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**THE WEATHER**  
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WEST TEXAS—Fair, warmer  
except in extreme west portion  
Saturday fair warmer.

A canary given as a Christmas gift to a man in Nebraska turned out to be a yellow-painted sparrow after he heard the bird sing, "cheap, cheap."

## ROOSEVELT OUTLINES NEW POLICIES

### LINE OF MERGER PLAN WORKED OUT

A tentative set-up for the City Development, Inc. has been approved unanimously by a joint committee of the merchants association and the organization for the retention of the identities of the organizations, and at the same time make a more unified and logical organization under both branches can work effectively, the committee reports.

The plans call for 15 directors appointed by the city commission from names submitted by representatives of the two organizations. This board will be headed by a president who will be the president of both organizations, with a vice president and six directors charged with the operation of the two organizations. The board will have three members in charge of the affairs of the retail merchants bureau to be active retail managers, who will be responsible to the combined board of directors, will have active management of the organization, with a secretary in charge of the retail merchants bureau work. The manager is executive officer of the entire board and is accountable to the board as a whole. The office secretary is available to the board as a whole for the manager, but for purposes will be accountable to the six directors and president in charge of the retail merchants bureau, the office secretary will be employed by the directors and vice president in charge of the retail merchants bureau, and the majority of the two organizations consolidated into one organization known as "Board of City Development, Inc.," which will have two treasurers or bureaus, as outlined. Their assets, liabilities and membership dues will all be consolidated and handled as one. Both organizations are to make every effort to be merged prior to consolidating. A new organization will use the name now being used by the Chamber of Commerce, until their lease at which time the board will select quarters there on.

A private office will be built in regular office to house the files of the retail merchants, a telephone installed and editing and other bureau handled from this private organization, when completed, will be incorporated for the benefit of itself and board members.

### RED PETTY TO BE COACH AT MINERAL WELLS

MINERAL WELLS, Jan. 4.—S. J. (Red) Petty Jr., of Decatur, football coach at Eastland high school for the past two years, will transfer to Mineral Wells high school Jan. 21.

### Legislation May Protect New Deal Against Attacks

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Legislation to insure the new deal against constitutional attacks in the courts, lead an array of bills introduced in the senate today following delivery of President Roosevelt's message to congress.

## Ernest Oglesby Dies in Electric Chair

### Carbon Scouts and Residents Complete Recreation Park

Carbon Boy Scout Troop 27 have completed a park, J. V. Thompson, assistant scoutmaster, said Thursday.

The scouts obtained in July a 10-year lease on the L. P. Tillie ranch and have succeeded in obtaining a highway into the park. They built a lake about 50 feet wide and 500 feet long. They have arranged a large clearing for recreation maneuvering grounds, and with the clearing out of the underbrush have a park of several acres.

Training in the following scout crafts may now be obtained on the park grounds, the scoutmaster says: Chautauq, handicraft, archery, astronomy, athletics, camping, carpentry, cooking, conservation, first aid, life saving, personal health, signaling, swimming, and others.

The scoutmaster says the following contributed money to the project: Claiborne Eldridge, Dick Gray, Floyd Gilbert, F. M. Wood, E. R. Yarbrough, O. G. Langley, D. N. Taylor, H. Hall, O. Stone, T. H. Dingler, T. J. Stubblefield, W. W. Speer, Jack Speer, Zen Phillips, T. D. Hall, C. J. Williams, R. J. Borland, T. J. Morris, W. L. Barnett, Henry Wilson, W. J. Greer, Woodrow Speer, Buck Flowers, G. C. Atkins, Merritt Dunn, Dr. Jackson, Albert Pierce, Willard Trimble.

The following contributed teams for the project: Ed Allison, Ed McCall, Howard Gilbert, Hillard Gilbert, Hubbard Gilbert, Clifford Gilbert, W. R. Usery, Claude Stubblefield, Lynn Trimble, Jim Holloway, C. W. James, Tom L. Garrett, Albert Pierce.

The following worked on the park: Preston McCall, T. G. Jackson Jr., Jimmie Townsend, Minor Townsend, J. N. Jordan, L. L. Murray, S. L. Grayhead, Gerald Allison, Elzo Butler, Barto Watson, W. M. Hays, and the majority of the scouts.

The executive board of Troop 29, Carbon, contributed considerable aid, Thompson said. The board is composed of E. R. Usery, A. A. Pierce, Ed Allison, Willard Trimble, F. M. Wood.

### WAS GIVEN A SENTENCE IN TEXAS PRISON

### Man Who Died in Oklahoma Electric Chair Was Tried in Eastland Court

Special Correspondent  
McALESTER, Ok., Jan. 4.—Ernest Oglesby, whose criminal exploits were recorded in Texas as well as Oklahoma, died in the electric chair at state's prison here early today for the murder of Douglas Gates, Oklahoma City policeman on Dec. 3, 1933.

Oglesby went to his death alone when two other doomed men who also were to have died this morning received stays from the United States supreme court.

Last minute legal efforts to save Oglesby's life were fruitless, however, and pleas to Governor Murray by his mother, who came to the capital from her home in Baird, Texas, were in vain.

So far as anyone could recall the double intervention by justices of the United States supreme court to save the other two doomed men was the first action of its kind on record for Oklahoma.

Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes of the United States supreme court late yesterday afternoon stayed the execution of Bill Prescott, sentenced to die for the killing of Joe C. Bell, McAlester salesman, April 21, 1933, until Feb. 4, 1935.

Associate Justice Willis Vandevanter of the United States supreme court issued a stay for Jesse Hollins, negro, convicted of attacking a white girl in Creek county Dec. 21, 1931.

The Oklahoma supreme court refused to stop the execution of Oglesby when it denied application for a writ of habeas corpus.

### SIX FOUND GUILTY IN THE NASH SHOOTING

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### Consolidate for Economy

(An Editorial)  
The proposed consolidation of the Retail Merchants and the Chamber of Commerce which has been given quite a bit of thought by Ranger business men is to be discussed Monday night at a meeting to be held by the directors of the two organizations.

Numerous reasons have been given why the consolidation should be perfected and the matter was put off during the holiday rush.

Among some of the most logical reasons brought out some time back was the fact that duplication of efforts would to a great extent be eliminated—we mean by this that the merchants themselves who make up both organizations would not have to meet on different occasions to take up and thrash out business that would necessarily need attention but could meet in the one organization set up and look after the same business. That expenses can be cut in the way of rents and other items. That a membership drive could be staged and a number of new names added to the new organization because a number of business men feel that they could not afford to belong to two organizations but would gladly take an active part in the new organization.

Some have thought that the RMA under the new set up might lose its national connections—that will not happen, because the set up is to carry on as individual units—the RMA and the Chamber of Commerce—each having a board of directors and vice president.

The proposed consolidation is to have a manager and secretary. The manager to be responsible to the fifteen directors and the secretary to be responsible to the manager.

There would be six directors of each group and a vice president, making fourteen in all and the president of the entire body completing the fifteen in all.

The Times believes the consolidation will go thru and should go thru. The Times believes there is much work for both organizations and with the New Year just starting. Let's all get behind the movement and put it over 100 per cent.

### Railroad Commission Choses To Let "The Official Record" On Oil and Gas Waste Be Its Guide

AUSTIN, Jan. 4.—Lieut. Gov. elect Walter Woodall today telegraphed the managing editor of Colliers Weekly that an article in today's issue, "constitutes willful malicious libel on the Senate of Texas."

The article, quoted Owen White, in the article, author an unidentified East Texas oil operator as saying he "lipped up 16 state senators at \$500 each, to kill House Bill No. 99."

According to the House Bill No. 99 would have created a special criminal district court in East Texas had it not been defeated.

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An article in today's issue of Collier's Weekly, written by Owen P. White, who states that he discussed practically all the conditions set forth in the article with Secretary of the Interior Ickes, charged that Texas' oil program is one of "waste, political expediency and law evasion."

"We take evidence from the bureau of mines on the question of market demand," Commissioner Thompson said. "Today we are daily producing 7,000 barrels less than the figure that recommended for January, 1935."

"Our aggressiveness in running down hot oil violations is evidenced by more than 1,000 cases we have worked up and filed. These cases are being vigorously prosecuted. "The turmoil of oils not caused

### NEW CLIMAX REACHED IN KIDNAP CASE

FLEMINGTON, N. J., Jan. 4.—The trial of Bruno Hauptmann for the murder of Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr., reached another dramatic climax today when the baby's father branded the stolid prisoner as the man who swindled him out of \$50,000 under promise to return the child alive.

Ten minutes after Colonel Lindbergh had made his positive declaration, a new sensation was provided by the defense forces, who launched an attack on his testimony with the inference that members of Lindbergh's own household might have committed the crime.

Colonel Lindbergh's identification of Hauptmann, coming near the close of his recital of the complete story of the crime, provided the climax for which the crowd had been waiting.

Identification of the Bronx carpenter with a German accent as the man who called to Dr. John Condon from over a cemetery fence, "Hey, Doctor, over here," and who then took the ransom money from the doctor's hands, was by voice only, but Lindbergh was positive.

"The voice was the voice of Hauptmann," he said.

The face and posture of Bruno Hauptmann were studied in stolidity. When Lindbergh charged him with being the Bronx extortionist, he watched the colonel's face, but did not move a muscle. He sat staring hypnotically through his deep-sunken blue eyes, motionless. His arms were folded over his chest.

### Safety Meeting and Banquet Held at Ranger Thursday

A banquet and safety meeting of the Gulf Pipe Line division was held in the Central Baptist church of Ranger Thursday night, at which more than a hundred were present, including employees of the company and their wives.

The meal was prepared by the wives of the employees and was served in the dining room of the church, and was pronounced as a wonderful meal.

Nath Deaton, foreman of the local Gulf Pipe Line company, was toastmaster. Songs were presented by Ernest Rippitoe with Miss Locke at the piano as the musical feature of the program.

Dr. A. K. Wier of Ranger spoke on the subject of safety in the home, while Rev. H. H. Stephens and Dr. W. C. Palmer of Ranger spoke on subjects in keeping with the meeting, as did C. C. Chambers of Roscoe.

### Mrs. Henry Makes Bond in Skeleton Case on Thursday

Mrs. Raymond Henry, one of three persons charged with murder in connection with the death of H. L. McBee, Rising Star highway worker, was released from Baird jail late Thursday afternoon after making bond. The bond figure was \$1,500.

The bond setting was lowered Thursday morning with that of her husband in 88th district court at habeas corpus proceedings.

J. Frank Sparks, counsel for the couple, said late Thursday that more than likely Raymond Henry would not make bond until possibly today.

M. E. Tyler, Rising Star laborer, also charged in the case, who is in Eastland city jail, has not made effort to effect release, as no counsel has been appointed for himself. Bond set Saturday at Rising Star at the preliminary hearing still remains at \$4,000 for Tyler.

H. L. McBee, identified as the skeleton found at Rising Star by two rabbit hunters Dec. 22, was buried at Flatwood Sunday.

### Justices of Appeal Court Go to Waco To Preside in Cases

The three justices of the 11th court of civil appeals at Eastland will hold court in Waco Monday on eight cases transferred to this district.

The case transfer is in line with the supreme court of Texas transferring cases from appeals court to others in order to clear the dockets.

Justices who will be in Waco at the 10th district court of civil appeals are Chief Justice J. E. Hickman and Associate Justices W. P. Leslie and O. C. Funderburk.

The cases to be heard before the 11th court of appeals justices are: Maude Giles vs. Texas Employers' Insurance association, Freestone. Chairene Shell Pinkston vs. Lucian Pinkston, et al., Navarro. U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty company vs. J. K. Pressnell, et al., Brazos. Casualty Reciprocal Exchange vs. Wade H. Dawson, McLennan. J. E. Chamber & Co. vs. Jesse Oakes, et al., McLennan. St. Louis Southwest Ry. Co. of Texas vs. Hill Brothers, Coryell. Hosen Rogers et al. vs. W. T. Allen, et al., Ellis. B. Frankfurt vs. M. Z. Grayson, Freestone.

VISITORS  
E. T. Brooks of Abilene was a visitor in the 11th Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland Friday. L. H. Fiewellen of Ranger also transacted business in the court.

### WILL PROVIDE ALL WITH JOBS AND SECURITY

### New Deal's Second Phase Offers New Policy For Living For Americans.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—President Roosevelt charted today before a joint session of congress, the outlines of a new American economic order, to make individuals and families in this country secure.

He revealed the New Deal's second phase. Major factors of the program which he asked congress to enact:

1.—Provide every able-bodied individual with a job.  
2.—Abandon the dole system of relief.  
3.—Transfer relief of unemployed to local authorities.  
4.—Old age and unemployment insurance, plus a start toward benefits for children, mothers and others handicapped by dependency or illness.

5.—Unification of all emergency public works in a new and greatly enlarged plan.  
6.—Orderly displacement of the federal emergency relief administration by the new emergency works agency.

He assured congress his program would "be within the sound credit of the government."

Mr. Roosevelt spoke in the hall of the House of Representatives. Senators and representatives jammed the floor, visitors galleries overflowed.

Mr. Roosevelt said the outline of the new economic order had become apparent. He laid down a new policy of living for the American people.

In past years, he said, reform had become confused and frustrated because it was attempted in piece-meal fashion.

"As a result," he continued, "evils overlap. We lose sight from time to time of our ultimate human objectives."

"In spite of our efforts and in spite of our talk, we have not weeded out the over-privileged and we have not effectively lifted up the under-privileged."

But the President said the New Deal had a clear mandate from the American people that excessive profits and undue private and public affairs as well, must be fore-worn. He said he did not seek to "divide our wealth into equal shares on stated occasions."

"But we do not assert," Mr. Roosevelt continued, "that the ambition of the individual to obtain for him and his property security a reasonable leisure, a decent living throughout life, is an ambition to be preferred to the opposite for great wealth and great power."

Mr. Roosevelt committed himself to the "profit motive" but defined it as the right for the individual to work and earn a decent living for himself and his family.

### Resident Engineer's Office Transferred

Wesley Hall, for the past year resident highway engineer at Eastland, has been transferred to the Brownwood office of the highway department and will there in the future.

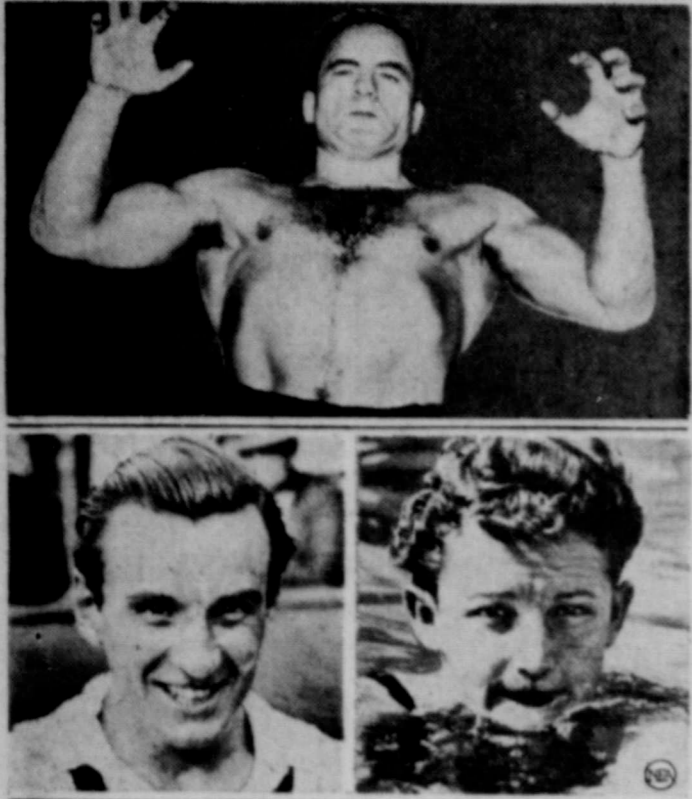
Hall began work this week on the highway from Rising Star west, a section of road for which contract was recently awarded by the highway department. He will have charge of all highway work in Eastland county as in the past.

The office was discontinued at Eastland, according to District Engineer Leo Ehlinger, because Brownwood is near the construction project than Eastland, and more accessible for engineers and those in charge of the work.

**THE Ranger Times**  
Has Great Tickets For MR. AND MRS. B. STEWART at A. & P. to see Marvce Chevalier in "MERRY WIDOW" SATURDAY at the Arcadia THEATRE Call at Times Office and Get Your Ticket

# Sport Champs of 1934---Who Will Survive 1935

## TWO KINGS AND A QUEEN



The sculpture-like physique above is that of Jimmy London, the Gorgeous Greek, who still reigns as heavyweight wrestling champion after a series of title defenses in 1934. Below at left, is Fred Perry, Englishman, world's leading tennis player, who won the Wimbledon singles and the U. S. national singles during the year. Right is Katherine Rawls of Miami, Fla., who won first place in all ten events of the woman's swim decathlon at the Jones Beach, L. I., water defny last summer.

## The Larruper



The mighty bat of Larruperin Lou Gehrig, New York Yankee first baseman, boomed to two baseball records in 1934. Gehrig's average of 361 led both major leagues, besting that of Paul Waner, of the Pirates, by one point, and Lou poled 49 home runs to lead both circuits. He also collected the greatest number of bases on his hits—465 from a total of 219 wallops.

## RULERS OF THE FAIRWAY



The outstanding amateur golfer of 1934 was W. Lawson Little, right, who won the British and American amateur tournaments. Little was the first to turn this feat since Bobby Jones recorded the double in 1930. Left, above, is Virginia Van Wie, Chicago golfer, who won the women's national crown for the third time. Below is Olin Dutra, who copped the National Open at Ardmore, Pa., and who climaxed his 1934 performance by winning in the "bomber" division of the Miami-Biltmore.

## Two Biffers



Flutiana crowned a new heavyweight champion in June when Max Baer, above, dropped Primo Carnera for a technical knockout in the eleventh round of their bout in Madison Square Garden. Barney Ross, below, scored two victories over Tony Canzoneri, to take the lightweight title. Ross also won the welter crown from Jimmy McLarin, only to lose it to a return go.

# Joseph's DOLLAR DAY And Clearance SALE

60x74 Double Cotton Blankets; grey with colored border. Regular \$1.39 val. <b>\$1</b> Dollar Days, pair	Children's Slip-on or Lace Boots. Sizes 5 1/2 to 8 and 8 1/2 to 11 1/2. Regular \$2.49 value. <b>\$1.98</b> Clearance	Men's and Boys' Sweaters; pull-over and coat styles; some are all-wool; values to \$1.95. Clearance, <b>\$1</b> each	Men's Golf Sox, all-wool; regular \$1.95 value. <b>\$1.29</b> Clearance
36-inch Fast Color Prints; regular 15c value. <b>\$1</b> 10 yards	6 all-wool Polo Shirts; sizes 15 to 15 1/2. <b>\$1</b> value. Each	One lot Men's Golf Knickers in wool plaids; regular \$2.95 value. <b>\$1.59</b> value. Each	7 Boys' Blanket-lined Jumpers; regular \$1.98 value. Clearance <b>\$1.29</b> value.
36-inch Outing, light and dark patterns. Regular 13c value. <b>\$1</b> 8 yards	Ladies' Fall and Winter Shoes, in crushed kid or suede combinations. Queen quality, Enna Jettick, Friedman-Shelby, and other brands. All grouped at Clearance prices of <b>\$3.98</b> \$1.98, \$2.98 and	One lot Men's Caps, assorted fabrics; values to <b>\$1</b> \$1.49. Each	8 Boys' odd Coats, 7 to 18. Regular \$4.95 value. Clearance <b>\$1</b> value.
24x48-inch Turkish Towels, assorted color borders. Regular 39c value. <b>\$1</b> 4 for	One lot Men's Dress Shirts in Elder brand; pre-shrunk and fast color. Regular \$1.48 value. Dollar Days, <b>\$1</b> each	Boys' Tom Sawyer Shirts and Blouses; fancy or plain broadcloth. Regular value to 98c. Clearance price, <b>\$1</b> 2 for	6 Boys' odd Coats; all-wool blue serge; age 12 to 18. Clearance <b>\$1.49</b> value.
39-inch Unbleached Muslin, nice, soft finish. Regular 12 1/2c value. <b>\$1</b> 10 yards	15 Men's Polo Shirts; tan, blue and green; sizes 14 1/2 to 16. Regular 98c value. <b>\$1</b> 2 for	Men's extra heavy Suede Cloth Jacket; water-proofed; regular \$2.79 value. <b>\$1.98</b> Clearance	One lot of Boys' Long Pants, part-wool; value to <b>\$1.29</b> \$1.95. Clearance
36-inch ABC Silk, assorted solid colors. Regular 49c value. Dollar Days, <b>\$1</b> 4 yards	Men's Mousing-wear Knit Union Suits; long, shorts and regular. Regular \$2.00 value. <b>\$1.49</b> Clearance, suit	Men's Curlee Overcoats; regular \$25.00 value. <b>\$19.95</b> Clearance	One lot of Boys' Knickers; regular to \$1.98 value. <b>\$1</b> 2 for
One big lot Daniel Green Boudoir Slippers, in quilted or plain satin, turn and padded soles. Colors are orchid and pink. Regular \$3.95 value. Clearance, <b>\$1.29</b> pair	One lot Wash Frocks in Marcy Lee and other brands; prints and solids; long or short sleeves. \$1.95 value. Clearance, each <b>\$1</b> at \$1.98.	Other Coats in brown and oxford grey; values to <b>\$9.95</b> \$12.95. Clearance	Men's Tweed Hats, assorted; values to \$1.95. <b>79c</b> Clearance, each
Ladies' Felt and Winter Hats in two lots, values to \$5.95 at \$1.98. <b>\$1</b> To \$3.95 values at	72x84 part-wool Double Blankets; extra heavy, 4 1/2 pounds. Reg. \$4.48 value. Clearance <b>\$3.29</b> value.	Men's Khaki Coats; sizes 34 to 40; \$2.50 value. <b>\$1</b> Clearance, each	9 Men's Khaki Coats; sizes 34 to 40; \$2.50 value. <b>\$1</b> Clearance, each
72x84 part-wool Double Blankets. Regular <b>\$2.39</b> \$2.98 value	70x80 all-wool Single Blanket. Clearance <b>\$4.59</b> price	Two tables of odds and ends! Undershirts, Bloomers, Children's Dresses, Unionalls, Ladies' and Children's Sweaters, Men's Shirts, and Boys' Knickers. Values to 98c. Clearance <b>29c</b> value.	One rack Ladies Wool Skirts, Wool and Silk Dresses, and Bath Robes; values to \$2.95. Clearance, <b>\$1</b> each
One lot Boys' Wash Suits, in wool or broadcloth. Values to \$1.98. Clearance, each <b>\$1</b> value.	80x86 all-wool Kenwood Blanket. Regular <b>\$6.98</b> \$8.95 value	One lot Ladies Wash Blouses; values to \$2.50. Clearance, each <b>\$1</b> value.	One lot of Silk Gowns and Teds; regular \$2.95 value. Clearance <b>\$1</b> price.
One lot Ladies' Combinations and Girdles, to clear out at half price. Regular \$1.98 to \$5.00. Clearance, <b>\$2.50</b> 98c to	One lot Boys' Wash Suits, in wool or broadcloth. Values to \$1.98. Clearance, each <b>\$1</b> value.	One lot Baby's Silk Caps; values to \$1.95. Clearance, each <b>49c</b> value.	Infants' Dresses and Gertudes; values to \$1.50. Clearance, 2 for <b>\$1</b> value.
Men's 16-inch solid leather Lace Boots, made for hard service. Regular \$4.95 value. Clearance <b>\$3.98</b> price	Other Men's Boots at Clearance Prices	Men's winter-weight Union Suits; a good, full-cut, roomy garment; regular 98c value. Clearance price, <b>69c</b> pair	Ladies' all-wool Shoulder Warmers; just right for the cold mornings; regular \$1.29 value. Clearance <b>\$1</b> value.

## Steel Employment And Payrolls Rise

Employment and payrolls of the steel industry in November showed increases over the preceding month according to a report released today by the American Iron & Steel Institute. The industry employed 381,663 in November, the report showed, compared with 381,431 in October. November payrolls totalled \$32,937,099 as against \$32,723,909 in October and \$32,671,986 in November a year ago. Average number of hours worked per week by employees and average earnings per hour in November were correspondingly greater than in the month before, according to the Institute's report. Employees averaged 27.6 hours per week during November, contrasted with October's average week of 26.8 hours. Average earnings rose from 72.3 cents per hour in October to 72.9 cents in November. A year ago employees working an average of 29.6 hours per week earned an average of 65.9 cents per hour. Kentucky has appointed 2300 honorary colonels during 1934. You can't tell us—where there are that many kernels there must be some nuts.

## MOVING PICTURE AT THE CHURCH

Saturday at 7:30 p. m., Mr. Lerner of Eastland, will throw on the screen "The Barefoot Boy," a most delightful and helpful movie for young people and church people. Scenes from Carlsbad Cavern which the pastor visited last summer, will also be shown. A humorous skit will delight the youngsters also. No charge for admission. An offering will be taken to meet expenses of transportation. Come, on this Saturday night, and bring the children. You are welcome. First Presbyterian church.

## THE WARIN FAMILY

OMAHA, Neb.—Whatever the county attorney of Ringgold county, Iowa, says to the county attorney of Taylor county, Iowa, it will be in the Warin family. Robert F. Warin, of Bedford, Taylor county, and his brother, Emmett R. Warin, Mount Ayr, Ringgold county, practicing law in normally dry, republican counties, decided simultaneously to run for county attorneys as wet democrats. Both were successful.

## BIKE SALES JUMP

CONNEAUT, O.—Revival of bicycle buying is so strong here that residents are recalling that the city had 1,400 licensed "bikes" in 1901 and wondering if the mark may not be reached again.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

**JUPITER**  
THE LARGEST OF THE PLANETS, HAS A SATELLITE MOON WHICH IS ALMOST AS LARGE AS THE PLANET MARS! IT IS BELIEVED BY SOME THAT THIS MOON MAY BE INHABITED!

**PORCUPINE FISH**  
CAN GNAW THEIR WAY OUT OF A SHARK'S STOMACH!

**BIRDS**  
HAVE A WIDE RANGE OF CALL NOTES! THEY ARE ABLE TO EXPRESS FEAR, PAIN, ALARM, ANXIETY, COMPLAINT, RAGE, LOVE, AND DISTRESS.

**HAWAII BILLBOARDLESS**  
By United Press  
HONOLULU, T. H.—Among its other attractions, Hawaii now offers its visitors pure and unadulterated scenery. In all Hawaii there is not a single billboard. Beer signs erected in Hilo with advertisement of the pupils on "avoid accidents." Mrs. J. Collins was struck by an automobile. She will recover.

**Happy Birthday MisSimplicity**  
FOURTH ANNIVERSARY

**Annual Gossard MisSimplicity Sale**  
A Sale That Comes Only Once Every 365 Days!

**A Special Purchase! Every garment is brand new... and priced for substantial savings!**

**\$8.50 MisSimplicity during this event—**

**\$5.95**

Created of NEW lace and figured batiste—and LIVE elastic—ABSOLUTELY NOT a clearance of old stock. These semi-annual Gossard specials bring you a REAL opportunity to save! The cross-straps pull the diaphragm and abdomen flat.

MODEL 8131

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**\$5.00 MisSimplicity Specially priced**

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205 1/2 Main Street Phone

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**Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)**

By Cowen



**FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS** By Hines



**SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**

**PICTURES OF SILVER**

By BEULAH K. HICKS

**PETER'S CONVERSION AND CALL**  
 1:35-42, Mark 1:14-18  
 Spring of 27 A. D., John preaching at Bethany and out on the lower Jordan to disciples, Andrew and looking upon Jesus as he said, Behold the Lamb of God, who has already identified his preaching as the Lamb of God, and his disciples followed him to their question Jesus went to come with him and spent the day with him. He has been a wonderful day for these men.

was bringing Peter to face the Christ.  
 One look at the divine compassion shining from the eyes of Christ was enough for the impetuous Peter. He believed Christ was the Messiah.  
 Christ with his divine comprehension saw Peter in his strength and in his weakness and said, "Thou art Simon the son of Jonah; thou shalt be called Cephas, which is by interpretation, a stone."  
 Christ saw Peter not only as a fisherman but as a man who could and would grow in faith and knowledge. Some day he would be called a stone and his faith be of such faith upon which Christ could build his church. Such faith was not accomplished in a day but by a slow and painful process of growth as he stumbled along often doubting and denying but always coming back to the divine experience of grace in his heart when he met Jesus face to face.  
 A year later, John was in prison when "Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of God," telling people to repent and warning them that the time of the gospel was at hand.  
 The Sea of Galilee is a beautiful lake or body of water, 13 miles long and seven and a half miles wide. It is 682 feet below the level of the Mediterranean sea and its blue waters are fresh, clear and many fish are found in its depths.  
 When Jesus was passing along by the Sea of Galilee, "He saw Simon and Andrew, the brother of Simon, casting a net in the sea; for they were fishers."  
 Simon and Andrew had been converted the year before but were still following their trade with new eagerness and happiness because of the hope in their hearts.  
 Jesus saw and understood their faith and character.  
 "And Jesus said unto them, Come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men. And they straightway left their nets, and followed him."  
 No greater words could be spoken of man or woman than that "they straightway left their nets and followed him." How much greater would the preached word be if all pastors laid all else aside and followed Him. How much happier would godly pastors be if all Christians would lay aside the things of the world and lift higher the cross. This only is the way of peace, happiness and strength to become great characters for Christ.  
 Golden Text: "And Jesus said unto them, Come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men" (Mark 1:17).  
 A New York doctor has invented an instrument that detects the sound of people's nerves. That wouldn't be needed in the case of you to become fishers of men. And many people whose nerve we know.

**OAK GROVE**

Special Correspondent  
 The farmers are getting hitched up for the new year 1935. The changes among our tenant farmers will not be as numerous as they have been in the past several years. Among the few that will move we lose C. P. Hastings and family to Carbon, where they have a nice home, and Mr. Milford, who lives east of Carbon, will come to the farm of R. A. McMillan, just vacated by C. P. Hastings.  
 Mr. Sutton, who lives on the M. L. Hastings farm, goes to Mr. Been at Long Branch, and B. B. Hastings and wife and baby, Louise, of Pleasant Hill, will occupy in his stead.  
 Tom Bryant will move from the J. E. Parker farm to somewhere east of Carbon and C. E. Jordan will farm Mrs. Parker's place.  
 Tom Greer goes from the Finley place to the old Jeff Hines place, west of Carbon.  
 M. B. Martin has leased his farm to D. O. Martin of Okra, and gone to Georgia for an indefinite visit.  
 Mrs. Julia E. Parker spent the holidays with friends in Carbon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryant enjoyed a holiday visit from all their children. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Eubanks of Hasse in Comanche county, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Walker of Wilbarger county, and Troy Bryant, who works in Rising Star.

**SALEM**

SALEM—There was a large crowd out at the Christmas tree program.  
 Next Sunday is Bro Smith's regular appointment here. Everyone is invited to come.  
 Grandmother Askew is ill with pneumonia and is in a serious condition at this time.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Redwine spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ila Redwine.  
 Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Highsmith have moved in the Moore home.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Troy Melton have moved to Gateville. Many friends will miss them.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Blue have moved in Mrs. William place.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bowles of Alameda visited her sister Saturday, Mrs. Ila Redwine.  
 T. L. Johnson is staying with Ila Redwine.  
 Mrs. Ila Redwine has had the flu.  
 Mont Manchester of Desdemona spent Tuesday night with Lawrence Hughes.  
 Hubert Rainey visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rainey, Wednesday.  
 Mrs. Jess Hughes visited Mr. Ila Redwine.  
 Edith and Bartene Cameron spent Sunday with Dencie Rainey. Roy Dunlap spent Sunday with Mr. Cameron.  
 Delva Fox spent Sunday with Ila and Bonnie Fay Highsmith.  
 Mrs. Roy Dunlap spent Sunday with Mrs. Ila Redwine.

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PELLSBURY'S Pancake FLOUR	2 Lbs. 17c	PELLSBURY'S 100% WHEAT BRAN	Pkg. 15c
PEAS Gloucester—3 No. 2 cans		25c	
Glen Valley Sifted—2 No. 2 cans		27c	
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RED SOUR PITTED CHERRIES	2 No. 2 Cans 25c	B & C Baking Powder	2-pound can 15c
APPLE SAUCE	21-oz. Jar 15c	SOAP O.K.	5 Big Bars 19c
SUPREME PEANUT BUTTER	Pint Jar 15c	PRUNES	Size 90-100 3 lbs. 19c
Libby's Country Gentleman Fancy Quality CORN	2 No. 2 Cans 29c		
VAN CAMP TOMATO COCKTAIL	23-oz. Can 10c		
GRAPE JELLY	Pint Jar 20c		
Macaroni, Spaghetti	2 pkgs. 9c		
KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES	Large Pkg. 10c		
STANDARD PACK TOMATOES	3 No. 3 cans or 4 No. 1 cans	25c	
GRANDMA'S CALIFORNIA POTATOES	U. S. No. 1 WHITE 10 lbs.	17c	
FRUIT CAKE They Are Full of Fruits and Nuts	ORANGES	doz. 27c	
Per Pound lb. 25c	APPLES, Delicious	doz. 29c	
	BANANAS	lb. 5c	
	CABBAGE	lb. 3c	
	QUALITY MEATS		
SLICED BACON		lb. 30c	
Baby Beef ROASTS, choice cuts		lb. 15c	
Sugar-Cured BACON, in the piece		lb. 27c	
PORK ROAST, lean Boston Butts		lb. 20c	
Pure Pork SAUSAGE		lb. 19c	
BUTTER, Country or Creamery		lb. 35c	
CHEESE	lb. 23c	Dressed HENS	lb. 14c

**PIGGLY WIGGLY**

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**Texas  
Lame Ducks**

Study now being made for Governor-elect James V. Allred of the expiration dates of all state terms of office may lead to a lame duck statute making the dates uniform. County offices have been standardized, terms running to the beginning of a calendar year.

The same study should likely lead to a lot of other confusion over dates affecting the state. The state's fiscal year ends Aug. 31, as compared with the federal year ending June 30. No revenue bills, except by remote chance, ever become effective at the beginning of either a calendar or a state fiscal year. Always there remains at least half a year of budget appropriations from a previous legislature before the current body can revise the scope or rates of state expenditure, except by special enactment on individual items.

Legislative sessions start on the second Tuesdays of odd years, and the governor is inaugurated the third Tuesday of such year.

Some past governors have urged the fiscal year be made to conform to the calendar year. In comparison with the "lame duck" congressional act, a new system of inaugurating all state officers, and starting the legislature on Jan. 1 of alternate years, and opening up a new leaf in the state's business and accounts, would give the state government even greater convenience than attained in the national policy.

Texas schools suffered the financial pinch as keenly as any other public service. That, despite the shifting of certain state taxes temporarily to their benefit. But the shifting of these taxes ran the state's general fund deficit up about \$3,000,000 or its present nine-million total. Except for this emergency aid, the general fund would be in considerably better position than it was two years ago.

Substantial delinquent tax payments during 1934 contributed to the result of holding the deficit down.

Sponsors of every chief new tax bill propose to wipe out all the state deficit within a two-year or some similar period. But the deficit is recurrent from year to year. The treasury has never operated more than four years without a deficit, even though technically it has been kept on cash-basis regulations for longer periods, so far as ability of warrant holders to cash their warrants was concerned.

**'Flood Control  
In Texas**

Texans, working for the advancement of the Colorado and Brazos river developments, as very little brothers of

**'Gloomy Dean'**

Answer to Previous Puzzle  
HORIZONTAL  
1. English theologian educated at Cambridge.  
2. Thin strip of dough.  
12. To low as a cow.  
14. To care for medically.  
15. Preposition.  
17. Court.  
19. Ana.  
20. Measure of area.  
21. Redhead.  
23. Edge of a roof.  
25. Snaky fish.  
26. Strange.  
31. Meadow.  
32. He was of St. Paul's, in London.  
34. Non-magical.  
35. Reduces from presiding grape.  
36. To swell.  
38. Coal box.  
39. Matter.  
THEA  
RASCH  
...  
VERTICAL  
3. Within.  
3. Quantity.  
4. Noblemen.  
5. To preconceive.  
4. Evergreen buckthorn.  
7. Boundary.  
8. Offspring.  
9. Negative.



**"OUT OUR WAY" . . . . . By Williams**



**ALLEY OOP**



the Tennessee Valley program, have come to think of the T. V. A. as the biggest thing of its kind in existence.

Yet this week they saw a report of the Mississippi valley committee of the public works administration, outlining projects of flood control, navigation, power development, irrigation, community building, soil protection and afforestation, and social balance program for the peoples of the vast territory that far outranks in scope of activity and in the volume of money concerned, the entire TVA undertaking.

A dozen major rivers, including the Red River which touch Texas are within the Mississippi basin. A completely-organized outline of projects has been worked out, in one of the most imposing units of the government's program of making over the country in the service of mankind.

The greatest need of any city is for its citizens to get together, think together and work together to make a better, busier city.

Too many motorists seem to think that if they have the right of way they can proceed regardless. That is a great mistake.

**STOCK MARKETS**

By United Press  
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Am P & L ..... 3 1/2  
Am & P Pwr ..... 4 1/2  
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Am Smelt ..... 39  
Am T & T ..... 104 1/2  
A T & S F Ry ..... 54 1/2  
Armour Ill ..... 5 1/2  
Anaconda ..... 11 1/2  
Barnsdall ..... 6 1/2  
Auburn Auto ..... 25 1/2  
Avn Corp Del ..... 5 1/2  
Beth Steel ..... 32  
Byers A M ..... 19 1/2  
Canada Dry ..... 15 1/2  
Case J I ..... 58 1/2  
Chrysler ..... 41 1/2  
Coms & S San ..... 1 1/2  
Cons Oil ..... 8 1/2  
Curtiss Wright ..... 3  
Elec Au L ..... 28  
Foster Wheel ..... 16 1/2  
Fox Film ..... 13 1/2  
Freeport Tex ..... 25  
Gen Elec ..... 22 1/2  
Gen Foods ..... 33 1/2  
Gen Mot ..... 33 1/2

United Corp ..... 2 1/2  
U S Gypsum ..... 11 1/2  
U S Ind Ale ..... 44 1/2  
U S Steel ..... 38 1/2  
Vanadium ..... 20 1/2  
Western Union ..... 33 1/2  
Westing Elec ..... 36 1/2  
Worthington ..... 21  
Curb Stocks  
Cities Service ..... 1 1/2  
E. & C Bond & Sh ..... 7  
Ford M Ltd ..... 9  
Gulf Oil Pa ..... 60  
Humble Oil ..... 47 1/2  
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Range of the market, New York cotton—  
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Mar. .... 1271 1266 1269 1269  
May ..... 1277 1273 1276 1276  
July ..... 1282 1277 1281 1279  
Oct. .... 1266 1260 1266 1263  
Chicago Grains  
Range of the market, Chicago grain—  
High Low Close Prev.  
Wheat—High Low Close Prev.  
May ..... 100 1/4 99 99 1/2 99 1/2

Did you ever notice . . . in a roomful of people . . . the difference between one cigarette and another . . . and wonder why Chesterfields have such a pleasing aroma



Many things have to do with the aroma of a cigarette . . . the kind of tobaccos they are made of . . . the way the tobaccos are blended . . . the quality of the cigarette paper.

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### PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

**Affirmed**—J. M. Cate vs. Orfic Gasoline Production Co., et al.; Eastland vs. West Texas Construction Co.; vs. C. E. Yager, et ux, Taylor.

**Reversed and Remanded**—Southland Greyhound Lines, Inc., vs. Mrs. Cora Ashby, Shackelford.

**Motions Submitted**—S. M. Shelton et al. vs. City of Abilene et al., motion to advance; W. J. Lewis et al. vs. Belle Lewis, ind. exe., appellants' second motion for rehearing and for supplemental findings of fact; Lloyds America et al. vs. Miriam Dozier, appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts; H. R. Lacy vs. John Bartlett, appellee's motion for rehearing; Rural Murry et ux. vs. Citizens State Bank of Ranger, Texas, appellants' motion for rehearing; R. L. McMullan et al. vs. San Antonio Joint Stock and Land Bank, plaintiff in error's motion for rehearing; Texas Employers' Insurance Assn. vs. Buford Whiteside, appellee's second motion for rehearing; C. W. Thomason vs. R. E. Merrill et al., exes., motion for extension of time to file transcript and statement of facts; Western Union Telegraph Co. vs. H. B. Sweeney, motion to present oral argument *see* rehearing; J. M. Toys et al. vs. M. Bonneville, joint motion to dismiss; Western Union Telegraph Co. vs. H. B. Sweeney, motion to postpone submission of motion for rehearing, and for permission to file amended motion for rehearing.

**Motions Granted**—R. Burnett, guardian, vs. Carrie E. Tipton, motion for extension of time to file statement of facts and supplemental transcript; J. R. Burnett, guardian, vs. Carrie E. Tipton, appellee's motion to dismiss; C. J. Pace, administrator, vs. Otis Miller, county judge, appellee's motion to dismiss; S. M. Shelton et al. vs. City of Abilene et al., motion to advance; G. W. Thompson vs. R. E. Merrill et al., exes., motion for extension of time to file transcript and statement of facts; J. M. Toys et al. vs. M. Bonneville, joint motion to dismiss; Western Union Telegraph Co. vs. H. B. Sweeney, motion to postpone submission of motion for rehearing, and for permission to file amended motion for rehearing.

**Motions Overruled**—Eastland Building & Loan Assn. vs. W. G. Williamson, appellee's motion for rehearing; Western Union Telegraph Co. vs. H. B. Sweeney, motion to present oral argument on motion for rehearing.

**Motions Dismissed**—Lloyds America, et al. vs. Miriam Dozier, appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

**Motions Stricken**—Texas Employers' Insurance Assn. vs. Buford Whiteside, appellee's second motion for rehearing.

**Cases Dismissed**—J. M. Toys et al. vs. M. Bonneville, Brazos; J. R. Burnett, guardian, vs. Carrie E. Tipton, Eastland; C. J. Pace, administrator, vs. Otis Miller, county judge, Jones.

**Cases Submitted**—A. P. Berger vs. Mineral Wells Clay Products Co., Palo Pinto; Courtney Berry Bowyer vs. Jenny V. Bowyer, Taylor; Mutual Life & Loan Association of America vs. Mollie Wylie, et viras Maude Giles vs. Texas Employers Ins. Assn., Freestone; Catherine Shell Pinkston vs. Lucian Pinkston et al., Navarro; U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co. vs. J. K. Presnall et al., Brazos; Casualty Reciprocal Exchange vs. Wade H. Dawson, McLennan; J. E. Chamber & Co. vs. Jesse Oakes et al., McLennan; St. Louis S. W. Ry. Co. of Texas vs. Hill Brothers, Coryell; Hosea Rogers et al. vs. W. T. Allen et al., Ellis; B. Frankfurt vs. M. Z. Grayson, Freestone.

**Cases to be Submitted Friday, Jan. 8**—C. G. Faust et al. vs. Opal Mae Franks et al., Comanche; Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. vs. A. R. Peagay, Erath; W. M. Hunter et al. vs. National Aid Life Assn., Jones; Lee C. Moore Co. vs. Jarrett Mfg. Co., Eastland; S. M. Shelton et al. vs. City of Abilene et al., Taylor.

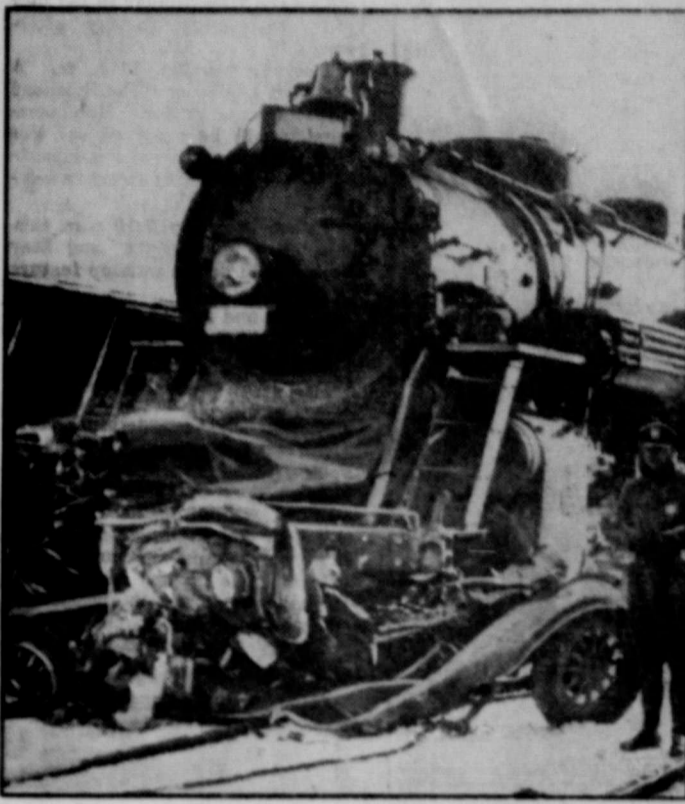
**Funeral Services For J. Snivley Are Conducted Friday**

Funeral services for J. Snivley, 76, who died at his home, Pine street, Wednesday night at 12 o'clock, were conducted from the First Methodist church of Ranger Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. J. M. Bond, pastor of the church, conducted the services. Interment was in the Strawn cemetery following the services in Ranger.

The decedent is survived by his wife and three daughters, all of whom were present at the services, and a brother-in-law at Hobbs, N. M., who came to Ranger by plane in order to be present at the services.

**Try a WANT-AD!**

### Skidding Auto, Crossing—7 Dead



A train behind schedule, traveling at high speed, and an auto that skidded supplied the elements for the tragedy grimly pictured here, the shattered fragments of the car still entangled with the engine pilot and its seven occupants dead. The crash occurred in Harvey, Ill., when a limette on the Grand Trunk railway, operated by the Canadian National, struck the auto, carrying Illinois relief employes to work, at a grade crossing.

### Bulldogs to Start Cage Schedule at Graham Hi Tonight

The Ranger High school basketball team will play its first game of the season tonight, when the quintet goes to Graham to meet the Graham High school team.

Teams in the Oil Belt basketball district are Ranger, Eastland, Breckenridge, Mineral Wells, Graham and Elginville. Other games scheduled for tonight are Breckenridge at Eastland, and Mineral Wells at Elginville.

The schedule has been worked out whereby Ranger's games will all be played out of town during

the first half of the season because there is no gymnasium in the city large enough for a basketball court, while all the other towns in the district have good courts. It was hoped, when the schedule was made out, that progress on the city auditorium and gymnasium would be advanced far enough by Jan. 25 for games to be played in Ranger. That is the date for the first home game of the Bulldogs, and if the gymnasium is not completed by that time the team will have to make other arrangements.

The schedule calls for two games on every other week, with one game on alternate weeks. When two games are played in one week they will be played on Tuesday and Friday nights.

### ARCADIA TODAY



Gloria Swanson and John Boles are seen in two of the leading roles in the melodious new Fox Film spectacle, "Music in the Air," a noteworthy film version of the Jerome Kern-Oscar Hammerstein operetta which ran for a year on Broadway.

### Jesse Jones Called the Next Phesid

HOUSTON, Jan. 4.—Jesse Jones, chairman of the R.F.C., today was advanced as a possible candidate for the office of president of the United States in the next election.

McCraw made the statement before the Houston Rotary club, a group of business men to aid in the selection of a convention site for the 17th district against selfish interests.

To prove he believes in the rights, Harry Hopkins has drawn nearly 4,000,000 from federal relief rolls.

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**MANY DESERT PLANTS** CAN GROW ON A YEARLY RAINFALL OF LESS THAN TWO INCHES.

**TONIGHT,** each star will rise in the east almost four minutes earlier than it did last night. At the same hour, it will be one degree farther west. Thus, as the season passes, all the stars pass in review across the evening sky.

# ANS MADE BR LEGIONS STRICT MEET

Committee Chairman Lawrence of Abilene paid the Rotary Rotary visit Thursday evening to aid of the American Legion in Texas as time plans were launched should be 17th district convention to fish interest in Ranger, Feb. 23-24.

Legionnaire Daniel of Ranger as the convention city in the district plans has drawn one of the largest crowds assembled in the 17th district.

Plans call for opening at the Gholson hotel at 7:30 p. m., followed by a Washington birthday of the Legion hall at night, memorial services at the church at 11 o'clock, Sunday, and a barbecue at the hall at noon, followed by a session at 2 p. m.

Committee composed of W. C. Dr. H. A. Logsdon and Davis was appointed to the general committee by commander, and additional committees will be appointed to the different phases of the program.

Members of the local post are optimistic over the prospects of the largest conventions in the attendance in the history of the 17th district, which comprises 12 counties.

### Year-Old Woman Baptized at Cisco

Jan. 4.—After seeing a century of life, Mrs. Rodriguez was baptized at Baptist church here. She is 95 years old.

She is the oldest ever to be here, Mrs. Rodriguez was the oldest to join the church. A year-old man joined in the ceremony.

is the oldest woman I've seen, much less baptized," S. Jones, pastor, said.

## Looking Back on Significant Events of 1934

**AUGUST**  
New Orleans armed camp as Walmesley and Huey Long president Hindenburg of Germany dies; Hitler takes over Roosevelt lands at Portland, from Hawaii, starts east on inspection tour.

General Johnson settles Chicago lockyards strike—Tommy wins Canadian open golf.

Frances Marsalis, noted aviatrix in Dayton, O., race.

Soviet gets drought surmounting putting loss at five billion.

Johnson exempts small town from NRA rule—W. S. G. O. P. Philadelphia boss, Hindenburg laid at rest on New battle field.

Soviet orders nationalization of silver at 50.01 cents an ounce.

Aluminum union calls Mellon plants.

Admiral Byrd found by rescue, weak after long vigil—Thomas, dean of playboys.

Large rock slide shears rim of John Falls.

John Labatt, Canadian kidnaper for \$150,000.

Bebe sets diving mark, of Bathysphere—Euler Black retires as Federal head—Lord Jim wins Union Stake, premier harvest event—U. S. marine Louisiana legislature ends session, with 27 bills jammed by Long cohorts, Orleans "graft," says Capone sent to Alcatraz prison—Hitler wins 10-1 man referendum—House Henry T. Rainey dies—Jacobs beats Sarah Palfrey tennis title.

Machine gun gang robs truck of \$427,000 in Roosevelt increases garbage workers' wages, cuts work—American Liberty formed to "scan" New descriptions.

## 'All de World Am Sad and Dreary, Eb-rywhere I Roam'



ican writer, expelled from Germany—Lott and Stoeffen retain U. S. tennis doubles title.

26—Max Schmeling knocks out Walter Neusel before 100,000 in Hamburg.

28—Upton Sinclair nominated by Democrats for California governor—Prince George of England engaged to Princess Marina of Greece.

30—Charles B. Dillingham, theatrical producer, dies—Lewis S. Douglas resigns as budget director.

31—Martial law proclaimed in New Orleans—Douglas Davis wins Bendix Derby to American air

# Lovable

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**  
ANN HOLLISTER breaks her engagement to TONY MITCHELL the same day that PETER and VALENTIA tell VALENTIA BENNETT, his fiancee, that everything is over between them. Ann thinks she still loves Tony and Peter believes he still cares for Valeria, but when chance brings the two together and Peter asks Ann to marry him she agrees.

They go to Florida and are happy there. Then Peter is recalled home. His family snubs Ann and Valeria tries to make trouble between Ann and Peter. She succeeds finally and Ann goes away, leaving no trace of her whereabouts.

Peter, desperately in love with her, grows lonelier as the weeks pass. His efforts to locate Ann are fruitless.

He has found work as governor in the home of MISS TRACY, an aristocrat. VALENTIA, Mrs. Tracy's brother, is attentive to Ann.

Valeria, scheming to win Peter back, persuades him to hire Allan Vincent to decorate the home he bought for Ann. Allan takes Ann to see the house. He is about to reveal the true names when one of the children screams.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
CHAPTER XXXVIII

ALLAN did not complete the sentence. A shrill scream from Sissy brought Allan and Ann both rushing to the garden. There were two small ones, safe and sound. Sissy stood sturdily, her little round legs apparently glued to the spot, her arms waving wildly. "Make 'em take 'em away, Ann."

Sonny, grinning delightedly, was holding an arm out rigidly. "She's scared of a worm, Praddy!" Sonny said.

"It's a snake!" Sissy, clinging tightly to Ann, peered with fascinated eyes at the long green object dangling from her twin's hand.

"No, it's not a snake," said Allan, "although it wouldn't surprise me if snakes do come about here some time, particularly near the river edge."

Ann shivered slightly. "You don't like snakes either, do you?" Sissy said, looking up at her.

Ann said "No," in a low tone. She was thinking of Valeria. Desolation swept over her at the thought. Fear gripped her heart. "I suppose she's with Peter," she thought. "I suppose she is with him all the time now."

Valeria was with Peter that afternoon. And during other afternoons as the weeks passed.

She knew people were speculating, awaiting the announcement that Peter planned to get a divorce and marry her. She had not mentioned to him the subject that was nearest her heart. Valeria was bidding her time.

Ann's name did not come to Peter's lips as frequently as in the past. He sometimes when Valeria referred to Ann casually she saw a grim look settle on his face and the muscles contract about his mouth.

He had taken Valeria out to the house a number of times and she had applauded the decorator's suggestions. Inwardly she raised her voice because she was being shut out of the picture. Not one of her suggestions had been accepted.

Of course, Valeria told herself, after she and Peter were married she could always change whatever she wished in the house.

They passed Mitchell and Mrs. Kendall on the drive home. Peter and Valeria are seeing each other a great deal. Mrs. Kendall said with satisfaction. "I'm glad the face is getting an end. But you don't like Valeria, do you?"

"I like her so little that I could drag Ann back by her hair if I knew where to find her," Millicent retorted. "But, though I dislike Valeria, I don't underestimate her cleverness. I suppose it won't be long before she lands Peter—hook, line and sinker."

THE next day Valeria commended Peter's services for welfare work.

"I hope I didn't interfere with anything really important," she said, slipping her arm through his as they came down the steps. "But my car was in the shop and I felt I must get these things to my needy families. Could you really spare the time, or are you doing this to please me?"

"To please you?" He smiled, knowing that was the answer she wanted.

"You're sweet," Valeria laid a caressing hand on his arm. She moved closer to him.

"I'm giving you the whole day off tomorrow," she continued. "There's a meeting of my committee in the afternoon and a conference about the clinic tomorrow night. I shall miss seeing you terribly."

"I'll miss seeing you too," Peter said. It came to him as a shock to find that he meant it. Valeria was getting to be a habit with him. The soothing, flattering way of hers had been balm for his wounds. The feeling that he was essential to some woman's happiness was not unpleasant.

"I've found out about you, Peter. And I cannot possibly bear it..." All he needed to feel sick—physically, mentally and spiritually—was to remember that phrase in Ann's letter.

And here was Valeria, becoming more womanly all the time; showing qualities he had missed in her before.

Thinking of this, Peter patted her hand, saying awkwardly, "You've been sweet to me, Valeria. I wish I could make up for it. Some way."

"Oh, Peter, you are!"

There was a silence after that. A breathless silence, as Valeria waited for his reply.

But Peter said nothing, only frowned intently into space.

It was worth waiting for—Peter's surrender. Valeria settled contentedly against the seat.

"Let's drive out to the house Wednesday night. I want to see it with the lights on. And I'd love to see the garden and river by moonlight."

Peter said, "The furniture isn't there yet. Wouldn't you rather wait?"

"No. We can go again."

"What'll I do with the place—now?"

"Please don't be sorry. I've been happy thinking it was helping you."

"I'm an ungrateful idiot. What time shall I come by for you?"

"About eight."

"Afterward we might drive to Lucile and talk to Mr. Vincent. He'd be pleased."

"I'll give him a ring and ask him to meet us at the house," Peter said.

ALLAN said to Ann. "I need you this afternoon. Will you go shopping with me?" His dark eyes met hers eagerly.

"I'll be too busy."

"You haven't an alibi. I'm treating the children to a kid's matinee and Sadie has been handsome and tipped to give up her afternoon off and take them."

"But—"

"Ann, there are times when I'm not sure of your sanity. An attractive girl like you turning into a recluse."

"Allan, I—"

"I warn you if you don't come with me, I'm prepared to be an infernal nuisance. Sadie and the children will be away. Lots will be gone. Just you and I."

He had been drinking, Ann saw. Not much, but enough to be the nuisance he boasted he would. In this mood, he reminded her of Tony.

"All right," Ann agreed. "If you really need help I'll come."

"I find I'm no good at decorating without you," he said whimsically. "We'll spend the afternoon looking at tapestries and rugs, at silks and satins, at Chippendale and Sheraton pieces, at Directorate day beds and Empire chairs. We'll talk color schemes. Does the program suit?"

"Perfectly."

He laughed. "What a queer girl you are—more interested in making another woman's home beautiful than in planning one of your own!"

"My own!" She spoke impulsively, then flushed.

He spoke roughly. "I suppose I'm bound not to follow that opening. Let's get going."

It was not a happy afternoon—Ann trailing beside Allan, listening to his expert comments.

ALLAN VINCENT was in love with her. Or was he? It seemed. It was a different type of love than Tony had offered her. Tony's love had lacked stability, but it was not all emotion. Ann had the feeling that there was something impersonal about Allan Vincent's feeling for her. It lacked devotion, yet it was not a light emotion either. His hand had shaken as he lifted a cigarette. His eyes had smoldered.

He was starved for affection. Lonely, isolated. That must be it. Oh, why had this happened to her? Now everything would be changed. All the friendliness would be gone. She would feel self-conscious, constrained. Perhaps it would be better to go away.

"Ann, I've asked you twice what you think of this wrought iron flower stand."

"I think it's beautiful."

"And these Wedgewood urns for the garden."

"Lovely."

He gave her a scornful glance. "What a help you are. Let's go home."

Shadows were closing about the bungalow when they drove up. A light flashed on in Mrs. Tracy's bedroom. Allan shot a look at Ann, as he shut off the ignition. "Glad Lois is in, aren't you?"

He said, when she did not reply. "Why shouldn't I make love to you? Because you are the governess to my sister's children?"

"No."

"Then why?" His eyes pleaded with her.

"It would spoil everything," Ann said in a low voice. "I'd have to go away."

"You would do that, Ann?"

"Yes."

"I'll be good," he promised. "I couldn't bear the place now with you gone."

(To Be Continued)

raes—Rainbow picked as defender of America's Cup.

### PAGE WANTED!

By United Press  
LINDALE, Ga.—Grocer C. W. Bramlett today laid claim to ownership of the world's most considerable hen. He said the hen comes in the store and lays her eggs in a box under the counter. She does not disturb the customers by cackling, however, but goes outside to celebrate the event.

### DUCK BREAKS WINDSHIELD

By United Press  
CALDWELL, Idaho.—Alvin Baker was taught by a mallard duck how to keep ice off his windshield. The duck flew against the plate glass, shattered it, and then rode, uninjured, to town with Baker, who had no trouble seeing through the space where the windshield once had been.

### WATERLOO MET WATERLOO

By United Press  
GREENFIELD, O.—Waterloo, O., high school's basketball team met its "Waterloo" here when its record for consecutive basket ball victories was halted at 58. Greenfield's McClain High defeated the Waterloo quintet, state Class "B" champions.

Your tax bills are one kind that you can always be sure are absolutely on the up and up.

## Pontiac Announces New Line of Sixes

A new low-priced six now joins an improved straight eight to form the 19-model line of cars presented by the Pontiac Motor company for 1935. Closely approaching the lowest price field for the first time Pontiac's two new cars should reap an increase of the total of the industry's business. The new six will be available both in standard and deluxe models.

The wheelbase of the six is 112 inches as compared with 117 inches for the eight. In appearance, it duplicates closely the modern streamlining of the eight.

Both Pontiac chassis have ample power for the modern mode of high speed travel. The six-cylinder engine develops 81 horsepower at 65 miles an hour, while the straight eight delivers 84 horsepower at 70 miles an hour.

A comparison of the straight eight with that of last year, reveals many improvements and refinements that also are included in the new six.

Briefly, they are: A marked change in appearance; new Fisher solid-steel "turret-top" bodies; built-in luggage space; concealed spare tires; "V" type windshield; greater width in both front and rear seats; divided a holding back front seats in two-door sedans; new instrument panel; package

shelf in all models; new lamps; hydraulic brakes with double and triple sealed drums; new action clutch; automatic choke in the eight; air cool generator with voltage regulator; interchangeable main and connecting rod bearings; silver alloy connecting rod bearings; steel spoked wheels; increased steering gear ratio; knee-action units (except on standard six) mounted on rigid tubular cross member, and new radiator and hood grilles.

### MAKES MOST FLOUR

By United Press  
TOPEKA, Kan.—Approximately 15 per cent of the nation's output of flour for the 1934 crop year was produced in Kansas, which made Kansas the ranking flour producing state, the state planning board reported.

### AGATE BEDS FOUND

By United Press  
NEWPORT, Ore.—Recent high tides uncovered the best agate beds that have appeared here in several years at this season.

A boy ran away from his home in New York to become a rabbi, rather than get caught under the NRA code.

That panhandler makes the best living whose story is the most touching.

### PARROT VALET

By United Press  
NORFOLK, Va.—Because the United States has prohibited the landing of parrots at its ports, a customs guard was detailed "to stand guard over a 'polly' aboard the Norwegian boat, Sneland I, while it unloaded sugar here.

### CITY TO RESTORE PAY

By United Press  
CINCINNATI, O.—Partial restoration of pay cuts for all city employees and full pay for those receiving salaries in the lower ranges, are certain for 1935, Charles O. Rose, council finance chairman, has said.

Pay no attention to those youngsters you see necking in a parked car. Probably the car's just equipped with the automatic clutch.

### Clean System for Health

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# THURBER

Mrs. Frank Arrendale entertained in her home Monday afternoon with a Christmas party, sponsored by the ladies of the Baptist Missionary Society. The rooms were decorated with Christmas decorations and fall leaves. Each lady carried a gift then exchanged names. Each lady received a gift. Cake and coffee were served to those present: Misses W. W. Wiggins, H. L. Foster, Dixie Fenner, Roscoe Black, O. F. Sides, J. H. Matthews, A. L. Leedy, G. C. Hamilton, L. T. Hobbs, W. W. Mitchell, David Morgan, Lonna Leedy, Helen Patterson, Mabel Foster, Bill Havins, M. N. Singleton of Unity, T. E. Hale of Unity, Bill Watson, F. L. Arrahdale, Lillian Herring, Bud Sharp, Tom Hammit and Frank Arrendale.

Thursday night, Dec. 27, Raymond West, Jr., entertained with a party. The following were present: Eddie Bob Miller, W. C. Bridges, Forest Black, Keith Louise Blakney, Jean Hanyan, Carlise McCuen, Jimmie Patterson, Marguerite Peery of Ranger, and Robert Barr of Ranger.

The Strawn High School Freshmen were entertained with a Christmas tree and social in the home of Miss Maurine Hobbs on Friday evening. There were forty young people present.

The ladies of the Methodist church were entertained with a Christmas tree and party Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. M. Brown. The room decorations were fall leaves, holly and mistletoe. Gifts were exchanged and games played. Sandwiches, cookies, candy and coffee were served to Mrs. Will Oylar, Mrs. Dixie Fenner, Mrs. Franks, Mrs. Ben Robinson, Miss Lavada Fenner, Mrs. Annie Hall, Mrs. Bill Eyley, Mrs. Margie Masters, Mrs. O. E. Callaway, Mrs. Cicero Harris and the hostess.

Miss Lavada Fenner entertained the members of the Epworth League with a party at her home Saturday evening. The rooms were decorated in leaves, mistletoe and Christmas decorations. A delightful evening was spent in playing games and contests. There were about 25 young people present.

Miss Eunice Latimer, who is teaching at Proctor, is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Matthews were Ranger visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Henley had as guests during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bullard and daughter, Capitola, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bullard of Mineral Wells. Mrs. Henry Bullard is Mrs. Henley's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Hobbs and daughter Maurine, were shopping in Fort Worth one day last week. Visitors in the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Frank Arrendale several days last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Gus Leedy and daughter, Virginia, of Texon, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tullas and son, Carl, of Fort Worth, Ted Walters of Shreveport, La., Miss Faye Cantrell of Sap Oak, and Miss Lorene Hodges of Strawn and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lang of Ranger.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Barber and little son Bobby Gene, visited friends and relatives in Shamrock part of last week.

The following young people who are from home attending school, were home for the past week: Miss enville; Joe Campbell of A&M College Station; Joe Kostika of J. T. A. C., Stephenville; George Paulowsky, Ranger Junior College, and Harold Newth of A&M.

Rev. W. E. Anderson was a Coleman visitor Thursday and Robert Fenner, W. S. Bridges, Addison Whitworth and Regis Fleckenstein visited the skating rink at Strawn Saturday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bridges part of last week were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Vaden and family of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deaton of Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. Carter and family of Borger; Mrs. A. J. Vaden; Jasper Vaden, Miss Lotta Vaden, Miss Lucille Vaden; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Vaden and family and Mr. and Mrs. Terry of Gordon, also Mr. and Mrs. Bob Farmer and family of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Cecreave and family of X-Ray.

Donald Black of CCC camp at Brenham spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Black and family. Miss Isabelle Gentry who is in nurse training at Dallas spent part of last week with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bates Cox had as guests in their home a part of last week their daughters and sons-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gerhard of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Randle and son James Bates of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gerhard.

The school children resumed their studies Monday after a week's holiday. Everyone was glad to be back in school again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Self were Eastland visitors Tuesday.

Little Bobby Gene Barber and Dixie Fenner Jr., are on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Byrnes and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Byrnes entertained several days last week Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dabach of Wichita Falls, Mr. Ellis Frederick and Misses Sammy and Inez Downs of Bridgeport, and Weldon White of San Antonio.

The many friends of Miss Dorothy Martin of Strawn were sorry to hear that she was in an auto accident Tuesday night, breaking both legs and receiving cuts and

## WHO GETS FIRST IN AMERICA?



DE MOLAY is an organization of boys whose male relatives are Masons. Land started with nine young men. Boston and New York were the first cities to have street mail boxes. The national quarantine law required federal officials to help carry out state and municipal regulations.

She is being treated at the Strawn Hospital.

Mrs. Bud Sharp and children and Miss Estelle Hammit were Strawn visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Willett of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Hale. Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Will Oylar were, George Paulowsky of Ranger and Will Oylar of Iran.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wiggins spent the early part of last week in Morgan Mills.

Miss Lou Bates was a Gordon visitor last week.

Miss Margaret Smith of Hobertz Camp was a guest during the week-end of Miss Cordelia Campbell. Cecil Cross and J. E. Guest of Strawn attended the show here Thursday night.

Mrs. Jake Dupree and little son Burton Lynn visited part of last week in the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson.

Senator Vandenberg is fighting for the separation of politics from the postal service, if only to give the Republicans a chance for a few jobs.

# SOCIETY

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**Valuable Talks Made by Miss Bowles and Dr. Wier at Club Meeting**

Opening the new year's study program, one which has every promise of a very successful one, members of the 1920 club heard two valuable talks yesterday afternoon when the meeting was held in the Colonial room, Gholson hotel, and presented Miss Beulah Bowles whose subject was Mental Hygiene. Dr. D. T. Wier followed Miss Bowles' talk and chose for his subject, "The Value of Early Diagnosis in Problems and Preventive Diseases."

The leader, Mrs. Walter Jackson had charge of the program and next meeting day comes on January 17, carrying the topic, "National Government."

Mr. Lotief is flatorial representative from Eastland and Callahan counties, and was a pleasant caller at the Times offices while in the city.

Miss Lanetta Woody, who attends school at Weatherford college, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Glorance Woody, associate of the local Singer Sewing machine company.

Mrs. J. S. McDowell and daughter, Cecelia, visited in Fort Worth Wednesday.

Tom Maloy of Shreveport, La., was a business visitor here today. Fred Davenport of Eastland, who is a patient at the City-County hospital and who has been quite ill for the past week, was reported by attendants as improved today.

**February Meeting to Be Observed in Form of Tea at Home of Mrs. Lanier**

The Ranger City Council of Parents and Teachers Associations held an interesting business meeting Wednesday afternoon, at which they decided to put on a play some time in February to raise money for a life membership in the National and Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers Associations.

The February meeting will be a "Founders Day" Tea to be held at the home of Mrs. O. G. Lanier, in honor of Founders Day, which will be observed by Parent Teacher organizations throughout the entire country.

Following the business meeting, Mrs. C. E. Maddocks gave a report on the motion picture talk given at the state convention by Mrs. Robinson Gilman, National Chairman of Motion Pictures. Representatives were present at this meeting from each Parent Teacher Association and Child Study club in the city.

**Defense Scores the Conspiracy Angle of McMurray Trial**

FORT WORTH, Jan. 4.—Defense attorneys in the Stevens conspiracy trial in federal district court here today scored what they termed "hearsay" testimony against Tom McMurray Jr., former attorney of Stevens.

Defense Counsel W. P. McLean drew from U. S. Justice Agent Fred Dunn, on cross-examination the admission that when Lonnie Frederick, former employe of Stevens and one of the defendants, took hackaw blades to the McMurray office McMurray broke the blades and reprimanded Frederick.

McMurray is being tried with eight others on charges of attempting to aid O. D. Stevens' escape from jail here and in Dallas. Stevens now is serving a 27-year term in Alcatraz prison for mail robbery and has appealed a death sentence for the Handley triple slaying.

**Splendid Orchestra to Play For Policemen's January Ball**

Jack Amung and his orchestra of Mineral Wells, will play for the Policemen's Ball which is to be held on the evening of Tuesday, January 15, at the Elks clubrooms.

Plans are going forward to make the entertainment a pleasant one.

**French Minister on Visit to Italy**

ROME, Jan. 4.—Pierre Laval, French foreign minister, arrived tonight for a three-day visit to Premier Benito Mussolini, which may lead to establishment of European peace on a firmer basis than it has been since the World War.

Mussolini greeted Laval with a handshake. He did not use the Roman salute.

**Just a Bit Personal**

Hair Cherry of Amarillo is visiting in town over the week-end, the guest of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cherry, at home, Gholson hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil A. Lotief of Cross Plains were in Ranger yesterday.

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SUGAR CORN No. 2 can	11c	Bee Brand Bird Gravel 3 boxes	25c	GREEN BEANS No. 1 can	8c
HOMINY 2 1/2 can	10c	Alta Vista Butter 1 lb.	33c	DIAL SODA 3 boxes	10c
PEARS No. 2 can	17c	Spare Ribs	lb. 15c	SWEET PEAS No. 1 can	10c
JELL-O 2 for	15c	Shoulder Veal Steak	lb. 16c	ASPARAGUS picnic	14c
COCOA 2-lb. box	21c	Star Sliced Bacon	lb. 37c	EGG PLUMS No. 1 can	15c
COOKED BRAINS can	14c	Dexter BACON sliced	lb. 32c	FRESH PRUNES No. 1 can	12 1/2c
SYRUP 2 1/2 can	17c	Folger's Coffee 1-Lb CAN	35c	SYRUP 1/2 gallon	31c
		2-Lb.	68c	TOMATOES No. 1 can, 4 for	25c
		RED ROSE OLEO, lb.	15c	No. 2 can, 3 for	27c
		Chuck Roast Beef lb.	15c	Bacon Squares lb.	18c
		Fancy Veal Roast lb.	16c	Pot Roast Beef lb.	12c
				Fancy Veal Chops lb.	23c
				HOG BRAINS Pound	15c

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## Bible Class Will Be Given Banquet

A banquet for the Oil Belt Bible class of the Central Baptist church will be held tonight at the Gholson hotel, following a membership and attendance contest between two groups of the class, one captained by T. J. Anderson and the other by Joe Dennis.

The team under the leadership of Anderson lost and the banquet tonight is in honor of the winning team.

A good program has been worked out and a large attendance is anticipated, as more than 60 tickets had been sold by Thursday night and many more were expected to be sold by the time the banquet starts tonight.

The program for the banquet is as follows:

F. D. Hicks, Master Ceremonies. Songs led by Roy Moore. Quartet, led by Roy Moore. "What the Sunday School Means," Wallace Wagner. Rev. H. H. Stephens, "Keep On Keeping On."

Dr. A. K. Wier, T. J. Anderson, Clyde Davis, Joe Dennis, D. T. Wier and Lloyd Bruce are on the program with special numbers.

## Free Library Will Reopen on Monday

The public library which proved so popular during the summer months is to reopen Monday, Jan. 7. It will be open during school hours each school day and at night from 7 until 8 o'clock on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, in the library of the high school.

This library service is made possible by the state library by the loan of over 100 books free of charge.

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## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

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