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warmer in north and east portions.

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## HOUSE PASSES NEW TARIFF MEASURE

### PEEPING THROUGH THE KNOTHOLE

By BILL MAYES

The most startling news of the week was the story from Little Rock, Ark. stating that a newspaper employe was shot and killed by a bandit who escaped with \$5,000 in cash.

The fact that a newspaper employe was shot was not so startling as the fact that a newspaper office had \$5,000 in cash on hand at any time. Some newspaper offices have had \$5,000 in cash on hand at any time.

We have worked in two newspaper offices where the front door was never locked and the other one was locked with a spring lock with a whole hole cut out of the door so that all you had to do to get in was to reach through the panel and turn the catch.

That we never heard of either of these offices being robbed and as we know the doors are still unlocked at night.

Probably one reason burglars give newspapers a wide berth is because there is little value that can be carried off and what can be carried off is not worth the trouble.

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We know some of them were stuck because we grunted while Fire Chief Murphy strained his back trying to pull the one up in the Chamber of Commerce the other day.

### Opposition To Renomination of Hoover Grows

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The opposition to the renomination of President Hoover developed today around the spectacular figure of Charles G. Dawes of Illinois.

Under circumstances which startled Washington and loused a number of conjectures, Dawes announced last night he would resign as ambassador to Great Britain and accept the delegation to the Geneva conference.

Political possibilities were seen in development at the opening of the presidential primary season.

Whether the new agreement will permit his friends to see him as a candidate.

### RED GILES AGAIN IN LAW'S TOILS

By United Press.

Lester R. (Red) Giles, at liberty on appeal bond following conviction on a charge of robbery with firearms at Eastland in December, was again in the toils of the law, according to news dispatches from Amarillo, which said that he was arrested in that city on Wednesday.

He was arrested by peace officers in Amarillo after an exciting chase and held on a charge of carrying concealed weapons, reports said. Officers found a revolver, a pistol and several rounds of ammunition in Giles' car, which also contained a kit of burglar tools, an acetylene tank and torch and dynamite caps, the dispatches said.

Giles was convicted at Midland of violation of the liquor laws and the sentence was recently affirmed. He was at liberty after making an appeal bond.

### Young Brothers Bodies Delayed as Mob Is Feared

By United Press.

VINITA, Okla., Jan. 9.—The bodies of Harry and Jennings Young, slayers of six officers, from Houston to their Springfield home for burial, left here today.

The brothers took their own lives at Houston when arrested. It was feared the bodies probably would be taken to Joplin, Mo., and held there for a day or two until feeling at Springfield subsided. The precautions were taken when officers here were advised a Missouri mob was threatening to seize the bodies and burn them.

Feeling in southwestern Missouri has been at fever pitch since the massacre of the officers who sought to arrest Harry Young.

### Veteran Newspaper Employe Shot By Bandit Who Escaped

By United Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 9.—James E. Chapple, 54, veteran newspaper employe, was shot and killed today by a bandit who entered the business office of the plant, escaping with \$5,000 in cash.

The bandit seized the money and ran toward the oil well. Chapple was locked and he was forced to retreat his steps. Twenty-five employes were covered by the bandit.

### Back Yard Oil Well Boiler Blast

By United Press.

KILGORE, Texas, Jan. 9.—The boiler of a "Jim" oil well in the back yard of a home here exploded today, injuring a fireman, perhaps fatally, and hurting three bystanders less seriously.

The injured fireman is George Ramsey. The well is the Facer-Royd No. 1, which derrick collapsed two weeks ago and hurt two men.

Scores fled from the scene as boiling water and oil sprayed nearby buildings, including the post-office. The well is in the heart of the town.

### Mail Robbery Loot Recovered in Field

By United Press.

LOWELL, Mass., Jan. 9.—One hundred thousand dollars in cash stolen from the United States mails here on New Year's eve was found today buried in a box in a field off Hood road, North Tewksbury.

At the same time postal inspectors announced they had obtained a complete confession from one of two men under arrest.

Protest Abandoning A Texas Railroad

### Found Dead in Plane Crash

By United Press.

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### PIPE LINE PUTS ON 63 MEN ON JOB

By United Press.

Officers of the Texas Construction company, in charge of the work of laying the pipe line from the Strawn gas field to the Leon Plant of the Texas Electric Service company, announced Saturday that 63 men had been put to work Saturday morning to replace men laid off by the company.

Another shift in the working crew is to be made this week, possibly Wednesday or Thursday, it was also announced at the office. This policy of rotating the jobs was established when the work was first started in order to give as many men jobs as possible. When one crew works for several weeks, it is laid off and other men are given an opportunity to work.

Only men from Eastland and Palo Pinto counties are being used in the construction of the pipe line and machinery is being dispensed with wherever possible in order to employ as many men as the job will justify.

Between 40 and 50 men will be put on when the new shift starts work the middle or latter part of the week, it was stated at the company office Saturday.

### Liberalization of Libel Law Urged

By United Press.

DALLAS, Jan. 9.—Liberalization of the Texas libel law was urged here today by A. G. Mays, publisher of the Paris Morning News at a meeting of the program committee of the Texas Press association.

The proposals will be discussed at the annual convention of the association at Mineral Wells in June and efforts made to obtain legislative changes in the statute.

Mays is chairman of the committee. The entire committee was present as follows: Luther Watson, Nolan County News; Walter Murray, Ranger Times; Henry Reese, Gonzales Inquirer; Lowry Martin, Corsicana Sun, and R. L. Scott, DeLeon Free Press.

### F. M. Spurlin Is Hurt In Accident

By United Press.

F. M. Spurlin, employe of the Texas Construction company, was slightly injured when a dynamite charge exploded near him while working at the pipe line between Strawn and the Leon power plant.

In setting off the charge it was thought that everyone was far enough away to escape the force of the blast, but Spurlin was close enough to receive cuts about the face. His condition was reported as not being serious.

### Chicago Picked For Democratic Meet

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The Democratic national committee today selected Chicago for its 1932 convention.

In a fight with Kansas City and San Francisco, the Illinois city won on the first ballot.

### Speaking of the Weather

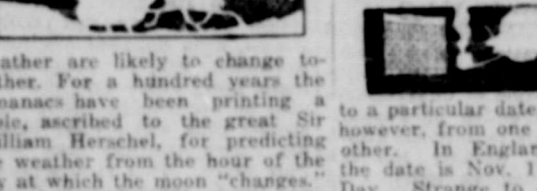
By Charles Fitzhugh Talman of the U.S. Weather Bureau

WRITTEN EXCLUSIVELY FOR NEA SERVICE

Our Climate Isn't Changing, the Moon Doesn't Regulate the Weather and Battles Don't Cause Rain.

The poet does not sing that "Untruth crushed to earth shall rise again," but it is a painful fact that certain popular errors loom up serenely as often as they are knocked down by the bludgeon of science. Meteorology has its share of these invincible fallacies to deal with. Here are a few of the things the man in the street knows about weather that aren't so.

1. "The climate has changed. Especially the winters. In our childhood snow lay on the ground for months at a time. Those good old days of unlimited sleighing! On Christmas Eve, for instance, St. Nick always had plenty of snow for his sled and reindeer." Did you ever see Christmas Eve depicted on a Christmas card without snow?
2. "The moon regulates the weather." Why not? Doesn't the moon cause tides in the ocean? There are dry moons and wet moons, and the moon and the weather, and the moon and the weather are likely to change together. For a hundred years the almanacs have been printing a table, ascribed to the great Sir William Herschel, for predicting the weather from the hour of the day at which the moon "changes." (Sir John Herschel indignantly denied that his father was author of this asinine production.)
3. "Rain follows a big battle." (It has also been known to follow a dog fight.) Think of the drenching downpours our soldiers had to endure in France during the World War—all due to the



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Auburn Abto	138 1/2
Beth Steel	20 1/2
Byers A M	13 1/2
Canada Dry	12 1/2
Case J L	25 1/2
Chrysler	14 1/2
Curtis Wright	1 1/2
East Au L	28 1/2
Elec St Bat	30 1/2
Foster Wheel	10 1/2
Gen Con	4 1/2
Gen Elec	24 1/2
Gen Mot	22 1/2
Gillette S R	13 1/2
Goodyear	16 1/2
Houston Oil	20 1/2
Int Cement	17 1/2
Int Harvester	25 1/2
Johns Manville	21 1/2
Kroger G & B	14 1/2
Liu Carb	16 1/2
Monte Ward	9 1/2
Nat Dairy	27 1/2
Para Publix	16 1/2
Phillips P	5 1/2
Prairie O & G	6 1/2
Pure Oil	4 1/2
Purity Bak	12 1/2
Radio	7 1/2
Seac Roebuck	12 1/2
Shell Union Oil	2 1/2
Southern Pac	30 1/2
Stan Oil N J	28 1/2
Soceny Vac	9 1/2
Studebaker	12 1/2
Texas Corp	12 1/2
Texas Gulf Sul	23 1/2
Und Elliott	17 1/2
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SARASOTA, Fla.—Five thousand persons are expected here in February for the annual Tin Can Tourists of America assembly, and will put up at the new municipal tourist camp, where camping and cottage space for 1,500 parties has been arranged.

### Seek To Oust Mellon, Adams

By United Press.

Congressmen Wright Patman of Texas, Tom and James V. McClintic of Oklahoma, jumped into the spotlight at Washington when they asked the removal of two members of the Hoover cabinet impeached from the floor.



Patman asked the impeachment of Andrew W. Mellon, secretary of the treasury since the Harding administration, and McClintic suggested that Charles Francis Adams, secretary of the navy, resign.

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Nat Dairy	27 1/2
Para Publix	16 1/2
Phillips P	5 1/2
Prairie O & G	6 1/2
Pure Oil	4 1/2
Purity Bak	12 1/2
Radio	7 1/2
Seac Roebuck	12 1/2
Shell Union Oil	2 1/2
Southern Pac	30 1/2
Stan Oil N J	28 1/2
Soceny Vac	9 1/2
Studebaker	12 1/2
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### GUARDSMEN PATROLLING HONOLULU

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HONOLULU, Jan. 9.—A heavy Marine guard was established over the old warship, Alton, tonight to prevent civil authorities boarding the boat to question a prominent woman and two navy officers who faced charges of murdering Joe Kahahawai.

Efforts of civil authorities to board the ship were repeatedly rebuffed and Navy officials said the trio would remain there until it was determined whether civil officials would try them.

Meantime in Honolulu a first degree murder charge was filed against Al Jones of Pearl Harbor, another enlisted man who allegedly stood guard at the Massie home while the Hawaiian was being killed.

### PAUL YOUNG IS CHARGED WITH THEFT

By United Press.

HOUSTON, Jan. 9.—Paul Young, brother of Harry and Jennings Young, was charged in an auto theft case here today. The charge was filed before Justice Overstreet by detectives who said they recovered a car stolen from Paul Lang in Dayton, Texas, Friday night.

The auto was stolen Dec. 25, 1929, when it was parked in front of Lang's home. Young was being held tonight pending word from Springfield officers as to whether they wanted to question him about the Springfield, Mo., killing of six officers.

### MOONEY ASKS FOR NEW TRIAL IN BOMB CASE

By United Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9.—Tom Mooney, serving life in San Quentin prison in connection with the 1916 bombing here, made a surprise move for freedom today when, through his attorneys, he petitioned the court to set aside his conviction and grant him a new trial.

His attorneys filed two motions based on the ground that Mooney's conviction was obtained through fraud and that there was still pending a stipulation made by the then attorney general agreeing to a new trial.

### Gasoline Blast Injuries Four

By United Press.

HUGO, Okla., Jan. 9.—A dishpan of gasoline exploded today in the home of Mrs. W. B. Fulmer, 50. Three women who were cleaning dresses with gasoline and a 2-year-old child were burned.

Mrs. Fulmer was severely injured, suffering burns about the abdomen. The other victims, all of whom were expected to recover, were Mrs. Jack Wallace, Mrs. Ardeila Gilmer and Mrs. Gilmer's infant daughter.

### R. R. Commission Will Take Over East Texas Field

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Jan. 9.—Fred U. Church, assistant attorney general, today advised the Texas railroad commission to hold immediate hearings on East Texas oil production, preliminary resumption of field control.

The assistant attorney general said the end of martial law might possible immediate steps be taken for the return of commission control of the field.

### DEMOCRATS ALL VOTE FOR BILL IN NIGHT MEET

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—A tariff bill sponsored by the democrats and constituting their record on this controversial issue was passed by the house tonight over republican protests after a two-day debate largely political in nature.

The measure which now goes to the senate, strikes directly at republican tariff policy by taking away from the president his power to raise or lower tariff rates 50 per cent upon recommendation of the United States tariff commission.

It also asks President Hoover to call an international conference to reduce present high tariff barriers over the world, an embarrassing request.

### Some Republicans Swing Into Democratic Ranks In Voting

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The vote was 214 to 182 with one member voting present. Twelve republicans left their party to vote with the democrats, while the democrats solidly supported the measure.

### Democracy To Meet On June 27th

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Democrats decided today to hold their presidential nominating convention in Chicago, June 27. This will be two weeks after the republican meet in the same place.

The action was taken by the democratic national committee on one ballot in an exceptionally harmonious meeting. Smouldering tension between the Franklin D. Roosevelt group and other factions was ever present in the background, but National chairman John J. Raskob, at the opening of the meeting did much to shut this feeling out of the session by a frank statement that he bore no hostility toward Governor Roosevelt.

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### Dwight F. Davis Quits as Governor Of Philippines

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Dwight F. Davis resigned today as governor-general of the Philippine Islands and less than an hour later President Hoover appointed Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, now governor of Porto Rico, to succeed him.

In making public his announcement, the president lauded his work in Porto Rico where he said Roosevelt had "administered the affairs of the island with marked ability and success."

### Reputed Ringleader Of Jailbreak Is Caught in Ft. Worth

By United Press.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 9.—Russell Welch, reputed ringleader in the escape of 14 prisoners from the Van Zandt county jail at Canton new year's night, was captured here today.

He was discovered hiding beneath a pile of clothing in the bathroom of an apartment where a relative lived after officers made a second search of the place. Welch, surrendered without resistance and was taken to jail here. He is under indictment at Canton on burglary charges.

### MOTOR SHIP LAUNCHED

By United Press.

GOTHENBURG, Jan. 9.—The largest ship ever built in Sweden—a motor tanker of 15,000 tons—was being delivered by the Gots Works shipyard here. This yard delivers 15 motor ships totaling about 150,000 tons loading capacity and launched seven of 84,000 tons.

### DUTIES CLOSE CASTLE

By United Press.

LYNBFORD, Kent, England.—Owing to heavy death duties on the late Sir William Hart Dyke, and the burden of taxation, Sir Oliver Hart Dyke has been forced to close Lynbford castle, which has been the home of the Hart Dykes for more than 500 years.



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**AMERICA PROTESTS.**  
 The United States government has sent a note to the Japanese and Chinese governments directly invoking American treaty rights in the far east and serving unequivocal notice that the American government will not admit the legality of Japan's occupation of Manchuria. This notification of American policy is a radical departure from the previous tone of diplomatic representations and indicates that the attitude of the American government is becoming indignation at what seems to be Japanese disregard of treaty structures and the rights of Americans in the world area affected.

The western powers, during the recent Manchurian difficulties and the aggressive, if not predatory, activities of Japan in that territory, have suffered in Oriental opinion. The once powerful prestige of America, Great Britain and their associated Occidental powers in eastern affairs has been materially weakened by its apparent failure to compel the respect of the Japanese who have gone forward with a program of conquest in ruthless disregard of the protests or influence of the western nations. The yellow man, at first amazed its becoming contemptuous. Is white supremacy to yield to the rising forces being generated among the almost one billion of yellow peoples who inhabit a vast region of the globe stretching from the Nipponese Isles to the Suez?

**DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK**  
 By EDSON R. WAITE  
 Shawnee, Okla.

That in the minds of the public, advertising has a decidedly distinctive place. It has been put there by the definite policy of persistent advertisers in advertising only the best in quality.

Well advertised products, on account of their high quality and the service they give, have proven themselves the best time and time again.

It is a well known fact that persistent advertisers never substitute for quality. Substitutes for quality never satisfy.

Discriminating buyers demand advertised products for their quality is guaranteed and they always give complete satisfaction.

Of the many methods of advertising created, none has met with such cordial appreciation as advertising through the printed page.

Advertising through the printed page meets every requirement of every line of business. It surpasses in economy and brings better results than any other known method of advertising.

Good advertising not only brings business but builds prestige. Wise business concerns profit by its service.

More and better advertising creates a desire on the part of its readers to possess. Persistent advertising means more sales and more sales mean more profits.

S. D. Welby, editor of the Bartlesville (Okla.) Morning Examiner says:

"Newspapers are not going into the discard.

"The new talking picture advertising on the screen isn't going to replace newspaper advertising to any great extent, if any.

"Radio advertising isn't going to grow and grow while newspaper advertising shrinks and shrinks.

"Campaign organs and hand bills of various kinds are not going to replace the newspaper for certain kinds of advertising and for forming intelligent public opinion.

"The radio, the motion picture screen and personal organs are not going to thrive at the expense of the newspaper.

"All these things have their place and their value and can fill that place and deliver their value without supplanting or crippling the newspaper.

"One reason for the newspaper holding its position and advancing from time to time is because the newspaper fills a need, and the second reason is because the newspaper editors and publishers have grown with their job.

"A newspaper is a medium which must be intelligently used to be effective, and the more intelligent it is the more its effectiveness increases. An intelligence is just another word for common sense. The only trouble with failing to define intelligence is because some think smart aleckism, trickiness and anything other than direct, honest and properly directed advertising is an exhibition of intelligence."

**Joe Burkett To Run For Congress**  
 AUSTIN, Jan. 9.—A Texas modification on prohibition legislation will be avoided in the election of congressmen-at-large if it became apparent here tonight.

Only the immediate calling of a special session of the legislature to redistrict can prevent a state-wide ballot on three candidates for congress.

Joe Burkett of San Antonio, former state senator and state highway commissioner, announced he will be a candidate on a modification platform.

**RIFLE CLUB COMPLETES GOOD YEAR**

The American Legion Rifle club of Ranger completed a very successful year, according to reports just mailed to the National Rifle association of Washington, D. C., by President Jim Ingram and Secretary Roy Speed.

The report shows that the club finished the year, after holding several shoots, with every bill paid and a little money in the bank.

This report was unusually good when it is remembered that only two years ago the present range was installed at a cost of approximately \$400. All the cost of the range and all current expenses for the two years have been taken care of with a small balance left in the bank.

A meeting of the club is to be called in the near future, Jim Ingram said Saturday, in order to hold the annual election of officers for the ensuing year.

The club is expected to be more active this year than it was last, due to the fact that they have no back bills to pay off and because of the renewed interest that is expected to be shown in the club because of the formation of the junior rifle club, which will begin full time practices soon.

**Elks Athletic Show Presents Fighters Monday**

Sam Matlock, 160 pounds, of Breckenridge will meet Utley Puckett, 164 pounds, of Fort Worth, in an eight-round bout as the feature of the boxing division of the Elks Athletic show in Ranger Monday night.

In the wrestling division, Red Grace, 155 pounds, will wrestle Bill Angus, 155 pounds, in the best two out of three falls. Grace is from Eastland and Angus is from Tiffin.

In the preliminary wrestling bouts, Glen Stiel, 145 pounds, of Ranger, will grapple with Bill Donoho, 140 pounder of Ranger, and H. A. "Salty" Salter, 135 pounds, of Tiffin will box Leonard Pounds, 135 pounder of Ranger, in a four-round match.

Jake Smith of Cisco will box four rounds with Sam Evans, 145 pounds, of Ranger. Smith weighs in as a 145 pounder, also.

**Wolf's Hide Starts Row Between Pals**

SUDBURY, Ont., Jan. 9.—A wolf, or rather a wolf's hide, ruptured temporarily the friendship between Albert Vachon and Bill Rutka, Rayside township farmers.

Vachon appeared in court and charged the hide Rutka had stripped from a wolf was his. Vachon explained that he had wounded the wolf but it had escaped, Rutka finding it and ending its life.

Magistrate Stoddard dismissed the case. Vachon got the pelt. Rutka the bounty, the two men shared costs of court, and they were friends again.

**JAPAN PREPARES NOTE.**  
 TOKYO, Jan. 9.—Japan's reply to the United States Manchurian note will say that Japan has no intention of infringing on China's sovereignty, it was learned today.

ARP—Peyton Bros. No. 1 W. B. Ferry, two and one-half miles south of proven production in Rusk county, tested at rate of 3,000,000 cubic feet of dry gas from total depth of 3,717 feet.



**GRIPINGS**  
 By GUS

This column is published as a daily feature and may not be construed as representing the editorial views of this paper. What follows is merely what one man thought at the time it was written, and the writer reserves the right to change his mind concerning any subject, without notice, explanation or apology.

In those days it came to pass that the shift key on the typewriter became locked and it was impossible to make capital letters. Therefore if any errors in capitalizing occur in this column, it will be a just and honest charge against the typewriter.

Yesterday noon I succumbed to the insistence of Sid Pitzer and went to Cisco with him. And who should be a member of the party but J. L. Cottingham, a columnist in one of the weekly histories. Cottingham made a dirty crack about me in his column this week when he accused the gas company of trying to sell gas through a newspaper column instead of through iron pipes and I don't like it a bit. The gas company doesn't look any better than anybody else to me. I wouldn't do a thing for that company that I wouldn't do for anybody else.

They are having a big political pow-wow down in Gorman today in the interest of tax reductions. Mighty fine I'll tell you. Some say it was a Republican gathering. If it was there couldn't have been more than a dozen postmasters present. Me being a Republican myself I couldn't attend a meeting of a Democratic taxpayers league and so I didn't consider myself invited.

If Joe Jones wins his race against Tom Blanton, he may get me appointed postmaster at Dathan. Grady Owens and Milton Lawrence have agreed that if either of them wins the race for criminal district attorney that they will appoint me as special investigator for the district. Bill McTald says that if he doesn't have an opponent he will let me use that fine hand-made shotgun to hunt ducks with next fall. None of the candidates for county judge have promised me anything and so I won't mention their names.

Fred Blatt finally got to me last night. He sent Joe Cole around to get me started in one of these games like you see around the drug stores. . . . where you pull the trigger and the ball will fall in the 500 hole. I didn't take me long to break Joe because he didn't have but four bits. Then a traveling man by the name of Cole dropped into the game and I sicked him for his two bits, then red came along and I took the whole bunch of us in. I didn't lose a game and the law of averages ruled against me or I would have beaten Fred. He barely made show money out of me and I'll take him into camp yet.

You'll see an advertisement in today's paper of the First National Bank of Cisco. Alex Spears said he had taken special pains to take care of the customers of Eastland and that he appreciated their business. He said also that he didn't want to take the attitude of substituting in on us folks because we don't have a bank, but that he wanted to be of whatever service he could to Eastland people and didn't want nobody to get mad because he was running an advertisement every here. I told him there wouldn't be nobody get mad because most folks here appreciate the kindly and courteous attitude he has taken toward Eastland folks. And that is a fact, too.

I think it's mighty nice of bankers in other towns to help us along. It shows that the other towns in the county don't hold no animosity toward us. It often takes times of trouble to show us that we got friends we didn't figure on.

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Respectfully,  
 R. L. RUST.

BAIRD—Lone Star Gas Co. relaying about three and one-half miles of their gas line east of city near George ranch.

**THIS CURIOUS WORLD**



**Lindbergh's Gifts From Orient On Display at St. Louis**

By United Press  
 ST. LOUIS.—The odd assortment of gifts the Charles A. Lindberghs received on their flying visit to Japan last summer, are on display, along with thousands of other trophies of the famous flier, at Jefferson Memorial here.

Two big packing boxes brought the latest additions to the Lindbergh display, recently. There are medals, dolls, fountain pens, vases.

Arrival of the gifts, including that Colonel Lindbergh intended to continue with his early plan sending all gifts that he and wife will not be able to find place for in their home.

Photographs, paintings, vases, blue pottery, two silver medals, ship cards in the American Club of Tokyo, beautiful lacquer boxes, silk and ivory fan, leather wallet, and a menu of dinner at the Maple club in Tokyo are among the objects.

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Remember—it is our desire to help you heat your home as efficiently and economically as possible. If we can assist you in adjusting appliances, in inspecting your plumbing, or in any other way, we shall be glad to do so without charge.

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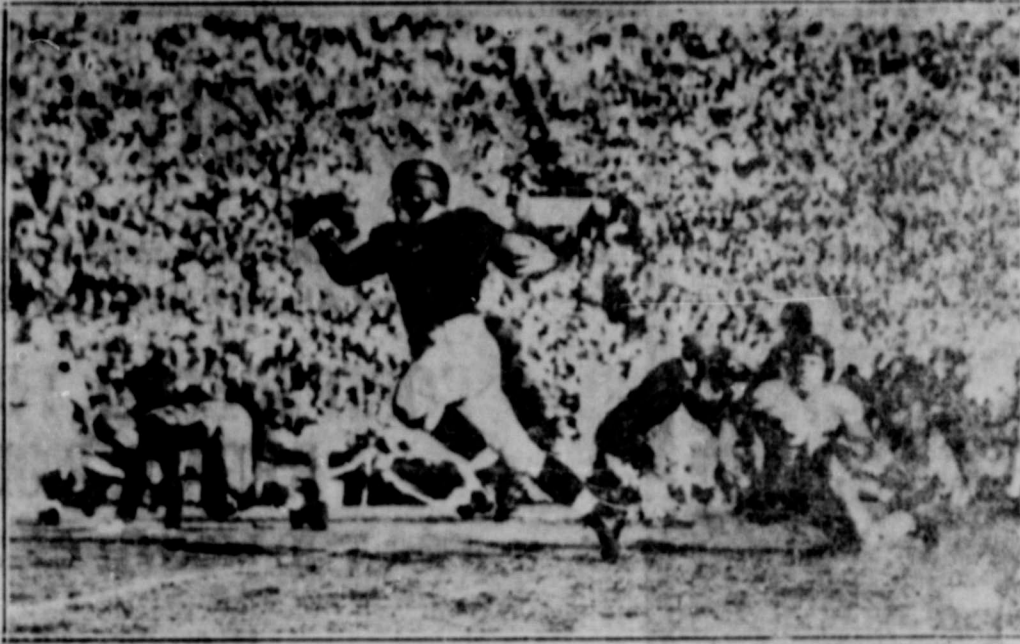
This is the fourth of a series of ads designed to help you get more value from your gas service.



SPEAKING of SPORTS

By DIXON STEWART, Staff Writer. Another birthday. A dozen years...

The Green Wave Breaks on Southern California



Southern California captured the national football championship by beating the hitherto undefeated Tulane eleven 21 to 12 in the Tournament of Roses game at Pasadena, Calif., played for charity.

THREE EVENTS STAND OUT IN 1931 SPORTS DRAMA

By WILLIAM BRAUCHER, Staff Writer. NEW YORK.—In the year of sports that is ending, three events stand out as the most dramatic.

Iron Men From Iron Mountain



Two very capable reasons why Marquette University is a high ranking mid-western athletic institution are presented here. They are the Ronzani brothers, Eugene, left, and Floyd. Gene is a three-point star and a junior. Floyd is a sophomore.

debated by adherents of the Boston horse, Mate, which twice defeated the Whitney galloper. These were great events, full of the kind of color that causes Gus Fan to leave his seat and leap shouting into the air.

Greatest individual performance—Grange's four touchdowns in the opening quarter of an Army-Navy football game. Greatest football game—The Army-Navy 21 to 21 tie at Chicago.

Most colorful sports events—The International Military Jumping competition at Madison Square Garden in 1929. The British Empire United States night track and field meet at Chicago in 1930.

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HOKY AND SLIDES Henry L. Farrell

A Soft Touch? UPON reading that King Levin, rising young Chicago heavyweight, was matched to meet Paulino Lucadun Jan. 15, you might have said, off-hand, "Well, well, so they are hauling that old punching bag out again!"

Army-Navy THE announcement that the Army and Navy would resume their games next year was not so much of a surprise, after all. A couple of weeks before the breach finally was healed, there was a little piece in the papers saying that Navy was going to recruit some good football players for next year.

The Rope Act NOW and again during the course of the wrestling entertainment provided by Professor James Lardner, the professor suffers himself to be hurled against the ropes, where he swings by hand and foot. The only elements possibly needed to complete this act would be a few coconuts for the professor to toss at his adversary and, perhaps, a spinal appendage to help him hang while he is leaving them.

Finn's Testimony GEORGE PFANN, All-America quarterback at Cornell eight years ago, played Rugby at Oxford for two years after being graduated. He declares that because of the big difference in the two games, Rugby never can supplant football as a sport for American young men.

Contest Letter Is Given Recognition

The following letter, addressed to the Contest Editor of the Ranger Times in answer to requests for answers to the question as to when it is proper for a man to strike a woman, was considered so good that it is being reproduced. The letter, which was written by Pusane Fullwood of Ranger, follows: "224, please!"

Grasiano Host To Times Route Boys

By Grasiano, manager of the Arcadia theatre, was host to the route boys of the Ranger Times at the theatre Friday night when he admitted all the boys who deliver papers for the Times, free.

The Arcadia Theatre Will Give Guest Tickets

(see name in classified column) to see "PRIVATE LIVES" Now Playing Or Any Other Show

CENTENARIAN SEES FIRST MOVIE

By United Press. DETROIT.—Simon Reineke, 101 years old, who says he "out-grew" rheumatism, has seen his first moving picture. The movie was a picture of himself, taken by relatives. The need man came here from Quincy, Ill., two years ago.

VALVES GROUND!

If the valves in your car need grinding we can do it for you. WORK GUARANTEED! Quick Service Garage Phone 23 Ranger, Texas

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LADIES' SHOES Straps, Pumps, and Ties. Many neat patterns and a variety of materials. \$1. United Dry Goods Store, 219 Main Inc. Ranger

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The American Legion Rifle Club of Ranger completed a very successful year, according to reports just mailed to the National Rifle Association of Washington, D. C., by President Jim Ingram and Secretary Roy Speed.

The report shows that the club finished the year, after holding several shoots, with every bill paid and a little money in the bank.

This report was unusually good when it is remembered that only two years ago the present range was installed at a cost of approximately \$400. All the cost of the range and all current expenses for the two years have been taken care of with a small balance left in the bank.

A meeting of the club is to be called in the near future, Jim Ingram said Saturday, in order to hold the annual election of officers for the ensuing year.

The club is expected to be more active this year than it was last, due to the fact that they have no back bills to pay off and because of the renewed interest that is expected to be shown in the club because of the formation of the junior rifle club, which will begin full time practices soon.

**Elks Athletic Show Presents Fighters Monday**

Sam Matlock, 160 pounds, of Breckenridge will meet Utley Puckett, 164 pounds, of Fort Worth, in an eight-round bout as the feature of the boxing division of the Elks Athletic show in Ranger Monday night.

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By United Press  
 SUDBURY, Ont., Jan. 9.—A wolf, or rather a wolf's hide, ruptured temporarily the friendship between Albert Vachon and Bill Rutka, Rayside township farmers.

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- 6 Do not use a large heater to heat a small room such as a bathroom or breakfast room. A small heater, made to heat just that size of room, is much more economical.
- 7 Do not heat several rooms when you are occupying and using only one. Keep doors leading to unheated rooms closed.
- 8 Do not turn gas so high that flames go over the top of asbestos back heaters. This wastes gas.

Remember—it is our desire to help you heat your home as efficiently and economically as possible. If we can assist you in adjusting appliances, in inspecting your plumbing, or in any other way, we shall be glad to do so without charge.

**ANSWERING THE CALL FOR SERVICE** **TEXAS LOUISIANA POWER COMPANY** **ECONOMICAL QUALITY MERCHANDISE**

This is the fourth of a series of ads designed to help you get more value from your gas service.



SPEAKING of SPORTS

By DIXON STEWART, Press Staff Correspondent.
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The Green Wave Breaks on Southern California



Southern California captured the national football championship by beating the hitherto undefeated Tulane eleven 21 to 12 in the Tournament of Roses game at Pasadena, Calif., played for charity. This NEA Service telephoto shows Shaver, Trojan quarterback, making one of his sensational runs in the first half.

THREE EVENTS STAND OUT IN 1931 SPORTS DRAMA

By WILLIAM BRAUCHER, N.Y.A. Service Sports Writer.
NEW YORK. In the year of sports that is ending, three events stand out as the most dramatic. They are:
The downfall of the football dynasty of Notre Dame.

The conquest of the Athletics by the Cardinals.

The defeat of George Von Elm, in 72 extra holes, by Billy Burke.

The year was marked by other important incidents. Max Schmeling, hitherto lightly regarded, established himself as a heavyweight champion worthy of the crown.

Tony Cantoneri, lightweight champion of the world, demonstrated by his fighting heart and skill that he was worthy to be called successor to the title once held by Joe Gans and by Benny Leonard.

Battling Battalino, believed to be a fluke champion after he had hammered Andre Routsis from under the featherweight title, surprised the fight world by proving himself one of the most formidable of the current champions.

Ellsworth Vines, coming on like a comet, defeated George Lott for the national tennis championship and, by his style of play, proved one of the most colorful players Maurice McLoughlin.

Helen Wills Moody, coming out of retirement, clearly displayed mastery over the rest of her field by regaining the national championship.

Helen Hicks, husky eastern girl, fought her way to the top of the golf world by defeating a fine field in the Women's National.

The Navy crew, the last to be coached by Richard "Pop" Glendon, swept to the fore at Poughkeepsie in the national intercollegiate regatta—after which "pop" resigned.

Twenty Grand won the three-year-old championship, establishing a new record in the Kentucky Derby, but his title will always be

Iron Men From Iron Mountain



Two very capable reasons why Marquette University is a high ranking mid-western athletic institution are presented here. They are the Romani brothers, Eugene, left, and Floyd. Gene is a three-port star and a junior. Floyd is a sophomore. They play the guard positions on the Marquette basketball five. Gene has played two seasons in the backfield of the Golden Avalanches and has been elected captain of the 1932 eleven. Floyd played guard on the 1931 eleven. The Romaniis hail from Iron Mountain, Mich.

debated by adherents of the Bestwick horse, Mate, which twice defeated the Whitney galloper.

These were great events, full of the kind of color that causes Gus Kan to leave his seat and leap shouting into the air. But of them all, there was perhaps none to equal the thrill at South Bend when Southern California came from an apparently hopelessly beaten position in the last quarter to overcome the Notre Dame Ramblers, 16 to 14.

Or, to compare with the eye-filling drama of those dashes of pepper Martin during the world series in which the Cardinals topped the A's from their baseball throne—or the heroic pitching of Burleigh Grimes in the seventh and deciding game of the diamond classic.

Again, to measure up to the suspense of that quelling grind at Inverness when Billy Burke, son of a Connecticut iron molder, finally edged George Von Elm by a single stroke after 144 holes of super-human golf.

Of these three mighty struggles, which shall be called greatest? Notre Dame's defeat, the Cardinals' conquest or the ascendancy of Burke as national open champion? Any reply must be debatable.

Notre Dame again during 1931 had been deemed unbeatable after her early season victories and that scoreless tie game with Northwestern. But, about the Irish some little of what they had possessed under Rockne was missing, a certain perfection of rhythm, blocking and selection of plays. Added to this was the fact that Southern California brought to the middle west perhaps the greatest Trojan team in history, a team that worked together perfectly, a team that seemed to be guided, too, by some master at slight-of-hand. Above and beyond that, the Trojan team was one that refused to give up. It snatched victory away from the Ramblers when triumph had seemed assured, crowding into the waning minutes of play a whole season-full of unbelievable thrills.

The sports world generally had regarded Earnshaw and Grove as the masters of any baseball club under the sun. Ninety per cent of the country's experts chose the Athletics to defeat the Cardinals by virtue of these splendid pitchers and the bats of Cochran, Simmons and Fox. Yet it was not to be. An obscure ball player—Pepper Martin, from Oklahoma—steals the show, goes a few bases headless, and batted the amazing average of .500.

And it was the ancient Grimes who turned out to be the patscher who couldn't be beaten, after all. For their suspense, probably the

HOW AND SLIDES Henry L. Farrell

A Cut, Touch? UPON reading that Kier Levin, rising young Chicago heavyweight, was matched to meet Paulino Uzcudun Jan. 15, you might have said, off-hand, "Well, well, so they are hauling that old punching bag out again!" But perhaps one should accord the luxury of a second thought about that. The King may find out in this one that there's nothing to that old bologna. "The king can do no wrong."

Army-Navy THE announcement that the Army and Navy would resume their games next year was not so much of a surprise, after all. A couple of weeks before the breach finally was healed, there was a little play in the papers saying that Navy was going to recruit some good football players for next year. Shortek Holmes surely would have known.

The Rope Act NOW and again during the course of the wrestling entertainment provided by Professor James London, the professor suffers himself to be hurled against the ropes, where he swings by hand and foot. The only elements possibly needed to complete this act would be a few coconuts for the professor to toss at his adversary and, perhaps, a special appendage to help him hang while he is leaving them.

Pfann's Testimony GEORGE PFANN, All America quarterback at Cornell eight years ago, played Rugby at Oxford for two years after being graduated. He declares that because of the big difference in the two games, Rugby never can supplant football as a sport for American young men. Pfann also pays a tribute to the influence a coach can exert upon a young man's life when he says: "I've forgotten most of the professional I had, but I'll never forget good old 'Dobie'."

Robbie's Error JIM ELLIOTT, sent down the river to the Phils by Brooklyn last year, won 19 games for the Quakers, the averages reveal. Aside from making the important disclosure that the Phils actually did win 19 games, the figure makes you wonder how the Robins would have done last year had Uncle Simons kept Elliott.

RESTORE SWEDISH FLAGS STOCKHOLM.—Swedish flags and standards from 1660, now in Paris, will be returned to Sweden by France, to which country they were exported after an auction sale here, in 1820. The relics have been stored in the Museum of the Invalides many decades, having once formed a part of the private collection of Emperor Napoleon III.

Contest Letter Is Given Recognition The following letter, addressed to the Contest Editor of the Ranger Times in answer to requests for answers to the question as to when it is proper for a man to strike a woman, was considered so good that it is being reproduced. The letter, which was written by Pauline Fullwood of Ranger, follows: "224, please!" "Hello! Is this the Ranger Times?" "I'd like to give you an answer to the contest on 'When it is proper for a husband to slap his wife.'"

"I am a single girl; therefore, what have to say cannot be out into effect. If I was married, I might get slapped for this same reason."

"One time a man and his wife decided to cut down expenses. He was to stop smoking and walk home from work; just 15 blocks. He got home at 11:30 and found only milk and bread for the evening meal. Fire turned out to save gas, so lights to read by, etc. Then she showed him an Ermine coat, four dresses, and a number of other things she had bought. He looked at her and he should have said: 'There's other good reasons, but this is the best. Thanks, Good-by.'"

KING'S SHEEP SOLD STOCKHOLM.—Blooded Shropshire sheep from the farms of King Gustaf, of Sweden, have been bought by Latvian agricultural associations in Riga for breeding purposes. All in all, some 60 animals have been shipped.

CENTENARIAN SEES FIRST MOVIE By United Press. DETROIT.—Simon Reineke, 101 years old, who says he "grew" rheumatism, has seen his first moving picture. The movie was pictures of himself, taken by relatives. The aged man came here from Quincy, Ill., two years ago.

SPARROWS GET SEASONS MIXED By United Press. KINGSTON, Ont.—A pair of sparrows, deceived by continued warm weather, have built a nest and hatched a brood of four. George Haffner, landlord of the sparrow apartment, is doing his best to rectify their mistake by building a shelter for them.

VALVES GROUND! If the valves in your car need grinding, we can do it for you. WORK GUARANTEED! Quick Service Garage Phone 23 Ranger, Texas

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THE Arcadia Theatre Will Give Guest Tickets (see name in classified column) to see "PRIVATE LIVES" Now Playing Or Any Other Show

LET US WORRY OVER YOUR WASH DAYS FOR THE YEAR 1932! WE TEST Our Laundering Water! Do You? Why not resolve this year to let a good laundry take over your wash day burdens. We'll do it as carefully as if it were done in your own home, and at no extra expense! We'll call for and deliver your washing. Our prices are so low they'll surprise you!

We're probably a lot more particular with your clothes than you'd be yourself! That's a strong statement, but we think you'll agree. For instance—the water we use for washing your clothes is scientifically tested (1) for temperature—so it will be just right; (2) for softness—no harsh alkaline soap shall touch your clothes! (3) for agitation—we adjust our washing machines to handle filmy, sooty underthings or heavy materials with greatest efficiency.

Ask Our Drivers About Our Wet or Dry Wash Plan RANGER STEAM LAUNDRY J. A. THROWER, Prop. Ranger, Texas Phone 236

Starts Over



Juanita Hansen, above, former film star, is back in California with \$118,000 awarded her as damages in a suit brought against a New York hotel for being scalded in a shower. She hopes to stage a comeback in the movies.

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Golden, Florist Cal. Flowers, Pot Plants, Neatness, Seeds and Gifts, Union Plaza, N. 1st St.

Betty Jane Bread Speed's Bakery Ranger

HOUSEHOLD NECESSITIES! Not only do you need these items in your home but they will help you lighten your housework.

Extra Special! Regular \$1.00 Value Metal WASTE-BASKET

50c A beautiful basket in a convenient size. In assorted colors.

Other Low-Priced Items A complete stock of household needs at LOWER PRICES.

Mops and Buckets—O-Cedar Polish and Oil—Tubes—Brooms—Floor Wax—Sanette Cans with removable galvanized containers.

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### CHURCHES

**D. W. Nichol, minister (A Friendly Church)**  
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Additional space has been provided for our classes to care for the crowded condition. Come and be with us Sunday promptly at 10 a. m. Comfortable rooms and competent teachers. Parents, don't send your children—bring them! We have a class for you.

Preaching, 11 a. m. Subject, "Influence." Text, Matt. 5:12. To what extent are we responsible for the souls of others? Be with us for the morning service and let us study this highly important question from a Bible viewpoint.

Communion services, 11:45. Young people meet 6:45 p. m. The minister will have a message for the young people at this time. Bring your friends with you and let us enjoy this work together.

Preaching, 7 p. m. Subject, "Rest for the Soul." Scripture reading, Matt. 11:20-30. A stirring message to those who are lightheaded and tired.

Communion services, 7:45. Ladies' Bible class, Monday, 2 p. m. Lesson, Gen. 19th chapter. Just one hour devoted to a real study of the Scriptures. You are invited to attend this study regardless of your church affiliations.

Wednesday evening Bible study, 7:30. Lesson, fifth chapter of Ephesians. This is a splendid opportunity for one to gain a "work-in-knowledge" of the Bible. You will be welcomed.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Wesley and Marston.  
G. W. Thomas, pastor.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
The pastor will occupy the pulpit at both hours.

Let us be glad to have sunshine and a large attendance upon all the services. Everybody welcome.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Gid J. Bryan, pastor.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Walter Harwell, superintendent.  
Preaching by pastor, 11 a. m. Epworth league, 6:15 p. m.  
Preaching by pastor, 7 p. m.

Let us keep our good attendance as we go on into the new year. If you want to be a real Christian, be sure to attend both services every Sunday. Do not just half try. Thank God with your whole heart.

Then when you find Him you will want to come to church at both services. Broader, superabundant.

"I was glad when they said unto me, 'Let us go into the house of the Lord.'"

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday school, 10 a. m. H. S. Von Eschen, superintendent.  
Golden Rule Bible class, taught by Mr. Holloway. This is a class for men and they are having a great time. Come and join it.

Preaching by a Dr. Randolph Clark at 11 a. m. Come and hear Brother Clark, for he will bring a good and wholesome sermon.

Communion just before morning sermon.  
Special music at morning services.

Junior Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Senior Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. with Edward Kluwer, president.

Preaching by the pastor, 7:15 p. m. Subject, "The Convincing Power of Christianity." At this service the pastor will tell you Cain's wife was. Come and get the answer.

Official board meeting Monday evening at 7:30. Let every member of the board take notice and be present.

Little Miss Develia McDowell will favor the congregation with a piano solo, "On the Blue Lagoon," at the evening service. Don't miss hearing this number as it will be a very pleasing rendition.

Come and worship with us in any or all of the services of the day. We are having splendid conditions at all the services of the church.

**PASTOR EXPRESSES APPRECIATION**  
Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church, wishes to express his deep appreciation to his many friends for the splendid gifts at the party that was given in his behalf Thursday evening.

**ST. RITA'S CHURCH**  
Masses will be at 8 and 10 a. m. by Rev. F. Ranno.  
Today is the feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, and is the ideal type of Christian family. The Gospel read today is taken from St. Luke, 11:42-52. It tells of the family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, going up to Jerusalem to comply with the Mosaic law which enrolled all male children of 12 years of age as subjects of the law. On the return journey Christ was lost for three days. Then he returned to Nazareth and lived for 30 years subject to his parents. This is an ideal for all children to follow and an example for all parents to require obedience from their children.

**CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
H. H. Stenhouse, pastor.  
9:45 a. m. Sunday school, T. Anderson, superintendent. The teachers and officers on time at 10:30. He on time.

11 a. m., preaching by pastor, subject, "Facing the Future with Hope."  
7:30 p. m., E. Y. P. Zone meeting at New Hope church. All plan to attend.

6:30 p. m., Training service. Let every member of our church take advantage of this service, and become a better trained Christian worker.

7:30 p. m., preaching by pastor, subject, "Prosperity Promised." Mr. Maddox in charge of the choir will have a song service of all time songs 15 minutes before the pastor speaks.

Monday, 3:45 p. m.—W. M. S. meets in circles, with Bible study, Matt. 1 and 2 of Hebrews.

Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.—Prayer meeting. The pastor will give a

### Bryan Flays Winker "Deal"



Governor Charles W. Bryan of Nebraska has bitterly attacked the action of state officials there which resulted in the recovery of practically all of the loot in the \$3,000,000 robbery of a Lincoln, Neb., bank. Gus Winker, Chicago gangster, was released after he had proven an alibi in the case and later kept his promise to see that stolen securities were recovered. Shown in the picture above are Alexander Jamie, seated, chief investigator for Chicago's "Secret Six"; Max Towle, right, prosecuting attorney at Lincoln, and Sergeant Roy Steffens. Bryan is shown in the inset.

### "TWO-GUN" CROWLEY AWAITS ELECTRIC CHAIR AS SLAYER OF NEW YORK POLICEMAN

By SANDOR S. KLEIN  
The annals of Nassau county, airplanes and bloodhounds and every available man was pressed into the search for it was no longer "that young punk Crowley" who was wanted. It was "Two-Gun" Crowley, the "cop-killer."

Meanwhile, in Manhattan, two detectives working on the Brennan case, met one Billie Dunn, a blonde dance hall hostess, out on parole from Bedford Reformatory. She talked freely. Sure, she knew Crowley. Wasn't she his girl before he discarded her for that "Walsh kid"? And from her they learned Crowley's hide-out.

**Creaky Board**  
Accompanied by three other detectives, the sluths went to the address in a rooming house on West 10th street. They walked lightly up the carpeted stairs but a loose board creaked.

"Who's that?" inquired a high-pitched, almost treble voice.  
Their silence was met with a hail of bullets through the door of a top floor apartment. The detectives retreated and summoned help. Shortly, more than 150 policemen and detectives were at the scene. Police Commissioner Edward P. Mulrooney himself, directed the siege. Machine guns were posted on surrounding rooftops, blue-coated sharpshooters crouched behind windows of buildings opposite and a steady hail of lead poured into the gunman's stronghold. A police emergency squad ripped a hole in the roof and tossed tear gas bombs through the aperture into the apartment. Crowley simply tossed the bombs back at the policemen.

**Two-Hour Battle**  
For nearly two hours the battle raged until finally, Crowley, wounded four times, surrendered. Under a bed, detectives found the not too valiant Durringer cringing for fear a bullet might strike him. They also found Helen Walsh crying hysterically.

In Crowley's pockets detectives found several notes he apparently had written during the siege. "When I die," said one of them, "put a lily in my hand; let the boys know how they'll look Underneath my coat lays a weary kind heart that wouldn't harm anything. I had nothing else to do. That's why I went around bumping off cops. It's the new sensation of the films."

On the way to the hospital, detectives found two revolvers hidden in Crowley's trouser leg. "What did you expect me to do?" he snarled in explanation. "I'm going to the chair anyway."

**Quick Indictment**  
Less than 24 hours later a Nassau county grand jury indicted him for Hirsch's murder while up in the Bronx. Durringer was committed to die for Virginia Brennan's slaying.

Crowley's trial was brief. The jurors deliberated 20 minutes and returned a verdict of guilty, thus satisfying one of Crowley's wishes that they "get this thing over with quick."

The very day Crowley entered Sing Sing he displayed his vicious nature. Guards found hidden on him a dagger he had improvised from a small spoon. In punishment, he was placed in one of the execution cells, but a few yards removed from the electric chair, where he witnessed several men march by to their doom.

**Crowley's "Double"**  
He made a brief excursion outside the prison walls when he was taken to New York to testify in the case of his so-called "double," Patrick O'Brien, who was charged with committing a robbery which Crowley claimed he did.

Today, Crowley, uneasy at his approaching fate, spends his time reading. He is allowed but one magazine at a time because several weeks ago he contrived to make a weapon out of his reading matter by wrapping wire around a bundle of paper.

"Environment," psychologists say in explanation of his career of crime.

But to Police Commissioner Mulrooney he is "just a skinny kid with the soul of a rat."

### POLITICS WARMS WITH SEVERAL READY TO RUN

By RAYMOND BROOKS  
AUSTIN.—George H. Sheppard of Sweetwater, comptroller of Texas who is at the middle of his first elected term, is ready now to offer his services for a second term. He will, within a short time, announce for re-election, on a platform of solid achievements since he has taken hold of the tax-collecting department of the state government.

Here are evidences of the way in which Comptroller Sheppard has brought efficiency into an office that was badly muddled when he took it over.

He found seven division heads within the department who received tax payments, and who were not under bond under the old system.

Now every person in the department, from the comptroller himself down to the janitor, is under bond payable to the state.

He found a jumbled, unorganized assemblage of divisions and sub-departments, with money coming in to various different divisions, and no direct responsibility on anybody. Now all receiving agencies have been grouped under a single head, and one official in charge and fully responsible.

Antiquated account-keeping records have been replaced by modern systems. Accurate financial reports, broken down to show every type of receipt and disbursement of every institution and department are now being made monthly.

The comptroller and state auditor's department have worked together to extend efficiency to every phase of the state's business. The departments worked together in collaboration with the fee committee for results that save the state over \$1,000,000 a year.

All the county tax collectors who were behind in paying over state money have been brought to day by Comptroller Sheppard.

Due to the democratic control of congress and the presence of a Texan in the speaker's chair, all the Texas congressional races will be of state wide interest next spring.

Congressman J. P. Buchanan is just starting his twentieth year of service in the national house. His friends in the nine counties of his Central Texas district did not wait for him to announce for re-election, but even before the first of the year had prepared petitions by which they themselves will file his name as a candidate in all the counties. This involved nine petitions, each bearing 25 names, each of the signers making affidavit that he is an actual qualified voter in the county.

Congressman ranks second on the house appropriations committee, and is chairman of the committee in charge of agricultural appropriations.

Congressman Marvin Jones of Amarillo is said to be making tentative gestures for a race against Senator Morris Sheppard when his Texas neighbor of about 600 miles away enters the race for re-election.

Mr. Jones is far and away one of the most popular of the Texas delegation, and the enthusiasm of the west adheres particularly to his

### SHOWING AT THE COLUMBIA TODAY



Constance Cummings and Leo Carrillo in "The Guilty Generation" A Columbia Picture

support and backing in his home section.

If he runs for the senate, his race is practically certain to influence the set-up and personnel of the congressman-at-large campaign in the Panhandle country.

It is the idea of R. B. Creager, republican national committeeman from Texas, that Texas democrats would be doing well by themselves and their party to let the nation know in advance they are going to support his neighbor and personal friend, Speaker John N. Garner, for president, next spring at their convention.

If some of the other states get the same idea, or follow Texas' lead, that would be all right too, in this republican leader's opinion.

But if the Texans voted for him on the first few ballots, and then found that the tide was swinging to some other man, they would be in good position, might have escaped embarrassment, and would have paid a well-deserved tribute to the warhorse of the border country, in Mr. Creager's opinion.

### Motor Company Gives Special Prices

Leveille-Maher Motor company of Ranger, local Ford dealers, announce today special prices they will have on repair jobs covering special phases of repair work on automobiles.

The work is classed under three heads, including tightening bearings and putting in new pistons and rings, grinding valves and tuning engine and overhauling the entire brake system.

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New Ford Battery FREE With This Operation

Tighten all main and rod bearings, install new pistons and rings and grind valves and remove carbon. SPECIAL PRICE, including all parts \$33.00

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FREE Grease Job and Filling Tank With Gas

Grind valves and remove carbon, tune engine, including clean and space spark plugs, clean out sediment bulb and adjust breaker point gap, check timing and clean carburetor jets. SPECIAL PRICE—Parts extra \$7.00

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FREE—25 Guest Tickets to Local Theatre

Overhaul entire brake system, overhaul front axle, re-bushing springs and spring perches when necessary, straightening, aligning and adjusting of wheels. SPECIAL PRICE—Parts extra \$9.00

We Sell All Standard Brands Gasoline and Oils Greasing, Washing and Battery Service

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West Main Street

Phone 217

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Our grandmothers had a very fine knowledge of woolsens, cottons, silks. They used their eyes and fingers in buying. They tasted and sniffed at foodstuffs. Our grandfathers knew an intimate lot about woods, veneers, stains. They knew leathers and machinery and cutlery. They had to.

Today you can shop with assurance by designating this brand of this and that brand of that, and hardly bother to check the price on the bill when it comes. You can send a twelve-year-old to market with a note and never have a doubt of kind, quality or price—if you buy advertised goods.

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**Clyde H. Davis**  
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For every paint need!  
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OUR OWN Patterns, 15c  
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**HASSEN COMPANY**  
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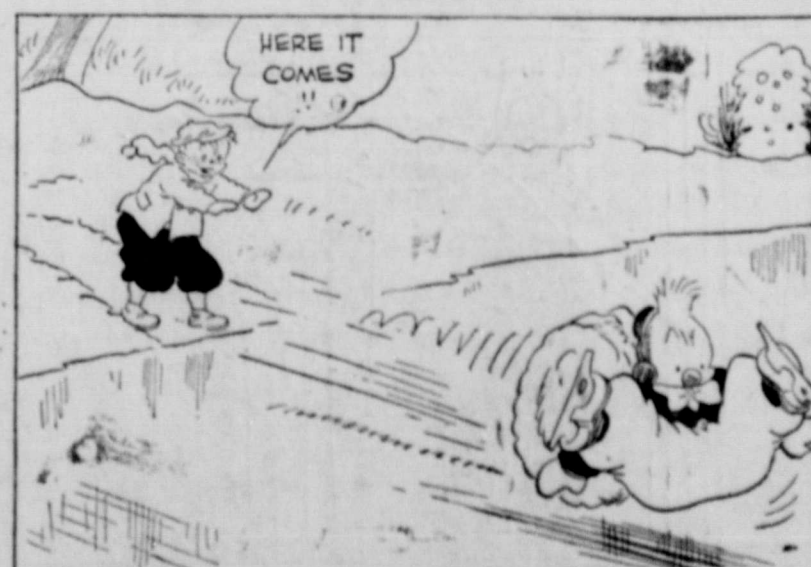
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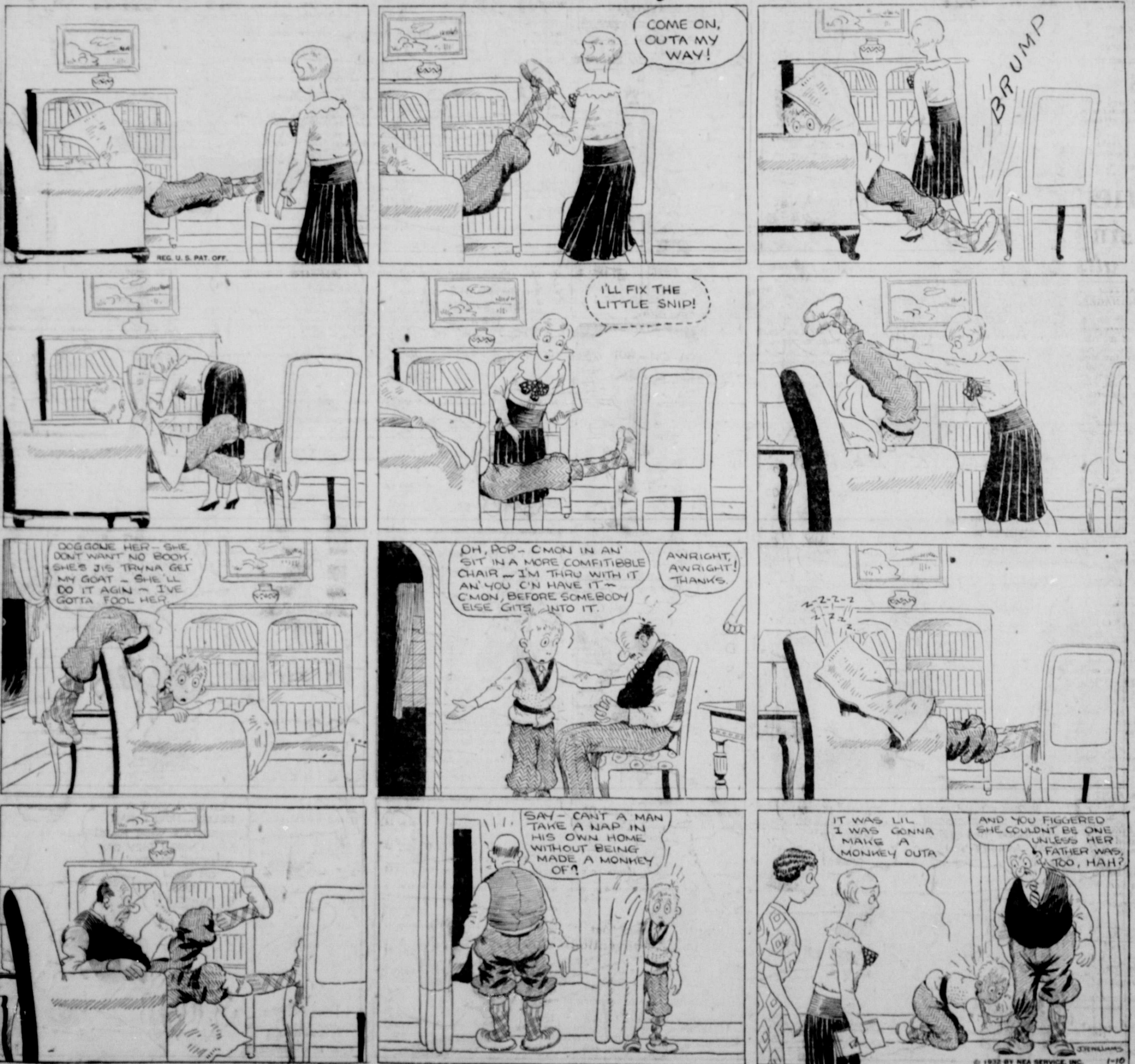
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Mrs. Sappington and Mrs. Duval Crites Preside.  
The Julia Alexander Grove No. 1954 of the Woodman Circle met in regular session at the hall last week for the business period and general order taken up and presided over by the outgoing guardian, Mrs. Viola Cash.

The following visitors, Mrs. Jesse Duval Crites, state entertainer, of Dallas; Mrs. Della E. Sappington, district manager and national representative, of Fort Worth, were introduced in an outstanding manner honoring the session with their presence.

Included in the introduction was Mrs. Gussie King, welcomed into the active organization as a new member.

Mrs. Sappington at this time took charge as installing officer, with Mrs. Crites as installing attendant.

Outgoing officers who have successfully served throughout an inspirational term of office are Mrs. Viola Cash, guardian; past guardian, Loretta Young, advisor; Eva Nijer, chaplain; Emily Hodges; banker, Eva Davis; clerk, Minnie Shirley; captain, Mary Houghton; musician, Alma Page; inner sentinel, Ruby Greer; attendant, Hattie Lester; assistant attendant, Eva Jackson; and reporter, Viola Cash.

Incoming officers installed in the usual instructive way were: Guardian, Eva Davis; past guardian, Viola Cash; advisor, Ruby Greer; chaplain, Loretta Young; banker, Ada Neville; clerk, Minnie Shirley; captain, Eva Jackson; musician, Alma Page; inner sentinel, Claude Barney; outer sentinel, Frances Sexton; attendant, Hattie Lester; assistant attendant, Eva Jackson; recording secretary, Mary Houghton; reporter, Viola Cash.

Three auditors for the grove remained unchanged. First auditor, Mrs. Frances Sexton; second, Mrs. Ruby Greer; third, Mrs. Ella Reynolds.

Following the installation of all officers, Mrs. Crites in her unusually talented and entertaining role, gave an interesting talk with the grove's work chosen as her subject.

Mrs. Sappington related how she went about winning the trip to Omaha, Neb. which will be taken in April. Mrs. Sappington in a most gracious and pleasing manner presented the outgoing guardian with a beautiful dresser set. She also expressed her appreciation in a brief way to the members for the record which was established the past year.

The response, given by Mrs. Cash, following the presentation of the gift, was one of marked sincerity and appreciation.

With all lodge matters drawn to a climax, Mrs. Crites favored the occasion and closing hour with a reading, "House of Happiness," dedicated to Mrs. Sappington; "The Key to Success," accompanied by Mrs. Sappington on the piano; "Taking Children's Pictures," and "A Turkey Tail Fan."

The outstanding meeting was attended by 20 members and four juniors.

**New Era Club To Spend Hour in Business Session.**  
When members assemble at the Ranger high school study room especially arranged for the study of the New Era club programs, Mrs. E. C. Byars will preside during the hour on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 13, at 3:30 o'clock.

Roll call and music will also be given under the leadership of the president. Annual business and discussion of the new year's work will be the feature of the hour.

Summarized reports and other details will be given by various committees who have served during the past 12 months.

It is urged that each member of the New Era club be present for this highly important session.

**Mrs. Reed To Act As Hostess To Home Demonstration Club.**  
The Co-Workers Home Demonstration club of Ranger will meet Tuesday, Jan. 12, with Mrs. J. L. Reed hostess at her home, Breck-

**PERSONALS**

Misses Helen Coakson, Clara May Weaver, Alice May Harman, and James Wesley Campbell, accompanied by the Rev. and Mrs. Gid J. Bryan, were visitors in Rising Star yesterday where they attended the district union league meeting.

Miss Faye Irene Brown is ill at her home.

Mrs. Bill Alverson of Midland was the guest of Ranger relatives and friends the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, who recently moved to Ranger from Dublin, are at home on Spring road.

Alvin Lyon of Oklahoma City is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lyons.

Doss Simmons of Oklahoma City is visiting Ranger and Eastland friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Dempsey and small daughter, Hazel, of the Bullock community, were visitors in Ranger Saturday afternoon where they visited their son, Ernest Dempsey, who is a patient at the City-County hospital.

**Guest Tickets to Ranger Show**  
The Ranger Times has guest tickets for Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Gholson to see "The Guilty Generation"—now playing at the Columbia Theatre, or any other show

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**OUTSIDE INTERESTS**

bridge highway. Members are requested to be present for this meeting, which will open promptly at 2:30.

**Mrs. Morgan Entertains With Pretty Bride Affair.**  
Mrs. Eunice Jo Morgan entertained with a prettily arranged bride affair at her home, South Commerce street, Friday evening, complimenting members of the Friday Night club, together with guests.

Booses and greenery composed the attractive floral setting. Playing tables were decked with harmonizing accessories laid with dainty covers and centered with rosabuds held in crystal vases.

Mrs. Jack Winfrey was winner of high club prize; Mrs. Mickey Sloan, second high for club; Mrs. D. H. Davenport, high guest; Mrs. L. H. Young, low guest, and Mrs. Wade Swift, the cut.

The color motif of pink and gold was effectively repeated in the wrappings of the prizes presented the winners.

The hostess served a plate of hot tamales, deviled eggs, crackers, pickles, toasted almonds, and coffee.

Guests and members forming the party for the pleasant evening were Meses. Karl Snoweland, Mickey Sloan, Schupp, Wade Swift, E. J. Crow, Charles Littlejohn, D. H. Davenport, H. L. Young, Jack Winfrey, E. E. Hadley, George A. Murphy, Musick, Ora Grant, J. E. Houghton, and Miss Kate Kramer.

**Mrs. Johnson To Entertain Ad Libitum Club Tuesday.**  
Mrs. D. W. Johnson will entertain the Ad Libitum club at her home Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Each member of the club is invited by the hostess to be present for the mid-afternoon entertainment.

**First Baptist W. M. S. To Meet in Circles.**  
Members of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet in circles Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. W. A. Lewis will act as hostess to circle No. 1; Mrs. Walter Reimund hostess to circle No. 2, and Mrs. Bob Hodges to circle No. 3.

Plans were made at the workers conference held last week to honor the Rev. Blair, associational missionary, with a shower.

Each member wishing to donate to this occasion is asked to bring

**SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN**

**BY SISTER MARY**  
SEA Service Writer

FANCY breads of all kinds make delicious sandwiches to serve with various salads and afternoon tea. Orange bread particularly is good with tea because its distinctive flavor is most compatible with the hot beverage.

Plain bread and butter sandwiches are dainty and inviting, but if a more elaborate sandwich is wanted, cream cheese combined with nuts makes an excellent filling.

Either yeast bread or "quick" bread can be flavored with orange. The yeast bread keeps better, so if the bread must be made long before wanted this rule is more desirable.

**Orange Bread (Yeast Method).**  
One cake compressed yeast, 1 cup orange juice, 2 tablespoons grated orange rind, 1-2 cup orange rind, 2 tablespoons melted butter, 1-2 cup candied orange peel, 1 egg yolk, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-4 cup lukewarm water, 3 cups flour.

Dissolve yeast cake in water. Add orange juice, half the sugar, salt and 1 cup flour. Stir with a spoon until smooth and let stand bubbly in a warm place until remaining sugar, butter, orange rind and finely chopped candied peel and egg yolk. Mix well and add remaining flour. Use as little as possible and knead until smooth and elastic. Put into mixing bowl, cover and let rise in a warm place until double in bulk.

Shape into a loaf and let rise again. When doubled in bulk, bake one hour in a moderately hot oven. The "quick" method uses a baking powder dough and the bread has a sweeter taste than the yeast loaf.

**Orange Bread (Quick Method)**  
Four cups pastry flour, 6 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-2 cup sugar, 3 tablespoons melted butter, 2 tablespoons grated orange rind, 1-2 cup orange marmalade, 1 egg, 1-3 cups milk. Mix and sift flour, salt, sugar and baking powder. Beat egg until light and add with remaining ingredients to dry mixture. Mix thoroughly and turn into a well oiled bread pan. Let rise 20 minutes and bake 50 minutes in a moderate oven.

Either of the bread doughs, yeast or baking powder, can be made into tiny biscuits or rolls and served hot-hotter.

**Tomorrow's Menu**  
BREAKFAST: Stewed prunes with lemon, cereal, lemon, raisin buckwheat pancakes, syrup, milk, coffee.  
LUNCHEON: Russian beet soup, peanut butter and rye bread sandwiches, rice custard pudding, milk tea.  
DINNER: Broiled halibut steak, baked macaroni and tomatoes, cabbage salad, bran bread, deep dish apricot pie, milk, coffee.

**Printer's Devil Breaks Resolution By Making Error**

In Friday's edition of the Times an error appeared in the O. K. Grocery and Market advertisement for which the Times accepts the responsibility. The item in regard to "pork bones, one pound for 7 cents," was left out, and the item "hog liver, extra nice, pound 9 cents," should not have appeared.

The printer's devil at the Times resolved not to make any errors for the New Year—and now he has resolved not to make any more resolutions.

and Frances Gholson, Mary Claude Blacklock, Fannie Dell Swaney, Madeline Howell, Margaret Hooks, Sunshine Smith, Doris Rice, Cecilia McDowell, June Ann Grigolet, Velita Joe Briscoe, Francine Hatley, Lolla Verne Howell, Ruth Dorsey, Mary Joe Jones, Wanda Howell, Alice Ray Davenport, Lorene Howell, Gwendolyn Tunnell, Rose Marie Smith, Betty Jo Hooks, and Billie Gene Joseph, Richard Smith, Junior Blacklock, Billie Gene Crawley, C. F. Sparger, Edwin Dunn, Adella Hassen, Azette Joseph, and A. J. Key.

Special guests assisting the hostesses in entertaining and serving the group were Mrs. B. A. Tunnell, Mrs. Edna Huffman, Mrs. R. A. Disney, and parents of Mrs. Key, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ashley.

**Games were enjoyed by the happy group of youngsters prior to the serving of two lovely birthday cakes, especially larded for the occasion. Slices from the cakes, together with other refreshments and confections, composed the plates served by Mrs. Herwick and Mrs. Key.**

Party guests for the honorary affair were Little Misses Helen Richmond Robinson, Hunt, Rex, Young, Ramsey, Weekes, Smith, Mitchell and Miss Doris Mitchell.

**Joint Birthdays Are Celebrated With Party Friday Afternoon.**  
Mrs. Jewel Herwick and Mrs. Otis Key delightfully entertained with a prettily appointed birthday party at the home of the latter hostess Friday afternoon in honor of their young daughters, Ruby Herwick and Nadine Key's birthdays.

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**RANGER HIGH SCHOOL NOTES**  
MISS JEWELLE JUDD  
Editor

**High School Debators Selected**  
Miss Janet Holmes, who will coach the high school debaters this year, announces the students who will represent Ranger High school. They are: Girls, Alla Ray Kuykendall and Marie Galloway; boys, Glenn Cox and Brooks Gilmore.

The subject is "Resolved That Lobbying is Detrimental To the American People."

**Ranger-Eliasville Games**  
The Ranger-Eliasville games played at Eliasville Friday night were both won by Eliasville. Both boys and girls teams played. The boys have played three games this season, winning one and losing two.

Mrs. Doe Mills was a visitor in high school Friday. Mrs. Mills was formerly Miss Christine Sumner, and a student of R. H. S.

Miss Alice May Harmon, former graduate of R. H. S., was a visitor Friday and Saturday.

**Basketball Schedule**  
Coach Ward has announced the schedule for the basketball games as follows:  
Jan. 1—Ranger at Albany.  
Jan. 5—Ranger at Abilene.  
Jan. 8—Ranger at Eliasville.  
Jan. 12—Cisco at Ranger, game to be played at Eastland.  
Jan. 15—Open.  
Jan. 19—Ranger at Breckenridge.  
Jan. 22—Eastland at Ranger, game to be played at Eastland.  
Feb. 2—Ranger at Cisco.  
Feb. 5—Ranger at Brownwood.  
Feb. 9—Breckenridge at Ranger, game to be played at Eastland.  
Feb. 12—Ranger at Eastland.

This schedule is for both the boys and girls teams. The only game played in Ranger will be Jan. 20 with Brownwood.

**Biology Classes Have Interesting Experiment**  
The biology classes, under Coach Ward had a very interesting and educational experiment Saturday.

The subject for discussion was the heart beats of a normal person before and after exercise. Two boys and two girls were selected from each class, their pulse were taken before and after exercise.

This test shows that the heart beats of a person is greatly increased after exercise and that exercise effects some people more so than others.

School was dismissed at 2:30 Saturday. The two evening classes were cut to 45 minute periods and no chapel was held.

**EASTLAND CHURCHES**

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH**  
Mass at 8 a. m. This is the first Sunday after the Epiphany and the gospel is from St. Luke 11:42-52. The word Epiphany is from the Greek which means to show or manifest. The feast of Epiphany is celebrated on Jan. 6, and in England, Ireland and Scotland, it is a holiday of obligation. It commemorates the manifestation of the glory of Christ to the Gentiles in the person of the Magi, as well as his baptism and first miracle at Cana. Originating in the Eastern Church in the third century, it soon spread to the west, where it is now commemorated for the apparition of the Magi. In Ireland and the British Isles as well as many other European countries it is known as the Twelfth Night (after Christmas) and is the occasion for the revival of many quaint customs. The figures of the Magi are not placed in the Christ Crub till Jan. 6. Christ came to save all and manifested himself to all—Jews and Gentiles. He wishes to enter into the hearts of all and gives sufficient grace for all to be saved. But many turn a deaf ear to the call of Christ. Admit him and be saved.—Rev. M. Collins.

**MOTHS AID ARCHITECTS**  
By Ouidot Press.  
SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Architects can learn from moths and butterflies, according to Dr. Frederick R. Lear, of Syracuse University. A study of their color combinations and intricate designs will suggest many ideas for decorations.

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the remembrance to the circle meeting Monday.

**Mrs. Hodges and Daughter To Entertain Ivy Leaf Study Club.**  
Mrs. Homer Hodges and daughter, Miss Winifred Dunkle, will act as co-hostesses on Thursday afternoon at 2:30, when they entertain honoring the Ivy Leaf study club at their home, North Main street.

All members are especially asked to be present.

**Meeting Date Is Changed For Royal Neighbor Camp.**  
At a recent meeting held at the Royal Neighbor hall, with a large number in attendance, it was voted to change the date of meeting from Thursday to Friday night of each week.

Important camp matters were interestingly discussed and approved.

Members are asked to be present for the meeting to be held next Friday evening.

**Rainbow Girls To Elect Officers.**  
Rainbow Girls will meet at the Masonic hall Monday night at 7:30 with a part of the hour devoted to the election of new officers.

All girls are asked to bring their dues. Eastern Star and Masonic members are cordially invited.

**Hodges Oak Park P. T. A. To Meet For Program.**  
The president, Mrs. O. S. Driskill, announces an important meeting of Hodges Oak Park Parent-Teacher association for Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

Members are urged to be present for this business period and program.

**Morrison P. T. A. Observes Thrift Week**  
The Parent-Teacher association of Morrison school met in regular session on Friday, Jan. 8, 1932, at 3 o'clock.

The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Richmond, president.

After an interesting business meeting, Mrs. Weekes took charge of the program and gave some most interesting papers on "Thrift" An enjoyable talk was also given by Mrs. H. D. Smith on "The Meaning of Thrift."

Those present were, Meses,