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HEARING BEING CONDUCTED TODAY United States To Halt French Negotiations

KEEPING THROUGH THE KNOTHOLE with BILL MAYES

Andy Anderson, Abilene sports editor, in commenting on the state championship race mentions in his review of the games, that there were several teams in the state...

Comments as follows: It had time to give the entire field a new deal, there is no doubt which two teams out of a crowd emerge as the finalists...

12 clubs were that well kept that each of 11 of them is pretty honest alibi for its position. Let us look them over...

Home—The Masons of Abilene had on penetrations, decided the game, but much more first downs, leading, 7 to 0...

Another severe case better fingers. The Bulldogs pulled four times, three times their own territory and one time they were fatal. Amarillo took advantage of it, and pushed back the only score of the 6-0...

A district rival of Corsicana tied the Pierceceme 0 to 0. Also in Corsicana's net, calls its boys the "unwedded champions" of the league...

Although severely injured in early season games, Eagles were in stride at the Abilene-Ranger 3-0 Thanksgiving game. Brockenridge, which Abilene defeated, 14-7, kept the lead out of a district play-off...

Lost the Ranger game and the chance to meet Abilene in a play-off for the Oil Belt trophy, because Billy Fitzer's 55-yard touchdown run was nullified by a teammate's foul...

Central, 6-0, to Masonic in deciding game of their district. Central was another team which was deprived of the benefits of a long scoring run by a penalty...

District Governor of Rotary Finishes Official Visits. He is Andy Anderson, governor of the 11st district. Rotary International, has completed his official visits to the 61 clubs in his district which covers all of West and Northwest Texas...

The district governor began his tour and completed his rounds of the Rotary clubs on Dec. 23, after covering a distance of 8,265 miles between 7,000 and 8,000 miles traveled by Governor Anderson on his trip to Vancouver, B. C. to attend the meeting of the directors of Rotary International and to Seattle, Wash. To attend the international convention held in that city, making his total mileage in the interest of Rotary since last June close to 16,000 miles.

Labor's Choice For Cabinet



Daniel J. Tobin, above, veteran president of the Teamsters' and Chauffeurs' International Union, is the choice of the A. F. of L. for secretary of labor in the Roosevelt cabinet...

COTTON MEN IN CONFERENCE AT MEMPHIS

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 28.—How to cut the production of cotton in order to raise the price was the problem cotton men sought to solve here today. The steering committee of the south-wide cotton conference convened to draft proposals for submission to governors and cotton men of the south tomorrow...

Man Is Fatally Burned In Hotel

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 28.—One man was burned to death, a fireman was injured and scores of guests were led to safety today when fire burned a hotel here.

Art Conway Only Slightly Better

Reports from the West Texas Clinic and Hospital today said that Art Conway, who has been ill several days, was still in a serious condition, but that he is resting well today.

Three Women Are Burned to Death

STANWOOD, Mich., Dec. 28.—Three women in the country here were burned to death today when fire broke out in the structure. Firemen searching the ruins after the flames were brought under control found the bodies.

Beer Hearing In Senate Is Delayed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Senate consideration of the house beer bill was delayed again today by lack of a quorum due to the Christmas holidays. Only five members of the judiciary committee were present at the session called today.

BARTENDERS' UNION AGAIN FUNCTIONS

HOLYOKE, Mass.—Though its membership has dwindled from 164 to 22, the Holyoke Bartenders' Union has maintained its charter and organization during the 13 years of national prohibition.

WAR DEBT TO COME FIRST IS GIST OF NOTE

No Conference On Debt Reductions To Be Made Until New Regime Enters.

PARIS, France, Dec. 28.—Frances will be informed soon that all pending Franco-American negotiations, such as debts and the proposed commercial treaty, are to be suspended until France's Dec. 15 debt payment is made. It was understood from the American ambassador here, the United States might also refuse to receive data which France might submit in preparation for future debt negotiations.

Markets

Table with columns for Closing selected New York stocks, Curb Stocks, and New Orleans Cotton. Lists various stocks like American Can, Am P & L, Am Smelt, etc., with their respective prices.

'Lost' 30 Years, Sisters Reunited



Nearly 30 years ago a mother, dying, left two baby girls in a New York orphanage. Both babies were adopted and grew up ignorant of each other's existence. Then one day Mrs. Agnes Roux, Long Island, N. Y., applied at the orphanage to adopt a baby. Mrs. Margaret Fowley of Chicago had just written in for a birth certificate. The orphanage knew they were the sisters, put them in touch with each other, and here you see them as they met in Chicago to spend the holidays together. Mrs. Doux, left, and Mrs. Fowley.

Ranger Rotarians Hear Secretary's Activities Report

Ben Whitehouse, secretary of Ranger Rotary club, made a complete and comprehensive report of the activities and accomplishments of the club during the past six months, at the meeting today. He reviewed the election of officers, directors and committees and made a week-by-week report on the programs rendered by the club during the six months. The program as outlined, covered every phase of Rotary work, including community service, vocational service, international service and club service.

Father of Ranger Man Dies At His Home In Cisco

Funeral services are to be held today with interment in the Old Runnels cemetery, 10 miles north of Ballinger in Runnels county, for J. C. Swift, 87, pioneer West Texas ranchman and father of Wade Swift of Ranger, who died at his home in Cisco last night.

Eastland Lions Hear Address By C. I. A. Professor

Through Danold L. Kinnaird, chairman of the program for the Eastland Lions club at their luncheon meeting Tuesday, had the pleasure of hearing Dr. Hob Gray of the College of Industrial Arts in a wonderful talk, "Life At Its Best," which he developed along the lines of contact with people, of opportunity for social work, and brought in the altruistic work possible for every human being. He concluded with the facets of his relationship with Eastland friends, the many points of contact afforded through his past connections with Eastland public schools, and his present Eastland friendships.

Dean Law Author Predicts Beer and Wine For Texas

DALLAS, Dec. 28.—Beer and wine will flow through Texas and there will be nothing to do about it, if the dregs lose their fight in Washington and Austin, believes W. L. Dean of Huntsville, author of the state Beer Act. "If the beer and wine legislation gets by congress and the legislature beer and wine saloons could be opened in any city, town or country hamlet," Dean said today in reply to queries made by Dr. Atticus Webb, state anti-alcohol league superintendent.

District Clerk Gets A "Christmas Gift"

FORT WORTH—A "Christmas" of \$1,800 from six employees brought the annual compensation of the District Clerk W. E. Alexander to about \$6,000. The six deputies asked Commissioners court to rescind an order fixing their salaries at \$175 per month. The deputies have drawn \$180 monthly, but would have \$300 to their credit had the order become effective.

CITY HAS 247 GAS PUMPS

SUPERIOR, Wis.—There are 247 gasoline pumps at filling stations in Superior, an average of one for every 20 cars in the city.

THREE HELD IN RANGER ON THEFT CHARGE

Three Mexicans, who gave their names as Joe Perra of Taylor, Domingo Romeo of El Paso and Antonio Perez of Big Spring, were arrested in Ranger Tuesday afternoon after an exciting chase in which two shots were fired by Patrolman Guy Pledger to stop one of the fugitives. The three were charged this morning before Justice of the Peace McFatter on two counts each, one of theft of over \$50 and the other of theft less than \$50, and were bound over to the grand jury under \$600 bond each.

"Boy Promoter" Faces Charges

A year ago Frank P. Parish, above, youthful oil pipe-line promoter, was buying the former presidential yacht Mayflower and ordering her rebuilt on lavish lines. Today he is under indictment in New York on charges of grand larceny of \$127,000 in securities. Parish is also under federal indictment in Chicago on charges of using the mails to defraud. Parish denies both charges.

SALES TAX IS NOT POPULAR WITH CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Although anxious to balance the budget, house Democratic leaders today admitted that possibility of a general revenue bill was fading. Chairman Collier of the ways and means committee and Speaker Garner said they believed the opposition of President-elect Roosevelt to the sales tax had ended agitation for that form of revenue.

Six More Bodies Found In Mine

MOWEQUA, Ill., Dec. 28.—A rescue crew today found six more bodies of miners in the debris-strewn north chamber of the coal mine here.

Two Children Are Dead of Burns

BIG SPRING, Texas, Dec. 28.—Eleanor Jean Westerman, 8, died today of burns received yesterday when her gown caught fire at the home of her grandparents at Colorado, where she was visiting.

Rio Grande Flood Threatens Again

EL PASO, Dec. 28.—Plugged by an ice jam for the second time in history, the Rio Grande today threatened to change its course in New Mexico—185 miles north of here and flood several hundred acres of farming land.

Livestock Men of County to Meet

A meeting of the Eastland County Livestock association has been called for Saturday afternoon, Jan. 7, at the courthouse at Eastland, according to word received in Ranger today.

Mother of Eastland Man Dies Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Willman of Eastland left Sunday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. Willman's parents in Mason. Mrs. Willman passed away Tuesday morning following an illness of four weeks. The funeral services are to be held in their home today at 10 o'clock.

TERRELL SAYS COURTS MUST RENDER AID



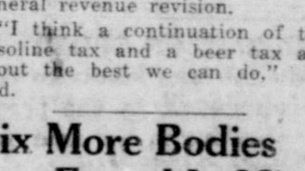
Protests On Proration In East Texas Heard By Members. AUSTIN, Dec. 28.—The aid of state and federal courts in enforcing Texas oil proration orders was asked by Chairman C. V. Terrell today as the State Railroad commission met for a hearing classed as the "most important" ever held. No calamity could be more disastrous, Terrell said, than for the courts to fail to uphold conservation laws. Courts were criticised for issuing injunctions against proration orders without even so much as a hearing.

Funeral Services To Be Held Friday For Ranger Woman

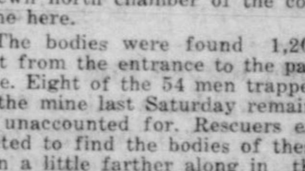
Funeral services are to be conducted Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the First Baptist church of Ranger for Mrs. Mary Cosby, who died at the City-County hospital today of influenza, followed by pneumonia. The services will be conducted by Rev. George W. Thomas, pastor of the church, with interment in the Evergreen cemetery.

Three Guesses

HOW MANY PASSENGERS DID THE MAYFLOW CARRY ON ITS FIRST VOYAGE TO AMERICA?



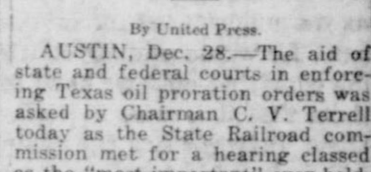
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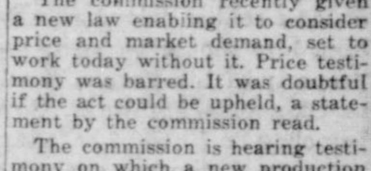
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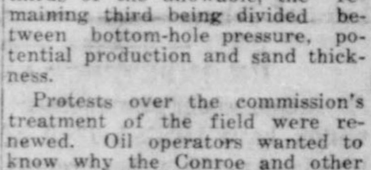
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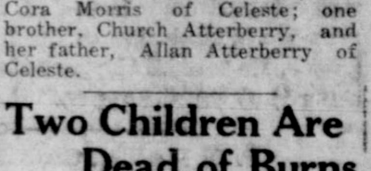
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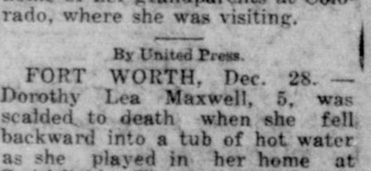
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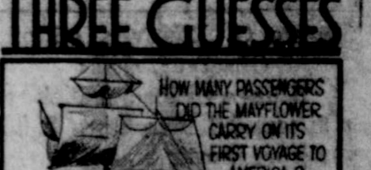
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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

THE PRINCE OF PEACE: For unto us a child is born: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called, The Prince of Peace.—Isaiah 9: 6.

HIJACKERS AND HIGHWAYS IN OKLAHOMA

Hijackers who rob banks and never hesitate to shoot are giving Gov. William H. Murray of Oklahoma sleepless nights. Alfalfa William is a very practical individual. He loves the limelight, 'tis true, but he knows how to handle crime and criminals. He would establish the whipping post as the punishment for crimes of hijackers and bank robbers. He would employ official whippers. He would make the convicted outlaws howl for mercy. He would convince them that it is wise to walk in the road called Straight. Little Delaware has the whipping post. Once whipped, when given his freedom, a criminal never returns to Delaware. There are bank robbers everywhere in Texas. They are in Arkansas. They are in Oklahoma and New Mexico. For the most part they are native sons of these commonwealths. Really, the Texas bankers marked a step in the right direction when they offered a reward of \$5000 for a bank robber "dead or alive." Society demand protection. Life should be made secure. Savings of the people, property of the people, should be safeguarded. But back to Oklahoma highways. Governor Bill's commission has launched its \$4,500,000 federal emergency relief highway program. Bids were opened on 21 miles of pavement, 49 miles of grading and drainage, and 25 bridges in 10 counties. A reminder that millions in federal aid money dropped into the lap of Texas. This is not dollar-for-dollar money. It is federal aid for the relief of the unemployed, and there are hundreds of unemployed workers under the skies of Texas.

INCOMPETENCE AND BANK FAILURES

Incompetent management as the cause of bank failures which have totaled 1119 of the present year was emphasized in the annual report of F. G. Awalt, acting comptroller of the currency. He fired the bolt in the direction of Secretary Ogden L. Mills of the treasury department. He renewed recommendations made by former comptrollers of the enactment of banking laws by congress that would reduce the number of failures. Well, how would a law reduce the number of incompetents unless all who wish to invade the banking field are given an acid test as to competency?

HOOVER AND HIS CONSOLIDATION ORDER

Democrats in official place do not take kindly to the consolidation department order announced by the president. These orders will become effective in the near future unless vetoed by congress. Principal objections on the part of the democrats were to the transfer of rivers and harbors and flood control work from the war to the interior department. Rep. J. J. Mansfield of Texas is a democrat. He is chairman of the house rivers and harbors committee. He termed the proposal "ridiculous" and "the worst thing that could happen." Representative Cochran, dem-

PAT HARRISON'S FARM RELIEF BILL

Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi has a bill pending providing a two year moratorium for Taxes on mortgaged farms and homes. The fiery Mississippian is demanding early approval. His measure would authorize loans for tax payment. Someday the government may be the largest farmer in the world—that is, outside of Soviet Russia.

There is no closed season on automobile accidents.

We must not forget in the present state of the world that capacity for national defense is still a qualification for self government.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

George G. Myrover, editor of the Fayetteville (N. C.) Observer, says:

"I have noticed that the spasmodic advertiser is seldom a successful merchant. It takes consistency to make advertising worth while.

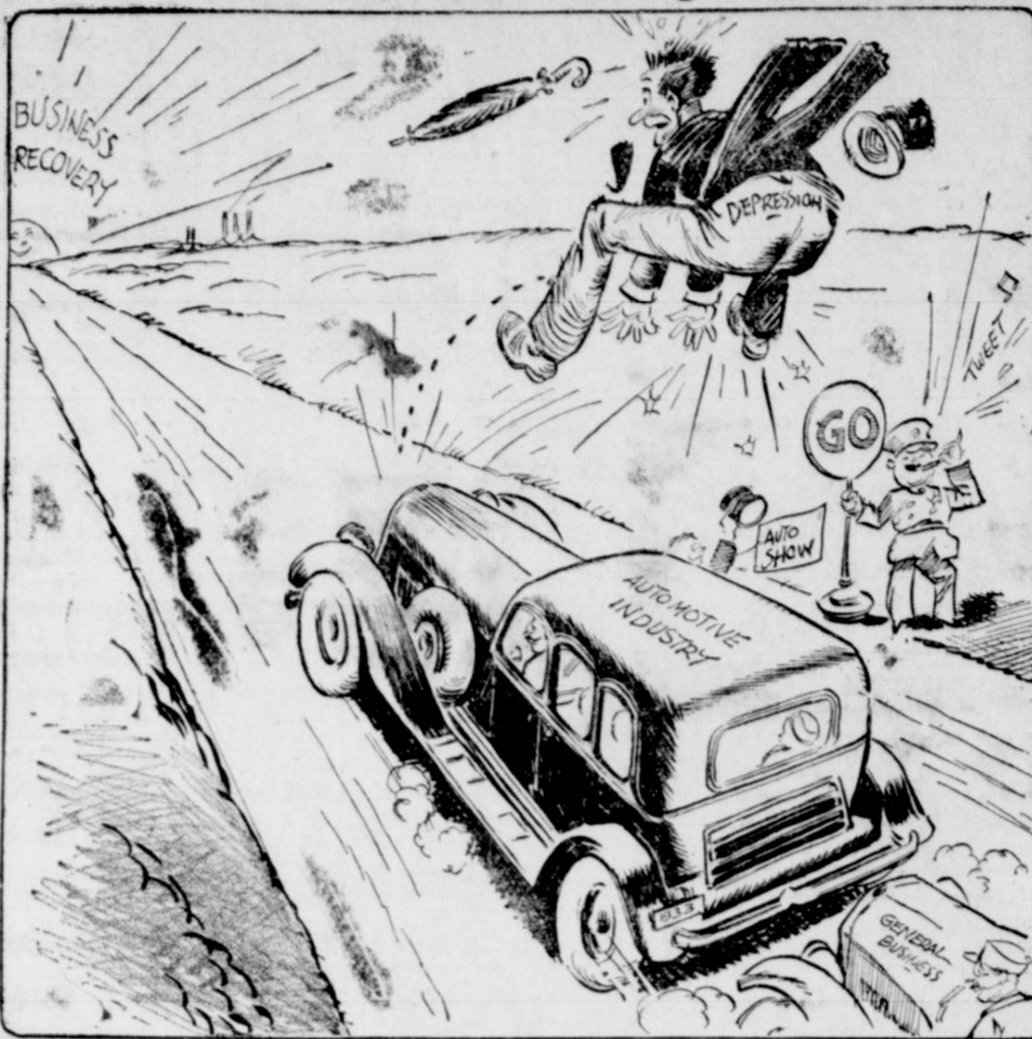
"Too many merchants, especially in the smaller cities, consider advertising an expense when, as a matter of fact, it is proven that newspaper advertising is an investment.

"There is no form of publicity that is more economical and direct in reaching the right spot at the right time than the newspaper.

"A merchant must be consistent, as a splurge is not productive of permanent results.

"It has been my observation that the live, wide-awake merchants, those who are successful, are always consistent users of newspaper space, and those merchant consider investment."

Ready to Lead the Big Parade



DERRICK SHADOWS

One cause of the present jumble of things is the fact that America's future can be found in the ash tray the morning after. If 1933 turns out to be the release from worry Mr. Roosevelt has promised us we're going to have to help the president out by shifting some of our dreams from smoke rings to cold realities. The latter may not be so pretty but they have the power to change the scenery and put a little stability in life. . . . and, ladies and gentlemen, we need it!

I'll take seat No. 13 when it comes to serial writing. (many sad rejection slips prove the statement) . . . but I can at least be kind to my readers. It leaves one in a hair-pulling, teeth-grashing state to be reading blissfully along and suddenly round a corner and come up on the To Be Continued sign. Detour, literally, and find the author at his rope's end, the other being tied to a limb. . . such being the just reward of a serial writer. I'm reading six now, scattered hither and yon among various magazines, and find my nerves giving away with each edition when the trials of the above-mentioned sign begin again. And, repeating, something ought to be done.

The most disgusting after-effects of Christmas are the stacks of thank-you letters which must be written . . . and which will never be answered. There's only one nice thing about it. It assures you that someone will always owe you a letter. And any time you feel out of sorts and want to be angry with someone and can't think of a legitimate excuse . . . you can always get mad about the unreturned letter. Even letter-writing has its advantages.

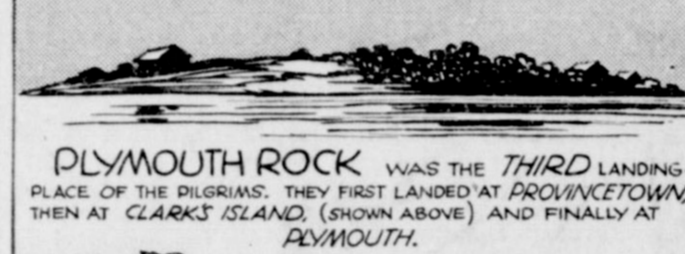
With comparatively little publicity, Senator Morrow is sending the horrows of hero worship. America, drunk with the fever of success, plunged the Lindberghs into months of suffering. It seems that America must always be drunk with something, and forever plunging someone into place they'd much rather not be.

Burns says he is "through with publicity" and immediately vanishes into the holiday crowd. The man can well afford to be through with it when he knows his best seller is being snatched daily from stands everywhere by eager hands . . . and the screens continue to flash his story before a cynical public. Meanwhile, Samuel Insull praises Greek justice for freeing him from bothersome charges. Sounds like old times, doesn't it? One can almost see Ben Hur sailing around while the mob shouts and waves its arms otherwise raises a row. It looks like a "back to Apollo" movement might begin.

These are pretty days. One wonders what month it is and why the trees aren't in full leaf and why we are going swimming. One wonders . . . until one leaves one's fireside and sallies forth to meet the December air. . . then one calls for a heavier coat. Deceptive weather, arousing desires and immediately thwarting them. We can't even trust the weather with its own truth these days. No wonder it is an age of pessimism.

DENTON.—There will be 15 needy children with new clothes this January when garments being made by home economics students at C. I. A. are completed. The clothes are to be given to the Red Cross for distribution.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



The mourning cloak . . . A BUTTERFLY THAT CHIRPS!



AFTER a penguin chooses his mate, and is accepted, he must then spend several days showing off, apparently for the purpose of proving to his lady that his love is lasting. Finally the pair click their beaks in noisy caresses, and the wedding is over.

BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER SEA Service Writer WASHINGTON.—The south soon will be back "in the saddle" more effectively than at any time since the Civil War. The Republicans probably will be found hollering about it soon after the Roosevelt administration and the Seventy-third Congress come into being. Although the idea that the south will be imposing any sectional rule on the rest of the country is a false alarm, her sons will be heavily sprinkled through the positions of federal power.

Vice president-elect Jack Garner of Texas, to begin with, will be the first president or vice president elected from below the Mason-Dixon line since Lincoln and Andrew Johnson ran on the same ticket in 1864. He is not the first man from that section to be nominated by the Democrats for second place, but he is the first whose nomination has done him any good. And the fact cannot be ignored that he might become the south's first president in three score or more years. You might even begin the list with Roosevelt himself. For years he has been living a large part of the time in Georgia, which he has described as his "second home." He can hardly be regarded as a 100 per cent "Yankee." He won his nomination through support of an overwhelming number of the politicians of the South and West.

THE next speaker is likely to be a southern man. The three leading candidates to succeed Garner are Joe Byrns of Tennessee, John McDuffie of Alabama and Majority Leader Henry Rainey of Illinois. Rainey hasn't any edge in the contest. He lives on a farm, so far south in Illinois that he is in no sense associated with the northern urban Democracy. And if he should win, the Democratic leader

in the House who succeeded him surely would be a southerner, whereas if Byrns or McDuffie win the leader will be Rainey or another northerner. The north and west get their break in the next Congress through the fact that they have suddenly elected enough members to the Democratic majorities to end the south's numerical congressional majority in the party. That should allay any weird fears about the danger of sectional rule, but the south will get nearly all the important posts on Capitol Hill because it has elected quite so many of its representatives consecutively for such long periods as to qualify them under the seniority tradition. Joe Robinson of Arkansas presumably will be the Senate's majority leader. Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas doubtless will remain as the Democratic whip. Key Pittman of Nevada is the most likely choice to succeed George Moses of New Hampshire as the Senate's president pro tem.

YEAR END REVIEW

By Wallace H. Lander United Press Staff Correspondent MADRID.—The Second Spanish Republic, proclaimed on April 14, 1931, was thoroughly consolidated during this year. It withstood two important attacks—the Anarchist-Syndicalist movement in the Valley of the Liobregat (Catalonia) in January, and the counter-revolutionary movement of Madrid and Sevilla of Aug. 10 in which General Jose Sanjurjo and many monarchists were involved. Both were put down rapidly, calmly, and efficiently, and in neither case was it necessary to resort to the declaration of martial law.

The South Azama government—a coalition of Left Republicans and Socialists—former of Dec. 15, 1931, remained in power without a single change. Spain being one of the few European countries which did not have a total or partial cabinet crisis in 1932. Enemies Abundant Although the Republic marched steadily onward, it discovered that it had more enemies than was thought in the first joyful days of the new regime, and as a result, the Law of the Defense of the Republic enacted when Don Manuel Azana became Premier, which the government had promised to use only sparingly, was often invoked in 1932, and many persons were jailed or deported "without due process of law" solely on the authority which the Cortes placed in the hands of the Minister of the Interior. In the same way newspapers were suspended frequently for varying periods of time, but no censorship such as existed in Spain from 1923 to 1930 was imposed.

The outstanding development in Spain in 1932 was the steady rise of the personality of its Premier, Azana. Year's Major Developments The Agrarian Reform and the granting of a semi-autonomous regime for Catalonia were the measures which figured prominently in the revolutionary manifesto, but their final adoption was postponed until after the work of drafting the Republican Constitution was completed. The first steps of putting into effect the Agrarian Reform were being taken as the year ended, and on Nov. 20 elections were held in Catalonia for members of the first Catalan Cortes, in accordance with their new regime. The granting of the Statute for Catalonia was the major political step of the year, and one of the greatest achievements of the Republic. It brought and resentment against the central government existent for centuries in Spain's richest region.

The religious issue was kept alive nearly all the year, with the Catholics alleging that the Republic was "persecuting the Church," while the government contended that all it was doing was to carry out Article 26 of the Constitution, which provides for the separation of church and state. By government decree the order of Jesuits was dissolved in January, and their property nationalized. As the year ended, the Cortes had before them for discussion the Bill of Religious Congregations, which would prohibit the religious orders from engaging in teaching or business, and provide that all church property be nationalized, although continuing to be used as at present.

Rebellions Short The government had no prime path in the matter of keeping down disturbances. From the first day of the year there was trouble. On New Year's Day, in the isolated village of Castilblanco in Extremadura—the Siberia of Spain—the populace assassinated the post of four Guardias Civiles. A few days later, in the northern town of Arnedo, during a labor disturbance, the Guardia Civil shot into the mob, killing a dozen men, women and children. On Aug. 10 Ganjurjo issued a manifesto in Sevilla, proclaimed himself Captain-General of Andalusia, declared martial law, and his official newspaper for that one day declared: "A new regime has been installed." In Madrid there was a similar movement, except that it was much more frankly monarchical in nature. Its leader seems to have been General Emilio Barrera, who escaped into France. The Madrid movement was swiftly and energetically put down. In an encounter between the rebels and the police 11 were killed. The failure at Madrid greatly disheartened those who rose up in Andalusia and the movement there soon collapsed.

The other big rebellion of the year was that of the Anarchist-Syndicalists in Catalonia at the end of January. They mobilized bands of laborers, gathered great quantities of dynamite and arms, but eventually surrendered without resistance. Republican Government Thrives The Republican revolutionary movement gained considerably as a reaction from the attempts to overthrow the regime. The scope of the Agrarian Reform, as approved in September, was greatly enlarged. The government authorized seizure of all rural estates belonging to former Grandees of Spain and of all persons who had a part in the rebellion. Azana, when accused of being a Dictator, always replied that all that was necessary to get rid of him was for a majority of the Cortes to vote misconfidence in his government.

Spain is feeling the effects of the world-wide depression, but in a degree smaller than that of perhaps any other European nation. Unemployment is now estimated at only around 300,000 (in a population of 23,000,000.) The country had a bumper wheat crop in 1932, contrasting with the 1931 crop, which was insufficient for the national de-

Minerals

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The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowen
OH, SUGAR, DO YOU REMEMBER TOMMY STULL, WHO LIVED NEAR UNCLE MIKE?
DO I? WHO COULD FORGET THAT FATHEAD?
HE'S SO DUMB YOU COULD THROW A BASE DRUM RIGHT THROUGH HIS EARS AND NOT HIT A THING

BABY! WAS HE STUPID!!
OH, YEAH? WAIT TILL YOU HEAR THIS—HE INVENTED A THING-A-M-A-JIG THAT KEEPS COFFEE FROM BOILING OVER, AND HE'S MADE A MILLION DOLLARS
WHY COULDN'T YOU HAVE DONE THAT?

College To Teach Leisure As Art By United Press.
WINTER PARK, Fla.—A course in the use of leisure time is planned for students at Rollins College, here.
Two committees, one representing the faculty and another the students, have been investigating the possibilities in encouraging students to make better use of their spare moments, in the belief that a fundamental part of higher education of the present day is profitable use of leisure.
The committees in the reports to President Hamilton Holt both agreed, however, that the question is too formidable for solution in the near future.
"The proper utilization of leisure time will prove to be one of the major problems of the world in which students now in college will have to live," the faculty committee observed. "We have as yet made no constructive contribution to education because only recently has an attempt been made to cap our educational structure with colleges that accept as a working principle that education is a process of the self-development of each individual through his own activities rather than stuffing him with knowledge of which he is the passive recipient."
The student committee's report was less technical. It warned "we should carefully avoid the appearance of cultural value" in considering leisure time activities for college students. The committee bluntly rejected a proposal of organization of groups under faculty tutelage.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser
BOY! IT'LL BE SWELL TO EXPLORE ISLANDS! THIS MAP SHOWS A LOT OF THEM.... WONDER IF WE'LL STOP AT THIS ONE?
SAY, BILLY BOWLEGS... MANY TIMES, WE LAD—IT'S A DEAD VOLCANO ABOUT 110 MILES OFF THE COAST OF LOWER CALIFORNIA!!
A DEAD VOLCANO? WILL WE STOP THERE ON OUR YACHT TRIP? WOW! I'D LIKE TO LOOK INTO THE MOUTH OF A VOLCANO!!
WOULDN'T BE SURPRISED IF WE DID...YOUR UNCLE HARRY IS AN INQUISITIVE CUSS, YOU KNOW... BUT WE HAVE TO GET PERMISSION OF THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT TO LAND ON GUADALUPE!!

OIL AND GAS STRUCTURE ASSURED
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Week-end MURDER by GABRIELLE E. FORBUSH
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BEGIN HERE TODAY
When elderly AMOS PEABODY falls to his death from the second story balcony of TOM AVERILL'S Long Island home LINDA, Tom's wife, believes it is murder. Peabody, meanwhile devoting themselves to solving the crime. They have four guests and all become suspects: MR. STATLANDER, business associate of Tom's; CAPTAIN DE VOS, handsome Belgian; MARVIN PRATT, former waiter of Linda's; and LIAN SHAUGHNESSY, Irish writer. On one excuse and then another the guests are persuaded to remain, giving Tom and Linda more time to solve their problem.
Linda finds the towel with which the attempt was made to strangle her (identified by a smear of southern ointment) in Statlander's bathroom. Tom, suspicious of Shaughnessy, searches his room. The Irishman discovers this and to set matters right Linda tells him the whole story, asking him to help solve the mystery.
Next morning Pratt goes to church and the others take a swim. Linda and Tom compare notes and discuss latest developments of the mystery. Lunch time arrives but Pratt has not returned.
NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER XLIII
The sharp ringing of the telephone came just as the meal was finished. Surprise, suspense and query mingled in the look Linda cast her husband. Tom sprang up at once and went to answer it. Keeping up the conversation around the table, she could not listen but after a few brief words she heard Tom hang up. He came back looking at once annoyed and relieved.
"That was Pratt," he said. "Went home after church with the Algers—meant to phone but thought one of them had done so. He'll be back to change for tennis. Mr. DeVos, I believe you're going with him later to the Club courts? I'll drive you both over."
Linda rose and, following her, the others drifted out into the hall.
"That seems an imposition," The Belgian paused to manipulate his cigarette lighter. "Did you not say that there was a passage between these grounds and those of the club? Mr. Pratt and I can walk through there—no need to bring your car for that short journey!"
"Well, we'll see." Tom absently assembled the different sections of the Sunday newspaper, scattered about the room. "It's still pretty hot and you'll need all your wind if you're going to play anything so strenuous as tennis. I warn you, DeVos, those two girls will give you something to think about."
The colloquialism seemed to puzzle the other.
"To think about? But I assure you they have already."
Tom laughed. "I mean they put up a stiff game that keeps any man on the move," he said.
"Ah! well—as it happens I have been so fortunate as to cross rackets with some of your famous American tennis players when they were in Europe," answered DeVos suavely. "I shall do my best to give Miss Alger and her partner an interesting battle. You play, Mrs. Averill?"
"I'm not in Fleur's class," laughed Linda. She saw Mr. Statlander bearing down on Tom and imperceptibly signaled to her husband to go with him. "Golf's more my game but even there I'm no champion. Fleur can beat me any day. But then she does everything well."
"Ah, yes!" The Belgian's interest quickened as the conversation veered toward their neighbor. "She is what you call the all-around good sport, is it not?"
"She's marvelous at any sport she tries." Linda was sure he did not catch her equivocation; to his ear the shades of meaning in that word "sport" would be quite unperceived. "Coming, Tom?"
"They had started toward the terrace when she saw that her other guest had disappeared."
"No—you go on out. Statlander's gone upstairs for his infernal figures and reports and we'd better stay indoors since there are papers to handle. We'll come out later when the business talk is over. How soon will you be wanting to start, DeVos?"
"Not for another hour or more." He consulted his wrist watch. "You were saying, Mrs. Averill?"
"Only that Fleur's a very clever person," she answered, disposing herself comfortably in the deep lawn chair. "But you've probably found that out for yourself."
She wondered if they were destined always to talk about the girl...

SCENES FROM THE SENSATIONAL PICTURE SHOWING AT BOTH THE PASCHALL-TEXAS THEATRES IN EASTLAND AND RANGER TODAY

10 YEARS IN CHAIN GANG was sentenced given Robert E. Burns, foiled in first attempt to escape chain gang, is again at large. While in hiding, he wrote his life story.

RETRAYED BY HIS WIFE in fit of passion, Burns was turned over to the law after his first escape. Now he is at large again, a fugitive from a chain gang, and police are looking for him.

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Thursday.
Mrs. W. D. R. Owen hostess to luncheon, 1 p. m., at Circle No. 3. Baptist W. M. S., honoring Mrs. Ghent Sanderford.
Bluebonnet club, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. James Watson, hostess.
Kill Nare Kard Klub, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. D. E. Carter, hostess.
Chanyata group, Camp Fire Girls, 4 p. m., Mrs. W. P. Palm, guardian.
Methodist church, choir practice, 7 p. m., Wilda Drago, director, Mrs. Joe A. Gibson, pianist.
Baptist church, choir practice, 8 p. m., Mrs. O. B. Darby, director.
Rebekah lodge, 7:30 p. m., L. O. O. F. hall.

Entertained House Party.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter of the States Oil site, have had at their home guests through the holidays, her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Aid of Fort Worth; her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Park Weaver of Henderson, Texas, and niece, Miss Joanne Brown of Cory, Pa.
Miss Brown will remain until after New Year's day, but the other members of the party have returned to their homes, following a delightful visit.

Many small informal affairs were tendered them including open house kept by their host and hostess one evening during their stay.

Hospitable Weaver Home.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Weaver are entertaining a house full of company on various occasions, their usual custom during the holiday season. Their young daughters, Miss Virginia, student of University of Wisconsin, at Madison, and twin daughters, Misses Ruth and Louise, of St. Louis college, who are spending the Christmas holidays in their home, are being wonderfully entertained not only by friends but in the numerous informal home gatherings of young folks.

An especially enjoyable affair was that of Sunday night when 30 or 40 young people just returned from college assembled at the Weaver home, in welcome to the returned daughters of the house.

Christmas goodies all about, cake, fruit, and Christmas candies provided the informal refreshments.
Mr. and Mrs. Weaver entertained the B. D. Hamptons and son, Byron, of Longview, in town for the holidays, with informal family dinner, Monday evening. Tonight, Mr. and Mrs. Weaver will have as their dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. W. T. (Jinks) Garrett, Miss Elizabeth Garrett, and Bobby Garrett, here for the Christmas season, from Longview, and who have opened their Eastland residence during their short home visit.

Holidays in Eastland.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gupton of Fort Worth are entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wann of Washington, D. C., at the Connellee hotel, the party having arrived last Saturday.
They will probably terminate their visit this evening. The Wanns have frequently visited in Eastland, during the residency of their daughter and son, the Guptons, and have many friends who are welcoming them.
Among the informal dinner parties which were arranged for them were those of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lewis.
Mr. Gupton is now with the Sinclair-Prairie in Fort Worth.

With the Sick.
Frank Crowell, manager of the Pickering Lumber company, is seriously ill with influenza, and yesterday was pronounced to be in danger. His wife, Mrs. Crowell, was taken ill a week ago and is still very ill.
W. V. Tunnick, manager of

the Burr Dry Goods company, is seriously ill with influenza.
Mrs. Scott Key was reported as not so well yesterday and is suffering from influenza.
Mrs. F. G. Russell has a severe attack of the prevalent influenza.
Mrs. E. E. Freyschlag was taken sick with influenza Monday.
Mrs. Beskow is in a very dangerous condition, suffering from influenza, and serious doubts were entertained as to her recovery.
Robert McGlamery, student of Weatherford college, arrived home Wednesday for the holidays, was taken sick that evening and has been in bed ever since with an attack of influenza. Mrs. McGlamery, who was taken sick with this disease a week ago last Friday, is still confined to her bed, but little Dorothy, who has been ill several days, is improving.

Lovely Affair Today.
Mrs. John W. Turner is entertaining this afternoon with an informal tea from 3 to 5 o'clock, honoring Mrs. Scovell of Mississippi, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Melton in Abilene; and also honoring Mrs. Thomas Butler, who is now of Eastland, making her residence with her son, Mr. Sam Butler.

Entertain With Christmas Dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brightwell of Grandview opened their home Sunday for the annual Christmas dinner for their family and many of their friends. The house was beautifully decorated with Christmas greenery. A tree was gayly colored with icicles, snow and tinsel which added beauty to the home. A delicious turkey dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Choate and daughter, Etta Marie, Miss Ruth Brightwell, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McDonald and Fatch Thompson of Ranger, Elvie Wilson of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Brightwell and children of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Bethany and little daughter, Johnnie Faye, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Westmarland and children, Miss Johnnie Brightwell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson and host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Brightwell.

Young Woman's Association Elects Officers.
The Young Woman's association of the Baptist church met for a short business session Tuesday night, and held their annual election of officers.
Personnel: Miss Opal Hunt, president; Miss Thelma Wood, first vice president; Miss Irene Williams, second vice president; Miss Aline Williams, secretary-treasurer.
Miss Rowena Cook, personal service chairman; Miss Hassie Graham, social chairman.
The next meeting was announced for the second Tuesday, 7 p. m., in January.

Small Attendance.
On account of influenza among the ranks of the members, the Knights of Pythias initiatory program was postponed.
The regular routine business was conducted by Chancellor Commander Artie Liles.

Brilliant Ball
Book Club Success.
The Connellee roof garden underwent a transformation for the brilliant and successful ball, and reception staged by the Book club last night, and attended by all the youth and beauty of the city, college boys and girls home for the holidays, smart young married couples, and more sedate social leaders, the entire gathering forming a gorgeous paragon in their stunning evening gowns, and men in full dress.
At least 200 guests attended the function, which opened at 9:30 p. m., and closed four hours later.
The grandest dance music heard in Eastland, was presented by

FIGHT TO SAVE KIN FROM RETURN TO CHAIN GANG



The mother and brother of Robert Elliott Burns persuaded Gov. Harry Moore of New Jersey to refuse to extradite Burns to Georgia, where he twice escaped from the chain gang. Mrs. Katherine Burns is shown above at the left and the Rev. Vincent Burns at the right, as they posed in New York. Burns was serving a sentence in the chain gang on a robbery charge. Since his second escape he has written a book of his experiences in the prison camp.

OLDEN NEWS

Special Correspondent.
OLDEN, Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Horner and family returned Friday from West Texas where they have been for several months.
The little son of I. M. McFadden is quite ill with diphtheria.
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Ford and family of Overton spent Christmas holidays with their son and family at Athens, Texas. They will return to Olden today.
Funeral services for Hershell McMinn, the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. McMinn, were held at the Baptist church Dec. 25, at 3 p. m.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jackson and Mrs. Lewellen left Monday evening on their journey to their new home near Chickasha, Okla. They drove their cars through Mr. Lewellen expected to leave Tuesday morning with the care of household goods and livestock.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Park expect to move into the W. A. Jackson home Friday, Dec. 30.
Lem Loftis is recovering from an attack of appendicitis and is able to sit up now.
John Ford was quite sick Christmas morning but is able to be up now.
Mr. and Mrs. George Humphrey spent Christmas with Mrs. W. W. Pedger and Mrs. A. B. Baker in Olden. They returned to Overton Monday morning.
Friends of Aubrey Baker, formerly of Olden but now located at Clyde, Texas, will be glad to know that Aubrey and wife announce the arrival of a baby daughter on Christmas day. The baby has been named Betty Irene.
Dave Vermillion was the victim of a painful accident last week. Hilroy Bockman, who has been working in East Texas is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bockman.
The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raz Osborne has been quite ill, threatened with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Osborne formerly lived in Olden but are now in Dallas.
Miss Carrie Slay, who is attending T. C. U., is visiting her parents through the holidays. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Slay of Olden.
Dutch Philbrick, formerly of Olden but now located at Willow Springs, Texas, visited old friends in Olden Christmas day, returning to East Texas Monday, Dec. 26.
also has in her wardrobe an attractive tailored ensemble in beige corduroy velvet made with a plain circular skirt flaring at the hem. The little jacket, with pockets, fits slightly at the waistline. It is lined with fancy jersey in pale pink with a geometrical design in beige. The blouse is of this same jersey.
She also wears with success, a new tweed jersey dress in black and white check and a coat of black wool-cloth trimmed with shaved lamb.

PARIS STYLES

By MARY KNIGHT,
United Press Staff Correspondent.
PARIS.—The most conservative of colors, blue and black, and white have run away with the mid-winter styles. At the Opera, Cro's and Bagdad and in the salons of the Faubourg where the smartest French society still gathers, you will see 10 dresses of white, black or blue to one of any other color.
The countess Martini wears blue by day as well as by night. She has chosen from the Schinparelli collection a navy blue day costume.
The frock of jercerelli has the seemingly simple but fabbling cut that gives the line that is clinging and yet free. A white gilet, of shirred ribbon, is worn inside the bodice and adds a light, youthful note.
The coat, of tweed, ties at the waist with narrow bands of the same material, and has a collar and revers of the new velvet ribbon in a soft violet-blue.
Countess Jean de Monstier wears a very striking Chanel evening dress in black cloche, made with small puff sleeves, giving a drooping shoulder line, and a shirred hip-yoke to the full long skirt. She

RANGER Personal

Misses Laverne Downtain of Fort Worth and Bonita Hillier of Brownwood were visitors in Ranger Tuesday afternoon visiting friends, among whom was Miss Marjorie Maddocks, a former class mate at C. I. A., Denton, during their senior year.
Mrs. C. G. King and young son are visiting Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Woodson this week.
Mrs. E. E. Garner has returned home from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid G. Castle of Anson.
Mrs. S. Cohn is a business visitor in Dallas today.
Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Looney of Brownwood were Ranger visitors this morning, the guests of Miss Kate Kramer, secretary of the Texas-Louisiana Power company. Upon the Looney's return to Brownwood they will leave for Amarillo, where they will make their home for 1933.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clarke and family returned home yesterday from Denison where they spent Christmas.
Mrs. H. C. Anderson, who has been quite ill with flu, is reported much improved.
Dr. D. T. Wier of Dallas is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Wier, Strawn highway.

when a wrench hit him in the mouth and knocked out several of his teeth.
Little Erlene Munn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Munn, has been quite sick the past few days. She is reported to be better at this time.

Ranger Society and Club News
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Dances Main Attractions For Fading Holidays
Calendars this week are marked with dancing dates since the always fascinating pastime is proving the main attraction of the Christmas holiday season.
The fun-seeking crowd looks forward to Friday and Saturday evenings when dances in Ranger are to occupy the evening and early morning hours. All because the Ranger Country club is staging its annual Christmas frolic, dancing will begin at 9 o'clock, with Clayton Hunt and his eight-piece orchestra playing.
The president of the club, together with the entertaining committee asks that you present invitation, as all Country Club dances are limited to a certain number of dance guests.
Saturday evening the Elks club is to entertain with their annual New Year's dance and Clayton Hunt and his orchestra will again play. During the gala affair which is to be made colorful with notes flung from the Yuletide motif, a wedding will be a high point of the entertainment. This particular feature will be staged perhaps during intermission.
There is lots of fun in store for all and these two dance dates are holding sway thus far in the society calendar.

ANSWERS
to today's
THREE
GUESSES

THE Mayflower carried 102 PASSENGERS on the first voyage to America. The headgear of a FEZ. EAST PRUSSIA is separated from the rest of GERMANY by a part of Poland.

Dance Recital At Arcadia Entertains Large Audience
One of the most complete programs of the entire season, entertained a large audience at the Arcadia theatre last evening when Jackie Cooper and "Chic" Sales together with an all-star cast in "When a Feller Needs a Friend" occupied the feature period of the program followed with a dance recital when Miss Bess Maxwell presented her Ranger pupils as an act of special entertainment.
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