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**CAT ADOPTS SQUIRREL**  
BROCKTON, Mass.—Mrs. Donald B. Packard's mother cat has adopted a baby gray squirrel and is raising it with her three kittens.

## HE IMPLICATES TWO NOW HELD FOR HIS DEATH

**Statement Made To Grady Owen After His Arrest At Stanton.**

Elmer Van Cleve, 22, arrested Saturday at Slaton, Texas, at the instance of Eastland county officers who wanted him in connection with the murder of L. F. Threet, 67-year-old Eastland county rancher found fatally wounded in his pasture nine miles west of Cisco on the afternoon of Aug. 15 and who died the following day in a hospital at Cisco without having regained consciousness, Sunday morning in a signed statement made to District Attorney Grady Owen of Eastland, told officers of his part in the case. He implicated L. J. Doggett and Mary Lou Howell, 24, both of Cisco. Doggett and the woman are being held in the Eastland county jail on charges of murder and robbery with firearms. Doggett, Van Cleve said in his statement, shot Threet with a .22-caliber rifle when the rancher refused to put up his hands when commanded by Doggett to do so. "I'll never do it," was Threet's reply when Doggett commanded him to put up his hands, Van Cleve said. "I'll kill you if you don't," was Doggett's reply, Van Cleve said. Doggett then fired.

Van Cleve said he believed Doggett fired at a beer bottle with the intention of scaring Threet and that the bullet hit a tree, glanced and struck Threet in the top of the head.

Van Cleve, who has resided in Cisco for some time but who recently had been living at Slaton, told the officers that Mary Lou Powell planned to lure Threet off to his pasture and that Doggett was to follow them and hijack them and take Threet's money. Doggett picked him (Van Cleve) up in Cisco and induced him to go with him. After Doggett shot Threet, Van Cleve said, they took about \$100 off Threet and left him and the woman and went back to Cisco by a circuitous route. Later Mary Lou Powell came into Cisco and reported to officers that she and Threet had been hijacked; that she had been tied up but got loose and she did not know what had happened to Threet. She later, however, accompanied officers to the pasture where Threet was found lying on a quilt with a jug of water by his side. His billfold, minus its contents, was found nearby.

Van Cleve is being held in the Cisco jail. Charges of murder and robbery with firearms will be filed against him also. District Attorney Grady Owen said. Owen also said he would oppose bond for either of the trio held in connection with the case.

Owen said he promised Mary Lou Powell immunity from the electric chair if she would give the officers the truth about the case, but that she refused. Van Cleve, the district attorney said, volunteered his statement without the promise of immunity.

Owen said he would endeavor to give Doggett and Mary Lou Powell the death penalty on a charge of murder.

Van Cleve accompanied officers to a place just off the highway near Rising Star where the guns, a 30-30 rifle and .22-caliber rifle used in the holdup and killing were concealed. Officers secured the guns.

## Car Registrations Showing Increase

AUSTIN.—New passenger car registrations in Texas during July made a favorable showing in comparison with the corresponding month last year, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

A total of 4,952 registrations in 16 representative Texas counties was 22.2 per cent above the 4,059 sales in July, 1933, but 14.5 per cent below the 5,801 cars in June of the current year.

During the first seven months of the year sales totaling 31,277 cars representing a gain of 59.2 per cent over the 20,825 cars during the corresponding period last year.

## NEW OIL TEST

Work is in progress by the Kirk Oil Refining and Texas Water Oil company of Eastland on the J. S. Turner No. 5 well in Eastland county in the Turner 40-acre tract, section 30, block 2, according to records in the railroad commission oil and gas office in Eastland. The well is located 475 feet from the north line in the tract and 630 feet from the east line.

## Residents of Same Voting Precinct Run for Governor

AUSTIN, Tex.—Two residents of the same voting precinct in Wichita Falls, are waging a finish fight against each other to be declared Democratic nominee for Governor of Texas on Aug. 25.

They are James V. Allred, attorney general of Texas, and Tom F. Hunter, oil man and attorney. Both are country boys. Allred shined shoes as a lad to keep going to school. Hunter pressed pants for fellow students at Texas Polytechnic college.

A third resident of Wichita Falls, C. C. McDonald, was eliminated from the race in a first primary, July 28. A majority vote for nomination is required. McDonald now is trying to help Hunter overcome a 56,000-vote lead Allred had in the first primary. More than a million ballots were cast then.

Hunter ran third two years ago in a contest with "Ma" Ferguson and Gov. Ross S. Sterling. He attacked Ferguson's then and "Pa" Ferguson attacked him in the recent race, but now they are together against Allred.

Abolition of the state's ad valorem tax is Hunter's chief plank. Allred answered with photographs of Hunter's large home and cited records to prove Hunter's interest in 70 oil wells. Homesteads are now exempt from tax up to \$3,000 value.

Ferguson, seeking support for membership on the National Democratic Executive Committee, backed McDonald in the first primary. A Governor friendly to him could change the complexion of many state boards and bureaus. These now have two thirds of their members named by anti-Ferguson Governors and a third named by Mrs. Ferguson. Each now Governor names a third.

Republicans nominated D. E. Wagoner, Dallas business man, in an untested first primary with 1500 votes east.

## Jam-Up Boxing And Wrestling On Elks Card Monday

Elks Arena for Monday night will be the scene of another jam-up boxing and wrestling match. These cards are looked forward to each Monday night by fans over the Oil Belt and next Monday will be no exception.

In the boxing Bobby Reed will be matched against Chick Alvarez, fast and furious boxer from the Rio Grande country. Bobby will have his hands full if he gets the decision over this young scrapper.

In the wrestling the jiu-jitsu artist, who is none other than Jack Fields, will be matched against Jack Hendricks of Fort Worth. Hendricks is no stranger in Ranger and the fans will be expecting a real match for their money. On the two previous matches here Fields has put his opponents out in short style. Hendricks says he has been training for the style of wrestling that Fields uses.

The first will see Doc Poole and Pat Swanson twisting necks and arms and probably a few blows will be exchanged. A both these men are in the light heavy-weight division and will put up a real show.

It was also announced Monday night would be Grocery Night.

## Code Authority Allows Cut In Building Material

Prices of building materials in this code district dropped Saturday 10 to 15 per cent. The lower prices were authorized at a meeting of the district code authority in Mineral Wells Friday, it was announced by F. E. Harrell, Eastland county code authority chairman.

## Celebrated Golden Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Cole, who only last Tuesday, Aug. 14, celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary with an informal open house at their home, Hodges street, from 4 to 6 o'clock during which time a large number of guests called. Mr. and Mrs. Cole are the parents of four children, one of whom is Cecil Cole, graduate of State University and employe of the Lone Star Gas company.

## Socialists Plan For Political Race

The socialist party of Texas at its convention at San Antonio nominated the following candidates for state office and have filed with the secretary of state for the general election in November:

- For U. S. senator, W. B. Starr, Cisco.
- For governor, George Clifton Edwards, Dallas.
- For lieutenant governor, E. M. Lane, Sherman.
- For attorney general, F. W. Hubbard, San Antonio.
- For comptroller of public accounts, J. M. Jewell, Waco.
- For state treasurer, William Plampan, San Antonio.
- For superintendent of public instruction, Bertha Blatt, Fort Worth.
- For commissioner of agriculture, Oliver Williams, Lorena.
- For general land office, John M. Killough, Waco.
- For railroad commissioner, J. W. Hembree, Smithville.
- For associate justice of supreme court, Guy L. Smith, Fort Lavaca.
- For judge court of criminal appeals, Thomas B. Burns, Fort Worth.

Plans are being formulated for a vigorous campaign throughout the entire state.

## Penn Jackson Is Allred Speaker In Ranger Wednesday

Penn Jackson, district attorney of Johnson county, spoke in Ranger Wednesday night before a small crowd in the interest of James V. Allred, candidate for governor, opposing Tom F. Hunter. Judge W. S. Adamson, in a few well chosen words, introduced the speaker, who soon launched into some of the campaign issues and urged the voters to cast their ballots for Allred in the election next Saturday.

Considerable interest was thrown into the rally when some heckling was started after the speaker read from the records a part of a case against Tom Hunter, who, it was asserted, was charged with carrying a pistol some years ago.

The speaker was requested to read the rest of the record, not letting the subject drop with only a partial reading, and he then read the remainder of the record, which showed that the charge had been thrown out.

The speaker goes to Cisco today, where he will make another talk in the interest of the candidate and will speak at the courthouse in Eastland Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

## TEXTILE HEADS FORM PLANS FOR A STRIKE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Cotton textile union leaders today advanced their plans for a general strike before Sept. 1.

They dispatched strike workers to important centers throughout the country so that should the strike be called their campaign would be uniform.

The special strike committee, headed by Francis Gorman, first vice president of the United Textile Workers, was still hopeful that President Roosevelt or "someone else in the government with real authority" might be able to avert the walkout, which would be the biggest under the new deal.

Gorman said, however, that until the government took definite action or the industry met the demands of workers, his committee stood ready to order the strike.

He discussed his fruitless conferences with various divisions and boards of the NRA and said he was through conferring.

## County's Relief Needs Discussed At A Meeting

Representatives from this senatorial district and the 166th and 107th representative districts were instructed by a resolution passed at a meeting of citizens of Eastland county in Eastland Wednesday to work for the issuance by the Legislature of the \$9,500,000 remaining Texas Relief Bonds at the coming called session of the Legislature, which convenes Monday.

The Eastland meeting, called by H. E. Driscoll, Eastland county relief administrator, was for the purpose of ascertaining as nearly as possible what Eastland county's relief needs would be for the next few months, or until February.

Delegations, headed by the mayors, were present from the various towns of the county. Senator W. B. Collier and Representatives O. F. Chastain and Cecil A. Lotief, were also present.

Judge Earl Conner, chairman of the county board, attended along with H. E. Driscoll, who presided over the meeting.

## Copy of Ballot to Be Used Saturday

The following is a copy of the ballot to be used in the second democratic primary on Saturday, August 25, except that the home of the state candidates has been omitted.

As the ballot is a short one it will require very little time to vote and the election judges should be able to have the votes in their boxes counted early.

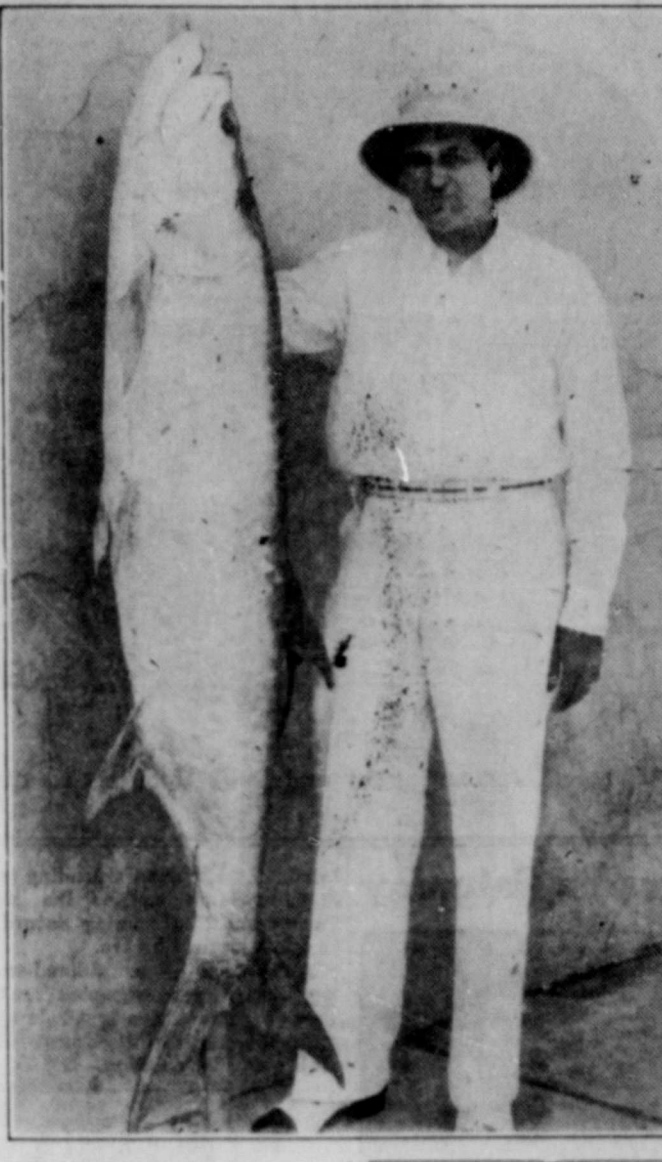
- COPY OF BALLOT**
- For Governor—TOM F. HUNTER, JAMES V. ALLRED, WALTER WOODLIF, JOE MOORE.
  - For Attorney General—WALTER WOODWARD, WILLIAM McCRAW.
  - For Railroad Commissioner—LON A. SMITH, JOHN PUNDT.
  - For Associate Justice Supreme Court—H. S. LATTIMORE, JOHN H. SHARP.
  - For Representative 107th Dist.—ED CURRY, CECIL A. LOTIEF.
  - For Representative 106th Dist.—GEORGE A. DAVISSON, JR., E. A. RINGOLD.
  - For County Treasurer—MRS. FRANCES T. COOPER, JOHN WHITE.
  - For County School Superintendent—CLAIBORNE ELDRIDGE, T. C. WILLIAMS.
  - For County Surveyor—W. T. (BILL) DAVENPORT, WILLIAM SHERIFFS.

## Kilgore Wants Water Not An Oil Well

KILGORE, Tex.—Kilgore, which has more wells than any other place of the same area, now faces a drilling difficulty. Everywhere a well is drilled it strikes oil. This time the city wants water—500 gallons a minute to supplement the city's present supply. Contractors hope to get the water and \$12,000 by drilling in Happy Hollow.

It won't last forever, but one idea of "splendid isolation" these sweltering days is a moth in a Kansas overcoat.

## PROOF OF HIS FISH STORY



"Pinch fish catcher" is a good title for Grady Pipkin, pictured with this six-foot 150-pound tarpon caught in the gulf waters at Port Aransas June 12. Mr. Pipkin made the fishing jaunt with a party of 13 while attending the state convention of Piggly Wiggly operators at Corpus Christi. He was the only one in the party who made a catch and it was the first he had caught of this nature. Those with him were Fay Earnest of Eastland, Jess Pipkin and Barney Tyson of Breckenridge, Ed Sargent of Ranger. It took Grady 45 minutes to land the tarpon after it had swallowed the six-inch mullet bait.

Grady is a persistent fisherman and never fails to get a big share of the catch whenever he goes out on his fishing "sprees."

The fish has been mounted and is now on display at the Piggly Wiggly store in Eastland.

## Grand Jury May Investigate Two Murder Cases

Investigation of the death of L. F. Threet, Cisco rancher, in which three persons are charged with murder in connection with the case, and the fatal stabbing of Clarence D. Herring, which occurred in Eastland recently, will in all likelihood be made by the 88th district court grand jury which will convene Sept. 2.

Elmer Van Cleve, L. F. Doggett and Mary Lou Howell have been charged by the state with murder and robbery in connection with the case. The trio is being held in the Eastland county jail and none have made efforts to obtain release by bond.

Buddie Motley, who is charged by complaint with the murder of Clarence D. Herring, who died in Eastland following infliction of stab wounds, made bond last week in the sum of \$6,500.

## County Candidates To Speak Friday Night In Ranger

County candidates who are to be in the run-off primary on Saturday will make their last appeals to the Ranger voters Friday night, when all will appear for as speaking engagements on Biak street.

During the first campaign the candidates met and selected a committee to arrange their speaking engagements, so that all candidates might appear on the same night to present their views together.

A similar arrangement was made during the second primary campaign and the committee selected Friday night for the speaking engagement in Ranger.

## ANOTHER OF JAILBREAKERS ALSO CAUGHT

RATON, N. M., Aug. 23.—A sheriff's posse today captured two men who escaped from the Lubbock jail on June 24, one of them a condemned murderer, at Therna 68 miles southwest of here.

Ed (Perchmouth) Stanton, condemned killer, was taken on the streets of Therna. One of his companions in the break, Andrew H. Nelson, was seized in a stolen car a short distance from Therna. In the week following the Lubbock escape numerous filling station robberies and other crimes committed in West Texas were attributed to the heavily armed fugitives. Poses sought them over an area 12 counties square without success.

Acting on a tip that the Texas desperadoes were loitering about the village and making ready to seek a hideout, Sheriff E. B. Fletcher led a crew of deputies and surprised the fugitives, capturing them without firing a shot. Both were armed but were given no opportunity to use their weapons as the officers pounced upon them.

The capture of both men was effected simultaneously between 2:30 and 3:00 a. m.

After the fugitives were placed in the sheriff's car they showed signs of fight. Officers said they belted the outlaws over the heads with guns and subdued them.

Time and again the outlaws switched automobiles, once burning an abandoned machine. They were sighted on several occasions but always faded into rugged, wooded country, where their trail was lost.

Recently it was reported Stanton had joined Raymond Hamilton. They were identified as bandits who robbed a filling station at Vernon.

LUBBOCK, Aug. 23.—Lubbock county officers left today for Raton, N. M., on the report Ed Stanton was held there.

## Retail Jewelers to Meet In Abilene

Retail jewelers in towns from Taylor, Howard, Mitchell, Nolan, Coleman, Brown, Fisher, Jones, Shackelford, Haskell, Throckmorton, Callahan, Eastland and Comanche counties will meet at the Hotel Wooten, Abilene, Sunday, Aug. 26 at 3 p. m., for final drafting of a district code trade committee for mutual protection as provided for under the NRA.

This meeting will supplement the one held in Abilene, July 29 in which Rex A. Smith of Abilene was named chairman and Jerome L. Gunn of Abilene was named secretary and treasurer. Other elected members to serve on the trade committee are J. P. Majors of Sweetwater, R. A. Crowell of Haskell, Jerry Harbor of Coleman, Sam Majors of Colorado, and C. M. Presley of Abilene.

A large meeting is planned and it is hoped by the committee that each and every independent retail jeweler and watchmaker will be present.

## Italians Planning A Wine Campaign

ROME.—Some thousands of Italians will have their palates wooed with the finest wines of this country when the government sets about its campaign in September to make Italy more "wine conscious."

In order to put a real kick into its wine boosting efforts the government has ordered the construction of a motor truck equipped with the most up-to-date refrigerators and tasting booths, which will tour the country giving the Italian in the street a first-hand acquaintance with his native wines. The truck will be labeled with the slogan, "Drink More Wine."

The most exquisite examples of Italian wines will be carried in the truck. The truck, which now is nearing completion, will begin its tour in September, starting at Padua and will finish up at Naples on Nov. 30. This propaganda tour is being organized jointly by the ministries of interior and agriculture.

## Car Resembling a Stolen One Causes Driver Some Delay

The Ranger police were on the alert for a stolen car Wednesday night, and while on the lookout for the stolen automobile ran down one that answered the description, but which proved to be the wrong car.

A call from Mineral Wells after midnight informed the police that a Chevrolet sedan, 1929 model, painted red, with three green and one red wheel, had been stolen and it was thought the thieves were headed in the direction of Ranger.

Some time after the call was received Guy Pledger, in making his rounds, saw a car that answered the description. It was a red Chevrolet sedan of the same model and he noticed that some of the wheels were red and some green.

He pursued the car for several blocks and overtook it on the east side of town.

When he approached the car he found that it had a New Mexico license plate and on closer examination found that it had two red and two green wheels. Still not satisfied he checked the motor number and found it did not correspond with the one telephoned from Mineral Wells.

"You will probably be stopped a half dozen times between here and Fort Worth," he told the two men in the car. "Because a description of the stolen car has been sent to every town along this highway and officers will be looking for it. Your car so nearly answers the description sent out that you will likely have to prove it isn't the stolen car several times."

The men went on their way prepared to be delayed several times because of the resemblance of the two machines.

## Traffic Violations Will Be Curbed

BEAUMONT, Tex.—Judge C. E. Casey of the Beaumont corporation court, has threatened to increase penalties if traffic violations in the city don't stop.

Judge Casey said if there wasn't a decrease in violations within a week he was going to fine violators \$2 instead of the usual \$1.

Many motorists apparently are ignoring stop signs and red lights in this city and it must step for the safety of all, the judge said.

## GEOGRAPHICAL CENTER IN KITCHEN SINK

LEWISTON, Mont.—The geographical center of Montana is the kitchen sink in the home of Dr. E. E. Dickery in Lewiston. This has been disclosed by official surveys.

## SELL REAL ESTATE ON FOOT

ANTRIM N. H.—Charles Jameson, 70, real estate man, would walk 100 miles to sell a farm. He does all his business on foot as walking gives him a better idea on available property. Recently he sold a farm 100 miles away.

# Theatres Have Good Pictures for Next Week

## WILL ROGERS WILL BE SEEN IN 'HANDY ANDY'

Other Outstanding Pictures Have Been Secured For The Entire Week.

Ranger theatregoers will again have the thrill of seeing Will Rogers in his latest picture Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Starting the week off Friday, "Double Door," a new mystery thriller which stars Evelyn Venable, Mary Morris and Anne Revere will be shown. On this date a 20-minute comedy and a 10-minute sport reel will complete the bill.

Saturday Lee Tracy returns to the local screen in his latest picture, "You Belong to Me." Tracy plays the part of a second-rate vaudeville comic who is suddenly thrust in the lives of an incompetent actress and her young son.

Helen Mack and Helen Morgan support Tracy in this picture. A Terry-toon, 10-minute review, and Pathe News conclude the bill for this day. Sunday the Arcadia gets "Whom Gods Destroy," which picture features Walter Connolly, Doris Kenyon and Robert Young. This picture promises to be very good entertainment.

The really outstanding picture of the week comes Monday when Will Rogers will take the local screen in his latest picture, "Handy Andy." This will mark the first time Rogers has appeared on the local screen in some time. The last time was in "David Harum." In this picture Rogers has a wife with social ambition and of course, Will, in his own way, talks himself out of a lot of social gatherings. He also serves as cupid in his daughter's romance with a young man his wife doesn't approve of. Peggy Wood has the part of his wife and Mary Carlisle has the part of his daughter. To complete this already complete bill, a Charlie Chase comedy and a cartoon are included.

The Columbia Saturday plays "Fighting Ranger," featuring Buck Jones, which picture offers much hard riding and fast shooting. The third chapter of "Wolf Dog" and a Merrie Melody complete the bill for this date. Sunday the Columbia will be showing the greatest musical ever produced, "Footlight Parade." This picture will be remembered as the one with the most elaborate musical scenes ever made in any picture produced by Warner Bros. Dick Powell, Ruby Keeler, James Cagney, Joan Blondell, Guy Kubbe and many others make up the cast of this picture. A 10-minute Warner Bros. short subject concludes the bill.

REALISM IN FILMS ENDS FAKE PUNCHES FOR FIGHT SCENES

Fightfighting in motion pictures, particularly westerns, are becoming more and more authentic. Instead of pulling their punches and using the camera as a means of making the fight look realistic, the battlers actually let loose occasionally and real fights ensue.

In "The Fighting Ranger," a Columbia picture showing at the Columbia Theatre Saturday, an actual fight was held, unintentionally, of course. The two participants were Ward Bond and Buck Jones.

FAMOUS SCREEN STARS HEAD LARGE CAST IN 'FOOTLIGHT PARADE'

Twelve of Hollywood's brilliant stars head the tremendous cast of noted players who appear in the Warner Bros. mammoth spectacle, "Footlight Parade," which comes to the Columbia Theatre on Sunday.

The two principals are James Cagney and Joan Blondell who played together on the stage and now to stardom side by side on the screen, playing together in "Sinner's Holiday," "The Crowd Roars," and "Blonde Crazy" before they began to star separately. And now they are united again in "Footlight Parade" as one of the greatest teams of wise-cracking, fast-action players that ever together appeared on the screen.

ROGERS' 'HANDY ANDY' IS HAILED AS FUNNIEST OF HIS ENTIRE CAREER

His wife wanted him to retire and play a little, but all play and no work makes Will a wild boy.

That, in brief, is the story of Will Rogers' latest picture, "Handy Andy," coming to the Arcadia Theatre on Monday. Advance reports from the preview say this is the funniest comedy of his career. And the highlights of the story bear this out.

14 TOMATOES ON STEM PAINESVILLE, O. — Fourteen tomatoes were grown on one stem in W. G. Thayer's garden.



Joan Blondell, James Cagney and Ruby Keeler, charming trio to be seen in "Footlight Parade."

### Arcadia Saturday



Lee Tracy in "You Belong to Me."

### QUESTION OF MAN'S DUTY TO MAN POSED IN DRAMATIC FILM

Just where does a man's duty to humanity stop and his duty to himself begin?

This question is treated with amazing forcefulness in "Whom the Gods Destroy," featuring Walter Connolly, Doris Kenyon and Robert Young, which opens Sunday at the Arcadia theatre.

### NEW TRACY FILM

As the shiftless, broken-down comic, who lives only for a laugh and later learns the joke is on himself, Lee Tracy, fast-talking

### At Arcadia Monday



His wife wants him to play, and he does!—Will Rogers as he appears in "Handy Andy" with Conchita Montenegro, which opens Monday at the Arcadia for a three day stand.

### COLUMBIA SUNDAY

Special actor, plays the leading role in "You Belong to Me," the new Paramount film, coming Saturday to the Arcadia Theatre. Away from his usual hand-waving newspaper reporter roles, Tracy is shown here in a role that gives him opportunity for considerable dramatic acting.

### KOKOMO

Rev. Collins of Oiden preached here Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wood of Eastland visited relatives here this week.

Carrie Snider of the Lone Star community spent Sunday with Edith Parker.

Alta Everett is spending the week with her cousin, Merle Thomas at Alameda.

Wardine Wharton and Verta Mae Eaves visited Mrs. Fay Crawley Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Duggans are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Sunday.

Rozelle Lusater was the guest of Dell Hagar Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Estes Jumper and family of Eastland visited relatives here Sunday.

Several from here attended the singing at Grandview Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reynolds visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Reynolds, Friday.

Bill Holiday spent Saturday night with his brother, Roy. Uncle McDonald is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coop of near Lone Cedar.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers and baby visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Timmons.

Dud Graham is visiting relatives of this community.

Mrs. C. D. Everton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Finis Johnson, at Pumpkin Center.

### BARK FISH NET ON DISPLAY

OGDEN, Utah—An Indian cedar bark fish net that was found in a southern Utah cave, will be one of the unique exhibits of a collection displayed by Jim Johnston at the Pioneer Day celebration here.

Johnston has been collecting for 50 years. In the exhibit will be such curious objects as a two-headed, four-eyed lamb, rare species of ring-tailed cat and the only boom-erang ever found on the American continent.

### Boy Writes Eulogy To Dead Bird Dog

MINERAL WELLS.—John Belcher, 13, killed two birds with one stone in writing Father W. F. Parke, Catholic minister, about the death of his bird dog. When Father Parke left for Chicago on a visit he put his dog in John's care. The dog died. The sorrowful lad composed a eulogy to the dog and sent it to Father Parke to inform him of the death:

"Nellie, oh, Nellie! with her honest dog face. Has gone, dear Father, to her last resting place. Our skill as dog doctors, she put to a test, But I'm sorry to state, she has gone to her rest."

"Mother, with delicacy, would throw her a bone, While barbecued meat I would order by phone. But with all that, and flea-powder, too, I saw there was nothing we could do."

I had her a few days—I think about seven; But now Father Parke, she has gone to dog heaven."

### Canning Output at Beaumont Doubled

BEAUMONT.—The Beaumont relief canning plant, output has been increased to more than double its usual production in compliance with orders from the state relief commissioner.

The increase in production was merely getting back to the output abandoned several weeks ago, J. M. Williamson, county relief administrator, said.

The daily production now is 10,000 cans, where it formerly was 5,000.

### El Paso Plans a Dog Racing Track

EL PASO.—Plans are under way to open the Dona Ana dog racing track near here Labor Day. At present the plans call for a 30-day race meet, with schooling races to be held 10 days before the meet opens in order to train the dogs.

Attorney R. B. Rawlins has been appointed general manager of the meet. J. E. Ringer will be racing secretary. Other officials were to be announced later.

It was expected that more than 150 dogs from the best kennels in Kansas, Oklahoma and California would be entered. About 50 local thoroughbreds have been booked.

The racing schedule calls for between six and eight races daily.

Pari-mutuel betting under the supervision of New Mexico officials will be in effect at the track.

### Houston Building Permits Increased

HOUSTON.—Houston's building record since the first of the year has passed the \$5,000,000 mark. Last year the \$3,000,000 mark was not passed until the end of September.

Most of the building permits called for erection of store and office buildings and warehouse space.

CLEVELAND, O. — Motorists one day suddenly noticed names and dates painted alongside traffic lines at principal downtown intersections. They scratched their heads. Finally, Traffic Commissioner Edward J. Donahue explained that the police department

### COLUMBIA 10c and 15c Saturday

He became a thief—to catch a thief!



Wolf Dog—Merry Melody

was testing various paints to see which would last best for white traffic lines.

### ARCADIA SATURDAY

Women will understand, men will admire, everyone will thrill to this heart-warming drama



### YOU BELONG TO ME

Lee Tracy — Helen Mack More Joy! Cartoon — Review Pathe — News

### ARCADIA SUNDAY

A hero to the world a coward in his heart!



### WHOM THE GODS DESTROY

WALTER CONNOLLY ROBERT YOUNG DORIS KENYON

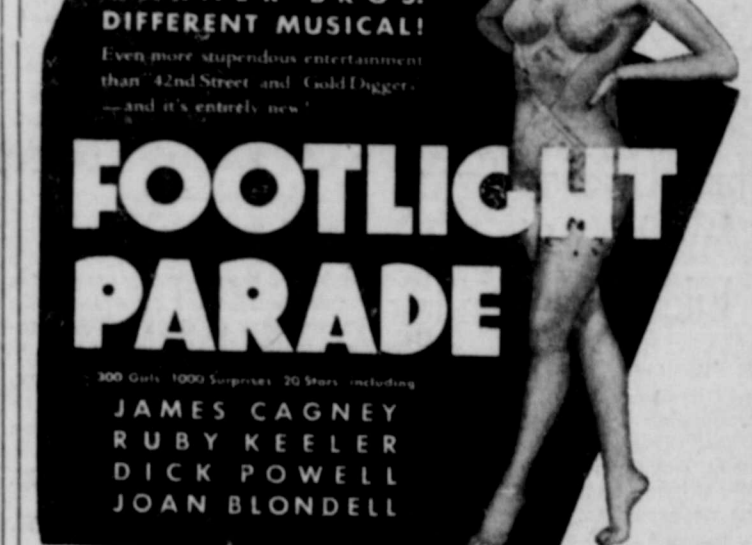
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Our Gang Comedy Paramount News

### 10c COLUMBIA 15c SUNDAY

WARNER BROS. DIFFERENT MUSICAL!

Even more stupendous entertainment than "42nd Street" and "Gold Digger"—and it's entirely new!



### FOOTLIGHT PARADE

JAMES CAGNEY RUBY KEELER DICK POWELL JOAN BLONDELL

ADDED FOR FUN "LAUGHS-IN-LAW"—Musical

### ARCADIA FRIDAY ONLY

THE FEMALE FRANKENSTEIN at Fifth Avenue. She'll make your blood run cold.

### MARY MORRIS "DOUBLE DOOR"

Attend the Matinee! 10c and 15c 'til 5 p. m.

TONITE IS BANK NIGHT!

You'll HAVE TO believe your eyes!

When he panics a Mardi Gras!

When he raises a family riot!

When he lands in jail—and likes it!

And when he gives that Tarzan yell, you'll drown in yells of laughter!

# WILL ROGERS HANDY ANDY

with PEGGY WOOD—MARY CARLISLE—ROBERT TAYLOR

## ARCADIA MON. TUES. WED.

ALL SEATS 10c - 25c NO PASSES HONORED

# Children Will Love the New Package for Kellogg's Krispies

## VOTE FOR T. C. WILLIAMS

He was born in the rural community, attended the rural schools, taught and supervised rural schools for 16 years. His people all live in the rural community. He knows the needs and the conditions of the rural schools and rural people perhaps better than any other teacher in the county. He is a real friend to the rural schools and rural life. He has made no promises the cannot fulfill. He is energetic, fair, patient, progressive and considerate and will do the right thing in all dealings. He has lived in Eastland County for 15 years. You will make no mistake to vote for T. C. Williams.

(Political Advertisement)

## OLDEN

Special Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Buckley are expected to return from California the first of next month. They have been enjoying a month's vacation and visiting their two sons and a daughter in California.

Lynwood Stephens of Stephenville is visiting Glen Adams here this week.

Baldrige Crawford returned Sunday from the national guard encampment near Palacio, where he had been in camp the past two weeks.

The young people of the Olden Methodist church enjoyed a mid-night supper and picnic Tuesday night following church services. The crowd went on a big truck and

in cars out to the power plant, where they enjoyed the games and supper. A number of grown people accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ford of Overton are expected to arrive Saturday for a visit with their relatives here. George Ford is with the Humble Oil company in East Texas.

Mrs. Ella Cox, who underwent a serious operation at an Eastland hospital a week ago, is reported resting nicely at this time. Mrs. Cox is a sister of Mrs. Carl Crone of Olden. Her home is in McCamey.

Mrs. M. A. Lewellan of Tuttle, Okla., visited here last week. She had come to be with her daughter, Mrs. Cox, who was ill. Mrs. Lewellan returned to her home the latter part of the week.

Bill Jackson of Tuttle, Okla., but formerly of Olden, was an Olden visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Upton and son, Cordell, are on their vacation at this time. They expected to visit A Century of Progress in Chicago and also other Illinois points before returning to their home in Olden.

Several Olden boys intend to enroll in Ranger Junior College at its opening in September.

Gene Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Watson, expects to attend school in Waxahachie this fall and winter.

J. L. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones of Ranger but formerly of Olden, expects to attend school at Alabama university this fall and winter.

## Paramount Cafe Now Serving ABC Beer

Bill Dorsey, manager of the Paramount cafe, has announced a special treat for the thirsty Rangerites or visitors to the city, since he has obtained the agency for A-B-C beer, which is manufactured in California from the purest of sparkling water, good hops and

malt and other ingredients that go into the best beers.

The refreshing drink is now being served over the counter or with meals at the Paramount cafe, and has been declared by many to be the ultimate in the brewing art. The beverage comes in tall, 16-ounce bottles, and contains a sparkle and taste that will suit the most discriminating.

CALCUTTA.—A golf match between two British army officers, one of whom wore a gas mask while making his shots, has been played at Calcutta. And the man in the gas mask won. He was Capt. R. B. Simpson, of the Durham Light Infantry, and he had been challenged to play the match by Major E. H. Barker, of the King's Royal Rifle Corps.

SPRINGFIELD, O.—Mrs. Corinne Barnett, 60, was killed when a bolt of lightning struck into the midst of a revival meeting as she sang in the choir.

A man in Kearney, Neb., tried to kill himself three times in five days and failed. He never was successful at anything.

## KELLOGG'S RICE KRISPIES

Get a Package Today

Mother Goose Stories for the kiddies. Tom, the Piper's Son, Old Mother Goose, and several others. The name is on the front; the story is on the back.

ADAMS & CO.

## PIGGY WIGGLY

### NEW CUSTOMER SALE

Let's get acquainted! Piggy Wiggly has a lot to offer you . . . in easy, time- and trouble-saving shopping . . . in guaranteed quality . . . in sensible, economical prices. In this sale we offer a flock of specials . . . so take this great opportunity to learn the many advantages Piggy Wiggly offers you.

### Fresh Fruits - Vegetables



Everything that's seasonable . . . choice selected produce at thrift-wise prices.

ORANGES	2 dozen 33c
LEMONS	dozen 25c
LETTUCE	head 6c
TOMATOES	pound 10c
POTATOES	10 lbs. 23c



"Help Yourself" to anything in the store!

PINEAPPLE	Sliced or Crushed, 3 Flat cans 25c
Rosedale PEACHES	large can 16c
TOMATO JUICE	Libby's or Campbell's, 3 cans 20c
KRAUT	No. 2 can 9c—2 lrg. cans 25c
TOMATOES, Wapco	No. 2 can 10c
PORK & BEANS	can 5c
BLUE RIBBON MALT	can 55c
SPINACH, No. 2	can 9c, 2 lrg. cans 25c
GREEN BEANS	No. 2 can 9c
CHUM SALMON	2 cans 25c
Andrew's Vienna Sausage	2 cans 9c

### QUALITY MEATS



Tender, delicious . . . always fresh . . . priced right.

Sliced BACON	lb. 28c
ROAST, baby beef veal	lb. 15c
BACON SQUARES	Sugar-Cured lb. 17c
VEAL LOAF MEAT	Pork Added lb. 10c
Pure Pork SAUSAGE	lb. 15c

### Pipkin's Special COFFEE

lb. 19c  
Maxwell House COFFEE  
1-lb. can 30c  
3-lb. can 87c

### Cliquot Club Gingerale

2 bottles 21c

### Grape Juice

pts. 15c qts. 29c  
SOUR PICKLES  
full quart 15c

### POST TOASTIES

2 pkgs. 19c



Calling your attention to a really good buy!

### P & G or OK SOAP

6 Big Bars 23c  
DRESSED HENS FRYERS

### BARBECUE ASSORTED LUNCH MEATS



Watch Our Windows for Added Specials



Bananas, Golden Fruit	2 lbs. 9c
Concord Grapes	17c
Italian Prunes	2 dozen 13c
Lettuce, firm heads	head 5c
Red Potatoes	10 lbs. 27c

Sunnyfield Corn Flakes	1g. 9c; sm. 6c
Sunnyfield Bran Flakes	pkg. 7c
A&P Grape Juice	2 pint bottles 25c
A&P Grape Juice	quart 25c
Encore Macaroni or Spaghetti	pkg. 5c
Encore Noodles	2 pkgs. 13c
Waldorf Toilet Paper	3 rolls 13c
Scot Tissue	3 rolls 22c
Spinach	2 No. 2 cans 17c

### Uneda Macaroon Sandwiches

Grandmothers Bread	loaf 7c
Grandmothers Cakes	10c, 15c, 20c
Special Raisin Loaf	9c
Rajah Salad Dressing	pint 17c; qt. 29c

COFFEE—It's Delicious Iced or Hot :  
8 o'clock lb. 19c Red Circle lb. 23c  
Bokar Coffee lb. 27c

Sparkle Gelatin Dessert	pkg. 5c
Sparkle Ice Cream Dessert	pkg. 7c

Buffalo Matches	carton of 6—24c
Quaker Crackles	pkg. 12c
Raisin Bran	pkg. 13c

### WHEATIES DELICIOUS CEREAL

2 pkgs. 23c	
Veal Steak, round, loin, T-bone	2 lb 25c
Sliced Breakfast Bacon	lb. 21c
VEAL CHOPS	lb. 12c
VEAL SEVEN STEAK	lb. 10c
VEAL SEVEN ROAST	lb. 9c
VEAL STEW	lb. 6c
BULK PEANUT BUTTER	lb. 12c
DRY SALT BACON	lb. 13c
SHANKLESS PICNIC HAMS	lb. 16c

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TRY A WANT AD—IT ALWAYS PAYS!

## LOOK Mother Goose Stories on KELLOGG'S RICE KRISPIES packages



CHILDREN always have fun eating Kellogg's Rice Krispies, but now the package brings fun.

Those wonderful Mother Goose stories told exclusively by Kellogg's Singing Lady now appear on the back of every package of Rice Krispies. As you buy Rice Krispies you will get the stories about Little Tommy Tucker, Simple Simon, Old King Cole, Jack Be Nimble, Old Mother Hubbard, Tom, the Piper's Son, and others that children know and love. A new literature for children originated by Kellogg.

Don't deny your children the fun of having these delightful stories and eating Rice Krispies. Children love to hear those toasted rice bubbles crackle in milk or cream. They like the flavor. Remember Rice Krispies are nourishing and easy to digest.

Always oven-fresh in the WAXTITE wrapper placed inside the red-and-green package. Made by Kellogg in Battle Creek. Quality guaranteed.

## Kellogg's RICE KRISPIES

# Values! Values! Values!

## GROCERY SPECIALS!

LEMONS... Sun-Kist	dozen	19c
LETTUCE... large firm heads	each	6c
CHERRIES 2 Red Pitted cans		25c
PRUNES Fresh Gal.		39c
PEAS—Olympia brand, No. 2 cans		19c
Red Kidney BEANS Reiber's, 2 cans		19c
MATCHES 6 boxes		24c
CRACKERS, NBC Excell 2-pound box		23c
PEANUT BUTTER Jar		14c
Ice Cream SALT, 10 lbs.		15c

### FRESH MEATS

PLENTY HENS AND FRYERS—LIVE OR DRESSED		
BACON SQUARES	lb.	20c
BEEF ROAST	lb.	12c
STEAK	lb.	6c
PORK ROAST	lb.	15c
STEAK 2 pounds		35c
CREAM CHEESE	lb.	25c
SLICED BACON	lb.	28c
MEAT LOAF	lb.	10c

HOMINY—No. 2 1/2 cans 3 cans for 29c



MOTHER'S OATS Large Size Box Each		28c
COFFEE, Folger's, Drip or regular grind, 2-lb. can		67c
Vienna SAUSAGE—Wilson's 2 cans		15c
POTTED MEAT, 3 cans		10c
BAKING POWDERS Health Club 2-lb. can		21c

**BEST MAID**  
SALAD DRESSING  
Quart 25c

MACARONI or SPAGHETTI	Box	15c
SOAP, Giant size White or Yellow	4 Bars for	15c
IVORY FLAKES—Large Size		25c
COFFEE—Break o' Morn	1-Lb. pkg.	21c

FRESH VEGETABLES — Carrots, Beets, Radishes, Turnips and Tops, Mustard Greens, Squash, Cucumbers, Eggplants, Green Beans, Okra, Tomatoes, Blackeyed Peas, Lettuce, and Celery.

POTATOES Large Clean Whites	10 lbs.	23c
MILK PETER PAN SMALL CANS	3 for	10c

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### RANGER WEEKLY TIMES

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### COTTON CARRYOVER SAID TO BE 10,000,000 BALES

Now an important adviser of one of the recovery setups reminds the country that the drought does not end the farmers' surplus problem. And why? "We still have a cotton carryover of 10,000,000 bales when we need only 5,000,000. We still have stocks of tobacco of certain types three times normal. The wheat carryover may be down close to normal, and the record number of cattle may be brought down by the emergency slaughter program close to normal."

Well, think of Egypt. A locust plague threatens to destroy all the crops in that ancient country. Regardless of the pessimists and the croakers the old world will jog along as it has jogged for millions of years and the people now on earth will march on as countless billions have marched in all the dead ages. Life is not a comic opera joke or play. It is a battle from the cradle to the grave. The weak and the spineless fall by the wayside. The courageous, the men and women with steel backbones, face all the crises of life and carry on from the cradle to the grave.

### Claiborne Eldridge Asks Your Support

I thank you from the depth of my heart for the 478 lead you gave me in the July primary. I have done my best to see and thank you personally but time would not permit me to see each and every one of you. So I'm using this method of telling you how much I would appreciate your vote and influence Aug. 25.

I came to Eastland county in 1903. I lived 19 years at Gorman and 11 years at Carbon. My education was obtained in the rural schools and Hankins Normal College. I began teaching in 1910. I have been teaching continuously since then with the exception of time I served my country in the war.

As the larger portion of my life has been spent in the rural schools, I am sure I know rural schools and their needs. It is evident that there are certain needs peculiar to the rural school and that the curriculum should be built around those needs. The same curriculum is not exactly suited to both city and rural schools. This does not mean that there could not exist a spirit of fellowship and co-operation between them so that in transferring from one to the other the pupil would fit into his environment with little hindrance to his progress.

We all agree that larger school units are more efficient. But I believe rural schools should be allowed the same freedom of action enjoyed by the larger schools. I believe these centers should be maintained, whenever possible, in the rural schools where the large majority of their boys and girls expect to live. Their education should be adapted to their needs, and their community spirit should be built up and kept intact in order to have a happy and prosperous people. In doing this you are helping to improve business conditions in general.

My qualifications are not limited, as one would have you believe. It would be unfair to say that I am better qualified than my opponent. I assure you that I am as well qualified both in experience and college work. That experience is both rural and in the larger schools. I have taught in Gorman and Eastland schools.

The office of county superintendent is primarily a rural job and should be filled by one who is in sympathy with and who has vision for a great system of rural schools. If I am elected your

superintendent it shall be my aim to carry out these policies to the best of my ability. At the same time I want to give assurance that my office will at all times be at the services of the larger schools in helping in whatever way possible to solve their many problems.

It seems from the July returns the rural people want me, as I carried the rural boxes by a substantial majority over both of my opponents.

I have never before asked for any public office. So let's try a rural school man just once, and I assure you that no one will appreciate it more than I.

Sincerely yours,  
CLAIBORNE ELDRIDGE.  
(Political advertisement)

WHITE GOPHERS CAPTURED WILLISTON, N. D.—A rare pair of white gophers, captured near Bainville, Mont., recently joined a pair of equally rare black gophers in the Williston zoo.

ANOTHER HOLE IN ONE WATERTOWN, Mass.—Mrs. Charles Geiffuse shot the 15th hole in one at the Oakley Golf Club here. The hole is 159 yards long.

Try a WANT-AD!

The drought has caused Emporia, Kan., to restrict its residents to only four inches of water in their bath tubs, but the city as yet has made no ruling against singing in the bath.

Vote for Lon A. Smith for railroad commissioner. He led his opponent in the first primary by more than 40,000 votes.—Pol. adv.

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Maybe a goldfish doesn't have any privacy, but is he any worse off than all the other fish, with Dr. Beebe scouting around?

many policemen suddenly will discover that their cars will faster when they're pursued by suspicious characters.

Private beach; small extra charge for fishing and crabbing; says a summer resort item. But any husband knows he can get the crabbing at home without any extra charge.

# LOTIEF!

## "Get Right and Stay Right With Cecil A. Lotief" for a Second Term as Representative From the 107th Floterial District

Mr. Lotief has conducted a clean campaign and has not abused anyone, while Lotief's opponent and his friends have conducted their campaign upon hatred, prejudice, malice, slander and whispering.

Mr. Lotief does not believe that the good citizens of Eastland and Callahan counties endorse or approve of these last minute tactics.

The 107th flatorial district is now being flooded with literature in an "ELEVENTH HOUR" effort to defeat Cecil A. Lotief for re-election.

Not being supplied with unlimited funds by the big utilities and other special interests, Mr. Lotief doubtless will be unable to answer all of these "LAST MINUTE" charges. Therefore he must depend upon his friends and those interested in "Legislation for the masses instead of for the classes," to see to it that these campaign charges are "nailed" as they appear.

Among the most recently published and circulated statements put out by supporters of Mr. Lotief's opponent, is one signed by S. F. Bond of Cross Plains and Bill Tyler of Rising Star.

Who are these men? And what is their interest in this campaign? Tyler, Lotief's opponent's campaign manager, is a Rising Star banker who wrote Lotief requesting him to vote against and use his influence against the passage of the State Moratorium Bill, which Lotief refused to do, and the passage of which prevented unscrupulous bankers from foreclosing and taking the homes of thousands of little homeowners.

S. F. Bond, also actively engaged in campaigning for Lotief's opponent in Callahan county, is a former officer of a new defunct bank in Cross Plains, where hundreds of people, including many old folks and widows and orphans lost their lifetime savings.

Another active supporter of Lotief's opponent in Callahan county, S. B. Rumph of Baird, will be remembered as the big landlord and head of a bank at Carbon, now "busted."

LOTIEF'S NEIGHBORS RECOMMEND HIM

Here is what they say: Cross Plains, Texas, Aug. 22, 1934.

To Whom It May Concern: We, the undersigned citizens of Cross Plains desire to correct and refute any and all circulars, statements, or reports that would defraud the character of Honorable Cecil A. Lotief.

We have known him for ten years and know him to be a clean, sober, honorable and upright citizen. Any statement to the contrary is untrue. He is on the right side of moral issues. He pays his debts. He is sober. He is clean in his moral life. He has a clean record in his dealings with his neighbors and we recommend him every highly for your consideration.

Signed: J. E. Heikel, merchant  
S. M. Bnatt, city clerk  
T. D. Little, city commissioner  
J. A. Caton, merchant  
Jim Settle, tailor  
Chas. F. Hemphill, insurance  
John G. Rumph, M. D.  
W. C. Adams, J. P.  
J. A. Moore, farmer  
E. J. Vestal, president of school board

(PAID BY LOTIEF'S FRIENDS)

Report No. 6 from the HUMBLE FRICTION FIGHTER

## Complete YOUR CAR'S EQUIPMENT WITH 997 OR VELVET IN CANS

997 BREAK-IN OIL is also available in sealed cans.

Test either of these two Humble motor oils in your own automobile. You can get them—in bright new, refinery sealed cans—from retail dealers throughout Texas and from all Humble Service Stations. Convenient one and five quart sizes. Carry a can or two in your car. Humble 997 oil is 100% paraffin base.

In REFINERY SEALED CANS:  
HUMBLE 997 MOTOR OIL . . . 33c Quart  
VELVET MOTOR OIL . . . . . 28c Quart  
(Tax included)

Humble Motor Oils in Refinery-Sealed Cans Are Available at All Humble Service Stations and at the Following Dealers:

Anderson-Pruett Motor Co. Leveille-Maher Motor Co.

A WANT AD IN THIS PAPER WILL BRING QUICK RESULTS!

### ELKS ARENA

FIGHT CARD for Monday Night, Aug. 27th, 1934

#### WRESTLING AND BOXING

EIGHT ROUNDS BOXING  
BOBBY REED, 119 lbs., vs. CHICO ALVARZE, 123 lbs.

WRESTLING  
JACK FIELDS, 150 lbs., vs. DOUG HENDERSON, 135 lbs.

Two-Hour Time Limit

DOC POOLE, 160 lbs. vs. PAT SWANSON, 168 lbs.

Two-Hour Time Limit

Grocery Night As Usual!

GOODYEAR SPEEDWAY  
Tough thick Center Traction Tread. Built with Supertwist Cord. Full Oversize. Lifetime guarantee.  
4.40-21 4.75-19

Other sizes in proportion. Expert tire mounting. Prices subject to change without notice. State tax, if any, additional.

## "43% MORE NON-SKID MILEAGE"

"You're too modest!"

Motorists who got the first G-3's put out—months before the public announcement—say, "You're too modest!" Many of them report 50% to 100% more non-skid mileage. Why, then, do we insist on only 43%? Well, 43% is a definite test-car-proved figure. Very likely it is low for normal use—because the tests which established the 43% average were gruelling: cars speeding up to 50, jamming on brakes, mile after mile, day and night. Very likely most motorists will get more than 43% more non-skid mileage. But we'll string along with 43%—because it's plenty to deliver at no extra cost. Come see the tire that's the talk of the nation.

YES! A DOUBLE GUARANTEE  
1. Against road hazards.  
2. Against defects for life.

When You "G-3" Your Wheels—LOOK WHAT YOU GET

No Extra Cost! Flatter, wider All-Weather tread. More Center Traction (16% more non-skid blocks). Heavier Tougher Tread. Supertwist Cord Body and 43% More Miles of Real Non-Skid.

Friends and customers are extended a cordial invitation to pay us a visit to view the NEW G-3 GOODYEAR Tires now on display at our service station.

# SINCLAIR SERVICE STATION

Phone 145 For Road Service L. J. McMillen, Mgr.

## ALAMEDA

It has been some time since anything has been sent in from this place, but nevertheless it is still on the map.

Mrs. Strat Sensing and little daughter, Wanda Gale, have just returned to their home in Whitney after a three weeks visit here with her home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Budie Carlile.

John Tucker, Misses Ellen Tucker, Rosa Love, Bettie Tucker, and Richard Tucker and family spent Monday with Shelly Tucker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodge and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hart.

Rev. White, a Church of Christ preacher, spent a few days with his brother-in-law, Budie Carlile and family of this place, before beginning his meeting in Comanche county. He will visit in the Carlile home in a few days.

J. N. Grice and family and Miss Ressie Marie Cozart spent Monday in Gorman.

Mrs. L. B. Cozart spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Tucker.

Delva Duane, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Tucker has been quite ill but is much improved.

Mrs. Odessa Elliott is much improved from a bad spell of pneumonia. Glad to see her about again after being sick so long a time.

Mrs. Paston from Turnersville Mrs. Womack from Breckenridge, and Mrs. Jones from Wheeler county, relatives of Mrs. J. W. Jones, visited her during this last week.

J. W. Peacock and family from Austin spent last week with his uncle and aunt, E. R. Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Cozart and little Bobby Gale spent Friday and Saturday with their home folks, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozart and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Grice.

Miss Edith Duvall was in Gorman Monday.

Every one is invited to attend the Alameda Church of Christ Sunday school each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Have classes from the card class on up to the Bible class. For the Bible study next Sunday morning will be Rom. 14 chapter. Come be with us.

## OAK GROVE

Coffman of Lone Star community last week. We had some fine singing Sunday afternoon and we certainly appreciate the visitors from Kokomo, Gorman and Alameda. Everyone is invited to come back every third Sunday afternoon and first Sunday night.

## OAK GROVE

Still hot and dry, with the temperature ranging above 100 each afternoon. Cotton is opening prematurely on account of the dry hot weather.

Some of our farmers are thinking of digging peanuts soon to save the hay. A few good rains would make more hay for the farmers now than what we have already grown.

Mrs. M. E. Haslitt is home again after a two weeks visit with friends in Carbon.

C. P. Hastings and family visited in Cisco last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryant and family spent Saturday night and Sunday in Comanche visiting with relatives.

Marvin D. Hall, who has spent the summer with his brother, W. M. Hall of Sanford, Texas, returned home again and says that crops look better here than they do at Sanford.

Some people are wondering why this drought is sent to us and some are blaming the government for it and others say "it will rain when it gets ready," but if we will turn to seventh chapter of II Chronicles and read the thirteenth and fourteenth verses perhaps we can find a better solution to the problem than any of the above. Now don't be afraid to read. May the Lord send rain on everyone that reads these verses next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson of Cisco were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hall.

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Speaking of giving America back to the Indians, maybe we would give Louisiana back to the French, if they'd agree to take Huey Long with it.

It's unusual to hear about a candidate who loses an election because his feet gave out. Most voters would prefer to have the candidates' tonsils give out.

Wonder if we could get some of that grass which Mr. Hoover said would grow in American streets to use as an old-fashioned book marker in Mr. Hoover's new book?

It won't be long now till the frost is on the pumpkin and the sleeves of last year's topcoat prove to be as frayed as we feared they would be.

If it took a tractor and three men to save Byrd, how many tractors and how many men would they need to save Kate Smith?

Government now has mosquitoes working for it in a health campaign. Wonder how Patronage Boss Jim Farley managed to tell which of them were democrat mosquitoes.

# AUGUST FURNITURE SALE

## And Sale of Rugs, Stoves, Washers, Curtains, Housewares, Blankets



**AUGUST Sale SPECIAL**

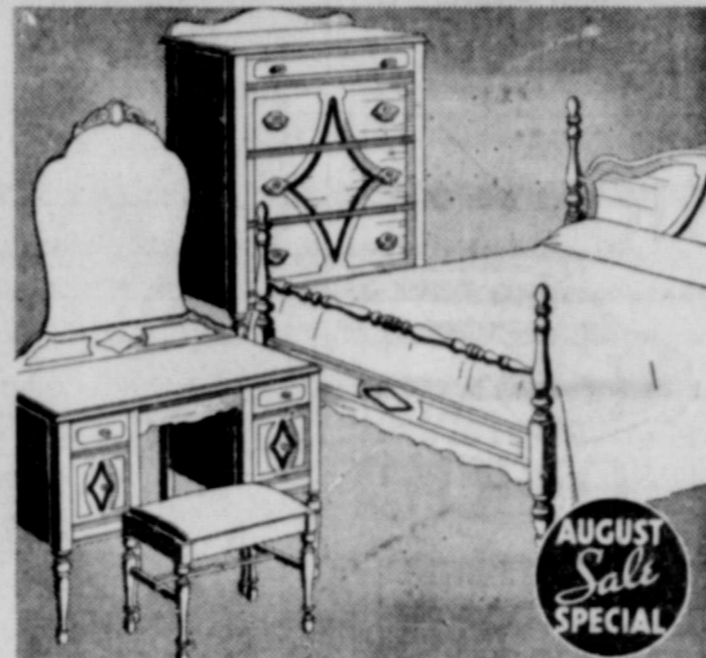
### Studio Couch

Buy Now! Save More in the Sale!

Use it as a couch by day! At night—open it to double or two twin beds. With innerspring mattress. Covered in beautiful jaspé.

**\$24.88**

\$3 Down, \$4 Monthly Plus Carrying Charge



**AUGUST Sale SPECIAL**

### Walnut Finish

3 Big Pieces! Big Sale Saving!

Two-tone walnut finish suite that sells on sight at this low Sale price! Extra large pieces! Big Venetian mirror. Special at....

**\$38.88**

\$7 Down, \$5 Monthly Plus Carrying Charge



**AUGUST Sale SPECIAL**

### Full-Size Metal Bed

**\$5.45**

A Huge Ward Purchase Brings You This Price! Sensational value! All metal bed that will last a lifetime. Enamel finish looks like walnut. See it!



**AUGUST Sale SPECIAL**

### Innerspring Mattress

**\$10.88**

Low-Priced As Many All-Cotton Mattresses!

So soft—like sleeping on air! Filled with deep inner coils and felted cotton. Drill ticking cover.



### Table Value!

Save More at This Low Sale Price!

Butt walnut veneer top, hand-rubbed finish! Only **\$6.88**

# Last Day

**TOMORROW**

\* Sale ends Saturday! Prices go up August 27! Save more now!



**AUGUST Sale SPECIAL**

### All-Mohair Suite

2 Pieces at a Sensationally Low Price!

Genuine 100% Angora mohair, front, back, and sides! Can you believe it—at this low price? Davenport and wing-back chair for...

**\$59.88**

\$5 Down, \$6 Monthly Plus Carrying Charge

## GRANDVIEW

GRANDVIEW.—Health is good in this community at this writing but every one would feel better to see a good rain.

George Thurman of Snyder is here visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma Thurman and other relatives.

Pedro Choate of near Hamlin is visiting his sister, Mrs. Raleigh Goodnaugh and family.

Mrs. R. L. Choate and daughters of Burkburnett and Mrs. Billy Armstrong of Graham visited their mother, Mrs. Brightwell and other relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blair and children of Electra visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blair of this community and Mr. and Mrs. Will

**INSURANCE**

Is Your Property Protected?

Is your property fully protected against fire loss—will your policy replace the earnings of a lifetime? With everything as dry as it is now, better let us write you a policy that will give 100 per cent protection on the home and furniture.

See us today or give us a ring and we will do the rest!

**D. C. McRAE**  
GHOLSON HOTEL  
Phone 261

## Why Not A Spring Vacation?

Are you one whose vitality is always lowest in the spring? Do you have what you term "a snappy case of spring fever?" You're probably just run-down and worn-out after a hard winter. What you'd better do is stop right now, rest awhile, and get in trim to carry on for another year.

## CRAZY WATER HOTEL

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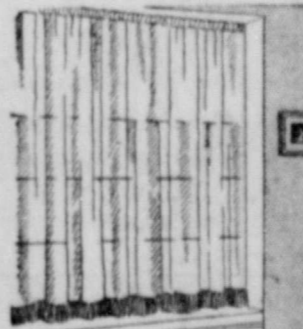


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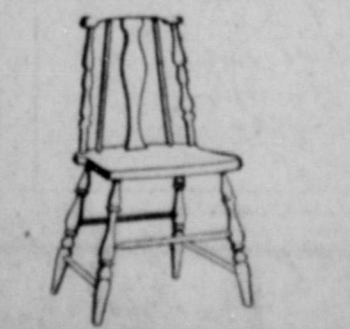
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**Services Friday Night at Flatwood Methodist Church**

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**Hog Prices Reach \$7 Per Hundred**

FORT WORTH, Aug. 23.—Hogs sold for \$7 a hundred on the Fort Worth livestock market today, the highest price since early in 1931 and 15 to 25 cents above yesterday's mark.

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Highlights from "Whom the Gods Destroy," which plays Sunday only at the Arcadia.

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**SALEM**

The meeting closed here Saturday night. It was a very good meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Sparger of Albany visited his parents this week, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sparger.

Bro. Rippetoe's sister of Ranger visited him Sunday.

Henry Varner of Slaton and Jessie Bowles of Alameda visited their aunt, Mrs. I. C. Redwine, from Thursday until Sunday.

Mrs. Wade Sawyer and Miss Roy Quinn, Mrs. Leamester and Mrs. Walker, all of Desdemona visited Jess L. Hughes Sunday evening.

Mrs. John White of Ranger is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Roy Watson.

Grandpa Dunlap is down from Mangum visiting his son, Roy Dunlap.

Zelvin Fonville has been doing some work at Ranger this week.

Inez Highsmith visited Mrs. Earl Redwine Tuesday night and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Redwine visited W. H. Sparger Sunday.

Mrs. I. C. Redwine visited Mrs. John Williams Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams visited Jess L. Hughes Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Roy Watson and Mrs. John White visited Mrs. Highsmith Sunday.

Bro. Smith of Eastland was here Sunday.

Remember singing every Sunday night. Everybody is invited to attend.

W. H. Sparger was in Ranger on business Wednesday.

Everybody remember prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Everyone is welcome.

Miss Pearl Griffith and Mrs. Melton motored to Eastland on business Wednesday.

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The Whitaker-White Motor company of Strawn, one of the important units of the vast Chevrolet retail sales organizations, has one of the most completely equipped and modern service departments in this section of the country, specializing in all kinds of first class work. Among their services offered are complete painting jobs, washing and greasing, body repair, top and upholstery work, storage and road service.

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**Farmer Is Held In Feud Slaying**

PALESTINE, Tex., Aug. 23.—Officers today held Ben B. Walston, 57, farmer and former Primitive Baptist minister for questioning in the feud slaying of Fonda Barton, 46, his brother-in-law.

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**MATCHES** Favorite brand 6 boxes 23c  
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**Vegetable and Tomato Soup** can 5c  
**Peanut Butter** Supreme brand, Qt. 23c  
**MEAL** 20-lb. bag 50c  
**COFFEE** Bright 'n' Early, 1-lb. pkg. 23c  
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**Dried PEACHES** 2-lb. pkg. 19c

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**BANANAS** doz. 20c  
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**STEAK** Fancy Cuts lb. 10c  
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