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## Morton Valley H D Club Votes For Bi-Monthly Meetings

The Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, Sept. 15, at the home of Mrs. T. L. Wheat, with the chairman, Mrs. Cecile Eubank, presiding. The meeting opened with the club prayer and song.

During the business session the club voted to meet twice each month. The annual "Achievement Day" program was planned. Oct. 6, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Thompson, Home Food Supply demonstrator, and go from there to Mrs. W. E. Tankersley's who is yard demonstrator, and see the work they have done. The president asks that all annual reports be given at this time. Officers for the coming year will also be elected.

Refreshments of cheese and cracker sandwiches, cookies, iced watermelon and iced tea was served to Mrs. Cecile Eubank, J. B. Harbin, W. E. Tankersley, A. F. Beck, H. C. Thompson, C. R. Westfall, Thad Henderson and T. L. Wheat.

## Former Carbon Couple Married On August 30th

The marriage of Miss Jenais Lovell of Baird and Sgt. Euell Allison of Duncan Field, San Antonio, which took place at Baird August 30, has been announced. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lovell of Baird, while the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Allison of Carbon.

He is a nephew of J. C. and Levin Allison of Eastland. Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Carbon high school.

## Coloney Girls Hold Meeting Wednesday

The Coloney Girls 4-H Club held its first meeting of the year on Sept. 9, at the Coloney School. The following officers were elected: Lillian Jo Kirk, president; Dorothy Wymer, secretary; Mary Sue Danley, 4-H secretary; Patsy Ann Wheat, vice president; Mattie Lou Kirk, reporter; Joan Boyd, recreation leader; and Juanita Briden, program chairman. Mrs. Higgenbottom and Mrs. Boyd were elected sponsors.

Foultry and clothing have been selected as the demonstrations to be carried by the Eastland 4-H Club girls. Mary Ann Hatheek was selected as poultry demonstrator.

Saving seed and fall gardens were discussed by Helen Childress, Asst. Home Demonstration Agent. The meeting was adjourned.

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## Little Men From Mars



A home-made machine gun, fashioned from boxes, rubber bands and tin cans, catches the fancy of this group of boys during Oriental Mardi Gras at Japanese assembly center near San Francisco.

## Game Preserve Is Explained At Cook

County Agent Floyd Lynch met with the Agricultural Victory Council Community Organization at Cook, and explained the Game Preserve Wildlife program of the Extension Service of Texas A. & M. College, at the request of Mr. Conrad Schaefer, President of the Community Organization. 2554 acres were signed up in the Eastland County Game Preserve by thirteen cooperators.

Mr. Schaefer ordered sixty odd signs which will be used to designate the area in the preserve. The signs are "Game Preserve Demonstration Extension Service, Texas A. & M. College."

Others desiring to join the preserve should contact Conrad Schaefer.

## Okra Boys Are To Meet September 21

E. M. Gossett, Asst. County Agent, will meet with the Okra Boys on Monday September 21, at 10 a. m. for the purpose of re-organizing a 4-H Club for 1943.

Mr. Gossett urges all club members to have their record books completed have them at school with them at this meeting. All boys are completing their records will receive a 4-H club pin.

## Mosquito Menace Is Real One With Physicians Scarce

COLLEGE STATION, — As more doctors and nurses are called into the armed forces, it is increasingly important that communities and neighborhoods take every precaution to prevent illness. One way is fight malaria by getting rid of mosquitoes, says Bernice Clayton, specialist in home improvement for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Conquering the mosquito is a big job, and the best ways are to screen all openings with 16-inch mesh wire, see that all screens fit tightly, kill all mosquitoes which get in the house by spraying with common insect sprays, and finally destroy all breeding places. It is a good idea to drain all pools and water holes nearby, pouring oil or kerosene in water where mosquitoes might breed. The specialist says. She also advises removing of moss and weeds from the edges of stock ponds and tanks. These may be stocked with top water minnows, while lily ponds can be kept free with mosquito-eating fish.

Guarding rain barrels, cisterns and wells and screening chimney flues also will help. So will getting rid of tin cans which catch a little water. Where mosquitoes are a neighborhood problem, families may work together and enlist the help of public health officials in destroying breeding places.

Preventing malaria in time and human resources needed for winning the war.

## Brooklyn's Ty Cobb



Pete Reiser of Brooklyn shoots into third base with Cobb-like hook slide to beat throw to Pittsburgh third sacker Ed Stewart and get decision from umpire Beans Reardon. Dodger manager Leo Durocher, 2, is poised for a holler if decision is wrong. Pitcher Aldon Wilkie backs up play.

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Gipsen said that the cost of entering the university will be slightly higher this year, principally for food. Rentals are about the same as a year ago and food charges will not be up to the national increase of 15 per cent in living costs, he said.

"Increases in room and board charges to students are largely explained by the house owner's attempt to protect herself against the possibility of fewer students and higher prices," Gipsen added. Dormitories and other student residences face two other war-imposed handicaps, restricted services such as credit and delivery service, and a shortage of student leadership. Upperclassmen usually are managers of student houses, but those older students have left or are leaving school at the earliest opportunity for work in the nation's war effort.

The expanded Naval Reserve Officer's Training Corps unit of the university has moved into larger quarters. It will occupy the handsome old red-brick residence bequeathed to the school by the late Major George Littlefield.

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## Victory 'Eggs'



Not eggs, not bombs, but plastic housings for loop antennas to guide U. S. planes to enemy targets. Used successfully to guide bombers to Tokyo, they're in big demand.

## Dana Bible Says Athletics Should Be Retained In Schools

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)— Organized athletics should be maintained in Texas high schools and colleges to prepare young men for service in the armed forces, Dana X. Bible, athletic director of the University of Texas.

"The armed forces are proving that men who have been in competitive sports are in condition to start their bigger jobs with the army, navy, and marines than are those boys who have not been in sports," Bible said.

"This year we are urging all men students in the University— and suggesting that all high schools boys—put particular emphasis upon the sports program."

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## Air Cadet Saw The Pearl Harbor Raid Then He Enlisted

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP)— Aviation Cadet William B. Smith of Boise, Idaho was a civilian worker on Palmyra Island in the Pacific when the Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor.

Dec. 8, the day following the attack, he headed for America to join the Army Air Force and return to the Pacific to meet the Japs in battle.

## James C. Venable May Be Prisoner Of The Japanese

L. H. McCree, postmaster at Cisco announced that his office is holding two postcards addressed to "The Family of James C. Venable, route one, Cisco," which are undeliverable for the reason there is no one by that name on route one, Cisco.

Any information as to the location of this family will be appreciated by the Cisco postmaster.

The postcards state, according to the Cisco Press, that a short wave radio broadcast from Tokyo picked up in California on September 8, carried the news that James C. Venable, route one, Cisco, was alive and well and a prisoner of the Japanese.

## Insect Control Program Succeeds

The Cotton Insect Control program carried by E. S. Eckhals is showing up better all the time according to Floyd Lynch, County Agent.

A boll count was taken on the treated and untreated area today, and the treated had 70 bolls per five steps compared to 30 bolls on the untreated.

The bolls on the treated were more mature, containing four and five locks of cotton whereas the untreated showed signs of boll weevil stings having many one and two and three lock bolls. Too, the leaf worms have not hurt the treated but have eaten most of the leaves from the untreated.

# BATTLE OF SOUTHWEST PACIFIC LOOMS AS JAP NAVAL THREAT IS SEEN

## 18 READY FOR INDUCTION ON SEPTEMBER 19

The following reservists have had their army physical examination and are on a fourteen day furlough. They are to report to the Eastland County Local Board Office, September 18, at 1:00 p. m. to be sent to Camp Wellers Reception Center for induction into the army:

Robert Jouvanchant Steel, Connelley Hotel, Eastland; Olan Maurice Franklin, 209 Barber Street, Ranger; George Edwin Cate, 294 W. 4th, Cisco; Audie Othell Clark, Box 561, Gorman; Delmar Franklin Ferrin, 209 Barber Street, Ranger; Jack Samuel Burkhead, 413 So. Daugherty, Eastland; Alton Clay Thompson, Rt. 4, Cisco; Robert D. Brazill, Gen. Del. Okra; Bill Jack Duncan, Rt. 1, Ranger; Forest Glen Arney, 414 Mesquite St. Ranger; James Elbert Hall, 41-4 Strawn Road, Ranger; L. D. Tarrant, Rt. 2, Ranger; Robert Howell Elliott, 905 W. 8th, Cisco; Ezra Leona Tong, 510 E. 10th, Cisco; Troy Lynn Bennett, 110 E. Conner St., Eastland; Claud Stuard, Rt. Ranger; David Sawyer Johnson, Rt. 2, Box 59, Cisco; Thomas Winston Love, 612 W. 3rd Cisco.

## Home Service Is Forseen By McNutt

WASHINGTON, D. C. (AP)— Chairman Paul V. McNutt of the War Manpower Commission, told a house committee today he regards as inevitable the adopting of national service legislation which would authorize the government to exact a home-front service from persons not in the armed forces.

## Rio Grande Flood Reaches Highest Stage In History

BROWNSVILLE, Tex. (AP)— The Rio Grande, flooding over a wide area in its lower reaches, where more than 300 persons were reported trapped by highwaters, today rose steadily toward new high marks.

At noon today the weather bureau reported the river stage here had reached an all-time high of 19.5 feet, a rise of 0.1 feet over yesterday, and predicted it would go to 24 feet by Thursday at noon.

## Brazil Orders Up Reserves To The Colors By Decree

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil (AP)— President Getulio Vargas decreed a general military mobilization in Brazil today.

The decree called upon all reserve forces of the nation to hold themselves in readiness for orders to be issued by the military authorities.

Brazil has a trained army, including regulars and reserves, of approximately 250,000 men, which are reported to be ready to take the field.

**BROTHER-IN-LAW DIES**  
Richard Jones of Eastland received a message late Monday from McGregor advising him of the death of his brother-in-law, John Roach. Funeral and burial were Tuesday afternoon, but Mr. Jones was unable to attend.

## U. S. Navy Reveals Loss of the Carrier Yorktown, Which Was Sunk After Being Damaged in Midway Battle, And While It Was Being Towed Into A Port.

## NYA Will Move To Increase Numbers In War Training

AUSTIN—J. C. Kellman, Regional NYA Administrator, said today that the National Youth Administration in Texas will move at once to comply with the request made by J. H. Bond, State Director of the United States Employment Service, this week, that war industry training and NYA officials increase the number of women being trained for War Industry by an even greater percentage than the steady rise of the past six months.

In a recent statement, Mr. Bond explained that the addition of Texas women to War Industry pay rolls in increasing volume is a certainty as production soars and the reserve of qualified workers dwindles.

Bala Williams, NYA Project Manager at Ranger, said this young woman would be assigned to increasing numbers to the Aircraft Sheet Metal shop at Ranger, and the Radio shop in Houston.

Both boys and girls are referred to NYA War Work shops by the United States Employment Service. Young people interested in securing NYA jobs should apply direct to the nearest USES office or to Bala Williams, NYA Project Manager, Box 168 Ranger, Texas.

Williams stated that during the past thirty days 55 boys and girls had gone from NYA shops at Ranger to War industries. Included among these were James H. Croom, Audie L. Beck, Ranger and Pauline McCam, who went to work for War industries.

## Chinese Cadet Is Ready to Avenge Canton Bombing

GOODFELLOW FIELD, SAN ANGELO, Tex. (AP)— A vow sworn under a bomb-struck China sky in 1937, brought John F. Siew, a young American-Chinese air cadet, to Goodfellow Field to learn modern air warfare.

The 25-year-old Chinese was in Canton at the Military Academy of Lingnan University in 1936 when Japan assaulted the Chinese coast cities. Siew was studying for a military career in the Chinese Army. "That was ended when the Japanese drove ever forward into China's cities, so I had to leave," he explained.

"The first air raid siren that sounded in Canton terrified the people," Siew said. "I resolved that some way I'd finish my military training in the cockpit of a United States Air Force plane, so I could pay back the Japs for bombing defenseless civilians."

"I've been under Jap bombs," he said grimly, "and pretty soon I hope they will be under mine."

Siew told of ruthless bombings of Chinese cities, unprotected and without adequate bomb-shelters. He said that after the population had experienced their first bombing attacks—in which more were killed in stampedes than by bombs—the curiosity of what the planes looked like caused residents to gather in groups and stare skyward at the Japanese planes.

"That was ideal for bombing and strafing," the cadet said. Siew's parents sent him to America after he was invalided during a cholera epidemic on the China coast to finish his engineering studies. He attended Arunou Institute of Technology at Chicago in 1938, and later transferred to the University of Arizona.

He joined the army in 1941 and on April 22, this year, he finally received an appointment in the Air Corps. Siew now is completing basic flying training at Goodfellow.

The battle of the Southwest Pacific today appeared about to enter a new phase—possibly a major Japanese naval challenge to the Allied Nation's positions—as loss of a second American aircraft-carrier in the hard-fought Pacific campaign was revealed by the United States Navy.

The Carrier Yorktown, a five-year-old ship of 19,000 tons, which joined the lost Lexington was a part of the price the American Navy paid for the severe blows dealt the Japanese in successive battles in the Coral Sea, at Midway and the Solomons.

The Navy report said the Yorktown was struck several times by torpedoes and bombs, and it was felt that the ship could be salvaged. The crew was removed and the ship was being towed to port when it was struck twice by torpedoes from a Japanese submarine, which was later definitely damaged and most likely sunk. Casualties on the Yorktown were reported to be unusually light. Total casualties in the Midway battle, in which the Yorktown was first struck, were reported to total 90 officers and 215 men, included lost on the Yorktown. The Yorktown did not sink until several days after the Battle of Midway, while being towed and escorted by a destroyer.

American naval spokesmen expressed confidence that the balance of striking power in the Southwest Pacific was still on the American side at this time, despite loss of the carrier.

The Japanese were reported to be stepping up air and land operations against the United States Marine positions in Guadalcanal harbor. Reports from Pearl Harbor said it was thought likely that a new and important naval challenge in the Solomon Island area was about to be made.

With the Russian and German still locked in a grinding battle at Stalingrad, new demands appeared in the British press for opening of a second front or any other move designed to relieve pressure on the Soviet forces.

Russian reports indicated that the Stalingrad lines were holding fairly well for the moment, but it was conceded that the Germans were inching forward.

British forces in Madagascar reported their occupation of the French Island was proceeding smoothly and announced that another group of French troops in the northwest corner of the island have surrendered.

**THE WEATHER**  
WEST TEXAS — Scattered showers in East, South portions this afternoon. Tonight — little change temperatures.

## Hops to Fame



Lani Nelson, named champion car hop for 1942, poses in Venice Calif., with trophy and roses on her waitress tray.

# Ranger Rodeo, Friday, Saturday, Sept. 25-26

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Discomfort or Defeat

It is a sober picture which the President's special committee on rubber, headed by Bernard M. Baruch, has painted. It is discouraging in two ways.

First because it verifies completely the analyses which this column has presented editorially on several occasions, pointing out that through 1942, at least, the most rigid civilian economy in rubber will scarcely suffice to keep the fighting machines going.

Second because the report's very mildness and avoidance of personalities emphasizes the terrible fumbling which has bedeviled the rubber situation ever since the Japanese struck at Pearl Harbor. It is difficult to imagine an error of omission which those charged with protecting the national interest, in connection with rubber, have not committed.

The President's ready acceptance of the report and his promise to implement it immediately is the best that can be done at this late date.

Meanwhile, however, it is desirable that the people be on guard lest some of the same befuddled interests which have insisted—against all fact and logic—that there was no rubber emergency, should cause further damage by removing sentences from their context and misquoting the Baruch report.

The committee recommends that more rubber be made available for civilian tire replacement and recapping. But let no scatterbrain misinterpret that suggestion, and persuade you that it is right to burn up your tires in needless, reckless driving.

When anybody cites that recommendation to you, fling back at him the next sentences of the report: "More rubber to those who need it. Less to those who don't."

The replacements and recapped tires are not intended for pleasure drivers. "Let there be no doubt," remember, "that only actual needs, not fancied wants, can or should be satisfied."

Needs is not for the pleasure driving through the fall countryside, savoring the brisking air and admiring the turning leaves.

Need is not to toss one's golf clubs into the rumble and dash off for a spot of relaxation, or to drive to the bridge party instead of walking or taking the bus.

Need is for getting men and women to and from the factories where they are making arms and armaments; for delivering the goods of war and the commodities of subsistence.

With all that can be done, the best we can hope by the end of 1943 ranges from a very small surplus to an actual deficiency for critical military use.

Discomforts or defeat are the alternatives offered us. We will take discomfort, with a grin.

OUR DEMOCRACY by Mat

UNCLE SAM SETS A GOOD TABLE.



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THE PAYOFF

BY HARRY GLAYSON NEA Service Sports Editor

NEW YORK—Everybody is quite positive that W. E. Hooper finally has a good one in Devil's Thumb.

Although he has been one of the biggest buyers at the Saratoga yearling sales for the past four years, Plane Builder Hooper hasn't had too much luck outside the year which saw his Porter's Mite win the Belmont Futurity. This despite the fact that he outbids the famous Chicago spendthrift, Mrs. Ethel V. Marx, who purchased a Kentucky Derby winner, Gallahue, at the Spa auction.

So horsemen are happy to see Hooper with Devil's Thumb, which appears to be a 2-year-old champion which will go on.

After running second in his first start at Saratoga, Devil's Thumb won four successive stakes to be favorite in the rich Hopeful. In the Hopeful, Devil's Thumb was out to equal the record of the Masmere Farm's Maedie, which hugged five Saratoga stakes as a juvenile.

AND now that he has an incipient champion, Hooper, the Seattle manufacturer, is too busy building bombers on the west coast to watch his colt perform.

Devil's Thumb, named after a mountain in Oregon, was purchased at Saratoga for \$3000. Going into the Hopeful, the boy youngster by Grand Slam-Daintiness, by Blue Larkspur, had earned \$21,125. Devil's Thumb is handled by

Cowboy Wilhelm, one of the younger trainers and a Pacific coast product. Going into the coveted Hopeful, Devil's Thumb, blaze-faced and hooded, had taken the Sanford, Saratoga, Sales, United States Hotel and Grand Union Hotel stakes in a row.

Any horseman who has seen him will concede that Devil's Thumb possesses speed, endurance and courage. In the Grand Union Hotel he definitely demonstrated that he is not an excuse horse, negotiating six furlongs in 1:12 2-3, smacking time for a 2-year-old, despite extremely ill-racing luck.

TWICE he appeared hopelessly out of it, yet sped home a going-away winner under a hard drive. He was shut out at No. 1 position at the start and knocked about and caught in a pocket on the turn.

But when Conn McCreary guided him to clear sailing far out of the strip in the home stretch, he came from far back to beat the Wheatley Stable's Devil's Luck by a length. Hyperionion, for which Walter Chrysler, Jr., paid \$18,500, was third.

Devil's Thumb undoubtedly was tired at the finish, yet he probably would have scored by a greater margin if the race had been at a mile. He was moving faster than any of his dozen crack opponents at the windup. He carried 126 pounds, spotting all save Foxcatcher Farm's Sunacup from 4 to 14.

Devil's Thumb has left no doubt as to his mastery over the better 2-year-olds which he has raced.

BY PETER EDSON

NEA Service Washington Correspondent

WHEN the A. F. of L. and C. I. O. conferees sit down some time toward the end of September in their third effort to establish labor unity and labor peace there is perhaps only one formula they can follow to bring results.

That is to agree to organic unity immediately, then work out their differences afterward. If the conferees decide to negotiate as they have in the past, trying to find the precise answer for every question that faces them, the only prospect which some of the smarter labor politicians in Washington can see is another long-drawn-out series of firing meetings, ending in a stalemate or a complete washout.

The differences of opinion, the internal battles and bickerings of both the A. F. of L. and C. I. O. organizations are so bitter that any thought of organic unity of the two big groups must take into consideration the fact that these feuds will most certainly continue.

Jurisdictional strikes between unions within the A. F. of L. are probably just as numerous as jurisdictional strikes between A. F. of L. and C. I. O. unions, and any theoretical peace between the parent organizations will not solve those local jurisdictional battles. A. F. of L. the older of the two groups, has had these jurisdictional scraps for years and has never been able to do anything about them.

It wouldn't even unify the labor movement. The A. F. of L. now claims about 5.6 million members, the C. I. O. 5.5 million. Outside of these two major organizations are the million or more members of the railroad brotherhoods and the million or more members of the independent unions such as the telephone and communications unions and the Mechanics Educational Society of America.

If you are going to talk about a unified labor movement you must take into consideration all these groups. But suppose by some miracle all these elements could be brought together and a united labor front of some 13 million members, representing approximately a fourth of all the working people of the country, could be wrapped up in a new package.

If any such amalgamation were achieved, a lot of the people who are now hollering for labor peace and "why don't they quit fighting" each other and get together! would be screaming against it.

For, labor unity in the United States might mean the formation of a real labor party that could conceivably dominate the American political scene.

J.H. Guy, County Pioneer Is Dead

J. H. Guy, 70, Eastland county pioneer, died and was buried in the Bear Springs cemetery in Eastland county. September 6, following funeral services held at the New Hope Baptist church of which he had long been a member.

James Hillery Guy was born in Boone County, Arkansas, on Sept. 16, 1863. He came to Texas in 1892, settling in the Bear Springs community, which had been his home since that time. On Nov. 1,

1883, he was married to Betty Ann Honeycutt and to this union nine children was born all but three of whom and the widow survive.

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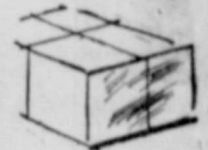
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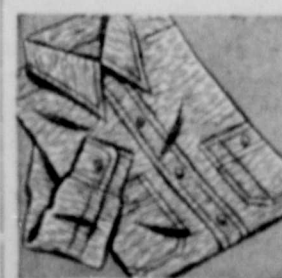
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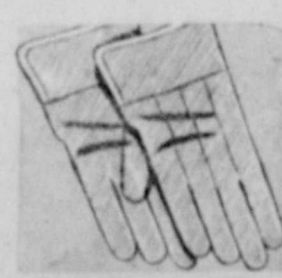
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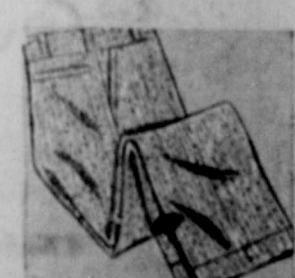
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NOVELIST

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Fictioned novelist, Margaret. 8 She is — of a book on the South. 13 One of her leading male characters is dashing. 14 Behold! 16 Man's name. 17 Compass point. 18 Parent. 19 Female sheep. 21 Opera (abbr.). 22 Blamish. 23 Short sleep. 25 Obese. 27 Attempt. 29 Negative word. 31 Within. 32 Affirmative. 33 Electrical engineer (abbr.). 35 Him. 37 Seine. 39 Beverage. 41 Anger. 43 Stitch together. 44 Cleverness.



VERTICAL

- 20 Dine. 22 Entangle. 24 Peer into. 25 Zoology. 26 Be victorious. 28 Still. 29 Born. 30 Meaning moisture. 32 Novel. 34 Dry. 36 Edge of dress. 38 Creativity. 40 Exclamation. 41 Irritate. 42 Registered nurse (abbr.). 43 Sorrowful. 45 Sachet. 47 Take possession by force. 48 Dull. 49 Device for raising water. 51 Flower. 52 Inventory. 54 Dock. 58 Friend. 58 Father. 59 Animal. 60 Dessert. 62 Sodium (symbol). 64 Area measure. 65 Symbol for titanium.



### Gov. Stevenson Wants Simple Rites When He Is Sworn Into Office

AUSTIN, Sept. 15.—Gov. Coke R. Stevenson's request that there be no fanfare at his inauguration on Jan. 19, will not keep the occasion from being one of special interest to Texans. Simple as the ceremonies may be, there will be addresses by the Governor and Lieut.-Gov. John Le... Smith.

Smith is noted as a public speaker; and Governor Stevenson's address when he became lieutenant governor was complimented by the late Chief Justice C. M. Curo...

... as the greatest he had ever heard.

That was fine praise, for Justice Curston had sworn into office many a public official. There is some talk of holding the exercises at Woolridge Park, which is within a half dozen blocks of the state capital. The park has a natural amphitheater, but it is possible the exercises may be at the south entrance to the state capital.

A precedent for an inauguration away from the capitol was set when W. Lee O'Daniel took the oath of office at the University of Texas football stadium.

Usually a platform is built in front of the capitol for the inauguration. The building of this stand could be avoided by having the Governor and Lieutenant Governor sworn on the balcony of the second floor of the capitol.

The large area of the capitol grounds from which this balcony is visible should accommodate the crowd and the Governor has suggested that there be no inducement to people to use their time for the purpose of witnessing the exercises.

Personally, Stevenson said he would be satisfied with an in-

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### SERIOUS BUSINESS



"There's still some time to get ready," D. X. Bible tells his University of Texas Longhorn co-captains as team prepares for opening game of season Sept. 19 with Corpus Christi Naval Air Station. Bible, left, points out need for classroom and athletic field attention to business as he talks with Joe Schwartz of Waco (center) and Wally Scott of Tyler, both of whom play ends.

auguration in the Hall of the House of Representatives. Probably because of the heated political races that have marked the selection of state railroad commissioners, it has become a custom for these commissioners to have public inaugurations. Commissioners Lon Smith, Olin Culbertson and Ernest O. Thompson each were sworn in at exercises held in the State Senate Cham-

ber. Recently, Beauford Jester repeated the oath as railroad commissioner in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The late Claude Teer, former chairman of the state board of control is the only appointed officer for whom an elaborate oath-taking was arranged.

At the request of friends he was sworn in the state senate chamber.

Incidentally, the event seemed likely to be the launching of a "Teer for Governor" movement which was cut short by Teer's break-down in health.

Most state officials take the oath of office in the Governor's reception room. Others do so in the offices which they are to occupy.

Probably the most remarkable incident of oath-taking in recent years occurred when Charlie Lockhart who was pictured nationally as the "littliest legislator of the biggest state" first was sworn.

The treasurer who has succeeded objected to the new treasurer coming into the office until an auditor checked out the old administration.

Lockhart's friends already had gathered to see him sworn and the exercises were held in the state capitol lobby, Lockhart standing on a chair.

Both of O'Daniel's inaugurations as governor made national picture magazines.

### SERIAL STORY

### LUCKY PENNY

BY GLORIA KAYE

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**THE STORY:** Wealthy Penny Kirk has returned from Paris to "re-discover" herself in Kirktown, location of the great steel mills she has inherited. The morning after her arrival she sets out, incognito, to tour the town. Her car is mistaken for a job applicant, and hired as a waitress. Five well-dressed men enter the restaurant, and in a moment a fight starts.

### PENNY MEETS THE EDITOR

### CHAPTER III

WITHOUT warning, a steel worker who had just come in walked over to the table where the well-dressed quintet was seated and lifted one of the men from his seat. He struck furiously, before the unwary group could realize its senseless Methodical, like a machine, he hammered first at one and then at another of the men.

Then they were all on their feet. Slugging with animal ferocity, they ignored tables and chairs in the fracas. Methodically, like a machine, he hammered first at one and then at another of the men.

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hats, no longer white. "You haven't heard the end of this, Vickers," one of the men said evenly, grimly. "We'll get you yet!" Bitter anger was written on their bruised faces as they stalked out.

MIDGE and Pietro, suddenly as calm as though this were an everyday occurrence, surveyed the damage.

"That was the best day's entertainment I've had in a year," said Midge. "I'd give a week's salary to see you do it over again."

"Sit down and have a cup of coffee, boys," Pietro invited. "They've had it coming to them for a long time. Here, Penny, take care of the boys. Don't worry about the tables. We'll fix them."

Both Jim and the steel worker nursed sore knuckles as Penny served them with hands that still shook.

"What's the story, Bill?" Jim asked quietly. Bill took a long drag on his cigar before he answered.

"You've probably heard it a hundred times, Jim. My brother lost his pay again this week. Castro's men cleaned him good and proper. He didn't have enough money left for bus fare. I'm going to get those guys," Bill threatened, clenching his fist. "If they don't let my kid brother alone, I'll kill them!"

"How did it happen, Bill?" Jim's voice was soothing. "Castro's men are nothing but a bunch of thugs. The same old racket," Bill said, as if weary of repeating it. "Castro's stooges were at the mill gate, as usual, on pay day. The kid brother is a good lad. He means well. But—well, like the other fellows, he likes a good time. They roped him into a crooked dice game. He had a few drinks with the boys. When they finished, his pay was gone."

"Sure it was the Castro gang?" asked Jim.

"Sure," said Bill. "It's always the Castro gang! They run this town. You know that, Jim."

"I know. You'd better lie low for a while," Jim cautioned. "They're a tough bunch. Don't worry about that outfit. We'll clean them out of Kirktown."

"Thanks, Jim," said Bill. "I can take care of myself, if they know what's good for them. They'd better stay away from us. My brother has the sweetest wife and kid that ever lived. I'm not going to stand by and see his life messed up."

Penny nodded, somehow, that this was the longest speech Bill had ever made. With set lips and bitter eyes, he walked out.

Jim Vickers pulled a sheet of paper from an inner pocket, and made a few notes. Defly, Midge

laughed another steaming cup of coffee.

"By the way, Jim," she said, "here's an item for your paper—Meet Penny Kelloog, our new dishwasher—out of food fit for a king. Penny, meet Jim Vickers, editor, publisher and janitor of the Kirktown Courier."

PENNY felt an unaccustomed blush flooding her cheeks. She managed a smile and a stammer. "Glad to know you, Penny," Jim said. "I'm sorry our little game spoiled your lunch. We don't always play so rough."

"I thought you did all right," Penny approved, inwardly thankful that he did not recognize her. "It certainly was swell of you to come to Bill's rescue. He was getting the worst of it, you know."

"Lots of good fellows like Bill are getting the worst of it," Jim said soberly. "The showdown is coming soon." Jim went on to explain that on pay day Castro's shills worked the mill gates. "They're a tricky bunch. The men have money, burning a hole in their pockets. Castro provides the temptation and the suckers lose their pay."

"I can't understand that," said Penny. "Don't the men know they're being tricked?"

"It's hard to explain, Penny," Jim said. "But the hunger for excitement and fun is just as gnawing, sometimes, as the hunger for food. Castro runs every place in town. The men wander into one of his spots just to have something different to do. Before they realize it they've had too much to drink. If they don't gamble their pay away on Castro's crooked games, they're rolled for their money."

He looked up at Penny, studied the serious expression on her face, and laughed suddenly.

"Gosh, Penny. It isn't as bad as all that," he said. "Let's see you smile again. I like your dimples." Involuntarily, Penny smiled.

"You're a stranger here and it's my civic duty to show you the sights," Jim volunteered. "How about a guided tour of Kirktown?"

Penny hesitated. Jim's invitation was tempting, but dangerous to the plan she had been outlining in her mind. Penny Kelloog in a waitress' uniform might mean nothing to Jim. Would he recognize her as the Penny Kirk he had known in Paris if he spent an afternoon with her? "Come on," he urged. "I'm harmless."

"Well—," Penny wanted to go, admitting to herself that she'd been a little lonely. Maybe it was worth a chance. ...

(To Be Continued)

### THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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By Williams



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SHE SAVED, ALL RIGHT! GREAT GIZZARDS! LOOK! RED—W—WE ET THAT LION YOU SHOT!

### ALLEY OPP



WELL, OL' TYRANNOSAURUS HAS GIVEN UP! HE'S GO-AWAY EAT HELL! I'M TA FIND SUMPIN' THAT CAN'T OUTRUN HIM!

HE WASN'T DOIN' SO BAD THERE FOR A WHILE... WHEW!

NICE GOIN' DIPPIN' OL' BOY!

YEAH, BUT NOW WE'RE IN CLOVER. OUR TROUBLES ARE OVER.



YOWP!



### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



BUT, DAD, I'VE GOT THE ROOT! NUTTY GAVE IT TO ME TO GUARD!

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# CAPTAINS NAMED FOR SALVAGE CAMPAIGN TO BE HELD ON SEPT. 24

Everyone Urged By Campaign Head to Gather Up All Possible Salvage Material Thursday, September 24, To Aid In Furnishing Material For War Effort.

"Colonel" George A. Murphy, who was named commanding officer of the Ranger Salvage Drive, which is to be staged Thursday, September 24, has named captains to serve in the various parts of the town, aiding in supervising the collection of scrap material to be donated to the war effort.

- Captains named by Murphy, and the subdivision in which they will serve are:
- Cooper Addition—Morris Levee and E. P. Mills.
- Gene Addition—Joe Dennis and J. T. Anderson.
- Judges Oak Park Addition—A. J. Parfitt and E. E. Crawford.
- South of Main Street—W. H. Clarke and C. B. Pruet.
- Glenn Addition—Eugene Baker.
- Lackland Addition—W. O. Carver and M. H. Alexander.
- Gholson and Burgher Addition—A. N. Larson and B. E. Garner.
- Lone Star Gasoline Co.—John Kinley.
- Lone Star Gas Company—Hal Hunter.
- T. P. Coal & Oil Co.—Frank Fearnsall.
- Gulf Camp—Thompson.
- Premier Oil Co.—David Pickwell.
- Eastland Hill—E. L. Norris and Carl Hovind.
- Between Railway tracks—J. E. Matthews.
- Colored District—Wesley Johnson.
- Texas Defense Guard—Paul McElennan.
- Boy Scout Troop 12—M. S. Wade.
- Boy Scout Troop 52—A. J. Blowers, Jr.

Members of the Texas Defense Guard, and the two Boy Scout troops will be assigned to the captains, to assist them in any way possible. It is expected that everyone who is relieved from duty through the closing order, will assist in gathering up all the scrap metal and materials possible, and take it to the Junk Depot, Main Street and Highway 90. Anyone who has larger pieces than they can handle or more than they can haul in the family car or other means of transportation available, can have it hauled free by calling No. 26 or No. 31.

## Third Of Cadets Are Sons Of Service Men

FOOT FORTH, Tex. (AP)—Every third man in the elementary Civitan Pili Training course completed recently at Texas Christian University is the son of a World War I veteran.

Only one father, however, is listed as having served in the Air Corps. The class of 52 which was graduated brings to more than 300 the number of students who have received training at TCU since June, 1940.

The slogan of the car-pooling subcommittee of the labor-management committee in the West AFB, Wis. plant of the Allis Chalmers Company is: "If we don't ride together now, we will walk together later."

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## Girl Born Without Arms Who Became Artist To Be Here

Jean Whinnant will appear in Ranger High School on Thursday, September 17, at 11 a. m. according to an announcement by G. C. Rowell, superintendent.



A year ago Webster High School, Tulsa, Oklahoma, graduated the most unusual student in its history—Jean Whinnant. This popular and beautiful youngster received an ovation, not the stereotyped handicap, when she was handed her diploma.

Jean Whinnant was born without arms and yet has lived a life so normal that her friends and acquaintances would be surprised to wonder at her. She has asked and received no special favors from her teachers, and with the help of remarkably wise parents is one of the happiest young persons.

Astonishing as it may seem, she has earned her fifteen license a year ago, a fact which was publicized throughout the nation. She is not only able to eat, comb her hair, put on "make-up" by herself, but she is an excellent croquet artist and plays the electric guitar. She will demonstrate all these abilities in her program— from pinning and draping a soft dress to drawing a landscape in colored chalk. One of her schoolmates will accompany her on the program.

Jean will tell her audience how she has achieved these abilities and why she feels as she does. At the audition in November, 1941, in Chicago, she told Mr. Paulus of the Chicago office: "Do you know when I see the opportunities some of these folks with two arms pass up, it just makes me furious. I'll show them what I've done and maybe they'll get busy."

Jean Whinnant's story is significant, however, not because she is so self-sufficient, but because she has maintained a happy, cheerful and friendly attitude toward life and people.

**Listen, Mister!**  
There is a difference in hair cuts. A good one is a cut that suits the shape of your head and helps the hair lie neatly in place. Get your next one here and note the difference.

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## Minister To Speak On Mormonism Here At Church of Christ

Wesley Mickey, minister of the Church of Christ, who has recently returned from Salt Lake City, where he attended a meeting as a representative of the Church of Christ, will speak tonight on his findings at the meeting. The public is cordially invited to attend the lecture, which starts at 8:30.

The meeting was preceded with a week's discussion between K. E. Farnsworth of the Latter Day Saints and Ous Galwood of the Church of Christ. This discussion was held in Liberty Park, the largest park in Salt Lake City. Following the debate was a three-weeks meeting in which Mr. Paul Southern, teacher in Abilene Christian College, did the preaching. There were about 50 personal workers from Texas, Alabama, Tennessee, Nebraska, and other states to make house to house calls and help with the singing.

## WAVES Recruits Are Being Sought

NEW ORLEANS, La. — The extensive program for obtaining enlisted personnel for the Women's Reserve of the U. S. Navy began today as headquarters of Naval Officer Procurement in New Orleans and branch offices in the Eighth Naval District prepared to accept applications for Class V-10, the District Public Relations Office announced.

This program is designed to procure the enlisted personnel for the "WAVES" to take over work being done in naval base establishments thereby releasing men for sea duty. At present the procurement officers are seeking yeomen, storekeepers, and radio operators, but all women with any specialized civilian training, particularly technical training, are urged to make application. It is pointed out that work in numerous fields is considered acceptable for the three groups for which enlistments are now being sought. For radio operators past experience in radio repair work, licensed amateur broadcasting, typing, simplex and multiplex transmitting machine operating will be helpful in qualifying.

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## Society, Club and Church Notes

**Legion Auxiliary Meets**  
Members of the American Legion Auxiliary met at the Legion Club rooms Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. A. H. Powell, president, presided over the meeting which was attended by seven members. Committee reports were given and other business transacted. A report of the recent state convention was given by Mrs. Powell.

**Cooper P.T.A. Meets**  
The first meeting of the school year for the Cooper Parents-Teachers Association was held at the school Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with the president, Mrs. Wilson W. Simpson, presiding.

Appointments of committees were made and plans discussed for raising funds for a flag and interscholastic dues. It was announced at the meeting that the hour for meeting has been changed to 3 o'clock and that the next regular meeting will be held October 3.

Those attending the meeting Tuesday were: Mmes. L. S. Gregory, Simpson, A. B. Gilbert, D. O. Elrod, Ira L. Clemmer, Bill Nichols, Elda Wooley, Alfred Ames, and Miss Dora Rawlings, and Mrs. J. Lee Thompson.

**Council to Meet**  
The monthly covered dish luncheon and council meeting of the Ladies of the First Christian church will be held Thursday at 1 o'clock in the home of Mrs. A. O. Hinson. All ladies are invited to attend.

**Mrs. Gorman Hostess to Club**  
Mrs. W. C. Gorman was hostess to members of the Wednesday

**Bridges Club Tuesday evening**  
When members of that group met at her home for a covered dish supper, after which games of bridge were enjoyed. At the close of the games, a high score award was presented to Mrs. Ira Wolford and second high score was made by Mrs. W. J. Van Bibber. Members of the club presented a farewell gift to Mrs. E. L. Perkins, Jr., who will leave Thursday for Big Spring.

Those attending the supper were Mmes. B. E. Garner, Wilford Fred Yonker, Perkins, Van Bibber, Pless Moore and W. L. Downtain.

**Rebekahs Meet**  
The regular meeting of the Ranger Rebekah Lodge No. 244 was held at the I.O.O.F. hall Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Viola Brink presiding.

The meeting was attended by 22 members and several were reported absent due to illness. Routine business was transacted and it was announced that a social will be held at the hall next Tuesday evening and all members are invited to attend.

All members are requested to meet at the hall Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for drill practice.

**W.M.U. Circles Have Joint Meeting**  
A joint meeting of the circles of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church was held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

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The last of the mission study book, "Baptist Building in Brazil" was reviewed by Mrs. Mamie Path Hamrick after the opening prayer which was offered by Mrs. David Phillips. Miss Rosemary Bruce sang a solo accompanied by Miss Muri Dean Murrell, violinist.

Following the program a social hour was enjoyed with Mrs. L. L. Bruce in charge of the entertainment. At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served in the South American style.

**Young P.T.A. Meets**  
The Young School Parents-Teachers Association met at the school Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for the first meeting of the school year. A large group attended the meeting and a number of new members were present. During the afternoon business was transacted and plans made for the Halloween carnival. Following the meeting members of the executive committee met and made changes in committees.



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## PERSONALS

Mrs. Walter Caraway of Strawn was a Ranger visitor, Tuesday.

Miss Rita Mooney will leave Thursday for Lubbock where she will enter Texas Technological College.

R. L. Perkins, Jr., will leave Thursday for Dallas where he will enter the U. S. Air Force. Mrs. Perkins will go to Big Spring to be with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ricker have had as their guests their daughters, Mrs. D. S. Orr of Big Spring and Mrs. W. L. Yardly of Coahoma.

Mrs. J. T. Carter who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Brazda, left Monday for a visit in Devers before returning to her home in Mississippi.

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**The Public Is Invited.**