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## JURORS ARE SELECTED IN THOMPSON TRIAL

Reports that Germany is trying to get rid of its Jews are malicious falsehoods. In view of the recent Berlin beatings, how could the Nazis enjoy life without the Jews?

### PEEPING THRU The KNOTHOLE

Monday we were threatened with a damage suit. On Sunday we carried a story to the effect that the new amusement devices at the Willows were attracting more swimmers to the pool and on the strength of our description three ladies went swimming Monday morning and found the trolley was not working. They said that it was gross misrepresentation on our part and the Willows was obtaining money under false pretenses and they were going to sue for the price of their admissions to the pool, plus the value of their time, if any, spent in the pool.

### Heads American Bar Association



New head of the American Bar Association, winner in one of the most bitter election fights in the organization's history, is William M. Ransom, New York, above, Ransom, former New York city court justice and chief counsel for the state public service commission, defeated James M. Beck of Washington for the office.

### SOLONS NOT AWARE PACT MADE ON FUND

AUSTIN, July 23.—Senators John Redditt, Lufkin, and Ben Oneal, Wichita Falls, here today expressed surprise at the announcement of Lieutenant Governor Walter Woodul that there had been an agreement to take care of Fort Worth when the senate voted the centennial appropriation. Oneal backed the advisory board provision after the amount for the Alamo and San Jacinto were limited. Redditt said he was not a party to such an agreement. "I never heard of it. I was not a party to such agreement," said Senator John Hornsby of Austin. Oneal backed the advisory board of historians. The most commendable thing the centennial board of control did was selection of the historical board, he said. "The board has worked faithfully and its advice should be followed."

### Infant Dives to Glory



Not yet 12 years old, little Mary Hoerger, Miami, Fla., diver stunned veteran observers and participants in the 3-meter springboard event of the National A. A. U. meet at Manhattan Beach, N. Y., when she took top honors. In winning the championship, the little lassie defeated such well-known stars as Mrs. Dorothy Poynton Hill, former Olympic queen, and Claudia Eckert, of Chicago. Mary is shown above in two difficult dives, and below in a jubilant takeoff pose.

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### Norsemen Again Dare Atlantic



Like the dauntless discoverer, Leif Ericsson, for whom their plane is named, Thor Solberg, pilot, and Paul Oscanyan, radio operator, are attempting a crossing of the north Atlantic between America and Norway. Solberg is shown above at the controls as his ship (shown in panel below) took off from New York to Montreal on the first leg of the trans-ocean hop.

### YOUTH FROM THIS COUNTY IS ON TRIAL

ANGLETON, July 23.—The jury to hear the murder trial of Clyde Thompson, 23, slayer of three men, was completed today. ANGLETON, Texas, July 23.—Attorneys agreed on four jurors to hear the murder case against Clyde Thompson, 23-year-old convict who is charged with stabbing a fellow prisoner to death on May 29. A full venire of 100 men was exhausted since the case opened yesterday, but the state and defense believed 12 jurors can be obtained from the 150 new venire men called. The state will ask a death penalty as an habitual criminal. Defense Attorney Frank Judkins of Eastland indicated he would enter a plea of self defense and insanity for Thompson. Thompson guarded by four Texas Rangers against possibility of escape. Thompson told newspaper men that two fellow convicts charged in the stabbing had no part in it.

### Deer Being Moved To New City Park

Work has been started on a new park for the four deer belonging to the city of Ranger, two of which were born in the pen west of the city hall, where they have lived for the past two years. The new deer park is to be located in the wooded section of the city park on the Strawn road, where a much larger pen is being built for them. In addition to having more room the deer will have a more natural habitat and will be more protected from the hot sun, as there are a number of trees in the park under which they can stay in hot weather. Fence around the lot at the city hall is being torn down and is being removed to the park, where it is being erected to form a new pen for them.

### Crucial Games On American League Schedule Today

YANKEE STADIUM, NEW YORK, July 23.—More than 50,000 persons, biggest crowd of the season, came to see the Yankees and Detroit Tigers battle for the American league lead in today's double-header. The Tigers had to win both games to take first place, though but half a game behind the Yankees. The Tigers got off to a two-run lead in the first half of the first inning, with a pair of home runs. Johnnie Allen was pitching for the Yanks and "Schoolboy" Rowe was pitching for the Tigers.

### Former Ranger Line Walker Is Still Missing

BRECKENRIDGE, July 23.—Fear for the safety of O. R. Ashcraft, Texas Company pipe line walker, increased today as a search of the pipe line route from here to James was intensified and spread out over the countryside. Ashcraft was last heard from last Wednesday morning as he reported in routine fashions to his company before he left South Bend and since then no trace of him has been found except his tracks on both sides of the Clear Fork in one of two places where he crosses that stream. Search for him has been on by the family and the Texas Company for the past two or three days, but the situation was not broadcast or made public until today. Today his sister, Mrs. B. R. Tanner, who has come to Breckenridge from Flomot to join in the search asked that the public aid in finding her brother, or his body. Ashcraft was substituting in walking the line for Harve Anderson, who is on a vacation. A year or two ago he had walked the line and was familiar with it, said Mrs. Tanner. He is a young man, 28 years old, had just finished payments on his car, had moved into a residence near his hikiing, was in good health, and Mrs. Tanner fears he has met with an accident or foul play. "If dead, the finding of his body would be some relief," she said, "to myself, his wife and two children, and brother, Oram, at Flomot."

### The World's Most Horrible Sin Is Revival Subject

This interesting and unusual subject will be the theme for discussion by Evangelist Paul Campbell, who is conducting a revival meeting at the First Christian church. An autographed picture of the evangelist will be given to the person who turns in the first correct answer before the service begins tonight, stating what is the most horrible sin in the world today. In order to prevent people giving "the unpardonable sin" as their answer, Rev. Campbell has already announced that half of the message will be "The Unpardonable Sin," with the remainder dwelling on the announced subject of the evening—the most horrible sin in the world. A fine Monday night audience was present last night to hear the important message of "Immortality—Shall We Know Our Loved Ones in Heaven?" As an added attraction tonight the illustrated crayon picture will be "The Church in the Wilderness." A quartet will sing the song. Everyone is invited to attend and all are urged to be on time.

### MERCHANTS TO BREAK STRIKE BY OPENING

TERRA HAUTE, Ind., July 23.—Terra Haute merchants' association voted today to defy union labor and reopen 150 city stores despite a general strike. Encouraged by the support of the Indiana national guards which eluded twice today with union pickets and came off victorious, the merchants voted to open for business and permit the city to restock food supplies despite threats of union boycott. The merchants' association conferred with the commander of the state troops and from him obtained a guarantee of protection for all stores, factories and other business places which may undertake to resume business. Members of the association said the move would "break the back" of the strike, but labor leaders disagreed. The stores affected by the decision normally employ about 5,000, which is only a small fraction of the estimated 60,000 that have walked out.

### Funeral Held In Los Angeles For Former Rangerite

LOS ANGELES, Calif., July 23.—Funeral services for Earl H. Cooper of 6716 South Western avenue, owner of the Reliable Key and Cycle shop, were held Saturday at Grace chapel in Inglewood Park cemetery with Rev. Raymond E. Marshall of the First Methodist church of Redondo and Redondo Lodge No. 328, F. & A. M. officiating. Mr. Cooper succumbed last Thursday from a sudden heart attack. He was born 38 years ago in Abilene, Texas, and had resided in Los Angeles for the past six years. He was a member of the First Methodist church of Ranger, Texas, and of the Royal Arch Masons. He was also past patron of the Order of Eastern Star of that city. He leaves his wife, Margaret M.; his mother, Mrs. Howell Cobb of Texas; his stepmother, Mrs. Emma Clegg of Mississippi; two sisters, Mrs. Dolly Quinn of Mississippi and Mrs. Verna Holmes of El Paso; and a brother, Hugh Cobb of El Paso. Earl Cooper was a former resident of Ranger, having lived here several years ago when he was employed in the J. M. White store and in other capacities in the city. He is a nephew of V. V. Cooper Sr. and is well known by many residents of Ranger.

### Roosevelt Charged With Violation of The Constitution

WASHINGTON, July 23.—President Roosevelt has "violated the constitution on more than one occasion," Representative Hamilton Fish, Republican, New York, said today in a lashing house speech which he held, however that it "would be unwise and foolish to introduce any impeachment resolution." House Republican Leader Bernard Snell said Saturday in a press statement that Mr. Roosevelt has "come seriously close" to what some people regarded as grounds for impeachment. There has been considerable talk among Republicans of alleged violation of the constitution by the new deal.

### Price Tags May Bear Half Cent Prices In Future

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Price tags on thousands of items in everyday use may soon be fractions of a cent under a proposal bearing approval today of the treasury. Issuance of new one-half cent pieces for the first time in the United States since 1857 is proposed in a plan Henry Morgenthau Jr. will offer to congress. Morgenthau also will ask congress to authorize minting a coin with a value of one mill or one-tenth of a cent. Approval of the new coins was given in response to appeals of states having sales taxes. At least 16 states have percentage sales taxes amounting to about 2 percent on all purchases. Thus a 2-cent purchase would call for a half-cent sales tax payment.

### Rev. Stephens to Hold a Revival In Erath County

Rev. H. H. Stephens, pastor of the Central Baptist church, left today for Bluff Dale, in Erath county where he will conduct a revival meeting. Prayer services at Central will be conducted Wednesday by Morris Jefferies. The Baptist Brotherhood under the leadership of Les Taylor, vice president of the organization, will have charge of the services next Sunday, July 28, morning and evening. The meeting at Bluff Dale started one week earlier than was originally planned. Rev. Stephens held a meeting for the Erath folk several years ago and was invited back again this year.

### Telegram Sending 'By Dead People' To Be Investigated

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Congressional investigation of lobbying against the Wheeler-Rayburn holding company bill, swung to wider ground today when Senator Hugo Black indicated the federal communications commission would be asked to aid in finding out of telegrams against the bill "were signed by people 'dead for several years.'" Black indicated the communications commission would be asked to aid in a survey of charges congressmen were bombarded with unauthorized telegrams against the bill.

### Plans to Light Valley Highway Being Discussed

EDINBURG, Texas.—A plan to light the lower Rio Grande Valley's 65-mile long "Main Street," State Highway 4 from Mission to Brownsville, with sodium vapor electric lamps has been suggested by General Electric company. The new lamps, recently developed, are reported to be in successful use in New York and other states. Seven "test highways" have been selected in Texas for the purpose of testing the illumination provided by the new lamps, and the Texas Highway department has become interested in the proposal. Installation costs of the lights are estimated to be about 10 percent of the total cost of highway construction.

### Police Are Probing Automobile Crash

WACO, July 23.—Police were investigating today circumstances of an automobile accident that yesterday resulted in the death of Mrs. J. A. Hargett, 70, of Moody, Texas, and Mrs. Geneva Merrell, 78, of Bowie. The two women, who were sisters, were struck by a car driven by a young farmer living near Barleson. The bodies were dragged 150 feet.

### First Mormon Signs As Football Pro

PHILADELPHIA.—Burie Robison, 6-foot, 4-inch star end, has signed a contract to play professional football with the Philadelphia Eagles next season. The only Mormon player in the National Pro league, Robison was selected All-Rocky Mountain conference end for three years while playing for Brigham Young University in his home town of Provo, Utah. He competed last season for Memphis in the American league, gaining distinction as an all-league end.

### Pension Bill Is Called Too Hasty

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Special pension legislation for railroad employes "would be hasty and ill-conceived" at this time, transportation co-ordinator Joseph Eastman has advised Chairman Burton Wheeler of the Senate Interstate Commerce committee. The committee is considering bills to set up new rail pension systems to replace one invalidated by the supreme court.

### American Doubles Team Is Winner In Tennis Match

WIMBLEDON, Eng., July 23.—Rising magnificently in face of defeat to beat back two match points in the fourth set and three in the fifth, the American's doubles team of Wilmer Allison, of Texas, and John Van Ryn of Philadelphia, today defeated Baron Gottfried von Cramm and Kay Lenz of Germany, 3-6, 6-3, 5-7, 9-7, 8-6 to give the United States a two-to-one lead in the Davis cup tie with Germany.

### Grand Jury Calls Many For Query

Grand jurors for the 91st district court were in session today at Eastland with many witnesses awaiting their turn to answer to queries of the group. Forty-one were from Gorman to aid the grand jury in its investigation of a reported shooting scrape in that city recently, it was said. Criminal District Attorney Grady Owen has indicated the body will investigate about 15 cases and make its final report Saturday. Members of the grand jury are E. E. Daniels, Cisco; William Reagan, Cisco; F. P. Brasher, Ranger; Briggs Terry, Rising Star; Walter Gilbert, Carbon; F. E. Langston, Ranger; Frank Castleberry, Eastland; J. H. Chestnam Sr., Eastland; H. Scott, Rising Star; Ira Underwood, Ranger; R. S. Balch, Ranger, and O. A. Kountze, foreman, Desdemona.

### Father and Son Held In Separate Slaying Probes

HEMPHILL, Texas, July 23.—A father and son were to be questioned today in connection with different slayings. Paul Ingle, 17, was arrested yesterday after his brother, Charles, 27, died from a skull fracture sustained when he was struck by an ax. The wounded man died in a hospital. Paul's father, Mack, 56, already was in jail, held without bond, in connection with the death of a man killed two months ago.

### FIRE RAZES DISTILLERY IN PEORIA, ILL.

PEORIA, Ill., July 23.—A \$3,600,000 fire roared through the Hiram Walker distillery today, fed by thousands of gallons of whiskey, until it became such an inferno that the entire fire department was helpless. Not until the huge liquor storehouse, where the flames started, was completely consumed, was it possible to bring the blaze under control. Two men were believed in the smoldering ruins. One hundred girl workers fled from one blazing building before the walls collapsed.

### GOOSE, 32, LAYS REGULARLY

RATHBUN, Ont.—William Smith owns a 32-year-old goose which still lays eggs regularly. The bird has been laying a daily egg for more than 30 years, Smith says.

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### FERA FAVORS ELIMINATING NON-WORKERS

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The federal relief administration today supported the move of state relief directors to withhold aid from needy who refuse to work. The South Dakota administration cut off 19,000 family heads, who, it was charged, would not take jobs as harvest hands. Similar action has been taken in other states. Emphasizing that cutting off from relief is a problem for state relief administrators, Col. Lawrence Westbrook, assistant FERA director, said Harry Hopkins reported, "purging the relief rolls of all loafers."

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**Why Not a Defender in Public Service?**

New ideas governing the ordinary practices of the law are rare. They appear seldom and they have a hard time getting adopted when they do appear.

One of the best seems to be the proposal for a "public defender system," eloquently sponsored before the annual sessions of the American Bar Association by Mayer C. Goldman of New York.

Mr. Goldman's idea is extremely simple. We put the prosecution of accused persons in the hands of an attorney paid by the state. That attorney does not get a fee for each case he handles, nor does the size of his compensation vary with the wealth of the different dependants. He is on a straight salary.

Why, then, asks Mr. Goldman, do we not do the same thing with the defense? Why not retain a public defender as well as a public prosecutor, let the one functionary try to convict while the other tries to win acquittal, and take the whole business out of the field of private profit?

If it would do nothing else, the system should wipe out the gross inequalities now prevalent in our criminal courts.

Two men are arrested, charged with crimes. One is poor John Doe, a homeless bum who was desperate by hunger and stuck up a pedestrian on a dark corner for \$5. The other is wealthy Richard Roe, bank president, who got his hand caught in the till during the recent boom and took his depositors, stockholders and creditors to the tune of a couple of millions.

John Doe can afford little in the way of counsel fees. Inside of a month he has been tried, convicted and sentenced to a 10-year term.

Richard Roe calls in his best lawyers in the city. Proceedings against him are strung out over two years. In the end, after a couple of hung juries, he gets off scot free.

That sort of thing—the contrast between the kind of justice given to the man too poor to hire good counsel, and the kind which the rich man gets—is too common to need further comment. But it does point to the sort of inequality which a public defender system might be expected to set right.

Determination of the guilt or innocence of a man accused of crime is not a game for keen legal minds to play. It is the crucial part of the whole system of administering justice.

To a layman, it will seem like nothing more than ordinary common sense to suggest that all of it be put in the hands of officials paid by the state. Once that is done, we may begin to get some sort of equality before the bar of justice.

**World Revives Strife, To Face a New War!**

If the depression through which the world has been staggering during the last five years is an outgrowth of the World War, what about the next war that everybody is preparing for? What sort of economic breakdown will it hand us—and what will it do to our slowly mending business structure?

It is in such questions as these that the real menace of war is to be found. If a burned child really does fear the fire, you would suppose that the world today would be willing to put up with almost anything imaginable rather than get into another war. On the contrary, however, it is drifting steadily toward a new one—letting the lesson of the last one go unread and unheeded.

Let us have a look at the extent to which business conditions have been reviving of late.

Figures compiled by the National Industrial Conference Board show a slow but appreciable rise in most of the indices by which world prosperity is measured. Business is better in England, Canada, Australia, Germany, Italy, Belgium, Spain, Finland and several Latin American countries, for instance, with recessions noted only in Holland, the United States and Mexico.

Unemployment has been declining in Denmark, Norway, Germany, France, Italy and Great Britain. World prices for such important raw materials as wheat, sugar, cotton, rubber, silk and tin are maintaining a steady rise. The physical volume of world trade is higher than it was a year ago.

All of these things make up a definitely encouraging picture. It does begin to look, at last, as if the word were beginning to drag itself out of the morass of trade stagnation. Let these favorable trends continue for another year or two and the world would be well on its way back toward normal times.

But no man dares predict that they will continue; and the reason for that is that the shadow of war continues to spread across the horizon. Italy seems committed to a war with Abyssinia, and no mortal man can tell what may come out of this. And no one needs to be told that, with the dislocating effect of a new war, all the delicate machinery of reviving world trade will be thrown out of gear anew.

The world is at the mercy of its own folly these days. After years of suffering from war-born depression, it at last discovers signs of revival—and immediately prepares to rush into a new war.

**IT MUST BE FUN TO BE PRESIDENT**



**Central West Texas Oil Field**

**Report Given on Wells in Callahan County**  
BAIRD—Humble Oil & Refining company, Mrs. R. D. Williams No. 2, drilling at 1100 feet.  
Adams et al, Jackson No. 1, cleaning out after 20 quart shot at 932 feet, the well is estimated to be good for 40 barrels daily.  
Adams et al, C. B. Snyder, No. 3, location.  
W. L. Jackson has made a location on the Dr. H. H. Ramsey land in northwest Baird, the rig being moved to the location Friday.

G. C. Barkley et al, Mrs. John W. Woods, drilling at 1110 feet.  
R. T. Parkin moving in rig on L. D. Harwell ranch, located about two miles south of Putnam.

The Campbell well on the Nonney ranch, located about three miles north of Clyde, is drilling at 987 feet.  
Johnson Bros., have moved in a rig on the A. G. Hobbs ranch, south of Baird for 1800 foot test. Drilling was to commence this week.

**Legal Records**  
New Cars Registered  
Magnolia Petroleum Co., Olden, 1935 Ford truck.  
J. J. Collins, Cisco, 1935 Chevrolet coach.  
E. M. Merritt, Eastland, 1935 Chevrolet coach.  
J. B. Fleck, Ranger, 1935 Ford pickup.  
Lone Star Gas Co., Eastland, 1935 Chevrolet pickup.  
Eric O. Gregoliet, Ranger, 1935 Ford coupe.  
Mrs. Hal B. Naylor, Ranger, 1935 Chevrolet master coupe.  
J. R. Gray, Ranger, 1935 Chevrolet coach.  
E. C. Murphy, Ranger, 1935 Pontiac sedan.  
Johnny Kitchens, Eastland, 1935 Ford sedan.

**Marriage Licenses Issued**  
M. C. Arthur and Miss Lucille Hunt, Fort Worth.  
Cases Filed in 91st District Court  
Vida Smith vs. W. D. Smith, divorce.  
Addie Green vs. J. J. Green, divorce.  
Charlie Gleuck and Miss Hildegard Winge, Bay City.  
Doyle Carter and Miss Willie Jo May, Route 1, Eastland.  
Henry Edward Keener and Blanche O'Dell White, Ranger.  
G. T. Adams and Beatrice Turner, Ranger.

**FRANKELL**  
We have had another good rain, which delayed the threshing for a few days.

Miss Rossie Morris spent Monday night with Bertha Mae Polan.

Mrs. Elsie Smith visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Knight, Tuesday.

Clyde Burke spent Tuesday night with Leon Casey.

Dave and Louis Hawkins of the Acker community were visitors in this community Tuesday night.

Truman Harrell spent Monday night with his sister, Mrs. Ed Bunkick, of Necessity.  
Miss Dealva Dupree visited Miss Marie Swanner Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Monroe and daughter, Dora, of Staff, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Langford and son, Neal, of Acker, and Truman Harrell were visitors in the J. P. Morris home Sunday.

Louis Hawkins of Acker was a visitor in this community Sunday afternoon.  
Jessie B. Morris returned home Tuesday after spending two weeks with her sister at Ranger.

Miss Thelma Wilson entertained with a play party Thursday night.  
Truman Harrell was in Ranger Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gregg of Breckenridge were visitors in this community Sunday.  
Denver Stagner of Ranger is visiting his brother, C. D. Stagner.

**8 OF 10 CHILDREN TWINS**  
By United Press  
ORANGEBURG, S. C.—When it comes to birthdays, the Betsill family has to operate on a severely reduced budget. There are 10 children in the family, but among them they can only manage to celebrate six birthdays. The reason four sets of twins.

This is an era of change. Fifty Seattle men have entered a diaper derby.

**MARKETS**

By United Press  
Closing selected New York

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

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REDWOOD CITY, Calif.—If the witness can't go to court, the Redwood City courts go to the witness. Dr. R. J. Gerlough, injured in an automobile accident, was unable to appear so Judge Maxwell McNutt moved court to the front lawn.

Advertisement for KC Baking Powder, featuring the text 'Use only one level teaspoonful' and 'Efficient and Economical'.

Advertisement for NESCO Roaster, featuring an image of the roaster and the text 'When You have Guests to Entertain' and 'Cook with Your NESCO Roaster'.

Large advertisement for Lucky Strike cigarettes, featuring a woman smoking and the text 'TO LONELINESS I BRING COMPANIONSHIP' and 'I'm your best friend I am your Lucky Strike'.

### Leaf Worm is Invading Cotton Fields of State

COLLEGE STATION. — The leaf worm is invading Texas cotton fields ahead of usual schedule this year, according to R. R. Reppert, extension entomologist at Texas A. and M. College.

Control measures have become necessary in most of the southern counties, he said.

"Frequent showers for the past two weeks have been favorable to the pests multiplication and spread although the hot days have tended to hold it in check. Should cool weather with showers at the same time develop, damage from this pest will be extensive," Reppert added.

The leaf worm is easily controlled, according to the entomologist pointed out, recommending calcium arsenate as the best method.

He recommended the application of the chemical in dry form where dusting machinery is available and under ordinary conditions.

"Five pounds an acre applied in an even dust cloud should be sufficient except where there is an exceptionally large growth of cotton when 10 pounds an acre should be used. It should be applied early in the morning while there is dew on the plants, although it is effective when applied in midday provided there is no wind."

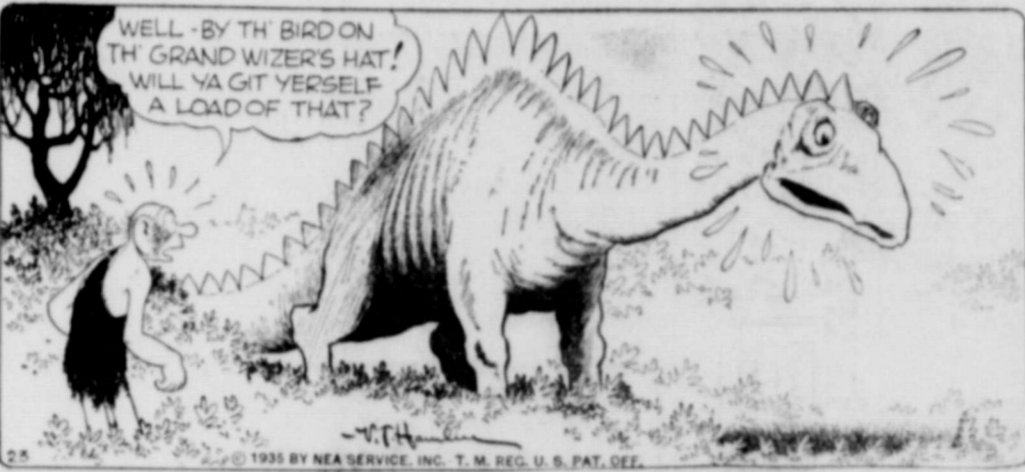
### CROSS ROADS

Mrs. J. H. Ainsworth is ill at this time.

F. E. Ferrell and Dean Gentry were Weatherford visitors Saturday night.

### ALLEY OOP

By HAMLIN



day night. Mrs. Eunice Minter and children and her mother, Mrs. Thompson, spent Sunday in the home of F. E. Ferrell.

Oddie and Juanita Boney of Longview, who have been here visiting their grandparents for the past four weeks, have returned to their home.

Mrs. Elmer Daffern's nephew of Fort Worth is visiting here. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stockbridge of Caddo visited his sister, Mrs. Eunice Minter, here Sunday.

### Color Photos are Test for Maps

BOSTON.— Color photography will be put to a scientific test this summer in mapping out the treacherous North Labrador shoals of air. If the experiment in aéro-color photography proves successful, experts will be able to mark in other missing details of the world's present maps.

Dr. Alexander Forbes, professor of research physiology at Harvard University, will leave by airplane soon for Sir Wilfred Grenfell's settlement in Labrador. The plane will be piloted by Charles Hubbard, former Harvard football captain.

By use of the natural color film in pictures taken from an airplane, the shoals will show up white against the blue of the water. Experiments with the color film have demonstrated in the laboratory that it is much more satisfactory in showing the fine distinction in color than the plain black-and-white film, experts said.

Dr. Forbes and Hubbard hope to complete the contour map of the shoals which are dangerous to fishermen and therefore make mapping by water hazardous.

Prof. F. C. Sears of Amherst, an amateur photographer, is taking color pictures of the blue stone geological formations near St. Anthony in another test of the color film.

The pictures, it was explained, are made up of a matrix of exceedingly fine color lines imprinted on the film. As the light passes through the screen, the colors are registered by a combination of the

### The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowe



### SQUAW DIES AT 125

HELENA, Mont. — An Indian woman who died at Pryor, Mont., was the oldest person ever to die in the state, according to the bureau of vital statistics. The woman, a full-blooded Crow, was born some time in 1810—two years before the War of 1812.

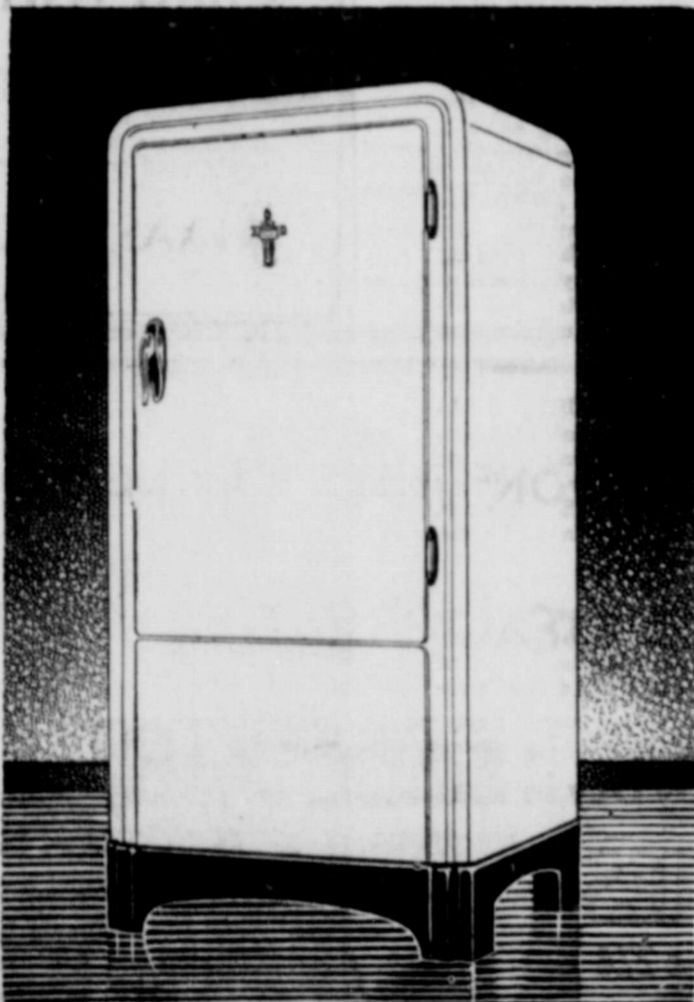
## Pennies are BIG MONEY when you own an ELECTROLUX

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**FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS - By Blosser**

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**Plowboy Schedule Is Announced**

The schedule follows: Clifton College at Clifton, Sept. 20; Hillsboro Junior College, at Stephenville, Sept. 27; Daniel Baker at Brownwood, Oct. 5; Decatur College, at Decatur, Oct. 12; Hillsboro Junior College at Stephenville, Oct. 26; Texas Wesleyan college at Stephenville, Nov. 2; Weatherford College at Stephenville, Nov. 9; Texas Military College at Stephenville, Nov. 16; Ranger College at Ranger, Nov. 23.

**SUN-TAN**

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**

JO DARLEN, finishing her first year in college, leaves her father in a hurry to go to work. Jo has a job and accepts part time work in a machine supply store. There she meets wealthy, handsome DOUGLAS MARSH who offers her the job of hostess at his inn at Great Lake. Jo accepts and this causes a quarrel with BRET PAUL, to whom she is engaged. Jo breaks the engagement.

She goes to Great Lake. Marsh warns her that many people consider his mother eccentric. Jo is sure that MRS. MARSH dislikes her.

BABS MONTGOMERY, who is jealous of Jo's popularity, arrives at the inn. PETER FRAGONET, film actor, and his wife, also arrive.

A dance is given at the inn. Jo goes with TODD BARSTON, aviator.

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

WHILE dancing, Fragonet was not the gay and talkative young man he had been at after noon in Douglas Marsh's car. He guided Jo in silence, easily and perfectly, and his steps graceful rather than intricate, nevertheless seemed to respond to the ever changing moods of the rhythm that was as modern as tomorrow. Jo liked to dance in silence, and she was thoroughly enjoying this dance with Fragonet when, suddenly and inexplicably, her balance was shattered by the sight of Babs and Douglas Marsh coming into the room together.

It was then, while her emotions were sharpened by a tune from "The Fox Alley" and while she was in the arms of a man for whom literally, millions of women longed, that Jo Darlen faced squarely a question she had been avoiding for days. Was she in love with Douglas Marsh?

If she were not, then why had her heart whirled inside her breast when she saw Babs Montgomery hanging familiarly against Marsh's arm? If she were not, then why had she forgotten Bret Paul so quickly—forgotten except for a few fleet flashes of memory that passed as soon as they came? If she were not, why couldn't she be thrilled, as any young girl might, at being attended first by Todd Barston and now, at this very moment, by Peter Fragonet?

She lost step with Fragonet; he hesitated for the fraction of a moment, and she heard him say, "I'm sorry..."

"It was my fault," Jo said, reddening.

As the music stopped she saw Marsh excuse himself from Babs leaving her on one of the divans near the wall. Then when Fragonet had returned to his wife, and Jo was with Barston again, she was conscious of Babs' steady and triumphant gaze. Even though she did not look at Babs directly she had the feeling that Babs was claiming a victory and wanted Jo to know.

"Oh, Miss Darlen..." Babs' voice drifted low and clear across the floor, and Jo turned questioningly.

"Miss Darlen, there aren't any matches about, would you mind?"

Jo stared at the Montgomery girl on the divan, and for a moment the imperious question meant nothing. Then she realized that Babs was, quite simply, asking for a light for her cigaret, and that she was requesting it from Jo.

Letting his beach robe drop, Fragonet ran down to the lake in his crimson trunks, and struck the water like a knife, began swimming toward the float in powerful overhand strokes. As he drew nearer he swam more quietly, and he had pulled himself up on the float before Jo was aware of his presence.

When she sensed his presence and opened her eyes, Fragonet was sitting silently, a dripping statue of a man, watching her. Jo brought herself upright with startled swift-ness.

"Do you think it's nice to— to scare a person like that?" she inquired.

"You were too beautiful to disturb," Fragonet told her, laughing. "Anybody ever tell you that with your gold hair and those blue eyes, and that gorgeous body, you're like a goddess?"

Jo laughed to hide her embarrassment at the directness of his words, the even greater directness of his dark, serious gaze.

"A goddess?" she repeated. "How can you imagine a goddess all sustained?"

"I'm not imagining one," he told her. "I'm seeing her, quite actually."

"Really, Mr. Fragonet, you're reminding me now of the way I've heard you talk in some of your pictures."

HE made a gesture of annoyance, almost of anger. "Confound it, Jo, I mean what I'm saying now. Why is it that because a man makes his living in pictures he must be taken for such a fool, always? Why can't he have an honest emotion without someone saying he's acting?"

"I wasn't taking you for a fool," Jo told him. "And it's nice of you to— to tell me what you did. I wouldn't be honest if I told you I wasn't pleased. But you see, I—"

She faltered, helplessly.

He looked at her a moment. He still seemed annoyed and angry, not so much at her as at himself, at something beyond the control of either of them.

"I know," he said. "You don't care to hear those things because I'm an actor—I've a public—and a wife besides. You wouldn't mind hearing that you're maddeningly attractive, if it came from a man who could do something about it, would you?"

At his swift torrent of words, his strange piercing glance, Jo was frightened. "I—I'm afraid I don't understand you, Mr. Fragonet."

When he answered her it was slowly, evenly. "I'm in love with you." He spoke quietly, watching her as intently as though he had just told her the day was warm. His dark hair was plastered wet against his forehead; it dripped water down his eyes and cheeks. "I'm in love with you," he repeated. "Can you understand that?"

For a long time Jo watched the edge of the float, dipping rhythmically into the lake and out again, staining the white boards dark.

"You've forgotten your public," she answered at last, trying to keep her voice even and light. "More important, Mr. Fragonet, you've forgotten... Mrs. Fragonet."

Jo raised her eyes. "I... don't know," she told him.

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**John Tarleton to Seek Fund for New Dormitory**

STEPHENVILLE.—Application to the federal government for a P. W. A. loan of \$205,000 for the construction of a dormitory for men students at John Tarleton College was announced this week by J. Thomas Davis, dean. A definite answer to the proposal is expected within two months.

The building as proposed would be one of the most modern and completely equipped of its kind in the state. It would meet the needs of men of substantial incomes, just as the Boys' Barracks and local rooming houses satisfy the demands of boys of more moderate means.

Building construction already underway at Tarleton includes that of the second unit of the science building. Work on the final unit of the women's dormitory is expected to begin soon. If the appropriation requested is granted, Tarleton building for the year will total about \$300,000.

**French Statesman**

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Map who replaced Flandin as premier of France.

13 Feather scarf.

14 Melodies.

15 Marble.

16 Fate.

17 Beating caused by the heart.

18 Paragraph.

20 Finished.

22 Encountered.

23 Nettle rash.

24 To combine.

25 Ottoman court.

32 Molding.

33 Sluggish.

34 Thoughts.

35 Networks.

40 To mention.

43 Saltish.

47 First woman.

48 Strength.

50 Cry of a dove.

**VERTICAL**

4 Title.

5 To doze.

6 Percussion instrument.

7 Liver fluid.

8 Kiln.

9 To consume.

10 To disturb.

11 To surfeit.

12 Due.

14 He headed the

19 The French are having a

21 Garbed.

22 Referees.

23 To howl.

24 Wrath.

25 Dyewood tree.

29 Unit.

30 To soak flux.

31 Three.

37 Spanish dollar.

38 Equable.

39 Low tide.

40 To classify.

41 Hence.

42 Affirmative.

44 Land measure.

45 Noisy.

46 To use tongs.

48 By.

49 Corded cloth.

51 Form of "a."

54 Southeast.

**Hot Weather to Cause Good Crop of Texas Cotton**

SAN ANGELO, Texas.—The hot weather is the life of West Texas cotton and even though two weeks to a month late prospects for a bumper crop this fall are evident, according to the general opinion of farmers in this area. General rains within two weeks, they state, would insure a heavy yield.

A bollie crop may be expected this year because of the lateness of the crop, Frank Kemp, gin manager said. Ginning will begin in October this year, Kemp believes, with the first bale probably received in the latter part of Sep-

30 bushels per acre, while the wheat yield is ranging from 14 to 22 bushels. Wheat prices are 75 cents and oats 28 to 30 cents.

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A business discussion, including the electing of officers, selecting a name, planning for the future

meetings and an entertainment will be held.

**W. M. S. Bible Hour**

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church, met Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock with twelve members present. Mrs. A. J. Ratliff gave the devotional followed by the chapter of Haggai, Bible course instructively given by Mrs. L. H. Flewellen.

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**Corn Hits New High in Kansas**



Kansas farmers are learning that it's an ill-wind that doesn't do some good. Deluding rains which damaged their wheat crops have sent Kansas corn to eight and nine-foot heights, something decidedly unusual in July. In the scene above, towering, wind-blown stalks nearly envelop G. A. Briggs on his Valley Center, Kan., farm.

**Boyd.** The mother of Sam and Johnnie Boyd remains in Ranger for an extended visit with her son and family.

**Lee Newton** of Wichita Falls transacted business here Saturday and Monday. Mr. Newton and wife formerly lived here.

**Mrs. B. C. Johnson** is due home today after a pleasant week-end visit in the home of Judge and Mrs. Stokes of Vernon. The Ranger guest bid good-bye to her sister, Mrs. Robert Stokes, who leaves today with the Stokes family for California where they join Dr. Robert Stokes who has been in Florida this summer. Mr. Johnson drove his wife to Graham where the remainder of the journey was made by bus.

**News comes** of the illness of Miss Theresa Power, Ranger school teacher, who is in Austin for the summer attending school at State university. Her mother, Mrs. A. J. Power, of Fort Worth, is with her.

**Mrs. V. V. Cooper Sr.** and son, V. V. Jr., returned to Ranger Monday after attending a family reunion of Mrs. Cooper's family. Mrs. Joe Elliott of Sherman. Mrs. Elliott celebrated her eighty-seventh birthday with a dinner party held at the Sherman city park. Ninety-two relatives and friends of the honoree were present to enjoy the delightful occasion. Other former Rangerites were Mrs. Emma Terrell and daughter, Mrs. Edgar Walters, and family, Dr. S. D. Terrell and daughter and Mrs. Walter Bennett, all of Fort Worth.

**Miss Lunetta Woody** entertaining at the home of her mother, Mrs. Florence Woody, yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Daniels, former schoolmates at Weatherford college, who are honeymooning following their marriage which took place only a few days ago. Miss Woody and brother, Joe L., were graduated from Weatherford college as were the Daniels with the class of '35.

**Harry Frauman** of Dallas was a visitor here yesterday.

**Cards were received** in Ranger by friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McClister to the effect that Mrs. McClister's brother, Otis Brady, who is a patient in the government hospital at Williamsburg, Ontario, Canada, is slowly improving and several weeks' treatment will be given before the family returns to their Ranger home. Mr. Brady's mother is also with him.

**Mrs. William Rawland** and small daughter, Bettye Lu, of Cleburne returned home—with her mother yesterday after a short visit made by Mrs. Murray there.

**New Traffic Signs Bought By the City**

Two new traffic signals have been purchased by the city of Ranger, to be installed at the intersection of Main and Rusk streets and at the corner of Main and Marston.

The sign for the Rusk street corner is a no-left-turn sign, while the one for the Marston street intersection is a slow sign. The markers are to be installed soon, it was stated today.

**BUSINESS IS TAKEN UP AT C. C. MEETING**

Several important matters were taken up at the chamber of commerce meeting held Monday night when practically all the directors and several visitors were present.

Bids were received on moving the derrick at the foot of Main street to the exact center of the location on which it now stands, anchoring it more securely at each corner, straightening the bent sections and adding braces. No action was taken on the bid, though it was indicated that the work would be done.

**R. V. Galloway**, secretary, made reports on a number of activities, including a called meeting on July 12 to go into the possibility of securing a deep test for the vicinity between Ranger and Eastland. He announced that a committee of Ranger and Eastland citizens had been appointed to go into the matter and a meeting of this committee was to be held soon. Those on the committee from Ranger are Hall Walker, Dr. J. A. Shackelford, L. R. Pearson and G. D. Chastain, while those from Eastland are Jack Lewis, Harry Taylor, Mayor Hoffmann and Joe Weaver.

**J. E. Meroney** made a report on his trip to San Angelo to attend the annual Magnolia picnic, on which he was accompanied by the secretary. The two asked that the picnic be held in Ranger in 1937 and the prospects of securing it seemed good.

**F. D. Hicks**, chairman of the committee to see about rental of the office, reported that a month-by-month contract had been entered into between the committee and the building owners for a rental of \$15 a month until such time as the organization decided to move. The committee was thanked for its work by the president and was dismissed.

**E. O. Samms** reported on the soft ball field on which plans are being worked up, which will include lights for night games, and the organization voted to appropriate \$10 toward the expenses and to endorse the movement.

A \$10 donation toward the expenses of Guy Quiri to the scout jamboree to be held in Washington in August was voted Quiri, who is scout executive of the Comanche Trail Council, has been selected for an important post at the jamboree, but his salary is not sufficient to allow him to make the trip and the towns in the council are helping to defray his expenses.

Those present at the meeting were J. E. Meroney, E. O. Samms, C. H. Davis, E. A. Ringold, C. E. May, F. D. Hicks, Calvin Brown, R. V. Galloway, John Hassen, D. Joseph, C. D. Woods, A. J. Ratliff, Joe Dennis, T. J. Anderson, A. N. Larson and F. P. Brasher. Facilities for recreation offered by the Willows and a demonstration

**SECOND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BREAKFAST HAS A GOOD CROWD**

Between 45 and 50 members of the Chamber of Commerce met at the Willows Tuesday morning for the second of the monthly breakfasts of the organization and enjoyed a get-together with a short program following the meal.

D. W. Nichol, minister of the Church of Christ, said grace, after which the breakfast of bacon, eggs, toast, butter, jelly and coffee was served to the entire gathering.

Following the meal J. E. Meroney, president of the organization, introduced Judge L. H. Flewellen, who made a short talk on the subject "Why a Chamber of Commerce."

The speaker pointed out that at one time it was thought that the duties of any chamber of commerce was to induce new business houses, new factories and other industries to come to a town, but that it was now recognized that the duty of the organization was to give the town publicity of such a nature that these industries would be attracted to a town, pointing out that Dallas had secured 600 factories and manufacturing plants in the past year.

He praised Ranger as a trading center, saying that it was publicity that drew people from as far away as 75 miles to the town and called attention to the fact that Ranger had withstood the depression better than the average town because the merchant had induced people over a large trade area to do their buying in Ranger.

He stated that Ranger was not on the downgrade, as many believed, but called attention to the deep test activities that were brewing at this time, which have promise of bringing renewed oil activities to the area in the next few years.

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