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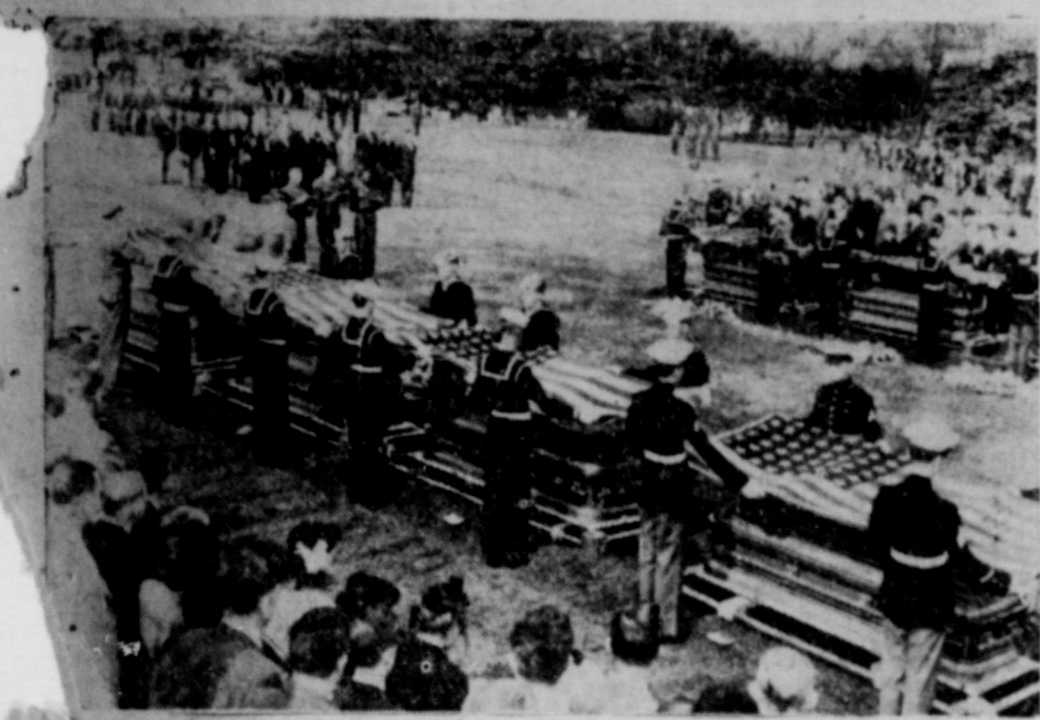
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RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1947

PRICE FIVE CENTS No. 133

Britain Cool To U. S. Palestine Proposal

ARLINGTON CEMETERY RECEIVES WAR DEAD



Twenty war heroes from the South Pacific are buried in Arlington National Cemetery, in a memorial service attended by the President, the Cabinet and high ranking Army, Navy and Air Force Officials. Standing in front of the dignitaries (in left background) are a Catholic, a Protestant and a Jewish Chaplain conducting the ceremonies. (NEA Telephoto).

MINERAL WELLS TAKES GAME BY 34 TO 0 SCORE

In Ranger high school's third conference game of the season, the Bulldogs took defeat from the Mineral Wells Mountaineers Friday night by a score of 34 to 0. The Bulldogs put up a good fight against the contenders for the district championship, but were unable to cope with the much superior team.

Completed passes that resulted in the second score for the Mountaineers. The touchdown came on a pass from Grissett to Boone who ran 25 yards for the score. Again Searcy converted and at the end of the half was Mineral Wells 14 and Ranger 0.

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Former Resident Be Buried Sunday

Funeral services for Robert Hinman of Littlefield, formerly of Ranger, will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Cotton-Bratton Funeral home in Weatherford. Burial will be at 4 o'clock in the Bullock cemetery near Ranger. Masons will be in charge of the services at the grave.

Mr. Hinman died of a heart attack Friday night in Weatherford. He is survived by his wife of Hobbs, New Mexico, a son Thurman of Eunice, New Mexico and two daughters, Laverne Hogus of Hobbs, and Bobby Shelton of Odessa, and was the brother of the late Owen Hinman of Ranger. Five grandchildren and two sisters, Mrs. Flora Shelby of Fort Worth and Mrs. Della Haydon of Weatherford also survive.

The population of Europe more than doubled between 1800 and 1900, increasing from 187 million to 400 million.

POLICIES, PROGRAM OF WTCC BEING STUDIED

ABILENE, Nov. 1 (Sp.)—Proposed policies and work program for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in 1948 are being debated by town groups in the area served by the regional organization at its 1947 convention—15th annual of the referendum type—nears the climax.

Announcement from the headquarters office Saturday said reports had been received of local referendum meetings held during the week in 2 of the 140 affiliated West Texas towns. The number is expected to exceed 100 before Nov. 11—Armistice Day—when the directors' assembly will convene here to register the final and binding vote on all planks in this year's referendum ballot.

H. C. Custard of Cleburne, WTCC president, will preside at the 7-hour findup session. It will be an all-business affair with an hour's time-out for the annual assembly luncheon at which C. W. Bailey of Clarksville, Tenn., will be the speaker. Bailey is the im-

mediate past president of the American Bankers Association. For Rural Life

Policy planks in this year's ballot as presented and recommended for adoption by various WTCC commissions call for work for enhancement of Texas rural economy and life; for parity in freight rates with new comprehensive studies of commodity rates moving raw materials produced in Texas; continuation of the West Texas industrialization campaign; security benefits for full-time workers in the area's local chambers of commerce; and promotion of better relations with Mexico.

All planks have been closely gone over at WTCC's eight district referendum meetings held from Oct. 14 through the 24th. Most extended discussions has been on Plank 2 advocated by the Agricultural and Livestock commission headed by W. E. Cusenbary of Sonora. This resolves that the regional chamber campaign for adoption of the state consti-

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EXPECT COOLER WEATHER TO SPUR SHOPPING

By United Press
With the advent of cooler weather in much of the state, merchants began looking for some signs of the early "Christmas rush."

Something—apparently the long siege of summery weather—has delayed the beginning of heavy shopping. Merchants in most places report their Christmas Shopping was well underway year ago but is lagging this season.

The usual explanation is that "people just don't think about Christmas shopping when the temperature is hovering around 90." Another is that family purse-strings are being tightened somewhat by comparison with the past few seasons.

When shoppers do get started they'll find generally more steel toys and fewer wooden substitutes. The supply, however, is not over-plentiful and such items as tricycles, wagons and bicycles are still being allocated to retailers on a prorated basis.

Electric refrigerators, gas ranges and radios are available in greater numbers than last season, but there will not be enough fine jewelry and silver will be plentiful, but many merchants feel, not in surplus quantity.

A brighter note is injected with the report that electric light sets for Christmas trees will be more easily found and other ornaments will be plentiful—except tinsel, which, as in recent years, is still in short supply.

Yugoslavia Orders Writers Out Of Country

BELGRADE—The Belgrade correspondents of the United Press and the New York Times were ordered today to get out of Yugoslavia within 24 hours. Yugoslav militiamen at 7:45 a. m., visited the home of Mary Lester, United Press correspondent, and her husband, Arthur Brandel, New York Times correspondent.

They were given 24 hours to get out of the country. The militiamen gave no reason for the order.

Meeting Of Unit For Study Of Education Set

A meeting of the committee to study secondary education in Texas has been called for December 29 and 30 in Dallas, according to Dr. G. C. Boswell, a member of the committee.

Some of the leading educators of the institutions of higher learning in Texas are on the committee and Dr. Boswell represents the junior college section of the committee.

LABOR HAILS RESIGNATION OF CREEDON

WASHINGTON—Organized labor hailed the resignation of rent director, Frank Creedon, today as a sign that the administration has revived its hold-the-line policy on rents.

Union sources were cheered further by the statement of Creedon's successor—Tighe E. Woods—that he is convinced "now more than ever" that rent controls must be continued.

Oil Magnate Appears Before Senate Group

WASHINGTON—Howard N. Herron, president of the California-Texas Oil Co., was scheduled to testify today before the Senate war investigating committee which is trying to find out why the Navy paid \$1.05 a barrel for oil it once could have had for 40 cents.

Herron's company was a distributor for the Arabian American Oil Co., which made the deal with the Navy.

The investigating committee decided to sit in Saturday session in an effort to complete the oil hearings, so it can resume its inquiry into the Howard Hughes warplane contracts next Wednesday.

Britain Gives Italy Her Share Of Italian Fleet

LONDON—Great Britain will allow Italy to keep—and scrap—the British lion's share of the Italian battle fleet, as a token that "traditional friendship" between the two countries has been renewed.

The foreign office announced last night that warships awarded to Britain under the terms of the Italian peace treaty would be left in Italian hands "to be dealt with in accordance with article 2-b of the navy protocol, which provides for certain categories of vessels to be scrapped and sunk."

Footsore Convict Gives Self Up

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., (UP)—A tired, footsore escapee from the Harlem Prison Farm turned himself over to sheriff's deputies after telling a story of walking 225 miles to San Antonio to see if his family was alright.

The escapee, Domingo Perez, was serving five years for burglary when he received word that his wife and two small children were sick. Perez said he couldn't sleep from worrying about them so he escaped.

Perez said he walked the 225 miles through brush to avoid cities and went without food for a week, drinking water from road ditches and small lakes.

Sees Children For First Time

ARILENE, Tex., (UP)—When George Statham, 72, saw his daughter, Mrs. E. G. Stevenson, 36, and his son, Harry Statham, 39, in Abilene recently—it was for the first time.

The Central Texas farmer was divorced from the children's mother when young Harry was three-years-old and just before Mrs. Stevenson was born.

STEEL, MINE WORKERS HOLD AGAINST LAW

WASHINGTON—Philip Murray's steel workers and John L. Lewis' miners held out stubbornly against the requirements of the Taft-Hartley law today as most of the nation's major labor unions qualified for National Labor Relations privileges.

The United Steelworkers, CIO, served notice that they would fight in court the NLRB's dismissal of pending cases because of a union failure to file non-Communist affidavits before last midnight deadline.

Another powerful CIO affiliate—the United Electrical Workers—also challenged the constitutionality of the new labor law.

But NLRB sources indicated that these and other "holdout" unions are fighting a losing battle unless the U. S. Supreme Court overturns the board's clearly defined policy. In all rulings so far, the board has held that union officers must sign the affidavits if they want NLRB services.

High Cost Of Living Wipes Out Wage Increases

WASHINGTON—Labor department figures showed today that spiraling prices more than wiped out wage increases gained by the nation's average factory worker between 1942 and last Sept. 1.

The department revealed that age worker actually lost \$1.38 in buying power in the period ended Sept. 1.

Sheep's Waistcoats Keep Lambs Warm

EDINBURGH, Scotland (UP)—A Scottish sheep farmer, John Ewart of Taynult, has thought up an answer to the blasts of winter for his Argyllshire flock.

Instead of sending his young lambs and sheep to warmer areas from October to May, Ewart has fitted them with special, coupon-free, waterproof, heat-retaining "jackets."

These "sheep's waistcoats" are made of flour bags dipped in boiled linseed oil. Fashionably long, they will keep out damp and preserve the lamb's wool.

SURPRISE WITNESS



Former FBI agent Louis J. Russell testified before the House Un-American Activities Committee that Soviet spies in 1942 tried to steal atomic energy secrets from the University of California Radiation Laboratories at Berkeley, California. (NEA Telephoto).

WANTS HELP IN KEEPING ORDER IN HOLY LAND

UNITED NATIONS HALL.—Flushing N. Y. Great Britain gave a cool reception today to American proposals partition Palestine by next July 1 without providing troops to enforce the split.

British spokesmen at United Nations complained that the American plan would leave Great Britain to maintain order alone up until the minute that the Holy Land is divided into dependent Jewish and Arab states.

The British feared that partition would be preceded by a great deal of Jewish-Arab violence, and that British troops would be among the casualties.

The United States plan, presented to a UN subcommittee, dropped the previous suggestion that an international police force be recruited to maintain order.

American delegate Herschel Johnson said that Great Britain, which has ruled Palestine for 25 years under a League of Nations mandate was obligated to stay until it can leave the country in peace, not chaos.

Pope Appeals To Senators To Work For Peace

CASTEL GANDOLFO—Pope Pius told visiting American senators today that the United States Congress faced a task of "momentous import to Europe and the world," and said the world cry for peace "rings hollow over fields of famine, devastation and oppression."

The Pope pleaded for world peace in three addresses, one to the senators today, one yesterday to members of the U. S. Senate immigration committee, and a third today to Nestor Cerillo, New Bolivian minister to the Holy See.

The pontiff told the Bolivian minister he counted on the aid of the faithful of Bolivia in his search for "peace and justice." He said it could be found only through "the faith and justice which we preach."

Embassy Staff Released From Red Internment

MOSCOW—Members of the Brazilian embassy staff, released from week long "internment" in the National Hotel, were pushing plans today for an early return to Rio Janeiro.

The foreign office informed Ambassador Mario de Pimentel Brandao last night that his staff was no longer restricted to the hotel. Exit visas would be available whenever the Brazilians had decided on the route by which they wished to leave the country, the foreign office said.

The expression "double in brass" date from the time when almost every American village and town took great pride in its local band. Employers advertised for workmen who also could play a brass instrument or "double in brass."

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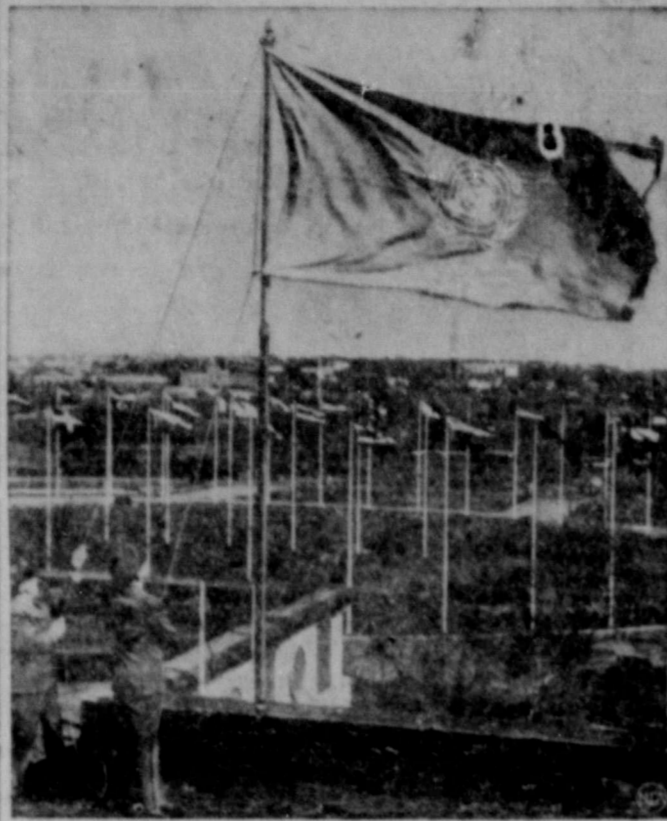
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UN 'Peace' Flag Flies on High



Two attendants raise the new standard of the United Nations for the first time over UN headquarters in Flushing, N. Y. The blue and white flag shows the globe's northern hemisphere encircled by two olive branches symbolizing peace. In the background fly the different flags of the 57 member nations.

Murderer Calls Chair Easy Death

DEADWOOD, S. D. (UP)—A triple murderer was amazed at his "indifference" to death before the "best year" of his life was ended in the electric chair at the South Dakota penitentiary.

"The death sentence," George Sidney Sitts wrote to his attorney a week before his death, "had been greatly exaggerated as a penalty."

"I haven't been able to conjure up any dread of my sentence," he wrote to John T. Heffron, Deadwood, who defended him. "No one has been more amazed than I at this state of indifference."

"Punishment is only a state of mind," he wrote. "I am afraid they would have to revise the statutes of the state to find a punishment for me. This knowledge has given me some chuckles since I came here (to the penitentiary) . . ."

He apparently carried his convictions to the electric chair, for he maintained his hard, emotionless character to the final instant of life. He assisted attendants in strapping himself into the chair, and said:

"This is the first time authorities ever helped me escape prison."

The year he spent in prison while his attorney appealed his conviction to the state supreme court was the "best year" of his life. "No demands made upon me—no responsibilities. Sleeping good, eating good, and getting fat and saucy."

Sitts believed his reaction was not "basically different from those of others who have found themselves in a like position . . . I am inclined to believe that all those outstanding figures of history who are reputed to have met death fearlessly, such as Nathan Hale and Joan of Arc, have in reality practiced a little deception upon their followers. They would have been able to do as well if they had been executed for the foulest of crimes . . ."

Rock City's Wonders To Be Re-Opened

OLEAN, N. Y. (UP)—One of the world's most breath-taking natural rock formations—Rock City, five miles south of here—will be reopened to tourists next spring for the first time in 35 years.

The rocks, said to have formed 160,000,000 years ago, were visited by thousands of tourists at the turn of the century. The park on the site fell into disuse, however, when street car excursions to the area were abandoned.

W. J. Finch and C. W. Allen, both of Erie, Pa., recently purchased the park and are planning a highway into the area. They said they would illuminate the rocks at night next year.

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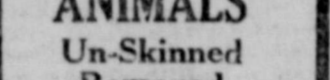
Leading contender for the Nov. 4 election to the vacant Mississippi Senate seat of the late Sen. Theodore G. Bilbo is Democratic Rep. John E. Rankin. He shares the spotlight in the hotly-contested race with five other candidates, each using the old Bilbo line with tirades against "Yankees, Communists, and Negroes" in their stump speeches.

BUSINESS FAILURES

AUSTIN, Tex.—September Tex. business failures numbered seven, equalling August's total, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports. Last year each month had only one.

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SOCIETY «» CLUBS «» CHURCHES

District Meet Ad Is Cisco

The Oil Belt District IOOF and Rebekah Association met at the WOW Hall in Cisco Thursday evening for the regular semi-annual meeting.

For the occasion the hall was decorated in the Hallowe'en motif.

Supper was served at 6:30 and the program opened at 8:00. During the business session the following officers were elected: president, Anna Mae Robinson; first vice president, Mr. Fisher, Stephenville; 2nd vice president, Mr. W. B. Barnett; 3rd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 4th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 5th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 6th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 7th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 8th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 9th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 10th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 11th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 12th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 13th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 14th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 15th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 16th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 17th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 18th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 19th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 20th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 21st vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 22nd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 23rd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 24th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 25th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 26th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 27th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 28th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 29th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 30th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 31st vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 32nd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 33rd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 34th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 35th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 36th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 37th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 38th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 39th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 40th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 41st vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 42nd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 43rd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 44th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 45th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 46th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 47th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 48th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 49th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 50th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 51st vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 52nd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 53rd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 54th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 55th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 56th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 57th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 58th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 59th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 60th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 61st vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 62nd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 63rd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 64th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 65th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 66th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 67th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 68th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 69th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 70th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 71st vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 72nd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 73rd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 74th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 75th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 76th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 77th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 78th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 79th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 80th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 81st vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 82nd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 83rd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 84th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 85th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 86th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 87th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 88th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 89th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 90th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 91st vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 92nd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 93rd vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 94th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 95th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 96th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 97th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 98th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 99th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett; 100th vice president, Mr. J. B. Barnett.

Has Hallowe'en Party Friday

Sarah Elizabeth Johnson was hostess to a group of friends Friday afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30 at her home, 318 E. Main, at a Hallowe'en party.

The house was decorated in the Hallowe'en motif and the children were dressed in costumes. Hallowe'en games were played and refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies were served to Betty Gardenhire, Kathy Rogers, Donald Ray Carver, Johnny Gene Carver, Jessie Rawls, Barbara Helen Rawls, Rebecca Maiera, Dale Wheat, Jr., Sandra Wheat, Artie Beck, Arlinda Beth Carver, Frankie Gibson, Ronnie Fleckenstein, Frankie Johnson, and Sara Elizabeth.

Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Dale Wheat, Mrs. Haris Gardenhire, and Mrs. Ownby, assisted Mrs. J. D. Johnson in entertaining the children.

Executive Board Of League To Meet

A very important meeting of the executive board of the Ranger Civic League will be held Wednesday afternoon at the 3:30 o'clock in the Blue Room of the Gholson Hotel and all members of the board are urged to be present.

Members of the board include the officers who are Mrs. John Ducker, president; Mrs. J. J. Kendall, secretary and Mrs. L. E. Gray, treasurer; and committee chairmen who are: Mmes. O. G. Lanier, Edwin George, H. C. Henderson, James P. Morris, Nicol Crawford, M. H. Hagaman, A. W. Brazda, C. L. Jackson, J. Floyd Killingsworth, A. H. Powell, W. L. Jackson, and J. R. McLaughlin.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE TO MEET TUESDAY

A meeting of the library committee of the Community Club House will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of the chairman, Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin, at the Gholson Hotel.

Members of the committee are Mmes. Roney Jones, M. L. King, Nicol Crawford, W. M. Browning, Van White, E. V. Ingram, Hershel Angus, Charles Hummel, P. M. Kuykendall, David D. Pickrell and Edwin George.

W.S.C.S. MEETING MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock for the third in a series of lessons on the study of alcohol.

Parts on the program will be taken by Mmes. R. E. Johnson, Arthur Deffebach, M. H. Hagaman, M. E. Ice and Robert Stafford. Officers for the coming year will be elected during the business meeting.

Sophomores Have Outing Thursday

The Sophomore Class of Ranger High School was entertained Thursday evening with a hay ride and Weiner roast.

The group met at the school where they started on the hay ride. At the Weiner roast various games were played.

Those attending were Clara Adams, June Burnett, Edith Browning, Doncie Lea McGraw, La Veda Mitchell, Leta Ervin, Madrin Huffman, John D. Anderson, Buddy Hamrick, Dean Elder, Jim E. Smith, La Nita Creager, Gene Ready, Billy Rae Bollinger, Glenn McCleskey, Barbara Wylie, Norma Jane Clemmer, La Gene Bates, Thomas Shirley, Charles Williams, Dwaine Rose, Jackie Poyner, Titus Hill, Billy Lou Williams, Bobby Harper, Gene Cox, W. T. Eaton, Mary Helen Kirkpatrick, Billy Ray Burnett, Alton Siles, Rita Wynn, Gene Ready, and the class sponsor, R. B. Thomas.

A business meeting will be held at the I.O.O.F. hall Wednesday afternoon and all members are invited to be present.

Patsy Ann Hise Entertains Friday

Patsy Ann Hise was hostess at a Hallowe'en party Friday night at 7:30 at her home, which was attractively decorated in the Hallowe'en theme.

During the evening games were played and prizes were awarded for the best costumes.

Refreshments were served to Angela Parsons, Diane Plumley, Billie Don Browning, Bobby Justice, Sara Beth King, Gayle Garner, Ann Lee Wolford, Carl Young, and the hostess.

1947 Club To Meet Tuesday At Gholson

The first regular meeting of the recently organized 1947 Club will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Blue Room of the Gholson Hotel.

The meeting was originally scheduled to be held in the Community Club house but was changed to the hotel.

1920 CLUB CALLED MEETING THURSDAY

A called meeting of the 1920 Club will be held Thursday afternoon, November 6 at 3 o'clock in the Blue Room of the Gholson Hotel.

Important matters are to come before the club and all members are urged to attend.

W. M. U. BUSINESS MEETING MONDAY

The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the monthly business meeting. All members are urged to attend.

Entertained At Luncheon Wed.

Mrs. Lena Patterson was hostess to members of Julia Alexander Grove No. 1964 of the Woodmen Circle at a covered dish luncheon at her home Wednesday.

The Hallowe'en theme was carried out in decorations used throughout the house. The lace covered dining table was centered with a bowl of fruit surrounded by multicolored fall leaves.

Luncheon was served to Mmes. Eula Blackwell, Mollie Patterson, Ruby Greer, Lena McDonough, Edna Williamson, and hostess, Mrs. Patterson.

A business meeting will be held at the I.O.O.F. hall Wednesday afternoon and all members are invited to be present.

Artists To Be Presented Thursday

On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock the 1920 Club will present Miss Lilla Jean Brown and Miss Jennie Ruth Hooper in a recital at the high school auditorium. Miss Brown is head of the piano department of Ranger Junior College and Miss Hooper is head of the voice department.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Brotherhood To Hear Dr. Venting

The regular monthly meeting of the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will be held Monday evening, November 3, at 7:30 at the church.

Dr. Albert Venting, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Cleburne will be the guest speaker. All men of the church are urged to be present.

L. L. L. CLASS O HAVE LUNCHEON

The L.L.L. Class of the First Baptist church will be entertained with a covered dish luncheon Wednesday at 1 o'clock at the church. Following the luncheon a business session will be held and all members, and associate members are invited to attend and visitors are welcome.

O. E. S. OFFICERS TO PRACTISE MONDAY

The worthy matron of the Ranger chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star has called a meeting of all officers of the chapter to be held Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. An important practise will be held and it is important that all officers be present.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bourdeau, Miss Mary Bourdeau, Bill Bourdeau and Cecelia Mooney were in Dallas Saturday to attend the S.M.U.-Texas game. They were joined there by John Bourdeau of Houston who accompanied them home for the week-end.

Mrs. G. C. Boswell has returned from a visit in Austin where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Frantz and Mr. Frantz.

Dana Gwen Adams of Abilene has been the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Tunnell. She will be joined here Sunday by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adams and will return home with them.

Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell will be in Fort Worth Sunday to attend the marriage of Miss Mollie Anne Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Davis, formerly of Ranger, to Mr. Robert Kahn. The wedding and reception will take place at the Piquette Hotel with the wedding hour set at 5:30.

Miss Rosemary Bruce who attends NTSC at Denton is here to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bruce.

Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Boswell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frantz of Austin and Miss Genevieve Boswell of Graham were in Dallas Saturday to attend the Texas-SMU football game.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Anderson visited their son, Billy, in Waco over the week-end, and attended the T.C.U.-Baylor football game.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hicks are in Orange, Texas, to attend the golden wedding anniversary of his parents.

Miss Beulah Edna Smith, who is attending Draughon's Business College in Abilene, was home for a visit Friday and Saturday.

Rebekahs Have Meeting Tuesday

Members of Ranger Rebekah Lodge No. 244 met at the I.O.O.F. hall Tuesday evening for a business meeting which was presided over by Noble Grand Clara Ivy.

During the business meeting Mrs. Thelma Williams was introduced and signed the member's register, and Mrs. Marybelle Thompson was elected to membership.

It was announced that all team were to be at the hall Tuesday afternoon for practice from one to three o'clock, and that evening games should be won for initiation Tuesday night.

The penny prize furnished by Freda Rainwater was won by Lena McDonough.

At the close of the meeting members and visitors were entertained at a social hour in which games were played and refreshments of coffee and cookies were served in the downstairs dining room. Carrying out the Hallowe'en motif colors and decorations were used in the hall.

Seventeen members and several visitors were present.

Y.W.A. TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

A business meeting of the Y.W.A. of the First Baptist Church will be held Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of the sponsor, Mrs. Earle Pittman.

All members are urged to be present as important business will be taken up.

AUXILIARY MEETING TO BE TUESDAY NITE

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening in the clubroom. All members are urged to be present as plans for Poppy Day will be completed.

Missouri Girls Play Football For Keeps

COLUMBUS, Mo. (UP) — After this, Joe Ostwick will play football with men. Joe, a University of Missouri student, got into a tough football game at a Stephens College picnic. As he skirted right end, a fragile Susie tapped him on the shoulder. Down went Joe, with a broken calcivle.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

J. C. Massenece, Pastor
J. C. Peck, Educational Director
J. D. Nichols, Sunday School Superintendent

Morning School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Training Union — 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship — 8:00 p.m.
Prayer Service, Wed. — 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. M. W. Wilson, Pastor

Morning Service — 9:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
Sunday Evening
Evening Service — 7:00
Young People — 7:30
Wednesday
Prayer Meeting — 8:00
You are invited to join with us in Christian fellowship and service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

"Everlasting Punishment" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, November 2.

The Golden Text is: "He that covereth his sins shall not prosper; but whose confesseth and forsaketh them shall have mercy" (Proverbs 28:13).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The way of the wicked is an abomination unto the Lord; but he loveth him that followeth after righteousness" (Proverbs 15:9).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." Error excludes itself from harmony. Sin is its own punishment" (page 537).

Roosevelt Statue Readied In London

LONDON (UP) — Work is going ahead at a London foundry on the 10-foot high bronze statue of the late President Roosevelt. Casting and finishing processes on Sir William Reid Dick's figure will take five or six months.

The memorial, which shows the late President standing on a pedestal of Portland stone, will be ready for unveiling in Grosvenor Square next April. Preparations for the elaborate setting of the memorial are being made. Ornamental pools, pavings, lawns and stone walks will replace the present arrangement of the gardens.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Meets in High School Auditorium
Earl E. Smith, Minister

9:45 a.m. Bible Study
10:50 a.m. Worship
8:00 p.m. Worship
Monday 3 p.m. Ladies Bible Class
Wednesday 8 p.m. Mid-Week services.

MEKIRMAN BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. E. Fred Null, pastor

Sunday School — 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Service — 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service for young people — 7:00
Sunday Evening service — 7:30

ROCKY POINT PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service — 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service — 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday Night
Prayer Meeting — 8:00 p.m.
Friday Night
Young People to Meet at — 8:00

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T. P. Hickman, Superintendent
Message by Pastor — 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic service — 7:30 p.m.
Prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Friday at 7:30.

HARMONY BAPTIST CHURCH

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Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Ordinance of Baptism — 3:00 p.m.
Training Union — 7:45 p.m.
Evening Worship — 8:45 p.m.
W. M. U. — Monday 2:00 p.m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

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Frank Crow, pastor

Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
L. N. Bryan, Supt.
Morning Worship — 11:00 p.m.
Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.
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Sermon Subject: "God's Plan" "Why Christ Died"

First Methodist Church

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2nd
Church School — 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship — 10:50 A. M.
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Garden Lore
By Ethel Brooks Gilmore

According to Greek Mythology the pomegranate is associated with our seasons. Proserpine, the daughter of Ceres, Goddess of corn, flowers and harvest, was seized by Pluto, King of the infernal regions, while she was gathering flowers. Pluto promised Proserpine his kingdom of diamond, gold and

cooper mines if she would only stay with him. There was no sunshine in his kingdom and Proserpine grieved continually for her mother. She would neither eat nor drink for, in the land of magic once a person tastes food there, they can never return to their friends. Pluto, mother Ceres grieved so for the loss of her daughter that she neglected the fields and flowers. Soon they were as brown in June as in November. At last Mercury was sent to Pluto to beg

him to undo the mischief he had done. King Pluto had sent a messenger to the earth to gather a basket of fruit. He might tempt Proserpine. On Mercury's arrival she had taken one bite of an old withered pomegranate and six seeds were in her mouth. King Pluto did not know this and allowed her to return to her mother.

Mother Ceres knew that she had tasted the fruit and because of this, Proserpine was condemned to spend six months of the year in Pluto's underground palace. The six months she was away Ceres paid no attention to her fields and flowers. On Proserpine's return the lands were again beautiful and green. Thus the year was divided into winter and summer.

The pomegranate forms a tree of small stature, or a bush, with opposite shining leaves, from which come brilliant scarlet flowers. The fruit is equal in beauty to the flowers, being a thick skinned, reddish berry about the size of an orange, having many seeds in a crimson pulp. The fruit has a delicious flavor, slightly acid. The Ancients used the pulp to make spiced wine.

Pomegranates grow wild in Northwestern India, and Afghanistan. Alphonse de Candolle, in his (Origine des Cultivees), gives Persia as its native country. The genus Punica is of the family Punicaceae. Punica is the old name for Carthage, the pomegranate having once been called the Apple of Carthage.

A pomegranate design was used on holy garments. Exodus, Chapter 29 23-26 reads: And they made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the pomegranates; a bell and a pomegranate, round the robe to minister in; as the Lord commanded Moses. These trees are now grown in America. For best results they should be spaced about 18 feet apart, each way, and all base shoots should be cut off to prevent them from taking strength from the tree.

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Trying To Shoot Cat, Plugs Himself
PHILADELPHIA (UP)—Joseph J. O'Hara, 32, nursed his wounded fingers and figured it doesn't pay to try to get even with a cat.

An employe of a fruit store, O'Hara was bitten by a large cat in the cellar. He went back to the basement with a .32 caliber revolver. But instead of shooting the cat, he shot himself in the left index finger and the middle finger and required hospital treatment.

Heartsease
by Elais Clean

Evening Star
"Sunset and Evening Star
And one clear call for me,
And may there be no moaning
at the bar,
When I put out to sea"

Forgetting the implication of these words in which the cold breath of death blows upon the warmly beating human heart . . . could we not think of life . . . robust, passionate, striding down the years . . . with one great, brilliant Star to guide? As we live . . . not die?
For when death cometh . . . it will come.
And during the experience of living . . . surely we may live to the fullest, for awhile at least, with no thought of dumb tongues, dead faces, inactive limbs.

For death is something of which we know not . . . it is too vast to contemplate.
Give unto Caesar those things that are Caesar's.
While you have it, hold life in your two hands and smile at it. Cherish it.
Believe in whatever you can.
For the sunsets and the Evening Star as guided by an Unseen Hand.

Honour.
What is Honour, my child?
Honour is life. The glory of it; living it as nobly as you can . . . standing upright on two feet . . . a courageous chin jutting out . . . a crooked grin, if necessary.
Crooked in the Evening Star.
Truly, then, there shall be no moaning at the bar,
Only the golden, molten sun melting into the blue, blue Waters of the Sea.

Mineral Wells--

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In the first few seconds of the second half after Searcy had kicked to Ranger, McWhorter intercepted a Bulldog pass on the 28 yard line. The Mountaineers worked Zeir way to the one yard line from where Grissett went over for the third score. The extra point was kicked by Searcy and the score was 21 to 0.

On receiving the kick, Ranger got in some good work with Wright, Lanier and Deaton figuring in the plays. But again an intercepted pass put an end to the Bulldogs drive.
Just after taking the ball Mineral Wells fumbled with Ranger recovering. The Bulldogs made a real effort, trying both line play and passes but failing to make a first down the ball went over to Mineral Wells.

Early in the fourth quarter on a lateral from Marshall to McWhorter, the latter went over for another touchdown and Searcy converted the extra point making the score 28 to 0. The last touchdown drive was started after another Bulldog pass was intercepted and on the first Mineral Wells play Dennis went over for the final score. The try for the extra point failed and the game ended with Mineral Wells 34 and Ranger 0.

Starting line-up for Mineral Wells was:
Glenn, Cowley, Turner, Neel, Long, Walker, Cheek, Grissett, McWhorter, Searcy, Boone.
Starters for Ranger were:
Robert Imholz, Marvin Wilson, Alvin Langley, Jim Heinlin, Keith Mannerlyn, Bob Balch, Jerry Gray, J. G. Wright, Bobby Williams, Kenneth Williams, O. G. Lanier.

Game at a Glance

Ranger	Mineral Wells
7	First Downs 17
30	Yds. Rushing 227
60	Yds. Passing 30
6 of 14	Passes Completed 2 of 9
1	Passes Inter. By 5
5 for 220	Punts, No. Yds. 1 for 23
4 for 30	Penalties 5 for 55

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Policies--

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A constitutional amendment submitted by the last Legislature which, if adopted at the November 1948 general election, will permanently abolish the state ad valorem tax for general revenue purposes, and second, authorize counties by popular vote to levy property taxes up to 50 cents per \$100 valuation for financing their own farm to market roads and flood control projects.

Soil and Water Conservation
The WTCC commission's proposal in Plank 2 is that, if the amendment is adopted by Texas voters, the Legislature pass an enabling act forthrightly defining soil and water conservation as dealing with flood control, and authorizing the respective counties to set up tax supported funds earmarked in advance for determining and meeting their own distinctive problems; that broad field aimed at improving rural economy and life, as well as for lateral riads.

The commission contends that abolition of the ad valorem tax heretofore going into the state treasury could be diverted to provide the 132 counties of West Texas with not less than \$4 million annually for these purposes—all without establishing new political subdivisions and incurring added overhead administrative expense. Such a plan, says the commission, will provide faster, more effective and more economical methods for preserving and fully utilizing the county's soil and water resources.

Tie-In With Districts
The conservation plank stresses that enabling legislation for putting the constitutional amendment into operation should require that each county's soil and water work tie in with and carry out its share of any existing district conservation program to which it is committed, with its portion of the av-

erall fund to be spent within the county. Other safeguards call for a definite time limit on the entire program so as to assure relief from the tax after a given period; for explicit breaking down and allocation of the county's tax fund with a 75 per cent ceiling on any one project; and for providing good fiscal control to assure maximum farmer protection and benefits.

If Plank 2 is adopted the West Texas Chamber will study out and submit to the next Legislature a proposed enabling bill. Wiley Caffey, president of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association, has joined WTCC's agricultural commission in sponsoring the plank.

NEWS FROM
CHEANEY

Mr. and Mrs. John Love transacted business in Comanche Wednesday. While there they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Weekes.

Mrs. Alton Underwood and daughters visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Underwood Thursday evening.

Mrs. T. A. Kimbrough and grand daughter, Sandra, of Big Spring, were recent guests in the Dean and Freeman homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Pug Howard of Fort Worth were guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Griffith went to Dallas Wednesday to take her grandson, Jerry, for his checkup at the Scottish Rite Hospital.

Mrs. F. E. Ferrell and Mrs. Curtis Blackwell were in Ranger shopping Thursday.

J. P. Strickler visited in the Joe Butler home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. B. B. Freeman and Mrs. A. H. Dean visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Weekes and family Tuesday night. The father, R. C. Weekes, returned home with them Wednesday for a two weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jid Blackwell were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eva Underwood, who has been in Bell County since the middle of August, returned home Monday.

Mrs. F. E. Ferrell visited in the A. H. Dean home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Colony visited in the home of their granddaughter, Mrs. Monroe Ainsworth, and family over the week-end.

Two Professors
Publish Books

LUBBOCK, Tex., (NP)—College mathematics textbooks by two faculty members of Texas Technological College, Prof. Michie and Prof. E. Heineman, have been published. Heineman, of the mathematics department, is the author of "College Algebra," while Michie, who heads the math department, is the author of "Differential and Integral Calculus."

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