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President Hoover pronounces economies correctly, with a long "no," says Christopher Morley. If this election hangs upon pronunciation, maybe Hoover will get it.

DEPUTY SHERIFF SLAIN IN LIQUOR RAID

HAD STOPPED TRUCK LOADED WITH LIQUOR

One Other Officer Probably Fatally Wounded In Fight.

TEXARKANA, Texas, Oct. 20. Deputy Sheriff Melvin Brackman, 43, was killed and J. C. Crain was critically wounded in a gun battle south of here today between liquor truck operators.

The officers had partly blocked the road with Brackman's car in an attempt to stop the liquor truck, on which they had received a tip.

As the truck swung into a ditch at the side of the road one man at the rear of the truck opened fire on the officers, killing Brackman and probably mortally wounding Crain.

Pearce Hopper, 46, was arrested at Casa, Texas, on a charge of being the owner of the liquor truck.

Officers here declared they were of the belief that the shooting of the two officers was a deliberate plot on the part of rum runners to put the deputies "on the spot" because of liquor raids in which they had taken an active part.

Sterling May Aid Bullington Supporters Claim

DALLAS, Oct. 20.—Democrats supporting Orville Bullington, republican candidate for governor of Texas, today expected Governor Ross Sterling to align with them shortly.

Sterling, who said he cannot and will not support Mrs. Ferguson, is expected to say when he will support before the end of the week. It was understood he may make speeches for Bullington before the November election.

Grand Jury Will Probe Shooting of J. B. Lightfoot

FORT WORTH, Oct. 20.—The shooting of J. B. Lightfoot, Cleburne railroad dispatcher, was investigated today by the Tarrant county grand jury.

Roy Ingraham, Santa Fe shop worker, was charged with assault to murder in connection with the shooting.

Lightfoot was shot as he walked down a street in Fort Worth, where he had gone from Cleburne to seek work.

Negro Singers to Be Presented At Ranger Hi School

"The Heaven-Bound Singers," under the auspices of the A. M. E. church of Ranger, will be presented at the Ranger high school auditorium on Friday night.

The negro singers will render spirituals, plantation melodies and gospel songs. An admission price of 25 cents and 15 cents will be made.

This is considered one of the best groups of colored singers in this part of the country and a large crowd is expected to be present.

Texan Appeals For Oil Import Limit

TYLER, Oct. 20.—An appeal to President Hoover to prevent importation into Texas of oil beyond limited quantities was made today in a telegram dispatched by Ernest O. Thompson, member of the Texas Railroad commission.

Peach Tree Grows Peach And Bloom At The Same Time

H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian Church of Ranger, brought a branch from a peach tree in to the Times office this morning that had one peach and one fully developed bloom on the same limb.

Brother Johnson found the branch on a peach tree growing in the Bill Healer orchard and thought it an unusual that he cut it from the tree and brought it to the Times office.

34 Years of Fear—Prison



A search of federal records holds the fate of W. Kirby Robinson, 45, who walked into Leavenworth federal penitentiary and announced he had escaped 34 years ago while on his way to the prison. Robinson, shown here, said he had been sentenced to a four-year term for robbing a postoffice near Fort Smith, Ark. Thirty-four years of life as a respected citizen in Texas and California had failed to erase his fear of apprehension, Robinson said. Leavenworth's warden refused to admit the fugitive until his story was confirmed.

TESTIMONY IN BERRIE TRIAL IS REFUTED

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Oct. 20.—Attorneys for Rev. S. A. Berrie, on trial for the alleged poison death of his first wife, today battled away at evidence that Mrs. Fannie Berrie died of strychnine poisoning. They called her attending physician, who declared he believed she died of urmic poisoning or nephritis.

Countering the state's testimony showing that the minister was indifferent at the death of his wife, defense witnesses said Rev. Berrie was "grief-stricken" and that his wife had "the finest kind of a funeral."

Economical Issues To Be Pushed By Republican Party

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Republican strategy, it was indicated today, will be to hammer away at "economic issues" until Nov. 8, despite the fact that Governor Roosevelt raised the "beer for revenue" issue.

Secretary of the Treasury Ogden Mills, the President's chief political advisor, today was asked "How about the prohibition question?"

"Prohibition? Why I haven't anything to say," he replied. Senator Bingham, leader of the New England "beer for revenue" forces, promised to "introduce a 4 per cent bill as soon as Congress meets."

"The revenue will help us meet the deficit and rid us of some of the nuisance taxes. I am not determined in my own mind what taxes should be supplanted by the \$375,000,000 annually which beer will raise," he said.

Four-Inch Knife Blade Removed From Man's Head

ABILENE, Oct. 20.—After unknowingly carrying a four-inch knife blade buried in his head for six days, S. R. Tucker, 37-year-old farmer, was pronounced recovering here today where the blade was removed.

The rusted knife blade was thrust into his face in an altercation with a neighbor farmer. The blade, three-fourths of an inch wide, was removed in two pieces.

Tucker will recover, doctors said.

Pelham Glassford Resigns From Post

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Pelham D. Glassford, former army general, whose policy toward the Bonus Expeditionary Forces brought him into conflict with the administration, resigned today as Washington's chief of police.

MARSHALL—Texas & Pacific shops reopened recently.

ROOSEVELT OPPOSED TO CASH BONUS

ABOARD THE ROOSEVELT SPECIAL, Oct. 20.—The immediate cash payment of the remaining half of the soldiers' bonus was apparently eliminated as a campaign issue today because of the address of Franklin D. Roosevelt, democratic candidate for president, which was made last night.

Roosevelt today moved into Ohio and Indiana to continue his assault on a Republican platform. Last night the governor reaffirmed his belief that there should be no bonus payment until there was a surplus in the treasury.

He urged "beer for revenue" and ridiculed statements made by Henry Ford and others that the reelection of Hoover was necessary to insure good prosperity for business.

Roosevelt pledged himself to a 25 per cent reduction in government expenditures and his opposition to any increased expenditures except to relieve human suffering.

"Before any man enters my cabinet he must give a pledge of absolute loyalty to the democratic platform and especially its economic plank and complete co-operation with me looking to economy and reorganization of the government," Roosevelt declared.

Ranger Lions Are Given Pointers On Refinancing

The Ranger Lions club had more or less of a surprise program today when W. S. Adamsen, a member of the citizens subcommittee appointed to work out the details of the refinancing plan for the city, was introduced as a guest.

Judge Adamsen, in a short talk, presented the outlined plans, giving some of the most important phases of the situation in a way that was both interesting and instructive to the members of the club. Many had had an opportunity to have such a clear-cut outline presented to them and they gained much from the talk.

Eastland Girl Is Accepted In A Literary Society

BELTON, Oct. 20.—Miss Annie Laurie Rosequest of Eastland has recently been accepted as a member of Beta literary society. This organization is one of the three Greek letter freshman literary societies at Baylor College for Women.

Only freshmen are eligible for membership in these organizations. The activities for the year consist of regular weekly programs, meetings, and the sponsoring of a number of social functions.

Miss Rosequest is active in class and social activities on the campus.

A POLE FOR EVERY PUP



CLEVELAND, O.—Harley L. Clarke, head of a lumber company in a Cleveland suburb, always was afraid his dog would be run over by an auto when he was let out of the house to exercise.

So Clarke made a little post, put a swivel chain on it and stuck it in his front yard.

On rainy nights he didn't have to walk around in the rain with the dog, he didn't have to worry about the dog getting run over, there was no danger of the shrubbery being spoiled.

Neighbors saw the post. They thought it was a pretty good idea. They asked Clarke to make some more posts. He did.

Fans of the posts spread. A chemical was prepared that when placed on the post served as an attraction for dogs. Clarke went into the business of making posts, totem poles for dogs.

He got out literature describing the benefits of the P.N. (Practical Necessity) Post for "Parment Pup." Orders started pouring in from dog supply houses, department stores and agents. Today 1000 posts are being manufactured weekly.

"I had a lot of dandy evergreens ruined before I got up the idea," said Clarke, who prepares the chemical treatment from a formula he prepared himself.

Convict's Murder Is Investigated

HOUSTON, Oct. 20.—Lee Simmons, general manager of the Texas Prison System, today completed an investigation into the fatal shooting of Childs Wilson, convicted murderer, who was killed in the penal farm vicinity of last Saturday.

"It was unfortunate, but could not be helped," the report said. The prison board indicated that the report would be acceptable.

Armour Official Jumps To Death

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—George M. Willetts, 55, recently resigned vice president of Armour & Co., leaped to his death today from the window of his home on the 11th floor of an apartment building here.

Refinancing Plans For Ranger Discussed At An Open Meeting

M. H. Smith, Texas manager for Brown, Crummer company, met with the Ranger city commission and about 50 citizens of the town at the city hall Wednesday night and went over plans for refinancing the city of Ranger.

In a talk that lasted over an hour and which kept the undivided attention of all his listeners, Mr. Smith outlined general plans for putting the city on a cash basis, refunding outstanding bonds and operating the city in such a manner that all outstanding indebtedness could be retired over a period of 30 years. In the meantime the city would be meeting current obligations, paying all employees in cash and operating the city on an economical but practical plan, according to his views.

Some discussion of the item in the proposed budget of the city whereby the Board of City Development would receive some aid from the city was heard and it was tentatively agreed that this item could be retained in the budget so long as the city expenses were kept within the total amount suggested as a fair operating revenue.

The involved and technical plans of the city's financing plan were again gone over at a meeting of the sub-committee which aided in the refinancing recommendations, the city commission and the representatives of the bondholders.

Mayor John Thurman, who has been absent from all commission meetings for several weeks because of an injury received in an automobile accident, was present at the morning session, and heard the discussions on the financial affairs of the city.

It was brought out that the waterworks bonds, which have been classified as revenue bonds, payment of which would be guaranteed by the water revenue, were tax bonds, to be paid off as the other bonds of the city out of tax money. This would leave the water revenue for a cash fund for operating the city, with an additional \$1,000 out of each \$2,500 in taxes. The remaining \$1,500 of tax money would go toward the payment of interest and retiring outstanding bonds at the market price that could be obtained.

The entire plan outlined in general by Mr. Smith was received by L. R. Elerson, mayor pro-tem of the city of Ranger, with a word of thanks for his cooperation with the city in working out this problem and with the assurance that the city was vitally interested in getting its financial affairs worked out in a manner that would be equitable and fair to both the taxpayers of the city and the bondholders.

Wire Trouble Caused Paper To Be Out Late

Wire trouble of some kind or another between here and Dallas today caused considerable delay in the transmission of news for today's issue of the paper. After repeated attempts on the part of the wire chief at Dallas it was found necessary to send the messages over Western Union to the office of publication.

The time consumed in trying to get the wire trouble straightened out caused the delay in the office of this paper, making the paper late in reaching the subscribers. It is expected that the trouble will be eliminated before Friday.

EMPLOYMENT IN TEXAS NOW ON INCREASE

AUSTIN.—A 4.9 per cent increase in number of persons employed in 930 Texas firms during the period from Aug. 18 to Sept. 15 is one of the largest in recent years, according to the University of Texas business research bureau.

During the period the 930 firms reporting showed an increase of 3,683 workers over the preceding month, or a total of 461,172 workers on Sept. 15 as compared with 457,489 on Aug. 15.

Last year, for the corresponding period, there was a drop of 0.5 per cent, and in 1930 a 4.5 per cent drop. In the boom year of 1929 the increase was only 1.31 per cent.

The encouraging factor, the report pointed out, is that the increase was shown for the preceding month.

"These successive monthly gains in employes which are due, apparently, to other than seasonal factors, have cut down the decline in the number of workers as compared with a year ago. As compared with September, 1932, the number of workers on payrolls for the month just passed was only 12.7 per cent behind. The decline has been as much as 19.9 per cent, which occurred in May, 1932."

"Purely seasonal influences brought about substantial increases in the number of workers at bakeries, confectioneries, cotton oil mills, cotton compresses, men's and women's clothing manufacturers, but a large number of other classifications also showed gains, while Austin, Beaumont, Dallas, Galveston, Houston, San Antonio, Waco and Wichita Falls all showed more workers than on Aug. 15."

Colder Weather Is Reported For Plains Tonight

DALLAS, Oct. 20.—Light frost was reported in the Panhandle section of Texas today in the vicinity of Amarillo after the coldest night of the season.

Colder weather was due in the Panhandle tonight, according to the weather bureau, which received reports that night snows were falling in the northern portion of New Mexico.

POTATO KILN IN RANGER IS IN OPERATION

The sweet potato kiln, planned by the Ranger Truck and Fruit Growers association, assisted by the merchants of Ranger, was ready for operation Wednesday when the first potatoes were received for drying.

The kiln is located in the cannery building on Pine street and is capable of drying and storing 5,000 bushels of sweet potatoes.

The farmers are to furnish their own crates which must be of standard size, and which can be purchased in the city from several of the stores at wholesale prices, plus the freight charges. The potatoes are then dried and stored in the kiln to await the opening of the market for the produce in February and March.

A charge of 10 cents a bushel is being made to pay the operating expenses of the kiln.

The field representative of the federal farm loan, who was in Ranger Tuesday, said that the kiln was a wonderful thing for the farmers of this section as it would give them a market for the produce that would be more than double the price that could be obtained by marketing them at this time.

The potato crop from this section is estimated at from 100 to 150 bushels an acre on the average, compared to an average over the entire state of 77 bushels per acre. Some of the farmers have obtained higher yields than the 150-bushel estimate and it is thought that the yield can be materially increased in the next few years.

Only No. 1 potatoes will be accepted for storage because of the limited space in the kiln and because they bring a much higher price on the market. No. 1 potatoes have been described as being from one and one-half inches in diameter to three inches and from six to eight inches long.

It is expected that most of the growers of sweet potatoes in this section will take advantage of the opportunity to have their potatoes cured in the kiln and stored for the market. It is also anticipated that the acreage planted in sweet potatoes will be increased greatly by next year, with it becoming one of the best money crops in this part of the state.

Ranger Legion Post Will Hold Important Meet

Clint Barnes, post commander of the Carl Barnes post of the American Legion, announced today that an important meeting would be held in the Legion hall tonight at the regular hour.

All Legionnaires have been urged to be present by Commander Barnes, because a business matter of vital interest to every member of the Legion post will be brought up. Arguments are wanted both for and against the matter to come before the post, which will be announced at the meeting, and the sentiment of the entire post is necessary in order that the wishes of the majority of the members might be taken into consideration before any direct action will be taken.

Commander Barnes did not reveal in his announcement about the meeting the nature of the matters to come up for discussion and action, but he intimated that they would be of most interest to all Legionnaires than any proposition that has been before the body in many years.

Former Eastland Citizen Is Dead

Eastland friends were shocked to learn of the death of J. H. Graves at his home in Dallas Sunday morning. Mr. Graves had been ill some weeks with pneumonia, which ended in a fatal heart attack.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon and interment was held in Oak Lawn cemetery, Dallas.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rose Connelle Graves, two daughters, Mrs. Deyve May of Dallas, and Mrs. Joe Whitehead of Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. E. E. Freyschlag and Mrs. Dixie Williamson of this city, nieces of Mrs. Graves, attended the funeral services.

The late Mr. Graves had a host of friends in Eastland, made during his former residence some years ago, and visits through subsequent years to his father-in-law, the late C. U. Connelle, founder of Eastland.

TEXAS RANGERS WON THEIR FAME AS INDIAN FIGHTERS

From these Ranger-Indian fighters came such personalities as Shapley R. Ross and his son, Lawrence, later governor of the state and president of Texas A. & M. college. Perhaps the most colorful of all was "Big Foot" Wallace, a six-foot-two-inch Virginian who came to Texas in 1836, a few months after the Texas battle for independence at San Jacinto, to revenge the slaying of his brother in Fannin's massacre.

Wallace received the name "Big Foot" while a prisoner in Mexico City where he was taken after he had been captured in the ill-fated Mier expedition and had drawn a white bean at the execution thus saving his life. No shoes could be found in the prison supply large enough for him.

In 1842, Wallace accompanied a band of Rangers sent out to quell a major uprising. When the Rangers camped for the third day the smoke of many signal fires told them the Indians covered action

of theirs and were there in large numbers.

Shortly before daybreak, "Big Foot" Wallace set out to scout the Indians. He made his way cautiously through a deep narrow canyon, so narrow two men could not walk abreast. With his head down, he turned a corner in the wall and jumped abruptly into a giant Indian, apparently bent on a similar mission.

There was no room to fight with rifles. Both simultaneously dropped their guns and started to grapple. Wallace was a match in physical strength for any man in the force, but the Indian was fully as strong and his oil covered body gave him a decided advantage.

Both sought in vain to draw their hunting knives. As Wallace began to tire the Indian seemed to grow fresher. With a super-human effort Wallace dashed the Indian against the wall of the canyon. The Indian's head struck a rock and for a second he was

thrown off his guard. Wallace's hunting knife in another second was sunk to the hilt in the Indian's body.

The cold steel seemed to call up in the big brave all the fury of his fathers. He threw Big Foot off and in a flash was astride the Ranger, lying on his back, the hunting knife raised in his hand for the killing blow.

As the Indian swung the knife, his face lighted with a grin. He had sent his enemy to death before him. The knife struck and the Indian sank slowly across Big Foot's head. The blood from the head wound had caused the Indian to err in his aim and the knife struck harmlessly in the ground beside Wallace.

Then Wallace did something he had never done before, something the law white men never did. Out of respect for the brave's gallant and cunning fight, he dug a grave for the Indian, broke the Indian's gun into pieces, in Indian fashion, and buried the stalwart.

ING THRU NOTHOLE ALL MAYES

Lillard field policeman and found it as a bank vault but not nearly as safe as we have heard about it.

There were more knotholes in the vault. In fact, we had seen the team having overcome the natural inclination to be about being forward, what we mean, and went out and boys would not. We Coach Curtis wouldn't cause our pup plays, and it wouldn't be to friendship like that.

He had a personal and on the 10-yard line observed some things needed observing. It was our opportunity to get away this a term and we hadn't seen the team since. Cleo Gray got his retainer by letting a Weather-Clark halfback fall on it.

My stinky sneaky had misinformed texture, but he said Love had the ore there because he was out yesterday. I thought it was also out and that I thought he could play, but I thought he had some of the after the game of fancy stitching in his hands.

He wore an assortment of changes in his guards and what, but I was able to get around a here in at times. At times it is more real than yesterday was.

Some of the work was being worked at the quarterback position. Clark Lyon calling signals at the halfback position, but he was in addition to vernal and took up quarters at the end of the game.

At the Texas Ranger camp outside Lillard field we collected a discovery or two. One was a star, star end, had quit to go to work and would be in the John Taylor's game, working out as a tackle. This has been going on for some time but we have not been around practice sessions for several days because of other details of work that kept us busy until late to go out.

My Anderson, the Morning of the Abilene Morning said today: "The spirit of this is upon us in a big way." Feeling the Steve the urge, so we do have the order of the Fin in the OH Bell."

Instead of yielding to the Steve urge and jumping off the Steve did when he felt years ago, he told the Steve, if any, how the Oil Belt is going to pick them. Here is the order of the Fin in the OH Bell."

Abilene, Brownbridge, Brownwood, Ranger, Eastland.

He should have jumped the bridge in Rangers game, he hope the readers, if any, this is our guess, because we only sports writer we know does not make predictions, of them guests at how games go. They pick some 15 or 20 men, then several days later, when all they guessed if they were the ones they depended on. One system, as we have said before, is to do second night, guessing at the after the games are over. We your guess is as good, if not better, than the fan and be able to "you-so" act next day.

Van Roeder has again returned and if anyone is going to see the Rangers game, he should go. If they would be the team, if they are by 9:30 or 10 some of the pep squad leaving around 12 or 13.

Reasons for the team being provided if they would be the team, if they are by 9:30 or 10 some of the pep squad leaving around 12 or 13.

Pick Lock Gain Freedom

ROSEBUD.—Rosebud, Ike monkeys in the Forest, are back at capturing their case by YOU.

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

GOD FORGIVES AND HEALS: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits; who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases; who redeemeth thy life from destruction.—Psalm 103: 2-4.

GOVERNOR MURRAY UPHOLDS THE LAW

Gov. William H. Murray of Oklahoma is a many sided man. He is never for the people, "but within the law." Striking coal miners in the commonwealth of Oklahoma have been given warning that the law must be observed or it may be "every man, woman and child for himself." This, after two non-union miners had been fired upon from ambush while riding to their homes. Furthermore, the Oklahoma governor told the miners "Legal picketing is all right, but you must get it into your heads that to interfere with the rights of private citizens, if tolerated, would bring a downfall of constitutional government."

Lawmakers make the laws. Courts interpret the laws. This is a democracy, federal and state. In the last analysis the courts have ever been the bulwark of the people's rights and their liberties. Beyond the pale of the law hurling defiance at courts and statutes is not the place for American citizens. If the laws are oppressive or ambiguous they should be repealed. All the statutes of Texas have been made by lawmakers. All the crude and ambiguous features of the Terrell election law were made by lawmakers. Blame the lawmakers. Why criticize the courts for interpreting the laws as they were concocted or created by servants elected by the people?

ANOTHER TEXAN IN THE PICTURE

Rep. Hutton W. Sumner of Dallas is chairman of the judiciary committee of the house. He addressed the delegates attending the American Bar association. He said that in the operation of "our economical and political government as a people we are making a terrible mess of it—a colossal failure." He urged return to the fundamentals in democratic government, and "obedience to the laws of nature and the laws of God which govern government." Well, a majority of the members of the house are lawyers. A majority of the members of the senate are lawyers. Let the lawyers lead off in "obedience to the laws of nature and the laws of God which govern government." Let loose the reform program.

SAMUEL INSULL WINS HIS BATTLE

Samuel Insull has won his battle. Greece will not permit his extradition to the United States. Well, Samuel is said to be free. His future is behind him. He was born in England. He became an adopted son of America. He fled to Greece when his empire crumbled. He is said to have an annual pension of \$180,000 a year, a sum sufficient to keep the Grecian wolf from the door until the old man with the scythe completes his job and the broken potestate of a fallen empire "sleeps with his fathers."

Broadway play critics who moan that there are no longer any great actors in the world ought to hear a few of the political campaigners when they turn on the tremolo attachments.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

F. W. HARTFORD, Publisher of the Portsmouth (N. H.) Herald, says:

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"Newspaper advertising is read by millions of men and women because they want to know. The great public institutions of the country have been made big through the use of newspaper advertising space."

EVERYBODY'S DOING IT!



DERRICK SHADOWS

By V. MARIE STEPHENS

This column is used as a feature and should not be construed as representing the editorial views of the paper. The expressions contained in the column are the views of one individual and do not reflect the policy of the paper.

With the advent of the two-headed reptile in Texas, the prohibition question becomes even more outstanding. Heaven knows, it should be nerve-wracking enough to see a normal snake double itself, but when it comes to the duplication of one which already has an over-supply of heads something ought to be done. Either the liquor or the reptiles should be abolished . . . and, from all reports, it would go pretty hard with the snake family.

Recently one of Ranger's most attractive girls made the remark that she just couldn't seem to make friends here. She used the word 'could,' saying that today she would meet people to whom she had been introduced and would be greeted cordially and go away with a friendly feeling, and tomorrow she would meet those same people and be almost snubbed. She's a pretty little somebody with some travelling experience and college life to make her attractive and interesting. There is no obvious reason why she should not have friends. Why retain the cool aloofness of the boom days? Your next-door neighbor is plotting dastardly deeds against you and your family . . . and he or she may be lonely. Why not say "hello" to the people you meet . . . and why not mean it? Loneliness is a more deadly evil than illness; it saps one's vitality, and turns the happiness out of life, and turns an enthusiastic optimist into a dying pessimist.

"Better to be the head of a mouse than the tail of a lion," reads an ancient Mexican proverb. And, after all, isn't it more self-assuring to say a small, plucky word than be switched aimlessly along after an immense bulk? We certainly believe in self-expression; say what you believe, do what you think fair and right, believe only what you know is true, and tell only what you know is absolutely necessary. There is no earthly reason why a man of normal intelligence should trudge eternally in the footsteps of someone gone before. Had all humanity adopted such a method of existence, we would today be a blooming, blooming sullen oxen rather than rushing hither and yon in various means of conveyance.

It was George Elliot who said, "Animals are such agreeable friends. They ask no questions, they pass no criticisms." Yes, it is true, no doubt. Perhaps that is the reason old maids select cats as their soul companions and society women allow Russian wolfhounds to lead them about by glistening chains. We might go a step beyond that, even, and assume such to be the cause of some marriages. Is he a brute? And is she a butterfly? But when said animals develop into men and women the saying which has almost become a proverb, loses its truthfulness; men and women have been inquisitive, and one never becomes too ideal to criticize Culture and refinement abolish many defects, but inborn tendencies lurk in the background and refuse to be squelched.

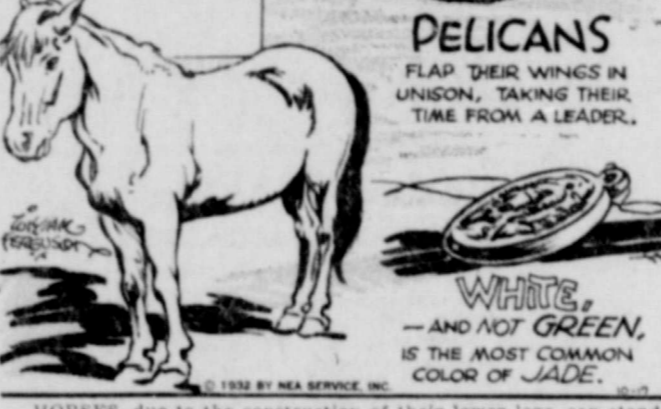
KEYS, LOST TWENTY YEARS ARE FOUND

GETTESBURGH, S. D.—Glenn W. Bishop, depot agent, was in possession today of a bunch of keys that he lost 20 years ago. Children playing in Meador found the keys with his ring on them, dated "1912."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



SOME HORSES NEVER LIE DOWN TO SLEEP!



PELICANS FLAP THEIR WINGS IN UNISON, TAKING THEIR TIME FROM A LEADER.

HORSES, due to the construction of their lower legs, can stand and sleep for hours at a time without tiring. The suspensory ligament of the fetlock forms a sort of sling that supports the weight of the upper leg and the body above it, and ligamentous tissue is not elastic like muscle tissue and therefore does not stretch and tire. Horses have a great fear of mice, and some authorities believe this is one reason why many horses will not lie down in the stable.

BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER, NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—Although the presidential straw votes or polls will be badly discredited if Mr. Hoover happens to win the election, they stand to become an extremely important factor in our political system if their accuracy is in once more attested at the ballot box. Those who want to get factious about it will be asking again: Why go to all the expense of a presidential election when the Literary Digest is willing to conduct one free of charge? More seriously, there is little doubt that politicians and campaign contributors will be less disposed to go to a lot of useless expense and effort if they are completely convinced weeks before election that they have a hopeless cause. Straw votes never before attracted anywhere near as much attention. There are so many important ones that you can often check any given poll with several others, which makes the poll method of prediction much harder to shoot at than it would be with only one poll in progress. Politicians wait for the published returns from week to week and then whomp or turn pale. A learned book has been written about the polls indicating the increasing seriousness with which they have been taken.

THE Republicans are now speculating about these straw votes just as the Democrats did in 1928, when the poll returns showed Hoover

EL PASO—Bids opened on site for city's new \$1,000,000 federal building.

SEALY—Hochan building located on Main street being improved.

SAN ANTONIO—South Texas Bank & Trust Co. opened for business recently.

McFADDIN—McFaddin Gin Co. capitalized at \$7,500, incorporated recently.

Markets

By United Press.

Closing selected New York stocks

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including American Can, Am P & L, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Avn Corp Del, Barnsdall, Beth Steel, Byers A M, Canada Dry, Case J I, Chrysler, Curtiss Wright, Elect Au L, Elec St Bat, Foster Wheel, Fox Films, Gen Elec, Gen Foods, Gen Mot, Gillette S R, Goodyear, Houson Oil, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Johns Manville, Kroger G & B, Liq Carb, Montg Ward, Nat Dairy, Ohio Oil, Para Public, Penney J C, Phelps Dodge, Phillips Pet, Pure Oil, Purity Bak, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, Southern Pac, Stan Oil N J, Studebaker, Texas Corp, Tex Gulf Sul, Und Elliott, Union Carb, United Corp, U S Ind Ale, U S Steel, Vanadium, Westing Elec, Worthington, Carb Stocks, Cities Service, Ford M Ltd, Gulf Oil Pa, Niag Hud Pwr, Stan Oil Ind, Lone Star Gas.

The following market quotations furnished through the courtesy of D. E. Pulley, phone 629, Ranger, Texas:

Table for New Orleans Cotton with columns for High, Low, Close, Prevalent.

Table for Chicago Grain with columns for High, Low, Close, Prevalent.

Table for Wheat with columns for High, Low, Close, Prevalent.

Table for Rye with columns for High, Low, Close, Prevalent.

Bar Trap Boosts Large Membership

By United Press.

EL PASO—Harry Mitchell, proprietor of the famous mint bar in Juarez, across the Rio Grande, and host at one time or another to most of the world's drinking notables, today rejoiced in the fact that No. 34, that of the mint, is the largest trap of international bar flies in the western hemisphere.

With 4,221 "Flies" enrolled, Trap No. 34 exceeded in enrollment only by Trap No. 1, Harry McElhone's New York Bar in Paris.

The Paris bar owes its superiority to the enrolling there of a couple of divisions of the American Expeditionary Force, partisans of the Juarez trap charge.

The organization, which describes itself as "a secret and sacred fraternal organization devoted to the uplift and downfall of serious drinkers," now boasts 77 traps throughout the world, two official songs, a high sign and other equipment.

Some of the rules, now neatly bound in an illustrated red cloth-bound booklet, follow: "Any members of the I. B. F. caught cutting out paper dolls after a had might must hand in their resignations."

"Those who come to the trap at 5 a. m., and are able to play a ukelele without a rehearsal are eligible for life membership."

"Members bumping their chin on the bar rail in the act of falling are suspended for ten days."

"Those seeing kerise cats with purple eyes should keep it to themselves. Traps are not zoological gardens."

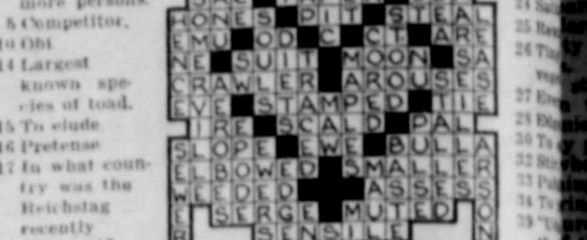
PRISONERS BECOME STUDENTS

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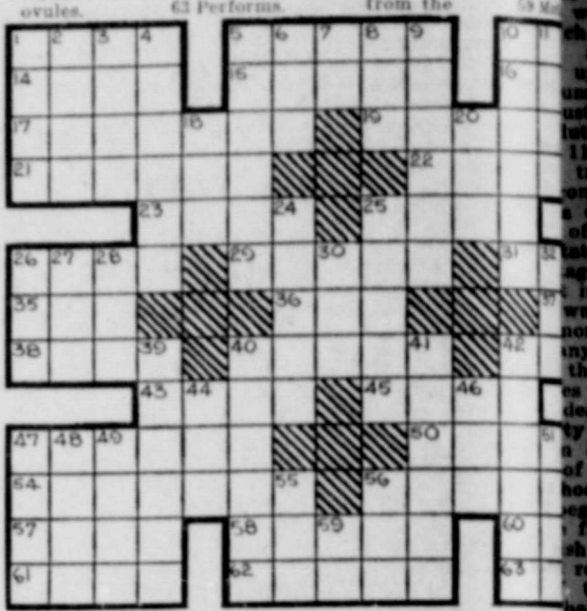
"Four Crosses"

By United Press.

Answer to Previous Puzzle



Horizontal: 1 Agreement between two or more persons & competitor. 14 Largest known species of toad. 15 To evade. 16 Pretense. 17 In what country was the Reichstag recently dissolved? 18 Impaired. 21 Fortune. 22 Genus of cereal grasses. 23 Limbs used to make hats. 25 To apportion. 26 To peel. 27 Edges of a roof. 31 Flatfish (pl.) trained Samuel. 34 To bind. 37 Owed. 38 A gift of charity. 40 Fertilized and ripened grapes. 42 Pillar. 43 Was indebted. 45 Plant stem used to make hats. 47 Drove away. 48 Literary work, figured in lines. 54 Matrimonial. 55 Constituent of most foods. 57 To impel. 58 Roving. 59 Bland. 61 To blow. 62 Spread of an arch (pl.). 63 Perform. 1 Congress-man's clerk. 2 Eras. 3 Brief. 4 Mexican dish. 5 To revoke. 6 Plant. 7 Go on (music). 8 To total. 9 Rental contracts. 10 Marked out into slices. 11 Seaweed. 12 To blind. 13 To deviate from the.



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State May Get Truck Blue Law

By United Press.

HARRISBURG, Pa.—Governor Gifford Pinchot "has in mind" an order barring commercial trucks from Pennsylvania highways on "Sundays, at nights and on holidays."

The governor told this to Lee H. Miller, Cleveland, chief engineer of the American Institute of Steel Construction, when he wrote him concerning the Keystone State's truck problem.

Pinchot said truck owners paid only one eighth of the state gasoline tax, according to Department of Revenue figures. During one year the state collected \$32,000,000 in gasoline tax and "less than \$5,000,000 of this sum was paid on gasoline used in trucks."

Were it not for heavy trucks, he said, highways would cost \$15,000 a mile instead of \$25,000.

"Passenger cars seem to be carrying more than their share of the burden," the Governor commented.

"All we can do is limit the use of the roads and here in Pennsylvania that is what we have in mind," Pinchot wrote. "We are thinking of barring trucks from the highways on Sundays, at night, and on holidays."

"They must come down in size. They must be forced to travel at reasonable speeds. Many of the six wheelers have a speed greater than can be reached by some passenger automobiles."

Horns to Replace Locomotive Whistles

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Will Rule Estate Worth Many Millions

By United Press. WELAND, O.—The State has been asked to grant a man who died a fortune worth millions to a church and to...

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer



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Catholic Church History In Texas Is Now Completed

By United Press. AUSTIN—Preliminary work on a six-volume history of the Catholic church in Texas, closely imbedded with the early history of the territory, has been completed after six years...

Grace - - on the Gridiron



In refutation of complaints that football builds only rough-and-tumble brawn, consider this picture. As graceful as any terpsichorean artist is Win Anderson of Colgate University as he snares a forward pass.

FIVE CHILDREN DROWN

By United Press. GLEN MILLER, Ontario, Oct. 17.—Five children were drowned today when an automobile carrying 10 persons skidded on the road and plunged into a river.

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By SAMUEL DASHSELL. United Press Staff Correspondent. PARIS—Believing that business depression can be remedied thru the combined study of both practical and theoretical leaders, the Association for Economic Expansion has announced the organization of an International Congress of Industrial and Commercial Exportation here in November.

State Teachers Are Opposed to Home Exemption Measure

By United Press. FORT WORTH.—Fearful for the safety of Texas' public school system, the executive committee of the State Teachers association has declared opposition to the homestead tax exemption amendment.

Grain Hearing to Be Held November 4

FORT WORTH.—Division of grain fields in the Texas Panhandle into three of four shipping areas will be submitted to the interstate commerce commission at a hearing here Nov. 14.

Lincoln's Last Words Told After 67 Years

NEW YORK.—Abraham Lincoln's last words, hitherto unknown to historians, have just come to light, nearly 70 years after his death, through the researches made by Carl Sandburg, whose biography of Mrs. Lincoln is being published by the Woman's Home Companion.

W. C. T. U. Plans Golden Anniversary

By United Press. MARSHALL, Texas.—Golden anniversary celebration of the Women's Christian Temperance union in Texas is planned in conjunction with the state convention here Oct. 25-28.

Farmers Sow 1,400 Acres in Wheat

By United Press. FRESNO, S. D.—J. E. Stanley, farm "king" of this district of Western South Dakota, has completed the sowing of 1,400 acres of winter wheat.

HUGE RATTLER KILLED

By United Press. OROVILLE, Cal.—A rattlesnake with 18 rattles, three and one-half feet long and as big around as a man's arm recently was killed near Bidwell Bar by Lew Moseby of this city.

WE STUDY COOKING

By United Press. OMAHA, Neb.—Seventeen boys enrolled in the cooking class at Oxford High School this year are receiving instruction in the preparation of plain and camp cookery.

BLOOMS IN TWO COLORS

By United Press. OY, Cal.—A zinnia plant of two colors, bright yellow, and both on the same, is growing in the yard of Paul Liquori here.

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HOKY AND SLIDES Henry L. Farrell. Oherlin's Superior. A MOS ALONZO STAGG successor as director of athletics at the University of Chicago is not exactly a "chicken" at the coaching game himself. Oherlin men will tell you something about that. Oherlin men also will tell you that his name may be officially Thomas Nelson Metcalf, but they always knew him as "Nellie."

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HERE--- AND THERE

By ELVIE H. JACKSON

The American Legion stands for a red blood of sacrifice, the blue of courage, and the white for that efficient peace that follows after heroic endeavor and accomplishment.

Whenever that little silken slip, d. white and blue, is viewed by a legionnaire, a thrill passes through him, and memories of that body field of Flanders, where a poppy, emblematic of sleep, surmounts over the crumbling bones of those brave men, who fought for America, in the late '18, and left our shores never to turn, sweep through his soul.

And so, Poppy Day is observed by the American Legion with a solemnity of each 12 months, and in memory of those who fought and died, that our America might rededicate the land of the free, as well as "the home of the brave."

The American Legion is steadily moving toward the quota set by its national organization. Twenty-nine states, or departments, have reached their goal in membership, the latest to be added being Missouri and Texas. Others that have surpassed their quota, include Iowa, Rhode Island, Maryland, Nevada, Michigan, France, West Virginia, Italy, South Carolina, Kansas, Wisconsin, District of Columbia.

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CALL of the WEST

By R. G. MONTGOMERY

BEGIN HERE TODAY

STAN HALL accuses ASPEN DELLO, timber king, of crooked practice and of ordering men shot who are sent to check up on his activities. Hall says he will personally prevent it. Upon leaving Dello's office Hall saves DONA, Dello's daughter, from kidnapers. He tells her his name is STANLEY BLACK.

DUDLEY WINTERS, in love with DONA, goes with her to Three Rivers to get Dello to give up the fight with Hall. He tries to marry DONA and gets the certificate signed. Dello is ambushed and wounded badly. SWERGIN, Dello's hard timber boss, blames Hall for the ambush and for the killing of a ranger. Dudley goes to riding in the hills, hunting Hall. DONA tells her father she has married Dudley and shows the certificate in an attempt to get him away.

Hall comes in for food and hears of the supposed marriage. He is surrounded by a posse. DONA is shot and he is taken to his cave hideout. Swergin finds the cave while Hall is out and captures him upon his return. He takes Hall to a cabin and sends for DONA. DONA is sent on ahead to meet him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXXII

DONA rode down the trail slowly. Stan Hall's black mare did not want to go. The horse kept turning her head and edging off the trail. But she remembered that her master had given her orders to obey the slender girl so she made a half-hearted attempt to step along.

The lumberjack who was acting as DONA's escort did not seem to mind riding slowly. He was out of place in the saddle and his big, raw-boned frame jolted up and down when his horse trotted.

Torn between a wild eagerness to go back with her father and fear that all was not well on the back trail, DONA rode along. Dudley scarcely entered her thoughts. So many strange things had happened in the past week, so many amazing twists of fate, that life had begun to seem unreal. Always a girl who made decisions rapidly and drove straight to a finish, she was surprised at her present state of uncertainty.

She could not understand Stanley Hall with his clear gray eyes, his chivalry toward her and his fearlessness in the face of death itself. How could a man like that be an outlaw and killer? The question kept pounding in her brain as she rode.

The black mare's hoofs clicked on the trail with an even rhythm and soon DONA's thoughts were beating to the same measure. Hall had admitted that he was guilty of all the charges against him. That means he had shot her father, killed a ranger and wounded several men. DONA was back exactly where she had started. But a man who had committed such crimes would never have treated her with the respect and dignity that Hall had shown each time they had met.

The escort was riding ahead now. He had eased himself in the saddle by throwing one leg around the horn and his body jolted grotesquely as his horse plodded along. DONA watched him narrowly.

She slowed her horse a little to see if he were watching her out of the tail of his eye. The man slowed, too, and she knew that he was keeping a close check on her movements. Suddenly DONA pushed the mare ahead and rode abreast of him.

"Do you suppose they have the job done yet?" She motioned with her hand in the direction from which they had come.

The man looked at her, then grinned. "They'll bring him down the trail a ways, then—" He jerked upward with one thumb and his grin widened.

DONA's lips went white. "I'm going back to put a stop to it!" she cried.

The black mare had halted. The man pulled his horse to a stop. "No use to butt in," he growled.

"I'm going back! It will be plain murder!" The girl's eyes were ablaze and her lips trembling.

The dull fellow beside her drew a deep breath of admiration at DONA's striking beauty, but he shook his head. "All over by now," he grunted.

DONA took in the situation at a glance. Her companion was unbalanced in his saddle. One leg was cast over the horn. His gun hung from his hip on her side while his big hands rested on the saddle horn. He was drinking in the picture she made. With a lightning movement DONA lashed out with her quirt, at the same time swinging the black mare up against the other horse. The lashing leather strips cut across the fellow's eyes and cheeks, blinding him. DONA reached over and jerked his gun loose, then cut his horse cruelly across its flanks. The animal snorted and leaped into the air. Like a big sack of meal, the man sailed into the air and landed in a heap on the ground.

DONA did not wait to see if her victim arose. She sent the black

Report States Foreign Help Hurts Missions

NEW YORK.—The seventh installment of the Laymen's Foreign Mission Inquiry reports on the subsidization of Christian churches by home parishes in the foreign missions field.

The board, after two years of inquiry, found that payment of foreign subsidies had introduced an element of commercialism into mission work that brought weakness in the life and morale of the mission field.

It found that only one-third of the churches in China and Japan are self-supporting. The percentage of self-supporting churches in India even is smaller.

The report declared: "More and more in the future the church in missionary lands will become indigenous in the proper sense of the word, and that certainly should be, and that will

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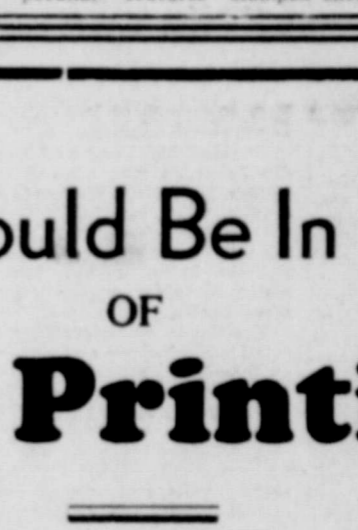
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mean that it will not be financed with foreign money, or conducted by foreign workers, or projected and patterned on a foreign-made ecclesiastical system. It must be a living organism rather than the copy of a structural pattern.

It must express in its own life the free functioning of the Christian spirit. That means that it must not be afraid to change its temporal form, to outgrow the peculiar features stamped upon it by the dominant personalities who nurtured it.

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(To Be Continued)

Local--Eastland--Social

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Tonight.
Methodist church choir, 5 p. m., concert in DeLeon.
Belknap Lodge, 7:30 p. m., I. O. O. F. hall.
Rabbit Breeders association, 8 p. m., courthouse.

Friday.
Public library open 2 to 5:30 p. m., community clubhouse.
Music Club of Eastland, 3 p. m., community clubhouse.
Nottoway group, Camp Fire Girls, 4 p. m., country hike; Mrs. Tom Harrell, guardian.

Civic League of Eastland Holds First Meeting.
The opening business meeting of the Civic League of Eastland for 1932-33 held preliminary to the formal opening of the club which will be held on Flower Show day, Friday, Oct. 28, held the attention of the league members Wednesday afternoon in community clubhouse.

Committee reports were called for, following the approval of minutes of the last meeting, held in the evening. Statement showed all bills paid.

Needs of the Eastland county courthouse restroom in refurbishing were presented by chairman of Eastland County Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. J. M. Perkins. On motion, passed, that county commissioners would be asked to furnish fund for necessary cleaning and furniture repairing.

Mrs. Horton, chairman of the Civic League flower show made a detailed report. Names of the merchants and their displays were given, who secured booths at \$5 each rental, indicate an interesting show along this line. Mrs. W. C. Matlow was named chairman of the prize committee, which will secure awards for flower show.

Mrs. O. C. Funderburk turned in to treasurer \$1 for Civic League cook books sold. The balance of cook books will be disposed of at 25 cents each by the hostess committee at the flower show.

Instead of the free-will offering plate, the usual arrangement, two popular girls will be chosen and each provided with a toy bank, in which the free-will offering will be exchanged for the gift of a flower.

Chairman for program for flower show, Mrs. Perkins, announced that entertainment had been provided for Friday afternoon, by the rhythm bands of the schools, and for Friday night, by the Wilda Drago Junior violin choir, and a number by the Spencer kindergarten.

The league authorized permission for Mrs. W. E. Stalter to sell cooked food at flower show on a percentage basis.

Mrs. Perkins spoke on the Texas Centennial amendment to state constitution. Mrs. Patterson responded by naming Mrs. W. A. Martin, Mrs. D. S. Eubanks and Mrs. B. E. McGlamery as a committee to work in the interest of the centennial.

A motion carried that the proposed plan to enlarge clubhouse board membership be placed before the first club federated in the city, for action. The amendment concerning the proposed clubhouse plans was moved to be tabled until the next meeting, Wednesday, Nov. 9.

The second Wednesday of each month was set as league meeting dates.

Mrs. J. C. Patterson, president, was elected delegate and Mrs. G. S. Stire alternate to the state convention, Texas Women's Clubs, in Corpus Christi, Nov. 7 and 8.

Those present, Mmes. J. A. Beard, W. A. Martin, J. M. Perkins, R. E. Sikes, O. F. Chastain, C. U. Connelley, James Horton, Shelton, J. D. Blankenship, Frank Crowell, E. E. Layton, W. C. Marlow, D. S. Eubanks, J. C. Day, Don Parker, O. C. Funderburk, G. S. Stire, Dan Childress, R. E. McGlamery, T. E. Payne, Clyde L. Garrett, Eugene Day, W. K. Jackson, and J. C. Patterson.

High School P. T. A. Opens New Season.
The Parent-Teacher association of the Eastland high school held an inspirational meeting in both business and program interests, Wednesday afternoon in the high school auditorium with Mrs. J. M. Perkins, president, in chair, and minutes by secretary, Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold.

A letter from First District president, Mrs. Bell of Thurber, who was a guest of the South Ward P. T. A. last month, was presented and in response delegates to the P. T. A. convention were elected in Mrs. Perkins and Mrs. Ora B. Jones, alternate delegate.

Mrs. L. J. Lambert, treasurer, reported \$4.69 on hand. Small bills were allowed, and membership dues at 50 cents per annum, of \$10 paid in at this meeting.

The first number on the program was brought by Mrs. W. P. Palm, who presented Clara June Kimble in two piano solos.

Reports were received from chairman of hospitality, Mrs. L. C.

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Brown, and library committee, Mrs. J. L. Johnson, asked by chair to co-operate with Mrs. Stire, chairman of ways and means committee, to work out a plan for securing book additions to high and junior high school libraries.

A talk on the Texas Centennial amendment was made by Mrs. W. K. Jackson, and in response chair appointed as committee on amendment, Mrs. Joe H. Jones, Mrs. Homer B. Meek, Mrs. J. L. Cottingham.

The teachers' institute, on Oct. 26, was announced by Principal W. P. Palm.

Formal invitation will be extended by the P. T. A. for the entertaining of the interscholastic field meet, to be invited to Eastland next spring, and Mrs. B. E. McGlamery appointed chairman of invitation.

Mrs. Palm resumed the program and presented Mrs. A. J. Campbell, who gave a fine combined paper and talk on the relation of child in parent and teacher co-operation, and Miss Mary Carter in an informative address on books and reading for youth, which she suggested should be largely guided through proper environment.

The third Wednesday in November was set for the next regular meeting of P. T. A.

Adjournment was taken to the cafeteria, where a dainty tea plate of sandwiches, small cakes, hot tea with lemon, was served by the hostess committee, Mmes. J. Frank Sparks, Ora B. Jones and L. C. Brown.

The attendance numbered several new members. Present, Mmes. Joe H. Jones, M. E. Greer, Wesley B. Harris, W. V. Van Geem, Robert Pearson, W. C. Marlow, H. B. Meek, J. Frank Sparks, A. L. Barsley, J. A. Stover, Ora B. Jones, J. L. Johnson, L. C. Brown, T. J. Ayling, A. J. Campbell, R. E. Sikes, L. J. Lambert, Lan Childress, W. P. Palm, R. E. McGlamery, Frank Bond, Don McEachern, W. L. Lane, Dave Wolf, C. C. Street, J. L. Cottingham, J. Leroy Arnold, W. K. Jackson, Misses Doris Powell, Mary Carter, Clara June Kimble; W. P. Palm, Edward E. Layton, and Mrs. J. M. Perkins, president.

Book Club Has Interesting Lesson.

The Book Club of Eastland held an interesting lesson session at the home of Mrs. Harry Porter Wednesday afternoon, with meeting opened by Mrs. Edward E. Freyschlag, president of the club.

A most interesting resume and critique of Willa Cathers' "Obscure Destinies" was given by Mrs. Neal Day, followed by a round-table discussion bringing out the points of the study.

Members attending were Mmes. Curtis A. Hertig, H. S. Sowand, Oscar Hudson, Neal Day, T. Ferguson, James A. Jarboe, W. E. Chaney, John W. Turner, Walter I. Clark, Lloyd E. Edwards, J. M. Armstrong, Virgil T. Seaberry, M. McCarty, and Harry H. Porter.

The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. J. M. Armstrong.

Mrs. Johnston Hostess Clover Leaf Club.

The delightful home of Mrs. Edie Johnston was opened to the Clover Leaf club Wednesday afternoon, when two tables were arranged for bridge, in timely Halloween's appointments, carrying out the black and yellow color motif, in table covers, jallies and score books.

The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and at close of an interesting game high score favor in auction, a handsome jardiniere, was awarded Mrs. W. J. Peters.

A delicious tea plate was served of tuna fish salad on lettuce, pickles, rolls, and second course of nut pumpkin pie, with whipped cream topping and coffee.

A full membership attended: Mmes. Carl Johnson, J. J. Coffman, W. E. Brasher, W. J. Peters, M. C. Hayes, Carl Garner, R. L. Perkins, and hostess.

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Cast for "The Brat" Completed by Little Theatre.

The new season of the Eastland Little theatre will open with the presentation of a three-act drama, "The Brat."

The casting committee has selected the character parts, which present:

Mrs. Forrester, Mrs. Agnes Harwood Doyle.
McMillan, her son and author, E. E. Freyschlag.
Stephen, her younger son, Pat Everett.
Bishop Ware, Leo L. Boles.
Mrs. Cary, Mrs. Leo L. Boles.
Dorothy, small daughter, Sara McLaughlin.
Jane Dewey, a spinster, Mrs. Hubert C. Jones.
Angela Smythe, a debutante, Sally Hargus.
Timson, a butler, Curtis A. Hertig.
Margot, a housekeeper, Elizabeth Davenport.
The Brat, Mrs. J. O. Brothers.

The Little Theatre plays have been given with decided success in Eastland under the direction of Mr. Randolph and Leftin V. Witcher.

The play is under the direction Mrs. Mrs. M. J. Pickett, whose Little Theatre experience was obtained in eastern cities prior to making her home in Eastland.

An Engrossing Evening With American Bridge Olympic.

The community clubhouse was opened for the tournament last night, when seven tables were placed for the contract players in the American Olympic.

Guests were received by the captain of play, Mrs. James H. Cheatham; Aubrey Cheatham, as

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Dancing To Be Mode Of Entertainment At Elks Club This Evening At 9 o'Clock

Tonight dancing will be the mode of entertainment for guests who attend the opening social feature of the Ranger Elks club.

The south's best seven piece orchestra will play and a good time is promised. This dance hour will be presented in novel form and varies from any dance affair to have been doted in the social calendar for several months. The Elks club is a delightful place to spend a pleasant evening and a group of out-of-town visitors plan on attending.

Those who have enjoyed Elks dances in the past reserve this evening for this affair and co-operate with the entertaining committee in making it the best of the year.

Winners in Contest Are Entertained With Hallows' Eve Party At McGee Home

In a contest recently sponsored by ladies of the First Baptist church with Mrs. Nannie Walker and Mrs. L. C. Keel, captains, members of the team led by Mrs. Walker were winners.

Carrying out the agreement that the winners would be complimented the winning group were entertained with one of the most enjoyable parties of the season given at the home of Mrs. McGee, Prairie camp, Wednesday afternoon.

A color theme of black and orange was featured throughout the rooms, where colorful costumes afforded a ray picture.

The guests were met by a witch and ushered into a dark room, where the clank of bones and battle squeaks greeted them. They passed from room to room each of which was fantastically decorated with symbols suggestive of ghosts and goblins.

Games and contests were played by the party members consisting of a happy group of 21.

Mrs. Walker was crowned queen for her successful achievement and wonderful work done in the contest.

The hostess served a plate of

EASTLAND PERSONAL

R. E. Neil of Houston spent several days with his father, B. H. Neil, and as guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Little and left yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Conner returned from a recent visit to their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert H. Reineman, at Longview, bringing with them their little granddaughter, Beth Reineman.

A thrilling moment came, when at precisely one minute past 8 the package containing the hands was unsealed by the captain and the duplicate board folders, with direction of cards marked on back, were placed in front of each player.

The 16 hands were played by players all evening.

Following the Eastland play, during which coffee was served at intervals, refreshments of sandwiches and coffee were enjoyed.

Players were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall R. Young, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pace, Mr. and Mrs. James V. Duncan, Mrs. Ford Alcus, Mrs. M. P. Burke and E. O. McClain of Breckenridge; W. T. Root and Aubrey Jameson of Ranger; Mrs. H. S. Howard, Mrs. Bess Chastain Terrell, Mrs. Curtis A. Hertig, Messrs. E. Freyschlag, Scott W. Key, John M. Motson, Sam Butler, Aubrey Creatham, Lonnie King, John W. Turner, J. L. Cottingham, A. H. Johnson, Julius B. Krause, Harry Porter, Fred W. Blatt, W. E. Storey, and James H. Cheatham Jr., of Eastland.

This has been a unique experience, and one the local players greatly enjoyed.

THE "HEAVEN-BOUND PILGRIMS"

A great pageant will be presented at the High School Auditorium, Oct. 21 Under the auspices of the A. M. E. Church. The play consists of spirituals, plantation melodies and Gospel songs, which are very thrilling and gripping to soul of men. "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" will be sung and beautifully pantomime. Characters in play are Saint Peter, angels, devils and souls traveling from the cradle to the grave. This is one of the greatest pageants that has ever been presented. Hope talent makes up the cast.

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Gene Raymond and Sari Maritza, in the leading roles of Paramount's sensational drama, "Forgotten Commandments"

RANGER Personal

Miss Bertha Parrish left this morning for Abilene where she will attend the McMurry-Canyon football game. While in Abilene Miss Parrish will be the guest of friends.

Leon Bourland, Horace Adams, J. A. Throver and Raymond Doyle of Ranger accompanied by Lonzo Fencher of Strawn attended the 30th anniversary of Armour & Co. at Fort Worth this week. The out-of-town visitors inspected the plant and enjoyed the various departments. A unique demonstration and banquet honored the affair given on the 14th floor at the Texas hotel.

Miss Talmadge Carter is a visitor in Dallas over the week-end. Johnny Burks of Eastland was a business visitor in Ranger this morning.

By United Press.
BLUEFIELD, Va.—A. B. Perdue went hunting and shot a squirrel. When he decided the victim was dead, Perdue picked it up and was bitten severely.

COLUMBIA NOW PLAYING

The inside story of the upper crust of the underworld. . . . "CZAR of BROADWAY"

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REPRESENTATIVE'S ODD VIOLIN

By United Press.
GLOUCESTER, Mass.—Representative A. Platt Andrews, of Massachusetts, is the owner of an Alsatian violin constructed of fig boxes and strung with horse hairs.

PARIS STYLES

By MARY KNIGHT,
United Press Staff Correspondent.
PARIS.—Paisley silks are enjoying a popularity equal to the lovely shawls, now melowed with age, from which their designs have been taken. The new silks are used to form tops of wool dresses, thus illustrating the smartness of combining two entirely different fabrics in the same dress ensemble.

The lower portion of the dress takes the color of dominance in the paisley portion forming the blouse and a section of the sleeves, and the lassitude thus given to accessories is high, wide and handsome. Two scarves often do the trick, one forming the blouse with the points going down the back and front and continuing into a section of the skirt, and points also going over the shoulders and connecting to the elbows. Another scarf attaching itself at the back near the neck is used to drape in any desired fashion. The model thus described is from Schianarelli, the wool of the skirt being navy blue and the colors in the paisley silk are red, blue, green, yellow, white—and a border of black silk with a satin flower brocade through it completes the color scheme that gives such range to the accessories.

For conservative tastes, navy blue shoes, purse, hat, gloves and for lighter moments, red touched off with white bring out the popular red, white and blue combinations begun in the summer and to be continued through fall and winter.

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Growth In School Costs Is Due To Increased Demand

By United Press.
HARRISBURG, Pa.—School costs in Pennsylvania are due to increased demand for high school education, according to the state department of public instruction.

In 1900 there were 27 school students enrolled state; 30 years later the reached 296,372.

"These figures present a tremendous burden that is carried by the secondaries. The unemployment is making it heavier than ever," Dr. James Bala, the state school system.



PRINTED cloths decorate the newest fashions for evening wear. A typical design is shown above—a delicate tracery of stems and narrow leaves.

State highway department appropriated \$8,000 for repairs to new construction work on highway No. 17 through Jeff Davis county—Pecos Enterprise.

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