

# The Ranger Times

35TH YEAR

RANGER, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JULY 13, 1954

PRICE FIVE CENTS



**AWFUL? —** To judge by her expression, Mrs. James C. Pryor of Minneapolis, Minn., is facing an ordeal that's anything but a summer picnic. (To see the reason for this frighten look note the picture at the lower corner of page.)



**The Weekly WINDBAG**  
By The Office Lofter

Ranger is indeed fortunate to have as a citizen such a wonderful person as is Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall. Few have been the times when this writer has been acquainted with such a wonderful character. From the first day I came to Ranger, I have heard frequent remarks of the good deeds this lady is constantly doing. She seems never too busy to perform a kind and thoughtful act for someone. This lady must have a multitude of duties, both at home and away, which occupy her time, but very frequently someone will mention some thoughtful act for which she has been responsible. She seems to think of things to do for people which will be the most helpful—acts that perhaps no one else would think to do for people who might otherwise be forgotten.

We all recognize that it is much better to give flowers to the living. That is what we want to do now. A few days ago this newspaper needed assistance, and after much inquiry we learned that the one person in Ranger who could be of most assistance to us was Mrs. Kuykendall. We know that it was an imposition upon her time, but when she thought she could be of assistance, she readily agreed to pass aside whatever else had been in her plans in order to come to our aid. She helped us accomplish what we had otherwise failed to do. We appreciate her assistance to us, and in addition think that such a wonderful person as she helps to make Ranger a better place in which to live.

We often hear remarks to the effect that this world seems to have grown smaller. Travelwise it has shrunk several times within the past generation or so, and with world problems of great concern facing us, it seems that it grows smaller by the hour.

On the basis of personal friendships of other years, it seems such a small world after all. Some years ago this old country boy wandered into Austin to become editor of a state-wide trade magazine for the truck and bus industry. Shortly after we arrived, in what was up to that time the largest center of population in which we had been the acquaintance of a man who was then a State Senator. A friendship developed which has extended over the years, although our paths have been widely separated in recent years. It was to my surprise that I learned during a (Continued on Page Five)

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**THE OLD TIMER**  
"The man who's always looking down his nose usually gets the wrong slant!"

## Ranger Firms Offering Many Bargain Items

As the temperature rises, prices are going down in Ranger, for the third monthly Dollar Day being staged Wednesday by Ranger merchants.

A review of the advertisements of local merchants in today's issue of The Times shows a wide variety of merchandise, which will be on sale at bargain prices tomorrow. Seasonable items are being featured, and merchants have made preparations to care for one of the largest crowds yet to take advantage of the monthly shopping event.

In addition to the specials featured by various types of firms, several stores are now in the midst of annual clearance sales of summer merchandise. These values, coupled with the featured items make for residents in the Ranger area, an unusual shopping opportunity.

## Monday Night Scores—GIANTS DOWN DODGERS, 14 - 10; YANKEES RETAIN LEAGUE LEAD BY BEATING INDIANS 11 TO 3

Following Monday night's games in Ranger's Little League, the Killough Yankees remained in undisputed possession of first place.

The first game of the double-header saw the Premier Dodgers and the Commercial State Bank Giants battle on even terms until a fifth-inning rally by the Giants put them out in front to win by a score of 14 to 10.

It was a see-saw battle with the lead changing hands five times during the game. The Premier Dodgers out-hit the Commercial Giants, but walks given up by the Dodger pitchers set up enough runs to make the difference in the scoring.

Extra-base blows by Dodger batters were a home run and a double by Tommy Ford and a double by Ronnie Wynn. Sidney Birdett and Walter Blackwell for the Giants each were credited with a home run.

In the second of Monday night's games, the Killough Yankees held

## City Briefs — MORE GRASS FIRES

Ranger firemen are still battling grass fires on an average of almost one every 24 hours. Monday there was a grass fire in the 300 block of Strawn Road, but no damage except a few fence posts that became ignited before firemen arrived.

An alarm first reported as a grass fire, on Highway 80 east near Wheat's garage proved to be false. Trash was being burned, and a protective watch maintained.

## TWO ARE FINED

Two men paid fines in Ranger Corporation Court in the total amount of \$15.70 for being drunk over the weekend. One man from Ciseo, was found asleep by officers in a car parked with lights burning, and the other, reported to be from Harlingen, was picked up on Main Street by officers.

A near collision by a Ranger man with a State Highway Patrol car shortly after midnight Monday resulted in the man being arrested and carried to the county jail in Eastland, where it is reported that driving while intoxicated charges were filed against him.

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## Legion Names New Officers For Next Year

Ranger legionnaires elected a new group of officers to serve for the coming year, at a meeting July 8 of the Carl E. Barnes Post No. 69 of the American Legion. The new officers will assume their duties at the first meeting in August following the Legion's State Convention in Fort Worth.

A. H. Powell will be the new post commander, succeeding Don Butler.

Others named were: Edgar Ward, first vice commander; Bob Patterson, second vice commander; Lee Dockery, service and finance officer; Chick Usery, chaplain; Electra Pearson, historian and Clyde Bond, sergeant at arms.

A report of the activities of the Legion for the past year, indicates that the membership was almost doubled. A roster of 66 active members a year ago has been increased to 122. The Legion has moved to a new headquarters during the past year, and the 25-year lease on the building on West Pine has been paid in advance.

With the election of Powell as post commander, Butler predicted that the local Legion Post would show a continued gain in its activities during the coming year.

## Large Livestock Run Monday; Bids Slightly Lower

The volume of livestock sales at the Ranger Livestock Commission Company's auction barn Monday was the highest in a number of weeks.

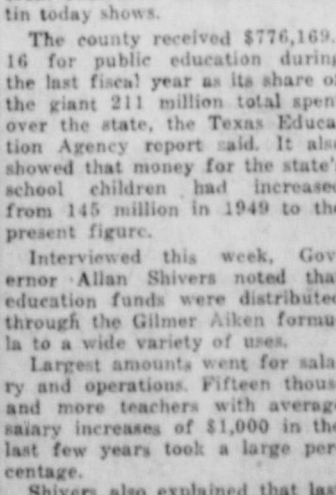
Cattle numbered 600 with 20 sheep, 20 goats and 25 hogs.

Prices were slightly under a week ago, but compared favorably with markets in the larger centers which also experienced a price decline in Monday's trading.

Top prices in Ranger Monday saw fat calves bring from \$17 to \$19.75; common calves; \$9 to \$17; Bulls, \$8 to \$14; Stocker cows, and calves, \$7 to \$13.5 a pair; fat cows, \$9 to \$13; canners a and cutters, \$6 to \$9, and stocker calves, \$14 to \$17.50. Hogs brought a top of \$24.10 which was within a few cents of the top price at Ft. Worth.

Team	W	L	Pt.
YANKEES	10	4	74
GIANTS	9	5	63
DODGERS	7	7	50
INDIANS	2	12	14

## WHO IS THIS?



From files that we have had in storage we found this picture that appeared in the Ranger Times at one time. Do you know who it is? Watch each Times issue for a new picture.

**ANSWER:** The picture which appeared in Sunday's edition of The Times was that of H. A. Patterson.



**William J. Jernick, Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, is a Corporation executive, civic leader and former Mayor of Nutley, N. J.**

## Harlan Phillips Attends National Elk Convention

The national convention of Elks Clubs held in Los Angeles last week had one of the largest crowds in history, Harlan Phillips, reported following his return to Ranger last Saturday.

As District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler, Texas North, Phillips attended the convention accompanied by Mrs. Phillips.

He was the only representative from the Ranger Lodge, but there were over 200 delegates from Texas, and according to Phillips the Texas group took over the convention in getting attention. Over 20,000 registrations were recorded at the Texas delegation's headquarters for the convention.

Phillips reported that he saw a number of former Ranger residents who now live in California, while at the convention.

## Daily Water Use Averaging Over Million Gallons

For seven consecutive days through Monday, the use of water in Ranger has been above the million gallon mark. For the first 12 days of July, an average of over a million gallons of water daily has been pumped through the Ranger water system, according to city records.

The total water used for the month, through July 12, was 12,120,000 gallons, W. O. McMillan, city pumper said today. Saturday's volume was 1,043,000 gallons; Sunday, 1,051,000 gallons and Monday, 1,054,000 gallons.

## COUNTY SCHOOLS RECEIVE HUGE BENEFITS FROM GILMER-AIKEN SYSTEM OF EDUCATION FUNDS

Eastland County school children are among those over the state sharing the most impressive period of Texas Public Education in state history, a compilation of figures from 1949-1953 released in Austin today shows.

The county received \$776,169.16 for public education during the last fiscal year as its share of the fiscal 211 million total spent over the state, the Texas Education Agency report said. It also showed that money for the state's school children had increased from 145 million in 1949 to the present figure.

Interviewed this week, Governor Allan Shivers noted that education funds were distributed through the Gilmer Aiken formula to a wide variety of uses.

Largest amounts went for salary and operations. Fifteen thousand more teachers with average salary increases of \$1,000 in the last few years took a large percentage.

Shivers also explained that last

## Membership Meet At Country Club Set for Tonight

A membership meeting for members of the Ranger Country Club is scheduled for this evening at 7:30 p.m., according to M. C. Walker, Jr., club secretary. He said a meal will be served at the meeting.

## Decorations Are Out For 9th Jaycee Rodeo



**HOWLING SUCCESS**—That's what 15-month-old Lisa Leong does best, according to judges of the New York Chinese community's 14th annual baby contest. She's a little young to cry for her beer, but Lisa is well supplied with tearful "victory" cups at any rate.

## Farm Bureau Sponsoring Contest August 17, To Name County Queen

The annual queen contest of the Eastland County Farm Bureau will be held at the Eastland City Park at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday night, August 17, it was announced today by members of the planning committee.

The Eastland County Queen Contest is a part of the state-wide affair promoted through local Farm Bureau organizations, and is a means of recognizing the merits of girls from Texas farms and ranches. It is designed to promote a better understanding of the people who are engaged in agriculture.

Daughters and sisters of Farm Bureau members are eligible to enter the contest if they are within the age range of from 16 to 22; single, not a previous state winner; and are not daughters of a state or county officer in the Farm Bureau.

The winner of the Eastland County contest will represent the county in the district contest to be held early in September. She (Continued on Page Four)

## Many Ranger Friends Attend HUNDRETH BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR E. M. BALDWIN MONDAY

Ranger's oldest citizen, Edward M. Baldwin, was royally entertained Monday as he celebrated his 100th birthday. Scores of friends called by to extend greetings throughout the day, and many brought birthday cakes. Refreshments were served throughout the day.

A number of ladies, assisted Mrs. L. A. Moody, who was a leader in planning the birthday celebration. A group from the Second Baptist Church rendered a religious program.

## Man Tossed From Car Following Friendly Fight

A friendly fight between several men reported to be from Rising Star, following a little too much celebrating shortly after midnight Monday, disturbed one Ranger family, and gave officers a busy time for a short while.

W. H. Stevenson, manager of Montgomery Ward & Company in Ranger, according to local officers, was awakened by a man stumbling up to his residence just outside the city limits on Highway 80 east, and stating that he had been beaten and thrown from a car. Officers were furnished with a description of the automobile in which he had been riding and rushed to Eastland where the automobile was apprehended.

Highway Patrolmen carried the beaten man to Eastland, and it is reported all parties patched up their differences and continued on their way to Rising Star.

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**AWFUL LOT OF FUN**—A picnic is just what Mrs. Janice C. Pryor was en route to when she exhibited that horrified look. She wasn't prepared to travel by cable-scooter to Durnham island, in the Mississippi River, but that's the way you get to the resort spot near Minneapolis, Minn. Coming back, the guests ride another cable-scooter, which slopes from a small island to the mainland.

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# Ferguson Is Winner Of Lakeside Golf Tourney

North Texas State's Ray Ferguson added the Lakeside Country Club's Tournament championship title to his medalist honors Sunday afternoon when he edged out Lee Chapman of Fort Worth 2-up in the finals. The 21-year-old Breckenridge star, in winning his first tourney in summer play, earned an unofficial 71, one under par, in the final round of play.

Winner of the championship consolation flight was Lee Wine of Brownwood, who beat out Del Rio's Bob Wells 1-up.

Cal David Eide, of Brownwood was 4-3 winner over Eastland's Buddy Dean in the First Flight finals and J. P. Seaborn of Fort Worth beat Pat Egan of Breckenridge in the consolation finals.

Second Flight winners went to J. D. McChavary, who was 3-2 winner over Cecil Barrow of Abilene. John Beatty of Fort Worth fell to John Simms of Mineral Wells in the consolation flight.

Winner of the Third Flight was Joe Gushorn of Stephenville who was 3-2 over R. C. Couch of Hackell & Co. in the consolation flight.

Winner of the fourth flight was H. T. Weaver of Fort Worth who won over Dallas' Lynn Vaters.

In the Fourth Flight, Bill Lacy of Graham beat Rammer's Clifton Cook 3-2 in the final. A. G. Parker of Pecos won over Charles Bidwell of Coleman in the consolation flight.

Ranger's Otis Kelly beat Bob Vandy of Chino for Fifth Flight prize while C. C. Foster of Fort Worth beat W. L. Jacoby of Ranger for consolation honors.

In the Sixth Flight Larry Knight of Breckenridge in the final. Walton Newton of Eastland beat out O. B. Edmondson of Cross Plains for consolation honor.

Seventh Flight winner was Benny Wilson of Abilene who won over Coeger Kiborn of Midland 1-up. T. B. Nichols of Wichita Falls beat Jim Elliott, Jr. of Stephenville 1-up to win the consolation honors.

Chapman's Wedge  
Chapman's great approach shots kept him a constant threat to Ferguson in the finals. Using his wedge in great form, the 21-year-old golfer limited his putting to just 22 strokes in 17 holes.

Ferguson just needed an even par on the first hole to take an early lead. Chapman two putted the hole for a bogie when his wedge failed him.

The second and third holes were halved, but then a birdie three on the fourth evened things up for Chapman on the fourth. Then the Greyhound ticket agent fired another birdie on the fifth to move one ahead of the NTS golfer. Ferguson evened things up on the sixth hole when Chapman bogied the hole. Ray then birdied the seventh and saw his opponent's ball hang on the cup to take a 1-up lead.

## Infant Dies In Blaze

OKRY (TNS)—A three month old infant was burned to death near here Monday when a farm home burned to the ground. Two other children escaped injury when they woke up at the last minute and fled from the house.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wolfe died in the blaze. Cause of the fire is unknown.

Mrs. Wolfe reportedly had gone to take her husband to work when the fire broke out. When she returned the home was blazing. A five year old and a three year old child fled from the burning house.

Firemen reached the scene too late to save the house or any furnishings.

Funeral services are pending.

## Escapee Shoots Sheriff In Blazing Gun Battle

A short-lived crime spree of two 16-year-old escapees from Gatesville ended in a blazing gun battle at Fayetteville, Ark. Saturday and one of the boys, from Eastland County, and the Fayetteville sheriff were injured.

The 16-year-old youth from the Gorman area is one of the two youths sought by Eastland County officers as suspects in a series of burglaries in Eastland and Comanche counties.

The other boy, from Amarillo, was captured before the Eastland County youth shot it out with the Fayetteville sheriff.

The boys are believed to be responsible for the burglary of a Desdemona grocery store, Abilene's, and the burglary of a home in the Kokomo area. J. C. Denelator's home was looted of \$44.00 in cash, 15 new shirts, a pair of boots, three pairs of shoes, a cigar lighter, a bedspread, water pitcher and a 22 rifle. The gun stolen is believed to be the weapon the boy shot it out with the sheriff with.

The Amarillo youth was captured at about 10:30 Saturday morning. The youths had burglarized a Fayetteville store and hijacked a man taking his money and attempting to take his car.

The Gorman youth was apprehended Saturday night at about 11 when the sheriff cornered him up. The youth refused to surrender and shot the sheriff between the wrist and elbow. The sheriff then returned the youth's fire and shot him in the hip.

Hospital attendants in Fayetteville said the boy may never walk again.

Sheriff Frank Tucker said that Fayetteville officers had informed him that some of the stolen loot had been recovered. We will know more about it when we hear from them again, he said.

The boys escaped from Gatesville Saturday, July 3. They were spotted in Eastland County the following Sunday.

The Gorman youth was sent to Gatesville just a few months ago from the Eastland juvenile court.

## Stock Piling Of Oil Urged By Ben Ramsey

Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey has stepped up his campaign for re-election with trips to West Texas and the Panhandle where he proposed stock piling oil for defense.

The East Texas lawyer, a steady but quiet campaigner, said the increasing importation of foreign oil is hurting the petroleum industry which facts about half the state's tax bill.

"A few Texas oil men could financially stand serious price cutbacks, but the majority of the people connected with our oil industry could not. Some of these include farmers and ranchers with leases and royalties. Others are having a hard time now keeping their exploration going," Ramsey said.

"Many of our state services, including schools, colleges and regular operating expenses, are paid for out of oil tax money," Ramsey said. "If our state revenues from petroleum steadily decline, we are in for a pinch which I think is unnecessary."

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## Services For Mrs. Westbrook Held Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Ella Westbrook were held yesterday at 5 p.m. from the Hamner Chapel.

For the last few years Mrs. Westbrook made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Ella Birmingham, in Ft. Worth and they had just returned to Eastland to live.

She is survived by two brothers, Dave Steel of Eastland, and Jones Steel, Frederick, Okla. Two sisters Mrs. Sallie Hill and Mrs. Robert Jones of Eastland.

Mrs. Westbrook came from Alabama to Texas and she, with her husband, the late Mr. Miles Westbrook, lived in Eastland for many years.

Burial was in Eastland Cemetery.

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### Mrs. Hodges Has Phone Call From Delta, Alaska

Mrs. Ethel Hodges had a telephone call recently from her husband, who has been employed at a construction camp six miles south of Delta, Alaska since April 5.

The following were present to say "hello" to him: Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stephenson of San Diego, Calif.; Kenneth Stephenson of National City, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Wells and family; Mr. and Mrs. Wineford Miller and children; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Squires; Mrs. Luna Lane; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Boyd and sons, Bobby Ray and Tommy Lee. The son, Richard Hodges, was away on a rodeo trip.

Refreshments were served to the guests present.

### Angus Family Reunion Held

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Angus and Paula was the setting Sunday of a reunion of the brothers and sisters of Mr. Angus. A picnic lunch was enjoyed in the back yard at noon.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Angus and Larry of El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Woods of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McMillan of Caddo; Sgt. Eddie McMillan of the Air Force, recently returned from a tour of duty in Japan; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lewis and Sharon of Dangerofield; Mrs. Elmo Ray and Connie of Grapevine; Mr. and Mrs. Will Eyley, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eyley, Charles Eyley, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Angus, Jacqueline, Mona and Jimmy Angus, all of Ranger.

### Mrs. Powell Is New President, A. L. Auxiliary

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary met last Thursday evening in regular session. It was announced that Mrs. Edgar Ward and Mrs. Don Butler were the only two members having a perfect attendance record for the past year.

The following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: president, Mrs. A. H. Powell, vice-president, Mrs. Gertrude Gideon; second vice-president, Mrs. John Hardy; secretary, Mrs. Butler; treasurer, Mrs. Ed Greer; sergeant at arms, Mrs. Frances Pryor; historian, Mrs. J. F. Byas; and chaplain, Mrs. Luna Lane.

Announcement was made that magazines are still being collected for the V. A. hospitals. Anyone having magazines to give are asked to contact Mrs. Powell or Mrs. Butler.

The next business meeting will be held on Thursday, July 22.



VOICE WITH A SMILE—Moneque Gainey operates a U.S. Army telephone switchboard at Seine Area headquarters in Paris.

### Rebekah Lodge To Install New Officers Tonight

Members of the Rebekah Lodge No. 244 met Tuesday evening, July 13, in regular session, with Noble Grand, May Smith, presiding. Routine business was transacted and sick reports given.

There were twenty-three present.

Formal installation will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, tonight. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Perry Pittman has returned to her home in Archer City after spending several days in the home of Mrs. George Robinson.

Billy Mac Nichols and Donnie Doolie spent the week-end in Palestine, Tex.

### Perkins To Help Lead Leaders Baptist General Encampment

Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Perkins of state approved worker, will conduct the conferences for the Training Union leadership. These will be held at 7:30 o'clock each evening.

Dr. R. A. Springer, treasurer of the Baptist General convention of Texas, will be denominational speaker, addressing the encampment each morning at 11:15 o'clock.

Dr. Edwin Skiles, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Abilene, will be camp pastor. He will preach each evening and will conduct conferences for the pastors each morning at 10:30 o'clock. Sid Davis of Haskell will be song leader.

Mornings will be devoted to Bible lessons, Sunday school and WMU conferences and talks by Dr. Springer. The afternoons will be given over to rest and recreation. Kenneth Hill of Abilene will be recreation director. Recreation facilities have been improved and will include baseball, volleyball, shuffleboard, ping pong, horseshoe pitching, croquet and swimming with qualified life guards on duty. A new concrete wading pool for the small children has been added this year.

Dr. H. M. Ward of Cisco will be vesper speaker. Vespers will be in the new seating arrangement provided by the river side this year.

W. L. Squires' Have California Guests

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Squires have had as guests in their home for the past ten days her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stephenson of San Diego, Calif. and nephew, Kenneth Stephenson of National City, Calif. They also visited Mr. Stephenson's mother, Mrs. Kitty Stephenson, who accompanied them back as far as Odessa where she will visit her daughter and family, the "Curly" McCallums.

Mrs. Don Harbalt and son, Jr., of Houston, are guests of their mother, Mrs. Bonnie Merrick.

### Hospital Report

Mrs. Guy Abbott of Cisco is a surgical patient at Ranger General Hospital.

New admissions at West Texas Hospital include: Mrs. George Weber, Jr. of Abilene and Mrs. Nath Deaton of Brad.

Mrs. Eddie Jones of Ranger underwent major surgery at Medical-Surgical Clinic in Weatherford at 10 a.m. this morning.

Mrs. T. P. Raines of Roscoe, formerly of Ranger, underwent surgery at Young Medical Center in Sweetwater Tuesday, July 6. Mrs. Raines is the sister of Miss Ada Mainard, Mrs. K. E. Falls and Mrs. P. T. Falls, all of Ranger.

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Mr. and Mrs. Aaron E. Howton of Ranger are the parents of a 7 pound, 12 ounce girl, born at 1:45 p.m. Monday, July 12 at the Ranger General Hospital.

Paternal grandparents are the Aaron Howtons, of Lacasa, and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bargsley of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Steward of Caddo, announce the birth of a 9 pound 2 ounce girl at 3:23 p.m. Monday, July 12 at the Ranger General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Gene England of Ranger are the parents of a 6 pound 9 ounce girl, born July 10 at the West Texas Clinic. The baby has been named Terrie Lee. Paternal grand mother is Mrs. O. M. England and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jones, all of Ranger.

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LOS ANGELES — Seventeen years ago this week the most famous woman aviator of her time disappeared in the Pacific while on the last lap of an epic-making world flight.

Amelia Earhart, the "Lady Lindy" of the 1930's, never was found although the speculation on her fate and that of her navigators, Frederick Noonan, continues.

Paul Mantz, her technical adviser at the time, said this week he believed Miss Earhart would have completed the flight if it were today. Weather was to blame, he said, for her ship going down July 2, 1937.

"It wouldn't happen a 0 w," Mantz said. "The forecasting of the weather was not as good then."

Mantz, now president of Paul Mantz Air Services, said "she was a very lovely person; a true and intellectual pilot."

**Held Many Firsts**

Miss Earhart was the first woman to fly the Atlantic, and fly it alone. She also established a new altitude record.

Her ill-fated attempt to circle the globe began from Miami, June 1, 1937. Flying eastward, her plane a two-engine monoplane called the Electra, made the 22,000 miles to Lae, New Guinea, without major incident. The last 7,000 miles were the most difficult test for a pilot — much of it over a route never flown before. The destination was Howland Island, a tiny barren strip in the mid-Pacific.

The Coast Guard cutter, Itasca, stationed at Howland to give weather reports and radio bearings, was in touch with Miss Earhart for part of the flight, and at one point heard the airship report it was circling, unable to find land.

Radio operators at sea and on land heard a voice saying "SOS SOS," but that was the last authentic word from the Electra.

**Search Cost Four Million**

Miss Earhart's husband, George Palmer Putnam, theorized that

fuel used to power the radio was about gone.

Before the air search was halted, it included 10 American ships, several Japanese aircraft, and 102 American fighter planes. It cost the government an estimated \$4,000,000.

Then the rumors on her fate began. Some of them said she had died in the crash; some that she had landed on a Japanese mandated island, where she was taken prisoner and later executed. One rumor was that she still was alive, and held by the Japanese. In 1945,

believe she definitely was forced down at sea before she reached Howland Island. The plane was equipped to float if it had to be ditched, but probably broke up in the "Leaky seas."

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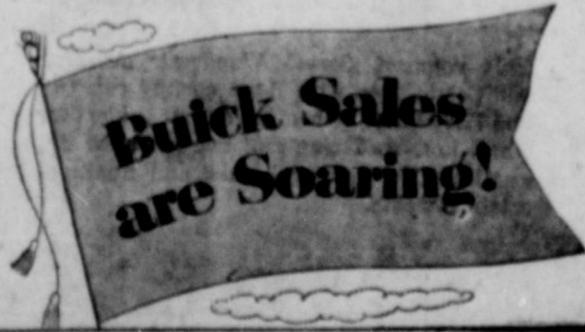
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