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Ranger is the center of the agricul-
ture 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.

Rains Flood Farms In Southwest Part Of County

ONE FAMILY MADE HOMELESS; TRAFFIC SLOWED ON HWY. 6

Hundreds of acres of farm and pasture land southwest of Eastland were flooded and at least one family was made homeless as the result of a downpour of rain last night. J. A. Beard, Eastland official weather observer, stated that 1.55 inches had been recorded up to early this morning, with a shower falling since then. The Leon Power Plant had received .83 inches of moisture up to midnight. The deluge was accompanied by a severe electrical storm, which caused power to fail for brief periods. Eastland city officials stated this morning that water was pouring over Lake Eastland spillway, with tributary creeks filled to the brim. The Leon plant reported two flood gates open at the dam, with water flowing below the spillway level. Tributary creeks to the Leon, southwest of Eastland, started rising this morning at 6:30 o'clock and had jumped the banks—flooding hundreds of acres. Guards were being maintained this morning at a one-way antiquated bridge on State Highway 6, four miles southwest of Eastland. While traffic was continuing over the bridge, water level of the creek was up to the top of the bridge, and just south of the structure, water was a foot deep over the highway. The water was continuing to rise at 9 o'clock.

Sheriff Returns From Ft. Stockton With Bond Skipper

Sheriff J. B. Williams returned here this morning after going to Fort Stockton Monday to return Gene McMillan of Cross Plains, under grand jury indictment for wife and child desertion, to the Callahan County Jail. McMillan, who had been released from custody on \$1,000 bond underwritten by an Eastland County bondman, failed to report at the time the bond was returnable.

CONFESSES TO HAMMER SLAYING

Joseph Johansen, 21, mental delinquent who once escaped from a California State Mental Hospital, has confessed that he beat to death his half-brother, Johansen, who used a five-pound sledge hammer as a weapon, said he originally planned to kill his step-father, mother, two sisters and two half-brothers. (NEA Telephoto)

Storms Net 1.50 Inches Of Rain

Three storms which have hit Eastland in about 12 hours have netted an additional 1.50 inches of rain to bring this year's total to 21.08 inches.

Total fall for Monday was .97 of an inch and .53 of an inch fell in the early morning storm today. June has registered a fall of 2.98 inches.

Storms which started early Monday evening were accompanied by considerable electricity, some hail and high winds. As a storm moved in last night from the southeast another began moving toward Ranger from the west and hit the town within an hour of each other. The storm early this morning which was one of the most threatening appearing seen this season moved in from the northwest. Rumors were out last night that a tornado had struck Brownwood or near Brownwood, but no confirmation of that report has been received and a check with Brownwood last night revealed no storm. Water was again running over the spillway at Lake Hagaman following the downpour of the last two days.

Clay has finer particles than any other type of soil. The particles in one pound of clay have a total surface area of about one acre, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Coulee Dam weighs 21,600,000 tons.

The Weather

East Texas — Considerable cloudiness this afternoon and tonight. Scattered thunder showers in north and central portions this afternoon and in the northeast portions tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy. Scattered thunder showers in northeast portion and near the upper coast. Not much change in temperature. Moderate to fresh winds on coast.
West Texas — Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday with local thunder showers in the Panhandle, the South Plains and from the Pecos Valley eastward this afternoon and early tonight. Not much change in temperature.
Maximum 79
Minimum 63
Hour's Reading 79
Temperature the last 24 hours ending 8:00 A. M.
Maximum 90
Minimum 66
Rainfall 1.50

Well . . .
I Dunno,
But . . .

A Florida resort town which we won't even favor by mentioning its name and the American Automobile Association have put out a travelers map that to say the least is misleading and should justify Ranger and all other towns from Weatherford to Van Horn on Highway 80 in completely cold shouldering the AAA and the resort.

According to that map there isn't even a highway between Weatherford and Van Horn except Highway 180 which runs to the north of Ranger. The section of Highway 80 from Weatherford to Van Horn is not shown at all despite the fact that it's a federal designated highway and the best route from Savannah, Georgia to the West Coast.

Competition is one thing but misrepresentation is another and the effort by some force to wipe out information about Highway 80 between Weatherford and Van Horn would indicate that that section of the Highway has something that other highways can't compete with and so the misrepresentation as the only means of meeting the competition.

But whatever the inspiration for such unfair practices, it's an unsportsmanlike attitude on the part of those responsible.

W. E. Davison of Ruston, La., is on Highway 80 has sent some figures that extrapolate belittling our highway 80.

His figures: "The Texas map shows that half way between Big Spring and Colorado high are on our section of the highway, 2,700 cars and trucks pass every 24 hours. Almost directly north on 180 only 470 cars and trucks pass every 24 hours and directly south on 190 and 90, both of which are shown on the map, there are only 610 and 490 respectively.

The AAA would naturally be expected to appeal to the greatest number of people in publishing the map. From Van Horn to Weatherford on 80 you can pick a few cities and find more people who are possible visitors to the Florida resort town than the total population living on 180 inside the state of Texas, that is, unless the census report I have casually checked had made an error."

Durden continues by telling of how filling stations along the routes try to frighten traffic off of 80 in favor of 180.

LEWIS OFFERS TO NEGOTIATE WITH MORE COAL OPERATORS

WASHINGTON, June 14 (UP) — John L. Lewis today notified northern and western soft coal operators that their contract with the United Mine Workers ends June 30. He offered to negotiate a new contract with them. Lewis gave the notification in a message addressed to all soft coal operators except groups already negotiating with UMW representatives. He thus opened a "fourth front" in contract negotiations. The Southern Coal Producers Association now is negotiating with the mine workers at Blue-Field, W. Va. Lewis met yesterday with Harry M. Moses, president of the H. C. Frick Coke Co. Frick concern is a U. S. Steel subsidiary and represents its "captive" mines. And Lewis today also called on anthracite operators to reopen contract talks with the UMW June 24. Lewis offered to negotiate on

COPLON CONFIDENT OF VINDICATION



Judy Coplon and her attorney Archibald Palmer examine photostatic copies of original FBI documents behind the 34 data slips allegedly found in Miss Coplon's purse. Miss Coplon said that she was "completely confident" of ultimate vindication. (NEA Telephoto)

Murdock Rites In Richmond, Virginia

Funeral services for Dr. Marion Bailey Murdock, 31, and Mrs. Murdock, 30, both of Eastland, will be held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Christian's Funeral Home in Richmond, Va., according to word received by friends here this morning. Burial will be in Richmond Cemetery. Dr. and Mrs. Murdock were killed instantly Sunday afternoon about 6 o'clock, in the crash of their private plane near Meridian, Miss. The bodies were found early Monday in the wreckage of the two-passenger Luscomb at Topton Airport, 10 miles northeast of Meridian. They were en route home from the American Medical Association Convention in Atlantic City.

The couple apparently ran into difficulty during a wind and rain storm. The plane was heard over Meridian about 6 P. M. while the storm was at its height, a Meridian Deputy Sheriff stated.

Barney Gunn, Jr., of Topton, discovered the crash when he saw the plane's tail assembly sticking up from the ground. The engine was driven into the cockpit. Mrs. Murdock's body was found partly clear of the wreckage.

Another somber note in the double tragedy, was the finding of Dr. and Mrs. Murdock's dachshund dog, which was thrown clear and killed.

Following an inquest at the scene by Coroner Van Stephens, the bodies were taken to a Meridian funeral home.

Survivors include Mrs. Murdock's mother, Mrs. O. J. Mallory, who lived with the couple during the winter and resided in Richmond during the summer; and Mrs. Murdock's brother, Clifford Mallory, also of Richmond, Va. Dr. and Mrs. Murdock moved to Eastland two years ago from Richmond, and had their general medicine practice in the Exchange Building. Mrs. Murdock operated a laboratory in connection with her husband's practice. The office had been open since the Murdock's left June 2 for the trip, but was closed down Monday, after word was received of the fatal accident.

Mrs. Tip Arthur, a close friend of the Murdock's, has been notified that a member of the family will be here in about three weeks to make arrangements about the office and the Murdock's home at 211 South College Street.

Both Dr. and Mrs. Murdock were active in church, civic and social affairs in the city. They attended the First Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Murdock was a member of a number of clubs, serving as treasurer for the Music Study Club and had membership in the Eastland County Medical Association Auxiliary. She was active in a recent campaign by the Civic League to set up a blood type system for Eastland. Dr. Murdock was a member of the Eastland Lions Club and had recently made an address to the club endorsing the cancer drive, which is now in progress.

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, member of the State Cancer Association, notified this paper this morning that Dr. Murdock was one of the first contributors to the cancer drive, evidence of his interest in this worthy campaign. Since no local service will be held, tribute may be paid to the couple by donations to the drive in which they were so interested.

Last Rites For H. B. Lane To Be Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Harry B. Lane of Lacasa will be conducted Wednesday afternoon, June 15 at 3 o'clock at Mt. Zion Church and interment will be in Mt. Zion cemetery with Morris Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Rev. Bond of New Hope will officiate.

Mr. Lane who died at the Veterans Hospital in Dallas, Sunday, June 12, 1-949 was born in Tennessee, October 19, 1892. He had lived in the Lacasa community since 1903. He was a member of the Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors are Mrs. Lane of Lacasa who was Luna Veale before her marriage, two sisters, Mrs. Paul Smith of Caddo and Mrs. Edith White of Abilene, and one brother, Luke Lane of Lacasa. Pallbearers will be Joe Todd, Tom Cunningham, Thornton Cooper, Lloyd Bruce, Fred Parish, Lonzo Sides, Claude Bearden and H. S. Taylor.

The Ranger Masonic Lodge will participate in the service and all Masons are asked to meet at the Masonic Hall at 2 o'clock in preparation for the service.

Early Morning Fire Damages H. C. Croom Home

Fire which apparently started from defective wiring in the attic of the H. C. Croom home about 8 o'clock this morning did considerable damage, according to a report from Fire Chief Charlie Isabell.

Chief Isabell said that this department first learned of the fire when a small girl who lives across the street from the fire station, walked over and told firemen that a house on Mesquite street was on fire.

The smoke was pouring from the attic of the home when firemen arrived. Chief Isabell stated that three layers of shingles made reaching the fire difficult and had hoses had to be hauled in the roof to get to the fire. All furnishings were removed from the home but it was reported that there was considerable damage from water as well as fire.

Highway Sign Contract Signed

J. E. Meroney, president of the Highway 80 Boosters Association stated today that 15 business people doing business on Highway 80 in Ranger have underwritten the contract for the traffic sign to be erected west of Weatherford.

The signed contract was mailed to the North Texas Advertising Company in Fort Worth today and it is understood that erection of the sign will be started immediately. The contract is for a three year period and is being financed by memberships in the association and help from others in Ranger interested in seeing the businesses on Highway 80 flourish through the continuation of traffic over the highway.

Meroney stated today that a round \$400 has been pledged by people on the highway and that they are now ready for more help from the town to finance the first year of the sign. The first year will require something over \$700.

Gasoline Burns Prove Fatal

SAN ANTONIO, June 14 (UP) — Burns suffered yesterday when a can of gasoline exploded as he was cleaning his bicycle proved fatal today to George Thienspont, 11. The youth suffered burns over approximately 70 per cent of his body when a can of gasoline ignited as he walked by a hot water heater just as its automatic pilot light flared on.

In 1873, Mt. Rainier erupted for a period of seven days. Its last eruption was in 1894.

More Polio At Plainview; Third Oklahoma Death

PLAINVIEW, June 14 (UP) — The West Texas polio center here has had six admissions this year, the latest being that of Gary Lynn Markham, eight-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Markham of Matador, admitted Sunday.

OKLAHOMA CITY, June 14 (UP) — Oklahoma listed its third polio death victim of 1949 today as the number of cases soared to 69—more than six times the number at this date last year.

Vesta Lou Crow, 6-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Crow, Apache, Caddo county, died in Crippled Children's Hospital last night. She had been in the hospital a week.

Apache's eighth polio victim—a 9-month-old baby—has been admitted to the hospital. It was announced today. Another new case is a four year old girl from Chickasha.

The state health department reported the current number of cases compares with only nine at this time a year ago. A spokesman said no one knows the reason for the increase.

"We don't know anything to do about it," he stated. "If we did, we would certainly be doing it. But it's useless even to spray as a means of checking polio. Spraying is a good thing, to get rid of flies and mosquitoes, but it won't stop polio."

County Agent At Texas A&M Now

County Agent J. M. Cooper and his assistant, Ed Steele, Jr., left Eastland Monday to attend a short course at Texas A. & M. in College Station.

The course will continue through June 20. Information concerning the County Agent's office may be secured from Mrs. R. L. Young in the County Judge's office, while the agent and his assistant are out of town.

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C. C. Cross Dies Suddenly At Kilgore Home

C. C. Cross of Kilgore, formerly of Ranger, died suddenly at his home in Kilgore early Monday evening.

According to reports of his death, Mr. Cross who was about 50, stepped out on his front porch apparently in the best of health, and dropped dead.

Funeral services will be held in Kilgore Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock and the body will be brought overland to Ranger where services tentatively planned for Thursday will be held.

The deceased was a son-in-law of V. V. Cooper Sr., Mrs. Cross being the former Elizabeth Cooper of Ranger.

Besides Mrs. Cross he is survived by two sons, Charles Cross who is with the Army in Africa, and Hobbie Cross of Kilgore. Two brothers also survive.

At the time of his death, Mr. Cross was associated with the Cooper-Herring Company in the oil business.

Charles Brown Is Employed By Texas Electric

Charles V. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown of Ranger, has assumed his duties with the Texas Electric Company at the Leon Plant.

Brown was graduated from Texas A. & M. College in June with a Bachelor of Science degree in mechanical engineering.

He was graduated from Ranger High School in 1942, where he was active in football. He entered A. & M. in June 1942, but interrupted his school work in June, 1943, to join the Marines, and was discharged in 1946.

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SOVIET DELEGATION WALKS OUT OF BIG FOUR MEETING TODAY

By R. H. SHACKFORD
United Press Staff Correspondent
PARIS, June 14 (UP) — The Soviet delegation left a Big Four meeting an hour after it opened today, touching off speculation whether the Russians had walked out on the conference.

No explanation was forthcoming immediately. A Soviet walkout was discussed outside the conference room, but there was no confirmation.

When Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky and his entire delegation left the conference room, the Western ministers remained. Reporters not allowed inside the palace courtyard, and were given no chance to question Vishinsky or any member of his delegation.

The four ministers met for a highly secret session which was expected to decide the fate of Big Four collaboration on the Ger-

man problem. Just an hour after the start, Vishinsky walked out of the building, ordered his car and drove away. He was followed by all his advisers.

Two possibilities were seen—that the Russians had walked out on the conference, or that the secret meeting ended quickly and the Western ministers stayed behind to confer among themselves.

Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky asked that the public meeting of the council scheduled for this afternoon be cancelled and the ministers meet in secret instead. The Western ministers, trying in vain to keep their own face-saving formula secret, agreed.

Secretary of State Dean Acheson went to extreme lengths

to gag his delegation. He cancelled a press conference which was to have been his first since he came to Paris. He ordered each member of his delegation to answer all press inquiries with "no comment."

The order for secrecy was so effective that the U. S. delegation delayed for hours announcing that the regular meeting of the ministers had been cancelled and a secret session would be held.

Vishinsky had been seeking delays since Friday. It now appeared reasonable to conclude that he had new instructions from Moscow which would determine whether this conference on Germany would dissolve in anger or adopt a working arrangement in anticipation of another council meeting in New York next fall.

RANGER DAILY TIMES SPORTS

Joe Neel
Sports Writer

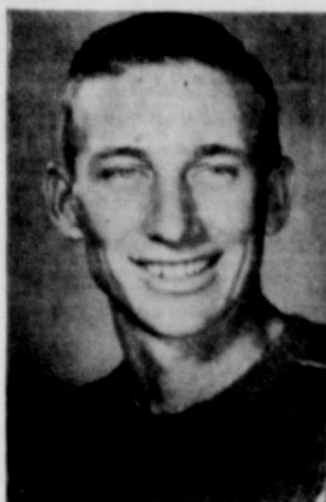
CIOCO'S 14TH ANNUAL TOURNEY JUNE 17-19

The 14th annual Cisco Country Club Invitational Golf Tournament is scheduled to get underway this week, beginning June 17 through 19, according to W. C. McDaniel, general chairman.

Attendees at the Country Club said that the par 72 course would be in top shape for the event. Work has been rushed on the course to have in readiness for the opening play-offs. Charles Burke, president of the Cisco Country Club, said Saturday "every effort has been made to provide golfers, both local and visitors, with a highly entertaining tournament."

McDaniel, in making the announcement, said entrance fees had been set at \$5.00. He further stated that other features to the 14th annual Cisco golf meet would include a driving contest, a barbecue and a calculus pool, to be held Friday night. Prizes totaling more than \$800.00 will be awarded to winners, runners-up, and winners of the consolation winners in each flight, McDaniel said. The awards will consist

LAST YEAR'S WINNER



mainly of gold equipment. Bill Dill of Cisco will be on hand to defend his crown, Dill, who is currently the Texas Junior College champion, defeated Bill Dill, winner of last year's Cisco Invitational Golf Tournament is the favorite in the annual event which will be held at the Cisco Country Club course June 17, 18 and 19.

held Friday for medal award, McDaniel said. Local golfers, plans to participate in the medal play Friday were urged to qualify between Sunday and next Thursday to enable out-of-town entrants to qualify Friday. All qualifying scores are to be turned in not later than 5:30 P. M. Friday.

Besides McDaniel as general chairman, committee chairman include Simon Coplin, mense, O. J. Russell, publicity; D. P. Paul Woods, entertainment; Charles Burke, driving contest, and Jack Anderson, public address system.

Approximately 125 local and out-of-town golfers were expected to participate.



E FOR EFFORT—A Yankee bullpen occupant sees that he doesn't as Allie Clark reaches into the lower right field stand of Yankee Stadium in a desperate attempt to grab the ball on the first of Tom Henrich's two home runs off Bob Feller. The surprising New York club manufactured 13 hits shutting out the Indians, 6-0.

Knight	147	150	182	479
Kimbrough	115	195	152	462
Moore	192	151	171	514
	905	936	918	2759
VS.				
RANGER				
Hise	146	170	152	468
Walker	165	136	126	427
Landtroop	140	194	116	450
Rushing	140	117	192	449
Cole	142	121	120	383
Babain	148	192	203	543
	881	930	909	2720

Weekly Honor Roll
J. M. Bush, a high school bowler, took top honors in bowling for the week with a powerful 252 game, which made him the tenth bowler to roll 250 or higher this past season.

For the ladies, Wanda Rogers, who has recently returned to the bowling sport took top honors with a nice 190 game. A miss in the tenth frame cost her a coveted 200 name.

For the boys, T. L. Bush nosed out Frank Johnson by one pin with his 199 game.

MEN	
J. M. Bush	252
Jack Elwood	204
Raymond Landtroop	202
R. Kenney	202
LADIES	
Wanda Rogers	190
Jean Kenney	169
Perey Babain	165
Virginia Carver	150
BOYS	
T. L. Bush	199
F. Johnson	198
C. Masseege	194
R. C. Smith	191
Jim Cole	187
J. Waddington	184
B. Simpson	180
E. Stephens	178
B. Smith	175
B. Hamrick	174

BASEBALL CALENDAR

By United Press

Yesterday's Results:
Texas League
San Antonio 2, Oklahoma City 1.
Fort Worth 7, Beaumont 3.
Tulsa 7, Houston 6.
Shreveport 16, Dallas 4.
Big State League
Gainesville 7-6, Austin 0-2.
Greenville 4, Texarkana 2.
Wichita Falls 11, Temple 5.
Waco at Sherman, postponed, rain.

West Texas-New Mexico League
Lubbock 3, Abilene 1.
Lamesa 8, Pampa 5.
Albuquerque 13, Borger 5.
Clovis at Amarillo, postponed, rain.
East Texas League
Marshall 11, Bryan 5.
Tyler 4, Paris 1.
Longview 6, Kilgore 5.
Gladewater 11, Henderson 7.
Longhorn League
Roswell 8, Big Spring 6.
San Angelo 7, Midland 6.
Sweetwater 12, Vernon 11.
Ballinger 7, Odessa 2.
Rio Grande Valley League
McAllen 7, Laredo 2.
Robstown 9, Corpus Christi 6.
Brownsville 11-7, Del Rio 8-9.

American League
No games scheduled.
National League
No games scheduled.

Today's Games:
Texas League
Dallas at Shreveport.
Fort Worth at Beaumont.
Tulsa at Houston.
Oklahoma City at San Antonio.
Big State League
Gainesville at Waco.
Wichita Falls at Greenville.
Texarkana at Temple.
Sherman at Austin.
East Texas League
Marshall at Paris.
Kilgore at Tyler.
Gladewater at Longview.
Bryan at Henderson.
West Texas-New Mexico League
Albuquerque at Pampa.
Amarillo at Lubbock.
Clovis at Abilene.
Borger at Lamesa.
Longhorn League
Roswell at Big Spring.
Odessa at Ballinger.

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Bowling Briefs

RANGER BOWLERS LOSE MATCH TO MINERAL WELLS
Ranger bowlers journeyed to Mineral Wells last Sunday and were defeated by 39 pins in a very close match. The same two teams will play a return game in Ranger Sunday, June 19 at 7:00 P. M. Ted Babain and Vivan Hise led the Ranger contingent with 543 and 468 series, respectively. Moore with 514 and Williamson with 489 were high for Mineral Wells.

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F. M. Spurlen
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JEFFERSON, Wis. (U) — Clyde Doering, 10, had hypoplastic anemia since he was four months old. He has had a blood transfusion every six weeks for almost 10 years. All told, he's received about 80 pints of blood.

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2 ROOM AND BATH— New.
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"BAR OF JUNE SIXTH"—In honor of the American paratroopers who liberated the town of St. Marie-du-Mont on D-Day in 1944, barkeep Paul Patrix re-named his establishment the "Bar of June 6th." Here, school children pause to read posters in the bar's windows. Five years after the greatest military invasion in all history, St. Marie-du-Mont—like all cities and towns in Normandy—is returning to normal again.

Atomic Expert Admits Being A Communist

WASHINGTON, June 14 (UP)—Dr. Frank F. Oppenheimer admitted today that he had been a Communist Party member for three years prior to his wartime employment as a research worker on the atomic bomb.

Oppenheimer, 36, is a brother of the famed physicist, J. Robert Oppenheimer, who was one of the top figures in development of the bomb. He appeared at a half-hour closed session of the House Un-American Activities Committee. At the conclusion, he issued a press release to reporters.

He said he left the party prior to his wartime employment. He worked at the University of California radiation laboratory at Berkeley from 1941 to 1947.

Falling Market Spreads Gloom Among Traders

NEW YORK, June 14 (UP)—Traders took a gloomy view of the sagging stock market today as no pre-opening "good news" developed to check the rush of many security owners to get rid of their holdings.

ment and want in the wealthiest and most productive country in the world." He was then working for his Ph. D. degree.

Three and one-half years later, when he was teaching at Stanford University, he said, they dropped out because the party did not accomplish their objectives.

Oppenheimer, now an assistant professor of physics at the University of Minnesota, said he answered all committee questions about himself "fully and freely." But he said he declined to answer questions about other people "because I did not believe I should represent others at this hearing."

Yesterday the market plunged to a four-year-low with some oil company stocks losing as much as 7 1/2 points. A total of \$1,250,000,000 (B) in paper value was wiped out during the days hectic selling.

Some 1,340,000 shares were sold during the day. The heavy sell-off at the beginning of the fifth straight week of falling prices on the New York Stock Exchange brought the total losses to stock owners since May 31 to approximately \$4,000,000,000 (B).

Railroad shares were at their lowest level since Oct. 3, 1944, and industrial shares at the August 8, 1945 low. A total of 1,127 different issues were traded yesterday, with only 99 of them showing gains at the close of the session.

Canned Foods Due To Rise

CHICAGO, June 14 (UP)—The prices of canned goods will rise this summer and next fall even if farmers give away certain of their fruits and vegetable crops, a grocery association official said today.

Arthur Lutz, president of the National American Wholesale Grocers' Association, said it is costing more to get the farmer's products into the cans.

Peaches, corn, peas and the ingredients for fruit cocktail, even if obtained without charge from the farmer, will cost more in extra standard and standard size cans, he said.

Labor and freight costs are up, along with the prices of tin cans, beet sugar and cartons, he said.

Love No Longer Loves WORCESTER, Mass. (UP)—Love versus Love read the probate court divorce petition. Mrs. Ruth V. Love was seeking a divorce from Harold J. Love on grounds of intoxication and cruelty.

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Colt Owners Get Invitation To Race It Out

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. June 14 (UP)—The owners of Capot, Ponder and Palestinian were given another chance today to "settle" their three-year-old championship when the Atlantic City Racing Association invited them to take part in a special \$50,000 winger-take-all race.

The trio of colts, if their owners accept the invitation, would race a mile and a quarter at the Atlantic City Inaugural, Aug. 11. Capot, usually uninvited was Fred Hooper's speedy Olympia the lead money and stakes winner of season. Hooper, however, would have passed up a chance because his colt, can't race a mile and a quarter any assurance of success.

The Atlantic City Association, through its president, John B. Kelly, invited the three colts because of their performances in racing's mythical "triple crown". Capot won the Freeness and Belmont stake while Palestinian was 2nd in the Freeness and 3rd in the other two.

The track offered to donate its share of the mutual handle on the race to the Damon Runyon Cancer Fund.

Cineole is a liquid which has the odor of camphor and is contained in man yolis.

Washington state produces 90 per cent of the nation's cabbage seed.



BOOM-BOOM BOY — Chick Harbert is generally considered the longest hitter in golf. The Hermitage Country Club course in Richmond, Va., being lengthened to 6354 yards for the PGA Championship didn't bother the Detroit professional.

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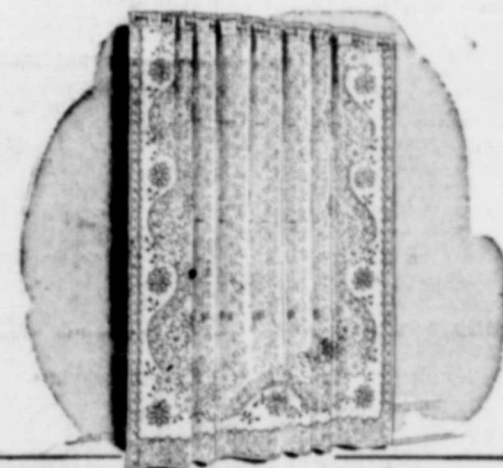
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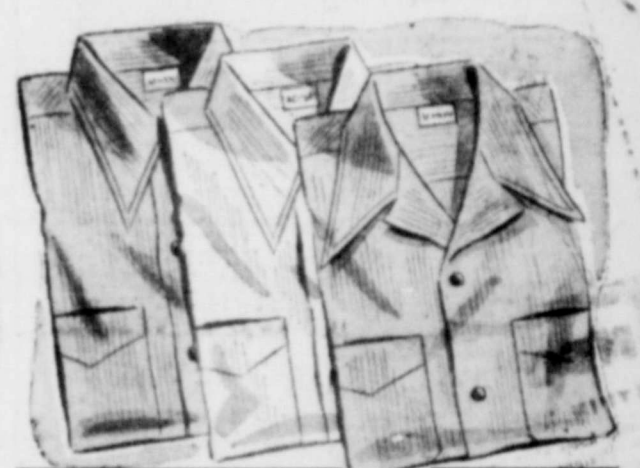
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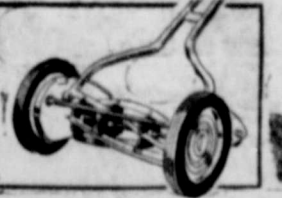
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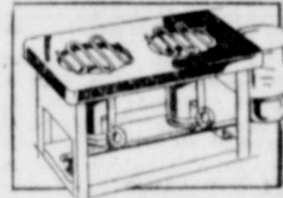
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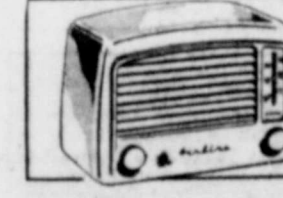
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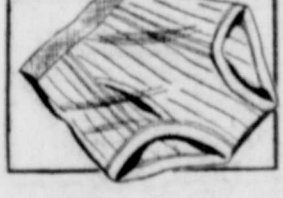
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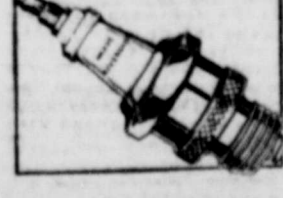
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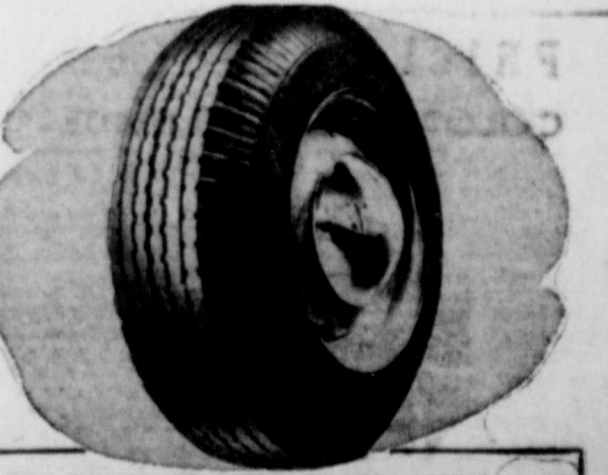
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DRUMSTICKS PLUS—This three-legged chicken is really a shopper stopper. The unusual bird arrived in a shipment to a Cleveland, O., poultry shop but won't end up on someone's dinner table. She's on display in the store window and owner Andy Hovogay says he'll keep the hen as a pet.

facilities.
A rain and wind storm Sunday leveled tents and flooded a portion of the camp area. Some 25 tents were replaced because of snapped ridgepoles.

AUSTIN, June 14 (UP)—Gov. Beauford Jester yesterday approved resolutions decontrolling rents in Sherman and Mount Pleasant.

AUSTIN, June 14 (UP)—Walter W. Cardwell of Luling joined eight other members on the Texas Prison Board today. Gov. Beauford Jester announced Cardwell's six-year appointment yesterday, placing the board at its full strength. Cardwell will resign a State Soil Conservation board post to assume the prison board assignment.

AMARILLO, June 14 (UP)—Lynn A. Boykin, 29, commercial photographer, began 18 months term in federal prison today. Boykin pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery yesterday before U. S. District Judge Joe B. Dooley. The photographer was connected with a forged bank draft of some \$190,000, drawn on a cattle company through a Los Angeles Bank.

Think Nothing Of It
BECKLEY, W. Va. (UP)—In Grandview state park is a sign that says: "picking flowers or shrubs in park prohibited." But on the same post is a pointer with the single word "Overlook."

CHICAGO (UP)—Bondholders of the Chicago surface lines are ahead \$65,807 because people didn't accept rides already paid for. Chicago transit authority officials believe most of the unredeemed tokens and tickets were lost.

Richard J. Gatling is chiefly known as the inventor of the rapid-fire gun, but in 1850 he also invented the first wheat-cutting machine in the U. S.

There is no soil on the moon.



"We installed a combination shower and phone booth—Junior was getting so many calls!"

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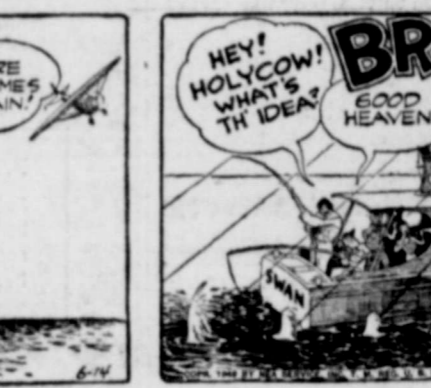
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OPPENHEIMER BEFORE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE



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WALTZ INTO DARKNESS

They floundered out into the backyard of their house, and out through the gate that led into the lane that ran behind the backs of all these houses; down that to its mouth, and from there onto the sidewalk street. Then along that, and around the turn, and into the street that ran behind the one their house had faced upon.

"The station," she kept saying. "The station—Oh try, Lou. It's just a few short streets ahead. We'll be safe, if we can only reach it."

On and on and on, two lurching figures, breaths sobbing in their throats.

It was in sight already, across the open square ahead, the station square, the hub of the town—or so she told him, he could no longer see the station; before him—when suddenly the combination of their overtaken strength gave out, her arms, her will, could do no more, and he fell flat there in the dust beside her.

She tried desperately to bring him up again, but she'd weakened so that his inertness could only bring her down half recumbent beside him, instead.

"Don't waste time," he sighed. "I can't—Not a step further."

She struggled upright again, drove fingers distractedly through her hair, looked this way, that.

Then, bending to his face, to give him courage with a kiss, ran on and left him there where he was. She disappeared into a building facing on the square, with a lighted gas bowl over its doorway and the legend: "Furnished Rooms for Travelers."

In a moment she returned to view again, beckoning to someone within to hasten out after her.

"Here," she cried. "Over this way. Here he is. Help me get

him to one of your rooms." A shirt-sleeved man lifted him bodily in his arms.

The black sky over the station square, pocked with stars, added this way and that just over Durand's upturned eyes. Then it changed to gaslight pallor on a plaster ceiling. Then this slanted off upward, gradually dimming, and he was being borne up stairs.

"I'm sorry it's so high up," the man said, "but that's all I have."

"No matter," she answered. "Anything. Anything."

They passed through a doorway, the ceiling dark at first, then gradually brightening to tarnished silver following the soft, spongy fluff of an ignited gas flow.

"Shall I get you a doctor, madam?" the man asked, as he gently laid Durand on the bed.

"No, not yet. Leave us alone together, I'll let you know later. Here, take this for now." She thrust some money at him through the door. "I'll sign the registry book later."

She locked it, came running back to Durand, the bed in an imploring attitude.

"Louie, Louie, did I once want money, did I once want fine clothes and jewels? I'd give them all at this minute to have you stand strong and upright on your legs before me. I'd give my very looks myself—she clawed at her own face, dragging its supple cheeks forward as if seeking to transfer it toward him,—"and what more have I to give?"

The tears were streaming in reckless profusion from her eyes, she who had never wept in all her life.

His fingers reached tremulously to trace their course. "Don't weep any more," he whispered. "Don't speak. Just put your lips to mine. Tell me goodbye with that."

Kiss of farewell. Their very

OPPENHEIMER BEFORE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer, former head of the Los Alamos, New Mexico, Atomic installation, as he told a joint Congressional Atomic Energy Committee, he sees "no way" in which isotopes would better Russia's war potential if isotopes got into her hands. (NEA Telephoto)

Her lips sought his ear, and she tried to whisper into it, for him alone to hear, "I love you. I love you. Can't you hear me? Where are you? That is what you always wanted. Don't you want it now?"

In the background of her grief, distant, dim, unheeded, echoes seemed to rise around her. A muffled pounding on the door, clanging voices backing it, conjured there now, at just this place, this moment, who knows how?

"Open in there! This is a police order! Open this door, do you hear?"

Their meaning could not impress, their threat could not frighten. For she was somebody else's prisoner now. She had escaped them.

Moaning anguished into a headless ear, "Oh, Louie, Louie! I have loved you too late. Too late I have loved you."

The knocking and the clamor and the grief faded out, and there was nothing left.

"And this is my punishment."

THE END

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Suits Filed, Court Judgments Real Estate Transfers, Marriages Orders, Etc.

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:
 A. L. Andree to W. H. Sanford, MD.
 U. Z. Aaron to G. A. Sanders, warranty deed.
 Robert E. Adams to Southland Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.
 R. E. Adams to Gerald S. Carter, transfer of vendor's lien.
 N. A. Brown to The Public, affidavit.
 Earl Bender to Crown Building Co., warranty deed.
 J. F. Baker to H. E. Baker, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Regina M. Brelsford to D. B. Cox, warranty deed.
 Alton O. Burden to D. B. Cox, warranty deed.
 E. E. Brown to Clyde Mills, warranty deed.
 Addie Brown to Clyde Mills, warranty deed.
 J. W. Crowder to V. A. Harris, warranty deed.
 City of Eastland to C. A. Durden, deed, ex probate.
 Jefferson H. Clark, Sr., to The Public, ex probate.
 City of Cisco to Henry Schaefer, resolution and warranty deed.
 City of Eastland to J. Campbell, deed.
 Jim Ray Cox to R. W. Fair, oil and gas lease.
 E. P. Crawford to R. W. Fair, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 A. B. Cole to W. I. Mosley, deed of trust.
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 J. M. Flournoy to Percy Hall, MD.
 B. E. Garner to Pete Delos Santos, quit claim deed.
 J. H. Greer to Margaret Frances Worden, warranty deed.
 B. H. Gilchrist to Gerald L. Vinson, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 C. L. Guinn to Henry A. Schaefer, warranty deed.
 Roy E. Gaines to F. A. Herberg, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 B. E. Garner to Louis Rifkin, quit claim deed.
 Home Owners Loan Corp. to Raleigh D. Murray, release of deed of trust.
 Eloise D. Hearon v. Alice Davenport Bevans, ex judgment, ideal Royalty Co. to Fred M. Mowin, MD.
 E. A. Jvey to Ned Mabery, deed of trust.
 Sam Jones to Mrs. Hattie Henderson, warranty deed.
 Chester A. Johnson to Rufus Hoagler, warranty deed.
 James N. Jordan to Gerald S. Carter, release of vendor's lien.
 Lizzie M. Jacobs to R. O. Jacobs, power of attorney.
 Stella Jarrett to James C. Everett, warranty deed.
 Truman Johnson to F. D. Wright Estate, MML.
 Frank Kittrell to H. F. Pettigrew, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Kerr-McGee Oil Ind., Inc. to Mrs. G. W. Stovell, release of oil and gas lease.
 T. A. Kirk to Harriett Cox Kirk, deed of trust.
 R. C. Koerner to C. D. Stagner, quit claim deed.
 W. L. Lorenz to James Thomas Dunn, warranty deed.
 Land Bank Commissioner & Federal Farm Mtg. Corp. to William A. Hunter, release of deed of trust.
 Loan Star Producing Company to N. B. Crenshaw, assignment.
 D. D. Milner to G. B. Milner, Warranty deed.
 Horace T. Miller to R. L. Jones, MD.
 Mercantile National Bank to W. W. Moore, quit claim deed.
 Leo Mears to Robert O. White, warranty deed.
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 Hollis Phippen to Frank Kittrell, oil and gas lease.
 Irvin Phippen to Frank Kittrell, oil and gas lease.
 Royce W. Pruet to Frank Kittrell, oil and gas lease.
 G. A. Pruet to Frank Kittrell, oil and gas lease.
 C. P. Porter to J. W. Sorrell, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 R. H. Patterson to A. V. Graf, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Panhandle Ref. Co. v. Guy Quinn, abstract of judgment.
 Ola Penell to Marvin E. McGee, warranty deed.
 E. F. Rutledge to Joseph L. Lemming, Jr., warranty deed.
 Ranger Building & Loan Assn. to Iza Aggers, quit claim deed.
 Republic Insurance Co. to Iza Aggers, release of deed of trust.
 Randolph Strong, Jr. to The Public, affidavit.
 M. D. Speegle to J. M. Flournoy, oil and gas lease.
 Dee Singletary to Orbie J. Jacobs, warranty deed.
 W. E. Taylor to F. F. Rutledge, release of vendor's lien.

Margaret Frances Worden to J. H. Greer, deed of trust.
 C. A. Waters to First National Bank, Cisco, deed of trust.
 O. L. Woods to Harry Zweifel, oil and gas lease.
 Dan Waggoner to Wilber Waggoner, assignment part, r. y. Theodore E. Waters to M. H. Wiser, special warranty deed.
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CLEBURNE MAN SHOOT'S RELATIVE, KILLS SELF

CLEBURNE, Tex. June 14 (UP)—Robert Clemens, 21, was found shot to death at his grandparents' home last night following the slaying of his father-in-law, and Justice of the Peace R. L. Derryberry ruled today he had taken his own life.

Clemens' body was found in a room at the house, about six miles south of here near Parker, after police had closed in on him.

farm near Itasca, in Hill County.

Police said Clemens' locked himself up in the room, shot himself in the arm, and told them he was coming out "as soon as I finish drinking my coffee."

He then shot himself in the head twice.

Albert Avery, son of the slain man, said he and his father were sitting on the front porch at their farm home when they heard the family car start at the rear of the house.

They went to investigate, and the man in the car opened fire with a revolver, shooting the elder Avery in the chest and inflicting a minor wound on the younger man.

Ira Board, who lives on an adjoining farm, said he heard the shots and saw a man fleeing in Avery's car.

Clemens was separated from his wife, Sybil Avery's daughter, Mrs. Clemens was in a Fort Worth hospital at the time of the shooting.

The average planted to wheat this year in the United States will be by far the largest on record.

SOCIETY

WSCS Has Meet Monday at 3 P. M.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met in regular session at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The meeting was opened by a prayer offered by the president, Mrs. J. L. Turner, and a program on Christian social relations was directed by Mrs. Morris Newnam.

Mrs. Newnam presented Dr. C. W. Harris who spoke on the Disadvantages of Socialized Medicine.

Mrs. Vernon Deffebach gave the devotionals based on the first and second verses of the 12th chapter of Romans, presenting the idea of presenting yourself as a living sacrifice to God.

General theme of the devotionals was that "if you are too busy for daily devotionals, you are TOO busy."

Mrs. W. F. Creager, secretary of literature, announced that a playlet will be given at the meeting next Monday with Mrs. Pat Thomas in charge.

Calvert Family Has Reunion

Sons and daughters of the late J. O. Calvert held a reunion Sunday at Lake Cisco.

The all-day gathering was attended by Mrs. J. E. Biddleman of Stephenville, Mrs. David Williams of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Abner Wright and children, Freddie Gail and Pattie, all of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Calvert, Mr. and Mrs. James Calvert and Freddie Lamb, all of Ranger.

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DELUGE IN DALLAS AREA CAUSES FLASH FLOODS

DALLAS, June 15 (UP)—Dallas and its suburbs fought flash floods last night and early today as a massive thunderstorm dumped 2.48 inches of rain in a "local cloudburst."

Three deaths were attributed to the storm.

At suburban Garland, a woman drowned when Duck Creek swirled out of its banks and overran a new residential development.

About 35, the woman was not identified immediately.

In Dallas, John Kenneth Martin, 50, was killed during the worst of the blustery thunderstorm when an automobile struck him.

A three-months old baby, Sallie Parnell, suffocated in her crib during a power blackout. It was believed that the child, frightened by the noise of the storm, slipped under the padding in her bed.

Near Farmers Branch, a Frisco freight train, outbound for Tulsa, Okla., was derailed when it plowed through high water into a washout.

About half of the 40 cars in the string overturned, and Frisco's Fort Worth offices said it was "badly wrecked," but the crew escaped injury.

The official rainfall reading 2.48 inches was taken at Dallas' Love Field Weather Station. The storm centered north and east of Dallas, and weather observers said that the deluge undoubtedly was much heavier in those sections.

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Dallas, mainly in the eastern section around White Rock Lake. Traffic into the city from the east, northeast and southwest was paralyzed at daybreak, but the water began to recede in most places during the early morning.

Road blocks were set up on U. S. Highway 77 and 76, main arterial routes to Oklahoma via Denton and Sherman, respectively; U. S. 67, east to Garland, and Scyene Road, leading into Dallas from Mesquite.

Railroad traffic suffered with numerous track washouts reported.

Missouri-Kansas-Texas 1100's passenger train number five from St. Louis, due in Dallas at 10:00 P. M., Monday, arrived shortly before 8 A. M. today. Katy's Dallas office said the train was caught between two washouts north of the city.

Heavy bolts of lightning struck power lines in Dallas and blacked out huge parts of the city for hours. Darkness enveloped the

Minifie Brothers Trouble Police

HOUSTON, Tex. June 14 (UP)—A couple of Houston policemen had stiff necks today brought on by a series of "double-takes."

It was all tied in with the Minifie brothers.

Officer W. H. Rankin handed a traffic ticket to a young negro farmer three weeks ago. For his name, the violator gave "ought to be Minifie."

"Ought to be" had two brothers, he confessed, named "Must Be" and "Might Be."

Last night "Must Be" ran a foul of the law and got a ticket from Officer J. J. Easter.

Said Rankin: "Could Be 'Might Be' will be next."

Court House . . . MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following couples were licensed to wed last week: Billy Wayne Cavanaugh to Billie June Hays, Carbon. William Hugh Boyd to Frances Irene McCormick, Cisco. Jerry Frank Clark to Jo Ann Graham, Gorman. Frank S. Shaw to Bina Grace Brown, Buffalo.

Raymond K. Jenkins to Esther Ruth Johnson, Eastland. Theibert Meador to Mary Catherine Smoot.

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sprawling Oak Cliff section, as well as north Dallas and the Park Cities.

A weather forecaster reported that water was lapping over roads in the northern outposts of the city even in sections where drainage facilities were excellent.

Streetscars and electrically-powered buses were stalled at the outset of the storm. Buses ran off schedule and were unable to enter the water covered areas.

The Cloisters in New York City

FORT WORTH, Tex. June 14 (UP)—A driving rainstorm accompanied by gusts of wind reaching up to 50 miles an hour struck Ft. Worth today and was described by weather bureau officials as spearheading a cool front moving in from the northwest.

Rainfall last night and today measured more than two inches in some parts of the city, but the North Side Weather Bureau reported it recorded only .33 inches.

The Meadowbrook section in the east part of town reported 2.09 inches.

Thunderstorms and electrical displays which moved in on the Fort Worth area last night accounted for one death. A Fort Worth youth, 19, was killed when he stepped on an electric wire knocked down by lightning. He was Mariano Vasquez, who was dead on arrival at a hospital.

Continued thunderstorms and showers were forecast for the Ft. Worth vicinity for the remainder of the day.

Rachel Ann Hendricks, deceased, application to probate will. NO CIVIL SUITS FILED

The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:

C. L. Weber v. June Weber, divorce.

Curtis Chambers v. W. E. Kirkman, suit on note and foreclosure of chattel mortgage. W. H. Shugart v. Juanita Shugart, divorce.

Opal McLean v. Douglas L. McLean, divorce.

C. L. Whigham v. J. M. O'Melveny, suit on note.

Billy Stevens v. D. L. Fyffe, for damages.

ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week: State of Texas v. U. T. Caldwell, order of transfer.

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Billy Stevens v. D. L. Fyffe, order.

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