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**THE WEATHER**  
West Texas — Fair, slightly warmer in north portion tonight. Wednesday fair, warmer except in southwest.

# Ranger Times

UNITED PRESS SERVICE BRINGS LATE NEWS OF THE WORLD TO TIMES READERS

The TVA will have to change its name since a federal judge has ruled its sale of power unconstitutional. For who has heard of an "authority" without power?

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## Captain Frank Hamer Put on Hamilton Trail

### REVOLT ENDS AND REBELS FLEE GREECE

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ATHENS, Greece, March 12.—The revolt of the unsuccessful rebels through which he hoped to overthrow the government, led a group to the Italian Dodecanese islands. The defeated leader left his headquarters on the island of Crete and abandoned three destroyers in the harbor. The flight appeared to put a temporary end to his long career as a statesman and a distinguished figure in the councils of the nation. The rebellion had collapsed and with it his ambitions. The government took possession of Crete and three other islands the rebels had seized.

### Corporal Jones Injured In Wreck

Corporal Jones, former high school ball star, had been injured in automobile accident at Electra yesterday night. Reports said that he received a possible concussion of the brain and a skull injury. W. K. Hazard of Dallas, was driving the car which collided with the one driven by Jones, slightly injured.

### Little Water Is Caught In Lake

Reports from the city water department today indicated that but a little water had been impounded at Hagaman during the past days of rains. It will take quite a bit of rain to impound much water in the lake. E. A. Jameson, secretary, said today, and much there has been considerable but comparatively little has made its way into the lake. Each each run of the last three days, however, some water has caught in the lake and the level is now several feet above the low level of late summer.

### Work Together For Designation Of Special Day

Cooperation with other Eastland city towns with Fort Worth. Show officials as to designation of a special day for Eastland and Cisco at the convention is the aim of Eastland Chamber of Commerce publicity committee who meet tomorrow. The meet was called today by M. Collier, chairman, for 9:30 Wednesday in the chamber's committee room. Committee members are B. M. Colburn, C. J. Rhodes, Sam Taylor and Karl Tanner.

### To Elect Delegates To Fire Convention

Election of delegates to the state fireman's convention at El Paso in June is slated at the Eastland Volunteer Fireman's meeting this evening at 7:30 in the city hall. **TAKES NEW JOB** Miss Dorothy Watson, deputy clerk under former district clerk W. H. McDonald and W. B. Collier and present clerk P. L. Crossley, for eight years has assumed position as office secretary to attorneys Sayles and Sparks in Eastland. **SCHOOL BOARD TO MEET** The Ranger school board will hold its regular meeting tonight in the office of the secretary, E. A. Ringold, it was announced today.

**THE Ranger Times** Has Guest Tickets For MR. AND MRS. "DAD" REVIS to see CARL BRISSON in "ALL THE KING'S HORSES" Wednesday at the Arcadia Theatre. Call at Times Office and Get Your Ticket

### Eastland Selected As Host City of Next RMA Meeting

Selection of Eastland as host city to the next meeting of the West Texas district meeting of the Retail Merchants Association was announced Tuesday by H. C. Davis, vice president of the association and secretary of the Eastland organization, who attended a meeting of the body Monday in Sweetwater. Other bidders for the meeting were San Angelo and Mineral Wells. Eastland obtained an overwhelming vote for the meeting city, Davis reported. The Eastland secretary delivered an address on "Ideas and the Value of Bulletin Service," at the meeting. Likely meeting date of the association will be in October or November, he said. J. W. Wallace, district manager for the south central district of National Consumer Reporting corporation, was in attendance at the meeting. The association geographically embraces a territory from Fort Worth east to El Paso west, and from Stamford on the north, to San Angelo on the south. Mrs. H. C. Davis and Miss Rachel Pentecost, Eastland RMA office secretary, accompanied the Eastland secretary on the trip. Miss Eva George of Ranger, of that city's association, and Miss Idalia Robertson of Breckenridge attended.

### Land Near River To Be Beautified, Is Project Plan

Project of beautifying and improving the Eastland high school football field calls for the same procedure on land by and across the adjacent Leon river, C. A. Herzig, school business manager, added Tuesday. The project which has been submitted to the Texas relief commission calls for sodding of the athletic field and cleaning up of the river lands that are adjacent. Underbrush clearing and hedge and shrubbery planting would allow for cars to be parked and use of the land as a park, it was said. Earl Conner Sr. recently leased the land east of the bridge to the schools with the understanding it would be beautified and used as parking space. The project has been approved by the district relief engineer.

### Insull Is Winner In Embezzlement Trial Early Today

CHICAGO, March 12.—Samuel Insull, loser in one of the most expensive financial battles of the early depression days, faced the future with squared shoulders today as victor in a two-year court battle against the threat of jail bars. In criminal court a jury acquitted the 75-year-old financier today of charges that he embezzled \$66,000 from the Midwest Utilities company while chairman of the board of directors. State and federal attorneys intimidated before the trial they would drop further charges if he was acquitted. "The city health officer, the city commission, the school board, the fire department, and other organizations and individuals have pledged their support to such a campaign, and with everyone cooperating in the work, we hope to make this the most extensive civic program of this nature ever attempted in Ranger. "Another letter will be mailed to you within the next few days, notifying you of the time of the meeting to perfect plans and appoint the various representatives. We earnestly solicit your support. "Very truly yours, "CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, "R. V. Galloway, Secretary."

### 3,745 Poll Tax Receipts Issued

Poll tax receipts issued for 1934 enabling Eastland county residents to vote this year total 3,745, the assessor-collector's office reported Tuesday. Of the number, 356 had been issued in December, 288 in November, 8 in October and 3,113 in January of this year. Tabulation of the receipts by precincts is now in progress.

### Mississippi And Tributaries Rise

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 12.—Mississippi tributary rivers in southern Missouri, eastern Arkansas, west Tennessee and Mississippi rose over flood stages today, driving hundreds from their homes and damaging crops and property.

### Hunt Schoolboy's Mutilation Slayer



A slayer, believed a madman, was sought throughout Michigan for the murder of Richard Streicher, Jr., 7, above, after the lad's body was found, frozen and mutilated, under a bridge in Ypsilanti, Mich. The body bore eight stab wounds, three to the heart, the wounds forming a crude cross or "Y." His father, a prominent manufacturer, said he had received no threats and knew of no enemies who might have slain the boy.

### RANGER'S BIGGEST CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN NOW BEING PLANNED

Plans for the biggest clean-up, fix-up campaign ever attempted in Ranger have been begun and an attempt is being made by the Chamber of Commerce to have every organization in Ranger taking an active part in the plans. Letters have been written, which will be mailed out to every organization and a large number of individuals and business houses in Ranger, urging their co-operation in the plan. The letters, which are now being prepared for mailing, read as follows: "Since the time of the reorganization of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, many requests have come to this body to sponsor a thorough clean-up, plant-up campaign this spring, and on account of these requests and the urgent need for such a campaign, we have decided to make this our first major project. To conduct such a campaign to a successful end, the various organizations and individuals of Ranger must be thoroughly organized and well-laid plans mapped out; and after plans are made, every individual, as well as the various civic clubs and organizations must co-operate to the fullest extent and be willing to devote some time to the work. "We know that you are vitally interested in such a campaign and your organization will be called on in the near future to appoint a representative to meet with the representatives of other organizations at the Chamber of Commerce office to lay plans for this campaign. We urge you to be prompt in appointing your representative, in order that we may get this important project started. Also, it is vitally necessary that you appoint someone who is willing to put in some time and effort on this worthy project. "The city health officer, the city commission, the school board, the fire department, and other organizations and individuals have pledged their support to such a campaign, and with everyone cooperating in the work, we hope to make this the most extensive civic program of this nature ever attempted in Ranger. "Another letter will be mailed to you within the next few days, notifying you of the time of the meeting to perfect plans and appoint the various representatives. We earnestly solicit your support. "Very truly yours, "CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, "R. V. Galloway, Secretary."

### W. C. Blackmond Given a License As Water Operator

W. C. Blackmond, Ranger water superintendent, has received a certificate of qualification from the classification and rating board for water supply operators of the Texas Section of the Southwest Waterworks association. The certificate shows that Blackmond has completed qualifications to be classified as a Grade C well and surface water supply operator. The license, which has been placed on display in the city hall, reads in part as follows: "This is to certify that William C. Blackmond, having submitted acceptable evidence of his qualifications and experience has been duly classified in Grade C well and surface and is granted this license as water supply operator, to expire March 1, 1940." The license is signed by John W. Brown, state health officer, L. C. Billings, president of the Texas Section, W. W. A. and W. T. Gooch, chairman of the qualification and rating board.

### Roosevelt Urges Holding Company Control Measure

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Smashing of the existing public utility holding company system was demanded by President Roosevelt today as "utterly essential to avoid governmental socialism." In one of the most forthright messages he has sent to congress to this session he reported the testing legislation for stringent regulation of holding companies and denounced the campaign of propaganda against it.

### Williams Injury Suit In Progress In District Court

Delivery of testimony in the civil suit of Cecil T. Williams of Olden vs. Safety Casualty Company was in progress this morning in 51st district court at Eastland. The case, one of appeal from the Industrial Accident Board, resulted in a mistrial in January in the same court. Williams, who alleges he was injured while in the employ of Magnolia Petroleum company at Breckenridge, Nov., 1933, took the witness stand. Dr. R. L. Ferguson of Eastland testified for the plaintiff. The current trial started Monday. Conner and Conner represent defendant company while R. N. Grisham represents the plaintiff. Jurors are John Lee Roper, W. M. Bailey, Will Gattis, P. J. Sneed, Ed Sanford, E. M. Snoddy, J. C. Allison, A. A. Craighead, W. T. Creeger, S. G. Beard, J. V. Harbin and Dick Wood.

### FILIBUSTER IS STARTED IN SENATE TODAY

WASHINGTON, March 12.—A furious undercurrent of political maneuvering swirled about controversial legislation in both houses of congress. Senator Huey Long conducted a filibuster by intimidation on the floor of the senate while he sought to rally strength in cloak rooms for a prevailing wage amendment to the \$4,850,000,000 work relief bill. In the house silverites and national lottery advocates schemed to tie their plan to the soldier bonus in order to bring them to the floor for consideration. A vote was expected on the house bill for extension of the home owners loan corporation, with power to issue an additional \$1,750,000,000 in bonds. The political undercurrents in the senate involved charges the work relief appropriation would be used in part to reward senators who voted with the administration on the bitterly fought prevailing wage amendment.

### Mary Lou Howell To Be Tried In Baird Wednesday

Case of Mary Lou Howell, under indictment for robbery with firearms, has been set for trial in 42nd district court at Baird Wednesday. A venire of 80 men has been ordered. Miss Howell, together with Clifford Doggett and Elmer Van Cleave, was indicted after L. F. Threeet, Callahan and Eastland county ranchman, was found robbed and wounded at his ranch northwest of Cisco, last August. Tried in 42nd court at Baird last November on an armed robbery charge, Doggett was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment in the penitentiary. A week later he was tried at Eastland for murder of Threeet and given a death sentence. Van Cleave was a state witness in his trials. Miss Howell will be represented by Frank Jenkins of Eastland. J. R. Black will be assisted by F. E. Mitchell, Callahan county attorney, in conducting the prosecution. Grady Owen, criminal district attorney of Eastland county, will also assist in the prosecution.

### Appropriation Bill Is Reported

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The first deficiency appropriation bill of the 74th congress carrying \$12,261,000 of which \$94,650,000 would go to the veterans' administration to care for liberalized compensation payments, was reported to the house today by the appropriations committee. The funds are to meet government expenditures up to June 1, not provided in regular appropriation bills already passed but included in budget estimates of the year's expenditures.

### Cotton Breaks For The Second Day

NEW YORK, March 12.—A new break in cotton in the late morning dealings today brought some selling into stocks. Around noon the share market was irregular, with prices ranging from gains of a point to losses of two points. Cotton trading continued active. Highly nervous movements characterized the market. Prices swung back and forth with 10-point changes between sales.

### 'Bucket Shop' Ring Believed Broken

SHREVEPORT, La., March 12.—Activities of "bucket shop" operators working in Louisiana and Texas involving more than \$300,000 were believed smashed today as 15 persons were under federal sentences. Federal agents said the group consisted of 21 persons, five of whom had not been apprehended.

### JOHNSON TO ANSWER PRIEST OVER RADIO

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Gen. Hugh Johnson today planned another radio speech to carry forward his campaign to exterminate the influence of "this pair of political termites." Father Charles Coughlin and Senator Huey Long. "Public political enemies No. 1 and 2," Johnson cried them. He awaits a popular call to lead a national drive against their political and economic theories. Johnson launched his program in reply to Father Coughlin's radio speech in which the priest assailed the General. Father Coughlin said the choice was his plan or collapse. The General said Father Coughlin's way lead to anarchy. He listened last night to the priest's radio attack and this afternoon issued a statement which said in part: "I should think that every thinking American should co-operate to exterminate the influence of this pair of political termites and there is but one way to do this—on the radio. I invite the expressions of others who share these views. These expressions will determine my own course of action."

### Johnson To Answer Priest Over Radio

DETROIT, March 12.—The Rev. Charles Coughlin fixed a caustic denunciation of the criticism of Gen. Hugh Johnson with a vigorous assertion of his faith in President Roosevelt and left his listeners to think it over. The usual veil of privacy settled down over the priest's offices, leaving the impression that Father Coughlin has spoken his piece as far as General Johnson is concerned. That Father Coughlin would continue his battle against "international bankers" and the monetary system, he condemned so vigorously was assured when he said, addressing himself to Johnson: "I am well aware of the fact that your own vociferous volubility which you characterized as 'howling' is but the opening gun of an attack against me." He divided the 45 minutes allotted him on a radio network between a denunciation of international bankers and a re-affirmation of his faith in the principles of the administration for social justice.

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### C. of C. Directors Discuss Plans For Movements

At the meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce held Monday night in the office of the secretary, the industrial committee and the oil and gas committee were consolidated, with J. E. Matthews as chairman. John Hassen was appointed as chairman of the membership committee, which has just been created. R. V. Galloway, secretary, reported that he had secured a man from the county agents office to write cotton reduction contracts, Ranger having been left off the original schedule for a committee. He stated that 89 farmers had signed the cotton contracts last year and that the Chamber of Commerce thought that this service should be given the Ranger farmers. The man to assist the farmers in filling out their contracts will be in Ranger on March 15, 16, 18, 19 and 23. E. R. Gentry, chairman of the retail trade development committee, was absent but sent in a written report. He suggested that the Chamber of Commerce hold an auction for anything that the farmers had to sell. The auction, according to the suggestion, would be held each Saturday afternoon. The matter was favorably discussed and in all probability will be inaugurated, along with other ideas that have been presented by the committee chairman. John Hassen, F. D. Hicks and J. E. Matthews were nominated for West Texas Chamber of Commerce directors, but the matter was tabled until the next meeting. Three names were selected by the directors to be submitted to the city commission from which one will be selected as a director of the organization to replace R. V. Galloway, who resigned to become secretary. The secretary outlined plans for a thorough clean-up, paint-up, fix-up campaign and asked the Chamber of Commerce to sponsor such a project. Every church, civic club, ladies club, the city commission, school board, fire and police departments and other organizations will be asked to take an active part, as well as every individual, to make this the biggest clean-up campaign ever attempted in Ranger. It is planned to have a meeting of representatives of the various organizations of the city at the Chamber of Commerce office in the near future and make detailed plans, at which time committees will be appointed and all details worked out. Those present at the meeting were C. E. May, John Hassen, F. D. Hicks, Clyde H. Davis, D. Joseph, J. E. Meroney, Calvin Brown, R. V. Galloway, J. E. Matthews, A. J. Ratliff and J. E. Meroney. J. E. Meroney presided at the meeting.

### DALLAS HIRES MANHUNTER TO GET FUGITIVE

DALLAS, March 12.—The southwest's ace manhunter today was on the trail of Raymond Hamilton and peace officers waited to see if Hamilton's luck would hold in a third brush with the law. Capt. Frank Hamer, veteran of the Texas ranger force, who resigned several years ago rather than "take orders from a woman governor," has been hired by Dallas county for the specific job of getting Hamilton, District Judge Nolan Williams revealed. Hamer, who trailed Clyde Barrow and Bonnie Parker until the desperadoes were slain last May, was assisted on the new job by Mennie Gault, another ex-ranger who participated in the killing of Clyde and Bonnie.

### 435 Auto Plates Issued To Date

Total of 435 automobile license plates for 1935 has been issued from the county tax assessor-collector's office Tuesday. "Business is picking up," C. J. Karkalis, deputy clerk stated, adding that 100 had been issued Monday. Likely number of plates to be issued for the next few days would be at a rate of 100-200 each day, he predicted. Number range of the 7,300 passenger car license plates that are being issued is 312-351 to 319-580.

### Doug Hightower Buried Tuesday

Funeral services for Doug Hightower, 45, who died in Corpus Christi, were conducted Tuesday afternoon from the First Christian Church of Eastland with Rev. W. A. Stevenson conducting the services. Interment was in the Eastland cemetery. The decedent is survived by two brothers, L. A. Hightower of Eastland and Jim Hightower of Lamesa and four sisters, Mrs. Bob Courtney of Fort Worth, Mrs. L. P. Cox of Creighton, Mrs. Sallie Low of Tennessee and Miss Johnnie Hightower of Eastland. Pall bearers were Luther Stafford, Henry Ferrell, Will Woods, Will Van Geem, Dolphus Copeland, Ed Sparr, Paul McFarland and R. L. Davenport.

### Last Rites Held For Mrs. J. L. Stewart

Funeral services for Mrs. J. L. Stewart, 83, who died in Pomona, Calif., were conducted from the First Methodist Church of Eastland Tuesday afternoon. Rev. E. R. Sanford, pastor of the church conducted the services. Interment was in the Eastland cemetery following the services at the church.

### CURTAIN SERVICE CROSS PLAINS—The M. K. & T. trains from DeLeon to Cross Plains will operate on an every other day schedule. It was announced from the railroad's headquarters. Trains are to arrive here Monday, Wednesday and Friday. A public hearing on the schedule change was held in Cisco last month by the Texas railroad commission.

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National Committeeman R. B. Creager is the leader and the boss of the republican party of Texas. He has transferred the headquarters of the party from Dallas to Brownsville. He will re-transfer the headquarters to Dallas for the campaign in the presidential year of 1936.

With independent republican senators and republican representatives in the lower house of congress lining up for administration policies and who are more radical than many of the so-called left wingers or wild men from the agricultural states of the Mid-West, the Missouri river states as well as the Rocky Mountain lands of Uncle Sam's domain.

Our politicians would learn much if they would listen to what is said about them and read what people think of them. They don't seem to learn much by experience.

In these days there is little room for sentimental slogans in order to gain foreign trade. The fact is that our export trade has never been a shadow, and we don't want it to become one.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



“OUT OUR WAY” ———— By Williams



SILKEN SPINDLES

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BEGIN HERE TODAY Gale Henderson, pretty and 23, works in a silk mill. She and her 19-year-old brother, Phil, support their invalid father.

Steve Meyers, who also works in the mill, asks Gale to marry him. She delays giving the answer. Meanwhile, she meets Brian Westmore, whose father, now dead, built the mill. Brian is much attracted to Gale but, through the trickery of Vicky Thatcher, society beauty, Gale concludes Brian's attentions are insincere.

Vicky, whose father, Robert Thatcher, is general manager of the mill, is scheming to win Brian for herself.

Phil loses his job. He is arrested, accused of shooting Ed Vogel, another mill employe, in a street fight.

Gale and Steve go to a meeting of mill workers. Company spies break up the meeting. Steve, trying to defend himself, is clubbed to unconsciousness. Gale, stirred by his bravery, promises to marry him, but he dies before the marriage can take place.

Now Go On With The Story CHAPTER XLVII

Men in the New York subway trains folded their newspapers, read the headlines and shook their heads. Women in San Francisco—read the same paragraphs and sighed. Middle-western farmers, resting after the day's work, looked up from their reading long enough to say, "It's an outrage, that's what it is. An outrage!"

And thousands of others, all over the country, repeated the words. The death of Steve Meyers, the young silk mill employe who had died from injuries said to have been received when he was trying to defend himself from lawless thugs who had broken into a peaceable meeting of mill workers, stirred nation-wide indignation.

The young man, newspaper accounts pointed out, was the only support of a widowed mother, a steady, dependable workman.

Moreover, there were charges that the ruffians who had clubbed Meyers so brutally had been paid by the mill management. Others who had attended the interrupted meeting, notably a certain Joseph Gillaspie gave graphic descriptions of what had happened.

Editorials expressing protests were published. Sermons were preached. Cartoons championing the rights of the workers were drawn.

And in Washington a rotund man in a gray suit faced another, seated at a desk. The rotund man said, "Well, Chief, I'm off tonight. I was going to send Churchill, but I think it's better to go myself. It's the same case we had the report on last week. Things seem to be even worse than they were presented. Flagrant violations, open defiance."

Gale Henderson, walking up the street slowly, watched the ball of flame that was the late afternoon

sun slip behind the tree tops. It was a gorgeous sun. In 20 minutes—perhaps less—the sky would be a riot of color. Sad that anything so beautiful as a sunset should last such a short time—or was it? Gale thought, "The good things and bad things are so mixed up—" It did seem true. For everything that caused happiness and made the world brighter must there always be something equally sad? Gale had good news (12). She should have been happy. Well—she was. Of course she was happy.

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Relief Officials Will Attend Meet

H. E. Driscoll, county administrator, and other relief officials at Eastland planned today to attend the Mid-West Administrative conference in Brownwood tomorrow. Certifying officers, administrators and case supervisors of 22 counties in relief district 10 will be in conference at the meeting. Speakers acquainted with current topics of relief work will speak.

MARKETS

By United Press

Closing selected New York stocks:

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Am Can, Am P & L, Am Rad & S S, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Avn Corp Del, Barnsdall, Beth Steel, Byers A M, Case J I, Chrysler, Comw & Sou, Cons Oil, Curtiss Wright, Elec Au L, Elec St Bat, Foster Wheel, Fox Film, Freepport Tex, Gen Elec, Gen Foods, Gen Mot, Goodyear, Gt Nor Ore, Gt West Sugar, Houston Oil, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Johns Manville, Kroger G & B, Liq Carb, Marshall Field, Montg Ward, Nat Dairy, Ohio Oil, Penney J C, Phelps Dodge, Phillips Pet, Pure Oil, Purity Bak, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, Southern Pac, Stan Oil N J, Texas Corp, Tex Gulf Sul, Tex Pac C & O, Und Elliott, Union Carb, United Air & T, United Corp, U S Gypsum, U S Ind Ale, U S Steel, Vanadium, Westing Elec, Westington, Cities Service, Ford H Ltd, Gulf Oil Pa, Humble Oil, Lone Star Gas, Niag Hud Pw.

Biblical Shepherdess

Answer to Previous Puzzle

A crossword puzzle grid with a small illustration of a woman's face on the right side. The grid contains numbers and some filled-in letters.

County Federation To Meet Saturday. The Eastland County Federation of Texas Federated Women's club will meet Saturday in Ranger at 2:30 p. m., in the Gholson hotel, it was announced Tuesday. Each town in the federation will be allotted 10 minutes on the program, which will be under the general chairmanship of Mrs. J. M. Perkins of Eastland, Sixth district president of T. F. W. C. Mrs. Louis Pitcock of Ranger, president, will preside.

Famous Inventor Dies In New York. NEW YORK, March 12.—Michael Pupin, 76, Hungarian peasant boy who came to United States seeking work and remained to revolutionize American electrical transmission, died today at the Presbyterian Medical center of an illness of several months. Internationally known as a center of wireless, telephone and X-ray fields, he had been several years.

Lucky Strike advertisement. Features a pack of Lucky Strike cigarettes, a woman holding a cigarette, and the text: 'I'll never let you down I'm your best friend I am your Lucky Strike'. At the bottom, it says 'LUCKY USE ONLY THE CENTER LEAVES CENTER LEAVES GIVE YOU THE MILDDEST SMOKE They Taste Better'.

**Silken Spindles—**  
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knowing Phil would be home the next day! The lawyer had told her to leave in an hour or so. The lawyer who was so young-looking and who had so little experience had done great things for Phil. He had worked hard—with impressive results.

For one thing, he had discovered that the gun the policeman had taken from Phil's pocket, the one Phil was accused of firing, had been bought less than six weeks before by Ed Vogel's friend, Stroude. He had also talked to a woman who had watched the street light from a nearby window. The woman said (and she was willing to give her testimony in court) that she had seen the gun in Stroude's hand just as someone struck him. The discharge, she was sure, was accidental and the revolver had not been aimed.

And so Phil was coming home. Ed Vogel, still in the hospital, was growing stronger every day. Vogel was able to see company now, but his friend, Stroude, had not said him a visit. From all reports, Stroude had been missing from his haunts ever since Phil's lawyer first began making inquiries.

Phil was coming home and the young lawyer responsible was the one whom Steve Meyers had found and persuaded to take the case. Steve had done it, really—and Steve was in his grave.

Pain clutched at Gale's heart, it always did when she thought of Steve. The wound was fresh, open. Even now there were times when she caught herself thinking, "I must tell Steve this," "I'd better ask Steve"—only to renew the stab of her loss.

Gale thought of what Josie had said about Steve that noon. Josie, in the cafeteria, had relayed exciting news. She had it, she explained, direct from her friend in the business office. Josie had sworn solemnly to keep the secret—well, of course Gale wouldn't tell.

Josie's eyes grew round as she made her revelations. "There's a man here," she said, "from Washington. From the government! He's going through all the files and making reports. Yes, of course Thatcher knows about it, but there isn't anything he can do about it. It's the government that sent the man here.

"And do you know what? I know it was because of Steve that this happened. I bet the men who are in the government in Washington read how Steve got killed and decided they'd better find out what was going on here. There's a man you know, against the thing Thatcher's been doin'. Oh, do I hope they get the goods on him! Put him behind bars—what's that they oughta do with 'em?"

"If they do—and if they give workers a square deal—it'll be Steve Meyers who's responsible. Show that's what I think. I know that'd make Steve some good, wouldn't it?"

Gale had heard others say Steve died a hero's death. Well, that was true. Steve had died fighting bravely, defending what he believed was the right.

But Steve was more than a hero. He was her friend—the best friend she had ever known. No one would ever take Steve's place.

Gale, deep in her thoughts, did not hear the friendly voice calling her name rang in the air a moment. Then she turned. Mrs. O'Connor was walking rapidly, not a dozen yards behind. Her round figure was buttoned to a coat so tight that the clothing gaped. The green feather bobbing at the rear of her black hair looked rather like the tail of a kite. But the face beneath the hair radiated kindness and Mrs. O'Connor's voice was one of very good will.

Gale waited as the older woman came up, puffing. "I've just heard some news," Mrs. O'Connor said. "Charlie Hoskins told me at the store—I mean about Phil's coming home tomorrow. My, but bet you're happy! Does your father know? I'm that glad for you!"

"I am happy," Gale admitted. "Let me take some of those magazines. No, Father hasn't said about it yet. I'm on my way to tell him now."

"It'll be better than any medicine," Mrs. O'Connor prophesied. "You've been feelin' lousy!"

"Not any too well. So many things have been happening—"

"Yes," Mrs. O'Connor sighed sympathetically. "Ain't it been that? Troubles never come together, they do say—and it's the same with you. Well, I hope we've seen the last for a while."

"I hope so."

They were on the main street of the mill village. Ahead, rounding a corner, a green automobile appeared. It was a Buick, driven by a girl in a green dress.

Mrs. O'Connor said, "Vicky's car—and drivin' like mad! Wouldn't you think her father—land, that's him with her!"

The green car disappeared and sped into the state highway. Instead of driving his daughter's driving, Thatcher said, "Step on it, do you? We've got to make plans."

(To Be Concluded)

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Friendship Social at Tunnell Home Delightful Hour For Thirty-five Guests

Disregarding the unpleasant weather of Monday afternoon, regular meetings of study clubs, and other social gatherings were held with splendid attendance, entertaining reaching a high peak socially speaking, and judging from the society calendar.

The home of Mrs. B. A. Tunnell carried a pretty dress of green and white, centered about the dining room where the table was laid with a beautiful lace cloth and centered with an Easter lily carrying its own leafy foliage.

The hour came in observance of Friendship Day hosted by members of the Women's Missionary society of the Methodist church, honoring special guests of the organization.

A lovely musical program was presented, introducing such well known and talented persons as Mrs. Walter Harwell, in carefully selected piano numbers; another pianist, who has a brilliant future, little Geraldine Tunnell; soloists, Mrs. A. H. Allison and Miss Mary Elizabeth Campbell, and Mrs. A. F. Nelson, who offered a clever reading.

Mrs. Tunnell was graciously assisted by her hospitality committee in serving a delicious plate of fancy sandwiches, cookies and coffee. Guests for the pleasant hour named Mrs. W. B. Crossley, Elmer Rust, D. C. McRae, Z. B. Morrison, and Mrs. Gray.

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gan, A. H. Allison, Bob Balch, J. A. Johnson, and Miss Mary Elizabeth Campbell.

**Royal Neighbor Meeting**  
Royal Neighbor chapter will meet at the hall Wednesday evening at 7:30 for a meeting to be presided over by the district deputy, Mrs. Carrie E. Henry.

Refreshments are to be served at the close of the meeting and all members are asked to be present.

**Auxiliary Members Urged to Report for Thursday Session**  
Every member of the American Legion auxiliary is urged to report for the 3 o'clock meeting Thursday afternoon to be held at the hall.

The session will present important matters necessary for the discussion of all.

**Mrs. Fontaine Gives Fine Lesson on "Love and Prayer"**  
Mrs. E. L. Fontaine was hostess at home, Monday afternoon to the ladies auxiliary of the Presbyterian church. The lesson was opened most beautifully by the pastor, Dr. L. B. Bray, who offered a fitting reading and prayer, which preceded the paper given by the hostess of the hour, Mrs. Fontaine, selected from the course of study by Mrs. Fevers, carrying the title "Lord Teach Us To Pray."

**Election of Officers and Naming of Convention Delegate to Be High Points at Thursday Club Hour**

At 2:30 Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Max Orr will welcome at home members of Child Study association No. 2 for a program to be well filled with both program features and a business session.

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## High School and Junior College News of the Day

By Reba Callaway

**Bible Lesson Covers Chapters of Mark**

Mrs. B. S. Dudley conducted the Bible study Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Donald Smith, Tee Pee camp, for members of the Monday afternoon Bible class, of the First Christian church.

Her lecture was taken from the 13th to 16th chapters of Mark. Refreshments were passed to members Mmes. Nath Pirkle, S. B. Dudley, E. T. Walton, R. A. Jones, R. L. Perry, H. B. Johnson, R. H. Murry, R. A. Steele, and B. S. Dudley.

**Mrs. Scrivens Discusses Chapters of Mark**

Mrs. Sarah Scrivens served as Bible instructor for the Women's Missionary union of the Central Baptist church Monday afternoon when Mrs. E. S. Brink acted as hostess at home, Walnut street from 2:30 until 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Scrivens, discussed, clearly, interestingly and instructively the last eight chapters of Mark. As the hour came to a close a dainty refreshment plate was passed to Mmes. L. L. Bruce, T. E. Arney, H. H. Stephens, C. C. Cash, Roy Baker, M. H. Jones, J. E. Ogg, Sarah Scrivens, and E. S. Brink.

**Friendship Day To Be Observed in Mornings Coffee Affair in Eastland**

The president and members of the executive board of the Thursday afternoon club of Eastland will be hostesses to a morning coffee on Thursday of this week, from 9:30 to 11:30 in the community clubhouse, honoring the 1920 club of Ranger.

This is an annual custom of these clubs, who entertain the other on alternate years.

Hostesses will be Mmes. F. M. Kenny, E. R. Townsend, W. B. Pickens, Ben Hamner, T. M. Collier, W. A. Martin, and James Horton.

The president of the Ranger club, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, will be accompanied by as many from the local club as can possibly attend.

**Mrs. Cawley To Hostess Gleaners Class Meet**

Gleaners class of First Baptist church is invited to the home of Mrs. Cawley, 1029 Vitalious street the former residence of Mrs. Glen Curry, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, for a social and short business session.

Those not having ways to the home of the hostess are asked to call Mrs. H. C. Kelly, 622-W.

**Interesting W. M. S. Hour**

Members of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church reported for study at the respective places Monday afternoon and heard interesting lessons given.

South Hodges, were guests of Miss Sallie Ringold, at her West Main street home. The Bible lesson was given by Mrs. Bill Jones for the benefit of eight members.

Mrs. Julia Bray entertained Cooper circle at home, and gave the Bible study which followed the short business session entered into by eight present.

Mrs. J. N. McFatter was at home to circle North Hodges when the group heard the discussion of the first chapter of the book, "The World and All the Work." The last of the hour was devoted to work on the rug which when completed will be donated to the nursery.

Mrs. H. M. Russell, who serves as publicity chairman for the entire group of circles suggests that individual reporters for their particular group give reports of all work being done since the year looms promisingly far great things to be accomplished. Mrs. A. W. Lewis acts as president of the organization.

**New Era Club Play Postponed One Week**

"The Cavalier of France," a play directed by Mr. Rupert Ringold and scheduled for Wednesday of this week has been postponed exactly one week and will be given on Wednesday afternoon, March 29, at 4:00 o'clock, in the High school auditorium.

Members of the 1920 club, the Junior New Era Club, the Columbia Study club and the Junior College Dramatic club are to be guests of the New Era club for the afternoon.

It was decided to postpone the event when it became known that the date conflicted with an all-day meeting of Methodist ladies in Eastland and that many of the members of the Ranger club were on the program there and other Methodist ladies and clubwomen wished to attend the meeting.

**2:30 o'clock Meeting At Home of Mrs. Nichol**

A 2:30 o'clock meeting of Child Study association No. 1 will be held in the home of Mrs. D. W. Nichol, Elm street, Wednesday afternoon, presenting as main speaker for the hour, Mrs. Troy Grubbs.

**Entertainment at Cooper School Tonight**

Don't forget the evening fun at Cooper school this evening at 8 o'clock.

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## High School and Junior College News of the Day

By Reba Callaway

**Success**

In the changing times I think a new definition, a new conception of success is required. This generation faces a situation quite different from that of which any preceding generation was faced; so our aims and ambitions have to be different from those of any preceding generation. The old ideas of success have to give way to the new ones.

In the past the getting of wealth had been the primary aim of activity. To work excessively, in order to attain prestige in their town was an activity characteristic of our ancestors. In short the accumulation of wealth has been generally by the large end in life; success has been measured almost wholly in terms of material profit. Thinkers are describing the future, offering a new conception of what success is to consist of. In fact, to me, the term success has already been altered in meaning. At present, by success or failure depends on how much I can accomplish toward bringing about a new age. It is measured, now, in terms of the part I take in the establishment of new social, political and economic systems.

In the past success has been attained in practical fields. In the future, once a new order is established, success will be sought largely in impractical, aesthetic fields.

Activities other than vocations will enter our lives. Making a living will no longer be a problem. With the advent of proper control of our material resources, such work would be mere waste. We shall be able to attain the highest success only by working privately in our overly abundant leisure. In such spheres as fine arts, education, science. Especially fine work, for example, done by hand "for the joy of working," will be a type of successful endeavor.

Ambition and incentive will be based not of prospect of material profit, but on the betterment of human welfare, the expression of human personality. The successful man, in the future, will be one who adds to the world's store of knowledge and beauty.

The Science department and the Sigma Epsilon chapter will sponsor a program to be given March 18, at 11:15.

The proceeds of this program will go for the football sweaters and for the student loan fund. Admissions will be 10c.

**Just a Bit Personal**

Messrs. Morris Leveille, Artie Campbell, Joe Cramer and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Charette visited in Dallas Tuesday, attending the Ford meeting held at the Adolphus hotel.

Miss Verna Mae Jordan of Abilene was the guest of Miss Billie Bolter Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Boon returned home Tuesday afternoon after a visit to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tucker, accompanied by Miss Bertha Parrish and "Doc" McConnell, spent the weekend in Walnut Springs at the Flat Top ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. George Martin. Mrs. Martin is a sister of Mrs. Tucker.

Miss Louise Cunningham is visiting her folks in Abilene.

**Raft, Lombard Dance Picture One Of Sheer Delight**

With a rhythmic undertone of jungle tom-toms, Paramount's "Rumba," which opened yesterday at the Arcadia theatre, brings George Raft and Carole Lombard back to the screen in an even greater success than their first co-starring effort, "Bolero."

Filled with elaborate and fascinating rhythms, some of LeRoy Prinz's most successful chorus numbers, sparkling photography and costuming, it tells the vivid, poignant and human love story of a tempestuous dancer and a fascinating beauty.

Raft and Miss Lombard are the principals in this drama which carries its people from Havana to New York through dancing, gaiety and what at times seems like inevitable heartbreak.

A series of carefully planned minor climaxes brings the picture to its major climax when Raft dances on the stage with Carole Lombard in defiance of gangsters' threats and guns.

Annual radio program.

See the womanless wedding with its gorgeous costumes. Admission only 5 and 15 cents.

**Young School Hears Declaimers**

Monday night the declaimers of Young school met for a tryout. The contestants were: Dorothy Byas, Jane Lauderdale, Alice Henry, Jerry Smith and Carroll Boon.

The winners for the girls were Alice Henry, first; Jane Lauderdale, second. For the boys, Carroll Boon, first; Jerry Smith, second.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

**The MALE HUMMINGBIRD NEVER GOES NEAR ITS NEST AFTER THE EGGS ARE LAID!**



**CHINESE PRIMROSES CAN BE GROWN IN TWO COLORS, RED AND WHITE, THE COLOR DEPENDING ON TEMPERATURE!**



**DURING THE GREAT ICE AGE, WHEN ICE SHEETS CREEPT AS FAR SOUTH AS THE STATE OF MISSOURI, NORTHERN ALASKA REMAINED UNCOVERED.**

NOT ONE of the great ice sheets succeeded in covering much of Alaska. The lack of precipitation of snow, for building up glaciers, is believed to have caused the absence of ice in this far north country during the Ice Age.

## Newspapers Comment on The Tax Situation In The State

(Editor's Note: One of the most important messages which Gov. James V. Allred has delivered to the Texas legislature since assuming office three months ago was read before the joint session of the house and senate on March 4. It was his tax message in which he outlined ways for increasing the state's revenue.

In view of the importance of this message, the United Press has compiled the following synopsis from editorials in leading newspapers in the state.)

**Editorial:** Genuine concern over the tax problems which confront Texas, and widespread interest in Gov. James V. Allred's program for more equitable taxation, is shown by editorial comment in leading Texas newspapers.

Comment varied from unrestrained enthusiasm for the program which will "provide a new weapon for the people," to cautious criticism of "revolutionary" measures.

Houston Post: "His (Allred's) suggestions for changes in methods of raising state revenue and for widening the tax base are sufficiently revolutionary to warrant careful study and consideration. 'Tax the rich' is a popular cry, but in the great majority of cases such taxes are passed on in some manner to the eventual consumer or to the man who works. . . . One phase of the governor's message will win general agreement. That is that the legislature should consider some new taxes only as substitutes for the ad valorem tax, to provide relief from an inequitable load now borne by real estate rather than to raise more revenue."

Houston Press: "Governor Allred's message . . . was a well-prepared document containing many valuable suggestions for the raising of more revenue. . . . If adopted we will get more money for the state, and in a few years wipe out the present deficit. . . . At the same time some measures of state economy might be considered. How to save is more important than how to tax."

Dallas News: "Governor Allred in his interesting tax message to the legislature is inconsistent though perhaps unconsciously so. He would eliminate the sales tax as an additional revenue raiser, but he urges the legislature to result in tax classification, although the people passed on that question in November when they rejected it conclusively as an outright constitutional amendment."

Austin American: "His (Allred's) message came straight from the shoulder. There is a large deficit in the treasury. Those who have must pay. . . . The governor took the tax bill by the horns. . . . He suggested the augmentation of state revenue by at least \$12,000,000. . . . Now it is for the lawmakers to face the music and provide the additional revenues. . . ."

Wichita Daily Times: "What-



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ever the legislature may think of the specific recommendations offered by Governor Allred . . . it should keep three points in mind. . . . It is not practical, even if it were possible, to wipe out the state's deficit in one year, or in two. . . . There is no quick and handy method of repairing the state's finances. . . . A comprehensive view . . . must be taken of the revenue problem."

**Galveston Daily News:** "Whatever fault may be found with the tax proposals Governor Allred . . . cannot be accused of going back on his campaign promises. This draws the (tax) issue squarely between the governor and the senate tax survey committee. . . . The governor seemingly has no great faith in the promise of relief for real estate owners he holds out."

Dallas Journal: "He (Allred) presents a thoughtful survey of the need for more taxes and of the fields from which additional tax revenue may reasonably be taken. . . . He is interested in getting more money out of the chain stores, but it is equally obvious that he wishes to place a burden upon 'foreign' chains for the purpose of discouraging them. The mulet that he urges is more in the nature of an economic fine than in that of a legitimate contribution to the cost of government."

Mexia Daily News: "We are making progress in Texas, however slow. The homestead tax exemption and the new home ownership and discount tax. . . ."

Fort Worth Press: "In Governor Allred's tax message . . . there is cited a very fine example of the cruelty and inequity of the general taxes tax. He cites figures . . . which show how heavily it bears on the poor man as against the rich."

El Paso Herald Post: "No doubt sulphur production could stand a heavier rate of taxation; possibly also oil and gas, as those industries begin to recover. . . . Certainly a luxury tax, inheritance taxes and a state tax upon incomes would be preferable to a sales tax. . . ."

Center Daily News: "His (Allred's) suggestion of a state income tax . . . will be hailed by the masses as the greatest weapon yet

brought out to beat the proposed general sales tax into a condition of lifeless surrender. . . . if who heartily supported he (Allred) has the ability, the determination and the power to bring a needed series of tax reforms to the hands of the people."

## Hunger Strikers Routed By Police

By United Press  
M'ALESTER, Okla., March 11.—Three hundred Pittsburg hunger strikers were evicted from the courthouse today by officers under the sheriff and the chief police.

The eviction climaxed the demonstration of unemployed from coal mining towns. The strikers and marchers had been in the city since last Thursday, declining offers of temporary relief.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank the members of the city for the program of kind words and sympathy during our hours of sorrow in passing away of our dear mother, Mrs. M. H. White, of McPherson, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. White and family.

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