

## COUNTY FAIR WILL OPEN TOMORROW

### NEW ERA EXPECTED IN FINANCE

Out of Great Britain's decision to suspend the gold standard may be a new era in international financial relations, with closer cooperation to solve the world's economic problem, experts predicted today.

An international conference being held at the unsettled condition of foreign finances through distribution of the world's gold is under consideration in London.

Such a conference would also attempt to solve such problems as the balance of payments and arrangements, all of which affect present conditions.

Chancellor of the British Exchequer Philip Snowden in two speeches, urged the calling of an international meeting to end the uncertainty of gold reserves "under which the world's supply has been amassed in France and the United States."

### IGHWAY MEET TO BE HELD AT EASTLAND

At 8 o'clock tonight at the Eastland Chamber of Commerce rooms will be held a meeting of land citizens for the purpose of discussing ways and means of opening more traffic over the highway of America, which traverses this section.

Delegations expected to be in attendance, are the Chamber of Commerce, the Board of Odessa, representatives of the Broadway of America, to be present to explain plans, put into operation by the highway of America association stimulating traffic over this section of the highway.

### ire Firemen Hurt At Austin When Wall Falls

By United Press.  
AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—Three firemen were injured today when a wall fell on them. The wall rushed to light a blaze in a B. Blanton automobile warehouse.

Flames had eaten away of the wall support and the men were trying to hold it in when it crashed.

One injured, Fire Chief Woody, in Otto Brinkman and Truck R. Revy McMain. McMain was not seriously hurt, sustaining a split lip and severe body.

### ew Grocery to Open at Eastland

A new grocery firm in Eastland is being opened by F. L. Dragoo, F. McMillen, both long residents of Eastland, is located in the building formerly occupied by the G. Grocery on East Main.

Dragoo has been engaged in business in Eastland for a number of years and is well and widely known throughout this section. Mr. McMillen likewise is well known here, and has been engaged in the general market business here for some time.

The new firm has a full and complete line of staple and fancy items, meats of all kinds and vegetables. They are also carrying home-made cakes, salads, and home-canned fruits and berries.

### ing Convention to Hold Meeting

Eastland County Singing Convention will meet with the church Sunday, Oct. 11, at the local church. Everyone is invited to attend and to bring a bed blanket.

### uest Tickets to Ranger Show

The Ranger Times has set tickets for Mr. and Mrs. J. W. A. Cox to see "The Maltese Falcon" at the Eastland County Singing Convention, or any other show.

### Map Shows Pacific Flyers' Course



This map shows the proposed route and the one actually followed by Don Mowle and Cecil Allen on their attempted non-stop flight from Tokyo to Seattle. The solid line shows the proposed route. Forced down near Siberia on the island of Navarin, the flyers prepared to hop off again for Seattle via Nome, as shown by the dotted line.

### ENTHUSIASM IS SHOWN IN HIGHWAY MEETING

At a meeting of business men of Eastland held Monday night, plans for the work to be carried out by the Broadway of America association were discussed by Grady Bell, secretary of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce, now working in the interest of the Broadway of America.

The meeting was presided over by John Thurman, who called on Mr. Bell to tell the gathering what was being done and what had been planned for the association for the coming year.

### 470 Predatory Animals Killed During August

SAN ANTONIO.—During August 66 men working with the Texas Predatory Animal Control association killed 470 such animals. Of these 344 were coyotes, 64 bobcats and 62 red wolves.

E. L. Homan made the largest catch of the month, killing 44 coyotes on the King ranch in Kennedy county. R. H. Blaylock in Hays county was second with 27 coyotes and three bobcats.

"With the beginning of the state's new fiscal year Sept. 1," C. R. Landon, the control leader, said, "it will be possible to re-employ some of the men whom it has been necessary to lay off during the past three or four months. It is doubted, however, whether it will be possible to increase our force to the size it has been the past two winters, as, due to the general depression, less local cooperation is expected."

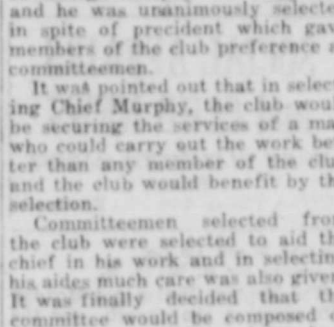
### Two are Tried on Liquor Charges

E. E. Blair, who was tried in the 91st district court, and John Freeman, who was tried in the 88th district court, on charges of violating the state liquor laws, were found guilty and given suspended sentences this week.

### Elks Bestow An Unusual Honor On G. A. Murphy

Fire Chief G. A. Murphy of Ranger was accorded a district honor by the members of the Elks Club at a meeting Monday night when they selected him as chairman of a committee to work out the details of an athletic club with boxing and wrestling matches as the chief attractions. The reason this is considered unusual is because Chief Murphy is not a member of the club and this is the first time in the history of the Ranger Elks Club that a non-member has ever served on one of their committees with equal capacity and especially as chairman.

### G. A. Murphy



Who has been selected by the Ranger Elks Club to head a committee to work out plans for an athletic club. This is the first time a non-member has served on an Elks committee.

### Escaped Inmates of Reformatory Are Recaptured

GRANT, Okla., Sept. 22.—Three of the 10 inmates of Granite reformatory who kidnaped three guards and escaped under gunfire last night were captured today on the streets at Altus.

It was revealed today that tower guards last night, not knowing the inmates held three of their number, shot one guard through an earlobe. The three guards were later released.

Posses and hounds pursued the fugitives.

### Intelligence Tests Good Indication of Freshmen's Grades

WACO.—Baylor University freshmen have given their instructors fairly definite indications of what they are going to do in college. The intelligence tests given them during orientation week furnished the indications.

Since the tests were first given several years ago, boys have made the highest scores more often than girls, but afterwards in school work, more girls have made the honor roll than have boys. Boys, too, have failed more frequently and numerously than have girls.

College authorities now regard the tests as little more than an indication of whether the freshmen taking them will succeed in college. If they think one will not, they tell him so.

### Danbury Hatters Works Overtime Making New Hats

DANBURY, Conn., Sept. 22.—They would build a monument to the Empress Eugenie here if the hat business ever slowed down enough to give them time.

This city's 30 hat factories and five treating plants have been running 24 hours a day and most of them seven days a week since the introduction of the chic new hat. Danbury produces 85 per cent of the nation's hats.

### Aimee and Hubby Laugh at Suits



Ha, ha!—these love suits give Aimee Semples McPherson and her new husband, David Hutton, a big laugh. Here you see them as they arrived at San Francisco, unperturbed by the breach of promise suits filed against Hutton. "The only settling I shall do is settling down with the new Mrs. Hutton," declared the bridegroom.

### MUCH INTEREST SHOWN IN SCOUTMASTERS CLASS

Seventeen prospective scoutmasters met at the American Legion Hall in Ranger Monday night for the class in scoutmastering being conducted by Guy Quirk, scout executive of the Oil Belt Council. The class was conducted just as a meeting of tenderfoot scouts would be held and the men who are taking the course took as keen an interest in the competition as any bunch of boys would have taken.

At the opening of the meeting four nominations were received for scoutmaster of the school and Jess Meroney was elected. The scoutmaster's whistle was turned over to him and with some difficulty Mr. Quirk kept him from blowing it until the proper time. C. E. May was appointed scribe.

### Meeting of Trades Day Committee to Be Held Tonight

A meeting of the finance committee of Ranger's Trades Days has been called for tonight in the offices of the Ranger Retail Merchants association by Mrs. Alice Trull, secretary of the association. All members of the committee and all merchants of Ranger, especially the grocers, are urged to be present to help complete the plans for the trades day.

### T & P Extension Is Being Urged

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The Dallas Chamber of Commerce filed a brief with the Interstate Commerce Commission today supporting the application of the T & P. Railway to construct a new line between Big Spring and Vega, Texas.

Examiner O. D. Weed has recommended that the commission authorize construction of only part of the line to Brownfield and Lubbock.

### Six Arrested In Marriage Insurance Scheme at Dallas

DALLAS, Sept. 22.—With six men in custody, postal authorities sought to arrest more as they investigated two marriage insurance schemes, one of which is alleged to have swindled Texans out of more than a million dollars.

Both agencies have branches throughout the state.

### Cow Leads To a Big Liquor Raid

AUSTIN.—A cow led to the confiscation of 16 bottles of whiskey here. The cow, owned by a man named Boswell, who lives northeast of here, strayed to greener fields. As Boswell led her back to her own pasture he noticed the bottles in a vacant house as he passed by the door, which was ajar.

He reported his observation to the sheriff's office, officers investigated and found the bottles contained whiskey. Their owner is sought.

### House Collapses Killing One and Injuring a Score

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.—A west Philadelphia apartment house collapsed today killing George Mitchell, 45, and pinning a man and woman beneath tons of wreckage. A score of persons were injured.

Firemen were recovering Mitchell's body when they heard George Jameson, 41, and Anna Bell, 35, pinned beneath the debris, calling to each other. They then turned their attention toward rescuing them.

### HEAT WAVE IS BROKEN BY STORM

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 22.—The longest heat wave in the history of the southwest was broken today after violent storms swept the area. Two were reported in Missouri, two in Kansas and three in Oklahoma.

Jimmie Holt, Oswego, Kan., was instantly killed by flying timber as he sprawled flat at the fairground stadium along with his teammates in an effort to escape the storm's fury.

Two St. Louis Army fliers, Chauncey G. Vrooman and Lieutenant Philip P. Brennan, crashed to death near Fulton when the storm forced their plane down.

Lightning claimed the lives of Oscar Bond, Elmer Patterson, and Leonard Fawcitzky in Custer county, Oklahoma.

### COTTON BILL IS SIGNED BY GOV. STERLING

AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—Governor Ross Sterling today signed the bill prohibiting Texas farmers from planting more than one-third of their cultivated land in cotton in 1942 and 1943. It goes into effect 90 days after the special session adjourns.

"I believe its passage has checked a further drop in cotton prices, and will result in a stabilized cotton market," said Agricultural Commissioner J. E. McDonald. "I do not expect any immediate rise of any amount in prices."

McDonald, who proposed a similar bill five years ago, predicting six-cent cotton, hailed the bill as the most far-reaching one ever enacted by a Texas legislature.

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UNJUST TAXATION.

The highway department, this week, will be forced to send out thousands of dollars worth of supplies, paid for out of its own funds, with which people of Texas will be levied upon for a toll of over \$325,000 in December and January under the headlight test law which is admittedly unenforceable.

A few counties get some residuary part of the 10 cent division of the 25-cent license receipt fee, but most of them hand over the entire amount for a headlight law supervisor, whose duty is to grant permits to the few stations in each county conducting the headlight tests at 15 cents each.

No person will be able to register a new car or re-register his old car until he has paid out the 25 cents for the headlight certificate.

L. G. Phares, director of the highway patrol, pointed out that the headlight law, cannot be enforced beyond the compulsory charge, because it provides that if an officer stops any one on account of glaring headlights, the person has 72 hours in which to appear before a court and show the light has been adjusted, upon which the law requires the case to be dismissed.

The highway department has to print huge stocks of over 500,000 blank certificate forms. It will send these out to county judges. Next spring it will have to send out more of the printed matter to the individuals named as headlight supervisors.

Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, representative from Brayan, and Senator Clint C. Small of Wellington have conferred on the drafting of a bill to repeal the headlight law in time to save Texas motorists its \$325,000 toll in December and January. They felt certain Governor Sterling would approve such a bill, since the highway department itself has declared the present law unsatisfactory and unworkable.

John T. Smith, tax expert and former house member, has suggested a simple way in which the state can collect a measure of revenue from the intangible wealth represented by mortgages that now escapes taxation while the holders of property upon which mortgages lie have to pay taxes on the full amount of the property, though the mortgage is revenue-bearing and the property often is not.

He would require a registration fee equal to about one year's ad valorem levy on the value of the mortgage, then exempt the mortgage—unrendered now anyway—from future taxation. Holders who failed to register and pay the fee on the mortgage would subject it to the ad valorem rendition law, and, if unrendered, the owner could make it valid on suits only by going into court and showing legal reason for having failed to register or render it.

Two measures attempting to relieve the deficits of the pension fund and the general revenue fund were being prepared for possible submission to the legislature.

Representative Preston L. Anderson has proposed a bill to borrow part of the surplus of the game fund from hunting licenses and fines, to supplement general revenues.

Representative Paul Finn has proposed to take one-fourth of the gasoline tax and 10 per cent of the game fund and put the money from these sources in the general revenue, partially for the benefit of the badly-overdrawn Confederate pension fund.

Banks are now refusing to cash pension warrants for any except their regular customers, and are charging a five per cent discount on this, members of the legislature said.

Pensioners in many localities are having great difficulty in getting any money at all on their warrants, and are being forced to sell them on terms as much as 50 per cent discount, according to information gathered by Representative Finn.

Mr. Finn's bill, already drawn, bases its effort to supplement the general fund from gasoline taxes on the basis of relief of farmers and others to avoid a compulsory increase in the tax rate.

Final Date for College Enrollment Is September 30th

Wednesday, Sept. 30, has been set as the final date for enrolling in Ranger Junior college for credit work this semester.

The date set is exactly three weeks after the formal opening of the college and it is possible to make up back work up to that amount, but those who contemplate taking courses should enroll as soon as possible in order not to get behind so far.

Five additional students enrolled last week and two more Monday of this week, and the college work is progressing splendidly.

Ranger Junior college is rated as a first class college by the state department of education, and it is a member of the Association of Texas Colleges and Universities and of the American Association of Junior Colleges. The credits made here is transferable at full value to other institutions of higher learning, so that a student may enter the junior year of a senior college after completing two full years in Ranger Junior college.

Furthermore, a person who has done some work in a senior college but still has some electives or required courses coming in the first two years of college work to make up, may do that work here and get full credit on it.

The following courses are being offered at Ranger Junior college this semester: Two years of English (composition and rhetoric and a survey course in English literature); two years in history (history of western Europe and American history); one year of government ("Comparative Government" and "American Constitutional Government"); three courses in science (biology, general chemistry, and botany); two courses in education (elementary principles, psychology, and methods and edu-

ational psychology and high school methods); a course in college algebra and trigonometry; a course in business law and salesmanship, and a course in college typewriting. Those interested in taking college work this year should get in touch with officials of the college at once and further information will be gladly furnished.

Mrs. J. W. Turk Dies at Hillsboro

Mrs. James W. Turk, mother of Mrs. Grady Pipkin of Eastland, died at her home in Hillsboro Monday morning following a stroke of paralysis. The deceased had been in failing health for the past year. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in Hillsboro.

Italy Planning Long Sea Cable

ROME—What is believed to be the longest under-ocean telephone cable in the world will link Italy with Sardinia early next year, it was announced recently.

The cable, weighing nearly four pounds to the meter, will sink into the Tyrrhenian sea at Piumicino and emerge at Terranova, 156 miles away, a small coast village on Sardinia Island.

This operation presents immense difficulties because in many spots the depth of the Tyrrhenian sea is over 3,500 feet. From Terranova telephone communication will be by overhead to Sassari, where connections can be made with the entire island. The Fascist government is anxious to place the line in operation because of the growing importance of Sardinia as a mining and agricultural unit.

Doing a Gandhi!



PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE

With BILL MAYES

With Coach Eck Curtis' Bulldogs practicing behind locked doors and little information other than the line-up and weights of the Amarillo Sandies to go on, there is little to write about football right now, other than that there is going to be one big scrap when the two teams meet Friday afternoon.

Coach Blair Cherry is expected to arrive with his squad Thursday in order to get a little workout before such a thing as being through and their pieces before the game opens.

With our usual knothole closed up, we are unable to tell the low-down on what is going on inside the fence at Lillard field, but getting some pointers that will prove valuable to them when they meet the experienced Sandstorm.

Several of the players Friday did not get started like they thought they should and while playing against keen competition they found a few of their minor mistakes and are working hard to get them ironed out.

The 7-0 fracas was just what the Bulldogs needed. The score was low enough and late enough coming to let them know that there was such a thing as being through and it also showed them how they could work to better advantage against a strong defense.

One is never so experienced that he cannot take a few pointers and provided he is a smart football player. We noticed a duo or two ago a picture of Albie Booth, sensational halfback of the Yale team for the past two years and Albie, probably the greatest broken-field runner in college football today, was taking a few tips with his experience as a passer, admits that he learned a trick or two in Friday's game and will not be guilty of making the same mistakes twice.

That's what it takes to get a team rounded into shape and the coach that the boys are so willing to see their faults and to start to work to correct them is one of the best signs that a polished team will be seen when they line up Friday.

Estes Burgamy of the Eastland Mavericks, promoter of the oil field scoring of the Oil Belt, if pre-season games are any indication of what will happen when Class A schedules start. By scoring once against the Daniel Baker freshmen and three times against the Cross of Eastland. There is a possibility that the Horned Frogs of 1932 will be featured by these names during the Southwest conference games as they are the kind of freshman material of which variety teams are made.

It is hard to please all the customers. There are some in town who are happiest when this column jumps all over some other poor, struggling sports writer, who is trying hard to please his customers and at the same time gather up a few shekels with which to buy spinach for his kids, if he has any. Blonds Cross is now out of the Oil Belt, but there are some who are not satisfied unless a daily rap at Blonds appears in this column. And as Blonds has served notice that he does not want his

SOCIAL AFFAIRS and CLUB NEWS

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Mission Week To Be Observed By B. W. M. S. The Baptist circles met Monday afternoon at the church for the first meeting of mission week. Mrs. J. A. Crouch led the devotional from the 21st chapter of Matthew. Prayer, Mrs. John Mayes. The president urged all members to subscribe for the Standard of Royalty. The mission chairman, Mrs. Cecil Nelson has arranged a program to be presented each afternoon this week excepting Wednesday afternoon, at 8 o'clock, at the church. The Sunbeam band, Girls' auxiliary and Y. W. A.'s will present a program on Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, during prayer meeting.

The following program was given at Monday's meeting: "Getting Acquainted with Africa," Mrs. Lee Bishop; "The Light That Went Out," Mrs. R. L. Young; "The Light That Burned Out, But Burns On," Mrs. Frank Lovett; "Southern Baptist Lights in Africa," Mrs. W. J. Herrington. The following programs will be presented this week.

Tuesday. Song, "Help Somebody Today," devotional, Mrs. Simmonds (Luke 4:40-45, Jer. 42:5); "Our Hospital as Witnessing Agencies," Mrs. P. L. Parker; prayer for hospitals, Mrs. Campbell; song, "The Great Physician"; leaflet, "The Hospital Auxiliary," Mrs. Fred Scott; prayer for hospitals in our district, Mrs. J. B. Overton; offering; closing prayer.

Thursday. Song, "Faith of Our Fathers," devotional, Is. 43:10-12, 44:8, Mrs. Don Brewer; song, "Faith is the Victory"; leaflet, "Permanent Memorials," Mrs. Sanderford; prayer for the presidents and faculties of our school, Mrs. Turner; "Think on Your College," Mrs. Carl Springer; prayer for your school, Mrs. W. J. Herrington; offering; closing prayer.

Friday. Song, "Jesus Saves"; devotional, Matthew 24:13, Mrs. L. J. Lambert; prayer; leaflet, "Stranger Within Our Gates," Mrs. F. V. Williams; lesson, "Our Obligations to the Foreigners in Our Midst," Mrs. Campbell; prayer for foreigners in Texas, Mrs. R. L. Young; leaflet, "Triumph of His Grace Through Witnessing for Jesus," Mrs. Palmer; "What the Week of Prayer Has Meant to Me."

Everybody is extended an invitation to attend the day services. Those present were Mmes. Lee Bishop, O. A. Cook, A. J. Campbell, J. A. Crouch, S. C. Walker, Nora Andrews, L. V. Simmonds, J. B. Overton, F. D. Scott, Jim Drake, Lee Campbell, Frank Lovett, Lillie Herndon, F. V. Williams, William Sherriffs, R. L. Young, Marvin Hood, W. J. Herrington, Don Brewer, John Hart, John Mayes, W. A. Owen, Hannah Lindsey, Cecil Nelson, E. R. Weatherford, Ralph Crouch, L. Nash, Green, J. P. Truly, I. O. Suttles, Mother Pritchard, Joe Neal, Carl Springer, Hilton, C. M. Murphy, T. J. Pitts, J. B. Bishop, Melvin Caughron and Winnie Sue.

Methodist Circles Met Monday Afternoon. The Martha Stewart and Belle Bennett circles of the Methodist Woman's Missionary society met Monday afternoon at the church in a joint session. Mrs. Ed F. Williams called the meeting to order, Mrs. Claude Stubblefield led the opening prayer. The devotional was conducted by Mrs. Stubblefield. Mrs. W. P. Leslie was appointed chairman of the spiritual life committee.

A message of sympathy was sent by the circles to Mrs. Grady Pipkin, whose mother died Monday morning.

Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite gave a report on the finances of the society, which was very satisfactory. Mrs. Frank Castleberry gave thanks to the members for the

RANGER Personal

John D. Ghoslin has returned to Gladewater after several days visit with his wife and daughters.

J. L. Hadley was a business visitor in Dallas over the weekend.

A. N. Harrison spent yesterday in Abilene where he transacted business.

Edward Witchee, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dykman, is convalescing at his home following a broken arm injury which he sustained Sunday afternoon when attempting to crank a car.

Mrs. Bob Hansford has returned from Waco where she visited her sister, Miss Sanie Smith, who has been very ill suffering from pneumonia.

Miss Mary Delmont has as her guest this week her sister, Mrs. Loyne Rogers of Fort Worth.

Dr. A. K. Wier and son, Dr. D. T. Wier of Dallas, returned home last night following a visit to Arizona, New Mexico and California.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutching, South Austin, had as guests this week their parents and a sister of Tulsa, Okla.

splendid co-operation in keeping up their dues. Mrs. Iola Mitchell, superintendent of mission study, brought the message from 3rd and 4th chapters of the church, "Korea, the Land of the Dawn."

Mrs. Turner Collie presented a talk on "Stewardship," which was of much interest.

Mrs. J. O. Mickle told of the farm problem in Korea. Mrs. W. P. Leslie explained "Government as the church." Economic, farm and health conditions in Korea were explained by Mrs. Mitchell.

The meeting closed with the members repeating the Lord's prayer in unison.

Those present were Mmes. Ed F. Williams, Halsey, Frank Crowell, Frank Castleberry, D. J. Jobe, W. P. Leslie, J. O. Mickle, E. C. Satterwhite, Ernest Jones, J. E. Hickman, Claude Stubblefield, Guy Parker, F. L. Drago, Wayne Shearer, Iola Mitchell, W. W. Jones, W. W. Kellert, E. E. Sikes, M. H. Kelly and F. A. Jones.

Markets

Closing selected New York stocks:

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including American Can, Am P & L, Am Smt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Aviation Corp Del., Beth Steel, Byers A M., Canada Dry, Case J I., Chrysler, Curtis Wright, Elect Au L., Elec St Bat., Foster Wheel, Fox Films, Gen Elec, Gen Met, Gillette E R., Goodyear, Houston Oil, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Johns Manville, Kroger G & B., Lij Carb, Montg Ward, Nat Dairy, Para Publix, Phillips F, Prairie O & G., Pure Oil, Purity Bak, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Southern Pac, Stan Oil I J., Studebaker, Texas Corp., Texas Gulf Sul, Tex Pac C & O., U S Gypsum, U S Ind Ale., U S Steel, Vanadium, Westing Elec, Worthington, Curb Stocks, Cities Service, Ford M Ltd., Gulf Oil Pa., Humble Oil, Niag Hud Petr., Stan Oil Ind.

Tombs of bulls have been excavated in Egypt and now the archaeologists are looking around for evidence of a Stock Exchange.

In Michigan they've picked a peach queen to publicize the crop. A canny move, they say.

Joint Meeting Held Monday Evening. The Eastland High School Parent-Teacher association, teachers of the public schools and members of the school board, met last evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the high school auditorium, at which time school auditorium, at which time a very interesting program was given.

K. B. Tanner, president of the school board, made a talk on the conditions of the schools, the situation concerning taxes, and stated that the board is lending every effort to make the school year a successful one during the period of depression.

Supt. P. B. Little, made a talk explaining that an affiliation had been lost and also that it is hoped to gain three additional units this year. The enrollment this year is only 65 less than the enrollment last year.

Principal W. P. Fain made a very interesting talk. The teachers of the school were introduced, and about 50 people attended the enjoyable meeting.

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The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowan



Parrots Call Gets Out Police Force

BELLEVILLE, Ill.—Police officers Henry Brandt and Walter Magin rushed to a home in the southern section of the city here and demanded to know what the trouble was. "There's no trouble," the occupant of the house said. "A moment later a voice screamed 'Help, help, murder, police.'" The officers walked in. They found a lady sitting complacently in the house. "No, I didn't call for police," she informed the officers. And again came the cry for help, this time from an adjoining room.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS By Blosser



Daughter Buys Picture by Father By United Press. LONDON.—There is a romance attached to the recent sale of Sir John Millais' picture, the "Portrait of a Girl." During the sale of the effects of the late Vicar of Cundall, at Cundall Vicarage, near Boroughbridge, the picture was put up for auction. It was sold to a woman bidder for \$16. When the purchaser handed in her card it was found that it bore the name of Miss Millais, the artist's daughter. Miss Millais was visiting Harrogate and had been looking for this picture for many years, and on turning over the pages of a catalogue of the sale at Cundall noticed that one of her father's pictures was in the collection. From the description she immediately recognized it as the long-sought picture. Al Smith refuses to admit his hat is not in the 1932 presidential ring. It's brown, but not out, as it were.

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GUILTY LIPS

By LAURA LOU BROOKMAN

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BEGIN HERE TODAY Pretty Norma Kent, 20-year-old secretary, marries Mark Travers, son of F. M. Travers, millionaire real estate dealer, in spite of the father's threats to disinherit Mark. The story opens in Marlboro, middle western metropolis. Mark sells his expensive roadster to get money for the honeymoon and he and Norma go to fashionable Blue Springs. There Norma meets Hollis Stone, and it is evident from the girl's manner that she has known Stone before. Their money is soon gone, partly due to Mark's gambling. With \$500 borrowed from Stone, the couple return to Marlboro. Mark sets out on a round of pleasure seeking instead of hunting work. When their funds dwindle again he and Norma move to a cheap apartment. Mark gets one job and loses it. Then he becomes a floorwalker in Blossomdale's department store. In spite of poverty the young couple are happy. Mark's father sends for him, offers to take him back into his own company if Mark will prove he can make good. His first task involves a business trip to France. Norma is to remain at home. She is frightened but cannot persuade Mark to give up the opportunity. With his parents she goes to the railway station and sees him depart on the five weeks' trip. NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXX Travers led the way through the station and his wife followed on the side. Mrs. Travers said as they stepped out on the sidewalk, "Harvey has the car over at the right."

The older woman turned toward Norma. "Tompkins will show you your room," she said. "It's in the west wing and I hope you'll find it comfortable. Your trunk should be there by this time." It was the expression on the man's face that made her check the words and add, "Well, Tompkins? What is it?" "Excuse me, Madam, but the trunk has not come."

She held her purse closely under her arm, stepped into the hall and closed the door quietly. Her footsteps made no sound on the thick carpet. She walked to the top of the stairs and hesitated. Then she went down two steps and heard the wood creak under her. No other sound came, though she waited. Norma peered over the bannister searching for Tompkins. He must be in another part of the house. The girl paused long enough for a sharp intake of breath, then went on quickly. She reached the ground floor, looking to shield her from view of the Travers home. Still she walked rapidly, almost running. It was only a little after six but the December twilight spread heavy shadows across the street. Norma walked a block, two blocks, with little notion of the direction in which she was heading. She was not familiar with this part of Marlboro. The streets were strange and they wound about irregularly. Houses were set far back from the sidewalks. She was searching for a car line but none came in sight. She must have walked half an hour before she stopped uncertainly at a street intersection. The night wind was cold now. The girl drew her coat closer, shivering. It was a gleaming light of motor traffic. Suddenly a vehicle bulkier than the others loomed in sight. The "Laurel Park bus line" with warm engines, Norma hurried toward the lights. She was too late for the first bus, waited for the next. "Do you go to Eighth street?" she asked the driver when she had climbed on board. "No, ma'am. Broad street's as far as we go. You can get a transfer."

"Thank you," said Norma. She took the slip of pink paper and crammed it into her purse. What difference did it make whether she got off at Eighth street or Broad? One or two other passenger looked at the white-faced girl curiously. She stared through the window, unaware of these glances. Half an hour's ride brought them to Broad street. Norma followed the others out of the bus. She glanced up and down the street then started walking westward. Across the street the hands of an illuminated sidewalk clock shone clearly. Seven forty-five Norma was surprised to find it so late. Last night at this time she and Mark had been packing his traveling bags. Last night? It must have been years ago! "I can't go on this way," Norma told herself. "I've got to decide what to do."

She had come to the end of her plans. Curiously during all the time she had thought about slipping away from the Travers home she had never planned the next step. Of course she must find a place to live. Somewhere Mark's father and mother would not look for her. Chris' apartment would be the first place they would think of—providing they made any effort at all to find her. Norma was not sure they would bother. Still it was better to stay away from Chris. The girl stopped at a corner and bought a newspaper. "I ought to eat something," she remembered. She was not hungry but it would be foolish not to eat. She had scarcely tasted food during the past three days. There was a restaurant down the street where Norma had often lunched, a cheap, clean place. One of a large chain of restaurants. She went there, found a table in an obscure corner of the big room. A few moments later she could not remember what she had asked for. She hoped the food would be hot. It was pleasant and warm in the restaurant. Norma opened her newspaper and began to scan the "Rooms for Rent" section. Then she heard her name spoken. (To Be Continued)

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WIFE'S REPENTANT BROCKTON, Mass.—Mrs. Jennie Verbitski, 35, had her husband arrested on a charge of beating her, and paid his fine when he was found guilty.



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