader of the —?

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

48 Membranous bag.  
 49 Card game.  
 51 Ruby spinel.  
 53 Untamed.  
 55 Oleoresin.  
 56 Growing out.  
 57 And.  
 58 The pictured man holds the office of — in his native land?

**VERTICAL**

1 Edge of a roof.  
 2 Wing part.  
 3 Myself.  
 4 Fastidious.  
 5 Female deer.  
 6 Having great tension.  
 7 By way of.  
 8 Performs.  
 9 Half an em.  
 10 Uncooked.  
 11 Last of a prayer.  
 12 A political party in the pictured man's country.  
 15 The pictured man is an — profession?  
 17 Noah's boat.  
 18 To devour.

21 Tree branch.  
 23 Cavity.  
 25 Wrath.  
 26 Constellation.  
 27 To question.  
 29 Crow's cry.  
 31 Barley's spikelet.  
 32 Neuter pronoun.  
 33 Masculine pronoun.  
 35 Pig sty.  
 37 Drunkard.  
 38 Flatfish.  
 41 To abscond.  
 43 Taciturn.  
 45 Wan.  
 47 Rall (bird).  
 48 To season.  
 50 The pictured man's country passed a bill to abolish the — to the king of England?  
 51 Honey gatherer.  
 52 Title of courtesy.  
 53 Moor.  
 54 Meadow.

**Ernest Koy Makes Good In Baseball**

AUSTIN, Sept. 15.—Baseball fans who questioned the ability of Ernest Koy, former fullback star on University of Texas gridirons, to make good in baseball today chucked up a point in favor of the 200-pound slugger.

Sports writers of the Piedmont League recently named Koy as the best centerfielder in the loop. The 23-year-old Texas football star is scheduled to finish this season with Newark of the International League.

Newark is a New York Yankee farm. A few Koy fans believe the hard-hitting youngster will be invited to the Yanks' spring training quarters next year if he makes good with Newark this month.

Until the Durham team of the Piedmont League began playing under arc lights, Koy had been hitting at a .367 pace. His average slumped to .345 during the night games.

And now the newest slogan: "Join the Navy and See Cuba."

**GO... GOING... GONE!**

**17 TRAINLOADS OF NEW NORGE REFRIGERATORS SOLD IN ONE MONTH**

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### Eastland Society and Club News

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#### Sunday

B. T. S., 7 p. m., Baptist church.  
Junior league, 7 p. m., Methodist church.

Rotary club, 12:15 p. m., Connelley roof.

Women's Missionary Society, 2:40 p. m., Baptist church, mission study.

Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary, 3 p. m., residence Mrs. Harry B. Sone, hostess.

Women's Missionary Society, 3 p. m., Methodist church.

Church of Christ Bible class, 4 p. m., in classroom.

#### Junior Thursday Club Announces Initial Meeting

The Junior Thursday club sponsored by the Thursday Afternoon club, opens its initial season with the meeting on Wednesday afternoon of this week at 4 o'clock, in the community clubhouse.

A purely social afternoon will be enjoyed with a musical program arranged by Miss Loraine Taylor as entertainment.

Mrs. Frank Hightower will be club hostess, and will be assisted in receiving by the executive board, Miss Joyce Johnson, president; Miss Edna Day, vice president; Miss Sadie Brewer, secretary; Miss Maurine Davenport, library chairman.

Mrs. Hightower is the treasurer of the board.

Mrs. F. M. Kenny, president of the senior club, will be a special guest.

A buffet studio supper will be served by Mrs. Hightower at close of the afternoon.

The club is limited to 25 members, and there are at present four vacancies to be filled.

The club meets on alternate Wednesdays, at 3 p. m.

#### Informal Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Henry of Marietta, Ohio, and two daughters, Jane and Marilyn, were the dinner guests Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Stephen.

Mrs. Henry is well remembered as the former Evelyn Smith of Olden. She took many prominent parts in several amateur operettas during her residence in Texas, and her beautiful voice was heard to great advantage in the past, in two of these elaborate musical productions of the Elks at the Connelley theatre.

Mrs. Henry is prominent in civic and music circles in Marietta, and in great demand as a singer.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Henry and children have been visiting her father and brother, J. A. Smith and G. C. Smith for several days in Olden.

#### Readers Luncheon Club

The Readers Luncheon club will open their fall season on Tuesday at 1 o'clock, when Mrs. B. M. Collier will be hostess to the club at her residence.

The club meets each two weeks for luncheon, and devotes the time following to the discussion of new books and current literature.

Personnel of club includes Meses. W. B. Collier, W. H. McDonald, Grady Pipkin, James Horton, M. L. Keasler, A. H. Johnson, T. J. Haley, J. E. Hickman, Wayne Jones, Carl Springer, Horace Condeley, Leslie Gray, J. M. Perkins, and B. M. Collier.

#### Pretty Party For Nieces

Mrs. Paul McFarland entertained informally and delightfully Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, at her attractive home for her young nieces, Nora Manly and Gay Manly, sisters, who were here from Abilene for the week and returned today.

Merry games on the lawn and in the house led by the hostess, provided a delightful time for the young people, who enjoyed ice cream and cake at close of afternoon, attended by Julia Parker, Na Mickle, Mary Nell Crowell, Florence Clatt, Peggy McFarland, Gerry McFarland, Frances Crowell, and the honorees, Nora Manly and Gay Manly; Jack Johnson, Royse Earl Lawson, Billy Johnson, Robert Childress, Ernest Jones Jr., and Robert Roland, Dan Hightower, and Jone McFarland.

#### High School P.-T. A. Will Give Party

The Parent-Teacher association of the Eastland high school will be hostesses to a get-acquainted, get-together, and have a good time party next Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock in the high school cafeteria.

The party is arranged for all members of the High School Parent-Teacher association and their husbands; the faculty of the high school and their husbands. All teachers of the junior high school and their husbands, all of the West Ward teachers members, and the South Ward school faculty and their husbands.

A special invitation is extended the members of the school board and their wives.

All members of the High School P.-T. A. are notified that this meeting of next Tuesday evening will be the first for this season, and every member is expected to attend.

Hereafter the High School P.-T. A. will meet on the third Wednesday of each month at 3:30 in high school auditorium.

An informal evening is being arranged by Mrs. W. P. Palm, chairman of entertainment.

Under the able direction of Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold, general chairman for the evening a delightful affair is anticipated.

Mrs. Hale, chairman of hospitality, will have delicious refreshments served, and guests will be received by the members of the executive board and their chairman; Mrs. A. J. Campbell, president of P.-T. A., and Meses. W. P.

Palm, L. C. Brown, N. N. Rosenquest, D. L. Childress, J. Frank Sparks, and chairman, J. LeRoy Arnold, and Hale.

**Eastland Again Honored**  
That Eastland's clubwomen are known abroad as well as locally, witness the choosing of Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, president of the Music Club of Eastland, to serve as the second member on the nominating committee, which is to elect officers for the Sixth District of the Texas Federation of Music

Clubs, at the coming convention to be held in Eastland.

Mrs. Johns of Abilene, corresponding secretary of the Sixth District board, notified Mrs. Satterwhite Friday of her appointment; and that Mrs. Ina Wooten Jones of Abilene, is chairman, and Mrs. Maner of Cisco, the third member of the committee.

**Chanayata Group**  
The Chanayata group of Camp Fire Girls arranged their plans for a council fire, at their meeting

held this week-end at the home of their president, Miss Carolyn Cox. The group will not meet next Thursday but will have their council fire Friday instead at 8 p. m., at the residence of Miss Joan Johnson.

Refreshments will be served after the ceremonial is over. The girls worked industriously on their hand-made kerchiefs, which they plan to display in one of the windows, during the fair. Those present, Misses Clara June Kimble, Virginia Stewart,

Joan Johnson, Carolyn Cox, Caroline Doss, and Mrs. W. P. Palm, guardian.

**Hogan-Gay Popular Young Couple Marry**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Day announce the marriage of their daughter, Ann Louise, to A. B. Hogan Jr., on Saturday, Sept. 9, at 8 p. m., in the parsonage of the Rev. G. W. Thomas, pastor of the First Baptist church of Ranger. The bride was attended by Miss Audrey Brawner.

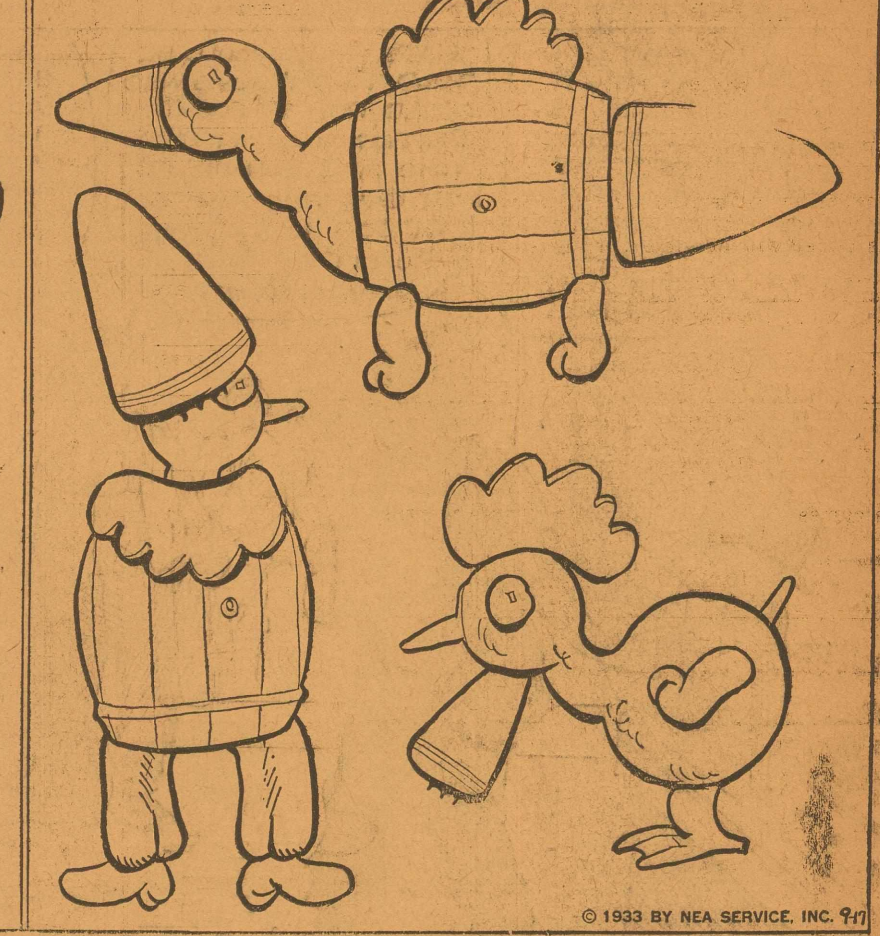
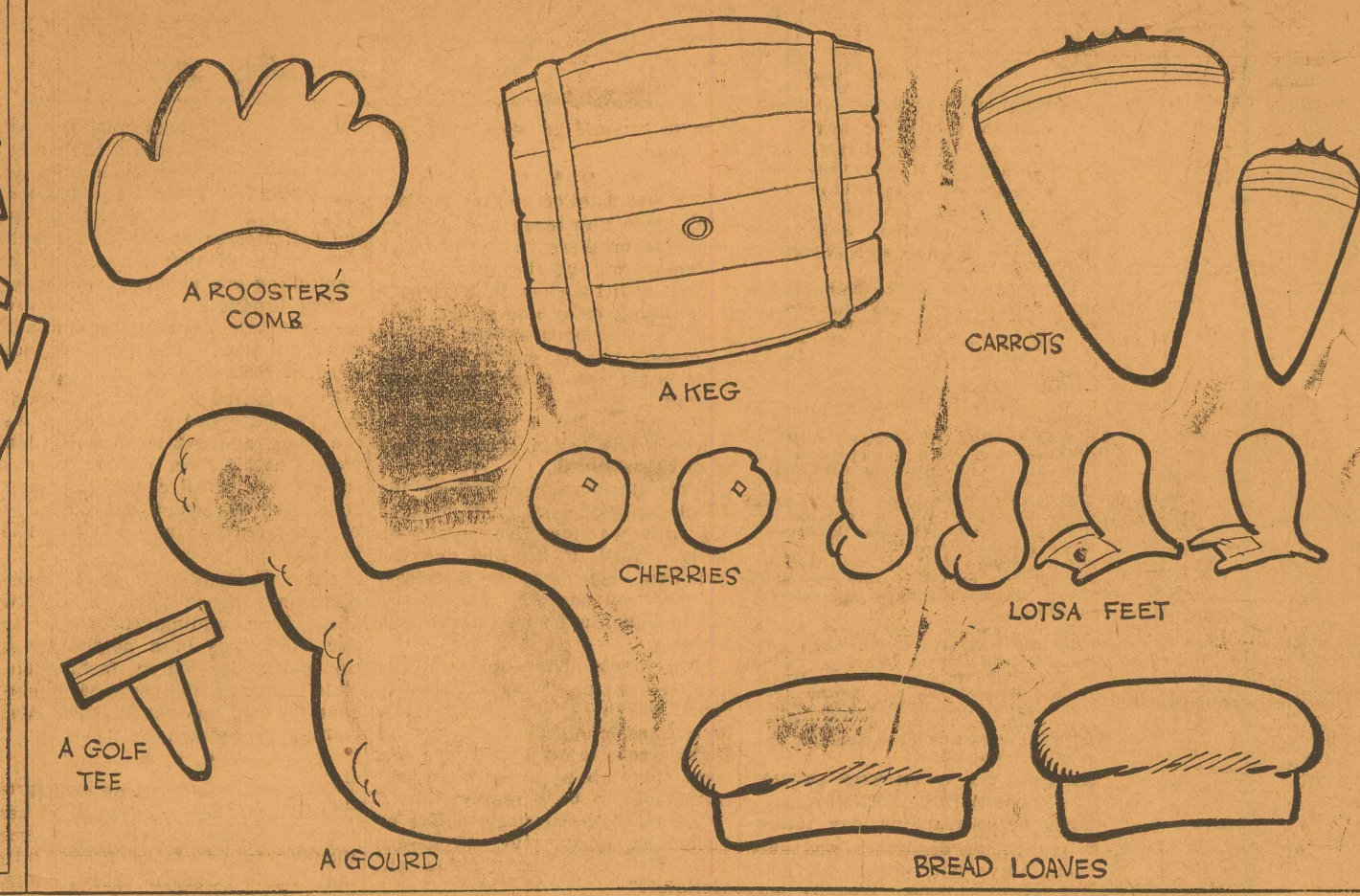
Miss Day was married in a beautiful brown crepe sport suit, with hat and accessories in suite.

Immediately following the ceremony the young couple returned to the home of the bride's parents in Eastland. Mr. and Mrs. Hogan left for Austin Friday morning to make their future home. The former Miss Day was a graduate of the Eastland high school class of 1931 when but 17 years old. Mr. Hogan is the son of Mr. and

Mrs. G. B. Hogan, on the Brecknridge highway.

Both young people are popular socially and have a host of friends who all wish them every happiness. **Birthday Party For Miss Della Webb**  
Mrs. W. O. Wright and Mrs. Florine Webb were co-hostesses Friday night, assisted by Mrs. Herbert Reed, house hostess, in entertaining group of the young friends, a surprise party for Miss Della. (Continued on page 4)

HERE ARE SOME MORE OF THOSE  
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## THE WILLETS

## Out Our-Way

## By Williams



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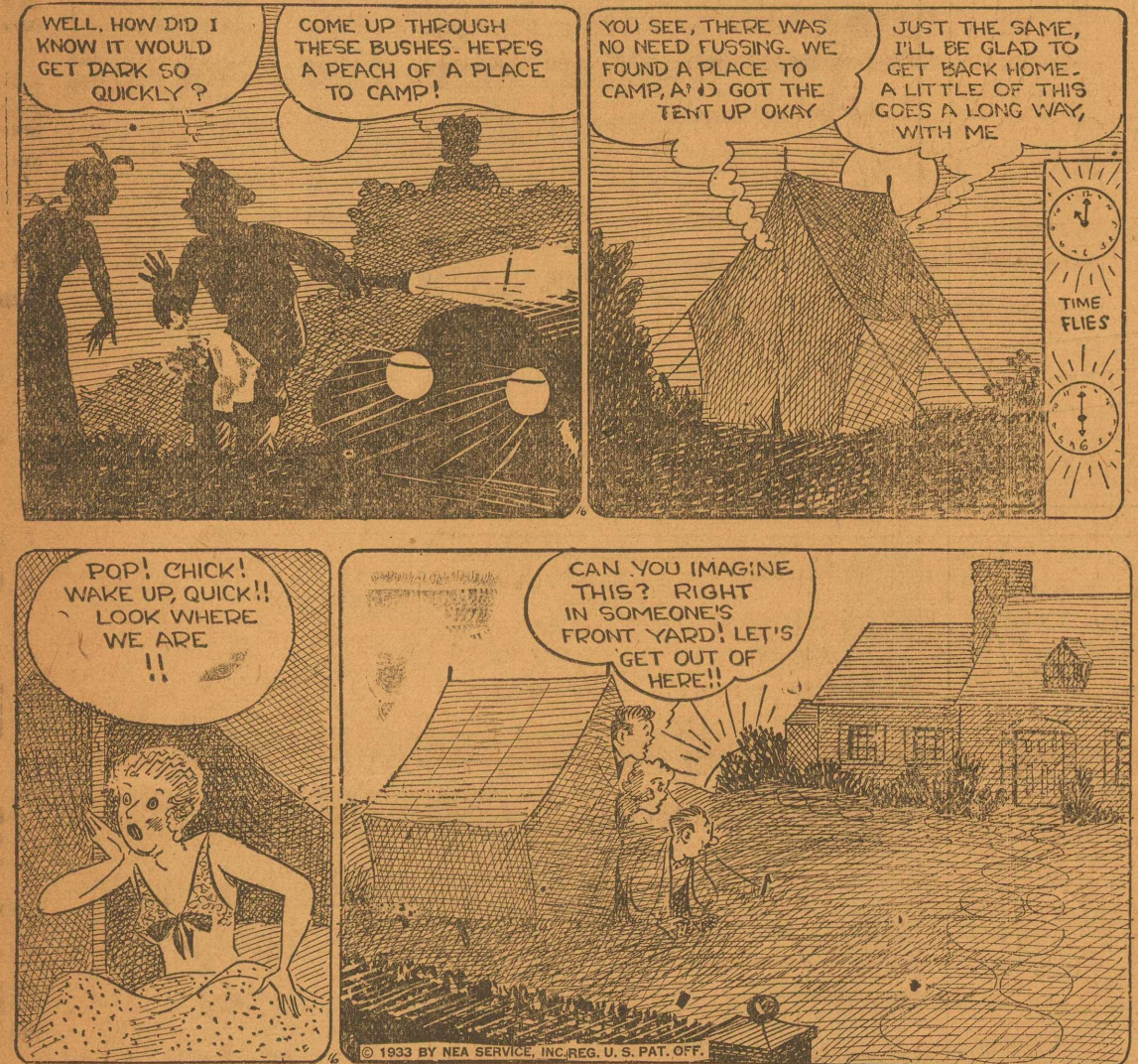


OUT OUR WAY



BACK SEAT GENIUS.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



By Cowen

For the LOVE of EVE by Lucy Walling

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**  
 EVE BAYLES, pretty assistant to EARLE BARNES, advertising manager of Bixby's department store, marries DICK BARDEN, construction engineer. Dick wants Eve to stop working, but she refuses.

Unknown to Dick, Eve plots the stock market on borrowed money. ARIENE SMITH, stenographer at Bixby's, buys stock on Eve's advice but loses all her money. SAM HOLMURDGE, advertising man employed by another store, is infatuated with Ariene.

MONA ALLEN, copy writer, dislikes Eve and is responsible for several mistakes at the office which Eve is blamed.

When the building Dick has been working on is completed, his employers tell him they will have no more work for him for some time. Eve is ungracious about this enforced idleness and they have frequent disagreements.

In September Dick leaves Lake City for a new job that will not be finished for at least a year. Eve refuses to give up her work to go with him. A tune teller warns Eve not to work with a man who she thinks of THERON HEREE who has been forcing attention on her.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
 CHAPTER XXXVI  
 THE nerve-racking day following Dick's departure was over at last. Eve had worked an hour after closing time. Wearily she made her way to the wash room.

Miss Gordon, the coat buyer, was there before her, vigorously cleansing her face with soap and water. Eve felt guilty, remembering the costly error in the advertisement of the spring coat sale.

But Sadie Gordon greeted her cheerfully. "Don't tell me one of you pampered office girls has had to work overtime!" she said amiably. "I thought that never happened to anyone except us slaves behind the counters."

"It happens about four times a week to the girls in our office," Eve returned. "What do you mean—pampered? That word isn't in the dictionary of a department store executive."

"Isn't that the truth!" agreed the other. "It's hard work, all right, but I like it just the same. Maybe that's because it's all I know. When I was 14 I was a stock girl at Rosenblum's. And I've been through the whole works—wrapper, errand girl, saleswoman, assistant buyer and now—after 20 years—a buyer. My first salary was \$2.50 a week. It wasn't easy in those days. I was the oldest of eight children and all I ever got from my pay envelope was car fare. I carried my lunch from home, done up in a newspaper. A sandwich and homemade cookies, maybe, and an apple. Likely as not we'd have nothing but potato soup for supper. But it was good potato soup! Plenty of milk in it and tiny egg dumplings."

"My mother was wonderful. I hate to think how hard she worked for us. My father worked hard, too, but always for small wages. He never got ahead—never had a business of his own. That was a great disappointment to my mother. But he didn't care about running a business. All the time he could

have to himself he would play on his violin.

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HE was a tailor and my mother made him teach his trade to three brothers. They had her nose head and they made good. I started a little shop in a rickety building on a side street. Now you own Gordon's on the avenue—Gordon's tweeds, you know. They'd outfit the Prince of Wales himself!"

"Gordon's? But I thought—I've heard—" Eve began, then broke off in embarrassment.

"That Gordon's is owned by the Koveleski brothers?" Sadie finished the sentence for Eve matter-of-factly. "Well, it is. Abe and Sol and Ben. My name is Koveleski too but my mother thought we should have an American name in business."

"It's funny about names," Miss Gordon went on. "Our old country name wasn't good enough for a first class clothing store or for Bixby's coat buyer but it was just right for Abe's Lina when she turned out to be a real violinist."

"Lina—Lina Koveleski?" Eve repeated in amazement. "Not—the Koveleski, the famous girl violinist?"

"Sure," returned Sadie Gordon calmly. "Why not? She could carry a tune before she could walk and she was playing in public at four. She can make a violin speak—our Lina can! And she's a good girl, always thinking up some little surprises for her mother and father. I used to think it was foolish—the money Abe paid out for lessons for that child. But he always said she would make good and she has. But here I go, bragging about Lina, and your husband waiting down at the side door to take you to dinner!"

At this mention of Dick doubt and loneliness again overwhelmed Eve. "He isn't waiting tonight," she sighed. "He left yesterday for the Adirondacks. He's on a new job there," she went on, encouraged by Sadie Gordon's unexpected friendliness. "He'll be gone for a year—longer, perhaps. He's superintending a big construction job—some hospital buildings."

"You'll be leaving us before long, then."

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THE certainty in Miss Gordon's voice irritated Eve. "Oh, no! I'm not leaving," she returned spiritedly. "I'll go on with my work here. We're modern—my husband and I. We started our marriage on a 50-50 basis. It has always seemed to me that a woman's career is just as important as a man's."

"Sounds grand, dearie, but the arrangement doesn't always work out as you expected. If I were you I'd chuck this job and follow that handsome husband to the wilds before it's too late—even if I had to live in a tent and eat canned salmon and baked beans three times a day."

"Tell you what," the brisk, kindly woman went on, as they descended long flights of stairs to

the street (the elevators having stopped for the day), "why not come home with me to dinner if you haven't any special plans for the evening? I'll get something at the delicatessen at the corner and make some of that potato soup I was telling you about. It would be a real kindness to me! It never seems worth while to cook a hot meal for myself and yet I do get tired of restaurant food."

Eve accepted the invitation, gladly. They stopped at the delicatessen shop and while Miss Gordon bought half a roast chicken, greens for salad, a small cheese cake and rolls, Eve selected a box of candy as her contribution to the little feast.

Miss Gordon lived in a large apartment house just off the avenue. The building, convenient to her work, was in a neighborhood no longer considered fashionable. This factor, which seemed important to Eve, apparently gave Miss Gordon no concern.

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EVE, setting the table and preparing the salad while her hostess peeled potatoes and put them on to boil, found herself telling Sadie Gordon about Mrs. Brooks' old house with its great trees and attractive garden and how Dick had turned its dinginess into beauty with hammer, nails and a paint brush.

"I'd hate dreadfully to leave now," she admitted. "Though I thought the place was impossible at first."

"This potato soup is delicious," she assured her hostess when they were seated at the cheerful table.

Miss Gordon beamed at this praise and gave Eve detailed directions for making the soup. "You can surprise your husband with it some evening," she said.

"Oh, I don't have much time for cooking," Eve confessed. "Dick gets home first—or did when he was here. He usually had dinner nearly ready by the time I reached home. Now that he's gone I suppose I'll eat out most of the time."

"Listen, dearie! It looks to me as though you've picked the world's wonder for a husband. Not many men would go home at night and cook dinner! Don't be foolish and let some other girl vamp him away from you. You've got a new job as cook in an Adirondacks construction camp?"

Eve laughed uneasily and changed the subject but when she returned home that night the apartment seemed unutterably lonely in spite of its beauty and comfort. She remembered Miss Gordon's advice. Not that she intended to follow it—not in the least!

But what if this temporary separation should lead to a permanent parting from Dick? He had gone away so calmly—almost cheerfully. Had he really been glad to go?

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Kick Once More

DALLAS—If Pepper, 300-pound performing mule, could talk, he'd have a tale to tell of an operation unique in veterinary circles here.

When the three-year-old stunter received a broken leg in a collision with an automobile, his master, Roy Harris, consulted several veterinarians.

"Shoot him," they advised.

Harris kept looking until he found a doctor who would take the case. The veterinarian tried a plaster cast. The experiment failed. Then he conceived an idea of a sling—not for the leg alone, but for the entire mule.

The doctor cut four holes in a sheet of heavy canvass, placed Pepper's legs through them, and hoisted the mule in the air, slung between frameworks of heavy timber.

Pepper remained in the sling, his legs clear of the ground, for five weeks while the injured leg mended. At times he was so weak he could take nourishment only in the form of glucose injections. One day he got to feeling better. He kicked himself free of the sling, went limping off about his business.

The doctor pronounced him cured.

Lastland Churches

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH**  
 This Sunday will be the Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost and the epistle read is taken from St. Paul's Epistle to the Galatians V. 25 and VI. 1-10; and the gospel is from St. Luke VII 11-16. Here we have narrated the miracle of raising a dead man, the only son of the widowed mother. Mass on Sunday will be at 10 a. m. by Rev. J. Fernandez. Wednesday, Friday and Saturday are days of fast and abstinence.

ESTATE SETTLED AFTER FIFTY YEARS

By United Press  
**PHILADELPHIA**.—After nearly 50 years of litigation the estate of Charles Lafferty, founder of Philadelphia's transit system, soon will be distributed. When he died in 1885, the estate was valued at \$200,000. Today it is valued at \$2,621,851. During the period of the trust the heirs have received an income totalling \$5,500,000.

**SANTA CRUZ, Calif.**—Hordes of gray squirrels, said to be the last of their species in this state slowly are dying of starvation amid rich feeding grounds. Fish and Game Commissioner Forrest J. McDermott blames a mysterious malady which attacks their eyes and blinds them so they are unable to hunt for food. Biologists of the University of California have been studying the plague for three years, but have been unable to determine the cause of type of the disease.

Eastland Personals

Mrs. Milburn McCarty is spending the week-end in Dallas with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pickens are visiting the Century of Progress.

Blanton T. Dick of Phoenix, Arizona, arrived Thursday for a six weeks visit with his brother, Earl Dick.

Miss Lavelle Hendrick and Miss Lois Nelson have apartments at the Carl Johnson residence.

W. B. White, 417 South Daugherty Avenue, has been very ill since his return from the Temple Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin are spending the week-end in Carlsbad, with their daughter, Miss Margaret, who is there for the benefit of her health.

Miss Thelma Brewer is in Austin.

Mrs. Sam D. Young of El Paso, was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. E. Lewis, from Tuesday to Thursday.

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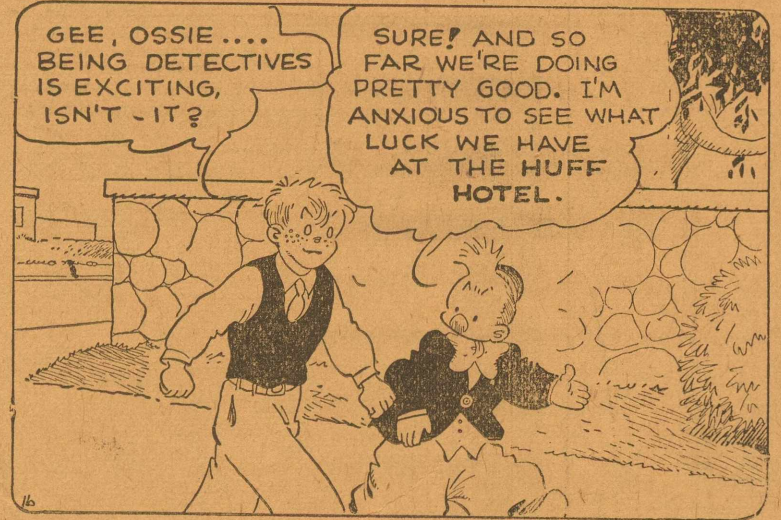
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**SPIDER BITE NEARLY FATAL**  
 THE DALLAS, Ore.—Bite of a "black widow" venomous spider never before seen in this part of the country, put Mrs. Howard Wilkerson in the hospital with a severe case of poisoning. The insect, whose poison is said to be more potent than that of a rattlesnake, bit Mrs. Wilkerson while she slept.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



**200-YEAR-OLD STAGE COACH**  
 MATAMOROS, Mexico—A 200-year-old stage coach, reputed to have been used in transporting French opera singers between Matamoros and Victoria, Mexico, in the days when Maximilian held court here, was discovered recently by Hickman Hill, son of Lon C. Hill, founder of Harlingen, Texas.

Eastland Society

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 Webb, whose eighteenth birthday was prettily celebrated at this time.

The home was beautifully decorated with salvia, crepe myrtle and roses in a red and white color motif.

Merry games on the lawn and in the house were enjoyed, also group singing, and piano music by Misses Geraldine Terrell, and Cecil Rhodes, and Mrs. W. O. Wright.

Miss Webb was presented a quantity of pretty and useful gifts by her friends, whose packages were in gay red and white tissue covers, in keeping with the color scheme employed.

The birthday cake, white and cocoanut iced, had a place of honor on a lace-centered table.

The young folks had a lot of fun blowing out the 18 tapers that topped the white confection.

Chocolate cake, birthday cake, and ice cream punch were the delicious refreshments.

Guests were Misses Geraldine Terrell, Doris Van Geem, Erma Hunt, Irene Williams, Rowena Cook, Alean Williams, Pauline Parsley, Cecil Seale, and honoree Della Webb; Billy Satterwhite, Curtis Terrell, Malcolm McGehee, Willie Taylor, Robert Ferris, Pressley Webb, Dick Maxwell, James Bell, and Blanton Dick of Phoenix, Ariz.

**Kill Kare Kard Klub**  
 Unusually attractive appointments marked the recent meeting of the Kill Kare Kard Klub, entertained by Mrs. W. T. Morgan, in a setting of pink verbenias in graceful bouquets about the rooms, and appointments for the bride tables, arranged in pink and yellow motif, of flower girls, for tallies, and yellow bridge covers.

High score favor in the game, for club member, a rest of ice box dishes was awarded Mrs. C. S. Eubanks.

High score guest favor, handsome playing cards, went to Mrs. John Burke.

Preceding the serving of refreshments, a brief business session was held, when the resignation of Mrs. Charles T. Lucas as a member was respectfully accepted.

New members voted in were Mrs. John Burke and Mrs. L. Y. Morris.

At close of game, the card tables were resurfaced with marbled linens, for the tea hour, and the table plate most prettily arranged had a white lace doily underlay, and cherry jello in ring mold, with maynnaise filling; stuffed olives, pickles, potato flakes, pimento cheese sandwiches, served on yellow crystal plates.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. R. A. P'Pool, Sept. 28.

Members present, Mmes. D. S. Eubanks, J. D. Blankenship, C. T. Lucas, Valson Jones, R. A. P'Pool, W. T. Morgan, R. A. Rhoades of Ranger, and Mrs. John Burke, a guest.

Radio music added its charm during the afternoon.

**R. L. Youngs Return**  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Young, who motored as far as Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Rogers, and from that point accompanied Mrs. Young's brother and his wife to A Century of Progress, report a most delightful two weeks vacation, during which they visited Niagara Falls, Ontario, and the Mammoth Cave in Kentucky. They returned home Friday.

**Mrs. Kraemer Hostess to Club**  
 The Busy Bee Sewing club enjoyed a pleasant afternoon Thursday at the home of Mrs. Joe Kraemer on West Commerce street.

Needlework, radio music, and visiting, filled a happy hour.

The rooms were prettily decorated with clusters of zinnias in pink and white hues, this color motif carried out in the refreshments served of ice cream and angel food cake.

The club will meet Sept. 29 with Mrs. James Beale, 106 New street.

Those present, Mmes. Argye Fehl, Roy L. Allen, Ira L. Hanna, Ernest Daniels, James Beale, M. B. Griffin, and Joe Kraemer.

**West Ward P.-T. A.**  
 The Parent-Teacher association of West Ward school will open their fall season on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the school assembly room.

The session will be an informal one, conducted by their president, Mrs. Paul McFarland.

Teachers will be introduced, unfinished business brought up and settled, and other preliminary work incident to the opening will take place.

All members urged to attend this session.

**Talahi Group**  
 An informal meeting was held by the Talahi group of Camp Fire Girls on Friday afternoon at the

home of their guardian, Mrs. J. L. Cottingham, who directed the discussion concerning the future work of the group, and arranged with the committee to have the magazines accumulated by them, and others, disposed of Saturday.

The group will meet on Friday at 4 p. m., at residence of Mrs. Cottingham.

Those present: Misses Norma Frances Vickers, Helen Butler, Joe Earl Uitz, Lurline Brawner, Katherine Uitz, Kathleen Cottingham, and Mrs. J. L. Cottingham.

**Mrs. Hickman Announces Study Theme**  
 The last general meeting of the third quarter of the year of the Women's Missionary society of the Methodist church will be held Monday afternoon in the classrooms, and will have for theme of program, "Following in the Way of Jesus," and for subject, "Forces at Work in Japan."

All circles are meeting at this time, and a full attendance of all members is requested.

**Rebekah Lodge**  
 Interesting plans were developed in the Rebekah lodge this week for the associational district meeting to be held Oct. 5 in Ranger.

The session Thursday night was conducted by Mrs. Don Parker, noble grand, talks for the good of the order were made by guests from Ranger, Mrs. Yerton, and Mrs. Mattie Calder, Ranger Lodge No. 140.

Team practice in preparation for the contest was in active progress. Those present were Mmes. W. C. Marlow, Robert Pearson, Don Parker, Ray Hardwick, Cy Butler, Tom Daniels, Blanche Nicols, Misses Estelle Davenport and Berniece Clark, and the Ranger guests.

**Martha Dorcas Social Party**  
 Mrs. C. W. Hoffman, 1305 South Seaman street, will open her home Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock to the Martha Dorcas Bible class of the Methodist church, on the occasion of their once a month social meeting.

Mrs. Hoffman will be assisted by co-hostesses, Mmes. D. J. Jobe, Jack Hale, John Dwyer, and Miss Ila Mae Coleman.

Return of school days offers a break for the busy mother. Now she won't have to hire some one to take care of the children while she goes out and plays bridge.

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### S. M. U. Team Will Be Made Up From Sophomore Squad

By MERRILL E. COMPTON  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
DALLAS.—The football team of Southern Methodist University of Dallas will depend this season on Sophomores.

Twelve lettermen from the team which ended the Southwest conference race in fifth place last season have graduated leaving holes in the line and backfield. Several other lettermen may not return.

The 45 candidates expected to report September 20 to Head Coach Ray Morrison for practice will include 28 second year men; two junior college men and 11 others with only one year's experience on the squad. Three seniors are expected to be candidates for the team.

"It will be the greenest squad I've ever had yet I believe it will be one of the best," Morrison said. "Those kids showed plenty of ability in spring training and they've got the best team spirit I ever saw. They've got dash and fire and they can throw the ball around."

"It is the kind of material we need for our 'aerial circus.' The public likes that style of offense and we're going to give them plenty of it this fall."

Two of the 45 or more reporting are apparently assured of regular varsity assignments. They are Ray Fuqua and Louis Smith, each ends and rated by Morrison as two of the finest the school has boasted.

Understudying them will be four second year men including Maco Stewart, former all-state high school star from Corsicana, Cecil Colvill, Hillsboro, Bill Tipton, Cammona, and Jim Kelly, Dallas high school product, finish this list.

Stewart underwent an appendicitis operation this summer. He may be late getting into condition. Another all-state high school selection reporting for his first varsity season is Billy Stamps, the short little guard who teamed with Stewart at Corsicana. J. C. Wetzel of Dallas, is regarded as the second most likely candidate.

Other guard material includes Glenn Lairmore, Tulsa, Okla.; Ross Laughlin, Durant, Okla.; Rollin Dixon, Wichita Falls; Tommie Fields and Charles Baker of Chertino.

Each of the Oklahomans are Juniors. Fields, eligible under the new rule permitting junior college men to play on conference varsity teams, played at Weatherford Junior College last year.

The battle over center involves two sophomores and a junior. Superior speed may give Arthur Johnson of Tyler, one of the stars on the freshman team of last year, the call. Jim Bradford, San Antonio, a junior, and Buster Raborn of El Dorado, Ark., are the others listed as most likely candidates for this post.

In the backfield Morrison faces one of his biggest problems. Kenneth Travis, regular quarterback, Captain Howard Sprague, fullback and Bert Baxter, half, will be missing. The latter, married this summer, will not return to Southern Methodist.

The shuffle of cards will likely result in some of the material labeled now as "quarterback" fulfilling other assignments.

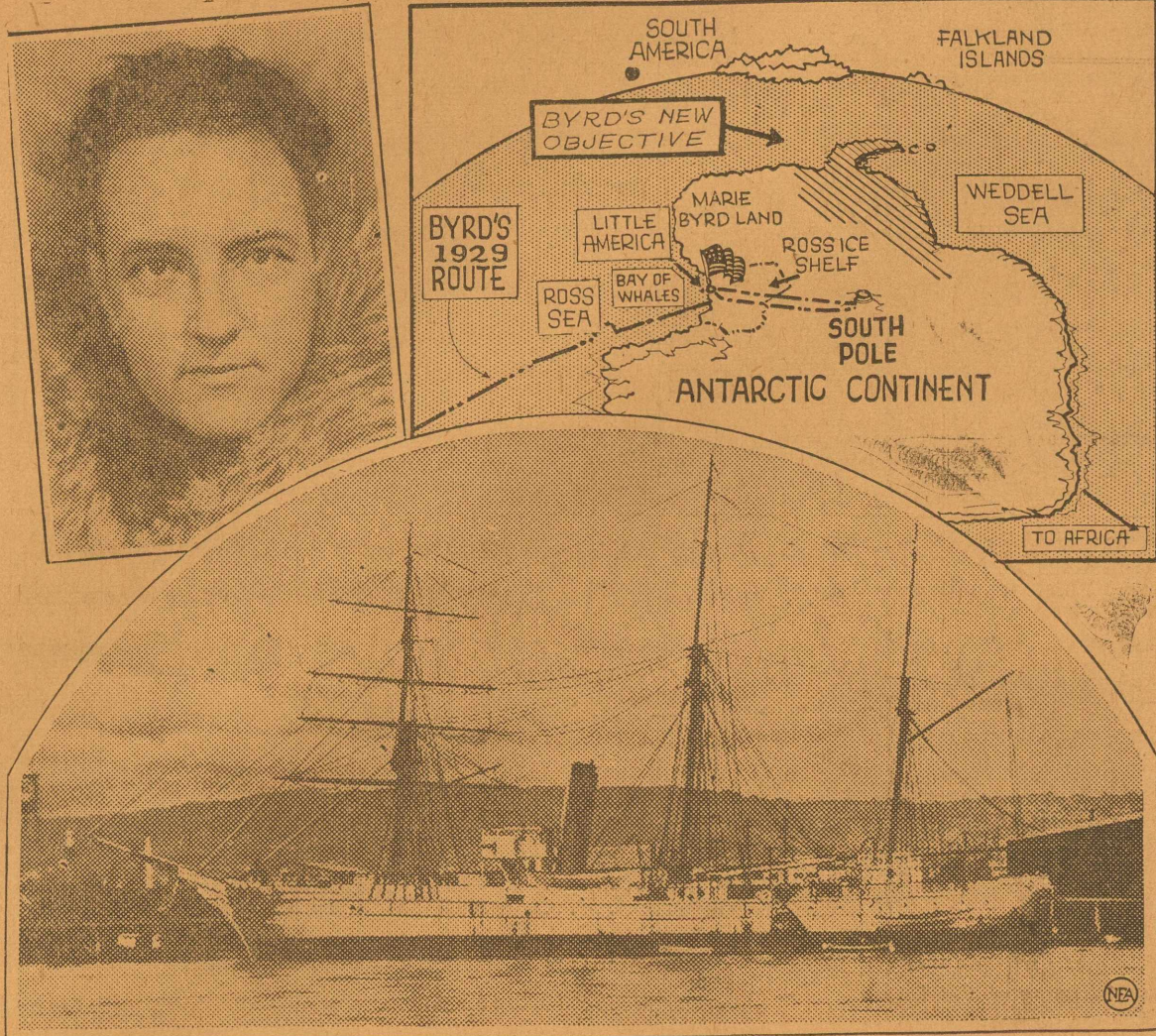
Six seek the signal-barker's job. The list includes J. R. Smith and Jack Little, both of Dallas, Shelly Burt, Hillsboro, Bob Turner, Weatherford, Harry Shuford, Tyler and Jack McNutt, Corsicana.

### Caddyless Golfer 'Rolls Her Own'



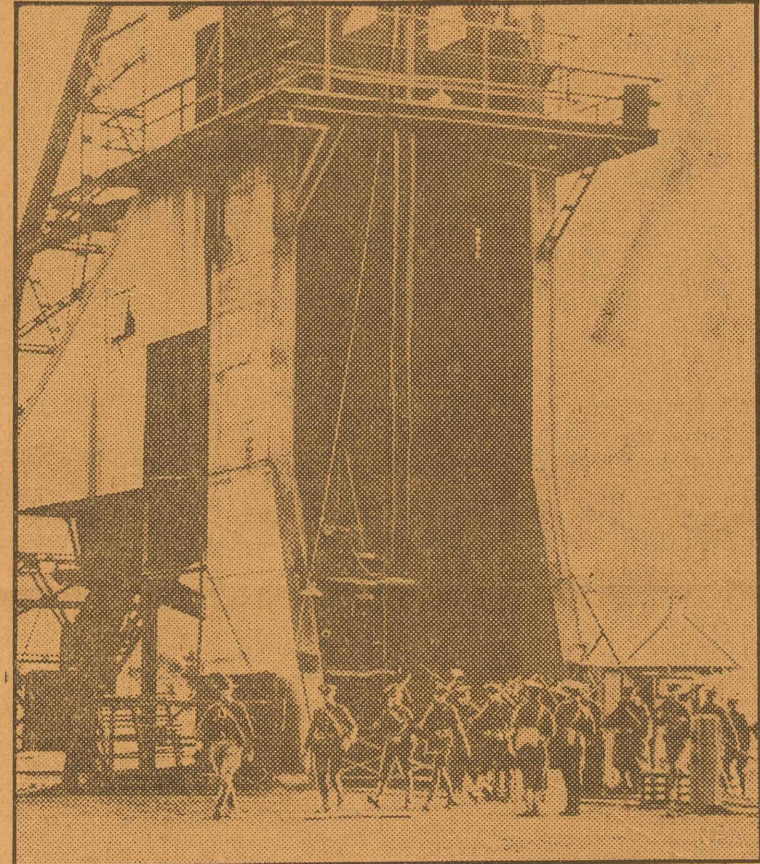
Golfers will get no snickers from caddies—nor help in hunting lost balls—if they adopt the "wheel-your-own" golf bag employed here by Miss Helen Forsythe. The device which permits the bag to be rolled over the course on detachable wheels was exhibited at the National Inventors' congress in Cleveland.

### Byrd Hopes to Find New Antarctic Lands for U. S.



Admiral Richard E. Byrd, above, hopes to discover and claim for the United States vast areas of unexplored land lying between South America and the South Pole on a second expedition he will lead to the Antarctic this fall. The approximate location of land Byrd hopes to find the route of his 1929 expedition are shown on the map. One of the expedition's two vessels will be the old U. S. coast guard cutter Bear, pictured here, famous for its rescue work in Arctic waters.

### Troops Disperse Mine Pickets



Arrival of New Mexico national guardsmen was the signal for a picketing about the Gamero Mine at Gallup, N. M., to dissolve without violence. Pickets had kept the mine closed for three days. Troop A, 11th cavalry, N. M. N. G., is shown swinging up to the mine entrance as dismounted cavalry.

McNutt is a senior, the others sophomores.

Haskell Ross, Farmersville, also a senior, is rated as the best bet for fullback. Whitey Baccus, Estelline, Robert (Bob) Wilson, all-state backfield man while at Corsicana high; Jack Seagraves, Teague; James Russell and Jackie Gore, both of Dallas, and Charles Chinn, Waco, are other backfield men.

### GERMAN BEER VAT IS SECOND LARGEST

By United Press  
SAN FRANCISCO.—"Ach, dose Germans, dey are only second raters ven comes it to drinking beer," spluttered Joseph Goldie, brewer. A dispatch from Ulm, Germany, had been shown Goldie, claiming the world's largest beer vat with a 2,500-barrel capacity. "The largest vat is right here," asserted the brewer, "with a capacity of 3,100. Jake Ruppert in New York comes close with a 2,100-barrel retainer."

### WHEAT CROP GOOD

By United Press  
MONTREAL.—Exports of wheat from Canada, during the crop year 1933 amounted to 240,126,568 bushels, compared with 182,863,382 bushels in 1932, figures issued by the dominion bureau of statistics reveal. The 1933 exports were the fifth largest from Canada in any previous crop year. Of the total exports this year, 156,461,736 bushels went to Great Britain.

### TEXAS WOMAN'S AIM GOOD

By United Press  
BURNET, Texas.—It developed that Mrs. Alice Skaggs, farmer woman, could throw straighter than she knew. When a big hawk, which had seized a chicken, settled to the ground after a short flight, Mrs. Skaggs hurled a rock at the bird intending to scare it away. The rock killed the hawk. It measured 54 inches across the wings.

Police beat firemen in tug-of-war at Cleveland's annual field day meet, which is doubtless explained by fact the police are more familiar with the pull.

### MOVING TO PAMPA

Eastland friends sincerely regret that a new position has taken Jess C. Day and his family from Eastland, where they have lived many years. Mr. Day preceded his wife several days ago to Pampa, where he is located and associated with the Railroad Commission. Mrs. Day will join him in about a week. She has been prominent in the work of the Christian Science Church, and has been an officer in the Alpha Delphian Chapter for some years.

### OLD FOOD COLLECTION

HUNTINGTON, Vt.—Just as one might collect stamps or antiques, Fred Higley boasts a collection of ancient edibles—a maple sugar cake made in 1873, another in 1919, and a cookie that was taken from the oven back in 1880.

### Rusty Machinery Arcuses Soviet

By United Press  
MOSCOW.—Vast amounts of iron and steel equipment are lying idle and neglected, in many instances spoiled beyond hope of rescue, at metallurgical undertakings throughout the soviet union.

This disclosure was made by an official investigation of unmounted machines and equipment carried through recently by the commissariat of heavy industry. The total involved, the government learned, was 219,000,000 rubles worth in July, and more has been added since then.

The situation, especially serious because much of the equipment is imported, largely is due to the desire of soviet industrial enterprises to order as much machinery as possible as far ahead as possible.

Fearful that appropriations for equipment may be limited, directors of these enterprises push through orders for things they may need in the distant future.

The unnecessarily early ordering of machinery is made that much worse by the failure to care for the unused goods properly. The investigation showed that these millions of rubles in equipment were in most cases unprotected, dirty and weather-worn.

As usual, arrests have been made and exemplary trials will be staged.

### Death From Typhoid Fever Is Reduced

By United Press  
AUSTIN.—Typhoid fever has caused Texans to lose more than a half million working days during the last five years, according to reports compiled by Dr. W. A. Davis, state registrar of vital statistics.

The typhoid death rate, however, dropped from 9.8 in 1930 to 7.9 in 1932 per 100,000 population. The 1932 rate compares with the rate of 5 in Alabama; 7.9 in Mississippi; 10.10 in Louisiana, and 12.4 in Arkansas.

### Business In Texas Still Is Cheerful Weeks Report Says

DALLAS.—Business news continued on the whole cheerful in Texas this week as sensational developments in two of the state's leading industries produced alternative gloom and optimism.

The \$6,000,000 citrus industry of the lower Rio Grande Valley was damaged 75 to 90 per cent by the hurricane, but as relief work got under way plans to salvage the windfallen fruit were initiated. What percentage of the damaged fruit it would be possible to save was difficult to estimate.

Coincidental with the blow to hopes of citrus growers, who before the hurricane faced bright crop prospects in years, came augury of better days for the oil industry. Operators envisaged "dollar oil" as major companies posted increases which Friday reached a top of 92 cents a barrel for north and north central Texas oil and 90 cents for East Texas crude. The average rise of 30 cents meant \$292,560 a day more to producers under the government's allowable of 75,200 barrels.

The cotton market accepted the government's estimate of 1933 production at 12,414,000 bales calmly, although it was depressed at first by other factors. Indications were Texas growers would receive around five cents a pound more for their estimated 3,815,000 bales this year than they got for their 4,500,000 bales this year.

The general farm income continued to grow. From various sources it was indicated the August farm income was in excess of \$28,000,000, the largest in two years.

The Federal Reserve's optimistic report of increased sales in both retail and wholesale lines was corroborated by growing bank clearings at Dallas, the state's leading wholesale center. For the week ending September 2, they amounted to \$29,114,395.04, more than \$9,000,000 in excess of clearings for the same week a year ago. Weekly gains of more than \$1,000,000 have been reported consistently for the past several weeks.

The mohair industry opened the season in West Texas with 6,500,000 pounds moving to warehouses as prices held around 200 per cent higher than last season at 30 to 35 cents a pound for small clips to 40 cents for kid hair.

As the fall shearing season started spring wool tipped 30

### Polish Balloonists Reach Safety



Safe after five harrowing days in the Quebec wilds, Capt. Francis Zek Hynek (right) and Lieut. Zebigniew Burzynski, Polish balloonists, are shown above as they arrived in Quebec city. They became lost at the end of their flight from Chicago in the James Gordon Bennett International Balloon Races.

cents, the season's high up to that time.

Livestock prices, excepting cattle, continued above those a year ago.

### Wife's Ball Bat Knocked Out Boxer

By United Press  
SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Michael De Mare, of Syracuse, can "take it," as thousands of boxing fans, who know him as "Kid Coogan," can testify, but blows delivered from a baseball bat, in the hands of his wife Pauline, were more than the absorption powers of the "Kid" could stand.

He took the "count" after he failed effectively to dodge three lusty wallops of "Mrs. Coogan's" bludgeon. When he came to, he had his wife, who has been separated from him for three years, arrested. Pauline promptly fainted when she was found guilty in city court and the judge deferred sentences until a late date.

### The Bankhead May be Rerouted

EASTLAND, Texas, Sept. 16.—A representative of the District Engineer's office of the State Highway Commission at Brownwood was in Eastland Friday looking over West Main Street with a view of preparing plans and specifications for the paving of that street. At different times recently surveying crews and engineers have been in Eastland surveying and studying this proposition for the purpose of submitting it to the Highway Commission and Federal authorities for construction.

It is the opinion of the city authorities that this project will come up for construction as soon as the Federal Relief funds for this class of work is put into operation. South Seaman street is said to be due for consideration along with West Main. The treatment on South Seaman will probably be to scarify the surface and retop the street.

### Mexico Plans Credit Unions

By United Press  
MEXICO, D. F.—The government's purpose of providing credit facilities for small operators of all classes has found expression in a presidential decree which created the machinery for serving borrowers unable to find banking accommodations. The general law of credit institutions provided the authority for the decree.

A fund of \$600,000 is established by the decree to guarantee the credits which banks already operating now will be encouraged to extend to small borrowers. The borrowers will be required to organize themselves into credit unions, which will establish standards and credit ratings to which members must conform. The banks themselves must supply the funds for the loans which are anticipated but the two million peso fund will be used to minimize the banks' risks.

The fund is to be deposited with the Bank of Mexico, which will represent the government in organizing the credit unions and in dealing with the banks participating in the project.

In an explanatory statement, Treasury Secretary Alberto J. Pani expressed confidence that the organization of credit unions would benefit their members far beyond the matter of finance, which will be the primary object.

### CENTRAL HEATING 1900 YEARS OLD

By United Press  
PARIS.—Central heating is no modern invention. Archaeologists excavating the Roman-Gallic ruins of an important city near Chissey-les-Macon, dating back 19 centuries, uncovered an entire villa fully equipped with a central-heating system. The heating was accomplished by warm-air circulated through tubes.

### BLUE SUNSHINE PHENOMENON

By United Press  
EUGENE, Ore.—Blue sunlight shone down on Eugene recently when 300,000 acres of heavy timberland upstate was destroyed by forest fires. University of Oregon professors declared the rare phenomenon was caused by refraction of the sun's rays through a dense smoke fog in the upper air.

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Dearborn, Mich.

A safe car makes a safe driver.

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Dearborn, Mich.

A safe car has great influence toward making a safe driver. Car faults will magnify driver faults several degrees, whereas freedom from car faults will go far to nullify many serious driver faults. Car safety depends on two sets of factors: first, what the car itself can do to avoid trouble; second, what protection it can give when trouble comes.

In the Ford V-8 the factors that prevent trouble may be summed up in two words—steadiness and obedience.

A steady car is one that runs straight and does not weave or wobble or "hunt" all over the road. Our reliable steering gear, our special type of springs and our X-type frame with 4 full-length side members, instead of 2, keep the Ford V-8 steady.

Our car hugs the road because its center of gravity is low.

It is steady on curves or sudden turns, due to our transverse springs which prevent the car from leaning or rocking or tipping as it makes a turn or a sudden necessary swerve in driving. A car that does not go easily around a curve without swaying or tilting, is not a safe car.

An obedient car obeys its accelerator and brake instantly. There is no lagging at the start, no uncontrolled momentum when you want to stop. Instant response when you release the power is as important as instant response when you apply the power.

Now, should accident unfortunately occur, the car's protective qualities come into play. In the Ford V-8 they are these:

Safety glass eliminates a whole range of danger. Every Ford windshield is made of safety glass. Every Ford de luxe model has safety glass throughout.

Our one-piece, all steel, superlatively strong body resists shocks and strain, and affords the highest possible protection to its occupants, and that strength and protection is as great and firm the last year you drive your car as it was the first.

Our welded, all-steel spoke wheel (not the common built-up wire wheel) resists disabling shocks and tends to insure the car remaining upright and thus preventing further danger.

There are 40 different kinds of steel in your Ford V-8, each developed for use where it will produce the greatest safety—first for prevention of danger—second, for protection from danger.

September 15, 1933.

Henry Ford



### DERRICK SHADOWS

By V. MARIE STEPHENS

He may have seen 10 summer baby summers they must have been . . . he looked so young.

And one of those 10 (if there had been that many) taught him the fascinating business of in-and-exhaling smoke . . . and the art of acquiring cigarette stubs from sidewalks and gutters.

He came out of the postoffice, flicked the ashes off the yellow thing hanging so loosely in his mouth . . . sauntered on down the street.

For a moment I felt that disciplinary desire to spank him . . . then I saw the slinking little dog at his heels . . . he patted the mongrel on his skinny head . . . the pup ceased to slink.

There was something to the boy beside his dirty hands and unkempt hair. There was the faint spark . . . the first ingredient of a leader . . . that was the thing that made the dog untuck his tail . . .

Made him a dog instead of a scared hound . . . made him master of his four feet and drooping ears.

Those are the boys we need to develop.

The world can't use Little Lord Fauntleroy . . . can't turn her stocks and bonds to Percival . . . can't leave her government to Cicero.

She wants Bill and Dick and Jack . . . dirty Bills . . . torn Dicks . . . smoking Jacks.

And now you've misunderstood us . . . and now we're to the point of our idea.

We need to take our Toms and Mikes and Harrys and give them something for their dripping cigarettes . . . give them something to employ their 10-year-old minds with . . . something to build airplanes and automobiles with.

Give them anything . . . you mothers and dads.

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#### 7-SPECIAL NOTICES

WILL room and board two girls and furnish transportation to town. 1118 Oddie. BROWN'S TRANSFER & STORAGE CO., 111 S. Marston, Ranger. WILL BUY—General Revenue Fund Warrants (white) State of Texas at reasonable discount. See W. F. Creager at bank.

#### 9-HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five-room furnished house; close in; well located. C. E. May.

11-APARTMENTS FOR RENT CLOSE IN furnished apartment. 220 S. Austin St.

13-FOR SALE—Miscellaneous FOR SALE—One lady's and one man's diamond rings; exceptional bargains. See W. F. Creager at the bank.

14-REAL ESTATE FOR SALE BARGAINS—Some small tracts; must be sold. Also have some good farms for sale. See Julius Wright, 103 S. Rusk.

#### All Haircuts 35c

Shaves . . . . . 25c Other work Low in Proportion GHOLSON HOTEL BARBER SHOP Basement of the Gholson

### NO HELP WANTED . . . . . By Laufer



- Give them fishing tackle, \_\_\_\_\_
- And rifles, \_\_\_\_\_
- And footballs, \_\_\_\_\_
- And hammers, \_\_\_\_\_
- Let them climb on your sun parlor, \_\_\_\_\_
- And dig up your flowers, \_\_\_\_\_
- And skate in your guest room, \_\_\_\_\_
- And draw pictures on your walls . . . \_\_\_\_\_
- But . . . \_\_\_\_\_
- Take them off the streets at night, \_\_\_\_\_
- Take the nicotine stain off their fingers, \_\_\_\_\_
- Clean up their minds, \_\_\_\_\_
- And give them a chance to live . . . \_\_\_\_\_
- And the world a chance for men.

### Ex-Champion On Mat In Ranger On Tuesday Night

Duke Chick, one time light-heavy weight champion of the world, will be in Ranger Tuesday night to give Jack O'Brien a lesson in wrestling if it is possible for him to do so. Chick at one time beat Champion Hugh Nichols and held his belt for two weeks losing it two weeks later in a return go. The Dude is the most colorful wrestler ever to be signed up on the EKS club meet and is going to be welcomed to Ranger by a large crowd and all will be pulling for him to beat the rough O'Brien as the fans don't like the way he has been winning his bouts and they are anxious to see some one take O'Brien to the cleaners. Chick is a nationally known

### HOOKS and SLIDES BY BILL BRAUCHER

**A Tragic Babe Ruth**  
A MAN who has hit more home runs in a season than Babe Ruth at the peak of his batting power . . . a man still young at 33 . . . Joe Hauser . . . yet he remains in a Minneapolis uniform and his chances for returning to the majors are not so good.

On Labor Day Hauser hit his 65th home run and now is on his way to 70 . . . that overshadows Ruth's record of 60 . . . why doesn't some major league club grab Hauser? . . . because of a trick knee!

**Child of Calamity**  
HAUSER gave brilliant promise eight years ago last spring when he appeared in the A's training camp . . . the players liked him, and called him "Unser (Our) Joe" . . . but in a game at Philadelphia he broke his kneecap chasing a foul fly . . . he was out all year . . . and as far as the majors were concerned was out forever . . . the knee hampered his fielding.

Three years ago Joe set his record of 63 homers . . . more than any player ever had hit in any season in any league . . . Al Simmons and Jimmy Dykes, who were pals of Joe's in the old days, sent him wires cheering him on . . . Joe made a lot of friends in the big leagues . . . he was that kind of a lad . . . Connie Mack was in high glee about it.

It was predicted then that Joe surely would be brought back to the big show the next season . . . anybody who could smack 63 homers in the International League could whack that apple in the majors . . . but Joe wasn't brought back . . . scouts emphasized that broken knee . . . and reported that Joe never had been such a hot fielder even before the crackup . . . also that the fences were shorter, which contributed to Joe's record.

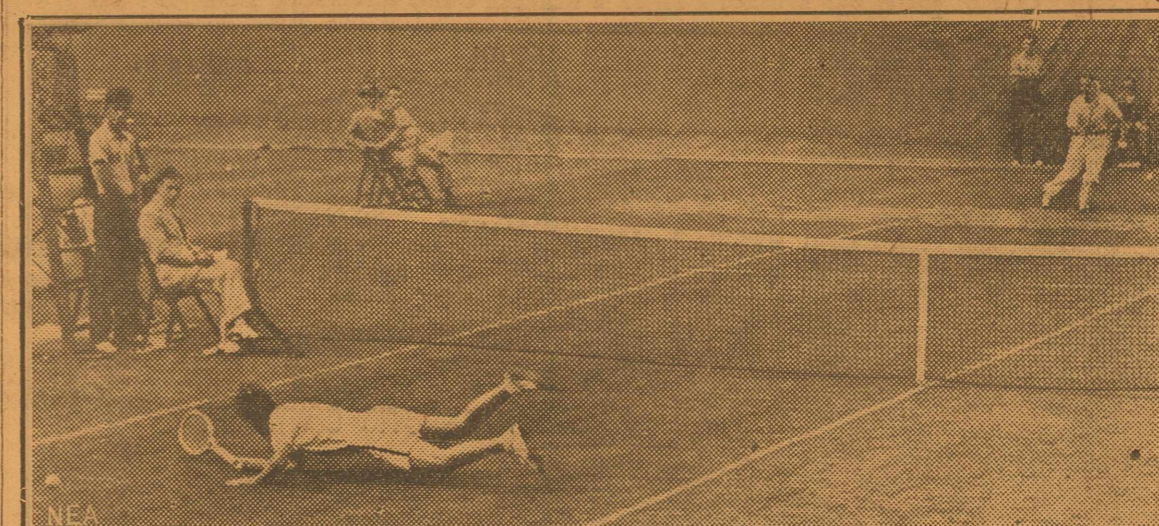
**Tennis Bans**  
HELEN WILLS MOODY wasn't the only one forbidden by her physician to play tennis. Helen Jacobs, who was defeating the slipping champion at Forest Hills, also had a doctor's first-class ban with free-wheeling attachments. The Moody Helen used her ban first—and the Jacobs Helen had to admit she was not only non-plused, chagrined and mortified, but embarrassed as well, and declared that she would follow the Moody Helen around wherever she went and enter every tournament in which the Moody Helen appeared. The Jacobs Helen may yet get a chance to use her own ban in a big way, and walk off the court just before the last shot in the finals.

**Men Fold Up, Too**  
IT has been a great year for buns in this game, and for collapses. Even the men have been folding up right and left. Sinewy Ellsworth Vines, a former champion, went down with his boots on at Stade Roland Garros. To what collapsible proportions has tennis grown! Perhaps the U. S. L. T. A. had better follow the system used in prize fights, stipulating that the contestants must weigh in before a match and suffer an ordeal of stethoscopes, etc., with official U. S. L. T. A. doctors in attendance.

wrestler and is due to beat O'Brien but he will be sure to absorb a lot of rough treatment and may suffer defeat as the brewer is a fighter and always goes in to win. The semi-final is for the best two out of three for 45 minutes between the big noisy Kid Lewis and a new comer to this part of the country, Bobby Dees of Colorado. Bobby is one of the cleaner type of wrestlers and is always after his man and is anxious to make a name for himself in Texas. If he beats Lewis he will beat one of the best appearing on the mat today in Texas.

One of the best and fastest boxing bouts ever seen in West Texas is due to come off Tuesday night between Benny Greenfield and Pancho Gonzalos of San Antonio. Greenfield is known as the

### A Texas Star Goes Down . . . in Straight Sets



Manuel Alonso, Spanish Davis Cup star of 15 years ago, showed he hadn't lost any of his old-time form when he beat Berkeley Bell, Texas flash, 6-3, 6-3, in the national singles championship tournament at Forest Hills, N. Y. Here Bell goes flat trying to reach one of Alonso's well-placed drives.

### SINCLAIR IS WINNER OVER LEGION 15-10

**TWILIGHT LEAGUE Standing of the Teams**

Club	P	W	L	Pct.
Magnolia	6	5	1	.833
Lone Star	6	5	1	.833
Elks	5	4	1	.800
Legion	6	3	3	.500
Times	4	2	2	.500
Lions	6	2	4	.333
Barbers	4	1	3	.250
Sinclair	5	1	4	.200
Rotary	4	0	4	.000

Sinclair-Prairie won its first game in the Twilight league Friday afternoon when it defeated the Legion by a score of 15 to 10.

Each team made nine hits, while the Sinclair-Prairie were making 11 errors to the Legionnaires' five, but made their hits count in the pinches to take the game.

**The box score:**

Sinclair	AB.	R.	H.	E.
Cook, c.	4	1	2	2
Ice, p.	4	1	0	0
Wallace, 1b	3	2	2	2
Gracey, lf	3	2	2	2
Horton, rf	2	2	0	0
Sikes, 2b	3	0	0	0
Richmond, 3b	2	1	4	4
Johnson, rss	2	2	0	0
Curry, cf	3	2	1	0
Reimund, lss	2	1	1	1

Totals . . . . . 28 15 9 11

Legion	AB.	R.	H.	E.
Isbell, lf	3	3	1	0
Hatley, p	4	3	2	1
Murphy, 1b	3	0	1	0
Taylor, lss	3	0	0	2
Huffman, rf	3	1	2	0
Osteen, 2b	3	1	2	0
Bethel, cf	3	0	0	0
Hazzard, rss	3	2	1	1
Boyd, 3b	3	0	0	1
Hathcock, c	2	1	0	0

Totals . . . . . 30 10 9 5  
Summary—home runs, Gracey; Hatley; three-base hits, Wallace, Curry; two-base hits, Cook 2; Richmond, Huffman, Osteen 2; left on bases, Sinclair 3, Legion 9; struck out, by Ice 3 (Murphy, Hazzard, Bethel); bases on balls, off Ice 4, off Hatley 5. Umpires, McDonald, Davenport, Armstrong.

### AUTO KIDNAPING NEW RACKET IN CANADA

By United Press  
VANCOUVER, B. C.—A new kind of racket—automobile kidnaping—was uncovered here when police arrested five young boys and charged them with auto theft. The youths, police said, had stolen an automobile and entered into negotiations with its owner, demanding a "ransom" before they would return it.

"U. S. Girl Smacks Paris Mash-er in Eye"—headline. Seems like it was she, and not he, who made a hit.

### Arcadia Monday



SLIM SUMMERVILLE and LASH PITTS in "HER FIRST MATE" UNIVERSAL PRODUCTION

### DEPRESSION BUILT CHURCH

By United Press  
SABINAL, Texas.—Depression gave leisure time to numerous members of the congregation of the Church of Christ here, so they decided to build a church. Volunteer labor, coupled with materials from an old church and college building, have resulted in a new church seating 300. It is valued at \$15,000.

TRADE HERE AND HELP YOUR CHURCH and QUICK SERVICE GARAGE Phone 23 — Ranger

Joseph Dry Goods Co. Rangers' Foremost Department Store 208-10 Main St. Ranger

WE BUY PRODUCE 'M'-SYSTEM GROCERY & MARKET Ranger, Texas

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES Texas Electric Service Co.

BALDWIN-MADE PIANOS Clyde H. Davis Jewelry and Music

AMBULANCE SERVICE "Watch Our Windows" Killingsworth, Cox & Co. Phone 29; Night, 129-J, 302 Ranger, Texas

OUR OWN Patterns, 15c Every Pattern Guaranteed HASSEN COMPANY Ranger, Texas

Electrolux Refrigerators Roper Ranges Ruid Water Heaters on display at Tex.-Louisiana Power Co.

## The Romans Had a Phrase for it ---

"CAVEAT EMPTOR," meaning "Let the buyer beware." This wasn't used as a bit of balm to ease the conscience; nor, yet, was it placarded in the booths and stalls of the market-place. It was a piece of every-day knowledge, born of dear-bought experience.

A shopkeeper knew little about the source of his merchandise. This tunic he bought from a trader, who said it came from Byzantium. So he sold it as the latest Byzantian style. The trader told him the dye was pure Tyrian—it wouldn't fade. So he sold it as Tyrian dyed. But the buyer knew the responsibility was his own. If he guessed wrongly, or his judgment was poor, it was his hard luck.

Today, fortunately, there are safer guides than the blanket-warning to "let your eyes be your market."

These guides are the newspaper advertisements. In this newspaper, they are a daily catalog of the best values in town—signed by responsible firms. If the goods are not all that is claimed for them, their sponsors would need to "beware." For no business can thrive on a one-time sale, or on dissatisfied customers.

A signed advertisement is, in a way, like a promissory note. The advertiser has made a statement, and affixed his signature as a sign of good faith.

So, read the advertisements before you start out on a buying-trip. Make this a daily habit, and see how much you save . . . in time, in temper, in money, in shoe-leather.

## The Fall of The Year Is Here

**HAVE you noticed how sluggish your motor has been the last few mornings?**

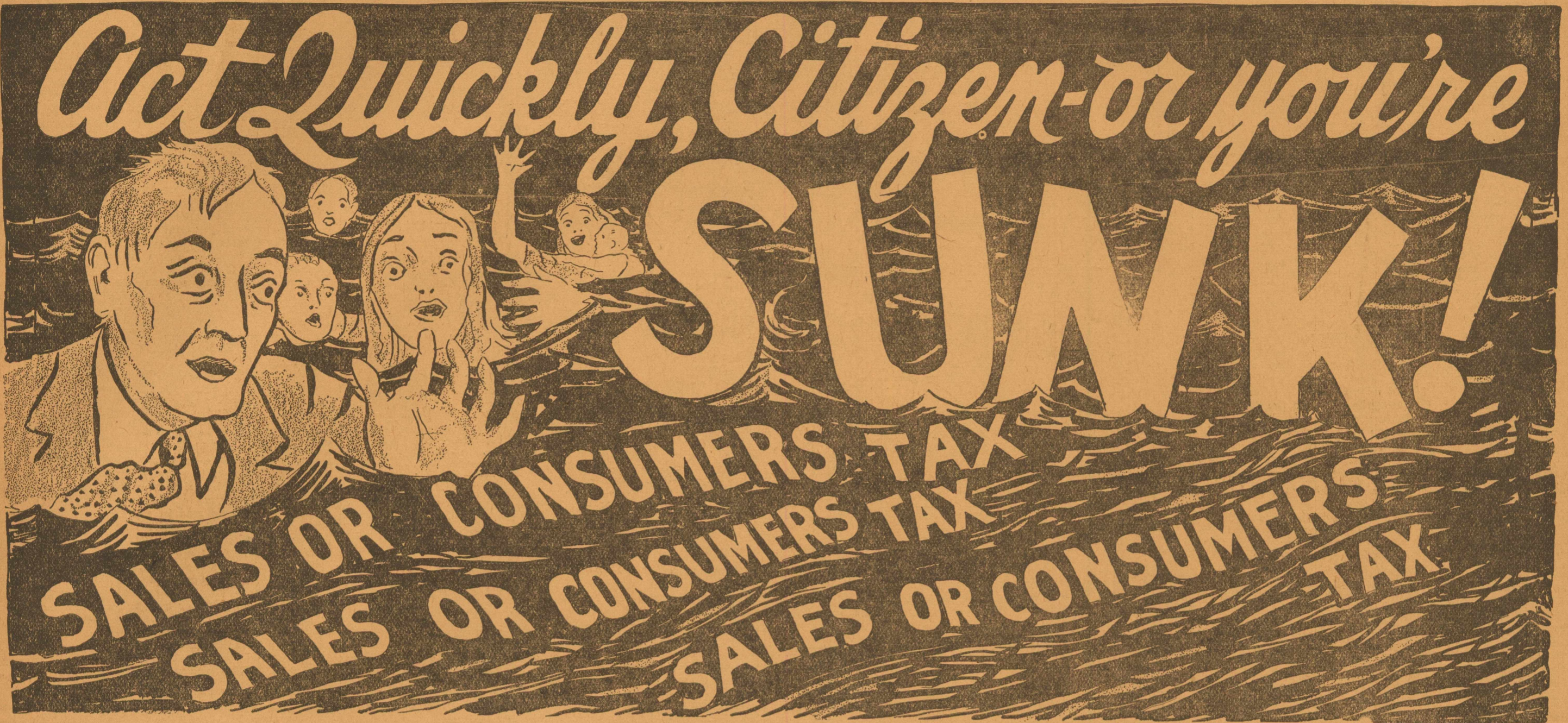
**HAVE you had that sinking feeling — and thought, "Well, I'll have to call Spud."**

**IT STARTED AND YOU WERE LUCKY**

**Don't Take Chances Let us recharge your battery now! While you have time!**

**Exide Battery Co.**  
SPUD REYNOLDS  
Phone 60 Ranger





# BEWARE! . . .

of the scheme on foot to impose an additional and needless Tax Burden upon the People of Texas during the Special Session of the Legislature!

***Such an imposition as a sales or consumers' tax will spell disaster for the home owner, farmer, salaried employee and wage earner at this time of rapidly rising prices!***

THE home owners of Texas, together with the farmers, salaried employees and wage earners, should awaken to a realization of the scheme that is on foot to impose an additional and unneeded tax burden upon them. Such an imposition as a sales, or consumers' tax, would be particularly unfortunate at this time of rising prices, since salaries and wages always trail far behind the cost of living in a rise to higher levels. The cost of living has already increased in many instances, from 20 to 30 per cent. The cases of wage increases are in much smaller proportion. This means that the most difficult and trying time for numerous families will be the next two years, in trying to expand small incomes to meet rapidly rising costs of living.

The Sales or Consumers' Tax could only intensify these difficulties by further increasing living costs. The fact that a man's working hours are shortened does not mean that it will take any less to support his family. To call such a tax a relief measure is a travesty on justice and about the cruellest joke that could be perpetrated on the common man.

The Sales Tax agitation in Texas is a part and parcel of a nation-wide scheme to make the common people bear the chief blunt of taxation. It is led by certain influential interests, such as a prominent newspaper man, with his powerful chain of newspapers, and who owns millions of acres of land and other properties. His avowed intention is to destroy the income tax and replace it with a consumers' tax upon the masses. This was brought out in hearings last year before the revenue division of the Ways and Means Committee in Congress.

Certain powerful and financial interests in New York are also behind the plan. This stupid mistake that wealth is making today is but a repetition of numerous and similar historic tragedies in the past. Those who think they are writing a new chapter in taxation, are in reality lifting one of the most sordid pages from history for example and precedent; one that is most rife with class struggle and class interest, with the inevitable repercussion in the end. The most plutocratic systems invariably resort to it. It violates the soundest tenets of democracy and for this reason every Democratic leader from Jefferson to Roosevelt opposed it.

### State Finances Improving

These efforts to avoid an income tax in Texas are in fact misguided, as Texas is in need of no major revenue measures at this time. The State's fiscal system will show

much improvement next year after the program of reduced expenditures begins September 1, as provided in the appropriations. The public school fund, for example, as shown by the comptroller's estimates of July 30th to the Board of Education, shows an actual income of over \$18 per scholastic for next year. These estimates were based on the low incomes of the last 12 months, and do not take into consideration the likely increases from improved business conditions. Neither do they include the beer tax, nor the collections from the large delinquencies now outstanding.

In fact the present prospects indicate a possible income of \$19 or \$20 per scholastic for the schools next year. This is to be compared with the propaganda of \$7 or \$8 with which the State was flooded during the last Legislature and which many of us worked continuously to counteract.

### Condition of General Fund

Although the General Fund does not show so good a condition, it has been similarly exaggerated. According to the same estimates of the Comptroller, its deficit, plus all unpaid accounts, will be \$9,844,755.51 at the end of the present fiscal year, August 31. This is due to the fact that the deficits have been accumulating for several years, and also to the fact that the last Legislature voted large and long accumulated claims, aggregating over \$3,000,000 which are now represented in unpaid accounts.

But the important fact about the report is that it shows the revenues for next year to be \$1,175,244.42 more than enough to pay the State's operating expenses for that year. In other words, the only problem confronting us is to pay the accumulated deficit now outstanding. Nor does this report, it may be added, take into account any improvement in business conditions, nor the beer tax, nor the possibility of collecting several millions in delinquent taxes. It is perfectly possible that next year's revenues to this fund will not only sustain the State, but wipe out nearly one-half of the deficit in one year.

### The Question of Destitute Relief

The only remaining question is that of State funds to supplement local and Federal funds for the relief of the destitute.

Concerning the bond issue, it should not be necessary to issue more than one-half of them at this time. Some

two million dollars annually should be necessary to care for interest and maturities. A few minor tax levies, of which there are several possibilities, would be ample for this. A part of the beer tax might even be diverted for that purpose. There is certainly no need for a 20 or 30 million dollar levy. The people should not confuse the question of destitute relief with the grant for the public work program. The latter comes from the Federal government, is secured by the local projects and requires no State funds of any sort. Any attempt to hitch sales tax on to industrial recovery is gravely misleading and pure political trickery. In fact, as a burden on the purchasing power of the consumer, it is the opposite of recovery and should be avoided.

### The State Ad Valorem Tax

The people should particularly be on guard against the proposals to substitute a consumers' tax for the present State property tax. The cruellest joke in every tax measure is always the promise that it will only take the place of some other tax. There are a few facts to keep clearly in mind about the whole matter of tax substitution. If it is substituted, the corporations, which are now paying about one-half of all State property taxes, and many of which will be exempt from the sales tax, will thereby shift several million dollars of their present taxes to the backs of the toiling masses. Some of these corporations are largely owned by out-of-state interests that would avoid a sales tax entirely.

Under the present plan the average home owner is exempt from State taxes. It reduces itself to an issue of exempting corporations instead, and put the burden back on the home owners by taxing his family budget. The home owner should remember that the burden upon him is the local property tax, and the state cannot change this in any way. To offer a consumers' tax to relieve the home owner should be an insult to his intelligence and common sense.

***Draw your own honest conclusions! But, Be Warned! A Sales or Consumers' Tax will fall with disastrous consequences upon the home owner, farmer, salaried employee and wage earner, while the "special interests" will escape it entirely!***

## CITIZEN... NOW is the Time for Action!

Write, phone or wire your Senator or Representative at Austin that you do not want a Sales or Consumers' Tax of any kind! Urge him to vote AGAINST any proposals for new or increased taxation . . . tell him emphatically that our government costs must be kept within the amount that is necessary to meet its present income. Tell him that you know that the citizens of Texas are in no position to pay any new taxes of any kind at this time. DO IT NOW!

### Sign the Slip Below

. . . and mail in your opposition to your Representative or Senator NOW! Assist in carrying on the fight against the "influential interests" clamoring for "more revenue."

Senator \_\_\_\_\_  
 Representative \_\_\_\_\_  
 AUSTIN, TEXAS

I am vigorously opposed to the enactment of the Sales or Consumers' Tax and URGE YOU to vote AGAINST any proposals for new or increased taxation of any kind at this time.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_

# Citizens Anti-Sales-Tax Committee