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JAPANESE, CHINESE AWAIT ZERO HOUR

PEERING THRU THE KNOTHOLE with BILL MAYES

Press agents sometimes achieve the old-time flamboyance of the writer of circus posters. And, at times, even sports writers become a little too enthusiastic in their writings, just as Prexy Anderson did Sunday when he said that he would start the universe with his writings of the day.

But the object of criticism today is a form letter we received announcing the triumphal procession of Haywire Bill Murray from Oklahoma to a little wide place in the road called Collinsville. The 1930 census showed a total population of 640. The little hamlet of 640 people is according to the press agent of Haywire Bill, to be the scene of "the greatest gathering of friends and followers of any leader in history."

He goes farther to state that "this will be an event that will be talked about by the children long after you and I are no more. Moving pictures will be taken of the event and shown throughout the nation."

"The greatest gathering of friends and followers of any leader in history" seemed to us to be about as exaggerated as Prexy's statement that he was about to "startle the universe."

However, without starting the universe in any way whatever, we might announce that in another column of this paper will be found a story to the effect that a school has been granted the American Legion-Boy Scout Junior Rifle Club of Ranger. And what a name that is! Buttons were distributed on Saturday morning by George Armstrong, instructor for the boys, and they are now wearing them with much pride.

Doc Young, Ranger high school youth, automatically became a member of the Dudo club recently when he made a hole-in-one in a golf match between Ranger high school and Eastland high school. According to the information given us, Doc made his dodo shot on hole No. 4 on the course of the Eastland Golf and Country club, a 138-yard, par three hole.

Down at John Tarleton Agricultural college, Ranger and Eastland county boys and girls are making good records. A statement issued by authorities of the school states that Arthur Deffebach of Ranger is a straight "A" student for the semester. Betty Dunlap, also of Ranger, is on the honor roll as a Drucilla Eberhart of Rising Star and Elbert Thurman of Carbon.

One of the very few basketball games to be played on the Ranger high school's miniature court, will be played tonight. The Ranger teams, both boys and girls, will play the teams from Elvasville tonight.

The girls may have made a better showing this year than the boys have made as the boys have managed to stay in the bottom position rather consistently throughout the season. They managed to win something like three games out of a total of 13 played, as we remember the record, and finishing with a percentage of somewhere around .231.

The Fitzsimmons brothers, who are alleged to have hijacked a Fort Worth auto accessory store, shooting two policemen and resulting in the shooting of one of the brothers, were all over this part of the country a few days before the attempted robbery. At Eastland they registered at the Connellee hotel and checked out, leaving a good part of their baggage.

Modern "Alice in Wonderland"



Fairy tales should be of especial interest to baby Mary Jane Hargreaves, shown here, the only granddaughter of Mrs. Reginald Hargreaves, the original of Lewis Carroll's "Alice in Wonderland."

Mrs. Hargreaves, who lives in Kent, England, is coming to America soon.

GARNER TAKES MOVE TO CUT FEDERAL COST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Speaker John Garner today appointed a house committee to make a survey of possible governmental economies through elimination of unnecessary offices and useless expenditures.

In taking the initiative in this movement, the speaker criticized the administration, saying a gesture had been made toward economy without definite recommendations to bring it about. Representative McDuffie, democrat, Alabama, was appointed chairman of the special committee.

Man Is Beaten By Kidnapers

CLEVELAND, O.—His body covered with bruises, Harry A. Blagden lay in bed at the home of a friend, Claude Peck, today as he told police a weird tale of his escape from kidnapers who he said seized him near Lake Placid, N. Y., last Friday.

Blagden, almost unconscious, stumbled into Peck's home last night. He was brought here in a closed delivery truck, he said. He escaped by beating a guard on the head with his own gun.

Blagden said he believed the kidnapers had intended to abduct a rich New York visitor at his place or one of his brothers, wealthier than he, he said.

Big Spring Has A \$75,000 Fire

BIG SPRING, Texas, Feb. 16.—Damage of \$75,000 resulted from a business district fire here last night, it was estimated today. The fire damaged a grocery, hotel, tavern, office, barber shop and dry goods store.

A man accused of breaking a jewelry store show window during the excitement, was held for examination.

J. H. Herman Dies In Ranger Tuesday

The body of J. H. Herman, who died in the City-County hospital, Ranger, about 1 o'clock this morning, was shipped early today to Weatherford, where funeral services are to be held.

REENFORCING IS REPORTED BY RUSSIANS

TOKIO, Feb. 16.—Soviet Russia is re-enforcing garrisons of the Manchurian border, possibly for protection of Russian interests in Manchuria, the government was informed today.

An official announcement said the information came from an undisclosed European capital. It was said Japan had no objection to such a move. The Russian ambassador said the reports were unfounded.

The London Daily Express reported that Russia and Japan had concluded a secret treaty governing their policies in Manchuria, including operation of the railways.

Road Contracts to Be Let In March

AUSTIN, Feb. 16.—Additional highway projects, estimated to cost \$392,000, are to be opened for bidding at the meeting of the state highway commission here Feb. 20, March 1 and 2.

Junior Rifle Club of Ranger Granted National Charter

WASHINGTON.—The National Rifle association today issued a charter to the American Legion-Boy Scout Junior Rifle club of Ranger, Texas, which becomes one of the more than 2,800 active shooting organizations affiliated with the national body.

The officers of the new club are J. T. Scott, president; Barefield Thomas, vice president; Earl Brown, secretary-treasurer; and Charles Hodges, executive officer. Safe handling of firearms will be stressed at the beginning of the activities of the club. The members will first undergo a course of instruction in "dry shooting" before being permitted to handle loaded rifles. When they become thoroughly accustomed to the weapons, they will compete for the various medals awarded by the junior division of the National Rifle association.

The American Legion-Boy Scout Junior Rifle club was organized by George Armstrong, who will serve as instructor in rifle practice. Membership pins have been sent the 70 members now enrolled and an inscribed charter has been forwarded to the club.

Of the more than 2,800 shooting club affiliated with the National Rifle association, more than 700 are junior clubs organized in high schools, summer camps, Y. M. C. A.'s, churches, etc.

Harry Byars Given Eight Years More On Theft Charges

Harry Byars of Ranger, waived a jury when his case was called for trial on two charges of robbery in the 91st district court Monday and entered pleas of guilty to both counts.

Hon. G. L. Davenport accepted the pleas and set his penalty at four years in each case. Byars is already under sentence of seven years given him in Stephens county.

Farmer Jim Ired As Papers Print Wife's Announcement

AUSTIN, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson will seek to regain the governor's office this year on a platform of economy.

Woman Pastor Weds Ex-Hubby To "Other Woman" In Triangle



Not only did Mrs. Elizabeth Lawson, Pentecostal minister at Springfield, Mo., give her husband up to the "other woman" in a strange marital triangle, but she performed the marriage ceremony for them.

Mrs. Lawson No. 1 had been divorced from Lawson two weeks previously, blaming Mrs. Valma Sneed for breaking up the marriage. When Lawson and Mrs. Sneed decided to marry, they asked the first Mrs. Lawson to officiate. She did, and above you see her (at the right) performing the ceremony.

TREE PLANTING COMMITTEE TO HOLD MEETING

A meeting of the committees from the Ranger Lions club, Chamber of Commerce and the ladies' clubs of Ranger has been called for Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in the office of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce.

Discussion of plans for a yard beautification contest and arrangements for sponsoring a tree planting campaign in the city are to be taken up.

As in the past, it is expected that Chinese elm are to be ordered for planting purposes in the city and those who sign up for the trees will get them at cost. The price of the trees will be much less this year than in the past, as prices of about half the former charges have been quoted to the committee by nurseries.

Plans for having George Washington and tree planting programs at the various schools of the city will be made at the meeting on Wednesday morning in an effort to create interest in the movement.

Arrangements for Legion Banquet Are Being Made

Arrangements for the seventh annual American Legion-George Washington banquet, to be held in the Legion hall, Ranger, on Monday night, Feb. 22, are being rapidly completed by the committees in charge of details.

Clint Davis, general chairman of the banquet, predicts that this will be the best banquet of the kind ever held in Ranger. This being the 200th anniversary of the birth of George Washington, more interest is being taken in the Father of Our Country than in many years and this interest is expected to be reflected in the attendance at the banquet.

Committees have been busily engaged in arranging for speakers, the menu and program and ticket sales and each committee is reported to have done much toward making the banquet a success.

Sheppard Supports Oil Tariff Bill

A letter from Senator Morris Sheppard has been received by the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, in which Senator Sheppard states that he is an advocate of a tariff on crude oil and refined oil products.

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HOOPER SAYS HOARDING IS BEING HALTED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—President Hoover said today that since Feb. 4, when he first moved against hoarding, there had been an entire turn in the tide throughout the country.

The president announced that since that date a total upwards of \$34,000,000 had been turned back into circulation, presumably from hoarded funds.

Eastland Rotary Club To Attend Inter-City Meet

Sam Gamble was chairman of the entertainment committee at the Rotary club luncheon at the Connellee hotel Monday. He presided Missions Williams and Beard in a musical program.

The club voted to cancel next week's meeting and attend an inter-city meet with the Ranger Rotary club on the evening of Feb. 24 which will be attended by the clubs from Eastland, Cisco, Breckenridge and Ranger.

Eastland All-Stars Play Breck Tonight

Eastland—Right forward; Coleman; left forward, Morris; center, LaFon; right guard, Cheatham; left guard, Watson.

Breckenridge—Right forward, Miller; left forward, McKay; center, Russell; right guard, Carey; left guard, McCallie.

The All-Stars will continue with their usual lineup tonight. Captain Ray Morris and Terrell Coleman, two lanky forwards, who have been dropping the ball through the mesh with regularity this season will be at their regular forward position. Charles LaFon, whose offensive work has been outstanding will be at the center position. At the guards Billy Cheatham, whose floor work and ability to take the ball off the backboard have added much to the All-Stars' defense, and Marshal Watson, who has been playing a strong defensive game also, will hold down those positions.

Basketball lovers will also see the Mavericks encounter the Morton Valey team for the county championship. The winner will then represent Eastland county at the district meet this week.

BILL TO EASE CREDITS GOES TO SENATE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The emergency bill to ease federal reserve credits and currency restrictions on the basis of which the stock market recorded the most active trading in many months, reached the senate today from the house.

The house passed the bill by an overwhelming vote yesterday. Senate leaders said the hope to vote today. The bill probably will have to go to conference but is expected to become a law this week.

PROCEEDINGS IN COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals today: Matter Williams et al. vs. Farmers State Bank of Merkel, et al., appellant's motion for rehearing on motion to file record; Reversed and Remanded—Ed S. Hughes Co. vs. L. W. Scott, Taylor; Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway Co. vs. Texas vs. Belton Sedberry, Nolan.

Cases Submitted—Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. vs. W. D. Taylor, Eastland; G. B. Dakan et al. vs. Mary A. Dakan, Eastland; Farm & Home Saving & Loan Assn., of Nevada, Mo., vs. Nathan Landau et al., Taylor.

Motions Overruled—J. C. Hilburn et al. vs. Lela Dalton, administratrix, appellant's motion for rehearing on motion to file record; Claude H. Allen vs. Lela Dalton, administratrix, appellant's motion for rehearing on motion to file record; Matter Williams et al. vs. Farmers State Bank of Merkel, et al., appellant's motion for rehearing on motion to file record; Maryland Casualty Co. vs. Mrs. Anna B. Stevens et al., appellant's motion for certiorari; Humble Oil & Refining Co. vs. T. R. Butler et al., appellant's motion for rehearing; Humble Oil & Refining Co. vs. D. C. Ooley et al., appellant's motion for rehearing; Humble Oil & Refining Co. vs. D. C. Ooley, appellant's motion for rehearing; Humble Oil & Refining Co. vs. T. R. Butler et al., appellant's motion for rehearing; Humble Oil & Refining Co. vs. T. R. Butler et al., appellant's motion for rehearing; Humble Oil & Refining Co. vs. T. R. Butler et al., appellant's motion for rehearing.

Cases to be Submitted Feb. 19, 1932—West Texas Construction Co. vs. Liberty National bank of Oklahoma City et al., Taylor; W. E. Braddock vs. Mrs. Ula Brockman, Stephens; Farmers National bank et al. vs. Dublin National bank, Erath; Southwest Gas Co. vs. John P. Hoff et al., Comanche.

George Ingram Gets Suspended Sentence In Liquor Trial

George Ingram, tried previously on a liquor charge when the jury couldn't agree, waived a jury before Judge Davenport this morning and plead guilty.

He explained that he made whiskey as a means of earning a living for his family of 10 children after efforts to secure other employment had failed.

Judge Davenport gave him a two-year suspended sentence and warned him that he must go straight or else he would be compelled to serve the term in the penitentiary. In commenting on the case in the presence of the defendant, Judge Davenport said that he interpreted it that Ingram had gone to making whiskey because it appeared the easiest way rather than the hard way to earn a living for his family.

Brother of Eastland Man Fatally Hurt

Joe Talbot, 41, of Las Vegas, N. M., brother of J. R. Talbot of Eastland, who was injured Monday, Feb. 8, died Thursday, Feb. 11. He was an electrical engineer.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, Feb. 17, in Ada, Okla. J. R. Talbot of this city will attend the funeral.

In Poison Quiz



"A frame-up" is the reply of Mrs. Arnold H. Kegeel, above, to an indictment charging her with poisoning her maid, Mrs. Mary Ryan, to prevent the maid from testifying in a divorce suit brought by Mrs. Kegeel's husband, below.

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YALE EXPERTS STUDY NATIONS RAIL PROBLEMS

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Yale university has undertaken research into the pressing problem of how to make the railroads fit more perfectly into modern society—a problem admitted by economists to be one of the most important confronting the nation.

In the early days of railroad development the main question was of capacity for expansion. Today a complex system, which developed its chief support during the formative period from the steam lines, imposes myriad handicaps and restrictions upon the railroads.

How the great railroad corporations, with their millions of miles of track can best accommodate themselves to changed conditions is the objective of the study.

"Into the railway problem has entered a host of new factors," says Prof. Howard E. Boardman, Dudley professor of railroad engineering and director of the project, "the competition of the passenger motor car, the bus and motor truck, the airplane and the pipe lines. Waterways, in competition with railroads, has been greatly revived through governmental assistance and subsidy. Mechanization is rapidly changing the methods of operation and maintenance in transportation as in other fields.

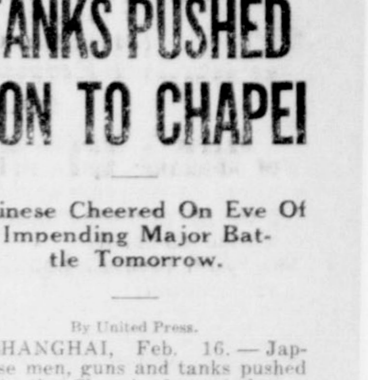
"In the early days the railroad problem was largely one of extending new lines into undeveloped regions. The condition today has completely changed; new lines are seldom required, in fact, many branch lines might well be abandoned.

"It is the purpose under the Dudley endowment to study the broad economic phases of engineering development, necessitated by these broad and vital changes of conditions. It is believed assistance can be rendered the railroads along these lines by investigation of modern trends and methods."

Sheppard Is For Speaker Garner As President

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 16.—Senator Morris Sheppard, author of the eighteenth amendment, today endorsed Speaker John Garner for president in a letter received by Mayor C. M. Chambers. Mayor Chambers will read the letter at a Garner rally here Monday.

MEN, GUNS AND TANKS PUSHED ON TO CHAPEI



Chinese cheered on Eve Of Impending Major Battle Tomorrow.

SHANGHAI, Feb. 16.—Japanese men, guns and tanks pushed up to the Chapei front today to await zero hour for the big offensive, aimed to smash Chinese positions previously held against marine and aerial attacks.

A sharp bombardment in the sector ended at midnight Monday and during the lull United States Minister Nelson T. Johnson visited Japanese lines.

While the 9,000 Japanese of the crack ninth division were billeted in the district or sent into the front lines, the Chinese dug in. The nineteenth Chinese route army, national heroes because of their defense of Chapei, were cheered by news that a national guard division had entrained at Nanking fully equipped and with its own field guns coming to their assistance.

Japanese areas of the international settlement furnished a queer mixture of Japanese residents, jubilant over arrival of troops and silent Chinese watching advance of the trim soldiers to the front.

Shells whizzed over from Chinese lines occasioned but little damage.

GENEVA, Feb. 16.—The League of Nations council sent a strongly worded note to Japan today reminding her of her obligations under the league covenant in her action in China.

The note called Japan's attention to her position as one of the world's greatest powers, adding that "as a noble gesture Japan should meet the entreaties of the world."

Markets

Table with columns for Closing selected New York stocks and various stock prices.

WEATHER

By United Press. West Texas Generally fair, colder tonight, Wednesday fair, colder in north and east portions.

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COLLEGE REVISION.

James O. Guleke, Amarillo member of the state board
of education, made an inquiry and said it disclosed that
in about seven years that the University of Texas has offered
a course of mathematics on the Einstein theory nobody has
signed up for it.

"And Einstein has changed his theory in that time," he
commented.
Einstein and the universe were but a part of this state
official's inquiry.

He reported that he found hundreds of courses were
being given to one, two, five or seven students, even though
the cost is as great as for a full class.

He estimated if the sparse courses can be trimmed out
of one educational institution and doubled up in others, the
state would get along by presenting about 400 fewer
courses of instruction in the aggregate of its institutions
of higher learning, and without depriving anybody of a
chance for any course who valued it enough to choose the
school offering it.

One other phase of college administration was concern-
ing this successful lawyer-board of educational member.

That is the extensive array of instructors, lecturers, ad-
junct and associate professors and professors in Texas col-
leges who teach nine hours a week and no more or no less.

Mr. Guleke has suggested that the board of education,
which is required to assist in shaping the curriculum of the
higher institutions, and will assist in working out the
budget, should either increase or reduce these work hours.

At nine hours a week, an instructor has to put in a lot
of golf to take up his spare time. . . really he's majoring in
golf; but the nine hours' teaching a week threaten to inter-
fere with the golf. He thinks most of these people could
teach six hours a week without it interfering; or, he sug-
gested, maybe the board can increase the hours to 15,
which will put enough school work upon them that they
won't have to bother about golf.

Mr. Guleke said he knows as well as anyone that not all
a professor's work is confined to his lecture periods; but
he believes there's something to his theory that college
courses ought to be so adjusted as to take up the slack of
faculty dead time; and to weed out the courses largely
responsible for it that are so sparsely attended as to ren-
der them unjustifiable.

Improvements at either end will result in what he wants,
higher efficiency and better results for what Texas can af-
ford to put into education, he points out.

That may bring up the old question of trying to special-
ize each of the numerous teacher colleges and junior col-
leges into a set of institutions of higher standing in special
fields rather than to spread their work so far and so thin,
as did the Kingsville College of Arts and Industries that
it lost its affiliation with the college and secondary school
association.

It appears probable that this summer the state board of
control and the governor, both preparing to pass on and
review requests of the institutions and colleges, will hold
joint sessions with regents of the University of Texas, di-
rectors of A. & M. college and members of the boards of
the teacher colleges, College of Industrial Arts, Texas
Tech college and others, with the purpose of getting a uni-
fied budget, based on a . . . program of work, with
as much duplication and overlapping as possible taken out,
considering that no effort will be made to reduce the num-
ber of schools.

A DUTY WE OVERLOOK.

Police Commissioner Mulrooney of New York, address-
ing an audience of churchmen recently, expressed regret
that church and community work for boys often ends when
the youngsters reach the age of 16, or thereabouts.

"I wish," he said, "that the churches of all denomina-
tions would do more to try to direct the boys of the city to
wholesome recreation. The Boy Scout troops often seem
to lose the boy after he is 16, and it is then that he falls
into bad company."

There is a whole lot of truth in this; for the lad of 16
very often finds himself a misfit, and the two or three-year
period that he begins at that age can be an extremely
trying and dangerous time.

At 16 he is no longer—in his own eyes, at least—a
boy; he is entering manhood, and he is desperately anx-
ious to do the things that men do. But he has not quite got
there, as yet. The adult world still looks on him as an un-
licked cub, and grown-ups who will treat him as a grown-up
are few and far between.

So, feeling himself lost between two worlds, he is apt
to have a rather hard time. He starts drifting, and the
first group that takes a real interest in him, and treats him
as a more or less mature individual capable of making his
own choices, is likely to win his allegiance permanently.

And it is right at this point that one of modern society's
most terrible bits of wastage comes in. The lad from an
underprivileged neighborhood will drift into some un-
couple places before he gets his bearings, and if his luck
happens to be out he will take root in one or another of
them.

So, a little later on, we have another youthful gunman,
or another furtive-eyed young loafer with a shady present
and a dubious future, or another pool-room hanger-on
ready to get into any kind of trouble that offers itself.

We have discovered, in recent years, that children must
be given a chance to get wholesome recreation. But we
have not yet learned that this guidance must extend
through the first part of young manhood. Commissioner
Mulrooney has touched on a point that deserves a lot more
thought than we have given it.

JOHN BULL AND HIS FRENCH BROTHER

John Bull speaking through his representatives at the
Geneva disarmament conference urges abolition of all
U-boats and gas warfare, while the spokesman of France
demands a national league army sufficiently powerful to
put down all offenders who are outside of the league. This
did not appeal to Senator Borah of Idaho. He branded the
plan as absurd. He branded the proposed international
boycott as more than absurd. It is a matter of record that
the lone eagle of Idaho always travels alone. It is likewise
in the record that he speaks his convictions regardless of
platforms or political leaders or bosses.

The Wrong Foundation!



Taylor Protests Bombing Of Marine Sector Of Shanghai

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Admiral M. M. Taylor, commanding
American naval forces at Shang-
hai, today advised the navy depart-
ment he had protested to the Jap-
anese naval department as a result
of Japanese shells falling in the
marine sector of the international
settlement of Shanghai.

Madam Fiske, Once Famous Stage Star Dies On Monday

By United Press.
NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Mrs.
Minnie Maddern Fiske, once fam-
ous on the American stage, died
almost unheralded on Long Island
yesterday.

Unemployed Riot At Jacksonville

By United Press.
JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 16.
A crowd of between 400 and 500
white men rioted here today
sweeping through streets demand-
ing discharge of negro workers.

Ranger-Eliasville Game Scheduled

Two basketball games, one be-
tween the boys of Ranger high
school and Eliasville high school
and the other between the girls'
teams of these two schools, have
been scheduled for tonight at the
high school gymnasium.

Coleen Moore Has Retired From Films

By United Press.
MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 16.
Retirement of Coleen Moore from
motion pictures was disclosed to-
day with announcement of her
marriage to Al P. Scott, New York
stock broker.

Showers General Over The State

By United Press.
DALLAS, Feb. 16.—Showers
were general over Texas in the
past 24 hours except in the south-
west portion, the United States
weather bureau reported today.

Prices Soar Again On Stock Market

By United Press.
NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Bullish
enthusiasm flared up anew during
the afternoon trading today on the
stock exchange and the entire list
resumed the advance that got un-
derway last week.

Experts Think Bank Situation Being Adjusted

By ELMER C. WALZER,
United Press Financial Editor.
NEW YORK.—The process of
financial adjustment the banking
situation of the United States has
been going through is strengthening
it without necessity of resorting
to hasty legislation, in the
opinion of many well-informed ob-
servers in the financial world.

For Congressman

Pink L. Parrish of Lubbock, who
has announced his candidacy as
congressman-at-large. He was
once a candidate for governor of
Texas.

J. E. Pitzer Buys Eastland Garage

J. E. Pitzer has bought the Hotel
Garage and service station on
West Main street across from the
Connellie hotel. The station was
formerly operated by Earl Harvey.

Famous Rescue Team Reunited On S. S. Roosevelt

By United Press.
NEW YORK.—One of the most
noted rescue teams in modern
American merchant marine history
was re-established when Capt. Har-
ry Manning joined Capt. George
Fried as chief officer on Fried's
staff on the President Roosevelt.

Almanac Keeps Editor On Jump

By United Press.
NEW YORK.—The business of
compiling the annual edition of the
World Almanac keeps a fellow to
the jump, according to Fletcher
Cooper, 60-year-old associate edi-
tor of the publication.

Fourth Legal Year Is Wasted

By United Press.
CHICAGO.—Three years of
pre-legal work are better than
four years and the extra year is
just wasted, according to the sur-
vey made by Prof. William L.
Eagleton, of the law school, and
Prof. Nelson E. Henry, of the
school of education, University of
Chicago, and printed in the Illi-
nois Law Review.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

Humorous text and illustrations including 'IN AUSTRALIA', 'FOR FORTY YEARS, 1850-1890', 'WOODPECKERS IN THE DESERT', and 'OKLAHOMA'.

SPEAKING of SPORTS

By F. O. BAILEY,
United Press Staff Correspondent.
Browns to Let Rivals
Break in Raw Rivalries
Take Bill Killefer's word for it,
he's not going to waste time on
unknown bush league recruits
when the St. Louis Browns get to
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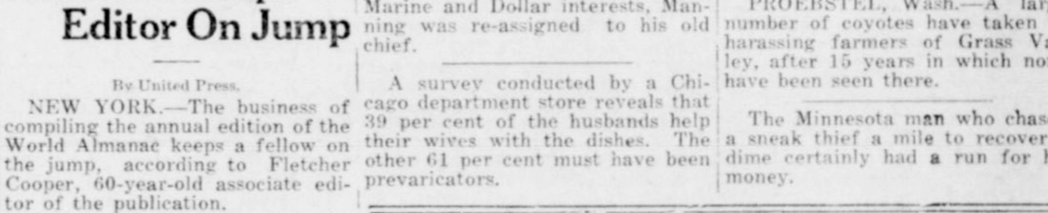
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Almanac Keeps Editor On Jump

By United Press.
NEW YORK.—The business of
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Cooper, 60-year-old associate edi-
tor of the publication.

He Dared Not Speak Though Headlines Screamed "Guilty!"



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WASHINGTON—United States... South African women... Department of Commerce... Consul Cecil M. O. Cross, Cape Town... The market for imported corsets is confined primarily to the European population...

GOOD NEWS FOR THOSE WHO LIKE COFFEE

I like a good cup of coffee with every meal but I used to suffer when I drank it... I would have sick headaches; would belch; would get a sour taste in my mouth, gas on my stomach, and terrible indigestion... I tried many things before my druggist persuaded me to take some Pape's Diapepsin...



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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election July 23, 1932... For Judge 88th District Court: J. D. BARKER... For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER (re-election)... For District Clerk: P. L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY... For County Clerk: W. C. BEDFORD... 1—LOST AND FOUND... 2—HELP WANTED, MALE... 7—SPECIAL NOTICES... MRS. C. L. ERVIN, exclusive agent for Baldwin Piano Co. Phone 117, 411 Main st., Ranger... MONEY TO LOAN on automobiles. C. E. MADDOCKS & CO., Ranger... 9—HOUSES FOR RENT... SMALL HOUSE—Close in. 220 S. Austin st., Ranger... 22—POULTRY, PET STOCK... FOR SALE—Turbeular tested milk cows, Dr. Bob Hodges, phone 420, Ranger... 21—LEGAL NOTICES... No. 1931... In the Matter of the Estate of Arthur Blackwell, et al. Mink... In the County Court, Eastland County, Texas... Notice is hereby given that I, Jack Blackwell, guardian of the estate of Arthur Blackwell and Loraine Blackwell, minors, have this day filed my application in the above numbered and entitled cause for an order of the county judge of Eastland county, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said wards to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may direct of the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said wards, to-wit: An undivided two thirds (2-3) of an undivided one fortieth (1-40) interest in the following described premises located in Eastland county, Texas, to-wit: The north half of the following described tract, to-wit: Beng Lot No. 1 of the T. W. House subdivision of the Harvey Kendrick survey in said county more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the original N. E. corner of said Harvey Kendrick survey for the N. E. corner of this tract; thence S. with original E. line of Kendrick survey 890 vrs. to stake for S. E. corner of this tract; thence W. 687 vrs. to stone mkd. for S. W. corner of this tract; thence N. 890 vrs. to stone mkd. for N. W. corner of this tract; thence east 687 vrs. to the beginning, containing 108 acres, more or less, the north half thereof it being proposed to lease for oil and gas purposes, containing fifty-four (54) acres, more or less... Said application will be heard by the said county judge of Eastland county, Texas, on Wednesday, Feb. 24, 1932, at 10 a. m., or as soon thereafter as same may be reached by said judge, in the courtroom of the county court, at Eastland, in Eastland county, Texas... Dated this 15th day of February, A. D. 1932, JACK BLACKWELL, Guardian of the Estate of Arthur Blackwell and Loraine Blackwell, Minors.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowan



The dime-a-dance girl

By Blosser



Dry Law Drives Reno Gamblers To Hideaways

RENO, Nev.—Open gambling which is legal in Nevada, is rapidly becoming closed gambling, in the opinion of observers here... When the open gambling law was enacted a year ago, along with a six weeks divorce bill, great was the observance of the "open" provisions. Clubs, large and small, sprang up overnight and soon the town was ablaze with lights... The streets of Reno still gleam brightly during early morning hours and a few of the big clubs, reportedly at least, are making money from "out in the open operations." But many of the small clubs have disappeared. They have been driven behind closed doors due, it is said, to belief that liquor bars and gambling tables do best when under the same roof... The "closed door" complication arises from the activities of federal dry agents as Nevada has no dry laws. The federals, however, stage an occasional raid, provided they can get in and collect evidence. This is not an easy matter in Reno, for one matter, there isn't such a thing as local police cooperation... Precautions, due to the federals, are elaborate. There are barred doors, passwords, passwords, "eagle eyes" at peep holes and all the customary means of protection. Cards, however, are easily obtained by those with qualifications and the men at the deep holes have retentive memories... Generally, it is explained that the retirement of Reno to a "closed" status is due to a decline in the divorce business which fell off heavily during the winter. Maybe, some boosters explain, legalized gambling will increase again when the spring rush of divorce-seekers starts.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



New Jail Lacks Old Safeguards

ANTONY, N. M.—The usual safeguards that prisons have to keep convicts inside will be lacking at the new \$350,000 federal detention home being built near Anthony... There will be no outside wall, no guard towers, no machine gun nooks and no alarm siren... Even the familiar pack of bloodhounds used to track escaped men will be missing... "The government does not contemplate any such things as breaks or riots," E. J. Brandt, one of the architects, said... "The prison is somewhat of an experiment. It will be operated on a sort of 'honor' system. Prisoners will be allowed the freedom of cell corridors during the day. There are only 96 individual cells. Other prisoners will be confined in dormitories... Prisoners receiving jail sentences for immigration and liquor offenses will be confined in the dormitory cells, while the individual cells will be used for hardened criminals... Windows in the new prison will have no bars. Brandt said it is planned to keep all prisoners busy in recreation and work... Each ward and dormitory will have a radio. An automatic telephone system will be installed... P. O. BANK DEPOSITS UP... MILWAUKEE.—A new record for postal savings in Milwaukee was indicated with the announcement that at the end of January \$1,855,833 was on deposit in the Milwaukee postal savings department. At the end of January, 1931 deposits totaled only \$433,067... PRINTER FOR 77 YEARS... MANITOWOC, Wis.—Horal B. Nelson, 85, who came to this country from Valdres, Norway, at 4, and began work as a printer's devil a few years later, has a record of 77 years continuous work in printing offices.

Huge Airship Work Is Delayed

AKRON, O.—Unless congress does something about it, America will lose its position as the builder of the world's largest airships to Germany... Plans to construct a giant air merchantman, carrying 100 passengers and 10 tons of mail, are reposing in the pockets of Good-year-Zeppelin corporation officials, awaiting congressional action on the pending legislation to let the postoffice department award airship mail contracts. Unless this legislation is passed, the proposed liner—even larger than the U. S. S. Akron—will not be built, officials say... On the other hand, Germany is already at work building a super-airship at Friedrichshafen, which will be 45 feet longer than the mammoth Akron and with a greater gas content—a capacity of 500,000 cubic feet greater. The ship will be ready by spring of 1933. It will be the LZ 129, dwarfing in size the Graf Zeppelin, heretofore Germany's greatest and until the launching of the Akron, the world's greatest.

CO-OPERATIVE BURIALS PLANNED

FOND DU LAC, Wis.—Farmers of the town of Alton are planning to form a co-operative burial association in an effort to reduce funeral costs.

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four flights of stairs. The only telephone in the house was in Mrs. Clancy's apartment on the first floor. The six families who occupied the building were, in the generous phrase of Mrs. Clancy, "perfectly welcome to use the phone so long as they pay for outgoing calls." And so long as they pay Mrs. Clancy listens in on their business. Ellen had thought privately, "Sure enough, the fat, good-natured Irish woman was waiting in the hall at the foot of the stairs. For a moment she looked like a master of ceremonies, she said, "Right this way." Then after she had shown Ellen where the telephone was (as if Ellen had not known before) she placidly settled herself in the vicinity of the conversation. Unfortunately for the listener the conversation was extremely short. Ellen replaced the receiver, presented her thanks and prepared to leave. Mrs. Clancy saw a golden opportunity fading. She said quickly and ingratiatingly, "Was that the rich fellow your mother was telling me all about?" "I don't know who you mean," Ellen replied coldly. "Sure you do," said Mrs. Clancy, chuckling. "I mean Mr. Steven Barclay, your mother said he was fairly daft over you." Ellen had to smile. "Yes, it was Mr. Barclay," she admitted to the other's evident pleasure. She even added, "Mr. Barclay wanted me to go driving with him this afternoon." "I heard you saying that you couldn't go," Mrs. Clancy confessed. "That's too bad. It's such a nice day for an automobile ride." "Yes, it is, isn't it?" Ellen agreed and made her escape... Ellen returned to the bedroom. Myra was dressing but Molly had collapsed on the bed and was nibbling at a bit of toast. Both fell abruptly silent at Ellen's entrance and she realized that they had been discussing her. Let them, thought Ellen grimly. "Won't you tell us about your call?" asked Molly, after a delicate interval of silence. "Or is it a secret?" "There's nothing much to tell," said Ellen airily. "It was Steven Barclay. He wanted me for a drive this afternoon." "Ah!" said Molly. "There was another interval of silence. Myra looked sharply at her sister but Ellen's gaze was bland and innocent. Presently she said to her mother, "I'd like to invite a friend to supper." "No," replied Ellen, half smiling, half sighing at Molly's terrible persistence. "He didn't say anything more than 'I've told you.' " "Was he surprised yesterday when you returned the dress?" "I don't think so," she remarked meditatively, "and I believe you were right in declining his invitation this afternoon. He will appreciate you all the more for asking him at first. Men are like that." "I didn't refuse for that reason and I'm sure you know I didn't," said Ellen in intense exasperation... "We've gone over and over this and you know exactly how I feel. I can't think of anything so dishonest as encouraging a man I don't love." "Well," countered Molly in well simulated surprise, "I for one can't understand your ethics. Do think it less dishonest to go running around with a man who is not free, a man engaged to another girl?" Ellen was halted. "I'm not proud of that part of it," she said in a ashamed voice. "The trouble is that you always believe you're right and I'm wrong." Molly continued in a sad little tone. "I'm older and more experienced. I'm your mother and you should respect my opinions. I can't see why any girl would want to risk her reputation—that's what you're doing—running around with a man who cared so little for her as Larry Harrowgate seems to care for you when—" "When there is a chance of erupting in a rich man," Ellen interrupted furiously. "It's just as easy to love a rich man as a poor one," Molly agreed placidly, ignoring the storm signals. "There were dozens of other men I could have married but when I saw your father, I was hooked." "You loved him," Ellen broke in triumphantly. "And I don't and never could love Steven Barclay. Heaven! He's over 30 years older than I am!"... She had made a mistake. The point was Molly's. "Ellen Rossiter! I never thought you'd speak to your mother like this. You father was 25 years older than I was. And you know it." She burst into hysterical tears. "Oh, mother, can't you understand?" Ellen wailed. "You're one person and I'm another. I wasn't for a minute inferring that you didn't love father. I know you did. But can't you see that I'm different?" "You're so different," sobbed Molly. "that you never think of anyone except yourself. The fact that I work myself to the bone, that Mike has nothing, that Myra whom you profess to love has worked herself to death for nine years waiting for enough money to get married, means nothing to you when you meet a young man with no money, no prospects, already entangled with another woman. You've forgotten us all." At that moment Myra came in with fresh coffee. She had hurried but she saw at once that she had not been quick enough. Molly lay at the foot of the bed, a sobbing, hysterical heap, and Ellen was trying frantically to comfort her. "What is it?" Myra asked. "It looks as if I'm even luckier than you," Ellen answered without looking up. (To Be Continued)

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Son Is Born To Mr. and Mrs. Marlow
 Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Marlow of Olden announced the arrival of a 10-pound son at the West Texas Clinic and Hospital Monday, Feb. 15. Mother and son are resting very comfortably.

Young Matrons Class Meeting Is Postponed
 Members of the Young Matrons class of the First Methodist Church are asked to note the postponement of the meeting formerly arranged to have been held at the church Wednesday morning.

"Home and Foreign Missions" Is Taken For Study Led By Mrs. Bruce

A period of the lesson yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. C. Cash, 792 Sixth street when the Women's Missionary Union of the Central Baptist Church met for the lesson on "Home and Foreign Missions."

The circles were announced for next Monday afternoon with hostesses named. Study topic will be "Outriders for the King." The hostess served a plate of homemade cake and coffee to 10 members.

W. M. S. Observes Bicentennial In Form of Royal Service Program

The history and significance of bicentennial was observed at the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church Monday afternoon with the lesson held at the home of Mrs. Bob Hodges, 930 East Main street. Numbers substituting the program were taken from the Royal service course of study which composes the study for one lesson out of each month.

Flowers decking the rooms were primarily of marigolds and japonicas, used with runners of greenery creating a pretty color note.

Two large American flags flanking either side of the French doors leading into the dining room added patriotic colors to the setting.

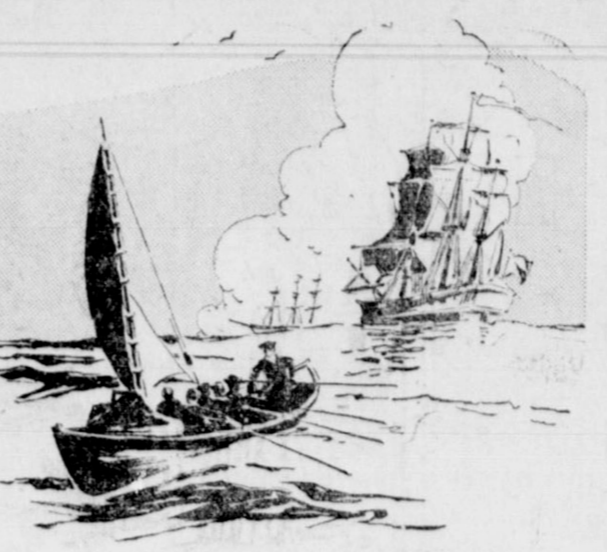
Opening topic Christianity and Bible study was given by Mrs. Minnie Love, Washington after 240 years was interestingly discussed by Mrs. McDougal, "The Strength of Our Nation," by Mrs. Walter Reimund, "The Perils of Our Nation," Mrs. Bob Hodges "Saving Our Nation," Mrs. Nannie Walker, "The Folks in the Missionary Fields," Mrs. Judy, "Ponca Picture," Mrs. Willis Barton, "Other Washington's," Mrs. E. C. White.

As the program drew to a close the group of members sang "Star Spangled Banner" as the young and dainty little McDougal sisters, Maggie Lee and Edna Earle, entered dressed in colonial costumes in keeping with the program features. A social hour immediately followed proving one of the high

WASHINGTON—HIS LIFE STORY IN PICTURES, COMMEMORATING THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS BIRTH!—8. Valley Forge



Washington held his strong position at Valley Forge despite the semi-starved, ill-fed condition of his men.



Arrival of the French fleet helped isolate the British at New York City.

By NEA Service.
 Public acclaim of General Washington in 1776 soon turned to condemnation. The year of 1777 was marked by a series of setbacks. The British captured Philadelphia; Congress fled to the interior; enemies schemed to displace Washington, and another general took the spotlight by his victory over the British at Saratoga. Washington, failing in an attack upon Germantown, was forced to take up winter quarters at Valley Forge. This was probably the darkest phase of his career. While the British were living in luxury in Philadelphia, the Americans, ill-clothed and half-starved, were dying on the frozen hillsides of Valley Forge. Washington's strength of character was again demonstrated when he held his men together throughout the winter, despite grumbling and the meddling of Congress.

Alliance with the French in the spring of 1778 altered the grim outlook. The British, fearing a French blockade, hastily retreated from Philadelphia to New York City. Hoping to cut off part of the enemy, Washington rushed his men forward, and the battle of Monmouth followed. His strategy failed, however, due to the treachery of Charles Lee, who gave a sudden order to retreat. Arrival of the French fleet in July, 1778, isolated the British in New York City and surrounding territory, and Washington distributed his troops in cantonments around the city and in New Jersey.

TOMORROW: The surrender of Cornwallis' troops at Yorktown.

OUT OUR WAY



SWEET DISPOSITIONS.

points of hour. Mrs. J. I. Cole, well known resident of Ranger, is the owner of an old-fashioned spinning wheel which she displayed explaining its many unusual attractions. Mrs. Cole favored the guests with spinning strands of thread from this quaint old wheel, which holds quite a personal value to its owner.

During refreshments served with George Washington favors given, Mrs. G. W. Thomas, sang, "Jesus Shall Reign."

The outstanding program was attended by members from all three circles of the society.

Marriage Ceremony of Ranger Girl Performed In Ardmore, Okla.

Frolicked in a pretty and becoming tea-rose colonial styled model, Miss Pauline Fallwood, young and attractive brunette daughter of Mrs. Louie Caulder, became the bride of Mr. Jack Fry of Tyler Monday afternoon with the ring ceremony performed in Ardmore, Okla.

The bride is a graduate of Ranger High school and an active member and worker in the Central Baptist Church. She also is a member of the Ranger Rebekah lodge No. 140.

Following a 10 days visit in cities of Oklahoma and a return visit to Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Fry will make their home in East Texas, where Mr. Fry is employed. Mrs. Fry is well known here particularly among the younger set, having been a member of various clubs.

The couple have a large number of friends who wish them much happiness.

RANGER Personal

Miss Marie Benefield has returned from a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neely of Thurbur.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Sanams were visitors in Sweetwater over the week-end, guests of their daughter and family.

D. L. Piger, manager of the A. & P. company, has resumed work after several days absence, due to a severe attack of influenza.

Charlie Cooper left this morning for East Texas.

Mrs. Jess E. Crealey of Lubbock is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Galloway.

Mr. Reese, manager of the Piggy-Wiggy company, with other associate managers of Eastland and Breckenridge stores, were visitors in Fort Worth the first of this week where they attended a special company meeting.

Preston Burks, who is ill at his home on South Austin street with a severe attack of influenza, is showing little improvement.

church Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. J. E. Hickman. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved by the secretary, Mrs. M. H. Kelly. Mrs. W. P. Leslie was program leader for the afternoon.

The Scripture lesson taken from Luke 2:8-14, was read by Mrs. W. W. Kelly.

Prayer by Mrs. Ed Graham. The roll call response was each member giving her opinion of the chief cause for the delay of the abandonment of war.

"Tariff and Trade Restrictions" was discussed by Mrs. R. E. Sikes. "Imperialistic Tendencies" by Mrs. Lola Mitchell.

"International Rivalries and Immigration" by Mrs. W. B. Collier. Song, "Praise the Saviour, All Ye Nations."

Mrs. W. P. Leslie gave an interesting talk on militaristic idea and other causes of war, using 15 illustrations, as follows: War has an inheritance of the past; war has

emotional appeal; nations denounce war and increase disarmament; nations desire to improve their economic status; tariffs; foreign loans; trade wars; pressure of population; foreign investments; race problems; immigration; Russia; war debts; political rivalries, and Versailles treaty.

The meeting was closed with the members repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison.

Those attending were Mrs. J. E. Hickman, W. W. Kelly, M. H. Kelly, T. J. Haley, E. C. Satterwhite, Lola Mitchell, W. P. Leslie, R. E. Sikes, M. E. Lawrence, W. B. Collier, Harris, B. L. Mackall, E. H. Jones, John Miller, Jack Vaughn, Ed Graham, Gates, C. G. Stubblefield, W. E. Coleman, Jonathan Jones, Maggie Dulin, W. B. Collier, F. L. Drago, Frank Sparks and F. A. Jones.

To Entertain Susan Steele Bible Class.

Mrs. George W. Shearer and Mrs. Ed Graham will entertain

CEMETERY SHOOTING RIGHTS BIRTHPLACE, SHRINE.

PERPIGNAN, France.—The birthplace of Marshal Joffre, at Rivesaltes, has been chosen as a national monument and the government has agreed to continue its upkeep.

COW MOTHERED YOUNG PIG.

RUTHERFORDTON, N. C.—When his cow was not measuring up to expectations in milk production, Henry L. Davis, farmer, investigated and found that the cow was mothering a 10-month-old hog that had fed, like a calf, from the cow.

EGG WEIGHED 5 1/2 OUNCES.

CAMPBELLSPORT, Wis.—Among eggs sent to a store here from the farm of Miss Eva Allen was one weighing five and one-half ounces and measuring eight and one-half inches in circumference. It contained a single yolk.

RED OPOSSUM TRAPPED.

AUBURN, Neb.—Clyde Argabright is the champion possum hunter of this community—not by the number he has caught, but by the color of one he caught. Argabright trapped a red opossum. They are usually gray.

FRANCE PRODUCES SPINACH.

PARIS.—France will have its iron, for the ministry of agriculture estimated in the annual crop survey published recently that France produced 13,934,570 pounds of spinach last season.

Mayor Jimmy Walker of New York is taking another rest. We didn't know he had recovered from his last one.

members of the Susan Steele Bible class of the Methodist Sunday school, at the church, Thursday afternoon, Feb. 18.

All members are invited to be present.

Colonial Tea To Be Held Wednesday Afternoon.

The Parent-Teacher association of the high and junior high schools will observe the birthday of George Washington, and honor the memory of George and Martha Washington, on Wednesday, Feb. 17, at the home of Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, with a seated tea, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Feb. 17 is also known as Founders Day, in memory of public-spirited patrons, who founded this great association in our public schools.

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PARIS STYLES

By **MARY KNIGHT**, United Press Staff Correspondent.

PARIS.—Little Orphan Annie may have gone to sleep last night ashamed of her old tattered gingham dress, but when she awoke this morning she found that her garment had been all glorified! Gingham, calico, cotton and cumbries fill the salons of the great dressmakers here. Pinafores, aprons, overalls and coveralls have inspired many of the 1932 models in feminine finery. Pinafores of jersey, or pique, are worn over frocks of pink and white checked gingham; linen and crash aprons are worn over bathing suits of cotton and these ensembles are replacing the worn out bench pajamas that have terminated their popularity. Overalls and coveralls of wool, or linen, are worn over gimpes of calico in stripes and squares and solid colors, to form what is a new type of jumper dress.

HEBRON, Conn.—Albert Hildinger, rural mail carrier, spends his spare time making his own roads. He carries a load of gravel in his mail car and grades and repairs the rough country roads as he delivers mail.

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- Avoid so far as possible the places where flu germs are most likely to be spread; over-crowded cars and public meeting places; overheated, stuffy rooms.
- Be careful of close contact with others and beware of all coughers and sneezers; breathe through the nose, get fresh air, but avoid drafts or chilling.
- Get lots of rest. Drink plenty of water. Keep the bowels open. Take extra precaution to keep in good physical condition, so your system will have normal resistance against germs.
- Try, particularly, to avoid catching cold. Colds lower your resistance to disease germs. At the first sign of any cold, take Bayer Aspirin; remain indoors if possible until your cold is gone. And if you have a sore throat, dissolve some Bayer Aspirin tablets in water and gargle; this relieves the soreness, and it usually reduces the inflammation.
- If you have any reason to suspect even a touch of flu, call your doctor at once.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS and CLUB NEWS

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Beethoven Club Met Feb. 12.

The Beethoven Music club was entertained Friday, Feb. 12, at the home of Mrs. J. Frank Tucker.

During the business meeting the election of officers was held. President, Mrs. L. G. Tucker; vice president, Josephine Murphy; secretary, Joyce Newman; treasurer, Jeanne Johnston; reporter, Faye Tucker; critic, Nell Ruth Kellett.

Piano solos were played by Josephine Murphy, Faye Tucker, Nell Ruth Kellett, L. G. Tucker. Early Life of Mozart, Josephine Murphy. Later Life of Mozart, Faye Tucker. Biography of Beethoven, Joyce Newman. Later Life of Beethoven, Nell Ruth Kellett.

Refreshments of spiced tea, chicken salad sandwiches, chocolate cookies, peanuts and mints were served.

Small Valentines were used as plate favors.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Nell Ruth Kellett, Carbon highway.

Methodist W. M. S. Met Monday Afternoon.

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