

Ranger is the center of the agriculture and livestock industries of the area with relative industries bringing much business to the town. It is also the home of Ranger Junior College, one of the best public junior colleges in the state.

RANGER DAILY TIMES

THE RANGER DAILY TIMES is the oldest daily newspaper in Eastland County, the first edition appearing on June 1, 1919. World news is furnished to readers through United Press daily wire service.

30th YEAR

RANGER, TEXAS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1949

PRICE FIVE CENTS

214

Master Communist Spy Ring Revealed

Well...
I Dunno,
But...

As is the case with most things that we don't know too much about, we've been passive in our objection to the enforced public health insurance bill now before our Congress—the brain child of the federal security administration.

Our curiosity being aroused, we did a little reading on the matter and our indignation was aroused instead of our curiosity. In the first place we are beginning to revolt against the threatened invasion of federal control of things we consider a matter of personal choice and selection and we think it's time for the people to speak up and do something about it.

The new health bill, which is a rehashed version of a number of similar bills that have been downed in Congress over a period of about 16 years, is too socialistic to fit the American pattern if we are to steer clear of centralization of control of every phase of life in this country.

Briefly it proposes that the people of this country be forced to subscribe to a national health insurance program and to pay for it with new taxes, presumably a payroll deduction plan estimated at 3 per cent of the first \$3,600 a man earns.

Naturally, the claim of the proponents of the bill is that it would improve national security through improved national health. They present strong arguments in this contention.

But the plan would have to go some if it beat the record of the American medical profession and the education in this country for the past 40 years.

Statistics show that the American span of life has been increased 15 years in the last 40 years and that a man born in America has a life expectancy of 67 years. Now if the hard hitting American doctors, researchers and health educators in this country, keep up that record for the next 40 years, that'd make the average American man entitled to live to be 82 years old.

Presumably the proposed legislation would be financed by touching the pockets of the working man through payroll deduction and he'd pay through the nose whether he used the service or not. Personally, our pocket can't stand many more deductions and meet the present cost of living.

There is nothing in the bill to force a man to use the service but he must pay for it anyway. Besides, we don't think people can any more be forced to go to a doctor than they can be forced to go to church if they don't want to.

We still think keeping up our health is a matter of personal decision through intelligence, and that educational programs such as are now being carried on by Cancer Research, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, the fight against tuberculosis, etc., can do more to make the American public health conscious than all of the enforced plans that the brain trusters can think up. And that's not saying one thing about the work of the American doctors whose contribution to the health of this country cannot be overestimated.

Yes, sir, the next thing you know about it, some guy will think up some plan for regimenting the souls of the American people. After all our bodies and our souls are about the only remaining things that we can call our own and here some economists are for taking our bodies away from our personal management.

Sure as shooting they'll be after our souls next.

Celbrate Double
Mt. Vernon, Ind. (UP)—Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wiltshire have double holidays when the celebrate the birthdays of their four children. Their oldest son, Jerry, 9, was born on Washington's Birthday; Dickie Sue, 6, was born on Memorial Day, and Michael was four last July 4. Their fourth child, Barbara Gail, was born on Christmas Day.

TAX FREE TOO



The contest over the will of the late Eleanor M. Patterson ended with the announcement that her daughter, Mrs. Felicia Gizycka, received a tax-free 400,000 lump sum in an out-of-court settlement. Mrs. Gizycka, who contested the will on grounds that her mother was subjected to "undue influence" and was of unsound mind when she made the will, leaves a Washington, D. C. court with Mrs. William A. Roberts, right, wife of one of Mrs. Gizycka's attorneys. (NEA Telephoto)

WINTER HARRIED WEST BRACES FOR NEW STORM

Parts of the west were whipped today by "quickie" windstorms and snow squalls that pushed new piles of snow over roads as fast as bulldozers cleared them.

A new major storm area was spawned in the Aleutians and was moving southeastward toward the continental coastline to unleash its fury.

Nightlong rains melted snowdrifts in eastern Washington, creating flood conditions. Water poured into Dayton, Wash., and crept over Walla Walla sidewalks. Residents of the two towns turned out to erect sandbag barricades. Highways became muddy, swirling streams.

Perishable foods were running low in the city, the last major community still snowbound as result of the storms that struck earlier this week. The Challenger Airlines said that if weather permitted it would begin a shuttle service for 650 westbound rail-

ELUSIVE CHECK FORGER WILL FACE TRIAL HERE

A check forger sought since Oct. 1947 by the Eastland Sheriff's office was identified in Breckenridge yesterday by county authorities and victims of the accused.

He is Robert A. Chick, 26, of Columbus, Ohio, who is wanted by police in six states and has a long list of criminal charges. Chick has been indicted on two counts by Eastland County.

In 1947 he passed six forged checks here, each for the amount of \$46.23. Two of those checks were turned into authorities when it was discovered they were forgeries. Chick used the alias of Frank Willis.

Chick was arrested by authorities in Las Vegas, Nev. on a general pick-up. The local office was notified of his arrest January 4, then the F. B. I. transported him to Oklahoma where he is also sought by authorities. From Oklahoma he was brought to Texas and questioned by authorities throughout West Texas.

He will face trial in Eastland County in the near future.

Filing Deadline In City Election Midnite Mar. 6

It was announced today that names of all candidates intending to run for office in the coming city election must file their names with the city secretary not later than midnight 30 days before the election.

In the case of Ranger's city election this year, that will mean that all names must be filed with the city not later than midnight Mar. 6, as the election fall on Tuesday, April 5.

It was also pointed out today that the filing date is set 30 days ahead of the election in order to give time for absentee voting which begins 20 days before election date and closes three days before the election.

Another legal aspect of the election in Ranger is that polls open at 8 o'clock instead of at 7 o'clock in the morning in cities of 10,000 or more population, but in towns of less population, the opening hour is 8 o'clock.

An election to select two members of the Ranger Public School board of trustees is also due to be held this spring, though the election has not been called by the present board.

The school board election is always held on the first Saturday in April which falls on April 2 this year. Members whose terms expire this year are A. E. Crawley and A. W. Warford.

Rotarians Hear Talk On Proposed Health Program

Dr. P. M. Kuykendall was in charge of the Rotary Club program at the regular meeting Wednesday at noon at the Gholson Hotel and gave an analytical discussion of the proposed legislation for national health insurance.

In speaking of the bill, Dr. Kuykendall stated that it was his opinion that the bill was a wedge for socialism in this country. He explained that the bill would be financed by further taxation, presumably a payroll deduction plan and that administrative costs of such a program alone would be prohibitive.

It was pointed out that a very small per cent of the population would be covered by the program and that the provisions of the law are overlapping with present union and veterans health programs.

H. C. Henderson, president of the Rotary Club, announced that the club had another 100 per cent attendance record at last week's meeting.

Guests at the luncheon were: J. A. Bates of Ranger and Dr. Nick Holland of Dallas.

Labor Resolution Shot Back To House

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 10. (UP)—The House voted overwhelmingly today to ship back to committee for further consideration a labor resolution to urge Congress to leave the Taft-Hartley Act alone.

The vote was 109 to 25, with two present and not voting, to send the resolution by Rep. Marshall O. Bell of San Antonio to the rules committee. The resolution had been voted out favorably in quick action yesterday by the House Labor Committee.

Bell, author of the 1947 act banning the closed shop in Texas, asked that Congress be called upon not to pass legislation to supersede or wipe out state laws prohibiting the closed shop and anti-dues checkoffs by unions without written consent of the employers.

Strong Man on Job
CHENEY, Wash. (UP)—School officials do not have to worry about Sutton Hall on the Eastern Washington College of Education campus next quarter. They believe it will be the most orderly on the campus. Students selected Herman Pein, Pacific Coast intercollegiate boxing champion, sergeant-at-arms.

Rotary Candidate



Dr. G. B. Boswell

Dr. Boswell To Be Nominated For Rotary Post

Members of the Ranger Rotary Club today announced that at the coming convention of District 126 in Mineral Wells April 24-26, the club will nominate Dr. G. C. Boswell of the Ranger Club for governor of the district for the next term.

In presenting the nomination, the Ranger Club will point to Dr. Boswell's long connection and service with Rotary International through his membership of 16 years. He has served as president of the Weatherford Rotary Club and the Ranger Club and has a 13 year perfect attendance record.

Aside from his activities in the club, in church affairs and civil advancement, he is listed in Who's Who In America, has served on a number of educational committees from both public schools and colleges, is a past president of the Texas Junior College Athletic Association and is at present a member of the commission on Coordination of Education in Texas.

President H. C. Henderson of the Ranger Club, in making the announcement today, stated that a number of clubs in the district have informally endorsed Dr. Boswell and pledged support to his campaign.

According to long time members of the club in Ranger, this is the first time since 1928 that they have offered a candidate for the presidency of the District.

Difficulties With Water Line Slow Well Hookup

Work of connecting the Sanderford water well with the city water system has been slowed again, it was reported today, because of difficulties encountered from expansion and contracting of the pipe in the water line.

All electrical and pumping facilities have been connected and are ready to go and the line has been connected to the city mains. But because the emergency necessitated the laying of the pipeline on top of the ground the workmen must contend with this new problem.

Concrete blocks were being set today to hold the pipe to minimize the effects of expansion and contraction and as soon as these have set, it is believed that the water can be turned into the mains.

Water supplies at the well, this morning were reported to be holding up in an astounding manner.

Bank Will Be Closed Saturday

Officials of the Commercial State Bank announced today that the bank will be closed to business on Saturday, Feb. 12 and Lincoln's birthday.

Patrons of the bank are asked to take notice of the holiday and to provide themselves with sufficient change for the double-day week-end holiday. Others with business to transact with the bank are asked to take care of that business on Friday.

ARMY REPORT SAYS RING KEPT REDS POSTED ON JAP, GERMAN WAR PLANS

Ranger Short Of March of Dimes 1949 Drive Goal

Mrs. J. A. Bates stated today that with only four more days remaining before the deadline on the March of Dimes, Ranger is around \$700 behind its goal of \$1,500.

Total reported in collections so far is \$803.09.

Mrs. Bates appealed to workers to step up their efforts in the remaining days and bring Ranger as close to the goal as possible.

It was pointed out that in as much as Eastland County and Ranger in particular have benefited tremendously from funds collected for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, that Ranger is duty bound to go all out in support of the drive.

R. V. Galloway, Eastland County Chairman of the National Foundation has added his appeal to that of Mrs. Bates. Galloway who worked in securing aid from the National fund last year for Eastland County cases, has asked that those who have not contributed please do so at once.

Predict Irish To Remain In United Kingdom

Northern Ireland voted today in a general election that will determine whether the country remains in the United Kingdom or joins the New Irish Republic in southern Ireland.

The result was considered certain—continued membership in the United Kingdom. Advocates of union with Catholic Southern Ireland have found scant support in predominantly Protestant Northern Ireland.

Prime Minister Sir Eamonn Dwyer's Unionist Party, Northern Ireland's counterpart of Winston Churchill's British Conservative Party, seemed certain to get a renewed and perhaps stronger mandate from the people.

The unionists, pledged to continued membership in the United Kingdom, now hold 33 seats in the 52-seat Northern Ireland House of Commons. Political observers expect them to win 35 to 36 seats in today's elections.

Opposing the unionists on a platform of unity with the Irish Republic are the Independent Labor Party in Belfast and the Nationalist Party in rural areas.

AROUSSED PUBLIC INSISTS ON U. S. PROTEST TO CARDINAL TRIAL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10. (UP)—The United States, under mounting public and Congressional pressures, today considered drastic steps to express its indignation over the trial of Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty.

Chief State Department consideration was devoted to a possible appeal to the United Nations to condemn Hungary's handling of the Mindszenty case and its suppression of human rights as a threat to world peace.

Other means of taking action against the Soviet satellite nation include a stern official protest to Hungary, breaking off diplomatic relations, closing Hungarian consulates in New York and Cleveland, and notifying Americans that this government cannot guarantee protection to its citizens traveling in that country.

Except for a possible protest, however, diplomatic officials refused to say that any of the other measures would be taken. President Truman was to be asked for his views on Hungary's heavy-handed tactics in the Mindszenty case at his news conference (10:30 A. M. EST).

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—(UP)—A Communist spy ring, perhaps the most successful of all time, kept Russia informed of Japanese and German war plans for nine years before Pearl Harbor, the Army reported today.

The ring operated out of Tokyo. Its 20 members were headed by a German Communist—Richard Sorge—who posed as a Nazi journalist and hoodwinked high German as well as Japanese officials.

Some of its survivors, the Army said, probably are "secretly busy with their trade at this very moment in the capitals of the world."

The Army also reported a prewar Communist ring which it said spied for Russia in China. One of the members of this group, the Army said, was an American writer.

Of the Japanese ring headquartered at Tokyo the Army said: "Probably never in history has there been a ring more bold or more successful."

It added that by comparison, the famous Canadian Atomic Spy Case of World War II "was an amateur show."

It called operations of the Sorge ring "a clear warning for today and the future" and said some of the "implications are frightening."

But for a "malicious accident"—which cost its top leaders their lives—the anti-Japanese ring would have "succeeded in committing the perfect crime." And "although most of the principals are dead, some are still at large," the Army said.

The ring's "astounding" and "incredibly" successful operations were described in a 35,000-word report prepared by Gen. Douglas MacArthur's intelligence staff. It was entitled "The Sorge Spy Ring, A Case Study in International Espionage in the Far East."

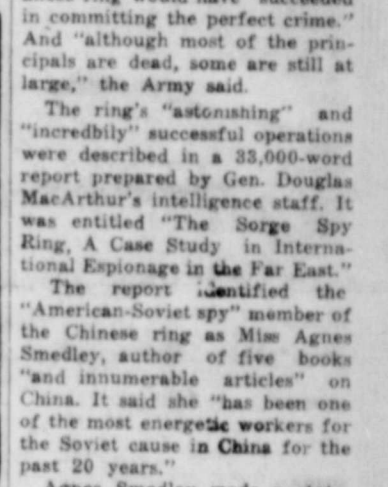
The report identified the "American-Soviet spy" member of the Chinese ring as Miss Agnes Smedley, author of five books "and innumerable articles" on China. It said she "has been one of the most energetic workers for the Soviet cause in China for the past 20 years."

Agnes Smedley made a statement to the press in New York, one paragraph of which said: "It is almost impossible to believe that General MacArthur would, on the basis of the files of the Japanese secret police, the most discredited agency of that enemy government, dare to call me a spy and agent of the Soviet government. Since his headquarters has apparently done so, then I must solemnly declare that he has caused to be circulated a despicable lie against me. I am not and never have been a Soviet spy or an agent for any country."

The Army also accused Guenter Stein, a British journalist now living in New York, of spying for the Red Army in Japan. He called the charge "ridiculous and untrue."

After exposure of the ring by a malicious Communist informer, 17 men and women, mostly Japanese, were convicted of spying for the Russians. Those not hanged were imprisoned. And four years later, in October, 1945, a victorious U. S. Army liberated as political prisoners all those who are still living.

Ancient Plow Found
SOFIA, (UP)—A two-horse Thracian bronze chariot has been unearthed by a plow near Provdiv. The find is considered unique because the chariot is complete, and the skeletons of the horses and weapons of the warrior are intact.



Rio Cox has been chosen as general chairman of the Annual Comanche Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, finance campaign, which will take place in all towns in the eight county area during the last three weeks of February. February is being used for the first time for all of the campaigns. The eight county budget is \$21,000.

Cox is a representative of the regional Scout headquarters with offices in Dallas.

Officials of the Retail Merchants Association today issued a warning to merchants of Ranger about taking checks from persons they do not know.

It was pointed out that merchants take such checks at their own risk and that there has been observed over the country a flurry of bad check passing.

Check Cashing Warning Given

Officials of the Retail Merchants Association today issued a warning to merchants of Ranger about taking checks from persons they do not know.

THE WEATHER

EAST TEXAS Fair this afternoon and tonight. Friday, partly cloudy and warmer. Moderate northerly winds on the coast, becoming variable Friday.

WEST TEXAS—Fair this afternoon and tonight. Friday, partly cloudy and warmer.

Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today:
Maximum 54
Minimum 25
Hours Reading 54

Temperature the last 24 hours, ending 8:00 A. M.
Maximum 60
Minimum 26

Ranger Daily Times

Joe Dennis, Business Manager Mrs. Ruth Ducker, Editor
TIMES PUBLISHING COMPANY
Joe Dennis — O. H. Dick
Publishers
Elm Street, Ranger, Texas Telephone 224

Entered as second class matter at the Postoffice at Ranger, Texas, under the act of March 3, 1879.
Published Daily Afternoons (Except Saturday) and Sunday Morning.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES
One week by Carrier in City 20c
One Month by Carrier in City 85c
One Year by Mail in State 4.95
One Year by Mail Out of State 7.50

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

MEMBER
United Press Association, N. E. A. Newspaper Feature and Association, Texas Daily Press League, Southern Newspaper Publishers Association.

Buy United States Savings Bonds

SEED SAFETY

BLUE TAG BRAND SEEDS GIVE HIGHER YIELDS BECAUSE MANY ARE TREATED WITH SPECIAL SEED DISINFECTANTS TO DESTROY DISEASE BACTERIA & CHECK ROTTING!

BUY FROM YOUR BLUE TAG DEALER

TERMINAL GRAIN CO.
Forty-one years in Fort Worth, Tex.

WILLARD OF TEXAS

PRESENTS

The "Pioneer"

7.50 to 15.00

Season after season Southwesterners call for the famous Willard "Buckskin" Brand. You'll go for the "Pioneer." You'll like the casual twist of the jaunty 2 3/4-inch brim... the easygoing style of its crown and narrow ribbon band. See the Willard "Pioneer"... a top quality hat in a variety of favorite colors.

Lloyd Clem Inc.
Phone 66 Main Street

RANGER DAILY TIMES SPORTS

Joe Neel
Sports Writer

Bowling Briefs

Highlights of the week's activities at the Ranger Bowl were 199 game registered by Mildred Pickrell, which is third high game for the local ladies, and the 200 game scored by Vivian Hise.

In view of the many school leagues in progress a new Junior Honor Roll will be a weekly feature in this column. Last week's boys' games of 160 or better and girls' games of 125 or better are listed. Next week the boys' score will be raised to 165.

Junior Honor Roll

Girls

Cookie Kirkpatrick	135
LaGene Bates	137
Karolyn Babain	141

Boys

Jim Bonney	171
Roif Brooks	185
J. Varner	163
J. Burnett	161
T. L. Bush	174
C. Massee	185
B. Burnett	170
D. Elder	176
B. Simpson	160
J. Cole	176

Men

Bailey Woods	209
J. Elwood	225
B. Herrington	206
Allen Full	211
B. McKeever	223
Elvis Warner	202
Rollie Kenney	211
Vivian Hise	200

Ladies

Mildred Pickrell	199
Joan Kenney	184

Basketball Results

EAST
West Virginia 49, Penn State 47.
Yale 68, Brown 4.
Manhattan 59, New York University 56.
Vilanova 67, Navy 46.
Army 54, Harvard 52.
Pennsylvania 56, Georgetown 5.

SOUTH
Miami 68, Florida Southern 57.
William and Mary 61, Richmond 47.
Centenary 44, Springhill 42.
Clemson 79, Presbyterian 29.
Southern University 59, Texas State College 47.
Lambuth 62, Athens College 37.
Arkansas State 71, Southwestern 44.

MIDWEST
Kansas State 53, Kansas 48.
LaSalle 42, University of Cincinnati 36.
Akron 65, John Carroll 39.
Mr. Union 53, Wooster 29.
Ohio Wesleyan 69, Denison 42.
Drake 72, Kirksville Teachers 62.
Cape Girardeau Teachers 53, Southern Illinois 47.
Southwest Baptist 56, Jefferson City JC, 52.
St. Marys (Minn.) 49, Winona State Teachers 47.
Ohio Northern 95, Taylor University 76.
Indiana State 73, St. Josephs 50.

SOUTHWEST
Rice 66, Texas Christian 59.
Southern Methodist 49, Texas A. & M. 35.
Tyler Texas JC, 78, Texas A. & M. Frosh 45.
Howard Payne 66, McMurray 54.

Rangers Take On Cisco Tonight

The Ranger Junior College basketball team tries the troublesome Cisco Quintet tonight at seven-thirty at Cisco's new gym.

The Rangers have defeated the Cisco team once while dropping one non-conference game to them.

The Wranglers have two boys on their club that can drop the ball through the hoop. Parrish hit for 19 points and Tompkins hit for 12 in the last game with the Rangers.

Children's favorite!

VELVEETA

FOR SNACKS-SANDWICHES they love its rich, mild cheddar cheese flavor

NUTRITIOUS!
DIGESTIBLE AS MILK

Dallas Gunman To Be Charged With Murder

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 10 (UP)—A Dallas postman, one of four persons wounded yesterday by a wild-eyed gunman who told police he was "shooting at Communists," died today in a Dallas hospital.

He was Theodore Thornton, 40, a postman for 21 years, who had been in an iron lung since he was wounded in a hail of 21 bullets fired from a sixth-story window of the downtown-YMCA building.

Police said today that Charles H. Gordon, who earlier had been charged with assault with intent to murder, now would be charged with murder.

Gordon was captured in his room at the YMCA by police shortly after the shooting. As officers pumped bullets through the door of his room, he shouted: "That one almost got me. I'm coming out with my hands up."

The 28-year-old suspect was an employe of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. He had been discharged from the Navy and later was treated for a mental disorder.

He gave no motive for the shooting except to say that he was "shooting at Communists." The hail of bullets sent pedestrians running for cover. One slug pierced a woman's dress, and another knocked a brief case from a man's hand on the street six stories below Gordon's room.

But the Horned Frogs from Fort Worth put up a surprisingly stiff battle for cellar dwellers, falling just short in a late-stage rally.

Top scorers were J. (Daddy) Dolins, TCU's 29-year-old center, and Joe McDermott, Rice forward, each with 25 points.

At Dallas, Southern Methodist downed Texas A. & M. in a battle of "also-rans" Sophomore Jack Brown paced SMU with 14 points, two more than A. & M.'s sophomore flash, Jewell McDowell.

Tonight, Texas Christian meets Texas A. & M. at College Station, and Rice and SMU clash at Houston.

Advertisement

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Duke Gets His Tractor

Duke Thomas bought a farm with the money he'd saved in the Service, but he couldn't get a tractor. He needed it badly, but was tenth on the local dealer's list.

"Tell you what," old man Peters says, "if those nine fellows ahead of you agree, you'll get the next one I get in." "No, thanks," says Duke, "I'll just take my turn."

But old Peters mails out nine postcards. And the other day he tells Duke his tractor will be in next week. "I simply wrote the facts to the fellows ahead of you. They decided it."

Joe Marsh

Copyright 1949 United States Brewers Foundation

Bank Holiday

SATURDAY FEB. - 12

We Will Be **CLOSED** In Observance of Lincoln's Birthday

Please Transact Your Banking Business Friday Feb. 11 and Supply Your Self With Sufficient Change.

★ ★ ★ ★

COMMERCIAL STATE BANK
Member of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

ALWAYS THE BEST PEANUT SEED

It costs no more to cultivate a good stand of peanuts than it does a poor stand—so why not buy peanut seed that you can always depend on to give you a perfect stand.

Our seed have been carefully selected from our stocks bought during the past season and we have given special care to the storage and preserving them for spring planting.

They will be carefully sized to suit your needs and tested, tagged, and bagged to give you the best Peanut Seed available. Treated with either Arasan or Ceresan—and always freshly shelled.

Our tonnage of seed is limited and when our supply is booked we will have no more to offer... Be safe—book your peanuts now and be assured of the best seed available in the Southwest.

Contact Floyd Nunnally or Oda Monroe at Gorman Or The

RANGER PEANUT COMPANY, INC.
Ranger, Texas Phones: L. D. 6—Local 266

Police said they found \$2,500 in U. S. government bonds, a check for \$164.22 from the telephone company, a .22 caliber pistol, 625 rounds of ammunition and 21 spent cartridges among his effects.

A 15-year-old negro bicyclist, Robert Linskie, a pedestrian and another youth received superficial wounds in the sniper-like attack.

Art For The Masses
Guilford, England (UP)—Art is coming cheap for the residents of this London suburb. The town council started a lending library in reproductions of the world's most famous paintings at half a crown a month (50 cents) per painting.

How To Relieve Bronchitis

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis



PEELER PRINTING COMPANY
District Representative
Phone 526 Breckenridge

For Better and Easier Typing Buy A **ROYAL** The World's No. 1 Typewriter For A Demonstration Phone or Write

GIVE HIM A CALIFORNIA

VALEN-TIE
BY HOLLYVOGUE California TIES
1.50 to 500

The Globe Clothier
SAULE PERLSTEIN

THAT SPECIAL TOUCH

Is Added to All Our Culinary Duties!

It is my belief that all dishes must not only taste good BUT LOOK GOOD.

All our excellent cuisine is under my personal direction.

We think our wonderful dishes and our Home Made Pies and Rolls count immeasurably for our wonderful success here.

GHOLSON COFFEE SHOP
W. M. RAMSEY

You'll find dozens of duties for your **Electric HEAT LAMP**

Yes, you'll be pleasantly surprised when you discover the variety of ways an infrared heat lamp can help with odd jobs about the house or workshop, as well as ease sore and aching muscles for the entire family.

Here's soothing warmth that bakes out muscular aches and pains... dries finger-nail polish faster... helps keep car radiators from freezing... speeds hair drying on damp, chilly days... works wonders in the workshop, drying freshly glued parts, paint, etc.

ENJOY HEALTHFUL WINTER COMFORT ELECTRICALLY

Your electrical appliance dealer will gladly show you the many ways in which an electric heat lamp will bring better living, electrically, into your home. Visit him today.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY
A. N. LARSON, Manager

News From Olden And Community

Mr. Jess Dick is the proud owner of a 1949 tan Plymouth sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Jarrett attended the Fat Stock Show and rodeo in Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. Jewell Walden and son W. C. and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Max of Eastland were shopping in Olden Saturday.

Mrs. Nita Graham Jr. and daughter Terry have returned to their home in Kilgore after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Holt.

Gene Woods has returned home from Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Oxford of Fort Worth visited here with her mother and sister, Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Garry Saturday night.

Mrs. Usary of Eastland visited in the Burns' home Sunday.

Mrs. Lassiter is ill at her home with pneumonia but is reported improving.

Mrs. Will Edwards was hostess to the W. S. C. S. at her home Tuesday for an all day meeting and covered dish luncheon. Seven were present and the hostess, Mrs. Edwards.

Rev. Earl Stevens and Jack Thompson of A. C. C. were dining guests Sunday in the Nora Baker home.

The W. M. U. met at the home of Mrs. Clifford Nelson for a business meeting and luncheon. A book review was given by Mrs. Nelson. Eleven were present and the Royal Service program will be next Monday at the home of Mrs. Hutto at 10 A. M.

Mrs. Marlow has been quite ill but now is able to sit up some.

David Turpin doesn't seem to be improving much at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stark returned Monday from a visit to his mother in Comanche.

Mrs. Ethel Rowch's daughter Mrs. Ruth Adonis of Holiday underwent a major operation in the Ranger General Hospital last Saturday morning. A sister Mrs. Marin Newman, Denver, Colo. and a brother Buddy Rowch from Electra and their families came in last week.

Mrs. Adams is improving but slowly.

Mrs. Jessie Kelley and son Billy were in Eagleville, Sunday.

On Thursday February 17 at 2 P. M. the P. T. A. will meet at the cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Horn and family visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Horn in Eastland, Sunday.

Mrs. Stella Jarrett, Mr. and Mrs. James Jarrett spent Sunday in Valley Mills with Stella's parents Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs.

Mrs. Hattie Baker was in the Ranger General Hospital at the first of the week for treatments.

The Cisco district of the M. E. Church met in Olden last Saturday.

Eighteen pastors and their families as well as other members were present. About 50 were in

attendance. A delicious luncheon during the noon hour was served by the ladies of the church.

Little Misses Jerry Ruth Duncan and Georgia Taylor have been quite ill the past week with tonsillitis.

Buddy Woods, son of Mr. and Mrs. Obed Woods has recovered from a case of measles.

Mrs. Willie Bockman left this week for Dallas to visit her son Max and a daughter, Bess Osborne.

Little Dale Squiers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Squiers fell against the heater last week and burned his right hand. His left hand had just finished healing from a severe burn while on a visit to his grandparents in Spherville when he put his hand in a pressure cooker.

Mrs. Vera James visited her mother-in-law Mrs. Wada Weems in Ranger Hospital Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Weems' condition is improving.

How To Remove Warts
Chicago, (UP)—The best way to remove warts is to freeze them off. Dr. Herman V. Allington of Oakland, Calif., told a group of doctors here that the warts can be removed by simply swabbing them with liquid nitrogen. There is little pain and no scarring, Dr. Allington said. The warts disappear in about three weeks.

Per capita coffee consumption in the United States has risen sharply and now stands at about 20 pounds.

Valentine's Day

Flowers of Graceful Living

A graceful home reflects the charm and elegance of many subtleties. Refreshing flowers, rich red, golden pink, or snowy white—add to the harmony that in your home—create a lovely thread in the pattern of your graceful living.

Bonner's Flowers

401 MAIN PHONE 76

DANCE

EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT
LEGION HALL
Music By
The Bluebonnets
Ladies Free

This is it!
NEW
Frigidaire
Fully Automatic Washer

And this "Live-Water" action is really marvelous! Just put in clothes and soap, set the dial and forget it.

- Washer fills and empties automatically.
- Washes 8 lbs. of clothes in less than a half-hour.
- They're spun damp dry.
- They're cleaner, whiter.
- Hands never touch water.
- See in demonstration!

USE WARDS MONTHLY PAYMENT PLAN!

Montgomery Ward

Big Oil Sale!

WARDS VITALIZED . . . NONE FINER!

In your container **18^c** qt.
Fed. tax included

In Cars, Trucks or Tractors, Vitalized means better lubrication . . . for less money! Vitalized improves the flow of wear-preventing lubrication . . . cuts costly wear!

FARMERS! TRUCKERS! ACT NOW!

- For *Drum-lot* savings, ask about Wards price-guarantee contract plan today!
- In 55-gal. or 2 30-gal drums — 66c gal.
- In 30-gal. drums — 73c gal.
- Three 5-gal. cans — 4.25 ea.
- Case of 24 1-qt. cans — 5.28
- 25-lb. grease and grease gun — 6.08

All oil prices include Federal tax.

SALE!
WINTER KING STANDARD
GUARANTEED 24 MONTHS!

11⁹⁷ each

Sale ends Saturday! Save now! Standard has 45 heavy duty plates . . . 100 ampere-hour capacity! Equals or beats most original equipment batteries!

USE WARDS MONTHLY PAYMENT PLAN!

Montgomery Ward

Phone 447 Ranger, Texas 407 Main

SALE ENDS SATURDAY... 4 BIG VALUE DAYS

WARDS LONGWEAR

81 x 99 SHEETS **2³⁹**
Snappy strong muslin

Tightly woven for strength—128 threads per sq. inch of heavy long staple cotton. 3" top hem.

REG. 2.98 BIRDSEYE DIAPERS

27x27" before Hemming **2³⁹**

Fine soft white cotton—conforms to government specifications for strength, absorbency.

Reg. 144.95 Range CUT-PRICED!

119⁸⁸
Ask about terms!

Full-sized M-W gas range! Has one-piece top, 18" oven with heat control! Save Money Now!

MEN'S "T" SHIRTS

REGULAR 69c **58^c**
Stock up a supply!

Wards Healthgards, you can bet these will wear! Fine cotton % Sand Tan, blue, maize, white.

TRY A PROPORTIONED SLIP—TODAY

1⁹⁷
Tan or white!

Accurately sized; short, tall, average lengths! Bust sizes, 31½ to 39½"; med., long, 34 to 44".

GAY STRIPED ROSE COTTAGE SETS

Reg. 1.98 **1⁶⁶** Set

Female tops in warm, friendly colors are contrasted with ruffles and sash of checked scrim.

LOOK! 80 SQ. PERCALE PRINTS—NOW

Our finest 80 square percale in a complete range of popular colors and patterns. Grand for mother's and children's casual frocks, house-dresses, playwear. 35/36 in. widths. **39^c** Yd.

BUDGET PRICED! BROWN WORK SHOE!

Men, here's lots of value at a truly low price! Full-grained, double-tanned leather (not the split leather usually found at this price). Curved top, rubber outside. 6-12. **3⁴⁹** Reg. 3.98

3-PC. WATERFALL BED, CHEST, VANITY

Large, handsome pieces in gleaming Walnut veneers. Sturdy details for long service, with hardwood construction, rigidly dovetailed drawers. **114⁸⁸**
On Terms: 20% Down, Balance Monthly
Was 129.95

2-PC. TAPESTRY LIVING ROOM SUITE

Imagine such quality for so low a price! Sofa and chair with rigid kiln-dried hardwood frames, full spring construction, nice details. **99⁸⁸**
On Terms: 20% Down, Balance Monthly

SALE! REG. 1.49 ROASTING PAN

1²⁷
Tin-plated rack.

Enameled steel pan browns meat evenly. Use pan to mix salads, bake, etc. Cool cakes on rack.

WINTER KING STANDARD BATTERY

exchange **11⁹⁷**

Sale-priced, save now! 24 month guarantee! Equals or beats most original equipment batteries!

SAVE! REG. 1.25 GLOSS ENAMEL

1⁰⁹
Reduced to 10¢

Gleaming new beauty for your walls and woodwork, washes like magic! Fadeproof. • Gal. 4.22

IRONING PAD AND COVER SET

1¹⁷
Reg. 1.49
Standard Size

Kayon and fiber pad with edges stitched to prevent raveling! Snug-fitting strong cotton cover.

4-PC. CANISTER SET

REG. 1.19 **1⁰⁹**
Chanticleer trial.

For a prettier, more efficient kitchen! White enameled steel, inside coating prevents rusting.

Reg 11.95 Sink Faucet

7³⁵
Chrome-plated

Foam-Flo aerator in spout makes faster, richer suds with less soap, cuts down splashing.

CLASSIFIED

WANT AD RATES—EVENING AND SUNDAY
 Minimum 70c
 3c per word first day. 2c per word every day thereafter.
 Cash must hereafter accompany all Classified advertising.
PHONE 244

★ FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Milk cow. See D. A. Weems.

FOR SALE—Bargain, 703 McCleskey. Four room modern house. Two lots. Outbuildings. \$2,000. For immediate sale. C. E. Maddocks and Company.

FOR SALE: A teacherage and a garage in the Bullock School District No. 35. The teacherage is 14 feet x 28 feet and consists of two rooms. The garage is 18 x 12 feet. Send sealed bids to the County Superintendent's office. The County Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

HOUSES FOR SALE — 6 room extra nice. Priced to sell.

3 room near ward school. Bargain.

3 room, two lots, would consider trade.

2 room, can be moved.

5 room, newly decorated, paved street. Close in.

3 room, duplex. Good revenue. Close in.

6 room \$1,000.00 down. Paved street. Close in.

Many others. If you want to buy. See us. If you have something to sell. We'll sell it.

C. E. MADDOCKS & CO.
207 MAIN STREET

NO other rub acts faster in CHEST COLDS
 to relieve coughs—aching muscles!
MUSTEROLE

Others Talk Bargains We Sell 'Em
USED CAR BARGAINS FOR JANUARY
 1946 Fordor Special Price for Quick Sale
 1941 Ford Club Coupe
 1941 Chevrolet Pickup
 1941 Chevrolet Coach

LEVEILLE Motor Company Used Car Lot
 Main - Commerce Phone 35

SOONER OR LATER
Kilgore's EXTRA FINE
 Your Choice In MILK ICE CREAM

Your Local USED-COW Dealer Removes Dead Stock FREE
 For Immediate Service PHONE 53 COLLECT RANGER TEXAS

Whatever The Distance
 Between your present residence and your new home, we'll transfer your belongings safely and promptly. Call us now.
LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE HAULS
 WE ALSO SPECIALIZE IN LIVESTOCK HAULING—ALL SERVICES ARE BONDED AND INSURED
RANGER TRANSFER AND STORAGE
 A. L. Woods (Owner) Elm and Rush Day and Night Phone 49

★ FOR RENT

APARTMENT for rent. Travelers Hotel. 311 Walnut.

APARTMENT for rent. 214 Cherry.

FOR RENT—Small one or two room apartments. Phone 307-C.

STORE FOR RENT. 313 Walnut. Call upstairs.

FOR RENT—Store, reasonable. 311 Walnut. Call upstairs.

APARTMENT for rent. Jones Apartments, 301 Hunt Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

FOR RENT — Exceptionally nice furnished small cottage, completely modern, private bath, refrigerator. Suitable for two. 705 Blundell Street.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Inquire at Robinson Furniture Store.

ALLEY OOP

ALL RIGHT STUPID! GIVE OUT! WHAT YOU GOING TO SAY?
 BUT WHY NOTHIN' CHICK NOT ANYTHING?
 WELL ITS TIME I WAS GETTIN ON! SO LONG! SEE YOU AROUND SOMETIME!
 THAT WAS A FINE EXHIBITION YOU PUT ON! I HEAR COOL. YOU'RE BORN SPINSTER!
 WHOZEY, WHAT A DAME! REGULAR DANG WASP! NO WONDER SHE'S GOT A BEAT-UP FACE!

BY V. T. HAMLIN

VIC FLINT

BY MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

I THOUGHT DOTTY STRANG HAD YOU WHEN SHE NOTICED HOW FAT YOU LOOKED. FLASH.
 SHE'S GOT TO GET USED TO SEEING ME CHUBBY. I CAN'T JUST START BULGING ON THE DAY OF THE LA FLEUR OPENING.
 THIS LITTLE REPEATING CAMERA IS A HONEY. EVERY TIME I SHOOT IT COOKS ITSELF AND I GET NEW SUITS FROM MY TAILOR.
 PRETTY TOUGH ON VESTS, BUT AFTER THIS JOB I'LL ORDER SIX NEW SUITS FROM MY TAILOR.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BL MERRILL BLOSSER

LISTEN, CHUM. I GUESS I CAN CUT-IT-UP FOR YOU. ONE SKI TIED BEHIND MY BACK!
 ALL TORVALD!
 TORVALD PLEASE TO KEEP THE SKIING CHAMPION OF SHADORSIDE!
 AW-NOW!
 EN HONOR!
 WE WILL RACE TO THE STATION - STRAIGHT DOWN - ON YOUR MARK!
 WINT UP! LARD IS NOT READY!
 YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN!

Mitchum Starts Jail Sentence

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 10. (UP)—Movie idol Robert Mitchum, who hasn't pushed a mop since he started making \$3,250 a week, was routed out of his jail cell before dawn today to scrub floors.

That's how he began his first full day of a 60-day sentence for conspiracy to possess marijuana. Upstairs, in the women's section, blond starlet Lila Leeds started that same sentence. She said she would spend the 60 days writing a book.

Chief jailed Charles A. Fitzgerald said the handsome hunk was a quiet, well-mannered prisoner.

CONCHO BOOT SHOP

HAND MADE BOOTS
 Designs Originated by Our Own Skilled Craftsman (WE HAVE FITS)
 All types of the finest Boot Leathers to choose from
 Shoe Repairing of the Highest Caliber
 POLISH - LACES - DYES - CREAMS
 Belts - Billfolds - Handbags
 Saddles - Bridles - Western Jewelry
 109 North Austin Street
 RANGER, TEXAS
 Across Street from Paramount Coffee Shop

G. T. Blackwell, M. D.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Glasses fitted,
 Blackwell Sanitarium & Clinic
 Gorman, Texas

Shirts Finished To Your Liking 15c EACH

Ranger Steam Laundry
 L. T. Rushing
 Phone 134

Drs. Finn & Finn

Eyes Examined—Glasses Fitted
 Office Day — Thursday
 110 S. Rusk St.
 FREE POSTAGE PAID MAILING CARTONS FOR BROKEN GLASSES AT CAPP'S STUDIO

SPECIAL

Tailor Made Seat Covers
 At a SPECIAL PRICE!
 This Is a Bargain Of Unbelievable Value
 SEE US TODAY
LEVEILLE MOTOR CO.
 460 W. Main St. Ranger, Texas

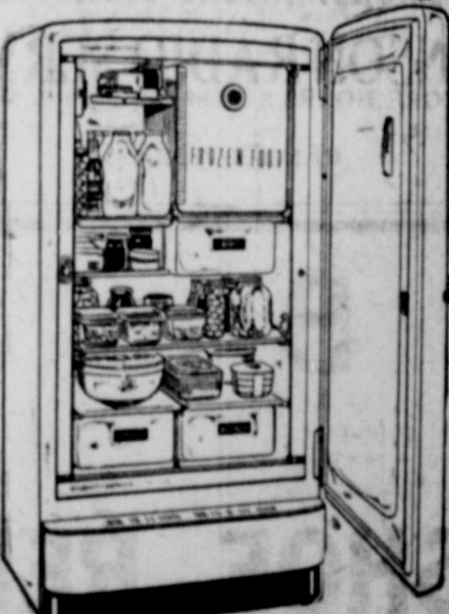
VETERANS

Don't use your entitlement under G. I. Bill in order to receive subsistence payments alone.
 Be sure you are learning a "TRADE WITH A FUTURE"
 Enroll now for approved classes in Radio Repairman or Cabinet Making
 FOR INFORMATION SEE OR CALL
 West Texas Vocational Institute
 PINE & AUSTIN
 Ranger, Texas G.I. Approved Phone 202

Send a SWEETHEART CORSAGE on Valentine's Day
 Let a choice selection of beautiful, colorful blossoms carry your Valentine message of affection.
 ● CORSAGES
 ● PLANTS
 ● BOUQUETS
 ● FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS
Betty's Flower Shop
 210 Main Street
 Phone 640 — 552W

MARKETING with Marjorie
 Now is the time for Valentines—the little cherub with his bow and arrow and mysterious cards signed, "Guess Who?" But there's no mystery—no guessing when it comes to getting a sweetheart of a buy in your daily food shopping. Take it from me—go to A&P—for "love at first bite" food values.
THAT'S IT! A RAREBIT!
 What's a slick trick with beans, tomato and cheese? That's it—a rarebit! Heat 1 can tomato soup; add 1/2 pound diced (2 cups) cheese, dash each Worcestershire Sauce, dry mustard and cayenne. Stir until cheese is melted. Add 2 cans A&P's SUNNYFIELD KIDNEY BEANS.
 Heat and serve over noodles, rice or toast. 4 to 6 servings.
MAKES THE CAKE!
 When better cakes are made—chances are you'll make them with SUNNYFIELD CAKE FLOUR! That's the superfine flour sold exclusively by A&P. And what it does to assure light-as-a-feather cakes is nothing short of magic. Your cookies will be finer textured, too, when you use SUNNYFIELD CAKE FLOUR. In fact, it's the short-cut to baking success on all sorts of recipes—and the A&P price is thrifty!
THEY'RE YUMMY! SAVE MONEY!
 Grandma's preserve closet never offered such a tempting selection of preserves as the ANN PAGE PRESERVES at your A&P Store. They're made from pure, juicy, ripe fruit, simmered to perfection with pure cane sugar for real old-fashioned goodness!
GOLD STRIKE!
 A delicious discovery to serve tonight—Golden Crested Macaroni. Cook one 8-ounce package ANN PAGE ELBOW MACARONI according to package directions; drain. Cook 1 medium onion sliced with 1 1/2 cups canned tomatoes for about 10 minutes. Add 1 teaspoon salt, dash pepper, 1/2 clove garlic, minced. Add to macaroni in casserole. Top with 1/2 pound MEL-O-BIT CHEESE, sliced. Bake in hot oven, 400° F., for about 20 minutes. Serves 4.

Insurance In All Its Branches
 We are Well Equipped to Handle Your Business. A Trial Will Convince You
C. E. MAY, AGENT
 INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE
 214 Main Phone 418

YOU GET MORE Room...Features... Dependability!

SPACE MAKER REFRIGERATOR
 The greatest refrigerators ever built are on our floor now, for you to see and own. They have everything you're looking for. Come in and see "the refrigerators most women want most."
\$329.00
Weems Refrigerator Service
 ALL TYPES OF ELECTRICAL WORK
 108 So. Rusk Phone 320

26 Years of Continuous Service

... is a long-time record for any business or profession to achieve. Some do it, but many others do not. Common with the experiences of our contemporaries we have witnessed good years mingled with the bad. Some booms and more busts. And always the inevitable failure and consolidations. But we are still here with a fully equipped abstract plant of state-wide reputation, a force of trained employees, and a long record of successful operation in this county.

EARL BENDER & COMPANY

EASTLAND (Abstracting Since 1923) Texas

MARTIN'S

Is Headquarters For



Jockey UNDERWEAR

We feature only the best brand names in men's apparel. And Jockey—the famous brand of support underwear—is worn and approved by millions of men. Now, with increasing post-war production, we're again able to offer you Jockey Shorts and Jockey Midways—with special Jockey Contoured Shirts to match. Lower feature the patented Y-front construction, "the source of support." Come in and replenish your wardrobe today.

1.00 To 1.50

E. L. Marten & Sons The Friendly Store

Outwits, outworks, outsaves ALL OTHERS!

The latest, greatest Bendix is the only washer in the world that can soap, soak, wash, rinse and damp-dry... all by itself! Vibrationless, the Bendix Gyromatic needn't be fastened down. Big, flat porcelain top, same height as kitchen counters.

Thriftiest way to get clothes cleanest!

Most washers require enough water to submerge the clothes. But exclusive, patented Bendix "Tumble-Action" dumps a big load of clothes in and out of a small amount of hot suds! BEST OF ALL, IT'S A BENDIX! Backed by 11 years of trouble-free service. More than 1,300,000 owners.



BENDIX automatic Washer

FREE DEMONSTRATIONS DAILY! Come to

JOHNSON RADIO SERVICE STORE HOURS 8 A. M. TO 5:30 P. M.

305 Main St. RANGER, TEXAS Phone 46

BOOTS

Our hand made cowboy boots are beauties to look at and a pleasure to wear—made of the highest quality leather and fashioned by skilled hands in artistic designs to fit your feet and your fancy.

SHOE REPAIRING

20 years of boot and shoe repair service in Ranger is proof of our ability to serve you well—Skilled workmen, top quality, materials and the most modern machinery insure your complete satisfaction.

LEATHER GOODS

- Saddles
Bridles
Halters
Bits and Spurs
Genuine Manilla Lariat Ropes
Hand Made Belts
Ladies Handbags
Meeker and Justin Billfolds
Children's Cowboy Boots
Western Clothing

GREERS BOOT & WESTERN STORE The Home of Fine Hand Made Leather Goods

205 Main St.

KILLER REMORSELESS OVER TRIPLE SHOOTING

HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. 10. (UP)—A 47-year-old lumberjack held little remorse in his jail cell today as he recalled a shooting spree last night that killed one man and injured two women, including the logcutter's former wife.

Frank Hilliard Simmons of Jasper, Tex., said he was "not sorry" he pumped three bullets from a .38 revolver into the body of William E. Young, 46-year-old Southern Pacific switchman.

Injured when Simmons ran from the house, shooting, were Mrs. Lenna Perry, 62, and her daughter, Gertrude, 32, divorced from Simmons last October. Mrs. Perry was wounded in the left leg and abdomen and her daughter suffered wounds in the left arm and left breast.

Simmons told police he went to Mrs. Perry's home to see his three children. Although they remained in his custody after the divorce, he explained his former wife was keeping them at his request.

Medical Prices Will Increase

Shortages always raises prices. The Texas Medical Association, by restricting enrollment in Texas medical schools to barely enough to replace deaths and retirement has cut down our supply of doctors, especially in our rural areas, thereby causing a shortage and higher fees for services, while 3,000 pre-med students find the gates barred against them.

This same association now plans to get control of the supply of all competitive healing professions, so they can cut off replacements in these professions and make the shortage even more acute and thus raise prices higher than today.

The Basic Science Bill (S. B. 63) is designed to give the Medical Association complete control of all branches of the healing arts and it is being pushed by unlimited funds and a high-priced lobby. If we, the people, do not write, phone or visit our senators and representatives, we will have this infamous legislation forced upon us.

This is a call for action. If you want to know the names of your legislators, phone this newspaper. Address letters to them at Capitol Station, Austin. Stop that Basic Science Bill! Wire, write or phone today.

(Paid adv.)

USED CARS

We have several good used cars in stock at all times. See us before you buy, sell or trade.

Osborne Motor Co.

Oldsmobile - Cadillac Sales - Service 314 West Main Phone 802 Eastland

Government Steps Up Grain Buying

CHICAGO, Feb. 10 (UP)—The government sped up its grain buying program today to bolster the jittery market.

Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan ordered buyers for the Commodity Credit Corporation to stay in the grain pits for a longer period each day. They have confined their purchases recently to a two-hour period.

Brannan said the price decline was caused, in part, by "absolutely false" rumors that the government had quit buying grain. If the rumors had been true, a large surplus would be created and the low supply and demand would automatically cause prices to drop.

But the agriculture secretary said CCC buyers are purchasing grain as rapidly as possible because the government still must pick up some 40,000,000 (M) bushels to reach its goal of shipping about 565,000,000 bushels abroad by March 31. He said the government also wants to stockpile about 300,000,000 bushels of wheat.

"We still think the outlook for farmers in 1949 is good," Brannan said.

He said there was no real reason for the declines in grain and meat prices but resorted farm

Massacre Is Bloodless Manchester, N. H. (UP)—Arms, legs and mangled torsos were scattered over the highway when a truck skidded and went over a 10-foot embankment. But there was no blood. The limbs belonged to a load of puppets being brought here for an American Legion benefit.

ers that they could help keep their own prices—particularly on livestock—by not flooding the markets with their products. In yesterday's grain trading, May wheat slipped to \$1.96 and then rallied to \$2.08 3/4 at the close. Up more than two cents from the day previous. Corn and soybeans also rallied to the close after dropping sharply earlier in the day.

MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief

When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic, used successfully by millions for over 50 years. Doan's give happy relief and will help the 12 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

Call 224 For Classified Ad Service

PETERSON NURSERY

HODGES OAK PARK ADDITION

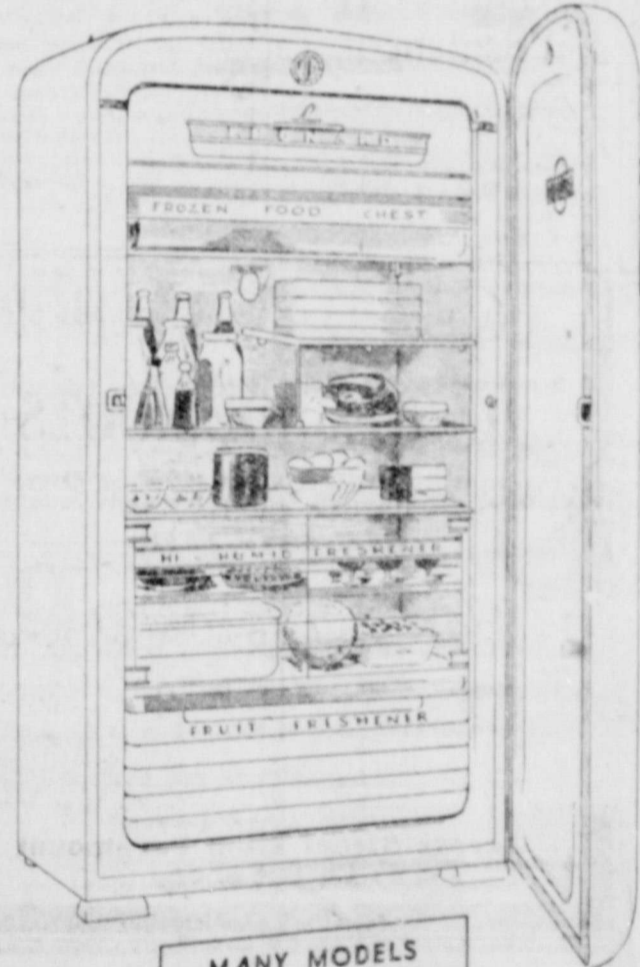
I am now ready to serve you with any shrub that you might prefer.

- Rose Bushes
Nandenas
Wax Leaf Ligustrum
Eunimous Japonica
Hypericum
Pampus Grass
Crepe Myrtles
Lylec
Chinese Elm
Pecan Trees
All kinds of fruit trees
Italian Cypress
Golden Bonnetta
Green Bonnetta
Sikes Arb
Baker Arb
Excelcor Arb
Blue Spire Arb



Come See What We Have To Offer Or Call - We Deliver - Phone 441 GIVE US YOUR ORDER

ONLY \$5 DOWN Until September 1950 to pay for a 1949 LEONARD Refrigerator!



MANY MODELS TO CHOOSE FROM: MODEL LR ONLY \$219.95

BEAT RISING PRICES!

Leonard's production facilities are being expanded now in anticipation of the great Spring demand. By placing your order now, White's can insure delivery of your new 1949 Leonard in June and take advantage of February's lower prices to protect you against rising steel and labor costs and seasonal increases. Why risk higher prices by waiting? Why put it off till Spring and then be faced with a big down payment and possible scarcity of the model you want? Place your order NOW.

LIMITED NUMBER OF NEW 1949 LEONARDS AVAILABLE NOW—OR USE WHITE'S PLAN FOR MARCH, APRIL, OR MAY DELIVERY

DELIVERED IN YOUR KITCHEN WITH 5-YEAR PROTECTION PLAN

20 MONTHS TO PAY!

WHITE'S Auto Stores THE HOME OF GREATER VALUES

You give yourself every advantage by ordering now. Only \$5 down payment instead of 10 to 15 times that amount, as required by the government—five additional months beyond federal limits, to make payments easy to meet—similar terms on your choice of any model in the Leonard line, with delivery guaranteed—assurance that you are safe against price changes—satisfaction of owning a finer refrigerator that will be yours to enjoy, right when you need and want it most!

NOTICE!

RANGER Termite Extermination 5 Year Guarantee Trees Sprayed Phone 233 M. Hwy. 80 And Blackwell Road

Roy McCleskey Service Station Has Plenty of Permanent ANTI-FREEZE OIL

All Leading Brands Octane Gasoline IT'S BETTER Tire Repairing AND Battery Charging

Your Business Appreciated Roy McCleskey Service Station HIGHWAY 80 EAST

Keepsake DIAMOND RING

For the One You Love!



HEATHER Ring 50.00 Also \$1.09 to 2475 and in platinum \$300 to 3450 Wedding Ring 12.50

D E PULLEY Diamonds Watches Jewelry Silverware 203 Main St. Phone 33

PLENTY CATTLE FEED
 Cotton Seed Pellets, Purina Cattle Checkers Texaco Cattle Pellets, Meal And Hulls.
HAY
 Prairie, Peaunt And Johnson Grass
SALT
 All Kinds of Dairy Feed.
 ATTRACTIVE PRICES
A. J. Ratliff
 211 E-Main Phone 109

Society-Clubs

Call 224

1947 Club Hears Book Review Tues.

The 1947 Club met Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Community Clubhouse with the president, Jo Oyler, presiding.

Miss Oyler gave the program of the evening in the form of a review of the book "Cheaper By The Dozen" by Frank B. Gilbreath Jr. and Ernestine Gilbreath Carey.

Miss Oyler in a clever introduction of herself, contradicted the stock phrase, "it gives me great pleasure to introduce the speaker," by saying that introduction of herself gave her no such pleasure, and launched into a delightful review of the book.

During a business session members discussed plans for the coming convention in Ranger of the Sixth District of the Texas Federation of Womens Clubs and the following committee for the convention, Mrs. J. B. Houghton, Jr.; exhibits, Mildred Balch, information, Mrs. James Townsend; junior activities, Mrs. T. C. Weaver; hospitality, Mrs. Joe B. Scott and Mrs. Bill Houghton and transportation, Mrs. Nicol Crawford and Mrs. W. P. Watkins.

Members balloted on nominations for officers for the annual election which will be held at the next regular meeting.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Young School P. T. A. Meets Tuesday

The Young School Parents-Teachers Association met at the school Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the regular meeting.

The program was opened with a musical program under the direction of Mrs. C. C. Harris and in which sixth and fifth grade students participated.

Speakers on the program were Guy Hancock who spoke on the subject "The Truth About Report Cards" and A. G. Koenig who discussed "Comic Books and Blues".

During the meeting Laverne Daniel was introduced as the new fourth grade teacher to replace Mrs. Howard Oliver, resigned. It was also announced at the meeting that the sixth grade had won the prize for having the most mothers in attendance at the meeting.

Mrs. F. R. King, president, presided at the business session and named Mrs. Hershel Angus, Mrs. C. C. Harris and Mrs. W. M. Brock as a nominating committee to report at the next business meeting.

Members of the organization voted to purchase Community Public Library memberships for the use of Young School students.

ITU CALLS FOR SPEEDY PASSAGE OF LABOR LAW

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 (UP)—The AFL International Typographical Union today called for speedy enactment of President Truman's new labor bill to protect unions from "slow decay" under the Taft-Hartley Act.

In statements prepared for delivery to the Senate Labor Committee, ITU President Woodruff Randolph said Mr. Truman's measure is not perfect but certainly is an improvement over the Taft-Hartley Law's "one-way injunction street against unions."

Other Congressional Developments:

Commodities—Chairman Elmer Thomas, D., Okla., of the Senate Agriculture Committee proposed that Congress pass laws to let the government deal in grain futures. He said this would

stop speculators from "short" selling, or cashing in on breaks on the commodity market. However, this suggestion immediately met opposition from another committee member, Sen. Edward J. Thye, R., Minn., called it a highly dangerous operation and an "improper functions" of government.

Reciprocal Trade—Chairman Walter F. George, D., Ga., said his Senate Finance Committee will open hearings next Tuesday or Wednesday on reciprocal trade legislation. A tariff-reducing bill passed by the House, extends the program until June 12, 1951, repeals the Republican enacted law of 1948 and removes provisions which President Truman called restrictive. George said his committee will act as fast as possible on the bill.

contacted a Soviet organization at work in this country before the war.

Budget—Sen. Walter F. George, D., Ga., suggests that many items on President Truman's budget be trimmed five per cent in an effort to eliminate a tax boost. He said if the cut were applied to \$30,000,000,000 (B) of the \$41,000,000,000 (B) budget, a total of \$1,500,000,000 could be saved and the government might not need additional tax revenue.

The biggest earthquake ever recorded was at Assam, India, on June 12, 1897. There was complete destruction over an area of about 9,000 square miles, while the area of moderate destruction covered 150,000 square miles.

Arcadia
 Thursday—Last Time Today
 JOHN WAYNE in
"TALL IN THE SADDLE"
 Coming Friday & Saturday
 ERROL FLYNN in ADVENTURES OF
DON JUAN

"Old at 40, 50, 60?"
 —Man, You're Crazy
 Forget your age. Thousands see beauty as they grow up with...
 At all drug stores everywhere, in manager at Oil City Pharmacy.

Almost 500,000 television sets have been sold in the United States.

J. T. Killingsworth and one has a free ticket at the **Tower Theatre**
 Box Office to See
 Rin Tin Tin and Bobby Blake in "Return of Rin Tin Tin" in color. And see Sunset Carson in "Red River Renegade"

"Hands" Aid Marc of Dimes
 PARIS, Ky. (UP)—Tobacco farmers in this area have a unique method of giving to the March of Dimes. Instead of giving a dime to fight infantile paralysis, the growers donate a "hand" of tobacco when their crop is marketed. All the tobacco given is lumped together and sold. A "hand" of tobacco weighs from five to eight ounces.

Bride And Groom Visiting Parents

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson have as their guests their son, Leon Henderson and his bride, the former Hazel Prewitt of Albuquerque and Gallop, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson who were married Jan. 30 in Yuma, Arizona, are enroute to Mexico City for an extended visit after which they will return to New Mexico to make their home.

Mrs. Henderson has extensive ranch holdings in New Mexico.

Spies—The House Unamerican Activities Committee invited the intelligence chiefs of the Army and Navy and Attorney General Tom C. Clark to testify at a hearing tomorrow on a prewar Red spy ring in Japan. The Unamerican Activities group is particularly anxious to ask Maj. Gen. S. Leroy Irwin of the Army and Rear Admiral T. B. Inglis of the Navy whether the Japanese ring

Here's the way to say it!



"You're My Valentine"
 ...whisper your flowers. For the language of flowers is the language of love. Place your order now for a bouquet, corsage or plant to be delivered on Valentine's Day.

PETERSON FLORAL AND NURSERY
 Phone 468 Day — Night 441

CHICKS
 Started Baby Chicks
 BOOK ORDERS NOW
 Hatches Each Tuesday
 YOUR LOCAL HATCHERY
TIP-TOP FEED & HATCHERY
 Phone 537 We Deliver

New Era Club Has Valentine Party

The New Era Club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. J. L. Turner who was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. W. A. Robinson.

Carrying out the Valentine theme of the party, Valentine games were played and refreshments were in the Valentine motif.

The occasion was enjoyed by the following guests, Mmes. V. V. Cooper, Jr., W. F. Creager, Arthur Deffebach, B. S. Dudley Jr., J. H. Fuller, B. S. Dudley, Sr., E. R. Green, M. H. Hagaman, W. W. Mitchell, George Robinson, A. W. Warford, Fred Bonner and Ted Spurling.

Willing Workers Have Party Mon.

Members of the Willing Workers Class of the First Methodist Church met Monday night in the home of Mrs. C. A. Hummel for the monthly social. Mrs. Hummel was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Linda Forney, Mrs. C. L. Wolford, Mrs. Charles Mahaffey and Mrs. R. S. Dudley, Jr.

Following a business meeting, games and contests in the Valentine theme were conducted by Mrs. Mahaffey.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served to 24 members.

Ladies of Country Club To Meet Fri.

Ladies of the Country Club will meet Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the club for a business and social meeting.

Mmes. P. M. Kuykendall, Lee Dockery, Earl Pittman and W. P. Watkins will be hostesses at the meeting.

CALL 230
 For Prompt Pickup & Delivery
SERVICE
 On Your Sick
RADIO
WEEMS
REFRIGERATOR
SERVICE
 108 So. Rusk

Personals
 Marjorie Pearsall who has been connected with the Veterans Hospital at McKinney on the nurses staff has resigned her position and is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Pearsall.

Rev. Jasper C. Masseege, pastor of the Second Baptist Church in Ranger, has returned from Abilene where he attended the Bible Conference at Hardin-Simmons University.

ANTIQUE
 Show and Sale
Wooten Hotel
 Abilene, Texas
 Feb. 11 - 12 and 13
 Collectors Items
 From All Over The World.
 1 to 10 P. M. Daily

\$SAVINGS
 On All Pork Products
 COUNTRY CURED Tenderized
HAM
 Whole Or Half Lb.
 PURE PORK
Sausage
 Lb.
 LEAN SLICED
BACON
 FRESH PURE
HOG LARD 5 Lb. Can **73c**
 SPECIAL CLEARANCE PRICE ON ALL FROZEN FOODS.
Frozen Food Locker
 MORRIS' NEWNHAM Mgr. RANGER

AT PENNEY'S



GAYMODE NYLON PRICES DROP!

Sheer AND Durable!
45-GAUGE NOW **98c**
20 & 30 DENIER

Luxury Sheers!
51-GAUGE NOW **115**
15, 20 & 30 DENIER

ALL FIRST QUALITY! Never Irregulars or Seconds
 *Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.
NEVER BEFORE AT THESE LOW PRICES!

Swansdown
Cygnat
 Style No. 810

FOR THE NEW SEASON!
ESPECIALLY CREATED FOR THE SMALLER WOMAN

As advertised in VOGUE

Now... a new you, suited as you should be if you are 5'5" or under! This Cygnat creation by Swansdown is a favorite of Miss Dorothy Stickney, star of the Broadway hit, "Life With Mother." You will see her photographed wearing it in the February issue of Vogue. So flattering with its easy-fitting jacket, zigzag collar, slim skirt! In pure worsted crepe. Cygnat sizes 10 to 20. \$55.00

It's ours exclusively

HAMILL'S
 "Smart Shop For Women"