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# CHINESE COMMANDER DEFIES THE WORLD

## AMERICAN FORCES IN CHINA WILL REACH APPROXIMATELY 10,000

### REFUGEES GETTING AID FROM RED CROSS

**Situation Relieved Dispatches Report Americans Are Safe**

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Fifteen hundred marines were ordered to China today to augment their forces there engaged in protection of the lives and property of Americans in the face of the rising tide of anti-foreign agitation. Upon their arrival at Shanghai, expected within 30 days, they will double the American defense force, there and bring the total armed United States forces in China to nearly 10,000. Approximately twice the force this country had in China in the Boxer rebellion.

The tension in the Chinese situation was relieved somewhat by the receipt of official dispatches stating that 155 American who had been trapped for three days in Nanking, had boarded the foreign warships along the water front and for the moment there was no further danger to American lives in that city.

President Coolidge devoted his entire day and much of this evening to personal study of the situation. Other important developments included:

1. The American Red Cross made a \$10,000 appropriation for relief and rehabilitation of the Chinese American refugees from Nanking, many of whom are arriving in Shanghai without food, money or adequate clothing.
2. A conference among Secretary Kellogg, Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, and Major General Charles P. Summerall, chief of staff of the United States army, which gave rise to reports that dispatch of regular army troops to China was being considered. These reports were denied.
3. Secretary Wilbur conferred with President Coolidge last night and today, giving full reports of all developments.
4. An official dispatch reported the American known casualties at Nanking were Dr. J. E. Williams, Nanking university, and a Mr. Hobart, wounded. A complete check has not been made, however.
5. The general strike situation at Shanghai is tense, with communistic agitators causing more trouble, according to message to the commerce department.
6. State department was advised that 111 adults and 38 children arrived at Shanghai from Nanking.
7. Minister McCurray and Consul General Gauff, Shanghai, reported they were frantically continuing their earlier warnings to Americans to evacuate interior points. McCurray said the nationalists were unwilling or unable to cope with the evacuation.

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### IOWA BREAKS RECORD IN RELAY RACE

HOUSTON, March 26.—A world record among others fell today in the third annual Rice Institute relay games, when the crack Iowa State Medley relay team's anchor man broke the tape in 7 minutes, 34 and 4-10 seconds to clip 6-10 of a second off the former mark.

A new intercollegiate record was set in the pole vault, and many records set in the relay games here the past two years were bettered.

### Doris Herring, 11, Burned to Death in Coal Oil Fire

HILLSBORO, Texas, March 26.—Doris Herring, 11, was burned to death last night when a can of oil being poured into a stove by her brother exploded. The flaming oil was thrown on the bed in which she was sleeping.

## Watson Well In Ramsower Field Is 1000 Barreler

### BUSINESS GOOD IN EVERY LINE SURVEY SHOWS

**Merchants and Auto Dealers Report Gain In Sales Over 1926**

How is business? Business is good. How does the volume of sales this spring compare with the corresponding period last year? A good increase is noted.

This is what practically every merchant, auto dealer, and everyone else says in Ranger.

There is no such thing as depression. Sales range from ten to 25 percent larger than last year.

**Auto Dealers**  
The Sivals Motor company is finding it hard to supply the demand for Buick cars. Three sales were made Saturday. Gullaborn of the Gullaborn Motor company reports an increase in the number of Chevrolers sold. Several new cars were delivered during the past week. He, also, is finding it hard to deliver cars as fast as they are sold and has a car load or two on the road all the time.

**Merchants**  
The various merchants are reporting a humming business. John Hassen of the Boston store, had to go East the past week for the second purchase of spring goods. Sales are far ahead of last spring, and the stock was almost depleted which caused him to make the hurried trip to New York to get in a supply of goods. He went to pick out his stuff and see that it is moved immediately to meet the increase in trade.

**Optimistic**  
Louis Davis of E. H. & A. Davis, men's wearing apparel reports a big increase in the movement of clothing and furnishings. "There has not been a month that our sales have not shown a healthy increase," said Mr. Davis. He has been compelled to duplicate orders to supply the trade.

The public is buying good stuff and that is a sure sign of good business. Morris Bendix of the Globe was one of the most optimistic men met on the rounds. This concern also makes a specialty of men's clothing and furnishings. He reported a good increase in the volume of sales as compared with last year for all kinds of wearing apparel and haberdashery.

**Optimistic**  
J. M. White of J. M. White and company was another optimist and reported a healthy increase in business over last year. "Practically every department, shows a gain, reported the head of the concern. This firm handles a general line of merchandise, women's and men's wearing apparel.

James C. Smith, another department store proprietor, was wearing the smile that never comes off, and reported a healthy gain in the volume of goods sold, and also that sales averaged higher than last year.

Mr. Williams of Joseph Dry Goods company, also had his head up and was bubbling over with enthusiasm when talking about the increase and gain in business this spring, over last year. His concern is one of the largest in the county and carries all kinds of merchandise and wearing apparel for both sexes.

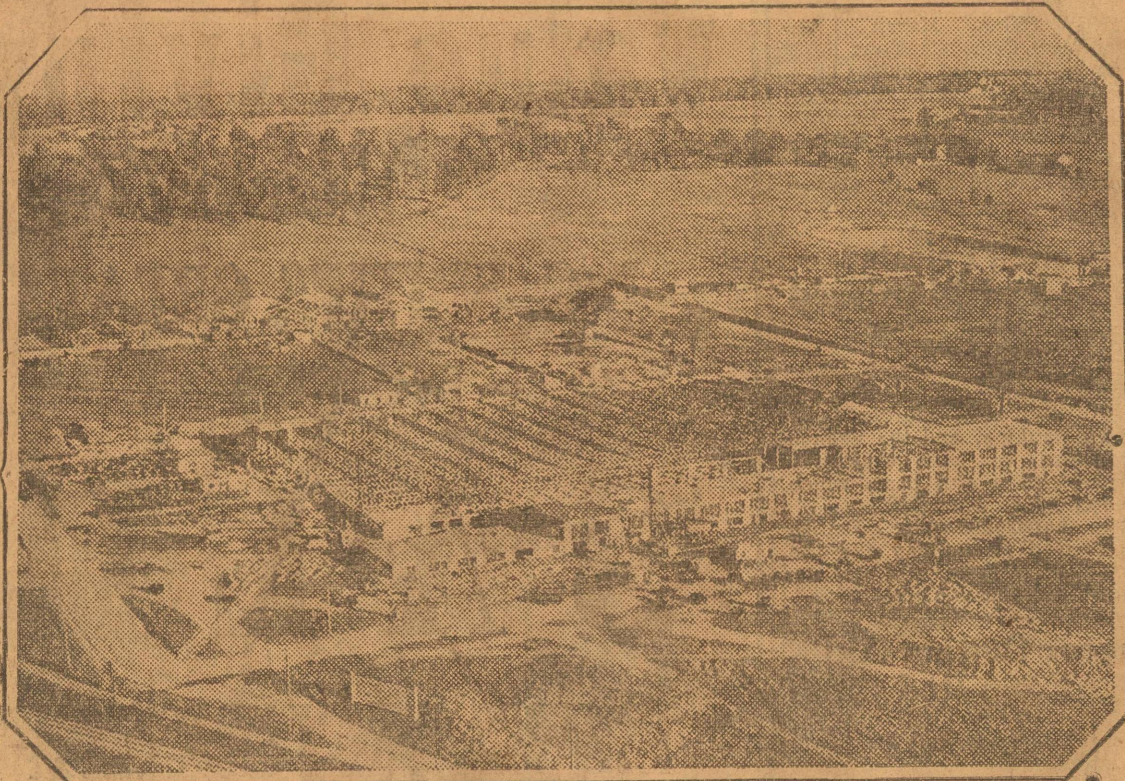
M. M. Starr had the same views, also W. W. Paschall of the S. & H. Store.

### WILL HEAR APPLICATION FOR ROAD AID

AUSTIN, Texas, March 26.—County delegations seeking aid from the state highway department to be used in the construction and maintenance of roadways over the state will be permitted to present their claims before the highway commission Monday and Tuesday.

The newspaper libel bill passed by the regular session of the Fortieth legislature, and which has been signed by the governor, will not become effective until 90 days after the date of the final adjournment of the legislature which will be June 15.

### Five Million Dollars' Worth of Air Field



This airplane photograph shows progress on the new \$5,000,000 Wright Field, east of Dayton, O. When completed it will be the largest aviation center in the world, covering 5000 acres. The field is named in honor of Orville and Wilbur Wright, co-inventors of the airplane. It will displace McCook Field, Dayton, as the U. S. army's most important post for aerial experimentation.

### OFFICERS BUSY RUNNING DOWN BURGLARY CLUE

GORMAN, Texas, March 26.—Eastland county officers are working on a number of clues and arrests may soon follow, in the case of the burglary early Friday morning of the Purdy garage here.

Purplars, armed with a pistol entered the garage, bound and gagged Mr. Purdy, who was sleeping in the building, ransacked the place and left taking with them \$20 in cash and an automobile. The car was later found strung on the Carbon-Gorman highway.

According to the reports reaching the sheriff's office at Eastland Mr. Purdy was awakened about 4:30 Friday morning by a noise in the garage. While making an investigation to determine the cause of the noise, he saw a man in the house and turned on the light. When the lights came on the man had disappeared, having hidden himself. Purdy obtained his pistol and was making a search for the man when the intruder suddenly appeared and with a pistol pointed at Purdy forced him to drop his own gun. At this juncture a companion of the robber appeared and assisted in tying and gagging Purdy, using a towel and strips torn from a bed sheet.

After the robbers left the building Purdy succeeded in working the gag out of his mouth and by shouts attracted the attention of some of his neighbors who came and released him.

Purdy described the robbers as being young men, about 20 years of age and dressed in ducking overalls and wearing caps.

### AMERICANS MOST SANITARY PEOPLE, STATISTICS SHOW

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Americans are the cleanest people in the world, according to the department of commerce.

In many foreign countries, modern plumbing equipment is considered a luxury and for this reason few sanitary fixtures are sold abroad. While the demand for modern plumbing is increasing throughout the world, it is confined almost entirely to the wealthy classes, according to the department.

### WHAT'S IN A NAME.

In Virginia a man named Utah and a woman named Rhode Island were married. Who said never the twain shall meet? This couple could start having a United States of their own. And if they ran out of states, Alaska and Hawaii might furnish names for the children. In case of twins there are North and South Dakota to fall back on. There could be trouble though. Suppose one of the children named Florida went to California. What chance would he have to live? If they'd name one Alabama though, he might have a chance for at least 24 votes.

### BOBBY JONES WINS SOUTHERN CHAMPIONSHIP

EAST LAKE, Country Club, Mar. 26.—Bobby Jones, as was fitting, won the Southern open golf championship, on his home course and in his home town today, with a total of 281 for the 72 holes.

### MOTOR TRUCK REGULATIONS UP TO MOODY

AUSTIN, March 26.—In a special report to Governor Moody, the railroad commission furnished statistics and other information with respect to motor truck regulation which has been put under the jurisdiction of the commission in a bill passed by the recent regular session of the fortieth legislature.

The governor has the bill under consideration and if he signs it the law will become effective ninety days from March 16, date of the final adjournment of the legislature.

The commission clearly points out that the motor truck business is in keen competition with the steam and electric railways.

Despite statements issued by the state highway commission within the last few weeks declaring that the hands of that department are tied at this time, because of no money, with which they can operate, official figures obtained from the office of W. Gregory Hatcher, state treasurer, Saturday, shows that more money is now resting to the account of that division of the state government than ever before.

### Former Police Officer Given 3 Year Sentence

SHREVEPORT, La., March 26.—Grady Jarrett, former policeman, was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary here today upon his plea of guilty to assault with intent to kill Sheriff Thomas Hughes of Caddo parish.

Three other charges bearing on Jarrett's attack on the sheriff were nolle prossed.

### GORDON SEES 5 NEW PLACES FOR DRILLING

**McLester Well Near By Now Down 3,350 Feet, a Producer**

The No. 1 Watson well of Root & Fehl of Eastland, in the Ramsower or Gordon pool, eight miles north of the city of Eastland came in late Saturday with a production variously estimated at around 1,000 barrels daily. The well has 17 feet of pay sand at a total depth of 3,750 feet. It was shot into production with 400 quarts of nitroglycerin and immediately following the shot, cleaned itself and made one flow of 150 barrels.

This well is 400 feet north of the north line of the Ramsower lease of the West Adams Petroleum company (Col. Robert D. Gordon) of Ranger. "The bringing in of this well," said Colonel Gordon late Saturday, "gives us four or five proven locations and brings a good part of our lease into the proven class. We have been down in the mouth for the past few days because we all thought the Watson well looked like a dry hole. But its coming in has put a different aspect on the future of the entire area there."

The opinion was freely expressed Saturday night that the No. 1 Thorswell well of Jerome McLester of Ranger which is a west offset to the Root & Fehl well on the Watson is now practically assured of being a producer. The McLester well is now drilling at 3,350 feet, and should be completed in a very short time barring difficulties.

The Davisson well, about 700 feet from the Root & Fehl well which has just recently started drilling is also brought within the prospective producing area by the new completion.

According to Saturday night reports the No. 1 Ramsower well of Colonel Gordon increased its flow some Saturday. It made 341 barrels it was stated.

### Effort Will Be Made to Finish Parish Well

It is planned to drill by the obstructions in the Parish well, three miles south of Ranger on the Desdemona road, set the pipe and continue drilling. This announcement was made by John Gholson Saturday morning. The well is being drilled by Gholson and others on the Parish tract, about a mile north of the Gholson pool on the Duffer tract.

At approximately 3,200 feet tools became lodged in the hole and also the fishing tools. Had not this occurred the well probably would have been finished by now. Should it come in a producer it will extend the Gholson pool to the north and probably define the territory. The Gulf No. 1 on the Duffer tract has extended the pool approximately a quarter of a mile.

This territory was passed up in the boom days, with the exception of a few shallow tests. The nearest production is quite a ways off and when the Duffer No. 1 of the Gholson at came in, it opened strictly wildcat territory. Since then three wells have been drilled in the area, and production found in each of them at and around 3,470 feet.

### Earthen Products Worker Hurt In Plant at Tiffin

A. C. Hesson, an employe of the Thurber Earthen Products company, was seriously injured Saturday afternoon between 2 and 2:30 o'clock when struck with a beam while at work shoveling in the quarry near Tiffin, a short distance north of Ranger. He was taken to the hospital after an X-ray examination had been made. Killingsworth-Cox ambulance answered the call.

The beam was of iron and between 12 and 14 feet long and six inches thick.

The injured man is married and has two children.

It is not known how the beam became loosened from the traveling derrick on the steam shovel.

### BOYCOTT TO BE USED AS WEAPON TO GAIN ENDS

**Americans Fleeing From Nanking Before Wrath of Wild Men**

By United Press.  
SHANGHAI, March 26.—Cantonese commander in chief Marshal Chian Kan Shek today defied the world to "suppress China" and pledged himself to cancellation of the so-called "unequal treaties" under which foreigners in China have enjoyed special privileges. Chiang arrived today and established his headquarters in the Chinese city of Shanghai. Chiang said the nation would not use force against foreigners, but would depend upon the economic boycott as their weapon to complete cancellation of the treaty.

"The powers cannot suppress China," he said, "no matter how many warships and soldiers they send here."

Right Must Triumph.  
"Right must triumph."  
"We will use the economic weapon of boycott against any nation which still desires to keep the treaties in the coexistence."  
"The Chinese people are unable to feel contented so long as the present situation remains."

General Pei Chung Shi, local Cantonese commander, said that Chiang supported him in blaming the white ruffians in retreating, and the north China soldiers for the rioting and murder in Nanking.

Chiang arrived here suddenly. He passed Nanking, scene of the most serious anti-foreign disorders of the present civil war.

Abrogate Treaties.  
The Cantonese military leader pledged himself to the abrogation of all foreign special trading rights and concessions. He said however, that force would not be used and that the Cantonese aims would be chiefly by means of strikes and boycotts.

Meanwhile foreign warships and river steamers were evacuating foreign refugees from points on the Yangtze river where the anti-foreign feeling has made their continued residence impossible. Every load of refugees arriving here brought tales of

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### HOLLYWOOD BOXER DEAD, IS STABBED

By United Press.  
HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 26.—Eddie Diggins, well known light-weight boxer was stabbed through the heart in the Crescent club, the alleged film colony bootlegging establishment.

When police arrived, screaming women and men sought escape through the doors and windows.

Six persons including Lloyd Hamilton, screen comedian, were taken into custody for questioning.

The murdered boxer was found in a rear room with a knife in his heart. Twenty other guests who are said to have fled from the scene of the slaying were being sought by the police.

### Farmer is Held Without Bail On Murder Charge

By United Press.  
TEXARKANA, Ark., March 26.—Ben McFarland, 60, farmer, living 35 miles southeast of here, was held on a murder charge without bail, following trial in the municipal court this morning.

McFarland is charged with slaying John Jones, neighbor farmer of the same age, in a dispute over the ownership of a saddle, March 19. Jones' neck was broken by a blow from a gun barrel.

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**JUNIOR COLLEGE.**

The fact that Ranger Junior college has been given official recognition by the state department of education is certainly of more than passing importance. Not only does it mean a great deal to the city of Ranger but it has wide significance throughout the entire mid-Texas oil belt.

The institution has been given full recognition as a first class junior college, which means that its graduates will be given credit for two full years of work at the leading universities. In other words, a high school student from any of the recognized high schools of the state can spend two years at the Ranger Junior college thereby shortening their course at the larger universities. Graduates from the Junior college will have completed two years of their four-year course for a degree, say at the University of Texas.

The recognition is made retroactive to the opening of the present college term, therefore the 1926-27 term is included in the recognition.

It is not necessary to say that Ranger is proud of this recognition. But every other town and community in the oil belt should be equally proud of the opportunity that it affords, for it does really afford an opportunity to every community in this section of the state.

There are families in every community with children coming into the college age. To those who do not feel financially able to stand the expenses of a university career, the junior college should help them solve their problem. There are others, within a reasonable distance of Ranger who do not care to have their children go away to the larger universities and colleges where they will be subjected to the influences and temptations incident to city life. To such, the Junior college should prove very beneficial.

But along with the benefits and opportunities that come to the city of Ranger, there is also an obligation which must not be overlooked. The city of Ranger is charged with the task of supplying the proper influence and atmosphere for students who want to attend the college. Further, the city is charged with the responsibility of providing accommodations in the way of homes for families who want to move to Ranger to be with their children during the college term.

How Ranger will meet these responsibilities is a question of importance. And the town also has another responsibility in connection with the new institution. The city must carry the news to every town and community in this section of the state that it is now provided with a Junior college of the first class. People must be told in some way that their children are welcome to attend the institution and that Ranger is anxious to have them come here.

How is Ranger going to meet these new responsibilities? The answer to this question will determine very largely the degree of success of the Junior college.

**RANGER ELKS PLAN APRIL 1 DANCE**

Ranger Elks announce a return engagement of Bulowski's Californians on the evening of April 1. The charming invitations that they are posting read "Many April fool jokes may be played on you, but you'll play one on yourself if you miss this dance."

This band has so pleased the club members and friends, that the Elks have had dozens of requests to get them here for a return date, and now they are to have the pleasure of hearing them again Friday night.

**RANGER CITY CANDIDATES TO ANNOUNCE PLATFORM**

It is reported that the candidates for the city offices of Ranger, will be given an opportunity to make their announcements and express their views on city government, on Tuesday night. The place will be announced later, but it will be a central spot, well located for speaker and hearers.

**REVOLUTIONS ARE WATCHED BY DEPARTMENT**

**Dennis' Resignation And Exposure Causes Public to Take Notice**

By RODNEY DUTCHER  
 NEA Service Writer  
 WASHINGTON, March 26.—The department of state, which takes a deep interest in the revolutions of all countries in this hemisphere, now has an internal revolt of its own to deal with.

This revolt hinges on the charge that wealth and social position are the yardsticks for promotion in America's diplomatic service. It is causing the state department's "high-ups" plenty of grief.

The members of the consular service are on one side in this fight, with the "inner circle" of top-grade diplomats, who are accused of giving high appointments to younger members of the service and ignoring the experienced members of the consular branch, on the other.

For quite a while this sort of talk has been going on under cover. It remained, however, for one Lawrence Dennis to bring it all out in the open.

**Recent Attack.**  
 Dennis recently resigned as secretary of the American legation in Nicaragua. In a cablegram he bitterly attacked the department's promotion policies and accused the all-powerful personnel board of deliberate partiality.

Then, a little later, a Washington newspaper reported that Dennis, who had meanwhile withdrawn his resignation, had written a long letter protesting against "white spatted" amateur diplomats with "carefully cultivated English mannerisms," whom he accused of "incompetence, neglect of important news dispatches, high-hatting newspaper correspondents and extravagant waste of government funds to transmit worthless information."

This stirred a furore in the state department, naturally.  
**Creates Furore.**  
 To understand it properly, it must be borne in mind that the "inner circle" at the department had been singing carols of praise at the way they had taken politics out of the diplomatic service. Passage of the Rogers Act, which placed both diplomatic and consular branches in a unified foreign service, was believed to have cleared up all objections and to have offered an incentive to the hard workers who wanted to make a career in diplomacy.

**Important.**  
 Now the consular malcontents say that while Dennis' protest is important, it should not be allowed to cloud the main issue—which is, they say, the conversion of the higher classes of the diplomatic corps into a club for wealthy men and social climbers.

Be that as it may—it is further charged that Secretary of State Kellogg last fall wrote to Dennis instructing him to exert pressure to get Adolfo Diaz elected president of Nicaragua. Kellogg has denied this, and documents bearing on the accusation are said by State Department officials to have been forged by Mexicans. More will doubtless be heard of this aspect of the situation later.

There you have the background for the state department's "revolt." Hundreds of foreign service officers are bitterly opposed to the department's internal policies, and the row threatens to develop into a public scandal.

Of that, more tomorrow.

**CONNER & McRAE**  
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 Eastland, Texas

**Boycot To Be Used As Weapon To Gain Ends**

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 ricting, looting and outrages.  
 Heavy guards were on duty at all outposts of the foreign settlement, and armed patrols circulated between the posts.

**Foreigners Arrive.**  
 A steamer carrying 200 foreigners mostly Americans, from Nanking and other dangerous interior points, arrived here today. The rest of the foreigners were believed to have been rescued from Nanking.

Without any military escorts scores of Europeans and Americans, who had been trapped in the city for forty-eight hours and terrorized by infuriated natives, reached the docks in safety Friday and Saturday and embarked on destroyers for Shanghai. So far as known, no other foreigners remained in the city.

The strong attitude of the commanders of the British American and Japanese ships here was given credit for the successful evacuation of the foreigners.

**Feelings Against American's Spreads**

By United Press.  
 PEKING, China, March 26.—Anti-American demonstrations were spreading in North and South China. Violence was reported at Foochow, and 800 miles northward in the Che-soo Santung province the American consul today requested that a detachment be sent there to protect American lives and property.

**Two French Priests Reported Murdered**

By United Press.  
 SHANGHAI, China, March 26.—Two French priests today were reported to have been murdered by Chinese at Nanking, and the French were reported to have evacuated Nanking aboard a gun boat, which was proceeding to Shanghai.

Twelve hundred British soldiers arrived here today and the British airship carrier, Hermes, arrived with 30 airplanes aboard.

**Refugees Getting Aid From Red Cross**

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 tion situation.  
**Marine Aviation.**  
 8. The marine aviation unit of six planes and 85 men on the Island of Guam, also were ordered to proceed immediately to Shanghai to supplement the 12 planes which will be shipped on the U. S. S. Henderson.  
 American Consul General Gauff has reports from Hanchow and elsewhere in the Yangtze valley to the effect that a rapid evacuation to Shanghai is taking place, the state department announced.  
**Nationalists.**  
 Dispatches indicated the nationalist population are growing more hostile as reports circulate of the many Chinese killed in the Anglo-American shelling of Nanking to protect the Americans cut off from the ships by the infuriated mobs.  
 Exaggerated reports of the incident blaming the foreigners may create a most dangerous situation in the already seething cities and towns, it is feared here.

**WORST ATROCITY OF ALL IN CHINA, AMERICAN MUSIC**

By United Press.  
 HANKOW, China.—While American newspaper readers scan headlines telling of military horrors in China, one Hankow resident in a letter unburdens himself about a new atrocity.

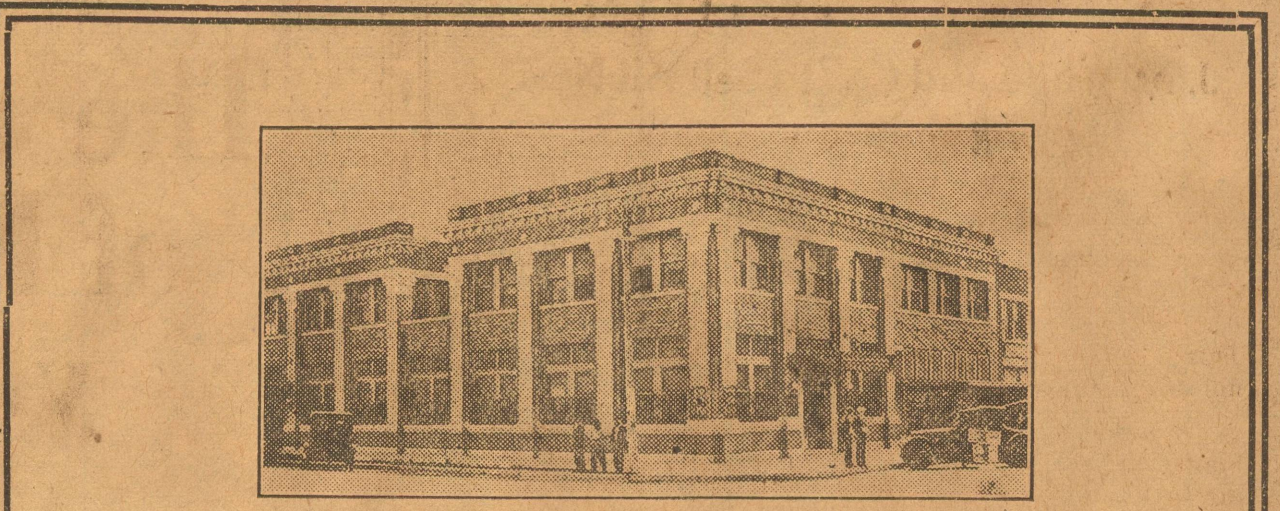
While foreigners wronged China by teaching her to fight, "this is the last of all the wrongs they had done," says he. "The awful crime they have committed is to teach the Chinese use of foreign musical instruments. The mission schools are responsible for this more than any other agency and for what they have done they deserve what they are getting. It is they who first taught the Chinese how to use these deadly instruments in bands."

"Battles are fought, and when the smoke clears away, order is again brought out of the wreckage. But these alleged musical bands we have always with us. Shades of Sousa! Why do these bands with their agonizing tin horns and drums, all continually out of tune with each other and with the world, continue to rend our ears with how a coolie thinks 'Yankee Doodle' ought to be played, at wedding marches, funerals, union parades and every other public function?"

"Why, in heaven's name, don't they play their own music with their own instruments, and let foreigners have his own music for himself?"

A stork was placed in a cage with a lion in a German zoo. The lion fled in fear. Maybe the king of beasts was just sure the bird was going to shout "Triplets!" at him.

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**Vernon Shows To Play Eastland During The Week**

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The Vernon shows includes 12 wonderful entertaining shows, five riding devices, etc.

Each and every amusement presented by Vernon's shows is declared to be highly moral and refined.

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# CHURCHES

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, RANGER.**  
Walnut off North Marston. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; Walter Murray, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m.; subject, "Sharing the Kingdom Work." B. Y. P. C. at 6:45 p. m. Evening preaching at 7:45 o'clock; subject, "Cutting Out the Bad Things." Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, RANGER.**  
Evening of song at First Presbyterian church, Ranger, Sunday, 7:30 p. m. A musical program consisting of solos, anthems and duets under the direction of Mrs. L. L. Davidson. A special invitation to everyone.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, RANGER.**  
Main near Marston; H. B. Johnson, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; E. T. Walton, superintendent. Golden Rule Bible class meets at Lamb theatre, 10 a. m. Mr. Holloway, teaching. If you are not lined up with some class in the city, come and join this men's class. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Dr. Clark will preach at the morning hour and the pastor at evening hour. Come and hear Bro. Clark this morning, as he is going to call just what it means to be a member of the church. Let all the official board be present this morning as this will be ordination service. Special music. The pastor will preach to the Boy Scouts at evening hour and Mr. Gillespie will sing. Cheerful workers will meet Monday afternoon at the church for special visitation. Meet at 2 o'clock. Come and worship with us this morning.

**ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, RANGER.**  
Rev. William Garner of Terrell will preach at St. Mary's Episcopal church this morning at 11 o'clock. There will be special music and communion services. In the evening Rev. Mr. Garner will preach in Eastland at 8 o'clock, thus closing a week's successful mission. All members and friends of the congregation are asked to be present at both services. Sunday school at the usual hour.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, RANGER.**  
Sunday school, Walter Harwell, superintendent, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, Rev. C. O. Shugart, presiding elder, 11 a. m.; Senior league, Floyd Killingsworth, superintendent, 6:30 p. m.; Junior league, Mrs. J. M. Edwards, superintendent, 6:30 p. m.; Epworth league anniversary, 7:30 p. m. Missionary society, social meeting, residence of Mrs. L. H. Flewellen; Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Flewellen, Mrs. Gilbert, hostesses, Monday, 3 p. m. Choir practice, Thursday 7:30 p. m. Standard Training school for Sunday school workers will be held at Eastland during the week. All Sunday school workers are urged to be present. First session will be held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, and all meetings during the week will be held at 7:15 p. m. Sunday school workers of all denominations are welcome. No charges. George W. Shearer, pastor.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, EASTLAND.**  
Rev. George Shearer of Ranger will preach at the Methodist church Sunday morning at 10:45 on "Our Educational Tangle." This is a wonderful sermon on Christian education, in which the Ranger pastor in a most masterly way handles the many problems with which our education is tangled. He touches the relation of the church school to the home, to the secular education of the public schools and our need of religious education. He touches the problems of athletics and such kindred problems of the day. Judge Lesley heard this sermon preached last Sunday and he speaks of it as one of the few outstanding sermons which he has had the privilege of hearing in his lifetime. Dr. Shugart, our presiding elder, is very lavish in his praises of this sermon. Many outstanding laymen of the district have given this sermon high praise and are urging the

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, EASTLAND.**  
Presbyterian church, Ranger, Sunday evening 7:30, under direction of Mrs. L. L. Davidson:  
Hymn, "Day is Dying in the West."  
Prayer and offertory.  
Anthem, "O Lord, Our Lord How Excellent," choir.  
Violin solo, Miss Gillian Buchanan.  
Vocal solo, "Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect Peace," Mrs. James Cox.  
Anthem, "O Father Almighty," choir.  
Vocal solo, "Prayer Perfect," Mrs. L. L. Davidson.  
Vocal duet, Mrs. J. B. Preston and Mrs. J. A. Rapp.  
Anthem, "Abide With Me."  
Benediction.

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Ranger pastor to give it as wide publicity as possible.  
The Standard Training school will begin at 2 p. m. In a mass service, presided over by Dr. Shearer. Classes will begin promptly at 3 p. m. This school is of untold value to all those who are interested in teaching of religion whether in the school or the home. It is worth everything even to mothers who desire to know something of the child in the midst.  
The evening services will begin 15 minutes later than usual making the Miss Wilda Drago, accompanied service of the evening at 7:45, by her sister, will give a violin solo at both services Sunday. At the morning hour she will play "Ava Maria" and "Caracolle" at the 7:45 service.

**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DIRECTORS WILL MEET**  
The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce will hold a regular meeting in the headquarters Monday night. So far as known, according to Secretary C. C. Patterson, only routine matters will receive consideration.

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## Local Merchant Is Out for Place On Commission

J. M. White of J. M. White & Co., has thrown his Easter bonnet in the municipal political ring and has announced for a position on the commission. He also is the first of the avowed candidates to qualify for the race. So far there has been several announcements but none of the would-be city dads, except White, have visited the city secretary and fixed things so that his name will surely be put on the ticket.

J. M. White needs no introduction to the voters of Ranger. He is a town builder and one of the leading merchants. He is one of the real live wises and had been urged by his friends to make the race.

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We are making history when we offer such pretty styles at such unusual low prices. Such a variety to choose from makes the choosing a pleasure.  
We urge that you see these two groups at your earliest convenience.  
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# MONDAY LINE UP FOR CAT-LEGION GAME IS GIVEN

Having heard of the wonderful ambidextrous pitching staff of the Ranger American Legion team, Jakey Atz is taking no chances in bringing his Cats here Monday and is coming loaded with his first string team, according to J. B. Heister, who is one of the leaders in the move.

Jake heard all about the wonderful ambidextrous pitchers that the Legion will put on the mound, so he concluded that he had better bring on his ace, Paul Wachtel, the "Burly Wop" Little Dickie Keer, former big league star, and Haynes, one of his promising youngsters.

Other famous players on the Cat roster that will be seen in action Monday are "Big Train" Ed Konietchy, Bischoff, Sears and "Tex" McDonald.

Just who Captain Renshaw will start is not known, but it is thought that it will be Browning. Browning, if he is right, has a deceptive delivery and a hard ball to hit.

The probable line up of the two teams follows:

Fort Worth: E. Moore, right field; McDonald, third base; Konietchy, first base; Bischoff, catcher; Bonowitz, center field; Lindemore, second base; Kibbe, short stop; Sears, left field; Wachtel, Kerr and Haynes, pitchers. Ranger: Taylor, short stop; Eason, third base; Collum, center field; Peacock, first base; Watson, second base; Littlefield, right field; Cherry, left field; Vaughn and Renshaw, catchers; Harvey, Koch and Browning, Pitchers.

## Johnny Mostil Troubled, Bad Health Complex

(By Billie Evans)  
A jinx seems to pursue the star center fielders of the Chicago White Sox.

Seven years back Happy Felsch was playing that position. It was a loss-up at the moment when he was the more valuable player, Tris Speaker or Felsch.

Then came the world series scandal of 1919, that finally broke a year later, causing the expulsion of Felsch as well as seven others of the White Sox from organized baseball. Put on the market Felsch would have been worth at least \$100,000. It certainly was a tough break for the Chicago club.

Years of experimenting with a number of outfielders followed and Johnny Mostil was finally unearthed as a worthy successor to Felsch. Now Mostil is probably lost forever as the result of self-inflicted wounds.

**Mostil Best.**  
The loss of Johnny Mostil is a severe blow to the chances of the Chicago White Sox. It makes the debut of Ray Schalk as manager a doubly difficult task.

Mostil last year was the best center fielder in the American league. He enjoyed a big season, and finally arrived, was a big star.

Early last spring, after Mostil had turned in a brilliant performance the day previous, I sat on the Chicago bench discussing him with Eddie Collins, then manager of the White Sox.

"Mostil has been a great player for you," I remarked. Then I made reference to his fine base-running of the year previous when he had stolen 47 bases.

Collins agreed with me and then made comment that in a measure may explain Mostil's rash act in attempting to take his life.

**Had Heart Trouble.**  
"Mostil has developed into a star quickly," he replied, "and he would be an even greater player if he didn't worry over his physical condition."

"Several years ago some specialist told Mostil he had a bad heart. Whether he really has or not, Mostil believed him and he worried about it constantly."

"Watch him run and you will see that he keeps his mouth wide open and is always sucking in wind when he pulls up. He says he does that because he feels as if he isn't going to be able to breathe after he strenuously exerts himself."

"Johnny is fearful, and the psychology of his alleged or real ailments greatly handicap his play."

**Was Dubious.**  
No doubt this worry so preyed on Mostil's mind that he was out of his head when he acted so rashly in trying to take his life.

In this connection I recall the favorite word in Mostil's vocabulary. It was the word "dubious" and in a sense is an index to his temperament.

If I called a strike on Mostil he didn't like and asked him if there was anything wrong with my judgment, he would always reply:

"It was a very dubious strike."

If the weather became cloudy and rain seemed imminent Johnny never failed to remark that the weather looked very dubious. Everything was dubious with Johnny Mostil.

It was a dubious old world to Johnny, who was as fine a chap as ever walked on the ball field. His mental attitude was usually wrong, unfortunately for him.

## Another Easter Bonnet Tossed In City Ring

With the political pot in Ranger beginning to boil quite vigorously Saturday night, came the announcement that a prominent Ranger man would probably throw his hat in the ring, Monday, for commissioner.

This will give each candidate an opponent, with the finance commissioner assuming the shape of a triangle.

### LIBERTY MAGAZINE SERIAL STORY SHOWING AT THE LAMB SUNDAY



Evelyn Brent and William Powell in the Paramount Picture "Love's Greatest Mistake" An Edward Sutherland Production

## Handless Man To Entertain Crowd At Monday's Game

A handless man will show the Cats and Legionnaires a thing or two in handling baseballs, at the Cat-Legion game in Ranger, Monday afternoon. This man, who calls himself "Happy" Frank McKeown, hails from Stephenville and is a member of the Thurber Legion Post. He will put on five minutes extra entertainment for the fans at Lillard Field Monday.

He throws, catches, and bats balls with the skill of a man blessed with two hands. He juggles the ball from the ground to his pocket with lightning like rapidity, and performs many wonders with his handless arms, it is said.

The musician who invented the symphony concerto that uses a dozen player pianos, an airplane propeller, a set of bells, etc., must have tried to sleep next door to a riveting hammer.

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## BRITISH TAKE TO BASEBALL IN EARNEST WAY

By United Press.  
LONDON.—The British Baseball season will open with spirited hand-capping on Easter Monday, April 18, in the ancient borough of Chipping Norton, Oxfordshire. If all the natives who understand the game rally in support of the players there should be an enthusiastic gallery of several rosters.

It is claimed here that baseball is of British origin, but it certainly never grew up here. According to the history of the game as recorded here it was evolved by a Captain Doubleday, who was born at Wootton, Oxon, about eleven miles from Chipping Norton. His parents settled in Cooperstown, N. Y., about 100 years ago.

**Played Since 1912.**  
Baseball has been played at Chipping Norton since 1912. It was introduced as a camp game for Scouts by Fred Lewis, who is now known as the "Father of British Baseball," and he is, in his humble way, the British judge Landis. He has worked hard to popularize the sport. In 1920 a town club was formed, and in 1923 the first league was organized to compete for the Spalding cup.

Some of the workmen's teams are now beginning to produce some snappy baseball. Last season the championship Chipping Norton town team defeated an all-American nine at Stamford Bridge, London, creating a red letter day in the history of baseball. True, the Yanks were not very hot, but they had learned the game in the back-lots over home, and although they were properly ashamed of themselves, it had to be admitted that the Englishmen played surprisingly well.

**Best in History.**  
This season will be the liveliest in the history of the game here. Exhibition games will be played in various cities and, according to the announcement, "this year a junior section is being inaugurated for players under twenty." This would indicate that previously baseball here has been exclusively a man's game.

This British baseball is exclusive of the London league, which is made up of teams composed of resident American players. These Englishmen play the regular American game. In Wales there is a game played which is called baseball, but it is an entirely different game, which might be judged by the scores running frequently into the hundreds.

The difficulty of popularizing baseball among the English is due to the fact that athletic young men lack the baseball sense. The childhood training in throwing, batting and catching, in the baseball manner, is practically non-existent. But Fred Lewis and his colleagues are making progress and their number of recruits increases each year. They say the British are definitely on the baseball map and they resent the presumptuous American manner of speaking of the United States inter-league championship games as the "world series."

## 25 Sign Up For Military Training Camp

A total of 25 young men have signed up for attendance at the citizen's training camp to be held at San Antonio, according to Samuel K. Wasaff. Other enlistments are solicited, accommodations being available for several others between the ages of 17 and 31 years.

Attention is called to the fact that there are no military obligations connected with enlistment for the training camp and that the young men are placed under the most wholesome influence while in camp. Religious services and healthful exercises are among features of the daily program at the camp.

Following is a list of the Ranger boys who have enlisted for the training camp: J. Frederick Wasaff, Hardy Edker Hill, Truman W. Bohannon, Ranger; Garth Ward Daniel, Cisco; Cecil Marvin Savage, George Henry Barker, Ranger; John Derrick, Cisco; J. R. Roberts, Charles Eugene Green, Jack J. Meyers, Ranger; Gusto Venturi, Thurber; R. L. Mouring, Earl James Heflin, Howard Lee Brummett, Hughes Pate, J. C. Hood, James Marrion Dame, Pascal Oglesby, Ranger; B. H. Edmonson, Herman B. Dempsey, Alfred F. Wren, Noah A. Byars, Garland W. Powell, Earl Kiesel Campbell, Ranger; Aubrey J. Brown, Eastland.

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Upon the termination of the World War, the men engaged in this titanic struggle from the United States of America decided to maintain the comradeship established by the war and to work out plans for an organization dedicated to God and country and with purposes of perpetuating the highest ideals of American citizenship, to maintain law and order, and to see that the lessons learned in the World War might not be soon forgotten. Out of such lofty ideals was the American Legion conceived; an organization whose only membership requirements are that a man should have served his country honestly and faithfully from the date of the declaration of war to the date of the armistice, or any intervening period, the sole test of same being an honorable discharge from any one of the three branches of service—the Army, Navy or Marine Corps.

The American Legion has withstood the acid test since its organization. Its purposes are in themselves laudable. First and foremost, the care of the disabled men, and as long as there remains a single one of these unfortunate comrades, the American Legion will devote its time unselfishly and whole-heartedly in their behalf.

Second, the advocacy of a Universal Draft Law which will put everything in our country on the same basis—men, material, wealth, transportation and utilities—so that a premium may not be put on the man who, while doing his part in any future struggle in which our Nation may be involved, yet is perfectly safe insofar as risking his life is concerned, as against the man who goes to the front and risks his life every minute of the time there for the minimum compensation paid. The only fair thing would be an equal compensation for all.

Third, the teaching of Americanism to our foreign element, so that after being purged in the melting pot of our American citizenship such foreigner will emerge an American with all the word implies, ready and willing to give his all in the service of his adopted land.

Fourth, to see that our Nation is protected from the inside, as well as from the outside, by resisting with all the strength within our power the Bolshevist, Socialist, Communist and their ilk, and keeping our American principles intact.

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# GREATER FREEDOM IN LOVE AND MARRIAGE URGES SCIENTIST

By United Press.  
 BERLIN.—Judge Ben Lipsay of Denver, in his demand for greater freedom in love and marriage, has found an able second in the well-known Berlin psycho-pathologist, Dr. Magnus Hirschfeld.

Dr. Hirschfeld himself is the center of an interesting and rather bizarre community here, embracing physicians and scientists, philosophers, lawyers and a large following of young girls between 14 and 18, as well as boys afflicted with various

types of sexual abnormalities. His "clientele" also embraces women who are in their "second blooming" and assorted sizes and shapes of men and women, mostly suffering from some unhappiness, usually mental or spiritual, due to sexual causes.

In a lecture delivered recently, Dr. Hirschfeld declared that love is the human right which has most frequently been trodden under foot. He suggested that in all ages, men have devised laws of morality, the ludicrousness of which it has usually required a century to discover.

Taking a newspaper, Dr. Hirschfeld pointed to the story of a girl who had drowned herself to escape the contumely of becoming an unmarried mother. Another item narrated the shooting of an impassioned lover by an irate husband.

"Must this be?" asked Dr. Hirschfeld. "Not necessarily. The uprising of women everywhere, shaking old prejudices is evoking a reconsideration of our moral code. We are in the midst of a mighty crisis. We are witnessing the birth of a new social morality."

Florence Turner the "Vitagraph Girl" who rose to anonymous fame with the public in 1907, and was acclaimed the first star of the screen, is to star again. She has been signed by Universal to play a featured role in Paul Leni's "The Chinese Parrot."

# After 13 Days



Katrina Van Reusselaer, Washington society girl, wedded 13 days, asked a capital court to annul her marriage to Gustavo de Medina, Spanish embassy employe. She charges coercion, fraudulent promises, and says she was in a "highly nervous and excited state." She charged, too, that Medina, who has gone back to Spain, already had a wife.

# Easter Apparel Flashy This Year; Colored Shoes to Match Costume

By United Press.  
 HOLLYWOOD, March 26.—Easter Sunday in Hollywood will be a day resplendent with broad picture hats, crisp taffetas and fluttering organ-dies.

The day comes very late this year—April 17—and April in Southern California is a beautiful month, with roses and geraniums and acacias in bloom.

While Californians never admit that a slight precipitation is anything but "unusual weather," optimists feel certain that the stone sides of the Little Church of the Angels will bulge.

However many of the film stars will not be present at the Little Church Corner in Hollywood but will attend the sunrise services at the famous Mount Rubidoux.

Billie Dove, First National star and her husband Irvin Willet, the director, will visit the scene where the Padres of the mission days stopped to worship on the first Easter that the pioneers observed among the Indians on the Pacific Coast.

In connection with Easter sartorially speaking, Cora McGeachy, designer of costumes for Colleen Moore and other luminaries of the first magnitude, predicts a truly feminine summer.

"Ruffles, pleats, tucks and gathers will all find their place in the fashionable woman's wardrobe," said Miss McGeachy.

"Pastel shades in organ-dies, taffetas, georgettes and French voiles will be flattering when developed in the new ankle-length dresses of irregular hemline.

"Shoes for milady's Easter attire will be for all the world like the eggs the children will find on the morning after the bunny lays them.

"Purples, greens, reds, mottled combinations of blues and pinks, cherry reds and ultra marine blue, orchids, canary yellow, in fact, the shoe merchants are getting well stocked up on white kid and satin slippers that can be dyed to match the costumes for the spring season."

# Eastland Tennis Players Blast Ranger's Hopes

Ranger tennis players were eliminated in the county contest by Eastland, in Eastland Friday afternoon. Both teams met defeat at the hands of the Eastlanders. According to players had a walk-away in every set, with no possibility of Ranger winning.

Saturday morning, Coach Blair Cherry had his track and other athletes out at work in Lillard field. From now until the meet next Friday and Saturday, he proposes to put his boys through a hard course of training.

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# Demand for New Pontiac Sixes Breaks Record

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The new line has not only struck the public's fancy through its new beauty of lines and bodies and the completeness of the offering—now six body types, but also through the low lower prices announced.

According to W. R. Tracy, vice president in charge of sales the response accorded the new and finer Pontiac Sixes is indicated in the sheets of telegrams and letters from dealers, is the most enthusiastic ever given any new cars. He said "Oakland has never experienced such spontaneous public approval as is now accorded the new Pontiac Sixes. From every state orders are flowing in from dealers wanting to double and triple their regular allotment of these cars. Orders on hand thus far indicate that Pontiac's second year in the market will by far eclipse its first year record, the most popular car of the line being the sedan.

**Particular Attention**  
 Both the sport roadster and the sport cabriolet have been attracting particular attention. These new models to the line are unique in that very few makes of cars in the low price field have these types, especially cars so completely and artistically equipped. Both cars have a rumble seat for two additional passengers, easily reached through aluminum steps and nickel plated rumble seat side arms.

It is expected, however, that the sedan will prove the sales leader of the line throughout the year. It is the lowest priced car in the line, yet has an extremely long and roomy body. It is finished in Beverly Blue Duo, striped with Ivory white.

Like all the new cars in the Pontiac Six line, it has the recessed window ledges in contrasting colors, narrowed windshield pillars to provide a wider arc of visibility, deeper radiator, larger, heavier and more sweeping crown fenders and more massive headlamps.

**Tilting Headlights**  
 The tilting beam headlights, which are directed straight ahead or down by a foot control, is proving one of the most unique features on the car and a constant source of interest to the thousands who are thronging the Oakland showrooms.

Besides the three cars mentioned, a coupe, Landau sedan and DeLuxe Landau sedan complete the Pontiac Six line.

The sale of both Oakland and Pontiac Sixes so far this year indicates that the Oakland company will break its phenomenal record of 1926 when it registered a gain of 91,071 units over the previous year.

### Drilling Report

Records for date of March 25, 1927 listed as follows:  
 M. E. Wakefield, Tom Lee, No. 2, Callahan county, intention to drill 3-27-27.  
 J. E. Hudson, H. B. Tatum, No. 1, Callahan county, intention to drill 3-26-27.  
 Moutray Oil company, E. E. Ruthford, No. 1, Callahan county, intention to plug 3-24-27.

### SHROPSHIRE

School of Beauty Culture  
 321 Main Street, Ranger, Texas  
 Enroll now. Diplomas given those who graduate  
 Write or Telephone 108

### NOTICE

Don't wait to be sued. Pay your school and city taxes now.  
**TAX COLLECTOR**  
 201 S. Austin, Ranger, Tex.

# TIRES!

**Generals**  
 And the kind of service that makes you want to come back.

**Simmons Service Station**  
 Austin and Walnut Ranger



for Economical Transportation

# THIS is the Stork, that 'delivers the goods' --AND THIS is the peacock that struts in the woods





**NOW—the stork's every visit Brings trouble and tears, and Expenses and worries, as days turn to years.**

**SO—this mythical bird that's Cavorting the earth Can't cope with the peacock In beauty or worth.**

**So SMOOTH**  
**So POWERFUL**

Because it provides elements of style, quality and performance comparable to the costliest cars and because it is offered at amazingly reduced prices—the Most Beautiful Chevrolet is everywhere acclaimed as the greatest sensation of America's greatest industry.

Come in! See and drive this greatest triumph of the world's largest builder of gearshift automobiles. Learn for yourself what amazing value is offered in the Most Beautiful Chevrolet—how closely, in style, quality and performance, it compares with the costliest cars.

**Every Day**

We hear this question:

**"Where can I get a used Chevrolet Coupe?"**

They must want 'em or they wouldn't ask for them.

This accounts for the fact that they always bring a good price when other used car sales are slow.

**Beautiful Chevrolet**  
*In Chevrolet History!*

**--- at these Low Prices!**

The Touring or Roadster	\$525
The Coach	\$595
The Coupe	\$625
The 4-Door Sedan	\$695
The Sport Cabriolet	\$715
The Landau	\$745
1/2 Ton Truck	\$395
1 Ton Truck	\$495

All Prices Fob Flint Michigan

Balloon Tires now standard on all models.  
 In addition to these low prices Chevrolet's delivered prices include the lowest handling and financing charges available.

# Don't Envy


The Other Fellow,  
 BUY  
**Silvertowns**  
 And Let Him Envy You!

When you see a car drive up and park and notice a set of Goodrich Silvertowns on the car it brings you a slight thrill.

You know the owner is a wise and thrifty motorist and you just wish you had a set on your car.

They look so good—they are so good—they ride so good—they last so good—and don't cost any more than in the first place.

But you're always proud to say "I have Silvertowns on my car," and only a truly high grade tire in every way could have such an enviable reputation.




We carry a tremendously large stock of tires here in Ranger so that we may give quick service to dealers who handle our tires.

And our assortment includes every type and size from small tires to the massive 40x8 heavy duty truck tire.

We'd like to have you drop in our tire store and look at our stock and convince yourself that we are really wholesalers.

We often accept used tires in trade on new Silvertowns, for once we get a car equipped with Silvertowns, they usually come back for more.

**THE PRESENT LOW PRICES MAY NOT LAST LONG**



**"BEST IN THE LONG RUN"**

**Goodrich Silvertowns**

## THOMAS TIRE COMPANY

Phone 666 RANGER, TEXAS "Service for All"

# Oilbelt Motor Co.

Phone 232 Ranger

1-LOST AND FOUND
LOST—One white and brown spotted female hound pup. Notify F. W. Renshaw, Ranger.

2-HELP WANTED—MALE
WANTED—Farmer or farmer's son or man to travel in country; steady work; good profits. McConnon Co. Dept. C 416, Memphis, Tenn., and Winona, Minn.

IF YOU ARE A MAN
WORTHY of the name and not afraid to work, I'll bet you \$50 that you can't work for us 30 days and earn less than \$200. Think I'm bluffing? Then answer this ad and show me up. Opening for Managers. The "Wonder Box" sells on sight.

TOM WALKER
PITTSBURGH, PA.

3-HELP WANTED—FEMALE
LADIES—Make \$25 to \$50 weekly addressing cards at home; experience unnecessary; 2c stamp brings full particulars. H. Lichty, New Castle, Ind.

WOMEN—Earn big money sewing aprons, childrens dresses; opportunity for beginners; easy work; materials cut; instructions furnished. Henry Mfg. Co., 104 Fifth ave., New York City.

WOMEN—Earn \$50 dozen sewing aprons; easy work; materials cut; instructions furnished; opportunity beginners; addressed envelope brings particulars. Idol, 156 East 42nd, N. Y.

\$20 to \$35 WEEKLY—Easy, addressing cards at home; spare time; experience unnecessary; big opportunity; write quick. Acme Addressing Co., Dept. Q, Greenfield, Ohio.

WOMEN—Make fancy flowers for novelties, etc.; no canvassing; steady work; \$15 to \$25 weekly easily made; experience unnecessary; write immediately for prices. Gem Flower Co., 205 N. La Salle, Chicago.

5-AGENTS AND SALESMEN
SENSATIONAL 50c seller; big profit; faultless lingerie strap holder; sample and facts free. Holly Specialty, 125 W. Washington, Los Angeles, Calif.

A PAYING position open to representative of character; take orders shoes-hosiery direct to wearer; good income; permanent; write now. Tanners Shoe Mfg. Co., 5870-3, C st., Boston, Mass.

STRAIGHT salary \$95 per week and expenses; man or woman with rig to introduce poultry mixture. Eureka Mfg. Co., East St. Louis, Ill.

SALESMAN—To sell installment stock; high class investment; remunerative employment for hustler; require reference and bond. Apply to Ranger Building & Loan association, Ranger.

DIRECT factory agent, this county, 100 store route; no selling; just distribute and collect; experience unnecessary; should net salary \$70.00 weekly. Address Box AAA, Times.

AGENTS—\$114 weekly; cash commissions; new co-operative plan; sell dresses, underwear, caps, shirts; free sample outfit. National Co-operative Mfg. Co., 817 Walnut, Desk C319, Cincinnati.

A PAYING position open to representative of character; take orders shoes-hosiery direct to wearer; good income; permanent. Write now. Tanners Shoe Mfg. Co., 58703 C st., Boston, Mass.

7-SPECIAL NOTICES
FIGURES on Painting and Papering; satisfaction guaranteed. Phone Shipp's store, Ranger.

GRAZIOLA Beauty Shoppe—214 N. Marston st. For appointment phone 550, Ranger.

PASTURE for milch cows; close to Ranger; plenty of water; also Ford sedan to trade for milch cow. See Mrs. Matthews, near cemetery.

TEN DAYS MORE and we close our rummage shop, Fourth and Poch st. Better come now.

BICYCLE & FIXIT SHOP—A. H. Williams, Prop. Repair guns, typewriters, talking machines and anything. Keys fitted and duplicated. Safe opening, 211 S. Rusk. Phone 592, Ranger.

FOR your health's sake, drink Electrozone and Purity, electrified and distilled water. Ranger Distilled Water Co., 310 S. Hodges st., Ranger. Phone 157.

8-ROOMS FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Modern house, close in. Dr. Buchanan, Ranger.

9-HOUSES FOR RENT
3-ROOM house, 222 Elm; paved street; Ranger.

FOR RENT—5-room modern house. Phone Banner Ice Cream Co., Ranger.

10-STORES FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Building formerly occupied by Exide Battery company, across from T. & P. station. See Joe Dennis at Joe Dennis Auto Works, Ranger.

11-APARTMENTS FOR RENT
3 FURNISHED rooms for rent April 1 in my home. 315 Pine, Ranger.

FOR RENT—One 4-room modern furnished apartment. Ray apartments, Ranger.

FURNISHED apartment and 3-room house, over Dill grocery, Ranger.

12-WANTED TO BUY
SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main st., Ranger. Phone 95.

13-FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS
CERTIFIED Sweet Potato Slips; Porto Rico yams; 5,000 or more at \$1.75 per 1,000; less than 5,000 at \$2 per 1,000; f. o. b. Comanche, Texas; can deliver April 15 to June 15; cash must accompany order; save this advertisement. Wade Everidge, Comanche, Texas.

15-HOUSES FOR SALE
FOR SALE OR RENT—4-room house with two lots. T. W. Todd, Eastland hill, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Attractive 3-room cottage, extra large servant's room, in Connellee addition; furnished or unfurnished; grounds improved with hundreds of roses, bulbs, shrubs and trees; reasonable price; terms. J. P. Owen, Phone 18, Eastland.

17-WANTED TO RENT
WANTED—Two or three room furnished house. Address Mrs. Birdie Turner, box 1174, Ranger, Texas.

19-FOR SALE OR TRADE
TRADE IN your old ice box on a Copeland all-porcelain electric refrigerator. Phone 25. The Electric Shop, 305 Main st., Ranger, Texas.

FOR SALE OF TRADE—Garland gas heater, large size, second-hand, \$5 cash, or what have you to trade. Write Box 222, Ranger, or phone 137-J, after 6-30 p. m. week days, or all day Sunday.

21-LEGAL NOTICES
ELECTION ORDER. Be it ordered by the board of trustees of the Ranger Independent School District that an election be held at the city hall, in the city of Ranger in said Ranger Independent School District on the 2nd day of April, 1927, for the purpose of electing four (4) school trustees for said Ranger Independent School District.

A. L. Duffer is hereby appointed manager of said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and said election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding other elections.

The returns of said election shall be made to the county judge in accordance with law.

A copy of this order signed by the president and attested by the secretary of this board shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the president shall cause notice of said election to be given in accordance with law.

In testimony whereof, witness the signature of the president and secretary of said Ranger Independent School District and the seal thereof hereunto affixed, this 10th day of March, 1927.

JNO. M. GHOLSON, President Ranger Independent School District. Attest: IKE H. ERVIN, Secretary.

22-POULTRY AND PET STOCK
FOR SALE—1300 choice white Leghorn pullets, about 11 months old, making extra good production now. H. Miller, Gorman.

BABY CHICKS—English Leghorns, \$15 and \$18; R. I. Reds and Barred Rocks, \$18 per 100. We do custom hatching. Dudley Bros. Hatchery, 105 S. Marston, Ranger.

FOR SALE—400 pure-bred Black Minorca chickens off this week; \$17 per hundred or \$60 for all. Mrs. R. E. Barker, phone 343, Ranger.

23-AUTOMOBILES
FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring car; a bargain. C. S. Welsch, Ranger Times.

SATURDAY SPECIALS—Used car bargains: Two Pontiac sedans, two Ford coupes, two 1925 Ford coupes, one 1925 Dodge roadster, 1924 Studebaker touring, 1924 Ford coupe, 1924 Ford touring. W. A. Hall at Boyd Motor Co., 112 S. Commerce, Ranger.

23-AUTOMOBILES
WHY put new parts on old cars? We tear 'em up and sell the pieces." Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422-24 N. Rusk st., Ranger. Phone 84.

GULLAHORN USED CARS

'24 BUICK Master Six Touring ... \$550

'25 FORD TUDOR ... \$275

'24 HUDSON Sedan ... \$775

'23 FORD Fordor Sedan .. \$150

PHONE 2 Ranger
FOR SALE
1925 Hudson Coach in A-1 shape; good tires and looks good ... \$600

WHITE-HAMPTON MOTOR CO.
112 Pine Street
Ranger

Used Cars
I sell the very best used cars to be had in the world. I tell the truth about them.
DEE SANDERS
RANGER, TEXAS

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.
To the Voters of the City of Ranger: I have consented to offer as a candidate for the office of finance commissioner at the election to be held in the city April 5, and in doing so I conceive it my duty to inform the voters relative to my views regarding the administration of the affairs of the city government.

In the first place I realize that this office belongs to the people of Ranger and that the city finance commission is nothing more than an employe of the people, and entrusted with the supervision of one branch of the city government and that he woe to the city the duty of faithfully and honestly discharging the duties imposed upon him by the city charter and to the end that the small taxpayer shall be represented and his interests protected in the same manner as the larger taxpayer and his interests.

Books Should Be Open to Inspection. I believe that the books and records of the city should be kept posted to date and opened to the inspection of every taxpayer of Ranger six days out of every week. That the books of the city should be audited and a financial statement be published at least twice each year in order to appraise the citizenship the true financial condition of the city and the manner in which their tax money is being expended.

USED CARS
"The Biggest Bargains in Eastland County"

- Dodge Sedan . . . 1926
Dodge Coupe . . . 1926
Chrysler Sedan . . . 1926
Dodge Roadster . . . 1925
Pontiac Coupe . . . 1926
Hudson Coach . . . 1925
Buick Sedan . . . 1926

The above cars are in good shape and we have a price on them for quick sale. We will gladly demonstrate any used car. Call us at 30.

SIVALLS MOTOR COMPANY
Ranger.
Want Ads Will Pay

Harley Saddler Promises Fine Show for Ranger

Harley Saddler company will open its engagement in Ranger Monday night with "Other People's Business," a Charles Harrison play, which is a laugh from start to finish.

As Berkeley Henderson, the superintendent and general manager of the Lakeside Implement & Machinery company, Harley Saddler, has the funniest part he has ever played. It's a real Cappy Ricks characterization and the loveable old "bulldozer" is a prime favorite with everybody.

The company supporting Saddler is one of exceptional merit and a most capable performance is assured.

Ralph Baker's famous orchestra is a special feature of the Saddler show and each night before the curtain rises they give a 20-minute show.

Doors will be opened at 7 p. m. and the curtain will rise promptly at 8. Come early, as Saddler's shows. Those who desire good seats had better always draw good crowds.

Capable local tax paying citizens should be placed on the equalization board and the larger property owners be required to pay upon values in proportion to the small taxpayers, and that when the delinquent taxes are collected, the valuation properly equalized and unnecessary employes cut out of the pay roll and the city placed upon a strict economical basis that the taxes should then be lowered as much as possible, where same can be done without interfering with the efficient administration of the affairs of the city government.

I am not in favor of political pets, and will favor eliminating any that may be found on the pay roll and likewise I shall not be in sympathy with tax dodgers.

The city of Ranger is one of the largest corporations in the country and should be run on strictly business methods, and if elected I pledge my support to such an administration.

J. M. WHITE, Candidate for Finance Commissioner of the City of Ranger.

USED CARS
BOYD MOTOR CO.
Ranger Eastland
Want Ads Will Pay

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.
To the Voters of Ranger: In announcing my candidacy for sanitary commissioner of the city of Ranger I feel that I owe it to the citizenship to issue a brief statement indicating briefly, what I stand for relative to the administration of the city government.

Sanitation Important. One of the most important offices of the city is that of sanitary commissioner. If the office is efficiently and honestly administered it will mean much for the city, and I believe this can best be done with the employment of efficient and courteous employes. A city employe is working for the citizenship and when he becomes dictatorial and discourteous he should be discharged.

Against Political Bosses. Most cities with the population of Ranger are afflicted with "political bosses" who are able to obtain accommodations at the hands of equalization board on the question of taxes and secure other special favors not usually granted to the general public.

If Ranger has any of these gentlemen they should be looked upon with disfavor and as far as I am personally concerned they will be unable to accomplish anything in my department should I be chosen as your sanitary commissioner.

Economy. With the proper equalization of taxes and strict business methods on the part of the city administration it is possible to reduce the tax rate, in my opinion, and if elected I shall use my best efforts to reduce the tax rate if it can be done without interfering with the proper and efficient operation of the city government.

The city should be run on a business basis as is other large concerns of the country and I believe the voters should investigate each candidate to ascertain whether or not he is financially interested in Ranger; whether he has sufficient property interest to indicate his real interest in the city.

For Separation of School and City Governments. I favor divorcing the government of the public school from the government of the city. They are two separate corporations and the principal business of the two organizations is different and I do not believe there is any good, sane, business

reason why they should be governed by the same board. It has been my observation that when the schools were administered by a separate board that the administration of the school affairs were accomplished in a more satisfactory manner.

If elected I shall favor the extension of the water mains and the sewer lines as the development of the city will justify and otherwise favor the encouragement of every legitimate enterprise wishing to come to Ranger and to the end that Ranger march forward as one of the leading and enterprising cities of Texas and aid in giving Ranger an economic, progressive and business administration. Respectfully, CHARLES BOBO, Candidate for Sanitary Commissioner, Election April 5, City of Ranger.

Drank Half Glass Beer, Intoxicated Rules Surgeon

LONDON.—Half a glass of beer is sufficient to make a man drunk, according to the testimony of a divisional police surgeon here recently.

The surgeon further contended that unless a driver of an automobile completely abstained from drinking while operating his car, he was a menace to the public safety.

The magistrate in the case, which involved a charge of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, refused to accept the defense that the driver had only drunk a pint of beer and that the fog had upset him, rather than the beer.

FRIGIDAIRE
ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION
SALES AND SERVICE
TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE CO.
SCHOOL CHILDREN
Ask your parents if they have paid their taxes; if not then ask who is paying for your education. Help support your school and city.
Tax Collector,
201 S. Austin, Ranger, Tex.

TO THE VOTERS OF RANGER
I have lived the greater part of my life in Ranger, all of my interests are in Ranger, therefore I expect to remain here, and am interested in the future development of the city. Knowing that a great many people are not satisfied with conditions as have existed for the past several years I am announcing as a candidate for Sanitary Commissioner subject to the action of the voters in the election to be held April 5th, 1927, and if elected pledge my self to use every effort to give the people the kind of service they desire.
CHARLES BOBO
(Political Advertisement)

Statement of Condition of THE CITIZENS STATE BANK of Ranger, Texas At the close of business, March 23rd, 1927
RESOURCES
Loans and Discounts \$520,360.15
Overdrafts 4,043.98
Furniture and Fixtures 1,811.90
Interest in Guaranty Fund 2,250.00
Liberty Bonds \$ 92,437.51
Trade Acceptances 11,500.00
Eastland Co. School Bonds 1,000.00
School Warrants 90.00
Bills of Exchange (cotton) 241.75
Cash and Exchange 230,086.52
Available Cash 335,355.78
\$863,821.81
LIABILITIES
Capital Stock \$ 75,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits 10,361.12
Deposits 778,460.69
\$863,821.81
The above statement is correct.
W. W. HOUSEWRIGHT, Vice-President

An Objective
It is one of the purposes of the Ranger Cleaners and Dyers Association to co-operate for the benefit of all numbers in establishing credit ratings, and to eliminate the "Dead-beat" and slow undesirable accounts. Each member is pledged to give full information to other members regarding the manner in which their customers pay their accounts.
Also not to open an account with anyone who has not made satisfactory arrangements or paid past due accounts to members of this organization.
The following cleaners have pledged themselves to assist each other in association:
CITY TAILORS
MODERN DRY CLEANING PLANT
RANGER DRY CLEANING PLANT
GHOLSON TAILORS
BILLS DRY CLEANING PLANT
POPULAR TAILORS

# EXPECT 200 AT MEETING TO DISCUSS TRADE TRIP

Special Correspondence.

DALLAS, March 26.—More than two hundred Texas business leaders and their representatives are expected to assemble at the Adolphus Hotel here Monday to work out a constructive program of state-wide advertising through the medium of a special train to tour the business districts of the north and east during the summer.

Under tentative plans sponsored by the Texas Daily Press league, an All-Texas Special advertising train will circulate through the manufacturing and industrial centers of the Great Lakes and Eastern seaboard regions, leaving Dallas sometime during May. The itinerary and date of departure of the All-Texas Special will be decided at the meeting Monday.

It is planned, according to S. W. Papert, president of the league, to have a heavy quota of state business

leaders participate in the tour, which may last more than a month.

Hearty cooperation in the project and strong endorsement of the All-Texas Special has been received from the east, west and South Texas chambers of commerce, in addition to assurances from hundreds of individuals to their support in the plans.

Bargain rates have been granted over the state railroads for the Monday's session at Dallas, making available fare and a half for the round-trip.

Scores of letters received from interested individuals have called attention to the widespread advertising project as the All-Texas Special tour opportunity.

Intensive advertising work through the establishment of business acquaintanceships at the points of call of the Special, immediately preceded by full-page advertisements in newspapers circulated in the cities and

calling attention to the possibilities of Texas, is included in the tentative plans.

Dissemination of first-hand information regarding the state's resources and undeveloped potentialities by Texas business leaders on the special, is expected to divert a favorable amount of attention of north and eastern capitalists into the southwest.

## Obscure Artist Made Famous By Prince of Wales

LONDON.—The Prince of Wales has probably "made" an unknown girl artist. He was looking out of a window of his home in York House when he noticed a young woman making sketches in Friary court. Becoming interested, he went down to chat with her and look at her work. Later the "Prince Charming" sent General Trotter, an equerry, to tell the young woman that he would like to see her pictures. He was pleased with them, and retained three.

The prince spoke to his mother about the girl, and now the artist has been honored by a request to submit her work to her majesty the queen.

## The Parentheses Of Life, That's Woman, Says Mussolini

We have it on the word of Mussolini that "women are the agreeable or pleasant parentheses of life." We who had always been told they were

question marks are glad that's settled now.

Speaking of the current styles you could call some of the fair ones exclamation points and not be far wrong.

Of course since the Charleston has seized the land more women stand on foundations like ( than ). At that, it is a woman's influence that changed a male 0 into a 1.

And in some households the lady is not only the parenthesis but the whole sentence.

## McDONALD PASSES BAR EXAMINATION

Deputy District Clerk W. H. McDonald, has received notice from H. L. Clamp, secretary of the board of local examiners at Austin, that he (McDonald) had passed the examination for license to practice law and that his certificate would be issued within a short time. McDonald went to Austin in January and took the examination.

**EXTRA SPECIAL**  
Dixie Chiffon Hose  
89c  
All new spring colors.  
**S & S DRY GOODS CO.**  
Ranger, Texas.

**GARDEN TIME**  
We have plenty of Onion Sets and Plants  
**TRADERS GROCERY AND MARKET, Inc.**  
Ranger, Texas

## WHEN YOU EAT, YOU WANT GOOD FOOD!

Most people eat because they're hungry, but no matter how hungry they are they like good food. That's why we serve the best food at all times! That's why, too, "THE RANGER CAFE" has been famous for good food for the past seven years!

### RANGER CAFE

A Good Place to Eat

EAT **Banner** ICE CREAM  
"It tastes better"  
BANNER ICE CREAM CO.  
Ranger, Texas

### Children's Shoes

We have stocked a complete line Peters Weatherbird Shoes for Spring. Come in and see the many new styles and get our prices.

### The FAIR STORE

Inc.  
RANGER, TEXAS



## Spring in the Style, Spring in your Step!

HERE are shoes that express the delight of spring, dainty, lovely, different! And, best of all, these shoes keep your feet active and youthful, so you can enjoy fully every precious minute of spring-time. Arch Preserver Shoes combine correct appearance with foot happiness. The new spring models have just arrived.



Priced at \$10 and \$12

**The Boston Store**  
Hasson & Company  
THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER  
RANGER, TEXAS



## Easter-Mode Hats

FISK HAS SENT US THEIR NEWEST CREATIONS IN MILLINERY

The finest hair-brands in the softest Spring shades. Large pattern hats are very much in evidence in this Easter showing but there are many one-of-the-kind in small shapes.

**S & H Store**  
Exclusive Ladies' Store  
Ranger

Want Ads Get Results—Send Them in Today



## DO YOU REMEMBER THE DAYS OF THE OLD FAMILY ALBUM?

And then later on when the machine pictured here was the very newest in musical instruments?

NOW COME DOWN AND HEAR THE NEW AUTOMATIC ORTHOPHONIC

# VICTROLA

It plays 12 records without a touch of the hand

Fauntless, noiselessly, uncannily, as though guided by a magical unseen hand—humanlike in its performance—a dozen records move and rotate in turn beneath a stylus housed in a cabinet of exquisite beauty that conceals in its fine proportion an exception scientific invention.

Without a touch this remarkable instrument operates of itself, producing a continuous program of the world's greatest music on Victor records for one solid hour.

This is the first Automatic Orthophonic Victrola to be displayed in this section. The announcement of this marvelous machine is to be found in the April numbers of all the better magazines and yet we have it here now.

SEE AND HEAR THIS MARVELOUS MACHINE TODAY AT YOUR LOCAL MUSIC AND JEWELRY HOUSE.

## DURHAM & PETTITT

JEWELRY—MUSIC—RADIOS  
Gholson Hotel Ranger, Texas

## JOSEPH PRESENTS NEW STYLES

New shipments of merchandise have brought Joseph the first of Easter styles and in presenting them to you we do so with great pride for they are as fine as any ever shown by Joseph.

### Frocks With a Charm

There is a host of these Frocks—new ones, just out of their packing. Soft clingy silks with an oriental charm.

You can find your heart's desire here—be it sport or evening gown.

### Millinery That Delights

An extraordinary purchase made it possible to show these new styles fully three weeks in advance. New, close-fitting brimless effects, soft draped hats, chic ripple brims, embroidered hats. They are all here in the loveliest of colors.

## DELIGHTFUL NEW MODES IN FEMININE FOOTWEAR



**The Feather Pump**—  
The smartest shoe creation of the season. A combination of parchment, rose blush and water lily patent. The feather tongue is of parchment and rose blush; just as illustrated at..... **\$9.50**



**"Peaches"**  
The Peaches as pictured to the right has parchment kid vamp and rose blush quarter. The high heel is patent parchment. The bow adds much to its attractiveness at..... **\$9.50**

Remember Joseph is selling all Spring Suits and Coats at a special discount of 33 1/2%

**JOSEPH'S BEAUTY PARLOR**  
Your complexion will require more care now and there is no better way than to have an appointment at Joseph's Shop. Just telephone 315.

WE CLOSE AT 6 O'CLOCK EXCEPT SATURDAY

See Our Window Display

## JOSEPH DRY GOODS COMPANY

"Ranger's Foremost Department Store"

Mail Orders Filled Day Received



# You Can Live Without Love But It Is A Makeshift Existence At Best And Lonely

## RANGER DAILY TIMES

RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH 27, 1927

Some judges are so unsentimental as to hold that killing a man with a first class eight-cylinder car is the same as killing him with a gun.

Sign on store "Great reduction in clothes." We've noticed a tendency in that direction ourselves during the last couple of years.

### No Substitute For Marriage Career Often Falls Flat

Is there any substitute for marriage?  
 Can a career, no matter how successful take the place of a husband, home, and children?  
 Are the rewards of freedom, position, and adventure, that are open to the unmarried women, sufficient to make up for what she loses in renouncing matrimony?  
 They are not.  
 Many married women often say to women who work, "I'd like to trade places with you. I'd like to make my own money and to spend it when and where I please." And the woman who works, who sees with understanding eyes the many kindnesses this woman's husband extends her, sees the adoration in his eyes, and hears his words of love to the wife of his choice, often thinks that the shallow wife should be struck dead for uttering such words of unappreciation.  
 The one bossy sort of existence may have a thrill, and it does have compensations, but no thrill is like the thrill of a good man's love. No compensation like the smile of a child, nor no success like making a happy home for the man you love, and for his children.  
 There is no substitute for marriage. Life without marriage and a home is at its best an empty thing and it's impossible to keep the loneliness from creeping in, even when the scenes are set for some gay affair.  
 Man was not meant to live alone. God created woman out of one of his ribs, to take care of him, darn his socks, comfort him when he needs comforting—that's her God-given career—and there is no substitute for the happiness that follows that trail blazed by thousands of other wives and mothers brings.

#### CALENDAR

**MONDAY**  
 Missionary Society has social meeting with Mrs. L. H. Flewellen at 3 p. m.  
 Circles of W. M. U. of Central Baptist church meet as follows: Circle No. 1, with Mrs. B. D. Clark; Circle No. 2, with Mrs. Hill at Weir Rooms; Circle No. 3, with Mrs. J. T. Howell, Glenn Addition.  
 Junior New Era Club meets at the Gholson Hotel at 7:45 p. m.

**TUESDAY**  
 Young School P. T. A. meets at 4 p. m. at Young School.  
 Wreckage at High School at 8 p. m., Little Theatre.

**WEDNESDAY**  
 Ad Libitum Club meets at Acorn Acres at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. D. W. Johnson.  
 Ivy Leaf Club meets at Masonic Hall at 2:30 p. m.  
 Wednesday Bridge Club.  
 Rotary Club luncheon, Gholson at 12:15.

**THURSDAY**  
 Tea at the Gholson in honor of Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, 3 to 5 p. m. Lions Club luncheon at 12:15 at the Gholson.

**FRIDAY**  
 County meet.  
 Twentieth Century Bridge Club with Mrs. W. D. Conway.

**SATURDAY**  
 County Meet.

**YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED**  
 After about a week's effort a Young Women's Christian association was organized in Ranger on Thursday night, at the Gholson hotel.  
 Officers elected were, Mrs. G. C. Barkley, chairman; Mrs. Bob Hodges, vice chairman; Mrs. W. W. Housewright, publicity chairman; Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, president; Mrs. Mills Davenport, secretary; and Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell, financial chairman.  
 Chairman of other committees named were Mrs. F. L. Carroll, R. F. Holloway, H. C. Anderson, McDonnell, Walter Burden, N. A. Jenett and Miss Mattie Roberts.  
 Miss Ross, state organizer was present at the meeting and helped put over the organization. This week another Y. W. C. A. worker will return to Ranger, to help the infant organization get fairly launched.

**HOME FROM EASTLAND HOSPITAL**  
 Miss Johanna Katherine Edwards has returned to her home in Ranger after a sojourn in the Eastland hospital, following an operation Thursday morning. She is reported to be doing nicely and is happy to be back home again.

**PASTIME CLUB PASSES TIME PLEASANTLY**  
 The members of the Pastime Club and a few other guests gathered at the John D. Gholson home on Tuesday evening and were most delightfully entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Gholson.  
 Mrs. Paul Lacy made women's high score, and E. E. Crawford, men's high score.  
 Miss Emmie Lou Jarvis made women's low score, while W. R. Bowden carried off men's low score honors.  
 Dinner, which was served at 7:30 was followed by bridge, with places marked for Messers and Mesdames Paul Lacy, H. A. Logsdon, C. C. Craig, J. T. Gullahorn, E. E. Crawford, W. R. Bowden, L. P. Lawton; Misses Helen Gholson and Emmie Lou Jarvis; Dick Lawton and Mrs. J. R. MacLaughlin.

**TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB ANNOUNCEMENT**  
 Mrs. W. D. Conway, who has just

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recently returned from San Antonio, where she had been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Clark, will be hostess to the Twentieth Century Club this coming Friday. The place and hour will be announced later.

**MRS. JOHN D. GHOLSON HOSTESS TO YOUNG MATRONS.**  
 Mrs. John D. Gholson, at her home in the Gholson addition, entertained the members of the Young Matrons Bridge club and several other guests including Mrs. L. P. Lawton's house guests, Friday afternoon. Sweetpeas and jonnells sounded the arrival of Spring, and lent their beauty and fragrance to luncheon tables. After lunch bridge was enjoyed and the top scorers were Misses Saunders Gregg and Paul Lacy, who made high guest and high club respectively. Mrs. Royd Davenport made low score. As a pretty remembrance of the event, Mrs. Gholson presented Mrs. J. R. MacLaughlin and Miss Emmie Lou Jarvis, with pretty favors.  
 Club members present were Misses C. C. Craig, J. T. Gullahorn, Paul Lacy, Harry Logsdon, E. E. Crawford, W. R. Bowden, Boyd Davenport, Chas. Milliken. Guests were Misses L. P. Lawton, D. H. Barnett, J. R. MacLaughlin, Walter Cash, Louis Fleck, R. J. Norman, Saunders Gregg, L. H. Flewellen, J. F. Chanpion, Clarence Thompson of Mexia, Misses Helen Gholson and Emmie Lou Jarvis.

### MRS. L. P. LAWTON HONORS GUESTS WITH BRIDGE AND TEA

Mrs. L. P. Lawton, at her home on Young street, Thursday afternoon, extended the hospitality of her home to some fifty friends, in honor of her daughter, Mrs. J. R. MacLaughlin, Jr., of New York, and Miss Emmie Lou Jarvis of Norman, Okla., at the same time entertaining the Thursday Bridge club. It was a decidedly spring function. Great sprays of lilac were used in pretty profusion throughout the dining room and living room, mingling their beauty with that of sweetpeas, pussy willows, jonnells and other early spring flowers. The tea table was very lovely in its entirety. Covered with a handsome fillet cloth, and centered with a big yellow bowl filled with the flowers that were favored by the hostess for the floraling for the afternoon, it presented a most inviting picture, which was emphasized by yellow lighted tapers in silver candle holders.  
 Misses John Thurman and Saunders Gregg poured tea, which was served by Misses John D. Gholson and Mrs. MacLaughlin, and Misses Helen Gholson and Emmie Lou Jarvis.  
 Tea was served after the bridge game to those who had enjoyed the game and to some twenty-five others who had been invited to drop in for a cup of tea, and a talk fest.  
 In bridge Mrs. John Thurman made club high score, and Mrs. E. E. Crawford club high score. The high guest prize went to Mrs. D. H. Barnett and the low guest prize to Mrs. Clarence Thompson of Mexia. Both Mrs. Lawton's guests have been honor guests at a number of affairs this past week. Miss Helen Gholson started the good times for them socially when she entertained with a bridge luncheon at Acorn Acres, one week ago Saturday. Since that time it's been just one happy affair after another, culminating for the week with a party given them by Mrs. L. J. Fleck.  
 In addition to the number of things that have been planned for them specially, they have attended the various club meetings of the week, as special guests.

**RECOVERING FROM OPERATION.**  
 J. D. Weaver, who underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils a few days ago, is able to be out again, and is recovering nicely from the operation.

### EASTERN STAR ORGANIZE STUDY CLUB.

The Eastern Star has organized a study club, which will be known as the "Ivy Leaf Study club" and will meet on the first and third Wednesday afternoons in each month, however, since next Wednesday is the fifth Wednesday in the month, they will also meet on that date.  
 Officers elected were president, Mrs. J. T. Howell, vice president Mrs. Adkins, treasurer, Mrs. A. B. Pitecock, secretary, Mrs. G. B. McClelland and corresponding secretary, Mrs. B. E. Rigby.

### RANGER CLUB WOMEN TO HONOR MRS. HAGAMAN WITH SEATED TEA.

The Federated clubs of Ranger will honor Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, candidate for state president of the federated clubs, with a seated tea, on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 at the Gholson Hotel.  
 All state officers, all members of federated clubs in Eastland county, and other women prominent in club work, are to be guests at the tea.  
 Mrs. John M. Gholson is chairman of the program committee and is arranging a splendid program for the event.  
 In a joint session of the various federated clubs on Friday afternoon, it was decided to honor Mrs. Hagaman with this tea, and the 1920 club and the New Era club, in order to give the event as much time as possible, have passed up their annual luncheons and will spend their time making this a far reaching event.  
 Notices of the coming tea have been sent to the county papers, and to city papers as well, and invitations will be sent to all state officers to be present on Thursday afternoon.  
 Ranger club women are very proud of the fact that they have one of their members running for such a high office and are not sparing themselves in aiding their candidate to win the high goal she has set for herself.  
 Inasmuch as Mrs. Hagaman is a member of the sixth district, which represents West Texas, they feel that she is really the candidate of all West Texas.

### WRECKAGE, LITTLE THEATRE OFFERING TUESDAY NIGHT.

Wreckage, a one-act play will be the offering of the Little theatre on Tuesday night, at the high school auditorium. This is the play that Mrs. Marion F. Peters and her cast will present in Dallas on the following Monday night, in the Little theatre tournament.  
 Wreckage is a weird play. The tale is a tale of the sea, the time, she present, the scene, Amree Lathrop's house in Denisonport, a typical New England home, of the black walnut period.  
 The story begins thirty years after the heroine is dead. It unearths a secret that should have been buried with her but has to be told in order to save her most cherished possession.  
 It will help the players a great deal if they have a good sized crowd at this performance, which will be an exact replica of the one to be given in Dallas the next week.

### PERSONALS.

Miss Lucile Olive of New York City, is in Ranger, the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. A. Olive and her brother, Mr. Ernest. Miss Olive formerly lived in Ranger.  
 W. M. Mangum of Sweetwater, was a visitor in Ranger Friday and the guest of his daughter, Miss Frances Mangu and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Reeves of the Texas-Louisiana Gas and Power company. Miss Mangum will later accept a position at the Breckenridge office of the company.  
 Once there was a baseball manager who admitted before the season began that his team probably wouldn't win the pennant. However, habits of soliloquy have fallen off a lot lately.  
 Texas has ranked fifth among the states in population for the past three federal census periods.

### Romance Runs Into Red Tape



Nicolas P. Valaveris of Junction City, Kans., has been trying for two years, to bring pretty Maria Hasoulas from Greece to America as his bride, but red tape always has prevented. Now Nicolas faces a new trouble—deportation. Kansas business men and congressmen are pleading his case before the immigration board.

### Real Estate Is Active in Ranger Reports Show

Trading in Ranger dirt has been active the past few weeks. In addition contracts have been closed for the construction of new homes, several of them through the building and loan association.  
 Among the deals recently made may be mentioned the purchase by Dick Barkley of the A. C. Rice property, adjoining the Barkley home for a consideration of \$3,250. The property is on Young street. A. C. Rice in turn bought the W. B. Palmer residence in the Hodges Oak Park addition for a consideration of \$4,500. The two deals were made through C. E. May.

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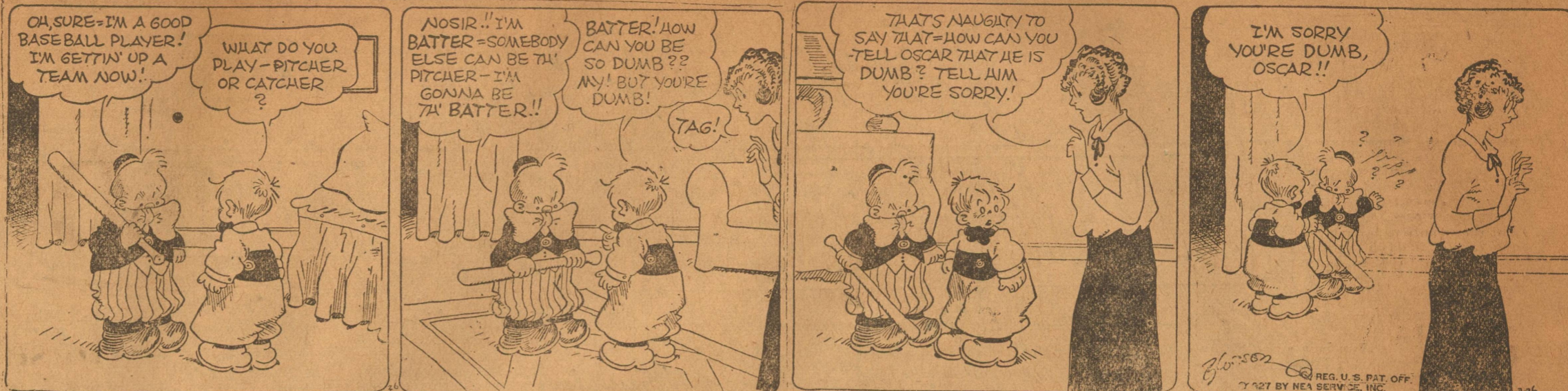
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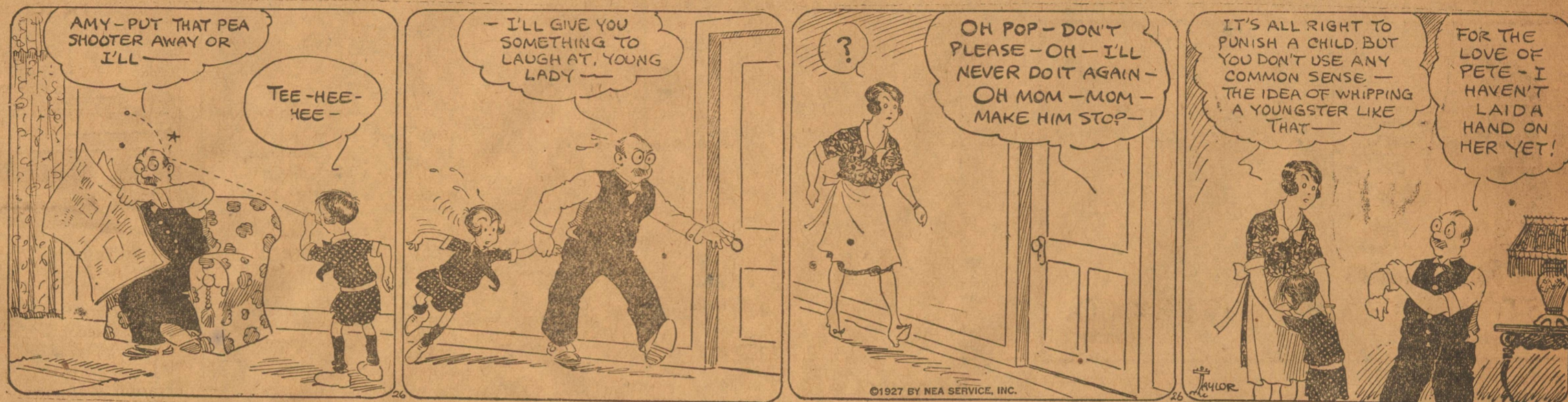
### Midnight Shots By Autoists Near Ranger Reported

Numerous shots were fired late Friday night by autoists near Ranger, according to the police. An investigation was made, and it was revealed that the shots were on Eastland hill, just outside of the corporate limits and were made by parties going west. No shots were fired in town. Assistant Chief of Police Leonard Davenport was unable to place the blame. This is the second time within the past two weeks that shots have been fired for seemingly no cause whatsoever. All of the shooting has been in the neighborhood of Eastland hill and around about midnight and a little earlier.

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### Monday to be Dads' And Mothers' Day At University

Special Correspondence.  
 AUSTIN, March 26.—Cards are being received daily from dads and mothers of University of Texas students who expect to visit on the campus Monday for Dads and Mothers Day. A great many of the parents arrived Saturday night, planning to spend Sunday as well as Monday at the University. Establishment of definite policies and the endowment of loan funds and scholarships are said to be the main points to be discussed at the business meeting of the Dads and Mothers association Monday.

### Bryant Will Go With Boyd Motor Eastland House

George Bryant, manager of a branch house for a local automobile firm at Rising Star, has resigned that position and will on April 1, assume the position as manager of the Boyd Motor Company, at Eastland. Mr. Bryant needs no introduction to the people of Eastland, as he has lived in Eastland and Ranger for the past six years. He has been prominently identified with the automobile industry of Eastland county. He owns his home in Eastland and he and Mrs. Bryant, will take up their abode there soon after April first. Boyd Motor company handles Oakland and Pontiac cars.

### Cadet Burkett



Cadet Prentiss Burkett son of former State Senator Joe Burkett of Eastland. Young Burkett is attending Peacock Military School at San Antonio where he has attained distinction.

### Eastland Boys On Honor Roll At Peacock School

Prentiss and Joe Burkett, sons of Senator Joe Burkett of Eastland and San Antonio, who are attending the Peacock Military School at San Antonio, are commended by the officials of the school in a letter to their father, which follows:  
 "My Dear Senator Burkett:  
 "I wish to congratulate you upon the splendid record made by your two sons in this school. First, Prentiss has made the Honor Roll, leading his entire class in every subject, and being exemplary in conduct. This young man will make a mark in this school as he advances in the academic department, and will be a credit to you and to his name when he enters college. He has a special aptitude for mathematics, which is always indicative of high intelligence.  
 "I have just learned that Joe has qualified for the next Honor Roll, about which I will write you later.  
 Your friend,  
 WESLEY PEACOCK."

### STOLEN AUTOMOBILE RETURNED TO OWNER

The car that J. H. Williams, alias J. S. Scott, and some other alias left parked at Frankell a few days ago when he perpetrated two forgeries and bought two bills of furniture in Ranger, has been turned over to its owner in Dallas. The Breckenridge police chief had papers to identify the car and took it in charge. Williams, alias Scott, immediately was indicted by the grand jury and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. The same day that he was taken over to Eastland the indictment was returned and the following day the plea of guilty was entered.

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Olden News

Special Correspondence.

Little Miss Juanita Miller celebrated her twelfth birthday the twenty-third, Wednesday afternoon, with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Miller. Prizes were won by Phyllis Johnston, Marjorie Cayce and Mary Evelyn Edwards, interesting games and delicious sandwiches, candies and punch and the beautiful birthday cake were enjoyed by the following guests, the honor guest, Juanita Miller, Lillian Bruce, Gladys Ferguson, E. J. Huff, Wilford Lawrence, Marjorie Cayce,

Wayne Howell, Lowva Gleam Spurlin, W. B. January, Carl Blank, A. G. Wilkinson, D. O. Munn, Margaret Wynnie, Eugene Watson, Mary Evelyn Edwards, Maxine Johnson, Mertie Allen, Mattie Brashears, Mary Spurlin, Sydney Curry, Phyllis Johnson, Louie Annie January, Carrie Etta Watson, Johnnie Jarrett, Earl Keenan, Mildred Wynnie, Ruby Curry, Joe Wynnie, M. L. Huff, Dick Wynnie, Juanita received a large number of nice presents, and all present enjoyed themselves so much that they wished Juanita had a birthday every three months.

The play "Deacon Dubbs" was a great success, \$61.35 was realized. This play will be carried to Desdemona next Wednesday night. Everyone in Older was shocked to hear of the death of Robert T. Phillips who was killed at Cross Out last Wednesday. The Phillips formerly lived in Older several years and had a large number of friends here who extend all their sympathy to Mrs. Phillips and the children. The body was shipped to Fayetteville, Tenn., for burial that being the old home town of the Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Curtis and children, are here from Electra, Texas, for a visit with Mrs. Curtis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lindsey on Magnolia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reason and family motored to Duncan, Okla., to spend the week end with Mrs. Reason's brother, Orval Shade and family and friends there.

Mrs. J. A. Lawrence who underwent an operation at the city-county hospital last Thursday is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Burke and little daughter of Vernon, Texas, are here visiting J. D. Yielding and family.

Mrs. Russell Horner is ill at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aylward of Olney, Texas, were guests of Mr. Aylward's sister, Mrs. H. M. Barker and family, here a few days this week.

Mrs. Gladys Yielding of Vernon, Texas is the guest of relatives here this week. Lest Boyles of Seymour, Texas, arrived Friday evening for a visit with his sisters, Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Morton.

Mrs. Annie Kirker of Little Hocking, Ohio, is here for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Clifton and family.

Mr. Bud Russell of Huntsville, Texas, was the guest, one day this week of his brother, G. L. Russell and family here.

Mr. Tom Coker has gone to Hemphill, Texas for a visit with relatives.

ing Star and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore of this city have returned from an extended trip in the Rio Grande Valley.

C. E. Flanagan has gone to Sweetwater near which place Carter, Lowe and Delaney are drilling a wildcat well.

L. W. Cook and family are moving to Jewett, Texas, where they expect to make their future home. Cecil Joyce is having a new home built in the city.

C. B. (Billy) Shultz has entered the mayoralty race in Rising Star.

Pleasant Grove

Special Correspondence.

PLEASANT GROVE, March 25. Our farmers are very busy cultivating their land for the coming crop. Sunday school and church were not very well attended last Sunday on account of the bad weather.

Miss Minerva King who has been sick the past week is back in school. We are glad to know that Mrs. Sam Hulin, formerly of this community but now of Ranger, is getting along fine following an operation.

A number of friends from Cisco visited in the Threatt home last Sunday.

Miss Elma Threatt spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Lula Jones.

Colony News

Special Correspondence.

COLONY, March 26.—In the declamation elimination contest held Monday afternoon the judges decided the winners were, senior girls, Esta Lee Carr; alternate, Inez Pickett; junior girls, Pauline Pickett, alternate, Berna Dean Hawthorne; senior boys, Truman Hagar, alternate, George Stuard; junior boys, Bailey Hagar, alternate, Cade Walker.

Miss Esta Lee Carr was the Sunday guest of Miss Laura Barrison of Eastland.

George Bowden and Wade Ferguson of Abilene were the Sunday guests of Misses Ola and Rena Frasier.

Misses Inez and Pauline Pickett spent the last week end with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Payne of Pleasant Grove.

Earnest McKee and family of Abilene spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Frasier.

Miss Ruth Ramey and Mr. J. C. Patterson, county agents, were at Colony school Monday, March 22, and organized a Standard 4-H club, consisting of both boys and girls of the school. An election of officers was held and the results were, president, Allen Eakin; vice president, Frank Hagar; secretary, Esta Lee Carr; song leader, Leila Dean; yell leader, Truman Hagar; reporter, Inez Pickett. There was an enrollment of forty members.

Mrs. C. H. Stuard is ill this week, but is improving at present.

Quite an interest in the poultry industry is being indicated in the community, judging from the number of incubators which are being put into operation.

Less cotton, and more peanuts and feed seems to be the slogan of most farmers this year.

RISING STAR BRIEFS

Special Correspondence.

RISING STAR, March 26.—A. N. Sneary present mayor of Rising Star who recently said in a published article that he no longer desired to serve in that capacity after his present term expired, has announced that if the citizens wished him to do so, he would again accept the post.

Rev. R. Neal Greer, former pastor of the Baptist church here and who resigned to go to Rule, Texas, has again accepted the call of the church and will preach his initial sermon here Sunday, March 27.

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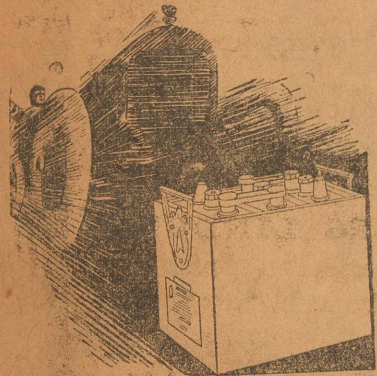
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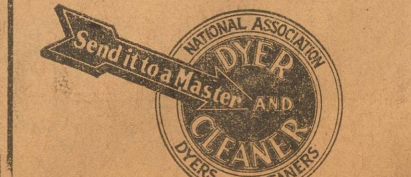
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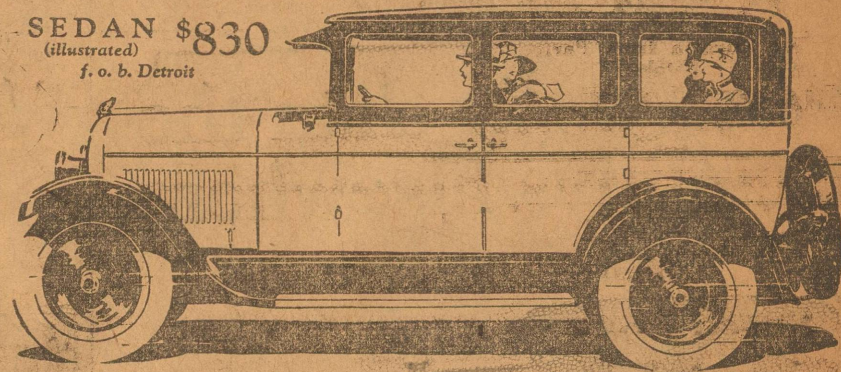
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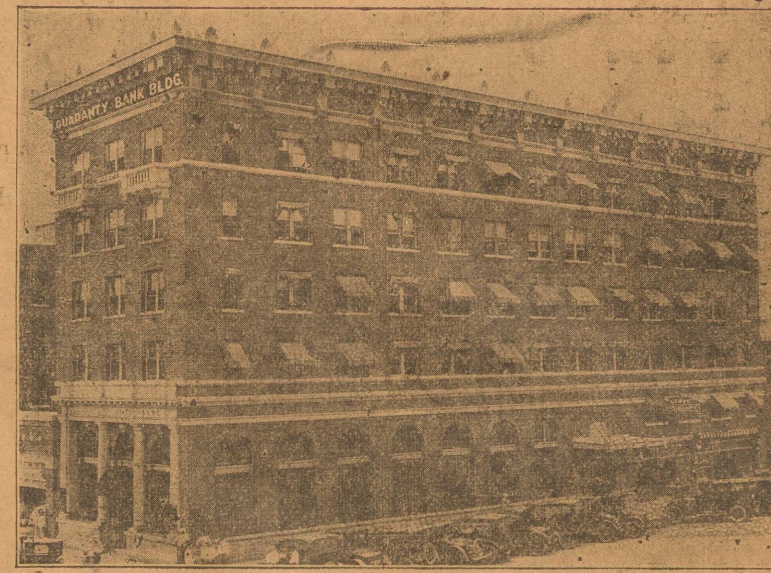
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### Bishop-Elect Has Monsignor Pope Of Iowa As Guest

Rt. Rev. Monsignor W. A. Pape, of Le Mars, Iowa, is in Ranger, the guest of his cousin, Bishop-elect R. A. Gurken. Monsignor Pape is an ecclesiastic of note and is another member of the family of Bishop-elect Gurken whose achievements in the church have been most noteworthy. A brother of Bishop-elect Gurken, the Very Rev. Leo Gurken, of Dubuque, Iowa, who passed away several years ago, is another one.

### Abilene Girl Is Contest Winner At Texas University

AUSTIN, March 26.—Miss Empress Young of Abilene and Allen Crowley of Kerens won first places in the women's and men's divisions respectively of the extemporaneous speaking contest at the University of Texas. Mrs. Emma M. Shirley of Austin won second place in the women's contest, while Roy McDonald of Austin ranked second, and Frank D. Stubbeman of Cueso, third for the men.

### Three Octaves!



Elizabeth Gerard, 17-year-old pupil in Dallas, Tex., high school has been acclaimed a "second Schumann-Heink" by Giorgio Polacco, musical director of the Chicago Civic Opera Company. She can sing nearly three octaves; Polacco calls her voice "one in a thousand."

### Campaign Will Advertise Early Closing in Ranger

A campaign of education is planned by the Retail Merchants' association to educate the public in the 6 o'clock closing, according to Mrs. A. P. T. secretary.

It is planned to have all the merchants place a line in their advertisements in the newspapers. "We close at 6 o'clock." It is thought that by doing that for a week or so every day or two the public would become used to seeing the doors shut at 6 o'clock and do their trading earlier in the day.

### Throat Paralysis Threatens Death Young Salesman

DENVER, Colo., March 26.—Glenn Hill, a young life insurance salesman, who is fighting paralysis of the throat in a hospital here, was to be operated on this morning for the removal of his tonsils, the one chance, according to physicians, for saving his life.

Toxic poisoning continued to spread through the stricken youth's body today and there were grave fears that the paralysis may reach his diaphragm making artificial respiration necessary as in the case of Albert Pick, who recently died of the same malady in a Chicago hospital.

### Kansas Editor Is Forecd to Cancel Speaking Dates

DENTON, March 26.—William Allen White, famous Emporia, Kan., editor, was obliged to cancel speaking engagements at Amarillo and Wichita Falls on March 28 and 29, respectively, because of a severe attack of neuritis suffered shortly after he reached Houston last Monday.

Mr. White has been making a speaking tour of Texas under the auspices of the journalism department of the College of Industrial Arts. He spoke before the student body at C. I. A. Saturday morning on "America's Contribution to Civilization." A reception in his honor was tendered him at the Virginia Carroll Lodge by members of the C. I. A. Journalism club. Mr. White left Denton Saturday night for Emporia.

### Oil Driller Hits Car Parked Along Strawn Highway

Sam McCollum, a driller, has a very much battered new Chevrolet coupe as a result of colliding with an Essex demonstration car that was parked in the road on the Strawn highway near the long hill. The Essex did not have a light on it, according to information given the police. Three men were in the Essex car when the collision occurred.

The crash hurled the Chevrolet in the ditch and almost bent one of the front wheels and axles double. It is not known how much damage was done to the Essex.

### Memorial Talk Will Be Made By Rice President

DENTON, March 24.—President Odell Lovett of Rice Institute, Houston, will give the dedicatory address at the formal opening of the Bralley Memorial Library Saturday, April 16 at the College of Industrial Arts. James H. Lowry, Honey Grove newspaper editor and for fifteen years president of the C. I. A. board of regents will deliver a eulogy on Dr. F. M. Bralley, late president of the college, who died in August, 1924. Mr. Lowry severed his connections with the board in January, 1925.

Plans have been made to issue invitations to Mrs. F. M. Bralley, Austin, and other members of the family; Governor and Mrs. Dan Moody; S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction; regents and former regents of the college; presidents of all the senior colleges of the state; presidents of the State Federation of Women's Clubs; the Parent-Teachers Association and Texas Congress of Mothers; presidents of all other state organizations for women; presidents of Alumnae association, and each local organization of ex-students in the state. An honorary luncheon will be given for the visitors.

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**SELLING CARDS FOR  
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W. J. Sellers and H. J. Peters, to say nothing of the monkey, were in Ranger Saturday en route east from the coast selling cards for the benefit of the disabled veterans. They are traveling in a Ford truck with a miniature house on it that is very much decorated with licenses and other plates. The monkey was en-

tertaining a large crowd in front of the Citizens State bank with his gyrations.

Before Ma Ferguson stepped out she all but emptied the prisons in Texas. Can't Illinois and Texas get together some way?

Two New York girls won \$100 each for their essays on thrift. We are just wondering if it was clothes they were writing about.

**Will Announce  
Wichita Falls'  
Final Program**

Special Correspondence.

WICHITA FALLS, March 26.—Within the next few days the complete program for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, to be held in Wichita Falls May 16 and 17, will be announced.

The convention program will begin Monday morning, May 16, when it is expected three governors will be the first to bring messages to the convention. These men are Governor Dan Moody of Texas, Governor Johnston of Oklahoma, and Governor Millon of New Mexico. The two former have already accepted the invitation and word is expected at any time from Governor Dillon that he will be here.

Other men of national prominence who will appear on the program are: Honorable James J. Davis, secretary of labor in President Coolidge's cabinet, and Honorable Robert Ellis, who will then be president of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

While Sunday, May 15, is not included in the convention program proper, it will be a day full of activity. At the 11 o'clock services in all Protestant churches prominent church laymen of West Texas will be asked to fill the pulpits and deliver messages on the subject "Business and Religion." In the afternoon Hon. Morris Sheppard, senior senator from Texas, will deliver a patriotic address.

At night a big feature will be a choral contest to be conducted in the tabernacle, where the convention program will be held. In this contest choirs, glee clubs, and other musical organizations made up of 16 or more voices will be eligible to enter. It promises to be one of the outstanding features of the convention.

**Fire Destroys  
Ike Irvin Home,  
Burglary Hinted**

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the home and contents, also all of the outbuildings of Ike Irvin, two miles east of Ranger on the Strawn highway between 2 and 2:30 o'clock Saturday morning. The family was in Goldthwaite, visiting relatives when the fire occurred. The loss was partially covered by insurance and is estimated at approximately \$6,000. The policies were carried by the C. E. May agency.

The fire department responded to the alarm sent in from the Paramount hotel, but it was too late. The buildings were practically burned down when the force arrived upon the scene. There was no water within a half mile of the place, according to Chief George Murphy.

The police department was of the opinion that the house was burglarized and then set on fire to hide the

crime. Chief Murphy said that some of the neighbors told him they heard an explosion shortly before they saw the blaze shoot up through the roof. An investigation will be conducted in hopes of placing the responsibility for the blaze.

Andrews is weeding out "ignorant" prohibition agents. It seems some of the boys are all fet.

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The audience was pleased with the young, pretty and peppy troupe with this show.

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# CONCEALED WARFARE RAGES FOR THIS COVETED LEADERSHIP

By RANDALL GOULD  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PEKING.—Silent and subterranean warfare is in progress between the two Living Buddhas who rule Tibet.

It is a warfare concealed and mysterious. Since 1924, when the Panchen Lama was forced by his ancient rival the Dalai Lama to leave "the Roof of the World" and descend to the lower-lying and more prosaic country of China, supremacy has seemed to rest undisputedly with the Dalai leader at Lhasa; but now it is whispered that a turn in the tide may be approaching.

The Panchen Lama, who recently left Peking for Mukden in a fresh chapter of his wanderings, has for centuries been accorded spiritual supremacy over the Dalai Lama. The Dalai Lama has maintained temporal leadership as ruler of Tibet.

**Rights Clash**

Each has coveted the right and privileges of the other. Such a division was of necessity of a somewhat arbitrary one, for the functions religious and civil overlapped in each instance. Even the personal connection between the two was confused in a strange and almost incomprehensible way which has its place in the complex picture so typical of this ghost-ridden folk.

The Dalai Lama, by Buddhist ideas of reincarnation, is the reborn Bodhisattwa Avalokitesvara, or Janrezig. Janrezig was the Buddha of Mercy, the "Jewel" referred to in the mystic Tibetan phrase, "Oh, the jewel in the Lotus" (Om Mani Padme Hum) inscribed on ten thousand prayerwheels and mumbled millions of times a day by devout Tibetans.

**Secondary Place**

The Panchen Lama is identified with the Bodhisattwa Manjushri, or Ohame, the Buddha of Boundless

Light. Ohame, now reborn as the Panchen Lama, is the father of Janrezig, reborn as the Dalai Lama, which on the face of things would seem to give the Dalai Lama a secondary place. But on the other hand Ohame is a more passive divinity than is Janrezig. One up for the Dalai Lama, for he is the reborn heir of an active divinity with a perfect right to be busy about governmental matters.

To Occidentals this all seems too fantastic to have any significance in every day existence. To Tibetans, whose every thought is involved with mystic elements and a large proportion of whom give themselves up wholly to the religious life, such considerations are of the utmost weight.

**Outsiders Figure**

With such a people—devoid of ambition for worldly things, unwilling to receive foreigners but yielding to outside pressure from time to time—outside nations were bound to play a large part. So it has been that China, Britain and Russia in particular have figured largely in Tibetan history, and that today the British and the Chinese are closely interlocked in present developments involving the holy personages of the two Chief Lamas.

Chinese domination in Tibet dated from the accession of the Manchus to the Chinese throne in the seventeenth century. When Kang Hsi in 1695 raised the regent of the Dalai Lama to the status of king, an army from China which went to support the regent remained to keep China supreme in Tibet. This was clinched in 1725 after suppression of a revolt against Chinese domination, and in 1750 all temporal power was placed in the hands of the Dalai and Panchen Lamas sided by a council of state under Chinese direction.

**Chinese Control**

So potent was Chinese control in the country that the amusing episode is recorded of a mandate issued by the Emperor of China "forbidding the rebirth" of a certain deity whose human embodiment was apparently due to make trouble for the balance of power.

British participation in Tibetan affairs dates from late in the last century, when there were various measures designed to further trade; in 1900 the Dalai Lama flirted with Russia, and in 1904 the famous Young husband expedition penetrated to Lhasa, Abode of the Gods, and chased the Dalai Lama out. A subsequent agreement insured British trade but yielded suzerain rights to China. Once more the balance shift-

ed to the Chinese, who sent military expeditions, chased the Dalai Lama to India, and deposed him.

**Chance to Come Back**

The Chinese revolution gave the Tibetans a chance to "get back" at the Chinese, whose military forces were pushed out. In 1912 the president of China restored the Dalai Lama's honors and titles. Since 1913, when the Dalai Lama returned to his famous Potala palace, Britain, China and Tibet have been negotiating on the question of boundaries, with the Tibetans standing on ancient records and the Chinese striving to hold territory now recently conquered. The flight of the Panchen Lama and his arrival in Peking in February, 1925, had a direct political significance in this connection; the Panchen Lama wants to align himself with China for their mutual benefit, while the Dalai Lama and the British seem closely affiliated.

**Against China**

So strongly has the Dalai Lama set his forces against China and things Chinese that he is reported to have forbidden importation of snuff and tobacco—both articles highly valued in a land where luxuries are scarce—under penalties of the utmost unpleasantness. Any lama caught using Chinese snuff is to have his nose cut off; any lama caught smoking Chinese tobacco is to have his lips cut off; thus simply and doubtless effectively does the embargo function.

Similarly, the Chinese Buddhist Mission is unable to obtain permission to enter Tibet. It is not forbidden to enter, but the coveted permission does not come. This is true Tibetan practice.

**Sees Hope**

For many weary months the Panchen Lama has been striving to gain some sort of support, and now, it is rumored, he sees a chance for success of a sort which may enable him to return to his native monastery of Tashilumpo with Chinese support of real potency. This support probably depends, it is said, on internal Chinese developments of the next few months. He is backed in numerous

quarters by those who feel that extension of Chinese control once more over Tibet is doubly important because of Sino-British antagonism in China itself, and if any measures of unity and stability within China are successful, a Tibetan expedition to escort the Panchen Lama home is considered probable.

Meanwhile the Panchen Lama is proving himself a handy man around the house in various useful ways, such as the banishing of evil spirits, reciting of sacred sutras, presentation of ceremonial prayer scarves, maintenance of as much peace and order as are convenient under present circumstances in China, and similar worthy enterprises. He is universally respected, and those who are expert acclaim him as a devil chaser of the first magnitude.

the annual banquet of the Battle of Flowers association in San Antonio on April 21. The final contest will be held on April 15 to determine the speaker, who will also receive the \$100 prize offered by the Battle of flowers association.

Orations are limited to between 12 and 15 minutes. Students who have already entered the contest are Ed Gossett of Post, Joyce Cox of Cameron, Homer DeWolfe of Goldthwaite and W. Sim Gideon of Coleman. Other entries are expected.

**WARDEN CHILD DIES, BURIAL SUNDAY**

Rev. W. H. Johnson of Ranger went to Soda Springs near Brozas, Saturday, to conduct the funeral service of the 4-year-old daughter of J. W. Warden, which was held at 2:30 Saturday afternoon. Interment was in the Soda Springs cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Warden lived in Ranger during the boom but have been away several years.

active with C. C. Hamilton reporting one deal of two houses and lots to Mr. Eve, purchase price not given. The houses are on Hamilton street in the Hamilton addition.

**GOVERNOR MOODY SIGNS HOUSE BILL NO. 517**

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# At Sea



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**WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE**  
Death strikes Garrett Folsom while swimming at Ocean Town, N. J. It is thought at first that he is a stroke victim, but investigation shows he has been stabbed to death under the water.

Folsom's swimming companions were Roger Neville, a business partner; Mrs. Helen Barnaby and Carmelita Valdón. Folsom, just before his death, had been standing next to Ned Barron, known as the copper king.

Anastasia Folsom, eccentric and masterful sister of the dead man, arrives and takes command. At the inquest it is learned that the death weapon was a pichao, an Oriental knife and it had been bought on the boardwalk.

It is also learned that one Croydon Sears, who was in Barron's party, is a fancier of curious knives. Anastasia engages Titus Riggs, an architect, to work on the case. Dan Peyton, the dead man's nephew, arrives and is intrigued by the curious French dolls in Folsom's room.

He believes his uncle had been blackmailing several people and he and Riggs discover suspicious documents in Folsom's effects with the initials of Croydon Sears.

Riggs gets hold of Sears' son, Robin, and reminds him of his promise to assist in the case.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
Chapter XXIX

Unostentatiously, Riggs steered their steps to the shop where the antique auctions were held.

"Come on," Robin said, drawing away.

"Wait a minute, can't you? I want to see what they've on today."

"Oh, all right," and Robin lit a cigarette and showed no interest in the window exhibit.

"I say, Robb, there's hijacks—I mean pichaos, like the man was killed with."

"I don't want to look at it; come along, Tite."

"No, I want to look at it, if you don't. Humor me."

"I can't think what you see to look at in a mess of old junk."

"Valuable antiques, you mean. Funny about that dagger, wasn't it? Sold the very night your father was in here. Wish it had been while he was here. With his keen notice of anything of the sort, he might have remembered what the man looked like who bought it."

"But he didn't," the boy almost groaned. Then he went on, earnestly. "You see, Tite, dad came out long before that jigger was put up, and he was up and down the boardwalk all the rest of the time till he went home to bed."

"Yes, I know. I was only wishing. He might have given us a steer."

"Not he. Dad has an eye for good pieces, but that tin snapper wouldn't hold him for a minute."

"Oh, come now, it wasn't so bad."

"Yes it was. Dad said so after-



For the first time she regarded them with interest, and as she gazed at them her interest increased.

ward. He knows all about it. But then he knows all such things, as you and I know jazz music."

"I waive the palm to you in that matter, Robin. Where were you that night?"

"Dancing with Angel in the Majusaca. Oh, Riggs, that girl dances like a—"

"Like a thistle-down, a wave of the sea, a gossamer-winged fairy, a—"

"Oh shut up, girls don't dance like that nowadays. She dances like—oh, well, like most all of 'em do. Only it's nicer to dance with her than the others!"

"What time did you turn in?"

"My word! Is this an inquiry meeting? Long about one, I guess. Not much later anyway. We're not the real thing in night club work you see. Madeline wouldn't stand for it. She's conservative and correct, first, last and all the time."

"Mighty fine woman. Well you're not much good, Robbie, as a helper on the great problem."

"No. I say, Tite, why don't you chuck it? You'll never get at the truth, and why do you want to?"

"Why do I want to?" Tite Riggs stared.

"You heard me."

"I sure did. Well, I want to, ostensibly for the sake of justice. And that's a big part of my reason. But also because I love the game."

"Hounding down a man?"

"Yes, if he's a murderer."

"If," said Robin Sears.

Threatening clouds had sent many scurrying indoors, and the lounge of the Hotel Majusaca was like a great cauldron of color, sound and fragrance.

Under the tall palms sat groups of laughing, chattering young people;

among the massed flowers stood smiling nappy pleasure-seekers; here and there sat those who quietly listened to the music drifting in from the next room where there was dancing.

Tea tables were all about, and though a few bored weary faces might be seen, for the most part all was life, light and laughter.

The Riggs and young Sears made their way to a table where Robin's searching eye had at once spied Angelica Fair.

"Blessed boy," she called out, "we have missed you at home, we have missed you. Where you been?"

"What a speech! When you fired me yourself. Said you had to stay with Maddy."

This was an unfortunate remark, and Robin should have known better than to make it.

Madeline Barron turned on him with quick resentment.

"Nothing of the sort," she said. "Angel insisted she didn't want to go out this afternoon. It looked like rain, she said."

"Did look like rain, too," Angel said gaily, determined not to stir up a discussion. "We both wanted to rest. Now I'm fit again and dying to dance. Come along, Bobbie."

"The two went off toward the dancing room and Tite Riggs dropped into the chair the girl vacated.

"Flirt with Maddy," she turned back to say to him. "She wants to go home and the bad, naughty crowd she has with her won't agree. Help us out, Mr. Riggs. Get her a new sheik or buy her doll or something!"

The pair went off, laughing, and Riggs gazed after the lovely vision.

"How did they know enough to name that girl Angel?" he said. "And Angel Fair, of all things."

"Yes, it just suits her," and Madeline Barron looked affectionately after her friend. "They couldn't help the 'Fair,' of course, and it was clever to add the other. Though, as she was christened Angelica—"

"All the same, they must have known she was to be called Angel. She looks like a doll. And by that I mean no disparagement. The dolls of today are often more lifelike than some human beings."

Riggs had no thought in his mind save an intent to amuse or divert Madeline, who certainly did look what Robin had called "weedy."

Beautiful as ever, perfectly dressed as always, she had a new look in her eyes, a sort of restlessness that he had never seen there before. And then, to his amazement, she spoke with real pettishness:

"Don't harp on dolls! The world seems mad on the subject!"

"Don't you like them?" That settles it. Suppose I try Angel's other bit of advice and find you somebody new to flirt with. Hello, Pelton, come over here."

Laughing at Madeline's sudden start, Riggs motioned Dan Pelton, who chanced to be passing, to a chair at their tea table and nodded to a waiter.

The man was an utter stranger to her. She braced up and smiled cordially when he was presented.

And then the observant Tite saw a queer look come into Pelton's eyes.

It passed in a moment; so quickly that Riggs doubted it had been there at all, but, he thought afterward, there was certainly a surprise of some kind that brought about that expression.

Pelton appeared to better advantage than Riggs had hitherto seen him and Madeline revived under his compliments and seemed almost gay again.

She was beautiful in an almost opposite way from Angel.

Ned Barron's wife was dark, olive-skinned, and brown-eyed. Her hair showed the newest thing in bobs and her clothes were inconspicuous, so perfectly did she dominate them by her own personality.

Vivacious yet quiet, charming—luring even—yet reserved. Somehow Riggs found himself comparing her to Carmelita Valdón, whom he also admired.

But Titus Riggs' admiration of women was entirely superficial. He regarded them as pictures, meritorious or otherwise, only as they pleased his eye and his taste.

Carmelita was far more provocative, far more self-conscious, but Madeline was of a higher type of attractiveness and Riggs almost gasped as he turned suddenly to find her smiling at Dan Pelton, as if with a new interest in life.

"Good heavens!" thought the apprehensive bachelor. "She mustn't fall in love with him!" and then laughed at himself for the fleeting whim, for the devotion of the Barrons was the jest of their merry friends.

"But I don't get it," he went on with his ruminations, finding his participation in the talk was not necessary. "There's something wrong with Madeline—something more than homesickness, and it can't be that a new sheik to flirt with is going to cure it!"

(To be continued)

Is Madeline Barron concealing something about this murder business? Riggs is frankly puzzled.

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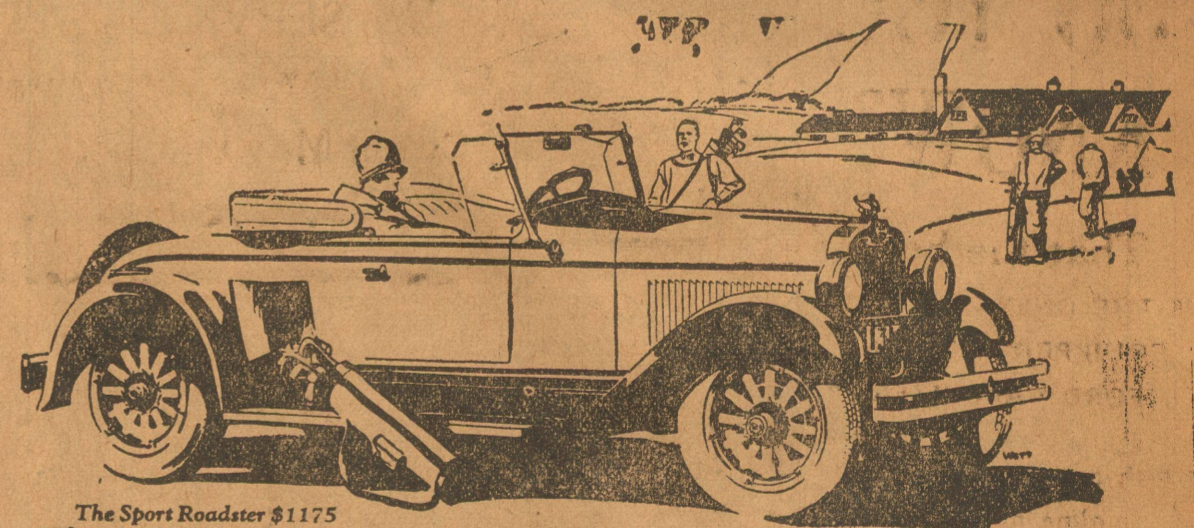
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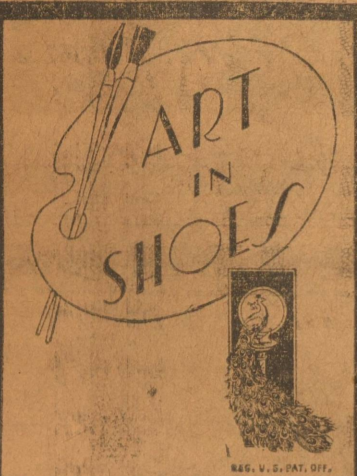
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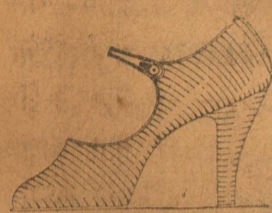
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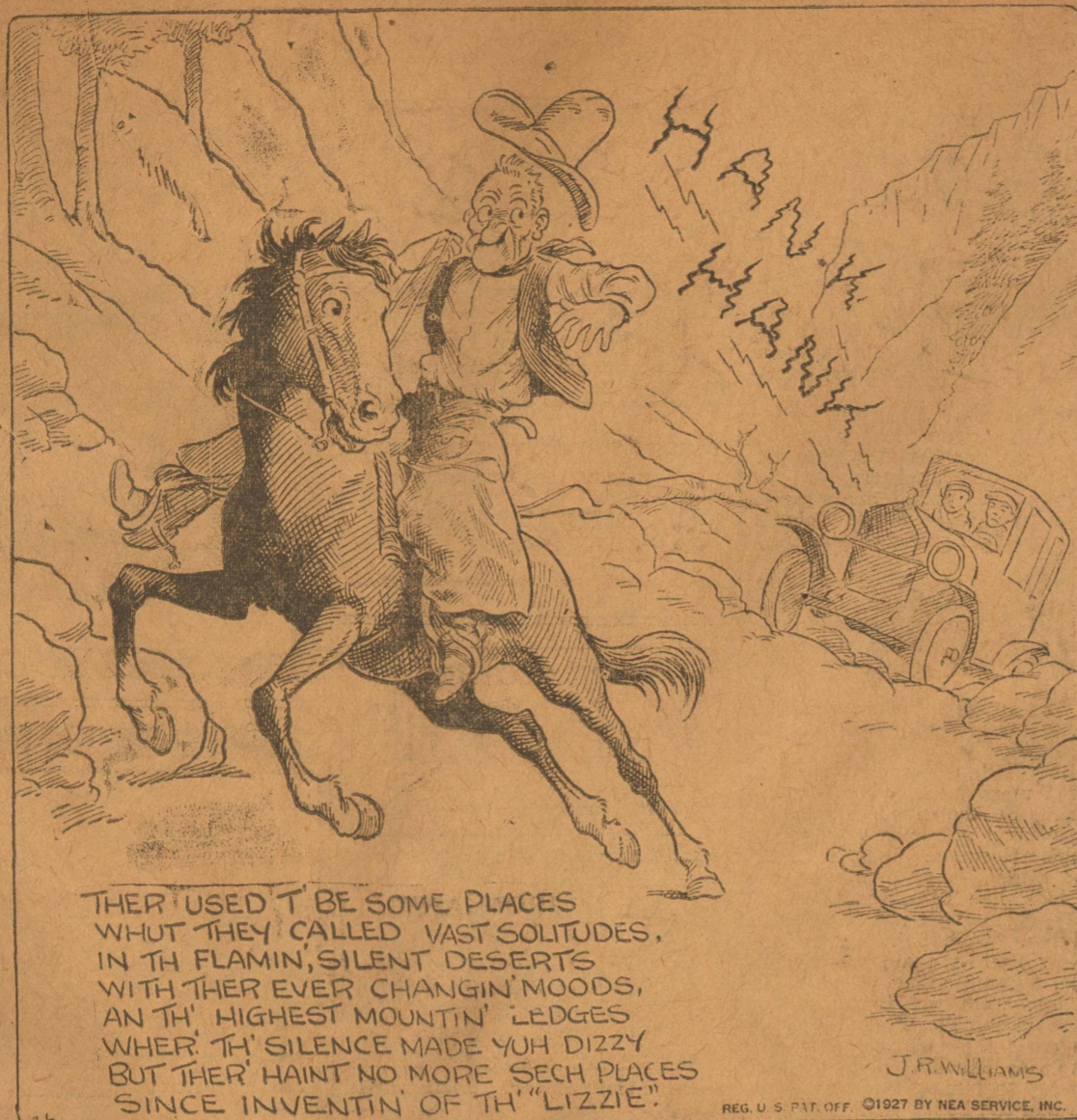
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J.R. WILLIAMS

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A. Russell, former district clerk of Eastland county and former State Senator from this district, who is charged with embezzling and misappropriating funds of the clerk's office while he was clerk, was recorded Friday when Judge L. H. Flevollen, special judge in the 88th district court, gave an instructed verdict of not guilty.

There were originally 12 indictments against Russell. Four of these however, had been quashed by the court on motions presented by Russell's attorneys. The remaining seven cases are to be tried, District Attorney J. Frank Sparks said. Another one of the cases will likely be called about April 19, it is stated.

The particular charge on which Russell was tried Friday was one involving the handling of a check for approximately \$3,000 given by former sheriff H. E. Lawrence. The grand jury indictment charged misappropriation in this case.

John A. Russell, an Eastland county school teacher, was appointed district clerk to fill out an unexpired term and was later elected, serving one term and leaving the office on November 30, 1920. He was elected state senator from this district, de-

feating Jesse R. Smith, who was later elected and is now serving in that capacity.

Soon after Russell took his seat in the senate he resigned and disappeared, and was not again heard from until a few months ago when he appeared at the sheriff's office in Eastland and made bond in each of the cases pending against him.

In statements to newspaper men Russell said that during the six years he had been away from Eastland he had not left the state, but that most of the time had been spent in and around San Antonio where he had taught school, farmed and dealt in real estate. His family was with him most of the time.

Since coming back to Eastland county, Russell, whose former home was at Gorman and Eastland, has moved his family back to Eastland and has announced his intention of making Eastland county his future home.

Three members of the original cast of "Abie's Irish Rose," Max Davidson, Lillian Elliott and Sydney Franklin, have been lured to the screen and will appear under the Hal Roach banner.

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FORT WORTH, March 26.—The first DAV Radio club in the United States is being organized by the Fort Worth chapter of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War. The club sponsors two weekly programs for the benefit of ex-service men.

Two major purposes have been announced by the club. One is to keep ex-service men informed on all news of benefit to them when it is news. Many of them do not get the late rulings on insurance and compensation at all, while others receive it from two weeks to a month later. The other purpose of the club is to provide special entertainment for the boys who are ill in the hospitals.

For the special convenience of the boys in the hospitals, the club broadcasts during afternoon hours, using the periods from 4 to 4:30 o'clock on Tuesdays and Fridays. These programs are sent from KFQB, the Lone Star Broadcasting station in the Westbrook hotel. Ten minutes of each is devoted to the news digest, and twenty minutes to cheerful music. Special entertainers appearing on no other program are provided.

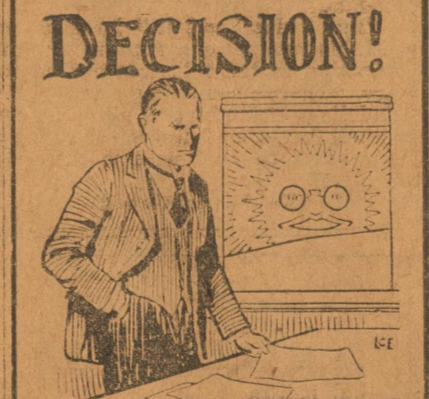
"I discovered that with the same time and effort required to aid one man re-instate his insurance or institute his claim for compensation, thousands of others might be helped by the same information via radio," said Harry C. Jordan, secretary of the Fort Worth Chapter. "These programs are destined to greatly broaden our field of activity, as all ex-service men are eligible to ask us for information."

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