

West Texas—Generally fair to partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday.

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The umpire behind the plate makes 200 decisions during a baseball game, it is estimated, thus giving the fans 200 reasons for calling him a big bum.

DALLAS MAN KILLS THREE PEOPLE. SUICIDES

PEOPLE NAMED FOR ROLES IN BIG PAGEANT

The rural communities near Ranger will cooperate with the citizenship of the town in staging the big March of Time pageant at Lillard field Monday night, and though the names of all who will take part are not available, the chairman from the communities, in most instances have been named and have selected their casts.

From Colony, which will furnish the Indians, L. C. Cooksey has been named "big chief" and L. D. Tarrant named "little chief." These two have selected the Indians to play the parts where Indians are needed in the pageant and will supervise that section of the spectacle.

From the Cross Roads community Dutch Erwin has been selected to pick the immigrants who will have parts in a later episode. These 49ers have been selected and will be on hand for the pageant and rehearsals.

J. Blackwell of Alameda-Cheney, will furnish men to enact the parts of Spaniards, all of whom will be chosen from that community.

Pageant Rehearsal To Be Held Tuesday

F. C. McClung, director of the March of Time pageant, to be staged in Ranger at Lillard field Wednesday night, July 4, has urged all who have been selected to portray roles in the pageant to be present at the field Tuesday night at 6 o'clock for the rehearsal.

This will be the only rehearsal held for the pageant and all who have been selected for parts, either from Ranger or from the rural communities, are urged to be present.

L. M. Cook of Bullock, one of the pioneer citizens of that section, and his wife will enact the roles of pioneers, with their grand children taking parts in the episode with them.

Mr. Pollard of Staff, aided by Mr. White and Mr. Hazard, are to furnish the immigrant train, choosing their characters from among the residents of the Staff community.

Pat Downing is in charge of selecting cowboys from Morton Valley and is being aided by several of the residents of that section of the country, while Bob Glascock of Frankel is securing the pony express riders.

Miss Maxine Henderson of Olden will sing the Indian Love Song in the episode showing the Indian camp while Johnny Ducker will be Uncle Sam in the finale with Mrs. Ducker taking the part of Miss Liberty.

W. H. Clarke will take the part of the soldier in the finale with Red Gordon taking the part of the sailor with Max Star and A. Burkett as color bearers and Felton Brasher and Jack Roach as the color guard. Harry Henry and Wm. N. McDonald will aid with fireworks display, assisting Bob Martin, producer of the pageant.

The Lone Star Band, which is taking part in the annual reunion and rode in Stamford, will be back in Ranger in time to play the music for the pageant. The band is being managed by Dutch Van Wetter and directed by A. J. Campbell. The Ranger High School Band will play for the water carnival at the Willows in the late afternoon.

No Paper Will Be Issued On Tuesday

No issue of this paper will be published on Tuesday, July 3, but an early morning edition will be published on Wednesday, July 4.

The employees of the paper will take the entire day off in which to celebrate the Fourth of July, as has been the custom in the past few years, and the office will be closed all day. The Thursday issue will be delivered as usual Thursday afternoon.

Last Rites For Rob Roy Sparr Said Sunday P.M.

Funeral services for Rob Roy Sparr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sparr of Eastland, and who died late Saturday following an emergency operation for appendicitis, were conducted from the First Methodist church of Eastland at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon followed by interment in the Eastland cemetery.

The Rev. Rosemond Stanford, pastor of the Methodist church, conducted the services, assisted by Roy G. Boger, president of Weatherford College, where Rob Roy had attended school. The service was a very beautiful one, both speakers paying splendid tributes to the high character of the deceased.

A male quartet, composed of four young men, former schoolmates of Rob Roy's at Weatherford College, rendered special songs as a part of the funeral service.

Beautiful flowers, making up the large floral offering, were piled high about the casket and about the altar.

The audience, which filled the spacious auditorium of the church, attested to the popularity of the deceased.

Palbearers were Carroll Reeves, "Happy" Hightower, D. L. Childers, Jr., "Hack" Miller, Terrell Coleman, Carl Garrett, Bob McGlamery, and Truett Fulcher, all former Eastland school mates of Rob Roy.

The Hammer Undertaking company had charge of the body.

Rob Roy was born in Eastland Oct. 30, 1914, and was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sparr, pioneer Eastland county citizens. He completed high school in Eastland where he was noted for his outstanding achievements as an athlete and as a public speaker. He represented his school in a number of district and state-wide contests.

After graduating from Eastland High school Rob Roy entered Weatherford Junior College. Later he entered the North Texas State Teachers' college at Denton where he was when he became sick and returned home.

A young man of splendid character, Rob Roy was loved and respected by all who knew him, and will be greatly missed not only by his parents, who were very devoted to him, but to all whose privilege it was to come in contact with him from time to time.

Team Averages In Twilight League For the First Week

The following are the batting and fielding averages of the teams in the Twilight League for the first week of the second half. These averages include all players in all games played this week:

Table with columns: Team, AB, H, E, Pet. Rows include L. Star, Tee Pee, Naturaline, Lone Star, Elks, Magnolia, Lone Star Gas, and Lone Star.

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Darrow Board In Last Report Raps At Recovery Plans

WASHINGTON, July 2.—For the third and last time the Darrow recovery review board reported today that the NRA is squeezing the "little man and the consumer" and hoarding the huge monopolies.

The board's final report was made public today. It differed from the earlier findings only in the specific injustices cited. The conclusions were the same as those of its first and most effective bombshell.

TICKET SALES FOR PAGEANT GOING WELL

Ticket sales for the Pageant "The March of Time" to be shown at Lillard Field in Ranger Wednesday night, July 4, at 8 o'clock, were reported to be going good by Wade Swift, chairman of the ticket sales committee.

Tickets are placed on sale ahead of time to avoid a rush to the gates on the night of performance and to assure the Pageant getting under promptly on time for a thrilling and spectacular two-hour showing.

Beginning with a flare of fireworks the Pageant will bring to the people of Ranger and surrounding communities a vivid portrayal of important scenes in the history of the American Nation, and has been approved and heartily endorsed by civic leaders and educational men wherever it has been shown.

The Pageant will open with the dedication being read by Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of First Christian Church, Ranger, followed by a display of fireworks. Rev. Johnson has written the dedication in line with other prominent ministers who have composed such dedications where the show has been produced.

The actual pageant scenes begin with the Indians of the days before the White Men and will be followed by a scene showing Coronado, the Spaniard and his trusty followers.

The Colonial period is next with George and Martha, Washington and his Colonial court of that period.

The Pioneer days will be next, closely followed by the emigrant train which will end with an Indian attack on the train and with the Indians being driven off by Cowboys to the Rescue.

Prospectors with burros and packs will next depict the days after the United States had been organized and launched on its career and will show the men who hunted gold in the west.

The stagecoach episode in which a real coach will be used to which four spirited horses will be hitched is one of the most thrilling and spectacular of the whole pageant.

Wade Swift, whose father was a stage coach driver in the early days, will drive the coach Wednesday night.

Negroes of local churches will furnish the Old Plantation episode and will sing old songs, spirituals and popular numbers.

Civil War Days, Reconstruction Days, Frontier Days and Spanish-American War Days will follow in succession.

Two special episodes will be introduced showing horseback riding, then and now and the March of Transportation in which the oldest automobiles in this section will take part.

The World War episode and the Grand Finale with Uncle Sam and Miss Liberty showing President Roosevelt and the New Deal will close the Pageant in a blaze of glory.

Bridges On Highway 89 In Road Projects

AUSTIN, July 2.—Bridges over Rock creek and Busk creek for Highway 89 in Palo Pinto county today were added to highway projects on which bids will be taken here on July 16.

Georgia Peaches for European Markets

AUGUSTA, Ga.—Peaches that have such keeping qualities that they can be shipped to Europe without being damaged have been developed by Frank W. Murphy, a farmer who never has gone to school to study horticulture.

Each year he sells the peaches in Scotland, England and Spain. Last year only two shipments, one in each of two shipments, reached the European consignees in a damaged condition.

The "Georgia Murphy peach" has been developed by Murphy in size, with splendid keeping qualities.

Fort Worth Bus And Street Car Men May Strike

FORT WORTH, July 2.—Street car and bus operators here today threatened to go on strike unless their demands for collective bargaining rights are met.

Every attempt will be made to prevent a strike, union leaders said, but "drastic action may be necessary unless the North Texas Traction company reinstates 15 men allegedly discharged because of union affiliations.

A mass meeting was called for tonight to discuss the situation. Company officials denied the men were dismissed because of union membership. They urged the employees to wait upon a decision in the matter from the national labor board.

HITLER TELLS WHY HE HAD SCORE SLAIN

BERLIN, July 2.—After liquidating his political enemies in a bath of blood and bullets, Adolf Hitler and his "committee of public safety" today sought to present to the world legal justification for the execution of at least 24 high officials.

"All executions of storm troop leaders," the Nazi high command declared, "followed summary court martial proceedings before court martials held in Berlin and Munich."

Chancellor Hitler erected another bulwark of defense for his strong position when he released telegrams from President Hindenburg which put the stamp of approval on the suppression of treasonable machinations and gave his blessing to the bloody undertaking which may result in an even higher death toll when the whole truth is known.

The situation throughout Germany was "tense but quiet." The reports of cannonading heard at Munich were discounted by direct word from Munich there was no disorder.

In the mopping up process the government denied some of the most sensational rumors surrounding the disposition of Franz Von Papen, variously reported as executed or a suicide.

Von Papen, foe of Hitler, but close friend of President Von Hindenburg, was guarded in his home by a picked squad of troops.

Similarly, it was announced, Prince August Wilhelm, fourth son of the ex-kaiser, was still "in residence" at his Potsdam villa, in "protective custody" and had neither fled nor been killed, as had been rumored.

Rev. Wellburn to File An Appeal In His Divorce Case

SAN ANTONIO, July 2.—The Rev. William Wellburn, loser in last week's divorce action, brought by a woman he said he never married, announced today he would file a motion for a new trial.

Describing himself as an innocent man, he said he would base the motion on an allegation of a grand jury indictment charging him with perjury influenced by the jury's verdict. The verdict, reached shortly after the indictment, granted Mrs. Wellburn a divorce from the minister and custody of her eight-month-old child, parentage of which Wellburn denied.

Roosevelt Leaves On His Vacation

ABOARD U. S. S. GILMER, July 2.—President Roosevelt, who knows how to take a vacation and does it best at sea, relaxed today from the strain of directing national affairs.

As the cruiser Houston bore him south over the Atlantic, the president put off responsibility and idled in the companionship of Franklin Jr. and John, youngest of his sons.

Last important business was finished during the night as the Houston slipped down Chesapeake bay. Only three newspaper men are along.

TWO KILLED WHEN PLANE CRACKS UP

CENTER, Texas, July 2.—Roy Heiman, Dallas, and Ned Allen, Longview, were killed today when their plane crashed as the two men waved good-bye to their sweethearts on the ground below.

The two men spent the week-end here, where Heiman had come to see Miss Betty Dixon, El Paso, and where Allen was visiting Miss Rheta Willis. With Heiman at the controls, the cabin monoplane had reached an elevation of only about 75 feet when Heiman sought to bank the ship as the pair waved a farewell greeting.

The craft suddenly nosed downward. When it hit the ground it burst into flames.

Mark McGee Will Speak In Ranger For Sen. Connally

L. R. Pearson, who has charge of the political speaking at the Fourth of July celebration in Ranger, announced today that he had received a long distance telephone conversation from Dallas, stating that Mark McGee would be in Ranger Wednesday morning to make a talk in behalf of Senator Tom Connally, who will be unable to be present.

Mark McGee is well known politically throughout the state and is considered one of the best speakers that could be secured. His talk will follow immediately after that of State Senator Clint Small, candidate for governor, who will begin the political speeches in the morning.

Both talks will be heard at the Willows, where seating arrangements are being made and where a public address system will be installed so that all might hear.

In the afternoon county and district candidates will appear on the program. It is expected that practically all the candidates in the county will be on hand as Ranger is planning the biggest celebration of any of the cities of the county and large crowds are anticipated.

Two Good Boxing Bouts On Card of Elks Show Tonight

Good boxing bouts will prevail on the Elks fight card tonight when Woodie Windham and Jackie Woods meet in a six-round bout and Bill Donowho and Jimmie Scallons meet in a 10-rounder.

These two fights are evenly matched and the fans should get their money's worth in either of the two events.

The main wrestling match of the evening will be staged when St. Holt of Fort Worth and Red Rogers of Dallas mix it in a two-hour time limit match, best two out of three falls.

Donowho and Jimmie Scallons are expected to pack plenty of punch and excitement into their bout as the two are well trained and both will be out for a victory.

The two fought to a draw last week and the return match was made immediately upon demand by the fans. Both are anxious to get their knockout wallop working early in the bout in order that they can score a decisive win, while, at the same time, both will be watching the other closely in order to evade the haymakers which will be flung from all corners.

Holt and Rogers were also on the card last week and showed the fans so much wrestling in a short time that they were rematched. Holt, after winning one and losing one fall, was given that match when Rogers became too rough and the return match was scheduled in order that they might fight it out.

Marie Dressler Is Still Critically Ill

SANTA BARBARA, Calif., July 2.—Marie Dressler, 65-year-old screen favorite, remained in a critical condition today with no noticeable change reported by doctors at her bedside.

The beloved trouper, who had emerged from a state of coma to speak feebly to those around her, continued to fight off death. Her doctors saw no immediate crisis.

Dry Speaker



Former Congressman William D. Upshaw, noted dry speaker, who is campaigning in Eastland county.

William D. Upshaw Dry Crusader, Is Speaking In County

Before a large union congregation of four churches, Methodist, Presbyterian, Central and First Baptist, meeting in the auditorium of the First Baptist church Sunday night, Former Congressman William D. Upshaw, recent prohibition candidate for President, delivered a ringing indictment of lawlessness and an eloquent plea for law and order, based on personal and national sobriety.

The dry crusader's subject, "The Blue Coat and the Red Flag," proved to be a breezy, unique discussion of good citizenship and patriotism—the Blue Coat standing for the officer of the law and the Red Flag, of course, denoted as the emblem of communism and anarchy.

The speaker declared that liquor is the friend of lawlessness and debauchery, having always defied every law of God and man.

"Everybody who votes for the repeal of the Texas dry law," he said, "is voting against public morality and also against the legitimate business of every merchant in Ranger for money that goes for booze will not go for shoes or clothes, nor food, nor homes nor happiness."

Short pep talks were made by each of the pastors present, telling why they are dry and why all their church members ought to vote dry at all times.

The former congressman paid a passing but emphatic tribute to Senator Tom Connally and Congressman Blanton for always voting in Ranger for money that goes for booze with the right side of every moral question.

Mr. Upshaw will speak at Breckenridge tonight, Carbon on Tuesday afternoon and he will close his Eastland county crusade of three days with a county wide dry rally at Eastland Tuesday night.

No Rain Before Middle of Week

DALLAS, July 2.—Prayers for rain continued unanswered today except for showers in scattered communities.

Meteorologist Joseph Cline said, however, increasingly unsettled weather might result in general rains by the middle of the week. In the meantime the state will have to do with light local showers, Cline said.

Light showers were reported from several stations over the state yesterday. Houston experienced relief from heat during a brief downpour totaling .052 of an inch. San Antonio got .34 of an inch, Corpus Christi .02, and Abilene reported light rains.

Texas has not had a good general rain since the first week in April.

Adamowicz Brothers Land In Warsaw

WARSAW, Poland, July 2.—The Adamowicz brothers of Brooklyn landed their trans-Atlantic plane at Warsaw at 5:40 p. m. today and were greeted by a wildly cheering crowd of 20,000.

Children Get \$45,000 Of Cod Liver Oil

AUSTIN.—The Texas Relief Administration has purchased \$45,000 worth of cod liver oil for ill and undernourished children of indigent parents. "Increase of rickets has reached alarming proportions," Relief headquarters explained.

Members of the Relief Commission propose to investigate the large purchase, which involves more than 20,000 gallons of cod liver oil.

Henry Ford May Not Make Peace With NRA Heads

WASHINGTON, July 2.—Doubts arose today as to whether Henry Ford had made peace with NRA as first was believed Saturday when Administrator Hugh S. Johnson announced he had received a letter signifying the manufacturer would sign a compliance certificate.

A Ford attorney, Louis J. Colombo, said the letter was not mailed by the Ford company. He further intimated that until such a letter bore the signature of Ford, relations would remain unchanged.

Hugh S. Johnson at first reading of the letter said he had considered it a formal certificate of compliance.

METHODIST OF THE DISTRICT MEET TONIGHT

EASTLAND, Texas, July 2.—Methodist from this district will gather here tonight for a reception to be tendered Bishop H. A. Boaz, who will be the principal speaker at a meeting to be attended by Dr. C. Q. Smith, who is retiring as presiding elder of the Cisco district to accept the presidency of McMurry College at Abilene, and Dr. O. F. Sensabaugh, who is to succeed Dr. Smith as presiding elder, and numerous well known pastors and laymen.

There will be a banquet, which will be in charge of the Sue Stafford Circle of the Eastland Methodist church and which will be served on the lawn where it will be pleasant and cool. A charge of 25 cents per plate will be made. It is also planned to hold the meeting on the lawn.

Geodetic Survey To Erect Elevation Markers Over Nation

WASHINGTON, July 2.—The United States coast and geodetic survey has begun construction of a system of land elevation markers at 10-mile intervals over most of the United States, officials said today in denying giant towers would be built to be used as laboratories.

It was said the elevation markers would compress small copper plates which would prove and aid to engineers. The money for the project will be supplied by the PWA.

The geodetic survey has thousands of such markers placed over the country and the new work will be an extension of this system.

National Emergency Committee Created

WASHINGTON, July 2.—President Roosevelt today issued an order creating a national emergency committee to advise him on problems connected with public works, labor disputes and industrial recovery.

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Stock Market Is Under Control of New Commission

WASHINGTON, July 2.—The trading which ushered in the day's going on the stock exchange today rang in a new era in the history of the exchange and of many other phases of American business.

The opening of business at 10 o'clock marked the first attempt of the market to do business under federal regulations imposed by the stock market control bill.

Regulation through a commission became an actuality as a result of President Roosevelt's action in naming the five men who will supervise the market.

VICTIMS HAD FAILED TO GO TO HIS PICNIC

DALLAS, July 2.—Hugh Davis, 50, today shot and killed three persons because they refused to attend a picnic with him. Then he shot himself fatally.

The victims: Mrs. Sally Carson, 40, former wife of Davis; Mrs. Julia Patrick, 70; Sam Carson, 19, son of Mrs. Carson.

Mrs. Frank Richards, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Carson, saw the killing. She told police the Carson boy was shot first by Davis. Then, she said, he killed the two women.

Police were informed that Davis invited the two women and the youth to attend a picnic with him Sunday night near his fishing camp. They had refused.

Clint Small to Speak In Ranger Wednesday A.M.

Returning to West Texas after an address Monday in Terrell, Senator Clint Small, candidate for governor, speaks Wednesday morning at 10:50 in Ranger.

Ranger residents may expect one of Senator Small's usual clear-cut addresses which mines on terms and leaves no doubt in the listeners' minds as his stand on any question.

In recent speeches, widely applauded as the attitude which must be taken by the state's chief executive if Texas is to be a safe place in which to live, Senator Small described the "marvelous advances made by criminals in their technique."

"The criminal's progress," Small said, "has been much greater than that of the agencies of government used to apprehend and convict the violator. The facilities provided for the use of our sheriff and ranger forces are entirely inadequate to cope with the astute and violently desperate methods used by the modern robber and desperado. Until we have adequately equipped a competent state constabulary to work in conjunction with all other law enforcement agencies of the counties and cities, we have no just reason to condemn the failure to exterminate the desperate criminals that are seriously menacing society at this time."

"I want to see the state ranger force reorganized in such a manner as to enable it to function in keeping with the best tradition of the Texas ranger. With this force I want to combine the highway patrol. We must then provide modern riding facilities, adequate identification bureaus, efficient transportation, and modern arms that will put the officer on even terms with the criminals."

Senator Small leaves Ranger after his speech for Mineral Wells, where he makes an address at noon.

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**SENATOR RUSSEK READY FOR NEW ORLEANS WORKOUT**

Sen. Gus Russek left his Texas home Monday for New Orleans to start serving his four months service in jail for misapplying funds of the First National Bank of Schulenburg. In addition he was given a four-year suspended sentence by Fed. Judge T. M. Kennerley.

Senator Russek is chairman of the senate banking committee. He had a meteoric career in Texas politics. He won a seat in the senate by an overwhelming majority of the voters in his district. He was reelected by a large majority. Judge Kennerley gave him a week on the day of his conviction to wind up his business affairs.

From the senate of Texas to a New Orleans work house is a short but a very ragged journey. A famous American actress told it all at the finish of her career. She had won stardom. She had married and then divorced three American millionaires. After surveying the ruins of her career and the wreckage of her matrimonial ventures, she said to a New York reporter, "All that I have to say is that life is just one damn thing after another."

Gus Russek was popular as a young banker. His father was a popular banker. His finish to date will be the New Orleans work house. He may score a comeback, but there is an old saying that "the bird with a broken wing never flies high again."

**MATTHEW SLOAN PRESIDENT OF KATY RAILWAY**

Matthew S. Sloan is a remarkable man. He is a product of Alabama. After his college days were over he moved to New York. At 53 he retired as head of the billion dollar New York Edison company and its affiliates. He did not "retire" from active life. He started at the last step of the railroad career—as chairman of the board of Katy directors. This was a little more than two months ago. He made a survey of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas system. His policies appealed to the directors. He returned to New York from Texas. His directors made him president of the system, "without previous experience in railroad management." He covered Texas while away from New York headquarters. In his report to the board following his first survey the newly elected president said "he found the road to be in excellent official condition, efficiently operated and serving a section destined to grow and develop more rapidly than any other part of the country." He was speaking of the great southwest and of Texas, the empire commonwealth of the sisterhood.

**Must Be Too Busy to Look at the Calendar**



**Markets**

By United Press

Closing selected New York

Table listing various market items and their prices, including stocks like Am Can, Am P & L, and commodities like Wheat, Corn, and Curb Stocks.

**THIS CURIOUS WORLD** By William Ferguson



JUMBO, THE LARGEST CAPTIVE ELEPHANT IN MODERN HISTORY, WAS ACQUIRED, AFTER DEATH, AND NOW STANDS IN TUFTS COLLEGE, AS MARCO? HE IS THE WORLD'S LARGEST COLLEGE MASCOT.

**Wedded 67 Years; Too Busy to Fight**

MALLEN, Texas. — "Jimmy" Wedell, the late speed flyer, acquired his skill at the stick as did many another famous pilot — by "herding" an old model Curtiss "Jenny." Wedell first became interested in aviation when he operated a garage here. He began by repairing motors in old Jenny planes, several of which were owned and flown locally. From that time to the time of his death in a crash at Patterson, La., June 24, Wedell graduated he flew here to the finest stream-lined racing planes modern industry could create. Republican Floor Leader Bert Snell says the Roosevelt administration is bluffing the public. We might call the bluff if we were sure Mr. Snell isn't bluffing us, too.

**LEGAL RECORDS**

District Court: City of Ranger vs. A. J. Bartrug et ux foreclosure paving lien. Marriage Licenses: Howard H. Gass and Miss Juanita Bounds, Cisco. County Court: Continental State Bank, Rising Star vs. Alra Nelson et al, suit on note. Instruments: Warranty Deed—J. B. Owens et al to Notie Callihan, lot 9, blk. 8, Highland Park addition to Ranger, \$780.00.

**LEGAL RECORDS**

Park Addition to Ranger, \$1.00. Transfer of Lien — Eastland Building & Loan association to Home Owners Loan Corp., shown Vol. 55, p. 71-73, Deed of Trust Records of Eastland county, \$1-735.00. Deed of Trust—W. C. Marlow et ux to James Shaw, trustee for Home Owners Loan Corp., Desc. Vol. 55, p. 71, Deed of Trust Records, \$1735.00. Deed—City of Eastland to Mrs. Ida Michael, lot No. 154, sec. 2, Tier C, blk P-5, O. T., \$25.00. Drilling Contract—Ross Penn et al to E. E. Man Eman, 160 acres of sec. 11, BBB&C Ry. Co. survey, 80 acres of sec. 13, BBB&C Ry. Co. survey (5 year commercial oil and gas leases to first party). Warranty Deed—Capitol Bldg. & Loan association to C. F. Falls, 113x147 1-3 ft. out of survey No. 28, Rising Star, \$2840.00.

**Stork Beats Doctor To His Own Home**

MISSION, Texas.—Dr. A. D. Wilson raced the stork to the Paul Wycoff home and won. But while the media was ushering Paul Wycoff, Jr., into the world, the stork took a shortcut to the doctor's house. Dr. Wilson arrived home to find himself the father of a five and a half-pound baby girl. Dr. W. E. Whigham of McAllen, answering a hurry call, was present at the birth of his colleague's daughter.

**HOW TO KEEP COOL**

FORT WORTH, Tex.—Forget it, says Secretary E. G. Graves of the Retail Merchants' Association about hot weather. Think of icebergs, and you'll be a lot cooler. It's mostly in your mind, anyway.

**FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser**



**"ALL IN" FROM A LONG SWIM**



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BASEBALL

TEXAS LEAGUE

Table with 3 columns: Club, W, L, Pct. Lists standings for Texas League teams like San Antonio, Tulsa, Beaumont, etc.

Yesterday's Results

Fort Worth 6, Oklahoma City 0. Tulsa 8-3, Dallas 7-2. Beaumont 6, Houston 5. San Antonio 6-2, Galveston 4-7.

Today's Schedule

Tulsa at Fort Worth. Oklahoma City at Dallas. Beaumont at Galveston. San Antonio at Houston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with 3 columns: Club, W, L, Pct. Lists standings for National League teams like New York, Chicago, St. Louis, etc.

Yesterday's Results

New York 5, Brooklyn 4. Pittsburgh 5, Chicago 4. Boston 6-3, Philadelphia 3-0. St. Louis 8-2, Cincinnati 6-2. (First game 18 innings; second game called fifth, darkness.)

Today's Schedule

St. Louis at Chicago. New York at Boston. Philadelphia at Brooklyn. Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with 3 columns: Club, W, L, Pct. Lists standings for American League teams like New York, Detroit, Boston, etc.

Yesterday's Results

Boston 10, Philadelphia 3. New York 5, Washington 2. Chicago 12-3, Cleveland 5-4. St. Louis 3-3, Detroit 2-12.

Today's Schedule

Detroit at Cleveland. New York at Washington. Chicago at Philadelphia. Only games scheduled.

Stomach Gas advertisement for ADLERIKA medicine, describing its benefits for indigestion and gas.

Try a WANT-AD advertisement, promoting the effectiveness of classified ads.

CRAZY WATER HOTEL advertisement, highlighting its amenities, location in Mineral Wells, Texas, and its reputation for relaxation.

THE HOME OF CRAZY WATER advertisement, featuring a portrait of Henry Love Mgr. and contact information for Mineral Wells, Texas.

OUT OUR WAY



Summer Driving Stresses Need For Safety In Tires

The peak of the 1934 driving season has brought higher speeds than ever before—faster acceleration, quicker stopping. Safety is a leading topic of the day. What are the causes of accidents under these conditions. What can a motorist do to eliminate the most common causes?

ALLEY OOP



The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



By Coward



SOPHIE KERR'S SUPERB LOVE STORY "STAY OUT OF MY LIFE!"

Begin here today... Sophie Kerr's love story 'Stay Out of My Life!' featuring a man and a woman in a complex relationship. Includes a photo of the couple and a photo of Sophie Kerr.

British Hero crossword puzzle advertisement, including a crossword grid and a list of clues for the puzzle.

Office 224 Residence 668-W  
**Ranger Social News**  
 AARRITTA DAVENPORT, Editor

**Improved After Month's Illness**  
 Albert Shirley, who has been at his home, Eastland hill, for the past month, is much improved, according to attending physician. The friends of Mr. Shirley will be pleased to learn of the improvement in his condition.

**Drs. Green and McConnell Hosts to Chiropactic Society**  
 Drs. E. R. Green and McConnell acted as hosts to the West Texas Chiropactic society yesterday, entertaining with a 1 o'clock dinner at the Ghelson Coffee shop followed in the blue room of the Ghelson hotel. The delightfully received program presented the following talented entertainers: Misses Matye B. Montgomery, Mildred Moorman, Wanda and Yvonne Ivy, and Marie Green.

Principal address of the hour was forcefully and interestingly given by Dr. Joe Bushy of Abilene, who brought the instructive talk to a close with the giving of the outline of the convention program held at San Antonio in May and the district June meeting at Fort Worth. He also touched upon plans for the October convention to be held in this city.

The society will meet in Big Spring Aug. 1, with Dr. Harvey Kennedy, San Antonio Sept. 1, with Dr. Roy C. Crowder, president of the society, acting as host. Every member gets inspiration and ideas from these meetings which are thoroughly enjoyed.

**Personally Speaking**  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Baum, accompanied by Mrs. Ben E. Rigby, have returned home after a visit in Lubbock, where Mrs. Baum and Rigby attended an interesting Eastern Star meeting.

**Tom Knight, accompanied by**

**ARCADIA**  
 NOW PLAYING  
 AMERICA'S DANCING DAUGHTER  
 —as you desire her—  
**Joan CRAWFORD**

**Sadie McKee**  
 CLARENCE BROWN'S  
 FRANCHOT TONE - GENE RAYMOND  
 EDWARD ARNOLD - ESTHER RALSTON  
 15c TILL 6 P.M.

**SIMPLICITY PATTERNS**  
 Every Pattern Guaranteed  
**HASSEN COMPANY**  
 Ranger, Texas

**MEATS**  
 Lunch Meats and Choses of all varieties for your picnic.  
**Adams & Co.**

**ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES**  
 Texas Electric Service Co.

**Joseph Dry Goods Co.**  
 Rangers' Foremost Department Store  
 208-10 Main St. Ranger

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knight of Coleman, visited Ranger relatives over the week-end.  
 J. Heg Johnson of Breckenridge visited in town today with his party. Charles J. Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday in Fort Worth, joining Mrs. Moore for the week-end.

Mrs. Mickey Sloan has returned home from a month's visit spent in Winchester and other cities of Tennessee, where she visited relatives.  
 Barrett Walker returned to Roswell, N. M., where he is connected with Montgomery Ward & Co., after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker.

**Beautiful Women Love New Powder**  
 Beautiful women, admired for youthful complexions, use MELLO-GLO, the new wonderful French process face powder. Purest and smoothest powder known. Stays on longer. No flaky or pasty look. No grime or grit. Prevents large pores and never smart or feels dry. Blends naturally with any complexion. Demand MELLO-GLO, 50c and \$1.

**Team Standing and Schedule For Week In Twilight League**

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Magnolia	1	1	0	1.000
Tee Pee	1	1	0	1.000
Elks	1	1	0	1.000
Lone Star Gas	1	1	0	1.000
Service Club	1	1	0	1.000
Sinclair	1	0	1	.000
Times	1	0	1	.000
Marathon	1	0	1	.000
Lone Star	1	0	1	.000
Naturaline	1	0	1	.000

**COLUMBIA**  
 10c and 15c  
**WED., JULY 4th**  
 ONE DAY ONLY  
 TRAVELING SALESMEN ON THE LOOSE!  
 FARMERS' DAUGHTERS ON THE JUMP!  
 JEALOUS WIVES ON THE TRAIL!  
 MISSING HUSBANDS ON THE PAN!  
 THAT'S

**CONVENTION CITY**  
 JOAN BLONDELL  
 ADOLPHE MENJOU  
 DICK POWELL  
 MARY ASTOR

**CLASSIFIED**  
 7—SPECIAL NOTICES

DO YOU need money? We can loan on your auto. Easy payments. C. E. Maddocks & Co.

BROWN'S BONDED TRANSFER & STORAGE CO., 111 So. Marston, Ranger.

12—WANTED TO BUY  
 WANTED TO BUY—Good second-hand bedroom suite, breakfast room suite, odd chairs. See P. L. Cressley at Figgly Wigly.

**Political Announcements**  
 This paper is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary Election, July 28, 1934:

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

For County School Superintendent: CLAIRBORNE ELDRIDGE, T. C. WILLIAMS

For County Treasurer: JOHN WHITE, MRS. MAE HARRISON, MRS. (FRANCES) THORNTON, COOPER

For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER  
 For Representative, 196th District: GEORGE A. DAVISSON, Jr., E. A. RINGOLD  
 For Representative, 197th District: D. L. (Donald) KINNAIRD

For Constable, Ranger Precinct: W. A. HAMMETT  
 For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: HENRY DAVENPORT, V. V. COOPER

**VISIT OUR NEW SHOP**  
 on Street Level  
 Hair Cuts 35c—Shaves 25c  
 other work low in proportion!  
**GHOLSON HOTEL**  
 BARBER SHOP

**Convention City to Show at Columbia Theatre Wednesday**

B. E. Garner, local manager for Paschal-Texas Theatres, announced today that the Columbia Theatre would be opened Wednesday, July 4th, with a good picture. After a long distance telephone conversation with the Dallas office he was able to book "Convention City," a picture that was originally scheduled for the Arcadia, but which was not shown. The film features a good cast, including such stars as Joan Blondell, Adolph Menjou, Dick Powell, Mary Astor, Guy Kibbee, Frank McHugh, Patricia Ellis and Ruth Donnelly.

"Convention City" is a hilarious laugh sensation that shows what goes on at some convention cities when the lid goes off and the convention sweeties begin making hey-hey with the playboys of big business.

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Lone Star	1	0	1	.000
Naturaline	1	0	1	.000

**BICYCLE BUILT FOR THREE**  
 By Valued Press  
 SALEM, Ore.—Keeping pace with the bicycle fad, Harry Scott, Salem dealer, built a special machine with space for two riders sitting abreast. It has two sets of handlebars, two front wheels, two drive chains operate from sprockets to the one rear wheel. The connecting frame is equipped with a "rumble seat" on which a third passenger may be carried.

**Batting Averages For First Week Of Twilight League**

The following are the batting averages of players in the Twilight League for the first week of the second half. Only those players who got hits in the games played are listed as all others have a percentage of .000 and are not listed. For this reason some teams will show a number of players with batting averages, while others will have but a few men listed.

Magnolia	AB.	H.	Pct.
Croft	1	1	1.000
Rowell	3	2	.667
Smith	4	2	.500
Kindred	3	1	.333
Wood	3	1	.333

  

Sinclair	AB.	H.	Pct.
Curry	1	1	1.000
McGee	3	2	.667
Booth	3	2	.667
Johnson	2	1	.500
Sikes	2	1	.500
Murray	3	1	.333
Gracey	3	1	.333

  

Times	AB.	H.	Pct.
Brown	3	2	.667
Garner	4	2	.500
Mayes	4	2	.500
Johnson	3	1	.333
Thompson	3	1	.333
Birdsong	4	1	.250

  

Tee Pee	AB.	H.	Pct.
McKinnon	2	2	1.000
Heinlin	4	2	.500
H. Gibson	3	3	1.000
Delmasse	4	1	.250
Doris	4	1	.250
Martin	4	1	.250
Edwards	3	1	.333
Hale	3	1	.333
Howard Gibson	3	1	.333

  

Elks	AB.	H.	Pct.
Doyle	3	2	.667
Isbell	2	1	.500
Snyder	3	1	.333
Phillips	3	1	.333
Landers	4	1	.250
Downtain	4	1	.250
Boyd	4	1	.250
Wolf	1	1	1.000

  

Marathon	AB.	H.	Pct.
W. Seymour	3	3	1.000
McConnell	2	2	1.000
Hubbard	4	2	.500
Angus	4	1	.250
G. Peak	4	1	.250
Samma	4	1	.250

  

Lone Star	AB.	H.	Pct.
Robinson	2	1	.500
Hill	3	1	.333
Pace	3	1	.333

  

Lone Star Gas	AB.	H.	Pct.
Kirby	2	1	.500
Bob King	2	1	.500
Hazzard	3	1	.333

  

Naturaline	AB.	H.	Pct.
R. Reese	4	2	.500
Robison	4	2	.500
Landers	4	2	.500
Gideon	4	2	.500
T. Reese	5	2	.400
Peterson	4	1	.250
L. Todd	4	1	.250
Minter	4	1	.250

  

Service Club	AB.	H.	Pct.
Fesmire	4	4	1.000
Moore	3	3	1.000
Galloway	1	1	1.000
Dixon	4	2	.500

**From Calico to Ermine**



JOAN CRAWFORD

Dazzling entertainment awaits screengoers today with the opening at the Arcadia Theatre of Joan Crawford's new vehicle, "Sadie McKee." As a girl whose driving ambition for fame and love carries her from calico to ermine, Miss Crawford plays one of her most fascinating roles. Clarence Brown directed the star, and the supporting cast features Franchot Tone, Gene Raymond, Edward Arnold and Esther Ralston.

Lone Star	AB.	H.	Pct.
Larson	2	1	.500
Killingsworth	4	2	.500
Kelly	4	2	.500
Haslam	3	1	.333
Leuma	4	1	.250

**DOGS ARE KILLED**  
 EL PASO.—City police have killed 41 dogs to curb a rabies epidemic which City-County Health Officer T. J. McCamant said started among wolves and coyotes.

**AMBULANCE SERVICE**  
 "Watch Our Windows"  
 Killingsworth, Cox & Co.  
 Phone 29, Night, 303-J  
 Ranger, Texas

**TO THE VOTERS AND TAXPAYERS, PRECINCT No. 1, EASTLAND COUNTY**

In my campaign two years ago, I promised if elected Commissioner of this precinct, I would give you an economical administration. You very graciously elected me to the office with almost a majority over my two opponents. Therefore in order that you may see whether I have lived up to my promise it will be necessary to consult the records comparing former administrations with mine.

The record shows that the available money for this precinct for a 10-year period under the former Commissioner, was an approximate average of \$32,000.00 a year. For the two year term preceeding my election to office, the record shows that in 1931 the Commissioner had in the Road and Bridge Fund, \$39,483.37 and in addition issued \$5,953.97 in deficiency warrants, making a total of \$45,437.34 spent in 1931. In 1932 he had in the fund \$24,090.94 and issued \$9,091.47 in deficiency warrants making a total of \$33,182.41 spent in 1932 up to October, a which time the Commissioners Court and the bank refused to allow any further large expenditures in this precinct. As to whether this money was spent wisely I shall leave to your judgment.

There are some who have said that I have not accomplished anything since I have been in office. Let us examine the records and see the condition of the finances of this precinct at the time I took office.

On the first of January, 1933, when I went into office there was a debt of \$18,671.17 in deficiency warrants, and machinery warrants left from the former administration for me to pay. My allotment of money for the Road and Bridge Fund for that year was only \$18,996.07, and for the year 1934 my allotment in the Road and Bridge Fund was only \$15,006.14, making a total for the two years of \$34,002.21. To June 1, 1934, I have paid on these debts, \$13,837.96 plus \$1,138.11 in interest on same, making a total of \$14,976.33, which only left me \$19,025.88 with which to meet all the expenses of the precinct for the two-year period, or \$8,512.93 per year with this small amount I have been able to maintain the roads in passable condition and with funds received from the CWA, have been able to make considerable permanent improvements to the roads, without having to issue any deficiency warrants, thereby showing that the affairs of the precinct can be operated on a small percent of what it has been in the past.

There may be some unjust criticism for my not working more men during my administration, but due to the fact that there were no funds for this purpose and the precinct being more than \$19,000 in debt I felt like the honorable thing to do was to first clear up this indebtedness and not issue deficiency warrants for work when the county was so heavily involved, and the entire commissioners' court was in accord with me in this.

As long as I remain in office it will be my policy to keep the expenditures as low as possible, thereby relieving the taxpayer of as much of their burden as I can.



In every instance where it was consistent I have assisted the Taxpayers in lowering their rendition to the extent that the lower renditions have automatically cut the salary of the office from a high of \$2,400.00 per year drawn by the former Commissioner for a period of ten years, to a low of \$1,700.00 per year which the office now pays.

Due to the fact that your former commissioner was in office for 10 years during the greatest era of prosperity the world has ever known, and left your employ with the precinct more than \$19,000 in debt; and that in my first term during the two worst years of the depression, I have been able to liquidate a majority of this indebtedness and at the same time keep the roads, bridges, etc., in a very usable condition, I very respectfully solicit your support for a SECOND term for which I am a candidate subject to the July Primary.

Respectfully,  
 H. V. DAVENPORT.  
 —Political Adv.

A resident of Lancaster, Pa., stabbed in the heart, is alive after a doctor stitched up the wound.

**H. H. VAUGHN SERVICE STATION**  
 100% Texaco Products  
 PINE AT AUSTIN  
 Washing—Greasing—Storage

**DON'T FORGET THE COWS! —CHICKENS!**  
 OUR OWN COW FEED IN WHITE BAGS, SHORTS IN WHITE BAGS!  
 If You Need the Feed We Need the Business!  
 CLOSED ALL DAY JULY 4th  
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**The TIRE SENSATION of '34**  
 THE NEW **Firestone**  
 CENTURY PROGRESS TIRE  
 Beyond Comparison  
 IN QUALITY AND PRICE  
 WITH ANY FIRST QUALITY TIRE MADE

As the millions of World's Fair visitors saw tires made in the Firestone Factory and Exhibition Building, we asked thousands this question: "What do you value most in a tire?" Car owners from every state in the Union were interviewed—drivers of automobiles, trucks, buses—out of it all came one composite answer: "Give us Blowout Protection, Non-Skid Safety, and Long Wear, at a moderate price."

**SPECIAL INTRODUCTORY PRICES**  
 \$7.31 (4.50-21)

Size	Price	Size	Price
4.50-20	\$7.05	5.50-17	\$10.15
4.50-21	7.31	5.50-18	10.45
4.75-19	7.78	5.50-19hd	13.03
5.00-19	8.34	6.00-19hd	14.47
5.25-19	8.27	6.50-19hd	16.58
5.25-21	10.20	7.00-20hd	19.83

Other Size Proportionately Low!

**COMPARE QUALITY—CONSTRUCTION—PRICE**  
 This new tire is equal or superior to any other first quality tire, regardless of brand—name—or by whom manufactured, or at what price offered for sale. Call on the Firestone Service Dealer or Service Store and examine it. You will be sold on the rugged quality and will want to equip your car with these new tires.

**REMEMBER**—you save money buying today, as rubber has advanced 442% and cotton 190%, and tire prices cannot remain at these low levels.

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 • For Unequaled Performance Records  
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 Washing and Greasing

We have just completed a new all-steel and concrete (absolutely fire-proof) wash rack with steel canopy to protect the wet car from the sun rays. This rack with our recently added electrically operated lift makes our station rank with the best in Texas.

**TEXAS SERVICE STATION**  
 AL TUNE, Manager  
 Corner Main and Commerce Streets Ranger