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Ranger Times

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A recent housing survey showed that the average living room had 2.5 windows. It must be that five-tenths of a window that the breeze comes through these days.

Farmers Protest Failure of Flood Control

RUSSIA AND JAPAN PLAY SERIOUS GAME

Japan and Soviet Russia played another hand today in the world's most dangerous poker game, a struggle involving powerful armies facing each other across the Siberian frontier.
At Tokyo the foreign office detailed a five-hour fight, said to have followed Russian occupation of an island in the Ussuri River...

How Families 'Get in and Pitch' in Politics

Latest style is for wives, sons, daughters and even mothers-in-law to Help Beat the Campaign Drums for their candidate-relatives



Families have always been considered an asset to a political candidate but seldom have they participated in a campaign as actively as 12-year-old John L. McClelland, above, shown making a stump speech in behalf of his congressman-father, who seeks the Democratic senatorial nomination in Arkansas in opposition to Senator Hattie Caraway.

Man Is Captured After Riding With Body of Victim

CHINA, Calif., July 27.—Walter Ross, 27, who police said drove about the countryside for almost eight hours with a dead woman sitting beside him, was captured today by a group of lumberjacks.
Ross shot and killed Mrs. Dave Boyd, 31, wife of a tavern owner, early yesterday. He put her on the front seat of his automobile, propped her upright, then started driving, police said.

Navy Plane Pelted Down; 3 Dead



The scattered debris seen in the photo above is all that's left of a navy bomber which crashed in a vegetable patch near New Haven, Conn., during a blinding rain squall in the series of storms which have racked the east, and carried three navy flyers to their deaths. Lieut. J. F. McDonough of Boston, Lieut. William J. Drumtra of Gloucester, Mass., and John R. Patch of Boston were en route from Norfolk, Va., to the naval base at Squantum, Mass., when they encountered the storm and crashed.

DAM FAILURE BLAMED FOR HUGE LOSSES

COLUMBUS, Tex., July 27.—Farmers in small boats fought desperately today to salvage part of their lowland corn crops before the raging Colorado River destroys it.
The flooded river rose to 34 feet, 10 feet above the danger mark, and irate farmers talked of protesting the failure of the \$40,000,000 Buchanan Dam projects to protect them.
W. A. Slachmeier, federal river observer, said the farmers were angry over the loss of all their lowland cotton crops, but that no official protest had been made.

Witness Brought For Grand Jurors

Hugh F. Carleton, Eastland countyable, returned Wednesday from Stamford with an attached witness who was to appear before the district court grand jury in session this week.

Britain to Protect Interests in Orient

LONDON, July 27.—Great Britain is ready to protect her rights in the orient, Viscount Halifax, foreign secretary, declared tonight in the house of lords.

Legion Post Will Nominate Officers

All Legionnaires were requested to be present Thursday night, at 8:15 o'clock, at a meeting of the members of the Carl Barnes Post.

Dates Announced For Filing Fund Report in Races

August 2 is the deadline for filing of final reports of expense in the first primary and the first day for filing of first campaign expense accounts for the second primary, candidates were reminded Wednesday.

LOVE MIGHT HAVE CAUSED WIERD SUICIDE

NEW YORK, July 27.—Love for a woman he had no hope of winning may have driven John Ward to make the spectacular death leap which all New York's cunning failed to prevent, relatives said today.
The 29-year-old youth's mother, Mrs. John Ward, Sr., was quoted as saying: "He had a passionate fondness for a woman he could never hope to marry."

Eastland Knights Install Chiefs at Tuesday Meeting

Officers of the Knights of Pythias lodge at Eastland were installed Wednesday night in a public ceremony at Castle hall.
Installing officers were Herbert Reed, C. F. Shepperd, Claude Strickland and Les Dorsey.
Officers installed: Tom Lovelace, chancellor commander. Frank C. Williamson, Sr., vice chancellor. J. A. Blackwell, prelate. K. K. White, master of work. Guy Robinson, master at arms. O. L. Pollard, inner guard. Noah Byars, outer guard.
The new officers serve the remainder of 1938.

Hopkins Statement About Third Term Is Not Criticized

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The senate campaign expenditures investigating committee announced today it found no cause to criticize the statement of Harry L. Hopkins that 90 per cent of persons on relief would vote for President Roosevelt.
The committee pointed out that Hopkins made the statement in a press conference, "in response to a direct question, and it represented in no way a dictation to workers connected with relief."

From Investigation Expenses Stopped

EL PASO, July 27.—El Paso County Commissioners today allowed a \$600 expense account for investigating the murder of Mrs. Weston Frome and her daughter, Nancy and said they were through paying expenses of the investigation.

Pick-a-Back Plane Is Back in England

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., July 27.—The British pick-a-back plane, Mercury, landed here at 1:12 p. m., CST, completing what is claimed to be the fastest round trip ever made between Great Britain and the United States.

Verdict Is Returned in a Fatal Plunge

CORPUS CHRISTI, July 27.—A verdict of accidental death was returned today in the death of Oliver Yates, El Dorado, Okla., cotton buyer who fell from the second floor of a theatre building here last night.

O'Daniel Profited Upon His Campaign

AUSTIN, July 27.—W. Lee O'Daniel's race for governor showed a profit, his campaign statement revealed here today.
He spent \$5,791 in the race and contributions placed in the barrels passed around by his pretty daughter, Mollie, brought \$6,588.
Tom Hunter of Wichita Falls, fourth in the race, reported \$6,137 expenses. Other accounts had not been filed.

Houston Prepares For Hughes' Arrival

HOUSTON, July 27.—Houston prepared today for a home coming celebration for Howard Hughes and his crew of world-girdling airmen Saturday, when they arrived for a visit.
Mayor R. H. Fonville proclaimed Saturday as a holiday and the city council prepared to change the name of the municipal airport to "Howard Hughes Airport" on the fliers arrival.

Excitement Too Much

FRESNO, Cal.—Seldon Hulbert, 22-year-old culinary worker, feared his house was aflame when a fire was reported in the same neighborhood. Hulbert pedaled his bicycle two miles to the scene of the fire and was so wrought up when he arrived to find his house safe, he collapsed from nervous exhaustion and required hospital treatment.

Tee Pee's Picnic Saturday at Cisco

The Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil company, Central Texas area division, annual picnic for executives, employees and families is expected to attract between 500 and 600 at Lake Cisco Saturday.
The program will include golfing, boating, swimming, skating and a barbecue.

Bullock Raises Tax Fifty Cents

In a recent election the Bullock Common School District voters favored increase of the local maintenance tax rate from 50 cents per hundred-dollar valuation to \$1.
The school district's number is 35.

Eastland County Asked By Red Cross To Aid Flood Sufferers

An urgent appeal for \$175 in contributions from Eastland county residents toward rehabilitation of families affected by high water in San Saba, McCulloch, Menard and other counties along the Colorado river and tributaries was issued Wednesday by R. C. Kinnaird of Eastland, chairman of the Eastland County Chapter of the American Red Cross.
"Can we not raise this quota and forward it before the weekend?" asked Kinnaird. "It should be regarded as a 'labor of love' for our neighbors. Survey of the damage is yet incomplete. Let's do better than the quota. All contributions should be sent to me by check, made to the American Red Cross."
Kinnaird had received the following wire from William M. Baxter, Jr., manager of the St. Louis branch office of the American Red Cross:
"Reports received from Red Cross representatives confirm major disaster in San Saba, McCulloch, Menard and other counties along Colorado river and tributaries.
"Incomplete surveys show 970 families now affected, 127 homes destroyed, 650 homes damaged. Minimum relief fund \$100,000 required to meet need reported to date.
"An issuing appeal to all Texas chapters. Your chapter should make immediate and vigorous appeal with full publicity to secure quota of \$175. Report and transmit collections promptly to this office."

RANGER TIMES Has Great Tickets THURSDAY For Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ross To See MADELEINE CARROLL in "BLOCKADE" AT THE ARCADIA Call at Daily Times Office Not transferable. Good only date listed.

Official's Daughter Improves at Hospital

Miss Olivette Killough, daughter of Deputy Railroad Commission Supervisor L. J. Killough and Mrs. Killough, is improving at Payne hospital in Eastland after an appendicitis operation Sunday.

10th Doomed Woman Is Claimed by Death

OTTAWA, Ill., July 27.—Radium poisoning took its final toll today of Mrs. Catherine Donohu, 35, one of the 15 "doomed women." She was the 10th to die.

GETS LICENSE

Legare L. Inabnet of Charleston, S. C., Wednesday obtained from County Clerk H. V. Gallo way a marriage license to wed Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Robinson, whose address was not given.

COUNTY AGENT NAMED TO LEAD SOIL CONTEST

Elmo V. Cook, county agent, Tuesday afternoon was named chairman of a committee to direct Eastland county's participation in the 1938 soil and water utilization contest sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.
The meeting was held in the county courtroom at Eastland, with members of a preliminary planning committee voting for Cook as chairman and T. G. Caudle, Cisco vocational agriculture teacher, as secretary of the committee.
Cook is to name other members of the committee and announcement of the selections is expected at a meeting to be called next week.
Attending the meeting: H. J. Tanner, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce; J. D. Guy of Carbon, R. B. Bradshaw of Seranton and E. E. Blackwell, members of the Eastland County Agricultural association; Caudle; Hugh F. Barnhart, assistant county agent; W. S. Adamson, Eastland county judge, and T. E. Castleberry, agricultural worker of Eastland.

Elected Dean



H. L. Baskin, principal of the Cooper school of the Ranger, who was elected dean of the Ranger Junior College by a meeting Tuesday night.
Baskin will replace L. S. Rhiem as dean, although Rhiem has been elected to the faculty of the Ranger Schools.
The new dean was selected from a long list of applications for the position, after all had been given due consideration by the board, it was stated today in announcing that Baskin had been elevated in the Ranger system.
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Work Finish For Eastland Church Due August 15th

W. M. Bagley, contractor, stated Wednesday that general repairs to the First Christian church of Eastland should be finished by mid-August.
Work not yet completed in the repairs, which will cost in the \$1,000 neighborhood, includes sanding of floors, hanging of entrance doors, construction of new steps, remodeling of the vestibule and painting the exterior.
Built 25 years ago, the repairs mark the first extensive taken for the church since its erection. The repaired interior of the church, state observers, gives it the appearance of a new building.

Two Men Are Held in Minden Robbery

SHREVEPORT, La., July 27.—Assistant U. S. District Attorney Fair Hardin announced today that Harry Mahoney, 32, and Truman Mahoney, 27, had been placed in jail here, charged with the robbery of \$18,000 from the Minden, La., Bank and Trust Company.
Hardin revealed that seven persons were held in connection with the robbery. Filing of the charges however, removed from suspicion Floyd Hamilton, Charles Chapman and Ted Walters, upon whom officers had blamed the robbery.

\$101,496 Figured As Estate Value

Community estate of R. F. Gilman, Cisco resident who died recently, and Mrs. Gilman has been fixed by appraisers as having net value of \$101,496.03, according to county court records Wednesday.
J. H. Reynolds, E. P. Crawford and A. H. Rhodes were the appraisers of the estate.

Masonic Chapter To Meet Thursday

An important meeting of the Eastland Masonic Chapter No. 403 is scheduled for Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the Masonic temple, it was announced Wednesday.
All members were urged by officials to attend the session.

Allred Blamed By Estes With McCraw Defeat

LONGVIEW, July 27.—Carl Estes, publisher who supported Attorney General William McCraw for governor, said in an editorial today that the "fly in the ointment, as I see it is Jimmie Allred."
"Jimmie got mad when Ernest (Thompson) wouldn't get out of the way and let him run for a third term, and he was mad at Bill because McCraw seemed likely to do what Jimmie thought he had a patent on, going from attorney general to the governor's mansion," Estes said.
"But you recall that I threatened to run if Jimmie did. I left the campaign and the state he secretly put in his own again. It seems Jimmie not only wants to be federal judge, but governor at the same time."

Rodeo Cattle Are Sold by Faircloth

Sig Faircloth, promoter of the rodeo and roundup, held in Ranger recently, has sold his rodeo stock, which he purchased for the occasion, to J. L. Case of North Platte, Neb.
The cattle were loaded Tuesday night for shipment to Nebraska, where they will be used in rodeos and as range stock, it was stated today.

CISCO VISITOR

Sheriff Lox Woods was a visitor on business Wednesday at Cisco.

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A Little Totalitarian Tale of Efficiency

The big brag of the totalitarian state is that it is efficient. It may be a bit repressive and hard to live with, but it Gets Things Done; slipshod old Democracy just muddles along, falling over its own feet and fanning itself to death with the breeze of its waste motions.

Okay. Let's look, as they say, at the record. Until recently the New York Times maintained its central European bureau in Vienna. The Anschluss made it necessary for the bureau to be moved to Prague. The bureau consisted of four small rooms; the stuff to be moved included a small amount of furniture, a few typewriters, and some files. The Times people blithely notified the authorities, called the movers, and prepared to get going.

At this point German efficiency stepped in—with the result that it took two mortal months to get one vanload of possessions moved from Vienna to Prague.

First of all, the authorities had to be sure that the proper taxes were paid. Inspectors of high and low degree came to call. Innumerable documents had to be filled out, books had to be examined, appeals taken, signatures of various functionaries obtained. All of this took three weeks.

Then the efficient Teutons had to go over all of the things that were to be moved—and go over them they did, with a super-efficient fine-tooth comb. Every file that was being taken out had to be obtained and examined thoroughly. Every book was opened and examined, page by page, to make sure that no banknotes or other contraband were being taken out of the country. Envelopes of newspaper clippings were scrutinized down to the last typographical error. Boxes of empty envelopes were opened so that each envelope could be peered into.

The inspectors had their most fun with 120 bound volumes of the Times. These had to get a close scrutiny, like everything else; and if you have ever seen a bound volume of daily paper, you can imagine how long it took to go through those 120 volumes. But the job was done, regardless; and all the furniture was examined for concealed hiding places.

By the time all this was done, the tax permits previously obtained had expired. These had to be renewed, which meant more delay. Then the movers had to be rounded up. The loaded van had to be sealed; loaded, it had to proceed at a snail's pace, while six inspectors walked alongside, like pallbearers, to make sure that no one added to or subtracted from the precious load.

So, what with one thing and another, the Times people got moved—in two months.

All very efficient, certainly; but efficient for what? Efficient in the sense that German officialdom knows, to the last paper clip, exactly what the Times people took out of Vienna; staggeringly, unbelievably inefficient and bunglesome from every other viewpoint.

It's less of a strain on the nerves to muddle through with slipshod old Miss Democracy—don't you think?

NET STAR

Answer to Previous Puzzle. HORIZONTAL: 15 Pictured tennis star. 10 Assam silkworm. 11 Italian coin. 12 Antelope. 13 Star. 14 Encounters. 18 Matures. 19 Half an em. 20 Became weedy. 24 Little devil. 26 Pithy. 30 Infants' beds. 32 He uses a type racket. 34 Man who papers walls. 36 Roving. 37 Grafted. 38 Part of a drama. 41 One for whose use a thing is done. 42 Throws off rails. 44 To run away. 17 To bury. 18 Zinc. 21 Persia. 22 To declaim. 23 Brink. 24 Exist. 25 Postscript. 27 Light brown. 28 Inlets. 29 Mentally sound. 31 Gaelic. 33 Rind. 37 Freedom from war. 39 To smash. 40 Sugar sand. 42 Half. 43 Spread of an arch. 44 Morass. 45 To loiter. 46 Measure of cloth. 49 Noah's boat. 50 Rumanian coins. 51 Wayside hotel. 52 Musical note. 53 August.

Crossword puzzle grid with a portrait of a man in the center.

ANY DAY NOW



BASEBALL CALENDAR

LEAGUE STANDINGS. Texas League: Beaumont 42, Tulsa 42, San Antonio 60, Oklahoma City 57, Houston 51, Dallas 48, Shreveport 45, Fort Worth 45. American League: New York 52, Cleveland 50, Boston 48, Washington 46, Chicago 35, Detroit 41, Philadelphia 29, St. Louis 25. National League: Pittsburgh 53, New York 51, Chicago 50, Cincinnati 48, Brooklyn 40, Boston 36, St. Louis 36, Philadelphia 26.

Cub's New Pilot



Gabby Hartnett, who came to the Chicago Cubs 17 years ago, and has been with them ever since, takes over the management of the Bruins, replacing Charlie Grimm. Hartnett, appointed by Owner Phil K. Wrigley, is considered one of the great catchers of all time. He has a lifetime batting average of .300 and has caught 100 or more games 12 years in a row.

POET'S CORNER

THE TIME THAT I WISH THAT YOU WERE HERE AGAIN. BY NETTLES F. NELSON, Jr. When all the earth is green with growth And all people have thoughts remote, And when all children are at their play, And all the world is happy and gay, When fleecy clouds go fluttering by, And women at home are baking pies, When the men are sitting at the general store, That's when I wish that you were here once more.

SELLERS TO CO-OPERATE WITH THE NEW GOVERNOR. I wish to extend sincerest thanks to those who voted for me in the first primary and hope those who did not will investigate me and my qualifications during the run-off period and give me their support in the second primary. It will be my purpose to co-operate with the new Governor wholeheartedly insofar as his policies meet with the approval of the people of my district. I hope

Death and Destruction--in Japan This Time



Nature gave Japan a taste of the horror that China has been undergoing when heavy July rains sent streams out of their banks and roaring through many of the larger Nipponese cities. More than 300 deaths were reported in the Osaka and Hyogo coastal region. This picture, taken in Kobe, shows a typical scene of destruction, with a warehouse about to topple over in the center of the photo. The foreign quarter of Kobe is near the hills shown in the background.

School Textbooks Are Called Musty

NEW ORLEANS. — Granting that school children get some "distillation" out of watching the state legislature in operation, J. L. King, director of schools in the state of Washington, finds it "will teach them more than more books will." King said it was a practice of his to send as many of his 90,000 students to legislative sessions and

city council sessions as possible so they could see how "things are run." He takes youngsters of high school age to Europe and to Asia for bicycling or hiking tours and "talk sessions" with natives of their own ages. And what they get out of that in the way of knocking down prejudices is more than I could teach them in 100 lectures," said King, who is only 34 years old. "He finds textbooks out of date in about 30 years and "basic materials antiquated." He found "propaganda of seven or more varieties" when he looked into the texts. He promptly pointed out the veiled propaganda to his students. "We want to train our students for democracy and one of the jobs there is to train them to detect propaganda, isn't it?" he asked. King came to New Orleans on a "traveling seminar" sponsored by Yale and other institutions. Parisians are the latest to take up gas masks. It's comforting to know that Paris no longer dictates American styles.

There's The doorbell again

Suppose daily to your door came the butcher, the grocer, the clothier, the furrier, the furniture man, and every other merchant with whom you deal? What a tedium of doorbell answering that would mean!

It would be even more impractical for you to visit daily all these stores to find out what they have to offer and the price.

And yet you need those merchants' service quite as much as they need your patronage. Contact between seller and consumer is essential in the supplying of human needs. Before a sale can be closed the goods must be offered. Every day, through the advertising columns of this newspaper, the merchants of this city come to your home with their choicest wares. Easily, quickly, you get the news of all that is worth while in the market-places of the world.

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### Big Hatchery to Be Built By NYA

AUSTIN.—An additional sponsor's contribution of \$35,000 by the Federal Bureau of Fish Hatcheries has been made in carrying forward the construction of the largest fish hatchery in Texas at the Inks dam under a National Youth Administration resident project. J. C. Kellam, state youth director, announced following an inspection tour of the project with C. Leach, chief, Division of Fish Culture, Washington, and John Blaz, superintendent, Bureau of Fish Hatcheries, Texas. Mr. Leach came to Texas at the invitation of Congressman Lyndon Johnson, who was instrumental in securing his cooperation in locating the hatchery at Inks dam.

Mr. Leach stated after viewing the work already done on the construction of the ponds that he was well pleased with the progress made and that the hatchery was "an outstanding example of how the National Youth Administration can assist in conservation work."

One hundred fifty youths are now assigned to the NYA project sponsored by the Lower Colorado River Authority in cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Fish Hatcheries. Fifty of these boys were recently assigned and 50 more will be added in the next 30 days. As a part of their work assignment the youths are employed under the supervision of the Federal Bureau of Fish Hatcheries building ponds for the hatchery on the east side of the river below Inks dam, three miles downstream from Buchanan dam. Youths are also assisting in building a gran-



Thrills galore are promised in "Blockade" from which the above scenes are taken. "Blockade" is the feature playing at the Arcadia theatre today. It abounds with intrigue and features Madeleine Carroll and Henry Fonda. Leo Carillo and John Halliday also are in the cast as is Reginald Denny.

### Texas Pipeline Will Play Elks Tonight

Texas Pipeline of Breckenridge will play the Elks Club of Ranger in a softball game tonight at the Ranger Softball Field, it was announced today by Frank Reese, groundskeeper.

Texas Pipeline has a good team that has played in Ranger on several occasions, and a good game is anticipated. The game will start promptly at 8:30.

The NYA boys, selected chiefly from families living in small towns and rural areas, work about half time and during the other half are engaged in a training program in subsistence farming methods and in farm shop work. A tract of arable land adjacent to the fish hatchery site is being cultivated by these boys as a part of the farm training.

### MARKETS

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Gen Mot	41 1/2	
Gulf Oil	45	
Houston Oil	8 1/2	
Humble O & R	69	
Montg Ward	45 1/2	
Packard	7 1/2	
Pure Oil	12	
Radio	7	
Secony Vac	15	
Studebaker	7 1/2	
Texas Co	46 1/2	
T P C & O	11	
U S Steel	58 1/2	
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Prev.	Sep . . . 24 1/2	23 1/2
May	Dec . . . 25 1/2	24 1/2
Close	May . . . 27 1/2	26 1/2

### Society Is Formed To Serve the FSA Panhandle Group

DALHART, Texas.—A. L. Sullivan, Farm Security Administration official at Dalhart, announced that tentative plans were formulated for a medico-hospital organization to serve FSA farm family clients in Dallam, Hartley, Sherman and Moore counties.

If FSA farmers and their families continue to approve the plan, as they have done in a series of meetings held recently, it probably will be in operation by Sept. 1, Sullivan said.

Doctors in the four counties at Dalhart, already have agreed to the proposal under which an FSA client would pay into a central fund a stipulated amount, determined by the size of his family. In return for the payment, the client would be guaranteed medical care and hospitalization for himself and his family for a year. The average annual family pay-

ment would be about \$20, Sullivan estimated. The payment would be loaned the families by the FSA if necessary, he said.

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# PHOTO-FLASHES



**RAPID TRANSPORTATION**—Dumfriesshire, England—Andrew and Sadie McGinley once had to walk five miles to school if they went around by the road, they sit in a chain loop, are pulled across the river, with only 500 yards to go.



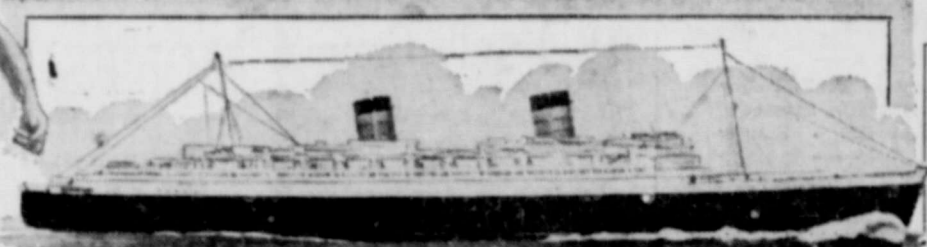
**FASHION HIGHLIGHTS**—(1) A flowery printed dress with an afternoon coat of fine back wool crepe. (2) A gaily printed cotton pique in red and blue on a background of white gives a summery effect. (3) A beautiful ensemble in grege imported woolen with the bodice of the dress in matching silk crepe.



**CHINESE PARADE IN NEW YORK**—One of the many floats which appeared in the parade marking the observance of China's National Solidarity Day. These fair oriental misses depict a Chinese heroine story of over 700 years ago.



**IN THE SPORTS WORLD**—(Above) Alice Marble, tennis queen, shown in a practice session at Germantown, Pa. (Below) John Montague, miracle man of golf, obligingly entertains the gallery at Santa Catalina Island with an exhibition of remarkable driving.



**PREVIEW OF OCEAN QUEEN**—London—This is how the new \$5,000-ton White Star liner "Queen Elizabeth," now under construction at Clydebank, Scotland, will appear when completed.



**"THE RECESSION HAS REACHED BOTTOM,"** says William F. Humphrey, president, Tide Water Associated Oil Company. "No American has the right to be pessimistic about the long time picture of this country. America has been built through the vision, energy and ability of the American business man. Fair wages and proper working conditions for employees, good-will from customers, cooperation with stockholders and greater concern for the welfare of the masses are all parts of industry's responsibilities. Let's stop calling names and look to the future which is full of promise."



**GOLDYLOCKS**—Pretty Joan Weber wisely selects a field of golden poppies for her lovely hair.



**FRED PERRY**, tennis star, constantly wires and cables flowers to Helen Vinson, his movie star wife, while on tour, and here he's ordering a specially big bunch. Consumers Information, which sends us this photo, points out that American industry, in developing services for the consumer, even helps to foster romance.



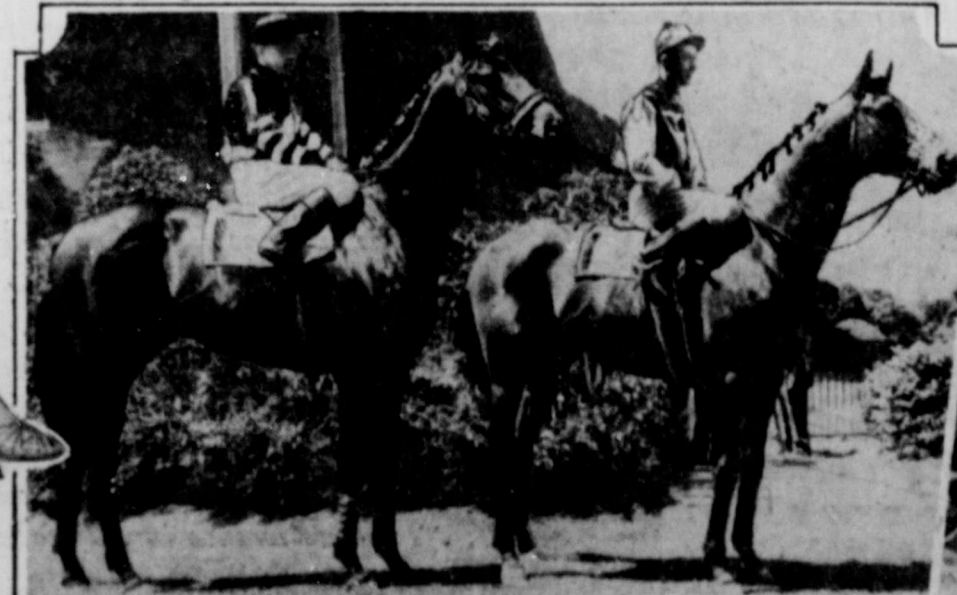
**IRISH WIT MEETS U. S. ENVOY**—London, England—George Bernard Shaw (left), smilingly chats with Joseph P. Kennedy, American Ambassador to London, following a recent ceremony.



**WPA WORKER BIDS FOR CONGRESS**—St. Louis, Mo.—Lawrence Edward Smith, employed on a St. Louis park project, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congressman. Smith's hopes for election are based on the promised support of 26,000 fellow WPA workers in this city.



**NOT BAD, EH?**—Perhaps Harriet Haddon, lovely screen starlet, is one of the reasons that gentlemen prefer blondes.



**LEGS DID IT!**—Seabiscuit (right) and War Admiral (left) were supposed to run for a stake of \$100,000 on Memorial Day—but Seabiscuit's bad knees caused the cancellation of the race.



**NEW ANESTHETICS DISCOVERED**—Cleveland, Ohio—Dr. F. W. Whitaker, assistant professor of chemistry at Case School of Applied Science (right) and Herbert Wiese, a senior, demonstrate three new anesthetics which were discovered after experimentation with 400 varied compounds.

SERIAL STORY MYSTERY AT THE LAZY R BY CLARKE NEWLON

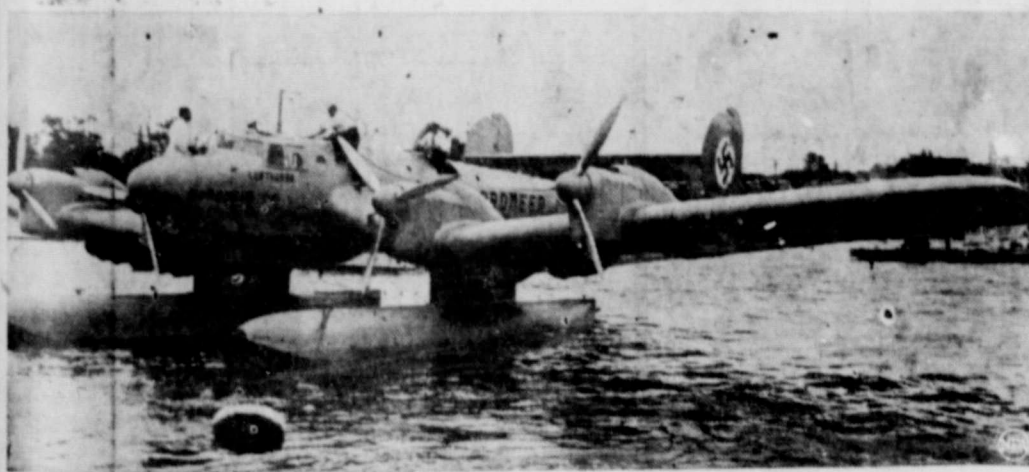
LIST OF CHARACTERS NIKKI JEROME, a 22-year-old blond, popular, is engaged to six-foot, black-haired...

CHAPTER VI THE letter from her father was bitterly disappointing for the things it left unsaid concerning...

It was a long speech for Rance and he obviously felt vastly relieved when the words were out...

UNCLE JIM came ambling around the corner of a shed, saw them and stopped.

Germans Fly Atlantic; Ready to Carry Mail



The series of planes to make a trans-Atlantic dash is the Nordmeer, shown above on its arrival here...

ALLEY OOP

Comic strip 'ALLEY OOP' by Hamlin. Panels show a character being hit by a racket and a character being hit by a ball. Includes sound effects like 'BOOM BOOM BAM' and 'BRAAK'.

WANT AD IN THIS PAPER WILL BRING QUICK RESULTS!

OUT OUR WAY

Comic strip 'OUT OUR WAY' by Williams. Shows a man talking to a woman about a business deal. Includes speech bubbles and a drawing of a man with a suitcase.

Verona Has a Dumb Cop



Meet Patrolman Wood, pictured above on fixed post. Though a rookie, he's considered one of the sturdy oaks of the Verona, N. J., force.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS

Comic strip 'FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS' by Blosser. Shows a group of boys talking about a hike. Includes speech bubbles and a drawing of a boy with a hat.

WASHINGTON LETTER

NEITHER Roosevelt nor Administrator Harry Hopkins has uttered the slightest reproach to WPA Deputy Administrator Aubrey Williams since he publicly told WPA workers to 'Keep your friends in power!'

Sport Glances

Dolly Val this year has perhaps set some kind of a record for getting around, particularly for a 3-year-old filly. Dolly Val was shipped from Chicago to New Orleans for the Louisiana Derby...

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse

Comic strip 'MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse' by Thompson and Coll. Shows a nurse in a hospital setting. Includes speech bubbles and a drawing of a nurse with a patient.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

Comic strip 'THIS CURIOUS WORLD' by William Ferguson. Shows a man with a bow and arrow. Includes speech bubbles and a drawing of a man with a bow.

# Society

### Members of Fishing Party Return to Their Homes

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Truo of Seagraves have been visiting Mrs. True's mother, Mrs. E. T. Matthews of South Marston street, for the past two weeks. They also visited relatives at Strawn and Glen Rose while here, and the last few days were spent fishing and boating on the Llano river, near Junction, Texas.

Mrs. Matthews and another daughter, husband and baby, accompanied them on this outing.

An enjoyable time was had until the heavy rains drove them home. They crossed the San Sabu about ten or twelve hours before the road was closed on account of the overflow.

### Royal Neighbors to Meet Tonight at 8 O'Clock

All members are asked to be present at the meeting of the Royal Neighbor lodge this evening at 8 o'clock. New members are to be initiated and a fancy drill team organized.

After the business meeting refreshments are to be served. Oracle Todd asks every member to be present.

**Community Singing Tonight at First Christian Church**  
Rev. H. B. Johnson announces the community singing tonight at the First Christian church on Main street. It will meet every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

### Members of Ranger Rebekah Lodge Meet Tuesday Evening

Members of Ranger Rebekah lodge No. 244 met in regular session Tuesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall, with Noble Grand Lillie Wilson presiding. Mrs. Emma Stiles was presented with a fifteen-year pin for her faithful services during the past years. Mrs. Anna Mae Robinson will attend the state secretary's meeting at Waco on August 8th.

The charter was draped in memory of Mrs. Mamie Dale of Iowa Park, Texas, past president, who passed away July 3.

All members are invited to the home of Mrs. Lillie Wilson, 456 Pine street, for an all-day luncheon Thursday.

Fourteen members were present at the meeting.

### Friends Revive Dinner Custom

Mrs. H. Bearden had as her dinner guests today, Mrs. Roy Baker, Mrs. R. J. Taylor and Mrs. C. J. Moore.

This is the first time these ladies have had dinner together for six months, on account of Mrs. Moore's illness. It has been the custom of these friends for the past seven years to get together every Wednesday to have dinner, sew, and visit.

### Mother of A. J. Ratliff Is Seriously Ill

Word was received in Ranger yesterday that the mother of A. J. Ratliff, who lives in San Antonio, was seriously ill at her home. Mrs. Ratliff is past eighty and the many friends of the family hope for her a speedy recovery.

### Just a Bit Personal . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davenport left Wednesday morning for Big Spring for a ten-day visit. While there they will visit Mrs. Davenport's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hise, and Mr. Davenport's sister, Mrs. Cleo Ratliff.

Mr. P. A. Reed, manager of Scott's local store, is a business visitor in Cleburne this week.

Miss Anna Myrl Bell has as her house guest this week, her cousin, Miss Angeline Irby of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Irby and family of Fort Worth left Monday, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bell and family, Pine Street. They plan to visit in West Texas before returning home.

Mrs. Jess McCraw of Kingsville, Texas, is visiting Mrs. L. E. Gray, Prairie camp.

Mrs. Mitt Jones, sister of Mrs. John Barnes and R. S. Lemma, is

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critically ill at her home on Strawn road.

Rev. and Mrs. G. Alfred Brown, Doris and C. E. May, Billy Gorman, Alice Henry and Loraine Brown are in Cisco today attending a district retreat which is being held in the Presbyterian encampment located at Lake Cisco.

### TeePee Wins A Close One From Killingsworths

TeePee retained second position in the standing column of the Ranger Softball League Tuesday night by defeating Killingsworths in a snappy softball game. The final score was 4 to 2.

Except for two consecutive errors by Matthews, first baseman of the Killingsworth team, the game would have been much more closely contested, his two errors allowing one run.

Seven hits were chalked up by TeePee and Killingsworth nicked

Johnson for five safeties, one triple by Jack Stuard.

The box score:

Killingsworth		TeePee	
Player	AB H R E	Player	AB H R E
J. Stuard, 3b	3 1 0 0	Delmasso, 1b	3 0 0 0
Poyner, c	4 0 0 0	Martin, lf	4 0 1 0
Dublin, cf	4 0 0 0	Nixon, 3b	4 1 1 0
C. Stuard, ss	4 2 0 0	Wright, ss	4 2 1 0
Reese, 2b	1 0 0 0	Holmes, cf	4 0 1 0
Hatcock, cf	4 0 1 0	Lewis, c	3 1 0 0
Russell, lf	2 1 0 0	Laughry, rf	2 0 0 0
Matthews, 1b	1 0 0 2	Johnson, p	2 1 0 0
White, rf	3 0 1 0	Anderson, rf	3 2 0 0
Totals	30 5 2 2	Brown, 2b	3 0 0 0
		Totals	32 7 4 0

### A CORRECTION

In the advertisement of A. L. (Aaron) Stiles, candidate for county commissioner from Precinct No. 1, the heading to the advertisement was "To the voters of Precinct No. 1, Eastland County." This should have read "To the People of Precinct No. 1, Eastland County."

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Taft have returned from Meeker, Okla., where they visited Mr. Taft's mother, Mrs. J. V. Howell.

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NOW PLAYING!

*Intrigue!*

The greatest love story for a million years and more!

**BLOCKADE**

Joan Arbol in "Gotta Match"

Madeleine CARROLL  
Henry FONDA  
Leo CARRILLO

LATE NEWS

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Texas Electric Service Co.

**Chiropractic Service**

By Aid of the New Radio-Clast Instrument!

We can easily find and measure perfectly your trouble; also what organism involved. No guess-work, but everything is scientifically measured.

**E. R. GREEN**  
Chiropractor  
209 MAIN STREET

**"Leto's for the Gums"**  
Gums that itch or burn can become mighty trying. Druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.—OIL CITY PHARMACY.

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### 7—SPECIAL NOTICES

FOR RENT: Cervi-Cycles at COLLEGE BOYS' SERVICE STATION.

GET NEW WARDROBE Free and earn up to \$23 weekly showing gorgeous Hollywood endorsed Fashion Frocks. No canvassing. No investment. Send dress size. FASHION FROCKS, Inc., Dept. A-1111, Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED: Painting and paper-hanging work. Can do any kind of work. Must have same soon to support my family. P. R. Scott, Mirror Lake Drive.

✓ MONEY TO LEND on autos.—C. E. MADDOCKS & CO.

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

### 9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOUR ROOM modern house. Nicely furnished.—1109 Foch.

### 13—FOR SALE, Miscellaneous

FOR SALE: 1933 Plymouth coupe at a bargain. C. E. MADDOCKS & COMPANY.

ICE COLD WATERMELONS—1c per pound. Traders Grocery.

HUDSON-TERRAPLANE 2-door sedan for sale. Runs like a new car. Can be seen at 433 South Rusk Street, Ranger.

FOR SALE: Helpy-Self Laundry, 711 E. Walker, Breckenridge, Texas. Steam system; good business; terms.

# Penney's End Of The Month FEATURES!

## THIS EVENT STARTS THURS. 8 A.M.

## THURSDAY SPECIALS

One lot of the better SILK DRESSES! . . . 45 selected from the higher priced dresses, "most all sizes! . . . See a few of these in our show window! . . . Values up to \$17.50!

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CLEAN-UP SALE

FIRST SHOWING OF

## NEW FALL PRINTS

Best quality 80x80 cotton prints . . . new colors . . . new printing . . . Start your fall sewing! . . . 25c quality!

# 19c

OPENING PRICE! Yd.—

SPECIAL

## SALE OF TOILETRIES

Russian Mineral Oil . . . Cod Liver Oil Sewing Machine Oil . . . Witch Hazel Wave Set . . . Large Jars Vanishing Cream . . . Large Jars Cold Cream Face Powder . . . Dusting Powder Talcum Powder . . . Etc . . . !

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A triumph of value and beauty! Never has this famous blanket sold for less! It is a masterly blend of pure wool and mohair, with silk and a little rayon for luster. Exquisite! Glowy warm! Attractively bound with silk and rayon. In a choice of rich, reversible colors. Size, 70"x80".

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NOT LESS THAN 25% PURE WOOL!

## PLAID BLANKETS

There's fine wool in these blankets! They'll give you longer year and greater warmth than you'd think possible for so little money! Choose a pair of these heavy weight blankets now . . .

Use our Lay-Away Plan— You'll be ready for winter's first cold night! Pastels—! **3<sup>98</sup>**

70"x80". Pair . . . . .

Choose Now! . . . Pay Later!

LONGFELLOW **2<sup>98</sup>**

Extra Large . . . 72" x 90"!

Longfellows, for tall men and large beds! More than ample tuck-in leaves plenty of blanket for cold shoulders — toes can't poke out! Plaids in popular pastels — 4" sateen binding.

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PLENTY OF EFFICIENT SALESPeOPLE TO SERVE YOU!

PRICES TAKE A TUMBLE!

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All from regular stock! This season's styles and fabrics! Every dress taken from our higher priced ranges!

NO REFUNDS! . . . NO EXCHANGES!

# R-e-d-u-c-e-d!

HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO SAVE!

## LADIES HATS

REPRICED! REGROUPED! TO SELL QUICKLY!

GROUP No. 1  
Only 38 to sell!  
Ladies' Summer

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Only 73 to sell!  
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HERE'S A BARGAIN!

(109 Pairs to Go!)

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LADIES' RINGLESS CREPE

# HOSE 2 pr.

First Quality! . . . Smart New Summer Shades!

# \$100

SAVE! SAVE! SAVE!

END-OF-MONTH SPECIAL!

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# Dresses

Formerly higher priced—! Don't Miss This! . . . No Refunds! . . . No Exchanges!

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EACH . . . . .

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