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CHALLENGE TO YOUTH IS GIVEN BY BISHOP HOLT

Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Fort Worth, regarded as one of the outstanding churchmen in the world, at one time having headed the Federal Council of Churches, largest protestant organization in the world, told the youth of Eastland and Lubbock counties Sunday night at a banquet that his generation has been an "object failure" and it is to the youth of this generation to remedy the ills of the world.

Brothers-in-Law May Rule Spain

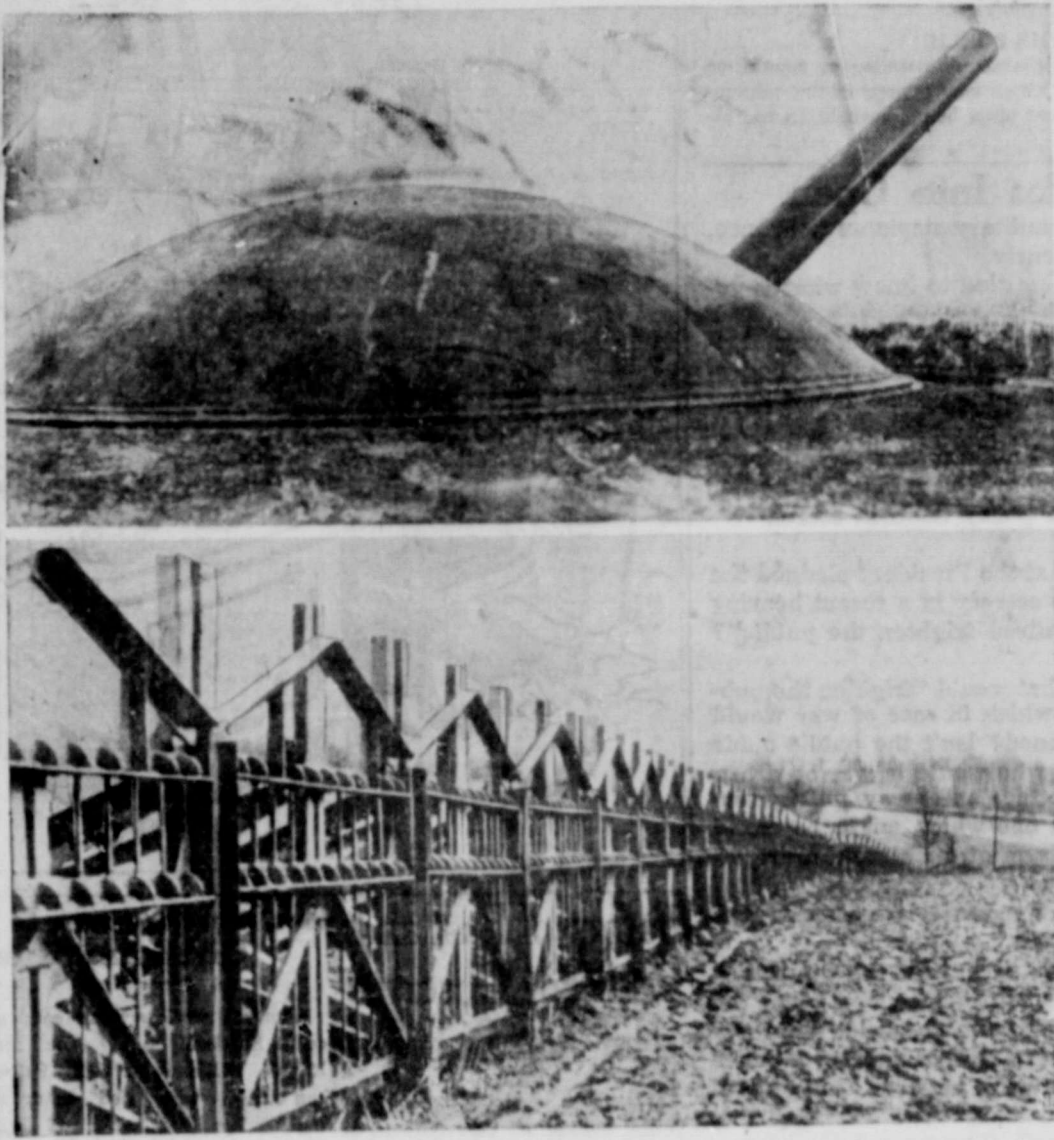


Spanish Rebel Generalissimo Franco, left, is reported about to establish a new insurgent government, with himself as dictator and his brother-in-law, Ramon Serrano Suner, right, as premier. Suner, now minister of the interior, is considered strongly pro-Fascist.

GERMAN BOMB WITH TERRIFIC POWER HINTED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Major General H. H. Arnold, chief of the army air corps, was disclosed today to have told the Senate Military Affairs Committee that the war department is "still trying to find out" about a new German bomb reported to be so powerful that when it was tried in Barcelona "it killed every human being within the range of a quarter of a mile."

Little Belgium Is Ready This Time



Belgium remembers 1914—when her old-style frontier forts were smashed by German artillery. Today her frontier with Germany is protected by a "Maginot" line similar to the famed underground defenses of France. In top photo, a heavy gun rears from the lid of a subterranean casement. The steel-rail anti-tank wall shown in lower photo runs over hill and dale for miles along Belgium's eastern border.

TEXAS EXES TO MEET MARCH 2 AT EASTLAND

The annual banquet of the Ex-Students of the University of Texas for the Oil-Belt District will be held in Eastland at 7:15 p. m., Thursday, March 2, 1939. The banquet will be in the basement of the First Methodist church at Eastland, and promises to be one of the best banquets of recent years. The speaker from the university will be Walter T. Rolfe, a professor of architecture, who is reputed to be an interesting speaker.

C. Of C. Directors To Complete Plans On Livestock Show

Directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce will hold their regular semi-monthly meeting tonight in the office of the secretary, when several matters will be brought up for discussion and action.

Overhead Signs To Be Erected, Invite Old Rip Inspection

Erection of overhead signs inviting tourist to view "Old Rip" the horned toad in the courthouse at Eastland is scheduled this week by the Chamber of Commerce.

POOR FUND HITS "JACKPOT"

BUTTE, Mont.—The decision of the county authorities to smash 100 slot machines that had been confiscated and to turn over to the poor fund the "jackpots" still remaining in them resulted in a total haul of \$242.45.

MARKETS

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| Chicago Grain | | | | |
| Wheat— | High | Low | Close | Close |
| May | 68 1/2 | 68 1/4 | 68 1/4 | 68 1/4 |
| July | 68 1/2 | 68 1/4 | 68 1/4 | 68 1/4 |
| Sept. | 69 1/2 | 69 1/4 | 69 1/4 | 69 1/4 |
| Corn— | | | | |
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| July | 50 1/2 | 50 1/4 | 50 1/4 | 50 1/4 |
| Sept. | 51 1/2 | 51 1/4 | 51 1/4 | 51 1/4 |
| Oats— | | | | |
| May | 29 1/2 | 29 1/4 | 29 1/4 | 29 1/4 |
| July | 27 1/2 | 27 1/4 | 27 1/4 | 27 1/4 |

INJUNCTION ON RANGER LAKE IS BEFORE COURT

L. R. Pearson, attorney for the City of Ranger, J. J. Kelly, water commissioner and E. T. Eubank, city secretary, are in Austin today to appear at an injunction hearing in district court, by which the City of Strawn is attempting to prevent Ranger building a lake for a new city water supply.

Former Residents Of Eastland Note 59th Wedding Date

CISCO, Feb. 27.—The fifty-ninth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. DeRossett, pioneer Cisco couple, was celebrated at the home of their son, William Edward DeRossett, and family at the latter's home in Fort Worth.

Secured Creditor Group Get 75c On \$1.00 In Case

Formal order closing receivership litigation in the case of E. M. Howard et al vs. B. W. Daniels has been entered by B. W. Patterson, judge of 88th district court.

TWO POWERS RECOGNIZE THE FRANCO REGIME

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Great Britain, acting in collaboration with France, recognized the Spanish Nationalist government of Generalissimo Francisco Franco today and sped the civil war in Spain to an early end.

Eastland Tribunal Renders Judgment In C. Tipton Case

B. W. Patterson, judge of 88th district court, Saturday rendered judgment for the defendant in the case of Carrie Ella Tipton et al vs. Josephine Tipton et al in which the plaintiff had sued to set aside a deed executed by her to defendant children.

LEGISLATURE'S BUSY WEEK IS BEING PLANNED

AUSTIN, Feb. 27.—Texas legislators planned to cram a large amount of work into three days this week as they gathered in the house and senate today. The eighth week of the 120-day session will begin tomorrow.

Mrs. Olivia Stokes Funeral Service Is Held At Eastland

Funeral services for Mrs. Olivia Stokes, 84, who died Saturday, were conducted Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist Church in Eastland.

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County Report In WTCC Contest Sent To Chiefs

A report of Eastland county's participation in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce soil and water utilization contest was forwarded Monday to Abilene headquarters of the WTCC.

Former Rangerite Dies At His Home In Bells Sunday

Henry Clay Demie, a citizen of Ranger for many years, prior to moving to South Texas a few years ago, died at his home in Bells, Sunday, according to word received here today.

Roosevelt Has "Little Chance" Win Third Term

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—President Roosevelt, if he decides to run again, "has very little chance of being re-elected" in 1940, and no other new deal candidate could possibly win, Fortune Magazine asserted today.

Lindy Webster, 77, Dies On Saturday

Lindy Webster, 77, Eastland native, died Saturday. Funeral services had not been arranged Monday morning. A son, Leo Webster, works at the Muirhead Matar company.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Bring Airplane Sales Into Open

In the furor about sale of military airplanes to France, one thing stands out quite clearly.

The American people are entitled to know what is going on.

If there is one thing that stands contrary to every American principle, it is to have any arrangements or understandings with any country which the people do not know about.

It is all very well to protect military secrets by closed hearings and unrecorded testimony. But it is quite another to have discussions of foreign policy itself in secret.

Can it be true, as reported, that the President pledged the Military Affairs Committee to secrecy in a recent hearing "lest details of the policy involved frighten the public"? This is scarcely credible.

What kind of a policy is it that would "frighten the public"? Isn't it the same public which in case of war would be asked to wage it unfrightened? Isn't the public made up largely of the same people who would in war be drafted into the army and asked to face an enemy, unfrightened? Isn't the public the same one which might be asked to hide underground at the alarm of air attack, unfrightened?

The American public is not so easily frightened. It is entitled to know the facts of life.

It has not forgotten, for instance, how the diplomacy of Sir Edward Grey had the British in a box when the World War broke out. Grey left them no choice whatever but to enter the war. There was no formal military alliance with France. But close cooperation between the general staffs, military and naval, and many "conversations" between military leaders, had made the two countries interdependent and closely linked. When war came, the British people had no genuine free choice.

The United States wants no agreements, understandings, or obligation, spoken or unspoken, written or unwritten, that will deny it a free choice if there is another world war.

This is not to argue that we should refuse to sell airplanes to France. We are already selling war supplies to Japan to help it bomb the independence out of the Chinese. We are selling them to South American countries whose current governments are less than completely democratic. In fact, we are selling them to all comers except to the legal Spanish government.

Probably it is all right to sell planes to France. But we have a right to know to precisely what policies we are being committed. Nothing less than that will sustain popular confidence in those policies.

A Kentucky jury has fined a man \$200 for striking a poet. Protecting our songbirds, eh?

Roosevelt and God were most popular in a recent poll of New York school children. The third winner, spinach, indicates the kids were prodded, not polled.

CABINET OFFICIAL

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a small illustration of a man's face.

Advertisement for Unique Beauty Shop, featuring a portrait of a woman and text describing beauty services.

The Fellows at the Other End



Mother of Eastland Resident Observes Her 90th Birthday

Mrs. J. A. Siebert of Sadler, Texas, mother of Jess Siebert of Eastland, recently observed her ninetyeth birthday with a dinner at her home. Sadler is in Grayson County.

Mrs. Siebert, the former Miss Annie Harshbarger, was born Feb. 26, 1849, at Bement, Ill. She was married to Mr. Siebert in 1875 and they came immediately to Tarrant County. She is the mother of 16 children, 14 of whom are living. The children included three sets of twins. She has been a member of the Sadler Home Demonstration Club, the Whitesboro Eastern Star and the Sadler Rebekah lodge.

Living children are Mrs. S. C. Franklin, O. A. Siebert, Roy Siebert and Mrs. C. L. Walker, Sadler; Mrs. Hattie Watson, Miss Bess Siebert and Mrs. Charles Meek, Whitesboro; Jess Siebert, Eastland; Lee Siebert, Cason; Mrs. O. B. Farham, Austin; Mrs. J. E. Barnes, Mexia; Mrs. C. L. Moulder, Sulphur Springs; Mrs. Pitt Cowan, Littlefield, and Mrs. W. M. Goodwin, Houston.

Mother of Former Rangerite Is Dead

Word has been received in Ranger of the death of the mother of Mrs. Barney Carter, formerly of Ranger, which occurred at her home in Goldthwaite last Wednesday. Burial was Thursday. Survivors include 10 children, a number of grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. All the children were present for the funeral services.

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Eye Brow and Lash Dye 35c Finger Waves, any style 20c Shampoo, set, dry 35c Special Shampoo, Set, dry 50c Oil Manicure (special) 35c

Pleasing You Keeps Me Busy!

Unique Beauty Shop Mrs. J. M. (Elnora) Duggan PHONE 120 103 N. Austin St. - Ranger

Eastland Woman Is Given Last Rites

Funeral services were conducted in Eastland today for Mrs. Minnie Williams, of 512 Patterson street, who died Saturday, eight miles northwest of Cisco. She was born July 15, 1874.

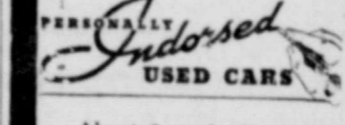
Survivors include one son, Benny Motley of Hot Springs, Ark., and two daughters, Mrs. Fred Basham and Mrs. J. D. Curtis, Eastland.

Services were conducted by Rev. J. L. Cartledge. Burial arrangements were by Hamner Undertaking Company.

Pall bearers were M. H. Kenny, Aubrey Yeager, Artie Lyles, W. W. Kelly, A. E. LeClaire and A. W. Hennessiee.

USED CARS

... Shall Go 1 Hope!



About 3 weeks have gone since the boys at the factory and the boys at the Ranger Times told me the reason I didn't sell those used cars, was because I wouldn't advertise them. Well, maybe they're right. I never believe in criticizing anyone else's opinion when I am not sure myself. Well, I've run ads for 18 days and still have the same stock of Used Cars—about 15 too many! Could sell a few New Cars, but what's the use when these old ones won't go? Now, I have a big idea to just help a lot of business get going. That's all we all need is just getting started now! Not next week! So here's my deal—Just look what it will do. Let's get the buying bug. It will make good times again. I want to sell 4 Used Cars this week. You will find them listed here:

1936 Hudson 8 Sedan \$376
1935 Terraplane 6 \$350
Black Sedan

1935 Chevrolet 6 \$275
Standard Sedan, tan

1934 Chevrolet 6 \$295
Master Sedan, black

You buy one of these cars... and I'll GIVE you FREE \$5 worth of GROCERIES, \$5 worth of GAS and OIL, \$5 worth of CLOTHES, and 100 pounds CHICKEN FEED. (If you don't have any chickens, I'll give you some CHICKENS, too). All right, you come on down and let's start a little business for lots of us. Who knows? Others might follow.

C. J. MOORE AUTO MART HUDSON MOTOR CARS

Two Winners In Movie Contest To Be Named Locally

Two Ranger winners in the Greater Movie Contest will be named from the Arcadia stage tonight at 8:30, it was announced today by B. E. Garner, manager, upon receipt of word from New York that another winner in Ranger had been selected.

The two winners have received cards, a duplicate of which Garner has received, and they will present this card at the manager's office tonight for identification.

Letters have been received by W. F. Creager, cashier of the Commercial State Bank of Ranger, informing the winners of the amounts they will receive. These letters are to be delivered to Garner at the theatre by Creager and Hall Walker at 7 o'clock, and will be opened on the stage.

No one, the theatre manager, bank officials or the winners themselves, will know the amounts of their prizes until they are opened tonight.

Arabs Are Killed In Sunday Riots

HAIFA, Palestine, Feb. 27.—Thirty-two Arabs were killed and 50 Arabs and two Jews wounded today in bombings and shootings here, at Jerusalem, and on the highways.

British authorities at once imposed a drastic curfew in the entire Haifa area.

Before the bombing the Arab quarter had been put under a curfew as a result of the killing of three Jews yesterday. Arabs had held a demonstration Sunday morning in the belief that Great Britain proposed to set up an Arab state in Palestine. Police were forced to restrict them to their own quarters.

\$500 as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of the bidder.

Bids also will be received by the court on the same day for trust funds in the hands of the county and district clerks of Eastland County. Bids and proposals will be received by Judge Adamson until 10 a. m. March 13.

Depository Naming By County Slated Monday, March 13

W. S. Adamson, county judge, announced Saturday that a county depository or depositories for county funds will be selected at a meeting of commissioners court Monday, March 13.

Bids should be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check for



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Advertisement for 'Guaranteed USED CAR Values' featuring a smiling man in a hat and a car. Lists various car models and prices.

Lynn Landrum To Speak March 17 At 9:49 Banquet

Definite announcement that Lynn Landrum, editorial writer of the Dallas Morning News, will be the principal speaker for the annual 9:49 Bible Class Father-Son banquet, Friday, March 17, at Eastland, was issued Monday.

The banquet is considered one of the most important Eastland events of the year and usually attracts over 200 fathers and sons.

The meeting will be in the basement of the First Methodist Church. Women of the church will serve.

Mrs. Robertson Is Graduate Of NTSTC

DENTON, Feb. 27.—Editorial praise of leading Texas newspaper



ONE LOAF WILL PROVE TO YOU! ASK FOR SCHOOLEY'S BREAD WHEN YOU GO SHOPPING TOMORROW! Enjoy the rich wheat grain bread which Mother Nature has endowed with needed Vitamin B1! Combine this with minerals, milks and slow baking... you then have SCHOOLEY'S BUTTER FLAKE BREAD! SCHOOLEY'S BAKERY PHONE: RANGER

DIFFERENT FROM ALL OTHERS



The New 1939 SERVEL ELECTROLUX Gas Refrigerator Has no moving parts in its freezing system. A tiny gas flame takes the place of wearing parts... producing food-protecting cold and ice cubes silently and economically. Servel can save you enough on food alone to pay for itself. Whether you're thinking of buying your first automatic refrigerator, or replacing your present one, don't decide on any make until you see Servel and understand how it works. You'll save more—for more years—if you do!

NO MOVING PARTS in its freezing system. PERMANENT SILENCE. CONTINUED LOW OPERATING COST. MORE YEARS OF DEPENDABLE SERVICE. CONTINUED SAVINGS THAT PAY FOR IT.

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SERIAL STORY WOMEN WANT BEAUTY!

BY LOUISE HOLMES

Yesterday Jeff, without knowing it, is in love with Susie and...

CHAPTER XX

THE days hurried by. On Sunday, Susie's picture, together with articles of clothing and...

She stood beside Jeff, unaware that necks craned, and an excited murmur rose. If Susie's features were not perfect, mouth too wide, nose too impudent, no one in the crowded dining room knew it.

Edna and Jeff did their best to appear natural, unconscious of the stares and curious comments. John Harker was silent and dignified. He didn't like it—didn't like it at all.

Jeff murmured to his mother, "I feel like a monkey in a cage. Wouldn't be surprised if they offered me peanuts."

She laughed understandingly. "It's all right. Watch Susie—she's so cute about it all."

It was really Susie who saved the situation. Utterly herself, she placed the party on an ordinary basis. The fact that one of the friends had recently dug her from the desolate ignominy of unloveliness and set her feet on the primrose path of beauty, she ignored.

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"OUT OUR WAY" - - - - - By Williams



PROOF OF THE WOODEN

Nominee



H.R. ARRANT

Abilene Man Out After Election To Rotary Club Post

ABILENE, Feb. 27.—H. R. Arrant, professor of chemistry at Hardin-Simmons University, here in Abilene today has been placed in nomination for governor of the 127th district of Rotary International.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS



Try Our Want Ads!

ALLEY OOP - - - - - By Hamlin



WE'RE ON DRY LAND!

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

BY BRUCE CATTON NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—Uncle Sam's WPA job stands out as one of the biggest undertakings the government ever shouldered.

From its beginning in mid-1935 down to the first of January, 1939, the WPA has cost a grand total of \$6,854,545.463.

Of this, cities, counties and states made a direct contribution of \$1,034,546,000. The balance was contributed from the federal treasury, and includes approximately \$184,750,000 spent on the National Youth Administration— which, while not technically a branch of WPA, is supported from WPA funds.

Wages accounted for \$5,105,402,000. Administrative expense came to \$231,343,000. The balance of \$1,517,800,463 went for materials and equipment, one billion of which came from localities.

So much for the cost. What did the country get out of it? According to the best official estimate, approximately 6,780,000 persons held WPA jobs at one time or another. Nobody knows for sure, but WPA authorities estimate that perhaps 600,000 of these stayed on the job from the start; the rest came and went as private employment fluctuated.

The level of WPA employment has swung up and down. When the program began in August, 1935, there were 252,000 workers. By the end of November WPA had 2,445,954 people on its rolls. Low point came in September, 1937, with 1,451,112 workers on the rolls, and the high was reached in October, 1938, when—counting some 90,000 workers who were paid out of WPA funds but were employed on other federal projects—it touched 3,217,578.

During its lifetime WPA has put through at least 250,000 projects. At any given time there are usually about 40,000 projects under way.

What do these projects include? It is a hard question. In the first place, WPA is now in the process of making a tabulation. The figures are not complete, and

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX NEA Service Staff Writer

At the feast of hearts on St. Valentine's Day serve a delicious treat to make men happy. Broiled steak with french-fried onion rings never fails.

French Fried Onions

(Serves 6) Two Bermuda-type onions, 1 cup milk, flour, salt. Peel onions. Slice crosswise 1-4 inch slices. Carefully separate into rings. Place milk in shallow dish and stand onion rings in milk a few minutes. Then drain and dip lightly in flour. Fry in hot deep fat until delicately brown. Drain on glazed paper and serve piping hot with the broiled steak.

Sautéed Mushrooms

(Serves 6—as garnish) Steak and mushrooms is another darling of the masculine heart. Mushrooms are plentiful and moderately priced, too. One pound mushrooms, 3 tablespoons butter, seasoning. Wash and peel mushrooms and cut off hard end of stems. Keep these trimmings for soup. Slice mushrooms down from cap to stem end, into 1/8 inch slices. Sauté in hot butter, uncovered, turning frequently. When tender (about 10 minutes or less) serve hot on steak.

Strawberries Romanoff

(Serves 6) Fresh strawberries are plentiful, too. Use a few boxes in honor of St. Valentine's Day. Prepare two baskets of fresh strawberries hulled and cleaned, 1 wine-glass of rum or non-alcoholic rum

flavoring, rind of 1-2 grapefruit, rind of 1 orange, 1 pint cream, 3 eggs, 3 ounces of sugar, 1-2 cup macaroon crumbs to the strawberries. Four rum or rum flavoring over the strawberries. Remove all pulp from the grapefruit and orange rind. Cut rind into match-size strips. Boil in two or three cups of water, until tender, changing the water after the strips have boiled for five minutes. Strain and cool. Add the orange and grapefruit strips to the strawberries and rum or rum flavoring and let stand for at least three hours. Scald 1-2 pint cream. Combine eggs and sugar in a bowl and cream. Cook in double boiler until consistency of heavy cream. Cool. When ready to serve the strawberries Romanoff, whip the remaining 1-2 pint of cream. Mix the custard, cream and strawberries together, put in a bowl and sprinkle with macaroon crumbs.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



WEATHER RECORDS

OVER LONG PERIODS SHOW THAT THERE IS NO BASIS FOR THE 'LION AND LAMB' THEORY REGARDING MARCH WEATHER.

THE WORLD MILLINER

COMES FROM 'MILANER'... MILAN, ITALY, ONCE BEING A GREAT CENTER FOR WOMEN'S FINERY.

ANSWER: No. This island, a colony of Great Britain, is a self-governing dominion. It is in no way a part of Canada, either geographically or politically.

March 13 Decided As Date For 4-H Day at Exposition

Four-H club day at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show has been set for Monday, March 13, Sam E. Rosenberg, assistant county agent, has announced.

Club boys who send in their enrollment cards by February 1, will be allowed to attend the show.

Plans are under way for arrangements to be made for the club boys and club girls to attend the show.

There will be no admission fee to 4-H Clubbers on this day at the Fat Stock Show and tickets for admission will be handed out at the gate. The tickets will be issued to county agents and local leaders only.

Packers are said to be using cotton fabrics to wrap meats in. Too many steaks taste like muslin now.

Work On Huge Dam 20 Per Cent Completed Now

POSSUM KINGDOM DAM, Palo Pinto County, Tex.—Work on Possum Kingdom dam, first and largest unit of a series of dams to be constructed in the Brazos river reclamation and flood control program, has passed the stage of 20 per cent completion, according to supervising engineers.

Eight huge buttresses which will be the main support of the flood barrier tower above the water line of the river—the highest pointing 80 feet into the air. These buttresses eventually will rise 130 feet above the water—100 feet below the top of an adjoining bluff.

Already fashioned into the massive concrete are the spacious tunnels through which will flow sluice water to the giant turbines to produce electricity for this section.

For flood control, the dam occupies a strategic spot. It is located where the river describes a large "S" and flows eastward between two high promontories. Hanging over the stream on one side is Old Red Bluff to the north. To the south, at right angles to the bluff, is a high ridge which is inside the curve.

An earthen section of the dam will run north from the end of the ridge, connecting with the concrete and steel structure. The stream has been shunted to the far right of its bed by the buttresses. High overhead cables carry enormous buckets of concrete over the dam to be dumped in place. "Tail towers" support the cables on the bluff.

The Possum Kingdom project, under control of the Brazos river conservation and reclamation district, is being built by funds from the Works Project Administration. Project engineer is Charles P. Williams.

Shoe fashionists are in a dither. Last year women's footwear was tooless; this year it's without heels. Now nobody can figure out how to make a shoe without a sole.

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse - - - - - By Thompson and Coll



ALLEY OOP - - - - - By Hamlin



Society

The Times wants to be told about your visits and visitors. Personal items are always appreciated. Telephone 224, or mail or bring to—

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Archie Hazard Honored On Birthday

Saturday night, Archie Hazard was honored with a birthday dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rex. It was a real surprise to Archie. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Con Hazard and Mrs. Glen Rex to the following guests who registered:

Hubert Anderson, Maudie Fae Turner, Babb Edmonds, Margaret Watt, Francis McHenry, Huberta Mitchell, Carroll Boon, Cicero Harris, F. P. Brashier, James Russell of Stroud, Okla.; Kinzie Tucker, W. G. Pounds, Jane Matthews, Hershel Eyley, Katherine Murray, Dixie Gilger, D. A. Robinson, J. R. Beard, J. R. Houghton, Bessie Robinson, Bob Hunt, Bill Smith, Jerry Devore, James Ratliff, Jack Rex, Helen Gholson, Frances Gholson, Billie Jean Gorman, Bob Palmer, Charles Whitefield, Bettie Gorman.

Judge McFatter Performs Wedding Ceremony

Mr. Charlie Claude Rose of San Angelo and Miss Audrey Faye

Hush were married Saturday evening, Feb. 25, at 8:30 in the apartment of Judge and Mrs. J. N. McFatter with Judge McFatter officiating.

They will make their home in San Angelo.

Pollyanna S. S. Class To Have Monthly Business Meeting

Pollyanna Sunday School class is having their monthly business meeting Thursday night at the home of Nelma Robinson, 110 Sinclair Ave.

All members are urged to be present.

Hodges Oak Park P. T. A. To Be Hostess To City Council

The Hodges Oak Park P. T. A. will be hostess to the City Council, Wednesday, March 1, at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Ed Eubank, 816 Cypress.

The president, Mrs. E. E. Green requests all her appointed chairmen of committees to be present at this meeting that the plans for entertaining the First District Congress of P. T. A.'s which will be held in Ranger, April 18 and 19, may be worked out.

President Roosevelt has received the advice and consent of the Senate in the matter of Roberts' judicial appointment. Advice came from 72 senators and consent from nine.

Special Notice

I am moving to my new station, one block east of present location, Wednesday, March 1st. The building wont be quite complete, but will be able to take care of all my customers. Thank you. Official announcement later.

AL TUNE

IMPORTANT! Good personal appearance means so much in every way to a man these days. And neatly trimmed hair is necessary to good appearance. Have your hair trimmed frequently—and have it done here where we know how to make it look its best—GHOLSON BARBER SHOP, L. E. Gray, Owner.

HE'S AT THE ARCADIA AGAIN



Society Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Cooper of Kilgore spent the week-end visiting in the home of his father, V. V. Cooper, and with other relatives.

Mr. Foy Sanders, who is employed at the White Plaza hotel, Dallas, is visiting his sister and her husband and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wolf and Peggy Jean. He will return today.

Marie Conway went and returned by bus to Fort Worth, Saturday.

Mrs. Barney Carter visited friends in Ranger Saturday on her way to Goldthwaite, to visit relatives. She went to Dallas following the burial of her mother, Thursday.

Mrs. Cora Whalen is reported to be resting well at the West Texas Clinic, where she is still a patient.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Sheridan of Fort Worth, left Sunday after visiting her sister, Mrs. Lottie Davenport. While here Mrs. Sheridan was a patient at the West Texas clinic a few days.

Mrs. Dick Canafax has returned home from El Paso, where she visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Calloway, a week.

Mrs. C. N. Deaton has been ill the past two weeks with flu from which she has partially recovered, but is still suffering from throat infection.

H. L. Johnson of Corpus Christi, formerly of Ranger, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson.

Calvin Brown returned to Ranger Sunday afternoon from Andrews, where he accompanied Mrs. Brown for an indefinite visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Ambrose Jr. He reports Mrs. Ambrose and the baby are getting along fine.

Billy Anderson is confined to his home with bronchitis.

Mrs. Amos Rice is confined to her bed, suffering from bronchitis.

Dr. C. L. Jackson and family went to Nocona, Friday and returned Sunday. They were accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. M. Jackson.

Jim Blair of Tulsa, Oklahoma, spent a few hours in Ranger, Sunday.

James Webb, accompanied by Mrs. Weldon Webb and babies, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Webb of Levita, Texas. Martha Sue Webb remained for a visit with her grandparents and aunt, Mrs. Stanley Miles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mooney spent Saturday afternoon in Fort Worth.

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Local Men Receive Honors For Selling

Two Ranger men have been honored for meritorious achievements in gas refrigerator selling, according to an announcement from George S. Jones, Jr., vice-president and general sales manager of Servel, Inc., of Evansville, Indiana. They are A. D. Parson and F. P. Brashier, both with the Ranger Furniture Exchange, this city.

"These men are among a group of sales people throughout the United States who have won recognition as 'Servel Star Salesmen'."

HORSESHOES SILVER PLATED

COLUMBUS, O.—A collection of 57 silver-plated horseshoes, believed to be the only such collection, is owned by Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Thomas, Sr. They were made by his father, the late T. J. Thomas of Springfield, as a hobby.

CLASSIFIED

STATED MEETING

Ranger Masonic Lodge Thursday night at 7:30. Examination in all degrees. Visitors welcome. All members urged to attend.

1—LOST, STRAYED, STOLEN

LOST—Red roan mare, branded VR on thigh. John Donowho, Olden, Texas.

6—BUSINESS CHANCES

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19—FOR SALE OR TRADE

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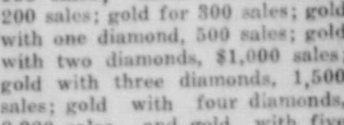
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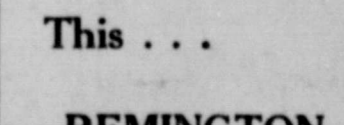
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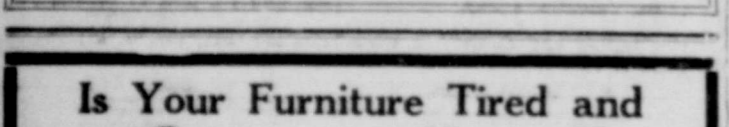
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