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GRAND JURY IS DRAWN FOR 91ST. COURT

Following is the list of grand jurors drawn by the jury commission appointed by Judge Geo. L. Davenport of the 91st district court:

T. J. Anderson, Ranger; Leslie H. Hagaman, Ranger; L. W. Meador, Ranger; L. A. Hightower, Eastland; John H. Nix, Eastland; C. B. Wellman, Eastland; Lois T. Groves, Olden; Elzo Bean, Carbon; A. D. Baker, Desdemona; I. C. Underwood, Gorman; J. F. Walker, Jr., Gorman; Ira Swift, Rising Star; J. F. Robertson, Rising Star; J. T. Anderson, Cisco; J. D. (Dick) Lauderdale, Cisco; W. J. Foxworth, Cisco.

The above grand jurors were drawn for service at the next term of the 91st district court, convening December 2nd. The commission selecting the jurors was composed of B. E. McGlamery, Eastland; Edward Lee, Cisco; F. P. Brashier, Ranger.

Committees Urge Landowners Vote In Soil Election

This paper is just in receipt of a letter from J. B. Eberhart, chairman of the Eastland County Land Use Planning Committee as follows:

To all Eastland County Landowners and Their Wives:

We, the members of the Eastland County Land Use Planning Committee, in session at Eastland on Friday, November 22, voted unanimously to urge every person in Eastland County who is qualified to vote in the soil conservation district election on Saturday, December 14, to vote in the election and we recommend a vote in favor of formation of the district.

The members of this committee unanimously agree that the saving of our soil and its re-building are the greatest needs faced by the farm families of Eastland County. The job of re-building our soil and saving what we have left has been progressing too slowly and we think that the organization of a soil conservation district is essential to progress at this time.

A soil conservation district can combine all efforts to build our soil into one movement in the right direction.

A soil conservation district is a democratic body, totally run by the landowners themselves. It does not compel anyone to do anything unwillingly.

We urge every possible effort by everyone concerned to help put over this progressive movement.

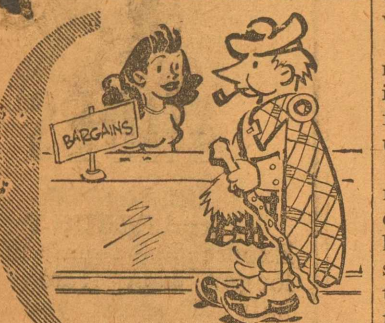
J. B. Eberhart, Chairman, Eastland County Land Use Planning Committee.

U. S. Employment Office Swamped

Men were standing in line before the Texas Un-Employment Compensation office at the courthouse this morning seeking admittance in order to get work cards that they may obtain employment at some point where there is work to be done.

It is necessary that a workman have the proper credentials before he can go to work regardless of how badly he is needed or how badly he needs the work. These credentials for men in Eastland county can be secured only from the District office at Abilene or from a representative from that office who is sent to Eastland one day a week.

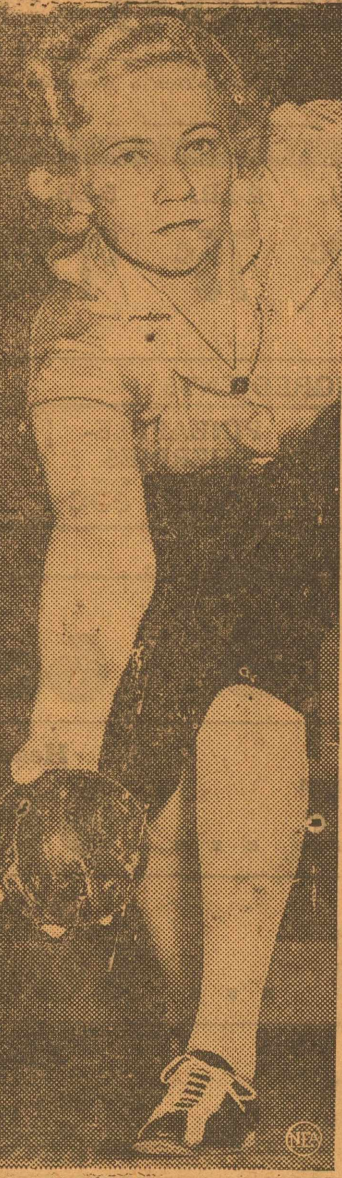
For two years the Texas Un-employment Compensation Commission maintained an office in Eastland, but has discontinued it.



IS FOR CANNY,
A SCOTCH-LIKE WORD,
FOR SNAPPING UP
BARGAINS...
LIKE A REAL EARLY
BIRD

24 SHOPPING DAYS
TILL CHRISTMAS

Duckpin Champ



Ida Simmons has been ranked No. 1 among American women duckpin bowlers for the last six years. In an eight-year career, the Norfolk, Va., star has established more than 60 records of one type or another. She averaged 121.135 pins per game through 431 official games to retain No. 1 ranking last season.

Fascism Is Linked With The Weather By A Professor

CINCINNATI, O.—Increasingly warmer temperatures throughout the world may produce a trend toward dictatorial governments, in the opinion of Dr. Clarence A. Mills, professor of experimental medicine at the University of Cincinnati.

In fact, Dr. Mills believes that the rise to power of Adolf Hitler in Germany and Benito Mussolini in Italy may be due in part to the gradually warming temperatures of the world. People are more docile and easily led in warm weather than in cold, Dr. Mills insists.

Dr. Mills is author of a theory that climate has a marked effect on human growth, stature, sex development and disease resistance. He has written three books on the subject.

During the Dark Ages, when winter grapes grew in England and cereals in Ireland, men were small and sluggish. Warriors wore armor, now hanging in English museums, which would fit an average American boy of 13, Dr. Mills said.

Weather also has a marked effect on growth from year to year, Dr. Mills contends. In the hot summer of 1934, for instance, boys and girls of 13 were lighter in weight and shorter in stature than 13-year-olds of the previous year.

Dr. Mills believes that the present trend toward warmer average temperatures will continue for 800 to 900 years. During this period, boys and girls will mature later, they will be lighter and shorter, and they will have less resistance to infection, Dr. Mills predicts.

His experiments with thiamin, however, have led Dr. Mills to believe that this vitamin may play an important part in the retention of human vitality during the warmer periods on earth.

The theory that men and women mature physically more rapidly in warm climates is termed false by Dr. Mills, who has figures to prove his contention.

Girls born in the colder climate of Cincinnati in 1900 reached womanhood at the age of 18, he showed, while girls born in the same year in North Carolina matured, on the average, at more than 14 years of age.

Brazos Bridge Will Be Re-Surfaced Soon

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 26.—The State Highway Department today appropriated \$10,491 for re-surfacing the Brazos River bridge on U. S. Highway 80-A in Palo Pinto County.

PROGRAM FOR SERVICES HAS BEEN PLANNED

The program for the union Thanksgiving service, to be held at the First Methodist Church of Ranger Wednesday evening, with pastors of Ranger churches participating, has been announced. The public is invited to attend.

Rev. David M. Phillips, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ranger, will preside at the service, and music will be furnished by the choirs of the Ranger churches.

Rev. C. C. Elrod, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will deliver the sermon.

The complete program for the occasion has been outlined as follows:

Invocation, Rev. Pool, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene. Scripture and Proclamation, Rev. Hankla, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Prayer and Thanksgiving offering, Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian Church.

Sermon, Rev. C. C. Elrod, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

Benediction, Rev. Drake, pastor of the Church of God.

Staff H. D. Club Officers Elected

The Staff Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Opal Lowry, with 10 minutes of recreation following the opening of the meeting.

In the election of officers of the club for the year 1941, Mrs. John White was elected president, Mrs. Tom Lowry vice president, Mrs. O. T. Hazard, secretary-treasurer, Miss Sara May Barber council delegate and Mrs. Tom Williams, reporter, Mrs. Opal Lowry sub-reporter, Mrs. R. P. Barber parliamentary and Mrs. Jim Jordan kitchen demonstrator.

Mrs. Allen gave a demonstration on electric sewing machines, which was of interest to all the members.

Visitors were Mrs. Allen of Eastland and Mrs. M. O. Hazard. Members present were Mrs. Tom Williams, Mrs. Pat Smith, Mrs. Jim Jordan, Mrs. O. T. Hazard, Mrs. R. P. Barber, Mrs. Opal Lowry, Mrs. John White, Mrs. Tom Lowry and Miss Sarah May Barber.

Mothers of 4-H Club Members Convene

Thursday, November 21, mothers and friends of the Alameda Girls' 4-H Club met at the home of Mrs. Richard Myrick for an all-day social.

The day was spent in quilting a beautiful friendship quilt, consisting of blocks made by club members and friends, which was presented to Mrs. S. R. Rodgers at the close of the day in appreciation of her outstanding work with the Girls' 4-H Club.

At noon a covered dish luncheon was served to the following: Mrs. J. S. Brown, J. L. Brown, L. E. Melton, Melva Love, John Love, Edd Dean, J. O. Calvert, W. E. Calvert, Mattie Walton, Jim Howard, Oscar Strickler, Luther Perrin, Jim Love, G. O. Smith of Rising Star, S. R. Rodgers, Miss Minnie Walton, and the hostess, Mrs. Richard Myrick.

During the afternoon, 4-H Club members called.

Antelope Roundup Is Not So Easy

FORT DAVIS, Tex.—Texas game officials have the not-so-easy job on their hands of rounding up all antelope loose on the sprawling ranches of far West Texas.

The antelope roundup, being held for the second time in history, is the result of requests by ranchers. Most cattlemen have applied to the state to have the animals removed from their land, although a few have asked that the antelope be placed on their ranches.

Game officials have decided to make plantings of not less than 25 animals to each herd, because inspectors have found that herds of this size settle down and become accustomed to new ranges better than smaller groups.

From Powder to Grease



No! This is not a picture from England. It was taken right here at home in the U. S. A. Pretty Betty Tapley of Plymouth Meeting, Pa. is pictured in the mechanic's overalls she dons every day after school to go to work in a Troy, N. Y., garage. It's part of the Russell Sage College's new program designed to train girls for jobs men would leave should the U. S. be drawn into the war.

42 Chairmen For Birthday Balls Have Been Named

NEW YORK.—As evidence of the enthusiastic and wide-spread support of the "Fight Infantile Paralysis" Campaign, 42 state chairmen have accepted appointment to the Committee for the Celebration of the President's Birthday, Keith Morgan, National Chairman, made known today.

Since announcement of the campaign and the appointment of Mr. Morgan as National Chairman by President Roosevelt several days ago, a stream of acceptances from leaders in the fight have been pouring into National Headquarters.

It is now believed that the organization division of the committee, under Col. D. Walker Wear, Assistant Chairman, will have all of the 48 states set up and ready to go by December 15. As headquarters hummed with a rush of activity, Mr. Morgan said:

"This is another good sign that America is united solidly in building up its national defense. As the President said, 'The health of our boys and girls, and young men and women is one of the front lines of our national defense.' We will see that that front line is not weakened.

"Thus far, 42 state chairmen have volunteered for duty. Of this total, 30 were on our team last year. We will have chairmen in every state in a very short time."

Five From County Attending Baylor

Five Eastland county youths are included in the enrollment of 2350 at Baylor University in Waco this year, university officials have announced. The student body represents 183 Texas counties, 33 states, seven foreign countries and two territories.

Eastland county students are: Felton Palmer Brashier and Dorothy Jean Bruce of Ranger; Edward F. Harrison of Gorman; Sidney Elizabeth Scott of Eastland, and Katherine Loftin of Cisco.

Paper To Be Issued Thanksgiving Day; None Wednesday

No issue of this paper will be published Wednesday afternoon, but an early-morning edition will be published on Thursday morning for Thanksgiving Day.

As has been the custom over a long period, the publication office will be closed Thanksgiving Day and all employees will be given a holiday. The regular Friday editions will be issued as usual.

Couple Enjoys A Snowbound Winter

BOISE, Ida.—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Shine are looking forward to a long hard winter when they will be cut off from civilization by heavy snow—and will like it.

They both admitted they enjoyed their life of seclusion as they loaded flour, matches, brown sugar, beans, dried fruit, canned vegetables and other supplies for the winter before returning to the snow-bound hills north of Boise.

Living 18 miles from the nearest postoffice doesn't seem to bother the couple, because they feel that life in the wild forest country has solved their economic problems in good style.

Unemployment and pride drove the Shines into the hills to make a living shortly after the depression struck.

Shine had been a cook but was thrown out of work. Relating their story as they were stocking up for the winter, Shine said he and his wife collected all their possessions, sold or traded them for equipment to live in the mountains.

"When you're out of work you've got to do something—or go on relief," Mrs. Shine added.

During the summer they built a sluice box and panned gold from the hills above Idaho City. With the money they purchased a pair of dogs and heavy clothing for the winter.

Improvising Daniel Boone headgear by sewing a pair of squirrel skins onto the collar ripped from Mrs. Shine's fur coat, the husband started a trap line. The first winter's trapping was hard because Shine had to make his rounds on foot.

But the next year his dogs—which he says are a cross between police dogs and timber wolves—had produced a litter of pups which were large enough to draw a sleigh and carry him to his trap lines.

This winter they will keep abreast of world affairs with a battery-powered radio set.

Mrs. Shine, who does not have the ordinary housewife's worry over the meat budget, says it will cost them about \$100 to live through the winter. They will get most of their meat by killing wild animals.

Rent is free, Mrs. Shine pointed out, and they don't need any money for movies or other entertainment.

There is plenty of work to keep both busy. They get up at dawn, chop wood, prepare the meals, skin and tan the hides of animals they trap, and take care of the trap lines. Mrs. Shine runs a short line near the cabin to make "pin money."

"You can have your Boise—or any other city," they both agreed, "We'll take the mountains."

THE WEATHER
WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight and Wednesday. Colder north portion tonight.

NO ARMISTICE IS FORESEEN BY CHURCHILL

Great Britain today vetoed any suggestion of a Christmas war armistice, as the Greeks slashed at the Italian lines from Yugoslavia to Albania.

The Greeks reported capture of the North Italian base at Pogradee, but faced an organizing Fascist counter attack. A sudden Greek raid in the vicinity of the vital Porta Edda resulted in the destruction of communication lines, the readers reported.

Prime Minister Winston Churchill turned down, in advance, any armistice this year and other Britons informed Bulgaria that that country's independence will be guaranteed if the Axis alliance is avoided.

The Bulgars conferred, meanwhile, with the Russians, and many observers believed that Moscow had advised them to stay clear of the Axis alliance, too.

Another German air raid was made today on Bristol, England, but the results of this latest air raid were not announced. London had spent a quiet 24 hours, with few air alarms and no bombs being dropped.

Homemakers Club Of Colony Meets

The Homemakers Club of Colony met recently and after a short business session the club's creed was read by Marie Groce, chairman of the program committee, and Jewel Harris reviewed the history of Texas Homemakers Clubs.

The year's program for the club is based on the homemaker's part in the national defense. Pamphlets have been received by each member of the club on how balanced meals aid in developing happy, healthy families.

The first year class served Thanksgiving refreshments to the club.

Those present were Christine Ferguson, Alice Basee, June Eakins, Georgia Mae Baggett, Marie Groce, Gilma Townsend, Zelma Bowen, Yvonne Smith, Jewel Harris, Aline Bowen, Maxine Harris, Reba Forman, Bonnie Lois Beard, Lois Nell Eakins, and Mrs. Guy T. Smith, the club sponsor.

Lawsuit Staggers With "Does" "Roes"

SACRAMENTO, Cal.—The art of being specific and still saying nothing must have been practiced on the title of the following lawsuit, filed with the secretary of state:

"The city of Tulake against the county of Siskiyou, a public corporation, First Doe, Second Doe, Third Doe, Fourth Doe, Fifth Doe, Black and White, a co-partnership; Roe and Roe, a co-partnership; John Doe company, a corporation, and Robert Roe company, a corporation."

Walter-Logan Bill Passed By Senate

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—The Senate today passed, by a 27 to 25 vote, the Walter-Logan bill to allow court review of decisions by such quasi-judicial agencies as the National Labor Relations Board.

The administration opposed considering this house-passed bill now, and it was hinted that President Roosevelt might veto it on the ground that it will "hamstring" vital federal boards."

Army Will Oppose Air Expansion Plan

WASHINGTON Nov. 26.—Secretary of War Henry Stimson said today that the United States Army opposes commercial airlines plans to double their air fleets by 1942, because the United States and Great Britain need the output of American airplane factories.

Damage Suit On Trial In Court

The case of C. C. Capers vs. Aaron Bryant for alleged damages, which was called in the 88th district court Monday and continued after, will be taken up Wednesday and the jury, called to service, has been recalled for that date.

Captured on Way To New Command



Flying to a command to which he had been appointed less than a week before, Air Marshal Owen Tudor Boyd, above, deputy commander of the R. A. F. in the Middle East, was captured by Italians when his Wellington bomber was forced down in Sicily. Four officer companions were also seized.

Christmas Seal Sale Will Aid In Tuberculosis War

AUSTIN, Tex.—Today with the launching of the 34th annual Christmas Seal Sale sponsored by the national, state and county tuberculosis associations, America presents a solid front against the dread disease with every constructive factor in the country lending assistance, Dr. Z. T. Scott of the Texas association declared.

"Led by President Roosevelt, his cabinet, members of congress and state governors including Governor W. Lee O'Daniel and his family, the sale of the stamp seals for Yule season mail and packages will be a tremendous success," Dr. Scott predicted.

"Despite the many and extremely worthwhile appeals which have been made this year, the Christmas Seal campaign for the protection of our own children and citizenship from tuberculosis has become one of the great traditional nation-wide undertakings in America," he said. "Its appeal is in a great common cause and its flexibility gives each person no matter how young or old, how rich or poor an opportunity to participate. Already the pre-sale orders have come in from the banks of the state and from scores of Texans who traditionally make Christmas Seal purchases as a regular part of their philanthropy. It shares with other great causes the bond of human interest and a real humanitarian need."

D. Scott, volunteer managing director of the Texas Tuberculosis Association added.

The seal which has become a widely sought aid in some instances a valuable collectors item—this year depicts three small children lifting their voices in song and is designed in traditional holiday color. Several of the stamps on the sheet of 100 have only one figure with the caption: "Protect us from tuberculosis." The remainder have the Yuletide wish, "Merry Christmas, 1940."

Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel will devote a part of his December 1 program to the Christmas Seal Sale and the work of the national and state tuberculosis program, his office has announced. Newspapers throughout Texas have each year given thousands of dollars in free space to the Christmas seal campaign, and radio stations, outdoor advertising companies and other agencies have, without cost, given time and facilities to the program. Most of the work of the nation wide sale is done by volunteer workers, some of whom have served since the beginning of the Christmas seal plan 34 years ago without compensation, state headquarters here declared.

Dr. Scott explained that every citizen is reached with a supply of seals throughout Texas but that many cannot be reached. He urged that those who do not get seals through the mails this week, write to state headquarters here or to county tuberculosis associations for a supply. The stamps are \$1.00 a sheet of one hundred or one cent each.

WOOD FOR A LONG TIME

RALEIGH, N. C.—State Department of conservation statistics show that approximately 20,000,000,000 feet of usable timber is still standing in North Carolina forests.

FLOODS OVER SOUTH TEXAS ARE EXPECTED

Amarillo dug out from beneath broken trees, shrub utility lines today as sunshined sipped an ice storm, but east Texas still was facing serious flood danger.

Repair crews from a score of cities helped restore utility lines today as sunshined sipped an ice storm, but east Texas still was facing serious flood danger.

All schools in the city, closed, not because of the ice, but because of the danger of broken power lines, which many of the streets. No fire reported while the town was out water, though high electric lines snapped and where they had been broken the weight of ice.

Along the San Jacinto near Houston, residents preparing for the worst floods in years. East Texas rivers were rising from the week of heavy over Texas, but only one had been reported today, though an elderly hunting guide.

Continued cold was in prospect but there was no forecast of rain in the state. Dalhart, Pampa, Dumas, other North Panhandle cities were thawing out, but the age from the ice there was than at Amarillo. Officials predicted that moisture from rain and sleet would benefit and would partly offset the damage done by ice.

Check Accident Off of Christmas List is Advised

CHICAGO.—Check accident off your Christmas list!

The National Safety Council made that appeal today to drivers and pedestrians throughout the nation in an effort to slow down the heavy December traffic toll.

Each year, the Council points out, the Christmas spirit—"Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men"—undergoes an ironic transformation. It is converted by the very geniality and contentment of the holiday season to suffering and sorrow through wholesale slaughter on the streets and highways.

Thirty-two national organizations are joining the Council in the drive, which has a two-fold purpose.

Not only is it aimed at blighting on Christmas happening but it is a last-ditch fight to keep traffic fatalities this year from soaring far above 1939.

Last year 3,540 persons were killed in December traffic. This year highway deaths have been running ahead of last year. This means, the Council says, that the nation will pile up one of its biggest holiday traffic tolls unless drivers carry the Christmas spirit onto the highways and pedestrians do their part by being extra careful.

Why does December invariably bring one of the heaviest traffic tolls—more than one and a half times as great as June, the safe month?

The Council blames bad weather, more hours of darkness at the Christmas holiday rush. Thwart these traffic bugaboos, suggests:

1. Don't drive if you drink.
2. Balance more darkness and bad weather with less speed and more caution. Start earlier.
3. Don't let the hustle and bustle of the holiday season make you impatient or careless when you drive or walk. Take it easy.

In addition to appealing to drivers and pedestrians, the Council is taking its campaign straight to governors, motor vehicle administrators and highway patrol chiefs, to mayors and police chiefs and to thousands of safety leaders.

"We hope everyone will enlist in this campaign to reduce traffic tragedy during the holiday season," said Col. John Stillwell, president of the National Safety Council. "Certainly there is no better way of expressing the Christmas spirit than by sparing others the grief of a traffic accident. No one can have a happy Christmas if he has an accident."

LEAVE FOR VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson of Olden left Tuesday afternoon for Belen, New Mexico, to spend Thanksgiving with the family of Dr. D. T. Wier.

PUPS TO PLAY LAST GAME OF SEASON FRIDAY

The Ranger Bull Pups will end their 1940 season here Friday afternoon in a game with the Breckenridge Little Buckies, to be played at Bulldog Stadium at 3 o'clock.

Listen, Mister!

There is a difference in hair cuts. A good one is a cut that suits the shape of your head and helps the hair lie neatly in place. Get your next one here and note the difference.

GOLSON BARBER SHOP

Hits the SPOT • Coffee and Hamburger!
Hungry . . . but not hungry enough to eat a full meal . . . want something just right? Here's your answer—A cup of delicious Coffee and a mouthwatering Hamburger. Don't put it off, have it today!
CLUB CAFE
South Rusk St. - Ranger

The game should have double interest for football fans who have been following the Pups this year, because the Pups have always turned in a good game and because the proceeds will be used to buy sweaters for the team.

An admission price of 50 cents is being charged for the game and an advance ticket sale is being conducted. The football fans of the city have been urged to give the Pups a little consideration by purchasing tickets and, if possible, attend the game. The Pups have had an excellent season, and have turned in thrilling football games on every occasion when they have played, either in Ranger or in other towns.

Some of the Pups, too, will be the Bulldogs of next year, and fans who have not seen the team play this year can "scout" the possibilities for additional strength for the Bulldogs of 1941.

Her First "Grown Up" Love Affair



Judy Garland has her first "grown up" love affair and George Murphy is the man of her heart in "Little Nellie Kelly," filmization of George M. Cohan's great stage success, which opens Wednesday on the Arcadia screen. Charles Winninger and Douglas McPhail are others in the cast.

B. A. Tunnell Named On Methodist Board

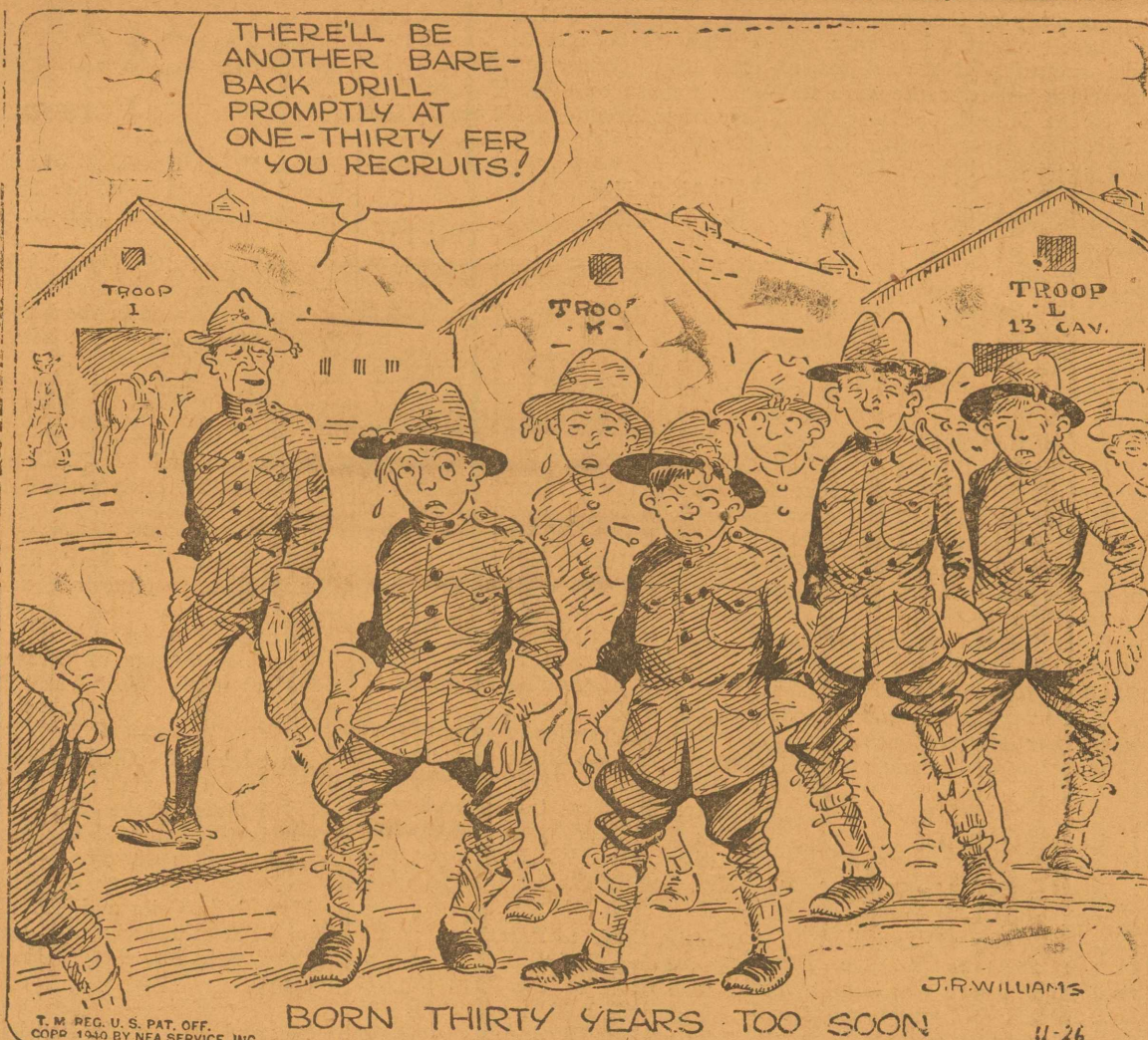
B. A. Tunnell was elected chairman of the Board of Stewards of the First Methodist Church of

Ranger, at a meeting of the board held Monday evening.

Tunnell has been on the board for a number of years and has been an active worker in all church affairs.

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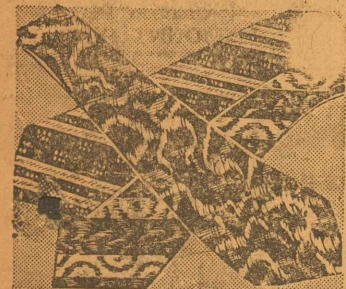
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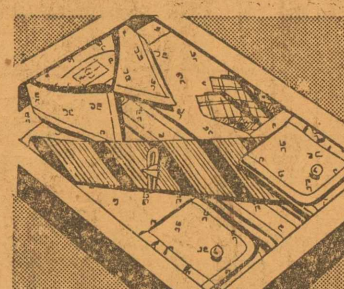
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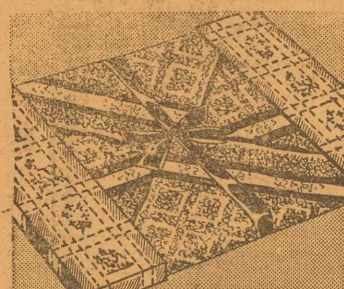
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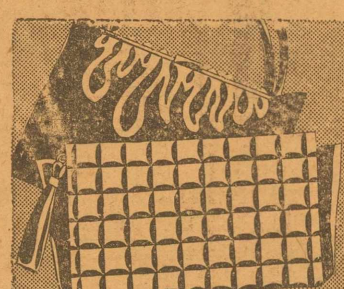
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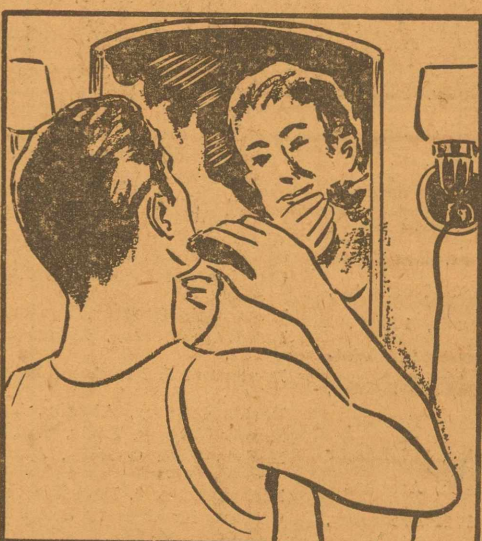
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Society Notes

Ladies Bible Club Meets

The Ladies Bible Club of the First Christian Church met Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. N. L. Peery. The meeting was opened with a prayer offered by Mrs. J. C. Carothers and Mrs. B. S. Dudley was in charge of the lesson which

was a study of the book of Luke. Those present joined in a general discussion of the subject, after which refreshments were served to the following: Meses. R. H. West, Dick Jones, Dudley, Carothers, Kruger and H. B. Johnson.

O. E. S. Entertains

The members of the Ranger chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star entertained members of the Masonic lodge with a dinner party Friday night at the newly decorated banquet hall. The new kitchen which was recently built in the rear of the hall was dedicated at the gathering. The supper tables were beautifully decorated in a Thanksgiving theme with arrangements of chrysanthemums flanked by apples holding red candles forming the centerpiece.

R. S. Stidham presided as toastmaster and talks were made by Odell Cole, J. F. Donley and Mrs. J. F. Donley. A musical program was given during the evening. Guests for the occasion numbered 130.

Ladies Bible Class Meets

The Ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ met at the church Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock for the regular Bible study. The lesson was taught by Mrs. Wynn, and was taken from the 18th chapter of Acts. A round table discussion was participated in by those attending.

A shower of lovely gifts was sent to Mrs. Travis Cozart, who was married Sunday in Silver City, New Mexico. Mrs. Cozart is the former Miss Oleta Robinson of Ranger. Visits to the sick and shut-ins were made by members following the meeting.

W. S. C. S. Has

The monthly worship service was held Monday afternoon when the Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the church at 3 o'clock.

The subject for the service was "Investing Our Heritage," with

Mrs. Lillian Wolfe discussing "John Wesley and the Promise of the 18th Century." Mrs. S. P. Boon spoke on "Our Present Day Heritage Around the World." The worship was closed with a prayer.

W. M. S. Has

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met Monday morning at 10 o'clock for a study of the Mission Study Book, "Publishing Glad Tidings."

Mrs. R. J. Taylor opened the meeting and Mrs. Chester Rogers offered the opening prayer. Mrs. Geo. Robinson, Mrs. W. A. Lewis and Mrs. Wilmot Simpson gave the first three chapters of the book in the morning session, which was closed by a prayer by Mrs. David M. Phillips.

A covered dish luncheon was served in the dining room at noon. Following the luncheon, Mrs. R. V. Robinson and Mrs. Jack Terry gave the concluding chapters of the book.

A royal service program was then given the Elkin Lockett Circle, with Mrs. Lee Mitchell as chairman. Those taking part were Mrs. R. V. Robinson, Mrs. Bob Hodges, Mrs. W. A. Reuser, and Mrs. Lee Mitchell.

Baptist Choir to Practice

The choir of the First Baptist church will hold a rehearsal at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the church immediately following the Thanksgiving union service.

All members are urged to attend.

Young People's Training

The Young People's Training Union of the First Baptist church met at the church Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock for the regular meeting.

There were 56 members present for the meeting and program consisted of reports from delegates attending the recent Union convention in Dallas. Excellent reports were given from members who attended the various departments of the convention.

Mrs. Butler

Mrs. Don Butler entertained Sunday at noon with a dinner party complimenting her husband who leaves soon for a year's training in the army. Mr. Butler is in Battery C of the Field Artillery.

A patriotic color scheme was used in the decorations on the table with red white and blue predominating colors.

Present for the dinner were Misses Bonnie Donaway, Katherine Keger, Jessie Roberts, Dale McKleskey, Bob Butler, Mrs. Julia McKleskey and Mr. and Mrs. Butler.

ARTIFICIAL LAKE FINISHED

CAMDEN, N. J.—One of the country's largest single unit WPA projects, the \$600,000 Cooper River tidal dam, has been completed and formally dedicated. The project provided work for 200 men for two years and created a 185-acre artificial lake.

Thanksgiving Dinner 25c
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Society Personals

Mrs. H. A. Granger of Fort Worth is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Regis Fleckenstein.

Mrs. John O. Guffey of Arkansas City, Kansas, will arrive tomorrow for a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Binford.

Mrs. Eva Hamill is marketing in Dallas.

D. Joseph and J. R. Hopkins are transacting business in Dallas.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Seay at the West Texas Hospital this morning.

Mrs. Bob Staggs of Strawn is a patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. John M. Gholson has returned from a visit in Evansville, Indiana, where she was a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alton Cherry.

Mrs. Della Crim and Mrs. Malcolm Crim of Kilgore were guests of Mrs. Saunders Gregg, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bowden of Fort Worth visited in Ranger over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnson of Odessa were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Donley over the week-end.

Mrs. C. W. Donley is a patient in a Stephenville hospital.

Rural Schools are Important in Life Of Their Sections

WASHINGTON.—Pupils of schools in villages and open country grade roads, build sidewalks, plant shrubs and flowers, undertake mosquito control and forest fire prevention, conduct local health surveys, work to conserve local resources, assist in civic meetings, religious services, recreational events, and in numerous other projects as practical training for citizenship, according to the Educational Policies Commission of the National Education Association in a report which follows a nationwide investigation of how high schools teach youth to appreciate the duties and privileges of democracy.

The Lincoln Consolidated School located near Ypsilanti, Michigan, was cited by the Commission in its report for a program of cooperation with the community in which it is located. This rural school has become a center for community gatherings of all kinds—religious services, adult education programs, recreational events, the community fair, and meetings of clubs and other organizations. A rural consolidated school drawing many of its students from a large rural area and located in Elerbee, a small North Carolina town, has achieved a remarkable program of village beautification. For over ten years pupils have cooperated in grading walks and roads and in planting shrubs and flowers throughout the town—at school, homes and churches. These activities have enabled the students to improve their own community while learning much about landscaping as well as the value of civic activity.

In a small school in Moultrie, Georgia, where half the students are from the town and half from

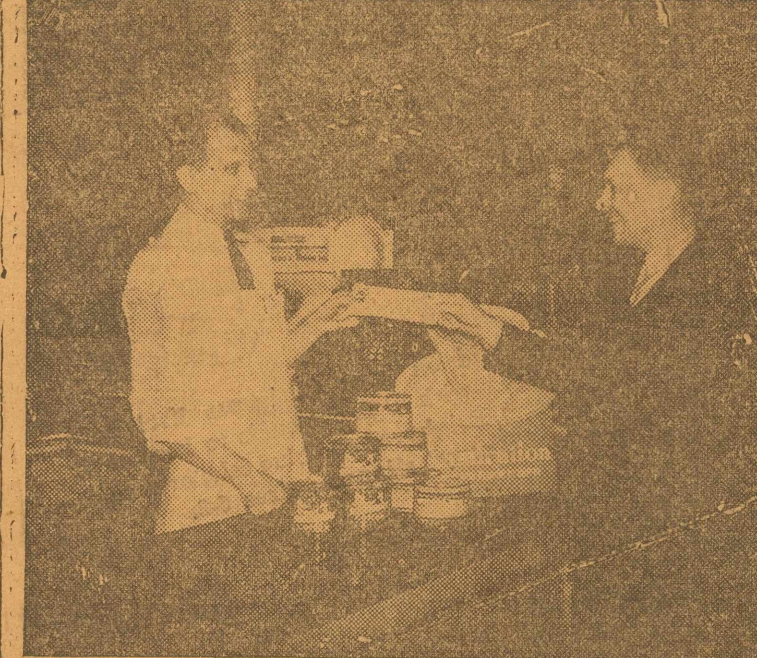
Admiration Contest Winners



Right to Left—Mr. O. C. Brenner, Duncan Coffee Company representative presenting cash prizes to Mrs. F. D. Stone, Clovis, New Mexico, winner of the first prize in the fourth week's \$3,000 Admiration Contest, and the manager of the Clovis Food Market, the grocer who sold Mrs. Stone her Admiration Coffee, and who also won a cash prize.



Right to Left—Mrs. J. L. Draper, Sweetwater, Texas, second prize winner in the fourth week's \$3,000 Admiration Contest, and the manager of Adams Super Market, the grocer who sold Mrs. Draper her Admiration Coffee and who also won a cash prize.



Right to Left—Manager of Biel Grocery, Corpus Christi, Texas, who sold Mrs. H. B. Givens, third prize winner in the fourth week's \$3,000 Admiration Contest, her Admiration Coffee; and Mr. E. F. Hamilton, the Duncan Coffee Company representative. The manager of Biel Grocery also won a cash prize.

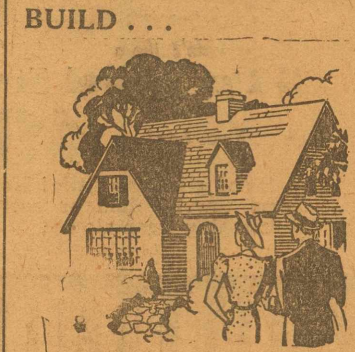
the country, a constructive effort is made to fit the needs of both. The studies of town students are planned to follow trends of an annual survey of local business conditions, while country students enter a vocational class to receive practice in scientific methods by actually farming a plot of land usually donated for the purpose by their fathers. Student activities to improve community health

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and to aid conservation of local resources were successfully carried on in a small Tennessee town where the ninth grade of the Norris High School, Norris, Tennessee, formulated a plan of mosquito control and put it into effect. Students in this community make it a better place in which to live by other activities which include planting game food, reforestation, erosion control, clearing of fire lanes, and surveys of the possibilities of pasturing certain sections of nearby land.

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Church Will Honor Guardsmen Sunday
The First Baptist Church of Ranger will have a special service Sunday morning, at 11 o'clock, for National Guardsmen and members of the Carl Barnes Post of the American Legion, it was announced today by Rev. David M. Phillips, pastor of the church. A special message will be brought by the pastor and appropriate music will be furnished during the service.

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Second Prize (\$40.00)
Mrs. Raymond Bootes, 1211 W. Evergreen, Durant, Okla.
Third Prize (\$20.00)
Mrs. Arthur Stehling, P. O. Box 741, Fredericksburg, Tex.
Next 20 Prizes (\$2.00 Each)
Mrs. Lillian Boone, 1213 Ave. N., Lubbock, Tex.
Mrs. C. H. Brown, 1804 West Walker, Breckenridge, Tex.
Mrs. J. S. Colburn, 819 Furman, Corpus Christi, Tex.
Mrs. E. T. Gensheimer, 2624 Parrott, Waco, Tex.
Mrs. B. F. Goodnight, Box 126, Roscoe, Tex.
Mrs. Cinda High, 709 N. St. Paul, Dallas, Tex.
Mrs. Carlos Jones, 125 Sidney St., Houston, Tex.
Mrs. J. V. Kennedy, 1219 North Main, Temple, Tex.
Mrs. B. F. Llewellyn, Box 248, Daingerfield, Tex.
Mrs. N. Mathis, 1031 North 1st, Raton, N. Mex.
Mrs. Audrey O'Bryant, 118 S. High, Uvalde, Tex.
Mrs. Woodson Patrick, 915 Walnut, Georgetown, Tex.
Mrs. Wesley Pounds, 309 Sylvan, Palestine, Tex.
Mrs. Flora E. Powers, Box 63, Alameda, Tex.
Mrs. E. W. Schroeder, 246 Lamar Avenue, Paris, Tex.
Mrs. Rose Stephenson, Aransas Pass, Tex.
Mrs. C. T. Subbie, 1712 Frederick, Fort Worth, Tex.
Mrs. Henry C. Thwaitt, 829 Fairview, Shreveport, La.
Mrs. G. L. Willis, Lovelady, Tex.
Mrs. E. A. Winkler, Box 542, Schulenburg, Tex.
Fifth Contest Closed Nov. 16
Dealer's Prize (\$50.00)
ABC No. 2, Beaumont, Tex.
Dealer's Prize (\$20.00)
J. W. Henderson Gro., Durant, Okla.
Dealer's Prize (\$10.00)
Chester Schmidt Grocery, Fredericksburg, Tex.
Next 20 Dealer's Prizes (\$2.00 ea.)
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FairWay Grocery, Georgetown, Tex.
Dayport & Frantz, Palestine, Tex.
Park's Grocery, Alameda, Tex.
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