

The king of Sweden won't play tennis with women who wear shorts. He wants to keep his mind on the game.

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'Bankhead Warns of Huge Crop Despite AAA

HONOR ROLL OF RANGER HIGH SCHOOL

The following is the honor roll for Ranger High school for the first semester of 1934:

Highest Honor Roll—Elizabeth Turner, Mary Alice Yonker, Talmadge Carter, Lillian Harcrow, Frances Harrell, Mattie Beryl Montgomery, Mildred Mooman, Nadine Porter, Benefield Thomas, Selma Rae Henry, Frances Hobson, Mavis Murray, Katie Pace, Inez Baker, Taska Conklin, Margaret Norris, Bobbie Lee Tolliver, C. E. May, Jr.

High Honor Roll—Veda Mae Belknap, Reba Calloway, Mary Helen Childs, Bonnie Hall, Thelma Kimmell, Dorothy O'Donnell, Frank Paschall, Letty Lou Simmons, Lester Bendix, L. E. Gray, F. C. Williamson, Corrinne Benson, Roberta Jarvis, Moryl Stewart, Vencil Strong, Barcus Coalsen, Hazel Barker, Camilla Hunt, Durwood Hartin, Inez Pounds, Jo Jane Griffith, Inez Harrell, Cloma Huffman.

Honor Roll—James Bellah, Herbert Love, Vivian Lee, Jack Mooney, Bruce Murphy, W. O. Shafer, Ruth Smith, Lewis Snyder, Frances Strong, Ernestine Testerman, Edward Bishop, Truitt Harris, Garland Montgomery, Travis Winsett, Allie Ball, Hazel Edwards, Margaret Looney, Elois Pedigo, Mary Ramsey, Evalyn Rylee, Iola Simmons, Hazel Weeks, Buster Higdon, Tom Smith, Jack Morris, Marzeen Ballew, Connell Dunson, Nona Fae Ervin, Odell Jay, Volva Kimbrough, Verna McNabb, Mary Rose O'Neill, Imogene Powell, Wilma Bankston, Ruth Donawho, Maxine Dutton, Mary Louise Ervin, Mildred Mitchell, Mary Frances Reedy, Eva K. Reese, Faustine Whitehead, Daisy Woods, Jimmie Ralston.

Sterilization Probe Hits Pair



Charges that they used coercion for sterilization of boy and girl inmates of the Wayne county, Mich., training school, will be faced in their trial by Mrs. Mildred Ainsworth, above, school social worker, and Dr. Robert H. Haskell, below. Doctors and nurses were charged with forcible sterilization in several affidavits.

OFFICERS SEEK MOTIVE FOR DOUBLE DEATH

ABILENE, Feb. 21.—County authorities today investigated the shooting of Britt Turner, 40, and his estranged wife, whose dead bodies were found together at a residence near where Mrs. Turner was staying. Neighbors said they heard the couple arguing and notified officers. When officers arrived both were dead. Turner recently returned here from New Mexico and last night met Mrs. Turner at the store where she worked. The two went to the home of relatives of the woman, where she was living. The relatives, according to police, left them alone and attended a picture show. It was while they were absent from the house that the two were wounded fatally.

Former Eastland Boy Member of Champion Cagers

The headquarters troop basketball team in which Zack Meek, formerly of Eastland, played a prominent part, swept to a clean victory in the Fort Clark league this season. The team ended the season undefeated. Meek, former Eastland High school player, held the center position steadily throughout the season.

14,000,000 Acres Of Cotton Pledged To A.A.A. Plan

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Latest tabulation showed today that more than 14,000,000 acres of cotton have been pledged for removal from production in the control campaign. Contracts received totaled 875,970 the AAA revealed today.

Spanish American Veterans Hold Meet

Spanish American war veterans met in Ranger Tuesday night with representatives present from Eastland, Ranger, Mingo and Strawn. Another meeting is to be held within a week or 10 days, according to R. H. Hansford, commander, at which time a name for the local camp is to be selected. Anyone having a name they would like to suggest is invited to send it to the commander so that it can be given consideration at the next meeting.

RANGER JUNIOR COLLEGE HONOR ROLL OF TERM

The following is the honor roll for the Ranger Junior College for the first semester of 1934:

Highest Honor Roll—Sallie Aguirre, Helen Best, Marie Galloway, Pauline Mabon. High Honor Roll—Mary Lou Hamrick, Charles Hodgkins, Frances Lancaster, Lillian Seeliger, Maxine Tackett. Honor Roll—Mary Jane Driehofer, Mamie Robinson, Lou Ellen Weaver, Charlie Black, Ben Cook, Anita Crawley, Hazel Ervin, Helen Goforth, Robert Kidwell, Keith McLaughlin.

Commissioners In Move to Preserve Records of County

By order of the county commissioners' court a "house cleaning" was taken this week in the basement of the county clerk's office where the accumulation of papers, records, etc., for years were stored, and a large quantity of these were removed and destroyed.

The removal of this junk, which was no longer needed and which was not required by law to be preserved, gave room for many of the records from the clerk's office above and these were placed in the basement. Also working quarters for abstractors and others were arranged in the basement, according to County Judge C. L. Garrett.

Another and very important reason for the cleaning out of the old records and the placing of those from the clerk's main office in the basement, is that the basement affords better protection for the records.

Thurber Citizen Dies Suddenly; Funeral Weds.

W. J. Duke of Thurber, better known to his many friends as "Bud," died Tuesday morning at 11:20, while in the office of a Thurber physician. The decedent, who has made Thurber his home for the past 34 years, is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. Joe McKinnon of Thurber, and Mrs. Robert Carter of Carlsbad, N. M. Services were held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McKinnon, at 3:30, with interment in the Davidson cemetery. His passing is mourned by the citizenship of Thurber.

House Bill 128 And Senate Bill 29 Are Opposed

Much comment and considerable criticism is being occasioned by the recent introduction of two bills, House Bill 128 and Senate Bill 29, in the Texas Legislature. These bills provide for a four year term of office for all county school superintendents and extend the present incumbents until the next regular election after 1934 (or until 1936). This is the same bill, opponents of the measure point out, that was introduced at the last regular session of the Legislature.

Among the objections urged against the bill is that present incumbents would be continued in office for a period of time without having been elected by the voters for that time.

John White to Be A Candidate For County Treasurer

John White of Eastland, formerly of the Staff community, where he had lived for about 30 years, was in Ranger Wednesday and left his name for the political announcement column as a candidate for county treasurer. Mr. White is seeking election as county treasurer on his merits and not on the demerits of anyone. His abilities in serving the people of Eastland county have been well proven for more than a year while acting as deputy tax assessor. His formal announcement will appear in this paper at an early date, as soon as he has time to prepare it.

Bride of Cigar Magnate's Heir



The elopement was a complete success, so Mrs. John Schulte is shown here, celebrating with a dip at Miami Beach, Fla. She and her husband, son of the New York and Chicago cigar store magnate, surprised their friends recently and are now honeymooning at the Florida resort.

COUNCIL OF BANKERS IS OPTIMISTIC

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Members of the Federal Advisory Council returned to their districts today in an optimistic mood, pledging the support of the banking interests to the recovery to the recovery program and suggesting new steps to promote business activity. The council, selected by the 12 regional reserve banks, to supply advice to the reserve system, completed its quarterly meeting more optimistic than at any time since the start of the depression. The organization is one of the most important banking bodies in the United States.

Debate Coaches Held Meeting at Eastland Wed.

At a meeting of county debate coaches held Wednesday in county superintendent McGlamery's office, decisions were made relevant to sixth and seventh grade debate contests. Heretofore there have been no debate contests in which students included in the categories of sixth and seventh grade could participate but since a recent ruling of the Interscholastic league has changed the situation. The subject selected for debate was, "Resolved That the Philippine Islands are More Beneficial to the United States Than Alaska."

The following routine of procedure was made by the debate coaches: time allowed for main speeches, 5 minutes; time allowed for negative rebuttals, 3 minutes; time allowed for affirmative rebuttal, 2 minutes and affirmative rejoinder, 2 minutes. The coaches also made the decision that schools may have affirmative and negative teams for boys and girls, if desired.

Scout Troop Will Meet Friday Night

Scouts of Troop 9 are to hold their regular meeting at the scout hall Friday night of this week, it was announced today by Scoutmaster Steele. All members of the troop are urged to be at the meeting promptly at 7 o'clock Friday night.

WATERTOWN, Mass.—Even the sightless at the Perkins Institution for the Blind enjoy the "Three Little Pigs." A book in Braille recounting their adventures has been added to the Institution's library.

MACHINE GUNS AND PISTOLS ARE STOLEN

Sometime between three and four a. m. Tuesday morning burglars broke into the National Guard Armory on Rusk street, Ranger, and took four Browning sub-machine guns, 13 .45 caliber Colt automatics and between 20 and 25 clips for the machine guns. The robbery was discovered by Patrolman Jack Roach at 4 o'clock when he made his regular rounds and discovered the front door to the armory building broken open. He notified Captain Wayne C. Hickey, who made a preliminary examination of the premises and immediately wired the adjutant general of Texas, notifying him of the robbery and asking that instructions be wired him as to what he should do. Entrance to the building was gained by prying the lock and hasp off the front door with a pinbar. The thieves evidently broke into the orderly room first, as the hasp was broken from the door to that room and the lock left lying where it fell just outside the door. Nothing was missing in the orderly room as far as a hurried check disclosed, though there were typewriters and other office equipment in the room.

Supply Room No. 2, where uniforms, canteens and other equipment is kept, was also broken into in the same manner and a preliminary check reveals that nothing was touched in that room. In Supply Room No. 1, where rifles, pistols, sub-machine guns and ammunition are kept, the thieves made a pretty thorough haul.

After gaining entrance to the room by prying off the lock, which was left near the door, along with the bar used in opening the four doors on which locks were broken. Inside Supply Room No. 1 a rack containing seven Browning automatic rifles commonly known as sub-machine guns, was broken and two of these guns were taken. One of these guns had seen considerable service and one was in bad order. These three guns were not molested, but the four new guns were taken.

The rack containing 13 .45 caliber Colt automatic pistols was also broken and all these guns were taken, though the ammunition bin, which was nearby, was not disturbed. Four .22 calibre rifles, belonging to the American Legion Rifle club, were on a table nearby, but these were not removed, nor were the Springfield rifles, with which the company was equipped.

The value of the loot of the robbery was estimated today by Captain Hickey as around \$1,000 at retail prices. Ranger officers have looked over the scene of the robbery in the hope that some clues might be found, though no report of their findings was made public. One Texas Ranger arrived in Ranger this afternoon from Fort Worth and began aiding local officers in their search for clues, and the department of justice at Dallas telephoned today and indicated a federal agent might be sent to Ranger if he was requested by officers and Rangers now on the job. No clues were found as to the robbers who broke into the Ranger national guard armory early Tuesday morning, though Ranger Gib Abernathy of Palo Pinto made a thorough investigation shortly after the robbery was discovered. Tools used in the robbery, which included one large and one small wrecking bar and the locks and hasps broken from the four doors that were jimmied were taken to Breckenridge by Ranger Abernathy, where a fingerprint expert went over them in the hopes of finding clues.

The locks had been handled by so many people, including a number of the guardsmen in the company, that it was impossible to find prints on them that had not been blurred, and the wrecking bars were too rough to carry a clean print. The tools, locks and hasps were turned to the adjutant general's department at Austin by Major Taylor of the United States army, who also investigated the robbery, to substantiate the belief of local officers that the robbery was the work of an organized gang. A survey of the missing material, which included four Browning automatic rifles, commonly known as sub-machine guns, 13 Colt automatic pistols and 70 sub-machine gun clips were checked.

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Battle Royal and Music Features At Elks Fights

Three wrestling matches, a negro battle royal and red-hot music will be on tap at the Elks arena next Monday night.

The music will be furnished by Dr. Harry A. Logsdon and his famous American Legion Tickville Band. This part of the entertainment will start promptly at eight o'clock.

In the first two hour time limit match "Tiger Billy" McEuin, Pasadena, Cal., will oppose Roy Reynolds of St. Louis. In this match nothing is barred by the strangle hold, winner take all. Sammy McFarren, clever neck-twister will try and take the measure of Eddie O'Shea of New York in the second two hour time limit match.

The Bridgeport, Conn., strong boy, Bobby Davidson, tangles with Peck Goodwin of Breckenridge in the forty-five minute curtain raiser. As a special treat to the ladies they will be admitted free to the ringside when accompanied by a paid admission.

Ranger Masons Complete Plans For Celebration

Announcement was made today in Ranger that all plans are complete for the George Washington celebration to be held Friday night at the Masonic Temple.

The program committee announce that Rev. J. M. Bradford of Dublin will be the principal speaker and that Supt. M. L. Grantstaff of the Caddo High school will also address the assembly. The ladies of the Eastern Star are in charge of the refreshments and plans have been made to take care of a large number of Masons over the territory.

Caddo lodge, headed by Past District Grand Master Tom Downing are joining in with the Ranger Masonic lodge and a number from that assembly will be in attendance.

The invitation is open to all Master Masons and lodge will be opened promptly at 8 o'clock.

Man Wanted For Burglary Brought Back From Dallas

Tuesday, Steele Hill, deputy sheriff, returned C. L. Barnett, one of the eight men implicated in box car burglaries in Ranger. Seven of these men were tried last week and convicted. They have been released to other officers to be taken to various points in Texas where there were warrants for arrest because of their transgression of law. Barnett was arrested in Dallas a few days previous to his return to Eastland.

J. B. Stewart New A. & P. Manager

J. B. Stewart, Abilene, is now established as local manager of the A&P Grocery store, Ranger. Mr. Stewart has been with the company for several years and is a grocery man of long experience. He says he knows that he will like Ranger as he has heard that Ranger is one of the friendliest towns in West Texas. Mrs. Stewart will follow her husband just as soon as suitable living quarters can be secured. David Whitten, resigned as manager, has not made announcement as to his future plans.

Nicotineless Tobacco Seeds to Be Planted

MURRAY, Ky.—A tiny pinch of tobacco seed, said to be free of nicotine and the only specimen of its kind in the country is being prepared for planting here by Prof. J. S. Pullen, head of Murray State Teachers college agricultural department.

The small seeds, barely sufficient to cover the bottom of a teaspoon, were obtained by Prof. Pullen from Germany. They will be planted with extreme care and sprouted in an incubator. Prof. Pullen said he understood the tobacco had an excellent flavor and was as "harmless as water."

OLD U. S. PENNY FOUND STOCKTON, Calif.—A CWA worker digging a post hole here unearthed a United States penny dated 1816. It was one inch in diameter.

James K. Schmick County Pioneer Dies Suddenly

Funeral services for James K. Schmick, pioneer Eastland county citizen, who died rather suddenly at the home of his brother, H. S. Schmick, in Eastland about 8 o'clock Tuesday, were conducted from the Eastland Baptist church at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. O. B. Darby, pastor of the Baptist church, officiated. The Eastland Masonic lodge, of which Mr. Schmick was a life member, had charge of the services at the grave. Burial was in the Eastland cemetery beside his wife who died many years ago. The Hamner Undertaking company had charge of the body.

James Knox Schmick was born Dec. 5, 1844, near Pocahontas, Randolph county, Arkansas, the son of C. L. Schmick and wife. He served in the Civil war and came to Texas in 1868, settling near Merriam. He helped organize Eastland county and was elected its third sheriff. His brother, H. S. Schmick, was the first sheriff. Another brother, Ike Schmick, served the county as county clerk.

Mr. Schmick was married to Miss Mollie Bourne of Dublin and to this union four children were born, all dying in infancy.

Mr. Schmick had been ill for several days, but insisted on arising each morning and dressing for breakfast. This morning he arose as usual and had his breakfast and died an hour or so later.

KING ALBERT LAID TO REST IN BRUSSELS

BRUSSELS, Feb. 22.—A special meeting of the chamber of deputies, called to approve the address which Leopold III will make when he takes the oath as king tomorrow, was thrown into an uproar today when the communist deputy, LaHaut, insinuated that the death of King Albert was not accidental.

The president of the chamber ordered him to cease his remarks, but he advanced threateningly toward the socialist benches. He was headed off by ushers. He apparently was trying to hint the socialists had plotted the king's death.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 22.—Belgium, in deepest sorrow, paid final tribute today to its hero king. At the sharp notes of a bugle, there started from the royal palace the funeral procession for Albert I. The body, on a flag-draped gun cussion, was taken to the cathedral for the funeral service and thence to the family vault four miles away for burial. Princes, peasants, statesmen and soldiers were in the long procession with the members of the family.

State Banks In Good Shape Brand Declares

FORT WORTH, Feb. 22.—The Texas State banking system is in the best condition of all time, State Banking Commissioner E. C. Brand said here today in an address at the annual meeting of the seventh district of the Texas Bankers association.

Brand said 243 out of 500 state banks had expanded their capital through the RFC, exchanging \$8,000,000 in debentures for new capital. This new money and the higher commodity prices being paid farmers, he said, have brightened the banking picture.

Only six state banks are now operating on a restricted basis, he said.

House Passes Tax Revision Measure

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The house passed the \$258,000,000 tax revision bill today after defeating a republican proposal for restoration of the two-cent postal rate. The measure is said to constitute the most comprehensive change in income tax laws ever made and had its origin in senate exposures of tax evasions.

A movie actress got a divorce because her husband said she was awkward. She must have taken it often enough from her director.

SAYS HIS BILL ONLY THING TO KEEP UP PRICE

Says Voluntary Plan Would Bring 5,000,000 New Acres Into Production.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—A bumper cotton crop which would wreck prices this year despite the AAA 15,000,000 acre reduction program was forecast today by Senator Bankhead of Alabama as the alternative to his plan for legislation to restrict the crop to 9,500,000 bales.

The Bankhead bill would allocate 9,500,000 bales of cotton to producers throughout the cotton belt. Each farmer would get his per rata share. All production above each individual's quota would be subject to a levy amounting to 75 per cent of the then prevailing cotton price.

"The voluntary allotment plan will not meet the problem," Senator Bankhead told the United Press today. "Farmers will reduce their cotton acreage, but other acres not previously planted to cotton will be brought into production by men not previously engaged in cotton planting. I believe 5,000,000 new acres will come into production this year under the AAA plan and that a 13,000,000-bale crop will be produced unless we enact compulsory control."

Farmer Says Weekly Times Best Paper He Has Ever Read

E. M. Mangum, who formerly lived on Carbon, route 1, but who has recently moved to Eastland, route 1, was a visitor in the office of the Ranger Weekly Times this week to have his address changed on the mailing list.

Mr. Mangum stated that the Weekly Times was the best weekly paper for which he had ever subscribed and did not want to miss a single issue as it contained more real reading matter and more attractive advertising than any paper he had ever seen.

When questioned about probable damage done by the freeze of early in the week he said that he was sure the cold weather had not damaged either the fruit or other crops in his section of the county and would probably be beneficial because it would keep crops and fruit from coming out too soon in the spring.

\$4,500,000 IN RELIEF BONDS UNDER DEBATE

AUSTIN, Feb. 21.—A bill for the issuance of \$4,500,000 worth of additional relief bonds today was buffeted about by senate debates enroute to final passage.

The senate substituted the \$4,500,000 figure for the \$4,000,000 voted by the house. The senate also slashed away the 10 per cent tax on horse race wagers that house members had tacked onto the bill.

The measure encountered stormy debate when Senator Roy Sanders fought to amend the bill to make relief bonds purchasable by the University of Texas and by other state institutions.

The governor, by message, today reminded legislators of the gravity of the relief situation in Texas. The senate had not reached a vote on either Sanders' amendment or on the bond bill itself at noon recess.

Relief Measure Due For Vote

AUSTIN, Feb. 22.—Relief legislation was due to reach a head today. The senate sent the house its \$4,500,000 relief bond bill adopted after the house sent the senate a \$4,000,000 bill.

Both bills continue the present setup of the relief commission, refusing the governor a vote, except in ties of the commission. Many New Yorkers are moving to New Jersey to escape high taxes. Many more are escaping the taxes without moving.

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Machine Guns—

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up as missing, along with a few minor pieces of company equipment in the report.

No blame was placed on any of the national guard officers as all precautions to prevent robberies had been carried out in accordance with government requirements and the robbery was apparently the work of experienced gangsters.

No clues as to the identity of the members of the robbery gang was obtained by either the local police or by Ranger Abernathy, and the rumor that the robbery might be the work of Clyde Barrow was taken lightly by officers of the guard company and by the police.

FIRST AUTO TICKET IN THIRTY-ONE YEARS

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Fay L. Cusick, owner of Milwaukee's first automobile, was given a ticket and fined the other day, for his first traffic violation in 31 years of driving. The charge was parking in a restricted zone and the assessment was \$1 and costs.

CALF HAD FIVE LEGS FROID, Mont.—A calf on the J. P. Miller farm here is "one up" on his barnyard fellows. The freak was born with five legs, lived, and is perfectly normal otherwise.

SIGNS CAUTION HORSEMEN BOSTON.—There are few horses left in Boston, but streets in the Beacon Hill sections still flaunt signs, at the bottom of grades, cautioning drivers to "uncheck and rest your horses going uphill."

WRESTLING BOXING ELKS ARENA Dewey Phippen, Promoter

MONDAY Feb. 26th, 8:00 P. M.

LADIES' NIGHT! Ladies will be admitted free to ringside with paid admission.

ADDED ATTRACTION! Dr. Harry A. Logsdon and his famous Tickville Band will entertain.

DOUBLE MAIN EVENT McEWIN vs. REYNOLDS McLARREN vs. O'SHEA

SEMI-FINAL DAVIDSON vs. GOODWIN NEGRO BATTLE ROYAL!

Reserved Seats On Sale: Steen's Cafe—Paramount Hotel

Admission 25c and 40c Children 10c

THURBER

Special Correspondent

The P-T. A. meeting was held at the schoolhouse Friday, Feb. 16 at 2:30 o'clock. This was "Founders Day" program, celebrating P-T. A.'s 37th birthday. After the program slices of the big birthday cake was sold. The leader, Mrs. J. E. S. Lee gave the following program: Piano solo, Lillian Brown; room entertainment, Miss Edith Creighton; reading, Billy Brown; piano solo, Dorothy Hartung; reading, Jean Cole; song, all; reading, Charles Brown; candle lighting ceremony by several pupils from the various grades.

Mrs. J. H. Matthews entertained with a dance at her home Friday night. Music was furnished by Mrs. J. H. Matthews, Ellis Frederick, Henry and Oscar Obles, and Miss Joy Oyler. About 100 attended. Out-of-town guests were: Richard and Jimmy Hammond and Ray Roberts of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Haden Cooper and sister, Vera of Cisco, Bill Calhoun, J. D. Harrison and Robert Hamilton of Mingus.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown entertained with five tables of bridge at their home on Saturday night. High scores were won by Mrs. R. C. Stedham for the ladies and L. A. Hartung for the men. Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mmes. Martin Berkhart, F. S. Hedrick, D. B. Hiatt, R. C. Stedham, C. H. Martin, L. A. Hartung, N. D. Cole, I. N. McIntosh of Strawn, Mrs. Corn of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown.

The Methodist Epworth League entertained with a party Saturday night at the church. Games and music were enjoyed during the evening. Those attending were: Rev. W. E. Anderson, Mrs. O. H. Burkett, Jr., Dixie Fenner, Jr., W. C. Bridges, Claudia Mae Anderson, Clifford Masters, Lavada Fenner, Odie Venable, Forrest Black, Urairie Irvine, Clara Eubanks, Thelton Odum, Sidney Modglin, Jimmy Patterson, Jesse Milburn of Ranger and Cecil Cross of Strawn.

A group of friends surprised Mrs. Martha Heath at her home Monday afternoon with a surprise party in honor of her 64th birthday. After returning home from a visit to a friend's home she was greeted with "Happy Birthday to You." After an hour spent in conversation and admiring the useful and lovely gifts refreshments were served to the following ladies: Mmes. Roscoe Black, Ollie Hilburn, Mabel Foster, Dol Nichols, Ada Havens, Bill Havens, W. J. Box, Ida Duke, S. P. Lang, Aaron White, Lum Gibson, A. L. Leedy, Frank Arrendale, Lafayette Henley, Alonzo Leedy, Sam Black, M.

J. Corder, Charlie DeWitt, Nichol, J. A. Brooks, Jewell Green, Maggie Masters, Will Oyler, Jim Oyler, Mamie Hall, M. A. Anderson, Herbert Byres, W. W. Wiggins, E. Sheffield of Mingus, Jack Lee of Gordon; Misses Bert Arrendale, Lora White and Lavada Fenner. The honoree and her daughter, Mrs. Emma Sheffield of Mingus. Mrs. Will Eyley and Mrs. J. H. Elwood were Mingus visitors Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Maggie De Voe of Fort Worth visited several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Oyler.

Mrs. Sadie Davidson and Mrs. Dephia Paulowsky were shopping in Dallas last week.

Richard and Jimmy Hammond of Fort Worth visited several days with Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stedham and son, Phillip, were Ranger visitors Sunday.

Byron Davenport of Waco visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Black.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson visited several days in Coleman with their daughter, who is very ill.

Claude Ball of Gordon visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Fenner.

Mrs. Ralph Wynne was a Ranger visitor Tuesday.

Little Miss Marguerite Henley is on the sick list this week.

Finnis Whittington of Liberty visited friends here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Simon were Ranger visitors Sunday.

Raymond Hammet, who is working at Caddo spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hammet.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Miller and son, Eddie Bob, were Ranger visitors Sunday.

Rev. W. E. Anderson attended the Methodist Missionary Institute at Mineral Wells last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Singleton of Russell Chapel attended the show here Sunday night.

Dixie Fenner, Jr., was a Mingus visitor Tuesday.

Addison Whitworth visited in Ranger Sunday with Jesse Milburn.

Mrs. Ralph Wynne is on the sick list this week.

Fort Worth Man Commits Suicide

FORT WORTH, Feb. 22. — J. W. Davisson, 74, was found dead in his bed today by relatives with a revolver clutched in his hand and a bullet hole through his forehead.

Justice of the Peace Pritchard rendered a verdict of suicide. From the state of the body it was believed he had been dead since Monday or Tuesday.

The secretary of state of Kansas made a speech in the wrong church, which may not be so bad as delivering the wrong speech in the right church.

Political Announcements

This paper is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary Election in July, 1934:

For County Judge: W. D. R. OWEN CLYDE L. GARRETT

For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER

For County Superintendent: CLAIBORNE ELDRIDGE

For County Treasurer: JOHN WHITE

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Quaker Maid BEANS 3 16-Ounce Cans 13c 28-Ounce Can 8c

PILLSBURY'S BEST FLOUR 6-lb. bag 29c 12-lb. bag 54c 24 lb. bag \$1.04 48-lb. bag \$2.03

Ralston Breakfast Cereal pkg. 24c

GOLD METAL SOFTSILK CAKE FLOUR pkg. 35c

UNEEDA GRAHAM CRACKERS lb. box 18c

Oatmeal Fingers lb. 22c

DEL-MONTE ASPARAGUS Picnic Can 15c

LETTUCE LARGE HEADS—EACH 4c

ORANGES Large Size doz. 27c

Winesap APPLES 2 doz. 25c

BEETS or CARROTS bunch 3c

SALMON pink 14c Chum 13c

Sliced Lb. Breakfast BACON 16c

Bulk Shortening 2 Lbs. 15c

Armour's Star HAMS Half or Whole Lb. 15c

DRY SALT BACON 10c

VEAL SEVEN Lb. ROAST OP STEAK 10c

DRY SALT JOWLS Lb. 6c

(Uncle Bill) Niver Has Potato Slips

"Uncle Bill" Niver, who lives on Eastland Hill, Ranger, is advertising Porto Rico Sweet Potato Seed that should be bedded soon so as to get early slips. He says these potatoes are fine and that he has taken extra care to see that they are pure and have been kept dry all winter. They were grown on his farm here.

Fresh-Water FISH lb. 17½c
Fresh Extra Select Oysters. pt. 34c

Fresh Dressed TROUT lb. 20c
Fresh RED FISH lb. 19c

Fresh-Water CATFISH Received Every Day!
Fresh Baltimore Oysters

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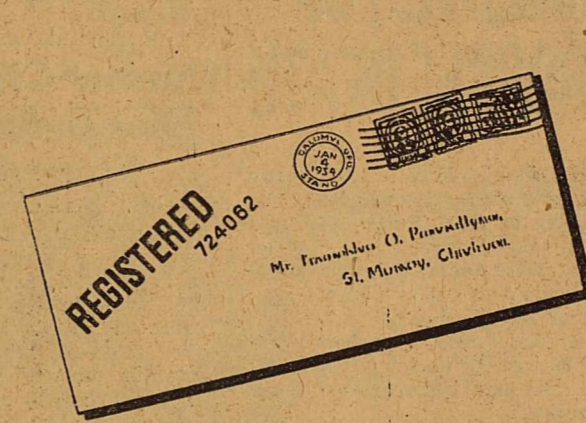
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Good Turn

Reports from towns indicate that the Good Turn requested by President Roosevelt is being carried out in a good way.

Hikes

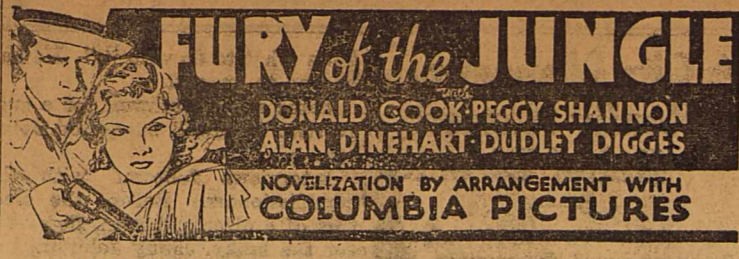
Troop 28 of Zephyr reports a successful hike with supper last meeting night. All scouts hiked to the New Blanket Bridge on the Zephyr-Mullin road.

Lone Scouts

Any boy living in the country that cannot attend a troop meeting and would like to become a scout can get information as to how to become a Lone Scout by writing the Boy Scouts of America, Box 808, Brownwood, Texas.

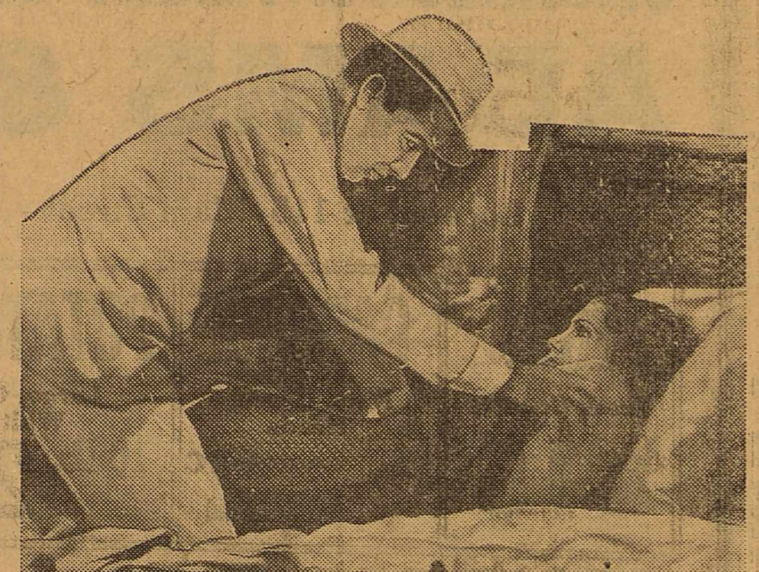
Scoutmasters Pow Wow

The Central District Scoutmasters Pow Wow was held at Early High school last Monday night with some 18 in attendance.



WHAT HAS HAPPENED? Joan, a young girl, about to join an expedition in Mato Grosso, is forced to stop off at Malango to nurse her brother who is sick with the fever.

Shorty tells me that Mr. Allen is off for a jaguar hunt. Expects to be gone for a couple of days.



"I saw the doctor going away so I said to myself, 'The poor girl, she is all alone, and I am sure she would appreciate it if someone dropped in to pay her a little friendly visit!'"

J. P. Sherwood, 160 acres, section 97, block 3, H&TC Ry. survey; \$10 and other consideration.

OLDEN

Olden scouts were busy Saturday collecting and gathering clothing, food and other necessities, donated to them for the use of the needy by the citizens of the community.

SALEM

SALON.—Mrs. Zelvin Fonville has had the flu but is improving. Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes of Desdemona visited his parents over the week-end.

Wright Plane In British Museum

By LEE WILLSON United Press Staff Correspondent LONDON.—The first motor-powered airplane to take the air with a human load now hangs in the British Science Museum here.

in which Amy Johnson made her first flight to Australia. Parts of the first model to make a free flight under power, which was furnished by a small steam engine, lie beneath a reconstruction of the same machine.

value of the animals rises to \$80,000,000, according to a pet magazine. SOFA PILLOWS WON DIVORCE SALEM, Mass.—Miss Dorothy L. Buckley was awarded a divorce by Judge Edward B. O'Brien because her husband threw her down on a couch, put sofa pillows on her head and then sat on them.

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GLEN VALLEY PEAS 2 No. 2 25c CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP 3 Cans 23c

Pipkin's Special Coffee lb. 19c



... at dinner, of course! What, again? Yes, and by all means! DESSERT becomes a DESERT if coffee is neglected.

POTATOES 10 lbs. 30c FANCY HEAD LETTUCE 4 1/2c White House RICE 2 lb. pkg. 17c 1-lb. pkg. . . . 9c

FOLGER'S COFFEE lb. 34c

SOUR PICKLES Quart Jar 15c SUPREME Peanut Butter Quart Jar 23c BULK COCOANUT Pound 25c

... to improve your bridge game! If it's brewed correctly, coffee rarely interferes with slumbers...

BUTTER Creamery Pound 30c CHUCK ROAST Baby Beef Or Veal Pound 12c

Standard Tomatoes 3 No. 2 cans 25c

1c SALE WHILE SUPPLY LASTS (ONLY ONE SALE TO A FAMILY)

10c ROYAL GEM COUNTRY GENTLEMAN CORN No. 2 Can 10c JELLY, Pure Grape, Pint Jar 23c P. & G. SOAP 6 Large 25c

Armour's Star Fixed Flavor HAM Special Sale Half or Whole Hams Pound 17c

ROAST PORK Shoulder Cuts lb. 15c In the Piece lb. 15c

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PLENTY FAT HENS All Sizes — Dressed or Alive Full Cream CHEESE lb. 23c

PIGGLY WIGGLY

Ranger Man Drops Dead At His Work At Noon Thursday

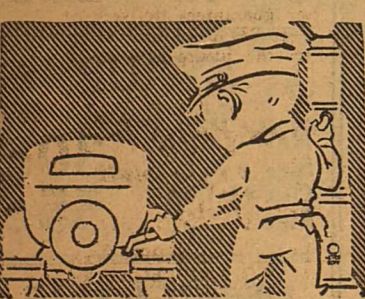
Newt Cranshaw, 50, employe of the Illinois Pipe Line company, dropped dead about noon today at the company office near Ranger.

SALT SPRAY 17 BLOCKS BELLINGHAM, Wash.

The force of a recent storm here was evidenced when residents 17 blocks from Puget Sound and living on a hill reported salt spray residue on their windows.

Americans in Europe are complaining of being treated rough. Then let them go back to the country where they came from.

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Letters From Our Readers

I wish to commend State Senator Collie's position on the child labor proposition which recently came before the Texas legislature.

It would be impossible of enforcement for under it no inmate of an orphanage would be allowed to work to help support himself or herself, and children at home would be in a like position.

Having stopped all the work there would be but one course for "Uncle Sam" to take—educate, feed and clothe all the children.

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Instruments Warranty Deed: C. S. McAllister to T. L. Jay, 72x165 feet, lot 5, block V, Gorman, \$375.00.

Warranty Deed: W. R. Avant to W. B. Anderson, 62 1-2 acres Joseph Yeaman Survey, \$1.00 and other consideration.

Deed of Trust: Mrs. G. A. Anderson to Riggs Bros. and Co., part of D. T. Jordan Pre-Emption Survey, \$520.00.

Mineral Deed, Grant Daniels to E. L. Graham, 489 acres sections 68, 69, block 3, H&TC Ry. survey, \$320.00.

Abstract of Judgment: L. H. Flewellen vs. Howard R. Gholson, \$2597.14.

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At The Columbia Saturday



A scene from "Gun Play" starring Jack Hoxie, at the Columbia Saturday.

Abilene Will Entertain Legion Posts of District

ABILENE.—Plans for entertaining Legionnaires of the district 17 in Abilene next Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 24 and 25, have been mapped by the Parramore post, American Legion and by auxiliary members.

A floor show and dance, breakfasts for officers and a luncheon will feature the entertainment program which will intersperse business sessions. Sunday morning at 10:45 Legion members and ladies are to go in a body to a service at the Southside Baptist church, where the local post chaplain, Rev. W. C. Ashford, is pastor.

Registration will get underway at noon Saturday at the Hilton hotel convention headquarters. Auxiliary members have been invited to attend the annual Bible Day program of the Abilene City Federation, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the Woman's club building, Thespian club members of McMurry college will be featured.

At 6 o'clock, the Abilene auxiliary will hold a tea for visitors on the Hilton mezzanine floor. Saturday night's floor show, slated at 7 o'clock, will precede a dance to which the public will be

admitted. Entertainers will be Jack and Marshall Neal, dancers; Joe Greenfield and a chorus of girls in a comedy act, and other features.

Chet Davis and his band will furnish dance music.

Breakfasts Sunday's activities will be launched with breakfast, at 8:30, for post commanders and adjutants of the district and for auxiliary officers.

Service Conference Wynne Goode, service officer for the Texas department, will be here from Austin to preside for a session of Legion service officers set at 9:30 a. m. The resolutions committee is to meet at 10 o'clock, with the church service to follow at 10:45.

The Legion and auxiliary will meet jointly at a luncheon at 1 o'clock in the crystal ballroom. The speaker is to be Prof. W. A. Stephenson of Simmons university, who will discuss "The Eastern Situation."

General business sessions follow. Orville H. Turner, district executive committee member, and Mrs. Roy Maddox, Winters, district auxiliary chairman, will preside.

Local Leaders Local arrangements are under the general direction of Larry Daniels, Legion commander, and Mrs. W. R. Snow, auxiliary president.

Delegates of the local post will be H. P. Schienberg, Clyde Hayden, W. R. Blakney, Frank Powell, Clyde Fulwiler, Ben F. Bird. Hayden was named to special service on the resolutions committee.

Roy Nisbett, Sweetwater post commander, has announced a large delegation will be present from there asking for the next convention.

Special guests will include Crayton Paschell, veteran employment officer, department of labor, Eastland county; George E. Hughes, Austin, Texas department adjutant; Read Johnson, Dallas, manager of the veterans' administration; and M. J. Benefield, Brady, fifth division commander.

A. & P. Looking For Old Pictures Of Early Times

The Atlantic & Pacific Tea company is soon to celebrate its 75th anniversary and is planning publication of a book illustrating photographically the growth of the country since 1859 and the parallel advancement in the growth, manufacture and distribution of foods.

Their search through the files of regular photographic agencies has yielded only a few photographs of the type the company is after and they have requested aid in locating old photographs for use in the publication.

Their needs consist of photographs showing early life and business in this community, and they are interested in pictures illustrating early transportation, communication, food raising, food processing and retailing. They also intend to use pictures that are merely indicative of the times, such as those showing early costumes, social life, buildings, public events and public men or any phase of life from 1859 to 1910.

"We would greatly appreciate your lending us any photographs," the request states, "no matter how remotely they may be connected with the central idea of the book. If you lend us a picture we will take the best of care of them. We will have copies made and return the originals to you within a few days."

Anyone who has pictures they think might be suitable for use in this book can bring them to the Times office and they will be forwarded to the company and they will be returned to the sender.

Mary Astor Relaxes By Wearing Clothes Unlike Garb In Film

The art of relaxing and resting is one that is too often neglected by the modern woman, thinks Mary Astor, who plays the role of a vamp in "Easy to Love," the Warner Bros. production showing at the Columbia Theatre Sunday.

"Resting and relaxing are more than just doing nothing," said Miss Astor on the set during the production of the picture. "One can be as busy as one pleases, as long as one changes one's mental and physical habits for the time being."

"When I am working in a picture, and have a day or two to myself in the middle of the production, I make a point of wearing clothes as different as possible from those the part calls for. As it's usually my fate to wear smart clothes of one kind or another, I live in slacks, loose-necked sweaters, or an easy corduroy lounging pajama suit until it's time to go back to the studio."

"It's refreshing to get out of formal clothes and loaf around in a rough costume that allows you to romp with the dog, play with the baby, or work in the garden, as you please. There's a feeling of freedom and exhilaration in it that is the best kind of tonic for one's nerves."

"Easy to Love" is the hilarious comedy of marital mix-ups based on the play by Thompson Buchanan and adapted by David Boehm. It carries an all-star cast which includes besides Miss Astor, Genevieve Tobin, Adolphe Menjou, Edward Everett Horton, Patricia Ellis and Guy Kibbee. William Keighley directed.

West Coast Hens Wipe Off Their Feet Before Laying Eggs

SALINAS, Calif.—Hens that wipe their feet on a door mat have boosted the egg profits of F. A. Hoddinot, Prunedale poultryman. Clean-shelled eggs bring better prices so Hoddinot developed a concrete door mat with rollers on it. The mat slants upward to the hen house entrance. When hens climb the mat the rollers turn under their feet. In their frantic pedaling to keep their balance they wipe their feet clean.

Hens with muddy feet mark up the eggs and Hoddinot estimates the doormat saves him \$1,500 a year, which he has been paying packers to clean the eggs.

U. of C. Proud of Its Educated Rat

BERKELEY, Calif.—"Miss Major," a rat with a college education, is the pride of the University of California psychology department here.

She has learned to jump out of an enclosure onto an open table, drag her tin plate of food to the edge of a one-foot barrier, jump to the top of the barrier, hold on by her tail and hind feet, and with her teeth and fore-feet hoist up the tin of food. Then as methodically she lowers it to the other side of the barrier.

Nine generations of Grade A bright rats, inter-bred over a period of seven years, were used in perfecting "Miss Major."

CO-EDS WON RIFLE SHOOT MISSOULA, Mont.—Montana University girls apparently are better marksmen than men. A co-ed squad competed against eight male teams here recently and won top honors in the Garden City Rifle Association match.

A City Manager Really Named Relief Director

AUSTIN.—To Sam H. Bothwell, city manager of Sweetwater, goes the credit for picking the new Texas relief director, Adam Johnson. Bothwell and Johnson became acquainted when Johnson was city manager of Austin, establishing a record for efficiency and financing.

The relief directorship was wide open 24 hours before Johnson was named here last Monday. Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson and four members of the relief commission wanted to name Jack Reed, Galveston. They could not get another vote and the governor could only vote in case of a tie.

Carl Estes, Tyler, held the deciding vote. When he objected to various persons suggested, he finally was asked to suggest some one himself.

To use one of his own expressions, he was like the "dog that caught a freight train and didn't

know what to do with it." He had no one to suggest.

Estes asked Bothwell for a suggestion. Bothwell suggested Johnson.

Interviews followed with the commissioners. Before the election of a director began, five were for the lanky, canny Johnson, native of Burnet, Texas, and, some said, as hard-boiled against waste and graft as the granite from that section.

Before the board made its selection, many persons were being discussed. Among them was H. T. Kimbro, Lubbock, a former member of the industrial accident board. Harvin Nichols, Fort Worth engineer, had been suggested, and also John Owens, Dallas, and P. L. Downs, retired Temple banker. All of these were not applicants.

Hunting Fatalities Involved Minors

MONTGOMERY, Ala.—Twelve of the 27 hunting accidents which have occurred in Alabama since the hunting season opened in October have resulted fatally. Nine

of these took the lives of minors. Many other accidents were caused by the careless handling of firearms by youngsters.

The state of Alabama in the Game and Fish News says, "We would like to see every boy trained in the proper use and handling of firearms by a capable instructor. A boy cannot learn these by himself without the danger of disastrous experience."

Palo Pinto County To Vote On Beer

MINERAL WELLS.—The Palo Pinto county commissioners' court has ordered a county-wide election for Feb. 27 for the submission of the legalization of sale of 3.2 beer. The election was ordered after submission of a petition by 524 qualified voters. The election will be six months and one day after the Aug. 26 election last year, in which the county voted dry. State law requires six months elapsed time between elections.

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B. & M. Fish Flakes
2 Cans **25^c**

Coffee
Break-o'-Morn
1-Pound Package **17^c**

PINEAPPLES
No. 1 Flat Cans Sliced or Crushed
3 for **25^c**

PEACHES
White Swan Fancy Table
No. 2 1/2 Can **17^c**

PEARS
White Swan
2 No. 1 Cans **25^c**

LETTUCE
Large Crisp Heads
2 for **9^c**

CARROTS
Big Bunches
3 for **10^c**

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1-Pound Package **17^c**

SPINACH
Home-Grown
3 Pounds For **10^c**

SOAP
T. N. T.
Large Yellow Bars
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Gunpowder Tea
1/4 Pound Can **19^c**

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Pork Sho. ROAST Lb. 12 1/2^c	Meat, 3 pounds 25^c
Pork Sausage 2 Pounds 25^c	Sliced BACON Lb. 18^c
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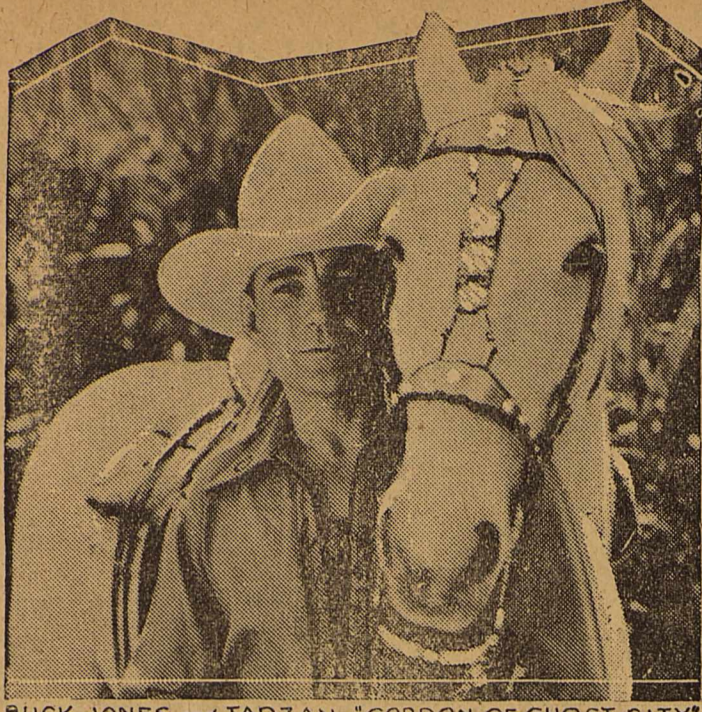
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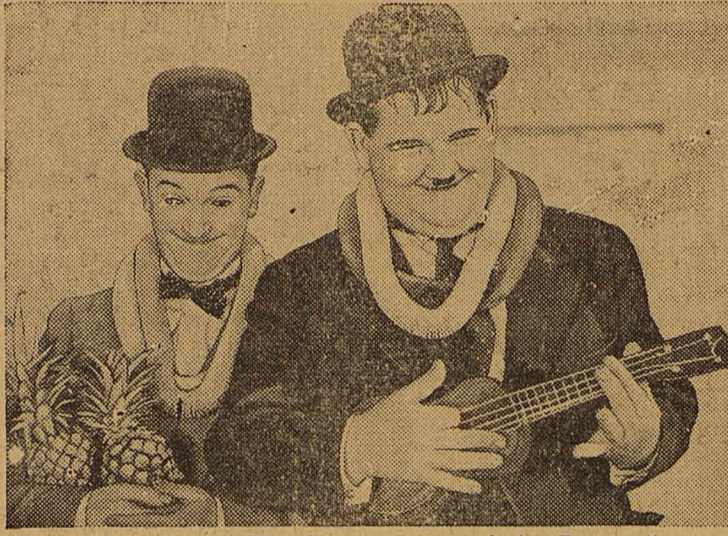
By MYRTLE REYNOLDS
Mr. and Mrs. Gale Giberson of Lincoln, Neb., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bronstead of the T-P Camp here.
Nolan Nixon of Iraan was a Caddo visitor Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wilson and daughter were Breckenridge visitors Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Lutrell and son, Milton, visited relatives in Cisco and Eastland, Sunday.
Miss Joy Jenkins has returned home after visiting friends in Breckenridge several weeks.
Mrs. Roy Gracey returned home after visiting Mrs. Penley of Ellsville.
Mr. A. R. Johnston has returned home from a business trip to Santo.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nicklos, the newly married couple, will make their home in Caddo.
Mr. Post made a business trip to Wichita Falls last Friday.
Mrs. A. R. Johnston, Mrs. C. K. Reynolds, Mrs. Loy Reid, Evelyn Johnston and Myrtle Reynolds attended singing at Breckenridge last Sunday.
George Henry Stephenson of Abilene will preach at the Church of Christ Saturday night and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Reynolds and sons, Herman and Truman; Egbert Hickman, Mrs. A. R. Johnston and daughters Berna Louise and Evelyn and Myrtle Reynolds visited in Abilene and Merkel Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. John O'Dowd visited in Caddo Thursday evening and he preached at the Church of Christ here Sunday night.
Cleo Morton of Breckenridge was a Caddo visitor Sunday.
Roy Gracey was in Mineral Wells Friday.

In Columbia Serial Saturday



BUCK JONES and TARZAN in "GORDON OF GHOST CITY"

At the Arcadia Saturday



Laurel and Hardy in "Sons of the Desert"

COLONY

Reid Killough, who stepped on a nail four months ago, is still having serious trouble with his foot.
Baxter Campbell and family of Hatchell visited C. E. Hathcock and family last week.
Mrs. W. L. Mills was a business visitor in Eastland Monday.
W. L. Mills' condition is no better.
Reid Campbell and family of Ranger visited friends in this community Friday.
Mrs. Claud Aylor and family have returned from San Angelo, where they were called by the illness of Mrs. Aylor's mother, Mrs. Williams.
Mrs. Williams was getting along nicely when they left for home.
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lusby of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Lusby of Merkel visited their sister, Mrs. K. F. Kirk and family, Tuesday.

OKRA

Rev. W. S. Fisher of Sipe Springs will fill his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday.
Miss La Verne Claborn spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Maxwell Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. George Varner and little daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Alford and daughter, Willa Fay, drove over to Brownwood Sunday to see Mr. Alford's brother, Jess, who was hurt in an explosion last week.
Arthur Wolf was in Rising Star Monday.
Mrs. Ruth Claborn and sons,

class of Gorman High school and popular young lady in Gorman and Ranger, where she has been employed the past two years.
Mr. Armstrong, who has been associated with the Ranger Piggly Wiggly store recently received a transfer to a Piggly Wiggly store in Graham where the couple will make their home.
Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Martin and sons of Ovalo were here over the week-end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pritchard.
Mrs. B. M. Collie and little daughter Mary Jo, of Eastland are spending this week with her mother Mrs. M. J. Eppler.
Mrs. Adolph Weitzsche of Hamilton was the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. O. Shelley, Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tetens were Fort Worth visitors Saturday.
Mrs. J. W. Cockrill returned from Mercedes Sunday, where she has been visiting relatives.
There was a good crowd here Monday for Trades Day in spite of the cold weather.

CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST (A Friendly Church)
D. W. Nichol, Minister
Class work promptly 10 o'clock.
We invite you to visit us for this study.
Preaching, 11 a. m. Subject, "To Every Man His Work." Suggestion for the lesson found in Mark 13:34.
Communion service, 11:45.
Preaching, 7:15. Subject, "The Judgment." Read Acts 17:22-32.
Communion services, 8 p. m.
Ladies meet Monday afternoon, 1 o'clock. Bible study from 3 to 4. Lesson, 1 Cor., third chapter.
Song drill under direction of CWA, Wednesday and Friday evening, from 6:30 to 9:30.
Bible study Thursday, 7:15 p. m. Lesson, first chapter of 1 Thess. D. W. Nichol Jr. will have charge of this study period.

Vienna rebels conduct their guerrilla warfare from sewers, thus proving that a man can be 'way down, but not out.

GORMAN

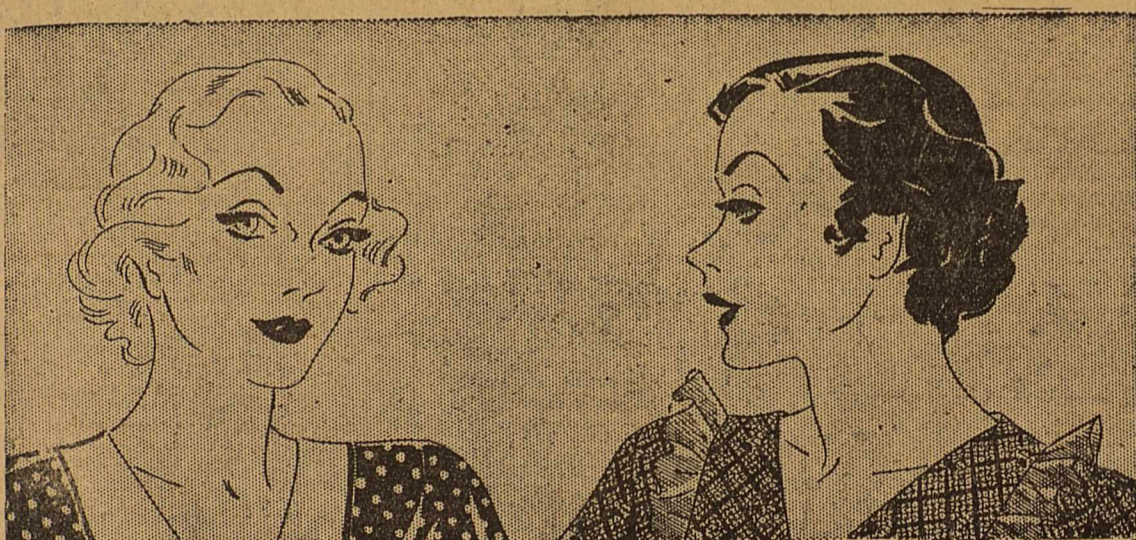
Norman and Jay, are now residents of this community.
Mrs. W. R. Laird visited Mrs. Eugene Hill Tuesday afternoon.
Mrs. Corda Copeland, who has been visiting her brother, R. D. Maxwell, and sister, Mrs. Virge Foster of Eastland, has returned to her home in Lubbock.
Miss Mozell Hill spent last Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hill.
The Methodist Training Class met at the home of Mrs. W. C. Nunnally Wednesday afternoon. They took examination on the course and finished all their work. Mrs. W. S. Fisher taught the course.

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Mrs. Tommie Woody of Sealy is here visiting relatives.
Miss Ruth Brightwell and William E. Armstrong were married Thursday, Feb. 15, at 6:30 at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. H. B. Johnson, who read a very impressive ring ceremony.
Mrs. R. L. Williams and Miss Mavis Douglas of Brownwood were here Sunday visiting friends.
Mrs. Armstrong is the daughter of Mrs. Tom Brightwell of the Grandview community. She was a member of the 1930 graduating

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READY now! Direct from New York, a purchase "Scoop" by Wards New York buying offices! The largest House Dress Sale this store has ever held! With the greatest values! Imagine... pure vat-dyed, printed cottons... absolutely fast color patterns! And imagine!... EXTRA SIZES... at this sensationally low price! You'll marvel at the lovely colors, patterns, styles! You'll wonder how they can sell for so little.

MONTGOMERY WARD

1934 WASN'T SO LUCKY
ISTANBUL.—Last year was a lucky one for Mehmed, the assassin. He was pardoned on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the republic. But 1934 proved

fatal to his newly-found freedom. The 14-year-old son of the tailor he had murdered killed him in the open market place of Trebizond after firing three pistol shots into him.

RAISING MUSHROOMS
HOUSTON.—Attempts at large scale raising of mushrooms is being made by two cotton men. L. R. C. Towles and Leslie B. Dufton, have engaged Henry Hutchison,

formerly of Kew Gardens in London, to supercise their 28-acre project. Dark houses, necessary for the raising of mushrooms, equipped with an automatic cooling system have been erected.

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Drastic Reductions!

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\$3 down, \$4 monthly plus carrying charge.
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3-Pc. Suite Special
Sensational at this low price! Bed, Chest, and Vanity of select hardwood in walnut finish. \$39.95
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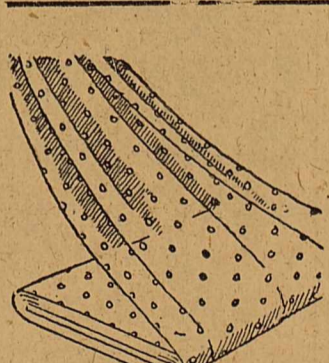
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Innerspring—deep coils in felted cotton. Button tufted. \$10.88



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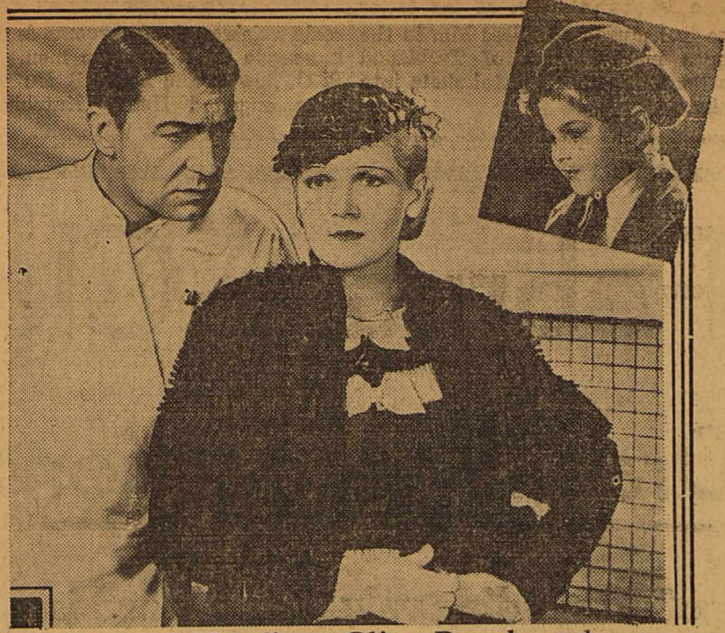
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DESDEMONA

Scene From Arcadia Film Monday



Ann Harding, Clive Brook and Dickie Moore in "Gallant Lady"

Rev. and Mrs. Z. L. Howell and daughter, Miss Lois, and Misses Agatha Genoway, Edna Parks and Nell Robert, went to Dublin Friday night and attended the meeting of the Epworth Leagues of the East Cisco District. They reported a good attendance and a very interesting and helpful meeting.

Ralph Ludwick returned Saturday night from Tulsa, Okla., where he had gone expecting to reside, but he was sent for by the gasoline company to come back here.

J. W. Hendricks of the J. E. Lucas casing crew visited at Ranger Monday night.

Mrs. J. H. Rushing Sr., and son Weldon, drove over to Gorman on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis drove up to Eastland on business Saturday afternoon, and Mrs. Davis attended the meeting of the Eastland County Federation of Women's Clubs. The meeting was held at the court house.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. C. Moore. The house was gaily decorated in red, white and blue, and that color scheme was carried out in all the appointments. Members present were Meses. Claude Lee, Joe Merrill, Plummer Ashburn, C. B. Wood, Jesse Sparkman, A. B. Henslee, A. C. Robert, Aaron Henslee, John Mendenhall, Mattie Henry; Miss Dorace Roe and the hostess. The guests present were: Meses. C. W. Maltby, Fred Welder, Elmer Hughes and M. L. McAfee. A delicious refreshment plate of cheese nut sandwiches, chicken salad sandwiches, apple pie topped with whipped cream and coffee, was served. Clever Martha Washington dolls dressed in red dress, blue bonnet and white apron, was used for favors. Mrs. Aaron Henslee won high score.

Mrs. Plummer Ashburn, accompanied by Mrs. Claude Lee spent Thursday in Rising Star with Mrs. Ashburn's mother, Mrs. V. M. Plumlee.

Mrs. Gifford Acrea visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Pritchett at Ranger last week.

On Monday night of last week, Mrs. Mattie Henry, president of the P. T. A., assisted by Mrs. W. H. Davis and Mrs. A. C. Moore, entertained very delightfully at the Wednesday afternoon clubhouse, with the official board of the P. T. A. and the faculty of our high school as guests. The candle lighting ceremony of Founder's Day was held. Dainty and appetizing refreshments were served.

Virgil Busby of Big Spring, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bedford Sunday. That night he was taken to Eastland to catch the bus by Alton Brown, Miss Dorace Roe and Miss Eleanor Yarnell.

Dr. P. M. Kuykendall of Ranger came down on professional business Monday.

Members of the P. T. A. have been busy lately practicing for a negro minstrel show which they will present at the High school Friday night, Feb. 23. An extra attraction will be music by the Rippeote Brothers of De Leon.

Rev. and Mrs. M. R. Ford and their mother and sister, Mrs. S. E. Browning and Miss Capitola Browning spent Friday in Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Williams and two small children, Bobby and Billie Lou, left Sunday for their home at Midland after a few days visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Williams here and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Patterson at Ranger. Mrs. M. P. Williams went home with them for a few days visit. Their many friends are always glad to welcome them back home.

Mrs. C. B. Wood was hostess last Saturday evening to the Contract Bridge club at its weekly meeting. Score pads, tallies, etc., carried out a George Washington color scheme. A pretty refreshment plate of pineapple-cheese salad, saltines, cakes and hot chocolate, with miniature flags for favors, was served to the following

An Illinois University student was dismissed for giving false entrance information. He might at least have waited until examination time to do his cheating.

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CARBON

"Little Caesar" Returns to Ranger Sun.

CARBON. — The recent cold spell was a good thing in regard to holding back the fruit crop and it seems to us that a big crop of fruit would be a blessing to many.

J. P. Payte received word Saturday of the death of his sister, Mrs. A. Alford, who lived in Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Alford are well remembered in Carbon and friends regret her death. Burial was in Atoka, Okla. Ire and Kendrick Payte attended the funeral.

H. H. Grey and wife of Hale Center but formerly of Carbon have the sympathy of a host of friends in the death of their only son, Travis, age 17 years, who was in Lubbock hospital 28 days. Travis was president of the senior class and was planning to enter Texas Tech at Lubbock this next fall term.

Messes. E. R. Yarbrough, A. A. Davis, M. C. Tucker, D. James, Ed McCall, Floyd Gilbert, Dick Gray attended the George Washington program at the Masonic hall in Eastland Monday night.

Messes T. C. Bennett, J. D. Grey and Mmes. Verta Mae Thurman, Dillard Howard, Misses Opal Morris, Lora Justice, Frances Wilson and Ida Hines attended a CWA meeting in Eastland Thursday night.

Rev. M. A. Walker and wife, Jake Rhyne and wife, Maynelle Edmonson and Margaret Reese attended the district league meet in Dublin Friday night.

Rufus Justice is in the West Texas Clinic at Ranger recovering from an appendicitis operation.

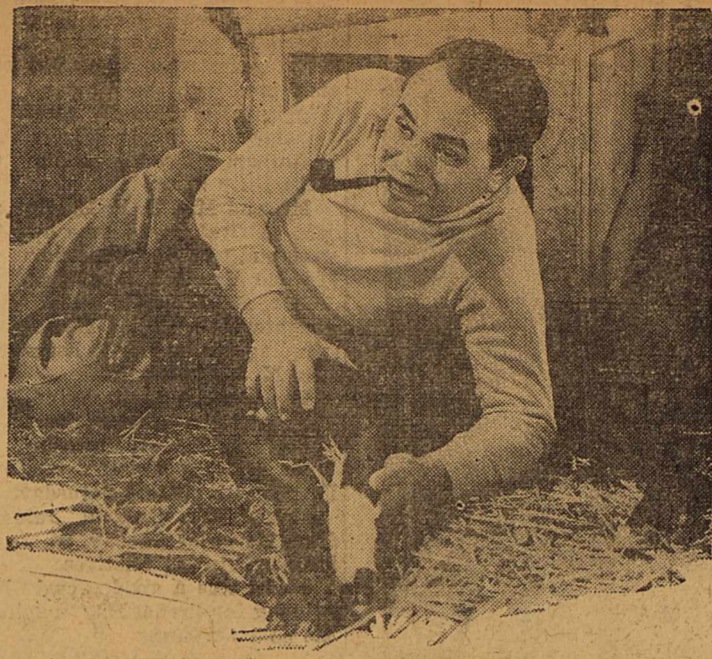
Mrs. Gaston Gooch visited her husband in Denison last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hart and baby of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Ramsey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Tucker Sunday, enroute from Gorman, where Mrs. Ramsey had undergone an eye operation.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Tucker of Cisco visited his parents Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl White Gouse and Misses Lorene Davidson and Louise



Edward G. Robinson, who returns to town Sunday, in his newest picture, "Dark Hazard."

Tate visited in Dallas last week-end.

Evan Martin and wife of Ovalo were visiting relatives here last week.

W. J. Greer and family visited in Brownwood Sunday.

Rev. Fisher and wife of Sipe Springs attend service at the Methodist church here Sunday.

Rev. A. A. Davis filled his appointments at Necessity Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Reuben Vaughan visited relatives at Necessity last week-end.

Bruce Lasater and family of Pleasant Hill visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black, Sunday.

Mrs. J. V. Thompson who had been sick with flu is improving.

Maurice Vaughan was visiting in Necessity last week-end.

Mrs. Paul Poe of Long Branch

spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Addie Kirk.

Rev. F. L. Moore is making quite a bit of improvement on his farm home and barn.

Miss Charlene Baughman, who has been with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Morris, has returned to her home in Dallas.

CROSS ROADS

Health in this community is very good at present.

Grandma Haie and Mrs. Snow Love spent Tuesday with E. M. Campbell.

V. E. Pedigo and family attended church at Ranger.

H. Ervin and family visited this week-end near Tyler.

Cora Campbell spent Saturday night with Nora D. Love.

Hutch and Lavoice Hald returned

to Tuesday from West Texas, where they have been visiting relatives.

H. D. Browning was in Ranger Saturday.

Ellouise and Mona Burrow visited Frances Ferrell Saturday.

Earnest and Leo Hitcher visited Terrell Hale Sunday.

Jessie Minter and John Adams were in Ranger Saturday.

O. E. Scott visited F. E. Ferrell Saturday.

Elaine Hale visited Cora Campbell Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Kitchen spent the day Tuesday with Mrs. F. E. Ferrell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kitchen visited in the home of Mr. Daffern Monday night.

Elizabeth Johnson and Monrow spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kitchen.

Boxtoe Campbell of Ballinger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Campbell.

Harold Ainsworth visited Mazon Ferrell Saturday.

H. A. Negar visited V. E. Pedigo Saturday.

Merl Thomas, Mrs. Nancy Mason and baby visited in the home of J. N. Ainsworth Monday.

Sunday with Mrs. Fox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reed of Mangum.

Mrs. E. M. Taylor of Eastland spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Fox.

Miss Ada Terry and Mrs. Bertha Lea Anderson were Eastland visitors Saturday.

The farmers are anxious for the weather to moderate so they can get their oats planted.

Mr. Markham and family have recently moved to the Geasey place.

Most everyone has been planting gardens.

Mrs. Nell Whitehead and Mrs. W. W. Terry spent Saturday with their mother, Mrs. W. U. Fox.

A. J. Taylor and Leonard Fox of Desdemona spent Saturday night with Darman Fox.

Bob Barker and son, R. L., of Eastland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Clark of Olden visited Mr. and Mrs. George Fox Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newbanks were Eastland visitors Saturday.

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UNION

UNION.—W. U. Fox celebrated his 80th birthday, Feb. 11, with a dinner at his home.

Mrs. Jene Falls visited Mrs. Bertha Lea Anderson Friday.

Miss Thelma Nabors spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Nabors.

Several young people went to George A. Fox's home Friday night and played games. All reported a good time.

Miss Arleta Terry visited Miss Darlene Fox Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Fox spent

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their wives did the crowning when they came back home from that red-hot party with the "Sons of the Desert!"



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SECTION TWO

VOLUME I RANGER, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1934 NUMBER 7

PROCEEDINGS IN COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh Supreme Judicial district:

Affirmed—Republic Underwriters vs. Cecil C. Howard, Nolan.

Reversed and Remanded—Jose Tallabas, Ind., etc., vs. Wing Chon, et al., Bexar; Grayburg Oil Co. vs. Corpus Christi Gas Co., Bexar; J. H. English vs. Grover C. Morris et al., Bexar; Joe Dean Jr. vs. N. H. White, Bexar.

Reversed and Remanded—Chas. D. Adams vs. Marie Grapotte, Bexar.

Motions Submitted—S. H. Twaddell et al. vs. H. O. Wooten Grocer Co.; appellant's motion for rehearing.

Motions Overruled—James Shaw, banking commissioner, vs. E. W. Halbert, guardian, appellee's motion for rehearing.

DANCED JIG AT 89

BIDDEFORD, Me.—Daniel Knight, Civil War veteran, celebrated his 89th birthday anniversary by dancing a jig.

Two Men Held In Ranger Turned Over to Officers

Two men, arrested in Ranger Saturday when they tried to sell 90 feet of 10-inch pump belting, valued at almost \$200 for \$5, were turned over to Stephens county officers Sunday afternoon. The two were arrested by patrolman Jack Roach.

The two at first gave fictitious names and said they were from Putnam, but later admitted they were Ed Putty and Otis Alexander from Carthage.

The belting, according to officers, was stolen from a lease near Breckenridge on Thanksgiving night and a lookout had been kept for it since that time.

PWA Headquarters In Texas Will Close February 28

FORT WORTH, Feb. 19.—The southwest regional public works headquarters here, as well as those of the state PWA and advisory boards, were ordered discontinued Feb. 28 in a notice today from Washington to Regional Administrator Clifford B. Jones. The order will not affect applications approved by the advisory board and forwarded to Washington for final action, Jones said.

No new applications will be received, however.

BANKHEAD BILL IS APPROVED BY ROOSEVELT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—President Roosevelt today gave his approval to the Bankhead bills for strict limitation of cotton production.

In a letter to Chairman Smith, Dem., South Carolina, of the senate agricultural and forestry committee, he said he believed the Bankhead bills provided the best method of dealing with the cotton situation.

The bills, introduced by Senator Bankhead of Alabama and Rep. Bankhead of Alabama would limit production to 9,500,000 bales through a levy of a tax on all cotton ginned in excess of that amount.

"My study of the various methods suggested leads me to believe that the Bankhead bills in principle best cover the situation," he said. "I hope that in the continuing emergency your committee can take action."

The house agriculture committee considered the bill with Rep. Bankhead favoring a favorable report.

Demonstration Club Met Friday

The Olden Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. Dave Vermillion Friday afternoon with several members present.

After the regular business session, Miss Ruth Ramey talked to the club on raising of tomatoes and gardening, urging everyone to raise a garden this year. Then she opened several cans of food the members had brought and talked about the food, cans and canning of meats and vegetables this year.

The program in general was very interesting and educational. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. White in the form of a social, March 2, at 2 p. m.

One representative asked if Bankhead opposed an amendment which prohibited land taken out of production being used for other commodities that would compete with other farmers.

Bankhead said he believed such an amendment would be unconstitutional. The committee concluded hearings today. Rep. Marvin Jones of Texas said his group would begin studying the bill Monday and would make every effort to bring out a report on the measure soon.

All that the revolts in Europe lack is a Huey Long to make them funny.

TEN WOMEN DIE IN FLAMES OF AGED HOME

BROOKVILLE, Pa., Feb. 20.—Ten aged women survivors of Civil War veterans were burned to death in their hospital beds today when defective wiring started a fire which destroyed the structure within an hour.

The victims died silently, apparently suffocated by smoke which billowed through the hospital of the Pennsylvania Memorial hall, driving off rescuers and firemen.

All entrances to the frame building were blocked by the time the whistles summoned the volunteer department at 12:30, and rescuers were able to save only five of the 15 inmates.

Scientist Tells of Horrors Future Wars Might Hold With Many New Discoveries Now Being Developed

Editor's Note: Scientific horrors of the next war are almost beyond comprehension, in the view of a leading scientist and one of the discoverers of radium, who pleads in the following article for direction of the new and imminent discoveries toward development of a modern Utopia.

By **DR. LUTHER S. H. GABLE** (Written for the United Press)

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Science is on the verge of unleashing forces capable of lifting mankind to heights beyond the wildest dreams of a generation ago, or of plunging humanity into an orgy of destruction which might well depopulate and leave barren the civilized world.

Flights into the stratosphere and constant experiments in laboratories throughout the world are bringing closer each day the time when the mysterious cosmic rays will be harnessed and a flood of power released.

Cosmic rays may produce a power which can dig a tunnel through a mountain with no more labor than blowing the dust away; those same rays, harnessed to a radio-controlled airplane in the hands of a warring nation, could wipe out armies, cities, industries.

There might not even be a person left to sign a peace treaty.

Already there are in the offing such miracles as airplanes which would never have to land for fuel, high speed automobiles drawing power through the atmosphere, smokeless cities without an electric wire in sight, an end of disease, coal mines turned into chemical factories, houses and industrial plants with strange-looking "lightning rods" drawing unlimited power from the stratosphere.

The world is a huge dynamo, with the earth and its heavy atmosphere the negative field, the stratosphere the positive field. In that outer atmosphere there is kinetic electricity of 200 million amperes, enough to provide 160 million horsepower for every human being on earth.

Already an oscillating tube, comparable to the first radio tubes, has been invented to tap this source of energy. It must be merely a matter of time until the whole source is at our disposal.

One of the cosmic rays, the Greutz ray, capable of destroying any disease germ in 30 seconds, is already a part of medical science.

Radium might supply the actual power for the new world which we now envision. The element's tremendous energy—60,000 horsepower in every pound of the radon gas which is constantly being emitted from radium—would be released by breaking down the radium atom with the cosmic ray.

The radium atom could also be broken down with a billion-volt charge of electricity, and the possibility of such electrical power is not remote. Science has already created and used five million volts. Science has also gone far enough toward its dream to produce 33 horsepower without using a generator—enough to power an automobile.

A deposit of radium ore has been discovered at Great Bear lake, under the Arctic circle, which might supply enough radium to meet every human need.

ROOSEVELT IS NOT IN FAVOR OF THE BONUS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Speaker Rainey said today he was authorized by President Roosevelt to say the president cannot approve any bonus legislation at this time.

Rainey, who called at the white house today as a house bonus petitioner was reaching the required number of names, to force a vote, called newspapermen into his office to make the announcement.

"I am authorized by President Roosevelt to say this is not the time to pay the bonus and he cannot approve any legislation to that effect," Rainey said.

Representative Wright Patman of Texas, leader of the bonus fight two years ago, signed the petition today, bringing to 130 the names on the document. A total of 145 signatures are necessary before the bill can be considered.

MINE NAMED 'NEVER SWEAT'

GEYSER, Mont.—Cobb and Hunter have started operations in a gold mine in Lyon's Gulch and they hope it lives up to its name. The mine has been tagged "Never Sweat."

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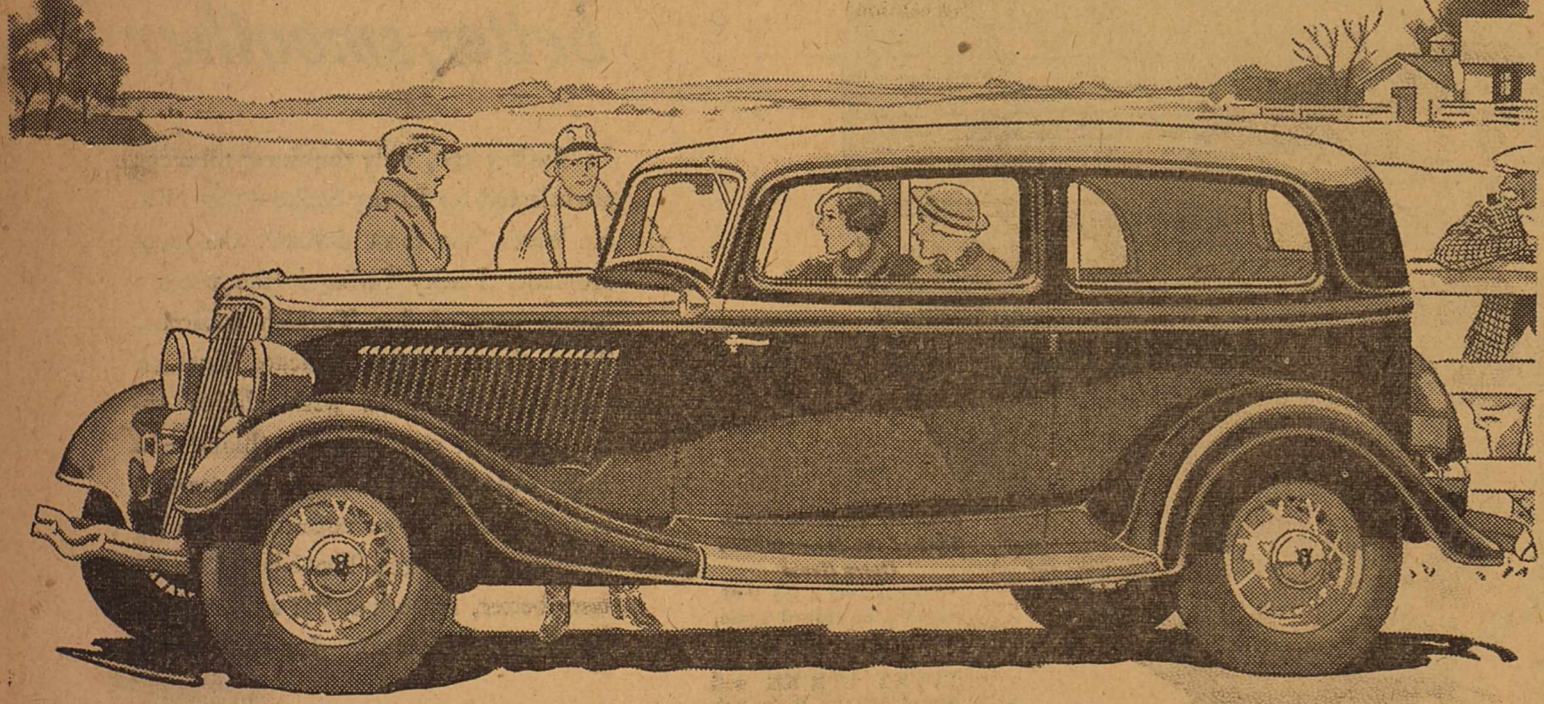
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Farmers Urged To Have Facts On Contracts

Rules which covered the cotton acreage contracts, and which are also in force in the corn-hog contract agreements have been pointed out by J. C. Patterson, county agent of Eastland county, in letters to those in charge of the corn-hog contracts over the county.

Where a contract signer makes any change in his status which changes his relation to the strict adherence to the contract, rented additional cotton acreage to be planted by him, planned to plant cotton on land that was ineligible rented out a part of his farm after signing a contract, whether or not to be planted in cotton, or included in his contract lands not positively divided from other farming land on the same farm or otherwise made changes that affect the facts laid down in the contract, he should have these facts set forth in a statement to be attached to the contracts, the letter says. Similar rules are also applicable to corn-hog contracts.

"Such a statement in duplicate should be signed by the producer the community committee, the county committee and the county agent," the letter states. "This statement should give all pertinent facts and request the secretary of agriculture to authorize this exemption to the regulations covering the contracted farms. One copy is to be attached to the Washington copy of the contract before it is sent out."

On Texas Farms By W. H. DARROW, Extension Service Editor

A total of 1019 wheat benefit checks, amounting to 97 per cent of all such checks due on the first payment, have been received by Carson county farmers. The checks received total \$257,718.46.

Six steam pressure canners owned by Stephens county were used by 28 families in January for canning meat. A total of 450 beehives have been canned on farms this year, the home demonstration agent says.

The government reduction program is resulting in more legumes in Hays county. Of six new pasture demonstrations started by the county agent in January, five are in alfalfa.

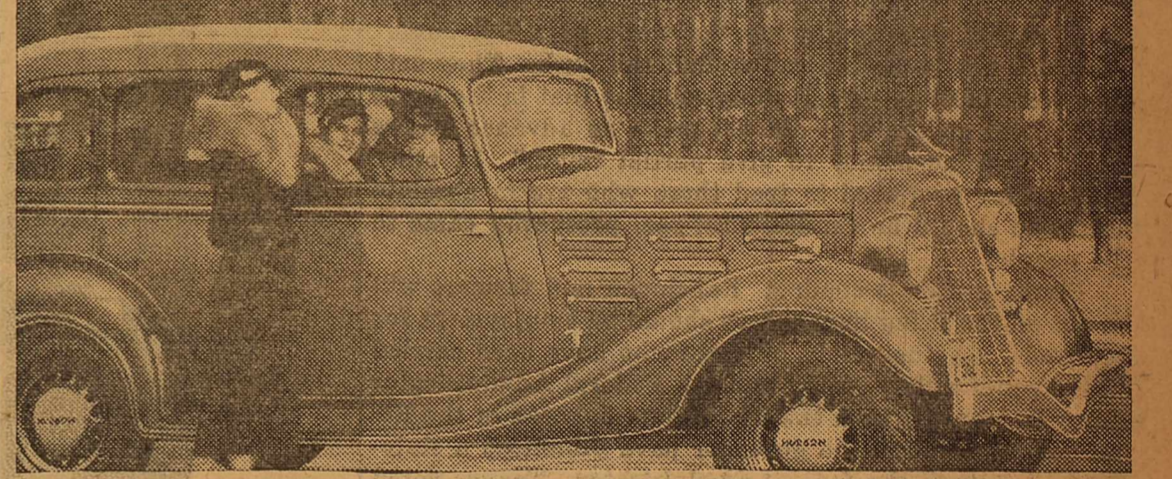
To use hand retired from cotton to good advantage, 2000 berry vines have been supplied 50 homes demonstration club women in 16 Matagorda county communities. These women are to demonstrate how a fruit supply may be produced at home.

Poultry flocks in good houses paid two Bastrop county poultry flock demonstrators \$33.00 more in November than three flocks not well housed, county agent records show.

Clothing accounts are being kept by 200 Navarro county 4-H club girls this year.

W. P. Allen, prominent Terrell banker, says the cotton program of the government is the greatest thing to help farmers' prices since he has been in banking. "More cents paid, more money in the bank, more taxes paid—I'm 100 per cent for the program," he declares.

GANGWAY... for the champions of the lowest price fields



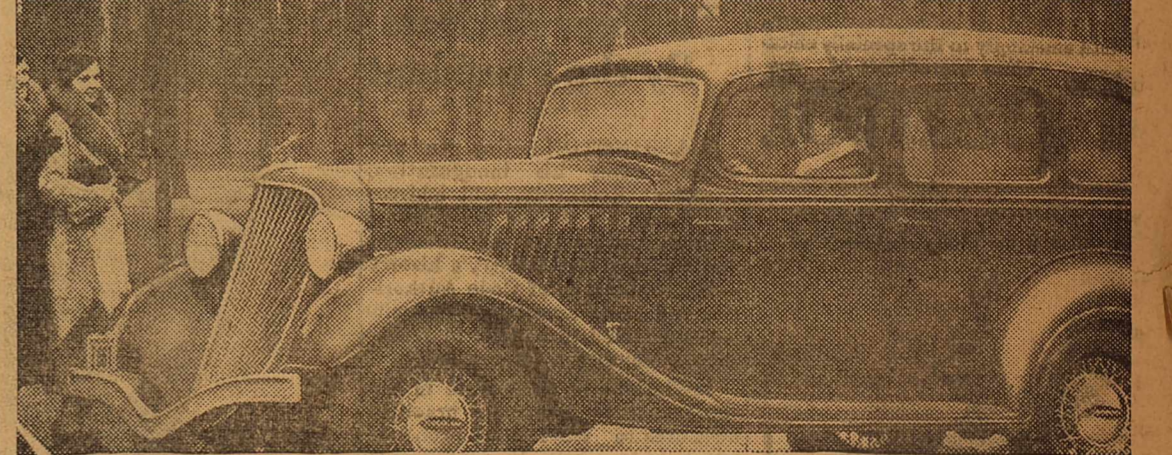
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TEXAS AND ITS PRO LAWS

Texas has constitutional prohibition. Texas has the Dean enforcement act. This newspaper has stated time and again that liquor will not be returned to Texas until prohibition has been taken out of the constitution...

UNCLE SAM'S CREDIT REMAINS AT A HIGH PEAK

Uncle Sam has the confidence of his subjects. His government is battling to ride the breakers in safety and come in to snug harbor under the piloting of a courageous and skilful skipper.

TEXAS RELIEF FUNDS SAID TO BE DWINDLING

Adam Johnson is the successor of Lawrence Westbrook as the head of the Texas relief commission. The relief commission has requested Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson to make application to the federal government for an advance of unemployment relief funds...

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hearings, are now awaiting formal approval.

A total of 278 codes covering approximately 90 per cent of all industry and trade have been approved to date and another 353, most of them for relatively small industries, on which public hearings have been held, are in course of preparation for final approval.

In his call for the conference, the opening sessions of which are to be held in Constitution Hall, General Johnson outlined the major possibilities of increasing employment; protection against destructive competition and against excessive prices and monopolistic tendencies...

In his invitation to the conference, General Johnson not only requested the submission before February 20 of "such questions, or suggestions, which, in your judgment, may improve the policy or procedure of the National Recovery Administration" but he also urged participants to come prepared to discuss details of the effect of the Codes on their particular industries.

Accurate information is desired, the General pointed out, concerning the effects of codes on operations, including employment, in each industry; on general price trends of products in each industry; and on unethical trade practices, as well as the effects of code provisions, if any, restricting production through limitation of machine hours or plant facilities...

In addition, the invitation solicits suggestions to be presented during the conference for the modification, elimination or addition of specific code provisions; proposals for the elimination of overlapping of codes and for the financing of industry code administration.

Following the opening session on March 5 to be addressed by the President and General Johnson, the general conference will be divided into several public group meetings to be followed by group conferences of Code Authorities and Code Committees with the Administration and final general conference of selected delegates of each Code Authority and Committee with the Administrator.

As now tentatively outlined the group conferences will discuss the following subjects:

Group 1. Possibilities of increasing employment; wages and hours; comparative situation of capital goods and consumer goods industries.

Group 2. Trade practices; Costs and prices; protections against destructive competition; and against excessive prices and monopolistic tendencies.

Group 3. Trade Practices: Control of production, limitation of machine hours; restriction of expansion of facilities, ethical practices regulating competitive relationships.

Group 4. Code Authority Organizations; Code administration, including compliance and enforcement; inequalities, inconsistencies and over-lapping in codes; inter-industry and inter-code co-ordination; the financing of code administration; use and control of the Code Eagle.

Group 5. Operation of codes in small enterprises; position of minorities.

Funeral for H. H. Massey, 21, Was Held Sat. 3:30 P.M.

Funeral services were held for Horace Hershel Massey, 21, former resident of Eastland, at the Methodist church 3:30 p. m., with Rev. R. R. Stanford officiating. Interment was in Eastland cemetery. Massey died at 6:10 o'clock Friday morning six hours after he had been burned in an explosion two miles northeast of Archer City.

Massey was born in Electra Oct. 1, 1913, and at a later date moved to Eastland with his parents where he lived approximately 15 years. He attended grade school and high school in Eastland and was a member of the high school football team in 1929.

Surviving the decedent are: his mother, Mrs. Margaret Massey, Archer City; a brother, E. S. Massey, Archer City; three sisters, Mrs. R. W. Reynolds of Wichita Falls, Mrs. E. L. Lindsey of Healdton, Okla., and Mrs. A. J. Wisdom of Warsaw, Mo.

LEAGUE AIDED ANIMALS BOSTON.—No less than 106,208 patients, ranging from pigs to goldfish and from alligators to honey bears, were treated by the Animal Rescue League of Massachusetts during 1933. There were 76,723 cats and 21,409 dogs.

Sunday School Lesson

THE TWELVE SENT FORTH Text: Matt. 9:35-11:1 The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Feb. 25

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D. Editor of The Congregationalist

From those who heard the word of Jesus as he went about teaching and preaching in the cities and villages and who responded to his teaching, Jesus drew 12 into an inner circle of discipleship.

But throughout his brief ministry, until his death and resurrection, it is with the experiences of these 12 that we are concerned chiefly. We have no detailed picture of the means by which Jesus taught and trained them, but we have repeated indications that the human material was not molded altogether easily, and that even the greatest of teachers was not able always to make the truth clear and effective in the mind and heart of his pupils.

Concerning some of the 12 apostles we have very little knowledge, but others, particularly Peter, John, James, Thomas and Judas, stand forth in the New Testament narrative in a distinctive way.

Men who were self-satisfied and conventionally minded would have been repelled rather than won by a teacher who uttered such new and strange truth. But the times were rife with the hope of an earthly kingdom, and there is much in the New Testament record to indicate that these men followed Jesus because they believed they were going to share in a great kingdom that he would establish on earth.

Even after they had witnessed the example of Jesus and listened to his teachings of unselfishness and love, they still were capable of quarreling about positions of preferment and who should be the greatest in the kingdom.

They were not moved with compassion for the multitude as their master was moved.

It is instructive that Jesus sent them forth to the work of preaching and ministering in his name even before they were instructed fully or in any sense perfect.

The ministers of grace often are imperfect in some respect, and it is no judgment upon those who minister in the name of Christ that faults are found in them, though there is nothing in the Gospel that they preach to palliate or condone these faults.

slowly to discover and conquer their unworthy acts and tempers.

The great thing about these 12 disciples is that their hearts were centered on right and that they had the courage and bearing of their convictions. Jesus chose them in spite of their faults because they had in them the very root of matter.

The Gospel that they had to preach to the people was the same gospel that they could preach to their own hearts—a gospel of repentance and of preparation for the kingdom of God, though they did not realize at the time, as they were later to learn, that this kingdom was spiritual rather than material and temporal.

How patiently and effectually Jesus dealt with these disciples; how well he understood them and saved them from their own deepest faults, turning their very weaknesses and temptations to triumph; for the faults of these men were the faults of those who were intense in their convictions and allegiances.

Men needed courage for the work to which they were going, and Jesus inspired them with his own faith and fearlessness.

Men never went forth to a greater task, nor have men ever achieved as much from small beginnings as has come from the work of the 12 whom Jesus sent forth.

Mother of W. R. Palm Is Dead

Mrs. Rufus A. Palm, mother of W. P. Palm, principal of Eastland high school, died at 6 a. m. Tuesday after an illness of several weeks at her home in Wichita Falls.

Mr. Palm left early Tuesday for Wichita Falls when word was received of her death.

Survivors are: her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Carter, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Sam Dyes, Rowena; two sons, W. P., Eastland; and Eugene Palm, Lordsburg, N. M. Funeral and burial services were at Iowa Park.

MAYOR DECLINES RAISE CLEBURNE.—With the matter resting entirely in his own hands, Mayor J. S. Hoffman has turned down an increase in his salary from \$135 to \$150 a month. In vetoing a council ordinance to that effect, the mayor even suggested that a new ordinance be passed reducing his salary to \$125.

A New Yorker who bathed in the ocean daily, through winter and summer, died at the age of 78. The cold got him, at last.

Funeral Held for Accident Victim

Funeral services were conducted in Ranger Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock from the home of J. A. Sloan, for Kenneth Callahan, 58, old well driller, who was killed early Friday morning at Strawn when he was struck by a Texas & Pacific passenger train.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church of Ranger. Interment was in the Evergreen cemetery following the services at the house.

The decedent was born in Parkersburg, W. Va., in 1875, and had been a resident of Texas for a number of years, having lived at Strawn for several years before moving to Ranger. At the time of the accident which caused his death he was working as a driller in Strawn.

He is survived by his widow, his mother, three sisters, two brothers and three step-children.

Masolini is planning to order reduction of interest rates on mortgages. In this country, no order was needed to cut out mortgage interest altogether and cut down on the payments, too.

Newspaper Code Is Signed By The President

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Recovery Administrator Hugh Johnson today announced the newspaper code, signed over the weekend, included provisions for a 40-hour week for reporters on metropolitan dailies.

Employment of newsboys under 16 is regulated by the child labor section of the code. Delivery boys may be employed under conditions not dangerous to health or interfering with school hours.

To provide additional work for unemployed news writers, an order specified that newspapers of circulation of 75,000 or more must establish a five-day, 40-hour week for reporters or writers.

Johnson said the newspaper code offered by the American Newspaper Publishers association would permit publishers of small newspapers and other non-members of the association to come under its provisions.

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Code Authorities To Hear Address By the President

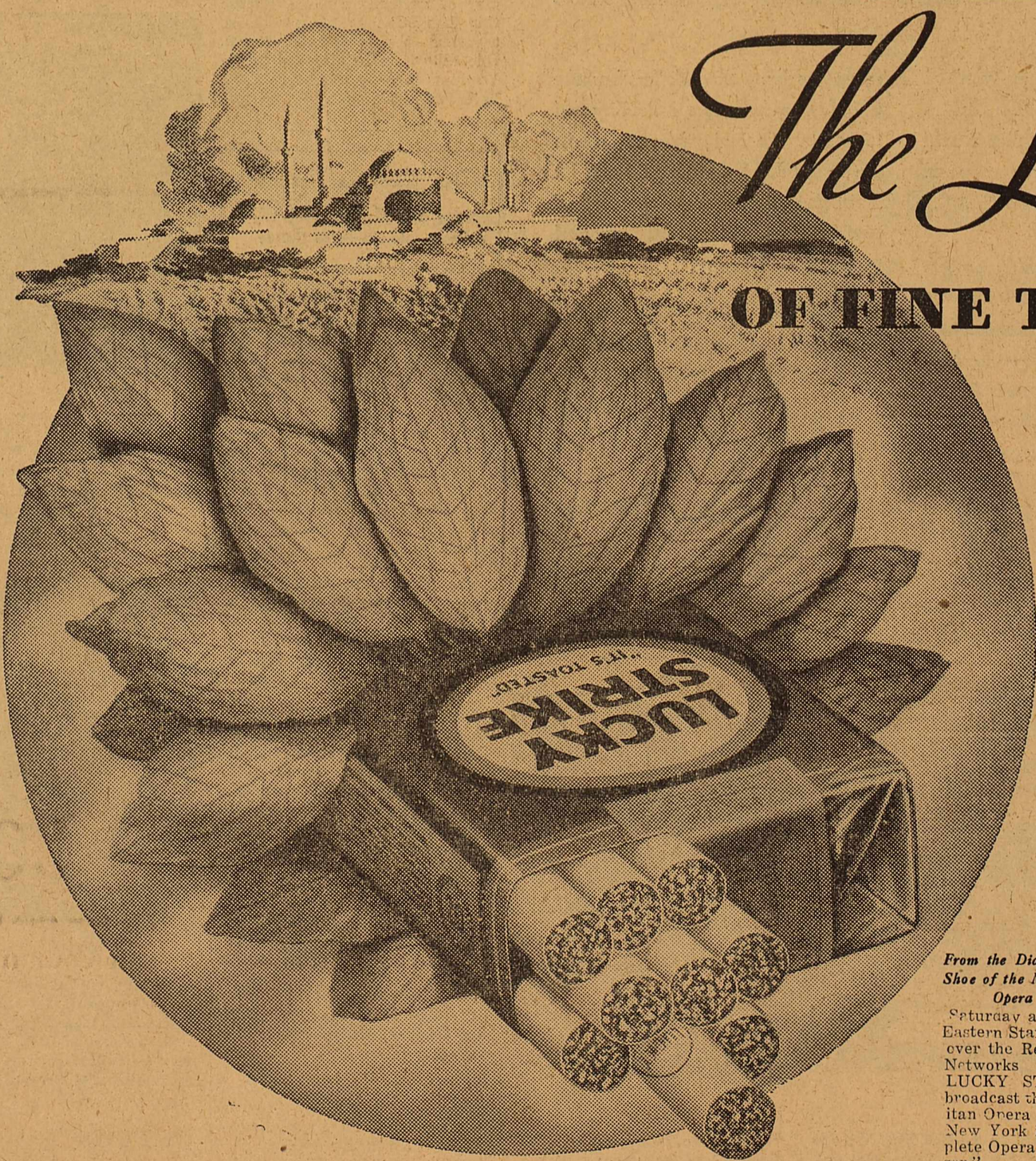
WASHINGTON.—One year and one day after his inauguration, President Roosevelt will address what probably will be the greatest gathering of leaders of industry and trade in the country's history—the conference of Code Authorities and trade association committees scheduled to be held in Washington March 5 to March 8.

Invitations to participate in the conference to determine practical measures to meet the problems which have arisen in actual code operation, were today forwarded by National Recovery Administrator Hugh S. Johnson to nearly 7,000 members of the authorities created under approved codes and also to the trade association code committees representing those industries whose proposed codes, having been considered in public

FEMININE WEAKNESS

Little Rock, Ark.—"I have taken Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for feminine weakness and nervousness and it surely is wonderful medicine," said Mrs. Ollie Neveling of 1200 E. 9th St. "I could not rest at night until I began taking this medicine and it did me so much good I wouldn't be without it."

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Disbursements for Month of January Allowed By Co. Commissioners at Recent Meeting of Court at Eastland

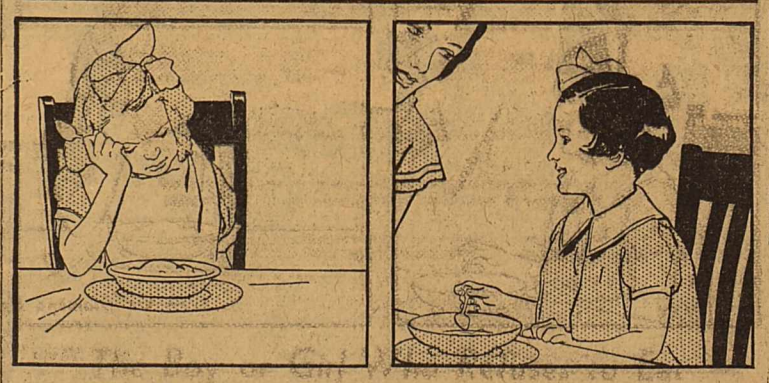
The following items were paid by Eastland county during the month of January. Salaries of officers and others who are paid stated amounts are not included:

Table listing disbursements for January, including items like J. G. Reagan, state sanitary project, Paul Huestis, road work, J. W. Morgan, supplies, etc., with corresponding amounts.

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UNUSUAL MONASTERY and enormous windows which allow the sun to reach every corner from any angle. It is inhabited by five members of the Dominican order, who edit three periodicals.

Whose Fault?



The Boy or Girl Who Refuses to Eat. "What have I ever done to deserve a child who refuses to eat, and is just skin and bones?"

THURBER

By URAINE IRVING Mrs. Lucille England and little Bobbie Jean visited Mrs. O. H. Burkett Monday.

The Thurber basket ball girls played Strawn girls at Strawn Thursday night. Thurber 16, Strawn 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gerhard of Fort Worth spent the week-end here visiting.

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\$150,000 Spring Race Meet Purse Arlington Downs

FORT WORTH, Tex.—One hundred and fifty thousand dollars, featuring eight stake events, and headlining the \$10,000.00 Texas Derby, will be given the victor's circle during the forthcoming Spring meeting of the Texas Jockey Club at Arlington Downs.

This announcement by the Texas Jockey Club has been eagerly awaited by horsemen all over the nation, for it had been freely predicted that, following the tremendous success of its inaugural meeting last fall, when all attendance and betting records were shattered.

The Texas Derby for \$10,000.00 added, for the most important and richest stake event in the Southwest, will be run off on Saturday afternoon, April 21, the final day of the 21 days of racing.

Cotton Code Will Be Discussed At Meeting March 16

DALLAS, Tex.—Domestic and foreign conditions in cotton trading and the cotton code will be discussed when members of the 23rd annual convention of the Texas Cotton Association meet here March 16 and 17.

Approximately 600 cotton merchants, brokers and shippers throughout the state are expected to attend, R. L. Dixon, chairman of the Dallas arrangement committee said.

The Governor's Handicap, one mile and a sixteenth, for \$2,500.00 added, will be decided on Saturday, April 14. This event is for three year olds and upwards.

The Arlington Handicap, another six furlong race, carrying \$1,000.00 added, for three year olds and upward, will be run off on Wednesday, April 18.

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GUM HARVEST OFF DUBLIN, N. H.—There's a big slump in gum chewing—locally, at least. Either that, or chewers are keeping their chicle longer.

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CENTRAL TEXAS OIL FIELD NEWS

Eastland County

Hoffman & Page of Eastland recently completed the construction of a power and re-pressure station on the Oscar Lyerla farm in the Flatwoods field from which they are re-pressuring and pumping a number of their producing wells.

Wiley Harbin, et al, drilling on the John Clarke tract in the Flatwoods field were down Saturday to a depth of approximately 759 feet.

Hoffman & Page was down 1,000 feet Saturday on the well they are drilling on the Jess Harbin farm in the Flatwoods field.

Charlie Porter has moved in on the Hightower farm, but Saturday had not started operation. This test is also in the Flatwoods territory.

LEGAL RECORDS

Instruments

Abstract of Judgement: First National Bank, O'Donnell v. L. Smith and others, \$726.46 and interest.

Warranty Deed: H. A. Cole to Henry Ccke, 1-2 interest in part of lots 11-12 block 21, Ranger, \$1000.

Material Man's Lien: Oil Well Supply Co. vs. J. T. Harper, 80 acres section 15 block 2, H&TC Ry. land, \$72.52.

Warranty Deed: Longhart Supply Co. to Hazzard Wire Rope Co., 7-1/2 acres section 13, block 1, H&TC Ry. survey, \$10.00 and other consideration.

Release from Drilling: E. A. Whiteside to Humble Oil and Refining Co., \$1500.00.

Assignment: Standilind Oil and Gas Co. to Pittsburg Pipe and Supply Co., Schedule "A" \$10.00 and other consideration.

Assignment: Mrs. W. E. Ramsey to Pittsburg Pipe and Supply Co., Schedule "A" \$10.00 and other consideration.

Assignment: G. S. Bays to Pittsburg Pipe and Supply Co., Schedule "A" \$10.00 and other consideration.

Assignment: Whaley Co., Inc. to Pittsburg Pipe and Supply Co., 50 acres Sarah Bibbs Survey, \$10.00 and other consideration.

Assignment: Mrs. W. E. Ramsey to Pittsburg Pipe and Supply Co., 6.2 acres Eastland and Erath County, \$10.00 and other consideration.

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Suits Filed in County Court
N. E. Springer vs. New Amsterdam Casualty Co., insurance policy.

Marriage Licenses Issued
Felix P. Miller and Vivian Riggs, Brownwood.

Felix Ryan and Carrie Blankenship, Nicot, Okla.

Virgil Brown and Novella Phillips, Ranger.

B. F. Alsobrook and Mary Johnson.

Howard Harris and Marvoren Grey, Brownwood.

Instruments Recorded
Release of Lien—Farwell Motor Co. to E. L. Donelson, west 65 feet lots 9, 10 and 11, block 1, Carhart, \$154.25.

Warranty Deed—F. R. Bode to J. B. Eberhart, 1-3 interest in 120 acres James Jett survey; \$400.

Warranty Deed—J. W. Speer to J. B. Eberhart, 1-3 interest in 120 acres James Jett survey; \$400.

Right of Way—C. H. Genoway to Empire Southern Gas Co., across blocks 7 and 8, Genoway addition, Desdemona; \$13.

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"I suffered from constipation that made me feel worn and tired," writes Mrs. George W. Tackett, of Ashland, Ky. "It seemed that my head was never easy. I took different things, but would be feeling bad as ever. I saw Black-Draught advertised, and by taking a sample I was so much relieved that I sent for a package. Now it has helped me so much that I do not suffer as I did. I would not be without Black-Draught for anything."

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Loan Association Ready To Assist In Farm Credits

The 1934 crop season will mean the beginning of a better system of credit for many farmers who are preparing to finance the year's farming by means of short-term loans through the production credit associations which are being organized under the Farm Credit Administration throughout this State.

Under the Farm Credit Administration the Federal Land Bank of Houston will continue to make long-term real estate mortgage loans; but the administration is also providing a long-needed system of short-term production credit for farmers and stockmen—loans to be used for producing crops and for the breeding, raising and fattening of livestock. This is a comprehensive credit system and it is designed to be permanent.

Farmers and stockmen in this locality will be served by the Breckenridge Production Credit Association, which was chartered on January 6, 1934 to serve producers in Eastland, Jack, Palo Pinto, Shackelford, Stephens, Throckmorton and Young counties.

The Breckenridge Production Credit association was organized through the cooperation of representative farmers of the county included, with the assistance of the Production Credit Corporation of Houston. There is one of those corporations in each of the 12 land bank districts in the country. The local association will obtain loanable funds from the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, which will discount well-secured notes of farmers and stockmen. All of these institutions are a part of the Farm Credit Administration.

A production credit association does not lend Government money. The funds that will be loaned are obtained by the Intermediate Credit Bank which sell short-term bonds, or debentures, to the investing public. In other words, the money is being borrowed to be loaned to eligible farmers to enable them to produce a season's crops. The association is not a charity institution; but a business credit institution for business-minded farmer. The purpose is to make loans that farmers can afford to use for a season's operations, and which will be repaid at the end of the season. It is a pay-as-you-go plan for agriculture.

Most of the loans will run from 3 to 12 months, depending on the length of time required for growing and marketing the crop or livestock which the loan is made to produce. Loans for crop production will usually mature in less than a year, although loans such as those on dairy and breeding cattle may run longer.

Applications for these short-term loans are handled in this territory by R. A. Choat, Breckenridge, Texas.

Applications will be acted upon quickly when they give a clear financial statement of the applicant's farming condition, listing all assets and liabilities, and estimating net worth. The applicant should name specifically all of his farming assets offered as security for a loan, and give a plan, or budget, showing how he is going to use the loan applied for and how he is going to repay it.

Primary security for production loans consists of livestock, farming equipment, growing crops, or other personal property most appropriate to secure the loan adequately and make up a chattel mortgage. It is not intended that loans shall be secured primarily by mortgages on real estate. Where this type of security is taken it will be regarded only as additional collateral.

The minimum loan is \$50 and no loan may exceed 20 per cent of the authorized capital of the association unless the loan is adequately secured by collateral and approved by the Corporation. The amount of the loan should correspond with the actual need for credit. Perhaps more farmers and stockmen have become heavily involved in debt because of too much credit than because of the lack of it. Loans from production credit associations will only be made as needed; and proper precautions will be taken to prevent over-extension of credit so that farmers and stockmen will not have to pay unnecessary indebtedness with resulting interest.

After a farmer's or stockman's application is received his financial statement is checked and the property offered as security for the loan personally inspected by a loan inspector of the association. Regulations about inspection charges and collection may be changed as required by the Production Credit Corporation. Usually no charge will be made for inspection if the loan is not granted.

If the report of the inspector is satisfactory and the loan is approved by the loan committee of the association, the farmer's or stockman's note is endorsed in the name of the association, and sent, along with his credit statement and chattel mortgage, to the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston. If the bank approves the credit statement and the security, it makes funds available to the association, and the association sends a check to the borrower immediately.

Each association is capitalized according to the credit needs of

the territory it will serve. Most of the capital stock is purchased by the Production Credit Corporation of Houston and this enables the association to begin making loans immediately. Funds derived from the sale of stock to the corporation are used by the local association to purchase high grade collateral, chiefly Government bonds, which are placed with the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston to establish a line of credit, that is, to get the bank to discount the notes of farmers and stockmen which the association has endorsed. Ordinarily the bank will discount well-secured farmers or stockmen's notes up to five times an association's capital. In this way an association may get all the credit it needs.

The authorized capital stock of the Breckenridge Production Credit Association is \$50,000.00. Actually the Production Credit Corporation of Houston owns about three-fourths of the capital stock of an association. The farmers and stockmen who borrow from it own most of the remaining portion, each borrower being required to own 5 per cent of the amount of his loan in voting stock in the association.

A farmer or stockman who gets a loan from the association does not have to advance any money to pay for his stock, as the purchase price may be included in the loan, one \$5 share being purchased as each \$100 or fraction thereof of the loan money is advanced. The stock carries no double liability. Thus a borrower's liability in any possible impairment of capital of the association extends only to his own stock holding, amounting to \$5 for every \$100 or fraction thereof borrowed.

A farmer or stockman does not have to purchase new stock each time he borrows unless the stock he owns has become impaired in value or he wishes a larger loan. A borrower not indebted to the association may sell his stock to another eligible farmer or stockman, or may exchange it at its fair book value for non-voting stock. Such an exchange must be made within two years after the holder ceases to be a borrower.

The stock purchased by the corporation is non-voting, but preferred as to assets in case the organization is liquidated. The voting stock is owned only by the borrowing farmers and stockmen, each having only one vote in the association no matter what the amount of money borrowed or stock owned.

Officers and a local loan committee of each association are selected by the temporary board of directors which was elected by the charter members when the association was organized. At the first annual meeting of the voting stockholders, that is, the farmer and stockman borrowers, a board of

directors will be elected, confirming or replacing the temporary board. Thus each borrower has an equal chance of voting his opinion as to the management of the association.

The interest rate charged the individual borrower may not exceed by more than 3 per cent the rate at which the association gets money from the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank. The interest spread of 3 per cent between the rate paid by the association and that paid by the borrower goes to the association to meet operating expenses and build up a guaranty fund or surplus, needed by any carefully managed business institution.

Actually, the Farm Credit Administration is establishing at Breckenridge as at other centers of farming and ranching sections, a farmers' and stockmen's short-term credit business. Each borrower has part ownership in the business. His liability for loans of the organization is being entrusted to representative farmers and stockmen chosen by the member borrowers. This is the only method ever devised which permits farmers and stockmen with the aid of the Federal Government to ultimately own and operate their own production credit business.

Heart Disease Is Number One Public Enemy Doctor Says

AUSTIN, Tex.—Public Enemy Number One is Heart Disease, ac-

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According to Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer, this disease kills over 7200 people each year in Texas and the worst part of this is that the number is increasing each year.

While it must be admitted that the deaths attributed to heart ailments are increasing, the fact remains that when a person complains of his heart, organic disease infrequently exists. Organic heart disease causes shortness of breath, swelling of hands and feet and a cough. Usually these signs do not convey to the patient's mind even the suggestion that he has heart disease.

So-called functional heart disease is usually traced to these sources, namely, nervousness, infections from another part of the body such as teeth or tonsils, to a disturbed function of the thyroid gland, influenza and so on; and to the effects of excessive use of tobacco, coffee or tea.

In cases where there is a disturbed heart action due to focal infection the source of which is lo-

cated, the infective cause when possible is removed, as in the case of diseased tonsils and teeth. The heart, possessing remarkable recuperative ability, once the poisoning agent is definitely eliminated, in time becomes normal once again.

Good professional advice and a strict heeding of it are the only things to worry about either in functional or organic heart disease. It is a well established fact that the great number of those who know they have a heart condition usually die from some other cause.

Melvin Traylor Left \$1,000,000 Insurance

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Insurance policies estimated to aggregate \$1,000,000 will be paid to the family of Melvin A. Traylor, president of the First National bank, it was learned today.

The policies which named his family as beneficiaries, were said to have made Traylor known as

one of the largest insurance holders in Chicago. They made up the bulk of his estate.

POUCHES SAVED DRIVER

CHARLTON, Mass.—When a mail truck broke down near here in 24-below-zero weather, James Lally, the driver, saved his life by burying himself under a pile of mail pouches until he was rescued.

Americans, it is predicted, will drink 440,000,000 gallons of beer this year. That's encouraging for the pretzel business.

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Peanut Butter Cookie Recipe

The following recipe is recommended by Mrs. E. E. Todd, Bass Lake Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. Todd used this recipe in a cookie demonstration given at the Civic League meeting Wednesday, February 14th.

1-2 cup butter (or other shortening) 1-2 cup peanut butter; 1-2 cup brown sugar; 1-2 cup granulated sugar; 1 egg; 1 1-4 cups flour; 3-4 teaspoon soda; 1-3 teaspoon salt; 1-2 teaspoon baking powder.

Cream butter (or shortening), peanut butter, then add sugar gradually, then the well beaten egg. Sift dry ingredients together and mix with other ingredients. Shape into balls about 1-2 inch in diameter or larger. Press slightly with fork and bake 10 to 12 minutes in moderate oven.

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Check Common Constipation with a Delicious Cereal. Food has a lot to do with how you feel and how you look. For instance, you need plenty of "bulk" with your meals to avoid the risk of common constipation.

Famous Woman Pioneer Is Dead

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — When Mrs. W. O. Graham, 80, died here recently, the career of one of the Southwest's most venturesome pioneers came to an end. Mrs. Graham was one of the last survivors of that group of Kansas school teachers who taught in the old sod houses that used to dot the Kansas prairies.

Later she established a millinery business in Kansas City, which she operated until about 10 years ago. Since then she and her husband have been living in Kansas City and in Florida.

Legal Records

Marriage License E. H. Salter and Frances Keith, Nimrod. Elvie L. Wilson and Johnnie Brightwell, Gorman. Joe Belyou and Jessie Flint, Gorman. Willie Gunther and Pearl Harris, Eastland.

French Behind United States In Air Plans

By THOMAS COPE United Press Staff Correspondent PARIS.—While the French government has spent more than 45, 170,000 francs in the past five years on the construction of some 37 prototype aircraft, the country lags behind the United States in plane speed.

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RANGER IN 1919
The year 1919 was a hectic one in the history of Ranger, Building had begun with a boom and oil wells in the vicinity were coming in almost daily. Developments of real estate tracts and other promotion schemes blossomed throughout the county.

In June Postmaster O. R. Cooper announced that he would resign unless better post office facilities were provided and immediately work was begun to secure new quarters for the post office. Free city delivery was added and 15 letter boxes were installed on the streets.

By June work was progressing on the main sewer line to town and two gasoline engines were installed to pump water from Hagaman lake to the city. On June 10 contracts were let for building three new schools, one at Tiffin, one in Young addition and one in Copper addition, at a cost of \$125,000 and announcement was made that work would begin soon on a high school building.

Real estate developments sprang up all over the town. A franchise for a street railway system was granted on July 6 and Hillcrest was advertised as a leading residential section, with street cars connecting it with the main section of town by way of Spring road. A \$250,000 matatorium and roof garden was planned for the corner of Rusk and Elm streets on the vacant lot next to what is now the post office. \$225,000 was raised for the Hamon & Kell railroad and the town of JakeHamon was established and real estate sold for building lots. Lecray was advertised as another coming railroad town, as was Frankel and many "business lots" were sold.

In September \$4,500,000 was voted in road bonds, the vote in the county being 1,726 for road bonds and 272 against, while the vote in Ranger was 178 to 38. Right-of-way for the Hamon & Kell railroad was secured and \$500,000 bonds for street paving in Ranger were voted. The Southern Ice & Utilities company put in a plant, the Texas & Pacific built a new depot and a company was organized in the east to build a 15-story building on the corner of Main and Marston streets, and two room houses in Lackland addition were being sold by Col. Rufus Lackland as ideal cottages "with southern exposure" for \$2,500 each.

But all was not oil wells and building. In June one of the citizens was hijacked and robbed of \$1,600. On June 13 the "Oil Field Special" wrecked in the Ranger railway yards, killing three and seriously injuring 29, with many slightly injured. Bryon B. Parrish was elected Chief of Police and promised to run the "pistol toter's" out of town and to clean up the cabarets and gambling houses.

On Sept. 30 an oil field looting gang was broken up when two were arrested and confessed to stealing more than \$20,000 worth of supplies. On Oct. 20 a gun battle on Pine street west of Marston resulted in the death of Curtis Shiner and the serious wounding of Carl Galagher. Three men were arrested. On Nov. 13 a special officer was shot by a robber and slightly wounded. Four days later Al Jordan, who had been on the police force only four days, was shot and killed on the corner of Rusk and Pine. Bill Shamlin, who with his wife, had previously been arrested on a charge of forcing a man, at the point of a gun, to sign a check for \$20,000 in his favor was arrested for this crime. On Nov. 23 Jack Richards, while walking along the street near Hunt and Pine, was shot from ambush and two men were arrested in the shooting. Richards recovered.

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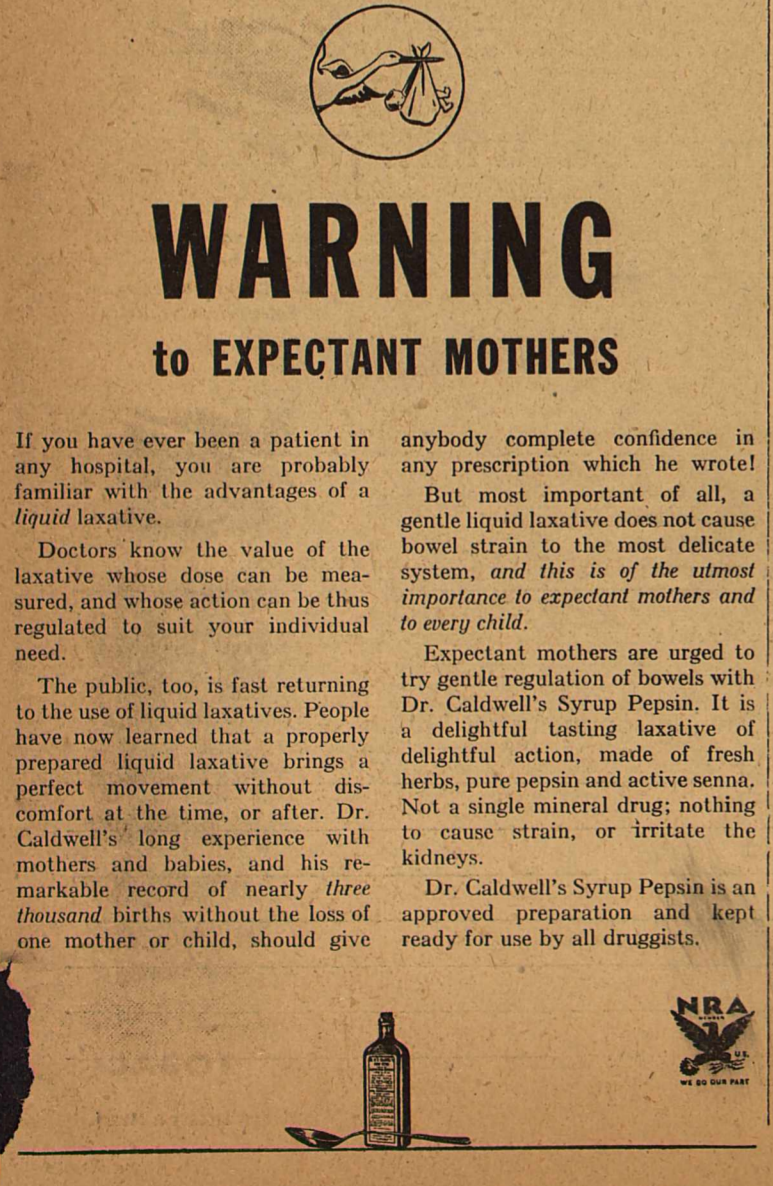
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Three Sensational Murder Cases Will Be Tried

EDINBURG, Texas.—Three of Hidalgo county's most sensational murder cases will be called for trial in widely separated district courts of South Texas during March and April, according to District Attorney Sid Hardin.

Hardin returned this week from San Marcos, where he conferred with County Attorney Fred Blundell of Hays county concerning prosecution of Mace Cuellar and Julian Ybarra, confessed slayer and confessed accomplice, respectively, of Claude E. Kelley of Westaco in March, 1929. Kelly, a son-in-law of County Judge E. C. Couch of Hidalgo county who was then a candidate for the office he now holds, was wounded fatally when struck on the head with a hatchet in a midnight attack while sleeping at the Couch home in Westaco.

The two Mexicans will go to trial on March 12 before Judge J. C. Jeffreys of San Marcos. Hardin and Blundell will prosecute the defendants, while the law firm of Brubaker & Edwards of San Marcos has been appointed to defend the men by Judge Jeffreys.

Also charged in Kelley's death are Cam E. Hill of El Paso, former Hidalgo county clerk, and George C. Beck, Dallas peddler and former Edinburg resident. Both are now at liberty under bond.

Statements in the hands of state's attorneys, signed by Beck and Ybarra assert Hill hired Beck to secure a man to kill Couch, who was running for office in opposition to Hill's associates. Beck allegedly secured Ybarra, who in turn hired Cuellar, former Westaco street sweeper, to carry out the plan. Kelley, sleeping in Couch's home, was struck with a hatchet when he discovered Cuellar prowling about the house while seeking Couch's room. Cuellar fled without seeking to find Couch.

Charles H. Fortson, former district clerk of Hidalgo county, is scheduled to go to trial in Sinton on March 5 on a charge of murder in connection with the shooting to death of his brother-in-law, Otis Pelt of Edinburg, in November, 1932. The shooting occurred in the ground-floor corridor of the Hidalgo county courthouse during a recess in a civil trial concerning Fortson's administration of the

estate of his father-in-law, Pelt's father.
On April 2, Walter Weaver, prominent Hidalgo county lawyer, is scheduled to go to trial, along with Roy Hough and Sam Bernard, in Beeville on a charge of murder in connection with the shooting of Alejo Quintanilla, Mexican youth who the state claims had been arrested by the men and was being taken to Edinburg to be placed in jail.
Quintanilla's body was found, several days after he disappeared, in a brush-covered pasture south of the county road leading east from Edinburg. His family and friends started a search for him after learning he had not been placed in jail.

Agreement Reached On Opening Bridge

BROWNSVILLE, Tex.—United States and Mexico finally have reached an agreement on hours of keeping the international bridges open.

The solution was reached after officials decided to keep them open all the time.
For 20 years, ever since the United States started closing hours, there have been controversies over the bridges.

American customs officials ordered the Texas end of the bridges closed early, then Mexican authorities retaliated by not opening the Mexican end of the bridges the next morning.

A sudden change of heart occurred on the American side of the river and the bridges were ordered open for full 24-hour periods. Mexico added to the differences by closing them at night.

On recommendation of Harry L. Sexton, American collector of customs, the bridges later were permanently opened on the American side, but not on the Mexican side. Autoists could cross to Mexico up to midnight anytime and could return anytime, but they could not enter Mexico between midnight and 7 a. m.

Complaints were numerous. Finally Mexican officials announced their sides of the bridges would be kept open the full 24-hour period.

TAKES SEA COURSE
CAMBRIDGE, Mass.—Apparently inheriting his father's love of the sea, Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr., son of the president, has enrolled in the naval science course at Harvard college. His father was assistant secretary of the navy under President Wilson.

Highest, Widest Bridge Is Built By Department

WACO.—The widest and highest bridge ever built by the Texas highway department spans the Brazos river near here.

The bridge, nearly half a mile long, was completed and opened for traffic several days ago. Hundreds of autoists and pedestrians awaited on both banks of the river for Division Engineer E. C. Woodward to announce the span ready for use.

A temporary holdup of all traffic will be put into effect over the week-end and early next week, however, to enable workers to complete final improvements on shoulders of the roadway leading to the bridge on either side of the river.

The structure of steel and concrete was built at a cost of \$278,000. It has in it 1,600 barrels of cement, 20,000 tons of gravel and sand and 500 tons of structural steel, more than a million and a half pounds of re-enforced steel, and a total of 10,800 cubic yards of concrete, contractors said.

Pouring of concrete began exactly a year ago at the time the final section of handrail was poured Tuesday, Feb. 13.

All that remains to be done on the bridge is the polishing of the handrail—a process of rubbing the concrete smooth—and painting of the steelwork beneath the actual span.

Contractor's equipment, consisting of 150 tons of cranes, derricks and hammers, is being moved from the construction site, preparatory to the advent of landscape experts for beautification work.

The bridge will be accepted by state highway authorities when Resident Engineer Randle B. Alexander pronounces it completed and Division Engineer Woodward makes final inspection.

The bridge has a 24-foot roadway and a five-foot sidewalk on the west side. The roadway can be made 40 feet wide in the future, engineers said, without increasing the width of the foundation. Piers sunk into the riverbed were constructed large enough especially to take care of this possible future necessity. Exact length of the bridge from pier to pier is 2,432 feet between elevations.

A mid-summer flood on the Brazos last July hampered construction operations somewhat and delayed progress. The waters washed considerable supplies and lumber down the river.

Texas Author Completes Work On Dictionary

DALLAS.—Anderson M. Baten, Dallas author, recently completed one of the hardest jobs ever undertaken by a writer, a complete dictionary of words used by Shakespeare.

The book will have 1,500 pages, 1,500,000 words and 100,000 articles, definitions and references.

To complete the manuscript, now in the hands of Robert F. de Graff, vice president of the Garden City Publishing company of New York, Baten first had to do a huge amount of research reading.

The author estimates he read 55,000,000 words and referred to and quoted 1,000 authors in preparing the dictionary. He read 166 books averaging 300 pages each in addition to several hundred books read only in part.

In his introduction Baten says: "Every man's biography can be

found in this book; Shakespeare found us all out."

According to the author, the book contains all the English and foreign words, phrases and constructions used by Shakespeare, who, with a vocabulary of 15,000 words, was more richly equipped than any other writer.

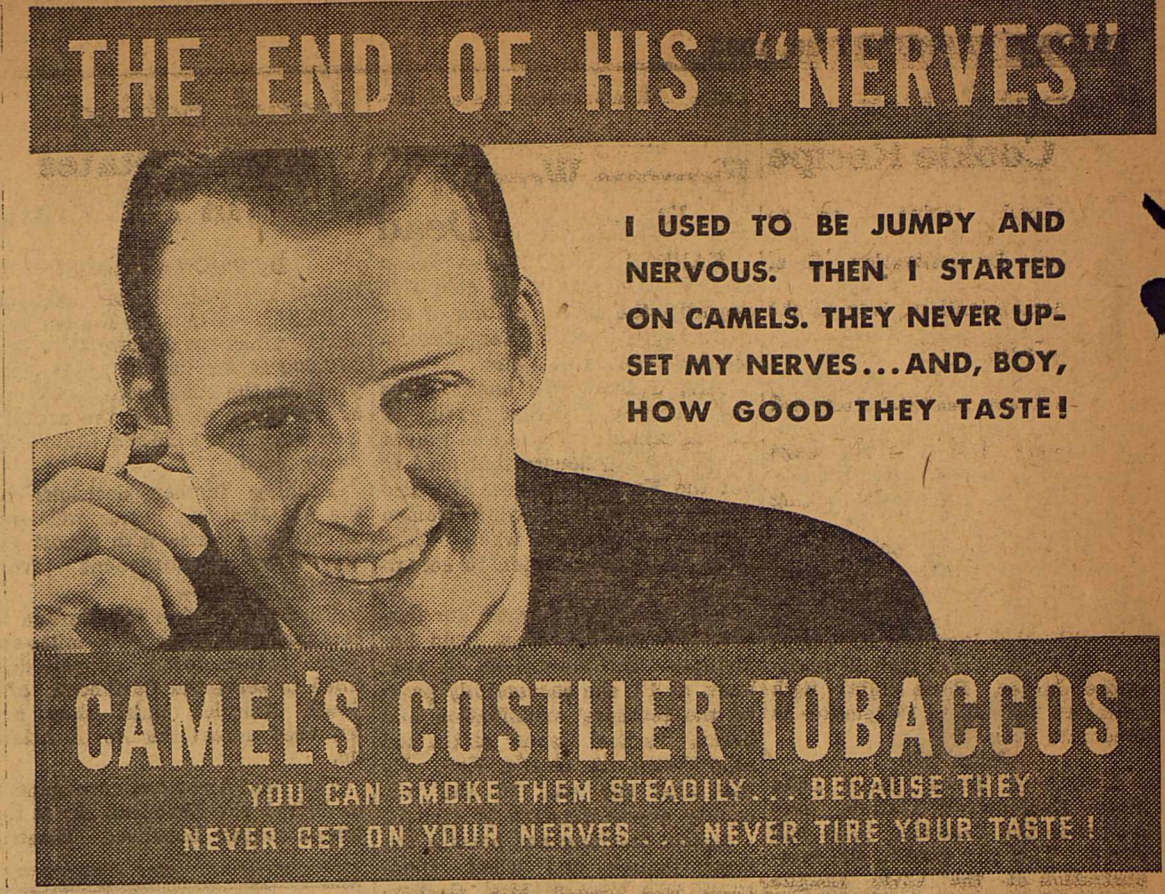
Briefly the dictionary includes slang words, misapplied words, provincial dialects, vulgar expressions, idiomatic phrases, typographical errors, dark passages, obsolete and uncommon words, once-names and nonce-words.

A nonce-word, according to another dictionary, Webster's, is a word "used for the one occasion."

Escaped Negroes Are Recaptured

BRADY, Feb. 20. — Skinner Punchedard and Richard Green, negroes, who escaped from jail here Friday night after they slugged Sheriff Love Kimbrough, were in jail at Brownwood today.

The pair was recaptured near Brownwood late yesterday. Because feeling against the negroes was high here, the sheriff announced he would have them remain in Brownwood for some time before they would be returned here.

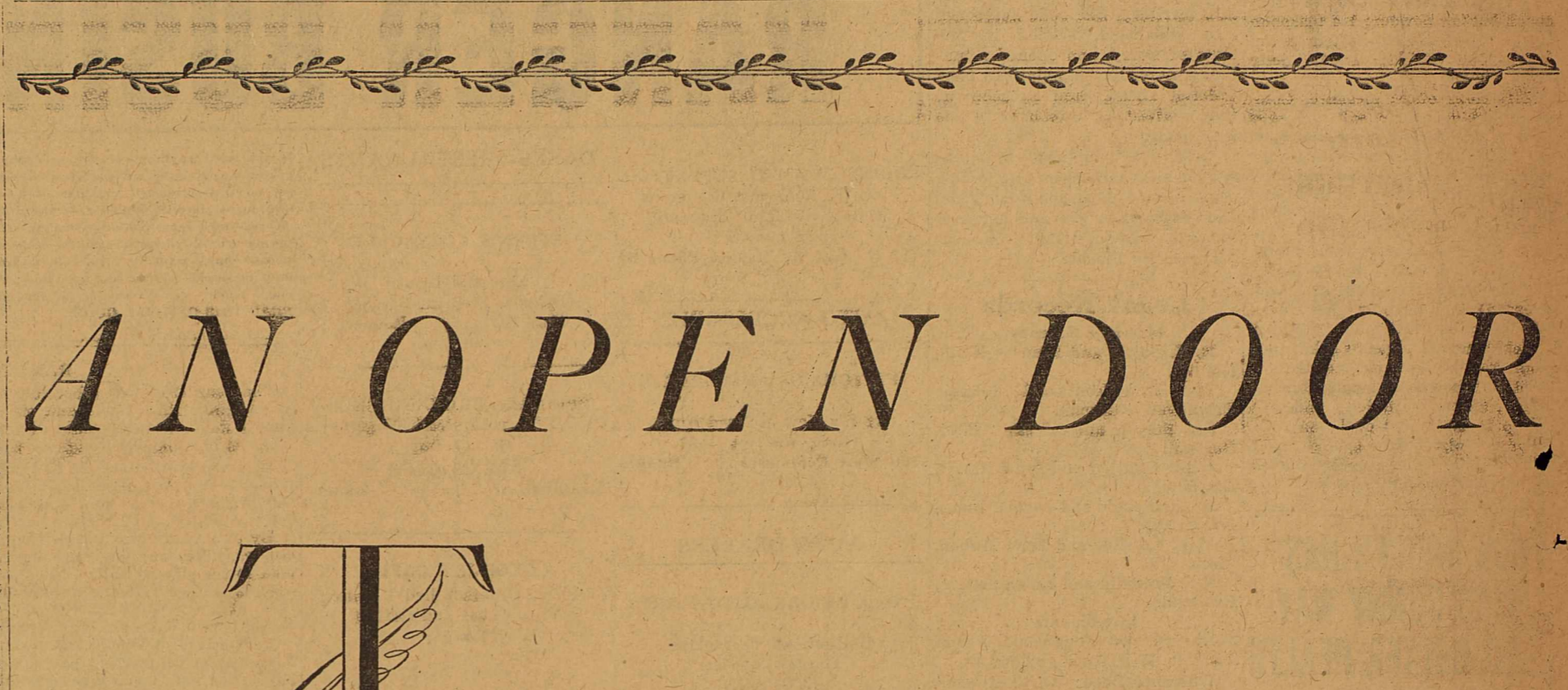


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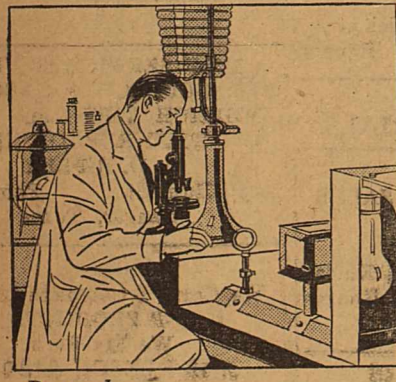
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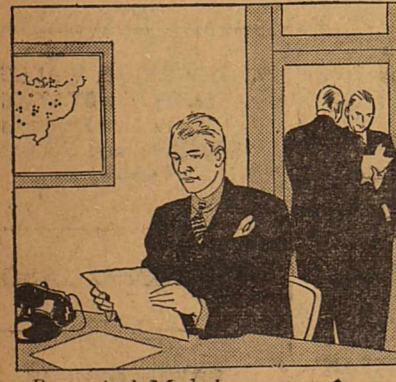
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