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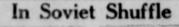
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et engineer and radio and education. to her knees."

Dr. Beddoe, who has spent thirty years in China, was sharply critical of the United States for omecoming the help it has given to Japan. "To our shame, we have shipped

mated 100 out- East," he said. "Our government can spend money to ship home on a battleers, and the Rev. ship the ashes of a diplomat whose with driving drunk, given seven replacements, furniture, fixture aco. The present nation is openly friendly but days in county fail and a \$50 and equipment for the hospital and shall not be considered as opingements.

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# our several hun-fulness and feed those people across the Pacific who are literal-long tables laden by and actually starving."

# METHODISTS IN AGREEMENT ON CREED ON WAR

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 10. Resolutions intended to ease the friction which was aroused last night when the "conscientious objection to war" section of the creed of the Methodist Church was adopted, were passed by the

Alf M. Landon, former goveror of Kansas, led the fight gainst incorporating the right of Methodists to invoke the conscient tious role in event of war, but h was defeated. Today Frank S. Hickman, professor at Duke University, and Harold Sloan, New York, editor of the Christian Advocate, offered resolutions to take out some of the sting from the de feat. Both were adopted. The Hickman resolution said

that the church is opposed to war, but makes allowances for differences of opinion and called on the president and congress "to avoid making entanglements that would involve us in war."

Sloan's resolution called fo renewal of the allegiance that the Methodists pledged to George Washington and expressed faith in political freedom and devotion to the gospel of Christ. It also recalled that the Methodists were the first protestants, who, as an organization, pledged their support and cooperaton to Washing

## Honor Eastland County Solon In Service at House

Representative P. L. Crossley of Jim Braddock, former honored in decoration services by federacy in the House Tuesday

Rep. Crossley with several other members of the legislature re-ceived decorations because the sons of Confederate veterans. The honorees were introduced by Rep. Goodman of Modland and Carl Nesbitt of Austin, former

Mrs. W. W. Turner, U. D. C state recorder of crosses, explained the decorations, while Mrs. J. E. Callahan, Austin recorder of

## Hospital Orders Passed by Court

Commissioners' court has passe nesday, which provides for the county to pay the difference between the operating expenses and amount of cash received from paying patients in the City-County hospital at Ranger. The plan wa made to be retroactive from Jar

The hospital, it was noted in the official order, is owned jointly by the City of Ranger and the county but the county pays fo adigent patients from over the county, including Ranger.

Also ordered by the comm

ioners was that members of the board of managers of the hospital y 10.—A homeof the Gorman
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The county of Eastland shall homes. judge or one of the county com

said. "We must stop our waste-chicken theft, given 30 days in Last year, allowing \$2.50 per fulness and feed those people county jail.

Coal Parley Generates Heat

Gesturing with cigar for emphasis, C. I. O.'s John Lewis, left, debates point with John R. Steelmah, center, during coal strike parley at New York City. Right, Charles O'Neill, spokesman for mine operators, listens in.

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### **Braddock Back**



student at Arizona State Teachers' heavy- College in Phoenix, Ariz., prison ed upon in July Eastland was among legislators weight champion, gives the im- parolee and son of former prosethe United Daughters of the Con- pression that comebacks are not cuting attorney of King's County Jackson and Ed Everett were so simple, at that, as he prepares in the state of Washington, is

## New Marine Quota For May Received

MAY PEARL, Texas, May 10. May assigned to the United States merce, also was present. W. G. Wilmon, president of the Marine Corps recruiting district May Pearl Bank, was shot and of Dallas, headquarters for Texas slugged by a six-foot, red haired and Oklahoma, has been set at bandit this afternoon, who escap- thirty-five, First Sergeant Fault ed with an undetermined amount of the district recruiting office of cash from the bank's till. The announced today.

Wilmon, who was in the bank data on physical requirements can alone at the time of the robbery, be obtained by writing or visit-was taken to a hospital in Waxa-ing the Dallas office, First Ser-

#### Maverick Wins In San Antonio Voting Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Blair, em-

By United Frees

SAN ANTONIO, May 10 .inal tabulation today of votes in yesterday's mayorality race gave the following totals for the lead-

Jeffers, 11,503,

The other three candidates re-ceived less than 70 votes apiece.

## Pa., this orphanage was opened by the Independent Order of Odd Army Civil Funds Fellows. A little girl who had lost her parents was the first to enter Reported to House

WASHINGTON, May 10 .- Th Any expenditure in excess of homes for the care of orphans today reported a \$255,188,154 apil functions of the war department in 1940, including funds for flood control and rivers and har-

The bill was placed before the | T. L. Wheat, presided. house after bitter fight in committee, which resulted in elimina-

## New Lion Official Double Killing Visitor In Eastland Regular Luncheon

Eastland Lions several weeks aRoque of Cisco for governor of his Lions district and Tuesday he

The club had its regular lunchciation for support of members of in the Oil Belt.
Rev. J. I. Cartlidge, president, presided and also reported on the

and Judge Clyde Grissom were appointed members of a commit

Tilman Stubblefield, Wayne

bile salesmen in Arizona desert by Mrs. Donald Kinnaird, sang

to help in selling tickets to a night, May 11.

The quota of enlistments for of the Cisco Chamber of Com-

# Plan a Reply To Hitler Suggestion

By United Press

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, May 10 -Sweden, Norway, Denmark and Finland will send individual notes to Germany, politely declining Adolf Htler's offer of non-aggresson pacts, it was understood today lowing the four-power "Nordconference here. The foreign ministers who took part returned to their capitols to-

day to report to their cabinets. It was forecast that replies the governments to Hitier's offer would not be identical, but would Maury Maverick, former con-ressman, 18,375; C. K. Quin, the ncumbent, 14,874, and LeRoy same time expressing the desire of the northern countries to conwhich would make it impossible The four commissioners backed for them to become involved in political pacts with any combina-tion of powers.

## Women Have Final Meeting of Season

sembled for their last meeting of ceived here, the school year Tuesday, May 9, in the schol auditorium.

Mrs. D. D. Franklin, Mrs. Paul Soft Coal Contract tion at the last minute of \$50,000,000 of funds for flood control and for rivers and harbors reports from the District P.-T.A. conference held in Ranger recent

Mrs. Ted May discussed "Eco

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# RUSSIA HOLDS

Soviet Russia today assumed he key role in the European pic

Great Britain, seeking to draw Russia into a security agreement, sistance to aggression by Germa ny assured Russia that she would be expected to assist victims of aggression in Eastern Europe only after Britain and France, coming to the aid of those victims, were actually engaged in war.

The statement was made Prime Minister Neville Chamber lain in the House of Commons. However Chamberlain told quesioners that the government still opposed to a military alliance of ritain, France and Russia.

Chamberlain's statement corected a Soviet impression that as-

port in Paris that the Pope's failure to include the Soviets in his Eastland Lions several work of the Pope's Britain and France to the Pope's

suggestion.
Meanwhile Germany, which renade his first official visit—to cently negotiated a trade agreement with Rumania is now dickering with Lithuania, also took steps to achieve a dominant economi eon at the Connellee hotel and in London that Adolf Hitler and heard LaRoque express his appre- Generalissimo Francisco Franco have agreed to arrange a trade the Eastland club and other clubs agreement similar to that with

# Offers Good Entertainment

Spring Fever! You may not Discussion indicated ward school an hilarious, rollicking comedy at and band students may be asked the Recreation building, Thursday

laughs, chuckles, and titters. Truly, Spring Fever will give you a refreshing two hours.

## Crowds Continue Christian Revival

The subject of Rev. McKissick's sermon at the revival at the First Christian Church of Ranger, for Tuesday night was "Persuadest Thou Me to Be a Christian." A large congregation was present. Bill Carlyle, who has arrived to

onduct the singing and to lead the children's work during the revival, proved last night to be an The subject selected by Rev. McKissick for tonight will be "Prayer." This will be Eastland night at the revival and a large number of members of the First Christian Church of Eastland are

#### Rising Star Man Is Named to NSWA

expected to attend, it was an-

nounced today by Rev. H. B.

Johnson, pastor of the Ranger

W. T. Tyler of Rising Star and D. Sandefer, Jr., of Breckenridge, both directors of the West Central Texas Oil and Gas association, have been named to serve on the executive committee Members of the Morton Valley of the National Stripper Well Parent-Teacher Association as association, according to notice re-

The organization will hold its the schol auditorium.

The incoming president, Mrs.

L. Wheat, presided.

national convention in Fort Worth in October, preceding the annual convention of the Independent Petroleum association of America.

# **Negotiators Meet**

NEW YORK, May 10 .- Contract

Maxim Litvinov

In midst of negotiations with Great Britain for Anglo-Russian alliance, Soviet Commissar of Foreign Affairs Mamix Litvinov, left, Vischeslav Molotov, right, chairman of the Council of People's Com-

Anthony Brought The Kerosene But He's 31 Years Late

> SHARON, Pa., May 10 .- Anthony Kesey has delivered the mother sent him to get 31 In 1908 when Anthony was 13, his mother sent him to the store for the oil. He disappear-

ed. Yesterday when his mother

answered a knock on the door

My United Press

there was Anthony with the Anthony came here from Florida where he had spent the past several years. After leav-ing home in 1908 he had worked on farms in this district and later was a wrestler with a

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#### "Japan can never fight China Official Records Perfect Record In Criminal Docket

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#### Bank President Shot By Bandit Who Robbed Bank

of cash from the bank's till. The announced today.

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Suards have been placed on all high school training are eligible to make application. Complete

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#### ployes of the bank, when they reurned to work from lunch. Ranger I.O.O.F. To Celebrate First Orphanage Open.

Odd Fellows of Ranger will versary of the founding of the vorld's first fraternal orphanage. On May 11, 1875, in Meadville,

Since that day the Odd Fellows

The expense of maintaining these homes is borne by more than 1,500,000 members of the Odd Fellows; divided into more than 25,000 subordinate lodges. principally on the North American continent. The Ranger lodge also will be host to Gorman and De Leon Odd

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#### Look at the Substance; Forget the Word

Our political words are getting all scrambled. Some of them have come to mean practically nothing at all.

When men understand widely different things by the same word, then that word is no longer of much value.

Two words ring in every ear today, and all day long. They are "democracy" and "dictatorship." Are we all talking about the same thing when we use

these words? Let's see. Democracy. Why, that's a country where the people govern themselves! Is it? Well the United States is not, never was, and never was intended to be, a pure democracy. It is a demo-

cratic republic. The people govern themselves, but not directly. They are governed by popularly-chosen officials who have certain powers as long as they are in office. People can replace them with others if they don't like what is done. That is a republic, but it is not pure democracy.

Is Sweden a democracy? Of course not, we say. It is a monarchy. The king is head of the state, and he rules because his father ruled.

Yet in Sweden everything of importance is done by popularly-elected representatives of the people. The king walks about town or rides the trolleys like anybody else. And the Socialists think he's swell. In many ways Sweden is more democratic under the monarchy than France is under a republic.

Is Russia a democracy? It is a government set up and run by the members of a single party. They alone have power. They alone have rights. This is a theory that works like this: A small party of highly-trained people decide that the great bulk of the people are dopes, and unable to govern themselves.

So they say, "With the best motives in the world, and in behalf of those voiceless millions, we appoint ourselves their representatives. We will seize power and rule for them until some day they are able to do it themselves.'

But your most rigid South American dictator always in- IMPORTANTI Good personal ap- land, is to be present. sists that he also is merely a trustee of the people's power, pearance means so much in every ruling for them until they are able to do it themselves. And way to a man these days. And that is dictatorship.

So whenever we hear those words "democracy" and have it done here where we know "dictatorship" today let's stop and ask ourselves, just what [GHOLSON BARBER SHOP. L. E do we mean?

Better than either word today is "a free country." Every American has defiantly asked the question "Well, it's a free country isn't it?" He knows what that means.

And the important thing about any country today is not "Is it a democracy?" or "A dictatorship?" or "A mor archy?" but "Is it free?"

#### U. S. A. STATESMAN

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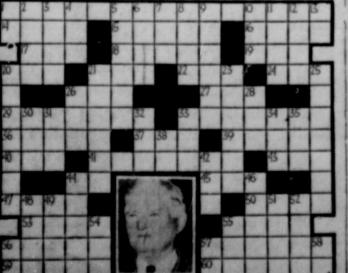
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Every member is urged to be present and all visitors are wel-

Animals in the Tokio zoo are eing fed fish instead of meat. It's apposed to be because fish is heaper, but Japan may be trying to educate the animals.



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#### BORDER ADVENTURE

Yesterday: Barro's altens start to cross the river when the Bor-der Patrol fires, calls bait. But from positions in the reor of Barro.

CHAPTER XXX

BARRO'S cavalcade of aliens groaned in sheer terror passed within 20 feet of Sheridan Starr, who was crouched against a boulder.

It was Sherry who fired the rifle signal five minutes later and shouted the first command to halt "ALTO!" His men in the border force repeated it. First duty always is to inform the enemy that he is under arrest, then take him peaceably if possible. Sharry, realized that peaceful surrender tonight was almost a futile hope. On the other hand, Luis Barro

was too dumfounded for a fev seconds to understand what had happened. The shot and the commands had come from the rear. But they had come unmistakably from the U. S. Eorder Patrol. All at once he was indignant. The damned Americanes had dared to cross into Mexico itself!

"Who are you?" he should back, insolently, "We are Mexi-cans, on Mexican soil, You know the law. You dare not be here "I know your voice, Barrol" Sheridan called, clearly and loud "But there's something you do not know. You are not on Mexican soil! I command you to surrender

or be killed!"

ternational line at this point. The learned today, old channel is, not the new one They have and you are under legal arrest do make a cruise they will no Maros arriba!"

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AN almost electric tenseness had A gripped both groups during this brief exchange, then suddenly it broke. A woman screamed; somebody

Horses sensed the excitement

beran pitching Luis Barre
cursed. Then he jerked out mu
pistol and fired in the direction of

Sheridan's voice.

His shot released a ragged volley from 20 or 30 rifles and pistols around him, but the officers held their fire until they could speak one more warning command— "HALT! . . . ALTO!" The shoot-ing only increased. Sheridan saw a fellow officer fall and writhe in

"OKAY, LET 'EM HAVE IT!"

Sheridan yelled then. Luis Barro spurred his horse in that instant, guiding back west-ward toward the first opening he could see in the night shadows. But another horseman had spurred with him and came now to his

(Continued on page 3)

#### Duke and Duchess Cancel U. S. Visit

By United Press

PARIS, May 10 .- The Duke and Duchess of Windsor have def But-this is Mexico! The initely abandoned the idea of vis iting the United States and the The Rio Grande is not the in- New York World's Fair, it was

They have arranged to return The river has changed, but the two countries have not changed the line survey. You and you aliens are all on American soil do make a cruise they will not do make a cruise they will not

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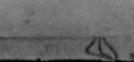


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DARK SOON!

the river itself toward the east, the aliens and is lighted the scene ed for a second, standing with his own run- Yelling, shooting, screaming, theatrically, Its startling bright pistol ready. and dived. Barro was shouting, crying men and women ness, although harmless, seemed ound the neck. Both lunged about in confusion every- to have the effect of a huge ed hard to the ground, where, A tall bearded fellow loom- bomb, Foreigners wree thrown in Patrol rifles barked ed in the night and shot seemingly terror, stood now with their hands Crack! Crack! Crack! point blank at Sheridan Starr, but in the air. Five minutes more of

in a wild stampede. "Don't shoot any women!" he bal command. had entered the water yelled in command to the officers.

ly back into the fight. "Just pick off the men, All right, "Move up together, men!" he shouted, "and disarm 'em one by

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THE UNBELIEVABLE

. . . . . . . . . By Fred Harman

AW, THE CON'LL STOP 'ER WITH MEBBE, IF HE AIN'T THE AIR WHEN HE SEES HIS ASLEEP! C'MON, TRAIN AIN'T STOPPIN' WE'VE GOTTA GIT

ORDERED!

ME SEE CORRAL, BUT NO HOGAN, RED RYDER!

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ME I'D GET OUT

FEEL TH' BREEZE!

ped or fell off their Barro didn't answer, but in a one. Bunch them together. Be few minutes more the shooting careful, but don't shoot any more a long are of officers subsided. An officer had thrown if you don't have to." toward the west, and by a bright flare into the midst of From his left then he heard a

NO-NO-I GOT A

MOTHERS! SHE'S

WEEK AN' WE'LL

S'PICION THAT SHE'S

ONE OF THEM CLEVER

MAKIN' WORK LOOK

BALL LIKE A JOB,

LIKE FUN AND BASE

AND I THINK SHE'S

WINNING .... ANOTHER

HAVE TO COAX HIM

TO PLAY!

squeezed her and stared down at ! By Williams

and murmuring, "Sherry herry!" in little broken sobs. muttered at last. "Honey girl!" "I couldn't."

calling him by name!

hurt any? I'm coming!"

Startled, the young officer paus

if he could understand.

"Nobody has slipped through, I'm sure of that," he said then. The officers are rounding them up now. Closing in. Barro's in here somewhere sure as fate, detty Mary! We've got him-thanks to you! There won't likely be any more shooting now. Stay behind me and come on."

T was a battlefield, after the battle.

down, dead or wounded. And the bright white light of the flare reealed several human bodies as

"First thing for you and me new, little girl, is to help the wounded men," Sheridan was saying as he walked. He turned to address her direct—"We can save lives by prompt—!" He halted. She wasn't there! She hadn't followed at his heels, as ordered. But all at once she called to him again. Almost screamed.

him again. Almost screamed.

"Sherry! Here's Hope . . .

Hope . . Oh Sherry!"

They stooped to touch him. Apparently a Mexican, really an American in disguise. The odd stooping position of his body dumped over another had first attracted Betty Mary, and even under extraordinary circumstance. der extraordinary circumstance she had seen something familiar

about the man. She and Sherry moved to lift him. Sherry suddenly cried. "He's tled, hand and foot! With bridle reins. My god, Betty Mary! . . . Oh my god! . . . Hope captured Barro . . . then a wild bullet—! . . . Don't you see?"

Sherry's own youthful yoice had

Sherry's own youthful voice had roken into a sob as full realiza-on came to him.

A full quarter hour later other officers came to take charge; quietly, efficiently doing what had ducty, encernly doing what had to be done. They found big Sheri-dan sitting on the ground beside his teammate, head and arm on bent knees, crying in full abandon as only a strong man can. They was Betty Mary, face strained and bale, encircled in one of Sheri-ian's arms and held tightly there.

They straightened out the body of Hope Kildare ever so gently and covered it, and then they locked handcuffs on Luis Barro's wrists and led the dazed smug-

taken in charge and started to-ward El Paso, and first aid had been given the wounded men, an older officer and four others strode up to Hope and Betty. The older h knelt on one knee, hat in his d, reached out an arm and led Sheridan on the shoulder. (THE END)

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tossed form that once was a house-She came rushing to him then wife.

and he couldn't say a thing. He! They die, each man in his own just put an arm around her and way and slowly by degrees, because they see so much of what the top of her head, and felt her the state has charged them with trembling and patting his back stopping, and they fight against a and murmuring. "Sherry . . . sense of futilty, and pray that the next erash won't happen or, if I told you to stay home!" he does, that it won't claim a child. State Police Report:

"The man was driving rate speed and the little boy, two He said it matter-of-factly, as and a half years old, had a pop he hadn't expected her to; as gun and he was popping it at things along the road, like kids,

> along the way for the boy to ners. shoot at. 'Get that cow," he'd say. Strawn Road.
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he car swerved to the right and make this car do a dido that'll understanding: driver pulled it back sharply make the hair stand upon your hurt me so?" Something still vital, get onto the pavement again. head."

In a nil youth is vital, remains long on it swung way to the left and the car skidded, went off the after life is gone, as though each nto the ditch on the far side and road, and hit a tree 75 feet from young victim still seeks his right

the pavement. hung on its nose. "The little boy was thrown out "Accident; Fatal to Driver, men whose business it is to are car toppled over on top of him.

State Police Report:

Last year 58 children under "This car was traveling at excess four years were that look, and car toppled over on top of him.

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sive speed, the road came to a 117 between the ages of mind refused to verify what he thought he knew. It didn't make wirers at the sight of a rangled thought he knew. It didn't make wirers at the sight of a rangled after a speeding car, he races cither to right or left imperative. 286 child, the charred bo'v of a stall-mere than a salesman in a hurble priver failed to make the turn. 24. When a patrolman takes out T-type crossing, making a turn 14. And the greatest number wa mere than a salesman in a hur-ry, or a college student trying to miles nor hour.

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sided over the meeting. The roll was called and the m s were read and approved. The sick visits were reported

The Happy Hour Club will me-122 Pine street, Thursday after ordon, Breckenridge, Cisco

forman to visit the Ranger Lodge uesday, May 16. Refreshments pie and punch will be served. The penny prize was furnishe by Louie Calder and won by Pearl

There were 18 members pres . . . .

Child Welfare Club Postpones Tea and Book Review The Child Welfare tea and bo review, which was to have been held May 19, has been postponed to a later date.

Former Ranger Boy Married

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jones has received word of the marriage of their son, Dewey, to Miss Ruby Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs C. H. Carr of McCamey.

The couple will make their home in McCamey.

Intermediate G. A. Meets The Intermediate G. A. opene the program with Dr. Seymou taking each member's temperature and Nurse Ferris giving out pill, and subscriptions. The patients Mr. Umberson in his store at Ho were pleased, however, because the thermometers were candy also. Another pleasing prescription was fruit cocktail, which was en loyed both before and after the

When You Are Sick," "Are Hospitals Included in the Great given by Mary Ferris, Polly Sey gave Southern Baptist and the Ministry of Healing. Prayer, by Ruth Cox. Lillian Bishop ably

and radio.

Pillow Case." Dorothy Ferris us about a "Scrap of Paper That Grew Into a Christmas Tree." Two pictures and a question was given by Betty Lou Russell, Maucie Fay Turner gave an interest-ing talk entitled "Red and Yel-low, Black and White," and Nel-Reflections of a Christian Nurse. Each of the girls drew the ame of an irregular member to arge to attend our G. A. The girl

### Society Personal

Nona Pugh. Mrs. Mitchell close

the session with a prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson ttended the District Rotary convention in Big Spring Sunday Monday and Tuesday, and return ed home Tuesday evening

AUSTIN, May 10.—Charters granted included: Comanche Trail Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Langston. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. May, Miss Council, Inc., Boy Scouts of Am Beulah Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. erica, Brownwood; educationa B. E. Rigby, Mrs. W. W. Paschall, capital stock none. Incorporators Mrs. Pearl Long and Mrs. T. B. Russell B. Jones, E. J. Miller and Scott attended the funeral of Mrs. M. S. Sellers R. Baxendale at Strawn Tues iay afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Bax ndale formerly lived in Range and operated the Baxendale Drug Store, which is now the Oil City Pharmacy.

Wayne Perkins, watch maker who was formerly associated with the Umberson Jewelry Store i Ranger, but for the past thre Springs, New Mexico, has return ed to the Ranger store.

isitor in Eastland, Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Chas. T. Tally, Mr. R. A. Hobson, Mrs. W. A. De Loach and

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