

The big dipper, says a Cleveland scientist, is breaking up and we won't recognize it in 50,000 years. Better hurry and find a new way to tell the North Star.

Those super-patriots who ask ed Gen. Smedley Butler to become mayor of the United States probably die not impressed by Huey Long's success in Louisiana.

NEW ICE PLANT TO BE BUILT IN RANGER SOON

BRITAIN TO INCREASE AIR FORCES SOON

LONDON, Nov. 28.—A heavy increase in Great Britain's air force—almost double the present strength—was announced officially in the House of Commons today during debate on Germany's rearmament, which was pictured as a grave menace to Great Britain.

After Winston Churchill, former chancellor of the exchequer had demanded that Britain prepare to defend herself before it was too late and had described the danger of Germany's air force, which he said would be nearly double Britain's by the end of 1937 at the present rate, Stanley Baldwin promised the House that the government would act.

He revealed for the first time Britain's official estimates of Germany's air strength, placing it between 600 and 1,000 aircraft. Earlier in the day the possibility of war in Europe had been mirrored by Lloyd's insurance underwriters, who announced they were tightening their war risk insurance regulations.

Lloyd's no longer will guarantee their rates will remain at a given level for more than 12 hours.

Prominent State Legionnaires Are On District Program

ABELINE, Texas, Nov. 28.—Prominent leaders of the American Legion in Texas are to appear on the program of the 17th district, which will meet in annual convention in Abilene on Dec. 1 and 2.

H. Miller Ainsworth of Luling, state commander, is expected to be present, as are Milton Gates of Wichita Falls, grand chief de gates, who plans to reorganize a local chapter of the 40-8, legion organization; Mrs. Marian H. Danford of Fort Worth, president of the woman's auxiliary; M. J. Benefield of Brady, past state commander, and a representative from the veterans' bureau at Dallas. The district committee members of the five areas in the fifth division, which includes the west half and north-west part of Texas, are also to be here. They are: Van H. Stewart of Perryton, chairman of the 18th district, which has headquarters at Amarillo and includes 28 counties; Hub Mason of Lockney, 19th committee man in Lubbock area of 25 counties; M. L. Hotson of Alpine, 16th leader of El Paso unit of 18 counties; Orville H. Turner of Brownwood, 21st district of San Angelo area, 26 counties, and Larry S. Daniels, who is committee man from the Abilene district, number 17. The district is comprised of 12 counties, Nolan, Fisher, Stephens, Comanche, Taylor, Hamilton, Jones, Eastland, Palo Pinto, Callahan, Runnels, and Shackelford.

The commander of the entire fifth division, William Dewey Richburg of Pecos, will attend.

Lions Are Invited To Ranger Meeting

Eastland Lions were extended an invitation Tuesday to attend a group meeting in Ranger on Dec. 11, when the international president will be in the latter city. Lions Charlie Moore and Colonel Brasher of Ranger extended the invitation. Many plan to attend the gathering, Lions report.

The Lions' part in contributing to the community Christmas tree was brought up for discussion Tuesday, it was said.

THE WEATHER

West Texas—Mostly cloudy, probably occasional rains in southeast portion and rain or snow in the Panhandle tonight and Thursday. Warmer in southeast portion tonight. Colder in southwest portion Thursday.

BOSTON STUDENTS HUNGRY

BOSTON.—It took 40,176 doughnuts, 79,200 cups of coffee, 15,120 crullers, coffee rolls and bismarcks, 22,500 glasses of milk, 576 gallons of cream, 20,800 pies and 7,720 hamburgers to satisfy the appetites of the Boston University students during the college year of 1933-34.

PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE

with BILL MAYES

According to the dope given out by Wilson Ritchie of Breckenridge, who has ended each of his sports spasms with the comment "Weight, age, experience . . . What do they mean? We'll see Thanksgiving Day," the bulldogs will be up against an all-district team, with the exception of two players, and it is likely that they are also all-district men.

In the first of his articles about the Buckaroos, begun about a week ago, he said that they had the two best defensive ends in the district and that Anderson and Britt would not be able to gain around that territory. They are also all-district selections, so he says, though it is barely possible that Mellinger Jacoby may accidentally topple Cudd out of his position on the mythical eleven. One reason they are classed as all-district men by Ritchie is because they are not going to let the Ranger backfield gain around their ends, while they will snatch a bunch of passes for long gains, possibly for touchdowns.

At the tackle positions they have two more all-district men, he says, in O'Rear and Holt. Holt has a cinch on the berth, while any tackle in the district will have a big job on his hands to come anywhere near honorable mention.

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GATES TO OPEN FOR BIG GAME AT 1 O'CLOCK

W. W. Jarvis, registrar of the Ranger high school, announced Wednesday afternoon that the general admission gates at Lillard field would be open at 1 o'clock this afternoon for the Ranger-Breckenridge game.

Of course the first to arrive will be the ones who will get the general admission seats, and since only the end zones will be open for general admissions there may be many who will be unable to get seats, he pointed out.

Arrangements have been made to have all general admission tickets for the south end good at the center gate on the south end, the general admissions for the north end to be taken at the northeast corner of the field, while reserved seat tickets for the Ranger side will be good at the southwest corner gate. The Breckenridge reserve seat tickets will be taken up at the southeast gate, while all passes will be honored at the northeast gate.

Christmas Cheer Dance to Be Held On December 4th

A Christmas Cheer dance and tag day is to be staged in Ranger on Tuesday, Dec. 4, for the purpose of supplying funds for the Christmas cheer baskets for the needy families of the city.

The baskets this year will not contain food as they have on a number of occasions, but will have candy, toys, fruits and other things for the children.

The tag day is to be staged in connection with the dance, which will be given Tuesday night at the Elks ballroom with the American Legion Tickville band furnishing the music.

Tags, which will admit patrons to the dance, are to be sold on the streets of Ranger for 50 cents each. Everyone going to the dance must have a tag, which will be their ticket of admission, and both ladies and men must have a tag to get in to the dance floor.

Practically everything is being donated for the dance, so that the entire receipts from the combination tag day and dance will go to the cause for which it is being staged.

Ladies of the Child Welfare club will assist in the tag day, while the Elks lodge will have charge of the dance, with W. N. McDonald, exalted ruler, in charge of the arrangements.

IDENTITY OF SLAIN GIRLS SEEMS NEAR

By United Press

CARLISLE, Pa., Nov. 28.—The identity of three fair-haired girls found dead last week on a Pennsylvania mountainside, was closely linked today to a family of five poverty stricken tourists who said they were from California.

Rapid developments in the "babes in the woods" mystery, led police investigators steadily toward the conclusion that the three girls had been traveling with a man and woman whose bodies were found last week at Tuncannville, Pa.

The best indications were that the man was the father of the children and that he was "J. C. Maloney of Vallejo, Cal."

Bonus Agreement May Be Reached

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—Chairman Pat Harrison of the senate finance committee, just returned from conferences with President Roosevelt at Warm Springs, Ga., said today he believed a compromise could be reached on the bonus issue through payment of the bonuses to ex-service men in actual need.

Says Some Store Keepers Deny Use Of Their Scales

Lack of co-operation in relief work has been evidenced by some store-keepers in certain parts of the county, H. E. Driscoll, county administrator stated Wednesday.

The administrator stated that recently when relief officials asked to use scales to measure out potatoes to relief clients, some store-keepers refused.

Reason of the lack of co-operation on the part of "store-keepers" was said by Driscoll to be the evident impression of grocers that the potatoes could have been bought in their places of business and following that impression felt hard toward the relief officials.

The potatoes were brought from Maine to Texas by the federal government.

Baby Face Nelson Is Found Slain By Federal Officers

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—"Baby Face" Nelson, accused slayer of three federal agents, was found dead today in a ditch near Niles City, Ill.

His body was riddled with bullets.

Attorney General Homer Cummings, announcing the finding of Nelson's body, said the Dillinger gang machine gunner had died of wounds suffered yesterday in his gun battle in which two federal agents were killed.

There were five shots in his stomach, two in his chest and he had been wounded in the legs, Cummings said.

The place where his body was

found is about 15 miles from Chicago, the justice department said.

"Our men were the ones who shot him," Cummings said.

Some of Nelson's clothes, it was said, were first found by federal agents, in their hunt for Public Enemy No. 1. Not far away they came across the riddled body of the man who was regarded as one of the most ruthless killers who ever ravaged through the midwest.

Department officials did not disclose immediately whether they had found any trace of the man and woman who reputedly were with Nelson yesterday in the battle in which two federal agents fell before machine gun fire.

County Officials Who Take Office On Jan. 1, 1935

Recent canvassed returns of the general election by the commissioners court show that the following will take office January 1st:

C. L. Garrett, county judge; C. S. Eldridge, county superintendent; T. M. Collie, county clerk; P. L. Crossley, district clerk; Grady Owen, criminal district attorney; John White, county treasurer; W. T. Davenport, surveyor; Tom Haley, assessor and collector.

Justice of Peace: Milton Newman, precinct 1; J. N. McFatter, No. 2; W. P. Guest, No. 3; B. P. Notgrass, No. 4; J. T. Chapman, No. 5; Joe Wilson, No. 6; G. W. Hardin, No. 7; W. H. Whitworth, No. 8.

Constables: M. N. Seabourn, precinct No. 1; John Barnes, No. 2; S. W. Hendrick, No. 3; J. N. Ellison, No. 4; Joe B. Hicks, No. 5; J. S. Hulin, No. 6; and R. Miles, No. 7.

Public Weigher: H. W. Phillips, precinct No. 2; R. C. Brown, No. 7.

County Commissioners: H. V. Davenport, precinct No. 1; H. C. Crawley, No. 2; R. O. Jacobs, No. 3; Arch Birt, No. 4.

SOW EARNED \$5 BOUNTY

MACON, Mo.—John Morris, farmer, collected \$5 bounty on a wolf hide without firing a shot at the animal. A Duroc Jersey sow gored the wolf when it molested a litter of pigs.

MAVERICKS TO QUANAH TODAY IN LAST GAME

The Eastland Mavericks were scheduled to leave this morning at 8 o'clock for Quanah where they meet the Quanah Indians in a night game at 7 o'clock. The Mavericks, about 22 in number, were to be transported in cars of Eastland citizens.

The game will mark the close of the season. The Mavericks have this year attained a higher standing than that of former years.

Breaking the Chico jinx, many consider, was enough to make a complete success of the season. The shutout of Brownwood made up Eastland's second conference victory.

Project Given to Relief Office On Wednesday for O.K.

Application for the city of Eastland's toy project was filed Wednesday by H. C. Davis and G. W. Hennessee, who will supervise the project if approved.

Heretofore Eastland firemen have made toys every Christmas for underprivileged children but their surplus space occupied by new offices at the hall has necessitated another location. Toy making for the city's project will be centered at the Chamber of Commerce where Davis and Hennessee will supervise.

Children of relief clients will receive the toys if the project is granted.

More Commodities Are Expected By The Relief Office

Contact with C. Z. Crain, Texas relief commission commodities head in Austin, by H. E. Driscoll, county administrator, indicates that in the near future more commodities will be received by the county.

The administrator Wednesday stated that syrup, peanut butter, canned grapefruit, sugar and cheese is expected.

Dr. Gray Speaks On Thanksgiving At Rotary Meeting

E. B. Canfield had charge of the Rotary club program Wednesday at noon and introduced Dr. L. E. Gray, pastor of the Presbyterian church, who gave a beautiful talk on Thanksgiving Day.

Dr. Gray said that this was a season for giving thanks as it was a heritage from the Pilgrims who settled this country and it calls forth a noble sentiment and dusts off the pictures of the past.

Every country, he said, had its Thanksgiving days, as in Turkey, where thanks are given when a patient gets well.

The first Thanksgiving Day in America was when the little band of Pilgrims, who were mad dreamers who had come to this country to build a new nation in order that they might worship God according to their conscience, met to offer up thanks for the bountiful harvest in their little settlement. It has now become one of our finest holidays.

We should give thanks, he said, that we live in America, and have an opportunity to help those unfortunate among us. We should thank God, he continued, for what America might be, more than for what it has been or what it is at present.

He concluded by saying that today was America's and Rotary's opportunity of setting an example of integrity, honesty and dependability and summed up with the Rotary creed of service before self and he profits most who serves the best.

WEATHER NOT TO CONTINUE BAD FOR LONG

Today you can be thankful that the weather prevailing then probably won't last forever.

Dr. Joseph Cline, government meteorologist at Dallas, today predicted cloudy skies and occasional rains for East Texas and West Texas, experiencing everything from drizzle to snow and warm weather to downright chilliness.

It's that low pressure over New Mexico, Dr. Cline explained. It probably will be over Texas tomorrow and that ordinarily means rain if it's warm and snow if it's cold. It was snowing today at Durango, Colo.

The week-end, he said, probably will be cooler, crisper and clearer.

The Panhandle, traditionally Texas' coldest spot, experienced snow yesterday and last night and is slated for more tonight and tomorrow.

WALNUT AND RUSK IS SITE FOR STRUCTURE

Southern Ice & Utilities To Erect Modern Plant This Winter.

E. I. Fontaine, local manager for the Southern Ice & Utilities company, announced Wednesday that the company was about ready to start work erecting a new ice plant for Ranger.

The new plant will be located on the corner of Walnut and Rusk streets and will be either a concrete block or brick structure, Mr. Fontaine said, though it will not be known for a day or two which type of building will be constructed.

When completed the plant will be capable of producing from 25 to 30 tons of ice daily, which is enough to supply the needs of Ranger.

The present ice station on the corner is to be left where it is and will continue to be used for ice deliveries to cars, while the plant will be located just to the rear of the ice house.

New equipment will be used in the plant throughout, it was stated, with the plant being operated by electricity instead of steam, which was used in the old plant. It is possible that a small portion of the equipment in the old ice factory will be utilized, but an entirely new plant will be erected with the exception of minor parts.

The actual building is expected to require from 10 to 12 men, while about the same number will be employed permanently when the plant begins operation.

It was not known when the announcement was made, exactly when the actual work would start, though it was said that breaking the ground might begin sometime before Christmas.

Barber Is Slain Over Track Bet

GOOSE CREEK, Texas, Nov. 28.—F. P. Price, Goose Creek barber, was slain when he went to apologize to Dr. J. D. Kuebler, 45, dentist, with whom he had disagreed over a horse race bet. City Marshal Ed Dickens said today.

Price fell fatally wounded from five pistol shots, at the dentist's office. Kuebler was being held in the Harris county jail at Houston.

French Farmers Battle Police

PARIS, Nov. 28.—Farmers battled police in the streets of Paris this afternoon, protesting against agricultural conditions.

The trouble came at the end of a meeting to discuss the ills of the farmers. Earlier crippled war veterans had demonstrated, demanding pensions.

The farmers fought with heavy cordons of police. Expecting further trouble several thousand police were held in reserve.

LEE ESTATE ENTERS SUIT ON COMPANY

FORT WORTH, Nov. 28.—Suit of the estate of former Congressman R. Q. Lee of Cisco against the Virginia Oil & Refining company and its receiver for more than \$1,000,000 began in the U. S. district court today before Judge James C. Wilson.

The suit seeks to collect \$1,200,000 as the selling price on property in Stephens county, given by Mr. Lee, and \$200,000 as the cost of four wells the Virginia company failed to drill after allegedly agreeing to do so.

THANKSGIVING PRAYER.....By Helen Welshimer

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We give our thanks that there are crops ingathered,
That through the ages the deep-voiced command,
That while the earth remains seedtime and harvest
Will never fade or perish from the land,
Has been fulfilled—that there are crops to garner.
But oh, Our Father, we have erred somehow
Of why with food for multitudes decaying
In sun-warmed fields should there be hungry now?
Thou givest life in beauty and abundance,
We spoil the pattern, for we seek to weave
To spittle with the threads that need slow plaiting.
We are not satisfied, dear God, to leave
The harvest to Thy wise and gracious judgment.
We could do better, foolishly, we thought,
Now we have looked upon the desolation
That we in ignorance stupidly have wrought.
So as we come once more into the clearing
Where sunlight shines, we bring our praise again
That testing time, strange though it was and weary,
Has made us gentler women, braver men!

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Lack of National Planning Brings on a Huey Long

Sometimes the different items in the news tie up together more closely than you'd think at first glance.

Here's a little sample: The wires a few days ago reported that the National Planning Board has submitted its findings, after some months of study, urging long-range national planning "as a means of richer life for the masses and an indispensable bulwark against violent expositions."

This was hardly out of the oven before another story came floating over the wires—this one a dispatch reporting that the ineffable Huey Long of Louisiana was preparing to run for the presidency in 1936.

Now these two items seem as far apart as the poles, when you first read them. But they are directly and logically connected with each other, after all.

It does not take more than a moment's thought to make one realize that this projected presidential candidacy of the loud voice from the delta is an excellent example of the "violent expositions" which the national planners' report forecasts.

For there is always this to remember about Senator Long: He is, after all, the spokesman for a large number of people who feel that, if he does not speak for them, nobody will.

He may represent demagoguery at its most dangerous, but he also represents a blind but powerful resentment which is boiling up from the bottom of the kettle and which is bound to have an outlet.

People do not hand political power over to such men out of pure perversity or wrong-headedness. They do it out of desperation.

Such men come to the top on a wave of public unrest; and his unrest appears only when large numbers of people grow convinced that it is hopeless for them to expect to get anywhere by proceeding along more orthodox lines.

The great irritating factor in all this depression has been the fact that it has been without any obvious physical cause. We have the plant to provide all our people with an abundance of everything they need, if we can only find the way to set it going.

If we don't succeed pretty soon in devising some sort of broad plan that will enable us to do it, the number of people who are not horrified by the thought of Huey Long in the White House is apt to swell to an alarming total.

"What's All This Talk About Streamlining?"



STOCK MARKETS

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Am Can, Am P & L, Am Rad & S S, etc.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



Lovable

By MARY RAYMOND

ANN HOLLISTER, pretty and 26, with the faintly ambiguous to post debts of her father, now dead. On the day of the sale a young man, stopped by motor trouble, came to her home to telephone. After he leaves Ann finds a blue vase missing and in its place a note signed "H.K." and "Ann."

Ann goes to work as a librarian and becomes friendly with SARAH KENDALL, also employed at the library. She meets TONY MICKLE, commercial artist, and is attracted by him, though Sarah warns her that Tony is Skele and irresponsible.

The chief librarian sends Ann to see rich old PETER KENDALL, former owner, to obtain permission to open a branch library in Kendall's factory community. Ann is successful. Returning, her car almost collides with a conductor driven by a young man. He is the same young man who stopped at Ann's home in Georgia. They talk and Ann discloses her failure to interview the factory owner.

Later word comes that Peter Kendall has agreed to the opening of the library. Ann realizes she is falling in love with Tony.

CHAPTER VI

TONY and Ann became engaged the following Saturday. Lying in the sand, his blue eyes warmly approved Ann's firmly smiled, healthfully tanned young body. Tony said, "It looks as though that contract is a cinch. And a very good thing for us."

"Why?" "Little nut," said Tony. "Pretending not to understand. You know we're getting married, don't you?"

Ann turned and met his challenging eyes. Her happy laugh was smothered suddenly as Tony pulled her close in his arms, kissed her lips, eyes, hair and soft throat.

She drew away, leaping to her feet. "Tony, we're on the beach!" "I don't care," he said. "Besides we're engaged, aren't we?" "Race you to the point and decide on the way," Ann said breathlessly.

They reached the point. Ann was more breathless, her heart pounding joyously. Tony, not winded at all, gazed down at her eagerly, expectantly.

"Is it 'yes'?" Then, without waiting for her answer, he crushed her to his again. "It's 'yes,'" Ann said simply.

They sat down on the sand, her head against his shoulder. She was a little sobered in spite of the joyous excitement.

"She tried to explain some of this to him, but it was impossible with his lips an ardent barrier against her words. Tony said frankly, 'I never thought I was a marrying man. With so many marriages going on the rocks it seemed a lot of trouble and waste of time to tie yourself up with a wedding and then go to the expense and trouble of having somebody cut it for you. See?'"



Tony and Ann moved rhythmically, easily on the crowded floor.

drawed. "Hello," said Tony. He introduced Ann to the girl—Eileen Wallace—and her escort.

The name meant nothing to Ann. But she was amazed to feel a little surge of anger when Tony reached up to take the girl's hand and continued to hold it.

While Ann was talking to the girl's escort, she heard Eileen Wallace say in a low voice, "You promised to call. You didn't."

"Busy as the devil—all day," Tony answered. "Yes, I know."

When they were gone Ann asked, "Who is she, Tony?" "I thought I introduced you. Eileen Wallace."

Ann, nettled, said, "So you did. But an introduction doesn't give one the picture."

"Oh, you want a character sketch," Tony said easily. "Well, then — 'girl-about-town' nicely sums it up. Look here, Ann, you're not going jealous on me, are you? How I hate a jealous woman!"

"No," said Ann. "I promise I won't. That is, I won't show it. I'd never be a shrew."

"How you can keep up this pace," Sarah grumbled sleepily, as Ann crawled into bed, "I don't see."

"I won't much longer," Ann launched her bombshell, "I'm getting married."

"Ann, you're not!" Sarah was wide awake now. She reached for the bed lamp and flooded the room with a soft light. Ann's luminous eyes met hers.

"No need to ask who the lucky devil is. Are you sure? Tony's an awful risk."

"He's going to settle down. Wait and see."

"Oh, yeah! Well, when do I kiss the bridegroom?" "Soon," Ann said vaguely, remembering Tony had said, "Soon."

SARAH, not too optimistically, waited for signs of Tony's "settling down." They were not forthcoming. Tony went blithely and gaily on his way.

Ann explained loyally that Tony had to have recreation. He was working himself to death over his new contract, trying hard to get ahead.

"You mean he isn't coming?" "That's what he said."

"Funny, he didn't phone."

"Goodness, you don't expect Tony to be conventional? Anyway, here's a break. Mac called this afternoon and asked me to scare up a date for Dick Randall, a customer of his. Dick blew in with four tickets for Hebie Wilson and asked Mac to get him a date. I've been working my poor brain overtime. Is there any good reason why you shouldn't be Dick's date?"

"Tony wouldn't like it."

"Tony?" "Yes, I'll go," Ann said.

"She put on her new sky-blue dress, powdered her lovely skin that was a pearl satin, now that the summer tan had worn off, and went—not too happily.

It was while Ann was dancing that she met the eyes of Peter Kendall. He saw her and grinned, and Ann lifted her hand in gay salute as she whirled past.

"There's Peter Kendall," Sarah said later. "Is the girl with him Valeria Bennett?" Ann asked. "The girl in Peter's arms was dressed in white. Her eyes were blue, and large. 'Who else?' Dick answered. 'The Bennett girl must be leading Kendall around with blinders on. She certainly has him fooled.'"

National Banner

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for words like 'What South American national banner is pictured here?', 'Visitor', 'Part of a circle', etc.

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, Southern Pac, etc.

EAGLES BATTLED TO DEATH

HANFORD, Cal. — Upholding the excellence of California climatic conditions for the production of practically anything, two eagles, each with a wing span of ten feet, were reported found near here.

The eagles, local residents said, had killed each other in what was probably a battle for the throne of Western eagledom.

Women of Bermuda refuse to pay their taxes because they're not represented in the assembly, although the U. S. experience should show them how futile this matter of representation is, anyway.

It is a good thing, finally, that we have Christmas to enjoy before Congress convenes.

Advertisement for Bayer Aspirin, highlighting 'NO POINT NOW TO BUYING UNKNOWN ASPIRIN TABLETS!' and 'Big Price Cut on Genuine Bayer Aspirin!'.

Advertisement for Bayer Aspirin, showing a box of Bayer Aspirin and text: 'New Low Price on Genuine Bayer Aspirin! There's no longer any point to accepting other aspirin tablets...'.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

PICTURES OF SILVER

By BEULAH K. HICKS

THE CHRISTIAN AS A WITNESS

Paul's second missionary journey took him from Asia into Europe. He was accompanied by Silas, a Latin for Silas, and Timothy and directed by the Holy Spirit.

Persecution followed them along each way; pushing them on from city to city. He first founded the church in Philippi, a leading city of Macedonia.

Paul includes his companions in addressing this letter to the church. God and Christ are mentioned as one and the same and then the direct salutation: "Grace to you and peace."

Paul's gentle, fatherly tone continues in speaking of his thanks and prayers for them.

It seems incredible that so much wisdom could be crowded into one small sentence.

Faith, love, hope and patience combine beautiful colors blending into a beautiful picture of a true Christian life.

Love is the great principle that will carry us safely along the high-way of life over every obstacle, no matter how hard to surmount it may be.

Patience is the heart or center of hope. Without hope life is indeed forlorn.

CHILDREN'S COUGHS NEED CREOMULSION

Always get the best, fastest and best treatment for your child's cough or cold.

Creomulsion emulsifies creosote with six other important medicinal elements—it is truly an elegant prescription.

sums up life. A Christian meets both with a heart strengthened and uplifted and not bowed in craven fear. As the Christian turns to God alone his soul responds to all that is beautiful, clean and pure.

Paul had a complete understanding of his people and spoke to them of those needful things. They must become an example of the good.

Paul was an artist in the art of persuasion for was he not a disciple of Gamaliel, a famous teacher who was called "the flower of the law"?

He spoke of the good things that people reported of them thus encouraging them to go further and further in their evangelism.

The keynote of this lesson is the value of an everyday life. The life must not be puffed up reminding others to behold how righteous.

The Christian should ever strive to understand more in the manner as Jesus did. It is great compassion and understanding cannot be comprehended.

More hindrance to evangelism is wrought in that word—misunderstood. To reach a person, a great compassion and understanding that can only be found through prayer must reach out from the heart and hold the attention.

The world today needs more pastors, more laymen, who can partake of the life of Christ by living so closely that a keen and beautiful understanding of their people will envelop them and help them lead souls to the shining path wherein we find "the footprints of Christ gleaming."

It is then that messengers of Christ's message can claim the promise of our Golden Text: "But he shall receive power, when the Holy Spirit is come upon you; and ye shall be my witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. (Acts 1:8).

OLDEN

C. J. LeClaire of Electra visited his son, Claude LeClaire and family here Sunday. He was accompanied back to Electra by his brother, Bill LeClaire, who lives near Stamford.

Olden schools will be closed on Thursday and Friday in observance of Thanksgiving, permitting the teachers or pupils to visit away from here over the week-end.

This vicinity had two frosts within the past week but because of the recent rains and condition

"OUT OUR WAY" By Williams



The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowen



of plants and soil, no killing effects had been evidenced. Mrs. A. McCaughey of Dewey, Okla., is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. V. Ford here this week. She expects her sons, John of Dewey, Okla., and Will of Fort Smith, Ark., to arrive Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving here and to accompany her to her home in Oklahoma later. Little James Park, who has been quite ill for some time is better now. Mr. and Mrs. Cap Stephens and Mrs. Will Stephens, all of Stephenville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stephens here Sunday. Mildred Wynn was ill last week, threatened with appendicitis, but she is better now and able to be back in school. C. I. Hyatt and Carl Crone returned last week from a hunting trip in the Davis mountains. They brought back their deer and reports of a fine time. Mrs. Willis Singleton of Graham who has been visiting Mary Ford here, expects to return to her home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Claude LeClaire and daughters, Eula Mae and Christine spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Newcomb, south of Olden. Little Dale Baker was on the sick list last week. Hazel Woods, who is attending Tarleton college in Stephenville, will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Woods, who live south of Olden. A T. P. truck from Thurber turned over here Friday night but the driver escaped injury. The accident occurred when the truck driver turned out suddenly to miss a car that was driven onto the highway from a private driveway.



COLONY

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Briscoe and children of Santo visited his sister, Miss Vera Briscoe here Sunday. Mr and Mrs. G. D. Caze and children spent the week-end in Electra. We wish to welcome our new teacher, Mr. Thomas and family. Mr. Thomas has taken Mrs. Fred Crosland's place in the grades here. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McClung and daughter, Hope, were visitors in Cisco Sunday. Mrs. Frank Stucky and two small children returned to their home in Waco after having spent two weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Dee Anderson and family. Miss Opal Holliman spent the week-end with her sister at Morton Valley. Misses Vera and Evelyn Harris spent the week-end with relatives at Pleasant Grove. Miss Nelle Waters visited her brother who is in the Brownwood hospital, over the week-end. Miss Viva Briscoe was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. Smith of Morton Valley Saturday. There will be no school here Thursday and Friday of this week. We hope everyone has lots of good things to eat on Thanksgiving Day. A very interesting program was rendered by the pupils of Miss Nelle Waters' room last Friday morning in chapel. Each room takes turn about in giving these programs. The members of the senior class received their class rings last week. They were thrilled, of course, but wouldn't be? One is only a senior in high school once and getting rings is a real enjoyment. Several of our school boys and girls saw the Ranger-Brownwood game Friday.

A group of young people met at the home of Miss Loretta Thompson of the Acker community Friday night and made a party. The Colony basketball boys and girls played several games last week and will play this week. We are proud of our teams and try to help them win every game. WAS SCHOOL TEACHER Dean Jagger, featured in the Paramount film, "Wings in the Dark," taught country school in Columbia City, Indiana, when he was sixteen years old. OLD FLUTE VALUED AT \$2,300 By United Press WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.—A flute more than 150 years old and valued at \$2,300 was used by Lamar Stringfield, musical director and conductor of the North Carolina Symphony orchestra, in a concert here recently.

Something to Write Home About! UTILITY Steam Cooker FREE! Appetizing Foods —prepared in less time, with less work and less fuel expense! The New WATERLESS WAY While the New Utility Cooker brings to you the possibilities of enjoying old-fashioned meals in addition, it permits you to prepare foods by the newer methods of cooking without water. Science has discovered that there is so much natural moisture in all meats, vegetables and fruits that it is entirely feasible to cook them with little or no water. About the only reason why we have cooked with water was to avoid burning. Water distributes the heat evenly, conducting it away from the point nearest the fire. However, after we have cooked our foods we have poured off the excess water and with it we have poured the bone-forming, teeth-building minerals; the iron, calcium and phosphorus that constitute the essential elements which the human system must have. With the new perfected Utility Cooker you can prepare foods deliciously tender and full of these health-building elements. The Utility Cooker is ideal for the housewife who wishes to practice this modern, more healthful and more economical way of cooking. Look! HERE'S HOW YOU GET ONE OF THESE COOKERS... FREE! If you are not a subscriber, you simply subscribe and pay one year's subscription in advance, \$5.00 by carrier boy in city. Stop any of our Carrier Boys TODAY! OLD SUBSCRIBERS CAN GET ONE OF THESE COOKERS FREE BY PAYING ONE YEAR IN ADVANCE, \$5.00 DELIVERED BY THE CARRIER BOY IN CITY. Rural Subscribers can get one of these Cookers by subscribing or renewing their subscription for one year at our special rate of \$3.85. New or Renewed Subscriptions to our Weekly at \$1.00 per year will receive one of these Cookers for only 85 cents more. If Interested Call or Write Our Circulation Department for Further Details!

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THURBER

By Lavada Fenner
Mrs. J. H. Matthews entertained with a party Monday afternoon in honor of her little daughter, Zee Anne's seventh birthday. After playing several games the little folks were served slices of the beautiful birthday cake with hot chocolate and marshmallows. The guest list included Billy Black, Wilma Dean Black, Wanda Mae Black, Marguerite Henley, Doran Foster, Flora Mae Gentry, Ernest Dale Foster, Harvey Keith Hale, Billy Gene McGinnis, Rosie Kostika, Lloyd Trice, Peggy Beasley, Joan Havens, Louise Kyle, Georgie Hale, Elvies Warner, Christine Kyle,

Richard Beasley, Dorothy Byres, Anita Tackett, Betty Lou Byres, Betty Jo Black, Larry Havens, Fae Kye, Dorothy Kyle and L. T. Hobbs. The little honoree was presented with some lovely and useful gifts.

sure makes a person feel good. Mrs. Bill McGinnis entertained her little son Billy Gene with a party in honor of his eighth birthday. Refreshments were served a number of boys and girls.

M. M. Miller has been very ill the past week but is resting nicely at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Blanket, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bridges Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Lavada Fenner made a business trip to Ranger Thursday.

W. R. Matthews is on the sick list this week.

Miss Maurine Hobbs spent the week-end in Strawn as guest of Miss Marjorie Matthews.

The many friends of Mrs. Bonnie Box were shocked to hear of her death which occurred at Big Springs last Friday morning. Friends extend their deepest sympathy to the entire family.

Mrs. L. T. Hobbs and Mrs. Maggie Masters were Ranger visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wynne spent the week-end in Fort Worth. Rev. E. E. Barber will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening. Everyone is invited to attend.

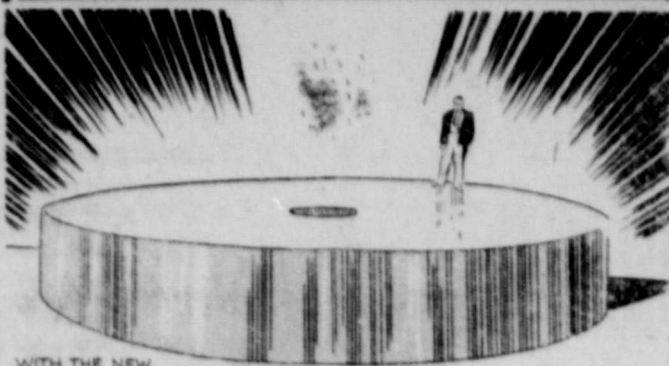
Mrs. Charlie Biggs of Gordon visited her mother, Mrs. Grace Pinkston, one day last week.

There will be Epworth League at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Miss Claudia Mae Anderson has charge of the program.

Mrs. E. L. Barton of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marks Livingston.

This Kansas City woman who has been turning all colors must have been told an awful parlor joke.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



WITH THE NEW 200-INCH TELESCOPE, NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION, MAN HOPES TO BE ABLE TO SEE INTO SPACE A DISTANCE OF 2, 000, 000, 000, 000, 000, 000 MILES!



BEEES ARE CONSIDERED TO BE WORTH 50 TIMES AS MUCH FOR CROSS-POLLINATION OF FRUIT BLOOMS AS FOR THE VALUE OF THEIR HONEY!

APPROXIMATELY ONE OUT OF THREE HOMING PIGEONS IS LOST IN THE FIRST RACE.

THE 200-inch telescope mirror was poured at Corning, N. Y., last March, and more than six months were required for it to cool. It is the largest piece of glass ever cast by man. It is 27 inches thick, and weighs 29 tons.

'Baw,' Says Joan's Son to Camera



Norman Scott Barnes didn't waste any time making his debut before the camera, greeting it with a tremendous "Baw" when he was only 18 days old, while his mother looked on admiringly. Posing comenatural to Norman, for his mother is Joan Blondell, cinema star, and his father is George Barnes, motion picture director.

Donald Richburg has formulated a new policy for NRA, only General Johnson having survived the old one.

ACTOR'S BANKROLL LOW
Lynne Overman, appearing in Pa. amount's "Rumba" revealed today that his bankroll was down to exactly 36 cents during the stock crash.

Thanksgiving Greetings

We Give Thanks

for all the good things that have been ours during the year and especially for the business you have given us since our opening.

H. H. VAUGHN
SERVICE STATION
Pine at Austin Sts.
Ranger

A DAY OF THANKSGIVING



We rejoice with all of our friends today and give credit to Him who reigns on high for the countless blessings that we have enjoyed. May yours be a day of real rejoicing.

City Fish Market
MRS. NAVOKOVICH
MISS MARGUERITE

We Are THANKFUL

for the business we have been given and the progress you have helped us make!

Brown's Transfer & Storage Company
Phone 48
Ranger, Texas

WE ARE THANKFUL TODAY!

and not only today but every day of the year for our friends and customers who have shared their business with us and who have encouraged us... we thank each of you and may today be a day of rejoicing.

RANGER AUTO PARTS CO.
J. J. KELLEY, Prop.

WE GIVE THANKS

Not only for your patronage but for the friendly interest that you have shown in this business. We will strive harder than ever to merit a continuation of your favors. May you enjoy to the utmost all the blessings that you desire.

CLYDE H. DAVIS
JEWELRY and MUSIC
Main Street Ranger

ON THIS TURKEY DAY

WE PAUSE TO GIVE THANKS... thanks for the many blessings that have been ours in the friendly relations with our neighbors.

WE DEEPLY APPRECIATE YOUR PATRONAGE

H. P. "POP" EARNEST
TEXACO DISTRIBUTOR
AND ALL TEXACO STATIONS AND EMPLOYEES



Today We Are THANKFUL

and take this opportunity to thank all our friends and customers for their patronage.

Post Office Confectionery
PRICE CRAWLEY
Ranger

Alameda School News

Friday, Nov. 23, Miss Champion entertained with a chapel program. She was assisted by Mr. Hodge, Dorothy King, Leonard Fox Junior Hart, Edith Weekes, Florence Rogers and Inez Horn. Dorothy King, Leonard Fox and Junior Hart presented a playlet entitled "Ah." The rest of the program was on "Español" program. Inez Horn made a talk on the customs of the Spanish people. Miss Champion and Mr. Hodge sang, "Tal Como Soy," or "Just As I Am," and "Cereza Mas Cereza" or "Nasty Still Nearer." Miss Champion played two Spanish pieces on the piano entitled "La Golondrina" and "La Paloma," and Edith Weekes and Florence Rogers sang "America." The program will be held from 10:20 until 11:15 Friday week.

Activities of the H. Demonstration Clubs of County

Bedroom Improvement
Improve the bedroom and arrange in order to meet the needs of the family from the standpoint of health, comfort and beauty is a goal Mrs. J. W. Tunc, bedroom demonstrator for the Peak Home demonstration club will complete during the year's program. In addition to this Mrs. Tunc will make a mattress for herself and show the other club members how this can be done at home. Mrs. Tunc will assist the 14 co-operators in the club to complete the goals, make a tufted bedspread, arrange the room, removing all unnecessary furnishings. Her room will have a general change made as given above and this room will be the pattern room of the community and the public will be invited to see this when the year's work has been completed. Mrs. Tunc starts with her demonstration Jan. 1.



We Are Thankful Today

for our friends and the business they have given us during the year... let's all join in thanking Him for the blessings we enjoy.

D.C. McRae & Son
Cholson Hotel
Ranger

We Are Indeed THANKFUL

for the business that has been ours and trust that on this day of THANKFULNESS we may all give praise to HIM for the many things that we have been the recipients of.

ELECTRIC SHOE SHOP
T. T. NOTGRASS
Main Street Ranger

Thanksgiving GREETINGS

In this busy life most of us, as we rush from one task to another and from one day's work to the next, show our thanks for the spectacular things of life but fail to recognize the plain and simple acts of kindness that is all around us... we pause here to express our appreciation for the men and women whom we rub shoulders day by day over the year... may yours be one of thankfulness this day, the same as ours.

OAKWOOD JERSEY DAIRY
S. O. MONTGOMERY
Ranger, Texas

THANKSGIVING GREETINGS

On this day we offer heartfelt greetings to our hundreds of friends and customers... We strive to serve and trust that our friendly relations may continue over the years to come.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE CO.
A. N. LARSON, Manager



We Are Indeed THANKFUL

to each of our loyal friends and customers who by their patronage have helped us in building and retaining our business.

Stafford Drug Company
R. R. Stafford, Prop.



Our Thanks to You

on this great day it is a real pleasure to have the opportunity to tell our customers how much we do appreciate all the favors of the year that is ending.

C. J. MOORE
AUTO MART
Hudson and Terraplane
1st Street Ranger

THANKSGIVING GREETINGS

To all the good people of our vast community who have shared their business with us we are indeed grateful this Thanksgiving.

We take this opportunity to express our appreciation to all and to wish for you a wonderful day this Thanksgiving.

Joseph Dry Goods Company
D. JOSEPH, Prop.
Main Street Ranger

Bring you a word of THANKS

for the patronage given during the year AND AN INVITATION to come to us for all your automobile needs!

MAY THE DAY BRING MANY BLESSINGS TO EACH OF YOU

CARMON ANDERSON
Humble Service Station
Ranger

OUR THANKS!

To our friends and customers for the patronage given us during the year just about closed... our only desire is that we may continue to merit a portion of your consideration in the future.

Best Wishes for the Day!

A. J. RATLIFF
FLOUR and FEED
Ranger, Texas Phone 82

TRY A WANT AD - IT ALWAYS PAYS

DIDEMONA

Special occasion.
 On Monday night at the high school a crowd gathered and enjoyed a splendid program of reading music by the expression of Mrs. J. C. Brewer of Gosh, who has quite a good class she teaches at our high school after the program there was a supper and food sale sponsored by the Parent-Teacher association. The proceeds of the entertainment amounted to nearly \$50, enough money in the athletic fund to buy sweaters for the members of the football team to buy some new equipment next year. The lettermen Andrew Henry, T. C. Robinson, Roy Jones, Walker Henderson, Sparkman, Jesse Charles, Bert, Nallon Hanson (captain), Bud Anderson (co-captain), Hober Hilliard, Bergen Will, Wesley Arthur, Homer Goe, Albert Clark, and M. T. Rice. Five of the number, M. T. Rice, Walker Henry, T. C. Robinson, Lee Roy Jones and Carl Rice are seniors, so will not be here next year. Nallon Hanson re-elected backfield captain, and Jesse Clark was elected line captain.
 Jay Mehl left Friday for Killam after a visit with his parents, Al and Mrs. C. W. Maltby. His brother, Glen, remained for a longer visit.
 Mrs. J. L. Derrick and daughter,

Mrs. Style McEntire, and baby, James Edward, drove up to Moran Thursday and spent the day with Mrs. C. A. Waters, who was formerly a Desdemona girl, Miss Viola Lucey.
 Mrs. C. A. Skipping accompanied by Miss Ruth Abel and Robert Abel, drove down to DeLeon Friday to meet Mrs. Hugh Abel, who was returning from Valley Mills, where she had been visiting her parents for 10 days. Her father had been seriously ill.
 Roy Rushing drove down to Waco to purchase holiday goods for the City Pharmacy.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Snead, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simms and Mrs. Raymond Butler and little son, all of DeLeon, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snead Sunday evening.
 Mrs. Dick Cutting (nee Miss Beryl Gallagher) of Cisco was the guest of Mrs. Fred Weider Saturday. During the day she made short calls on a number of her old friends who were delighted to see her.
 arrived on Tuesday of last week and now at home at the Methodist parsonage, where they are receiving a hearty welcome to our town. On Sunday morning Rev. Z. C. Chambless, pastor of the Baptist church, dismissed his service and he and his congregation went to the Methodist church to welcome Rev. Nance and to show their spirit of co-operation.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Acree are spending this week at Marlin, where he is taking treatment for rheumatism in his hands.
 Max Williams came down from Ranger and spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Williams.
 Quite a number of our citizens are improving their homes and helping the looks of our town. Among the improvements noticed are these: A new porch and other

Garbo Has Met Her Master



The myth of the Great Garbo has been shattered. No longer can she stand aloof from the crowd, for she has met her master and bowed to him. He's W. S. Van Dyke, film director, who talks to her and orders her about just as he would the merest chorus girl. And the Great Garbo likes it! Both are shown here in their latest pictures.

improvements by Charles Lee; a coat of white paint on the home of George Patterson; T. H. Key, who

recently bought the Carruth house with 18 acres of land extending from the bridge to Magnolia Plant No. 1, is having a number of improvements made.

Mrs. R. L. Black spent last week at Comanche with her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Fagan.
 Married, Saturday night, Nov. 24, at the Methodist parsonage, Miss Gladys Hooper to Mr. Atlas Griffith. The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hooper. Hosts of friends are wishing the happy young couple the greatest happiness. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. H. Nance.

Ed Parks drove down to Dublin Monday to look after having some terracing done on his farm near there.
 W. C. Bedford drove up to Ranger on business Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Gallagher of Albany and Mrs. E. E. Setzer of Conroe came Friday and will visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nabers, until after Thanksgiving.

The Methodist Missionary society held a very enjoyable social meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Lee. During a short business session officers were elected for the year beginning Jan. 1. The society was pleased to receive as a member Mrs. H. H. Nance, wife of the new pastor. After interesting contests the hostess, assisted by Mrs. W. H. Whitworth, served a lovely refreshment plate of toasted cheese sandwiches, coffee and fruit salad, served as a "horn of plenty." Besides members present, visitors were Miss Valavester Whitworth and two little daughters of Rev. and Mrs. Nance.
 About 35 members of the History club of our high school went out to the "canyons" Friday night and enjoyed a weiner roast. They were accompanied by the club sponsor, E. E. Mullins, who is athletic coach. The History club has recently begun to collect relics for a museum. They have several guns that were used in the World War, a clock that is more than 150 years old and a Bible that is quite old. Members of the club are asking their friends who have relics to lend them for use in the museum.
 J. M. Cramer of Comanche was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Henslee, and family last week.
 One of the largest parties of the season was given Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ford Reid, who was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Hugh Abel and Mrs. Henry Gentry. Music was furnished by Miss Edra Parks and several children gave readings and songs. The guest was Mrs. C. A. Skipping, who was presented a

Only 24, Landis Runs for House



Kenesaw Mountain Landis II, above, is only 24, but he seeks the House seat made vacant by the death of his father, Fred Landis, a few days after the latter's election in the Second Indiana district. Young Landis, namesake of the baseball czar, his uncle, says he would delay taking his seat until he reached 25, minimum Congress age, if the House would consent.

showers of miscellaneous gifts. Refreshments of fruit punch and cookies were served.
 J. E. Hughes and family visited relatives at DeLeon Thursday afternoon.

BEAVERS GATHERED HIS WOOD

By United Press
 SHENANDOAH, Pa.—Beavers are grateful for favors, according to Jack Stucker, of Danville, near here. Stucker said he strengthened a beaver dam which had become weak. Several days later the beavers dragged enough wood beside the dam to last Stucker all winter.

PIC AND KITTEN PALS

By United Press
 UNION, Me.—This little pig is

content to stay at home and sleep with its newly-acquired friend. Because the little pig was not as strong as the rest of the litter that James Griffin, its owner, built a separate pen in a horse stall. A kitten visits the stall each day for its meal, then the two crawl into a box and sleep it off.

ELECTION PAYOFF TOO MUCH

By United Press
 SHAMOKIN, Pa.—Paying off an election bet was too much for Orvie Reinard. For losing the wager he was to haul Orvil Kishbaugh in a wheel barrow up the side of a 1,000 foot mountain. With 400 persons looking on, Reinard began wheeling. Half way up the mountain he collapsed and was given medical treatment.



On This Day of Thanksgiving

—We want to tell you that we appreciate the business given us during the past months . . . and years and look forward to a continuation of service to you!

MAY THIS DAY BRING BLESSINGS TO EACH OF YOU

Killingsworth, Cox & Co.



ON THIS TURKEY DAY

We pause to give thanks—thanks for the blessings that it has been ours to enjoy—made possible by the friends and neighbors that have so generously shared their gas and oil business with us.

May This Be a Happy Thanksgiving Day for All!

SINCLAIR SERVICE STATION

L. J. McMILLEN, Manager
 Phone 145 Ranger, Texas



Thanksgiving

Back in the days of the Pilgrims when our forefathers were fighting for the supreme principle there arose a day "Thanksgiving." And all classes and parties met on that day, prepared large feasts, received each other cordially, and offered thanks to God for the blessings bestowed upon them, and expressed their thanks to each other for their future thanks.

Adams & Co.
 H. G. ADAMS T. O. BRAY
 Main Street Ranger

FIG BIT BUTCHER

By United Press
 SHENANDOAH, Pa.—William Bowman is a butcher. A pig took a bite out of Bowman's hand as he was preparing to slit its throat. "But I'll get the last bite," Bowman told friends.



A Day of Thanksgiving!

We rejoice with all of our friends today and give credit to Him who reigns on high for the countless blessings that we have enjoyed . . . May yours be a day of real rejoicing.

J. E. Meroney
 Agent for Magnolia Petroleum Co.



WE THANK YOU

Not only for your patronage but for the friendly interest that you have shown in this business. We will strive harder than ever to merit a continuation of your favors.

May you enjoy to the utmost all the blessings that you desire.

LONE STAR GARAGE
 E. R. SCOTT

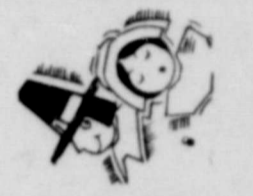
Try a WANT-AD!



We Give Thanks

—to our customers and those who have patronized us during the short time we have been in business and to continue doing so.

Ranger Service Station
 ROY R. PLUMLEY and H. L. STEWART
 Bristow and West Main Sts. Ranger, Texas



LET US GIVE THANKS

Just as the Pilgrims gave thanks at harvest time . . . so should we give thanks for the many blessings of the year . . . again we say, thank you.
 Today as we give thanks for all things good we want to thank you for your splendid patronage.

Jack's Service Station
 Day and Night Storage



While the Brontosaurus browsed in OKLAHOMA

Millions of years ago—even before the ancient Brontosaurus lived—Nature formed the Cambro-Ordovician oil pool in Oklahoma. Today this oldest of Mid-continent crudes is piped to the great Sinclair refineries where it is refined, blended, de-waxed, freed from petroleum jelly and made into Sinclair Opaline—a product resulting from 80 million years of filtering and mellowing. Try a crankcaseful of Sinclair Opaline—note how it stands up in the heat of fast driving. Note especially at draining time how little oil has been used up—positive, visible proof of protection for the last mile as well as the first!

SINCLAIR OPALINE MOTOR OIL

THANKSGIVING GREETINGS

On this day of Thanksgiving we offer heartfelt greetings to our hundreds of friends and customers; we strive to serve and trust that our friendly relations may continue over the years to come.

Agent Sinclair Refining Co.
 C. D. WOODS J
 RANGER SINCLAIR AGENT Phone 91

We are as Proud as an old Gobbler and as Thankful as can be . . .

the patronage given us all for the new friends made—for the old friends gathered—for a year that better than last.

Cohn's Shoppe
 Ranger



Our Hearts Are Thankful

today for our friends and the business they have given us during the year . . . let's all join in thanking Him for the blessings we enjoy.

CLARKE'S Radiator & Body Works
 Phone, Day 511
 Phone, Night 424



Phone 279
 FLOWERS FOR YOUR THANKSGIVING TABLE!
 —FOR YOUR HOSTESS!
 MUMS—for the GAME!
 WE WILL BE OPEN ALL DAY!
 GOLDEN, FLORIST
 Arcadia Bldg. Ranger

Our Hearts Are Thankful Today!

—for our friends and the business they have given us during the year. Let's all join in thanking Him for the blessings we enjoy.

Love Bros. Barber Shop AND EMPLOYEES

simplicity PATTERNS
 Every Pattern Guaranteed
 HASSEN COMPANY
 Ranger, Texas

Joseph Dry Goods Company
 Ranger's Foremost Department Store
 108-10 Main St. Ranger

WE ARE THANKFUL, TOO



—for all our friends and the many things they have done for us over the year. We sell gas and oil and keep your car clean and nice. You have been more than good to us this year and again we say, thank you!

MISSION GARAGE
 NICK GALLAGHER AND EMPLOYEES

Thanksgiving DINNER

Don't worry around over a hot stove, make it a real holiday! Have dinner here and let us wash the dishes while you see the game!

Special Menu

TURKEY AND DRESSING
 CREAM PEAS GIBLET GRAVY
 CRANBERRY SAUCE
 CANDIED YAMS FRUIT SALAD
 DRINK DESSERT

35c

Mrs. Higdon's Eat Shop
 107 South Austin



OUR PILGRIM FATHERS

—were grateful and dedicated this day to give thanks for the blessings of life . . . we renew that covenant today and thank God for keeping us during the year rapidly coming to a close . . . may every worth while blessing be yours today is our sincere wish.

BULLDOGS! BEAT THOSE BUCKAROOS!
 Powell Grocery & Market



We Give THANKS

On this day of Thanksgiving we offer heartfelt greetings to our hundreds of friends and patrons; we are thankful for their friendly appreciation of our service and we look forward to being of increasingly larger usefulness to them.

May this Thanksgiving be filled with cheer for every hope and heart in Eastland County . . . and throughout the nation.

HASSEN CO., Inc.
 Main Street Ranger

Office 224 Residence 642-W
Ranger Social News
ARBITRA DAVENPORT, Editor

Club Party

Gala Entertainment
The Lone Star clubrooms at plant No. 103, were gaily decorated with pinwheel chrysanthemums and roses recently, when the ladies of the Lone Star Social club entertained with a bridge dinner in compliment to their husbands.

Monthly Pains Relieved

Women who take CARDUI have found that severe monthly pains have been relieved and that by continued use of it for a reasonable length of time their strength has been renewed and their general health improved.

bridge and "42." Winners in bridge were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Bates of Breckenridge, making high score, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kendall, second high.

High scores in "42" were made by Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Whitley and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Herring.

ON HIS TRAIL

E. T. Matthews, Donald Smith, Joe Wallace, H. B. Johnson, R. F. Holloway, Lonnie Herring, and Miss Burla Jane Kohn, and guest, Mrs. Archie Brimberry.

Uiece of Mrs. Harry Henry And Donald F. Champion to Be Wedded Christmas Eve

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Alberts Craddock, charming young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Craddock of Tyler, to Donald F. Champion, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Champion of this place, has been announced to Ranger relatives and a host of friends.

The marriage of the couple will take place at the home of the bride-elect's parents in Tyler, on Christmas Eve, Miss Craddock, who is a niece of Mrs. Harry Henry, spent several months in the Henry home, and made a large number of friends while here.

Honored at Surprise Party
Mrs. Bill Rainwater of Mingus, was the surprised honoree of a delightful shower given by her sister, Mrs. R. R. Rogers of Brownwood, at the home of Mrs. G. A. Stallings of Ranger, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Rainwater received many lovely gifts and after a delightful chat the presents were opened and refreshments served. The plates and napkins carried out the scheme of Thanksgiving.

Royal Service Program
Rendered at Home of Mrs. Munn The Baptist church Women's Missionary Society of Olden, met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Munn the early part of the week, for the rendition of the Royal Service program, which brought a pleasant special hour the latter part of the afternoon.

Mrs. Pit Crawford was in charge of the lesson which proved thoroughly interesting to the large group of members.

The giving of the devotional by Mrs. R. S. Lester, preceded the singing of a group of favored songs.

As the meeting adjourned the hostess passed a delectable refreshment plate of sandwiches, cheese bits, pickles, fruit salad with whipped cream and coffee, to Miss James Ward, K. C. Edmonds, of Ranger; J. H. Choate, R. S. Lester, Roy Lester, A. D. Baker; J. L. Kuhn, C. B. Cross, Carl Jones, J. T. Crawford, Eddies, White, C. A. Howell, J. H. Supulver, and hostess, Mrs. Munn.

Personally Speaking
Ed Fontaine has returned to Ranger after several days business visit to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Betts are entertaining as guests today, her son and daughter, Homer Short, of Longview, and Mrs. Cora Purman of Fayette. Mrs. Purman will remain for visits between Ranger and Mineral Wells until after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Canfield are hosts today to guests, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gilbert of Valley Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Duckert and young daughter Carolyn, are now at home on Summit Avenue, having moved into this attractive place, the former J. M. Gholson home, from their former residence, Spring road.

Mrs. John M. Gholson returned home Wednesday after a visit spent in Kerrville.

Little Miss Jane Ann Gregoliet, student at O. L. V. Fort Worth, is spending the holiday and week-end

MINGUS

Special Correspondent

Mrs. Will Sikes and mother, Mrs. G. C. Hamilton, of Thurber, visited in Mingus Thursday evening.

Mrs. D. A. Heatherington of Big Spring has returned home after a week's visit with relatives.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Telich, a baby girl, Wednesday, Nov. 21. Mother and baby doing fine.

Mrs. Blair Clark and mother, Mrs. Henderson, of Cisco, visited in the home of Mrs. Ira Hamilton Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyd attended the picture show at Ranger Thursday night.

Mrs. Juanita Vean of Breckenridge has been visiting homefolks here.

Alex Louis and children were in Streven Saturday afternoon.

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Ted Sloan of Abilene, will be numbered among out-of-town guests attending the Ranger-Breckenridge football game. Ted is the guest of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Sloan.

Mrs. E. C. Swoveland and Mrs. Herbert Suits were Cisco visitors, Wednesday.

Eastland Personals

H. E. Driscoll accompanied Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Harvey to Austin Tuesday.

De. and Mrs. Beall and their two children of San Angelo, arrived Wednesday for the week-end with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Drago and Wilda Drago.

Robert McGlamery, student at State university, Austin, will be home Friday for the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McGlamery.

The glad Thanksgiving time is here again. In its happy re-united lauds ours, there isn't a woman or child to hasn't something to be thankful for—some to be grateful to. Let in hands his glories day in giving hearts thanks to the Great God of the Universe for the many blessing that has been ours.

—to those that have patronized us during the year rapidly drawing to a close.

Remember us for your haircuts and shaves.

and blessings to those that have made it possible to carry on during this recovery period.

MAY GOD BLESS US ALL!

Just as the Pilgrims gave thanks at harvest time, so do we give thanks for the many blessings of the year!

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We Are Doubly Thankful Today!
—and pause long enough to broadcast this message of appreciation to our friends and customers for the consideration shown us over the time we have been in Ranser.

Our hearts are thankful all the time but doubly so today—may your Thanksgiving be all that one could wish.

G. & H. DAIRY
R. E. HARRELL, Prop.



THE DAY TO GIVE THANKS

We take this opportunity of expressing our sincere thanks for the friendly relations that has been ours over the year with patrons of the company whom we have served.

You Can Do It Cheaper With GAS!

ANSWERING THE CALLS FOR SERVICE

TEXAS LOUISIANA POWER COMPANY

ECONOMICAL QUALITY MERCHANDISE

R. B. CANFIELD, Manager

Thanksgiving...



... One need know only a little history to understand that this country has been singularly blessed in its freedom from the more violent and painful aspects of change that have affected so many nations.

Only a casual perception of current affairs convinces that compared with those of the world at large, our troubles are small indeed.

For this and for an increasing awareness of our fine historical heritage of individual freedom every American can be truly thankful.

COMMERCIAL STATE BANK
Ranger, Texas

CLASSIFIED

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

OIL PERMANENTS — Two for \$1.00. Loflin Hotel.

AUTO LOANS—No delay; small payments. C. E. Maddocks & Co., Ranger.

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

WRECKER SERVICE—Phone day 511, night 424. Clarke's Radiator and Body Works.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—5 acres well improved, close in, at a bargain. Can give some terms. C. E. Maddocks and Company.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Pair mules. J. B. Ames, Ranger.



Our Hearts Are Grateful

—today as we meditate upon the solemnity of the day and what it really means, we appreciate all our friends. We do our best to give honest service and your money's worth, and it is upon this basis we thank you all and hope for a continuation of your patronage.

DEFFEBACH GARAGE
VERNON DEFFEBACH, Prop.



It Was No "Wild Goose Chase"

that led us to the opening of another hardware store in Ranger!

AND.....

Thanks to our many good customers this first year has been highly satisfactory—may we continue to serve you!

Williams Hardware Store
Main Street Ranger



We Give Thanks

—for all the good things that have been ours and especially for the business that you have given us over the year drawing to a close.

Magnolia Service Station
BOATWRIGHT, Prop.



Let Us Give True Thanks

Just as the Pilgrims gave thanks at harvest time, so do we give thanks for the many blessings of the year!

Marathon Service Station
ELMO DECKER, Prop.
Cor. Austin & Rusk



Thanksgiving Appreciation

—for the business that you have given us over this past year and in anticipation of continued service.

—May this Thanksgiving bring blessings to us all.

Piggly Wiggly
ED SARGENT, Mgr.



We Wish To Offer Our Thanks

and blessings to those that have made it possible to carry on during this recovery period.

MAY GOD BLESS US ALL!

Zuella Beauty Shop



True Thanksgiving in Our Hearts!

—on this day as we count over the many blessings that have been ours. We are indeed grateful to all our good friends and our neighbors for the share of their business that has been ours.

GREER BROS. SHOE SHOP
Main Street Ranger



THANKS TO THE PEOPLE

—of Ranger and its surrounding territory for their past business and friendly associations... and you know that our service and work will merit your future business.

LIBERTY SHOE SHOP
Main Street Ranger, Texas

DOES YOUR HAIRCUT PLEASE YOU? IF NOT—TRY US! Three Competent Barbers LOVE BROS. BARBER SHOP



HOW TO MAKE PUZZLES

more difficult

it's hard enough to find that gray piece shaped like a dog—without putting on smoked glasses! But people might as well do that as to crouch in a dimly-lighted corner, taxing their poor-obliging eyes.

Adequate home lighting saves the wasteful outpouring of nervous energy that we expend in trying to see

LIGHTING RULES TO KEEP IN MIND

1. Use lamp bulbs of the correct wattage. The least you should have is 40-watt MAZDA lamps for 3-socket lamps, 60-watt for 2-socket lamps, 100-watt for single-socket lamps.
2. Have all lamp bulbs shaded. For portables, a shade light in color, wide in spread, and open at the top.
3. Never read in glaring light, or in your own shadow.
4. Always use lamp bulbs of reputable make. Inferior ones burn out and blacken quickly.

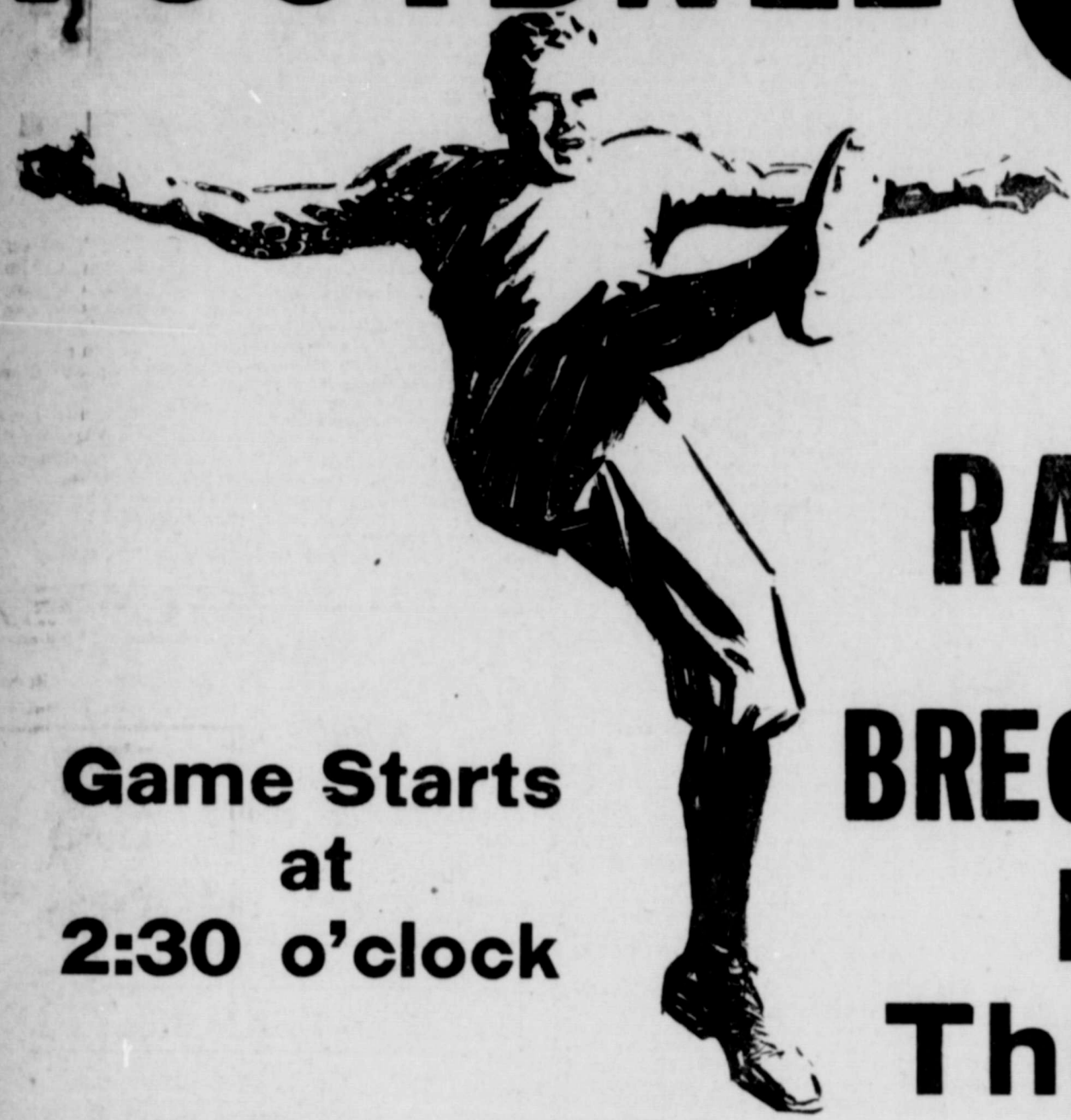
STUDY LAMPS

When the Illuminating Engineering Society designed these Reading and Study Lamps, they took into consideration all of the things that are needed in lamps of this sort—elimination of glare, proper distribution of light of the right intensity and so on. These lamps meet the requirements and are as nearly perfect as science can make them. Order yours today—or come in and look them over. There are other styles and sizes of lamps that you want, too.

TERM PRICE:
\$7.15
\$1.15 Down
\$1 a Month

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY
A. N. LARSON, Manager

FOOTBALL GAME!



THANKSGIVING DAY
The Big Game of the District!

RANGER BULLDOGS
VS.
BRECKENRIDGE BUCKAROOS
LILLARD FIELD
Thursday, Nov. 29th

Game Starts
at
2:30 o'clock



COACH O. M. (Red) MOORE,
who is guiding the destiny of the
Ranger Bulldogs in their 1934
campaign.



1934 BULLDOGS, Undefeated in Conference



CAPT. AARON ANDERSON
is a fine quarterback and triple
threat man, who is the sparkplug
of the Bulldog team.

THE FOLLOWING BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL MEN ARE ALWAYS BACKING THE BULLDOGS:

- Post Office Confectionery**
Price Crawley, Manager
- Texas Drug Store**
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Harness
- Brown's Transfer & Storage Co.**
Bonded Warehouse
- Burns Machinery Company**
R. B. Burns, Proprietor
- City Tailors**
"Mickey" Sloan, Proprietor
- Lone Star Garage**
General Automobile Repairs
- Ranger Dry Cleaning Plant**
S. P. Boon, Proprietor
- L. D. Ripley Service Station**
Gulf Products — Goodrich Tires
- Burkett Service Station**
Corner Commerce and Mesquite Sts.
- Clarke's Radiator & Body Works**
Rusk Street
- Rust & Purser Fruit Stand**
East Main and Oak Streets
- Powell Grocery & Market**
A. H. Powell, Proprietor
- Oil Field Ignition Company**
E. A. Greigoleit, Proprietor
- Bill's Dry Cleaning Plant**
W. R. (Bill) Clardy, Proprietor

- R. L. McCleskey Service Station**
Gulf Products — Seiberling Tires
- H. H. Vaughn Service Station**
Texaco Products
- Swaney's Pharmacy**
Prescription Druggists
- Ranger Auto Parts Company**
J. J. Kelley, Proprietor
- Gentry Cash Grocery & Market**
Main Street
- Ranger Daily and Weekly Times**
F. D. Hicks, Manager
- Edwin George, Jr.**
Agent for Gulf Products
- A. J. Ratliff**
Feed and Flour
- Humble Service Station**
West Main and Oak Streets
- Texas-Louisiana Power Company**
- Texas Electric Service Company**
- Sinclair Refining Company**
C. D. Woods, Agent
- H. P. Earnest**
Agent Texaco Products
- Anderson-Pruet, Inc.**
Chevrolet Sales and Service

- One's-A-Meal Sandwich Shop**
Commerce Street
- E. H. & E. P. Mills**
Grocery and Market
- Montgomery Ward & Company**
Try Our Budget Plan
- R. F. Holloway**
Superintendent Public Schools
- Jack's Service Station**
Texaco Gas and Oil
- C. J. Moore Auto Mart**
Hudson and Terraplane Dealers
- Exide Battery Company**
J. S. (Spud) Reynolds, Proprietor
- Sinclair Service Station**
L. J. McMillen, Proprietor
- Schooley's Bakery**
Schooley's New Deal Bread
- Eureka Tool Company**
Oil Field Machinery Repairs
- Magnolia Petroleum Company**
J. E. Meroney, Agent
- Jahn Auto Parts Company**
R. Jahn, Manager
- Williams Hardware Company**
A. H. and M. E. Williams
- Hassen Co., Inc.**
Main Street

- Gholson Coffee Shop**
J. H. Nottingham
- Joseph Dry Goods Company**
Ranger's Foremost Department Store
- Burton-Lingo Company**
Lumber
- Boler's Grocery, Bakery & Market**
Store No., N. Oak St.—Store No. 2, N. Austin St. Ed Boler, Mgr.
- Robinson Grocery & Market**
J. M. Robinson, Manager
- G. & H. Dairy**
R. E. Harrell, Proprietor
- Clyde H. Davis**
Jewelry and Music
- Killingsworth, Cox & Company**
Furniture, Hardware, Radios, Undertakers
- Robinson Auto Supply Company**
G. E. Robinson
- Commercial State Bank**
- Ranger Mattress Factory**
- Oakwood Jersey Dairy**
Cream-Kisk Milk—S. O. Montgomery, Owner
- Paramount Pharmacy**
H. S. Stafford, Proprietor

Society

Dance to Celebrate Thanksgiving At Legion Hall Tonight

Tonight at 10 o'clock the American Legion hall, Pine street, will present a gala scene, when dancers, including many visitors, gather for the dance which brings to a close the big day's program of entertainment.

The dance is expected to be one of the largest attended social features of the current season, and music will be played by Carl Williams and his orchestra, composed of eight talented musicians.

The entertainment which has held the close attention of a number of Ranger persons since the date was announced, is sponsored by Arlys Niver, employe of the Swaney Pharmacy.

Girl Scouts Plan Hike

The Girl Scout meeting scheduled for Friday afternoon has been changed to Saturday morning at which time the girls will go on a short hike. The girls are asked

to meet at Young school at 10:30 o'clock, bringing with them one or two medium-sized potatoes, bacon or sausage, bread, and marshmallows. Each girl is to bring also a canteen or small jar of water. Mrs. A. P. Shirey will accompany the girls.

Ranger Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Ed White and son, Byron, of Burk Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Pyson of Breckenridge, and Rev. and Mrs. Gray are guests today of Mrs. H. R. Thorpe, Gulf camp.

Carlton Norris of Mansfield, La., is visiting at the home of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norris, Strawn highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Colonel Brashier are spending today in Dallas at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Eddie Chambers, and family. They will spend Friday and Saturday in Sherman with their son and family.

CROSS ROADS

Special Correspondent

Pennington is in our community is all finished.

Rev. Lemley and Dow Davis are both very ill. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Campbell and daughter visited in the home of Rev. Lemley Monday.

Mrs. Willis Johnson and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kitchens, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ferrell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walton.

Mrs. Roy Thomas gave a surprise birthday party for her mother, Mrs. J. H. Ainsworth, Saturday.

A large crowd was present and refreshments of cake and coffee were served. Mrs. Ainsworth received many nice presents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hale and son, Barnett, visited in the home of J. W. Kitchens Sunday.

Mr. Minter and family and Mrs. Lee Yardley and daughter were in Ranger Tuesday.

Mrs. Georgia Daffern visited Mrs. J. W. Kitchens Saturday.

Mrs. H. D. Browning and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. J. T. Walton.

Mrs. Roy Thomas and baby spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ainsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Campbell and daughter were in Ranger Tuesday.

Elaine Hale spent Saturday night with Mrs. Campbell.

Vera Ray Wisdom and Cora Campbell spent Friday night with Eunice Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stiffler of Ranger visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Campbell this week.

Hermon Nerger and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Daffern Sunday.

Terrell Hale spent Saturday night with Mazon Ferrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunlap and

Grandpa Dunlap visited Wesley Dunlap near Carbon Sunday.

Hutch Hale is doing some carpenter work in Ranger this week.

H. D. Browning was in Ranger Tuesday.

V. E. Pedigo and family visited in Dublin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kitchens were in Ranger Tuesday.

Stella Kitchens spent Saturday with Elizabeth Johnson.

Alice Kitchens and Frances Ferrell visited Mozell Hale.

PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE

With BILL MAYES

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against O'Rear. These two will stop the Ranger backfield, he says, from coming over their territory.

The only trouble in his selection of the guards is that he has three that deserve all-district berths and there are only two to be given, so he may have to toss a coin, or something, to see which gets it.

Pitzer and Russell are probably the cream of the lot, it seems, while we have forgotten the name of the third, even if he is one of the three best in the whole district.

At center, though Morris weighs but about 40 pounds, he is so outstanding, Ritchie says, that there is little one can do but pick him, because he is the best backer in the district as well as being a good center.

But when it comes to the backfield, there is where the Buckaroos shine, though they have, so far, placed only two men on the Ritchie selection for all-district.

The two he selects are Taylor and Clark. Taylor, of course, is the mighty Spud, while is just a small fraction better than Taylor.

Here is what he says about the backfield:

The Buckaroo backfield, the best quartet in the district, will have an opportunity to show just what it can do against heavy and experienced opponents.

It is a sweet quartet of backs that P. E. Shattell will send against Ranger. There are four boys who can do several things with a football. All four are blockers of ability; three are speedy and the other is still speedier; two can pass and punt; three can ram the line; all four can circle end; and all are good defensive men.

They are not, however, just a group of individual stars, with each doing things on his own merits. They work together and do the job right.

Spud Taylor and Earl Clark, quarter and right half, respectively, are all-district men. They are both good at anything that a man in their positions is called on to do.

So, according to their advance press notices, it appears that the Bulldogs can have little chance against an aggregation of individuals and collective stars like that.

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A Moment of Suspense



From Warner Bros. new picture, "I Am a Thief," the mystery-drama coming to the Arcadia Theatre Friday. Pictured above are Mary Astor, Ricardo Cortez and Irving Pichel.

Arcadia Saturday



William Powell and Myrna Loy in "Evelyn Prentice," starting Saturday for two days run.

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So, according to their advance press notices, it appears that the Bulldogs can have little chance against an aggregation of individuals and collective stars like that.

But, as Wilson has said so often—"Weight, age, experience . . . what do they mean?"

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deserted their two children to be with him.

In a small southwest side apartment his aged mother cares for his two small children, doting their childish hurts and listening to their plaints as she did her own son a few years ago.

"They'll kill George some day, I know," she says calmly. "I've already steeled myself to expect that. Yet, I dread the day they will bring his body home."

She recalls the days when he played about the stock yards. He was a hero then, she said, to every boy in the neighborhood because he always took the blame when a window was broken, or apples stolen from a peddler's wagon.

His boasting won for him a popularity among other boys, but the day came when he had to "make good" his boasts to keep up his reputation. Police already had an eye on this small, wishful boy back of the yards.

His deep blue eyes, his short stature and his cherubim countenance early gained him the name of "Baby Face." He detested the name and that aversion led him into many boyhood fights.

Police at first questioned and then warned him about neighborhood petty thefts. He joined a gang of "toughs" and began by stealing an automobile. At first they drove the automobiles a few hours and abandoned them.

Then he became "girl crazy." To get money to become a "sport" he began selling automobiles he stole. In 1925 he was caught with a stolen automobile, but was let off with a short sentence to the St. Charles School for Boys.

A year later he was paroled, but twice was returned for violating that parole. Inside he was a good prisoner and was made a monitor with authority over 75 boys.

At expiration of his sentence he returned with the resolve to "go straight." The reputation he once had sought and gloried in became a burden that he couldn't throw off. Police kept him under surveillance.

At 21, his mother said, he became bitter and sullen. Police, he complained, hounded him as he drove a delivery truck and would not let him "go straight."

A year later, in 1926, he quit his truck to throw his lot definitely with a gang of gunmen. His first major "job" was the robbery of a bank at Spring Grove, Ill.

For a time after that he was not identified as participating in any major crimes. Then he robbed a bank at Hillside, Ill., and another at Itasca, Ill., in 1930.

He was captured and convicted of the Hillside robbery. A jury sentenced him to serve from one year to life in Joliet penitentiary. While there he participated in an

audacious, into a career of crime that includes, bank robbery, automobile theft, murder and a long list of other crimes. Today he is the nation's most hunted man.

Federal men believe he will die like his predecessors—John Dillinger and Charles ("Pretty Boy") Floyd—with a gun in his hand and bullets in his body. That is the price for being the nation's foremost public enemy.

Nelson is the last, but one, of the Dillinger gang that conducted a reign of banditry over the middle-west for nearly a year. The other member at liberty, or perhaps dead, is John Hamilton.

For months his gangster associates have been "shadowed" by department of justice agents. He has carefully avoided his old haunts. His wife has, apparently,

says he was told by agents not to talk

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—P. W. Sherman, a witness to the machine gun slaying of two federal agents by George ("Baby Face") Nelson, refused to testify before a coroner's inquest today "because the government men told me not to say anything."

Previously Melvin Purvis, chief of the federal bureau of investigation headquarters here, had sought to have the inquest postponed.

"I don't care about the federal government. I want your testimony," Deputy County Coroner Don Butler told Sherman.

Sherman was adamant in his refusal, however, and did not testify.

Mrs. Frances Kramer, operator of a filling station on the outskirts of Barrington, Ill., where the gun battle took place late yesterday, testified Nelson and his companion fired a volley of machine gun bullets into the body of Herman Hollis as he lay dying in a ditch.

The gangsters then turned upon Samuel Cowley, agent of the government's Dillinger squad, wounding him fatally.

The department of justice automobile, in which Nelson, his wife and the other man fled after the killing, was found in Waukegan, North Shore suburb, today.

The front seat was raked with blood and the body riddled with bullets, indicating that one of the occupants may have been badly wounded.

Baby Face Nelson Got Education In Chicago Stockyard

By ROBERT T. LOUGHRAN United Press Staff Correspondent

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Ten years ago Lester M. Gillie was a chubby, round-faced lad playing "robber" and "Indian" in the Chicago "back of the yards" district.

Today his name is inscribed on the police "wanted" list of every city in America as George ("Baby Face") Nelson, Public Enemy No. 1. A price of \$5,000 is on his head.

In the days of Al Capone's rule of Chicago gangland, 14-year-old George Gillie bluffed at being bad and tough among his playmates—until his boss was "killed," then he became a young hoodlum.

He was pushed, by his own brag-

attempted prison break, but was caught.

In 1932 he was brought back to be tried for the Itasca robbery. The jury sentenced him to from one to 20 years. While being returned to prison he escaped from his jail guards.

Again Nelson dropped out of police sight. He was heard from again almost two years later, when he joined the Dillinger gang after the leader had escaped from Lake county jail at Crown Point, Ind.

He became a machine gunner in the Dillinger ranks and won the reputation of having an "itchy" trigger finger. Police say he participated in every bank robbery committed by the Dillinger gang after he joined.

"Baby Face" became a trusted lieutenant of Dillinger—they were made of the same stuff, cold, hard, daring and fearless. Many of Dillinger's Chicago "contacts" with the underworld were made through Nelson.

He followed Dillinger and other members of the gang to a Wisconsin resort hideout near Mercer, last July. Their "women" went with them. Federal department of justice agents were not far behind.

Under cover of "darkness" the agents surrounded the Little Bohemia roadhouse which the gang had taken over. In some mysterious manner the Dillinger gang was warned of the trap.

Nelson with Dillinger and the rest slipped out at back door and fled on foot. They left their women behind. The federal officers were waiting for the arrival of Melvin H. Purvis, chief of the Chicago department of justice office before striking.

On a road near the resort Nelson came upon a group of men sitting in an automobile. Throwing his revolver into it, he said: "I don't know whether you are federal men or not, in case you are, take this." He emptied his revolver. W. Carter Brown, a department of justice agent, died before he could lift a machine gun that lay across his lap.

Nelson escaped with other members of the gang. By this time, however, the "heat was on" and the gangsters sought separate hideouts. Vague reports of the presence of Nelson at various places were received by police, but he managed to elude them.

Those who knew him best sometimes called him by the name he liked most—Little Napoleon. His small, round stature—five feet five inches tall—won that sobriquet for him.

Other people have other names for him. Attorney General Homer S. Cummings calls him "rat."

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