

A judge in Portage, Wis., threw out all courtroom cuspidors. A wise and learned judge. He knew the hangers-on would follow soon after.

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MORATORIUM ON LAND SALES IS APPROVED

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—Forced sales of real estate in Texas are postponed until March 6, under a temporary moratorium bill passed by both the house and senate today. Governor Ferguson is expected to sign the measure as soon as the official copies can reach her desk. The vote was 23 to 3 in the senate and 122 to 5 in the house. The act will stop foreclosure sales that have been advertised to take place Feb. 6. Such sales can continue only by agreement of the parties involved. The governor told legislators 1,400 forced sales were advertised in Dallas county alone.

11,000,000 Acres of Cotton Will Be Out of Production

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Removal from production this year of about 11,000,000 acres of cotton is assured, officials of the farm administration estimated today. Preliminary reports on the progress of the restriction campaign, they said, indicated two-thirds of the desired 16,757,000 acres reduction had been pledged to removal. Extension of the campaign from Feb. 1 to Feb. 17 and liberalization of contract requirements to permit participation by small producers has been announced.

Claiborne Eldridge Announces For Superintendent

Claiborne Eldridge, of Carbon, was a pleasant caller at the Times office today and made his announcement as a candidate for school superintendent of Eastland county. Mr. Eldridge has lived in Eastland county for 30 years and has 20 years' experience as a teacher, 16 of which has been in Eastland county. Seven years' experience in Mangum school, where he is now employed, and he was re-elected for the terms of 1934-1935, pending the outcome of the election. His official announcement will appear in the Times in the very near future, when he will discuss the issues and present his views to the voters. His announcement will be found in the announcement column in this issue.

Bullock and Mt. Zion Will Have Services This Week

Rev. Ephraim D. Conway announces the sermon subjects to be preached at Bullock and Mt. Zion Methodist Episcopal Churches, South. At Mt. Zion service Saturday night, subject, "The Lord's Discipline Characteristic of Jesus." Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, subject, "The Two Friends of the American Emancipator." The same sermon subjects will be preached in the same order at the Bullock church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday night at 7:15 o'clock.

Thurber Masons To Confer Degree

Announcement was made today that a Master degree would be conferred in Thurber Friday night Feb. 9, at 7:30 and all Rangers and Eastland Masons are urged to attend. In a telephone conversation with Thurber parties today it was stated that all Ranger visitors go to Mingo and then take the main highway into Thurber rather than attempt to travel the straight road from the Thurber Hill. A large crowd of Ranger and Eastland Masons are contemplating making the trip should the weather be a bit more favorable than today. Refreshments will be served.

APPLE KILLS CHILD

OKLAHOMA CITY.—A piece of apple lodged in the throat of ten-month-old Walter Carpenter, son of Mrs. Pearl Carpenter of Konawa, Okla., caused the child's death here recently.

Senate Finally Votes To Let Public Peep At Solons Expense Accounts

BY RAYMOND BROOKS
The house put a rider on the session expense appropriation bill calling on the senate to print its contingent expenses. The senate waited two days before accepting this amendment Wednesday and sending the bill to the governor. But meantime Lieut. Gov. Edgar E. Witt answered that "every item is a public record—anybody can see our expenses." So I made a test of it Wednesday. I asked Sen. H. Grady Woodruff for the record of contingent expenses of all senators during the previous session. Within 60 seconds from the time Sen. Woodruff went with me to the committee room, I had run through the expense accounts of one senator.

Senator	Counties in District	Postage	Telephone	Total
Beck	5	\$ 24.00	\$ 49.97	\$ 73.97
Blackert	12	28.48	44.44	72.92
Collie	12	18.00	24.39	42.39
Cousins	5	16.03	55.65	71.68
DeBerry	5	21.00	30.30	51.30
Duggan	23	33.16	22.75	55.91
Fellbaum	4	19.80	26.10	45.90
Greer	5	78.00	75.92	153.92
Holbrook	5	28.90	59.01	87.91
Hopkins	6	6.00	100.24	106.24
Hornsb	6	41.80	36.52	78.32
Martin	5	30.75	31.19	61.94
Moore	4	25.16	72.13	97.29
Murphy	3	3.00	15.69	19.69
Neal	5	31.20	113.58	144.78
Oneal	9	18.31	37.95	56.26
Pace	5	28.50	49.81	78.31
Parr	18	19.45	90.57	110.02
Pattison	9	13.79	86.89	100.68
Postge	4	27.30	17.25	44.55
Purl	1	10.10	130.40	140.50
Rawlings	1	5.10	61.15	66.25
Redditt	8	15.00	54.53	69.53
Regan	26	25.25	38.13	63.38
Russek	5	14.80	68.54	83.34
Sanderford	5	24.00	17.11	41.11
Small	26	24.20	85.59	109.79
Stone	6	19.80	16.65	36.45
Woodruff	6	40.21	75.94	116.15
Wood	6	31.40	75.60	107.00
Woodward	16	33.60	146.78	180.38
Witt, Lieut. Gov., gen. senate		41.28	67.68	108.96
Barker, secretary of senate		3.30	27.71	30.01
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SCHEDULE FOR OIL BELT IS WORKED OUT

At a meeting of the district athletic committee of the Oil Belt district, held at Cisco Saturday, the conference schedule for the district football season for 1934 was worked out. Eastland and Breckenridge will open the season with a game at Breckenridge while Cisco and Brownwood will aid in the official opening with a game at Cisco. The annual Armistice Day battles between Ranger and Cisco and Breckenridge and Abilene will be played on Monday, Nov. 12, this year because Armistice Day comes on Sunday. L. E. Dudley of Abilene was re-elected as district chairman and N. S. Holland of Breckenridge was re-elected secretary. The schedule, as worked out for the coming season is as follows. Oct. 13—Eastland at Breckenridge; Brownwood at Cisco. Oct. 19—Eastland at Ranger. Oct. 20—Brownwood at Breckenridge. Oct. 26—Cisco at Breckenridge. Oct. 27—Abilene at Ranger. Nov. 2—Cisco at Eastland. Nov. 3—Abilene at Brownwood. Nov. 10—Brownwood at Eastland. Nov. 12—Cisco at Ranger; Breckenridge at Abilene. Nov. 23—Eastland at Abilene; Ranger at Brownwood. Nov. 29—Breckenridge at Ranger; Abilene at Cisco.

Mrs. S. B. Alderson Dies at Gainesville

Word was received in Ranger this afternoon by Harry Henry, of the death of Mrs. S. B. Alderson, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Moss, of Gainesville, at 4:15 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Alderson, who lived here for a number of years, is survived by her husband, and two sons, Bill and Cary Alderson, and Mrs. Moss. A large number of Ranger friends will be saddened to learn of the passing of Mrs. Alderson.

CEMETERY DELAYS ROAD

ISTANBUL.—Turkish regulations forbid the dead to be disturbed until a year after burial. For this reason, work on a new road to be constructed around the famous Byzantine walls of Stamboul, which would traverse a graveyard, has been held up. The road is intended to attract tourists to Turkey.

E. H. BREMER IS RELEASED BY KIDNAPERS

ST. PAUL, Feb. 8.—Edward G. Bremer, kidnaped St. Paul banker, was released last night after full payment of the \$200,000 ransom by Adolf Bremer, millionaire father, the family revealed today. Bremer was freed in the residential district of Rochester, Minn., at 8 p. m. yesterday. Federal agents immediately sent out forces for "three men driving a small sedan." Bremer had been in the hands of kidnapers three weeks. He revealed that his captors had beaten him on the head but a doctor's examination today disclosed he had nearly recovered from the injuries. The father revealed that the full amount of the ransom was paid Tuesday night with \$84,000 in \$5 bills and the balance in \$10 bills. Federal officials took charge of the case today. J. F. Blake, who helped solve the Charles Urschel kidnaping at Oklahoma City, was one of the first arrivals at the Bremer home after the announcement of the banker's return. Dr. H. T. Nippert, family physician, confirmed dispatches, which had related he acted for a time as contact man in the case. At Rochester, police began a thorough investigation of Bremer's release on the suspicion Bremer had been held near that city, although Bremer said his release came after a 10 to 12 hour drive. The release was foreshadowed yesterday when the father requested police and federal agents to postpone their hunt 72 hours. The hunt for the kidnapers enlisted more than 20 federal agents and the newly organized anti-kidnaping squadron of St. Paul police.

W. D. R. Owen Is A Candidate For County Judgeship

W. D. R. Owen, accompanied by Mr. Hurst of Eastland, were visitors in Ranger Wednesday. While in the city Mr. Owen left his announcement with this paper as a candidate for county judge. The candidate has been engaged in the practice of law in Eastland for a number of years and is considered one of the outstanding attorneys of this county.

Neff and Miss Sue Mann Address County Teachers

A county-wide teachers meet was held in Eastland at the Methodist Church Saturday. Bert McGlamery, county school superintendent, was in charge. Speakers presented were Miss Sue B. Mann, deputy state superintendent, and former Governor Pat M. Neff. Neff is now president of Baylor university. Miss Mann in her address to the teachers stressed the importance of present day economy in school operation and told of various activities the state board of education has innovated in order that a greater efficiency be maintained with a lesser expense. The state board of education is making a study in various counties in order to determine where the tax burdens lie and the manner in which it may be lightened. Miss Mann also made announcement of recent rulings by the state board in regard to requirements asked of teachers in order to qualify them for teaching positions. Rev. Rosemond Stanford of the Methodist church presented Mr. Neff, who in his talk told the instructors of the importance of creating an interest in their students of the cultural and finer things of life. Mr. Neff's theory was that students learn more by the manner in which knowledge is presented by the teachers than that gleaned by the student and presented off-hand by the instructors. Clara June Kimble and Ellen Ayers Rice were presented in musical numbers.

Odds Nine Out of Ten Generation Will See a War

FORT WORTH, Tex.—The odds are nine out of 10 that the present generation will see another great war, believes J. B. Thomas, vice-president of the Texas Electric Service company, and a student of history. "Wars are a commercial menace, and repeat on an average of every generation as some power, or group of powers, gain more than their share of commerce and wealth," Thomas said in an address here. "Nations are reluctant to pay their war debts to the United States primarily because this nation has had more than its share of wealth for the past 20 years. When we start pushing them to pay those debts, trouble may develop." A minister at Roscommon, Mich., supports himself and his church by maintaining flock of sheep, since his regular flock has failed to produce.

Spanish-American War Vets to Meet

Sunday afternoon, Feb. 11, at 2:30 veterans of the Spanish-American war are to meet in the American Legion Hall in Ranger for the purpose of organizing a camp of Spanish war veterans for Eastland county. The resident has made some new concessions for these veterans and it will be of special interest for all veterans, who are urged to be present at the meeting so that they may familiarize themselves with what is going on in Washington. The meeting is to be called to order by R. H. Hansford, district committeeman for the 12th district, who invites all veterans to be on hand as important business is to be brought up for consideration. This district is composed of Eastland, Stephens, Palo Pinto and Erath counties.

Farmers With Less Than Five Acres Can Sign Contract

Farmers producing five or less acres of cotton during the base period will be eligible to sign acreage reduction contracts for their entire acreage, or a portion of their acreage of not less than two acres, according to an amendment to an administrative ruling announced today by Cully A. Cobb, chief of the cotton section of the cotton adjustment program, reads as follows: "Administrative Ruling No. 1, paragraph (e) is hereby amended to allow any producer on a farm having a base acreage of not more than five (5) acres but not less than two (2) acres to sign a contract for reduction of any whole number of acres not in excess of the base acreage for such farm, except that in no instance may the reduction be less than two (2) acres. For such acreage reduction the producer will receive rental payments on the total of such acreage reduction and parity payments on forty (40) per cent of the average production as may be determined for the base acreage." According to the new ruling the producer of not more than five acres of cotton may rent his entire acreage to the secretary of agriculture and receive parity payments. "The amendment establishes a practical basis on which the small-acreage producer may cooperate, as many have indicated is their desire to do, in the cotton adjustment program," said Mr. Cobb. "On some acreages of less than five acres if only 40 per cent is taken out many farmers would have only a bale and a remnant of production left, and this would place them at a disadvantage. Also, previous to this ruling, farmers had to have at least five acres, because of the restriction that reduction must be at least two acres, or they couldn't sign up, but now such farmers can contract for reduction of any whole number of acres, going entirely out of cotton production, if they choose."

Name Committees For Co. Livestock Show At Cisco

CISCO, Texas, Feb. 5.—Organization of the Eastland County Livestock show for 1934 was undertaken at a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Friday evening when a group of livestock growers and officials of last year's fair met with J. M. Bird, agricultural secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and general superintendent of the show. Dr. F. E. Clark was made chairman of the beef cattle division; A. Z. Myrick chairman of the dairy cattle division; F. E. Harrell chairman of the sheep and goat division and Dr. C. C. Jones, chairman of the hog division. Superintendent of the horse and mule division is yet to be selected. The dates for the show were set as March 2 and 3.

Charged in Death



Mrs. May King, who is on trial at Eastland in connection with the slaying last Nov. 13 of Leon Robinson, night watchman. Taking of testimony was completed Thursday afternoon and arguments were begun. Mrs. King pleaded not guilty and the state asked for a death verdict from the jury.

WEDDING BUSINESS DOWN

DOWNIEVILLE, Cal.—The marital business is on the rocks as far as Sierra County is concerned. Only one couple obtained a license to wed in the county during 1933. Eleven divorce complaints were filed.

C. W. Hoffmann to Head West Texas Oil and Gas Men

C. W. Hoffmann, Eastland independent oil operator, was elected as president of the West and Central Texas Oil & Gas Association at the recent annual banquet attended by more than 225 at the Burch hotel in Breckenridge. Mr. Hoffmann succeeds J. D. Sanderford Jr., of Breckenridge. Mr. Hoffmann, a member of the Hoffmann & Page Company of Eastland, has been a successful independent operator in this section for the past 10 or 15 years. For years he has been making a study of the problems of oil operators, especially of the problems confronting independent operators.

R. P. Avery Heads Local CWA Office

R. P. Avery, who has been direct relief officer of the Ranger CWA office, has been notified by K. S. Wendler, acting county administrator for Eastland county, of his promotion to the position of Zone Relief Officer for the Ranger office. He relieved S. J. Dean who has been acting in the capacity of zone relief officer, on Friday after receipt of the letter from Mr. Wendler. Mr. Avery said Saturday that he was going to run the office according to regulations. He has been attending the schools of instruction being held in Eastland twice a week for the past few weeks, where he has learned much about the CWA setup. Other changes announced included the resignation of Bob Hamrick as pay roll clerk and the assumption of his duties by C. C. Weakley, who has been compensation clerk, and the transfer of E. O. Williams from the investigation department to the sanitation department. Nine investigators were added Saturday to the direct relief department and began their duties Saturday morning.

Funeral Is Held For Eastland Man

Funeral services for R. S. Harris, resident of Eastland, were held at the First Methodist church, Eastland, Thursday at 3:00 p. m., Rev. Rosemond Stanford officiating. Survivors of the decedent are two sons, R. S. Jr., and Eugene, Eastland; two daughters, Correne, Eastland, and Mrs. John Miller, Kilgore; his mother, Mrs. N. B. Harris, Olden; one sister, Mrs. O. T. Hunt, Olden; two brothers, Will Harris, Eastland, and Oscar Harris, Comanche, and the wife of the decedent. Pall bearers were nephews of the decedent, Lomar and Buddy Hunt, Vance, Howard, Frank and Temple Harris. Mr. Harris was known as a man of respectable character and many will experience a sincere sorrow because of his demise. P. B. Bittle, chairman of the Eastland county interscholastic league executive committee, has called a meeting of the committee for 7:30 p. m., Thursday night, at the office of County Superintendent B. E. McGlamery in the courthouse at Eastland.

TAKING OF TESTIMONY ENDS IN MAY KING MURDER TRIAL; ARGUMENTS BEGUN THURSDAY

The taking of testimony in the trial of Mrs. May King, charged with the murder of Leon Robinson, was ended at 1:30 Thursday afternoon and Judge Davenport immediately adjourned court until 3 o'clock in order that he might prepare a charge to the jury. Arguments in the case were to be started immediately after reading of the charge to the jury by the judge. Mrs. May King, testifying for herself in her trial for her life for the slaying of Leon Robinson, Gorman peace officer on the streets of Gorman on Nov. 13, 1933, wept bitterly as she told how Robinson, whom she said she loved and whom she believed loved her, standing by the side of her car holding her hand, shot himself with a revolver that he had given her and which she had taken from her a short time before. And how, when she saw that he was dying, she got out of her car and with a small pistol which Robinson had also given her, fired a shot into her chest. Realizing that the shot was not going to prove fatal, she sat down by the side of Robinson's body and fired another bullet into her chest. After she fired the second shot into her own body and fell across the prostrate form of Robinson the witness declared she knew nothing more until she came to her senses some hours later in the hospital where she lingered between life and death for six weeks. Mrs. King, in response to questions by her counsel, gave a detailed account of her associations and affairs with Robinson, stating that they had not always been pleasant as they had had numerous quarrels, but until that on Armistice night in Gorman they had always made up and forgiven each other.

Mrs. King testified she was 37 years old and that she was born in Ohio. She was married to R. A. King, who is now her husband, in Fort Worth in 1920. "I met Leon Robinson the first time in 1924 when I came into Gorman on a night train, en route to my home at Desdemona. I had seen him before but had never met him. He was carrying mail and said if I would wait until the last train run he would take me home, which I did. We became friends and then more than friends. He often came to my home. In fact, he almost lived there for several years while my husband was working in West Texas," Mrs. King said.

Robinson, Mrs. King testified, was a dangerous man when he was drinking and when he wasn't drinking. He was very jealous and on one occasion he brought a rope to her in Desdemona and told her she had been trifling on him and that he was going to hang himself. She got into the car with him and they drove out into the country to talk it over. He cursed her and, tying a second loop in the rope, said he was going to hang her, too. She became frightened and faint. They made up after this and had no more serious quarrels until on Armistice night when she went to Gorman to attend a show and see Robinson. She had agreed to meet him at the Perry gin, where they often met, and when she arrived there she saw a man with a light and became frightened and ran. Robinson overtook her and asked her what she meant running from him. She told him he scared her, that she didn't know it was him. Robinson cursed her, she said, and told her she had been trifling on him; that he had searched her car and found evidence of it. Robinson, assisted by a man he had deputized, dragged her to jail. Mrs. King denied she was drunk on this occasion. She said she had had a few bottles of 3.2, but that she could not hold enough of it to make her drunk. The witness also testified to Robinson's youngest son coming to her home on an occasion in Desdemona when Robinson was there and while she and Robinson were eating supper. The boy, she said, kicked the door down across the supper table. He cursed her and she went and got her gun, but Robinson stopped her and told his son to go back home. Robinson's wife, Mrs. King said, knew of the affair between she and Robinson and that they had talked it over. Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. King said, came to her home one time when Robinson was sick in a hospital at Mineral Wells, and kept her posted as to how he was getting along. Mrs. King said Robinson called to her soon after she arrived in Gorman on the night of the killing, but that she was mad and hurt over the way he had treated her on Armistice night and that she pretended not to hear him. She talked to Constable Jimmie Ellison

CONTROL OF COTTON URGED IN HOUSE BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The senate agriculture committee voted a favorable report on the Bankhead bill on control of cotton production. The bill as it will be reported, will carry provisions for forcing crop limitations through taxes rather than through a licensing system. Under the taxation plan a prohibitive tax would be placed on any cotton gins in excess of a stipulated number to be set up by the secretary of agriculture as the prospects demand. WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—A cotton production limitation bill, understood to have the support of the administration, was introduced in the house today by Representative Bankhead, Democrat, Alabama. The measure limits the 1934-35 crop to 9,000,000 bales and places a penalty tax of 12 cents a pound on cotton produced by growers in excess of their allotment.

FURY of the JUNGLE

DONALD COOK-PEGGY SHANNON
ALAN DINEHART-DUDLEY DIGGES
NOVELIZATION BY ARRANGEMENT WITH
COLUMBIA PICTURES

WHAT HAS HAPPENED

Joan, a young girl, is on her way to join an expedition in South America, is forced to stop off at Malango, in Malto Grosso, with her brother, who is sick with the fever. It is a dangerous place for a girl, and Taggart and Frenchy, two ex-convicts, have their eyes set upon the girl. Dr. Parrish and Allen are the only two in the community to defend her. Chita, a native girl, who is in love with Allen, is jealous of Joan.

In an effort to save the girl, Taggart lures Dr. Parrish away from the brother's bedside and gets him drunk in order that the brother may die and Joan be left alone.

Allen comes to the rescue of Dr. Parrish; and Chita discovers that her sweetheart is double-crossing her.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Chita, who had overheard the by-play, had a look of contemptuous amusement in her eyes.

"Cognac might sharpen your wits," said Frenchy, as Chita leaned over toward him, and said, "From now on, Taggart, I'll call you my little bird that sings too loud."

"When I want any speeches from you, I'll ask for them."

Chita jumped to her feet and faced the man with blazing eyes.

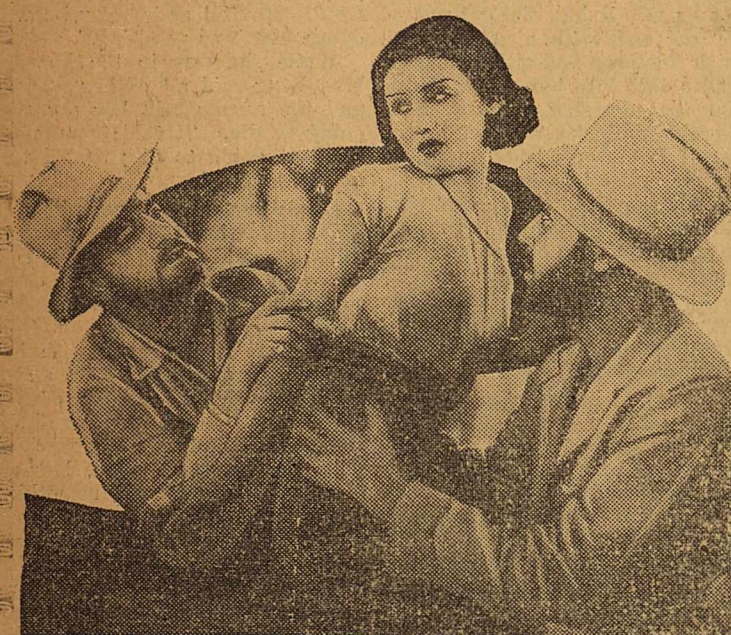
"So, I'm not good enough for you any more! I know what you want. That's why you got the doctor drunk."

Taggart winced as he exclaimed, "Shut up!"

But the girl paid no attention to the threat in his tone. "You want her brother to die, then you have the girl for yourself."

Taggart gave her a rough shove. "I told you to shut up."

Chita was beyond control. She



"So I'm not good enough for you anymore. I know what you want. You want the brother to die, then you have the girl for yourself." Chita exclaimed, jumping to her feet.

(Posed by Alan Dinehart, Toshia Mori and Harold Huber)

grabbed a bottle of cognac with the intention of crashing it at Taggart, but Frenchy grabbed her arm and twisted it so expertly that he had no difficulty in removing the bottle from her hand.

"Let me go," exclaimed Chita in rage, pain and fear.

Frenchy released the girl's hand, and she backed away from him completely cowed for the time.

"Thanks," said Taggart. "She might have busted my head."

"What's more important," said the bartender, "she might have busted a good bottle of cognac."

Chita was forced out of the ring, and Taggart yawned.

"Fred!" Frenchy inquired.

"Yeah—I think I'll turn in."

Allen was unable to arouse Dr. Parrish sufficiently to attend the sick man, so he had to take over the task himself, although he didn't relish spending the night in the same house with Joan. But if Joan was alone with her brother for the nonce, she was well guarded because both Frenchy and Taggart were watching the shack.

"Walking in your sleep?" Frenchy asked pleasantly, but with an undercurrent of menace.

"Yes," said Taggart with equal menace and composure. "And I don't need any company."

"But you might land in a place where you're not wanted," said Frenchy, grieved.

"Cut the parlor talk, Frenchy," Taggart paused, then adopted a different tone. "You and I have been friends for a long time."

"Good friends, too," Frenchy interrupted.

"We never had a run-in yet," said Taggart.

"But a woman makes a difference," Frenchy inquired.

"Maybe—but there isn't any sense of you and me getting worked up until we find out what happens to her brother."

"That shows gentlemanly consideration," said Frenchy, approvingly.

"Right!" Taggart declared. "She isn't like Chita. She's a lady. When the time comes the best man gets her."

As Allen entered the house, Joan looked up in surprise. "Oh, I thought it was Dr. Parrish."

"Doc's all in. I'm here to pinch him for him. How's your brother?"

"He's sleeping," Joan replied. "That's a good sign, isn't it?"

"Don't know. I'm not a doctor."

There was silence for a moment and then Joan said, "I suppose you'll be dead when we leave here."

"Did I say that?" Allen asked.

There was a kind of a smile on Joan's face. "You didn't need to. He turned away from her. There was another moment of silence as the lad's eye fell upon his picture propped up on the table. "Where did you find that?" he asked.

"In a drawer," she replied. Then, with an attempt at lightness, added, "I've been snooping around. Do you mind?"

"No. Make yourself at home."

There was another pause which was broken by Joan. "Were you in the war?"

"Yeah," Allen picked up the picture and looked at it.

"And that's your buddy, I suppose. He's a nice looking boy, too. She became a trifle confused. "I mean he's nice looking." Then she hastily asked, "Did he come out of the war safely?"

"Where is he now?"

"Dead."

"Oh."

"It was nuts about his wife," Allen continued, "—kept thinking of

her all the time he was away—thinking only of coming back to her, and he did come home, she skipped off with another guy. Se, he bumped himself off."

"I see now why you don't like women," the girl said, and then, after a pause added, "They're not all bad—you know."

"There may be some that's all right, but twice is enough for me." He arose abruptly. "I guess I'll take a look at your brother."

But the brother was beyond human aid. Joan was alone.

After the funeral, she continued to live in Allen's hut, all alone, protected by the youth and Dr. Parrish. In the meantime, Frenchy and Taggart were preparing for the conquest. Both of them kept neatly shaved to make an impression upon the girl.

As Frenchy walked out of the barber shop, with his camera on his arm, he met Joan and Dr. Parrish. "Beautiful, keep that pose," exclaimed Frenchy. "You two make a happy picture."

Taggart, who was half-shaved, jumped out of the barber chair and came out to see what it was all about. "Oh, hello," he said to Joan. "You're looking well. Doc must be giving you special attention. Must be kind of lonesome for you Miss Leesom. How'd you like it if I sent my gramophone over to you?"

"That's very kind of you, but I think right now I wouldn't care for music."

"I just thought it might cheer you up," said Taggart.

"I wouldn't want to trouble you."

"No trouble. Anything I can do for you is a pleasure," Taggart tried to be over-polite.

"Of course you're not afraid, but it would be safer for you to have someone in the house," said Frenchy.

"I'm quite safe," Joan replied. "I have a gun that would discourage any intruders."

TO BE CONTINUED

THURBER

Special Correspondent

Mrs. Odell Booth, Miss Otis Crammer, Gerald Booth, Junior Harris and Uraine Irving and Mrs. Glover Harris visited in Morgan Mill Sunday. Mrs. Harris remained there on account of the illness of her uncle, Dan Young, who is not expected to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw and children, Mamie Louise and Buddy, of Fort Worth, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Plummer here.

Miss Otis Crammer of Huckaby visited Mrs. Odell Booth over the week-end.

Billie Castle of Strawn attended the show here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins were Huckaby visitors Sunday.

TRY A WANT AD

HUSKY THROATS

Overtaxed by speaking, singing, smoking

VICKS MEDICATED COUGH DROP

COLONY

Special Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnhill returned to their home at Winters Monday, after spending a couple of days with their daughter, Mrs. Paul Coltharp, and family.

C. E. Hathecock made a business trip to Gorman Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kirk of Ranger spent Sunday with their son, R. F. Kirk, and family.

Mrs. H. B. Grace and young son are getting along fine.

Miss Linnie White is on the sick list.

Sunday school attendance was unusually good last Sunday.

Mrs. Leatha Newsome of Cleburne, after spending a week with homefolks, has returned for an indefinite stay with her son, W. L. Mills, who is still quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Grace are the proud parents of a 10-pound boy. The young man arrived Sunday morning and has been named William Thomas.

G. W. Smith Jr. is ill with the flu.

Murray Poyner is on the sick list.

GORMAN

Special Correspondent

Mrs. Ed F. Mullens of Longview has been here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skaggs of Abilene were here Saturday visiting relatives and friends.

R. A. Love arrived Friday from Fort Sill, Okla. He will be home on a 30-day furlough.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Roden and children, Sara and John, were in Hamilton Saturday to meet their daughter, Miss Syble Jo, who is a student in Baylor college at Belton.

Miss Vera Nell Hamrick has returned from an extended visit in Breckenridge with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Collie of Lubbock are here this week visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. C. Brewer Sr. will present her expression and kindergarten pupils in a recital Friday evening at 7:30, at the high school auditorium.

Miss Louise Dawley of Eliasville was here last week visiting her sister, Miss Helen Dawley.

E. R. Millican, manager of the Ritz theatre, was called to Farmersville Sunday by the serious illness of his father.

Aubrey Fisher of Beattie spent last Thursday with his sister, Miss Mimmie Fisher.

Mrs. Z. O. Mehaffey and Miss Edna Harwell were in Sanatorium Friday. Miss Harwell visited her sister, Miss Gladys Harwell, who is a nurse there. Mrs. Mehaffey's sister, Miss Ruth Mobley, returned with them.

Mrs. J. T. Fuller and daughter, Miss Jo, accompanied by Mrs. E. R. Millican, visited friends in Eastland Monday.

Rudolph Haile was injured in an airplane crash last Friday at Austin. His nose and jaw were broken. He is reported to be improving.

Mmes. Roy Nabors and Roy Smith and Miss Charlene Smith of DeLeon were here Sunday visiting in the home of Mrs. P. A. Gray and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Morgan of Breckenridge were here Sunday as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hooker.

Wayne Scott of Fort Sam Houston is here for a short visit.

Mrs. John Nix and daughter, Pebble, accompanied by Mrs. Lewis Bagegett of Morton Valley, were here Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lindley and little daughter, Frances Jose.

L. L. Hooker, who has been in charge of the local CWA office, was transferred to Cisco to have charge of the office there. Miss Don Moorman was also transferred to Cisco.

The government hog and corn reduction campaign that opened

Monday has its office in the front of the Gorman Progress building. The farmers are gradually signing the contracts.

About 1,000 acres have been signed up in the cotton acreage reduction here. There are still a few more farmers who are eligible to sign up. It is hoped that these farmers will soon sign up their contracts.

CROSS ROADS

Special Correspondent

E. M. Campbell has been confined to his bed for several days with the flu.

V. E. Pedigo's mother of Dublin is spending this week with him.

Frank Stover's baby has been sick.

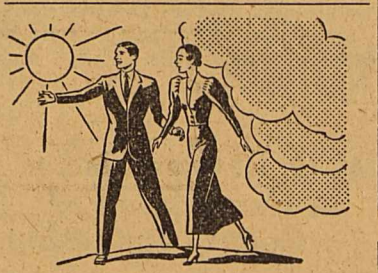
Mrs. H. D. Browning spent last Friday with Mrs. Minter.

Mrs. Mattie Walton and children spent Saturday with Mrs. F. E. Ferrell.

L. Browning, H. A. Negar and F. E. Ferrell were in Ranger Tuesday.

Ernest Calvert visited in the home of Cam Lee.

Hutch Hale and mother have



Step out into the SUNSHINE

How many days of your life are lost in feeling under par? How many hours which might be bright are dull and dispirited?

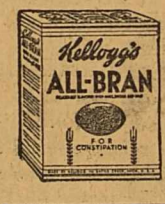
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returned home after a few days visit in West Texas.

Reed Campbell and family of Ranger visited his father, E. M. Campbell, Saturday.

Roy Kitchen of Ranger was here Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kitchen.

H. D. Browning was in Ranger Friday.

Eloise Pedigo spent Friday night with Bertha Yardley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatley Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yardley and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ferrell and children visited in the home of E. M. Campbell.

Woodrow Kitchen visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kitchen, Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Pedigo visited his mother in Dublin Saturday.

Mrs. Vance Daffern and son spent the day with Mrs. V. E. Pedigo Tuesday.

Mrs. Honk Ervin's sister visited her Sunday.

Cam Lee and son, Nolan, were in Eastland Tuesday.

The party at the home of Mr.

KOKOMO

KOKOMO.—Rev. John Cooper of Gorman rendered a good sermon here Sunday which was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mrs. Owen Mangum was visiting with Mrs. Ott's Dickey one day last week.

Henry Hendley spent Sunday with Albert Hendricks.

Miss Alta Everton spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Charles Goodwin.

O. C. Johnson spent the week-end with his uncle, Finos Johnson and family.

Mrs. Jessie Hagan and children

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The right liquid laxative will bring a perfect movement, with no discomfort at the time, or afterward.

The unwise use of strong cathartics may often do more harm than good.

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spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rodgers and family.

Misses Faye and Louise Norris visited Miss Adeline Hendley Saturday afternoon.

Singing was enjoyed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beauford Parker Sunday night.

Ova Lee McDonald visited Miss Edith Parker Sunday.

Miss Bonnie Rodgers spent Saturday night with Miss Lena Lee Everton.

Garland Wharton spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Buddy Lovell.

Several from here were visiting in Gorman Saturday.

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DOG DIES WITH MISTRESS
EAST GRINSTEAD, Sussex, England.—When police broke into a bungalow belonging to a 55-year old spinster, they found her body fully dressed, and seated at a table. She had been dead for some days. Her airedale dog was stretched out on the floor beside her. He had died of starvation while guarding his mistress' body.

A Modern Madonna



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Central Texas Young Peoples' Conference To Be On June 18

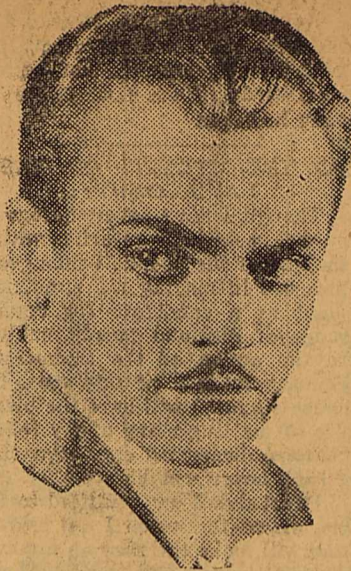
GEORGETOWN, Feb. 7.—Plans have been made here for the meeting of the Central Texas Conference Young Peoples' Assembly June 18-23. The meeting will be held at Southwestern University and officials of the body have been at work to obtain the best possible speakers and leaders for the meeting.

Ed Summers, Fort Worth, now a student in Southwestern, is president of the Assembly and announced today that Dr. Angie Smith, Shreveport, would be the platform speaker for the meeting. Summers also announced that Rev. J. M. Bond, Ranger, would act as dean for the assembly.

Dr. Smith is an alumnus of Southwestern, finishing his school work at the Georgetown school in 1927.

By ordering all German women to wear uniforms, Hitler will get them to quit their jobs faster than if he had fired them.

James Cagney



Dapper star of "Lady Killer" current attraction at the Arcadia Theatre, showing off his brand new mustache to an admiring public.

All She Wears Is a Hair Ribbon



One of the nudists in "Elysia," which plays at the Arcadia Saturday night at 11:15 p. m.

FIND MAMMOTH MOLAR
SAN FRANCISCO.—A 10-pound tooth, probably dropped out by a mammoth during the Pleistocene Age some 30,000 years ago, was unearthed 180 feet below the surface of the water of San Francisco Bay during excavation for the San Francisco-Oakland bridge.

SENTENCE CARELESS DRIVER
LENINGRAD.—Careless driving in the Soviet Union carries a heavy penalty. A chauffeur named Savin was recently sentenced by a Leningrad court to seven years in the penitentiary for running over and killing Professor Ivashentsev, well-known health authority.

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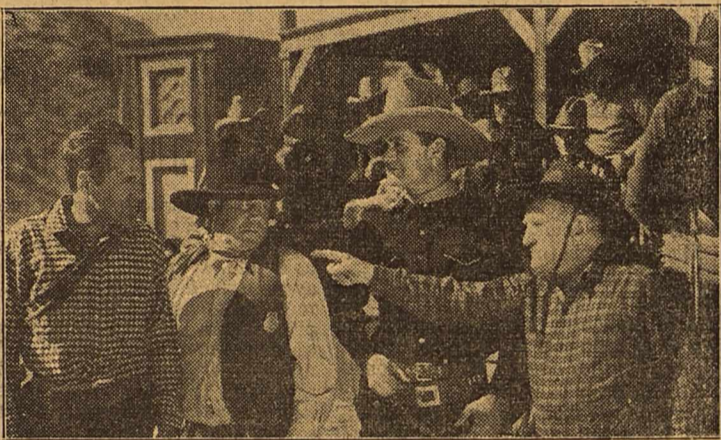
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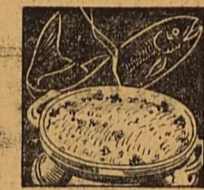
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Try mixing two soups to get a third; beef and tomato, celery and chicken, pea and mutton broth . . . or using tomato soup over meat loaf, with gelatin for salads . . . asparagus soup over asparagus au grain and casserole baked!



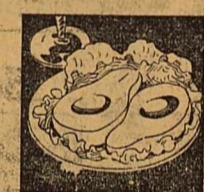
Baked Salmon for Fridays

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Vegetable Salads

Let your imagination run riot! Peas, string beans and carrots . . . tomato aspic salad, made with Fancy or Choice Canned Tomatoes and gelatin . . . Asparagus salad, whole or tips.



Colorful Fruit Salads

First, of course, the ever-ready can of Fruit Salad . . . then combinations such as apricots, cherries and peaches, possibly with fresh orange and apple added . . . or Kieffer pears and apricots.



Baked Peaches and Whipped Cream

Use Standard No. 2 1/2 Peaches—place half hollow side up in baking dish . . . dot with butter, salt and sugar . . . bake until heated and lightly browned. Add 1/2 teaspoon grated lemon rind or nutmeg . . . serve with whipped cream. G-r-a-n-d!



Quick School Lunches

Pork and Beans . . . bake with brown sugar for the ole time crock effect! Spaghetti . . . of course! Mixed vegetables . . . simply heat and serve . . . with poached egg if desired. Corned beef . . . cold or with left-over potatoes as hash!



Convivial Concoctions!

Chili Con Carne at 10:30 P. M. with "a stein on the table"! Corn beef sandwiches on rye! Pineapple and grapefruit juice for cocktails! Canned sardines with crackers and cheese and a Manhattan cocktail . . . ah, me, oh, my!

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Taxes! Taxes! Taxes!! Taxes!!

(An Editorial)

The lower House of the Texas Legislature voted to extend the time for paying automobile licenses to March 31.—News Item.

Taxation without representation was reputedly one of the causes of a scuffle between a couple of nations once.

Whether or not taxation WITH representation is any better is hard to figure out.

Yesterday afternoon a man drinking a cup of coffee at a counter read the above news item and remarked that taxes on a car over a period of years amounted to as much as the car was worth. A little figuring will show the following results:

If you have a moderately priced car, and buy it new, and keep it four years, and drive it about 50,000 miles, all of which the average person with a car does, you will probably average 15 miles to a gallon of gasoline, and will thus burn approximately 3333 gallons in the four years.

The initial investment represents about six hundred dollars. In the four years you will spend for license plates nine dollars a year, or thirty-two dollars in all; for tax on gasoline, a hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents at the rate of four cents a gallon. This makes a total of approximately one hundred and seventy dollars you will pay in taxes on your car in four years.

Going the man at the counter one better when it is considered that in only four years the taxes on an investment of only six hundred dollars amount to nearly a third of the initial investment, and when it is additionally considered that the car, after being driven fifty thousand miles will then be worth little more than a hundred dollars and you realize that while the investment has been steadily depreciating the taxes on it have been steadily climbing until at last the taxes have outstripped the investment—you will probably back off and wonder whether taxation without representation was any worse than taxation with representation is.

And car licenses are only the beginning. The sovereign people of this country must also buy a license to get married, sell beer, vote, keep a dog, go hunting, sell cigarettes, run a radio station, manufacture cheese, sell oleomargarine, drive trucks, fish and so forth and so forth.

No taxation without representation! No representation without taxation! The British are coming!—Taylor Press.

TARIFF ON CANNED MEATS AND HIDES DEMANDED

Texas livestock producers are interested in a proposed advanced by Sen. Carey of Wyoming. In a letter to Robert L. O'Brien, chairman of the United States tariff commission, the Wyoming leader recommended an increase of 50 per cent on the duty of canned meats and hides. Speaking of the producers of meatstuffs, he placed this in the record: "There is probably no branch of agriculture which is suffering from low prices than is the cattle industry." Sen. Carey is a republican, Wyoming is noted for its vast heads of cattle and flocks of sheep and goats. Relief legislation for the industry is said to be on the way.

In ancient days the leaders of the party of Jefferson were ever for a tariff for revenue only. It is different now. There are high tariff democrats everywhere. Free traders appear to be as scarce as white blackbirds. Every industry demands special protection. Every American commonwealth, speaking through its leaders is looking to Uncle Sam for all kinds of relief loans. A reminder that the 18th amendment was repealed and the champions of repeal looked upon their victory as a vindication of the dogma of states rights. Was it a vindication? Well, let the future tell the story.

PATMAN ADVOCATES TWO PAYMENTS ON COTTON BONUSES

Rep. Wright Patman of the first Texas district never sleeps at the switch. He had advised the farm administration "to make payments to cotton farmers in the acreage reduction campaign in March and again in June or July." His argument is that the Patman plan if adopted would enable practically every grower in Texas to plant his next crop "without borrowing a dime." He has advised his constituents who are cotton producers as well as Texans at large that "Texas probably would get around \$31,000,000 in rental payments under the acreage reduction plan." Patman submitted a startling array of figures. "Texas," he said, "had 16,050,000 acres in cotton during the years 1928-1932 inclusive." Now the farm administration expects a reduction of 40 per cent this year which will be 6,520,000 acres. Then it was that he fixed the rental payment above the \$30,000,000 mark. Parity payments, according to the rosy-checked statesman, are expected to be \$8,857,350, or a total for Texas cotton farmers for 1934 of approximately \$40,000,000. He placed this bit of prophecy in his stock: "The total for the United States will be \$126,000,000. You will observe that Texas will get almost one-third of the total cotton payments."

Looking backward, it is well to remind the cotton producers that Texas received upwards of \$40,000,000 in the year 1933.

Business is better is the word that is being passed down the line these days, for business is better and people are taking notice of that fact.

OLDEN

Special Correspondent

Mrs. C. I. James and two small children returned last week from Dallas, where she had taken Aileen to the Scottish Rite hospital for further observation. Aileen is reported improving some.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Canet have a new baby girl, born a few days ago. Mother and daughter are reported doing nicely at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Freeman announce the arrival of a new baby son. The baby was born a few days ago at their home in Olden.

Cecil Williams, formerly with the Magnolia Petroleum company at Olden, started work Tuesday in Desdemona with another oil company there.

A 6 o'clock dinner honoring Eloise Morton's sixteenth birthday was given at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Morton in Olden, Wednesday evening, Feb. 7. Dinner guests invited were Ruby Curry, Jean Adams, Sydney Sapulver, Cordell Upton and Baldrige Crawford.

The girls' basketball tournament will be held in Eastland, Feb. 14 and 15. Olden girls' team will participate in the games and many Olden fans expect to attend.

A dinner at noon Sunday, Feb. 4, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Curry was given in honor of their daughter Ruby's eighteenth birthday. Guests included Sydney Sapulver, Cordell Upton and Eloise Morton of Olden, Eva Littlejohn of Ranger, and Leo Braswell of Eastland.

Mrs. Emmett Rice, who has been recovering from a serious operation at the City-County hospital in Ranger, is reported much better at this time and expects to soon be back at her home in Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Valliant and family moved to Pampa the latter part of last week. Mr. Valliant, who has been with the Magnolia company here for several years, was recently transferred to Pampa.

Jean Mitchell, who has been going to school in Fort Worth this fall and winter, returned to Olden

recently and enrolled in the Olden high school Monday.

John Ford has been ill with the flu for a week and suffered a relapse Sunday after he had gotten up Saturday. He is much improved now, however.

TO THE CITIZENS OF EASTLAND COUNTY:

Though I have never, before in my life, asked for an office within the gift of the people, I take great pleasure in making my announcement as a candidate for county judge of Eastland county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July of this year, because I know I will have the pleasure of meeting many of my fellow citizens, during my campaign, that I have never met before.

I feel that I am qualified to fill the office for which I am asking, and will make the race on my own qualifications, and not on any other persons' so-called shortcomings or errors. Their mistakes, if any, can, in no way, add to my ability.

As to my qualifications I desire to state here that I am a graduate of high school, and obtained a law education in the University of Texas. I have taught school and coached athletics for six years in the practice of law for about 18 years, the last 15 of which have been in Eastland, Texas.

I came to Eastland county with my father and mother 40 years ago the third day of last December, and have resided in this county a great part of the time since that date. I was reared on a farm at Hallmark school, about three miles north of Okra, Texas, left that farm after I was a grown man, finished my education, taught at a few years, and then entered my chosen profession of law.

I earnestly solicit your careful investigation of my whole life, both as to my reputation for honesty and square dealing, and as to my qualifications from the standpoint of training and experience. If you find that I measure up to your requirements in all respects, to the extent that you feel that I will be able to fill the office of

county judge, I will appreciate your vote and influence.

I hope to see you personally before the date of the primary election in July, but during the interim please investigate me, and if you can conscientiously do so, help me to get the job for which I am asking.

Sincerely yours,
W. D. R. OWEN.

CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 517.5 ft. of Palo Pinto Creek Bridge; Palo Pinto Creek Relief Bridge; and Bear Creek Bridge, located between Ranger and Thurber, on Highway No. 89, covered by SP 175-1 in Eastland County, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, until 9 a. m., Feb. 12, 1934, and then publicly opened and read.

The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions concerning prevailing and minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in the proposals to insure compliance with House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

Title of "Laborer" or "Workman"	Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on eight (8) Hour Working Day)
Truck Driver	3.20
Pump Operator	5.00
Teamster	2.40
Blacksmith	3.00
Watchman	2.40
Carpenter	6.00
Mixer Operator	4.00
Motor Mechanic	5.00
Mason	3.20
Common Laborers	2.40
Tractorman	5.00
Fireman	5.00
Jet Operator	5.00
Steel Setter (Reinf. Steel)	2.80

Overtime and legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. A local employment agency from which the Contractor shall obtain lists will be designated prior to the award of contract. Plans and specifications available at the office of N. D. Cole, Engineer, Thurber, Texas, and State Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

BURGLAR ENTERS JAIL
EXETER, Cal.—A bold burglar slipped into the local jail and stole seven blankets when somebody forgot to lock the door for the night.

500,000 was spent in maintenance work, and contracts for several millions more were let during the period.

Three Big Days—Starting Monday At The Arcadia



JOHN BARRYMORE, MADGE EVANS, MARIE DRESSLER, EDMUND LOWE and LIONEL BARRYMORE in "DINNER AT EIGHT"

Whose Fault?



When a Child Won't Study

"Kept after school!" And it isn't the child's fault, or the teacher's. His mother is to blame. How can a boy get his lessons when his senses are dulled day after day by dosing with sickening purgatives? When a child's bowels are stagnant they need help, of course. But not some drastic drug to upset the stomach, perhaps weaken the entire system, or form the laxative habit. On the right, parents will find a pure California Syrup of Figs. Be sure bottle says "California".

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Mudist Movement Explained In Film At Midnight Show

Nudism. What is it? What is its significance? What prompts people to want to go about nude? These and many other pertinent questions on the subject will be revealed to Arcadia theatre audiences Saturday at 11:15 p. m. by "Elysia," the first authentic motion picture story laid in an American nudist colony.

The rise of nudism has increased in amazing fashion during the past year. The public prints have been full of accounts, both respectful and derogatory, of this new movement. But few people have accurate ideas about the true significance of nudism. "Elysia" explains and illustrates these ideas.

It explains that nudism is not the new movement that it is popularly supposed to be. Nudism has been recommended and practiced by many great folk, from Greek philosophers to Benjamin Franklin. Long before our times, nudism was prescribed for a great variety of ailments, both physical and mental.

Of recent years, the nudist movement has gained most rapidly in Germany, where the various cults are not only tolerated but encouraged by the government. American tourists, as well as those from other countries, impressed by the movement, have returned to start similar groups in their own countries, and have written books that have furthered the growth of nudism.

"Camp Elysia" is one of the largest nudist colonies in this country. It is located near Lake Elsinore, California, and is headed by Hobart Glassey, pioneer of the movement. The picture was filmed with the full co-operation of Glassey and the members of the colony, and shows actual life in the "Valley of the Nudes."

The colony, as illustrated in "Elysia" is run on strictly moralistic principles. All the members are investigated thoroughly before they are allowed to enter. Curious and evil-minded folk are not allowed to enter the confines of the camp, for indecency and loose living are entirely banned at "Elysia." The picture shows that nudity is conducive to good health and clean living.

Nudity, claim its leaders, spells the death-knell to eroticism and evil-mindedness. All the actors in the picture are bona fide nudists, including the beautiful blonde leading lady. Hobart Glassey takes a prominent part himself.

Horse Thief Cops Elect Officers

STRAWBERRY JOINT, Iowa.—The Horse Thief Detectives' Association has just elected officers for another year of vigilant service in the name of the law. Founded in the early days when Strawberry Point was a rendezvous for horse thieves, the association has a membership of 82 and a treasury of \$758 for use in recovering stolen horses.

Under the rules, 12 riders are elected annually whose duty it is to be ready at all times to set off on the trail of stolen horses. The riders receive \$2.50 for each day engaged in pursuit.

Three Homes Are Robbed in Ranger

Three Ranger homes were burglarized Tuesday night and officers are on the lookout for the culprits. The home of Jake Ralston was entered sometime during the night while he was asleep and his trousers were carried to another room, where between \$30 and \$40 was removed from the pockets and the trousers left. Entrance was gained by cutting a screen from a window. The burglars went through three rooms, leaving the same way they entered.

On the same night the A. J. Ratliff home was entered and a pair of trousers containing an undetermined amount of money were taken by the burglars. It was thought that the same burglars committed the two robberies. The home of Sam Young was the third place burglarized during the night, where a pair of trousers containing some money was the loot taken.

PORTERVILLE, Cal.—Just call Frank Owen, 30, Porterville district rancher, "softy." A six-ton tractor, which started rolling while Owen was uncoupling it, passed over his chest. He was injured only slightly.

Nudist Camp Has Been Pictured In 'Elysia' At Arcadia

There is an actual waiting list of applicants eager to gain admittance to Camp Elysia, the nudist colony, which is the setting for the highly entertaining nudist picture, "Elysia," coming to the Arcadia Theatre on Saturday, 11:15 p. m. Interest in the nudist movement is growing constantly. Each month over a hundred letters of inquiry have been received at Camp Elysia since its opening in May, 1933.

Also interesting is the type of person who actually does join a nudist camp. At Elysia there are 40 active members and 25 eligible for membership. Doctors of medicine lead the membership list with twenty. Next in line are teachers with a score of twelve. Small shop-owners number ten.

Strangely enough, artists and writers whom most people imagine would top the list, being of the bohemian element, come only fourth at Elysia. The rest of Elysia's population is made up of clerks, stenographers, street car conductors, attorneys, engineers and salesmen. To finish off the list of Elysians there are a professor, an aviator, a few stock brokers, a judge, a fireman—and a minister.

"Dinner at Eight" Boasts Many Stars

Marie Dressler! John Barrymore! Wallace Beery! Jean Harlow! Lionel Barrymore! Billie Burke. Madge Evans! Jean Hershey! Karen Morley! Phillips Holmes!

These are the names in the amazing aggregation of stars who appear together in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's sensational picture, "Dinner at Eight," which opens Monday at the Arcadia Theatre as the most remarkable picture filmed in the last decade.

The picture is based on the play by George S. Kaufman and Edna Ferber, which ran on Broadway for more than a year. It describes the emotional experiences of a heterogeneous group of people, who are brought together at a dramatic dinner party. Shifting its focus from one angle

to another, the camera picks out a retired musical-comedy star, a shipbuilder facing bankruptcy, a "washed-up" matinee idol on the verge of suicide, an unscrupulous millionaire and his faithless wife, a Broadway theatrical agent, a philandering young doctor, a Park Avenue hostess, a cook with a toothache. Each of these individuals has his or her own emotional conflict and then they are brought together in one blasting dramatic climax.

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Special Correspondent
Mrs. Pearl Bourland was a business visitor in Eastland Tuesday. Mrs. M. O. Hazard entertained for Sunday school class at her home on last Sunday evening. The entertainment consisted of music on the piano, violin and harmonica, and the singing of several duets and solos, also some class singing. Mrs. Hazard's Sunday school class presented her with a beautiful vase. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence and daughter, Eloise; Aubrey Alford, Lloyd Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Hazard, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Pollard, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Smith and three daughters, Mrs. Carl Elliott, Miss Oma D. Guy of Carbon, Mrs. Bud Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White and two small daughters.

Miss Oma D. Guy of Carbon is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Carl Elliott, this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fonville and small son were Eastland visitors Tuesday.

The Union school is progressing nicely under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elliott. The Union community can feel very proud to have secured the services of so fine instructors.

The farmers are busy preparing the soil for another crop, and sowing grain. Some are gardening. Health of the community is very good except some have been suffering with colds, and a few cases of flu.

Allen Crosby attended trades day in Eastland last Monday.

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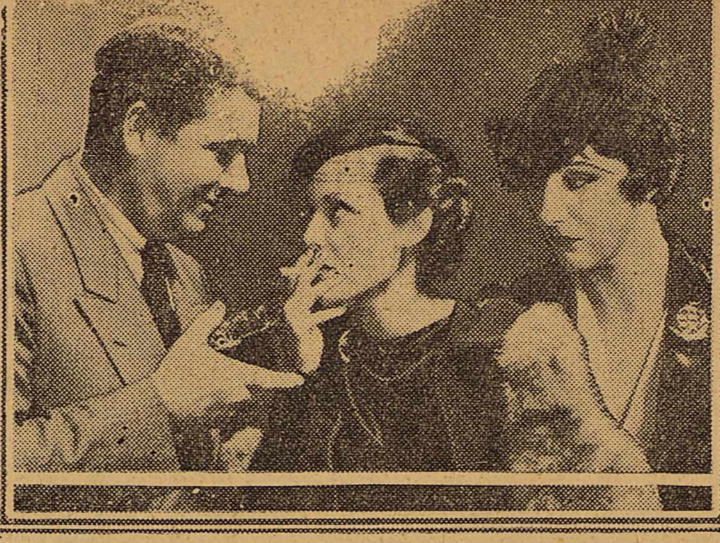
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Questions And Answers On The Agricultural Plan

Cotton Plan

Q.: Who may enter into the cotton acreage reduction plan?

A.: Any producer who is an owner, landlord, cash tenant or managing share-tenant and who operates or controls a cotton farm that fulfills one of the following three conditions:

1. Cotton was planted for at least four years of the base period 1928 to 1932 inclusive.

2. Cotton was planted for three years of the base period, one of which years was either 1931 or 1932.

3. Cotton was planted in both of the years 1931 and 1932.

B. Any producer who is an owner, landlord, cash tenant or managing share-tenant and who fulfilled an acreage reduction contract with the secretary of agriculture in 1934 and will farm land in 1934 on which such a contract was fulfilled. Provided, in either (A) or (B) that the reduction shall not be less than two acres, and provided further that, on land planted to cotton for any of the periods specified, the average production shall not be less than 100 pounds of lint per acre.

Q.: Is a producer who has moved from the land he farmed in the base period eligible to enter into a contract?

A.: Yes, if he has moved to a farm which is eligible under the contract.

Q.: Is a new farmer who wants

to start producing cotton eligible to sign the contract?

A.: Yes, if he is farming land which is eligible under the contract, otherwise the answer is "No."

Q.: Can fertilizer be used on the acreage planted to cotton?

A.: Yes. The normal amount of fertilizer may be used. Using or encouraging the use of more than the normal amount of fertilizer violates the spirit of the cotton acreage reduction plan.

Q.: Will each farm be inspected and measured to see that the required cotton acreage reduction actually is made and that other terms of the contract are complied with?

A.: Yes. Inspection and measurements are necessary before the second payment for 1934 or 1935 can be certified.

Q.: If the producer's farm is mortgaged, must the mortgagee sign the contract?

A.: No.

Q.: Will the required reduction in cotton acreage be based upon the number of acres planted or the number harvested?

A.: Upon the number of acres planted and incultivation on July 1 in each year of the base period.

Q.: If the producer had a partial or complete crop failure during one or more of the years in the base period, will his farm allotment be affected?

A.: Yes, because his average production will be lower.

Q.: Can a producer who is operating two or more separate tracts of land include them all under one contract and get a single allotment?

A.: He can if they are all under one ownership and operated as one farm. If they are operated as in-

dividual farms or by managing share-tenants, the producer should make a separate contract and obtain a separate allotment for each farm so operated to be covered by a contract.

Q.: What restrictions are placed on the cotton land rented to the secretary of agriculture?

A.: The following restrictions will be in force:

a. Under no circumstances can any crop be grown for sale directly or indirectly upon the land taken out of cotton production. In renting this land to the secretary, the producer should not expect to use it for producing any product for sale any more than he would on land rented to a neighbor.

b. Feed crops intended to be grown on other land for the feeding of livestock cannot be diverted to the land taken out of cotton production, thereby releasing acreage for the production of some crop or crops for sale.

c. The boundaries of the land taken out of cotton production shall be marked by the producer with stakes or other appropriate markers.

d. The land cannot be made a source of profit by renting or otherwise disposing of its use or by the sale or exchange, directly or indirectly of products from the land.

Corn-Hog Plan

Q.: Can a contract be signed by a producer for corn or hogs alone?

A.: No, except as follows:

a. If his 1932-33 litters were less than four, he does not have to reduce hog production and does not receive hog payment. If such litters were less than three, he is not eligible to receive a payment

Arcadia Saturday



George Bancroft and Judith Anderson in "Blood Money"

even if he desires to reduce hog production.

b. If his 1932-33 average corn acreage is less than 10 acres, he does not have to reduce corn production, and he is not eligible for corn payment.

In any case where the average corn acreage is 10 or more acres and the average number of litters is more than three, a producer must reduce both corn and hogs.

Q.: Can a contract be signed if the producer does not intend to plant corn or raise hogs in 1934?

A.: a. He may reduce his corn acreage in 1934 as much beyond 20 per cent of the 1932-33 average corn acreage as he wishes, but he cannot receive payments for any reduction in excess of 30 per cent unless otherwise authorized by the secretary of agriculture.

b. He may reduce his litters farrowed and hogs produced for market by any amount in excess of 25 per cent of his 1932-33 average but he cannot receive reduction payments for such excess reduction.

The contract signer agrees that the farm under contract will be operated throughout 1934.

Q.: A person owns sows which are placed with producers under an agreement whereby such person retains ownership and receives

Political Announcements

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back the sows and a specified number of pigs at some future time. Can such person include the litters of such sows in his 1932-33 litters under a corn-hog reduction contract?

A.: No, because he does not own the litters when farrowed and because the litters are farrowed on land not owned or operated by him.

Q.: Can hogs produced under an agreement such as indicated in the previous question be included under any contract?

A.: Yes, they may be included in the 1932-33 litters of the producer if he owns such litters when farrowed.

Three Classes of Hoboes In "Wild Boys of the Road"

Among the American workers there are no class distinctions. But among American non-workers, the shifting, nomadic groups which use empty freight cars to follow the sun, there are three distinct classes, and they never mingle.

Bindle Stiffs are the tramps who follow the harvests. They generally carry a roll of blankets on their backs. They have their own jungles, and resent being called hoboes—which they are not, for they are always willing to work when work is offered.

Hoboes comprise the second class. They are the knights of the road, the order of the never-workers. In this class will be found the harmless tramp and also criminals.

Wild Boys form the third class. They are the kids from fifteen to twenty who have been roaming the country jobless and homeless. It is their story which is presented in the First National picture, "Wild Boys of the Road," which comes to the Arcadia Theatre on Sunday.

The story was written by Danny Ahearn, ex-newspaper man, who spent several months bumming around the country with these boys. Frankie Darro, Dorothy Coonan, Rochelle Hudson, Edwin Phillips, Ann Hovey and Arthur Kohl are in the cast. William A. Wellman directed.

NUDISM CURES CHILD

Nudism has cured a child of rickets.

The nudist picture, "Elysia," at the Arcadia Theatre Saturday night at 11:15, shows several scenes of a glowing, healthy three-year-old girl. She is straight-limbed and strong. But just a few months ago, the youngster was weak and pathetically thin, suffering from the dreaded children's disease of rickets.

Nudism cured the child—nudism and the beneficial rays of the sun.

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SUNDAY

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Bedside

WARREN WILLIAM JEAN MUIR ALLEN JENKINS KATHRYN SERGAVA

When her parents took her to the nudist colony, "Elysia," she spent all her waking hours in the sun. At first she was only strong enough to lie on a blanket in the sun, but the health-giving rays poured into her nude little body, building up strength and life. It wasn't long before she was in perfect health—thanks to nudism.

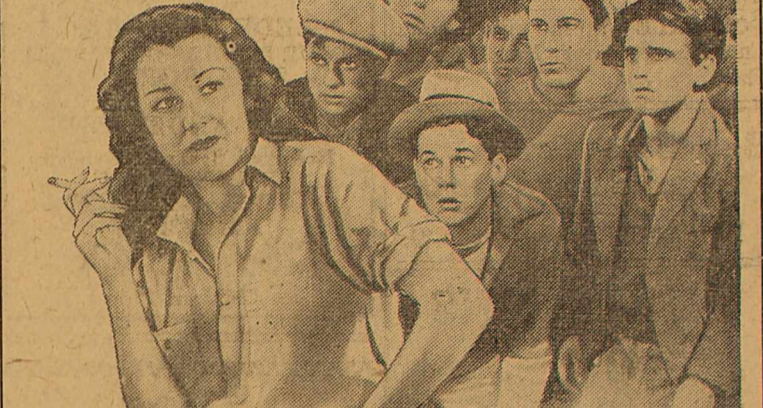
NEEDLE THREADING CHAMP ALAMEDA, Cal.—Duke Norton, 21-year-old airplane designer, laid claim to the national needle-

threading title when he put 55 strands of thread through the eye of a No. 5 sewing needle in 32 minutes. Just to make it hard, he used No. 40 thread, when smaller thread is commonly used for sewing with that size of needle.

BATON ROUGE, La. — Civil Works Administration forces are constructing a botanical garden, planted with shrubs, flowering vines and trees native to Louisiana on the campus of Louisiana State University.

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Wild Boys of the Road

And to make a Great Show Greater... "LEAVE IT TO DAD", Comedy

PARAMOUNT NEWS

ARCADIA Ranger FRIDAY

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